Seniors Stage Successful

The annual Hallowe'en carninight was a great success.

In the stunt contests, first prize of \$10 went to the from this district. Senior Class, the second prize The two candidates are resiof \$5 to the Seventh Grade, and dents of Pampa. the third prize of \$2.50 went to Ben Guill became the Con-

really close, was won in high election, winning a plurality school by the Sophomores, vote over 10 democratic candi-Cunningham and Roy Lee New- of Eugene Worley who resigned man. The race was won in to accept an appointment as a grade school by the Eighth judge. Grade, whose candidates were Walter Rogers is the demo-

and federal taxes are estimated of this district. at \$1,200.00. The money trip of the Senior Class.

The coronation program in of the gay nineties. Students handle. from almost every class in the grade school took part in this program consisting of song and Baptist WMU dance numbers.

Ladies and their escorts were Miss Thelma McDaniel and Has Study Marion Brannan, Miss Donna Gay Plunk and John Steel, Miss Program Kay Spuriock and Harry Oakley, Miss Linda Taylor and Duane Walker, Miss Sue Flores and Miss Gwynn Clay and Jimmy study program. Mrs. Baskin Huggins, Miss Clara May Stone Brown was the program chair-Seaman and John Harrison, and George Stone, Miss Beth topic discussed by Mrs. O. H. Pemberton and Ray Grimes, Roy Lee Newman.

Last Rites Held Wednesday For Milton Oakley

Oakley, age 39, were conducted ed the topic, "The Cross Turns Plunk, who accepted the gifts Wednesday afternoon in the Not Back." Oakley passed away Sunday to Decide." night at Wichita Falls, Texas.

Milton Sylvester Oakley was the Sunbeams. born March 10, 1911 at Winnebago, Nebraska. He moved to Eastern Colorado with his par- meeting. ents where he spent his boyhood

In 1929 he united with the Baptist Church. On August 5, Baptist Church. On August 5, 1933 he was married to Miss Symptoms Of Liney Bethion Reed at Lamar, Colorado. To this union three sons were born, Tommie, 16, Charles, 13, and Teddy Roy, 11.

The family moved to Dalhart

in 1941 and to Stratford in 1943. his passing, his wife and three day to tour the county with sons, two brothers, Cecil and County Agent Ernest Goule. Lyle Oakley of Walsh, Colorado, Dr. Callahan will view as many of Springfield, Colorado, and for symptoms of wheat poison-Mrs. Spell of Springfield, Colo- ing.

J. R. Marshall Joins Army Air Force

J. R. Marshall reported in Attend Legion Amarillo Wednesday morning for duty with the Army Air Force. He will be assigned to Meeting In the engineering division. For short time Marshall expects Amarillo o be on duty at Camp Lennanvood, Missouri.

V. M. King **Breaks Arm**

V. M. King was admitted to held in the American Legion oretto Hospital in Dalhart Hall in Amarillo Thursday evenfonday for treatment of a frac- ing of last week, honoring Erle is arm in a fall Saturday while the American Legion. orking on his apartment buildng in the Northeast part of tratford.

ork City corresponds to the B&L 5c-10c-\$1 store. atin Quarter in Paris.

Congressional **Race Dominates General Election**

Votters will go to the polls val which was held Saturday Tuesday, November 7, generally Volume 46. for the purpose of deciding who the will represent them in Congress

gressman from the 18th conthe Sixth Grade. | gressman from the 18th con-The queen's race which was gressional district in a special November 6 whose candidates were Adele dates, to fill the unexpired term

Beth Pemberton and Ray cratic nominee for the office, having won the nomination of The cafeteria, concessions, and the party in a run-off election the queen's race brought in a to- with Altavene Clark, popular committee chairman, explains closed the program with a solo. With their demonstration. tal of \$2,231.00. The expenses secretary of former congressmen

Republicans are supporting made from this carnival will Guill almost unanimously while go to buy a school gift and to the ranks of the democrats are pay the expenses of the annual badly split in their choice between the two candidates.

which King Newman and Queen cide a question which has long Cunningham received their been the subject of considerable crowns was devoted to an era controversy in the Texas Pan-

Ladies of the WMU of the Baptist Church met in the Larry Goule, Miss Gracie church Wednesday afternoon of Brooks and Henry Harrison, last week for a Royal Service and Jay Harrison, Miss Rogene man. The song, "Throw Out the Life Line," was followed by Miss Jean Reynolds and Buddy prayer by Mrs. M. E. Upchurch. Palmer, Miss Marty McMahen "No More Strangers," was the Ingham. Mrs. Clifford Byrd Miss Adele Cunningham and spoke on "What Is the Iron Curtain." toms," was discussed by Mrs. V. M. King. Mrs. E. B. McQueen Wee-Pin-Up church discussed the topic, "Hungary in Reconstruction." Mrs. Baskin Brown spoke on the Funeral services for Milton tain." Mrs. W. D. Ellis discuss- Blanck honoring Mrs. C. C.

Mrs. Myrtie Byrd was a visitor.

To Search For Wheat Poisoning

Dr. N. Callihan, veterinarian assigned to the Pantex wheat cious refreshments. poisoning experiment station, Mr. Oakley leaves to mourn will be in Sherman County Fri-

and three sisters, Mrs. Sackett cattle on wheat pasture as posof Holly, Colorado, Mrs. Mitchell sible during his visit, searching

The Pantex wheat poisoning experiment station was established several years ago in an attempt to perfect a preventive measure for preventing wheat poisoning which many times develops in herds of cattle while grazing on wheat pasture.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Pendleton, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Moon, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bond, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. McIntosh, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Guthrie, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ellison and Ernest Hubbard attended the program

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Harold Leonard

THE STRATFORD STAR

Stratford, Sherman County, Texas, Thursday, November 2, 1950.

Cherub Choir

PMA Polls Close At 5:00

Sherman County farmers were

should write, call or stop in at Clarence Judd.

the county and community PMA American flag. committees.

are choosing three-man committees to represent them in the local administration of national farm programs. Each comto a county convention to be night program will be presented. held in Stratford on November 10 at which time the County PMA Committee will be chosen. Committeemen serve for one year unless re-elected.

"Land of Two Cus-Honored With Shower

subject, "Under the Elephants A something for someone Mrs. Leon Guthrie dis- shower was given Tuesday aftercussed "China, the Bamboo Curnoon in the home of Mrs. Emil To Stratford home.

Mrs. W. D. Ellis dismissed the a solo, "Mighty Like a Rose," by sion fee of 25 cents. by Mrs. Elmer Finch.

The hostesses, Mrs. Emil After much good advice

Sings For **Lions Club**

for Community Production and Stratford Lions Club Monday Thursday, November 9, at 7:30 dents who earn scholastic honors reau Federation, Leonard Cow-Production Marketing Admin- night in the Palace Cafe. The P. M. istration Farmer-Committee- group presented 10 vocal num- Since the beginning of

The election Tuesday will de- ceive a ballot in the mail and Collins, Doris Dortch, Carolyn There are nearly two million have purchased the B & L 5c

ticipating in any program ad- piano. This was followed by ciently and profitably, have

Voters in each of the County's San Diego, California were inimprove their own communities. Club Will Get three agricultural communities troduced as guests of the club. A special program to which munity will also send a delegate Monday night when a ladies cafeteria.

for Monday night.

Cone Donelson and Kenneth are program chairmen for the tion. following program.

Lions Will Bring Magician

Stratford Lions will present The public will be admitted to A short program consisting of the entertainment for an admis-

Mrs. James Cameron, a solo "A-Bye-Lo," by Linda Plunk, and a will meet in the school cafeteria home activities, in your interna-Railroad Commission. solo, "Daddy's Little Girl," by at 7:00 P. M. for their ladies tional farm youth exchange Phillips Petroleum Co. Bivins Mrs. Judd Mrs. Virgil Plunk, were given after which the gifts were preter sented to Mrs. Plunk in a pretty esses for \$1.25 per plate.. A re-standing the issues involved in cubic feet of gas with a rock basket that had been decorated served section of the auditorium the critical world situation to- pressure of 377 pounds. will be held for members of the day, and that you are develop- Phillips Petroleum Co. Dru-Lions Club attending.

Blanck, Mrs. Clyde Pittman, and "Raising a Baby" was given Mrs. Mrs. Elmer Finch, served deli- Plunk all departed, expressing their thanks to the hostesses on for a lovely afternoon.



Hallowe'en with assure Pamela with the backing treatment.

its weird of patient David Holcomb, that Fred Lee Green, Richard Wilured arm. Mr. King fractured Cocke, National Commander of masks and funny faces has it was all in fun, and that there liams and Tommy Wakefield. passed for another year, but was nothing to fear. The trio caught in the picture were re- of Bucky Walters, Billy Malone, to tiny Pamela Mitchell, a pa-hearsing for their Hallowe'en Dale Knight, Neil Jackson, and Center Friday I sincerely appreciate the tient in Scottish Rite Hospital frolic, one of the occasions in Bill Reed, former Elk stars. patronage of the people of this for Crippled Children in Dallas which the hospital brings joy to

4-H Achievement Day Program November 9

reminded this week that they Cherub Choir of the Christian a 4-H club boys and girls superiority in at least two sub- gressman Albert Gore of Tenhave only until 5:00 P. M. No- Church gave an enjoyable pro- achievement day program to be jects and must have passing nessee, Hassil Schenck, presivember 6 to cast their ballots gram at the meeting of the held in the school cafeteria grades in all his courses. Student of the Indiana Farm Bu-

bers with Mrs. F. D. Sutton at year Sherman County 4-H club privileges. R. C. Buckles, county PMA the piano. Paul Aduddell, Jr., boys and girls have been busy that the ballots which were Appearing in the choir under the fall they check results. They mailed to all known eligible the direction of Mrs. John voters in the county, may either Reaves were Holly Harrington, signated week, November 4 to 12. be mailed to the county office Frankie Aduddell, Jonna Knight, This is national 4-H achieveat Stratford or deposited there Kay Jacobs, Darrel Stublefield, ment week and will be observed From Leonards Jerry Leonard, Gary Leonard, by all 4-H club members "Any person who did not re- Gay Judd, Cleo Aduddell, Gayle throughout the state and nation.

believes he is eligible to vote Reaves, Paul Aduddell, Jr., and 4-H club members enrolled in 84,000 clubs in America. The Harold Leonard. The new ownthe county office," the chairman President W. O. Bryant pre- 4-H club members have produc- ers took possession of the busisided at the meeting. Walter ed and conserved food, have ness this week. In general, an eligible voter M. Pendleton led the opening made their homes more attracis an owner, operator, or share- song with Mrs. Walter Pendle- tive and liveable, have helped the store in connection with her cropper on a farm that is par- ton, club sweetheart, at the their farms produce more effi- work as a seamstress. ministered during 1950 through the pledge of allegiance to the helped improve community health conditions, and have Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Purdy of worked as responsible citizens to

change the meeting time from families will be invited to attend, School Banner 7:30 to 7:00 P. M. The change will be held Thursday, November

Jack Golladay and J. D. Mc- and girls in the various projects school band. Plans were made As a part of the program new to use in concerts.

> Secretary of Agriculture Charles F. Brannan sends 4-H club members the following greeting:

"In keeping with your 1950 New Well; ter World," you have produced abundant food for yourself and lest Nine those who need it. You have improved and made more athave practiced democracy in the Block 2. regular work of your 4-H Clubs. Test Nine Wells achievements in 1951.'

Russell Kelp **Enters Army** Air Corps

service in the Army Air Force. of 405 pounds. nanwood, Missouri.

Town Team Defeats Elks In 63-44 Game

tilt with the Stratford Town team in a 63 to 44 game Tuesday night. Marion Brannan was high point man for the Elks with a score of 16 points. Dale Knight was high point man for the Town Team, scoring 17 points.

Playing for the Elks were Marion Brannan, Gene Marshall, Elkettes To liams and Tommy Wakefield.

The town team was composed Play Cotton

of America.

Carroll Reed Wins Honors At Wentworth

LEXINGTON - Cadet Carroll Program arrangements have six weeks grading period at held in Mineral Wells, Novem-Wentworth Military Academy, ber 20-21-22, it has been an-Major Dallas C. Buck, dean, nounced by J. Walter Hammond. announces. Carroll qualified Federation president. distinction list.

Burgess Buys

10c - \$1 store from Mr. and Mrs

Mrs. Burgess plans to operate

The Band Boosters Club, in a last week, voted to secure a Roy M. Lathem. Awards will be made to boys school banner for the high their particular demonstrations. temporary drums for the band

program for ladies night. Dr. ed. The remainder of the ev- will be November 30. The club the near future. Huston Pearson and A. L. King ening will be spent in recrea- plans to sponsor a bake sale November 21

Locate One

tractive your homes and your announced one new drilling lo- Lathem, and three visitors, Missi Mrs. Walter Pen- for the wee-one and promised Bob Clark, popular Amarillo communities. You have im- cation for Sherman County. Elizabeth Zimmer of Amarillo Wednesday afternoon in the Not Back. Wils. Water refirst Methodist Church. Mr. dleton spoke on "The Moment to see that they were delivered gram in the school auditorium communities. You have improved your health and condito he or she, when they arrived gram in the school auditorium tions making for health in your the north and 2,640 feet from Mrs. A. J. Armstrong of Strat-Mrs. Joe Brown had charge of as the special guest at the Plunk at 8:00 P. M. next Monday night. homes and communities. You the west lines of section 11, ford.

You have shown, in your club Tests of nine completed wells O'Quin November 9. Stratford Lions and Lionesses meetings, in your farm and were made public by the Texas

ing yourselves into the kind of cilla No. 1 in section 6 of Block | Circle Three of the Christian useful citizens and leaders that 3-B was completed for 2.207 Womens Fellowship met in the the world needs today and in million cubic feet of gas with a home of Mrs. Frank Judd with the future. May all these out- rock pressure of 428 pounds. Mrs. R. C. Buckles as leader.

spur you on to even greater section 200 of Block 1-C was three visitors, and two children completed for .350 million cubic present. feet of gas with a rock pressure | Six daily devotionals, three of 418 pounds. Tascosa Gas Company Math- \$9.25 were reported.

ews No. 1 in section 71 of Block "The Christian Way To 2 was completed for .729 million Peace," was the topic of Mrs. F. cubic feet of gas with a rock D. Sutton. What Can Christpressure of 420 pounds.

Russell Kelp reported in Ama- completed for 2.574 million cubic devotional. rillo Wednesday morning for feet of gas with a rock pressure The next meeting will be in He will be assigned to the motor Tascosa Gas Co. Morris No. 1 Mrs. F. D. Sutton as leader.

repair division. For a time in section 24 of Block 2 was Kelp will be stationed at Len-completed for 2.513 million cubic completed for 2.513 million cubic feet of gas with a rock pressure of 405 pounds.

> in section 54 of Block was completed for 1.282 million cubic feet of gas with a rock pressure of 373 pounds.

rock pressure of 410 pounds. completed for 716 million cu- 12 points. bic feet of gas with a rock pressure of 410 pounds.

Greenwich village in New territory while I operated the it was not so funny. Nurse Ann the children from all over Tex- Franc was the first country the Cotton Center girls basket- Betty Jo Huggins, Letha Gail Washburn did her best to re- as who come to Scottish Rite for to recognize the United States ball team at Cotton Center Fri- Fedric, Martha Crabtree, and day night.

Farm Bureau Convention

Reed, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn been completed for the 17th an-Reed, Stratford, has earned nual convention of the Texas academic honors for the first Farm Bureau Federation to be for a place on the dean's special standing speakers of national prominence who will address the Fourteen boys and girls of the Plans are being completed for a student must demonstrate Tom Connally of Texas, Con-To qualify for this distinction meeting include U. S. Senator at Wentworth are given extra den of Amarillo, executive vicepresident of Consumers Cooperatives, W. R. McBeen, Dallas, executive director of Group Hospital Service, Inc., O. R. Long. Tennessee Field Representative for the American Farm Bureau Federation, Southern Region, Aubrey D. Gates, Director of Extension Service in Arkansas.

More than a thousand farm and ranch men and women from 200 Texas counties will be in attendance, Hammond said.

Mrs. Zimmer Hostess To Friendship Club

The Friendship Club met in the home of Mrs. Albert Zimmer Thursday of last week.

Club officers were elected for the coming year. Those elected are President, Mrs. Robert Bolin time will be effective for next 9, at 7:30 P. M. in the school meeting held Thursday night of W. E. Pleyer; and Reporter, Mrs.

Plans were made for a fare Daniel presented the program who have been oustanding in to raise money for securing home of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoc well party to be held in the Dyess, November 4 at 7:30 P. M. Kendrick will arrange for the 4-H club officers will be install—
The next meeting of the club who are moving to Amarillo in for Mr. and Mrs. John Zimmer,

Club members drew names for

Christmas. Refreshments were served to Mrs. Percy Pronger, Mrs. Alfred Pronger, Mrs. Kenneth Borth, Mrs. Rollo Newman, Mrs. Roscoe Dyess, Mrs. Robert Bolster, Mrs. John Zimmer, Mrs. Bradley, Mrs. Edd O'Quin, Mrs. George O'Quin, Mrs. W. R. Tay-Phillips Petroleum Company lor, Mrs. W. E. Pleyer, Mrs. Roy

> The next meeting of the will be in the home of Mrs. Edd

standing achievement in 1950 Tascosa Gas Co. Bertha in There were seven members,

books read, and a collection of

ians Do? was the subject dis-Tascosa Gas Co. Meader No. 1 cussed by Mrs. Paul Aduddell. in section 201 of Block 1-C was Mrs. R. C. Buckles gave the

the home of Mrs. Wiginton with

Tascosa Gas Co. Ruby No. 1 42 To 19 Over I own Girls

Stratford Elkettes won over Tascosa Gas Company Sher- the Stratford Town Team girls man No. 1 in section 33 of Block by a score of 42 to 19 Tuesday Stratford Elks lost their first 3-B was completed for .971 mil-night. Mrs. Gilstrap, fifth lion cubic feet of gas with a grade teacher, scored high with Tascosa Gas Co. Witt No. 1 in Avis Parrish, scored high points 12 points for the town team. section 200 of Block 1-T was for the Elkettes with a total of

Playing for the town team were Mrs. Gilstrap, Mrs. Stublefield, Mrs. Fritz Steinberger, Mrs. William L. Pendleton, Miss Arleen Hargrove, and Miss Lewis.

Playing basketball for the Elkettes were Jean Reynolds, Adele Cunningham, Price, Dorothy Nell Harding, Stratford Elkettes will play Charlotte Faris, Georgia Lowe, Mildred Bennett.

Reporter Muffed Chance To Win Over \$500,000

LOS ANGELES - A 27-year-old reporter who won \$10,721.15 in a Las Vegas, Nev., gambling house, could have won \$500,000 if he had understood the odds.

The reporter was \$1,800 in the hole before he got the dice and held them for 25 minutes without rolling a seven. During that time he commanded every \$25 chip on two tables in a free-spending casino.

Operators of the club said it would have been easy for him to win \$500,000 in that run of luck if he had comprehended the odds ful-

"Once I started hitting," the reporter said, "I followed the example of other gamblers around the table. I tried to blanket the board with bets and let my winnings ride.

"At one time I had \$500 on the come bet line, \$500 on every number on the table, and some other chips scattered here and there. Someone said there was as much as \$5,500 on the table at a single

The reporter added that he didn't understand about odds, and he couldn't ask the house man for explanation, because he had laryngitis and could hardly speak.'

Molten Steel

The thick-walled iron molds in which molten steel solidifies into ingots conduct away heat so rapidly that the steel solidifies before it can melt the mold

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PEACHES

HUNTS IN HEAVY SYRUP

CATSUP (Hunts)

Dream

Lands Dreamer in Jail

JAEN, Spain - Seventy-twoyear-old Juan Moral landed in jail because of a dream.

According to police shortly before the last national lottery drawing, Moral saw the number 28.221 in a dream.

Moral didn't have the 450 pesetas needed for the whole ticket, but that didn't matter. He was so sure it was a winner he started selling fractions of the number before buying the ticket. When he finally got around to that little detail the number had already been sold.

It was bad enough for Moral when 28,221 drew third prize of 3,000,000 pesetas (\$7,500).

But that wasn't all. Before they heard the sad news, three of the people to whom Moral had sold fractions had celebrat-

One, a sidewalk candy vendor, gave away his whole stock in a gleeful spree. Another, a circus owner, threw a party on the house that included everybody but the animals, and a factory owner treated his entire staff to

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HORTICULTURE

Lamb Production, Research Reveals

CHICAGO-A method to permit sheep to be bred twice a year, instead of only once as is customary, has been announced by Armour & Company.

Hormone Doubles

The company said that more than 100 ewes treated with a hormone in tests had a second lambing this summer after producing lambs last winter. The significance of the tests rested on the possibility of "fall lamb" becoming a regular factor in the market as well as the prized "spring lamb."

The hormone was administered to the animals by injection in the wool-free fold between the foreleg and the body. Response to the injection appears in five to seven

The experiment was suggested by Garvey L. Haydon, head of the lamb division of Armour. Mr. Haydon gave this appraisal of the economic importance of the discovery for sheep raisers:

"A farmer with 100 ewes may get 125 lambs in his spring crop. Those lambs and the wool are normally all the income he gets from the flock which he must feed and care for all

"However, by using this hormone technique at the right time, he may get a fall crop of 65 to 85 extra lambs. If it costs \$4 extra to raise these lambs to 85 pounds and they sell for around \$22 each, there is an extra profit of \$18 per lamb or \$1,-000 to \$1,500 a year for a flock of

The company said this year's preliminary experiments with the hormone had supplied data for further and more elaborate research next year. Many questions concerning the hormone remain to be answered, one being whether the ewes which bore the extra lambs this summer manifest their normal breeding season this fall or whether they will require new stimulation with the hormone.

Tiniest Product

One of the tiniest products of the steel industry is a coil spring which weighs only 12 millionths of a pound. Jewelers use them in necklace

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Plants Feed On Dry Milk

PULLMAN, Wash.-Believe it or not, scientists recommend giving flowers and vegetables milk to improve their growth and beauty.

Montana State College scientists have found milk is as good for some flowers and vegetables as it is for babies. Although the use of it in horticulture is new, many growers in the Pacific Northwest already are reaping benefits.

Commercial flower producers say milk makes petunias grow faster, last longer and bear larger and more brilliant blooms. It improves the color of roses, cinerarias and Chrysanthemums. Long, strong stems are commercially important for such flowers as roses and 'mums. The milk helps.

There are exceptions, however. For instance, research shows that milk shouldn't be given to poinsettias. And apparently it has no beneficial effect on carnations.

Vegetables Flourish

Milk-fed vegetables also do much better than those grown under ordinary conditions. One producer reported his yield of Bermuda onions jumped 35 per cent. A sugar beet grower counted results at the rate of 1,000 more pounds of sugar an acre. A little milk did a world of good for tomatoes. Roots and stems were stronger, fruit set was better and the quality of the tomato much mproved.

The experiment was conducted by V. E. Iverson, member of the Montana State College horticultural staff. It has been put in practical

use in a number of greenhouses. Milk is used in the early stages of plant growth. It is applied mainly to seedlings in the greenhouses before the plants are put in the field. The milk, fed either dry or fluid form, helps the seedlings get off to a good start. It appears to protect the young plants from at least two diseases—stunt virus and dampening off, which is rot condition caused by parasitic fungi. One greenhouse man reported he cut dampening off by 50 per cent.

Inexpensive Plant Food

Herman J. Feiden of Great Falls, Mont., a greenhouse operator, is sold on the use of milk. He mixes dried milk with bench soil. Other Fradet. growers have diluted milk and sprayed it into the soil.

Feiden buys dried milk in 250pound barrels. The cost is eight to 10 cents a pound, wholesale. The it doesn't add much to the expense of production, because it takes only half an ounce of dried milk per flat bed in growing flower seedlings.

Since milk for horticulture purposes is new, it hasn't caused any great reaction in the dairy industry so far, but dairymen might look into the chance to promote a new mar-

For "Home Office"

A very satisfactory desk can be constructed from two metal filing drawer sections and plywood. Place one file drawer on top of the other for one end. Use plywood for the top and other end. Finish the desk with colorful gloss or semi-gloss enamel to fit into the decorative scheme of your room. If the plywood has not previously been finished, give it a coating of sealer first, then of enamel undercoater efore the final coat is applied.

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FOR SALE: 21/2 Lots in South Stratford. Good location. East front. Trees on two sides. — Eugene McDaniel.

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TURKEYS For Sale. place orders in advance. T. W. Glover, Route 3, City, Okla.

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FREE REMOVAL of dead stock. Phone 633-W or 417-W Dalhart, Collect. —Dalhart Ren-

FOR SALE: One F-30 Farmall Tractor and One used Ford Tractor with lister and planter attachment. — Stratford Trac-

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In case you see Stray Calves or Yearlings in Sherman or Dallam Counties branded /T on left hip or /TU on right hip, lease notify Arthur or Frank

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FOR SALE: Westinghouse tank Great Falls greenhouse man says type sweeper \$79.95.— McMahen Furniture Co.

> FOR SALE: Two-room house on two corner lots, \$850.00.— See N. Foster or Lorraine Foster.

sell as ill health will force me to move to another climate. Mrs. Hollis Harrington. 50-

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Long distance household moving. Years of service your guarantee of satisfaction. -Bruce & Son Transfer & Storage Agents, North American Van Lines, Inc., Phone 192, Borger, Texas. 29-tfc

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FOR RENT: Furnished House; three rooms and a bath. See Maude McDaniel.

FOR RENT: Newly decorated 3-room furnished apartment. Call 2761 or see M. R. Robin-

LOST Or Loaned: Volumes 1 2, and 3 of "The Book House for Children." Please call Mrs. C.

NEW MODELS of the Kelvinator Refrigerators and Freezers now in stock. — Van B.

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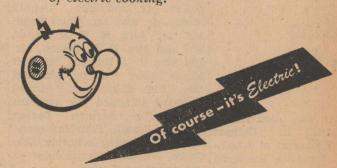
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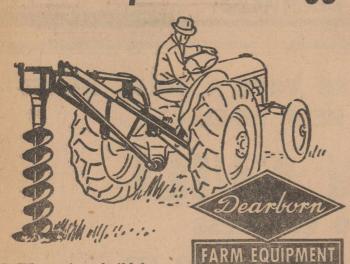
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'Poor' Lady Aids Hospital

NEW YORK—The strange case of Miss Margaret Williams Pierce, who lived alone in a dingy tworoom apartment and worked as a switchboard operator and receptionist until shortly before her death, has been made public by New York's memorial center for cancer and allied diseases.

On a late spring afternoon a year and a half ago, a shy, gray haired little woman appeared at the hospital. She was in pain, suffering from an advanced, inoperable cancer of the breast.

Regularly for the next year, the 62-year-old woman called at the hospital for treatment. She dressed plainly, and apparently was of

"She gave the impression she hadn't a penny to spare," a hospital spokesman said, "so she was not asked to pay private or even semiprivate charges.'

Pretended to be Poor This could have gone into the

thousands of dollars. Although there was no hope for curing her ailment, she was treated with new hormone compounds that give temporary relief from the great pain and swelling. Several times, when her illness was worse,

Frequently she told her attendants she had "never met with such kindness in my life.'

the hospital sent a nurse to care for

She responded well to the treatments. But as the doctors knew it would, the disease progressed, slowly sapping away the little woman's life. Last May she died.

When Miss Pierce took a sudden turn for the worse last May and was rushed to the hospital by taxi three days before her death, she said she lacked cab fare. But on putting her to bed a nurse found \$4,000 in currency on her person. After she died a will was found among her effects.

In it she left her safe deposit box to the research department of the hospital she had learned to love. Recently startled officials announced the contents:

Gold, jewelry, cash, stocks, bonds and passbooks to 15 bank accounts, with a total estimated value of \$150,-

Hospital Grateful

How she acquired the fortune remained a mystery. Her employer, her few acquaintances and relatives were unaware of her wealth. She wrote in her will: "I have always made it a policy through life not to incur debts, therefore there will be no debts to pay upon my decease, except funeral expenses and for my last sickness; the latter I will try to pay for as I go along. Said the hospital:

"The humanity she shied from will benefit greatly from her genrous bequest to the fight against its most brutal disease, cancer." Dr. George C. Escher of the hos-

"We are still in the pre-atom era as regards cancer. We need every dollar we can get for cancer research and this bequest makes me feel like a million dollars. I will never forget Margaret Pierce.

Toenail Trim Cut your toenails straight across and not shorter than the flesh.

Chemosphere Fuel for Space Ships

SAN ANTONIO, Tex.-Dr. J Kaplan, professor of physics, says a flight to the moon will not be too expensive if space ships fill their tanks with "chem-

Dr. Kaplan reports there is enormous photochemical activity produced by the sun in the region 26 to 70 miles above the earth surface.

"This region, low enough to be reached easily, is believed to be rich in the hydroxyl molecule, a recently discovered chemical, he said.

The hydroxyl molecule is overstuffed with energy, and Dr. Kaplan believes it or some other chemosphere component could be used to keep space ships going. He coined the word chemosphere to describe the 44-mile layer of space that is filled with energy.

All space ships will have to do is take on chemosphere and continue on their way. It solves the filling-station problem.

Plywoods

Previous to 1937, production of hardwood plywood exceeded that of softwood plywood. Due to the rapid growth of the Douglas fir plywood industry, production of softwood plywood has exceeded hardwood plywood since 1937, and now constitutes more than two-thirds of the total

Modern Classroom Seating Plan Puts Damper on Pranks

DALLAS, Texas-It's going to be tough for mischievous Johnny to get by with any pranks in the modern

School designers have discovered that the best seating arrangement places the teacher at the rear of the room, behind the pupils who face the chalkboard in front, says R. L. Biesele, Jr., head of the department of electrical engineering at Southern Methodist university.

The main objective of this arrangement is to give every pupil a. fair break and eliminate "areas of high brightness in the visual field, Professor Biesele pointed out in a report to Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass company.

It has another advantage, however. It makes for better discipline since pupils don't know whether teacher is looking or not.

After several years of research Professor Biesele determined that desks should be set in curves, rather than in straight lines, for best distribution of daylight through larger windows.

For Courteous Children

There would be few discourteous children if parents cared more about the child's appreciation of the rights of others than about his outward manners. Well-intended gestures of appreciation, even though awkward, should be encouraged—and eventually the child will conform to social demands.

Tumbler for Children

No need of crying over spilled milk if George W. Poncy of Jackson Heights, New York, has anything to say about it. Mr. Poncy has invented and patented a new type of tumbler for children. It has at the base a wide ring intended to prevent accidental tipping

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Natural Resources

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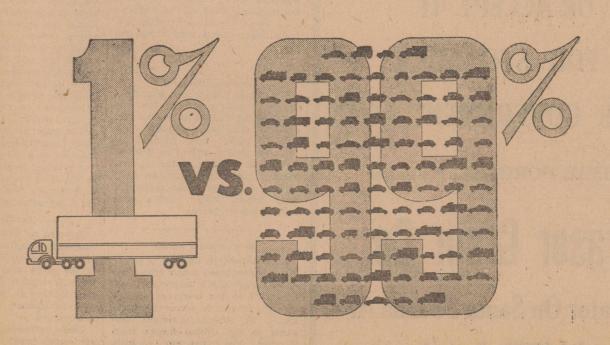
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long as 5,000 years ago, instead of

the 2,000 years ago as previously

estimated, according to the New

The announcement said hunting

and fishing Indians were living in the state about 5,000 B.C., around

the time the great pyramids on the

Nile were built. The announcement

was also described as one that

would "revolutionize archeological

The new findings were made by scientists of the school for nuclear

studies at the University of Chicago

and resulted from measuring the

amount of radioactivity remaining

in samples of charcoal excavated

from the fireplaces and cremation

pits of the oldest-known Indian vil-

lages in the state. The measure-

ment showed that the trees from

which the charcoal came had died

between 4,950 and 5,380 years ago.

New Method Used

earlier finding that the "bombard-

ment" of the atmosphere by cos-

mic rays created a natural radio-

active form of carbon which is a

part of the carbon dioxide in the

air taken in by plants and animals.

As long as these plants and animals

are alive, this radioactive carbon

is replenished, so that the amount in the body remains constant.

When the organism dies, no ad-

ditional radioactive carbon is ac-

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ent in the body begins to disinte-

grate at a constant rate. After 5,720

years, the evidence of this radio-

active carbon is only one-half as strong as it is at the time of death.

With the aid of special instru-ments, scientists at Chicago Univer-

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been able to determine the amount of evidence of radioactive carbon

in the remains of formerly living

things such as charcoal, mummy

cloth, basketry and seashells. Estab-

lishment of a ratio of this radioac-

tive evidence to the amount present

in the living body makes it possible

to determine how long ago the liv-

Nomadic People

fireplaces found in the village sites of the oldest-known Indian groups

in the state and similar samples

from cremation pits used by the

first Indians to become acquainted

with agriculture were sent to the

These earliest-known "New York-

ers" were bands of nomadic hunt-

ing and fishing people, according

to the state science service. Later,

their descendants acquired a knowl-

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Large Area Jarred As Meteor Explodes In Sky Near Paducah

NASHVILLE, Tenn. - The area from Paducah, Ky., to Nashville, Tenn., was jarred recently by a meteor which flashed through the sky and apparently exploded in the

The Illinois Central railroad dispatcher in Paducah said reports from all along his line to Memphis told of a jar of an explosion. He said a railroad signalman at Covington, Tenn., 40 miles north of Memphis, told of seeing a ball of fire in the sky getting larger and larger, then exploding.

At Murray, Ky., William Barnett, a filling station operator, reported a piece of the meteor fell on his farm. Observers said the object was about the size of a man's head.

One report of the sky flash was given in Memphis by American Airlines Capt. H. J. Garman, of Dallas, Tex. Garman had just landed a DC-6 with 41 passengers from Washington.

"We sighted that thing about 1:30 a. m some 50 miles east of Nashville," Garman said. "I was flying at 18,000 feet and it looked as though it came right across our nose.

'I tell you, I never saw such a brilliant flash of light before. It wasn't clear light. It seemed to be burning with an orange, yellow and blue flame. "I can't say for sure whether it

burned out in the air or hit the ground. I've seen hundreds and hundreds of meteors, but that was the lowest I ever saw one. It lit up the whole sky.'

Patrolman Albert K. Yancy at Paducah said witnesses reported the meteor lighted up the Paducah area about 3 a.m. so brightly that 'you could almost read a newspa-

Senate Dolls Up

The senate and house chambers in Washington were not the only areas of the Capitol to receive decorative attention, recently. The rotunda hadn't been painted for 19 years and it took five days of dusting to prepare it for its new coats of color. It now has an ivory ceiling, a maize center section, a deep brown frieze and a stone colored lower section.

New Optical Glass

A Northwestern university phycicist has developed a new type glass which may make important contributions to the world of science through its use in research instruments. Dr. Rudolph Frerichs, who came to the United States from Germany two years ago, recently discovered how to produce the first glass which can be easily molded and also has the ability to transmit infrared (heat) rays of extremely long wave lengths. These two characteristics may make the glass For Better Values Shop The Star.

Average American Spends More on Auto Than Rent

CHICAGO, Ill. - The average American bread - winner spends more money on the family car each year than he does on rent.

That may be one reason so many people have trouble balancing the family budget.

But Dean Keefer, head of the safety engineering department of Lumbermens Mutual Casualty company, reports that there are at least two ways to save money on your car operation.

One good way is to watch the speed of your driving. On a thousand mile trip, he says, you can save \$12.22 by averaging 45 miles an hour instead of 55. You can save \$19.36 by driving 35 miles an hour instead of 55. Lower per mile gas consumption is the reason.

Keefer's other money-saving recommendation is to make repairs promptly. He says it can be very expensive in the long run to postpone them. Faulty brakes, bad steering gear, etc. get worse the longer they are neglected, he points out, and by not fixing them promptly you are not only increasing your eventual repair bill, you are also inviting a costly accident.

Tanning

The first machine for tanning sole leather was a simple horse-driven stone mill that ground oak bark. It was invented in 1626 by Peter Minuit of New York.

Pasture-Raised Turkeys Turkeys raised on pasture devel-

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Here are excerpts from two decisions by the Supreme Court of Texas:

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"In Koy v. Schneider, 110 Tex. 383, 218 SW 479, 221 SW 880, it was declared that the qualified elector who participated in a primary and took the statutory pledge was legally free to vote as he chose in the General Election."-Love v. Wilcox, Supreme Court of Tex., 28 SW (2d) 515.

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There are some 6,700 stone steps in Tai Shan's shanks'-mare escalator. They ascend only the steeper rises of the mountain's 15-miles Pan Lu, or Pilgrim Way. Untold millions of pilgrims through 40 centuries have struggled to the 5,069-foot summit to worship "nearest Heaven."

Confucius in his day (500 B.C.) was one of their number. The pilgrims have caused the winding route to become ever more lined with holy temples and towers, and with tea houses and huts to cater to the swarming humanity. Peacetime visitors in the spring have often numbered 10,000 a day. Annually on October 10, Chinese Republican day, every school child, every soldier for miles around joins the worshipers and sightseers climbing

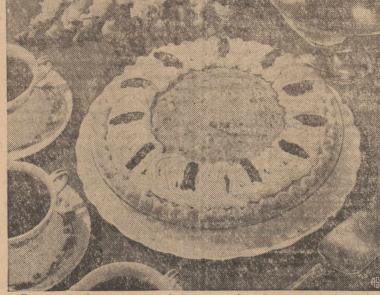
The true pilgrim first worships at ancient Tai Temple, in the walled village of Taian. He then passes through the North Gate to start the mountain ascent past myriad Every Woman Loves Flowers, shrines with flowery names. At each he gives at least one coin.

There are the Heavenly Book Temple, the Temple of the Divine Employee, the two Halls of Brighter Vision, the Tower of 10,000 Fairies, the Heavenly Teapot Tower, the Temple of Fairy Dreams, Lotus Flower Peak, and Cliff of the Love

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1 envelope unflavored gelatine
1/2 cup water
1/2 cup sugar

2 tablespoons lemon juice
4 teaspoon salt
3/4 cup chopped, cooked prunes
2/3 cup icy cold evaporated milk
Soften gelatine in water. Mix together sugar, salt and flour in
saucepan; add prune liquid. Cook, stirring constantly until mixture
thickens. Remove from heat; add gelatine, stir until dissolved. Add
lemon juice. Chill until slightly thicker than unbeaten egg white. Beat
with rotary egg beater until fluffy. Stir in chopped prunes. Whip
evaporated milk. Fold gelatine into whipped milk. Turn into 9-inch
baked pie shell. If desired garnish with whipped cream and pieces
of prune. YIELD: 1 9-inch pie. of prune. YIELD: 1 9-inch pie.

Highball

NEW HAVEN, Conn. - The

The report was a study by Dr. on of Knickerbocker Hospital,

From this study they concluded the body is really craving salt, even though the palate says alcohol. There is nothing imaginary behind this sensation. It is purely physical reaction that

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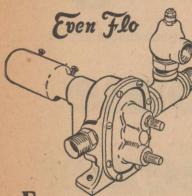
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Prune Chiffon Pie

1 tablespoon flour 34 cup cooked prune liquid 2 tablespoons lemon juice

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tural engineering of the Pennsyl-

vania state college. It also is a

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family. It helps the cows to give

more milk and the hens to lay more

eggs, and it may save the garden

Running Water Helps Water under pressure on the

Salt Water Recommended

Quarterly Journal of Alcohol carried a report recently that suggested one should take a drink of salt water when he has reached the stage of really craving alco-

W. D. Silkworth and Dr. M. Tex-N. Y. They analyzed the blood of persons who had been drinking heavily enough to be hospitalized. In all cases they found the salt reduced.

fools the senses.

The recommended salt drink, than an ordinary glass of water

New Electric Sander **Designed for Number** Of Household Uses

CHICAGO, Ill. - One bugaboo haunting housewives' attempts to repaint furniture is the need to remove the old paint to assure a professional-like job.

An electric sander, invented by Albert J. Dremel of Racine, Wis., and manufactured by the firm bearing his name, has solved the problem, and, in the process, has converted thousands of housewives into home furniture renovators.

Ordinarily, the thought of sanding by hand to eliminate the old stubborn paint is usually enough to convince a housewife to turn the job over to her husband, or to change her thinking that the old chair or table is in need of a new finish.

Weighing only two and a half pounds, the machine completely eliminates the need for hand sanding in refinishing old tables, floors, chairs, or other furniture or wood-

Here's how it works: Just plug the cord into any regular AC outlet and press the switch located on top of the sander which compactly fits the hand. That's all there is to it. The sander's vibrating motion at the rate of 14,400 strokes a minute will

The sanding surface is designed to work on either flat, curved, or round surfaces, and to get into tight corners or other awkward spots easily and efficiently.

The sander comes equipped with several sheets of sandpaper of varying grades. Clamps at either end of the machine hold the sandpaper firmly during the sanding operation. When fine sanding is desired, it is a simple matter—it takes only a few seconds-for the housewife to insert a sheet of fine sandpaper between the clamps.

Versatility is another strong feature of the sander. With sandpaper removed and a polishing pad substituted, it becomes an efficient polisher for furniture, linoleum-even shoes. With polishing pad removed, it serves effectively as a massager, giving quick relief to tired muscles.

New Policies U.S. families last year bought more than 22 million new life insurance policies—an average of

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nearly one for every second fami-

U.S. Investing More In Pupils, Poll Shows

WASHINGTON - The average cost of sending a pupil to public school increased from \$88 in 1940 to \$206 in 1949, or 134 per cent, the U.S. chamber of commerce report-

However, adjusting the 1940 expense to the 1949 cost of living discloses a "real increase in investment per pupil of approximately 37 per cent," the survey said.

But the national income shot up faster than school expenditures. The study, compiled by the chamber's education committee, said the percentage of total income devoted to education dropped from 2.55 per cent in 1940 to 2.27 in 1949. The two highest states in terms

education last year were South Dakota with 3.65 per cent, and New Mexico with 3.6. The lowest were Missouri with

of percentage of income spent on

1.76 per cent, and Massachusetts with 1.64. The highest states in average pupil expenditure last year were New York, \$312; Montana, \$302;

New Jersey, \$298, and Connecticut, The lowest were Kentucky. \$109; Alabama, \$105; Arkansas, \$102, and

Leather Soles

Mississippi, \$73.

Leather soles have been cut in right and left shapes only during the last 75 years. Before that shoes had identical rights and lefts!

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SECOND FRIDAY NIGHT OF EACH MONTH

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Director Hates Bananas Except With His Gorilla

CLEVELAND, O .- Fletcher Reynolds, director of the Cleveland 200, wishes he had never heard of bananas, or roast beef, or plums and pears. And all because of a little girl gorilla

The baby ape, Yokadouma, was brought from Africa earlier this year weighing a healthy 50 pounds. But after a while she stopped eat-

In desperation, Mr. Reynolds climbed into her cage with two bananas. One he ate; the other he offered Yokadouma. Watching him she ate also. But she would only take a bite when he did. For two weeks Mr. Reynolds set

an example for her by eating more bananas, roast beef, plums and He gained 10 pounds. Yokadouma

gained too. but she was still underweight and the eating contest con-

Literary Masterpieces

Literary authorities tell us that the greatest masterpieces in literature are the Lord's Prayer, the 23rd Psalm, and Lincoln's Gettysburg address.

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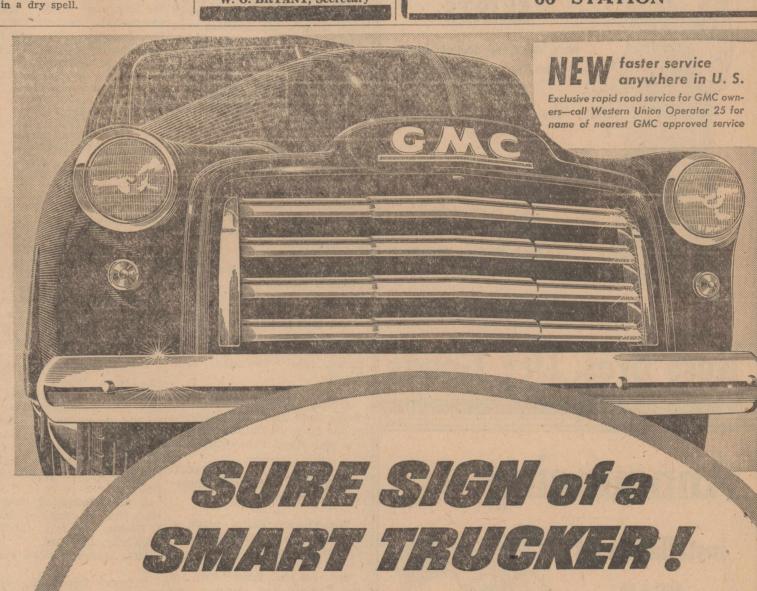
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Local News

Mrs. Violet Beard, Amarillo, was a week-end guest in the tives. home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Chisum.

Mrs. James Belt, who has been Tuesday. a guest in the home of Mrs. D. L. Buckles, returned to her home in Oklahoma City, Saturday, Diego, California, are guests in with her husband, who also the home of Rev. and Mrs. John visited here the latter part of Reaves this week.

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Mrs. Clyde Pittman and Duane are spending the weekend in Clarendon visiting rela-

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Price were business visitors in Amarillo

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Purdy, San

Mrs. J. K. Richardson returned Monday night from a visit in the home of her son, Dr. Kenneth Richardson and family in Sweetwater, Texas.

Mrs. Arthur Ross, Mrs. Lorraine Mehner and Ann Frances returned Monday from visits in Stephenville, Weatherford, Dallas and Fort Worth, Texas.

Mrs. May Placey, Hot Springs, New Mexico, was a week-end visitor in the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Harbour and family in Kerrick.

Mrs. M. R. Robinson and Burt Tuesday night. Chucko were dinner guests in

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Mr. and Mrs. Lester Plunk

Mrs. Dow Winn, Dallas, visited escing. in the home of her sister-in-law. Mrs. T. L. Taylor several days

were business visitors in Ama- us, they prove it. We appreciate and Mrs. D. L. Buckles. rillo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Spurlock they take great interest in us. are moving to Stratford to make We take pride in our parents, their home. Mr. Spurlock, who community, teachers, and felhas been employed at Cactus low students. We appreciate for several years, is retiring.

for Fort Davis, Texas, after resister was very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Allen were Weets With visitors in Amarillo Wednesday.

in Tulia Saturday afternoon for nesday in the home of Mrs. By-

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Coats were business visitors in Dalhart

Mrs. E. J. Massie and John er for the day, Mrs. Arthur Fol-Marvin Wilson visited friends som, who gave the following inand relatives in Dodge City, teresting program. Kansas from Thursday until son theme, "Think on These

in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Royal Pendleton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Watson day of last week.

J. G. Cabbell, Borger, District Superintendent of the Panhandle Division of the Southwestern Public Service Co., was a business visitor here Monday.

Among the college students spending the week-end with parents in Stratford were Howard Hart, Jackie Vincent, Wendolyn Flores, and Jack Reed.

Mrs. Van D. Dowda left Tuesday for her home in Helena, Arkansas after a visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Butler. Mrs. Cone Donelson and Mrs. E. W. Butler accompanied Mrs. Dowda to Amarillo.

Clyde Pittman will attend a school in Oklahoma City Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Cummings and Cynthia, and Mrs. Harold Leonard were business visitors in Amarillo Monday.

G. L. Taylor was a business visitor in Colorado Sunday and

Mrs. Marguerite Wilson visited relatives in Dodge City, Kansas

Frank Sutton, Randolph Mc-Adams, and Miss Rowena Mc-Adams drove to Iola, Kansas

The No Squeeze Way Is Child's Play devotionals conducted. An of-



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Mrs. Alex Coats

APPRECIATION

more the fact that we know they

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ron Fedric with Mrs. Bob

The meeting was called to or-

A short discussion of the les-

A very interesting letter was

read from a cousin of Mrs. D.

Mrs. Leonard joined our cir-

A report was made of

missionary in Japan.

The devotional was given

The Senior Class

had as guests Sunday and Monday, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Reeder, Bushland.

this week.

their helping us in our big event of the year, our carnival. Mrs. H. A. Nichols left Sunday

ceiving word Saturday that her

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Foster and Wrs. Fedric Tommy accompanied Mr. and Circle One of the C.W.F. Mrs. Paul Spruell to their home the Christian Church met Wed-

Stublefield as hostess. der by the Circle Leader. The Monday. business was disposed of and the

Things," was given by the lead-Johnny Lyons, a student at Texas Tech, spent the week-end by Mrs. Jewell Dovel. Mrs. Ida Billington gave a very interesting article on "Japan Calls."

Mrs. Clyde Hill gave a discussion on "What It Means to be a were visitors in Amarillo Thurs-Refugee."

Miss Patricia Kalka made a business trip to Amarillo Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kelp of Hot Springs, New Mexico, are books being read and 12 daily twice a day guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kelp.

fering of \$13.38 was taken. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Ida Billington child. The wisest parents guide in with Mrs. Jewell Dovel as leader. The meeting was closed with the missionary benediction.

The hostess served delicious refreshments and an enjoyable time was spent visiting.

Mrs. O'Brien Entertains **El Martes**

Mrs. J. C. O'Brien very graciously entertained with "42" the El Martes Club in her home Tuesday afternoon. present included two guests and thirteen members. Mrs. John Kidwell won high score for the afternoon. After an enjoyable interlude of "42," the hostess, Mrs. O'Brien, served lovely refreshments to the guests.

A short business meeting was held with the following officers being elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. W. A. Milton, President; Mrs. Royal Pendleton, Sethe home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Tuesday to bring home the car cretary-Treasurer; Mrs. John belonging to Mrs. Sallie V. Mc- Knight, Reporter.

Honor Guests I wish to thank all my friends With Dinner for the kindness shown me while in the hospital and conval-

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Buckles entertained with a dinner in their home Friday evening, honoring Mr. and Mrs. James Belt of We know the teachers and our Oklahoma City. Other guests Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Price, Wil- parents are backing us to the were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Milliam Leslie, Jeanne and Lelah fullest extent because in helping ton, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Davis,

Ability to Sleep Deeply Of Vital Concern to All

While sleep has been an important part of the routine of living since the beginning of time, very little is actually known about it. Science has found that during sleep large muscles relax first, tiny ones last. The power to make conscious movements and the sense of smell go first-then vision, hearing and touch follow in that order. The metabolic rate becomes slower.

Just recently, Dr. Henry K. Beecher, Door professor of research in anaesthesia at Harvard Medical school, discovered that the transition from wakefulness to sleep involves the shifting of brain activity from the back to the frontal region of the brain. Dr. Beecher is continuing his work on the many other physiological mysteries con-

cerning sleep. However, what really happens during sleep is not of nearly so great concern to most of us as meeting turned over to the lead- being able to sleep restfully so that fatigue and tension can be eliminated from our lot of life's little probably responsible for more personality changes, more dissension, more failures than any other one

> To "set the stage" for relaxing slumber pays great dividends in health, success and enjoyment of life. It must start with well constructed, comfortable bedding which yields proper support for correcting fatigue posture. Good ventilation, quiet, darkness, loose nightclothes are other important "props" for setting the stage.

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Chester Guthrie, Leon Guthrie, Woodrow Gay, R. C. Ferguon, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Moon, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Miam, Walter M. Pendleton, and Ernest Hubbard attended the banquet and program at Boog's Steak House in Dalhart Thursday of last week, held in honor of Erle Cocke, National Commander of the American Legion.

Rev. Williams **Funeral Held** Friday

Funeral services for Rev. S. M. Williams, a former pastor of the local Methodist Church, were held Friday at Mount Vernon, Texas, according to brief details of his death received by friends of the family here.

Stubble Fire **Caused Alarm Tuesday Night**

Fire in the A. W. Allen stubble field North of Stratford burned over an estimated 6 to 8 acres of land Tuesday night before the flames were brought under control by volunteer fire fighters and the Stratford Fire Department.

Mr. Allen had burned weeds in fence rows Tuesday and it RELIGIOUS UNITY was presumed that a smoulderng ember whipped by the wind uesday night spread the fire.

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ing signs of a business slump. tributing factor there is a greater primary cause.

"We are being jaw-boned into a depression," observers say. They point to the great number of bureaucrats, from cabinet rank on down, who miss no opportunity to cry "Wolf."

An example of this is the statement by Commerce Secretary
Sawyer that heavier taxes, serious shortages, and business controls can be expected for many

years to come.

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Observers say Sawyer may or
may not be a competent Commerce Secretary. But all agree he is illequipped to assume the role of a prophet; even less qualified in international relations. * * * *
It is pointed out that bureau-

crats were almost openly scornful when Gen. MacArthur in July said the turn in Korea had been Yet, MacArthur with inspired American fighting men scored a

success. But since the end of World War II in 1945 no single bureau plan for the promotion of peace has succeeded. * * *
According to all reports, there
is now a concerted drive to keep

war scares and rumors flying so that the people will not get curious about domestic affairs. * * *
Responsible military men are saying nothing. Some did explain how peace could be secured;

were immediately cracked down on by bureaucracy. The facts are that socialistic planners have been uncurbed too

(C)National Federation of Independent Business

Now there's only two alternatives. One is to honestly admit what has happened. The other is to further socialize private enter-

Washington observers don't look for honesty. They see, in-stead, the drive under way to further socialize America being

The plan is "Scare them to death, and a frightened people will sign away their freedom."

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In the meantime, bureaucratic

spending of taxes takes weird forms. Now, it develops Marshall Plan funds are being used to play traffic cop to the world. * * * *
ECA Bulletin #6 reports that
Marshall Plan funds have been used to build a traffic inspection station in Athens so Athenian police can check vehicle registra-

Use of American tax dollars for such purposes could create a storm that would topple over enstorm that ...
tire bureaus.

tion, license plates, brakes and

So public attention is kept focused on a constant series of alarms. Loud mouthed bureaucrats fail to realize they are shattering public morale; slow-ing down the American economy.

And this fact may cause the eventual disappointment of Socialist planners.

For when, and if, they take over the goose that laid the golden eggs—independent Amer-ican enterprise—they may find the goose died from fright.

A PLAN FOR

(By Clyde Aly) Text: Ephesians 4:3-6.

unity of the Spirit in the bond and one Spirit, even as ye are apostles taught. If all were inbaptism, one God and Father of all who is above all, and through all, and in you all."

The one Spirit is the Holy Spirit, almost every one will admit. The Spirit revealed the and will not fellowship with

"Howbeit when he, the Spirit strange situation? not speak of himself; but what- one Holy Spirit. he speak and he will show you the Bible are false. Those

the spirit of the world, but the II Cor. 11:13. Spirit which is of God; that we are freely given to us of God." eternal life, in the world

made known unto the sons of place for the obedient and faithmen, as it is now revealed unto ful. John 14:1. His holy apostles and prophets "For we know that if the by the Spirit." Eph. 3:6.

the truth to the apostles but he from God, a house not made also enabled them to confirm with hands, eternal, in the heavthe word preached by miracles ens." II Cor. 5:1. and signs. Mark 16:20, Heb.2:3.

he certainly works in harmony

to have their origin through an inspired man or woman since the days of the apostles of Christ. For example, the Mormons claim that Joseph Smith "Endeavoring to keep the received special revelation from the Spirit. Yet, what he taught

differs from what the inspired

called in one hope of your call- spired by the Holy Spirit, they ing; One Lord, one faith, one would have all taught the same things. There are several religious bodies that claim to receive the baptism of the Spirit, they all teach and believe differently

each other. Is this not a of truth, is come, he will guide All truth is in harmony with you into all truth for he shall all related truth. There is only soever he shall hear, that shall revelations that differ from

things to come." John 16-13. making the claims are false "Now we have received, not apostles, deceitful workers. Without lengthy might know the things which the universal hope of man is

come. Mark 10:30; Col. 1:5. "Which in other ages was not Christ has gone to prepare a

earthly house of our tabernacle Not only did the Spirit reveal be disolved, we have a building

However, there are some There is only one Spirit and ceptions to the one true hope of heaven. Some have the false with himself. There are a num- hope of reigning with Christ ber of religions today claiming here on earth instead of going to heaven in glory. The early Christians looked forward to a heavenly home. Heb. 11:16.

Address comments and queries to the Church of Christ, Box 631. "We Strive Not to Be the Only Christians, But to Be Christians

Two Cases In **County Court**

Two cases are of record in County Court. Billy Joe Ross, charged with driving at night without lights, and with driving on the city streets at a speed in excess of 30 miles an hour, was

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Clayton E. Webster, charged with driving on a public high way at a speed in excess of 6 miles an hour, was fined \$22.10

Sunray Will Play Here Tuesday

Three Sunray basketball teams will play here Tuesday night of next week with the opening game starting at 6:30. Games will be played between the Junior High girls, Junior High boys, and the Senior girls.

Bad for Calves

There's trouble ahead when calves make pigs out of themselves on pastures, veterinarians warn. Calves under six months of age are unable to store large amounts of grass, due to underdevelopment of the rumen. Moreover, grass is largely water and does not provide nutrients in the volume needed for rapid growth. The result, usually, is that the youngsters scour and fail to gain weight, especially if they fill up on grass and refuse grain.

Wether Lambs Sex hormones are regarded as a

promising means of making wether lambs attain market weight faster on less feed.

Old Mother Goose Joins 'Cold War' on Soviet

WASHINGTON - The Voice of America is using nursery stories on its overseas propaganda broadcasts to kid Moscow's extravagant charges against the west. They try to expose by ridicule the upside-down arguments of Jacob Malik, Soviet delegate to the United Nations security council.

The voice version of Mr. Malik says Cinderella was a victim of craven monopolists, and what's more, her case is on the agenda illegally. Mr. Malik is quoted as saying the sparrow that killed Cock Robin was just on a training mission, and was not armed. The unfortunate fate of Little Red Riding Hood's grandmother-says Malikcannot be discussed before the wolf is consulted.

This music-hall approach to propaganda is used in the voice's political cabaret program. This broadcast is beamed to eastern Europe, where the people are used to political farces on the stage.

The voice stories try to show that Mr. Malik's reports on international affairs are just as absurd as the upside-down nursery stories.

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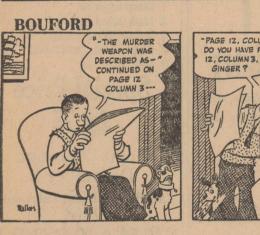
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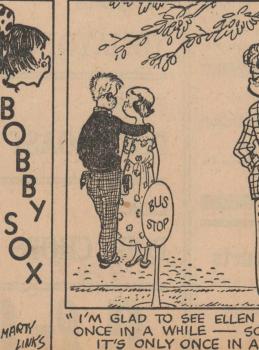
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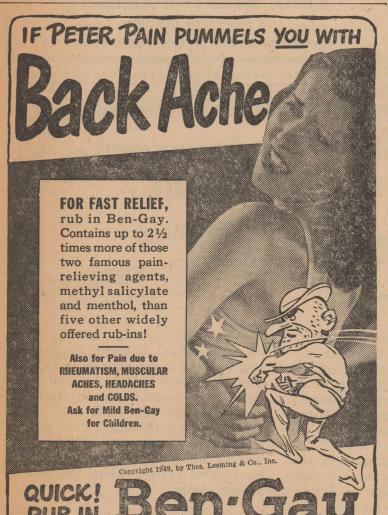
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DEVOTIONAL READING: Psalm 25:4-14.

By DR. KENNETH J. FOREMAN

Your Worst and Best

Lesson for November 5, 1950

"Within my earthly temple there's a crowd:
There's one of us that's humble, one that's proud;
There's one that's broken-hearted for his sins,
And one that, unrepentant, sits and grins.
From much perplexing doubt I could be free,
If I could once be certain which is me."

FROM some anonymous rhymester comes this complaint, which any of us might have truthfully written if we had thought about it. Which is me, anyway? I seem to have three selves. One is

a good deal better than my everyday or ordinary self. On rare occasions he will do something or other so good it surprises even my best friends - it "isn't like me." On the other side is another self,

much worse than Dr. Foreman my everyday personality. He too surprises me by acts or thoughts so dreadful I am afraid of him and ashamed too. Yet both these "other selves" are "me" too.

. . . Life is a Fight

THE TRUTH of the business is that life, when a man takes it seriously, is a fight. It is a war between your best and your worst self. Your two other-selves are there every moment, like ghosts, or rather like a bright angel and a dark

It is always possible to become a better man than you are; also, alas, it is possible to become far worse than you are. No man stays the same through life. He is continually pressing upward, or plunging downward, or varying between the two. There has been only one person, Christians believe, who actually fulfilled all the good that was possible for him. The possibilities for evil in his life remained only possibilities—he never let

other hand, became real. His dark angel remained only a ghost; his good angel was simply his real self. At no point in his life was he forced to say to himself. "I wish and the self was a self and the self was a self was forced to say to himself, "I wish I had . . . I wish I had not." And yet, even for him life was a strug-gle. We do not believe he sinned We do believe he was tempted; and if the temptetion was real, the help if the temptation was real, then he could have sinned. No man can be really tempted to do what he cannot do. Yes, the Master had his fight. But the point is: he won.

The Way to Win

CHRISTIANS are not exempt in this war of good against evil. We are not "carried to the skies on flowery beds of ease" any more than Jesus was. We do not drift into the Promised Land. We have to fight our way uphill.

Yet Christians are expected to win. That is, God stands beside each Christian in his fight, and God's power is for the Christian's use. As Saint Paul says, with each temptation God provides a "way of escape." Our prayer "Lead us not into temptation" can always be answered. Sometimes it can be answered by ourselves. That is, we cannot leave the fight to God.

But we can win as Jesus won: sometimes by standing and doing battle where we are, sometimes simply by leaving temptation behind. For often the best thing to be done is to retreat. Get as far as you can from whatever tempts your worse self. Don't stand debating between right and wrong when you know which is which. Turn your back on the wrong . . . run, don't walk, to the nearest exit!

Is Alcoholism a Disease?

ONE OF the common temptations of millions at all times is alcoholism. It is popular to speak of this as a "disease;" and yet it is the only disease of which victims have actually cured themselves.

Dr. Brady, whose medical column is well known, reminds us that nobody ever got over migraine headaches, or heart disease, simply by deciding to be well. But men and women have got over alcoholism, essentially by deciding to be well, and sticking to that decision.

Alcoholics Anonymous, that wellknown group of former victims, who have been very successful in helping slaves of this habit to become their best selves, use much the same methods we find in the New Testament: (1) staying out of temptation's way, (2) overcoming evil with good; and (3) laying hold of the "Power, not ourselves, that makes for righteousness."

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Nobody Produces Any Toys, **Plaint of Soviet Mothers**

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> One co-op tried to manufacture dolls but mothers rejected them as "monstrosities." The complaints were published in a Soviet publication, The Baku Worker.



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Mrs. Wakefield Entertains Circle Two

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> A short business meeting was conducted and the meeting was turned over to the program other leader for the day, Mrs. H. E. Lowe, who gave the following

Mrs. L. L. Lyon gave the devotional on "Peace." Mrs. June Salesman sang "Sweet Peace the Gift of God's Love." "The Victory the World Needs," was discussed by Mrs. Elmer Hudson. Celebrate," was the topic for Mrs. Everett Palmer's talk.

The next meeting will be in and the program leader will be Mrs. J. R. Pendleton.

The meeting was closed by the missionary benediction. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess while a social period was enjoyed by

Small Homes Council Offers Some Valuable Suggestions

The lowest-cost house can be as livable and as successfully decorated as a large home, declares the small homes council at the University of Illinois in issuing a revised edition of its circular on "Interior

It points out that "interior design must serve the living habits of you and your family; satisfy your ideas of comfort, beauty, economy, and ease of maintenance; and satisfy the broader standards of good design.'

Text of the circular is by Prof. James R. Shipley of the art department; designs and illustrations are by William S. Pusey, Small Homes Council artist.

Among suggestions presented are: Don't clutter your rooms with too much furniture.

Keep conversational groups away from lines of traffic. Pull chairs out of far corners; group chairs

Place tables and lamps near chairs and sofas. Where possible, make a table and lamp serve two or more seats. Hang pictures at eye level.

Furnishings should be similar in scale to achieve harmony. A small, beside a large davenport. Diagonal pieces in corners waste

Strive for ease of maintenance. Eliminate bric-a-brac, excessive carving, and anything else that makes cleaning difficult.

Home Skating Rink

Before attempting to make a backyard skating rink by flooding there should be several inches of frost on the ground, with the air temperature well below freezing, 25 degrees or even lower. The first water should be spread very thinly, so that it will be quickly cooled. If not, the heat in the water may thaw the ground in one spot, and the rest of the water will soak into it. After a good base coat of ice is established, apply about an inch of water and let it freeze on top of the first layer. Repeat this until it is thick enough to cover any grass or other stubble that might stick through. Apply as little water as possible at one time and don't let it run very long on any one spot

Strength of Materials New basic information dealing with the irregularities of atomic arrangements in solids-believed to be the key to the study of the strength of materials—may soon be greatly increased as a result of recent Rutgers university research. Austrianborn Dr. Alfred J. Reis, research specialist in the state university's bureau of engineering research, and Sigmund Weissman, his associate, have used X-rays to produce more accurate and complete pictures of these irregularities than ever made before. The work is being sponsored by the office of naval research.

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Ragweed The scientific name of ragweed is ambrosia. Sounds very nice.

Atomic Energy Turned Directly

CHICAGO-Scientists have discovered the first practical method energy into useful electricity. Their accomplishment, acclaimed as a significant advance in nuclear research, does not involve the use of boilers, steam-driven dynamos or other intermediate steps to convert the one kind of energy into the

The device perfected for the conversion of atomic energy is called a neutron thermometer. As a mechanical watchdog it enables atomic furnaces to be run at top efficiency without danger of explo-

The thermometer has been used so

far only to harness the atom for the generation of a feeble current ap-"Colegio Ward's Quintuplets proximately one-quarter of a watt. It weighs two ounces, six and a half inches long and one-half inch in diameter. It was first installed in an atomic furnace in 1944. It is the home of Mrs. Harmon Lowe said to be one of the principal devices that enabled the government vastly to increase its production of

plutonium, an atomic bomb ingre-New Measuring Devices

Hundreds of thousands of dollars have been spent in perfecting the thermometer to its present state of efficiency in using what is known as the Seeback effect to transform heat into electrical energy

It will probably be the forerunner of a host of new type atomic measuring devices, including a dosimeter to be worn by civilians for measuring the amount of lethal radiation to which they have been exposed in an atomic bomb explosion.

Because the new detection devices will generate their own current they will need no batteries or periodic re-charging such as are required by present day instruments. These are regarded as too complicated for civilian use in the event of atomic

When used to control atomic furnaces several of the new thermometers are inserted directly into the invisible fires of atom-smashing devices. There they spot check atomic combustion at various points and levels within the furnace.

Wires leading from the thermometers run outside the furnace and carry the electrical current generated by the instruments.

Reduce Furnace Size

This electrical energy, which is directly proportionated to the efficiency of the atomic fires, operates control instruments for speeding up or lowering the atomic reaction at any point in the furnace.

The new thermometers will replace older regulating mechanisms that relayed their signals through

Conceivably the new thermometer, it is estimated, can help reduce atomic furnaces to less than onefifth their present size. It also is presumed that the instrument is one of the key factors on which A.E.C. scientists are said to be depending in their previously announced efforts to build an atomic furnace small enough to power a submarine.

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President Miguel Aleman, flanked by his military staff, accepted the flags as Ambassador Walter Thurston read a message from President Truman that said the flags were returned with assurance of "friendship, understanding, respect and peace.

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