

THE STRATFORD STAR

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NAWG Battles For Summer Fallow Acreage

At a recent meeting of the Executive Committee of the National Association of Wheat Growers in Denver, Colorado, attention was focused on the summer fallow areas of wheat. Representatives from Colorado, Kansas, Texas and Oregon pointed out that last year the summer fallow areas took a more severe cut in acres than other wheat growing areas. Many wheat farmers now have an average of only 55 acres per 160 acres this year.

The National Association of Wheat Growers is attempting to place in the farm bill an amendment that requires that the summer fallow areas will not be cut any greater than the National average acreage cut.

The Executive Committee also passed a resolution in opposition to flexible price supports for wheat.

With harvest about ready to get under way, it is hoped that every wheat grower in the Panhandle will request his elevator man to deduct 1-4 cent per bushel for his wheat association. The money is to be used for: (1) Marketing research for wheat, increase our foreign markets. Increase our home markets. (2) Improved varieties of wheat, cooperate with research both state and national. (3) Improve the public relation of the wheat grower. (4) Find new uses for wheat.

Kenneth Kendrick, president of the National Wheat Growers Association, R. C. Buckles, president of the Texas Association, and Carl Kupper, president of the Dallam County Association, attended the meeting.

Exchange Vows In Church Ceremony



In an impressive ceremony in the parlor of the First Methodist Church Wednesday, June 2, Shirley Ann Plunk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Plunk, became the bride of Delton B. Engle, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Engle of Henrietta, Texas.

Rev. Cryder Brayshaw, pastor of the First Christian Church, read the single ring ceremony in front of the fireplace which was decorated with arrangements of orange blossoms and peonies.

Mrs. Martha Harrison, pianist, played traditional nuptial selections.

As maid of honor, Miss Martha Plunk, sister of the bride, wore pink organza with black accessories and a corsage of white Ester Reed daisies.

C. C. Plunk served as best man.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a waltz length dress of blue nylon with accessories. She carried a white Bible marked with a bouquet of pink sweetheart roses.

The mother of the bride wore a beige dress with brown accessories.

Following the ceremony a reception in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Plunk was given by aunts of the bride, Mrs. Leonard Plunk, Mrs. Lester Plunk and Mrs. C. C. Plunk. Linda Plunk, sister of the bride, presided at the brides book. The serving table was covered with a lace cloth over blue, and centered with an arrangement of Ester Reed daisies. Miss Virginia Plunk poured punch and Miss Feliz Ramon served cake.

The bride, a popular member of the senior class of '54, took an active part in the school concert band. The groom graduated from Henrietta, Texas high school in 1952. At present he is stationed with the Armed Forces at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri.

Junior Cooks Cut Material For New Aprons

Junior Cooks 4-H Club girls met Thursday of last week for an all day meeting. Miss Lucille King demonstrated the proper procedure for making aprons. Each girl cut the material for her apron and did some sewing.

At 11:00 o'clock Miss King prepared biscuit dough for the group's lunch before they went to the City Park. Each girl rolled biscuit dough around a broom stick and baked the biscuit roll over a fireplace. The roll was removed from the stick and a weiner placed in the hole. This made a delicious hot dog.

For dessert, the girls roasted marshmallows, placed them on a graham cracker. Chocolate syrup was added and topped with another graham cracker.

At 1:00 o'clock the girls returned to the court house where Wanda Preston volunteered to wash the dishes while the others worked on their aprons.

Those attending the all-day meeting were: Sheila Donelson, Mary Kay Keener, Sharon Smith, Grovone De Bord, Laurina Riggs, Wanda Preston, Lorelei Harding, Bobbie Gillis, Katy Sears, Julia Willey and one new member, Janet Foreman.

The next meeting will be next Wednesday in the courthouse at 9:30 A. M.

Youth Round-Up To Close With Barbecue Supper

A Chuck Wagon Supper will be served at 6:00 P. M. Friday, June 18, at the First Christian Church, as one of the closing events of Youth Round-Up week.

Adults and members of the younger set are invited. The menu will include barbecue beef, ranch style beans, salad, hot rolls and dessert.

No charge will be made for the supper but a free-will gift will be accepted.

Pooling Orders For Weed Poison

Farmers are pooling orders in the County Agents office for a carload shipment of sodium chlorate to be used in the bindweed control program. The order will be mailed within ten days.

New Arrival

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shaver are the parents of a six pound fourteen ounce daughter, Leanna Jo, who was born Tuesday in Dumas Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Shaver is the former Glenna Reynolds.

Metal and bamboo rods should be waxed before you use them in salt water.

Plant Sorghums In Local FFA Field Project

Seeding of the eight acre Future Farmers of America field project was started Tuesday. Duard Lamb, vocational agriculture teacher, started the work on the demonstration. Four rows of several varieties of grain and forage sorghums were planted. The plantings included hegari, hihegari, early hegari, combine khafir, double dwarf maize, martin milo, red-land maize, red-bine 60, red-bine 66, 7078, westlund, caprock and plainsman maize, norghum, Kansas atlas, Texas atlas, axtell sargo, norkam sargo, ellis sargo, African millet, sumac and sugar drill.

Additional plantings will be made of two or three of the more common varieties for conducting fertilization tests. A liquid fertilizer, Anhydrous Ammonia, will be used after the crops have reached an approximate height of four inches.

Plans for the field project include the planting of numerous varieties of wheat and barley this fall.

The FFA field project is being financed by the Sherman County Wheat Producers Association. Seed is being furnished by the Amarillo Experiment Station through the courtesy of Kenneth Porter, a wheat specialist.

Use of the 8-acre tract of land has been donated by Ernest Lovelace through the courtesy of George Jeffcoat.

KENDRICK TO REPRESENT Farmers In Controversy In Washington

Kenneth Kendrick will leave for Washington, D. C. Sunday to seek an amendment to the Agricultural program which will protect producers who summer fallow wheat land from being penalized in allotment cuts. He will continue to oppose the flexible price support program which operates to the disadvantage of the producer.

Other agriculture leaders who work with Kendrick include Clifford Hope of Kansas, Herbert Hughes of Nebraska, and Jens Tergeson and Marian Weatherford of Oregon.

THE SICK —

L. B. Haile has been admitted to Dumas Memorial Hospital as a medical patient.

W. W. Steel is a medical patient in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

Mrs. Sue Haile has been admitted to an Amarillo hospital as a medical patient.

Ernest Lovelace through the courtesy of George Jeffcoat.

Bernard Spruell Succumbs To Illness

Bernard R. Spruell passed away June 9 in Los Angeles, California after an illness of six months. Spruell lived in Stratford a number of years before moving to California to make his home.

Survivors include his wife, four children, Holly, Shelia, and an infant son of Burbank, California, and Ray Spruell of Stratford, his mother, Mrs. Mary Spruell of Stratford, three sisters, Mrs. M. Burkhart and Mrs. H. Luther of Stratford, and Mrs. Russell Trotter of Wichita, Kansas; five brothers, Paul of Dumas, Albert of St. Louis, Missouri, Norman of Puyallup, Washington, Gene of San Francisco, California, and Harry of Wichita, Kansas.

Buy Location For Construction Of County Barn

Block 133 in South Stratford was secured from J. M. Bowling this week by the County Commissioners' Court as the building site of the proposed county barn. Plans for construction are still under consideration.

Dry ice is solidified carbon dioxide.

Announce Approaching Marriage



Mr. and Mrs. Fred Garoutte announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Janet, to Charlie J. Beaton, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie J. Beaton of Fairfax, Oklahoma.

The wedding will take place in the First Christian Church in Stratford on July 11.

Legionnaires Elect New Officers

Howard Norvell Green Post 262 elected its officers to be installed the first of September at its regular meeting Thursday night of last week.

The newly elected officers are: Leon Guthrie, Commander, Gene Summers, first Vice-Commander, B. A. Brewster, second Vice-Commander, Chester Guthrie, finance officer, W. W. Gay, sergeant at arms, and F. B. Mullins, chaplain.

The post adjutant will be appointed by the commander.

W.S.C.S. Ladies Meeting Held Wednesday Morning

The Womans Society of Christian Service met in the Methodist Church parlor Wednesday morning at 9:30 with 16 members present. Mrs. F. B. Mullins, president, presided over the business meeting.

Mrs. T. Edgar Neal gave the devotional. Sentence prayers were followed with the Lord's Prayer in unison. The program topic was "Grant Us, Thou, Truth" with Mrs. Ernest Cummings and Mrs. J. G. Cummings taking parts.

A play entitled, "The Program Committee Meets" was presented by Mrs. F. B. Mullins, Mrs. A. L. King, Mrs. Emil Blanck, Mrs. O. L. McMinn, Mrs. Lorraine Mehner, Mrs. Bob Ferguson, Mrs. R. W. Standefer, Jr., Mrs. M. Phillips, Mrs. M. Dortch.

The benediction was pronounced by Mrs. T. Edgar Neal.

Ealon Norvell Circle Hears Book Review

The Ealon Norvell Circle of the W. M. U. of the Baptist Church met Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Royal Pendleton for Mission Study.

The devotional and prayer was given by Mrs. W. D. Green.

Mrs. Lee Grimes reviewed the book, "The Prophet of Little Cane Creek," by Harold Dye.

Following the study, the members enjoyed a social hour and delightful refreshments of Angel food cake, ice cream and iced tea. Those enjoying the meeting and refreshments were Mrs. W. D. Green, Mrs. Lee Grimes, Mrs. Emery Hamilton, Mrs. W. D. Ellis and the hostess.

Next week, the circle will meet in the home of Mrs. W. D. Green for a circle program.

The Navy uses from 25 to 30 million gallons of all types of paint each year. Roughly 20 million gallons are used for maintenance and are applied by men in the fleet.

Phillips Makes One Drilling Location

Phillips Petroleum Company has announced the drilling location of the Phillips Price "E" No. 1. The well is located 1,390 feet from the east and 1,250 feet from the south lines of section 38 in Block 1-T. The potential depth of the well is 3,325 feet.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1-B Kathryn in section 70 of Block 3-B is drilling with rotary tools. The well has a potential depth of 7,000 feet.

Humble Oil & Refining No. 1 Taylor in section 94 of Block 1-T, drilled to a total depth of 3,546 feet, has been plugged back to 2,993 feet and completed for gas as a shut in well.

Humble Oil and Refining No. 1 Fisher in section 60 of Block 1-T has produced 1,312,000 cubic feet of gas. The open hole test was made from formations at a depth of 3,306 to 3,327 feet. Testing of the well is continuing.

Humble Oil & Refining No. 1 Dorch in section 46 of Block 1-T produced 928,000 cubic feet of gas from formations between 3,428 and 3,478 feet after being acidized.

Humble Oil & Refining W. G. Fuller No. 1 in section 47 of Block 1-T, has been drilled to a depth of 3,576 feet, and abandoned as a dry hole.

Local Rains Ease Drouth Conditions

Local rains fell over part of the Panhandle Sunday evening giving temporary relief to drouth conditions. At Stratford .53 of an inch of moisture fell. South and east of Stratford the rains varied from four inches to 1 1/2 inches. Hall damage was reported in some wheat fields.

Precipitation reports were: 3.76 inches at Dumas, 2 inches at Spurlock, 1.10 inches at Spearman, .38 at Dalhart, and .39 at Perryton.

With favorable weather conditions, wheat harvest is expected to break into full swing about June 21.

4-H Club Members Hang Out First Welcome Sign

The Sherman County 4-H Club boys and girls put up their first 4-H Welcome sign on the Dallam-Sherman County line Tuesday at 5:00 P. M.

The Sherman County Wheat Producers Association and Sherman County 4-H Council sponsored this project. The Wheat Producers Association furnished the money and the 4-H Club boys and girls made the signs.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kirkwood, adult leaders, let the group use their shop to build the signs. They also helped the boys and girls in every way possible. Five signs were made under the direction of Miss Lucile King, County Home Demonstration Agent.

The Busy Bees girls' club and the fifth and sixth grade boys 4-H Club were responsible for putting up the first sign. Those who helped build the sign were present for the erection of the sign. They were Leslie Gay Plunk, Mrs. Earl Kirkwood, Kay Pickens, Robbie Jo Burkhart, Sharon Gamble, Jessie Jean Riggs, Karl Kirkwood, Bill Dyess, Dwayne Plunk, Jodale Reising, Cecil Borth, Raymond Kirkwood, Earl Kirkwood, Bill Kirkwood and Miss Lucile King.

Ann and Rex Burgess and Susan Sloan also helped build and paint the sign but were unable to attend when the sign was put up.

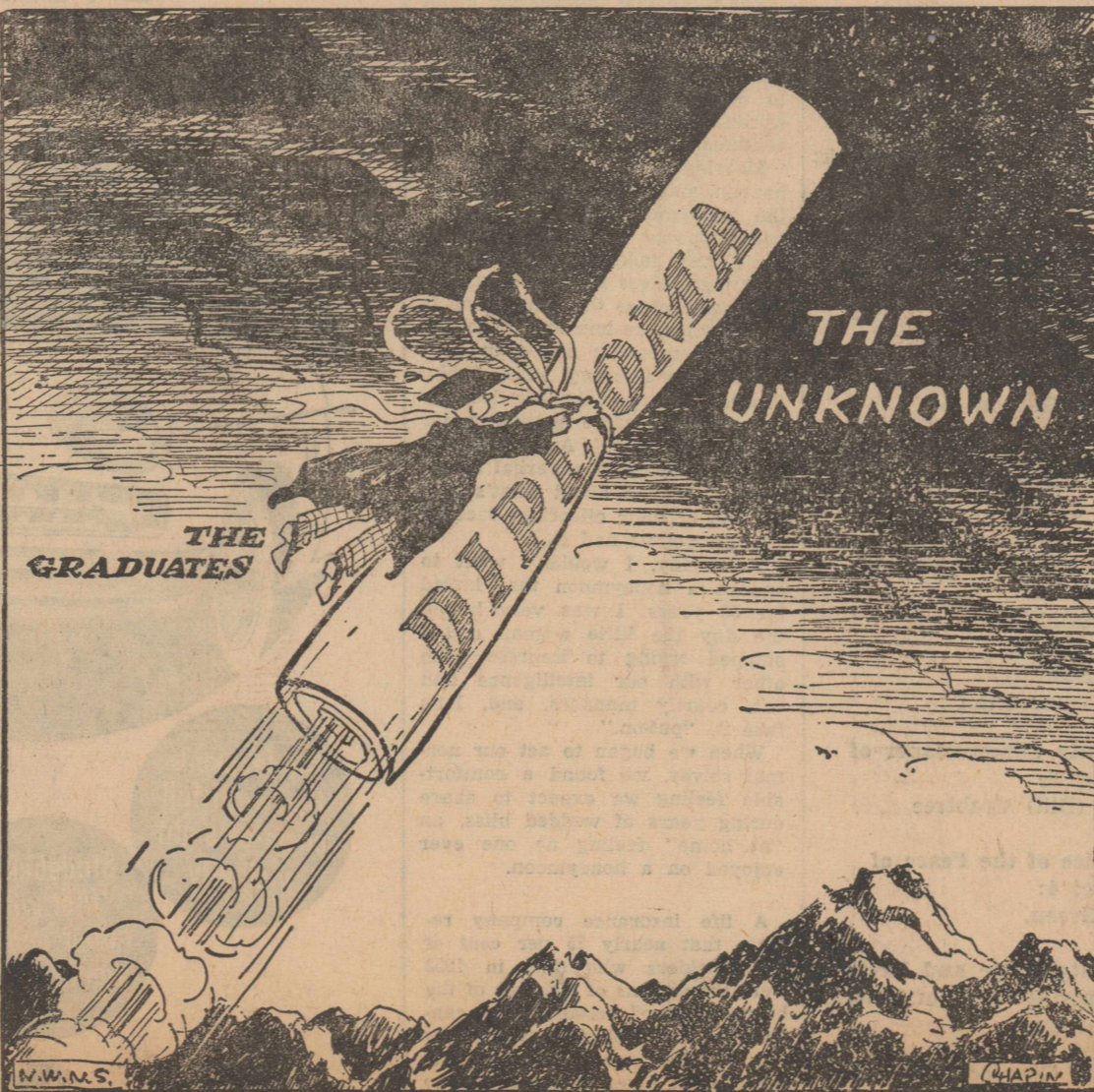
Survey Location For New Gulf Filling Station

Surveys were made Tuesday to locate the property lines of lot one in Block 82 on U. S. Highway 54 West of the Ranger Motel. The location will be the building site for a new Gulf Service Station.



FIND CHEOPS SHIPS . . . Scene of discovery of King Cheops solar "death ships" is Cheops Pyramid, south of Cairo, Egypt. The 130 foot stone boats, 5,000 years old, are called one of Egyptology's greatest finds.

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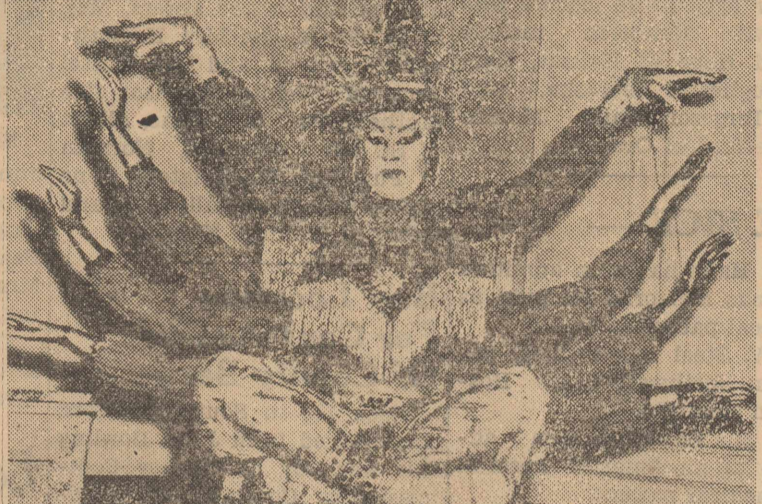
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SPORTS CORNER

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 It's now official. Joe Collins of the New York Yankees is actually Joe Collins. A New Jersey court recently approved an application to change Joe's last name from Kalloning to Collins. . . Southern named head coach of the West for the 13th annual Shrine East-West football game next January. His assistants will be Edwin Price of Texas, and Len Casanova of Oregon. . . The Chicago Cardinal Pro Football team has signed Bob Norwaskey, formerly a Chicago Bear player, to replace end coach Dick Gallagher, who resigned. . . Ted Lyons, now pitching coach for the Brooklyn Dodgers, won 200 games in his 21 big league seasons with the Chicago White Sox. . . Joe DiMaggio was named most valuable player in the American League three times—1939, 1941 and 1947. . . Quarterback Jimmy Finks recently signed a 1954-55 contract with the Pittsburgh Steelers of the National Football League. It will be his sixth year with the team.



WINS TWICE . . . Bill Vukovich of Fresno, Cal., won the Indianapolis 500 mile auto derby with a record speed of 130.840 mph before 150,000 fans, driving the same car in which he won last year, Fuel Injection Special #14.



ART BOOSTER . . . Costumed as Java temple god, artist Wm. Dorr caused sensation at New York's Fantasia Ball, attended by 2,000. Proceeds went to aid needy artists.



FROG WINS \$1500 . . . Roy Weimer, Altaville, Cal. rancher, shows champion jumping frog "Lucky Lager" to Ardath Leach, "Belle" of Calaveras frog contest. "Lucky" leaped 16 feet, 10 inches.

- Authorized Political Announcements**
 Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Election to be held Saturday, July 24
- For County Treasurer:**
 Mrs. Marguerite Wilson.
 Mrs. Loraine Foster.
 Mrs. Dorothy R. Slay.
 - For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector:**
 Harry Sears.
 Ross Turner.
 W. N. Elliott
 A. L. (Doc) Wilson
 - For County and District Clerk:**
 Mrs. Lelah Boney.
 Mrs. Ethel Skillin.
 - For County Commissioner of Precinct 1:**
 Roscoe Dyess.
 Robert Bolster.
 Albert Zimmer.
 Owen E. Hudson
 - For County Commissioner of Precinct Two:**
 E. W. Carter.
 - For County Commissioner of Precinct 4:**
 E. E. Hamilton.
 F. M. Keener.
 J. M. Bowling.
 Linus Gunzelman
 - For County Commissioner of Precinct 3:**
 W. T. (Bill) Crabtree
 - For Justice of the Peace of Precinct 4:**
 Burk Green.
 - For County Judge and Ex-Officio Superintendent of Schools:**
 Bob Ferguson.
 - For State Representative; 95th Legislative District of Texas:**
 Sam E. Wohlford.

my PET PEEVE
 by Mike Bennett

SOMETIMES I wonder where the radio quiz shows find so many unusual people to serve as contestants. Don't get me wrong: I know that this planet is inhabited by a goodly quantity of nuts and screwballs — excluding, of course, you and me and overlooking the fact that even then we sometimes doubt one another.

The thing that amazes me about the people who appear on quiz shows is that practically all of them have been married from 20 to 50 years and, in their own words, the marriage has been "one continual honeymoon."

Marriages should be made in heaven, and a lot of them are. But the honeymoon doesn't last. It's not supposed to, either, and I don't think folks should keep kidding themselves for years on end. In some cases the honeymoon is ended when the husband no longer gets his morning coffee in bed. It's only a memory when hubby "forgets" to open the car door for his "bride" before getting under the steering wheel. And, when Ma and Pa engage in a verbal difference of opinion about what's best for one of their offspring—face it, friends, you've had it.

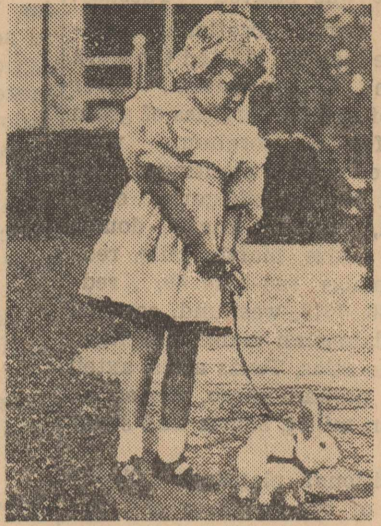
Personally, I wouldn't want to endure a honeymoon that lasted for 50 years. I was very happy the day the little woman and I stopped trying to impress each other with our intelligence and wit, courtly manners, and, let's face it, "put-on."

When we began to act our normal selves, we found a comfortable feeling we expect to share during years of wedded bliss, an "at home" feeling no one ever enjoyed on a honeymoon.

A life insurance company reports that nearly 75 per cent of policy-holders who died in 1952 were the victims of diseases of the heart, or blood vessels, or of cancer. The high toll of these diseases was declared due to reduced mortality from other diseases and to the fact that more policy-holders are living to an advanced age.



SPELLING CHAMP . . . Mrs. Joseph Cashore of Center Square, Pa., kisses son William, 14, after he won title over 56 contestants in Washington, D. C. spelldown.



BUNNY TAKES WALK . . . Bianca Mason, 3, strolls in Washington, D. C., with pet rabbit "Hopwell," given her by Colorado's Sen. Edwin C. Johnson, who pulled it from hat at baseball banquet.

Notice Of Board Of Equalization Meeting
 In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization, regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the school house in the city of STRATFORD, SHERMAN County, Texas at 10:00 A. M. on Thursday, the 8th day of July, 1954, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in STRATFORD Independent School District, SHERMAN and DALLAM Counties, Texas, for taxable purposes for the year 1954, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.
 BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION
 GEORGE H. ALLEN,
 Secretary, Stratford Independent School District Board of Trustees, STRATFORD Independent School District, SHERMAN County, STRATFORD, Texas, 15 day of June 1954.
 (Pub. June 17-24; July 1)

Notice Of Board Of Equalization Meeting
 In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization, regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the school house in the town of MORSE, HANSFORD County, Texas, at 9:00 o'clock A. M. on Tuesday, the 29th day of June, 1954, for the purpose of determining, fixing, and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in MORSE In-

dependent School District, HANSFORD, HUTCHINSON, and SHERMAN Counties, Texas, for taxable purposes for the year 1954, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.
 BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION
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DUTCH SEE UN . . . Three U. S. navy Waves show United Nations sights to two Dutch sailors from aircraft carrier HMS Karel Doorman, only carrier in Netherlands navy.

DRESS REHEARSAL

By R. G. CROCKER

NANCY gripped Bob's hand tensely. Currents of excitement rippled from her eyes, as she whispered breathlessly: "I'm only sixteen, Bob! The folks still think I'm a kid. You can't convince them! I'll bet you can't!"

Bob, more cockily than he felt, grinned back: "They expect us to get married some day. Why not now?"

Nancy dubiously agreed: "Marie told me at the Drama Club last night that she and Jerry are getting married this summer. She's only a year older than I am."

"You can think of your darned old club at a moment like this?" Bob demanded, aggrieved. "We're facing the most serious decision of our young lives—the real turning point." Nancy repressed a half-hysterical giggle, and reached for the door knob. "They'll really hit the ceiling!" she whispered.

Nancy's parents looked up as they entered. Her mother smiled up from her sewing, and her father nodded, an ear glued to the sportscast as if it were an ordinary evening. Nancy hesitated only a moment, then announced brightly: "Congratulations us, folks! Bob and I have decided to get married!"

"What!" Nancy's father exploded. His pipe fell out of his mouth, scattering ashes in his lap.

"Now, Dad," Mrs. Parker said slowly, the anesthesia of shock wearing off. Her hand rested persuasively on his arm. "We were young once, remember?"

"THAT young?" he said biting.

"Now, what's this all about?" Bob's arm circled Nancy protectively as he said: "We want to get married."

"That's nice," said Mrs. Parker quietly. "You'll make a good son-in-law, Bob. But you're both pretty young. What's the rush?"

"No particular reason," Bob said lamely, coloring. "It's just that we're going to get married anyway sometime, and we'd rather get married while we're young and adaptable. I love Nancy, Mrs.

Parker, and I'll take good care of her, honest!"

Mrs. Parker smiled, but with no mirth. "I'm not against young marriages—as long as they make sense!" she said decisively. "Let's do some figuring."

"I'm sure you love each other, so that's settled," Mrs. Parker said impersonally. "We'd better start with finances. Marriage is a lot of budgeting. Any apartment will be at least \$15 a week, food about \$20, furniture to buy, and odds and ends—Of course, Bob," she continued, glancing at him keenly, "you'll have to forget about that engineering course—"

"And children?" Nancy's mother asked. "You'll want to raise your family while you're young. Of course, Nancy dear, it's going to be hard on you, with Bob in the Army. But you'll get used to walking the floor nights alone, and washing diapers—"

"But, we didn't plan to get married before September," Bob was stammering.

"Nonsense. You'll want a June wedding. We'll get to work on announcements in the morning, Nancy."

"You sound anxious to get rid of me!" Nancy said, shakily.

"Bob's going to be an engineer, remember?"

Bob rose and pulled Nancy toward the door, saying gently: "Maybe we'd better talk this over a bit more, honey." Nancy nodded, relieved. Like a couple of carefree teen-agers, they escaped out the door. The Parkers sighed in unison, and her father said weakly: "We stopped that! A tornado would be easier to cope with!"

Out on the sidewalk, Nancy giggled uncontrollably. "Oh, the dears! They were so utterly cute about talking us out of it! They'd disown us both if they knew we were just practicing!"

Bob said gloatingly: "Woman, you've got a new leading man! Now tell me I'm not good enough for your darned old Drama Club!"

LAFF OF THE WEEK



"Mister, you just got yourself a cook, housekeeper and a mother for your children!"

THE BAFFLES

By Mahoney



A bed of coal 9 feet thick represents what eons ago was a deeply buried peat bog about 36 feet thick.

The Connecticut Lakes region at the northern tip of New Hampshire was independent from 1832 to 1835. Pioneers named their country the Indian Stream Republic. They spurned allegiance either to the United States or Canada until New Hampshire militia forced them to acknowledge state sovereignty.



AUTHOR VISITS SPAIN . . . Famous novelist Ernest Hemingway, recovering from injuries suffered in two recent plane crashes, watches bull fight in Madrid.



ARMY REBELS . . . Paraguay's president, Federico Chaves (above) was forced from office by cavalry revolt, and army commander Gen. Alfredo Stroessner controls government.

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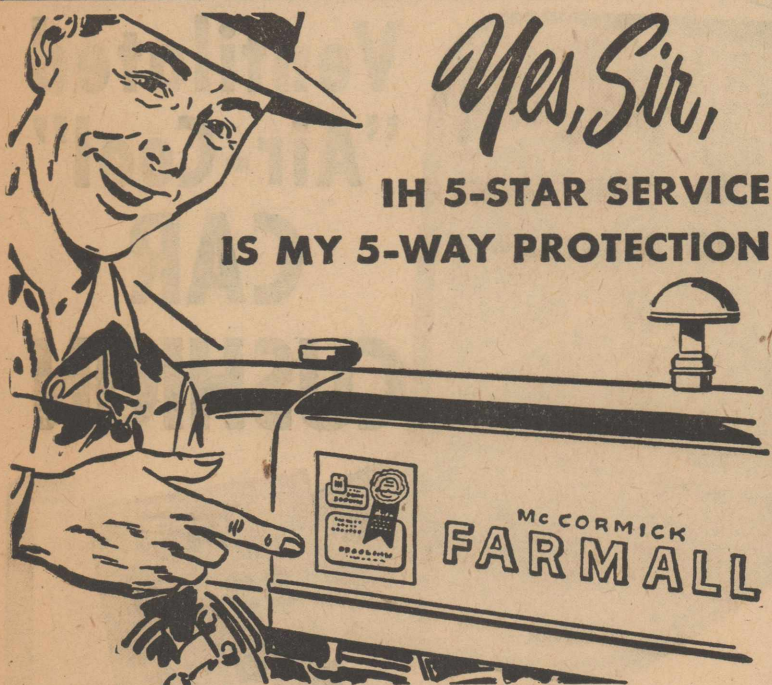
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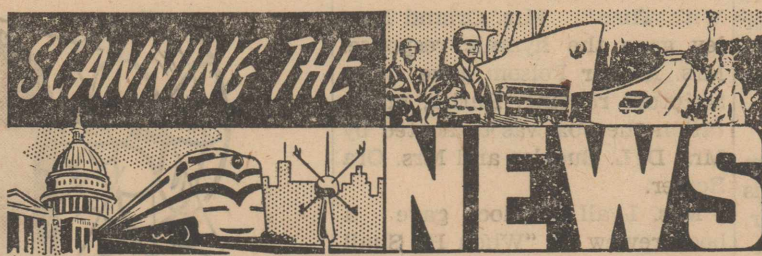
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AS THE Army-Senator McCarthy dispute droned on and on, one question was pondered more and more by observers of the political scene: How has the affair affected the popularity of Joe McCarthy?

It is impossible to say for certain, but most veteran observers seem to feel that many McCarthy supporters dropped off the line during the lengthy hearings. Those who so believe say the hearings alone didn't cause Joe a loss in following, the consensus being that the Senator hurt himself most by openly challenging and defying the President.

While the hearings developed inevitably into a conflict between the Administration and the Senator, Eisenhower very carefully avoided a public showdown with the Wisconsin Senator. The President's most decisive action in the matter, that of placing a ban on testimony about a high-level Executive meeting, drew strong fire from McCarthy, who said the President was ill-advised. Some considered this a backhanded slap at the Administration in general and at the same time not a compliment to the President.

A great number of the American people decided two things about the hearings. The first was that the hearings will do the Republican Party no good. The second, despite the charges and countercharges, Senator McCarthy was very much on trial. Many citizens opened up a conversation (or an argument) with the words: "Are you for, or against McCarthy?"

Is the American Indian in danger of being scalped or about to be emancipated?

A raft of bills are now pending before Congress to end federal administration of Indian Affairs in 14 states. Their backers say the time has come to give the Indians the same rights and responsibilities as other U.S. citizens.

The National Congress of American Indians, probably the largest of the Indian lobby groups, and a number of law firms representing Indian tribes are on the warpath against most of the bills.

Congress last year adopted a resolution declaring it was the policy of Congress "as rapidly as possible to make the Indian . . . subject to the same laws" as other citizens and "end their status as wards of the United States. . . ."

In compliance with this resolution, the Interior Department drafted a series of bills providing for withdrawal of federal supervision in eight tribal jurisdictions. Later other bills were introduced that would affect tribes in California, Florida, Kansas, Montana, Nebraska, North and South Dakota, New York, Oregon, Nevada, Texas, Utah, Washington and Wisconsin.

The end of federal trusteeship would halt such services to Indians as roads, health and education. Spokesmen for the tribes say taxation of their trust property—now tax free in most states—would cause them to lose their land and, if not protected, lesser-educated Indians might be cheated out of such resources of tribal lands, as oil, uranium, rich timber and grazing areas.

Local News

Miss Merle Kemper, Wichita Falls, Texas, spent the week end visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Kemper, and in the home of her sister, Mrs. D. D. Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Niemann of Litchfield, Illinois were here looking after land interests this week and visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Buckles.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jody Boston and children of Aztec, New Mexico were week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Van B. Boston.

Mrs. Newton Crabtree and daughters, Mary, Minnie and Mrs. Donnie Ellison, visited an occultist, Dr. A. V. Wonder, in Boise City, Oklahoma Thursday of last week.

Harley Alexander, Gruver, was a business visitor in Stratford Tuesday.

Harry Ingham returned Tuesday from a successful fishing trip to Red River, New Mexico.

Arthur Ross, Mrs. Lorraine Mehner and daughter, Dollie, attended the Panhandle Market show in Amarillo Sunday.

Kay and Gwenn James of Boise City, spent last week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Crabtree, visiting Minnie Crabtree.

C.W.F. Ladies Have Coffee Before Study Program

The C.W.F. ladies of the First Christian Church met in Fellowship Hall at 9:15 A. M. Wednesday for coffee and doughnuts before the meeting in the chapel at 9:30.

The meeting was opened with the group singing "What A Friend We Have In Jesus," followed by prayer by Mrs. Cryder Brayshaw. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The treasurer's report was made.

During the business meeting it was voted to have a clean up day at the church the first rainy spell so the men could come and help.

The group voted to change the meeting time back to 2:30 P. M. Circle reports were made. Circle one reported, 8 present with 5 daily devotionals having been conducted and an offering of \$11.00. Circle two reported 7 members present with 7 daily devotionals having been conducted and an offering of \$7.00. Circle three reported 7 present with 6 daily devotionals having been conducted and an offering of \$7.12. The 20th Century Circle reported 6 members present with five daily devotionals having been conducted and an offering of \$5.50.

The Living-Link Missionary, Mrs. June Smedley, writes they have a new mission started in Paraguay.

A box of clothing for the Philippines was dedicated in the following service: Song by the group, "Oh Master Let Me Walk With Thee." Mrs. Orland Lasley gave the hymnic response. Mrs. Arthur Folsom gave the scripture reading. During meditation the box was dedicated by Mrs. D. L. Buckles and Mrs. Ora Bomer.

Mrs. Lyall Murdock gave a book review on "When He Shall Appear."

Mrs. V. O. Lasley gave the devotional using the 17th chapter of John for the scripture reading and her talk.

Thirty members were present for the meeting.

BAD NEWS FOR FLIES

Have you noticed how flies seem irresistibly drawn to a string hanging in a barn or other out building?

Combining this tendency with a new kind of poison, Texas A. and M. College Scientists are gaining excellent fly control, even over DDT resistant strains, reports Miss Lucile King, County Home Demonstration Agent. The new poisons are organic phosphorus compounds which kill in much the same manner as DDT, although they are completely different, chemically. They gave up to 92% control for as much as seven weeks in recent tests.

Malthion, I-1359, diazinon, 21/199, these are the new compounds. Some already have been approved for general use. Others are being tested.

Using malthion in amounts of five to twenty-five percent total weight, in a dried whey and water solution, Assistant Professor Manning Price of the col-

lege's Department of Entomology tested the string method in dairy barns. With short lengths of absorbent cotton string hung from a line of carpenter's cord, he planted the traps in handling areas and feed rooms, and obtained results mentioned earlier.

Where children and livestock will not be endangered, and in spots where it might be more effective, the poison is being mixed with sugar bait and placed in shallow dishes or scattered on floors.

Organic phosphorus compounds attack the nervous system of the fly. They die of convulsions within 10 to 20 minutes. None have shown resistance in tests so far.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving Memory of our dear husband and father, H. B. Naugle, who passed away June 19, 1952.

Today recalls sad memories of a loved one gone to rest; Those who think of him today are the ones who loved him best; Two years have passed since you left us; Sad was the shock of that day, Oh, how our hearts were broken When we found you could not stay, Days of sadness still come over us; Secret tears do often flow; Memories keep you ever near us Though you died two years ago.

Sadly missed by
Wife and Children.

Recipe of the Week

Extra Special Onions
1 can condensed cream of mushroom soup.
10 to 12 small onions.
1-3 cup chopped walnuts.
1-4 cup pimento strips.
1-4 cup grated cheese.
Cook onions in water until tender. Drain. Combine soup, onions, walnuts and pimento.

Put in a baking dish and sprinkle with cheese. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees) for 30 minutes, or until cheese is melted. Serves 6.

Timely Tips

1. Boiling salted water in a larger amount than used for other vegetables is needed for cooking onions.
2. Onions contain some minerals and vitamins.

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An Air Force checkup has revealed that 59,965 subcontractors—all of them small businesses—are working on air defense jobs. The small businesses have sub-contracts amounting to \$2,400,000,000.

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Sermon Subject: "Wretched Man That I Am." Special music will be included in the installation service of the CWF officers for 1954-55. The installation will be in the regular church services. The ladies will have charge of the communion service Sunday as it is "Dad's Day." Be in the Lord's house

at His table on the Lord's Day. CYF, Chi Rho and Juniors will have their group meetings at 6:00 P. M.
 Evening Service 7:30 P. M. Sermon Subject: "Obeying God's Orders." We will have the questions in the evening service and also we will hear the tunes of familiar songs and will see if you can name them. We will have special music for the evening service.
 Junior Camp begins Monday at 4:00 P. M. You will be leaving the church Monday afternoon at 1:30 P. M. One load will leave early (1:00 P. M.) because it is necessary for Mr. Brayshaw to be there early to prepare to make reservations. Mrs. Paul Aduddell will take charge here and see that everyone gets off to camp. Camp will close at 1:30 P. M. Friday.
 Bible Study and Prayer Meeting Wednesday evening at 7:00 P. M. Study I Cor. 15th chapter. Bring your Bibles.
 Church Clean Up
 Ladies and men of the church will cooperate together in a clean-up of the church the first day after it rains.

CYF is planning a Hobo party for Friday, June 25. The Chi Rho is invited to attend this party. There will be a King Hobo and a Queen Hobo selected at this party. Make plans to attend. Remember the date, June 25. More about this next week.

that amount is appropriated by the Congress, it is likely that the allotment to Texas for the fiscal year 1955 will be about the same amount as in 1954. If Senate bill 3137 should be enacted into law, additional funds might become available under the insured loan features of that bill. To the extent that lending institutions participate in the insurance loan program under the Water Facilities Act, considerable expansion of the loan program could take place in Texas in the fiscal year 1955.
 "As of June 1, the Farmers Home Administration had made 142 loans, totaling \$585,660, from regular water facilities loan funds allotted to Texas. In addition, 57 loans, totaling \$344,315, have been made or are in process of being made for water facilities purposes from economic loan funds. Under these two programs, the total number of loans made or in process is 199 for an amount of \$929,975."
Hearings In The Senate
 During my years of law practice in the Panhandle, I have heard many people, especially prospective jurors, complain about the slowness of court proceedings. I, of course, agree with them that there are many things that can be done to speed up the court proceedings. The judge is usually bending over backwards trying to see that no one's rights are infringed upon, and that the law is followed to the letter so that justice may finally prevail. However, one look at the Senate hearings would make a so-called slow court proceeding look like a jet-propelled plant. The reason that the headway has been so slow in these hearings is that no one wants to answer questions and everyone wants to make a speech over television. The questioner usually makes a speech instead of asking a question. When a question is asked that could be answered and throw some light on the subject, the witness usually makes a speech as his reply. I had a chance to listen the other morning and was reminded of the story of the old darkey who turned up late to work. His boss asked for his excuse and the darkey told him that he had stopped down at the corner to hear a politician make a speech. The boss asked the darkey what the man talked about. The darkey replied, "Not much, except he sho did highly recommend himself."
 I still say that a good West Texas grand jury could have separated the chaff from the grain and had the facts thoroughly documented in not more than two weeks.

"I REMEMBER"
 BY THE OLD TIMERS

From Mrs. G. H. Bell, Columbus, Georgia: I remember at the turn of the century we lived on a farm in Navarro County, near Barry, Texas.
 We had so many chickens we could not use all the eggs at home. One day my husband took six dozen to Barry, but he could not sell them—as the stores were full. He sold them to a cafe, the whole six dozen, for 25 cents to save taking them back home.
 From Mrs. Lillie Sharpe, Birmingham, Alabama: I remember at my grandmother's home seeing the wash bench by the well with wooden tubs made with iron or brass rims to hold the wood pieces and a big black boiling pot with a fire under it. I wondered why the clothes were put on a tree stump and beaten with a long wooden paddle.
 From Mrs. T. B. Pritchard, Lake Worth, Florida: At 96 years, my mind and memory is as keen and good as when I was 40. I recall when I was between three and four my mother borrowed a baby "buggy" to take me to another home. My face was covered with a brown braze-veil. I wonder how many know what a braze veil is? When I was six, mother took me to Sunday school. I wore long white pantalets, a straw hat and carried a light blue silk parasol with a white handle.
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Ditto

I used the word ditto as the heading for this part of the newsletter because my heading last week was "Gagged Again." I could use the same heading again, because the same thing has happened again. I have just returned from the Floor of Congress, where H. R. 9474 was being considered. This bill is a law to extend the authority of the President to enter into trade agreements under Section 350 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended. The law extends this authority in the President for a period of one year. Eisenhower had requested that the extension be for three years, but after much agitation, confusion, and debate behind the scenes, it seems that the White House put the stamp of approval on the one-year extension. In any event, that was the bill that was brought before the House for passage. It was brought in under the closed rule or, as I said last week, the "gag rule." The duly elected representatives of the people did not have a right to change one word in the bill as it was written by the Ways and Means Committee. I repeat that this is steam-roller politics. Under the democratic form of government, it makes little difference whether a man is for or against a piece of legislation, as long as he is a Member of Congress he is a representative of the people and should be entitled to be fully heard on those matters and to have an opportunity to seek such changes in them as to him seem pertinent and to the best interests of his constituents.
Water
 The irrigation program in our district has been moving along at a pretty good pace and we hope that it will be continued. I have obtained some figures from the Farmers Home Administration, of the Department of Agriculture, that I think will be of interest to you. They are as follows:
 "For the current fiscal year, \$6,500,000 was available for making loans under the water facilities program. Of that amount, \$600,000 was allotted to the State of Texas. The President's budget request for the fiscal year 1955 provides for an appropriation of \$6,500,000. If

Lovelace To Prospect In Alaska

Bob Lovelace, a former Stratford resident, who is studying geology in Colorado College, is preparing to take part in a geological expedition to Fairbanks, Alaska. He will be accompanied on the trip from Colorado Springs by Ron Timroth of Chicago, Illinois, a graduate of Colorado College, majoring in geology.
 The two plan to prospect for minerals and work during the summer and return home by the middle of September.
 The two geologists have converted a Willys pick-up into living quarters and will travel the Alaskan Highway through Alberta, British Columbia and the Yukon territory.
 Timroth and Lovelace have been prospecting around Colorado Springs for the past year. Lovelace plans to resume his studies at Colorado College upon his return from Alaska.

Mrs. C. W. Moon Is Embroidery Club Hostess

Members of the Embroidery Club were entertained Thursday afternoon of last week in the home of Mrs. Lelah Moon. The afternoon was spent sewing and playing games. Attending were the hostess, and Mesdames Kate Buckles, R. C. Buckles, Emil Blanck, M. Dortch, Tim Flores, Sallie McAdams, Nannie O'Brien, J. C. O'Brien, G. L. Taylor, June Vincent, and a special guest, Mrs. V. O. Gilbert.
 The rooms were decorated



REV. ROBERT H. HARPER
 Hosea Pleads with Israel.
 Lesson for June 20: Hosea 6.
 Golden Text: Hosea 6: 6.

Unlike Amos, Hosea was a native of the Northern Kingdom, but he also directed his attention to the corruption prevailing in the country. He was a tragic figure because he was a great lover who bore with his faithless wife and redeemed her from the wretched condition to which she had come after she had deserted her husband and children to become a prostitute. Amos thus preceded by 2709 years an American general who took his erring wife back into his home, stating that he knew of no law of God or man that made it a heinous thing for a man to forgive a woman.
 The bitter experience of Hosea and his own forgiveness of the erring Gomer reminded the prophet of the love of God and his desire to win back the love of his people and to save them from destruction. Like Amos, the prophet Hosea saw the terrible corruption all around him and realized that the sin of the people was whoredom. And as he had pleaded with Gomer to return to her husband and children and to make again a home, so did Hosea plead with his erring people to return to God and live according to his word, assuring them that the Lord would receive them again into his favor and blessing.
 This restoration to favor with God would save them, Hosea assured them, from their appalling danger and bring them out of their great wretchedness.

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by LYN CONNELLY

WHILE we think "Breakfast Club" on TV is a daytime standout, we can't help but wonder why certain things are done regarding its timing. For instance, more times than we'd care to count, Don McNeill has interrupted a beautiful song (generally sung by Johnny Desmond) toward the last line with the old saw that "there's no more time" . . . Then he proceeds to hold a completely meaningless interview that surely could hold over until the next quarter . . . He'll do that also with the interviews. . . .

After calling someone up to the mike he won't even introduce the person but shag him off by saying, "Oh, sorry, time's up" and then again proceed to engage in inane chatter with Sam . . . What he is trying to prove is beyond us but having been brought up to believe in "first things first," it's all quite a mystery that perhaps he might clear up some day.

PLATTER CHATTER
COLUMBIA—The Four Lads do a stellar job on "What Can I Lose" backed by "Oh, That'll Be Joyful" . . . Felicia Sanders does her usual fine job on "John John" with "Love Affair" on the flip side . . . Tony Bennett continues the rash of Italian love songs with "Until Yesterday" . . . "Please Driver" backs it . . . "Love Affair" on the flip side . . . Tony Bennett continues the rash of Italian love songs with "Until Yesterday" . . . "Please Driver" backs it . . .

CAPITOL—Frank Sinatra is riding the crest again and consequently he has released a new album doing his last four hits including the beautiful "Young At Heart," "I've Got the World on a String," "From Here to Eternity," and "South of the Border."



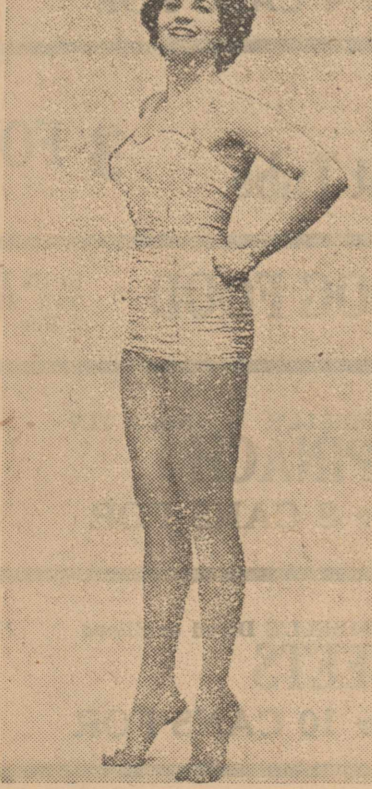
From Leola Heath, Detroit, Michigan: I remember doing janitor work and shoveling snow while teaching about 60 grade pupils for \$35 a month. My family was delighted. My sister had done the same thing before me for \$25 a month and my father before her had received 50 cents a day and "boarded round."

I remember with joy the horse-propelled merry-go-round where you rode with your "sweetie" for 15 minutes for 5c a ride. The owner of said "amusement" would wear cotton whiskers and Santa Claus suits, to the rural children's delight. How wonderful it was to have Santa call one by name! I also remember with sorrow how those whiskers caught fire from tree candles of his daughter's first job as "teacher"; the merry-go-round and our Santa were no more.

The churches served lunches and ice cream at the Fourth of July picnics for 5c for each article and many a swain ate and said, "Licking good, Sal, buy yourself some." (Dutch treat we say now.)

Funerals were from the homes and the neighbors dug and lined the graves, often making the coffin from trees cut on their homesteads. The burial might be in the churchyard or it might be on the homeplace, with a fence put about the grave to keep the cattle off.

(Send contributions to this column to The Old Timer, Community Press Service, Frankfort, Kentucky.)



SWIM QUEEN . . . Actress Priscilla Gillette was selected "1954 Stage Swim for Health Queen," on basis of swimming ability, form, personality and photogenic qualities.

The highest weekly production of bituminous coal on record was 14,583,000 tons which occurred in 1949 during the week ending November 19.

Within the last 25 years, hydrocarbons from petroleum and natural gas have become a source of raw materials for more than 2,500 different chemical products.

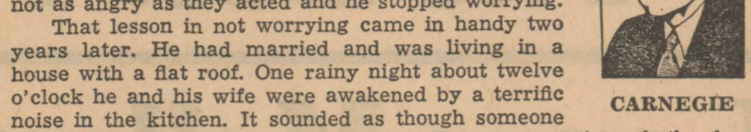


PRAY FOR NURSE . . . St. Luke's Hospital nurses pray for safety of heroic French nurse, Lt. Genevieve de Galard-Terraube, captured by Indo China Reds at Dien Bien Phu.



★ AUTHOR OF "HOW TO STOP WORRYING AND START LIVING" ★

THE first business venture of W. A. Adams, 2101 Lily Court, Sanford, Florida, was a contract for loading cars for a Growers Organization. They loaded at twenty different stations over the County and he furnished the labor. Sometimes they ordered cars late and Mr. Adams, not knowing about the order would not have enough men to take care of the loads. Then he would get calls from all over the County. The Growers would be furious, not being able to unload.



That lesson in not worrying came in handy two years later. He had married and was living in a house with a flat roof. One rainy night about twelve o'clock he and his wife were awakened by a terrific noise in the kitchen. It sounded as though someone had dropped the electric stove while trying to get it through the door. His wife almost choked as she whispered, "Do something." Not having a gun for protection nor even a flashlight, he finally managed to ease out of bed and lock the bedroom door. He had just about quieted his wife when there was another terrible noise and he could even hear the kettle roll across the floor. Naturally he had another hard time quieting his wife and they spent the rest of the time until daylight waiting for someone to try to get into the bedroom. About dawn he unlocked the door and found a leaky roof had made all the plaster fall—most of it on the stove.

One of the most unusual direct charity organizations in the country is composed of a small group of business men in Mobile, Ala., called Bicycles Anonymous. The group's chief function is to provide American bikes for needy children in the community, especially at Christmas time.

Amateur radio hobbyists in Virginia, using home-built equipment, reportedly succeeded in bouncing a recognizable code signal off the moon.



BACKS FOREIGN AID . . . Foreign Aid director Harold E. Stassen defends administration policy against attacks by Sen. Joseph McCarthy, who called for halt on help to allies trading with "iron curtain" nations.

There were 50,000 more persons injured in U.S. motor vehicle accidents last year than in 1952.

Geysers in Iceland can be coaxed with a bar of soap to erupt for visitors. Dumped in a crater, the soap breaks surface tension and the geyser performs satisfactorily.

Sea creatures, like moths, are attracted to lights. Eels, squid, and even flying fish have been attracted at night by an electric bulb held over the water.

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Legislature To Protect Royalty Owners Interests

State Representative Sam Wohlford believes the recent

Supreme Court decision on gas rates may work out to the advantage of Texas royalty owners. "Maybe now, we Texans will begin to develop a deeper appreciation for our natural resources, oil, gas, chemicals and agriculture," Wohlford says. He opposes the ruling that would permit the Federal Power Commission to set natural gas rates as much as anyone, but hopes that the action will jar the railroad commission into action.

"Maybe this will wake them up to the fact that our natural resources are getting away from us with a ridiculously small return to the state and to the royalty owner."

"I've felt all along that the commission has the power to set a minimum rate on natural gas at the well head. But every time I've had occasion to mention it to them, they've come back with the answer, 'If the legislature feels that way about it, let the legislature spell it out in a statute.'"

Several bills designed to do this were introduced in the last sessions of the legislature. All the bills died in the hands of committees. One bill passed the House in 1951, but the Senate kept it bottled up. "Opponents of the measure keep harping on the idea of 'price fixing,'" he said. "They seem to ignore the fact that Oklahoma and Kansas both have laws of this nature, and both of them have been upheld by the Supreme Court."

"As far as I have been able to find out, Texas alone, is unprotected by legislation to safeguard its natural resources against out-of-state exploitation."

When asked if the thought a

special session of the legislature should be called in case the railroad commission fails to act, Wohlford replied that usually he was not in favor of costly special sessions, but that in this case, he felt that the governor should call another special session. That the money would be well spent, to assure Texas an equitable return from its resources before they became completely dissipated.



LOOKING for cool, delightful ideas on a warm day? These will make your family feel more like eating:

Cooked vegetables don't always have to be served hot. These are good when chilled and served with French dressing: asparagus tips, cauliflower, carrot strips.

Potato salad looks and tastes good when served in green pepper rings or cups. Garnish with slices of tongue and ham, plum tomatoes and celery strips.

Cold salmon steaks are excellent salad material for a main course.

RECIPE OF THE WEEK

Jellied Tomato Bouillon (Serves 3)

- 1 package lemon-flavored gelatin
 - 2 cups boiling tomato juice
 - 1 teaspoon salt
 - 1/4 teaspoon paprika
 - 1 teaspoon onion juice
- Dissolve gelatin in tomato juice. Add remaining ingredients and pour into a pan which is one inch deep. Chill until firm. Cut into cubes and serve cold.

Serve with soured cream, sliced cucumbers and hard-cooked egg slices.

Here's what you can do with cold roast chicken to make a luncheon pretty enough for a guest: slice the chicken and team with slices of avocado, tomato aspic and marinated asparagus.

With a heavy dinner you'll want the lightest of salads. Try lettuce hearts, small tender spinach leaves, watercress and sliced radishes. Simple oil and vinegar dressing will be best for this.

Have your salad and dessert course all in one: strawberries, pineapple spears, melon balls, green grapes, peach halves and a scoop of sherbet.

Offer your family a cold meat and cheese platter for variety: slices of ham, tongue and turkey served with mounds of potato salad, marinated green beans and cold slaw.

An anti-rust paint, now available in small quantities for boat owners, is specially designed to preserve iron and steel against the effects of salt and fresh water and atmospheric conditions.

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PRISCILLA CLUB PARTY NEWS (By Club Reporter)

Dear Aunt Sally: If you want to have a good time, go see Frances. We really enjoyed ourselves today. You know how she is, does all the work and lets us rest, and rest we did.

Our hair stylist was there and as a result, about four of us have a shorter, curlier, more up to date hair-do. I don't know what we would do out here if she didn't show up every now and then.

We all went out to see the new house, and gave a lot of advice, both good and bad, on finishing it. That elevator is a feature after my heart. How I do huff and puff, going up steps.

We missed Ruth P., Helen and Nell. No one seemed to know what happened to Ruth and Helen, but Nell had left by plane this very morning for California to attend another wedding. This time it's to be a new sister-in-law. She should be able to give a lot of pointers on weddings if this keeps up.

Speaking of weddings, there is

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to be one right here among us before many weeks have passed. You will probably hear more about it one of these days.

Conversation naturally gets to children with so many among us. We all got some good laughs out of tales of antics of some of our older ones in the days gone by, for instance, do you remember the pies Vance and Bob made? They had to be good,

though made of mud, and Mr. King's nice fresh eggs went into them.

And another time Mrs. Moon found her thirty dozen egg case empty. It took a lot of questions on the part of us mothers to find which of our little angels had been involved. We all just knew our's just wouldn't do such a thing, but several were warmer in spots at the

end of the investigation and their piggy banks much easier to carry.

And do you remember the time Ann's and Velma's boys hid in the barn, keeping quiet as mice, while everyone called and called, looking high and low, far and near, hunting for them?

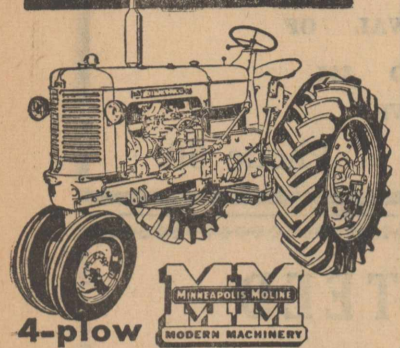
Our young mothers of today have decided there is still a

chance for them to make good. I really feel sorry for our husbands tonight. Mine will be lucky to get cold cereal for supper. Frances loaded our plates with fruit jello, cake, sandwiches and all the trimmings. Sure was yummy. Nell sent word she would have club June 29, so all be there.

Sarah

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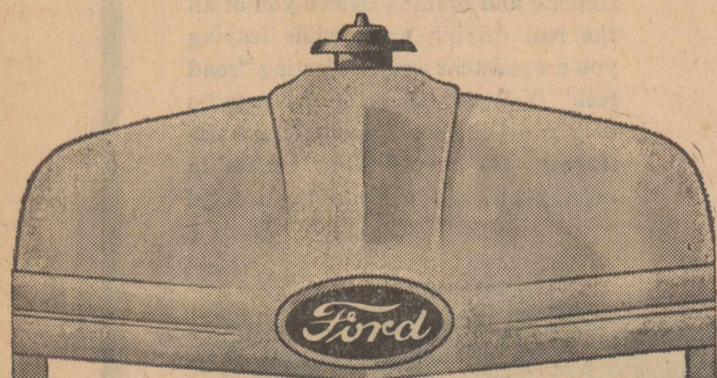
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