

Stratford Jamboree Fun Begins Saturday Morning

Stratford invites the general public to visit the City for a grand day of continued entertainment Saturday which rivals the better class celebrations sponsored in many sections.

Sponsored by the American Legion and supported by Stratford business and professional men and women, events of the day open at 8:00 A. M. and continue until midnight.

A pilots breakfast, junior baseball game, barbecue at noon, local candidates on the campaign platform, an air show with thrilling exhibitions, a league baseball game, and a modern dance with the music of Bernie Howell highlight the feature attractions. Dumas musicians will furnish band music during the day.

Pilots Breakfast

The first event on Saturday's program will be a free pilots breakfast at 8:00 A. M. John Kidwell and Leon Guthrie are in charge, and some help has already been volunteered to greet and serve the visiting pilots. A preliminary survey around the surrounding towns show that a big turnout for this event can be expected.

Plans are made to serve a hundred visitors, and the drone of planes will be very familiar that day. Pilots breakfasts are rapidly becoming very popular all over the country, and the air show will attract more than usual aerial visitors.

Junior Baseball

The American Legion Junior Baseball Team will play the Gruver High School team at 10:00 A. M. Saturday. These two teams are well matched, and those who haven't seen the junior team play should be there, those who have seen them play are sure to be present.

Leslie Parker Barbecue

Leslie Parker, local barbecue king will prepare the barbecue for the Stratford Jamboree. Those who have had the privilege of eating Leslie Parker's barbecue declare there is none better. Prime beef is hanging in the locker for the occasion, and Friday night the barbecue fires will be glowing brightly by the Legion Hall. Les will maintain an all-night vigil over his barbecue and beans, and at noon Saturday visitors will have a treat in store for them.

The barbecue will be served on a pay-what-you-wish basis, depending on the generosity of the visitors. But whether you want to pay a dime or ten dollars for your plate, you are as welcome as the flowers in May.

Candidates To Speak

All candidates for local offices will be invited to air their platforms during the barbecue Saturday noon. Candidates will be limited to five minutes each, and loudspeaker facilities will be provided. This will probably be the only opportunity for the candidates to appear publicly before

Political Announcements

Authorized Political announcements subject to the action of the Texas Democratic Primary, Saturday, July 24th

For County Judge and Ex-Officio Superintendent of Schools:
L. P. HUNTER.

County and District Clerk:
Mrs. LELAH BONEY.

For County Treasurer:
JOHN HANEY.
Mrs. T. N. (Violet) BEARD.
C. F. (Shorty) MEINHARDT.
MRS. LENA B. KEANAN.

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector:
JOHN KIDWELL.
J. W. GAROUTTE.
A. L. (Doc) WILSON.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
ROSCOE DYESS.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
JOHN BONEY.
E. W. CARTER.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
E. E. HAMILTON.
SEKKI J. LAVAKE.

For State Representative, 124th Legislative District:
WM. J. CRAIG.

election.

Air Show At 2:00 P. M.

Plans for the air show are near completion and a first class, fast moving program is assured. Harold Bennett and Swift Ingram of Dalhart have been working hard on this program, and they have a program arranged that is sure-fire. Harold and Swift are both recognized as two of the outstanding stunt pilots, and they are enlisting the aid of other fine exhibition pilots. You can depend on some of the finest exhibition flying. Swift Ingram will attempt one of the most difficult feats known in his Stearman. Swift will attempt to do an inverted spin. A normal spin is very dangerous, but doing it upside down is something that is out-of-this world.

Harold Bennett is in constant demand for exhibition flying. Sunday he put on a show at Borger, and last week he did a one-man show at Gruver. Anything Harold can't and won't do to an Aeroque just can't be done. His maneuvers are a source of amazement to seasoned pilots everywhere where he performs, and he will throw the whole works at you Saturday.

Competition of a milder sort will be provided for light plane pilots. There will be spot-landing contest for conventional type planes. Aeroques and like planes are excluded from this event. There will be short take-off races for all types, and a race to Texhoma and return for all planes in the 75 h.p. class. Trophies for these events have been bought by local merchants and are on display in the window of Bond Studio.

District Commander To Attend

Charlie Gibson, 18th district Commander of the American Legion has promised to be here Saturday for the celebration. He is Assistant Publisher of the Amarillo Times, prominent in Texas politics, and has been widely known in Texas American Legion circles for many years. Charlie probably does more dining-out than any man in captivity, recently attending six banquets in one week, only to have his wife stand in her chair to make a speech so he could enjoy his meal on the seventh night.

Mr. Gibson is widely known in Sherman County, having served in this county on a government agricultural board some years ago. His many friends here will be glad to see him again. He promises to bring a public address system on his car for use here.

Dumas Band To Play
The Dumas band, composed of the high school band and partly from town talent will furnish musical entertainment for the Stratford Jamboree. The Dumas High School band is recognized as one of the top bands of the Panhandle, and the many lovers of band music will be in for a treat on this occasion.

Securing a band at this time of year is very difficult, as school is out, students and directors on vacation or wrapped up in private lessons. It was impossible to find a band to accompany the motor caravan, but covering as much territory in one day as was scheduled it would have been difficult with a band as it takes time to get a band unloaded and tuned up for a parade.

Dance With Bernie Howell
The big dance to be held in the Legion Hall Saturday night from 9:00 to 12:00 will be one of the highlights of the celebration. Bernie Howell, popular staff artist for station KGNC will bring his electric organ and play for the dance. Those who have danced to his organ music rate him as the finest available in the Panhandle. Bernie may be heard

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Phillips Makes 14 Drilling Locations

Sherman County led the Panhandle in gas field development this week with 14 new locations made by the Phillips Petroleum Company. Only 42 locations were announced for the Panhandle section.

The 14 new locations include: Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 2 Louise, 2,751 feet from the west line and 2,746 feet from the south line of section 301, Block 1-T. Phillips Petroleum Co. Bivins "L" No. 1, 2,534 feet from the south and east lines of section 4, Block 1-C.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 Bivins "W", 2,535 feet from the south line and 2,575 feet from the east line of section 61, Block 1-C. Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 "X" Bivins, 2,591 feet from the west line and 2,536 feet from the north line of section 62, Block 1-C.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 Buzz, 2,536 feet from the north line and 2,591 feet from the east line of section 95, Block 1-C.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 Ivens "C", 2,590 feet from the west line and 2,571 feet from the north line of section 53, Block 3-B.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 Ivens "H", 2,590 feet from the west line and 2,533 feet from the north line of section 68, Block 3-B.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 Ivens "J", 2,592 feet from the west line and 2,533 feet from the north line of section 69, Block 3-B.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 Ivens "K", 2,535 feet from the south line and 2,590 feet from the east line of section 70, Block 3-B.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 Ivens "P", 2,535 feet from the south line and 2,590 feet from the east line of section 2, Block 2-B.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 Jarmer, 2,575 feet from the west line and 2,535 feet from the north line of section 63, Block 1-C.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 Riffe, 2,575 feet from the west line and 2,535 feet from the north line of section 64, Block 1-C.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 Stillwell, 2,561 feet from the north line and 2,542 feet from the east line of section 4, Block 2-T.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 Whort, 2,536 feet from the south line and 2,542 feet from the east line of section 9, Block 2.

One Fined For Traffic Violation

Luther M. Lennox was fined \$18 in Justice of the Peace Court for a traffic violation.

each week-day morning at 7:45, and before you make any cracks about dancing to organ music, roll back the carpet and give it a try some morning. Bernie plays any kind of music you want from a schottish to boogie woogie, and he doesn't spend half the time on intermissions.

The floor of the Legion Hall is in fine condition for dancing. The concrete floor is the very finest and smoothest concrete you ever saw, and a little dance wax will make it as slick as the best hardwood dance floor. The floor will accommodate a large crowd, and a large crowd is expected. Those who haven't danced since the President's Ball had better oil up their knee caps and get ready for this one, because it is going to be a dandy.

Rest Rooms In Legion Hall

The building committee has been very busy the past few days getting rest rooms in readiness for the celebration in the Legion Hall. The restrooms will all be in order by that time, and a critical situation averted. Due to the large crowd of people, it is urgently requested that people treat the rest rooms with proper respect, otherwise they will be in a very unsanitary condition before the close of the day.

Assembly Of God Revival Meeting Opens Sunday



Evangelist Nolan Sluder of Oklahoma City will open revival services at the Assembly of God Church Sunday. Services will be conducted daily at 7:30 P. M.

Memorial Services Conducted Sunday

Impressive Memorial Day services were held at the cemetery by Howard Norvell Green Post 262 of the American Legion Sunday afternoon. A large crowd was present to hear Henry Tubell of Tulla deliver the address. Mr. Tubell proved to be a very able speaker, and the crowd was impressed with his sincerity. The post drill squad under the command of Earl Bond, post commander, decorated the graves of the eleven veterans known to be buried there with military ceremony.

Stratford Grain Co. Burglarized Monday Night

The office of the Stratford Grain Company was entered and office equipment taken Monday night.

A large short wave radio used to secure the latest market reports; an electric clock, a new adding machine, 500 feet of rubberized wire cable, and a call box used in the company's intercommunication system between elevators was taken.

Citizens Welcome New Firm

Over 200 guests attended the formal opening of the Stratford Floral Saturday.

Mrs. Earl Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gray, owners of the new firm, presented orchids to Mrs. Earl Kirkwood and Mrs. T. D. Chisum for having birthdays and wedding anniversaries nearest the opening date of the floral company.

The firm plans to specialize in plants and flowers for special occasions.

Brannans Collect New Flower Varieties

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Brannan have 25 varieties of flowers growing in their front yard which they have collected over a period of three years. They do not know the names of several types of the flowers.

Riffe To Pay Premium For Mature Wheat

Earl Riffe announces the Stratford Grain Company will pay a premium of \$3.00 a bushel for the first load of 1948 wheat delivered to the elevator with a moisture content of less than 14 percent.

Lions Install New Club Officers

Stratford Lions assisted by District Governor W. R. Rutherford, Dumas, E. Giles, R. W. Spencer, Ell Willis, and Arthur Baer, Dumas club members, installed newly elected officers of the club at the meeting Monday night.

Officers taking over the responsibilities of the local club are: Hose Flores, president; C. D. Holmes, first vice-president; Walter M. Pendleton, second vice-president; W. O. Bryant, third vice-president; Ernest Goule, secretary-treasurer; Joe Walsh, Lion tamer; Jim Taylor, Tail twister; and Arthur Milton and John Kidwell, directors.

Thirty-two members were present for the installation ceremonies.

Ladies Night June 7

A special program is being prepared for ladies night Monday, June 7, the last meeting the club will have until after the harvest season. Good attendance is expected.

Directors Take Action

In a special meeting following the banquet, the board of directors approved an audit of the treasurer's records which they found to be correct and in good condition.

The directors authorized expenditures of club funds for paying \$180.00 to the Stratford Parent-Teacher Association for serving the Lions Boy Scout benefit banquet; a donation of \$500.00 to the Lions Club Lodge to be erected at the scout camp south of Amarillo; payment of the expenses of Kenneth Kendrick to the national convention of Lions International in New York the last of July as a delegate representing the local club; and \$50.00 for the club's share in paying the expense of the Amarillo A Capella Choir to the national convention.

Tax Equalization Board Meeting Tuesday, June 8

Notice has been given by the Sherman County Commissioners' Court that they will sit as a board of equalization Tuesday, June 8. Tax payers will find the board in session after 10:00 A. M.

Persons who desire may appear before the Board of Equalization to protest the valuation placed on property in Sherman County for tax purposes.

Stratford Wins 4 To 2 Over Perryton

Back in seasoned form, the Stratford baseball club defeated the powerful Perryton team Sunday afternoon by a score of 4 to 2 in a game played on the local diamond.

Harrison To Receive Degree

Eugene Harrison, receiving his BS degree in industrial engineering, will be among the 508 candidates for bachelor degrees at the 2nd annual commencement exercise at Texas Technological College June 7.

Harrison is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Harrison of Stratford.

Attend Eastern Star Meeting

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates, Miss Evelyn Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Eller, Mrs. Walter Pendleton, and Frank Hobbie of Dodge City, Kansas attended the installation of Eastern Star officers in Dalhart Monday night.

Phillips Petroleum Company Buys Acreages In Delinquent Tax Sale

4-H Girl To Have Movie Screen Test

Texas 4-H Club girls have a chance to "get in the movies." A movie, The Green Promise, is being built around the story of a farm family's struggle for success. The cast includes a 12-year old 4-H Club girl.

The producers of The Green Promise have announced a nationwide talent search for a 4-H Club girl to fill this part in the film. Four girls will be selected for screen tests. These four, with their chaperons, will receive an all-expense paid trip to Hollywood some time this summer.

Representatives of the producers conferred this week on details of eligibility with J. D. Prewitt, acting director of the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service, Maurine Hearn, vice director for women and state home demonstration agent, and others.

To be eligible, a Texas girl must be under 13 years old on July 1, 1948 have been a 4-H Club member for two years or more and be active in 4-H work at the present time.

Entry blanks and full details of the plan have been sent to county home demonstration agents. Selection of the four finalists will be made on the basis of photographs.

The Green Promise is sponsored by Gleen McCarthy, Houston businessman, with Robert Paige and Monty Collins as co-producers.

Goule To Attend Officers Training School

Ernest Goule will leave Saturday for Fort Bliss at El Paso to attend a reserve officers training school through the 19th of this month. Refresher courses on new military tactics will be taught.

LX-Frisco H. D. Club Organized

An LX-Frisco Home Demonstration club was organized recently at a meeting of ladies of that vicinity in the home of Mrs. Norman Bridwell. Mrs. W. T. Crabtree assisted Mrs. Bridwell as co-hostess.

In the election of officers, Mrs. Sam Lasley was chosen President; Mrs. Walter Lasley, vice president and program chairman; and Mrs. Sam Lasley, council delegate.

Other officers will probably be elected at a meeting of the club today.

Ladies present for the organization of the club were Mrs. Carl Craig, Mrs. George Roberts, Mrs. Sam R. Lasley, Mrs. V. A. Holland, Mrs. Sam Lasley, Mrs. Joda Knudson, Mrs. Paul Craig, Mrs. Ethel Brown, Mrs. Verne Courtner, Mrs. Roy Schafer, Mrs. Merrill Sweny, Mrs. Luther Browder, Miss Jacqueline Bridwell, Miss Dorothy Dixon, County home demonstration agent, and the hostesses, Mrs. Bridwell and Mrs. Crabtree.

The ladies enjoyed a pleasant afternoon of needle-work and listening to the piano and vocal solos presented by Miss Jacqueline Bridwell.

Organization of the club is a result of the efforts of the Expansion Committee of the Sherman County Home Demonstration Council, Mrs. Luther Browder being the committee chairman.

Rev. Nichols Returns To Stratford

Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Nichols returned Sunday night from the annual Northwest Texas Methodist Conference held in Lubbock. They have been assigned to the pastorate of the local church for another year.

Benjamin Franklin founded the Saturday Evening Post.

Tom Craig, James T. Smith, and Tom Bloom, representing the Phillips Petroleum Company, bought 7 of the 20-acre plots of land sold in the delinquent tax sale here Tuesday morning. W. N. Price bought one 20-acre tract and Mrs. Walter S. McNabb bought one tract.

The combined 180 acres of land sold for \$8,176.00. Lots in Texhoma sold for \$348.00.

Transfer of the land owned by the State of Texas for the last 20 years and exempt from taxation, places 180 acres of land back on the tax rolls of the county. Every acre of Sherman County land is now rendered for taxation.

Only two small tracts of land in the City of Stratford with flaws in their titles now remain on the delinquent tax roll of the city.

Delinquent taxes no longer exist on the Texas side of Texhoma except on two or three small tracts of land in the disputed Texas-Oklahoma strip where land titles are questionable.

Tax delinquencies which dated back to 1919 have been wiped off the county tax rolls.

Mrs. Wilson Is Married In Denton

Dorothy N. Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McWilliams, and Joy Lee Yarbrough, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Yarbrough of Denton, were united in marriage by Claude Halcumb, Minister of the Church of Christ Friday at 9:00 P. M.

The bride wore a beige linen suit with navy blue accessories. Her corsage was of pink gladioli. The bridesmaid, Miss Helen Yarbrough, a cousin of the groom, wore a pink butcher linen suit with white accessories.

The groom was attended by James Wilcher.

After the wedding the young couple left for a wedding trip to the Texas Panhandle, Oklahoma and New Mexico.

The bride is a graduate of Stratford High School and attended T. S. C. W. in Denton.

The groom is a graduate of North Texas State High School and also attended North Texas State College.

Mr. and Mrs. Yarbrough will make their home on their farm 8 miles west of Denton.

Church News

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Howard Whatley, Pastor

Sunday
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Training Union 7:00 P. M.
Evening Worship Services 8:00 P. M.
W. M. U. Wednesday 2:00 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 7:30 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.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Services 11:00 A. M.
Evening Service 8:00 P. M.
A nursery under competent supervision provides care for infants during church services.
Rev. John W. Reeves, Pastor.

METHODIST CHURCH
(Rev. H. A. Nichols, Pastor)
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning services 11:00 A. M.
Evening Worship services 7:30 P. M.

Junior League 6:30 P. M.
Intermediate MYF 6:30 P. M.
Senior MYF 8:30 P. M.
W. S. C. S. Wednesday at 2:30 P. M.

Choir practice Wednesday night at 7:30.

Thursday night is Intermediate play night from 7:00 to 8:00 P. M.

Jamboree Day

Every body come a running
And hear what I've got to say.
There's going to be a doin's

folks
And they call it Stratford
Jamboree Day.
We extend a hearty welcome
Across the muddy way,

To all our friends and neighbors,
To come to Jamboree Day.
No matter if the dirt does blow
Or the skies are dull and gray
You'll have a grand and glorious time
If you come to Jamboree Day.
There will be music, games and races,
And lots of things to play.
So dust up the old flivver
And come to Stratford Day.
There will be lots of fun and pleasure
With a breakfast to start the day.
So bring the old folks and children,
And come to Stratford Day.
There'll be baseball in the morning,
Then an air show too, they say,
So be prepared to see them all
When you come to Stratford Day.
There'll be dancing in the evening
For all who care to stay.
So dress up in your Sunday best
And come to Stratford Day.
And when the day is ended,
We hope to hear you say:
I wouldn't have missed for the world,
"Hurrah for Stratford Day."
—A Reader.

Say You Saw It In The Star

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These busy days demand simple, sculptured hair styles. Won't you come in today and get your short-cut and permanent that will carry you comfortable through the summer.

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Alma Lee McMahan
Reba Pittman Charlene Bolster

Welcome to Stratford

For the Celebration Saturday

WE WILL PAY

\$3 a Bushel

for the first load of 1948 Wheat

Having Moisture Content

Of Less Than 14%

Stratford Grain Co.

WELCOME TO STRATFORD

for the Celebration Saturday

WE SAY THANKS

To the many people who visited our Floral Shop and made our opening day a success.

We also wish to invite everyone to come and see our plants and flowers.

Stratford Floral

Mrs. Earl Smith - Mava and Harold Gray

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Ross Service Station Under New Management

Gene Ross announces the re-opening of the Ross Service Station this week. He offers the public modern filling station services and hopes to gradually expand his facilities.

June's Political Calendar

June 7— Last date for candidates for State offices to file with State Chairman request to have name placed on primary ballot.

June 7— Late date for candidates for United States Senator to file application with State

INTERIOR And EXTERIOR

Decorating

Painting -- Paper Hanging

Write or Contact

Earl Phelps

Stratford Resident
Through Lumber Yard

Chairman to have name placed on primary ballot.

June 11— Last day for State chairman to notify state committee and all persons whose names have been requested to be placed upon ballot of place of State convention.

June 14 — State committee meets to consider written request of candidates to have names

placed on official ballot.
June 14— State executive committee shall decide upon and publish the place of state convention.
To be continued —

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Saturday is the day planned for your special entertainment. We hope you will attend for we are certain you will enjoy every attraction prepared for the day.

Sherman County Abstract Co.

Royal Pendleton, Manager

Stratford, Texas

WELCOME VISITORS

The Celebration In Stratford Saturday Will Be A Grand Affair

You'll Enjoy Every Occasion

Wearing Neat Appearing

CLOTHING

Cared For By Your Local Cleaners

Stratford Cleaners

Phone 90

WELCOME VISITORS

The Celebration Saturday offers a varied program of Entertainment

Presented In A Grand Way In A Grand Town

Don't neglect being present for the entire day for you will enjoy every feature that is being presented.

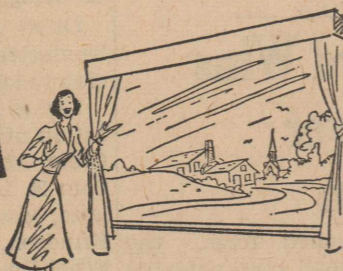
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We can hardly wait to show you the '49 Ford!

We're itching to show you the revolutionary, NEW '49 Ford! It's The Car of the Year—and you're going to love it! We can't let you see it quite yet, but here's a hint of some of the features you'll find in the NEW Ford in your future!



Seats wide enough for 3 BIG people!



They rival the finest sofa for comfort and room—57" front, and 60" rear seat! Plenty of hip and shoulder room for 3 BIG people on each one!



You'll love the new "Mid-Ship" Ride!

You'll travel in a "Mid-Ship" Ride . . . the level center section of Ford's "Lounge Car" interior where the going's smoothest!

Plenty of room to see out!

We'll show you real "Picture Window" Visibility . . . more than 20 square feet of "see-ability"—Even the rear window is windshield big!

The Car of the Year!

The Car of the Year has plenty of other features, too: a "Deep Deck" Luggage Locker with 19 cubic feet of usable space . . . new "Hydra-Coil" Front Springs . . . extra strong, extra long "Para-Flex" Rear Springs . . . new, larger, 35% easier-to-apply "Magic Action" King-Size Brakes. It won't be long before you can see for yourself!

Watch our Showroom Windows for Announcement!

Your Ford Dealer invites you to listen to the Fred Allen Show, Sunday Evenings—NBC network. Listen to the Ford Theater, Sunday Afternoons—NBC network. See your newspaper for time and station.

Stratford Motor Co.

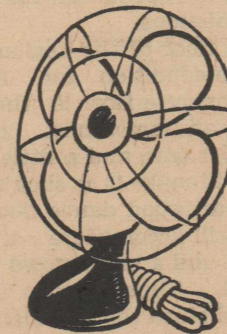
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Local News

L. A. Gunzelman, who has been attending the College of Commerce at Creighton University, in Omaha, Nebraska, returned

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WELCOME TO STRATFORD

Enjoy a Day of Fun and Entertainment

Saturday

Davis Motor Co.

"YOUR CHEVROLET DEALER"

WELCOME TO STRATFORD

For A Day of Fun and Entertainment

Beginning Saturday Morning

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WELCOME TO STRATFORD

For A Day Of

Entertainment

Saturday

You will enjoy the day and we will enjoy being of any service that we may in making your day more pleasant for you.

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WELCOME TO STRATFORD

for the Celebration Saturday

The program arranged is one that you will enjoy and it will be a pleasure for us to be of service to you during the day.

WEARING APPAREL

For Every Member of the Family

Ross Bros. Dry Goods

MANN'S



Malted Milk Bread

At Your Favorite Grocery

home Monday night.

Frank Sewell, Arthur Littell, and Tom E. Reed, Oklahoma City, were business visitors here Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Mehner, Bill and Gene Ross.

Hayden Cooper and daughter, Barbara, Ness City, Kansas, were guests in the home of Mrs. H. J. Cooper Sunday.

Miss Marjorie Grimes is a guest of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Steel, in Dalt-hart this week.

Misses Almata and Louise Wall and their brother, Terry Wall, are visiting their father, Melvin Wall in Odessa and from there, they will go to visit relatives in Shamrock.

Among the young people re-

turning home from school are: Miss Catherine Hester, Bill Allen, Nell Jackson, William Glen Hart, Roy Lee Malone, and James Bradley, all from Canyon; and Miss Wanda Jean Bryant from Denton; and Miss Beverly Smith from Denver, Colorado.

Mrs. McNabb, Spearman, and daughter, Mrs. Bill Whitson, Lubbock, have been guests in the home of Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Nichols.

Rain And Hail Fall Over County

Rain accompanied by hail and cyclonic winds struck sections of the county Friday evening. Destruction to wheat was most severe in a path extending east from the Conlen area. Damage is estimated up to 100 per cent in some fields. Moisture in other sections ranged from cloud bursts to light showers. One inch of rain has fallen in Stratford during the last week. Showers registered .64, .05, .06, and .25 of an inch. Moisture over the south plains area has resulted in a 10-day delay in harvest. Reports indicate the yield has been doubled by recent moisture.

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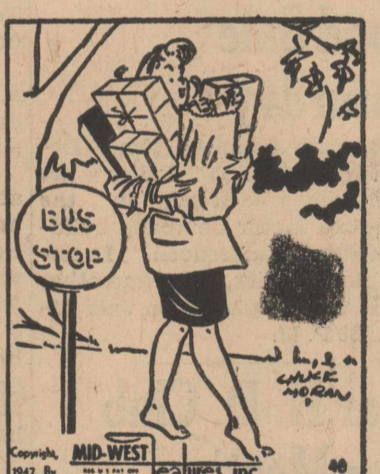
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DUBY Plumbing & Electric

Welcome To Stratford Saturday



Nevertheless, I can't help but think that I've forgotten something!"

Palace Cafe

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Naugles Honor Guests With Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Naugle and son, Basil, entertained with a dinner Sunday in honor of Mrs. Muri Naugle and son, Sgt. Glen I. Naugle, of Salem, Indiana. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Willis Naugle and three children, Stratford; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lavake and two children, Mrs. Iva Rhoda and daughter, Goodwell, Oklahoma; Lawrence Naugle of Stratford, Mr. and Mrs. Clem Purdy and daughter, Dalhart; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lavake and four children, Stratford, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Naugle and three children, Stratford; Mr. and Mrs. Milke Fawbush of Salem, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Flenor and two children, and Bob Reynolds of Conlen.

Engagement Announced

Mrs. Emma Vrtiska, Lincoln, Nebraska, announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Dorothy Bernice, to Linus A. Gunzelman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gunzelman of Stratford. The wedding will take place in the near future.

H. D. Council Meeting Friday

A meeting of the Sherman County Home Demonstration Council will be held in the club room at the court house in Stratford Friday afternoon at 2:30. Plans will be completed for the

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visit Saturday and returned to Mrs. Arthur Ross and Mrs. Dallas Monday night for more treatments. Frank Mehner were Amarillo visitors Friday.

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Club Ladies Food Sale Saturday

Sherman County Home Demonstration Club ladies are sponsoring a food sale in the Stratford Motor Company building Saturday afternoon. Dressed chickens, pies, cakes and other foods will be placed on sale after 1:30 P. M.

Star H. D. Club Has Meeting

The Star Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday of last week at 2:30 P. M. in the home of Mrs. Shuler Donelson. Miss Dorothy Dixon gave a demonstration on step saving kitchens, stressing the "U" shaped type.

Those present were Miss Dixon, Mrs. S. J. Lavake, Mrs. Huston Pearson, Mrs. Tommy Wakefield, Mrs. Raymond Keener, Mrs. J. W. Smith, and the hostess, Mrs. Donelson.

The club will meet Tuesday, June 8, with Mrs. Raymond Keener at 2:30 P. M.

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Dalhart — Texas

awarded the Dempster drill agency and plans to start stocking parts in the near future.

Local News

Mrs. V. O. Gilbert and G. L. Taylor went to the Taylor ranch near Hugo, Colorado Sunday.

Mrs. Martha Harrison and Mrs. A. E. Pronger, Jr., returned Monday from a ten day visit in Dallas and Tyler, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. La Verne Gaylord and Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Bachman and daughters, Dorothy and Norma, and Darlin Kaywood were Amarillo visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Mehner, Mrs. A. L. Ross and her guest, Miss Ollie Lou Glenn, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Steel in Dalhart Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. La Verne Gaylord and Mrs. H. J. Bachman and children visited in Plains, Kansas from Sunday until Tuesday of this week.

L. F. Denney who has been taking treatments in Dallas for his injured hand, came home for a

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Local News

Mrs. Bert Slay was taken to Northwest Texas Hospital Wednesday morning in the Wilson ambulance. She is under medical observation to determine the cause of severe headaches.

Mr. and Mrs. Conde Donelson, Lt. Frank Doby, Clark Field, Hawaii, spent the week-end with his brother, Joe A. Doby and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Seig and children had as their guest for the week-end, Mrs. H. A. Seig and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Seig and children of Wichita, Kansas.

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and Mrs. J. L. Turner Sunday. Russell Kejp is attending the Ford mechanics school in Oklahoma City this week. E. C. Vickers, Pratt, Kansas, was a visitor here Tuesday.

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Guaranteed Watch Repair Service
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\$14.13
Tax Included
Harding & Parker
Wayne Harding Carroll Parker

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates visited relatives in Texhoma Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Morgan, Dallas, spent a few days last week visiting in the home of her daughter and family, the Leon Guthries. Mrs. Guthrie and daughter, Charlotte, returned home with them for a visit.

visitors in Dalhart Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Neil Andrews and Wilma were Dumas visitors Monday. Chester Guthrie and Roy Combs attended a Southwestern Public Service safety meeting in Dalhart Tuesday night.

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EARL ALBERT
Speaking for the firm of
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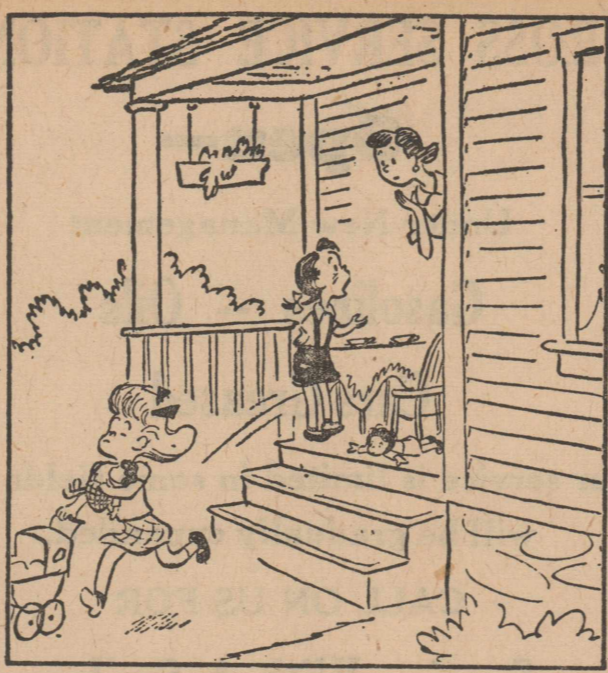
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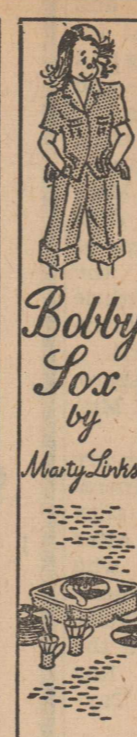
By Roy Mathison



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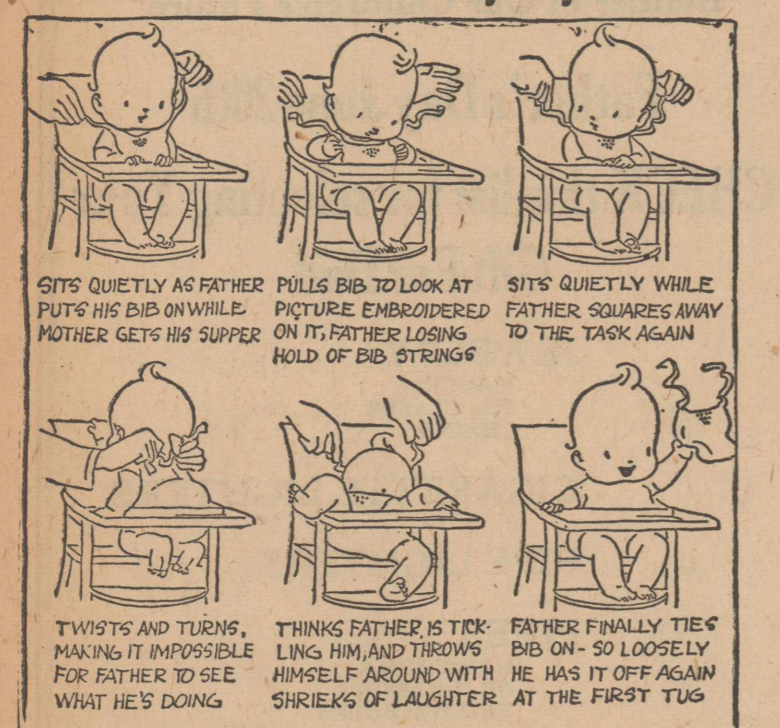
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THE BIB

By Gluyas Williams



SITS QUIETLY AS FATHER PUTS HIS BIB ON WHILE MOTHER GETS HIS SUPPER
PULLS BIB TO LOOK AT PICTURE EMBROIDERED ON IT, FATHER LOSING HOLD OF BIB STRINGS
SITS QUIETLY WHILE FATHER SQUARES AWAY TO THE TASK AGAIN
TWISTS AND TURNS, MAKING IT IMPOSSIBLE FOR FATHER TO SEE WHAT HE'S DOING
THINKS FATHER IS TICKLING HIM, AND THROWS HIMSELF AROUND WITH SHRIEKS OF LAUGHTER
FATHER FINALLY TIES BIB ON - SO LOOSELY HE HAS IT OFF AGAIN AT THE FIRST TUG

BACK HOME AGAIN

By Ed Dodd



(SOB, I THOUGHT I'D MADE A GOOD HOME FOR HIM AND COOKED THE THINGS HE LIKED (SOB) AND I'VE TRIED NOT TO BE TOO HARD ON HIM - (SOB)
NOW, MOM, IT'S NOT BECAUSE HE DOESN'T LOVE YOU... EVERY SIXTEEN-YEAR-OLD BOY HAS TO RUN AWAY ONCE... I RAN AWAY FOUR TIMES, HE'LL BE BACK AS SOON AS HE BEGINS THINKING ABOUT THOSE APPLE PIES OF YOURS!

NANCY

By Ernie Bushmiller



NANCY--HOW DARE YOU USE MY BUBBLE-BATH SALTS?
THAT STUFF IS TOO EXPENSIVE FOR A CHILD TO USE
THAT'S NOT ME--- I'M BATHING MY DOG

LITTLE REGGIE

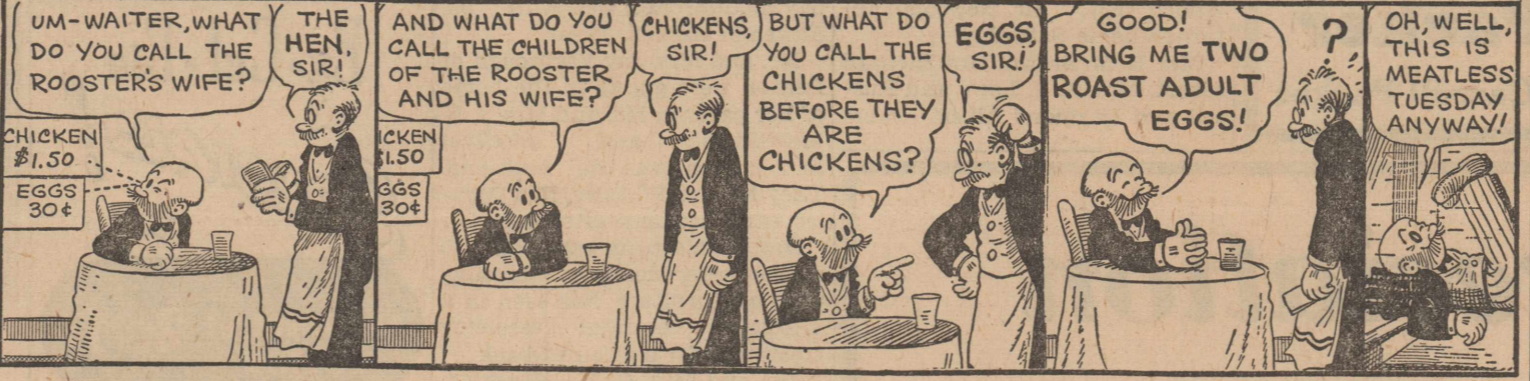
By Margarita



REGINALD, ARE YOU IN THE TUB?
YES'M
WELL I HOPE YOU'RE USING LOTS OF SOAP.
DON'T WORRY MA-- I'M USING PLENTY OF SOAP!

MUTT AND JEFF

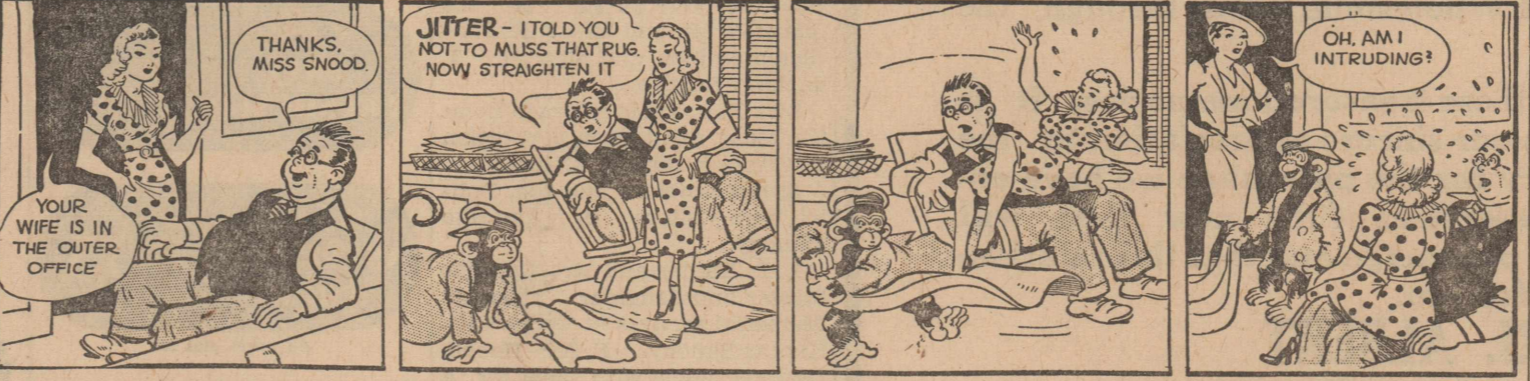
By Bud Fisher



UM--WAITER, WHAT DO YOU CALL THE ROOSTER'S WIFE?
THE HEN, SIR!
AND WHAT DO YOU CALL THE CHILDREN OF THE ROOSTER AND HIS WIFE?
CHICKENS, SIR!
BUT WHAT DO YOU CALL THE CHICKENS BEFORE THEY ARE CHICKENS?
EGGS, SIR!
GOOD! BRING ME TWO ROAST ADULT EGGS!
OH, WELL, THIS IS MEATLESS TUESDAY ANYWAY!

JITTER

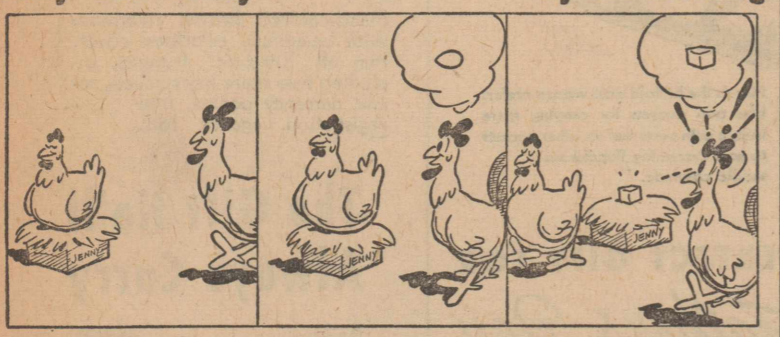
By Arthur Pointer



THANKS, MISS SNOOD.
YOUR WIFE IS IN THE OUTER OFFICE.
JITTER - I TOLD YOU NOT TO MUSS THAT RUG NOW STRAIGHTEN IT
OH, AM I INTRUDING?

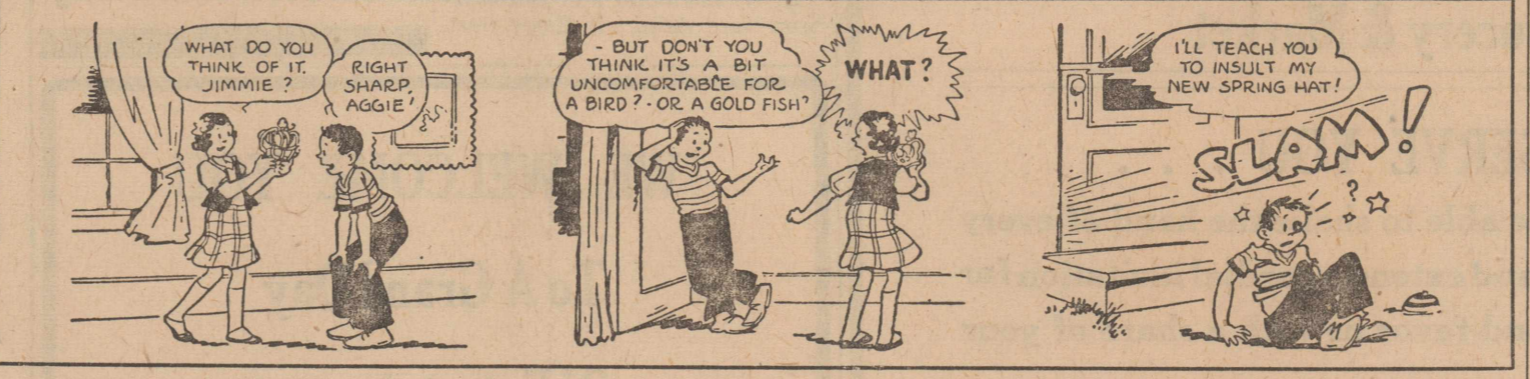
Jenny and Benny

by Art Winburg



REG'LAR FELLERS

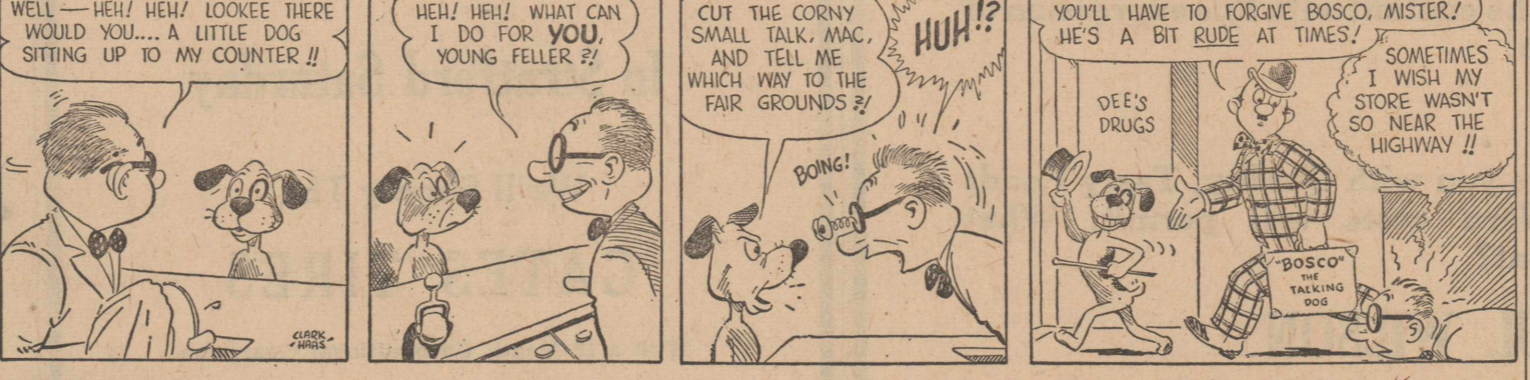
By Gene Byrnes



WHAT DO YOU THINK OF IT, JIMMIE?
RIGHT SHARP, AGGIE.
BUT DON'T YOU THINK IT'S A BIT UNCOMFORTABLE FOR A BIRD? - OR A GOLD FISH?
WHAT?
I'LL TEACH YOU TO INSULT MY NEW SPRING HAT!

SUNNYSIDE

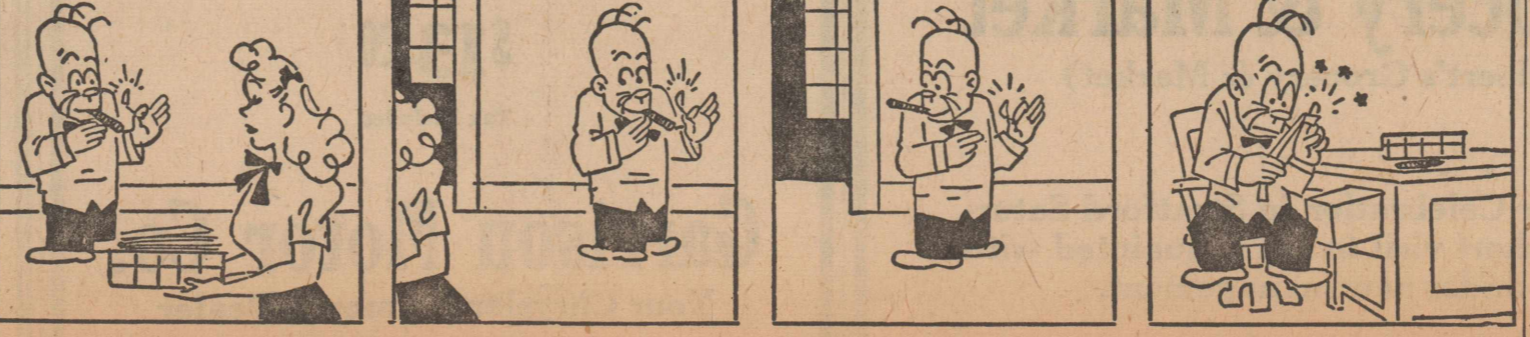
by Clark S. Haas



WELL -- HEH! HEH! LOOKEE THERE WOULD YOU... A LITTLE DOG SITTING UP TO MY COUNTER!!
HEH! HEH! WHAT CAN I DO FOR YOU, YOUNG FELLER?!!
CUT THE CORNY SMALL TALK, MAC, AND TELL ME WHICH WAY TO THE FAIR GROUNDS?!!
HUH?!!
YOU'LL HAVE TO FORGIVE BOSCO, MISTER! HE'S A BIT RUDE AT TIMES!
SOMETIMES I WISH MY STORE WASN'T SO NEAR THE HIGHWAY!!
DEE'S DRUGS

SILENT SAM

By Jeff Hayes



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Baron Works as Lumberjack in Arizona Pine Forests

FLAGSTAFF, ARIZ. - A titled baron of Sweden, Baron Carl Gabriel Beck-Friis, 26, is learning the lumber business the hard way by working as a lumberjack in the northern Arizona pine forests.

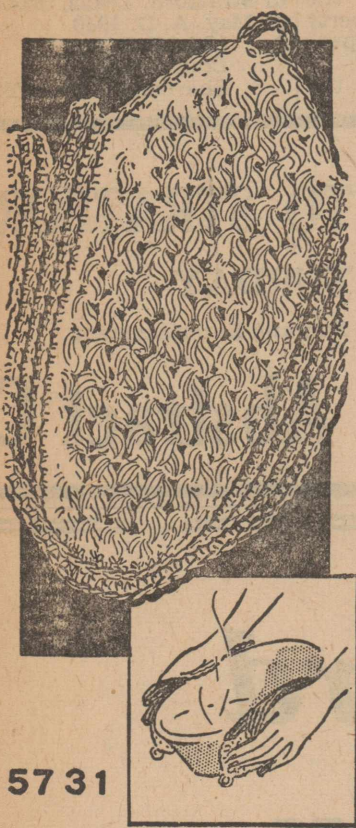
His family owns 40,000 acres of timber and farm land in Sweden and he came to the United States to study American agriculture and forestry methods.

Zoo Visitor Seeks Fleas Of Grizzly for Collection

ST. LOUIS.-Officials of the zoo here receive many strange requests but were completely nonplussed recently when a Tennessee flea collector offered 50 cents for two fleas from a grizzly bear with an affidavit to prove their origin.

Every fall the zoo is deluged with requests to borrow or rent tigers, camels, elephants and bears. Such requests usually are made by colleges which want the animals for mascots. All are turned down.

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THE BIBLE SPEAKS

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By LOUIE D. NEWTON, D. D.

Men Who Dared To Stand For God

Lesson for June 6, 1948

A FIERY furnace, and a lion's den. These are the tests to which Sunday's lesson will put our hero about whom we studied last Sunday, this young man Daniel. Three friends, Shadrack, Meshach and Abednego, will undergo the test of the fiery furnace, having been convinced by Daniel's example that God is trustworthy. And Daniel will spend the night in the den of lions. You will need to read chapters three through six to get the full story.

DANIEL IN THE DEN OF LIONS
THE sixth chapter must be read to have an adequate background for this study. Daniel had been chosen as the first of three presidents to rule over 120 princes who should govern the kingdom. The other two presidents and the princes could find no fault in this Hebrew, save that he believed and observed the law of his God. So, they conspired against him by persuading the king to issue a decree that no person in the kingdom was to make a petition to any God or man for 30 days, save to the king, on the penalty of being cast into the den of lions. This decree was issued by Darius, and Daniel's enemies reported to Darius that Daniel was opening his window three times a day, praying to his God. Darius was greatly troubled, but had to stand by his decree, and Daniel was cast into the den of lions. Darius spent a sleepless night, and hurried to the den at dawn to know about Daniel. Daniel replied, "O king, live for ever. My God hath sent his angel, and hath shut the lions' mouths, that they have not hurt me."

DARIUS REWARDS DANIEL
CONVINCED that Daniel's convictions had been miraculously rewarded by God, Darius ordered the other two presidents and the princes, together with their wives and children, thrown into the lions' dens. They were all destroyed by the lions.

Then Darius issued a decree to all the nations and people of all languages that dwell in all the earth. Hear this decree: "Peace be multiplied unto you! I make a decree, that in every dominion of my kingdom men tremble and fear before the God of Daniel; for he is the living God, and steadfast forever, and his kingdom that which shall not be destroyed, and his dominion shall be even unto the end." So Daniel prospered in the reign of Darius and of Cyrus, the Persian.

COURAGE TO PUT GOD FIRST
LOOK now at the other test of faith—that of the three Hebrew children, Shadrack, Meshach and Abednego. Nebuchadnezzar, king of Babylon, had made a golden image, 90 feet high and nine feet wide, and set it up in the plain of Dura. On a certain day, when he was going to establish his state religion, he ordered every subject to fall down and worship this image.

But Shadrack, Meshach and Abednego refused to worship the image. Nebuchadnezzar was furious when he heard of their refusal. He summoned them into his presence, and warned them of their fate if they further refused to worship his gods. They answered him frankly that they would not bow down to the image. He ordered them thrown into the fiery furnace.

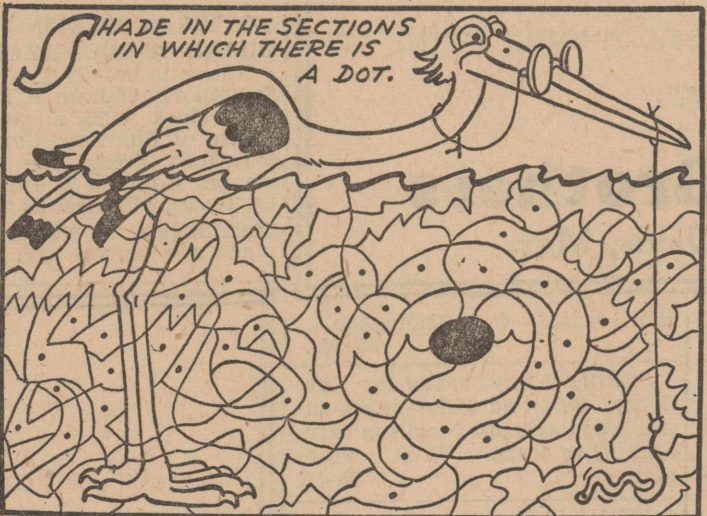
They decided that death was more honorable than apostasy. The men who cast them into the furnace fell dead!

UNSEARED AND UNSINGED!
BUT THE three Hebrew children walked in the flames, unseared and unsinged! The king was astounded. The people were amazed. They had witnessed what the God of all the earth can and will do.

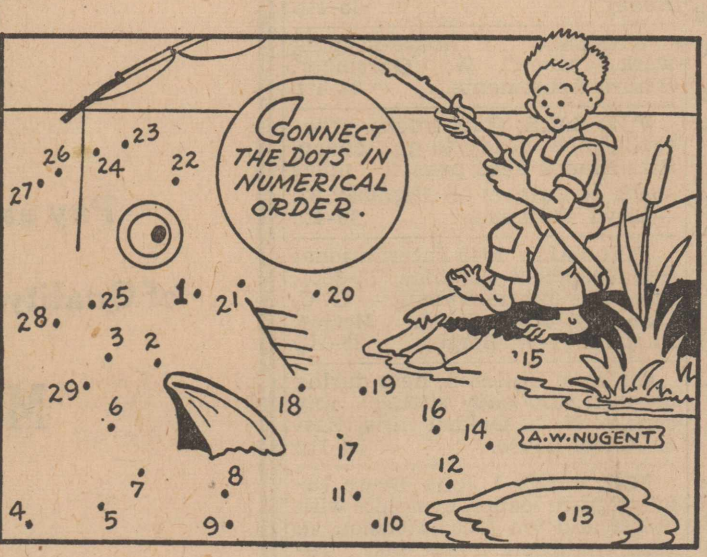
Then went forth the decree. "There is no other God that can deliver after this sort." Thus we have the golden text for Sunday's lesson: "Be it known unto thee, O king, that we will not serve thy gods, nor worship the golden image which thou hast set up."

And what happened in the long ago when man dared to stand up and trust in God will happen today and every day.

FUNLAND BY A.W. NUGENT



THEY KIDS: START WITH THE LETTER "R" AND ADD THE OTHER LETTERS IN "ROOSTER" TO SPELL MY NAME AND ALSO DRAW ME.



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WHAT WILL YOU PRODUCE?

1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

ACROSS

- Distress signal
- Mandate
- Push
- Heroic poems
- Mohammedan Bible
- Country home (Eur.)
- Still
- Therefore
- Observed
- Capital of Switzerland
- Public notice
- Mass of floating ice
- Bath house
- Firearm
- Slant
- Influx
- Youths
- Earth as goddess
- Not firm
- Wine receptacles
- Nickel (sym.)
- Fetish
- Trend
- Strange
- Ingress
- Belief
- Boy's nickname
- Female fowl

DOWN

- Classify
- Eggs
- Meaning
- Monetary unit (Buig.)
- Sacred bull
- Artifice
- Firmament
- Garden tool
- Free of dirt
- Shoes
- Grampus
- Inventor of telephone
- Boat
- Men who repair wires
- 23 Away
- 25 Girdle
- Topaz humming bird
- Goddess of dawn
- Gained
- Bird
- Plaster
- Tree of apple family
- Baking chamber
- Honey insect
- Old times (archaic)
- Cereal grain
- Metallurgic rock

Answer to Puzzle Number 19

PANIC SLATS
ABACA HABIT
SEVEN ACUTE
SLY DOR TIP
LINKS
CUBED SEVER
ATOM PORE
REBUS PAWED
ROWEL
SPA CAP ARA
TOXIC PEACAN
OLIVE EVENT
WESER RESTS

Build It From A Pattern



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The Coral sea battle was the first great naval defeat ever dealt the imperial Japanese fleets. And yet this battle was fought entirely in the air, by the planes of opposing aircraft carriers.

The ships engaged in this battle never got sight of each other. They slugged it out without firing a single gun at another ship—the first engagement of its kind in history. In this first great victory for the U. S. in this global war the Japs lost more than 15 ships sunk and at least 20 others severely damaged. The action perhaps saved Australia from invasion.

However, America paid a high price for her victory in the sultry Coral sea. In this engagement the aircraft carrier, Lexington, famed ship that laid the foundation of our modern navy's aircraft carrier operations, went to the bottom. This happened on May 7.

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Mrs. Leo Cook and Mrs. Alfred Bammes were visitors in Dumas Tuesday morning.

Harold Cameron was brought home from an Amarillo hospital Friday.

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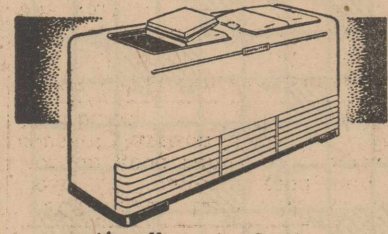
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may appear before such Board of Equalization to protest the valuation placed on his property in Sherman County for tax purposes.

WITNESS my hand and the

seal of the said Court, at office in Stratford, Texas, this 26th day of May, A. D. 1948.

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Sherman County, Texas.

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