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1950-51 VFW Essay Contest Announced

Jimmy Forester Hospitalized In Dumas Tuesday

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| Jimmy Forester, 3 year old | medal, third prize is $\$ 250.0$ |
| son of Mrs. Helen Forester, was | nd a gold medal, fou |
| admitted to Dumas Memorial | \$100.00 in |
| Hospital Tuesday morning as a medical patient. Mrs. Fores- | gold medal, and there will prizes of honorary mentio |
| ter and her son of Oakland, California, arrived here Friday for a visit in the home of her parents, Mr, and Mrs. A. L. Sutton. |  |
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|  | "Freedom's |
|  | been selected as subject ma ial for the essay which will |
| Employees | limited to 1,000 words. essays must be submitted |
| Gather At | They must |
|  | spaced, on plain |
| Lake McClellan |  |
|  | ents stapl |
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| ern Public Service Co. were entertained with a picnic and | tending, and the |
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| barbecue at Lake McClellan Fri- | - |
| day afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Guthrie attended the company get-together. | a |
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| Qualification for a government loan reauires that grain |  |
|  |  |
| be stored in bins or granaries |  |
| where it will not be subject to damage from moisture. insects, |  |
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| Here Monday | Locations |

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Mrs. Lester Wells August 24 .
 Texas HDA In Session
$\qquad$ of the Texas Home DemonstraSpring Wednesday. According to Mrs. R. L. Campbell of Wildorado, president of the THDA,
the theme of the meeting is Magie Miss Runnels spoke on
"What 4 -HI Work Means to Me".


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## Klthor was here Elusive GI <br> Back on Duty

 WASHINGTON, D. C. - Is theelusive, irrepressible Kilroy back
again again on active global duty?
According to a story from an
American air base sin American air base in Japan, this
ubiquitious legendary veteran of
Worid War II has World War II has again put in a
word, if not his appearance, as
Uncle Sam's Korea-bound fighters Uncle Sam's Koreae-bound fighters
are departing for combat duty. are departing for combat duty.
Taking up where he left off afte
defeat of the Axis defeat of the Axis, the Kilroy of to
day had the last laugh after a wal day had the last laugh after a wall
scribbler at the Japanese embarka-
tion base cloimed tion base claimed to be the firist
there. "Sorry to spoil your little there." "Sorry to spoil your little
joke,
riposte, went
Killoy O.
ripeste, "I was here, but my pen-
cil broke."
 fighting men's spirits during World
War II followed American forces all
over the Eastern and Weestern battle over the Eastern and Western battle
theaters. At home, in endless variatiens on the theme, it went into
the nermanent American language. High-Low Humor
The $\begin{gathered}\text { impudent } \\ \text { announcement } \\ \text { That "Kilroy was here" (always be- } \\ \text { tore anyone else) decorated wall }\end{gathered}$
(ores. that "Kilroy was here" (always be-
fore anyone else) decorated walls
and any other handy surface, from
Hitler's "Eagle Nest" at lofty
He
 hundred feet down into a \& deep,
sheer-walled pit near Kilauea Vol.
cano in Hawaii. With conveniently
loose stones at hand, he spelled out cano in Hawaii. With conveniently
loose stones at hand, he spelled out
lon the polished lava floor oif the
or therer the eloquen word "Kiroy."
How did the redoubtable Kilroy
Het his start? The explanations are
get set his start? The explanations are
almost as varied as tales of the
mystery warrior's exploits. Some
say the saga all began in the Air
sit Transport Command of the U. S.
Air Force. A real Francis J. Ki-
roy, this. version goes, had come
down with influenza while stationed at a Florida a airifield. on hationed
at
provement, a friend posted a bulle h-board notice, "Kilroy will be
here next week," and the game was Another Air Force version makes
the first Kirroy a frequently miss-
ing enlisted man whose irate com mandinged man whose irate com-
was foiled in
tracing him by the Kilroy-was-here there, and everywhere technique,
And still another story has the orig-
Anal Killoy Anal Kilroy a GI sergeant in a Kan
inas camp. This Kilroy, atter being
sas
marked absent from a special de tail and having his name posted
indignantly wrote a denial under
$\left\lvert\, \begin{aligned} & \text { his name in the now familiar } \\ & \text { phrase. }\end{aligned} \begin{aligned} & \text { simple tunes such as "Over the } \\ & \text { Fence is Out, Boys," and ""Take }\end{aligned}\right.$
simple tunes such as "Ove
Fence is Out, Boys," and
Me Out to the Ball Game." Old War Bombs Explode; 14 Killed, 60 Injured CATANIA, SICLLY-Fitteen salv-
age workers were blown to bits age workers were blown to bits
here recently when 7 to here recently when 70 tons of
aerial bombs left by the Italian air
force were exploded by fore were exploded by one of the
workerss workers.
The
Tal The salvage workers were re-
moving explosives from 35 two-ton
missiles. A worker's moving explosives from 3 two-ton
missiles. A worker's hammer set
ott the explosion that killed 14 or the explosion that killed 14 and
injured blo other persons.
The blast dug a crater 25 feet The blast dug a crater 25 feet
deep and 300 feet wide. Most of the deep and 300 feet wide. Most of the
dead were mangled beyond identiThousands of persons in the city
of 245,000 ran through the streets of 245,000 ran through the streets
in panic. Bomb slinters and fly-
ing glass caused most of the ing glass caused most of the in-
juries in the greatest disaster of juries in the greatest disaster of
the area since the war swept
through Sicily in 1943. Quick Thorough


Piano, Taught to Play CAMBRIDGE, Mass.-Those pig. ons you have in your barn mister
me mighty are mighty smart, so says
B. F. Skinner of Havara.
The professor has a flock pigeons that play tunes on a piano
play table tennis, push buttons
get food, tell time, and understan changing colors-lile etraftic lights.
Dr. Skinner is using the pigeons
discover new meth to discover new methods for studying human behavior. He has arrived at the theory that reward is
more effective than punishment.
The birds have The birds have learned to peck
signs labeled "yellow", "green,"
blue," and ""ed," the proper sign when a plight o
the same color is flashed on.
He has taught pigeons to play He has taught pigeons to play
= modified table tennis - without net-on a two-foot-square withoule
One pigeon, using his beak, tries
bat the basl to bat the ball past his opponent.
Rallies sometime Ralies sometimes go three or fou An advanced lesson is to plat
a tune on a piano of seven kee By rewarding the pigeoven when h
strikes the keys in a certain se strikes the keys in a certain se
quence, Dr. Skinner and his assis
tants have taught pigeons to play

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If elected I will fulfill the duties of this office to the best of my ability.

## S. J. Lavake

Candidate For Commissioner of Precinct No. 4

## Apostle Peter His Bones Recoverad? His Bones Recovered? ROME, Italy-A Vatican news| ROME, Italy-A Vatican news- |
| :--- |
| $\begin{array}{l}\text { paper has reported "incontest- } \\ \text { able proofs" will be offered in }\end{array}$ | able proofs" will be offered in the near future that the Apostle the near future that the Apostle Peter lived and came to Rome, where he was crucified head where he was crucified head downward in Neros Circus. The newspaper reported on the downward in Nero's Circus. The newspaper reported on the excavation work under the presexcavation work under the pres ent Basilica of Saint Peter where the tomb and remains of the <br> n <br>  being kept by the Peter still are private chapel his The enewspapel. said on the wall behind the altar there is bronze gre behind the altar there is bronze grating from which can be sen 'the blessed stones of the very 'the the bessed stones of the very ancient altars erected above the tomb of the Roman Catholic tomb of the Roma. Church's first pope.

Eye Cataracts Turn Up Among Japanese Atom Bomb Survivors WASHINGTON - Eye cataracts
have turned up in recent months as the first evidence of delayed effects
among the survivors of the atomic among the survivors of the atomic
bombings of Hiroshima and Naga-
saki, the U. S. Atomic Energy Combombings of Hiroshima and Naga-
saki, the U. S. Atomic Energy Com-
mission has announced. mission has announced.
The AEC announcement said:
"Following the discovery that radi-
"to Forion similiar the discovery that radi- released in an
atomic bomb burst had caused
ato atomic bomb burst had caused
cataracts to form in the eyes research workers in this country, a
prelimiary prelimiary ophthaimic survey was
started at Hiroshima last year.
ind "This survey. led by Dr. David $G$.
Cogan and R. S. Forrest Martin of Cogan and R. S. Forrest Martiu
the Harvard Medical School, re-
vealed 10 cases of cataracts bevealed 10 cases of cataracts be-
lieved to have been caused by the
atomic bomb. Subsequent examinaatomic bomb. Subsequent examina-
ton of 1,000 persons. most of whom
were within 3,000 feet of the point were within 3,000 feet of the point
above which the bomb exploded, has led to the discovery of about
40 certain cases of radiation cataract and an additional forty sus-
act and
pected cases. pected cases.
A full-scale opthalmological study
is underway at Hiroshima and a A full-scale opthalmological stud
is underway at Hiroshima and
survey of survivors at Nagasaki survey of survivors at Nagasaki is
also planned. Annual follow-ups will
be made of a statisticelly

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of the shaft, but a series of sharp
turns made it impossible Katorski called firemen and pushed milk and
cigarettes up to Mantey from the
botes blow up fresh air. Firemen cut through metal eight
inches thick to form a two foot hil inches thick to form a two foot hole
through which Mantey could be rethrough which Manks asiness three
moved.
"I've been in this busines
 ing to stay in it any longer. I dont
like this forced overtime," he said
when released. Hope Named in $\$ 100,000$ Libel and Slander Suit
NEW YORK - Bob Hope, the funbeen sued for $\$ 100,000$. The liabel
and slander suit was brought by a and slander suit was brought by a
Manhattan hotel over a wisecrack Manhattan hotel over a wisecrack
the comedian used during a per-
sonal appearance at Paramount sonal a
1heater.
The Theater.
The complaint in the suit said
the remark was as follows: the remark was as follows:
"I got into town today and the
may I got into town today and the
mayor met me and gave me the key
to the city and I checked in t the mayor met me and gave me the key
to the city and I checked in at he
Forrest Hotel on 49th Street where
they Forrest Hotel on 49th Street where
they gave me a cell - the, maid
changes the rats every they gave me a cevery day.", mald
changes the rats every
The hotel charged that besides
making the stated making the statement from the
stage, Hope had it writen into a
script, thus making it libel script, thus making it libel as well
as slander. In an affadavit Hope denled he
had used a script, and said any ref-
erence to the hotel erense a script, and said any ref-
melice.

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at the power given to bureaus and boards, at your tax dollars wasted and at the dangeruus trend toward centralization and socialism in your government at Washington.

As your congressman, I will do my part to check these trends, to abolish
waste, to get our defense forces adequately prepared; I will do miy best to return your government from the bureaus to the people. I pledge my efforts toward a sound, practical and alert administration in Washington, and my loyalty, and unstinted service to all the people of the district. May I solicit your vote and support in behalf of these aims?

Sincerely,

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## Vote For

 Pierce BrooksFOR
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Governor
With the State plunging wildly towards a financial crisis, the Lieutenant Governorship is a business rather than a political office. It needs a Business Man With A Business Viewpoint.

While he was Chairman of the Board of Stewards of a Dallas Church, he was instrumental in building one of the largest Sunday Schools in Methodism. He is really a "gogetter and a worker."


Are opposed In State Races

The country boys' campaign ust 26 run-off election is sweeping the state, Chairman Emmett

Alexander of Marble Falls said today. | The Marble Falls businessman | decentralize the power held by |
| :---: | :---: |
| Dallas County in state govern- |  | who announced plans last weekk ment has been more than satis-

for the revolt against Dallas factory," Alexander said. "And

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## The First State Bank

 OF STRATFORDBaltimore School, Babe Ruth's Home, Closed to Juveniles

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since 186-SS. Mary' Industrial
school in Baltimore carried on the
sork woolk of turning mare carried on the the
linquents into solid citizens. Now linquents into solid citizens. Now
it has closed it doors.
Among its products were two fa-
mat Among its products. were two fa-
mous menthe late Rabe Ruth and
Al Jolson. Al Jolson.
Babe Ruth entered the school
when he was seven because his
father, a saloon keeper, thought his
environment around his place when he was seven because his
father, a salon keeper, thought his
environment around hise
wain't too good. Young Ruth was
listed as an incorrigible, but in later wasn't too good. Young Ruth was
listed as an incorrigible, but in later
years you could never get the monks years you could never get the monks
at the shool to agree that he was
He stayed there until he was 18 .
The school must have made an im. He stayed there until he was 18 .
The school must have made an im.
pression on the future home run pression on the future home run
king. Father Albert, who knew him
at the school, said Ruth once told
at him, when he was at the height of
his glory: "We're all in life to do
good. And I hope that when I die good. And I hope that when I die
I will have ilved so I can help the
boys of Americ to live straighter
and cleaner lives." And there's Jolson. He visited
the school last September for the
first time in about 50 years. first time in about 50 years.
"That's the yard where I used to
play," the singer and actor said.
"lwhen was thgt? about the t ime "When was that? About the time of
the Spanish-American war.
"I wat a bad boy then, but not
too bad. I had run away from home. to bad. I had run away from home.
I gave my brother's name, because
he was supposed to be the black sheep of the fomily. After a few
months my parents came from
Washington and took me home."

## President's Fancy Tie Puzzles Newspapermen

 ST. LOUIS, Mo.-Two St. Louisnewspapermen were trying to
decide decide just what pattern ap-
peared on one of President Tru-
man's man's ties.
"What's wrong, boys?" the
President asked. President asked.
They told him.
Mr. Truman looked down at the Mr. Truman looked down at the
design as if seeing the tie for the
first time, and said: "II don't know what it is-swans or some-
khing, I guess.".
Now. the newspapermen are Now the newspapermen are
wondering in Mrs. Truman picks
the President's ties for him.

## 74-Year-Old Marine <br> 74-Year-0ld Marine Takes Rifle Firing Test

 QUANTICO, Va.-Usually it's the teach saits in the Marine corps whe loerns how tothoot with the startling accuracy
shoo shoot with the startling accuracy
for which the Marines are noted,
but that situation was reversed re cently when 7 t-year-01d Master
Sergeant Harry D. Bartley, of Sergeant Harry D. Bartley,
Philadelphia, reported to the rifl
range along with many younge
men to fire thi carbine for annua men to fire the carbine for annua
re-qualification. His coach was 20-year-old private.
Bartley whose wniform sleeve is
covered with bright red hash-
marks representing 42 years of marks representing 42 years of
service, could have stopped firing
the weapons courses when he was
35, but he chose to fire again this
 listed time in the military service
than any member of the Marine
Corps.

## \section*{Cleveland Man Inventeo} <br> Traffic Light 36 Years Ago

 CLEVELAND, O-August 5 wil of the tratfic clight-that instrumentthat has given many Americant hat has given m
high blood pressure.
According to the Cleveland Auto
mobile Club, on that day James B mobile Club, on that day James B B
Hoge hung up the first traftic light
lig at a now bustiing east-side inter-
section in Cleveland.
Hoge's first signal was hand opHoge's first signal was hand op-
erated by a policeman stationed
at the corner, who would ring a at the corner, who would ring
bell and turn the light on wheneve
the

in 225 gallons of water. As further precaution against
insects, Deer advises removing insects, Deer advises removing all sources of infestation, includ-
ing feed, waste grain and other ing feed, waste grain and other
materials stored near the bins, materials stored near the bins,
before the new grain sorghum

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Deer warns also that the grain sorghum should be as dry as
possible when stored. If the mossible when stored. If the
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will be heavier.
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White House Reinforced With Steel Skeleton

WASHINGTON-One day during
the Christmas holidays, 1947, the
210-pound but lhe Christmas holidays, 1947, the
210-pound butler at the White House
walked across the second floor study walked across the second floor study
and produced an "over the waves" and produced an "over the waves"
sensation and tinkling of the chan-
delier in the Blue room directly beThat was the first indication that
old age was creeping up on the his-
or call in the experts. A problem presented itself. To
build a strong modern structure
within the walls of the old within the walls of the old which
was first occupied by John and Abi-
gail Adams in 1800. There were gail Adams in 1800. There were
proposals to tear down the entire
building. and put up a brand new, proposals to tear down the entire
building. and put up a brand new,
more modern home for the president.
But the people of the country
would not stand for this and the decision was made to spend 5.4 mill
lion dollars on rebuilding within the old shell.
Delicate Operation The work of tearing down the in-
terior is finally finished and the job of rebuilding has begun. The reconstruction job should be finished
sometime in October 1951. Preserving the outer wall of the
White House has been a delicate op White House has been a delicate op-
eration. To keep the stone outter all and the roof it has been nec-
ssary to plan a strong steel frame, with new inner walls and floors.
Workmen dug 25 feet below the Workmen dug 25 feet below the sur-
face to find a solid gravel footing
and then built and then built 120 concrete piers to
support the outer wall.
Steel arate footings will support the floor
beams and the base beams and the base of the rool
trusses. Heavy anchor bars will tie the steel columns to the stone wall.
When this job is done the presiWhen this job is done the presi-
dent's sutier, no matter how heavy
he is, will be unable to make the he is, will be unable to make the
chandeliers tinkle merely by walk-
ing across the floor ing across the floor above.
New Features Added
Although there will be no changes
made in the historical rooms, and they will have the same locations
and appearances as before, the and appearances as before, the
White House will not be put back together exactly as it was. The
building will have three new fea-
tures fures-a two level basement. a a
grand stairway and a modernized third fllor.
The two story basement will pro-
vide additional height of the White House cannot be changed. There will be offices for
a doctor and a dentist, and a room for a barber. The bestasement also
will house a heating system and air will house a heating system and air
conditioning machinery, and will provitioning maeded storarye and space.
Most striking Most striking change will be the
new grand stairway-a dignified new grand stairway-a dignified,
winding, open stairway from the
second to the first flooor. The old stairway was enclosed. In former
days, when cabinet members and
their wives marched down the
the stairs at formal receptions while the
red coated marine band played the red coated marine band played the
Blue Danube waltz, they would not
be seen except at the bottom two steps.
The new third floor was an attic until 1927. Now this fllor will have
eight guest rooms with baths, all eight guest rooms with baths, all
decorated in the same style as the
second floor bedrooms.

## Pilgrim's Progress Heads

 List of Most Boring BooksNEW YORK-The Columbia Uni-
versity Press held a poll to determine the 10 books readers consid-
ered the most boring and came up with some surprising answers.
Nearly all of the first ten were required reading in high school.
Some still are. John Bunyan's "fil
grim's Progress" took the doubtful
俍 honor of first place. These round
out the first 10 in the unpopularity "Melville's "Moby Dick", Milton's "Paradise Lost," Spencer's
"Faerie Queene,"" Boswell's "Life
of Samul "Faerie Queene, Boswels Sis
of Samuel Johnson," Richardson's
"Pamela", Eliot's "Silas Marner", Scott's "Ivanhoe," Cervantes' "Dor
Quixote" and Goethe's "Faust." Shakespare led the field. with
17 of his 37 plays gaining mention 17 of his 37 plays gaining mention
at least once. Howeve, only one,
"As You Like It," ranked as high as 4 st place
The ballotin Trom the Olid Testament to Dr. Alfred C. Kinsey's "Sexual Behavior
in the Human Male" as at once
classic and tedious

Russians Charge Americans Preparing Bacterial War LONDON-The Soviet Union, just
recovering from the famous potato bug scare, has charged that "Amer-
ican militarists are actively prepan militarists are,
paring bacterial war,
The United State The United States was accused
early this year of dropping potato bugs on East Germany in an effort
to destroy the potato crop to destroy the potato crop.
Now the Moscow radio charges:
"At the beginning of 1946 eighteen - Japanese specialists of were sent to the United States-bacteriologists
who handed over to their new mast-
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