

PIG AND CALF SHOW SATURDAY

County 4-H Club Boys Will Show Prize Stock

The annual Sherman County 4-H Pig and Calf Show will be held Saturday in B. E. Carter's Machine Building, located on 7th and Fulton Street.

Judging of field crops will start at 10:30 A. M. and livestock judging at 1:00 P. M. The 4-H Club Boys will show their prize animals and agricultural products, which includes some very choice calves, the top breeding hogs in the county and some samples of the best wheat and sorghums produced this year. The 4-H girls will have a strawberry lucational exhibit and a county booth displaying articles made this year.

Lions Club Offers Prize

The Stratford Lions Club will give a \$15.00 hat to the farmer who identifies the most samples of wheat at the county show Saturday. Samples of thrashed grain and bundles will be on display. This is a challenge to wheat growers to know their wheat varieties, so producers have their opportunity to set a high mark for Sherman County.

Farm Bureau Offers Prize

The Sherman County Farm Bureau will give a \$15.00 hat to the livestock man who identifies the most samples of native grasses at the county show. Samples of native grasses will be on display in the county booth. Ranchmen should know their grasses like they know their livestock. They will have a chance to compete with the wheat farmers for the highest mark in these two contests.

The 4-H Club boys have listed forty-four entries in the county agents office at this writing. The adult entries will go in the county booth and the top samples will be taken to the Amarillo Fair.

Rifle Elevators Offer Prizes

Earl Riffe will give prizes to 4-H Club Boys with top samples of wheat produced in the county this year. Awards for livestock entries will be made from funds made up last year and from the Sear's Foundation program.

Mr. England, head of the Animal Husbandry Department, P.A.M.C., Goodwell, will judge the livestock and Mr. Dines, Nationally known expert in wheat identification, will judge the field crops.

A collection of native grasses and varieties of wheat grown in Sherman County will be on display in the County booth. The two special contests on identification of grasses and varieties of wheat have been added this year for the interest of adults.

The show committee this year is composed of Alfred Pronger, Billy Pendleton, Keith Glascow, Arthur Lee Ross, and Herbert Folsom. The general public is encouraged to attend the show Saturday and the results of their boys and girls 4-H Club work in the county.

Fire Fighting School Closed Wednesday

Wednesday night marked the end of a five week school for the volunteer fire department, and the department has made much progress.

Last Wednesday night the department bought a fog nozzle for the water line, and hopes that the fog will buy nozzles for the larger lines. The new nozzle has already proved its effectiveness at a fire back of Bill Price's house. The fog nozzle provides a very effective screen that dissipates smoke, permitting firemen to go on into the fire and locate the source of it. Also much less water damage is done with this type of nozzle than the conventional type. Water damage usually runs higher than actual fire damage.

Building Home For Mechanic

Chester Plunk is having a 20x34 foot frame and stucco residence erected West of the T. O. C. Motor Company. The modern new house will provide a home for a company mechanic.

L. L. Lyon and A. E. Lowe are erecting the structure.

Burgess-Smith Marriage Saturday

Beautiful arrangements of fern and mums formed the background for the impressive home wedding of Miss Florene Burgess, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Burgess, Stratford, and Phil Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Smith of Columbia, Missouri. Rev. H. A. Nichols performed the single ring ceremony Saturday morning at 9:00 o'clock.

Mrs. Norlene Ingles of Keyes, Oklahoma, served as matron of honor. She wore a brown suit and brown accessories. Her corsage was of white carnations.

Frank Griffith, Fulton, Missouri, served as best man. Before the ceremony Mrs. H. R. Stewart, a friend of the bride, sang "Because". Her corsage was of white carnations.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a black and white checked suit with black accessories. She carried a white prayer book covered with gardenias and sweetheart rose buds. The bride's mother was attired in a black dress with black accessories and her corsage was of white carnations.

The reception immediately followed the wedding.

A beautiful lace table cloth covered the serving table. It was centered with a two tier wedding cake, lighted candles, and flowers. Besides the wedding cake, coffee, punch, mints and nuts were served. Mrs. F. J. Burgess, Tulsa, Oklahoma, grandmother of the bride, served punch, Mrs. D. L. Buckles serve coffee, and Mrs. R. C. Buckles served cake.

Immediately following the reception the couple left on a short honeymoon. They will make their home in Columbia, Missouri, where they both will attend college.

Methodist Youth Meeting Here Monday Night

A sub-district meeting of Methodist Youth was held in the Methodist Church Monday night. Of the seven churches in the Top of the Panhandle sub-district, the following churches were represented, Dalhart Central, Dalhart Pine Street, Dumas, Texhoma, and Stratford. There were 96 delegates present. Sunray, Hartley and Channing were not represented.

Each church put on a stunt for the recreation hour, vying for honors in the presentation. All of the acts were cleverly and humorously presented for the enjoyment of the entire group. Talented Dumas delegates presented the worship service.

The local church had 27 members of the youth division present for the meeting.

Baptist Training School Closes Friday Night

A study course and training school in progress at the Baptist Church will close Friday night.

Rev. W. R. Lawrence, Dalhart, school director, is teaching the adult course.

Mrs. Arch Fowler, Training Union director of Dalhart, is the instructor for the intermediates.

Rev. H. H. Whatley has been in charge of the juniors and Mrs. Whatley has taught the intermediates.

A rhythm band organized by Mrs. Albert Brooks and Mrs. Whatley with children of the primary age has made rapid progress.

The meeting at 7:30 Friday evening will close the school.

Completing Foundation For School

Concrete work for the foundation of the new grade school building is nearing completion.

Brick masons are expected to start to work in a week or ten days.

It is believed that the new building will be completed in time for use during the last two months of school.

Most people dislike a woman who is not dignified, and a man who is.

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Promise New Dial Telephones

The Southwestern Associated Telephone Company's plans for installation of a dial telephone system and expansion of cable and wire system were announced by T. M. Rogers, District Manager for the Company. The City Council at its meeting Thursday night passed a resolution stating that it believes that most of the citizens of Stratford wanted dial telephone service and were willing to pay the charges necessary for such service.

The resolution provides that at least 90 percent of the present subscribers must approve of the new type service and rates. Rogers stated that letters would be mailed to each subscriber explaining the dial system and that a self-addressed postal card would be enclosed with the letters so that each subscriber could indicate whether he does or does not want dial service.

The telephone company's cable and wire system is to be expanded to take care of nearly twice the number of present telephones.

The present number of telephones in Stratford is 159 and it is expected that this number will increase to about 310 by 1952.

If 90 percent of the people want dial service and approve the rates, the needed equipment will be installed as quickly as possible. Rogers stated that the company hopes to begin installation of dial equipment early in 1949. However, establishment of dial service will depend on how quickly manufacturers can deliver necessary equipment.

Fedric Family Re-Union Monday

Several members of the Fedric family gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Fedric Monday. It was the first time Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Fedric had visited in Stratford for over 20 years.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Spurlock, Mrs. W. H. Bowen, Harlingen, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Fedric, Clovis, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fedric, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stubblefield, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Foreman, and Mr. and Mrs. Verne Foreman.

Mrs. Rogers Honored With Shower

Mrs. Marvin Rogers was honored with a bridal shower given in the home of Mrs. Gene French Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. French, Mrs. Virgil Garoutte and Miss Dorothy Walsh were hostesses.

The entertaining rooms were decorated with dahlias and asters. Refreshments of cookies and punch were served.

Frank Ross Buys Home In Stratford

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ross have purchased the residence of Mrs. Alma Mae Cobb on East Third Street.

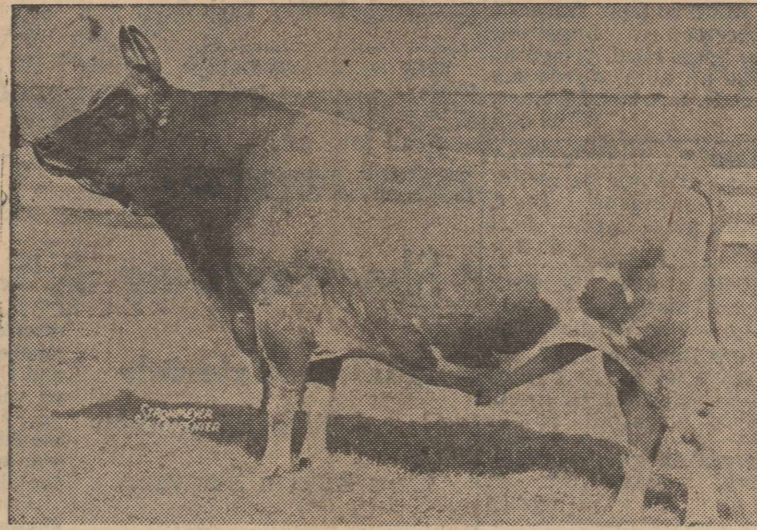
Mrs. Cobb plans to leave soon to make her home in Irving, Texas.

Christian Ladies Bake Sale Saturday

Ladies of the Women's Council of the First Christian Church will sponsor a Bake Sale Saturday in the Lovelace Department Store. Food will be placed on sale at 10:00 A. M.

We never seem to catch a train without missing the one before.

'Great Jersey Bull Is Dead'



SANDIA, TEXAS—Leaving some 750 sons and daughters to continue improving the production and type of dairy cattle in America, Masterman Golden Jolly, one of the world's outstanding sires, is dead. Old "Masterman," in service many years at Knolle Jersey Farms, Sandia, Texas—the World's Largest Jersey Herd—was classified as Very Good in type conformation and was rated by the American Jersey Cattle Club as a Silver and Gold Medal Senior Superior Sire because of the outstanding production and type demonstrated by his daughters.

With the prospect of soon being credited with more officially tested daughters than any Jersey bull in history, he now has ninety-three daughters officially tested for production, each having an average lactation record of 8,132 pounds of milk consisting of 5.83 per cent butterfat. When converted to a 305 day twice daily milking mature basis, each daughter produced an average of 474 pounds butterfat lactation. He already holds the record for the greatest number of daughters of one bull to have been officially classified for type by the American Jersey Cattle Club, with a total of 304 classified daughters averaging a score of 84.97 per cent, at the very top of the "Good Plus" bracket.

Setting a goal towards which America's dairy farmers should strive, "Masterman's" owners have done much in leading the way to an increase in the world's food supply and lowering costs to the consumer, simply through breeding better dairy cattle. "Masterman's" many daughters have produced nearly two and one-half times the average yearly production of all dairy cattle in the U. S.

Baptist Church Meeting In Sunray

The fortieth annual session of the Trans-Canadian Baptist Association will be held at the Baptist Church in Sunray Tuesday, September 28.

The morning session will open at 10:00 A. M. with a song service.

Other morning features include a short scripture and prayer service conducted by John I. Herndon, association organization and election, a talk on civic righteousness by W. H. Burns, a report of state missions, special music, and a sermon by Rev. W. R. Lawrence preceding the noon lunch hour.

The afternoon session will open at 1:30 with a song service, followed by scripture reading and prayer.

The business session opens at 1:45, followed by a W. M. U. report, discussion of world missions, christian literature, and church education.

Special music will precede the evangelistic message of Dr. A. J. Quinn at 3:45 P. M.

The evening barbecue session opens at 6:00 o'clock with a barbecue.

The final business session will be held at 7:50 followed by talks by Ivy Boggs, an estate analyst, and Dr. J. W. Marshall, President of Wayland College.

TWO NEW LOCATIONS ANNOUNCED

Two new drilling locations were announced for Sherman County this week.

The United Producing Co. W. A. Whorton No. 1 is located 2538 feet from the north and 2543 feet from the east lines of section 137, Block 1-T, 10 miles northeast of Stratford.

Phillips Petroleum Co. Ivens "S" No. 1 is located 2570 feet from the north and 2551 feet from the west lines of section 2, Block 3-B.

Tri-State Fair Boosters Here Wednesday

A chartered bus load of Amarillo Tri-State Fair Boosters visited Stratford Wednesday morning proclaiming the plans for the fair to be held October 4 to 9. A midway of entertainment will support the exhibits of the Tri-State section for the event.

Exchange Vows In Church Wedding

The marriage of Miss Vida Bachman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bachman, and William H. Gaylord, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gaylord of Seiling, Oklahoma, was solemnized Sunday at 2:30 in the Lutheran Church at Texhoma.

Rev. Charles Keturakat read the double ring ceremony in a setting of pink gladioli, chrysanthemums and greenery interspersed with seven branched candelabra.

The traditional wedding marches were used with Mrs. Martha Harrison as organist. Mrs. Clois Forester of Alameda, California and Miss Frances Sutton of Fort Wayne, Indiana sang, "Oh Perfect Love," and Miss Dorothy Bachman, little sister of the bride, sang "Cana's Wedding Feast."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a taffeta dress matched by a satin hat she designed with shoulder length veil, and carried a bouquet of red roses on a white Bible with streamers of white satin tied with greenery.

Mrs. Ida Gaylord, twin sister of the bride, matron of honor, was dressed in sky blue crepe with gray accessories and her corsage was of white gladioli tied with pink ribbon.

La Verne Gaylord, brother of the groom, served as best man.

Norma Bachman, baby sister of the bride, and Delma Jo Meyer of Texhoma were flower girls. They wore pink and blue eyelet and carried white daisies and asters.

Melvin Bachman and Clyde Ray Gaylord, brothers of the bride and groom, were ushers and lighted the candles.

A reception followed the wedding at the home of the bride's parents. Mrs. Jim Dalley of Fort Wayne, Indiana, served cake, Miss Charlene Bolster poured punch, and Miss Donna Jean Bryan presided at the guest book.

The bride attended Stratford High School and is a graduate of San Jacinto Beauty School of Amarillo.

The groom is a graduate of Seiling High School and served in the air force during the war.

The couple left for a wedding trip in the north and will be at home in Seiling.

Mrs. Holt Has Major Operation

Mrs. Sherman Holt, Jr., underwent a major operation in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo Sunday. Her condition is said to be favorable.

Entertain With Ice Cream Supper

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Blake entertained Mr. and Mrs. Jay Osborne of Ontario, California, with an ice cream supper last Wednesday night. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Osborne, Mrs. Alice Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. Emery Blake, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hafley and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Adams and children, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Blake and son.

Stratford Star Installs New Automatic Press

A new automatic printing press for producing commercial printing has been placed in operation in the Star's mechanical department. Printing produced during the last 10 days has been produced on the new press which has a maximum speed of 5,100 impressions an hour.

Donald Ellison Injured In Fall Wednesday

Donald Ellison was injured in a fall in the high school gymnasium Wednesday. He was taken to the Stratford Health Clinic in the Wilson Ambulance for observation and treatment.

Wheat farmers will profit more by planting the varieties of wheat that have good baking qualities as well as high yields.

166 MEN REGISTER FOR DRAFT

Selective Service Registration Is Completed

166 men of military age in Sherman County have completed their registration for selective service military training. Early reports indicate the first call for men of 25 years of age will include only a small percentage of the registrations.

Lions Club Will Meet Monday

Members of the Stratford Lions Club will meet at the Palace Cafe Monday night. The program planned for this week will be presented at this time.

New Arrival

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sutton are the parents of a 5 pound 14 1/2 ounce daughter, Lynda Ann, born Friday in Northwest Texas Hospital.

Mrs. H. C. Borth Has Operation

Mrs. H. C. Borth underwent an operation in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo Friday for the correction of an ailment from which she has suffered for several years.

Return From Legion Convention

Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Pendleton returned Monday for Corpus Christi, Texas where they attended the American Legion Convention, and visited other points of interest in the southern part of the state.

Catch Fish At Conchas Dam

Elmer Hudson, Herbert Folsom, and John Knight made good catches of fish at Conchas Dam, New Mexico during last week. Mrs. Hudson, Mrs. Folsom, Mrs. Knight and their children joined the party for the week-end after the close of school Friday afternoon. They returned home Sunday.

Legion Airls

(By Earl Bond)
Walter Pendleton has returned from the Department Convention at Corpus Christi with reports of a fine and exciting meeting, but disappointing in the fact that George Broome did not get elected Commander. William McGraw is the new Department Commander. McGraw should be a good man, judging solely on the basis of campaign literature which always paints a glowing picture. As usual, the Panhandle just didn't have enough votes. Sometimes I get a notion that the Panhandle should go down and whip the tar out of the South Texas folks, and run the state to suit ourselves. But if we annexed the rest of the state, where in the world would we put all the folks down there that just aren't quite up to the standards required of Panhandle folks? So I guess we had just better leave things as they are, so we can differentiate between Panhandle Texans and just plain, ordinary, run of the mill Texans.

A lot of important business was thrashed out at the last meeting. Among other things we discussed incorporation, which we should do if we are conducting our business in a business-like manner. It is very important now that we have property, and some final decision should be reached at our next business meeting.

In discussion of ways and means of finishing the building, we decided that there was a lot of work around there that we could do ourselves, so very soon now the lights will be burning nearly every night as we get busy with the plastering, ceiling, wiring, etc. If you can't do anything else, you can mix mud. So when we start we want every Legionaire out doing his share of the work, or else chip in some money to hire someone to do your share. A plan for raising the money to finish the building is under way, but we must incorporate.

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If brevity is the soul of wit and bathing suits, there will be a lot of stylized continue the trend in of at the beach.

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Want Ads

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FOR SALE: 1200 acre wheat farm. Terms if desired, other farms, grass land, and city property. — P. C. Fox, P. O. Box 324, Dalhart, Texas. 49-3tp

WOULD LIKE to hear from all persons interested in improved New Mexico grass land, priced at \$2.00 to \$7.00 an acre, 4 sections or more. — P. O. Box 324, Dalhart, Texas. 49-3tp

FOR SALE: One 22x28 modern chicken house, and one '41 model Chevrolet 1-2 ton Pickup. Good condition and good tires. — Earl C. Garoutie. 50-2tp

FURNITURE and kitchen equipment for two rooms for sale cheap, as the owner has moved away. Two new linoleum rugs and a butane stove with two bottles included. — See Norman Bridwell, 20 miles east of Stratford. 50-2tp

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FOR SALE: One 1945 LAI Case Tractor, excellent condition. — R. L. Carpenter, Route 2, Seymour, Texas. 50-9tp

FOR SALE: C. R. Bomer Machine Shop building, equipment and 4 lots; also 16 additional lots. — See Mrs. C. R. Bomer or C. W. Cowdrey. 50-1tc

WANTED: Furnished apartment, 3 or more rooms. — Cloys Monroe, Butcher at G & G Grocery. 50-1tc

FOR SALE: New K-2 Case Combine; one 15-foot Krause One-Way plow, new in '47; priced less than list price. — J. C. Scott, Phone 242, Bucklin, Kansas. 52-2tp

FOR SALE: 16-8 McCormick Wheat Drill. — J. B. Burgess. 51-3c

FOR SALE: 1941 Chevrolet Truck, mechanically perfect, priced to sell. — Lovelace Motor & Equipment. 51-1tc

FOR SALE: 2 good used bath tubs; one good used Tappan Range. — Duby Plumbing & Electric. 51-1tc

FOR SALE: Electric Washing Machine, used only 5 months, \$75. — Mrs. Hollis Harrington. 1tp

FOR SALE: 1940 Plymouth 4-door sedan, in good condition, new motor, can be seen at Studebaker garage or Modern Camp. — George F. Jenkins. 51-1tp

FOR SALE: 1941 4-Door De

Soto Sedan, 1946 motor, in good condition. — Rev. H. H. Whately. 51-2tp

FOR SALE: Factory built sink cabinet and wall cabinet. — Mrs. Grady Mullican. 51-2tp

FOR SALE: Warehouse building, 50x190 feet, will move to your farm or ranch. — Jack Seig. 51-1tp

FOR SALE: One Minneapolis-Moline '43 Model 12 foot cut Combine, \$1,000. — Jack Seig. 51-1tp

FOR SALE: '39 Deluxe Ford Tudor Sedan. — Lee O. Cook. 1tp

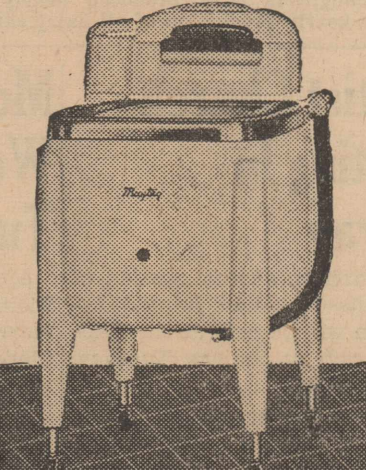
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Just for fun, how about a "paper shower?" Have every guest bring gifts in pairs — anything from a pair of stockings to a pair of matching guest towels. The bride will receive some unusual gifts, and, of course, your prizes will be in pairs, too. So everyone will have a great time!

Another type of shower that will bring many welcome gifts to the bride is a paper shower. Especially if many of the guests have been to several showers, they'll appreciate the inexpensiveness of paper gifts, and the bride will be glad to get some of the actual necessities she'll need in her new home.

Here are some paper gift ideas, great for that "paper anniversary," too — playing cards, bridge sets with invitations, tally cards, place mats and paper napkins, the latter, welcome laundry-savers. Maybe you'll select a big picnic basket as your own gift, and then it can be filled with the gaily wrapped packages from everyone else.

To make your paper shower complete — and, incidentally, to save yourself a lot of work — you'll want to serve luncheon on a paper cloth with paper napkins, paper cups and spoons, etc. Your guests will enjoy the informality of your table, and you'll have more fun at your own party because paper accessories make entertaining doubly

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CHEESE Armour's Pound	49	FRUIT COCKTAIL Brimfull No. 2 1/2 Can	43
SPUDS No. 1 White 10 Pounds	45	TOMATOES Big M Brand No. 2 Can 2 For	29
ONIONS Large White 2 Pounds	17	CHERRIES Concho No. 2 Can	31
SHORTENING Red & White 3 Pound Can	\$1.09	PINTO BEANS 3 Pounds	31
COFFEE Folgers Pound	51	BLEACH Laundrex Quart	13
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The next meeting will be a social meeting, so bring the women with you, and let's all have a good time. We should have our juke box by that time, and there will probably be some eats of some kind, and we are looking for a big crowd.

I am sure there is no one who will not say our paving is a wonderful thing, but it has brought on some conditions not so wonderful. If you will just drive down one or two of the dirt streets you will see what I mean. Drainage ditches are so deep and abrupt that most of them are almost impassable. I know the

city is broke, and doesn't have a maintainer man, but something should be done.

Progress is being made on our blood typing program, but not as fast as it should. Anyone who knows their blood type should drop in and record it with me just as soon as possible. We are especially anxious to locate all the B and AB types, as these are rare, and your life may depend on quickly finding some one with that type some time.

If you have a rare blood type it is to your advantage to register. October 2 is the date for our next dance. The band has not been selected yet, but we will do our best to have some good music for you. We have a lot of bands on file, but most of them we have never heard, so we just have to try them before we know what they are like.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sutton on the birth of a girl. Let's get those memberships in now, so we won't have to spend half the year worrying about membership instead of more important stuff.

September is safety month. Traffic is not congested here, but traffic regulations are violated all the more because of lack of congestion. Don't take a chance and kill a kid. Often they seem to appear out of no where right in front of your car. We have lots of them, but not one to spare.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT of Sherman County, Texas, will receive competitive bids to ten o'clock A. M., on the 4th day of October 1948, at the Court House in Stratford, Texas, on the following described road machinery; one or more: 1 Tandem Diesel Motor Grader Approx. 75 H.P. Cab, Scarifier,

Dozer, Lights, 12 Ft. Moldboard, Two 2-Ft. Extensions, 1300x24 Tires on All Six Wheels, and at said time and place said Court will proceed to let a contract if any bid be accepted. Certified check in five per cent of amount of bid required, and the Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

If any contract is made the Court intends to issue interest bearing time warrants for all or part payment thereof, in an amount not to exceed \$3,000.00, said warrants to bear interest at the rate not to exceed 4% per annum, and the full amount of said warrants to mature at a date not later than 1953. L. P. HUNTER, County Judge, Sherman County. 9-16-23.

Chaser of "Peeping Tom" Loses Race by a Foot

PITTSBURGH.—Preston Terry, 31, lost his left foot as he was dragged for three blocks behind the auto of a "Peeping Tom" he was attempting to catch. Terry told doctors he was entering his home when he saw a man peering into a neighbor's window.

He seized the man, the doctors quoted him as saying, but the "Peeping Tom" broke away and drove off in a car. Terry's foot was caught in a loop of rope or wire hanging from the auto. He was dragged three blocks before his foot was severed.

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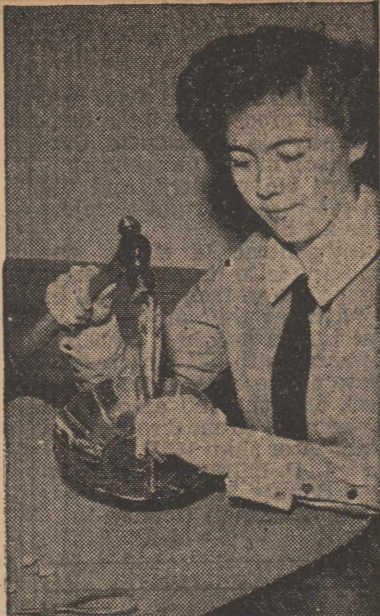
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CHICAGO—According to Doris Helfenberger, careers and hobbies mix very well—and she should know. Before Doris was out of high school she had become an expert silversmith and her talent was in commercial demand. Then came the war and Doris started out to "capture caps". Her first was an army cap which she donned at 19 and became a pilot in the Civilian Air Patrol, flying regularly with her squadron over Illinois and Indiana. At 22 she has just won a brand new cap, starched and white. She has entered first year duty as a student nurse at Cook County Hospital here. Doris considers this the first step in her serious life work and medicine was her first love. She plans to specialize in anesthesiology. There is a course for summer credits opening at the school on June 21st, and Edna S. Newman, director, also announces that several scholarships are available for students planning to enter the September classes. Men as well as women are welcomed in the training course for nurses, and many opportunities are open to them in the nursing profession, especially at Cook County, said to be the largest institution of its kind in the world.

in exploiting. They are past masters at cashing in on dissatisfaction and turmoil. The fact, that the voting communists are very much in the minority in France is not necessarily important. They are well organized, trained and disciplined, and obviously hope that, eventually, they will be able to seize the reins of government in France much as they did in Czechoslovakia. To understand all this, one must understand the Russian mentality and Russian long term policy. The whole basis of Soviet teaching from Lenin on has been that communism and capi-

talism cannot exist together indefinitely, that one or the other must triumph completely, by martial or other means. This fundamental idea was soft-pedaled during the war, but it certainly was never forgotten in Soviet upper councils. According to the best reports, it has been the theme of some internal dissension in the Kremlin, between officials who hold to it absolutely and a few moderates who think it may be susceptible to some modification. In any event, it lies at the ideological heart of current Russian activity. Russia is tremendously concerned with her security problem.

Her position is rigorously isolationist, that is, she means to build up an industrial and geographical empire which will make it possible to live entirely within herself, without dependence on any other country and of vital importance, without fear of effective opposition from inside or outside her world. To achieve this, she feels that she must secure control of the indus-

try and natural resources of Europe, along with the manpower of Europe.

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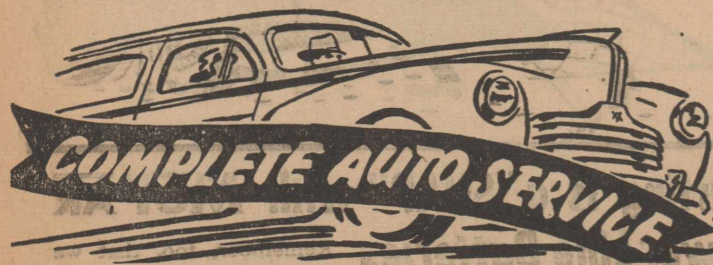
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Economic Highlights

It's not a pleasant thing to write, but there are certain definite signs that indicate that this country is losing the "cold war" with the Soviet Union.

That point of view was expressed some time ago by Ray Cromley, writing in the Wall Street Journal. He based it on four primary considerations: First, it looks as if the Russians are playing tough and demanding heavy concessions in the four-power talks on the Berlin situation. Second, Russia ran the important Danube conference just about as she pleased, and protests from Western representatives received short shrift. Third, the Russians have been improving their position in the strategic Palestine area. Fourth, the United States is very much on the defensive in Berlin.

Since Mr. Cromley wrote, the French crisis has reached an alarming stage. The utter failure of any French statesman to form a government which can remain in power for any length of time is undermining France's position as one of the key Western powers. And this is precisely the sort of thing which the Russians are most effective



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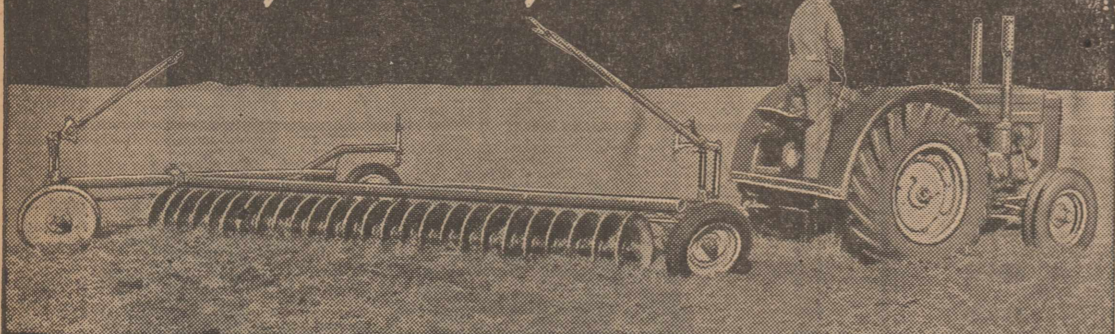
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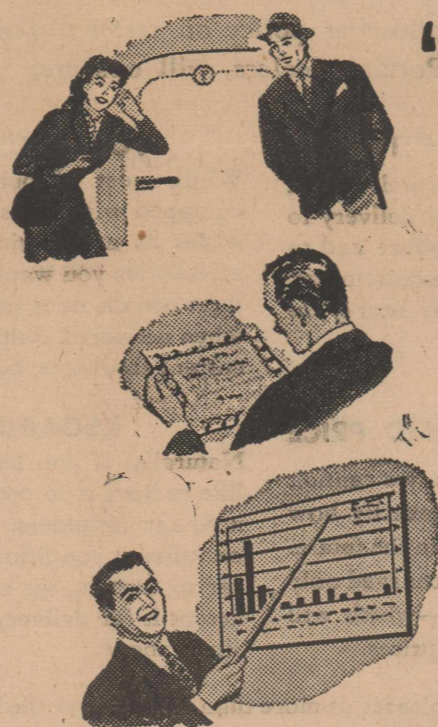
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VAN B. BOSTON STRATFORD, TEXAS

Economic Highlights

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Why is Russia so determined to force us out of Berlin? There are several answers. First, Berlin is still the heart of Germany, and is a potent symbol. Second, if we should find our position in

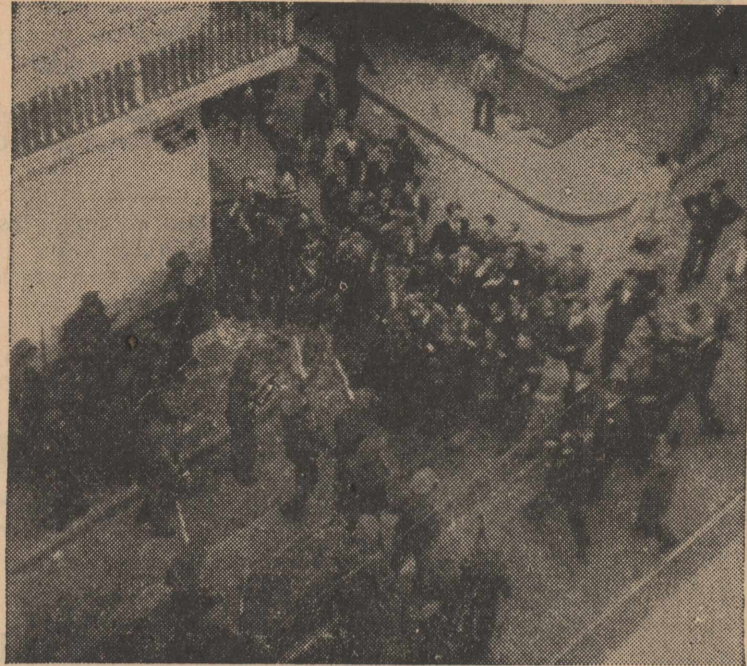
Berlin untenable and pull out, the psychological effect not only on the Germans but on other European countries could be extremely serious. Third, gaining control of Berlin and the machinery of government is a necessary step to extending control to the main German industrial areas, such as the Ruhr. Fourth, the Russians attitude toward the millions of Germans who have

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Troops Quell Colombian Riot



BOGOTA, COLOMBIA—(Soundphoto)—Federal troops block the street against the passage of rebel looters in Bogota. Troops were called out to quell the riots which broke out after the assassination of Dr. Jorge Gaitan, leader of the Liberal Party.

to run the risk of an all-out shoot war that would involve the entire world almost from the outset.

The Russians are undoubtedly capitalizing on the fact that this is an election year in the U. S., that a president who is not assured of continuance in office beyond next January loses much of his effectiveness, and that the opposition candidate, even though his chance of election is strong, is still an unofficial person without power to act or to create policy. The Russian press is giving a strong play to the Wallace campaign, in an obvious effort to sell the idea that this country is hopelessly divided. All of this is part of the plan to break down European faith in our resolve.

There are some who have reluctantly come to believe that the Soviet-U. S. conflict is much like that between the irresistible force and the immovable object. But that view is not yet too widely held, and an incredible amount of work and energy is being given

to preserving the tattered peace of the world.

Panhandle A. & M. College, Goodwell, has been designated as headquarters for a nine state area by the Soil Conservation Service.

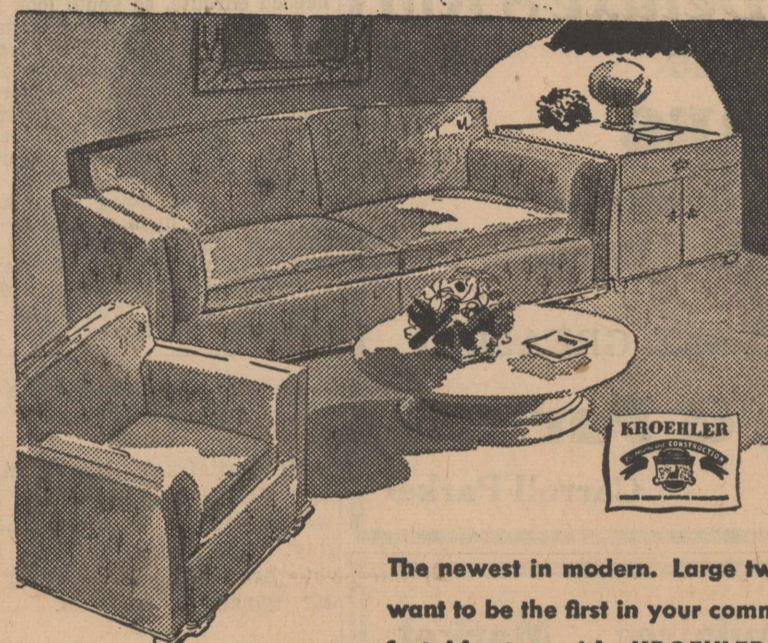
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Husbands have an annoying habit of describing housecleaning as a "soft touch". "It could be — but it isn't," claims Dr. Elaine Knowles Weaver, noted home economist, who recently made a study of typical housecleaning methods.

Dr. Weaver, who checked cleaning habits in a typical group of homes over a four month period, finds that Mrs. America is spending too much time at her cleaning job and does too many hard jobs by hand. Made at the request of the manufacturers of Eureka vacuum cleaners, the study showed that women using average methods of cleaning, including old vacuum equipment, spend 5 hours and 41 minutes a week at their cleaning tasks; remove an average of four-fifths of a pound of dirt from the home weekly and spend 76 per cent of their time on jobs requiring hard work with manual tools such as brooms, wet cloths, mops and dust cloths. Even with all her hard-work, she only removes one-third of the dirt possible to remove with modern electrical equipment — two-thirds of the dirt merely gets pushed from place to place in the house; thus increasing the amount of work to be done at the next cleaning.

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and Western European countries, France, Italy, the Benelux group and the rest. If this should come to pass, it would simply be an extension of the idea that we must get tougher and tougher with Russia if she forces us into it. In some high places, both here and in England, it is believed to be the only hope for an extended peace. The thought is still held that, ideological considerations to one side, the Russian leaders are practical enough to come to terms of some kind if they become convinced that the Western powers really mean business, and will see the thing through to the end. This thought is founded, in part, on the belief that Russia is too weak economically

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worked with the Western powers since the war is all too clear, and if she ever gets Berlin retaliation on an immense scale can be expected. As a number of writers have pointed out of late, the Truman doctrine, which is based on the containment of Russia, is not working. The Marshall Plan is obtaining a limited success, but current events are a grave threat to it. This brings up an issue which is likely to come more into the open during the next year or so. That is outright military alliances between the United States

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Local News

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Faris and Charlotte spent the week-end visiting in Carter, Oklahoma.

Jim Taylor was a business visitor in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Evans, Shawnee, Oklahoma, Tom and Merle Hooley, Amarillo, and Miss Lora Lee Davis, Conway, were guests in the home of Mrs. Charles Hooley Sunday.

Judge L. P. Hunter returned home Monday from Albany, Mis-



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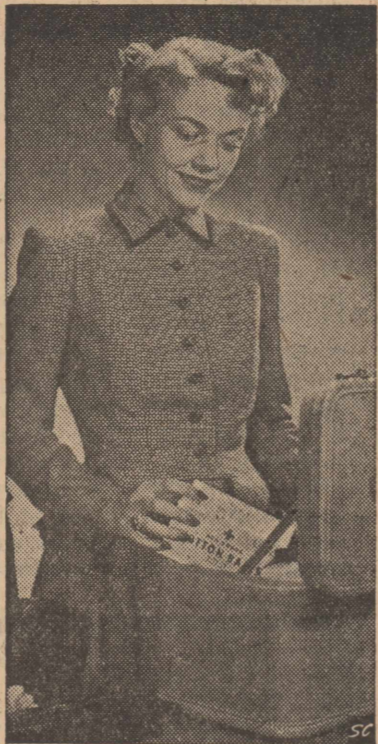
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Beauty Enroute



Mary Shipp, the "Kathleen" on NBC's "The Aldrich Family", before leaving for vacation takes time out to give you a few pertinent beauty tips on travel grooming. First, whether your vacation is of long or short duration, select one piece of luggage that will hold your individual cosmetic needs. Whether you travel by plane, train, boat or automobile, pack cosmetics in an easy to carry case so they're readily available throughout the trip. Pack all cosmetic containers securely. Be sure jar tops are fastened tightly. If your carrying case lacks straps to hold jars securely, place breakable containers in shoe bags for protection.

Invariably make-up repair is needed enroute, so you'll look your prettiest greeting old friends or meeting new ones. Keep repair items such as liquid cleanser, fresh make-up and sterile, absorbent Red Cross Cotton Balls at top of carrying case. It's a good idea to have handy nail polish remover and nail polish the same shade as that used for your going away manicure. If you have a chipped nail problem enroute you'll find that cotton balls are as handy for removing nail polish as they are for removing travel grime; just use them with face cleanser.

souri where he attended the funeral of a brother-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Chisum. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Blake and baby were visitors at Boys Ranch Sunday. They also visited their daughter, Mrs. Jack Parker and Mr. Parker in Amarillo.

Mrs. L. A. Winningham, Amarillo, was a guest in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McWilliams, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Kendall, Dalhart, and Henry Kendall, Amarillo, were guests of B. M. Kendall Sunday.

Miss Dorothy Dixon spent the week-end with her parents in Booker, Texas.

Mrs. Fate Morris has accepted a position with Doby Plumbing & Electric.

O. B. Grant, Pampa, was a business visitor here Thursday.

Ralph Salesman is attending a Frigidaire school in Fort Worth, Texas.

Miss Beatrice Kalka spent the week-end with friends in Dumas.

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Jim Cobb left Saturday to attend the rodeo in Albuquerque, New Mexico before returning to his home in Pratt, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pendleton are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wilson and son in Beeville, Texas.

Ernest Lovelace, Archie Arnold, and Lester Plunk are fishing at Conchas Dam, New Mexico.

Billy Joe Ross took Mr. and Mrs. Roy Denney to Denton, Texas Friday returning home Sunday.

Little Miss Karen Stephens, Amarillo, returned home Monday

after a visit in the homes of Mrs. H. J. Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates.

Hoyt Gist, Texhoma, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mrs. George Allen and Mrs. E. B. McQueen were visitors in Gruver Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Townsend and Mrs. C. W. Moon took Ronnie Townsend to a specialist in Amarillo Tuesday.

F. L. Yates was a business visitor in Amarillo Thursday of last week.

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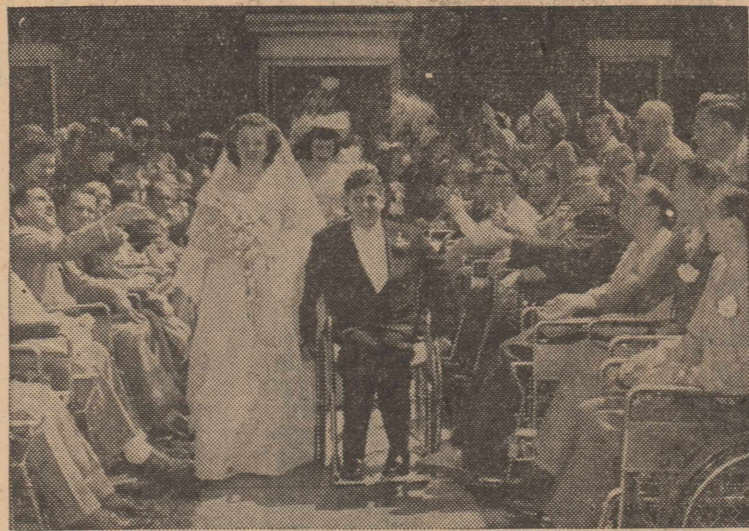
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Eye, Ear, Nos. and Throat
Dalhart Texas

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gunnels and daughter, Betty Jo, of Dumas, spent Thursday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Chisum.

Boyd McWilliams is visiting in the home of his sister in Tip City, Ohio.

Paraplegic Weds Nurse



CHICAGO, ILL.—Flanked by 45 of his paraplegic buddies, Melvin Lubarsey, 25-year-old paralyzed vet from Milwaukee, escorts his bride, former nurse Mazurewski through a shower of rice as they leave the Vaughn General Hospital chapel shortly after their marriage.

Lt. W. H. Slusser left Monday for San Francisco for re-assignment to duty after a short visit with Mrs. Slusser and daughter.

B. A. Donelson and Mr. and Mrs. Conde Donelson made a business trip to Trinidad, Colorado Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Butte who have been employed on the Buckles Ranch since early summer, have returned to their home in Oakmulgee, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Chisum have moved to Happy, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Gaylord returned Tuesday from a honeymoon trip and left Wednesday for Seiling, Oklahoma where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Guthrie and Miss Almata Jo Wall were visitors in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Price spent last week visiting his sister in Oklahoma City.

L. N. Walters has returned to his home in Fort Wayne, Indiana, after a visit with his brothers and mother, Mrs. Blanche Walters.

Mrs. Ernest Kelp and Mrs. Dick Diehl and Dick, Jr., were Amarillo visitors Wednesday.

Henry Beauchamp, Clayton, New Mexico, is here for a visit with his daughters, Mrs. Pruitt Adkins, Mrs. Mike Burgess and Mrs. John Lavake.

Mr. and Mrs. La Verne Gaylord visited in Seiling, Oklahoma last week and Miss Eunice Gaylord returned with them to attend the wedding Sunday.

Miss Rowena McAdams has

bid in the position as third trick operator with the Rock Island in Guymon.

Albert E. Cobb, Pagosa Springs, Colorado, is here for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Alma May Cobb.

Peanuts and peanut butter can be used in many ways in cooking everything from soup to desserts. Peanuts go well with such vegetables as cabbage, celery, eggplant, onions and potatoes.

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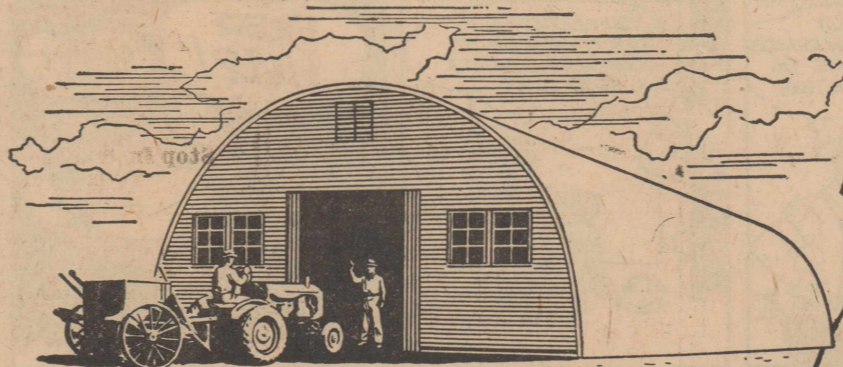
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Huge Crops Bring Plea For Storing

WASHINGTON—July 27—Secretary of Agriculture Brannan today requested farmers to store in their farms a "substantial portion" of the huge grain crops they are producing this year.

Brannan said this would help:

- 1—Maintain prices of grain
- 2—Relieve the jam at terminal markets
- 3—Provide for more orderly movement of grain

The Department of Agriculture forecast the second largest wheat crop in history. Brannan said: "The pressure of fast-flowing grain upon the markets has the effect of lowering prices received by farmers."

"This appeal (for farm storage) grows out of the pressure of grain upon commercial facilities which appear insufficient to accommodate the current large volume of grain that is over-flowing the marketing channels."

Wants Atom War Against Typhoons

Rep. Francisco Perfecto, a Philippine congressman, wants to toss an atomic bomb at the next typhoon that shows up to threaten the Philippines.

"Something must be done," Rep. Perfecto says, "Typhoons caused \$100,000,000 damage in the Philippines alone last year.

Perfecto has offered a bill which would create an international "anti-typhoon" commission.

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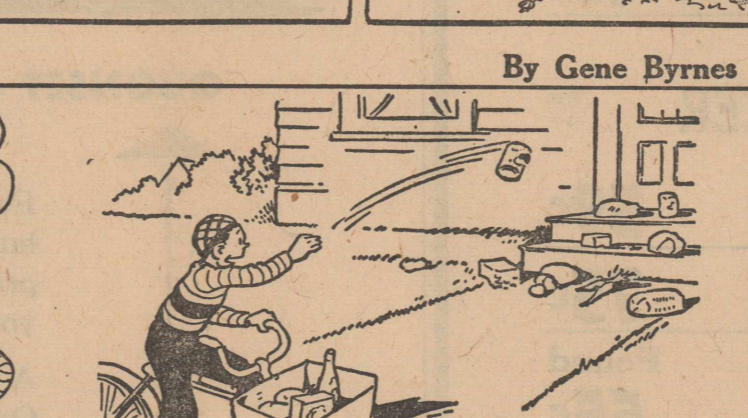
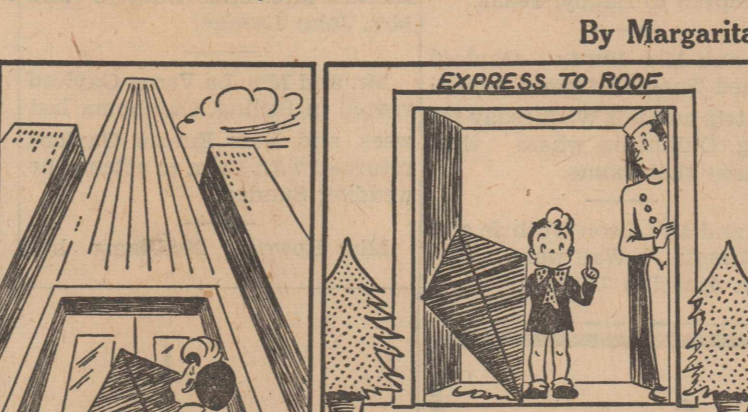
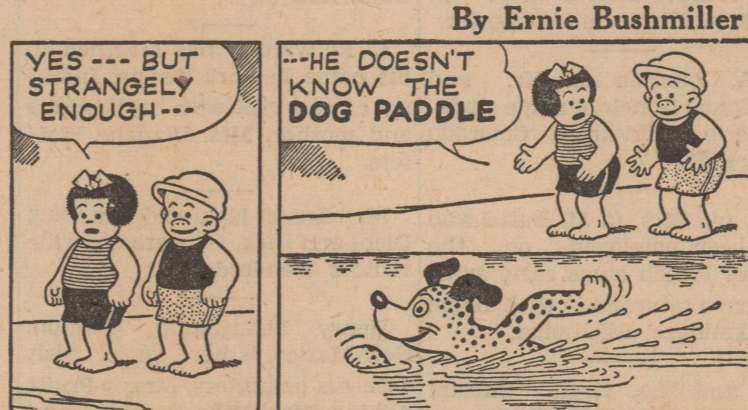
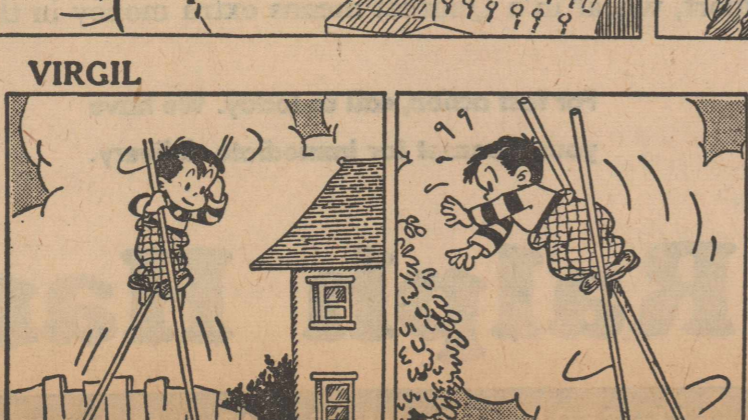
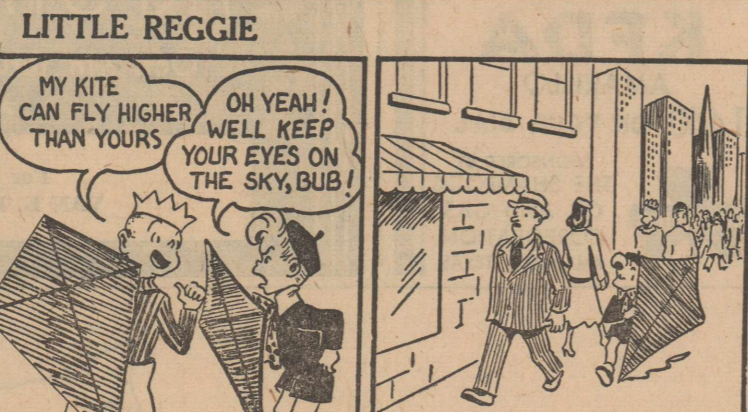
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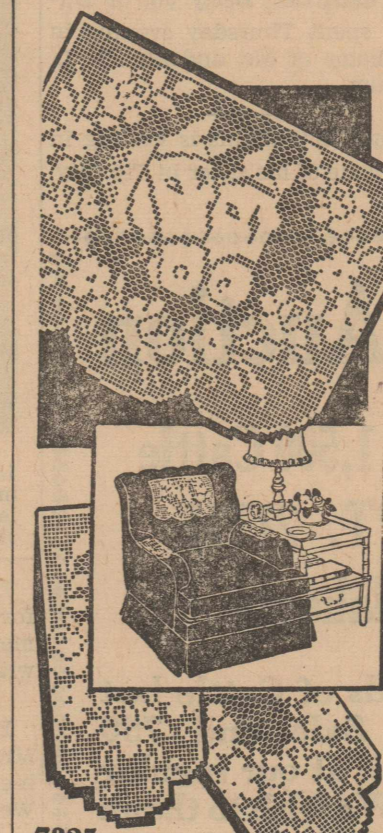
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For You To Feel Well

24 hours every day, 7 days every week, never stopping, the kidneys filter waste matter from the blood. If more people were aware of how the kidneys must constantly remove surplus fluid, excess acids and other waste matter that cannot stay in the blood without injury to health, there would be better understanding of why the whole system is upset when kidneys fail to function properly.

Burning, scanty or too frequent urination sometimes warns that something is wrong. You may suffer nagging backache, headaches, dizziness, rheumatic pains, getting up at night, swelling.

Why not try Doan's Pills? You will be using a medicine recommended the country over. Doan's stimulates the function of the kidneys and help them to flush out poisonous waste from the blood. They contain nothing harmful. Get Doan's today. Use with confidence. At all drug stores.

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The Once Over
by H.I. Phillips

WALKIE-TALKIE STATIC

The FCC announces that it is about ready to license individuals for walkie-talkie. Quantity production of these radio contrivances is near. It would appear that it is not only going to be hard to get off by yourself and away from everybody, but almost impossible.

People with walkie-talkies strapped on them can communicate with one another over fairly long distances and we fear the worst.

The wife who had to wait until he got home to supper now can start talking to her husband on the fourteenth hole, down at Gilligan's bar or even when he is in a rowboat fishing under the tin bridge. And a husband can crash right through into any cocktail party or bridge game where the wife is hiding out.

Junior's happiness will be limited further. Just as he reaches the old swimmin' hole, mom can demand by walkie-talkie, "Where are you and what are you doing?"

Everybody will be able to start gabbing with somebody else on a mere whim. Talk is going to be not only cheap but unavoidable. (It might be wise to ration it.)

The fellow who invented radio started something. And the finish is getting pretty hectic. There was a time when a man's home was his castle, but it has been a communication bureau for a quarter of a century. The "hush of the fireside" is extinct. But up to now the old man could hide out behind the barn or execute a runout by sneaking off to watch the excavations for the new chain grocery.

There is some comfort in knowing that the FCC will require walkie-talkie addicts to have a license. This will limit the talking somewhat. But what will be the punishment if a fellow talks without a license? Will he have his right to scuttle-but suspended for 30 days?

The walkie-talkie is expected to be of great help in operating a farm or ranch. The Lone Ranger, we take it, no longer will be lonely. He will have all the privacy of a man engaged in an open debate in Madison Square garden.

Heigh ho, Silver!
Are ya lissenin'?

Special Delivery Service

A new stamp in memory of Babe Ruth is proposed. This department suggests that it be a special delivery stamp, as something is desperately needed that will lift such letters over the fences of snafu in our post department, especially in the matter of special delivery, for which the higher rates are asked.

To cover up shortcomings in the special delivery service, the postmaster general recently ordered that important recordings of the delivery be abandoned. It is now almost impossible to trace their course with accuracy. This department recently mailed two letters special delivery at a cost of 19 cents each. One of them got through in good time; the other wasn't arrived yet.

Ever since the post office issued that new chicken stamp it seems to Elmer Twitchell that the post office owns more feathers in them

The U. N. discloses that while all the other nations to whom we loaned billions in World War I now have scratched the debts from their ledgers, the United States still carries them on our balance sheet. Washington still believes in good fairies and forlorn hopes, regardless of the expense.

Axis Sally, a young woman who roadcast for Hitler and told U. S. soldiers they were fools for fighting, is back in this country on treason charges. But the present picture in his country being so cockeyed, it would not surprise us if she ran on a political ticket, denounced congress, defied questioners and charged that proceedings against her were a red herring.

It strikes this department that if congressional committees really intend to concentrate in a serious way on identifying everybody in Washington who lied in the last 14 years, the exposures will have to take place in Yankee stadium.

"Beno May Close Its 23 Legal throats."—Headline.

Every once in a while that city mazes the country by reflecting a slight tendency to become dem.

THE BIBLE SPEAKS

International Uniform Sunday School Lessons

By DR. KENNETH J. FOREMAN

SCRIPTURE: Acts 16:1-6; 17:13-16; 1 Corinthians 4:14-21; 16:10-11; Philippians 2:19; 1 Thessalonians 5:1-10; II Timothy 1:8-14; 3:14-15.

DEVOTIONAL READING: Psalms 119:129-136.

Faith: A Family Tradition
Lesson for September 26, 1948

HERE IS a brief Bible quiz: What Christian man did Paul recommend to the Philippians as the one completely unselfish person he knew? When Paul needed a man to present his ideas to a "problem church" whom did he send? When Paul wanted reliable information about a church, on whose report did he depend? Whom did Paul call "son" more often than any one else? The answer to all these questions is the same: Timothy.

Certainly a man whom the great Saint Paul found so congenial, so reliable, so unselfish and effective a Christian, is a man worth our careful attention. We ask this question about him: What made him what he was?

Faith at Home

SOME MEN have to leave home to find faith. But perhaps the happiest Christians, certainly the most fortunate, are those who cannot remember what it was not to have faith. It was the atmosphere they breathed as children. The first people they knew were Christians, prayer and faith were taken for granted, the name of Christ was heard only in reverence and love, never in jest or anger.

Timothy grew up in such a home. When he became a mature, working Christian he had no wasted years to regret, no wild oats to pull up. The faith of his adult mind was not scarred by the acid remains of earlier doubt. Timothy's life was all of one piece. He was born to faith, he grew up in it.

Homes can do a great deal for the children who live in them. But nothing else—physical health, poise, culture, friends, ambition—nothing else is quite so valuable a gift or quite so lasting, as faith.

In later years faith may have to be pounded into a person or shocked into him; but in childhood faith is woven in, welded in, and that is as it should be. Happy the Christian who does not have to turn his back on his childhood when he turns his face to Christ!

Book of Wisdom

RELIGION cannot be taught. It can only be caught. It is an old saying. It is partly true, for you cannot set any dozen people at random down on a bench and teach them into faith. If teaching religion were as simple as that, then every Sunday school could guarantee that every one of its graduates would become a saint. Nevertheless, religion can partly be taught, for in a book there may be crystallized the faith of many a generation. A book may concentrate and preserve the insight, the inspiration, the assurance of men and women who though dead yet speak.

Living with books of faith is like living with many families of faith at the same time. Such a book is the Bible. And it was the Bible, or so much of it as had been written, the Old Testament, which was the one Book in Timothy's boyhood home. Through the Scriptures, the boy's mother taught her son not merely her own faith but that of many a generation before her time.

In our own day, parents may feel that they come too far short of being saints, so they hesitate about urging their perhaps dimly-felt religion on their children. Yet in our Bible there is open to all fathers and mothers a means of placing their children in an atmosphere of intense faith. Personal religious genius is rare, but even though you may be anything but a genius, you still can bring to your child the treasures of the Bible, product of the highest inspiration and insight the world has known.

Women of the Family

TIMOTHY'S FATHER was Greek, probably not a Christian. He and Timothy may never have understood each other. It was the women of the family who molded the boy's mind and heart, his mother, Eunice, and his grandmother, Lois.

It is always so. It is the women of a family who have most influence for faith or against it. The boy knows his mother before he knows anyone else. She teaches him to talk, he absorbs her attitudes and ideas even before he understands them. If father and mother differ in religion, it is likely that children will follow mother rather than father.

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Farm Topics

New Unit Improves Ventilation of Barn
Dairymen Find Device Particularly Effective

Many of a cow's troubles can be traced to heat and humidity. A cow, unlike a human being, can perspire only through the mouth. So when the temperature and humidity inside a barn get high, the animal becomes uncomfortable and stubborn, particularly at milking time.

According to the department of agriculture, an average cow gives off almost a pint of water every hour through breathing. In addition to the high humidity caused by this breathing, a cow has an extremely high body temperature.

During the winter months, when the cows are in the barn most of the time, this combination results in generation of an enormous amount of water vapor and heat. When the warm, moisture-laden air comes in contact with the cold walls, condensation occurs and frost is formed.

The net result to farmers is rotting beams, joist and siding; a loss of hay because of mold created by moisture and frost; milk contamination, disease, particularly among the young stock and reduction of milk production because of discomfort to cows.

A simple solution to all of these costly problems is an automatic cooling unit, which is proving popular with dairy farmers.

These automatic ventilation units, easily installed, reduce condensation to a negligible degree—less than 2 per cent. This action, in turn, decreases barn deterioration, hay mold, milk contamination and disease. It also provides much more comfort for the cows and increases milk production. In addition, working conditions for the operator are much more pleasant.

The cooling units are equipped with an automatic "airswitch" thermostat.



Picture on Vernon Julins farm at Freeport, Ill., shows installation of automatic cooling unit in dairy barn.

Higher Yields Outweigh Cattle Spraying Costs

An increase of \$3.75 per head more than covers the cost of spraying beef cattle with DDT, it was revealed in a test of the value of fly control conducted at the University of Illinois college of agriculture.

Protected cattle gained about 15 pounds more per head during the pasture season than a group that had not been sprayed. At 25 cents a pound, an increase of 15 pounds a head amounts to \$3.75 a head, a return that far outweighs the cost of spraying.

Beef cattle should be sprayed often enough to control flies, whether it requires two or three sprayings during the season or once a month.

Herds and Flocks

Use of 2, 4-D sprays for weed control in pastures is not dangerous to grazing animals.

A home-mixed spray of crude benzene hexachloride powder and water is more likely to taint eggs in poultry houses than a good commercial roost paint containing the effective portion of the same chemical.

Poultry houses with light colored roofs are cooler in summer than those with roofs painted black.

To get water to hogs in distant pasture where there is no water supply, pipes can be laid on top of the ground. To prevent freezing in winter, disconnect and drain the pipes.

Benzene Hexachloride Will Check Hog Mange

If hogs stand around and rub instead of eating, they may have a touch of mange. Benzene hexachloride has been found to be more effective than lime sulphur. Benzene hexachloride should be applied when temperatures are up around 75 degrees, using one pound of 50 per cent powder to four gallons of water. It is important to see that the animal is completely covered, including the inside of the ears.

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First Aid for Angina Pectoris

There are times when a little knowledge of heart disease may be of great value in dealing with heart attacks. One of the most common is angina pectoris. The main symptom of this disease is pain in the chest, usually under the breastbone or in the pit of the stomach. This pain may radiate down the arm and is described as tightness or squeezing in character. Quite frequently it is attended by vomiting, and naturally is thought to be an attack of acute indigestion. The only first aid that can be given in the home is to have the patient sit quietly until the pain subsides. If the patient has been under the care of a physician he will usually carry nitroglycerin tablets given to him by the physician. One of these tablets should be placed under the patient's tongue. If the pain or vomiting continues, a doctor should be called at once. The recognition of this type of heart attack, not putting it down as just indigestion, and seeking medical aid at once, may save a person's life.

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Happy Vacation

Cary—How are you getting along at home since your folks went away on their vacation? Mary—Fine. I broke only one dish today. Cary—Wonderful, how come? Mary—It was the only one left.

Turn Off the Motor

Sammy (to kitten purring on hearth)—Well, Kitty, if you are going to park here, you'd better turn off your engine.

No Sales Resistance

Einstein's home in Princeton, N. J., is a modest two-story house. Yet he once ordered an elevator installed. A friend heard about the purchase and inquired, "In heaven's name, Albert, what do you want with an elevator?" "I don't know," replied Einstein, "but the man selling them was so nice I couldn't say no."

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Texas fertilizer sales for the fiscal year 1947-48 amounted to 451,132 tons. This compares with 1936-37 sales of nearly 85,000 tons, 116,307 tons in 1939-40, and over 400,000 tons in '46 and '47. A chip on the shoulder usually indicates that there is wood high-er up.

Employees Help to Rebuild Gutted Pottery Factory

SCIO, OHIO.—Two months after fire destroyed this town's only industry, employees completely rebuilt the gutted pottery plant and returned to pottery making. After the fire the owner surveyed the burned ruins of his business and estimated loss at almost two million dollars. He was ready to quit. Penniless and unemployed, he had founded the company in a dilapidated, abandoned factory in 1932. He gathered a handful of townsfolk together and they developed the company into the world's largest firm of its kind. The climax of their success came

at Christmas, 1946, when \$795,686 was passed out in bonus checks. The story of the pottery's employer-worker relations received wide acclaim.

In 1933, the employees got a box of chocolates. In 1945, they received 15 per cent pay increases and \$75,000 in cash gifts. The pottery workers also obtained such things as household goods and appliances at wholesale prices through their employer's efforts.

So after the fire, the town's physician, clergyman and merchants hauled building materials, hammered nails to steel Quonset factory buildings and expedited rejuvenation of the pottery plant.

Typists turned steel builders and tea-cup makers became common laborers to restore the plant. Four kilns have been lighted. Three more will be ready for full production by spring.

The job took 30 days less than expected.

Woman, 81, Suggests More Whistling for Weary World

PORTLAND, MAINE.—According to Mrs. Sanford D. Benner, 81, the world needs more whistling to ease its troubles.

"You can't be mean while you're whistling," said Mrs. Benner, whistling champion of the Maine Three Quarter Century club.

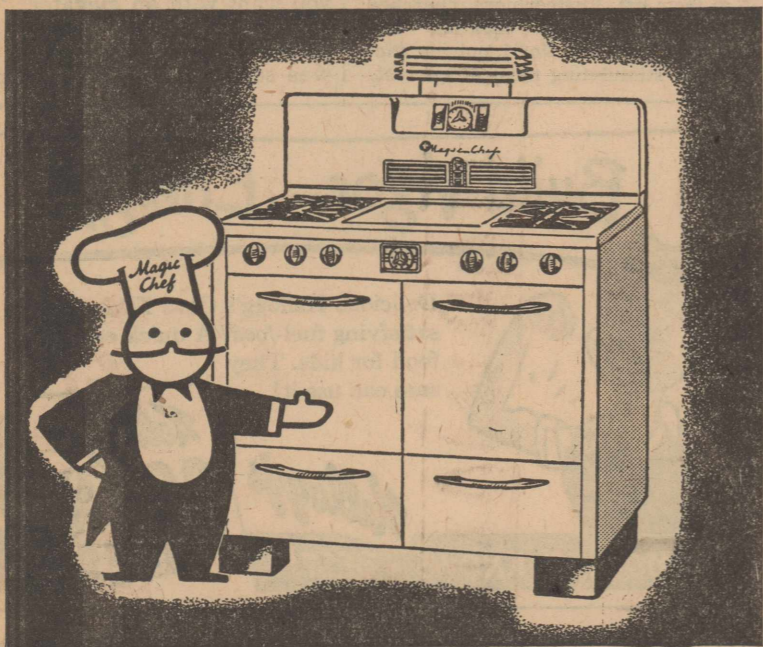
"Can you imagine Stalin whistling?" she asked. "I'll bet Hitler didn't. The world is becoming too selfish. Most people are too busy to whistle."

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Ready and Waiting To Handle Your Maize Crop

IRONRITE IRONERS
FLOOR FURNACES
Natural Gas and Butane HEATERS
Mount Vernon Grain Drill Attachments For The Graham Hoeme
Van B. Boston



CARNATION MALTED MILK 1 Pound Jar 39
OVALTINE 1 Pound Jar 79

FRESH MEATS
Choice Short Cut 1lb Steaks 67
Pinkney's Sliced 1lb Bacon 65
BONELESS STEW MEAT 49 Pound
Swift's Premium FRYING CHICKENS 77 Pound
FANCY LEAN Pork Chops Lb. 73

PRODUCE
Iceberg Head Lb. 15
Fancy Blue Prunes 1/2 Bu. \$2.59
New Crop APPLES 2 Pounds 25
FANCY TOKAY GRAPES Pound 23
CALIFORNIA SUNKIST ORANGES Pound 14

Fancy Pound Tomatoes 17

Brown's Food Store

INTERIOR And EXTERIOR
Decorating
Painting -- Paper Hanging
Write or Contact
Earl Phelps
Stratford Resident
Through Lumber Yard

Stratford Lodge 874
A. F. & A. M. Stated Communication
SECOND FRIDAY NIGHT OF EACH MONTH
C. V. PENROSE, W. M.
W. O. BRYANT, Secretary

STOCK REDUCTION SALE

SALE STARTS FRIDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 24TH

We Are Closing Our Texhoma Store And Moving Stock Back To Stratford. Warehouse Space Is Limited And New Merchandise Is Arriving Daily

WE MUST MAKE ROOM

- 25% Discount On All Furniture. Bed Room Suites, Living Room Suites, Dining Room Suites, Chairs and Rockers.
- 25% Discount On O'Keefe & Merrit Gas Ranges.
- 40% Discount On Air Conditioners.
- 25% Discount On Home Freezers, Maytag or Coolerator.
- 40% Discount On All Radios.

- 50% Discount On All Records In Lots Of 12, No playing, pick out the ones you want.
- 50% Discount On Floor Furnaces, Butane or Natural.
- 25% Discount On Window Shades No Cutting.
- Used Washers -- make an offer.
- 25% Off On Propane Above Ground Tanks.

- 25% Off On Heaters.
- 25% Off On Waffle Irons, Irons, Coffee Makers, Stainless Steel Cook Ware, Aluminum Waterless Cooking Ware.
- 10% Off On All Mattresses and Box Springs in Stock.
- Butane 30-Gallon Hot Water Heaters \$64.95.
- 10% Off On Butane Bottles.

FLOOR COVERING

Rubber Tile, Congowall, Felt Base, Rugs, Felt Back And Burlap Back Inlaid Linoleum 10 To 25% Discount
Free Delivery — No Installations At Sale Price — No Dealers Please.

Slay's Furniture Store

Installations and Terms Can Be Arranged

STRATFORD, TEXAS