

Seniors To Give Annual Play Next Friday

Stratford Seniors will present their annual class play in the school auditorium at 7:30 P. M. Friday, April 4.

cast of characters are: Buddy Palmer, Jean Reynolds, Kenneth Wilson, Emma Jean Luther, Edwin Seaman, Georgia Lowe, Ellwood Gillis, Dorothy Nell Harding, Tommie Wakefield, Charlie Boren, LaNelle Naugle, Joy Fay Garringer, and Joyce Palmer.

CARD OF THANKS
Thanks friends, for the flowers, cards and nice gifts, and a special thanks to my little friends who visited me while I

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was shut in.
Carol Reeder

CARD OF THANKS
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Leslie Dodson.

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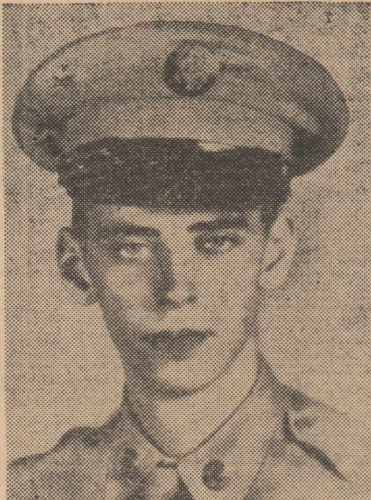


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for the nice cards, flowers, and letters that were sent to me while in the hospital and for the visits. Thanks.
Mrs. Doss Brewer



BACK FROM DEAD? . . . P.F.C. Oliver Munn, believed dead and buried in a casket in New York City nine months ago, has been listed by the Reds as a prisoner of war.

Stevie Lovett Celebrates Third Birthday

Stevie Lovett was honored with a birthday party Friday, the occasion being her third birthday. Those helping her celebrate were Cindy Hell, Martha Nell and Henry Purnell, Ronald, Vicki and Carol Garroute, Randy Williams, Vicki Gillis and Tommy Lovett.

Devotional Gems

(By N. D. Carter)
In Luke 19:10, we find these words, "For the Son of man is come to seek and to save that which was lost." This is not the only time that these words or similar words are found. At least four times in the Gospels and three times in the recordings of the Apostles will you find them. A definite declaration found in so many places is not to be disputed. Jesus who was the only begotten of God came for one purpose, and that was to seek and to save that or those who are lost. They are teachings that he came to set humanity an example to live by but this is not why he came. There is the law that tells us what is right and what is wrong. Certainly Christ without sin and more certainly he set a wonderful example of Christian living. But the Son of man came to seek and to save that which was lost. Neither did he come to judge. Even though he will be judge and judge all people, even though he had and still has this power, that is not why He came; he came to seek and to save.

We find Jesus eating with sinners and low moraled people and when he was asked to give account for it by the Pharisees, he said that he didn't come to call righteous people but to call sinners to repentance. He came to deliver unto mankind the promise of God which was a way to overcome the world of sin. Through his everlasting sacrifice, we have redemption

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to God — he came to seek and to save that which was lost. God would not have sent his beloved Son into the world to suffer and die if man had been able to

make his own atonement in any way at all. But because man could offer only defiled pictures of the true atonement, God sent his only Son to speak and to

save that which was lost, those who had wondered afar from him. If you are lost, He is seeking you and will save you also.

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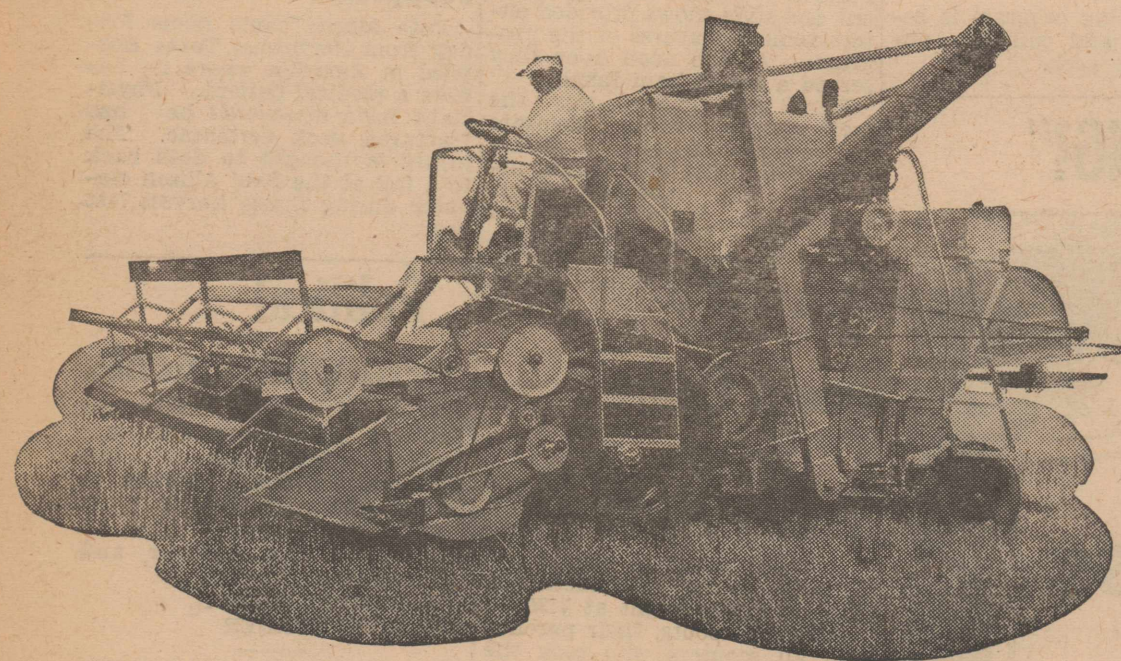
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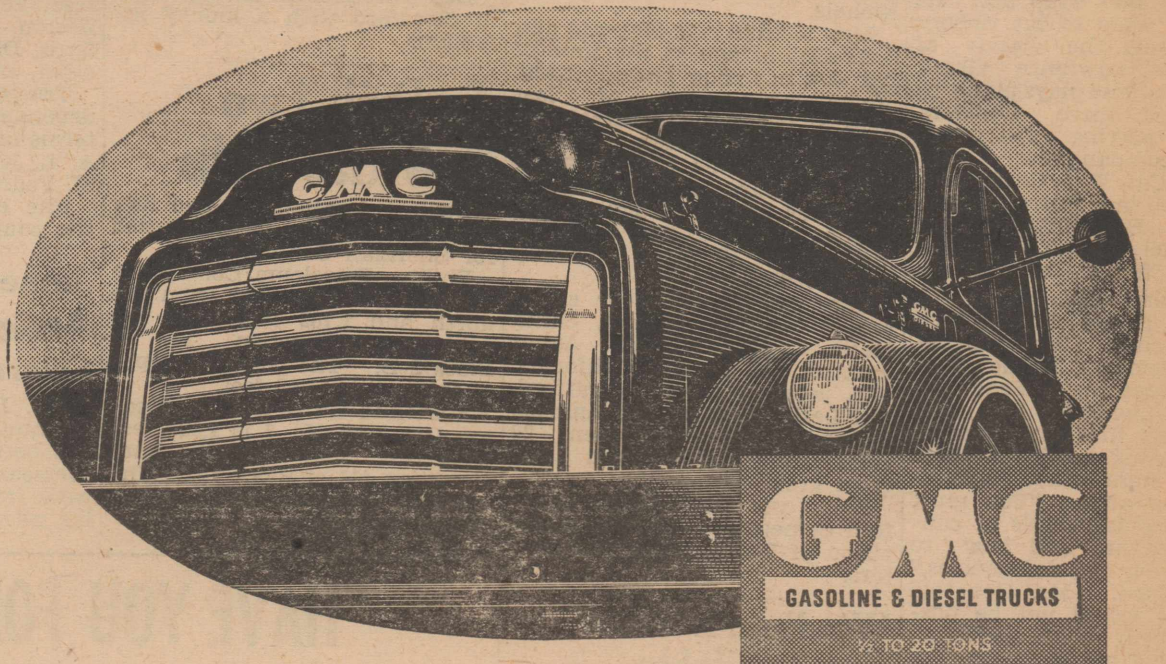
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Play Dalhart
Next Tuesday**

Stratford High School's baseball team will play at Dalhart at 2:30 P. M. Tuesday of next week.

**Two Cases In
District Court**

Two cases are of record in district court. In the case of Lena E. Hammer vs. Milburn Ray Hammer a divorce was granted. A divorce was also granted in the case of Lola Lee vs. W. H. Lee.

**Boyd McWilliams
Promoted To
Sergeant**

Curtis Boyd McWilliams, chief operator of the air and airways communication service at Misawa, Japan air force base, has been promoted to the rate of sergeant.

Cpl. Loyd K. McWilliams serves as a radar operator on the same base.

Pvt. Donald R. McWilliams, a third son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McWilliams, is assigned to the basic military training squadron at Lackland Air Force Base at San Antonio, Texas.

**Phil D Takes
Another First**

ALBANY, Cal. — Phil D closed with a stirring stretch run today to win the \$7,500 Point Fleming Handicap, first of twin features at Golden Gate Fields.

Agean ran second and Reighs Bull, the favorite, was third.

Phil D, owned by W. C. Martin of Stratford, was ridden by Ray York of San Diego. The four-year-old colt packed high weight of 122 pounds and was second choice in the wagering. He won by a length and a quarter. The time for the six furlongs was 1:11 4/5.

Phil D paid \$6.90, \$3.90 and \$2.80; Agean \$4.30 and \$2.80; Reighs Bull \$2.50.

**Young Marines
Call Home**

Leslie Dodson and Clyde Brooks were in Albuquerque, New Mexico Monday night. Dodson telephoned his mother, Mrs. Eugene McDaniel, to break the news that he and Clyde were expecting orders for a transfer to San Diego, California. The boys had been given assurance they would be assigned to the same company in the Marine Corps.

**McDaniels Remodel
Stratford Home**

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McDaniel are remodeling their home on Third Street. Cellotex insulation and new siding was placed on the walls of the residence.

**Mrs. Schroeter
Rites Monday**

DUMAS — Funeral services for Mrs. Frank A. Schroeter, pioneer resident of Dumas, were held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the First Methodist Church.

Mrs. Schroeter died here Friday noon at the family home. She was 80 years old and had lived in the Panhandle since

1894.

Mrs. Schroeter was born in West Point, Illinois, in 1871. She married Frank A. Schroeter in 1894, and came to the Panhandle the same year.

Survivors other than her hus-

band include a son, Paulus Schroeter, Dumas; three sisters, Mrs. Forest Doty, Mrs. Arch Gloves, and Mrs. Buri Nicely, and two brothers, John Meehan and Dr. Tom Meehan, all of Delano, California.

**Mrs. Carter Is
Surgical Patient**

Mrs. M. J. Carter underwent a major operation in Dumas Memorial Hospital Thursday of last week.



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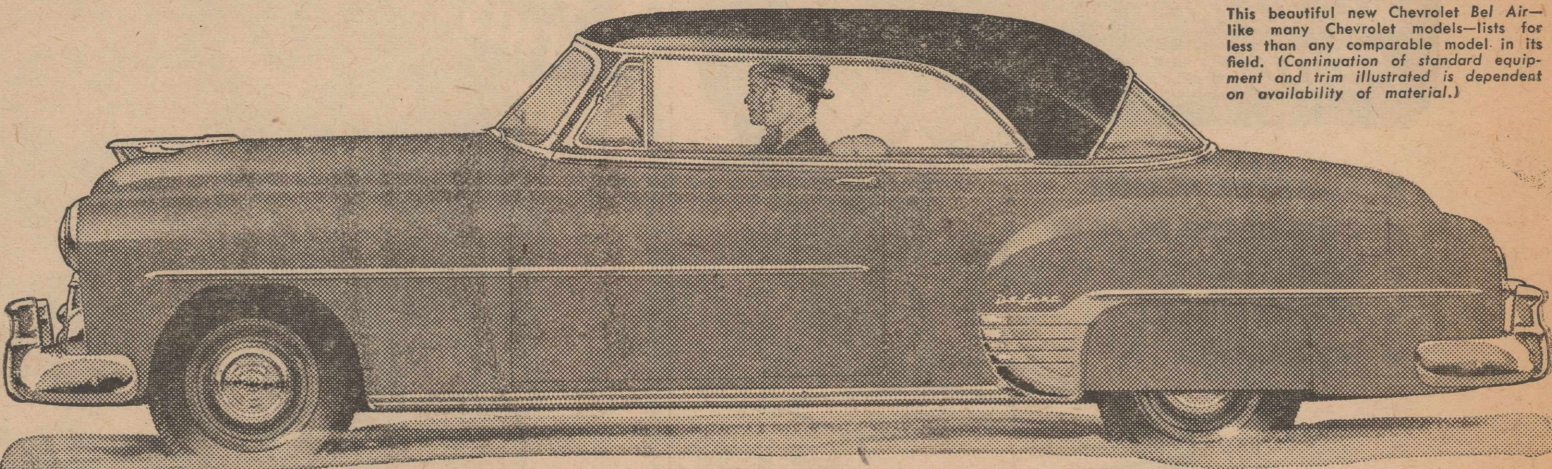
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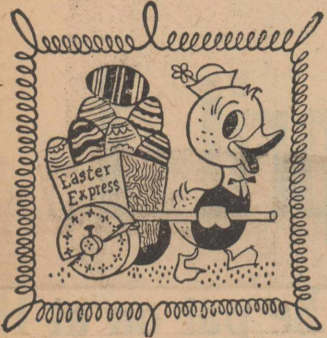
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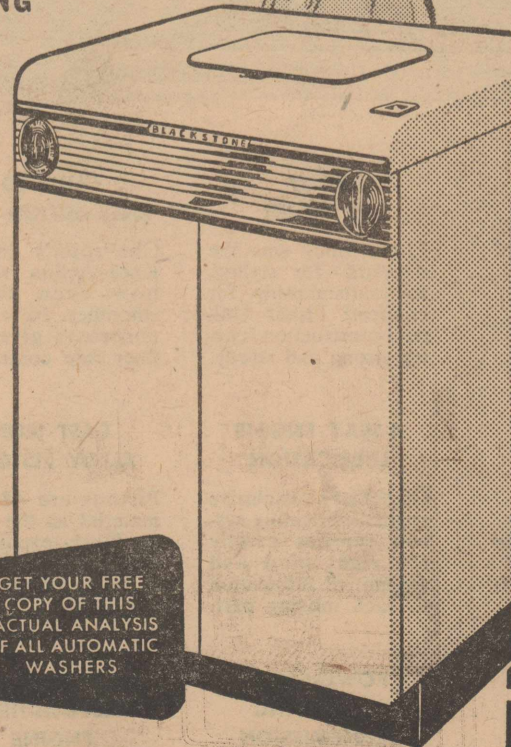
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Local News

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Collins, Floydada, Texas, were week-end guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Grimes, and Ray. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Steel and children, Lynda and Tommy, of Dalhart were also guests in the Grimes home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Butler, Sr., returned Saturday from Lamar, Colorado where they were guests in the home of their son, E. W. Butler, Jr., and family.

Mrs. H. M. Brown and Gene Ross were business visitors in Amarillo Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Blake were business visitors in Dalhart Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Kessie, Lubbock, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pendleton and Miss Minnie Laura Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. O'Brien went to Dallas on a business trip Tuesday.

Sfc. and Mrs. Charles C. Hoolley, Fort Hood, Texas, arrived Friday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Palmer and other relatives. Sfc. Hoolley returned to Fort Hood Sunday. Mrs. Hoolley remained for a visit while her husband is participating in "Operation Long Horn" at Fort Hood.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Foster and daughters, Bess and Ann, of El Paso, Texas were guests in the home of his mother, Mrs. C. R. Foster and other relatives last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lasley returned home Saturday night after a visit in Merkel, Texas with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Horton.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Cummings and Cynthia visited Mrs. Cummings' parents in Borger Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wilson returned to their home in Lone Wolf, Oklahoma, Tuesday, after a week-end visit with her sister, Mrs. T. D. Chisum and family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Reeder took their daughter, Carol, to Amarillo for a check-up Thursday. Carol had her tonsils removed recently.

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Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Chisum, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parker, Mrs. Violet Beard and Ben Snowden, all of Amarillo, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Chisum and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Blake and Tommy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pendleton were hosts at a dinner Saturday, honoring Mr. and Mrs. John P. Foster and daughters, Bess and Ann, El Paso, Texas. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. W.

Steel, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Royal Pendleton and Mrs. C. R. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ross entertained with a dinner in their home Sunday. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Steel, Dalhart, Mrs. H. M. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Art Ross and children, Jean Anne and Alan.

Mrs. D. B. Kendall, Dalhart, and A. L. Cooper, Big Spring, Texas, were guests in the home of their mother, Mrs. H. J. Cooper, Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Senna spent the week-end visiting friends in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gillis and children and Mrs. Tincy Oakley and children were visitors in Plainview, Texas over the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Hawkins, Melrose, New Mexico, were week-end guests in the home of

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bidy and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Harding. Miss Lavearn Mayhall, spent the week-end with relatives in Amarillo.

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Local News

Mr. and Mrs. George Lovett have returned home after a two

weeks vacation in Mexico City and Brownsville, Texas where they fished in the gulf for several days. They were met in El Paso, Texas by Mr. Lovett's sister, Alma Felkins, and George

Weldon of Tuscon, Arizona, who made the trip with them.

Walter M. Pendleton is ill with a throat infection.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Sherrod spent the week-end in Dallas, Texas visiting Mrs. R. A. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Turner visited relatives in Hooker, Oklahoma Sunday.

Mrs. Lucy Keip and Mrs. Sallie V. McAdams returned home Monday from San Antonio, Texas where they visited with Cpl. and Mrs. Randy McAdams, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. DePue and daughter, Katie, of Hugo, Colorado, were business visitors in Stratford last week.

Pvt. and Mrs. Melvin L. Bachman of Louisville, Kentucky were guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Bachman, from Sunday until Thursday. Pvt. Bachman is attending a mechanical school at Fort Knox.

Gene Ross was an Amarillo visitor Monday.

Pvt. and Mrs. Dale H. Knight and daughter, Rene, arrived Saturday night for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Knight. Pvt. Knight has been stationed at Fort Hood. He will report in Seattle, Washington April 11 where he expects to receive orders for overseas duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Fate Morris visited Mrs. M. J. Carter in Dumas Memorial Hospital Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Jackson, Fort Worth, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Joy Yarbrough and daughters, Pamela Jo and Jean Ann of Ponder, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Looney and daughter, Elona, Amarillo, Texas, and Mrs. Anna Scott of Amarillo were guests in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McWilliams and Mrs. Eunice Buster over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal Pendleton returned home Friday night from a visit with George Pendleton in Jack County.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Walker of Albuquerque, New Mexico, spent the week-end visiting relatives and friends in Stratford.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Blake were business visitors in Dumas Saturday.

WMU Ladies Make Study Of Home Missions

Mrs. J. S. Johnson led the program on "Home Missions" at the meeting of the Baptist Women's Missionary Union held at the First Baptist Church Wednesday afternoon. "The Light of the World Is Jesus," was the opening hymn. Mrs. O. H. Ing-ham offered prayer.

Mrs. Johnson introduced the Home Mission study. Mrs. Clifford Byrd spoke on the subject, "Churches of the West." The "Crusade of Christian Missions" was discussed by Mrs. Johnson. Mrs. M. E. Upchurch spoke on the "Plan and Growth of New Churches." Mrs. Lee Grimes offered prayer. Other members present included Mrs. V. M. King, Mrs.

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Methodist Ladies Are Reviewing Book Of Acts

The Womens Society of Christian Service met in the parlor of the church for the last lesson in the study of Acts. Mrs. W. P. Cummings presided at the meeting. After a short business meeting Mrs. Lorraine Mehner and Mrs. O. L. McMinn gave the first two parts of the lesson. Mrs. A. W. Allen and Mrs. Art Ross discussed the third and fourth parts. Mrs. Chester Plunk discussed the last part of the book of Acts. Mrs. A. L. Harrison added to the discussions with information taken from a Bible dictionary and encyclopedia.

Mrs. P. J. Pronger, Jr., discussed the Missionary Journeys of Paul, using a map to make it more clear.

Seventeen members were present for this last lesson. A result of the study was a pledge each member took to try and study the Bible more. The lessons have been a wonderful inspiration to all those who have met to study them.

Mrs. W. P. Cummings read scriptures as Mrs. A. L. King and Mrs. Harry Sears gave a play entitled "An Antioch Scene." Mrs. James Cameron sang "In the Cross of Christ." Mrs. Ralph Harding led in prayer.

There will not be a meeting of the W.S.C.S. next week but every member who possibly can, especially officers, are encouraged to attend the conference in Amarillo. Those desiring to attend the conference may meet at the church at 7:30 and transportation will be provided.

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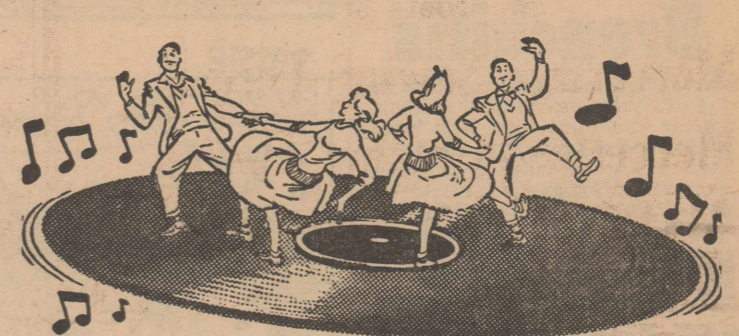
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American farms are now using in excess of 15 billion kilowatt hours of electricity a year, while in 1940 they consumed only 3 1/2 billion. In addition, the number of farms serviced by electric power—about two million in 1940—has leaped to approximately five million. The average kilowatt hours of power used per farm, exclusive of irrigation projects in the West, has increased from about 1000 ten years ago to 2300 today.

The farmer is just beginning on the road toward complete rural electrification. Many new electric devices will be aiding the farmer in his struggle for higher output. Things like automatic poultry feeders, crop-drying equipment, automatic barn cleaners, silo unloaders, wagon unloaders, and feed handling equipment are all a part of the American farmer's future.

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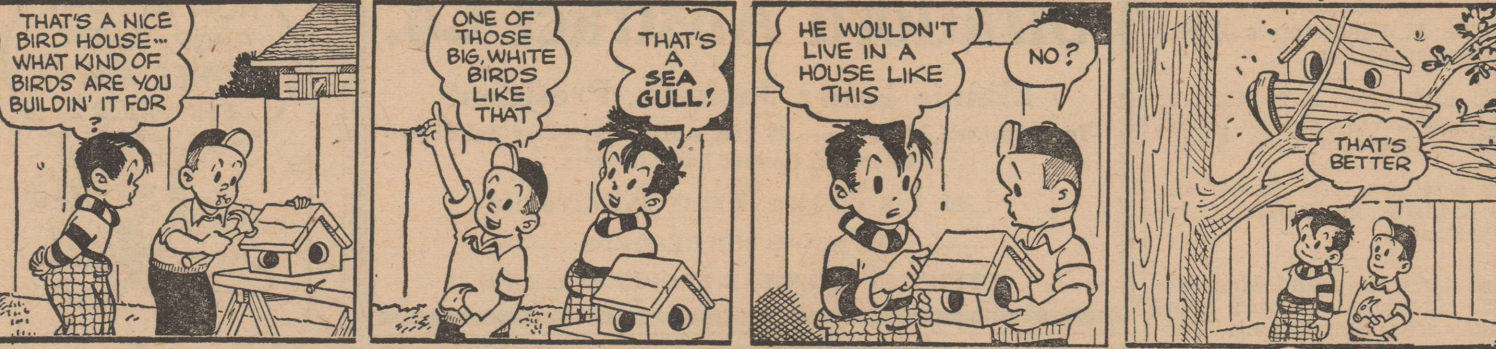
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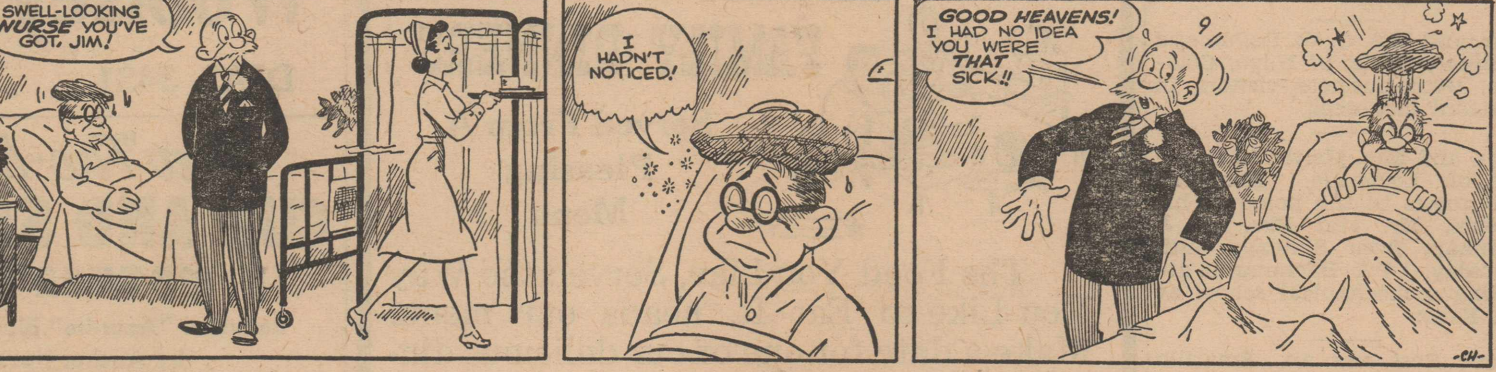
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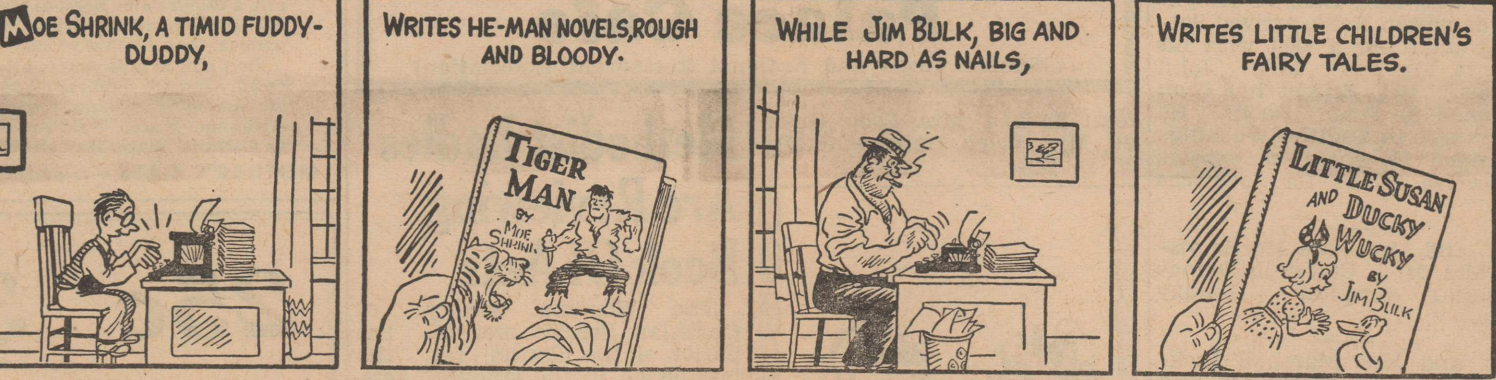
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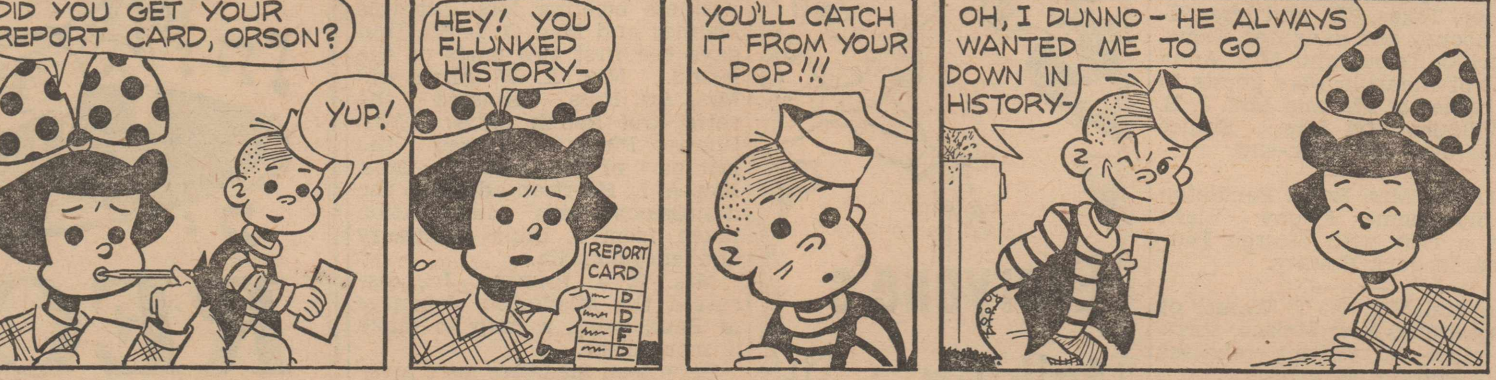
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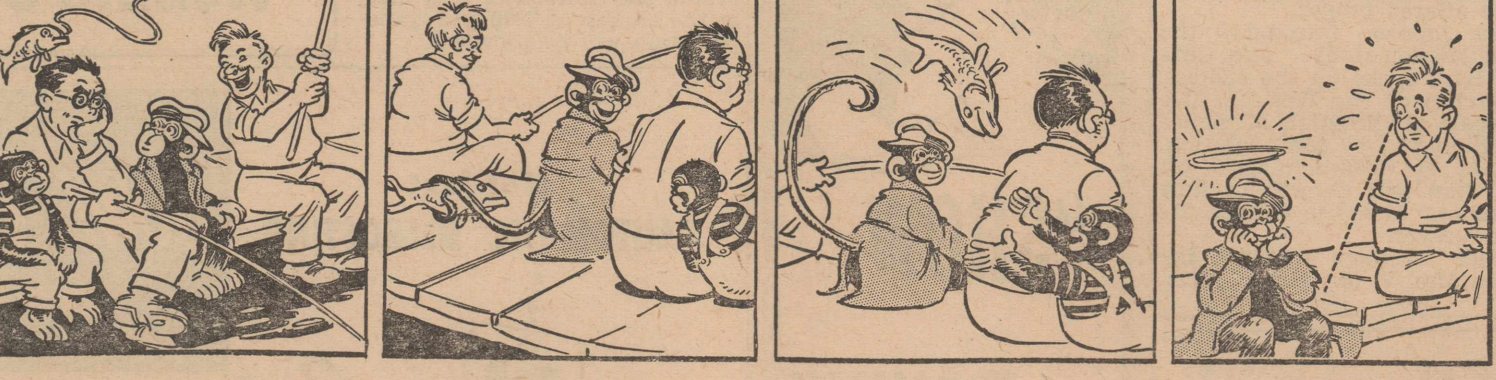
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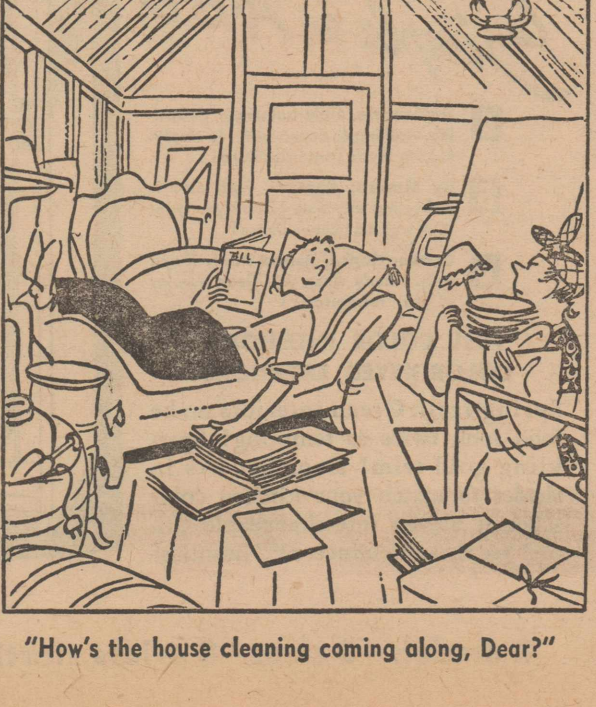
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Farm Topics

Poultry Industry May Set New Record

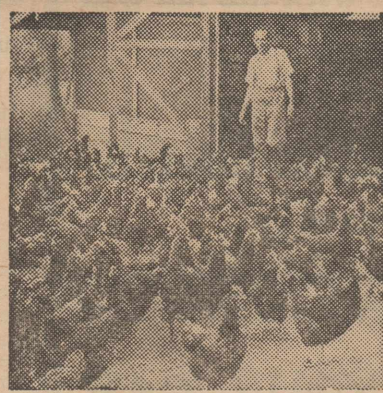
Output in 1952 May Hit Fourfold of Decade Ago

The poultry industry may break all production records during 1952. Production of broiling chickens, for instance, which makes up over half the chicken population, is expected to jump this year to more than 850 million birds. Last year's production was 784 million. Just a decade ago, fewer than 200 million broilers were raised in a year.

Turkey production is forecast at 11 per cent higher than the record 53 million of last year, about 80 per cent above the pre-war 1941 output.

Egg production is expected to stay about the same as last year when some 60 billion were produced. That was 40 per cent above the production of 1941.

Poultry production gains have far outdistanced the U.S. population increase. That means some huge jumps in per-capita consumption.



More and more flocks like the one above will be seen on the nation's farms this year.

Last year, the average American downed over 400 eggs, against less than 300 yearly in the 1935-39 period. Chicken eating per person was nearly 30 pounds in 1951, against a 1935-39 average of under 19 pounds. Turkey consumption more than doubled in the same period.

Spreading Manure Aids Wildlife, Specialists Say

Farmers who spread manure on their fields in late winter and early spring are helping wildlife as well as crops, extension specialists report.

Value of manure spreading for plant food is recognized, but few people realize that good farming practice also is a wildlife conservation help. Most manure contains weed and crop seeds that make good winter feed for pheasants, quail and other birds.

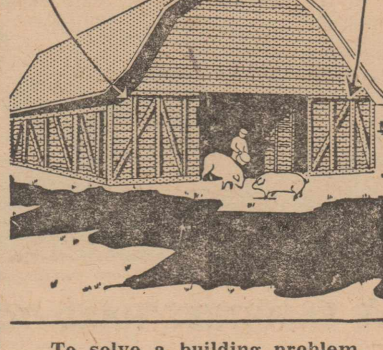
February, March, and sometimes April, are lean months in many northern states for the wildlife population. Pheasants and quail are weakened by lack of cover during earlier winter months.

Since much of their winter food supply has been exhausted, many birds will not survive lean pickings and rough weather during the last months of winter.

Agronomists always have emphasized that prompt spreading of manure saves plant food that might otherwise be lost through leaching. From now until full spring, manure should be spread when field conditions permit. Spreading now will put nutrients in fields instead of down bariyard drains, extension specialists say.

Corn Crib

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U.S. Farms Have Fewer Phones in '50 Than 1920

According to the 1950 census only 38.3 of America's farms have telephones as compared to 38.7 per cent in 1920. Twenty-eight states reported fewer farm telephones. Those showing declines contain 80 per cent of the country's farms. Among the states suffering sharpest declines were Texas, Missouri, and Illinois. Connecticut leads in percentage of farms with telephones. Iowa is second.

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