

W. T. Martin Sells Business Established In 1907

W. T. Martin, 76 years of age, announces this week that after establishing and operating a business in Stratford for 42 years, he has sold the firm he established in 1907.

Mr. Martin names Mr. and Mrs. L. King and Archie Arnold as his successors. They have been with the firm for a long period of years.

During his long years of public life Mr. Martin has established himself as one of the grand old men associated with practically every era of progress in Stratford during his active years.

In 1907 Mr. Martin opened his business in Stratford in partnership with Johnny Blackwell. The firm was known as Martin-Blackwell & Co. In 1908 Mr. Martin established the Stratford cemetery. He served the city as its mayor for a period of 4 years. In 1929 he established the world's record for an independent dealer in the sales of McCormick-Deering farm machinery.

His time devoted in public service would dwarf the years of any of Stratford's business and professional men and women's experience in business.

It is wonderful to think back, Mr. Martin says, "that I have had the privilege of staying in business for 42 years, serving the same people year in and year out." "I have made many mistakes," he continued, "but I never made a man so mad he would get of me back and trade with me."

During the dust bowl years when conditions on the Plains looked hopeless, Mr. Martin took last look at \$60,000.00 in notes, and he was the people of Stratford, Sherman County and the adjoining territory, and tossed them into a coal stove and burned them as though they were waste paper. This he said was one of his worst blunders for any of the men who owed him these debts came in and offered to pay him after years of prosperity came to the Panhandle.

Mr. Martin's decision to burn is notes came after he had spent the day out with a professional collector for the company. The collector managed to get the money from customers he said he never could not afford to pay. He says he had the choice of collecting the notes and closing his business for lack of customers or forgetting the notes and going on with his business as usual. In those dark days it was commonly considered impossible for most men to live long enough to ever pay off their indebtedness.

Active in public life for 42 years, Mr. Martin dislikes the thought of the term "retired." He looks forward to a period of rest, but stays he has exacted the promise from his successors that he can stay around the business as much as he likes.

In looking back over the past, the veteran business man, advises younger men never to attempt to stay in public life for so many years as he has done.

Stratford Girls Win Over Sunray Basketball Teams

Stratford basketball girls won a double header ball game over Sunray in games here Tuesday night.

Stratford junior high girls won their game by a score 17 to 0. Adell Cunningham and Jeanne Price scored high for Stratford with 4 points each.

Stratford senior girls won their game by a score of 41 to 23. Dorothy Nell Harding scored high for Stratford with 20 points.

Georgana Skillin and Adell Cunningham were credited with outstanding work in their positions as guards.

Boys Lose In Extra Period of Play
Stratford Elks lost their game with the Stratford Town Team in the second extra period of play by a score of 51 to 53.

Billy Malone scored high for the Elks with 25 points and was followed by Keith Green with 9 points.

Rex French scored high with 6 points for the Town Team. The starting line-up of the Town Team was Gene French, Rex French, Bill French, Bill Miller and Nell Jackson.

Methodist Will Dedicate New Church Sunday

Sunday morning at 9:00 o'clock the old Methodist Church bell, oldest north of the Canadian River, will be rung one hour before Sunday School, and again at 9:30, one-half hour before Sunday School. The peals will echo from the church tower of the new building which will be dedicated Sunday.

At the 11:00 o'clock hour Rev. H. A. Nichols will conduct the service. Special songs and music have been arranged.

Sunday afternoon at 2:30 Rev. Luther Kirk, District Superintendent of Perryton, will speak.

To these services, a warm welcome of the church, is extended to every one.

A basket dinner will be served in Fellowship Hall at the close of the morning services. Every one is invited to bring their basket and join the group.

Methodists are asked to search their homes for hymnals that are missing from the church so that a sufficient number will be available for the song services Sunday.

Sunday will be a big day for the Methodist Sunday School with new modern rooms for each class. Leaders say that it will be easily possible for 250 children to be present for this service if they make an effort to attend.

Morning Service
Organ prelude:
Choir will sing, "Holy, Holy, Holy."

Hymn: "Come Thou Almighty King."
Affirmation of Faith.
The Anthem, "More Love To Thee," by Olay Speaks. Solo by Mrs. J. E. Crabtree.

The responsive reading, first reading, page 642.
The Gloria Patri.
Scriptures:
Prayer and Threefold Amen.
Offertory.

Infants to be Baptized.
Solo: Helen Taylor's "Bless this House," by Mrs. Frank Meher.

The sermon:
Invitation Hymn 162.
Benediction:
Postlude:
Afternoon Services at 2:30

Hymn No. 280.
Prayer:
Hymn No. 278.
Scriptures:
Duet by Mrs. Yates and Ralph Stewart.

Sermon by Rev. Luther Kirk, District Superintendent, Perryton.
Hymn No. 315.
Benediction.

Evening Service at 7:15
Organ prelude:
Hymn No. 140, "Am I A Soldier of the Cross?"
Prayer:
Hymn No. 213.
Scriptures:
Special:
Sermon by Rev. C. E. Fike, Sr., of Lubbock, Texas.
Hymn No. 379.
Benediction:
Postlude:

**22 In Delegation
To State Fair
In Dallas**

Miss Dorothy Nell Harding, Miss Gene Reynolds, Miss Martha Crabtree, Miss Minnie Crabtree, Miss Mary Nan Davis, Miss Mary Lou Garoutte, Miss Marty McMahan, Miss Patricia Naugle, Miss Helen Vernor, Miss Mary Lou Lavake, Miss Juanita Sandefur, Miss Charlotte Farris, Miss Eula Faye Lowe, Miss Kathryn Newman, Miss Dale McWilliams, Miss Marieta Sanders, Miss Beatrice Kalka, Mrs. Wright Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Crabtree, Donny Ellison and Johnny Sumner attended the State Fair of Texas in a delegation from Stratford Saturday.

**Remodel Theatre
Entrance**

The entrance of the Roxy Theatre has been remodeled this week. The ticket office has been rebuilt and new storm doors hung. The rest rooms are being redecorated and their floors tiled. Other improvements include a new concession stand and candy case. The entrance of the building has been trimmed with permatone.

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Short Session Of District Court Monday

District Judge Harry Schultz held a short session of district court here Monday.

Carl C. Lowery, alias Carl Lawery, charged with forgery, was sentenced to 3 years in the penitentiary.

S. M. Hicks, charged with forgery, was sentenced to 2 years in the penitentiary.

Bobby D. Halford and Thurman F. Maddox, charged with the theft of 150 bushels of wheat, were each sentenced to 3 years in the penitentiary.

One case, Vern Swoverland et al vs. Clyde Yoder et al, a suit for partition of real estate, on the docket of the court since 1941, was dismissed.

The case of the Gulf Insurance Co. vs. Archie Foreman was set for trial November 21.

The case of W. T. Wall vs. Anchor Casualty Co., was dismissed for want of prosecution.

The case of W. B. Douglas vs. Texas Employers Insurance Association was set for trial November 21.

Default judgment was entered in the case of The First State Bank vs. M. L. Happel.

A divorce was granted in the case of Evelyn Dick Kelley vs. William C. Kelley.

The case of James A. Ullom vs. J. T. Larkin et al, a title suit, was set for trial November 21.

The case of Russell Porter et al vs. Clyde Martin was set for trial November 28.

Judge Schultz ordered a jury list prepared for duty November 28.

\$700 Scout Fund Was Raised Tuesday

Approximately \$700.00 was raised for financing Boy Scout work in a canvass conducted in Stratford Tuesday. It is estimated that more than a \$1,000.00 will be raised before the financial drive for the scout fund is completed.

The drive was opened with a "kick-off" breakfast in the private dining room of Omaloys' Cafe at 7:30 Tuesday morning.

Attending the breakfast were R. C. Buckles, C. D. Holmes, O. L. McMinn, Arthur Judd, Rev. H. A. Nichols, Eugene Hudson, Rev. Upchurch, Walter Pendleton, Cone Donelson, Kenneth Kendrick, Herbert Folsom, W. M. Teague, field scout executive, Clifford Byrd, Ralph Harding and Leo Smith.

Rev. Nichols gave the invocation. Clifford Byrd, scout neighborhood commissioner, spoke on the "crusade."

W. M. Teague gave an explanation for the campaign.

R. C. Buckles gave the challenge.

In scout work the annual financial drive is made and the budget is made according to the limitations of the finances of the organization.

Joe Crabtree Wins Two 4-H Club Awards

Joe Crabtree, son of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Crabtree, has won two awards in his Dallas County 4-H club work. These awards are for his work in the electrical field.

He is to receive a gold-filled medal of honor as county winner from the Westinghouse Educational Foundation; and second prize of \$45.00 from the Electric Service Companies in Texas.

Crabtree was judged on general 4-H club records; on the better electric method; and for personal and club work in farm electrification.

Carved in stone at Mount Rushmore in South Dakota are the faces of George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, Theodore Roosevelt and Abraham Lincoln.

Betrothal Of Miss Eubank Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Browder are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their niece, Miss Betty Eubank, to Joe Crenshaw of Sunray. The wedding will take place November 10th in the Sunray Church of Christ.

Launch Annual Farm Bureau Membership Drive

The annual membership drive of the Sherman County Farm Bureau was launched Saturday.

Letters were mailed to the 396 members of the organization to notify them of the annual drive.

A personal contact drive will be made to secure new members.

Mrs. W. J. Lowe, Farm Bureau Blue Cross representative, is coordinating her drive for annual Blue Cross Hospitalization Insurance with the membership drive. Applications for Blue Cross insurance are accepted annually.

FFA Boys Return From National Convention

Joe Crabtree and Carrol Reed returned Saturday from Kansas City where they attended the National F.F.A. Convention. The convention is an annual affair and is held each year during the American Royal Livestock show.

The two boys went with Mr. Frix, agricultural teacher at White Deer. They left Amarillo Saturday, October 8, and returned Saturday, October 15.

During the course of their stay, they attended meetings concerning the National F.F.A. Conducted tours were available each evening, and according to the boys, they were very educational. Among other entertainment features were: Dr. I. Q., Grand-Ole-Opra, National F.F.A. band and chorus, and of course, an F.F.A. String band from all places, Texas.

Both boys report that they have a better understanding of F.F.A. work now than when they went to Kansas City.

Two Buildings On Main Street Get Face Lifting

Two business buildings on Main Street are getting their faces lifted by repairing and remodeling work this week. The Elliott building is being conditioned as the new location for Doby Plumbing & Electric.

The Lee Cafe building is also being repaired and painted.

Rev. Upchurch Addresses Lions Club Gathering

Rev. Upchurch, pastor of the Baptist Church, was the principal speaker at the Lions Club luncheon in the Palace Cafe Monday night.

He spoke briefly on the subject of using whatever material you have to fill the needs of the times.

Harold Oquin was a guest of the club.

Meeting time of the club was changed to 7:00 P. M. It has been meeting at 7:30 o'clock.

Publication of safety campaign literature was approved at the meeting of the Board of Directors.

Three new members were accepted.

The Secretary of State is the only cabinet member who does not have to make an annual report to the President.

Announce Marriage Of Miss Austin

Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Austin announce the marriage of their daughter, Leona, to E. H. (Kit) Coomer of Willis Point, Texas, which took place October 8, 1949, in Clayton, New Mexico. Nuptial vows were exchanged at the home of Judge Rockstead with Mr. and Mrs. Sampis of Clayton as witnesses.

Elk Hunters To Serve Free Elk Barbecue Oct. 29

Leslie Parker and H. L. McMahan are making preparation to serve the public with a free Elk barbecue at noon Saturday, 29. Every one is invited. There is no charge and no strings are attached.

The barbecue will be served on the lot west of the American Legion Hall if the weather permits and if it does not, the barbecue will be served in the Legion Hall.

The annual meeting of the Sherman County Farm Bureau will be held on the same day. The meeting will be called to order at 2:00 P. M. in the American Legion Hall following the serving of the free Elk barbecue.

R. C. Buckles, president of the Farm Bureau, announces that an entertaining program is being arranged. He further states the annual election of officers will be held and annual business transacted.

Hallowe'en Carnival Set For October 29th

The annual Senior Hallowe'en Carnival will be held in the school buildings the night of Saturday, October 29. The program will open with stunts in the auditorium with a film show following the program.

Concessions and games will be offered as amusement in the high school building.

Harbour Is Building Six New Cabins

H. L. Harbour is having six new cabins erected at his tourist court on U. S. Highway 287. A concrete foundation for the 17x70 frame and stucco structure was completed Tuesday morning. Harbour hopes to have the cabins ready for use within four weeks.

Slay's Have New Display Window

Bert Slay is sporting a new display window in the front of his building this week. The large glass replaces small windows which were formerly in the building.

Baptists Honor New Pastor And Wife

A large crowd attended the reception and shower for Rev. and Mrs. Bud Upchurch Wednesday night of last week in the Fellowship room of the Baptist Church.

A special program of readings and music was presented in the auditorium of the church preceding the reception.

The table was laden with many useful and beautiful gifts. Many gifts were sent by members unable to attend. White and yellow dahlias and white and yellow candles were artistically arranged on the tables.

Miss Dorothy Dixon, Mrs. Esma Gilbert, Mrs. O. H. Ingham and

Scouts' Parent Night Program Next Tuesday

Pack 38, Troop 38, and Explorers Post 38 will hold their regular parents' night in the American Legion Hall at 7:30 P. M. Tuesday, October 25. All boys of the ages 8 to 20, are invited to attend with their parents.

Each family is asked to bring 1 pie and the Scout Council will provide cocoa and coffee.

Games will be played and free technicolor movies will be shown.

Junior Class Amateur Hour Thursday Night

The Junior Class will sponsor an amateur hour and quiz show, Thursday, October 27, in the school auditorium. The big event will open with entertainment at 7:30 P. M. Admission will be fifty-cents for adults and twenty-cents for grade school students. High school students will be charged an admission of forty-five cents.

Talent will be classified in three divisions, local folks, school faculty, and students. If you belong to one of these groups and have some talent you may enter the amateur hour by contacting some member of the Junior class. Prizes will be given both in the quiz show and amateur hour.

The Junior class guarantees two full hours of entertainment. Cold drinks will be served at intermission periods.

Southside Club Has Achievement Day Tour

Southside Home Demonstration Club ladies held an achievement day tour Monday. Homes were visited in the Southside community to view landscaping and home improvement progress.

Southside Club members and guests met at the home of Mrs. M. J. Carter. The new home of Mrs. William Glenn Hart was outstanding in its storage features. Mrs. Hart showed the group her landscaping plan for a five year improvement program. The yard has been leveled and a fence built.

The T. F. Baskin III, home was the scene of the second visit. Outstanding yard improvement work was their lawn which was started this year. Trees have been placed to frame the house and to divide shade in the yard. Concrete sidewalks have been completed.

Lunch was served at the home of Mrs. John Lavake who has home improvement and yard landscaping work projects.

Mrs. Lavake's yard watering sprinkler system was envied by visiting ladies. The sprinkling system was made by her husband of old well pipe and was welded into the desired shape. The only cost for the system was the welding charges and the cost of sprinkling attachments.

Filling in the yard was the first problem for Mrs. Meritt Sweny in her landscape project. Annual flowers, gladioli, tulips and lilies have been planted in the back yard. When in full bloom this rear entrance to the home is very attractive. Mrs. Sweny has planned for a succession of blooms during the growing season so that she has cut flowers continuously.

Mrs. Cartrite's blue grass lawn is her pride. This is the second year she has been a landscape demonstrator. She has a spacious front lawn with flowers in the background.

The tour terminated at the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sweny in Sunray. They are re-planting yard work this year.

Guests were Mrs. S. J. Lavake, Mrs. Raymond Keener, Mrs. Roscoe Dyess and Ellen, Mrs. Homer L. Haile and Lorelyn, and Mrs. L. B. Haile.

Southside Club ladies participating in the tour were Mrs. W. G. Hart, Mrs. T. F. Baskin III, Mrs. John Lavake, Mrs. Luther Browder, Mrs. Arthur Cartrite, Mrs. Meritt Sweny and Miss Dorothy Dixon, county home demonstration agent.

Mrs. M. J. Carter served refreshments.

C Of C Signs For Reindeer Show December 1

An appearance of Santa Claus with reindeer and sleigh will be made here Thursday, December 1, it was assured by a contract signed by the Stratford Chamber of Commerce Tuesday at its noon meeting in Omaloys' private dining room.

The arrival of the reindeer in Stratford December 1 will herald the opening display of Christmas merchandise by Stratford business firms.

Ernest Lovelace, Harold Leonard, Clifford Byrd, and H. F. McIntosh were appointed as a finance committee to arrange for raising funds for the expense.

W. M. Teague, field scout executive spoke briefly in the interest of scouting.

The U. S. Highway 54 convention at Eldorado, Kansas October 27-28-29 was discussed.

An invitation was read from the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce inviting members to the tourists information program being sponsored by the Texas Highway Department in the Herling Hotel Friday of next week.

F. L. Yates, president of the organization, read the following letter of appreciation from El Paso tourists who visited in Stratford recently.

El Paso, Texas
Sept. 20, 1949.

Chamber of Commerce
Stratford, Texas
Gentlemen:

We wanted to have you all know of an incident that happened when we stopped in your town on Friday the sixteenth.

We drove in for gas at the Phillips 66 Station for gas. Then drove in the direction of Amarillo, Texas and about 25 miles out my husband who was driving noticed in the rear view mirror that a pickup truck was in back of him and the driver was halting him to stop.

Our first thought was that we were losing something in the back of the car, but when we stopped and the pickup truck did too, we found it was the man who had waited on us at the Phillips 66 Station and my husband had left his billfold there.

It gives one a wonderful lift to know that there are people in our country who will go out of their way as he did and we are hoping someday we will be as courteous and thoughtful to someone as he was to us.

Sincerely,
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond
Andrew.
Route 56, Box 99
El Paso, Texas.

P. S.: In our excitement we neglected to get the man's name.

Lester Plunk is the man described in the letter. He was managing the T. O. C. Motor Co. during the absence of his brother.

Scouts To Take Part In Philmont Lion Hunting

Billy Keener and Bobby Lovelace, Explorer Scouts, and assistant scoutmaster Ernest Lovelace will take part in the third annual mountain lion hunt at Philmont Scout Ranch conducted by the New Mexico State Game Department.

The trio will report to Ponell Camp at 4:00 P. M. Friday, October 28. They will be briefed and equipment will be issued to them. Horses will also be selected for the hunt.

Friday night will be spent in tents pitched in the snow and the hunt will start Saturday morning and continue through the day.

Breakfast and the noon meal Sunday will be served at the Big House at Philmont Villa. The hunting parties will leave for home immediately following the noon meal.

Twenty boys from Texas and New Mexico have been selected to take part in the hunt. Last year the hunting party rode 130 miles on horses.

The annual mountain lion hunt is made available for scouts at the cost of \$7.50. Each boy furnishes his own clothes, boots, chaps and bed roll.

Sardines are packed closely in a can because the fish are cheaper than the olive oil in which they are packed.

Mrs. Lasley Entertains For Friends

Mrs. Sam Lasley, Jr., entertained a group of her friends with a slumber party in her country home Friday night. After a delicious picnic supper was served, the night was spent in visiting and playing games. Mrs. Orland Lasley, Mrs. Earl Whaley and Mrs. Bob Fisk won prizes. The party ended with a breakfast served at sunrise. Those attending were Mrs. Orland Lasley, Mrs. Gerald Lasley,

Mrs. Verne Foreman of Stratford, Mrs. Bob Fisk, Mrs. Don Sangster, Mrs. Earl Whaley and Mrs. Odell Pugh, Texhoma, and the hostess.

Attends Floral Designing School In Denver

Mrs. Earl Smith enrolled in a brief Floral Designing School in Denver, Colorado Friday. She reported home Monday with a number of new ideas in arranging floral displays.

Car Rolls Into Pastry Shop

Mrs. Harley Alexander of Gru-

Treasury Secretary Opens New Skyscraper



BOSTON—Tallest building on eastern seaboard between New York and Canada, John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company's new 26-story home office building was opened officially with Secretary of the Treasury John W. Snyder, inset, as principal speaker. This is first photo of recently completed structure minus scaffolding.

talented and intelligent than they used to be," Miss Montgomery added. "They all dance and sing and many have college degrees." Actually, the last noteworthy appearance of the Johnnies was in the early 1940's, when a handful of millionaire bachelors backed a sumptuous Broadway night club and installed their favorite cuties in "the line." However, until recently, a few still remained a part of the theatrical scene.

The most famous "patron of the arts," as the Johnnies called themselves, was Diamond Jim Brady, a gentleman who liked two-pound steaks surrounded by a handful of chops at mealtime. Brady, strictly an orange juice man, became so enamored of Lillian Russell that he drank champagne from her slipper in public to demonstrate his ardor.

But such tales of days gone made little impression on Miss Montgomery and her colleagues. "We're interested only in careers and have little time for heavy romance," she insisted.

Girls To Play At Sunray Tuesday

Stratford Junior High and High School Basketball girls will play ball at Sunray Tuesday night. The first game will be called at 7:30 P. M.

Doughnuts have holes in the center to keep them from becoming soggy.

Install Officers At Dumas

Walter Pendleton and Earl Bond attended the meeting of the American Legion and Auxiliary in Dumas Tuesday night. Walter installed the officers of each organization.

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| KUNERS | 2 For | |
| KRAUT 21 | Mustard Greens 25 | |
| DEL MONTE | 14 Oz. Bottle | Kimballs 300 Size Can |
| CATSUP 17 | Chili Beans 10 | Hersheys 1/2 Lb. Pkg. |
| Baby Food | 23 | COCOA 22 |
| 300 Size Can | 2 For | White Swan No. 2 1/2 Can |
| KUNERS | 2 For | |
| Diced Carrots 27 | Sweet Potatoes 25 | |

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| MEAT | PRODUCE |
| Country Style | 50 Pound Bag |
| SAUSAGE 37 | RED 50 Pound Bag |
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| WHOLE OR HALF | LEMONS 35 |
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Richard's Cash Grocery
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ver, hurriedly stepped from her car Sunday afternoon only to make a dash for it as it rolled into Grady's Pastry Shop.

Mrs. Alexander and her mother, Mrs. A. W. Allen, had stopped at Bond's Studio to pick up pictures if the business was open. Mrs. Alexander stepped from the car and was at the studio entrance when she noticed the car moving toward the pastry shop window. The car smashed the plate glass windows and pushed the lower section of the wall in about 18 inches before Mrs. Alexander reached her brakes.

Attend Legion Convention

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bond, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. McIntosh, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Gillis, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Moon, and Walter Pendleton attended the American Legion District Convention in Canadian Sunday.

Stage Door Romeos Gone, but Chorines Say They Don't Care

NEW YORK—Mink coats, diamond bracelets and cozy love nests are no longer standard gifts for Broadway's show girls, for the stage-door Johnnies, or "sugar daddies," have disappeared. A poll of Broadway beauties indicated that they may never return—and never be missed. Candy Montgomery, blond, blue-eyed beauty who is representative of the 80 or 90 show girls now appearing in The Street's 10 musicals, said the girls are "too busy." She denied that the show girl has lost anything in the way of allure. "Actually," she said, "the show girls of today are more beautiful than ever. We have better measurements than the oldsters and never use artificial supports to accentuate our figures. "The girls of today are more

Resigns As Fire Marshall

I accepted the position as Fire Marshall Friday afternoon and resigned Saturday at noon.

While in office I attempted to fulfill the duties of the office. My judgment was not confirmed by the City Council. For this reason I thought it best to tender my resignation.

JOE WALSH.

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Suicide Helper Gets Freedom

NEW YORK.—A grand jury failed to indict an unemployed, 60-year-old immigrant on a charge of helping his best friend kill himself to escape the constant pain of cancer.

Frederick Berwich, an unemployed dishwasher, was indicted, however, on a charge of violating the law against illegal possession of firearms. He was arraigned in general sessions court.

Berwich had been held on a charge of "aiding and abetting" the suicide of Joseph Ziakowski, 65, who had been his boyhood friend in Russia. Police said he confessed giving Ziakowski the suicide gun.

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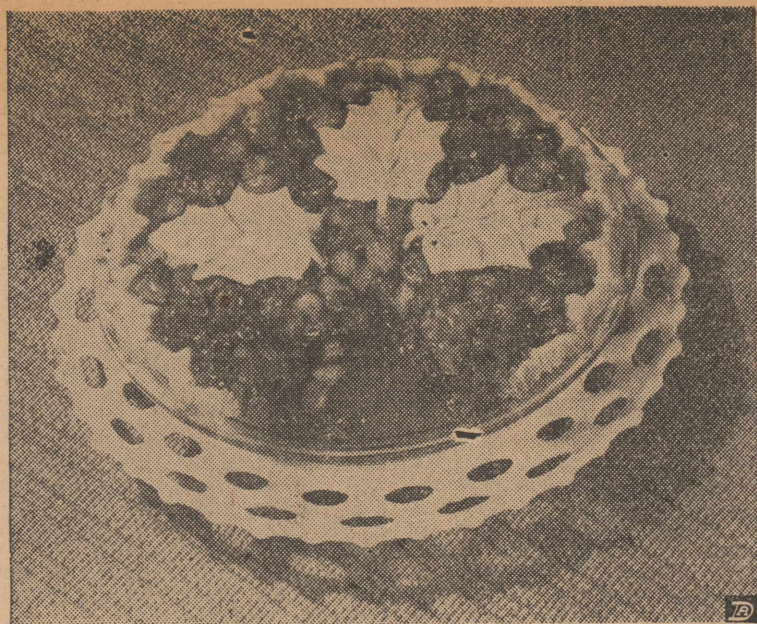
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PLUS
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OCTOBER 26 and 27
Paramount Presents
Crosby, Ann Blyth, Barry Fitzgerald and Hume Cronyn
In
Top O' the Morning



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And eat more of them in cranberry pie, always a popular fall and winter dessert with the great American family. In these days of packaged pie crust mix and fresh cranberries ready-weighted in cellophane bags, a luscious fresh fruit pie can be put together in no time at all. Here's a cranberry pie, so easy-to-make . . . so good-to-eat, you'll make it a part of your regular menu from now 'til January.

CRANBERRY PIE

1 package pie crust mix
2 1/2 cups sugar
2 tablespoons cornstarch
1/2 cup water
1 cup raisins
4 cups fresh cranberries (1 1-lb. bag)
1 tablespoon grated orange rind
cool. Pour cooled mixture into prepared pie shell. Roll out remaining crust and cut into leaf shapes. Arrange cut-outs over surface of pie and brush with melted butter. Bake in moderately hot oven (400° F.) 35 minutes. Makes one 9-inch pie.

Methodist Ladies Met Wednesday In Fellowship Hall

The Women's Society of Christian Service met in Fellowship

Hall with 17 members and one visitor present. Roll call was answered with verses of scripture.

Mrs. J. G. Cummings, treasurer, gave her reports. A request for \$20.00 for supply work was approved.

Mrs. A. L. King reviewed the last three chapters of "Japan Begins Again," completing the study. Mrs. Percy Pronger, Jr., completed the supplementary book, "Seven Stars." The review was educational and enjoyed by all.

The kitchen shower given by the women of the church was a huge success and the committee was thrilled by the generous gifts. Both circles met in Fellowship Hall for opening of the gifts and the closing of the meeting.

Cabdriver, Wife Agree On Use of Tub, Machine

NEW YORK.—James McCluskey, a 65-year-old cabdriver, reached an agreement with his wife, Olga, in Flushing court on the use of the family washtub and sewing machine.

She will do her washing on Mondays. He will do his on Tuesdays. He will let her use the sewing machine if she quits changing the stitch control.

This jurisdictional dispute was ironed out with the aid of Magistrate Charles F. Murphy, who called a round-table discussion.

McCluskey told the court that a year ago, after 29 years of wedded life, he decided to do his own washing, ironing, cooking, and sewing. "I don't like the way my wife does the clothes and I don't like her cooking, either," he explained.

He said he staked out a separate compartment for himself in the family refrigerator, cooked his own meals and ate them alone. But the trouble began over the washtub and the sewing machine. Mrs. McCluskey, who does dress alterations in her home, said her husband had threatened to lock up the machine.

"That's because she changes the tension and stitches on the machine," he said. "Then when I sew a row it's all wrong and I have to rip it out."

The feud reached its climax over washdays. Both wanted Mondays. Last Monday, Mrs. McCluskey said, her husband threw her clothes out of the tub, put his own in. She took him to court on a disorderly conduct charge.

Benjamin Harrison was the last bearded president of the United States.

NOTICE OF COUNTY'S INTENTION TO RECEIVE BIDS FOR PURCHASE OF CERTAIN ROAD MACHINERY, AND TO ISSUE TIME WARRANTS THEREFOR

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SUCH PROPOSALS will at said time be publicly opened and read before the Commissioners' Court of said County.

IT IS THE INTENTION OF THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT to pay for such road machinery by the issuance and delivery to

the proper contractor, of the legally issued time warrants of said County, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding 3% per annum, payable semi-annually, which said warrants shall not exceed the principal sum of \$7,700.00, and the principal of said warrants shall be payable serially the maximum maturity date being not later than November 14, 1951.

THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

L. P. HUNTER, County Judge, Sherman County, Texas. (pub. 10/6-13-20.)

Church News

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
(Edwin Upchurch, Pastor)
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Training Union 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship Services 7:30 P. M.
W. M. U. Wednesday 3:30 P. M.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
(C. E. Ritchie, Minister)
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
(I. L. Walker, Pastor)
Sunday
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
C.A.'s and Children's services at 6:30 P. M.
Evangelistic services 7:30 P. M.

THURSDAY
Evangelistic services 7:30 P. M.
The public is urged to attend these services and will find a warm welcome.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Services 11:00 A. M.
Evening Service 7:30 P. M.
Rev. John Reaves, Pastor.

METHODIST CHURCH
(Rev. H. A. Nichols, Pastor)
Church School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 10:55 A. M.

Evening services at 8:00 o'clock.

Junior, Intermediate and Senior MYF at 7:00 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.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: J. T. Overby, J. T. Overby, John T. Overby and wife Overby whose name is unknown, W. A. Timmins and wife Dorah B. Timmins, the unknown heirs and legal representatives of any of said persons who may be deceased, together with their unknown heirs and legal representatives, if deceased, whose places of residence are unknown, Defendants. Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Sherman County at the Court House thereof, in Stratford, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 21st day of November A. D. 1949, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 5th day of October A. D. 1949, in this cause, numbered 1192 on the docket of said court and styled H. L. Harbour, plaintiff, and J. T. Overby, J. T. Overby, John T. Overby and wife Overby, whose name is unknown, W. A. Timmins and wife Dorah B. Timmins, the unknown heirs and legal representatives of any of said persons who may be deceased, as well as their unknown heirs and legal representatives, if deceased, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

Suit in Trespass to Try Title to lots numbered 8, 9, and 10 in Block No. 76 in the town of Stratford, Sherman County, Texas, according to the map or plat of said town of record in the office of the County Clerk of Sherman County, Texas, and being a fractional part of section No. 179 Block 1-T, T & N O. Ry. Co. Grant. Plaintiff pleads title from the state to himself, pleads the three, five, ten and twenty five year statutes of limitation, sets forth the claims of

the defendants and prays for judgment for title and possession and removal of cloud, and general and special relief.

As is more fully set forth in plaintiff's petition on file in this cause.

If this Writ is not served within ninety days from date of issuance, same shall be returned to the clerk of this court unserved.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Stratford, Texas this 5th day of October A. D. 1949. ATTEST:

(Seal) LELAH BONEY, Clerk, District Court, Sherman County, Texas. (pub. 10/13-20-27; 11/3)

Stratford Lodge 874

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- Get a Free Car-Safety Check, Free Safety Insignia and Free Entry Blank.
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(b) Contest is limited to the continental U. S. and Alaska.

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(d) Winners' names will be posted at all Ford Dealers' not later than December 1, 1949.

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Best Yet Club Will Meet October 25

Simplified meal planning will be demonstrated by Miss Dorothy Dixon, home demonstration agent, Friday October 25, at the meeting of the Best Yet Home Demonstration Club. Mrs. Earl Bond will give a book report. Mrs. C. L. Guthrie president announces the meeting for 10:00 A. M. in the home of Mrs. Ben O. Biddy.

Say You Saw It In The Star

NOTICE OF ELECTION
THE STATE OF TEXAS :
COUNTY OF SHERMAN :
TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF ROAD DISTRICT NO. 2 OF SHERMAN COUNTY, TEXAS, WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID DISTRICT AND WHO HAVE DULY RENDERED THE SAME FOR TAXATION:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in Road District No. 2 of Sherman County, Texas, on the 31 day of October, 1949, on the proposition and at the place more particularly set forth in the election order passed by the Commissioners' Court on the 29 day of September, 1949, which is as follows:

AN ORDER CALLING AN

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By Harry Miller, Director, GAINES DOG RESEARCH CENTER

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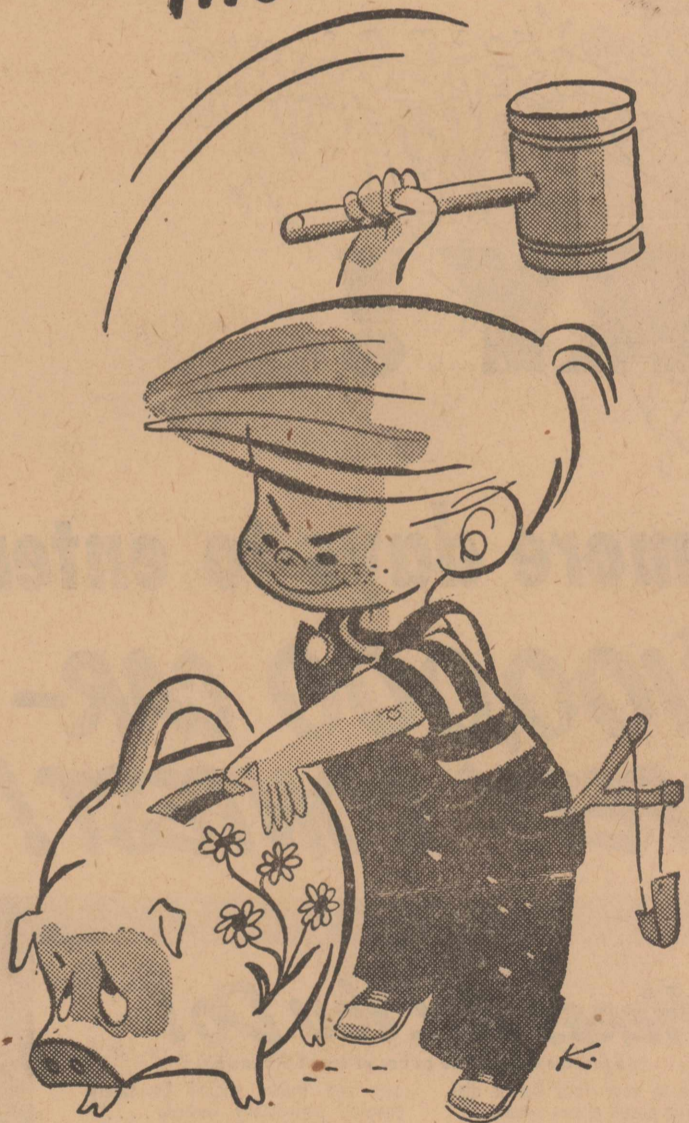
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Amateur Hour and Quiz Show
Thursday, October 27
School Auditorium 7:30 P. M.
Three Groups of Prizes Will Be Awarded

Make Entry Application To Any Member of the Junior Class
Admission: Adults 60c; H. S. Pupils 45c; G. S. Pupils 25c

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You can get this foolproof combination by investing in U. S. Savings Bonds. Either of these two ways:

Join your company's Payroll Savings Plan . . . or join your bank's Bond-A-Month Plan.

Then sit back and watch your dollars make pigs of themselves, fattening up at the rate of four for every three you put in, every ten years.

That's one sure way to bring home the bacon some day. And by bacon we mean the things you dream about for the future: a home, a business, a college education, and freedom from worry.

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The Stratford Star

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ELECTION ON THE PROPOSITION OF ISSUING \$175,000.00 OF BONDS OF ROAD DISTRICT NO. 2 OF SHERMAN COUNTY, TEXAS.

WHEREAS, there has been presented to this Court the petition of D. G. Cluck and more than fifty other persons, representing themselves to be resident, qualified electors of Sherman County Road District No. 2, who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation praying that this Court order an election in Road District No. 2 of Sherman County, Texas, to determine:

Whether or not the bonds of said Road District No. 2 of Sherman County, Texas, shall be issued in an amount not to exceed \$175,000.00, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed Three and Three-fourths (3-3/4%) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and maturing at such time as may be fixed by the Commissioners' Court, serially or otherwise, in not to exceed Thirty (30) years from the date thereof, for the purpose of the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof throughout the Road District No. 2 of Sherman County, Texas; and whether or not taxes shall be levied annually on all taxable property in Road District No. 2

of Sherman County, Texas, sufficient to pay the annual interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the bonds at their maturity;

WHEREAS, heretofore on the 12th day of September, 1949, the Commissioners' Court passed an order fixing a time and place for a hearing on said petition, to-wit: September 29, 1949, and directed the County Clerk to issue a notice of such time and place of hearing to inform all persons concerned of their right to appear at such hearing and to contend for or protest the ordering of such election; and

WHEREAS, the County Clerk has heretofore duly executed said notice by posting true copies of said order of hearing in three public places within said Road District No. 2, and another copy thereof at the Courthouse door of said County for ten days prior to the date fixed for the hearing, and said notice has also been published in a newspaper of general circulation in said Road District No. 2, namely, "Stratford Star," one time, on the 22 day of September, 1949, which was at least five days prior to the date fixed for said hearing; and

WHEREAS, this Court, having met at the time and place set for the hearing of said petition, proceeded to hear such petition and all matters in respect to the proposed bond election, to hear

the contentions for and protest against the calling of such election, and it is found by the Court that the said petition is signed by more than fifty legally qualified electors who own taxable property in Road District No. 2 of Sherman County, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, and that the notice required by law to be given of said hearing has been given; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the hearing held on said date and from the evidence submitted at said hearing, the Court has determined that the proposed improvements would be for the benefit of all taxable property situated in said Road District No. 2, and that it is desirable and necessary to issue the bonds of said Road District No. 2 in the amount of One Hundred Seventy Five Thousand (\$175,000.00) Dollars to construct said improvements, and that said election should be ordered; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners' Court further finds that the amount of said proposed bond issue together with all outstanding bonds of the same nature heretofore issued on the faith and credit of Road District No. 2 of Sherman County, will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said District; and

WHEREAS, said Road District No. 2 of Sherman County, Texas, was heretofore created by order of the Commissioners' Court, duly entered on the 2nd day of September, 1949, which order is of record in the minutes of the Commissioners' Court;

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF SHERMAN COUNTY, TEXAS:

1. That an election be held in said Sherman County Road District No. 2 on the 31 day of October, 1949, which is not less than thirty days from the date of this order, to determine: "Whether or not the bonds of said Road District No. 2 of Sherman County, Texas, shall be issued in an amount not to exceed \$175,000.00, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed Three and Three-fourths (3-3/4%) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and maturing at such time as may be fixed by the Commissioners' Court, serially or otherwise, in not to exceed Thirty (30) years from the date thereof, for the purpose of the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof through-

out the Road District No. 2 of Sherman County, Texas; and whether or not taxes shall be levied annually on all taxable property in Road District No. 2 of Sherman County, Texas, sufficient to pay the annual interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the bonds at their maturity."

2. That said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 3, Title 22 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas of 1925, as amended, including the provisions of Chapter 16, Acts of the First Called Session of the Thirty Ninth Legislature, and only legally qualified electors of this State and of this County who own taxable property in the District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be qualified to vote.

3. The Ballots for said election shall have written or printed thereon the following:

"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF ROAD BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF"

"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF ROAD BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF"

Each voter shall mark out with black ink or black pencil one of the expressions, thus leaving the other as indicating his vote on the proposition.

4. The said election shall be held at Lone Star School, Stratford, Texas, within Road District No. 2 of Sherman County, and the following named persons are hereby appointed as officers of said election:

Luther Browder, Presiding Judge, Cline Gilbert, Judge.

5. The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the General Laws of this State regulating general elections when not in conflict with the provisions of Chapter 16, Acts of the First Called Session of the 39th Legislature, hereinabove cited.

6. Notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this order in a newspaper having general circulation in Sherman County Road District No. 2 for three successive weeks before the date of said election. And in addition thereto, there shall be posted copies of this order at three public places in said District, and one at the Courthouse door of the County for three consecutive weeks prior to said election.

7. The County Clerk is hereby ordered and directed to post said notices and to cause same to be published as hereinabove directed.

Further orders by the Court are reserved until the returns of said election executed by the duly authorized election officers are received by this Court.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 29 day of September 1949.
L. P. HUNTER, County Judge, Sherman County, Texas.
LELAH BONEY, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk, Commissioners' Court, Sherman County, Texas. (pub. 10/6-13-20.)

INTERIOR DECORATING

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- Bloody discharge from the nose or irregular bleeding from any of the natural body openings
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TODAY's children are marked as tomorrow's victims, unless we speed our attack on mankind's most dreaded killer. For every month saved in the eventual discovery of the cause and cure of Cancer will in turn save thousands of lives—among them, very possibly, someone near and dear to you.

Cancer is an ever-present threat to your family—more so than many people realize. Cancer still strikes in one out of every two families, still kills one American out of every eight.

Progress is being made Today, thanks to scientific research, a diagnosis of Cancer is no longer a death warrant. Certain Cancer cases are now being cured. This year one quarter of all Cancer patients will be saved by surgery, X-ray or radium. But these encouraging facts do not mean our fight against Cancer is over. It has really only begun. How soon we find the cause and cure of Cancer depends on how soon and how much help comes not from one friend but from thousands.

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Mrs. James Hostess To Kerrick Club

The Kerrick Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Newton James Friday with nine members and Miss Stinson present.

New officers were elected for the coming year. Mrs. Sam Roach is president, Mrs. Louis James, vice-president; Mrs. Newton James, secretary-treasurer and reporter; and Mrs. Fred McDaniel and Mrs. Bill Johnston, council delegates.

Miss Sinton gave a report on the last Council meeting as the Kerrick delegates were absent. The demonstration on insulation and ventilation was given by Miss Stinson.

Refreshments were served to: Mesdames Lois James, Sam Roach, Fred McDaniel, Lisle McCune, O. H. McDaniel, Robert Johnston, Alton McCune, Allen Boren, the hostess, and Miss Stinson.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Allen Boren November 18th.

Mrs. O'Brien Entertains Embroidery Club

The Embroidery Club met in the home of Mrs. W. G. O'Brien Thursday of last week. Visitors were Mrs. A. Hensley of Tulsa, Oklahoma, Mrs. Robert Alexander, Gruver, Mrs. C. R. Foster and Mrs. Crossfield.

Members present were Mrs. Hattie Flores, Mrs. Vern Vincent, Mrs. L. M. Price, Mrs. Roy Allen, Mrs. G. L. Taylor, Mrs. J. K. Richardson, Mrs. E. W. Butler, Mrs. Frank Judd, Mrs. D. L. Buckles, Mrs. Dick Buckles, Mrs. C. W. Moon, Mrs. M. Dortch and Mrs. W. E. Kelley.

Delicious refreshments were served. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Moon November 10 for a covered dish luncheon and election of officers.

Lady Without Brakes Smashes Storm Door

A lady identifying herself as Mrs. Reed, drove her car across the sidewalk and into the storm door entrance of Lovelace Department store Tuesday morning when the brakes on the car failed to hold.

Elk Hunting Party Leaves For Colorado

Arthur Judd, Paul Aduddell, and Leroy Judd left Tuesday for an Elk hunt near Durango, Colorado.

Entertains With Birthday Dinner And Party

Mrs. Dick Diehl honored her son, Dick, Jr., and her niece, Mrs. J. T. Lollis, with a birthday dinner and party Tuesday evening. The table was decorated with with lovely fall flowers and the two birthday cakes. After lighting the candles, Serena Mae Kelp sang "Happy Birthday" to Mrs. Lollis and Dick, Jr.

A lovely three course dinner was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lollis, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kelp and Serena, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lollis and Nancy Sue, Howard Gibbons, Elbert Mayhall, Arthur Ross, Dick Diehl, and Dick Diehl, Jr.

After opening gifts and playing games, the guests departed wishing Dick, Jr., and Mrs. Lollis many more happy birthdays.

Christian Ladies Council Meeting Wednesday

Following a covered dish luncheon Wednesday afternoon in the church basement, "French Speaking People and Mountain Folk" was the theme discussed Mrs. Paul Aduddell, leader, for the Women's Council of the Christian Church.

Lexington School gives a new approach to Mountain Highlands, was presented by Mrs. Bernard Dovel.

I Look at Hazel Green Academy, was discussed by Mrs. T. L. Wakefield.

Within the Family of God was the devotional theme. Mrs. Arthur Folsom gave an inspirational insight on this subject.

Plans were made for a chicken dinner at the November Council meeting.

Each member will bring her husband at 12:00 noon. A bazaar is scheduled for the

afternoon of November 16 at 1:00 P. M. The public is invited to attend. All articles will be priced and on display promptly at 1:00 P. M. Christmas gift suggestions will be available.



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Attend American Royal Livestock Exposition

Aggie Club members of P. A. M. C. from this section attending the American Royal Livestock Exposition in Kansas City last week were: Walter Vincent,

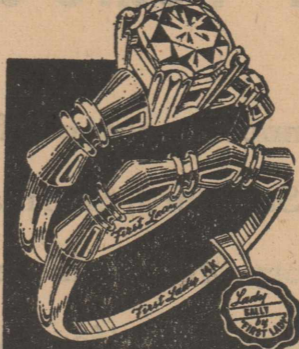
Stratford, Wallace Bridwell, Texhoma, Jack Vincent, Stratford, and Bob Alexander, Gruver.

A train's whistle sounds higher as it approaches because more vibrations per second reach the eardrum.

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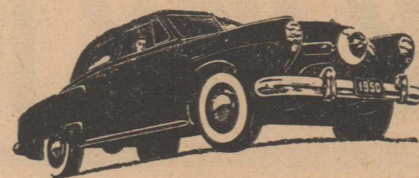
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PAY WEEKLY

LEONARD'S JEWELRY

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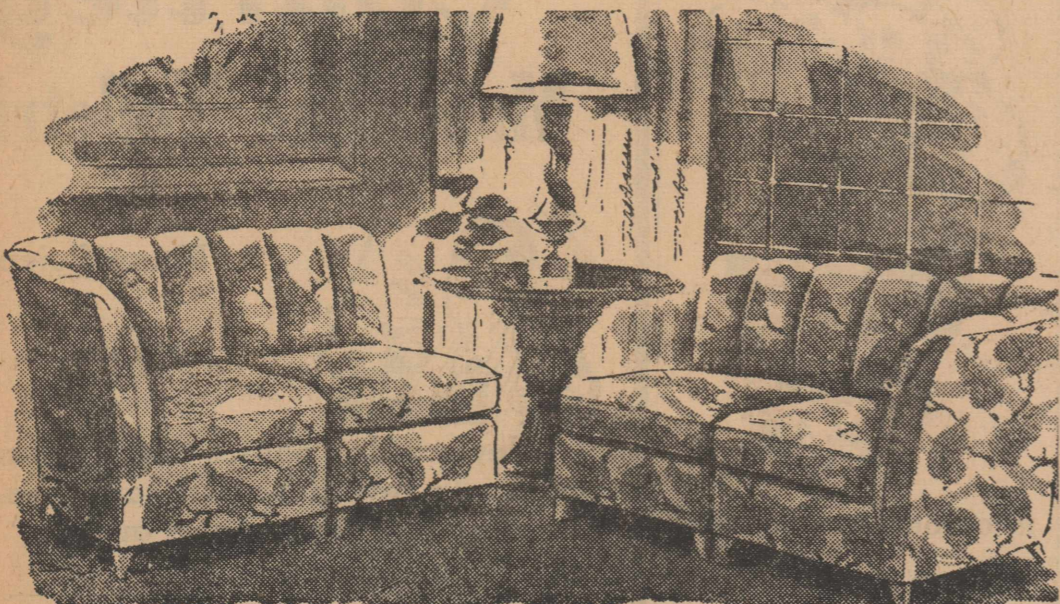


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Local News

Mrs. E. J. Massie, Mrs. B. I.

Crutchfield, Mrs. Marguerite Wilson and John Marvin Wilson took Mrs. Mollie Massie to her home in Tyrone, Oklahoma Sunday.

G. L. Taylor, T. L. Taylor, and Roy Lathem were business visitors in Colorado Monday.

Royal Pendleton was a business visitor in Amarillo Monday.

Miss Dale McWilliams visited with her sister and family, Mrs. J. L. Yarbrough of Ponder, over the week-end.

Raymond Cox, Dalhart, has accepted a position with the Pioneer Barber Shop.

Tom Gibbons is visiting his family in Amarillo this week.

Mr and Mrs. R. C. Buckles visited with their son, Dickie, last week-end in Lubbock, and attended the football game.

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PITTSBURGH, PA.—CIO President Philip Murray (right) confers with David J. McDonald (left), secretary and treasurer, United Steel Workers of America, and Allen P. Haywood, CIO Director of Organization, at the 36-man executive committee and 170-member wage policy committee meeting here. They represent labor's side of the current wage-hour discussion with steel company representatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wiginton visited their son in Lubbock last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hicks and son, Raymond, Coyle, Oklahoma, were visitors in the Lee L. Grimes home last Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Clay and children visited relatives in Shamrock last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Judd left Tuesday for their home in Sun Valley California after a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Judd.

W. L. Williams is assisting at

the local Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber yard this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Golladay spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Parker in Cordell, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Eddie Brooks was taken to Loretto Hospital Monday by her husband. She is a medical patient.

Mrs. E. C. McIntyre has been on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lollis, Mrs. Dick Diehl, Dick Jr., and Howard Gibbons visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kelp in Hot Springs, New Mexico from Friday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Smith, Clinton, Oklahoma, were house guests in the Wayne Harding home Monday and Monday night.

Mrs. W. P. Cummings, Mrs. F. D. Cummings and daughter, Cynthia Dell, were Dalhart visitors Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Price were Amarillo visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Everett Jr., have arrived from California to make their home here on the R. K. Everett farm.

Miss Marjorie Grimes, a student at Canyon, spent last week-end with her parents and brother, Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kelp visited in Hot Springs, New Mexico last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kelp, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Barnett of Socorro, and Mrs. E. A. Wills and family of El Paso, Texas.

Ermalee Skillman and her two year old daughter, Sherry Gail of Wichita, Kansas, have established their residence here with her mother, Mrs. C. R. Bonar. She will be associated with the Bonar Pharmacy in the gift department and at the cosmetic counter.

PERMANETTES advertisement featuring a cartoon illustration of a woman and a man, with text: 'I MADE A MISTAKE I BOUGHT HER A HOME PERMANENT Alma Lee's Beauty Shop'

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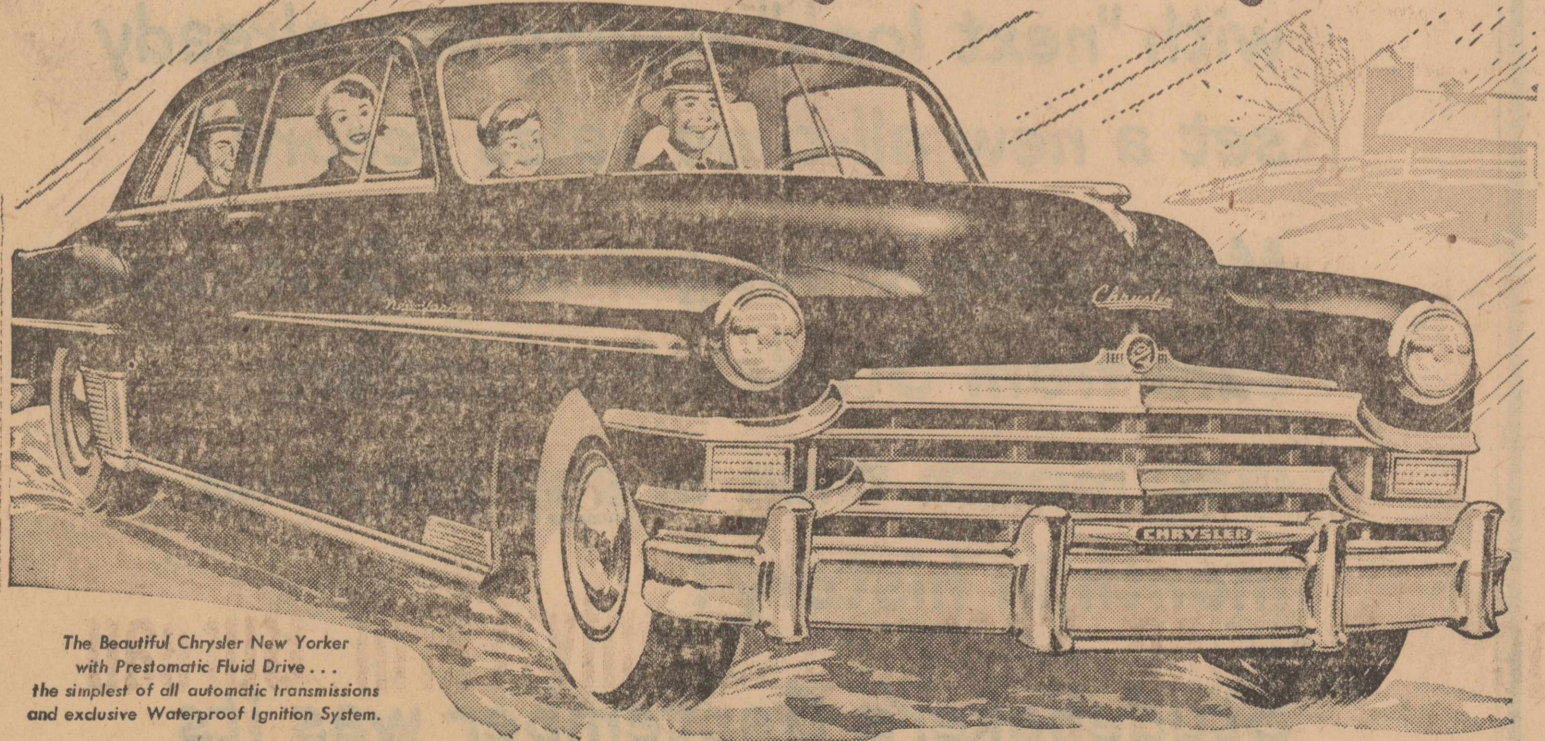
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Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lyon spent last week-end with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Nate Miller, in San Angelo, Texas.

in Las Animas, Colorado Saturday and Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. Bert Cook arrived Wednesday evening of last week for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Calvird. They left Tuesday for a visit in Missouri before returning to their home in Los Angeles, California.

Mrs. John Lavake and her brother, Harlan Beauchamp, left Tuesday for San Francisco, California, to visit Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beauchamp.

Kirk and Donald McWilliams, Gene and Robert Keenan, visited

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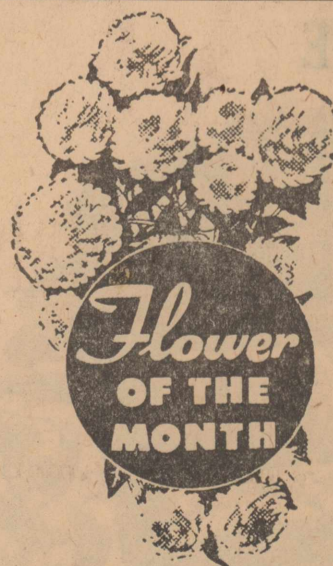
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Local News

Mrs. Warner Williams, Richard Williams, Bobby Lovelace, Billy Keener, Fred Lee Green and Jerry Sherrod attended the Texas State Fair in Dallas last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgel Lively and daughters, Dalhart, spent Sunday in the home of his sister, Mrs. M. R. Robinson, Mr. Robinson and Chucko.

Alfred Bammes was a business visitor in Perryton Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Judd left Monday for a visit near Durango, Colorado.

Little Miss Lynda Steel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Steel, Dalhart, was a visitor in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Grimes last weekend. Her parents came for her and visited in the Grimes home Sunday afternoon.

Legion Airs

(By Earl Bond)

Those Legionaires and their wives who missed the District

Convention at Canadian sure missed a good time. The fine Canadian Post went all-out to show the visitors a good time, and succeeded wonderfully in their effort. The address by Department Commander, Joe Spurlock was the highlight of the program, and well worth the trip just for that alone. After listening to him, one will go home and polish his membership button, justly proud of the fact that he is a Legionaire.

Both Howard Norvell Green Post and the Auxillary showed up with flying colors at the convention. Ours was the only post that had reached their membership quota for 1950, and our Auxillary was the only one to have exceeded their 1949 membership. So, Stratford lead the parade at the Pampa convention in April as we did at Shamrock last spring.

I don't read the fashion magazines, but I did accidently happen on to a couple of fashion notes in the paper recently that interested me. It seems that someone has figured out that turn about is fair play, so according to one fashion designer in Paris, the women are going to get a chance to whistle at the men this year. And according to Christian Dior, the designer of the "New Look," the women won't rate a whistle.

Mr. Dior has decreed that the woman of 1950 will be hipless, bustless, mannish, and casual, with a hurricane haircut. Sounds very interesting doesn't it. I don't know just where Christian gets the authority to decree these things. I don't recall voting for him for the position, or even an election for the purpose, just the same he has decreed. However, he made one big slip-up—he failed to make the necessary arrangements with the Creator in advance. Fortunately, the Creator has already stocked the earth with women complete with busts, hips, and all the standard equipment, and only a few of them will meet Mr. Dior's specifications.

I have had many people come to me complaining about this and that, and somehow expecting me to do something about it. Of course I can't do much about anything except make a fuss over it. But of all the complaints I have had, I have never had anyone to come around expect-

ing me to do anything about women's hips and busts. I have just now found out that they are undesirable. I'll do anything I can to help any good cause, but as far as I am concerned, this is one bit of business Mr. Christian Dior will have to struggle along on by himself.

But the real joker is yet to come. The tables have been completely turned. At a recent Paris fashion show, there was featured a complete line of shirts for men with a plunging neckline. Oh Brother! Would I ever look cute with my manly chest exposed to the waist. Yes, there's only one button on the shirts, and that will be hidden below the belt. They did not indicate whether or not chest hair would be in style, nor how it would be worn. In case the decree is for hair, the manufactur-

ers of falsies can simply retool and begin turning out chest wigs for us poor unfortunate fellows who have descended far enough from the ape to have lost our body hair.

Since the plunging neckline for women never became very popular in this vicinity, I never saw but one real plunger, and it

was enough to start a riot. I seriously doubt that there are sufficient women with sufficient interest in my chest to cause a riot that would be noisier than the riot of laughter from the men in case I turned out in one, so I believe I will pass this time.

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FARM BUREAU MEMBERS KNOW

Agriculture Must Keep Up With The Parade 1950 Membership By Mail Has Started

A membership letter has been mailed to all 1950 Farm Bureau Members. Everyone is urged to send in their membership by mail, in order to save time and expense of personal calls. Later a personal membership campaign will be conducted, but this time is needed to contact new members.

- DO YOU WANT TO MOVE FORWARD?
- DO YOU WANT YOUR INCOME STABILIZED ON AN EQUALITY WITH OTHERS?
- IF YOU DO, JOIN THE FARM BUREAU WHEN YOU RECEIVE YOUR LETTER OR ARE CALLED UPON.

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At Noon Saturday, October 29

Given Through the Courtesy of Leslie Parker and H. L. McMahan — Come to the Free Elk Barbecue and Bring Your Friends — American Legion Building Is The Location At Noon Saturday, October 29.

Annual Business Meeting Sherman County Farm Bureau

At 2:00 P. M. Following Barbecue — Good Program — Officers Will Be Elected and Annual Business Transacted. Enjoy the Free Barbecue and Support Your Farm Bureau.

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Fewer Pedestrians Figure In 1948 Traffic Deaths

CHICAGO.—Fewer pedestrians walked themselves to death during 1948 than the year before. There were 9,850 pedestrian traffic deaths last year, according to the 1949 edition of "Accident Facts," statistical yearbook of the National Safety Council. This was 8 per cent below the 1947 total of 10,450. The yearbook points out that last year was the first since motor vehicle deaths have been tabulated by type of accident that pedestrian deaths were fewer than deaths from two-vehicle collisions.

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2 "I came to. I had been flung from the house into a ditch. My flashlight still burned. Frantically, I followed its steady beam along the ditch until I saw the white faces of my injured wife and child!

3 "With the help of our flashlight, we reached shelter. I thank those flashlight batteries for saving three lives that night. Now I know why 'Eveready' batteries are 'The Batteries With 'Nine Lives'!"

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Quickie Comics

INKLINGS By John Jarvis

"What is it they say—every dog has his day?"

NEXT DOOR By Gluyas Williams

THE NEW BOY IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD WHO HAS SOMETHING OF A REPUTATION AS A FORWARD PAGER HAS REFUSED TO SIGN WITH EITHER THE ELM STREET TIGERS OR THE FOREST AVENUE WILDCATS UNTIL THEY COUNT UP THEIR RESOURCES TO SEE WHICH CAN MAKE HIM THE BEST OFFER IN THE WAY OF ICECREAM CONES AND OTHER INDUCEMENTS

BACK HOME AGAIN By Ed Dodd

WHY GOOD GRACIOUS, BUDDIE, WHEN HE GETS TO THE TABLE YOU'LL NEVER RECOGNIZE HIM ALL FIXED UP AN' ENYHOW WE BEEN FEEDIN' EM A YEAR NOW AN' ITS TIME WE GOT SOME KIND O' RETURN ON ALL THE MONEY AN' TIME WE'VE SPENT ON EM!

... THAT HELPLESS FEELING.

SILENT SAM By Jeff Hayes

BLOOD AND THUNDER

SLAM BANG!

5-11-49

Household Hints

Avoid Carrot Stains
To avoid yellow stains on your hands when peeling carrots, peel them under water.

Lunch-Packing Tomatoes
If tomatoes are to be packed in a lunch basket or to be taken on picnics, don't keep them in a refrigerator. Once a tomato is chilled, it turns soft and wrinkled when it returns to room temperature.

Saving Potatoes
The waste incurred when potatoes are peeled can be minimized by boiling the potatoes in their skins, and then peeling them while holding them under a stream of cold water.

Use Double Boiler
To avoid lighting the broiler or oven when you have to cook a tiny piece of meat for the baby, place the meat in the top of a double boiler, along with some outter; put the lid on and let it cook.

Left-Over Pie Dough
When you have left-over pie dough, wrap it in wax paper and keep it in the hydrator of your refrigerator. It'll still be in good condition for baking for several days.

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Interesting Detail
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Put 1 or 2 spoonfuls of VapoRub in a vaporizer or bowl of boiling water. Then—breathe in the soothing, medicated vapors. Every breath eases coughing spasms, makes breathing easier. And to prolong relief—rub VapoRub on throat, chest and back.

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| Fairly Uniform Shape | Yes |
| Evenly Browned Crust | Yes |
| Tender Crust | Yes |
| Tender, Creamy Color Crumb | Yes |
| Good Flavor | Yes |

"Yes" on every count when you bake the Clabber Girl way with Clabber Girl, the baking powder with balanced double action... Ask Mother, She Knows.

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National Income Expected To Be 40 Billions by 1959

NEW YORK.—A presidential economic adviser said national income should be increased 40 billion dollars a year in the next 10 years if we are to maintain a stable economy.

Leon H. Keyserling, vice-chairman of the President's Council of Economic Advisers, said such an expansion was needed to absorb the one to two million a year who would be seeking employment for the first time.

In an address to the convention of the national association of tobacco dealers, he said economic stability should mean "moving ahead—and should never mean standing still."

NOTICE OF ELECTION
THE STATE OF TEXAS :
COUNTY OF SHERMAN :

TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF ROAD DISTRICT NO. 3 OF SHERMAN COUNTY, TEXAS, WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID

DISTRICT AND WHO DULY RENDERED THE SAME FOR TAXATION:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in Road District No. 3 of Sherman County, Texas, on the 31 day of October, 1949, on the proposition and at the place more particularly set forth in the election order passed by the Commissioners' Court on the 29 day of September, 1949 which is as follows:

"AN ORDER CALLING AN ELECTION ON THE PROPOSITION OF ISSUING \$105,000.00 OF BONDS OF ROAD DISTRICT NO. 3 OF SHERMAN COUNTY, TEXAS.

WHEREAS, there has been presented to this Court the petition of Albert Zimmer and 38 other persons, representing themselves to be a majority of the resident, qualified electors of Road District No. 3 of Sherman County, Texas, who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, praying that this Court order an election in Road District No. 3 of Sherman County, Texas, to determine:

"Whether or not the bonds of said Road District No. 3 of Sher-

Veep Dedicates Huge Franklin Statue



SPRINGFIELD, ILL.—Alben W. Barkley, vice-president of the United States, dedicates a heroic bronze statue of Benjamin Franklin at a special ceremony in the courtyard of the Franklin Life Insurance company. Standing left to right: Chas. E. Becker, president of Franklin Life; Miss Ann Otway Byrd Castle, the great-great-great-great-granddaughter of Benjamin Franklin; Vice-President Barkley, and Adlai Stevenson, governor of Illinois. The celebration highlighted a 2-day meeting of more than 500 representatives of Franklin Life Insurance company at the home office here.

man County, Texas, shall be issued in an amount not to exceed \$105,000.00, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed Three and Three-fourths (3-3/4%) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and maturing at such time as may be fixed by the Commissioners' Court, serially or otherwise, in not to exceed Thirty (30) years from the date thereof, for the purpose of the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof throughout the Road District No. 3 of Sherman County, Texas; and whether or not taxes shall be levied annually on all taxable property in Road District No. 3 of Sherman County, Texas, sufficient to pay the annual interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the bonds at their maturity.

which said petition was heretofore filed in this Court; and WHEREAS, heretofore on the 12th day of September, 1949, the Commissioners' Court passed an order fixing a time and place for a hearing on said petition, to-wit: September 29, 1949, and directed the County Clerk to issue a notice of such time and place of hearing to inform all persons concerned of their right to appear at such hearing and to contend for or protest against the ordering of such election; and

WHEREAS, the County Clerk has heretofore duly executed said notice by posting true copies of said order of hearing in three public places within said Road District No. 3, and another copy thereof at the Courthouse door of said County for ten days prior to the date fixed for the hearing, and said notice has also been published in a newspaper of general circulation in said Road District No. 3, namely, "Stratford Star," one time, on the 22 day of September, 1949, which was at least five days prior to the date fixed for said hearing; and

WHEREAS, this Court, having met at the time and place set for the hearing of said petition, proceeded to hear such petition and all matters in respect to the proposed bond election, to hear the contentions for and protest against the calling of such election, and it is found by the Court that the said petition is signed by thirty nine legally qualified electors who own taxable property in Road District No. 3 of Sherman County, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, there being less than fifty such electors residing in said Road District, and that the notice required by law to be given of said hearing has been given; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the hearing held on said date and from the evidence submitted at said hearing, the Court has determined that the proposed improvements would be for the benefit of all taxable property situated in said Road District No. 3, and that it is desirable and necessary to issue the bonds of said Road District No. 3 in the amount of One Hundred Five Thousand (\$105,000.00) Dollars to construct said improvements, and that said election should be ordered; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners' Court further finds that the amount of said proposed bond issue, together with all outstanding bonds of the same nature heretofore issued on the faith and credit of Road District No. 3 of Sherman County, will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said District; and

WHEREAS, said Road District No. 3 of Sherman County, Texas, was heretofore created by order of the Commissioners' Court, duly entered on the 2nd day of September, 1949, which order is of record in the minutes of record in the minutes of the Commissioners' Court;

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF SHERMAN COUNTY, TEXAS:

1. That an election be held in said Sherman County Road District No. 3 on the 31 day of October, 1949, which is not less than thirty days from the date of this order, to determine:

"Whether or not the bonds of

held under the provisions of Chapter 3, Title 22 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas of 1925, as amended, including the provisions of Chapter 16, Acts of the First Called Session of the Thirty-Ninth Legislature, and only legally qualified electors of this State and of this County who own taxable property in the District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be qualified to vote.

3. The ballots for said election shall have written or printed thereon the following:

"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF ROAD BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF"

"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF ROAD BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF"

Each voter shall mark out with blank ink or black pencil one of the expressions, thus leaving the other as indicating his vote on the proposition.

4. The said election shall be held at Ruby School House, Stratford, Texas, within Road District No. 3 of Sherman County, and the following named persons are hereby appointed as officers of said election:

JOHN STEEL, Presiding Judge, Arthur Milton, Judge.

5. The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the General Laws of this State regulating general elections when not in conflict with the provisions of Chapter 16, Acts of the First Called Session of the 39th Legislature, hereinabove cited.

6. Notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this order in a newspaper having general circulation in Sherman County Road District No. 3 for three successive weeks before the date of said election.

And in addition thereto, there shall be posted copies of this order at three public places in said District, and one at the Courthouse door of the County for three consecutive weeks prior to said election.

7. The County Clerk is hereby ordered and directed to post said notices and to cause same to be published as hereinabove directed. Further orders by this Court are reserved until the returns of

said election executed by the duly authorized election officers are received by this Court.

PASSED AND APPROVED this the 29 day of September, 1949.

L. P. HUNTER, County Judge, Sherman County, Texas. ATTEST: LELAH BONEY, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk, Commissioners' Court, Sherman County, Texas. (pub. 10/6-13-20.)

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H. D. Council Meeting Held Friday Afternoon

Mrs. R. O. Dickson and Mrs. Baskin Brown, delegates to the State Meeting, gave interesting talks about their trip, at Council October 7. Each club was asked to plan one program for 1950, with the 4-H club girls participating.

Annual reports were given by the following: Mrs. Sekki Lavake, Mrs. Tommie Wakefield, Mrs.

Raymond Keener, Mrs. Luther Browder, Mrs. Roscoe Dyess, Mrs. Baskin Brown, Mrs. Meritt Sweny, Mrs. R. O. Dickson, and Miss Dorothy Dixon.

A special election was held after council adjourned to elect council officers for 1950.

They are as follows: Chairman, Mrs. Raymond Keener; Vice-Chairman, Mrs. Tommie Baskin; Secretary, Mrs. Tommie Wakefield; Treasurer, Mrs. Sekki Lavake.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Baskin Brown, Mrs. Meritt Sweny, Mrs. Raymond Keener, Mrs. Sekki Lavake, Mrs. Tommie Wakefield, Mrs. Luther Browder,

Mrs. Roscoe Dyess, Mrs. R. O. Dickson, and Miss Dorothy Dixon. The Council will have the next meeting November 4, at 1:45 P. M.

Mrs. Goule And Son Brought Home Tuesday

Mrs. Ernest Goule and son, Larry, were brought home Tuesday morning from Dumas Memorial Hospital where they have been patients since Friday.

Larry is recovering from an emergency appendicitis operation. His mother will be a bed patient for at least thirty days, for treatment of a fractured pelvis bone.

Larry became ill at school Friday morning. He was taken to Dumas Friday afternoon and underwent an operation at 6:15 that evening.

Mrs. Goule was involved in a traffic accident south of Stratford Friday night as she returned to their place of business while her husband remained in Dumas with Larry.

Pink Shirt Hottest Item In Men's Wear for Ages

LOUISVILLE, KY.—A pink shirt is about the hottest thing in men's wear since Adam retired behind a fig leaf, say the men's fashion designers.

So if you go home and your wife trots out a pink shirt with white collar and cuffs and a coin dot tie to wear with it, don't rush to the nearest exit to join up with the A.A.'s.

It's her pride in your appearance; and if you take equal pride in being among the best dressed swain this season, you'll show your appreciation of her gesture.

Moreover, you'll discover that you won't be able to hear that pink shirt all over town because of the shouts of all the other pinks and blues and yellows and orchids. Yes, you'll be right at home in it. For, said at least one manager of a men's wear shop here at home, those pastel shirt sales have made the sales of whites, etc., practically nil.

"Eighty per cent of the shirts we're selling now," he said, "are pastels. They buy 'em in pairs. First, they come in and get a pink one and an orchid one. They like 'em. So they come back for an aqua and a green one."

Other shops were hesitant to declare an 80 per cent business in pastel shirts; but they agreed that those loud numbers were by no means in the minority.

With the pastels go solid colored ties and ties with polka dots or coin dots.

Pilot Chops Through Floor To Fix Plane Landing Gear

BEDFORD, MASS.—An air force captain chopped through the cockpit floor of a training bomber to repair a disabled landing gear so the plane could land safely with only a few minutes' gasoline left.

His hands cut and bleeding, Capt. Francis G. McLaughlin hacked his way through the floor with an emergency ax, a screw driver and a hammer to reach the balky mechanism. He used his navigation books to wedge up the floor boards.

As McLaughlin worked against time to repair the faulty gear, Lt. J. E. Whitley circled the field repeatedly while shouting periodically the amount of gasoline remaining in the tank.

The plane's radio had gone dead just as the two fliers were bringing it over the field but the control tower was able to signal to them that their landing gear had not locked.

McLaughlin first tried to work the wheels into position with an auxiliary hand crank. When that failed he began chopping through the floor. When he had made a hole big enough to push his hands through, he pushed the landing clutch into position by using the ax handle as a lever.

Later, the fliers told base officials that when they brought the plane down they were not sure whether the wheels were locked. They knew only that they were down.

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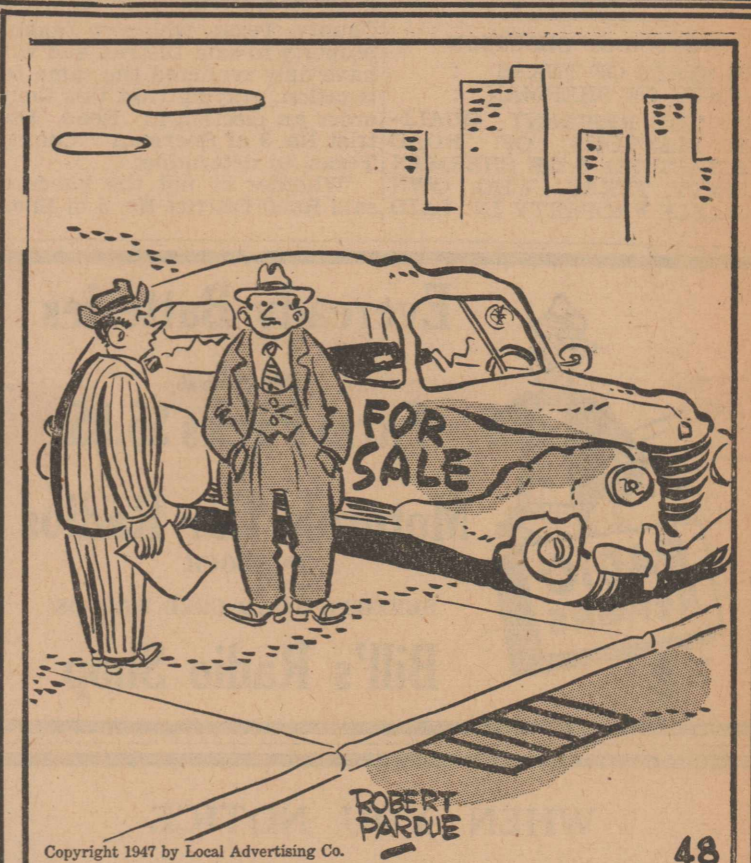
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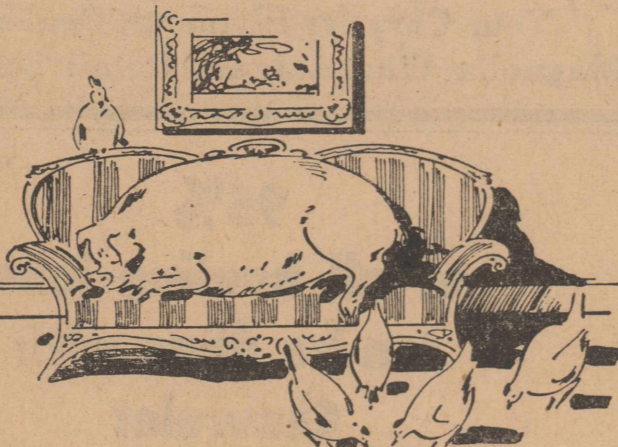
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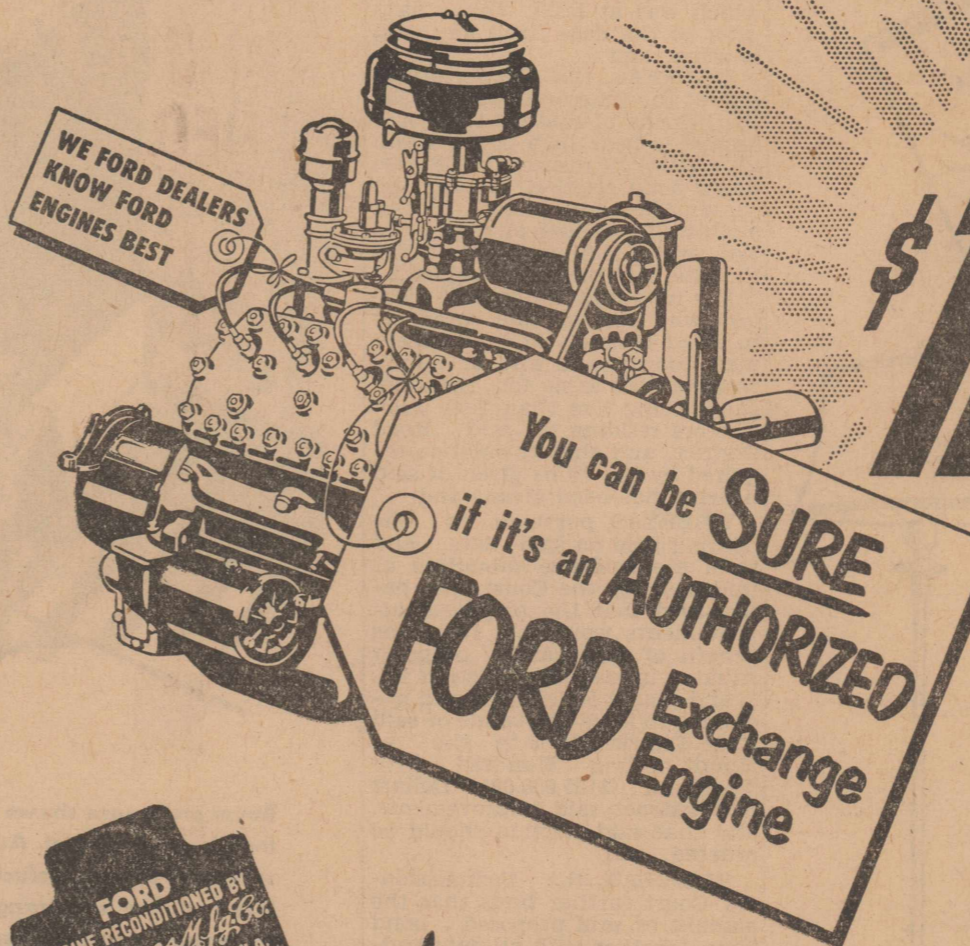
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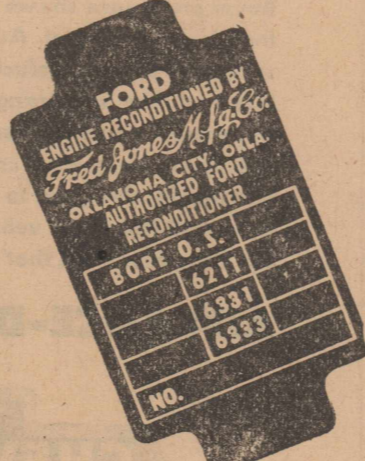
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SCRIPTURE: Isaiah 7; 12:2; 25:26. 30:1-17. DEVOTIONAL READING: Psalm 27.

Trust God Lesson for October 23, 1949

SHOOTING WARS and cold wars were going on. A great whirlpool of international intrigue was roaring around and around, and Judah was in the midst of everything. The star of the once-great empire of Egypt was setting, and the star of the new and powerful nation of Assyria was rising. Judah was only one of 20 or more little countries between those giants. Some of the little nations were trying to take advantage of the disturbed situation by getting up little empires of their own. All of them were scheming and scrambling for a place in the sun. Some were betting on Assyria, some on Egypt; no one knew just what to expect, but every one was afraid.

Cowardly King, Bold Prophet INTO ISIAH'S little country of Judah an invading army was marching, and the hearts of king and people trembled "like leaves in the wind." Little Judah was being invaded by a combination of two ambitious powers, Syria and Israel, either one larger and stronger than Judah. Isaiah had to go out and try to calm the mind of the King. It was of no use; it was clear that King Ahaz did not believe the prophet. But Isaiah was right nevertheless.

The foreign army that looked so big would not win the war. The alliance that looked so frightening did not last. It could not last, because God was against it. Military men and others too find such things hard to believe.

Is not God "on the side of the largest battalions"? Is not "Gith thar fustest with the mostest men" the one and only recipe for victory? Nevertheless, the prophet was right. In fact, whenever a prophet raised a banner inscribed, Trust in God, it was not likely to be at a time when things were going smoothly in the world. That banner most often appeared in times of trouble, of darkness and dismay, of wars and invasions.

Leagues Don't Always Last The situation had a different angle, later on. The Syria-Israel invasion collapsed, just as Isaiah said it would. But still the little nations jockeyed and maneuvered. It looked like a death-grapple between Assyria and Egypt, and every nation wanted to be on the winning side. So it was a great time of treaty-makings, of pacts and agreements and alliances.

Isaiah changed the form of his message to suit the changing times, but the core of it was still the same. To King Ahaz he had said: Don't be afraid of hostile alliances; trust in God. To King Hezekiah and others he said, in effect: Don't put all your hope in alliances; trust in God. Egypt will fail you, any alliance you form will melt away in time.

But God will not melt away. You can depend on him. Now in our time the situation is strikingly like what it was in Isaiah's day. People today are tempted to put their trust in what is big and imposing. Big nations, big armaments, big armies, big alliances.

Men once put their trust in the League of Nations, and it died of cowardice and dishonesty, among other things. Millions put their trust in the Axis, and for awhile it looked as if the Axis powers would overpread the earth. But the Axis vanished under the blows of the Allies.

Are All Alliances Bad? THIS does not mean that no alliance is good, or that no treaty can be relied on, or that the United Nations (for instance) is bound to collapse. What Isaiah is driving at is this: God has a Purpose to work out in this world, and the name of it is Justice, Righteousness, Peace, Love.

Any nation or combination of nations, any pact or agreement or program, that goes against God's purpose is going against the grain of things and is bound to fail. Pure "power politics" always looks impressive; but the question is: What is the power going to be used for?

If it is really for the benefit of mankind, God will bless it; but if it is selfish and unjust and against the peace of the world, it will fail, because the God of Justice has set his face against it.

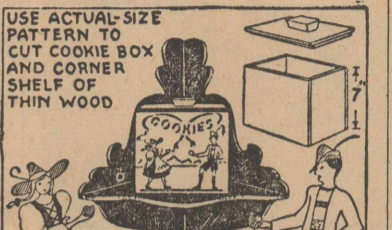
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FIRST AID to the AILING HOUSE by Roger C. Whitman

QUESTION: I have a dining room set with a lacquer finish. The top of the table is scratched. Could I just finish the top, or do I have to do the whole thing over?

ANSWER: If the finish is scratched all over, I believe you would get more satisfaction by doing a good job of refinishing the top in the right way, rather than varnishing over the scratches. You can take off the scratched lacquer with a small, portable electric sander, which can be either bought or rented in the larger cities.

QUESTION: I get the hot afternoon sun in my living-room and dinette. Is the old saying true—namely, that the sun will fade and ruin your furniture? I like the sunlight in the rooms and don't like to pull the shades down. Have you any suggestions on this problem?

ANSWER: If the fabrics are not

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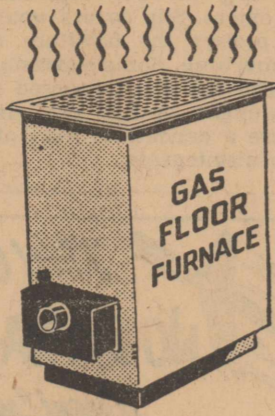
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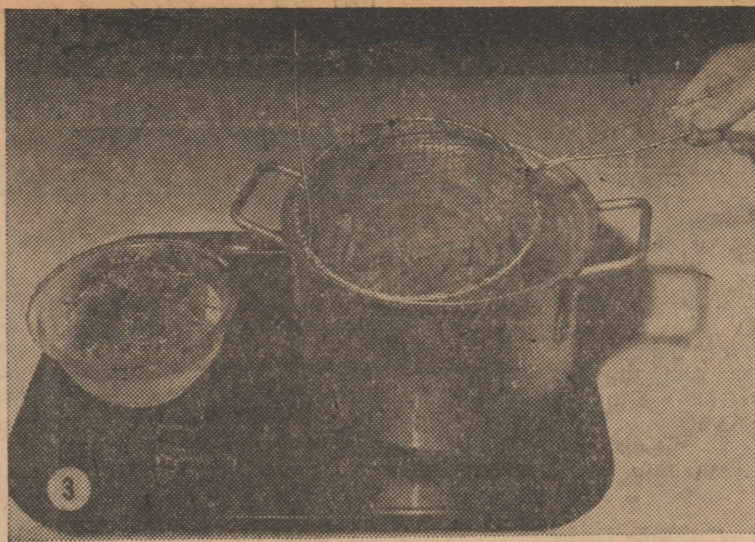
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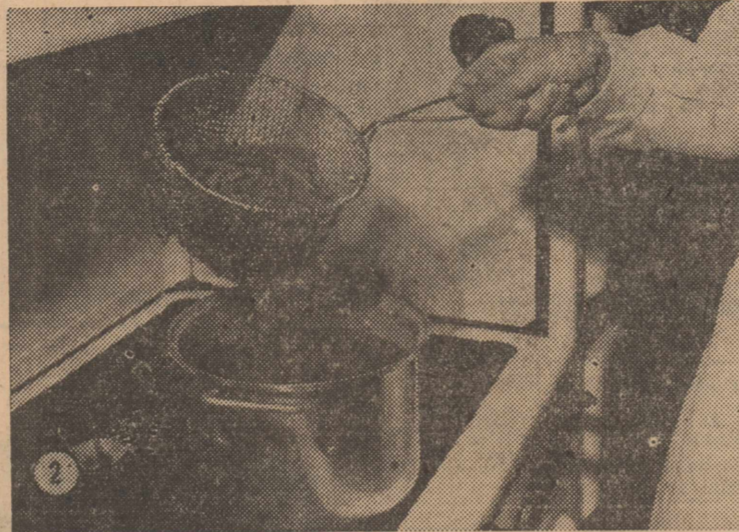
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Then cool the beans by dipping into ice water. Notice the beads of sweat on the chilled pan. This stops the cooking, crisps the beans.



Next they are blanched in boiling water. They should be boiled 1 minute if small, 1½ minutes if medium size, and 2 minutes if large.



They are now ready to be put in the container, and in this step they should be handled carefully. Plastic containers are fast gaining popularity.

Club Reporters Meeting In Dumas

"Good Reporters" was presented by Miss Frances Arnold assistant editor of the Extension Service, Texas A. & M. College, Tuesday in the Moore County Courthouse at Dumas. Dallam, Hansford, Moore, Hutchinson, Hartley, and Sherman counties were represented. Sherman County representatives were Miss Dorothy Dixon and Best Yet Club reporter, Mrs. J. R. Marshall, Jr.

District Agent Miss Doris Leggett, Home Demonstration Agents from each county and reporters from the clubs were present. One council member and one PTA reporter were also present.

Be prompt with all reports, Miss Arnold told the group.

Mrs. W. R. Rutherford, Moore County News, gave a brief outline to follow in writing a report. Be sure to tell what, when and where, Mrs. Rutherford said. "Old news is like warmed over toast."

The group made a tour of the Moore County News office in the afternoon and were served refreshments.

Benjamin Franklin was the 15th in a family of 17 children.

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This reward is a standing offer and shall be paid out of the general fund of the City of Stratford, Texas.

The fact that this reward has not been previously posted creates an emergency and the rules are hereby suspended and is hereby ordained by the City Council of the City of Stratford, Texas, shall be in force and effect on and after its publication.

Passed and approved this the 13th day of October 1949.

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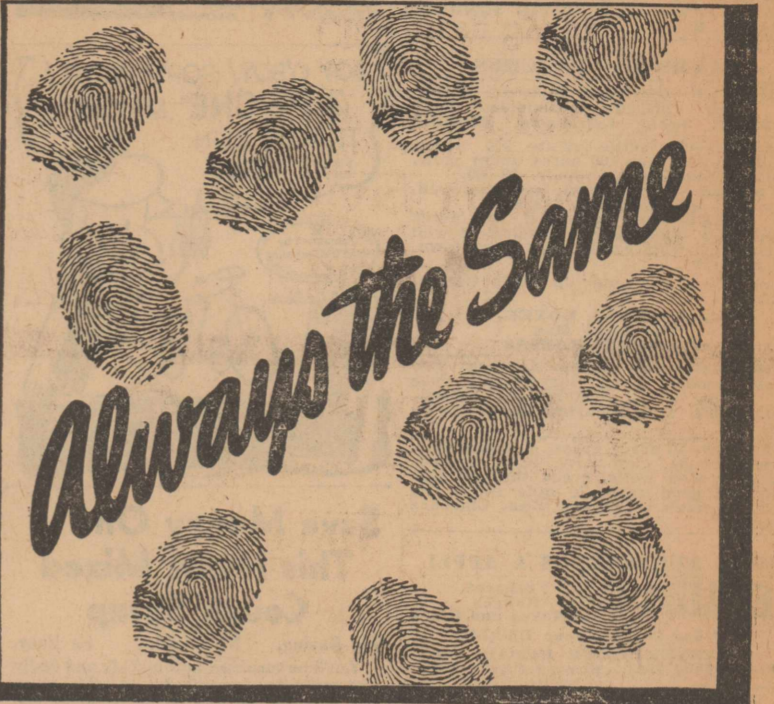
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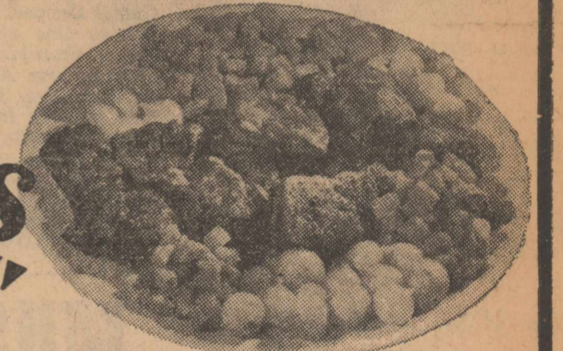
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