

C Of C To Send 4-H Club Girl To Round-Up

The Stratford Chamber of Commerce will pay the expenses of one 4-H club girl to the State 4-H Club Round-Up in College Station this summer. The decision was made Monday at a meeting of the organization in the private dining room of the Round-Up Grill in response to a request made by Miss Dorothy Dixon, County Home Demonstration Agent.

The date for the annual chamber of commerce banquet was changed to Thursday, June 8, to avoid conflict with other established meetings.

F. L. Yates, chairman of the arrangement committee, reported that ladies of the Methodist church would serve the banquet in fellowship hall.

Tickets for the banquet will go on sale Monday of next week.

Meeting Time Changed

As a means of making it possible for more business and professional men to attend the meetings of the organization, the time has been changed from noon to 7:30 P. M.

Don Tusha and Ernest Lovelace were appointed to conduct a membership drive.

Wheat Harvest May Start Soon In North Texas

On the basis of reports received, the wheat and small grain harvest should be well underway in North Central Texas on or about May 29. In general, weather conditions have been favorable throughout this area for the ripening of grain. There have been some reports of minor hail damage in isolated spots. Crop conditions on the North Plains have continued to decline and plowing up is still in progress. Some irrigated wheat and some fallowed wheat will be harvested on the South Plains, but it is evident that the bulk of the Texas wheat and small grain harvest will be in North Central Texas in and around Vernon, Wichita Falls, Haskell, Throckmorton and adjacent counties. The first loads of wheat have been reported at Olney, Haskell, and Electra.

Wilbarger, Hardeman and Ford Counties report approximately 267,000 acres of small grain to be harvested and an average yield is expected. Harvest should begin about May 25 and some out-of-area and out-of-state combines are already in this area and it appears sufficient combines will be available.

Wichita, Archer, Baylor and adjacent counties, with over half-a-million acres of small grain to be harvested, expect a near average yield. The harvest should be well under way by May 29, possibly a little earlier in some areas. This area reports that some out-of-state combines are coming in. It appears sufficient combines will be available for the harvest.

Denton, Cooke, and Wise Counties, with approximately 110,000 acres of small grain, expect 75 per cent of average yield. The harvest of oats will begin about May 25 and wheat on or about June 1. No outside assistance will be needed in this area.

Abilene reports that the recent rains have materially improved the wheat and small grain harvest in Jones, Shackelford, Taylor and Callahan Counties. The outlook is about normal for the grain still standing. The harvest should begin about June 1. No labor or equipment shortage is anticipated.

San Angelo and Sweetwater report that in the surrounding counties there has been little change in crop conditions since early May. The harvest is expected to start about June 1, and no additional men or machines will be needed.

Except for the irrigated and other spotted areas, there will be little harvest on the South Plains. The beginning dates of harvest in these areas vary from June 5 to June 19. A few out-of-area machines will probably be used due to the threat of hail.

The North Plains Counties report the continued deterioration of the wheat crop. The small harvest in this area should begin about June 20. It appears that ample men and machines will be available for this light harvest.

Madam Curie is the only person ever to receive the Nobel prize twice.

Mrs. Carter To Receive Degree

DES MOINES, Iowa. — Mrs. Sharlyn R. Carter, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. John W. Reaves, is one of the 700 persons who will receive degrees and certificates at commencement exercises at Drake University in Des Moines, Iowa, May 29.

Mrs. Carter will be granted a bachelor of music education degree by the college of fine arts.

A record number of students will receive degrees in the exercises at 9:30 A. M. at Drake Field House. President Henry C. Harmon of Drake will speak.

Palmer Buys Chisholm Business

Lamoine Palmer has purchased the Chisholm Service Station from A. J. Chisholm and took over management of the business Tuesday. The firm will be known as the Palmer Service Station.

Palmer is announcing his venture in business and inviting his friends to stop in for a visit.

Rev. Nichols Leaves For Conference

Rev. H. A. Nichols left Tuesday for the annual conference of the Northwest Texas Conference which convened at the First Methodist Church in Big Spring to continue through Sunday. The assignments of pastors to the churches for another year will be read by Bishop Martin Sunday afternoon. About 300 pastors will receive appointments.

Rev. Nichols has been pastor of the local church for four years. During this time approximately 150 new members have been received by the church. The L. M. Price orphanage fund has grown to \$27,000.00 the last three years. There is no indebtedness on any of the church property.

This year 50 persons were received into the membership of the church. Forty-two of this number came into the church by vows and baptism and eight by certificates of transfer.

Announce Approaching Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Gregory of Petersburg, Texas, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Belva Jo, to Roy Lee Malone, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Malone of Stratford.

The wedding will take place Sunday, May 28, at Petersburg.

Mr. Malone will graduate from West Texas State College this summer.

Alex Coats Brought Home From Hospital

Alex Coats was brought home this week from St. Anthony Hospital where he underwent surgery two weeks ago.

Colorado Wheat Growers Seek Texan's Advice

Kenneth Kendrick, secretary of the National Association of Wheat Growers, has been invited to appear on the program of the Colorado Grain Growers Development Association, which will meet in the Savoy Hotel in Denver June 9. Mr. Kendrick will present the plan of the Texas Wheat Growers to solve the surplus wheat problem. Colorado wheat growers are in the process of organizing a state unit of the National Association of Wheat Growers.

Delegates Attending Church Conference

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Moon are attending the Northwest Texas Conference of the Methodist Church at Big Spring this week. Mr. Moon is a delegate from the local church. Bob Burgess, reserve delegate, is also attending the conference.

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County Wide Picnic Held Saturday

The county wide picnic sponsored by Sherman County Home Demonstration club ladies was held Saturday evening with an estimated 150 people attending. A musical program was given by the Stratford High School Band under the direction of Dan Whitaker. Mrs. Alfred Pronger was chairman of the recreation committee.

Harrison Poultry Is Modernizing

M. H. Harrison is adding a killing room to his poultry dressing plant. Poultry will be killed and picked in one room. Dressing and spraying will be done in an adjoining room.

Vacation Bible School Opened Wednesday

The annual Vacation Bible School opened Wednesday morning at the Methodist Church with instructors for children of all ages. The school will continue through next week.

Joe P. Flores Wins Colorado Rodeo Money

Joe Pete Flores, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Flores, won fourth place in calf roping and fourth in the average of whole show in calf roping at the Colorado A. & M. rodeo held recently at Fort Collins, Colorado, where he is a student.

Flores participated in events at the rodeo at the University of Wyoming as a member of the Colorado A. & M. team. They won the championship and were presented with two permanent trophies.

A cash purse of \$2,300.00 was split among the winning cowboys at the intercollegiate rodeo at Colorado A. & M.

Douglas Propst, student manager, said ninety performers from the University of Wyoming, Kansas State and Colorado A. & M. entered. Wyoming was the defending champion.

In addition to the cash prizes a quarterhorse was given to the winner of the all-around cowboy title.

Naugle-Davis Marriage Read Saturday

Nuptial vows were solemnized Saturday for Patricia Ann Naugle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Naugle, and Curtis Neal Davis, son of Mrs. Ena Davis of Lamar, Colorado. The wedding was read by Rev. Herbert Brown of Clayton, New Mexico.

The young couple are at home at 209 North Street in Lamar, Colorado.

Specialist To Aid Year Book Committee

Miss Bonnie Cox, organization specialist from the Extension Service, A. & M. College, College Station, Texas, will work with the Yearbook Committee of the Sherman County Home Demonstration Clubs today. The meeting began at 2:30, and a program was developed for 1951.

Members of the Year Book Committee are: Mrs. Meritt Sweny, Mrs. R. O. Dickson, Mrs. Roscoe Dyess, and Mrs. Hoyt Gist of Texhoma. Also attending this meeting was Mrs. Raymond Keener, Council Chairman, and the County Home Demonstration Agent, Miss Dorothy Dixon.

Dumas Ensemble Entertains Lions Club

Stratford Lions were entertained by five students of the Dumas High School vocal department at their meeting in the Palace Cafe Monday night.

Kenneth Kendrick, program chairman, introduced Ralph Palmer, who in turn presented William Castleman, Clinton Gold, Bill McClung, Erschel Bird, Bill Wiseman and Mrs. De Witt White. Mrs. White furnished the piano accompaniment for the vocal ensemble. She is the head of the vocal music department in the Dumas School.

The boys sang several negro spirituals. Bill McClung played three piano solos.

W. O. Bryant, president of the club, opened the meeting. Walter Pendleton led the opening song with Mrs. Pendleton, club sweetheart, playing the piano.

The opening song was followed by the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Keith Glasgow introduced Conde Donelson as a guest of the club for the evening.

My Will

Of wealth and palaces
Have I none
But I shall leave a will
When I am gone.

I shall will and bequeath
To all mankind
The part of this beautiful earth
That was mine.

To those who are blind;
The song of a bird
The clasp of a hand
A babe's first word.

The wind and the rain
The clouds up above
The trill of a lark
The coo of a dove.

To those who are deaf;
The blue of the sky
The nod of a flower
As the wind passes by.

The waves of the ocean
Rivers that wind
The things that God gave me
Are all that are mine.
— A Stratfordite.

Bammes Injured Tuesday Afternoon

Alfred Bammes sustained a deep laceration of his left hand Tuesday afternoon in an accident that occurred while he was repairing a half-track. He secured medical treatment in Dumas.

School Asbestos Coating Almost Complete

An asbestos shingle coating of the exterior of the frame auxiliary school building is being completed this week. Jack Seig had the repair contract.

New Game Law Meeting Will Be June 1st

A joint meeting of Sherman and Hansford County land owners and sportsmen will be conducted in the district court room at the court house in Stratford June 1 at 8:00 P. M.

Jess Felts, Dalhart Game Warden, will be in charge of the business session. Under the 1950 regulations Panhandle sportsmen and land owners will be allowed to open and close their game seasons.

Long Island Ducks

A strange virus disease has struck a hard blow at the supply of those famed Long Island ducklings. At the beginning of the outbreak, ducklings died by the thousands, and practically every one of Long Island's 75 duck growers suffered losses. On most farms, birds died within an hour after showing the first signs of illness. Cornell university veterinarians came to the rescue with a specially prepared serum.

Stratford Seniors Vacation In Colorado

Stratford High School Seniors are visiting points of interest in and near Denver, Colorado this week. They expect to return home Friday. The vacation party left Monday for the mountains.

J. D. Billington Is Medical Patient

J. D. Billington is recovering in Dumas Memorial Hospital from a heart attack.

C. E. Harris Brought Home From Temple

Charles E. Harris was brought home Wednesday in the Wilson ambulance from Temple, Texas where he has been under medical care for several weeks.

Heart Disease Is number One Killer

AUSTIN. — Heart disease is the number one killer in Texas and last year there were 18,003 deaths from diseases of the heart, said Dr. George W. Cox, State Health Officer.

What kind of a heart have you? The periodic check-up with your physician will tell you. The Tuberculosis Survey in the state conducted by the Texas State Department of Health has brought to light many non-tuberculous abnormalities, some of these have been heart conditions.

The three present major forms of heart trouble are: rheumatic heart disease, high blood pressure and coronary heart disease. Rheumatic heart disease, the most common type of early life, occurs as a result of one or more attacks of rheumatic fever. It is a public health problem for which very little has been done, yet with early diagnosis and proper medical care during the acute and convalescent stages, children who develop rheumatic fever can be largely spared from rheumatic heart disease in later life.

Another major cause of heart trouble is high blood pressure or hypertension. This is the most common heart disease of middle age. There is a great deal that is not known about this disease, but we do know that it is most common in people who are overweight, and that it is associated with long, continuous nervous strain, high tension and constant worry. Treatment of high blood pressure is fairly successful in the majority of cases.

Coronary heart disease is a disease of the arteries which supply the heart muscle itself with blood. A majority of persons survive the first attack, and with good medical care, rest and common sense precautions, may even live a normal life span. Syphilitic heart disease can be prevented by early and adequate care of the systemic disease, a problem which has been simplified by the use of penicillin.

Research in the medical sciences is constantly improving the outlook for the cardiac patient, yet each individual must assume the responsibility for obtaining the benefits of this knowledge from his physician for himself and family.

1.10 Inch Rains Fall During Week-End

Rains falling Friday, Sunday and Monday brought 1.10 inches of rain to Stratford. Heavier rains were reported in localities over the trade-territory.

Fridays moisture reading was .46, Sunday .50, and Monday .14.

School Car Barn Structure Is Topped

Steel frame work for the new car barn for the school which is to also serve as a skating rink, was left in a twisted mass by the high winds accompanying the rain Friday night. One small wooden granary in the south part of Stratford was blown about 90 feet from its foundation.

The roof of the Methodist Church was damaged.

Ralph Harding, who is erecting the car barn, states the damage was covered by insurance. Completion of the building will be delayed for inspection of insurance representatives and arrival of new materials.

During the storm .46 of an inch of rain fell.

Mrs. Presley Injured In Wreck At Dallas

Mrs. Joel Presley, the former Lovita Cowdrey, was injured in a car wreck in Dallas Thursday of last week, according to reports received by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Spruell. Mrs. Presley's condition is not considered serious.

Summer Band School To Start On August 21st

Summer Band School will open August 21 Dan Whitaker announced this week. He and Mrs. Whitaker will spend their vacation in Kansas City. They plan to return to Stratford August 1 at which time he will start giving private lessons.

Stratford To Play Clayton Here Sunday

Stratford's City Baseball Club look forward to defending its envious winning reputation in a baseball game with Clayton, New Mexico to be played here Sunday. The game will start at 2:30 P. M.

Stratford won over the strong Grenville, New Mexico team in a game at Grenville Sunday by the score of 12 to 10.

More Visitors At Palo Duro State Park

Palo Duro State Park is off to what promises to be its greatest tourist season this summer. At sundown Sunday, May 14, the records showed 108,894 paid attendance for the fiscal year. This more than doubled any previous year. Attendance at the park since January 1 this year is 41,068 against 16,778 for the same period a year ago.

Inauguration of the annual Treasure Hunts and development of many special events including Easter Sunrise Services, Christmas Tree Canyon and special week-end programs have been responsible for much of the increased attendance. The filming of "The Sundowners," beautiful technicolor Western in the Canyon last year and its world premiere in this area, has also been of great help.

Goal of John Mc Carty, park manager and concessionaire, is a half-million people a year for the world's most colorful canyon. It is believed the constantly increasing use of the park plus many improvements in facilities there will make this possible within a few years. Contract for eight miles of hard surfaced road into the park is expected to be let soon by the Texas Highway Department. A swimming pool and enlargement of El Coronado Lodge are also on the agenda of improvements promised at an early date.

School, industrial and company picnics are now boosting attendance and a marked increase in tourist traffic to the Canyon has already been noted.

The 1950 Treasure Hunt opened on April 21 and will close on September 10. More than \$50,000 in prizes have been donated by merchants at Amarillo, Canyon, Hereford and Claude for this event.

Fire Destroys Knight Home At Conlen

A building at Conlen which housed the business and home of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Knight, Jr., and in which the Conlen Post Office was located, was destroyed by fire Saturday morning.

The blaze which apparently originated in the store was discovered by a passing truck driver at 1:00 A. M. Mr. and Mrs. Knight and their children escaped from the burning building with only a few pieces of clothing.

Stratford and Dalhart Fire Departments fought the blaze although they were hampered by a shortage of water.

High winds whipped the ruins into a blazing fire again Sunday afternoon. This fire was extinguished by Walter Pendleton, Doss Brewer, and Claude Fredric. They used the farm fire truck.

Mr. and Mrs. Knight continue to operate the Conlen Post Office in another building in Conlen.

Insurance covered only a small portion of the damage.

Increasing Need For Foundation

AUSTIN. — Rapid growth of the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation for Crippled children and an increasing need for its services were cited here following a meeting of the foundation's development committee to study plans for future progress.

The meeting was called by Hulon W. Black, chairman, who is director of the University of Texas development board, and was held at his offices at the University. Other members of the foundation's development committee are Max Starcke, general manager of the Lower Colorado River Authority at Austin; Lloyd Gregory, executive vice-president of the Houston Post; Charles E. Simons, general manager of the Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association, and Walter Buckner, San Marcos newspaper publisher.

The development and long-range planning committee was asked by the foundation's governing board to make an extensive study of the possibilities of establishing the first reconstructive hospital built upon physical medicine and rehabilitation in Texas, Black announced. The committee also was asked to secure the services of a competent hospital consultant to make a complete study of the organizational structure of the foundation, to recommend any changes or additions to carry on the treatment program at the hospital.

It was pointed out to the development committee that Texas has adequate facilities for orthopedic surgery in all of its centers, and that the treatment center at Gonzales in its present composition would provide the basis for an expanding treatment center in physical medicine that could be outstanding not only in Texas, but in the United States. At present, the foundation is devoting its facilities to physical medicine and rehabilitation, with a doctor of physical medicine in charge. Concentrated at Gonzales now are 10 physical therapists, three occupational therapists, plus nursing services, equipment and physical plant. More than 400 in-and-out patients were treated there during the past year.

Mr. Cavalier In Stratford Wednesday

Tall, handsome, and dressed in a costume representing one of the most romantic periods in history, Mr. Cavalier arrived here Wednesday. He headed a friendly force of several automobiles bearing banners heralding the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company's new mild King-size Cavalier cigarettes.

Following the parade, Mr. Cavalier dismounted from his unique musical car and mixed with the crowds in the shopping district. He dispensed complimentary Cavalier cigarettes to the curious among whom were many members of the fair sex who frankly admired the young gentleman.

Henry Wadsworth Longfellow is the only American whose bust is in Westminster Abbey in England.

Raid On Texas Narcotic Ring

GALVESTON. — Scores of Federal officers closed a trap on Gal-

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veston in the southwest's biggest raid in 12 years, but the "brain" of a smooth-working narcotics ring got away.

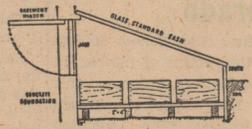
James Ryan, chief of the U. S. Narcotics Bureau for the southwest, did not identify the "brain" of the ring — a man who was presumably tipped in advance that the raid was coming.

Ryan said, "he was seen in a car driving away from Galveston."

Undercover agents whose sleuthing paved the way for the big raid reported that the ring in this island port city was doing land-office business as supplier

Early Tips For Anxious Gardeners

While winter winds are still howling around the door, enthusiastic gardeners can get a head start on Mother Nature, and insure garden-fresh mature crops ready for the table as much as a month earlier than usual. An easy-to-build basement window hotbed makes this possible, and saves money by allowing the home-growth of plants and sets, ordinarily bought from a nursery.



Hotbed Built Into Window on a wooden frame, backed up against a basement window. Seeds are planted in flats placed under the sash, and the open basement window (must be Southern exposure) provides cellar warmth.

Use of the right type of glass is important in the construction of the frames. Pennvernon glass is one of the best. It transmits sunlight evenly, abundantly and directly, making the hotbed more efficient. Crops that can be started in frames with fine results include: lettuce, cabbage, cauliflower, broccoli, tomatoes, peppers, egg plants, muskmelons, summer squashes, celery and cucumbers.

Here's another idea for the gardener who finds time hanging heavy while the ground is still snow or frost-bound. Prepare garden tools for the rigorous usage they'll get during the coming season. A good paint job protects them, and by using different, bright colors, makes them easy to locate against the brown and green of the earth and grass. From a safety angle that's important. It's surprising the number of twisted ankles and bruised shins that result from stumbling over dirt-camouflaged garden equipment.

Also, according to Hayes Quinn, noted color authority for Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company, science has proved that light colors have a tendency to make heavy loads seem lighter. It's worth a try, if a bright yellow wheelbarrow will take pounds off the payload.

These are just a few of the ways gardening can be made easier and safer through the use of



Color for Garden Tools paint. Others will be discovered as this practice is carried out.

nickle for a cup of coffee, and ended up in jail Friday.

The man was arrested on a downtown street as he wielded a hacksaw on the post of a parking meter. Police said the man had sawed halfway through the steel post.

The man explained: "I just wanted a cup of coffee."

Phillips To Build New Crude Carrier

Bartlesville, Okla. — Plans for a 10-inch crude-oil pipeline from Borger, Texas to Yale, Oklahoma have been announced by Phillips Petroleum Company. K. S. Adams, president, made the announcement.

The 281-mile line will transport West Texas and Panhandle crude to Phillips refineries at Kansas City, Kansas, and Okmulgee, Oklahoma.

It will fill in the gap between the existing 12-inch line from Odessa, Texas, to Borger, and the present 8-inch line from Yale to Kansas City.

Construction is not expected to start for several months. The Texas production will supplement the refinery's crude supply now

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Forty-one persons were detained for questioning, but only 11 were finally charged with illegal possession of narcotics.

Alvin Scharff, U. S. Customs Agent at Houston, led the raid-squads.

He said the day's work was "entirely satisfactory," but he declined to classify the narcotics grabbed or to say whether the quantity was sizeable.

It was known, however, that the raiders picked up both marijuana and heroin.

The raid was plotted after Houston vice officers were told by an informer that Galveston was a major fountainhead in the illicit traffic.

Machine Discloses Uncanny Faculties In Checking Plugs

FOSTORIA, OHIO. — Even employees who see it every day stop to watch a fascinating little machine in the Auto-Lite spark plug factory here.

With an uncanny ability that seems like magic, the machine whirls around endless numbers of seemingly identical spark plugs and unerringly and selectively rejects any that are not up to standard.

When production of the new resistor spark plug began, new testing as well as new production techniques were required.

One of the distinctive features of the resistor as compared with standard spark plug previously produced here is a built-in 10,000-ohm resistor. (An ohm is a measurement of electricity). It is necessary to test each of the millions of plugs produced to be sure resistance is really right, not too high and not too low. Several methods have been employed, but it wasn't until engineering genius produced this little electronic machine that testing was put on a high-speed, mass production basis.

The plugs to be tested are placed in recesses on one turntable. As this revolves, finger-like clamps on another turntable snatch off the plugs one by one and start them on another circular trip. Before a single revolution has been completed, the plug is tested and flipped off into one of three bins—one for plugs that test low, another for those that test high and the final one for those which test right. Those that don't conform are returned for correction.

The machine has something of the same fascination of a pinball machine or juke box. The rejects come so rarely that it is difficult to resist stopping to wait for the "odd" one to come up.

And just about the time the on-looker has decided the machine must be out of order and is passing all the plugs, one is finally flipped off into an "out" bin.

Illumination

Too Little, Too Short

NEW YORK. — An air force B-17 appeared over Manhattan in an experimental photographic flight and dropped several scores of cartridges that made brief flashes in the sky.

The air force reported before the experiment started that a series of brilliant flashes would ring the skies, but the lights were a big disappointment to the spectators. They were low and of brief duration.

The flight was made to test a new night illuminating device developed by the air force. The flashes, it was reported, were to give light estimated at 50 million candlepower, while camera men in the plane took pictures.

From the roof tops of Manhattan it appeared as if a red ball dropped from the plane, followed shortly by the brief flash and several seconds later by a not too loud explosion.

He Didn't Use The Old Bean

FORT WORTH. — A 47-year old Fort Worth man went to a lot of trouble in his effort to get a

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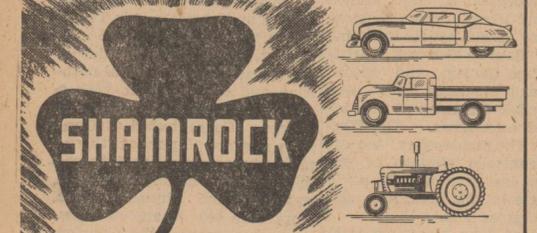
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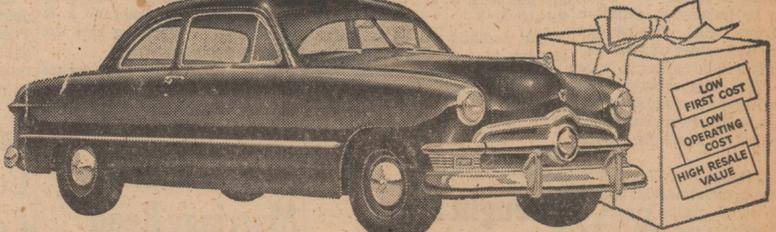
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8th Graders Receive Diplomas

Stratford Eight Graders received their diplomas at graduation exercises conducted in the school auditorium Friday night.

Mrs. Martha Harrison played the processional. The invocation was given by Jimmie Davis. Miss Lelah Price gave the salutatory address. Billy Lovelace read the class prophecy. Miss Frances Norris played a piano solo. The valedictory address was given by Miss Marjory Mathews. Miss Rita Joyce Neal read the class will. Superintendent C. D. Holmes presented the diplomas. Bob Garoutte pronounced the benediction. Mrs. Martha Harrison played the processional.

Members of the class are: Miss Marjory Mathews, Miss Lelah Price, Jack Adams, Jimmy Davis, Manuel Garcia, Tommy Oakley, Benny Biddy, Miss Helen Finch, Stanley Folsom, Miss Carol Ann Parvin, Dickie Bachman, Miss Frances Norris, Ralph Atchley, John Harrison, Albert Fuentes, Miss Lynne Reader, Miss Adabelle Knight, Miss Florine Sanders, Miss Rita Joyce Neal, Donald Weller, Bob Garoutte, Miss Sherry Hardwick, Miss Jo Wayne Harding, Billy Johnson, B. A. Donelson, Miss Cynthia Gamble, Miss Shirley Finch and Billy Lovelace.

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JOHANNESBURG, South Africa.—A gold-prospecting company announced a strike in the Orange Free State which it said yielded one assay of 529 ounces of gold to the ton of ore.

The strike was called the richest in the South African history.

Monetary gold sells at \$35 a fine ounce. If the strike stood up to the assay report, production might be at a rate of more than \$18,000 a ton.

The company is the Free State Areas, Ltd., which was formed in 1947. It said the discovery was made on Farm Erfdeel, 12 miles southeast of Odendaals-Rust. The company owns the farm.

The stock market responded with frenzied dealings in the two million dollars or more shares of Free State Areas.

The strike was reported more than twice as rich as a find on Farm Geduld in 1946, which sent the whole stock exchange rocketing.

Beneficiary to Get \$20,000 If "S" Left off His Name

LEXINGTON, KY.—Mrs. Mary Elkin Moritz, left \$1 to her only heir, a niece, and said in her will the residue of a \$20,000 estate should go to a cousin if he spells his name as directed.

Leaving small gifts to several individuals and providing that \$3,000 be paid to the Lexington cemetery for periodic refreshing of her grave, her will, probated today, called for the residue to go to the cousin, Roy T. Elkin, Bowling Green.

The conditions under which the cousin is to receive the money was listed as:

"Provided from this day on he does not add the 'S' onto his name (as Elkins). His father started this foolishness years ago, much to the disgust of the Elkin family. Roy is not to blame, but I have no relations by the name of Elkins. Roy can take his choice, not only for himself, but for his two cute boys. 'If anyone ever sees or hears Roy Elkin add the 'S' this person is to get \$1,000 and the estate is to be sold and the money given to some hospital to help make comfortable some old man or woman to the memory of my father and mother."

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Raising Chick in Bottle Ruled as Not Being Cruel

TRENTON, N. J.—A feed salesman had not resorted to "abuse or unnecessary cruelty" when he raised a chicken in a five-gallon bottle, a New Jersey court has ruled.

Judge John C. Giordano was upheld in his opinion which reversed the conviction of George R. Richardson, of Pennington, N. J., in a township court. A fine of \$25 for alleged cruelty to animals was remitted.

Richardson had raised the chicken in the bottle to demonstrate the nutritional value of the feed he sold.

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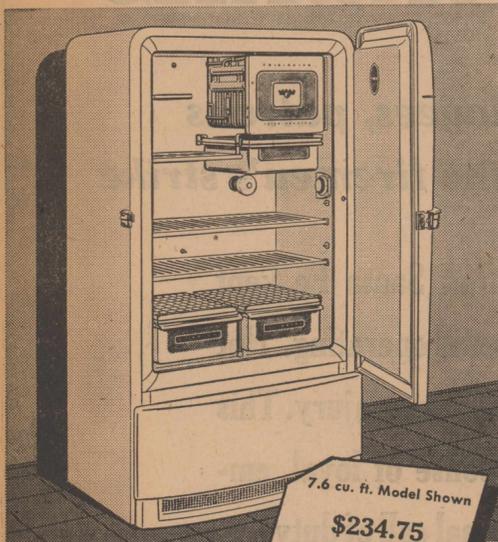
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Engineers Trying To Get More Miles From Gasoline Fuel

FRENCH LICK, IND.—Engineers still are trying to squeeze more miles out of gasoline.

Right now, they say, the average motorist gets only from 28 to 30 per cent of the potential power out of motor fuel.

Experts attending the summer meeting of the Society of Automotive Engineers here say the problem is complicated by the fact the automobile requires better fuel to get going than it does to keep going.

Dual fuel systems already are being used in some vehicles to reduce wasteful feeding of high grade fuel to the engine when it isn't needed. The engineers say these systems have been successful but they are seeking to further simplify the problem.

Last night the engineers heard an assertion that interplanetary travel could become an established fact within the next two decades. Dr. Gerald Wendt, editorial director of Science Illustrated, in making the statement, urged the engineers to become "more space minded."

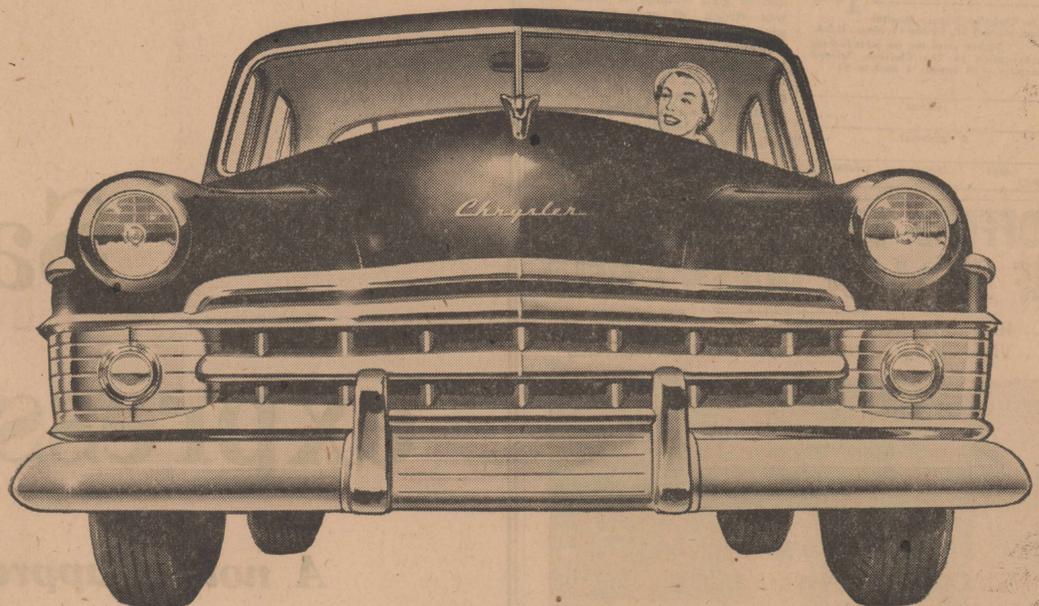
Dr. Wendt said that already accomplished in the direction of interplanetary travel were development of the gas turbine; jet planes; rocket-assisted planes; rocket missiles and high altitude rockets.

On the verge of accomplishment, he said, were space missiles. Possible in 20 years, he added, is development of the "island in space, or man-made moon." Interplanetary travel would follow, he said.

On today's formal program were several papers on lubrication and round table discussions of the same subject along with idea exchanges on personal airplane engines and problems in metal grinding.

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Dr. Falwell Commencement Speaker

Dr. R. H. Falwell, Jr., head of Religious Education at Wayland College in Plainview, Texas, delivered the commencement address to the Seniors of 1950 at the commencement program held in the school auditorium Thursday night of last week.

Mrs. Martha Harrison played the processional. Rev. John Reaves gave the invocation. The salutatory address was given by Keith Green. Superintendent Holmes introduced the speaker. Dr. R. H. Falwell, Jr., delivered

the commencement address. Miss Kathryn Newman gave the valedictory address.

R. W. Stewart, high school principal, presented the awards. Superintendent C. D. Holmes presented the diplomas. Rev. H. A. Nichols pronounced the benediction. Mrs. Martha Harrison played the recessional.

Seniors of 1950 were Miss Marjorie Boney, Miss Eula Faye Lowe, Billy Boren, Billy Malone, Joe Crabtree, Miss Dale McWilliams, Jackie Davis, Miss Kathryn Newman, Miss Wendolyn Flores, Miss Corrine Pleyer, Billy Gore, Jack Reed, Keith Green, Miss Jenelle Reynolds, Robert Hurst, Claude Sloan, Jr., James Ledbetter, Miss Catherine Williams, and Miss June Worley.

NOTHING TO IT Disk Jockey Is Tunsmith

HOLLYWOOD.—Steve Allen, a midnight disc jockey who says any jerk can write that stuff you hear on the air nowadays, batted out his 350th song in a week to prove his point—and make a date to collect \$1,000 from crooner Frankie Laine.

Laine had said it couldn't be done. He had a higher opinion of song writers than Allen, who spends 55 minutes of his hour-long show not playing records.

"That high opinion's gonna cost him a grand," Allen beamed. "In seven days I have written 350 songs—at the rate of 50 a day—and it was a cinch."

It's also, he admits, a "mop of slop," musically speaking. Out of

the 350 tunes he tinkled out by ear (he can't read notes) maybe 40 or 50 good ones popped up.

"Anyone Could Do It" Allen insists. "Anybody could do it. It's just a matter of mathematics. You take three or four notes, add a lot of chord structures and melodic progressions—and boom, you've got a song."

"That's what I told Frankie last week. He wouldn't believe me. We got into an argument—and when the smoke cleared away I had myself a \$1,000 bet."

Laine let him off easy. He said he would settle for 350 tunes. Allen didn't have to scribble any lyrics to go with them. But he maintains he could have done that too.

"It would have taken more than an hour a day, though," he said. "That's all I spent on my 50-a-day quota. Just turned on the tape recorder, sat down at the piano, and plinked away."

Worked in Record Shop

He did most of his plinking in a record shop at Hollywood and Vine, much to the horror of a gang of painters who are retinting the building. All those gawking crowds made 'em nervous.

Allen doesn't think he has accomplished anything very special—outside of winding up \$1,000 richer. The tough part of this song-writing racket he says, is peddling the stuff once you get it down on paper.

"I get letters from people all over the country begging me to plug their songs," he explained. "And I'm brutally frank with 'em. I write back it's impossible to sell a song unless you're in New York or Hollywood where the publishers are."

"Even then there's a trick to it. You have to heckle 'em night and day. You have to know people—recording big shots, singers, orchestra leaders."

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LEEDS, England.—For 27 hours, 2-year old Janet Wheelwright was the liveliest kid in town.

She couldn't go to sleep. Throughout the night she sang, danced and chattered. She played with every toy in the house. She built towering castles with her books. And still the sandman stayed away.

Exhausted, her mother took her to a doctor. Janet skipped and hopped the two miles. A sedative put her to sleep.

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From 1792 until the end of December, 1949, Uncle Sam minted more than seven billion in gold, silver and minor coinage, with a total of 319,502,294 pounds.

The first coins in the United States mint were struck on October 9, 1792, in the presence of George and Martha Washington, the Alexander Hamiltons and Thomas Jefferson.

The first coins were less than a half-inch in diameter and each was known as a "half a dime." One side showed a woman, symbolic of Liberty and probably a likeness of Martha Washington. On the other side was an eagle on wing with the legend "Uni. States of America."

The presses and steel dies had arrived from France shortly before. At first there was a considerable silver shortage which necessitated General Washington's contribution of \$100 worth of silver plate from Mount Vernon. The plate was then melted into bars, rolled out into thin strips and cut into blank discs.

More than four and one-half billion in gold coinage or 8,342 tons was struck off until May, 1933, when the last gold coin was minted. However, over two billion dollars in silver coinage and about 399 million dollars in nickels and copper cents have left United States mints at the end of 1949.

All told, 31,141,348,843 pieces with a total value of \$7,131,813,414.41 in U.S. coinage has been struck off in the past 157 years.

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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. A. Thompson, 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.

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

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.

METHODIST CHURCH
(Rev. H. A. Nichols, Pastor)
Church School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 10:55 A. M.
Evening Services 7:30 P. M.
Junior. Intermediate and Senior M. Y. F. to begin at 6:00 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.

Compound E Latest Find

ROCHESTER, MINN.—One of the most dramatic and significant chapters in the history of medical science is being written by doctors of the Mayo Clinic here.

They have had astounding success in halting rheumatoid arthritis with a drug called Compound E.

Their work so far must be classed as experimental because the extreme scarcity of the drug has enabled them to use it on only a small number of patients. The drug will not be available for probably a year and a half.

When the last formal report was made on Compound E about a month ago, the Mayo doctors had been able to use it on only 16 patients.

No Failure

But the thing that focused the attention of the medical world and millions of arthritics on Compound E was that there were no failures in any of the 16 cases.

A clinic report, couched in cautious language, said, "In every instance the stiffness of muscles and joints has relaxed markedly, pain and tenderness have lessened, and use of both joints and muscles has been significantly facilitated."

The results in the time since the report was made have been the same.

If the striking promise of this drug is fulfilled it will be one of the greatest of all medical discoveries, ranking with penicillin, the sulfa drugs, insulin, and to go back farther, smallpox vaccination. Experience today with Compound E is that it will halt arthritis, but will not repair the damage that it already has done to the body.

Likened to Stream

Compound E has been likened to a stream of water playing on a burning house. It will put out the fire, but it won't fix the damage already done to the house.

Rheumatoid arthritis, the form of arthritis in which the Mayo doctors' work has so far centered, is the most crippling disease known to mankind.

The number of persons now suffering from arthritis in the United States has been estimated as high as seven million.

Although it is probably the oldest known disease—evidences of it have been found in mummies—neither a cure nor even a satisfactory treatment for its pain has been found.

Luxuries Held Sapping Strength of U.S. Youth

GRANVILLE, OHIO.—Luxuries and labor-saving devices are sapping the strength of American youth, an authority on physical education has declared.

Thomas J. Hamilton, director of physical education at the University of Pittsburgh, advocated that colleges and high schools give more attention to "toughening" youngsters.

Hamilton, also former football coach at the United States naval academy, spoke at Denison university as ground was broken for a new physical education and community center.

"Every day," he said, "we add more luxuries and labor-saving devices to our American life, and the result is that less and less is being demanded physically of all of us."

"It is practically impossible for the average boy of these days to get the hardening exercise from the work or charges that used to be required from every lad. Our present-day civilization offers little of the toughening and soul-testing experiences that tempered the steel of our pioneer ancestors' characters."

Hamilton pointed out that in the early stages of World War II, until examiners eased up, 46 per cent of the draftees were rejected for physical unfitness. This was the same rate experienced in World War I, he added.

He remarked that since the war he could see little improvement in the physical education system, and added it was evident that "again America has missed the boat."

William Tell was a Swiss patriot who lived in the 14th century.

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Alma Lee's Beauty Shop

Niagara Falls
Before the land surrounding Niagara Falls was made a state park in 1883, every possible view of the spectacle was controlled by private interests. Side shows—featuring tattoo artists, animal freaks, fortune tellers, fat ladies and other "come-on" attractions—lined the sides of the river. The prohibition era produced another strange chapter, with the entire Niagara river a hot spot for rum-running and hijacking activity. Violence was not infrequent, and the innocent sight-seer found it safer not to stroll in the vicinity of the fall after night.



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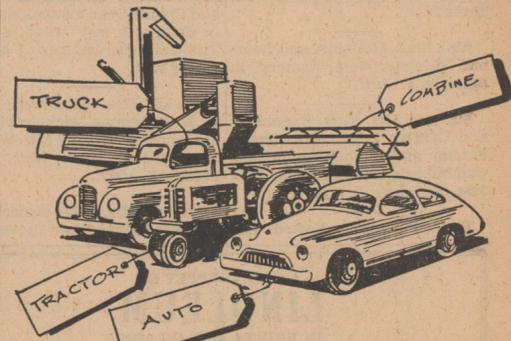
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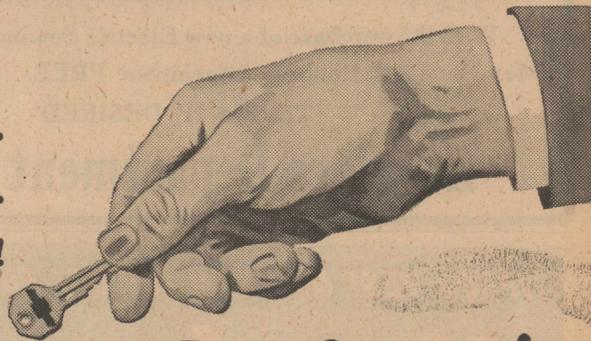


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Local News

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Albert and Raymond, Lubbock, visited their son, Richard Albert and family, and Mrs. H. M. Brown Sunday and Monday. Russell Albert, who has been attending school here, returned home with his parents.

Mrs. Elma McDaniel and Rommie Feemster were visitors in Amarillo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Cummings and Cynthia Dell had as guests Sunday and Sunday night, Mrs. Cummings' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Sammons, Borger.

Rene Gunzelman visited with

friends in Amarillo Sunday.

Mrs. Art Ross and daughter, Jean Anne, and Mrs. Lorraine Mehner and her little daughter, Ann Frances, were Dumas visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Clay and children Gwendolyn, Janice and Claude Dean visited relatives in Shamrock last week end. The children remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ozie Green and M. E. Spearman, were guests in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Bill French Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gunzelman and Rene Gunzelman drove to

Teoli, Kansas Wednesday of last week to look after farming interests.

Mrs. J. K. Richardson, Mrs. C. R. Foster, Mrs. J. W. Elliott, Mrs. H. M. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Moon, and Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Nichols were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Blanck for a fish dinner Sunday.

Mrs. Chester Guthrie, Mrs. Greg Van Beber and son, Johnny, visited friends in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Diehl and Dick, Jr., and Howard Gibbons were visitors in Boise City Monday.

Mrs. Art Ross, Mrs. Charles Simons, and Mrs. Duard Lamb were Dumas visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Flo Sterling, Amarillo was a week-end guest in the home of her brother, M. R. Robinson and family.

Mrs. Lena B. Keenan returned home Monday night from a visit with her brother in Haskell.

Mrs. R. O. Dickson and daughter are visitors in Amarillo this week.

W. W. Davis, Jimmy Davis and L. M. Price left Tuesday for a fishing trip at Conchas Dam, New Mexico.

Miss Louise Green spent the week-end with her parents in Hereford, Texas.

Audrey Cooper, Big Spring, Texas, visited in the home of his mother, Mrs. H. J. Cooper, Sunday and Monday.

John Lyons missed the last week of school, having been ill at the home of his parents with strep throat and measles.

H. B. Norris and Alfred Bammes made a business trip to Houston, Texas over the week-end.

Mrs. Vallie Hall and Bryan Hall of Amarillo were week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sears.

James East, Calhoun, Missouri, is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rex French.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McWilliams over the week-end were: Miss Erlene Lowery, Mrs. Marcile Winningham of Amarillo, and Cpl. Marshall Jackson of Strong City, Oklahoma. Cpl. Jackson is home on furlough after 3 years in Japan.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Gunzelman were visitors in Dumas Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dupue and little daughter and Mrs. Lee Worley and children were visitors in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill French and Sandy left Monday night for a visit with his mother in Columbia, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Taylor and children, her mother, Mrs. Winn, and Mrs. G. L. Taylor visited Mrs. Esma Gilbert in Loretto Hospital in Dalhart Tuesday. Mrs. Gilbert is doing as well as can be expected.

W. N. Price and daughters, Misses Lelah and Jeanne Price, and Mrs. L. M. Price were Amarillo visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McDaniel were visitors in Dalhart Sunday.

Political

Announcements

For County Judge and Ex-Officio Superintendent of Schools:

H. C. (Hank) SHERROD
BOB FERGUSON.

For Sheriff, Assessor and Tax Collector:

A. L. (Doc) WILSON
J. B. STUBLEFIELD,
EDD C. GAROUTTE.

For County and District Clerk:

MRS. LELAH BONEY

For County Commissioner; Precinct 1:

ROSCOE DYESS
ARTHUR MILTON.

For County Commissioner; Precinct No. 4:

E. E. HAMILTON.
S. J. LAVAKE.

For County Treasurer:

JOHN KNIGHT.
C. F. (Shorty) Meinhardt.

For Justice of the Peace; Precinct 4:

BURK GREEN

For District Attorney, 69th Judicial District:

FLOYD H. RICHARDS.

where she received medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Greg Van Beber and baby son, Johnny, of Sweetwater, arrived Friday for a visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Guthrie. Mr. Van Beber returned home Sunday, leaving Mrs. Van Beber and Johnny to return with Mr. and Mrs. Guthrie Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Guthrie are enroute to Dallas, where they will visit relatives over the week end. Mrs. Leon Guthrie and two daughters, Alice and Charlotte, who have been visiting her parents in Dallas the past week will return home with them.

Patricia Kay Dupue underwent an operation in Guymon Wednesday for removal of her tonsils.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Grimes visited relatives in Pampa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Willey took Mrs. Eugene McDaniel to Dalhart Monday and Tuesday for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lollis, Hot Springs, New Mexico visited in the Dick Diehl home last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Denney were visitors at Lake Weatherly Sunday.

Mrs. H. J. Cooper returned home Saturday from a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Kendall in Dalhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Simons were visitors in Clayton, New Mexico Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Cameron and Retah Evelyn flew to Los Angeles, California Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Willey and children spent the week-end visiting in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Willey in Hugo, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gunzelman have returned home from their visit in El Paso, Texas. While in El Paso they were guests in the Hilton Hotel.

Arthur Ross and W. F. Wiginton visited Joe Billington in Dumas Memorial Hospital Monday.

Bill Green, Amarillo, spent the week-end here with his son, Johnny Bill Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Doby left Sunday to attend the graduation of their daughter, Miss Shela Doby, from Intermont College at Bristol, Virginia.

Mrs. E. J. Massie and son visited S. L. Massie at Straight, Oklahoma Sunday.

Patricia Kay Dupue has been taking treatment in Guymon this week for a throat infection.

B. I. Crutchfield visited his wife in St. Anthony Hospital Monday. She has hopes of being able to return home within 10 or 15 days.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Williams returned home Saturday evening from a visit in La Platte, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Broyles are visiting with relatives in Wichita Falls this week.

J. B. Willey, E. W. Butler, and

Phillip Blanck were among those fishing in New Mexico last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lavake and Mary Lou drove to Clayton, New Mexico Sunday to take home Mrs. Lavake's father, Henry Beauchamp.

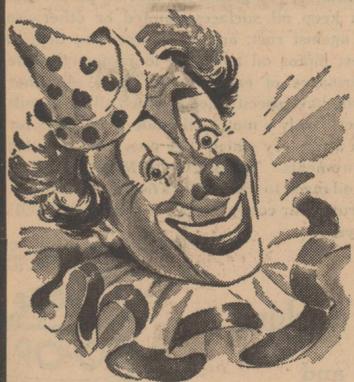
Mike Burgess and L. H. Mc-

Daniel spent the week-end fishing at Conchas Dam, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bennett and children left Sunday for a visit in Hot Springs, New Mexico.

Alexander the Great was born in Macedonia, died in Babylon, and was buried in Egypt.

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Local News

Mrs. I. N. Skidmore and son Lindsay left Tuesday to join Mr. Skidmore in Kansas City where he has been employed for some time. Mr. and Mrs. Skidmore will move their household goods soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Nichols and a niece, Mrs. Seaman of Dallas, were guests in the homes of the Lee families Sunday.

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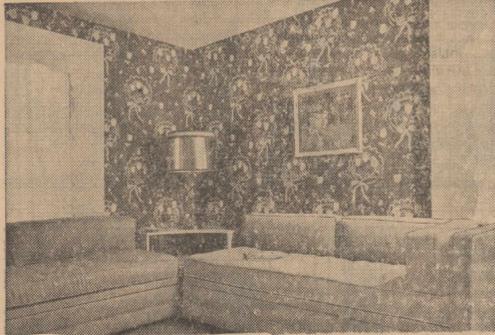
Pfc. Loyd Kirk McWilliams, having finished his basic training at Lackland Air Force Base at San Antonio, Texas, is enjoying a ten day furlough visiting his parents and friends. He is on his way to an air base at Kessler, Mississippi where he will study radar operation.

Mrs. J. B. Willey visited relatives and friends in Perryton Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Denney visited friends in Guymon Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates attended a wedding anniversary dinner given at the country club in Oklahoma City Sunday by Mrs. Trimble Latting. The dinner was given in honor of Mr.

Wall Paper — The Magic Touch



Chicago Tribune Prize Homes Photo

Wall paper provides a striking background in this dual purpose room. By day it is an attractive living room. After dark it provides ample sleeping quarters for unexpected guests. This same arrangement can be applied to a bedroom, den, or a one-room apartment. In contrast to the monotone tailored couches, a bold patterned paper with one of the new dark ground colors, adds spark and variety. Whatever the setting, there are many exciting wall papers that will show it off to advantage. April is Wall Paper Style Month, so get on the bandwagon and select the paper of your choice.

and Mrs. Frank Sewell who were celebrating their 40th wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Diehl and Dick, Jr., attended the livestock auction in Dalhart Friday.

Mrs. W. R. Attaway, Shamrock, has returned home after spending a week visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bradford Clay and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Cummings were business visitors in Dalhart Monday.

C. W. Depue and Leslie Dodson were business visitors in Perryton Tuesday.

Uranium Ore in Mexico Doesn't Worry U.S. Chiefs

WASHINGTON.—Brien McMahon, chairman of the joint congressional atomic energy committee has said he finds nothing alarming in reports that 220 grams of uranium turned up in Mexico City.

The Connecticut Democrat said a preliminary FBI investigation indicated the find consisted of raw uranium, rather than the ultra-refined uranium that is used to make U-235, the atomic bomb ingredient.

But McMahon said he intends to wait for a more detailed FBI report before considering the case closed.

Mexico City dispatches said the uranium was found in the possession of a Mexican detained on a routine matter by police last January. They said the 220 grams were enclosed in a tiny cylinder about two and one-half inches long and an inch in diameter.

Subsequent scientific tests showed the cylinder's contents to be of a type not obtainable in Mexico. This led Mexican authorities to believe that the uranium was stolen from some U. S. atomic laboratory.

Former Congressman Wins "Pound of Flesh" Battle

DETROIT.—Former Congressman Harold Youngblood was the winner in a court suit involving one and one-half ounces of fat.

Youngblood told ordinance referee Oscar Ripapelle that he bought 1 1/2 ounces of steak at a store.

He said that when he weighed the steak at home it came to only 16 ounces. The former lawmaker contended this constituted an overcharge of seven cents.

A store official held out a piece of fat toward the referee and explained it had fallen off the steak when the package was wrapped.

However, Ripapelle ruled that Youngblood's "beef" was the legitimate one and fined the store \$50.

Robert Fulton was a portrait painter before he became an inventor.

CHICKEN DINNERS



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Man Retires at Age 35 To Spend Life at Sea

CHICAGO.—A man who learned to love the water when he paddled a canoe as a boy will be seeing a good part of the ocean blue from now on.

Stanley A. Dashew, of Grand Rapids, Mich., has retired at 35 with a wife, two children, and a 76-foot two-masted schooner.

The family plan to set sail on a cruise that will carry them from Lake Michigan to the St. Lawrence river, the Atlantic Ocean, the Gulf of Mexico, the Orinoco river in South America, the Panama Canal, the Pacific and the Gulf of California.

Dashew was born in New York. When he got out of school, he went to work as an office machine salesman. He became branch manager for western Michigan. Between times, he wrote articles for national publications on yachting and safety at sea.

Meanwhile he and his wife acquired one sailing vessel after another of various sizes and covered many of the inland waters of the nation.

Finally, Dashew decided to retire. He bought a schooner, the Constellation last year after the coast guard had finished training officers aboard it. The Dashews sailed it to Lake Michigan, where it was stripped and refitted.

Marine Colonel Still Has Two Jap Bullets in Back

EL TORO, CALIF.—Marine Lieutenant Colonel Herbert C. Freuler, executive officer of marine air group 12, learned recently that he has been carrying two 7.7mm Japanese machine gun bullets in his back for the past eight years.

The discovery was made by Dr. Robert King when the colonel reported to the station dispensary for a routine check-up and X-ray. Freuler was wounded while flying in the defense of Wake Island in 1941 but a medical examination at that time gave no indication that the bullets remained in his body.

Local medical authorities said that the bullets will probably never be removed. Colonel Freuler was a prisoner of war of the Japanese for more than three years following the fall of Wake Island.

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Compound 'E' Disclosed As Remedy For Arthritis

NEW YORK.—The first good remedy for the worst form of arthritis has been reported to the international congress on rheumatic diseases.

However, in the entire world there is at present not more than enough to treat 20 persons.

The remedy is a new hormone, called Compound E, from adrenal glands in your back.

This hormone is made by Merck & Company, Rahway, N. J., one of the world's largest drug manufacturers. By next year, this company hopes to have enough for treatment of some thousands of sufferers. The big handicap is that Compound E is incredibly difficult to make now.

So startling have been the effects that Dr. Philip S. Hench, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minn., where the discovery was made, said:

"Figuratively we look at arriving airplanes to see the ship bringing us some of this medicine."

Reporting with him were Mayo Drs. Edward C. Kendall, who isolated this new hormone, Charles H. Slocumb, and Howard F. Polley.

James Madison agreed to declare war on Great Britain in 1812, if elected president.

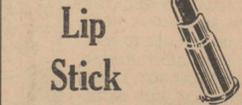
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- The Questions**
1. What is mother-of-pearl?
 2. What is meant by Mother Cary's Chickens?
 3. When is Mothering Sunday?
 4. Name the author of "Cross Creek."
 5. What is the population of Martinique?
 6. What are the principal exports of Martinique?

- The Answers**
1. The hard, iridescent internal layer of certain shells, as the pearl oyster.
 2. The name familiarly given by sailors to the stormy petrel.
 3. The fourth Sunday in Lent. This was an old custom of visiting parents and giving them presents.
 4. Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings.
 5. Approximately 246,000 Negroes and 5000 whites.
 6. Sugar and rum.

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If your discomforts are due to these causes, don't wait, try Doan's Pills, a mild diuretic. Used successfully by millions for over 60 years. While these symptoms may often otherwise occur, it's amazing how many times Doan's give happy relief—help the 15 miles of kidney tubes and filters flush out waste. Get Doan's Pills today!

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WELL—THAT CERTAINLY IS NICE OF THEM

By Len Kleis

SUNNYSIDE

OH, DARLING—DO ORDER A RAT-TRAP TO BE SENT HOME TODAY.

—BUT, LAMBIE-PIE, YOU BOUGHT ONE ONLY LAST WEEK!

YES, DEAR, BUT THERE'S A RAT IN THAT ONE!

By Clark S. Hoas

THE OLD GAFFER

DO YOU MIND IF I CHAT A BIT WITH YOU WHILE YOU TRIM YOUR HEDGE?

GLAD TO HAVE YOU, SIR.

BLAH BLAH BLAH ETC. YAK CHATTER CHATTER ETC. ETC.

SUPPER'S READY!

HIS MASTER'S VOICE!

I GOTTA BE AMBLIN' HOME.

SO LONG, MR. FETHLESS.

By Clay Hunter

BOUFORD

OH-OH!

HERE, LET ME SEE THAT EAR...

H-N-M-N-M-N WHAT ARE YOU SCRATCHING FOR? THERE'S NOTHING THERE...

IT'S JUST YOUR IMAGINATION, THAT'S ALL.

ASK BOUFORD, HE'S GOT IT NOW!

WHAT'S "IMAGINATION"?

SCRATCH SCRATCH

By MELLORS

MUTT AND JEFF

YOU SEE, SIR, I'M NOT IN THE HABIT OF ASKING PEOPLE FOR HELP! I JUST HAPPEN TO BE BROKE AND I'M UP AGAINST IT!

I HAVE NO RELATIVES—I'M ALL ALONE HERE, I DON'T LIKE TO ASK A NICE GENTLEMAN LIKE YOU BUT I NEED TWO BITS BUS FARE—

NO SPEAK ENGLISH? WHY DIDN'T YOU SAY SO SOONER? INSTEAD OF LETTING ME TALK MY HEAD OFF, YOU BOOB! GO ON HOME, STUPID!

NOBODY CALLS THE BARON NAMES AND GETS AWAY WITH IT!

By Bud Fisher

JITTER

JITTER GOT A JOB AS BATBOY WITH A BASE BALL CLUB BECAUSE THE TEAM THINKS HE'LL BRING THEM LUCK. IT WILL PROBABLY BE BAD LUCK.

THESE BATS LOOK DISORDERLY. THERE'S AN OLD RACK FOR BATS SOMEWHERE—WHY DON'T YOU SEE IF THEY'LL FIT IN IT?

WHAT'S THE TROUBLE—CAN'T YOU MAKE 'EM FIT IN THE RACKS?

IDEA

By Arthur Pointer

WYLDE AND WOOLY

I TELL YOU YOU'RE UNDER ARREST, DISMAL DAN! THE SHERIFF DEPUTIZED ME.

HAH!

WOE IS ME! WHY DIDN'T I LEAD A MORE USEFUL LIFE?

QUIET, BUB! I'LL GIVE YOU A CHANCE TO BE USEFUL—

—I NEED SOME HELP TYING THIS KNOT... PUT YER FINGER HERE!

WHY YOU—

By Bert Thomas

CROSSTOWN

"I HAVEN'T GOT ANY CHANGE. GUESS I'D BETTER KEEP IT, EH?"

By Bob

BOBBY SOX

"I'VE TOLD GREGORY THAT I LOVE HIM SO MANY TIMES THAT I'M BEGINNING TO BELIEVE IT MYSELF!"

MARTY LINKS

Farm Topics

Electric 'Cowboy' Will Aid Ranchers

Economic Way to Keep Stock on Home Pastures

Come spring, an electric "cowboy" will ride the range to help farmers and ranchers keep their stock in the pasture and out of planted fields.

This cowboy is the old stand-by 6-volt Winchester "Hot Spark" battery that years ago gave a balky model T a frosty-morning pickup. Cowboy Hot Spark is more useful than ever on the farm now because he's the waterproof dry cell buckaroo that makes the "touch-me-not" electric fence a safe and economical way to keep the stock where it belongs.

Electric fencing with the use of dry cell batteries is one of the farmers' most inexpensive means to keep his stock where he wants it,

ELECTRIC FENCE HEIGHTS IN INCHES

HORSES	30-40"
COWS	30-36"
12-18 CALVES	30-36"
10-18 SHEEP GOATS	30-36"
6-16 PIGS	30-36"

Clearly illustrated are the correct heights for electric fence. In states where barbed wire is legal, it is usually preferred.

according to W. S. Allen, general manager of the electrical division of Olin Industries, Inc., who is a farmer to boot.

Little or no knowledge of electricity is required as reliable fence controllers approved by underwriters, which keep the current going to the electric fence intermittently many times a minute, come with simple instructions easy to follow.

Electric fence wire can be moved from one location to another, but it is best to make permanent installations. Metal or wood fence posts are suitable. Posts to fence horses should be from 40 to 50 feet apart. Twenty-five to 40 feet apart is satisfactory for smaller animals.

In states where barbed wire is legal, it is usually preferred. Like any other electric fence wire, it should be fastened to the posts by insulators and should not come into direct contact with posts, weeds or the ground. Inexpensive solid type, but never split type, glass or porcelain insulators should be used rather than old rubber or necks of bottles. Substitutes are a poor economy as they don't work well or last long.

Where gates are required, attach the wire to a spring to maintain tension and continue the wire through the center of a wood or rubber handle to a hook to fasten to a continuation of the wire on the other side of the gate.

How high the wire should be strung from the ground depends upon the size of the animals to be fenced. Generally, you measure the distance to the ground from about the middle of the animals' head when grazing. Following are fence heights for various animals:

- 6 to 16 inches... pigs
- 12 to 18 inches... calves
- 10 to 18 inches... sheep, goats
- 30 to 36 inches... cows
- 30 to 40 inches... horses

With your fence built, just attach Cowboy Hot Spark and a grounded fence controller and you're in business to charge a fence that can be twelve to fifteen miles long. And "Hot Spark" will last five or six months before you need to replace your dry cell cowboy.

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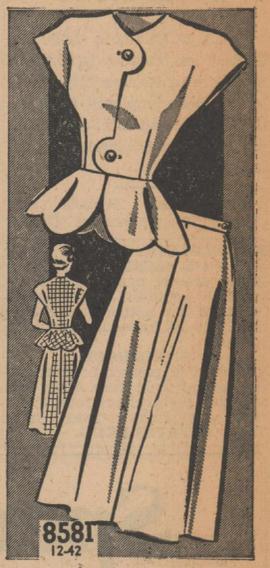
Homemade equipment simplifies removing attachments from tractor—two upright posts with clutch-like levers at their tops hold up attachments after they have been unbolted from a tractor. One man can do the job without lifting.

Screwworm Flies Start Most Widespread Year

The U. S. department of agriculture reports screwworm flies apparently are starting their most destructive and widespread year, especially in southern states.

Stockmen are urged to take immediate steps to protect themselves from livestock losses. The bureau especially recommends inspection of animals at least twice a week.

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Pattern No. Size.....
Name

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Cleaning Utensils

Stainless steel utensils should not be scoured with harsh abrasives. Soak and remove food with a dulled surface such as a wooden spoon. If the bottom is made of copper, clean with a good copper cleaner or rub with a cut lemon dipped in salt.

Origin of Trousseau

The word "trousseau" has its origin in the "trusse" or bundle of long ago. At that time, it was the custom for the bride to supply herself with clothing and household equipment sufficient enough to last for many years.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Senator Pepper Is Defeated; Savings Bond Drive Underway; Loyalty Files Opened to Probe

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysts and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

POLITICS: A New Trend?

Political observers were face to face with the question: is there a new political trend in the wind?

In Florida 36-year-old George Smathers defeated Sen. Claude Pepper, one-time new dealer, by well over 65,000 in the democratic primary. Critics of the Fair Deal, especially the revolting southerners, called it a victory over alarming "creeping socialism," big government, unbalanced budgets and the welfare state.

The winner, however, told Republicans to take no comfort from his victory. He said:

"The people of Florida in this election proved they were unwilling to depart from the well-established and basic principles of the Democratic party. They do not wish to venture off down the side roads of extremism or dangerous experimentation."

"Nor are they interested in turning the clock back to isolationism and the do-nothing attitude of the Republican party."

Meanwhile, the people of Texas elected the first Republican congressman in 24 years when Ben H. Guill, 40-year-old Pampa broker and former schoolteacher, defeated 10 Democrats. It was a sudden death election to fill the unexpired term of Gene Worley who had resigned to become a federal judge.

Guill said he was going to Washington as one small protest and added: "If I go up there as one small protest, maybe the powers that be won't think they have the whole country in the bag. Maybe some of those big shots will take a look at this little segment of Texas and take warning."

BOND DRIVE: Save for Independence

With a gentle tap on the Liberty Bell, Secretary of the Treasury John W. Snyder on May 15 opened the greatest savings bond drive in the peacetime history of the country. The drive continues through July 4.

The bell is the symbol of the 1950 drive. The theme: "Save for your independence—buy U.S. savings bonds."

Fifty-two replicas of the historic relic are on tour of the 48 states, District of Columbia, Alaska, Hawaii, and Puerto Rico. They will visit over 2,000 communities and will be viewed by millions of people.

The bells were made at the foundry of the Sons of Georges Paquet and at Ancey-le-Vieux in France and are said to produce the exact tone of the Liberty Bell before it was cracked in 1835.

The treasury department has one objective—to promote the sale of savings bonds in order to encourage a thrift. An attempt will be made to contact every potential buyer of savings bonds in the nation.

At the conclusion of the drive, Snyder said a bell will go to each state and territory for permanent exhibit.

INDOCHINA: To Get Aid

Secretary of State Acheson announced in Paris that Indochina would get immediate American aid in the form of military equipment in an effort to rid the country of the guerrilla war which has been going on for four years.

He announced the bulk of \$75,000,000 already appropriated to combat communism in the Far East will go to the French backed Vietnamese of ex-Emperor Bao Dai and the associated states of Cambodia and Laos to fight Moscow backed Ho Chi Minh.

Many observers felt the move was an important one in the battle against communism in that section of the world. Some believed the Communists may have made too many gains and the aid will be "too little and too late."

Acheson indicated the United States would expect a greater degree of self-government for the three Indochina states under the French.

He added, "The United States considers the situation to be such as to warrant its according economic aid and military equipment to the associated states of Indochina and to France in order to assist peaceful and democratic development."

KING: Crowns Self

Boston-born Phumiphon Aduldet, who has been on the front pages of American newspapers a great deal recently because of his marriage and the announcement that he had written music for a Broadway production, lifted a nine-tiered crown on his head and became Rama IX, king of Thailand.

The coronation was performed with all the mystic pomp and ceremony of the Chakri dynasty.

The Winner!



George Smathers, 36, casts his vote in his race against Senator Claude Pepper for the U.S. senate. Smathers defeated Pepper by well over 65,000 votes. Pepper had been a member of the upper house for 14 years. His defeat is considered a blow against President Truman.

SPY HUNT: Files Available

The Communist spy hunt, called by many a witch hunt and a mudslinging campaign against administration big shots, took a new turn when President Truman agreed to give investigators the complete state department loyalty files on the 81 cases cited by Senator McCarthy.

Although Truman's approval did not cover F.B.I. files, a great amount of F.B.I. material is included in the reports.

It now comes to light that the 81 persons named by McCarthy have been investigated by four other congressional committees.

Senator Tydings, chairman of the subcommittee which has been looking into McCarthy's allegations, said: "No adverse report concerning these employees came to the floor of the house or the floor of the senate and none was sent to the state department after the other investigations."

Some sources are saying public opinion is beginning to blow the lid off the scandals of the Truman administration. But others believe too much time and money are being wasted in an effort to create Communist hysteria for political reasons.

The public, meanwhile, was becoming a little bored and skeptical of explanations from either side. Some logical explanation of what has been going on had better be made and soon, the voter was saying.

TRUMAN: On Tour

President Truman began his western tour with four speeches on behalf of the Brannan agricultural program, but took time also to preach the gospel against isolationism.

And it was a new Truman, using gentle ridicule against his political enemies instead of the free-swinging, sledgehammer blows he used on a similar trip two years ago. That in itself was enough to make many a politician raise his eyebrows.

The President shoved his needle of ridicule deep when he touched on isolationism. He said:

"Now isolationism would be a cheap policy to follow. It would be easy and cheap to stop spending money on our army and navy and air force and to stop sending supplies to other countries who survived the great war. We can stop these things today."

"Isolationism would be mighty cheap for today and tomorrow and maybe next week. You remember how cheap isolationism was in the 1920's. Taxes were cut, at least for the big fellows, but look at the terrible price we have paid for isolationism in the second world war."

"Today exactly the same issue faces us. There are still some men who keep telling you that we can economize by following an isolationist policy. These men can't see beyond the end of their noses."

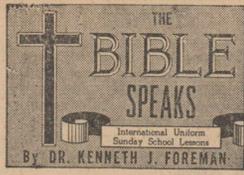
"They don't see that isolationism would let the rest of the world be swallowed up by communism. That would certainly bring on a new world war just as it did in 1939. We reneged in 1921, just as Russia today is doing with the help of our own isolationists."

Beauty

Elizabeth Taylor, generally known as one of the most beautiful women in the movie world, was married in what has been publicized as the movie capital's wedding of the year.

The groom is Conrad (Nick) Hilton, scion of the hotel family.

Seven hundred guests were invited to the wedding and about 200 to a reception at the Bel-Air country club.



By DR. KENNETH J. FOREMAN

SCRIPTURE: Micah, especially 4:1-5; 5:2-4; 7:18-20. DEVOTIONAL READING: Psalm 11:1-7.

God Has a Plan

Lesson for May 28, 1950

GOD HANDS DOWN no blueprints. He never yet has been willing to save any man the trouble of thinking. The Bible is God's guidebook, and in it is revealed God's will. But it is not a guidebook of such a sort that you can take it from the shelf and look up in it the answer to every one of your problems in detail. Nevertheless the Bible is a guide, "the inflexible rule of faith and practice" as some churches express it.

God's will is shown there plainly enough so that we can know whether we are building on the right foundation or not.

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We are all in favor of other people's forsaking their sins. But how about you? The world does need to confess its sin; but you need to confess your own. No sins walk by themselves; sins exist only in sinners. Sin does not commit itself. Sin is something a sinner does. We shall never get rid of sins by exhorting other people. We get rid of them by repenting in the presence of God and receiving his forgiveness.

It is always so easy to think: If we only had a good society we could have better people. That is backing into an idea the wrong way. The right idea is: If we have better people we shall be on the way to the good society.

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So long as we are making war, preparing for and expecting war, doing or saying things that make war inevitable or even likely, we are out of line with the will of God. Conversely whatever we do to foster peace is in line with the plan of God. War was bad enough in the days of Micah; it is incalculably worse today.

War always was the effect and cause of hate, it always brought suffering and death, but this is the atomic age. Dean Rusk of the U.S. state department has said that in all present-day discussions we have to remember one solemn fact: The human race now has in its hands the means of its own total destruction.

Any war nowadays is a war against the whole human race, for any large-scale war with atomic weapons may well make the entire globe uninhabitable by man. A voice for war is a voice for universal death.

Christ The King SINLESS MAN in a warless world: such is God's plan. Is this possible? Only on one condition; that Christ shall be king. (Micah 5:2-4.) This has two meanings, one far-off, and one near; one complete and one partial. The far-off, completed meaning (which may be nearer than we think) is that after the history of this planet is over and done with, in the "new heavens and the new earth" the final destiny of God's people is to live under the Lord Christ as leader and king.

The nearer, here - and - now meaning of Christ's kingship is this: Wherever, in the plans of men, the spirit of Christ, his way and his ideal, are being trampled on or ignored, there God's plan is forgotten and there disaster is certain.

But wherever the spirit of Christ is in control, there God's plan is being carried out and there the Kingdom of God is coming nearer.

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BASEBALL FOR BOYS

Little League Provides Baseball For U.S. Youngsters 8 to 12

Most people when thinking about organized baseball instantly picture the major or minor leagues, the set-up ruled by czar "Happy" Chandler. They miss entirely the strongest baseball idea which has ever spread over the United States, that of the Little League,

baseball scaled down to fit boys between the ages of 8 and 12. This year at least 37 states will compete for national honors in the Little League. In 1949 some 21,600 boys, comprising 1,200 teams, and representing 22 states saw action on the small fry diamond. The Little League tournament, similar to the major league world series, has played to capacity crowds for the past two seasons and made a big hit with newsreel audiences.

The phenomenal growth of baseball for boys is the success story of a man with an idea, Carl Stotz, of Williamsport, Pa. In 1938, while watching a bunch of kids trying to play baseball on a regulation diamond, with inadequate equipment and without the benefit of coaching and organization, he conceived the idea of the Little League.

Although the country has not fully recovered from the depression, Stotz started out to find a sponsor who would help him financially get the idea working. He made 56 calls before he succeeded.

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Safe at home calls the umpire in the first inning of the 1949 Little League world series at Williamsport, Pa. Munci Sacco, captain of the Hammonont team, is shown sliding. Jerry Miller is the Pensacola catcher. Hammonont won the series.

number of innings a pitcher can work are limited to nine a week. Six innings are considered a full game. Bats and balls are the same size as those used in the major leagues, but lighter.

To make the game as much like the major league as possible and practicable, a fence is placed around the Little League diamond on an arc 180 feet from home plate. It permits the kids to slam a homer over the fence just like their big brothers.

Mothers Are Fans In the interest of safety, steel cleats have been banned from the league and now sport goods manufacturers are making a special rubber sole shoe for the kids. Uniforms are standard, and professional umpires, working free, call all the Little League world series games.

At first the idea spread to towns adjacent to Williamsport. Then it appeared in neighboring states. Word of mouth publicity appears to be responsible for its progress.

The amazing thing about the Little League is the way it has grown. There was none of the usual promotion or high pressure methods used in putting across the idea. Perhaps one of the reasons for its growth is due to the ages of the youngsters. Mothers are always interested in what their boys of 8 to 12 are doing. And, believe it or not, women are making up a greater portion of the spectators at Little League games.

Finally, two years ago, the United States Rubber company became interested in the movement and since then has given financial support to the extent of playing host to the teams qualifying for the championship series and support for the Little League headquarters.

Stotz now devotes all his time to the league. A considerable amount of it is spent traveling over the United States explaining the movement. While his speaking engagements are extensive, in each case he appears only on invitation.

Prominent baseball officials have endorsed the Little League. "Happy" Chandler, baseball czar, said: "Naturally organized baseball is behind the Little League movement."

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And G. M. Tautman, president of the National Association of Professional Baseball clubs, added, "I heartily endorse this work as one of the fine contributions that is being made to the youths of our land."

Five Points Listed The effect of organized baseball on the kids is tremendous. They are proud of their uniforms and teams. During summer months a kid is occupied with his team and will think twice before doing anything that will jeopardize his status as a player.

The presence of crowds at their games proves to each boy that his community is interested. Close association with other youngsters with regard to race, creed, or color, gives them a start-in the basic principles of Americanism.

There are five basic points under which the Little League operates:

1. Little League is a non-profit organization.

2. It is designed to promote good health, good habits, good sportsmanship and good citizenship in the youths of America.

3. Little League essentially is a community activity with a national tie-up. Regional and championship playoffs provide youngsters a challenge to excel so maybe in the future he can make the big league.

4. It is without prejudice of race, color or creed.

5. Little League is big league baseball for the little boys of America.

The kids themselves take to organized baseball like sugar attracts flies. As yet none have taken up the habit of chewing tobacco, but they cultivate the mannerisms of big league players. They'll walk to the plate like a professional, swinging two or three bats. They'll stop, knock the dirt out of their cleats, hitch up their belts, and step into the box and dig in.

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Boston To Eat Five Tons Of Baked Beans

BOSTON. — Ten thousand Bostonians will eat five tons of baked beans Saturday night in Boston as part of the city's mid-century jubilee celebration.

There will be 10,000 seats at the five miles of tables spread out over the grass and walks of the common. And there will be a pound of beans for every one of those 10,000 seats.

One thousand volunteer waitresses will serve the beans to the giant gathering while 250 policemen stand by to see that the bean eaters behave.

Also gracing the tables will be 2,000 loaves of brown bread, 3,500 pounds of ham, three tons of potato salad, 12,000 individual apple

pies, 12,000 servings of cheese and 12,000 Parker House rolls.

All the food was donated by Greater Boston business concerns and the sale of tickets, at 75c each, indicated it should perhaps be the largest dinner ever served to a seated group.

Forty home economists and dieticians from leading hospitals, restaurants and colleges will insure the highest degree of sanitation and cleanliness.

And the supper has been so arranged that the 1,000 waitresses will be able to serve every one of the diners a complete meal in fifty-five minutes.

When the supper is over, workmen will move in to dismantle the tables and remove the chairs while a detail of 300 Boy Scouts clean up the debris.

There will be one flaw. The beans are from California.

British Magazine Says Clothes Could End War

LONDON.—A British men's wear journal has come up with an idea for bringing an end to the dissension between the nations of East and West. It has to do with clothes and their styling.

For instance, the article in which the suggestion was carried, declared that a zoot suit for Stalin and a drape shape for V. M. Molotov might be the very thing to end the cold war.

Here is the reasoning on the subject:

"The Russian sense of humor would be restored," said the magazine Tailor and Cutter. "The Soviet would not take itself so seriously."

The magazine added that the present garb of Soviet leaders was 25 years out of date.

"The Communists," it declared, "are far too conservative." It published pictures of four of the top Russian leaders. All wore suits with two-button jackets which the magazine said were last stylish in Britain in the early 1920's.

Edward Everett, famous orator, delivered an address two hours long at the Gettysburg dedication.

Hottest Cairo or Washington?

CAIRO.—The question whether the weather is hotter in the summer in Washington or Cairo has become a political issue of some importance. It has put in doubt the government's departure from Cairo for Alexandria for the summer season.

In effect, the debate centers on whether the Egyptian cabinet members are "softies" compared with members of the United States cabinet who are held up as examples of devotion for sticking it out in Washington in the hot months.

The reply of the ministries is that the offices in Washington are artificially air conditioned, while in Cairo there is no air conditioning except in the cinema. Nevertheless, this was an election year and the debate promised to become as warm as its topic.

'Climate Factory' Soon May Produce Giant-Size Crops

PASADENA, CALIF.—A new world of agriculture, in which plants never see the sun or feel the elements produce crops of incredible size and flavor, awaits just over the horizon.

Between that world and this, scientists say, lie only a few years of experimentation—in a new "climate factory" at the California Institute of Technology.

It's the Earhart plant research laboratory — a supergreenhouse with built-in weather and soil controls. Every kind of climate in the world which will support plant life can be reproduced in this \$400,000 nursery. Built with funds donated by the Earhart foundation of Ann Arbor, Mich., it was dedicated recently.

Known as the "Phytotron," this laboratory will artificially recreate or eliminate all but one of the known factors in plant growth such as soil, climate, insects and sunlight.

The one factor which the Phytotron will not be able to control is cosmic radiation. These are the mysterious rays which come from somewhere out in the universe, constantly bombarding the earth and sometimes changing the evolution of living things upon it.

"We don't know any way to protect our plants or ourselves from Went, director of the laboratory. "But we hope, by controlling all other factors, to learn exactly what effect these radiations do have."

Millard Fillmore was president when the first bathtub was installed in the White House in 1851.

NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING

In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the School House in the town of Texhoma, in Sherman County, Texas, at nine (9:00) o'clock A. M., on Saturday, the 3rd day of June, A. D. 1950, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in Texhoma Independent School District in Sherman County, Texas, for taxable purposes for the year 1950, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

GIVEN by order of the Board of Equalization, this 13th day of May, A. D. 1950.

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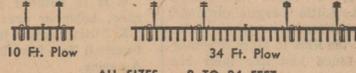
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