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## Formal Dedication Of New \$135,000 Baptist Church Set For All Day Sunday

THE NEW . . .



AND THE OLD



About The Pastor . . .



Rev. John Johns, the pastor of the First Baptist Church, came here April 17th 1949. He is married and has one son, age 6. Bro. Johns finished school at Smyer attended college two years at Wayland and graduated from Texas Tech. He attended the Southwestern Seminary at Ft Worth for three years, graduating from that college. He served for several years in the last war as a chaplain and holds a captain's rank in the Reserves expecting to reenter service in early June.

The church has made a remarkable growth under his leadership jumping from 115 in Sunday School April 17, 1949 to 248 last Sunday.

As a personal tribute the Index's opinion is that the present new church is largely the dream child of this young pastor. He talked, prayed and preached the new church program until his dream became the dream of every member. Gifted with a remarkable public speaking ability that we have never seen equaled, Bro. Johns is sure to have a promising career ahead in his chosen work.

Sunday is Bro. Johns greatest day; our Congratulations, Bro. Johnny, and to The First Baptist Church, O'Donnell is down right PROUD.

Passing a door in the wee hours of the morning, a drunk noticed a sign which read, "Ring the bell for the caretaker."

He did, and a sleepy eyed man came to the door.

"What do you want?" asked the caretaker.

"I wanna know why you can't ring the bell yourself."

Program Is Given . . .

10 a. m. Reorganization of the Sunday School  
11 a. m. Preaching hour: Rev. J. H. Johns  
12 noon Dinner at the church  
1:30 Messages from former pastors  
Rev. W. K. Horn of Anson  
Rev. E. L. McDonald of Abilene  
Rev. J. Matt Hale of Roswell  
Rev. Loper of Waco  
Rev. Joe Wilson of Floydada  
2:45 Corner Stone Ceremony  
3:30 Adjourn  
7:15 Training Union  
8:15 Preaching

Formal opening and dedication of the new \$135,000 First Baptist of O'Donnell will be held here all day Sunday May 6th beginning with Sunday School at 10 a. m. church at 11 followed by dinner on the grounds and in the afternoon the laying of the corner stone, in production of former pastors of the Church and an open house and inspection of the Church. The night services will be as usual.

The new church plant is one in which all denominations are justly proud. The structure is of the famed with cream brick and the auditorium is of suspended arch type. The auditorium will seat 625 with out aisle chairs and of this total 175 may be seated in the balcony to the rear, and 58 in the cry room to the rear of the church. The auditorium is served by a public address system connected to the cry room and the educational building adjoining. Red oak pews and pulpit furniture are in harmonious with the blonde woodwork and paneling thruout the building. Carpeting is laid down the aisles and asphalt tile is the flooring used thruout. 12 foot steel casement of stain glass feature the auditorium windows.

The Educational building adjoining the auditorium to the south is two stories of the same construction as the auditorium and is divided in to class rooms with assembly rooms for each department division. The assembly rooms are connected to the public address system, have pianos, and furniture. Indirect lighting is used in the annex as in the auditorium. Soft pastel colors are used in the annex with blonde natural woodwork finish and slat doors. The fellowship hall on the ground floor adjoins a modern kitchen equipped with a new electric range and modernized kitchen. Also near the entrance of the annex is the Pastor's Study and church library. A novel and modern feature is the nursery complete as a unit with crèche, a small kitchen and toilet facilities of junior size. The Educational building can take a capacity of 522 students and teachers. The church plant is serviced with a central heating and air conditioning system that supplies every room.

There are 70 teachers and officers of the Sunday School division with Burl Koeninger as superintendent, C. A. Doss, training union director. Mrs. John Johns, president of the W. M. U. Church's clerk is Mrs. Levi Gray, treasurer is Shaeck Blocker and Chairman of the Board of Deacons is C. H. Mansell. Full time director of Education is Bill Sweeney who is also musical director. Cecil Sullivan of Abilene was the building contractor.

**Big Crowd Expected**  
A crowd of 750 or more is expected for the Sunday service and will be covered by the area's news men including Kenneth May of Lubbock Avalanche, Frank Hill of Lynn Co. News, Roy Fox of Lamesa Reporter, Buddy Smith of Dawson Co. Free Press, and the Index man with W. D. Parker will do the honors for Ft. Worth Star Telegram.

John R. Burkett was in Amarillo last Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Wartes visited their son and daughter at Abilene Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Snyder visited Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Weatherby Sunday.

J. W. Gardenhire, Darius Sumrow and party are fishing near Colorado City.

It was great to see Uncle Wiley Phillips on Saturday howdyding with friends. We hope he speedily regains his strength.

**Busy Week For Officers**  
Justice of Peace Horace Brunette and Deputy Sheriff Cleve Bairrington had a moderately busy week and with 7 drunks of which 6 were white men. One white youth was arrested for reckless driving. A negro man and wife were arrested for disturbance. The wife was playing a game of tag with hubby using a long butcher knife to add zest to said hubby's running ability. Total fines were over \$250.

## The Eagle Screams Brief School News

P.T.A. To Meet Tuesday

The O'Donnell P. T. A. will meet Tuesday p. m. May 8th at the High School Auditorium at 3:30. The main feature will be the installation of the new officers. A special invitation is extended to parents who will have children in the first grade next fall.

Week End Revival Set For Church Of Nazarene

Bro. Jess Rains, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, said this week that there would be a week end revival at the church beginning Thursday night with Rev. Harold Glaze of Lamesa as the visiting evangelist. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

Mrs. Lee Reece will be roaster of the 1946 Study Club in her home May 9th.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete McMillan and Mrs. Clyde Childress recently returned from San Diego, Calif where they visited their sons L. E. McMillan and Eldon Childress who are in the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gooch visited in Dallas this week.

Mrs. James Crumley spent a few days in a Lamesa hospital last week.

RECTAL THURSDAY NITE

Mrs. Rosa Gibbs will present her spring recital of piano pupils at the First Methodist church Thursday night at 8 p. m. May 3rd. The public is cordially invited. Pupils on the program are:

Kenneth Moore, Sharon Brewer, Carol Ann Lamb, Mary Beth Gardenhire, Polly Etter, Carolyn Forman, Sharon Middleton, Linda Kay Howard, Patsy Clark, Charles Huff Cathey, Donna Dean Vestal, Tommy Gardenhire, Sue Lott, Kay Platt, Lanny Joe Brewer, Dianne Vickers, Kathleen Robinson, Renell Ingle, Katherine Vickers, Karen Merrick, Betty Lou Snelgrove, Linda Ann Norris, Leta Marie Mires, Antonio Rejino, Virginia Sanders, Clara Mize and Ruth Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cathey and daughter of Snyder spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cathey.

Mrs. Warren G. Waldrip and daughter of Tulsa visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Shoemaker Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Telchik and daughter, Daphne, who is the O'Donnell's Lion's queen, were a heroford for the week end judges for district queen. Hervey Gardenhire was the local club's delegate to the meeting.

Mrs. E. Clemage spent the week end in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Q. Morris of Lubbock visited Mr. Taylor and Mrs. Shory Summers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jordan and sons, Mr. and Mrs. James Bowlin and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fulkerson of Tarkenton fished at Possum Kingdom for the week.

Mrs. Opal Rogers is visiting her parents in Seagraves.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Boales of Brownfield visited his father Boales and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Proctor and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Proctor visited in Seminole Sunday.

FHA Tea Honors Mothers

The O'Donnell Future Homemakers of America held a tea Thursday April 26th at 4 p. m. in the Homemaking Cottage honoring their mothers. The hostesses were Pat Etter, Sue Smith and Ann Singleton. Daphne Telchik presided at the register book. Presiding at the puner bowl were: Fern Bairrington and Frances Holtzlaw Elaine Hohn was chairman of the program committee. After the refreshments were served the Club officers presented a candle ceremony on the eight purposes of the Future home makers. Mothers attending were Mesdames: Elizabeth Reynolds, V. B. Hohn, Lloyd Davis, J. E. Nance, Sam Singleton, Oscar Telchik, Earl Cooley, Darius Sumrow, Lucille Barnes, Cliff Lambert, R. W. Holtzclaw, H. B. Smith, C. Gillespie, J. E. Shaw, Levi Gray, Carl Sanders, Wallace Cox, Sam Nelms, C. M. Pearce, Allan Vandivere, Valton Harris, Vera Etter, Cleave Bairrington, W. G. Gass and F. M. Jones. The tea was enjoyed by everyone attending.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Todd spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Lu Edwards.

Miss Jo Tnn Edwards is visiting her brother and family at M. D. land.

Sharon Middleton is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hash.

Mrs. D. E. Sumrow has returned from Marlin much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Robinson of Dallas visited in the home of D. E. Sumrows over week end.

Mrs. Henry Warren is visiting her mother at Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Street and Mesdames Celsor and Shaw were week end visitors in Merkel.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack C. Bradley and children have moved to Midland. Their many friends here regret losing this fine couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Yandell visited their son Mr. and Mrs. Bill Yandell at Olton over week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gibson and family, Rufus Carr, Miss Helen Stokes, Floyd Williams and Miss Mary Louise Sufal visited in San Angelo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Smith are the proud parents of a fine boy born Sunday nite at a Lamesa hospital.

R. M. Mahurin and sons, E. C. and Bob, attended the funeral of Mr. Mahurin niece at Wingate Sunday. The young lady was killed in a car accident Friday at Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Barnes and Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Franklin and Jacky Bill spent the week end at Rudoso.

Mrs. W. H. Harris accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Buster Harris of Lubbock spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Davis at Eldorado N. M.

C. E. Boles has recently purchased a 3 room house from Albert Koeninger in the east part of town. Mr. Boles is our Santa Fe Agent.

SEE our nice Selection of all yard plants and Mother's Day flowers, both pot plants and cut flowers. Swaney Flower and Gift shop.

Wedding Picture of Mr and Mrs Patton



Above is the wedding picture of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Patton. Mrs. Patton is the former Miss Betty James. All pictures on this page by W. D. Parker

Gray of Schreiner Ins  
Kerrville was home for the  
and Mrs Earl Lankford and  
Stanton visited these  
and uncle Mr and Mrs R. O.

see Lesly Bean at Everett Bar-  
ber shop for saddle soaping and  
polishing of your saddles 2tp . . .  
Hack Burnett of the U S Air  
Force, and recently in several of  
the major battles in Korea, is now  
at Tague and within a month is  
expected home

NOTICE  
BY ORDER OF THE BOARD  
OF TRUSTEES OF THE O'DON-  
NELL CONSOLIDATED INDEP-  
ENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT  
THERE WILL BE A FLAT 20  
PER CENT VALUATION RAISE  
ADDED TO ALL REAL AND  
PERSONAL PROPERTY AFTER  
THE BOARD OF EQUILIZATION  
HAS MADE ITS ADJUSTMENT..  
T. J. YANDELL  
ASSESSOR COLLECTOR

MR SHOOK WILL GIVE FREE  
Thursday nite May 3rd at 8 p.  
m. at the Welch High School  
the Magnolia Pet. Co. will give  
a FREE picture show in the  
school auditorium. W. J. Shook,  
local agent here said Monday.  
There will also be a drawing with  
Free awards off oil and grease and  
other items. Three pictures will  
be shown including one on the oil  
industry, a picture of farming in  
Colorado and a comedy for the  
children. Folks of the Wells, New  
Moore and Welch and Grandview  
area are cordially invited

SCHOOL ELECTION SET FOR  
BORDEN CO. MAY 19th

On May 19th there will be a  
County wide election in Borden  
County on the question of the  
forming of a rural High School  
district including Borden County  
as a unit. All precinct poll boxes  
will vote. If approved by the voters  
the school will likely be at Gal.  
The voter should remember that  
the election May 19th is NOT a  
bond issue but merely to form a  
district. The grade schools thruout  
the County will not be affected  
the index is informed.

PFC JAMES B WARD IS KILLED  
IN ACTION

Pfc. James B Ward of Seagraves  
is listed as killed in action in  
Korea. He is the son of Mr. and  
Mrs. Jim Ward who live near Seagraves  
and formerly lived here.  
He had been listed as missing for  
1 months. Mr Ward was formerly  
a tractor mechanic for an imple-  
ment firm here moving from here  
about 10 years ago going from  
here to Tahoka. James formerly  
attended school here.

Weatherman Ben Moore, as  
reported 5 - 100ths inches of  
rain Sunday nite as the results of  
a gusty duster. The wind blew in  
gusts that a times reached the  
velocity of a storm, and some hail  
fell. It remains critically dry not  
only on the Plains but thruout the  
Southwest.

Mrs. L. J. Barnett and Mrs. Doc  
Forte visited Mrs. Brewer at  
Christoval Sunday.

Miss LaMoine Line and two  
friends spent Sunday at home here  
celebrating Miss Line's birthday

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McMillan visit  
ed her mother at Gorman over  
the week end

Dallas Vaughn suffered a  
fractured foot this week when a  
horse fell with him.

DONALD REDDELL IS 8th  
GRADE VALEDICTORIAN

The Elementary School grad-  
uation will be Thursday nite May  
17th at 8 p. m. at the high school  
auditorium. Wynome Seay will be  
Solutorian and Valedictorian  
will be Donald Reddell. Rev  
John Johns will give the invocat-  
ion and Rev. H. A. Longino will  
give the Benediction. The class  
historian will be Avery Doss. The  
address of the evening will be by  
Bill Sweeney.

The following are students  
listed in the 8th grade graduating  
class which will graduate May  
17th, Thursday:  
Mary Amaro, Joy B Barnett,  
Marshall Barton, Lovina Louise  
Bearden, Travis Bolch, Betty  
Ruth Brush, Drucilla Cook, Dio  
Valcee Cox, Wanda Maye Cunn-  
ingham, Gerald Davis, Avery  
Maxine Leonard, Dunn, Virginia  
Nancy Durham, Cleon Eason,  
Nancy Gayle Everett, Tommy  
Travis Franklin, Don Gilliam,  
Jack Gleghorn, Jo Ann Griffin,  
Kay Hancock, Dennis Herman,  
Slaton D Harris, Edmond Hobby,  
Gene Hodge, Mary Merl Johnson,  
Charles Clayton Johnson, Carl  
Gene Jones, Darlene Kerh, Gwen  
de Ann Kizer, Bobby Long, Doreece  
Lavender, Joy Tanette Mahurin,  
Helen Irene McKay, Evelyn Mau-  
line, Mary Joyce Malone,  
Nancy Joy Malone, Esther Bos-  
illa Morales, Wayne Mott, Billie  
Pennington, Mary Frances Pierce,  
Bobby Leon Ratliff, Donald Lee  
Reddell, James Harold Sanders,  
Opal Yvonne Seay, James Shaw,  
J. Gerry K. Sherrill, Larry  
David Smith, John Parish Spra-  
berry, Bobby Lee Stalcup, Rex  
Stokes, Carol Ann Thompson,  
Wallace Thompson, Tommy Louis  
Todd, Mavis Dean Veach, Kath-  
ryn Ann Vickers, Charlie Walker,  
Freida Ward, John Wheat, Jack  
Worthington and Frankie Jo  
Young

Cheer Washing Powder Large  
box 20c at  
LAMBERT GHO. AND MKT.

# MacArthur Given Hero's Welcome; Divided Nation Questions Issues

**AN AROUSED NATION**—No one event in the recent history of the United States has caused as much comment among the people on the Main Streets of the little towns and big towns of the nation as that of the dismissal of Gen. Douglas MacArthur from his commands in the far east. It was a shocked and angry nation that gathered on Main Street when the Japanese bombed Pearl Harbor. It was a happy nation that demonstrated at the end of World War II. But it was a divided nation that questioned the removal of MacArthur!



Lt. Gen. Ridgway



Lt. Gen. Van Fleet

**New Commanders**  
The storm raged from grocery store to filling station, from hardware store to the courthouse. Indignation, sorrow, righteousness, worry, fear and hysteria found their way into the controversy.

The issues of civil power vs military, Europe vs Asia, the personality of MacArthur vs Truman, politics vs statecraft, all entered into the story. For a week it was violent and then the general came home for the first time in 14 years to the acclaim of a grateful and sentimental nation.

But by now the first shock and anger of the President's action had given way to considerable sober thinking. For the first time the people of Main Street got a look through the fog of personal grudges and politics at some of the deeper issues. Although it was a divided nation still, hysteria was abating. There was still confusion, but the people along Main Street were calmer.

And many of them realized that they had witnessed a turning point in history. Whether it would be for the best interests of the country and the world they could not decide—only time would tell.

**THE WORLD**—Although at first glance it seems a long way from the Main Streets of the small towns of the nation to Europe and Asia, the majority of the homesteaders today realize we live in "one world," and for that reason they are listening to what others had to say about the MacArthur-Truman controversy.

This is some of the reaction abroad: London—"His (MacArthur) removal was accepted as an augury of peace"; Paris—"The French feel that his dismissal means less chance of total war . . ."; Bonn—"Most Germans believe that at worst General MacArthur's impulsiveness would involve the United States in a general war."

**THE PRESS**—Back of the national scene the home town press took a more temperate view of the incident than expressed by the thousands of telegrams that were received by senators and congressmen. The home town editors were concerned about constitutional rights and which is more important to world peace, Asia, as believed by MacArthur, or Europe, as believed by Truman.

A survey of 78 leading newspapers in the daily field showed this division of opinion: Truman right, 38; Truman wrong 26; neutral, 14. The daily press, too, was deeply concerned over issues concealed in the first blast of tempers.

**THE CONGRESS**—And while the Truman-MacArthur controversy raged along the Main Streets of the nation, the debate reached the boiling point in the house and senate. It can be said with all truthfulness that the dispute reached the stage where those two bodies of men, representing the people of the United States, stripped themselves of what little dignity remained after three years of battling over domestic and foreign issues.

The debate, for the most part, was along party lines with the Republicans backing MacArthur and the Democrats plugging the President. Both sides hurled the label of "war party" at the other. There were indications, however, that the two parties might get together for a sweeping investigation of the administration's far eastern policy.

**ANOTHER LONG WAIT**—While the nation talked of the Truman-MacArthur controversy, the house passed its version of a draft bill. But the mothers and fathers in the small towns of the nation appear in for another long wait before they learn the fate of their sons.

The measure now goes to a house-senate conference committee that has the senate version of a draft. The conferees face a long and hard struggle to work out a compromise. Long-range training features of the two measures pose the greatest obstacle to quick agreement. There are, however, numerous other conflicts that will require time to adjust.

At the moment it appears very likely that a compromise bill might not become law much before July 9, the expiration date of the present selective service act.

**FARM MACHINERY OUTPUT**—The long-awaited cutback in farm equipment output is expected during the next three months, industry spokesmen reported, with production of about 75 per cent of the industry's capacity. Production of farm tractors for the first quarter of this year was higher than in 1950, but material shortages are expected to reduce schedules.

From January through March, 152,260 farm tractors were produced. In the corresponding months of 1950 the total was 147,972 units. The increase was attributed to use of materials stockpiled during last fall's strikes. Accumulated materials have been used up, however, and manufacturers are having difficulties securing quantities to keep pace with production schedules.

**DEFENSE JOBS GO BEGGING**—The people of the home towns of the nation are not rushing into defense jobs as fast as some government agencies desire.

Robert C. Goodwin, director of the bureau of employment security, reported that 50,000 unfilled jobs clog the rolls of state employment offices as the nation's defense program shifts into second gear.

The unfilled jobs are for workers in professional, managerial, skilled, service, clerical and sales, semiskilled, and unskilled fields. Thirty-six states reported openings.

**DECISION SOON**—Since March 5, when deputies of Great Britain, France, Russia, and the United States began meetings in Paris in hope of agreeing on an agenda for another foreign ministers' conference, the people in the home towns of America have waited patiently for an announcement that perhaps the big four could get together.

A decision should be reached any day now and the democratic nations believe the Soviet Union will agree to the conference. U.S. diplomats believe the Russians will agree for three reasons: (1) To stall, or at least put a brake on the accelerated defense programs of the free nations of the Atlantic alliance; (2) To exploit and widen whatever difference may still exist among the western powers and to divide them on important policy issues, if possible; and (3) To use the proposed conference, bound to be one of the most widely reported events in recent history, as an organ of propaganda for Soviet "peace aims."

## FARM SECURITY TAXES First Farm Social Security Report Due

The first social security tax and information returns for farm and household employees, together with payment of taxes, was due on or before April 30.

The social security tax and information return covers the quarterly period of January, February, and March, 1951. The farm and household employees involved those who were brought into the federal old-

age and survivors insurance system on January 1.

Whether or not a farm or household employee's wages are subject to the taxes depends on the number of days worked for the employer and the amount of cash earnings. If in doubt concerning taxes due, farmers are urged to see the nearest internal revenue collector at once.



TRUMAN AND MACARTHUR TALKED AT WAKE ISLAND . . . but the result was only an uneasy truce . . .



RED ARMY SPEARHEADS THE MENACE OF COMMUNISM . . . would MacArthur's policies have brought total war? . . .

## THE GREAT CONTROVERSY History Shows That the Symptoms Underlying MacArthur's Dismissal Have Existed for Many Centuries

By W. P. SCHOENTGEN  
WNU Managing Editor

There is a kind of universality about Douglas MacArthur that communicates itself to many men, something of the same stuff that leads nearly everyone to believe in his own heart that he can run a newspaper and play Hamlet with a deathless genius.

Was MacArthur right or wrong in his belief in the strategic priority

of Asia, the bombing of Manchuria, the utilization of Chinese Nationalist forces?

Did he, in public and private rejection of administration and United States policies in the Far East, express a subconscious desire to achieve "martyrdom" for his principles?

Did President Truman take the right action but at the wrong time in relieving MacArthur of his multiple command?

It doesn't make any difference who you are — you undoubtedly have your own strong, definite and perhaps impassioned answer to each of those questions. And according to your answers, you align yourself on one side or the other of the MacArthur controversy—the great American schism of 1951.

It is a basic division, a schism of the soul and spirit; and the rock upon which the split has occurred is a military man, a soldier, yes, even a 71-year-old general.

**Military Men's Drama**

That in itself is not unusual. It is, in point of fact, a fairly sound historical tradition that great epochs of man's development are likely to turn upon the personality of a military leader, probably because it is easy for the public to focus its attention upon a man who can be identified with the drama of danger and physical action, and with the glamour of military triumphs.

General MacArthur follows vigorously in that tradition. It has been his peculiar destiny to help lead this nation in smiting tyranny both right and left within the past decade, striking to the right at Japanese imperialism in World War II and to the left at Communist efforts at domination in Korea and the Far East.

Thus he has become a political symbol, having stood as the spearhead of America's often inept and fumbling but always intense desire for peace that patently will not be had for the asking but which may come if we fight hard enough for it.

Whether the principles he has advocated are right or wrong, it is MacArthur the symbol, not MacArthur the man, around which the very real, very basic foreign policy quarrel has gathered.

From that point of view, the MacArthur controversy is an old and elemental form of domestic strife that has occurred and recurred within this or that national community ever since man has been able to formulate and defend an opinion.

Without attempting to make any invidious comparisons, a number of historic parallels to the MacArthur case become apparent from a quick glance at the records.

There is a superficial resemblance, for instance, between the firing of MacArthur by President Truman and Calvin Coolidge's dismissal of the late General "Billy" Mitchell for defying orders. Mr. Coolidge made it clear, however, that he was in sympathy with the cause of aviation which Mitchell

was personifying. But he also made it plain that, sympathy or no sympathy, he could not overlook the insubordination of which General Mitchell was found guilty.

An Assist to Air Power  
The violent closing of Billy Mitchell's career, we know now, marked the turning point of the controversy over the future of military aviation, and the pioneering general did much to advance U.S. air power to the mighty peak it reached in time to help win World War II.

Whether time and events will vindicate General MacArthur's ideas as fully as they have those of General Mitchell is anybody's guess.

One of the abiding characteristics of many powerful and successful military leaders in the past has been their capacity to capture the imagination and sympathy of the people and carry them along a chosen course—to a point, at least.

This makes for power and authority. And the possession of broad authority is like having a permit to carry a pistol. Keep it in the holster and depend upon its presence there to control circumstances, and chances are you won't get into trouble. The danger of carrying a gun lies in the possibility that sooner or later you might start firing it indiscriminately and a lot of people will get hurt, including yourself.

Julius Caesar, an overwhelming military and political genius, amassed for Rome and for himself a great reservoir of power which he was able to exercise pretty much at will. But there were those who felt he had too much power; they mistrusted it, feared that Caesar might misuse it.

No single man or group of men were strong enough to fire or depose the ruler by legal means. So Brutus and Cassius plotted, and on a day in March, Caesar, powerful and unsuspecting, walked up the steps of the Capitol to meet the knives of his assassins.

### THE BIBLE SPEAKS

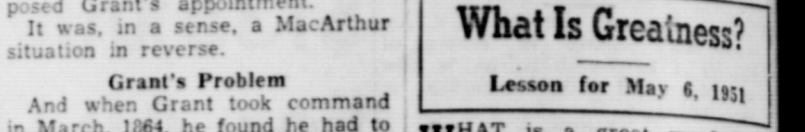
International Union  
Sunday School Lessons  
By DR. KENNETH J. FOREMAN

SCRIPTURE: II Samuel 5—8, I Chron. 11:2—17—19.  
DEVOTIONAL READING: Psalm 124:2—23

### What Is Greatness?

Lesson for May 6, 1951

WHAT is a great man? Some men have been called great who were not so; they were only prominent. Hitler, for example, was certainly prominent enough; but he was not great. Men can truly be called great for various good reasons. Some may be artists; some may be soldiers, others statesmen or prophets. Once in a while a man is born who is great in more ways than one.



David the Ideal King

SUCH a man was David, King of Israel and one of the world's most famous men. The United Kingdom of Israel had a short history, only three kings reigning over it—Saul, David and Solomon. Of the three, David was by all odds the greatest man and greatest king.

Neither Saul nor Solomon was capable of holding for a lifetime to a high ideal. Neither was capable of whole-hearted devotion to God. Neither one could gain and hold the loyalty of the nation.

It was only David who could do these things. It is no accident that forever after, when a Hebrew thought of the ideal king, he would think neither of Israel's first king nor of the wealthiest, but of David the best and most beloved.

**Military Genius**  
DAVID was great, in part because of his power in battle. What no one since Joshua had been able to do, David did: he wielded the quarreling, jealous, weak tribes of Israel into a "single sword." The times called for military genius, and David had it. He gave Israel the military might that was essential for their peace and prosperity.

So, often since David's time, there have been great soldiers who have used their military genius not for conquest in itself but in order to win some place in the sun for peace-loving nations. One thinks of Charles Martel, who saved Europe from barbarian conquest; of William of Orange who set the Dutch free from Spanish tyranny; of Washington, "father" of a great nation; and of many others.

The great soldiers of history have been more than professionally skilled and successful killers of men; they have been like David, men whose skill was used to preserve nations, not to destroy them.

**Lovable Leadership**  
IN OUR times Hitler brought the word "Leader" under a shadow, because his leadership was in the wrong direction. But there is such a thing as noble and wise leadership, and David had this quality in a high degree.

It is true, success has something to do with it. Men will flock to a winner who would have nothing to do with him if he were a loser. But still it is a fact that most of the world's great leaders who have come up from obscurity, as David did, have arisen at the head of groups of devoted men who have followed them loyally through the darkest times.

So it was with David. During his years as leader of the "underground" (literally so, since for some time his headquarters were in a great limestone cave), he developed the hard core of the army he commanded at a later time, a core of men who would rather lose with David than win against him.

**Leader in Faith**  
DAVID had yet another quality of greatness, and for this he is perhaps best remembered. He was a man of deep religion. But religion for him was not merely a personal matter; he carried his faith into public life, he made his faith contagious. He did his best to make faith in God central, as it had never been, in the life of his nation.

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GENERAL MACARTHUR  
he went his own way

denation, or call them an honorable defense of his own principles, they have basic meaning for us as a dramatic illustration of the grim fact that the United States has to choose between two basic and different courses in this battle against the evils of communism.

One way is going to be right, the other wrong. We say that the nation, in its collective mind, has



PRESIDENT TRUMAN  
he lowered the boom

split over the issue of which is the best way to deal with Communist aggression in the Far East.

But it is not, it cannot be, a fatal split. The doubt that has been lurking behind our thinking and our attitude on the question of how best to fight the monstrosity of world communism has been brought plainly into the open and is clearly defined.

There is no longer any reason for anyone—be he statesman, military man, farmer, storekeeper or factory worker—to deny the existence of that doubt. Now it can be talked about and it can be eliminated.

That is the great service that President Truman and General MacArthur have unwittingly performed for the nation and the free world. They have managed to get all the cards on the table.

The answer, still to be found, is there somewhere.

### MacArthur's Father Had Troubles, Too

Gen. Douglas MacArthur's father Gen. Arthur MacArthur, embroiled himself in a bitter dispute with civilian authorities 50 years ago when he was military governor of the Philippine Islands, which the U.S. had just acquired from Spain.

William Howard Taft arrived in the islands as head of a presidential commission charged with establishing a civilian government in the Philippines.

Although President William McKinley was under heavy pressure in Washington to establish a civilian government as soon as possible, Arthur MacArthur's command took the point of view that only the army could do a proper job of restoring order and control.

When Taft arrived, MacArthur coldly refused to see him.

### THE BIBLE SPEAKS

International Union  
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SCRIPTURE: II Samuel 5—8, I Chron. 11:2—17—19.  
DEVOTIONAL READING: Psalm 124:2—23

### What Is Greatness?

Lesson for May 6, 1951

WHAT is a great man? Some men have been called great who were not so; they were only prominent. Hitler, for example, was certainly prominent enough; but he was not great. Men can truly be called great for various good reasons. Some may be artists; some may be soldiers, others statesmen or prophets. Once in a while a man is born who is great in more ways than one.

Such a man was David, King of Israel and one of the world's most famous men. The United Kingdom of Israel had a short history, only three kings reigning over it—Saul, David and Solomon. Of the three, David was by all odds the greatest man and greatest king.

Neither Saul nor Solomon was capable of holding for a lifetime to a high ideal. Neither was capable of whole-hearted devotion to God. Neither one could gain and hold the loyalty of the nation.

It was only David who could do these things. It is no accident that forever after, when a Hebrew thought of the ideal king, he would think neither of Israel's first king nor of the wealthiest, but of David the best and most beloved.

**Military Genius**  
DAVID was great, in part because of his power in battle. What no one since Joshua had been able to do, David did: he wielded the quarreling, jealous, weak tribes of Israel into a "single sword." The times called for military genius, and David had it. He gave Israel the military might that was essential for their peace and prosperity.

So, often since David's time, there have been great soldiers who have used their military genius not for conquest in itself but in order to win some place in the sun for peace-loving nations. One thinks of Charles Martel, who saved Europe from barbarian conquest; of William of Orange who set the Dutch free from Spanish tyranny; of Washington, "father" of a great nation; and of many others.

The great soldiers of history have been more than professionally skilled and successful killers of men; they have been like David, men whose skill was used to preserve nations, not to destroy them.

**Lovable Leadership**  
IN OUR times Hitler brought the word "Leader" under a shadow, because his leadership was in the wrong direction. But there is such a thing as noble and wise leadership, and David had this quality in a high degree.

It is true, success has something to do with it. Men will flock to a winner who would have nothing to do with him if he were a loser. But still it is a fact that most of the world's great leaders who have come up from obscurity, as David did, have arisen at the head of groups of devoted men who have followed them loyally through the darkest times.

So it was with David. During his years as leader of the "underground" (literally so, since for some time his headquarters were in a great limestone cave), he developed the hard core of the army he commanded at a later time, a core of men who would rather lose with David than win against him.

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## THIRSTY LAND

# 5,000,000 Acres of Farm Lands Are Irrigated in Western U.S.

(This is the second of two articles on California's world-famous Central Valley irrigation project.)

The prime objective of the Central Valley project is an equalization of the fabulous agriculture empire's water resources between the surplus area of the north and the water-deficient southern two-thirds, providing for irrigation of more than one million acres of fertile farm lands.

This is how it was worked out. Surplus waters of the northern valley are conserved behind Shasta dam on the upper Sacramento river, as well as Folsom dam, under construction on the American river, and released as needed downstream.

**Star Dust**  
**STAGE-SCREEN-RADIO**  
**By INEZ GERHARD**

**EMERIC PRESSBURGER**, Michael Powell, and Hein Heckroth might well have rested on their laurels when they finished "Red Shoes", but they went on to bigger and better things, by screening "Tales of Hoffman". The complete opera was filmed in beautiful sets designed by Mr. Heckroth, with a star-studded cast which includes stars of both opera and the Sadiers

Wells ballet and chorus. Sir Thomas Beecham was the film's musical director. Mr. Pressburger says he thinks this is the only picture ever filmed around a sound track; the entire score was recorded and the action fitted to it, and never has sound been more successfully dubbed in. "Tales of Hoffman" should be seen by everyone who like exceptional films.

**Harry Cohn**, president of Columbia Pictures, said "This is the most important deal we have ever made", when Stanley Kramer signed on the dotted line to deliver 39 top bracket pictures during the next five years. In return he'll get \$25,000,000. Kramer makes only successful pictures, the latest being "Cyrano de Bergerac", has 12 big properties on his list.

The board of directors of the Motion Picture Association has made some fine new rulings. "Neither the illegal drug traffic, nor drug addiction, must ever be presented"; suicide is to be discouraged unless absolutely necessary to the plot, and "There must be no scenes at any time showing law-enforcing officers dying at the hands of the criminals," unless the plot demands it.

**GRASSROOTS**  
**Farmers Are Enjoying More Prosperity Than Ever**

By Wright A. Patterson

**THE FACTS AND FIGURES** used in this column were provided by a national life insurance company.

As compared with the conditions of the mid-twenties and early thirties, those operating the 6,372,000 farms of to-day are following the sunny side of the farm prosperity road, thanks to a beneficent government. Farm mortgages are not now being foreclosed by the thousands each day or week, as was true of that time—mortgages representing farm purchases made at exorbitant prices for land. By last year, 1959, mortgage foreclosures were practically over. The farm had grown from an average 146 acres in 1900 to an average size of 195 acres in 1950, and the mortgage had dropped to an average of only \$350 per farm, a mere 8½ per cent of the value of the farm and its equipment.

That reduction of the farm mortgage represents but one evidence of farm prosperity. That average American farmer of 1950 was 49 years old. His 195 acres of land and his farm buildings were worth \$10,000. His farm machinery and motor vehicles, with live stock and poultry to a value of \$2,100, represent a total plant value for each of the 6,372,000 farms of \$14,300.

For each farm there was produced in 1950 crops representing a cash value of \$4,350, plus \$350 worth of the products of each farm used by the farm

family. In the aggregate, American agriculture is a big business, and again prosperous, with its more than six million producing units sharing in the total of more than 30 billion dollars of production, an average for each farm of \$4,700, with an average holding of about \$14,300 for each farm, exclusive of home furnishings and home equipment.

Through the past half century the farm has increased its production despite the fact that the farm population has decreased by some 12 per cent. With better methods, better seed, better equipment, better livestock and more fertilizer, the man hour production has increased in the past 10 years by more than 35 per cent. Thanks to the American farmer, the American farm has more than kept pace with other American production. It has done its full part in all of our war efforts. It has provided food for our armed forces, and for those of our allies.

Half a century ago, in 1900 the average net income on American farms amounted to only \$350 per year. Twenty five years later it was \$960, and in 1950 the average annual net income amounted to \$2,225.

That increase was not all due to the government policies of guaranteeing a parity price for farm products. Much of it was due to the habits of thrift and industry that so much an attribute of the farm. Those things, more than the parity prices maintained at the expense

of the taxpayers, were responsible for the restoration of the farm to its place in the national economy.

The people of the cities and towns should realize that it is not congress, nor any one at Washington, who is responsible for present farm conditions, but that such conditions have largely been produced by the characteristic industry and thrift of those on the farms.

The figures are, of course, general averages. There are exceptions. There are farms on which thrift and industry are not found, but such instances are the exceptions rather than the rule. As a whole, the farm is enjoying an unusual degree of prosperity, due to the efforts of the farmers and the farm families. Farming is again an acceptable way of living. Today it enjoys not only its share of cash income, but the conveniences of living that were so long considered the prerogatives of the urban population where electricity was available.

The electric power is provided by the farm owner co-operatives, of which the average farm has invested \$350. That investment provides him with a telephone, with electricity for light and power. It provides for him and his family the same conveniences that are enjoyed by those living in the cities.

Yes, the American farmer is again living on the sunny side of easy street. His balance at his local bank is as large as is that of the average city dwellers.



Reclamation projects provide additional recreational features for thousands of Californians. Bass and trout fishing are especially good in Shasta Lake.

The water is picked up by the Delta Cross Channel and flows south to the Tracy Pumping Plant on the rim of Central Valley's western foothills. There the water is lifted 200 feet into the Delta-Mendota Canal, to flow another 123 miles south to Mendota pool in the San Joaquin river.

At this point the imported northern supply takes over the job formerly done by the San Joaquin river. By this exchange, San Joaquin waters can be retained behind Friant dam and diverted still further south by the 152-mile Friant-Kern Canal for irrigation use in the critically water-deficient areas along the east side of the San Joaquin valley as far down as Ekersville.

At the Friant dam another canal moves water 37 miles north for irrigation purposes in Madera county. The initial features of the project, which will be completed and in operation this July, will cost an estimated \$400,000,000, of which 87 per cent will be repaid through sale of water and power developed by the project over a sixty year period. The remaining 13 per cent is charged to non-reimbursable items such as flood control.

**ALTHOUGH THIS** is a vast project, it is only one small part of the nation's reclamation program that has already proved to be a fruitful source of new wealth from the development of the west's great natural resources.

Reclamation opens new opportunities for people of this nation to build new farms, new homes, new industries and new business establishments in our best and oldest American territory.

Today some 5,000,000 acres of arid and semiarid land are irrigated with crops produced on these lands averaging in excess of \$500,000,000 per year in value.

Since the first reclamation project was started in 1903, the west has been provided with 95 dams with combined storage capacity of 62,780,000 acre-feet of water; 35 power plants with more than 3,000,000 kilowatts capacity; 16,000 miles of irrigation canals; 3,000 miles of electric transmission lines.

In return, reclamation projects have produced \$500,000,000 worth of crops per year; \$33,000,000 in power revenues; \$2,900,000,000 in federal taxes between 1916 and 1949; and \$1,500,000,000 which is spent in every section of the United States each year.

This is the brief story of this nation's attempt to bring water to thirsty land, a story that has been repeated in many sections of the world since before the time of Christ, but never on such a vast scale.

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**ACROSS**  
 1. The wise men (Bib.)  
 5. Capital (Peru)  
 9. Wading bird  
 10. Persia  
 11. Tart  
 12. Look at hurriedly  
 14. Mournful  
 15. Sop  
 16. Neuter pronoun  
 17. Floor covering  
 19. Skin tumor  
 20. Lamprey  
 21. Pineapple (So. Am.)  
 22. Shut  
 25. Trousers  
 26. Jackdaw's  
 27. Organ of hearing  
 28. Feminine name  
 29. Somewhat fat  
 33. Music note  
 34. Lave  
 35. Born  
 33. Lacking firmness of texture

**DOWN**  
 2. Dwell  
 3. Disease of sheep  
 4. Part of "to be"  
 5. Flower  
 6. Arab kingdom in Mesopotamia  
 7. Male adult  
 8. Old  
 11. Donkey  
 12. End aimed at  
 13. Spirit lamps  
 15. Snow vehicle  
 18. Hawaiian garlands  
 19. Gain  
 21. Portion  
 22. U. S. president used in cookery  
 24. Possessive  
 25. Footway  
 27. Not difficult  
 29. Worries (colloq.)  
 30. Deduce  
 31. Full of seams  
 32. Feminine pronoun  
 34. Flutter  
 37. Fruiting spike of grain  
 38. Fuss  
 40. Fish

THE FICTION CORNER

# ROMANCE IN ELEVATOR

By Shirley Sargent

THE professor had been elevator starter in the six story Brent building ever since Tod Davis could remember. He clicked his castanets, guiding people into one or another elevator. Sometimes he said, "Car going up," or "Step in, please," but usually he just clicked his castanets and motioned.

Tod sidestepped the crowd going into the second car. Valerie operated elevator number three part time, helping to put herself through college. The professor winked and let Tod go in, but it wasn't any good. He was shoved into the corner opposite Valerie by eager shoppers.

Romance in an elevator, Tod thought wryly. Personal conversation, interrupted by calls of "Three, miss," and "Second, please," was nearly impossible, but Valerie managed it.

"Good morning, Mr. Davis," she said now, formally. "Why aren't you at college?"

"Too nice a morning to be cooped up," he said, watching her but conscious that every eye was on him. Everybody streamed out by the time they reached the top floor and only two nurses got in for the down ride. Quickly, he said, "I'm quitting school."

Valerie's expressions — anger chasing disappointment — told him how she felt. As people got on at the fourth floor level, all she could say was, "I'm afraid you're making a mistake."

Tod had known Valerie would be

stubborn. First floor and everybody out as a new stream crowded in. Just enough confused time for Tod to stop beside her. "It's that job," he said urgently. "I'll be making enough for us to be married on steady work."

"So's running an elevator," she reported. "Why don't you talk to the professor?"

Tod leaned against the wall, watching the professor direct traffic. He couldn't see college for the \$2.70 an hour he'd get working for a construction company. Balance the promise of an underpaid white collar job after two more years of college against that kind of money, and you didn't give a darn for education.

The castanets clicked, the professor's arm moved, people shuffled forward. Watching him, Tod was reminded of an automat. The professor was a fixture, performing the same gestures routinely. Habit and duty guiding him. Like a puppet, Tod thought, realizing why Valerie wanted him to talk to the professor.

With the elevators all in use, he turned to Tod. "How's college?"

"I'm quitting for a job at \$2.70 an hour."

"So you can get married?"

"Valerie says she won't marry me unless I finish college."

"Smart girl," the professor said quietly, turning back to the impatient people, castanets clicking, arm waving.

In the next hull, the professor spoke hurriedly, "I took this job on temporarily 23 years ago, because I needed money to be married. I was going to teach, be a professor, but the children started coming and this was steady. Great job if you like herding sheep."

Tod watched the professor with sharpened awareness. Herding sheep. A steady job, but automatic. No thought, no chance for advancement. That's what Valerie had wanted him to see. Was Valerie afraid he'd end up like the professor?

Thoughtfully Tod boarded the third car, standing as close to Valerie as the pressure of the crowd would allow.

"I thought you had to work," she said coldly.

"I'm going back to college," he said, forgetting the people when he saw her eyes light up. They shot past the second floor without stopping. "Will you marry me right away?" he asked.

"Oh, yes," she said and the elevator zoomed past the fourth floor level as he took her in his arms.

And the next thing they knew, the crowd was shouting, "Sixth floor, everybody out."

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*Folks You Know*

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Mr and Mrs James Reeves visited in McCamey recently  
Mr and Mrs E L Edwards, Mrs J R Edwards and daughter were in Oklahoma City last week to attend the funeral of Mrs Joe Blankridge.  
Mrs Marvin Ratliff and son visited the Joe McLaurins at Ruidoso last week.  
Mr and Mrs B B Street visited at Corpus Christi last week.

**STUDY CLUB**

Dr. Ernest Wallace, assistant dean of Arts and Sciences at Texas Tech, spoke at the 1946 Study Club luncheon. Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs I. G. Schuessler, and guests included members of the 1939

Study Club. Presiding at the punch bowl and refreshment table was Mrs Douglas Ballew. Punch, sandwiches, cookies, and nuts were served to 18 members and guests.

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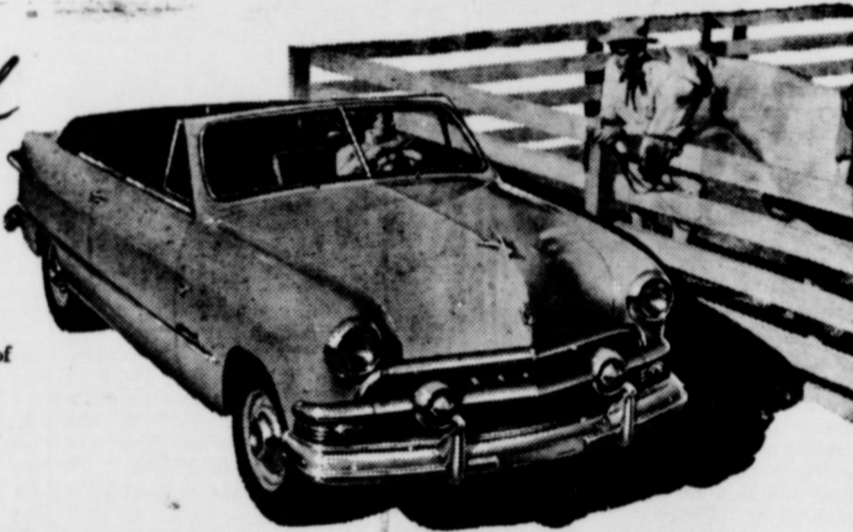
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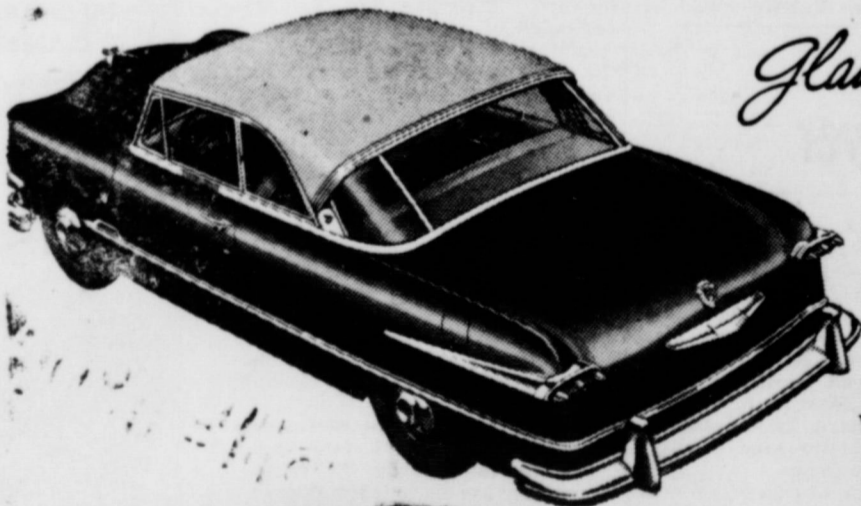
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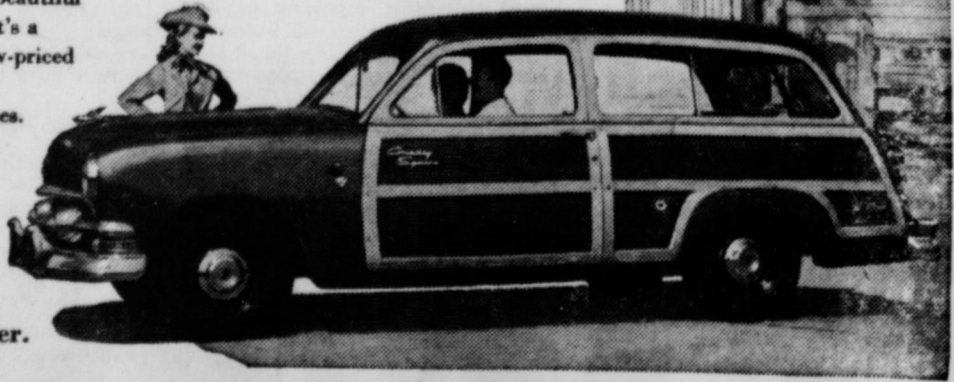
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**Nebraska Rural Safety Project Wins Traffic Engineering Award**

How one state reduced automobile accidents 91 per cent in one year at a dangerous rural highway intersection at trivial cost, simply by removing an unwarranted traffic signal and installing stop signs and warnings, has been voted the best example of traffic engineering results submitted to the Association of Casualty and Surety Companies in its 1950 competition for traffic officials.



By INEZ GERHARD  
FRANK SINATRA, recently returned from Florida with a fine tan and great enthusiasm for performing in a hotel, as he did there, has done well in all fields of entertainment but one; so far he has never appeared on the legitimate stage in New York. Probably he'd



tackle the assignment if it was offered, and turn in a good performance. He loves to work, especially in television; has his own show, on CBS, the network which also carries his radio series. And he is booked to make "Meet Danny Wilson" for Universal. He talks well about show business, but really goes to town about Jimmy Durante; you should hear him.

Since Virginia Mayo and her husband bought their ranch in Arizona they have had 312 applications for jobs from cowboys; ten of them even offered to work for bunk and board if Virginia was going to be on hand.

Alan Young is one of the happiest young men in California since Howland Hughes managed to make a deal with Paramount and get Young for "Androcles and the Lion". When Young was in New York he hardly dared hope the deal would go through, and everybody from Jose Ferrer down was being talked about for the role of "Androcles", for which Alan is perfect.

Walter Brennan will soon be ready to welcome tourists at his new Indian Lodge Motel in Joseph, Oregon; has 15 units, at the foot of snow-capped mountains. He directed work from the set of RKO's "Best of the Bad Men" by phone.

**GRASSROOTS**

**Taxpayers Bear Expense of RFC Deals and Frauds**

By Wright A. Patterson  
GENERAL VAUGHN'S bestowal of refrigerators on favorites was but a piker operation compared with the natural milk coats presented to White House stenographers for influence in securing loans for corporations from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation.

The milk coats have figured prominently in the senate investigation of the R.F.C. scandal that has kept Washington and the entire nation agast for several weeks. But like other scandals of the past that newspaper and radio reporters have dug out of unusual graft conditions, nothing will come of it all.

The White House stenographer has her fur coat and will keep it. The Democratic national committee has collected considerable sums with which to finance the next national political campaign, and it will be used for that purpose. Numerous "fixers" have been paid extravagant sums for their services with directors of the R.F.C. Indirectly the American taxpayers bore the expense through the R.F.C. loans, which are financed by the federal government.

showed how accidents have been nearly eliminated at the junction of highways U.S. 30 and Nebraska 15, near Schuyler, where 32 accidents had injured 13 persons in eight and a half years. Only on very minor accident occurred during the first year after the change was made, compared with 11 during the preceding 12 months.

The important contributions to greater highway safety being made by the nation's traffic engineers and officials are indicated by seven case histories of results, including Mr. Johnston's, published last year in the accident prevention department's bulletin, "Getting Results Through Traffic Engineering."

By actual count, according to Thomas N. Boate, the association's director of public safety, the 1950 examples of engineering results prevented 70 accidents, nine deaths and 61 injuries in comparable periods after safety projects were completed in five cities and on two rural highways in seven states—Tennessee, Louisiana, North Carolina, Virginia, Nebraska, California and Michigan.

Nine deaths and 65 injuries occurred in 90 accidents at locations studied by traffic officials before the changes were made in the seven projects outlined in last year's bulletins. There were no deaths, injuries were reduced to four, and only 20 accidents occurred after the changes were made, Mr. Boate said.

IN THE ASSOCIATION'S annual competition, major factors considered by the judging include effectiveness of a project in reducing accidents and traffic delay or congestion, and relationship of the value of benefits to cost of the improvement made. The example submitted by Mr. Johnston showed that the prize-winning Nebraska rural crossroads project enabled the authorities to increase the speed limit from 25 to 35 miles an hour, thus expediting traffic at the same time accidents were reduced 91 per cent.

Eight times as many accidents had occurred at the Schuyler, Neb., intersection as were experienced at a similar location on U.S. 30 where only stop signs were used to control traffic, a study revealed. Analysis showed that fixed-time signals were not justified, so the lights were removed and 48-inch reflectorized stop signs and stop ahead warnings were erected to control traffic on Nebraska 15.

Other successful traffic engineering projects published in 1950 by the Association, ranging in cost from \$5.50 to \$30,000, included: establishment of a four-way stop in Nashville, Tenn.; channelizing and installing signals at Y-intersections in Los Angeles and Charlotte, N. C.; but rerouting and signal retiming in midtown Norfolk, Va.; instituting mid-block transit loading zones in the central business district of Shreveport, La.; and re-signing a rural junction near Grand Rapids, Mich.

The 1951 "Getting Results Through Traffic Engineering" competition, which again offers a \$100 award for the best example submitted, is open to all engineers, police and traffic officials. Entries should be sent at any time during the year to the Accident Prevention Department, Association of Casualty and Surety Companies, 60 John Street, New York 38, N. Y.

**CROSSWORD PUZZLE**

**LAST WEEK'S ANSWER**

**ACROSS**  
1. Inland sea (Asia)  
5. Flat-topped hill  
9. Solitary  
10. Hawaiian island  
11. God of the underworld (Rom.)  
12. Anger  
14. Not in  
15. Male adults  
16. Pronoun  
17. Gold (Heraldry)  
18. Scorch  
20. Long, feathered scarf  
21. Come back  
23. Roll up and fasten, as a sail  
24. Small sunken court by a window  
26. Small valley  
28. Poisoned by gas  
31. Writing fluid  
32. Dispatched  
33. Erbium (sym.)  
34. Close to  
35. Varying weight (India)  
36. Wing  
37. South American ruminant  
39. Unsteady (coll.)  
41. Jewish month  
42. Too  
43. Equip

**DOWN**  
1. Entice  
2. Put to flight  
3. Insect  
4. Sign of the zodiac  
5. Mowing machine  
6. Gain, as wages  
7. Chinese silk  
8. Writer  
11. Needy mammals  
13. Cure  
15. Director and self-satisfied  
18. Infallible  
19. Before  
20. Purchases  
22. Chatter  
23. Quick  
25. Pale  
26. Clock face  
27. Bony outgrowth on a deer's head  
29. Basket for trapping eels  
30. Low, heavy cart  
32. Valuable fur  
33. Little child (Arab.)  
39. Little child (Russ.-Turk.)  
40. River (Turk.)

**THE FICTION CORNER**

**LOVER'S QUARREL**  
By Laura M. Welch

I MUST HAVE been about ten or eleven, a rather intense little girl with a twenty year old sister whom I adored. She was in love with a young druggist, a handsome young man and she always kept a large photograph of him in the center of our upright piano, usually with a small fluted bowl of pansies or violets in front of it. Bess had been going with another young man in town and Clyde had had another girl; then suddenly they only made dates with each other.

One night about one o'clock my sister came upstairs to the room we shared and came to bed and cried nearly all night. Several times I asked her what was the matter and she'd say, "Nothing, honey, go back to sleep."

I knew she and Clyde had been to a dance and I was sure they had quarreled. The next morning she still won't tell me why she had cried so much.

Later on in the day I went into the parlor to practice my scales and there was his photograph right there in front of me. I couldn't bear to look at it. He had made my sister cry. He had hurt her dreadfully and I hated him. I hated him so much I couldn't bear to see his picture.

I took the picture and slid it along the baseboard behind the piano. I gave it a hard shove and was sure it would never be found again.

Two or three days went by. My

**FIRST AID to the AILING HOUSE**  
by Roger C. Whitman

**BADLY WORN LAUNDRY TUBS**

Question: The smooth finish—assumed to be cement—has worn off the bottoms and a short distance up the walls of our laundry tubs (twin). They have been in use since 1940. Now the coarser material, fine gravel, is exposed, and from time to time small particles are found adhering to the wash. I shall appreciate your giving me any suggestion which may be translated into a method of repairing this damage.

Answer: If not too rough, you might be able to smooth the surfaces by rubbing with a coarse abrasive stone. If this fails, you might call in a competent concrete worker. He may be able to clean the surfaces with a muriatic acid solution, rinse with water and put in a layer of cement mortar. If he does not think this idea practical, you could have a sheet metal (tinsmith) worker cut a sheet of stainless steel to fit the bottom of the tubs. The sheet should be taken out after each washing for thorough rinsing with clear water and the tubs should be allowed to dry out. Of course, the better plan would be to have good modern porcelain tubs put in, and get rid of the old ones.

**INSULATION IN ATTIC FLOOR**

Question: Please advise whether it would be of any value to place waterproof paper between the joists in the attic (i.e., the ceilings of the rooms below) before pouring or blowing in the insulation material. I intended to do the work myself and would appreciate your advice, since it will require considerable additional work to lay the paper, and unless it will make the insulation more effective. I do not wish to go to this extra expense if you do consider this waterproof paper an advantage, would you tell me what type to use?

Answer: Your plan is entirely correct, for the paper would act

as a "vapor barrier" and protect the insulation from any penetration of moisture from the house air, rising through the ceiling plaster. Get what is called vapor-proof paper, for not all water-proof papers are vapor-proof. Your dealer in insulating materials will have it in stock. After putting in your insulation, cover the material with tar paper or other strong paper to protect it from dust. (Insulating batts and blankets come with a vapor-proof covering.) Or you can lay flooring instead.

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**Child's World Is Wonderful**



Carmelita Plonka  
The world that children live in is mighty wonderful... filled with little daydreams and hopes and joys that make the older folks sometimes wish they were school-age again. But boys and girls have their ups and downs, too, particularly when they are not feeling well. Ten-year-old Carmelita Plonka, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Plonka of 3202 S. Aberdeen, Chicago, Ill., is not feeling good recently and was just too listless to get the most out of her school days. Fortunately for Carmelita, though, her grandmother suggested that her mother give her HADACOL, because she had heard how much it was helping children deficient in Vitamins B<sub>1</sub>, B<sub>2</sub>, Iron and Niacin. Now Carmelita feels fine and her mother says she has a big appetite.

Here is Mrs. Plonka's statement: "My daughter Carmelita, who is 10 years old and in the fifth grade, had always been underweight and I had to positively force her to eat. She had no interest in food whatsoever, but I knew that she had to eat. When we were visiting my mother in Missouri over the Christmas holidays she suggested I give Carmelita HADACOL. I bought a large bottle of it that same day and was amazed at the change in Carmelita. Her appetite picked right up and she now eats three hearty meals a day plus in-between snacks. I have really praised HADACOL, and highly recommend it for everyone."

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in the American army. For various reasons of the German officer, the installation was delayed, and that delay resulted in the Pearl Harbor disaster.

After the reporters had investigated and printed their statements accusing the German officer with deliberately delaying the installation, a congressional committee undertook an investigation.

Again there were grounds for libel suits, but the suits were never filed. The congressional investigation lasted for a few days, and was then dropped. The German engineer officer was assigned to another job, in connection with the construction of the Alcan highway. Later, he was promoted and sent to Germany with the army of occupation.

Such were two examples in which there was a convincing evidence. There was a similar situation in connection with the construction of the international highway through Mexico and Central America. They provided the names, places, amounts and methods. The statements they printed could well have been the basis for libel suits if the suits were instituted. A congressional committee undertook an investigation. For a few days there was much fuss about it all. Then the subject disappeared from the newspapers, and the investigation stopped. Nothing happened. The grafting contractors kept their ill-gotten gains, the tax payers paid the bills, the investigation was called off. It was interfering with the game of politics and politicians.

Another instance in which reporters dug up the evidence was the installation of radar protection for Hawaii. The installation was to be made under the direction of a German who was an engineer officer



"It was a hateful sort of thing for him to do," Bess said. "I know he's just laughing to himself, thinking how he put it over on me."

Some of her friends got together and decided to do something to help them make up. They came down to the house and brought Clyde with them, stayed a short time and went off leaving Clyde and Bess together. But it didn't do any good. Clyde left early, too, and my sister was just as sad as ever.

One day I heard her talking to one of her girl friends. "It was a hateful sort of thing for him to do. He could have asked me, you know. That would have been the honorable thing to do, even if he had wanted to give it to another girl." She swallowed a sob and went on, "I know he's just laughing to himself, thinking how he put it over on me."

I didn't have the slightest idea what she was talking about.

THE WHOLE TOWN was interested in the quarrel. They'd been expecting a big church wedding with all the fixings and were disappointed. As for myself, I just got madder and madder.

One morning I was sent uptown for the mail and met Clyde on the street. I started to go by him without speaking, which I knew was very rude, but I didn't care if it was. He reached out and caught my hand.

"Look, honey, don't be mad at me," he said. "Don't you know this thing is hurting me too?"

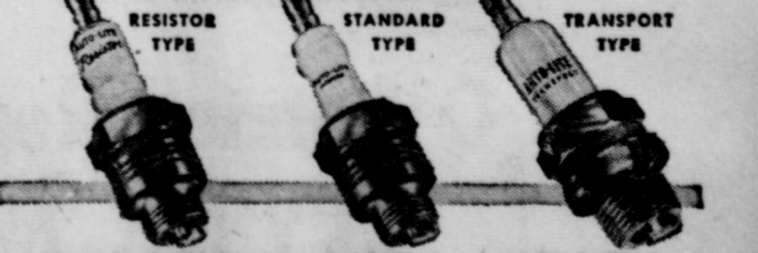
I said angrily, "You made her cry."

He turned a little pale and looked very serious. "Did she really cry, Becky?"

"Yes, she does... did, I mean. That's why I took your picture and hid it behind our old piano."  
"You took the photograph?"  
I nodded. "It's behind the piano."  
"And all this time I thought she took it away because she was going to put another one there."  
Quite suddenly I began to understand. "And she thought you took it to give to another girl."  
He took my hand again. "Look, I'm going home with you, Becky. Will you tell Bess what you've just told me."  
I nodded. And we went home together and I told her. There was a wedding after all.

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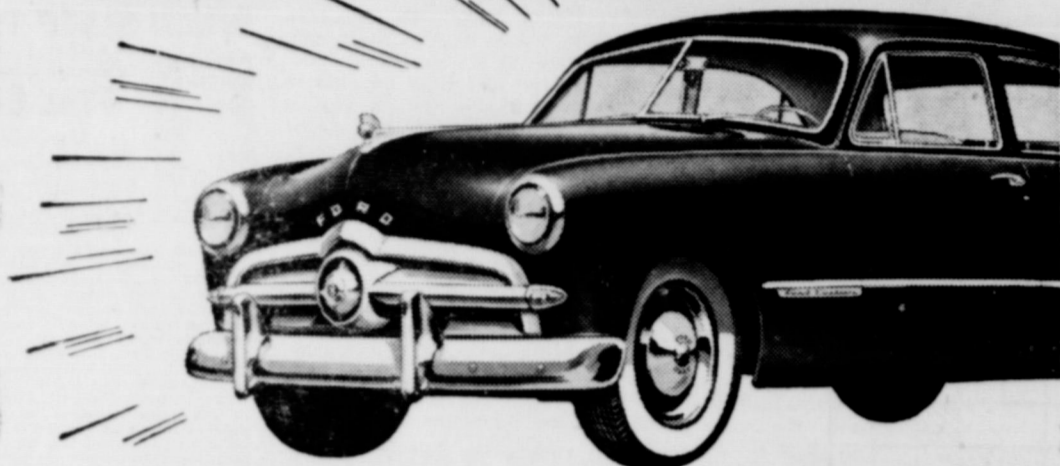
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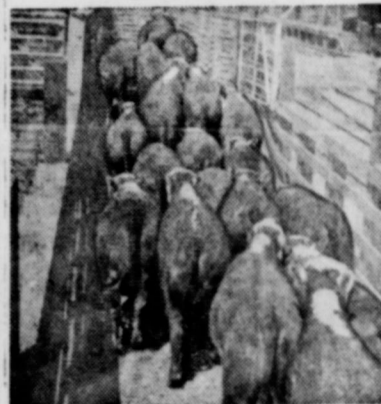
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### Livestock Accidents Cost Farmers Millions Annual Bruising Loss Above \$30 Million Mark

Livestock farmers could increase their incomes by guarding against accident and bruising of animals which would help reduce the enormous annual meat loss currently soaring above the \$30 million mark, industry leaders advise.

A recent report of hog carcass studies revealed that 46 per cent of bruises found occurred on farms before and in the process of loading for shipment to market, and



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the further observation that 42 per cent was caused by canes, whips and clubs.

In a move to check the huge monetary loss, use of prodders was banned recently at the stock yards in Chicago where much of the study was made by the National Live Stock Loss Prevention Board.

The report pointed out that a great decrease in bruising could be affected by proper training of live stock handlers, and also if shippers would guard against overloading of trucks and rail cars to insure animals riding comfortably and safely to market.

In a cattle bruise study made of 7,116 head selected at random, a similar loss to that in the hog survey was revealed.

### Truck Patch Reserves Called to Active Duty

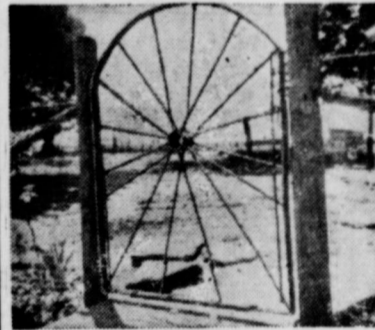
The U.S. department of agriculture is encouraging Americans to plant "liberty" gardens as a part of the national and civil defense program.

Officially called the "Garden and Food Preservation Program," the campaign puts it up to citizens in 1951 to carry on horticulturally in the best traditions of World War II's victory gardens and the war gardens of 1917-18.

In 1917 it was estimated that the nation's back yard and vacant-lot gardeners harvested crops valued at some \$350,000,000. It was a record for the time, but easily broken by the victory sowers of the last war. In 1943 some 20 million vegetable gardeners—an estimated six million more than in the prewar year of 1941—produced about eight million tons of food, enough to fill 160,000 freight cars.

The agriculture department pointed out that fresh home-grown vegetables improve the nation's diet, benefiting both health and morale, and — no mean consideration in these times — cut down the cost of living.

### Attractive Gate



Miss Carlotta Pretzer of Garnett, Kansas, designed the gate above from an old hay rake wheel. She had the spokes cut and rewelded into place; the handle cut and welded from the pieces left over. It wasn't a difficult job, she says, and makes an attractive front yard gate.

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### PROGRAM

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Erisk Winds	Sandra Singleton
When It's Round-Up Time In Heaven	Ivan Eakers
St. Augustine	Patsy Jane Young, Jerene Crumley and Sandra Singleton
Swinging Along	Doris Auby
Bluebird Waltz	Harvey Lee Jordan
Polly	Roddy Pelts
It Is No Secret	Rex Stuber
Golden Dreams	Barbara Walden
Tritsch - Tratsch Polka	Dan Seals
What A Friend Toyland	Bonny Middleton
Moon Lady Waltz	Joretta Ingle, Joann Lacy and Harvey Lee Jordan
One, Two, Three, Four Waltz	Patsy Moore
Golden Star Waltz	Joan Eakers
Mocking Bird Hill	Homer Dan Vaughn
Mountain Belle Schottische	Leta Merle and Ralph Mires
Sweet Hour of Prayer	Kay Cabbler
Cedar Brook Waltz	Robert deane
I Love You A Thousand Ways	Martha Cook
Long, Long Ago	Penny Middleton
Valcik In Db	Edward Merrick, Harold Hohn, Derrell Brownlow, Don Flat
Rose Ann Waltz	Bobbie Lou Barnes
Boden Sea Waltz	Joann Lacy
Rag Doll	Roddy Pelts and Rex Stuber
Scater's Waltz	Carolyn Pate
A Carnival Scene	Joretta Ingle
I'm Throwing Rice	Joan Eakers, Barbara Walden, Leta Merle Mires, Ronny Middleton, Ivan Eakers and Ralph Mires
The Tumbleweed	Sherry Stigler
Down In Oklahoma	Dan Seals
Blue Moon of Kentucky	
We Live In Two Different Worlds	
	Bobbie Lou Barnes, Derrell Brownlow, Harold Hohn, Edward Merrick and Don Flat
Sack Waltz	Patsy Jane Young
Soprani Smile Polka	Leta Merle Mires
Tap Dance	Kay Cabbler
Grande March	Roddy Pelts, Nancy Everett, Carolyn Pate
Emperor Waltz	Jerene Crumley
Polly Wolly Doodle	Billy Dell Ames
Ballet Dance	Sandra Singleton
So Long	Bobbie Lou Barnes, Derrell Brownlow, Harold Hohn, Edward Merrick, and Don Flat

### World Price Record



Not since the cow jumped over the moon has beef ever been so high as it was when 13-year-old Andrew Tatch (right) sold his champion steer to B. B. McGimsey (left) for the world's record price of \$21,000. The steer weighed 1,000 pounds. The sale was made at the San Antonio livestock show where the steer, "Shorty," won the great championship. Young Tatch plans to buy a ranch with his money. He hails from the Crabapple community, near Fredericksburg, Texas.

### Cancer in Large Animals Is Difficult to Detect

Difficulty of detecting and treating cancer of the stomach in horses is pointed up by the death of Cacique, a notable stallion of pure Arab bloodlines. Reporting on the case, the Journal of the American Veterinary Medical association said that early diagnosis of cancer of the stomach in large animals is "practically an impossibility at present." Symptoms are not clear-cut and death may occur quickly.

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 Sunday school 10:00 a m  
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 Sunday School at 9:45 A K OHL-  
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 Morning Worship 11:00 a m  
 Young people service 7:15 p m  
 Evening worship 8:00 p m

**Assembly of God**  
 R. T. Peek, pastor  
 Sunday School ..... 10 a. m.  
 Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a m  
 Evening worship 8:00p m

**METHODIST NEWS**  
 Sunday school 10 a m  
 Morning worship 11 a m  
 Faith Study Group ..... 6:30 p m  
 Evening worship ..... 7 p m  
 W. S. C. S. Monday ..... 2:30 p m

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
 SUNDAY: Bible Study 10 a m  
 Worship: ..... 10:55 a m  
 EVENING: Young people Song Prac-  
 tice at 7 p m  
 Regular evening service 7:30 p m



## Electrification Pays Off for Average Farm Production Increased 51 Per Cent in Seven Years

Within seven years electricity on an average farm can increase by more than 51 per cent the money earned per hour of productive labor—that's the lesson learned from a practical electrification experiment on the Joseph Motz farm near West Farmington, Ohio. Since 1944, when electric power first reached the 262-acre farm,



Joseph Motz (above), used electrification to increase profits on his farm 51 per cent during the past seven years.

accurate records have been kept of the farm's production and progress. It's all part of a test program initiated by Westinghouse in cooperation with the Ohio Public Service Company. No "dude ranch" affair, the experiment was carried out under conditions identical to those faced by the average farmer. Mr. Motz has purchased new electrical equipment at retail prices, using only the profits from the farm's operation to do it. Here are the facts: In 1944, the Motz farm returned to the farmer 66 cents for each hour of work he put into the various productive enterprises. By 1950, this return had increased to \$1.17 for each hour of work. Even eliminating the effect of the increase in farm prices from 1944 to 1950, the return per hour was up more 51 per cent.

## New Potato Products Are Helping to Hold Markets

New potato products and improved distribution methods are helping to hold markets against competition from other foods. Potato chips, frozen French fries, pre-peeled potatoes, as well as an aggressive advertising campaign offer hope to potato growers. Grading and labeling have been effective in publicizing Maine and Iowa potatoes, and it is hoped that the campaign will eventually help to reverse the downward trend in potato consumption which has taken place in the past three decades. Potato chips now account for about 9 per cent of all potatoes consumed, taking about 22 million bushels in 1950. This represents over 80 per cent of the potatoes processed for food, and constitutes a \$200 million business. Pre-peeled potatoes, treated to prevent darkening, and used chiefly by restaurants and institutions, are meeting wide acceptance.

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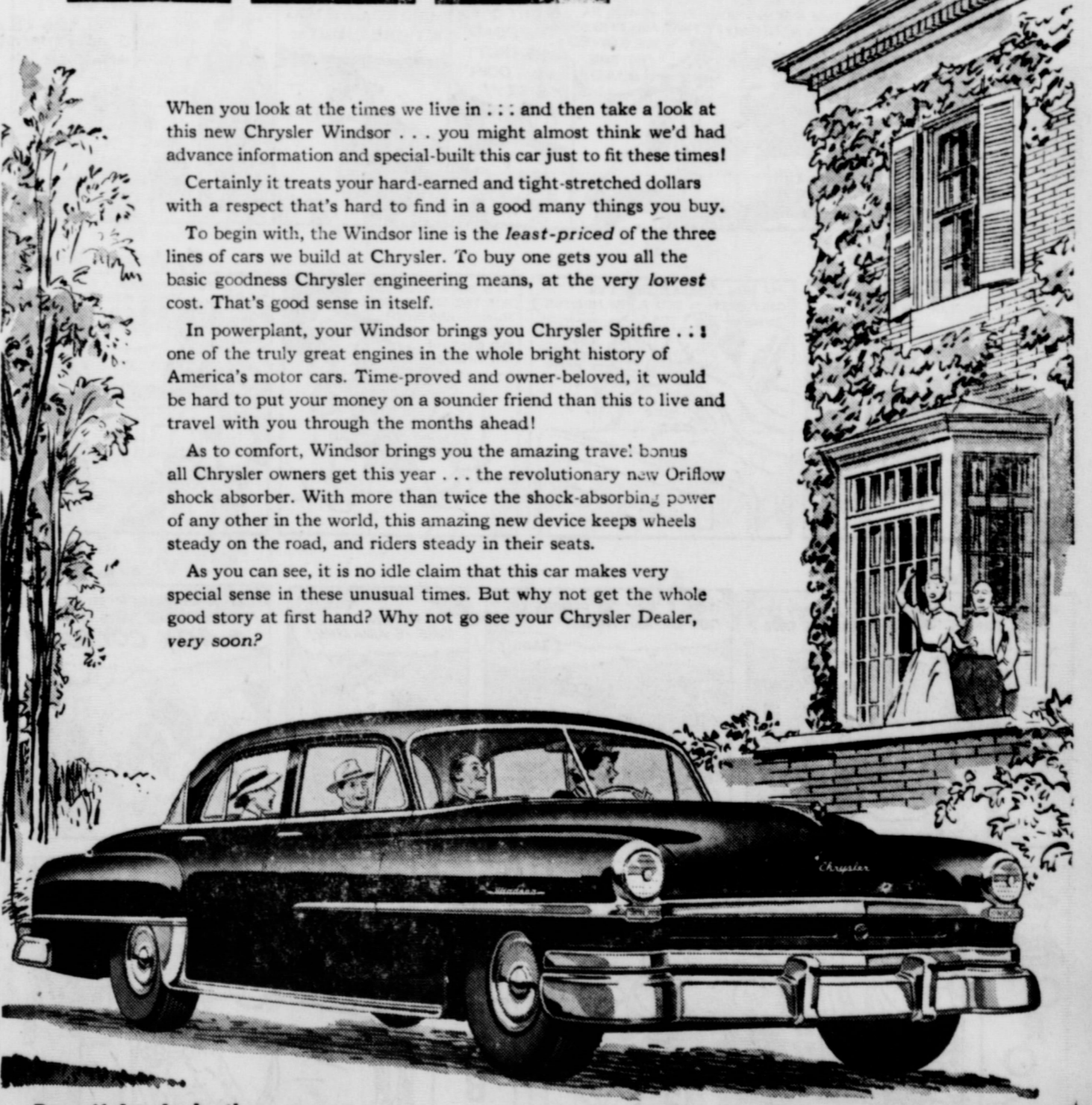
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By Len Kleis

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HIT-- BUT I REALLY WASN'T--

I KNOW! THIS HAPPENS A DOZEN TIMES A DAY--

EVERY TIME SOME KID WHISTLES FOR HIS DOG!

**SUNNYSIDE**

by Clark S. Hoas

SAY, TOMMY, DO YOU KNOW WHO WAS THE FIRST MAN?

BUGS! GEORGE WASHINGTON! HE WAS FIRST IN WAR, FIRST IN--

NO, NO! ADAM WAS THE FIRST MAN!

OH, I DIDN'T KNOW YOU WERE SPEAKIN' OF FOREIGNERS!

**THE OLD GAFFER**

By Clay Hunter

DR. BUNYAN CHIROPODIST

DOC, TAKE A LOOK AT MY FEET

THEY JUST NEED A REST-- STAY OFF THEM FOR A FEW DAYS.

I'LL DO MY BEST, BUT I'M NOT AS YOUNG AS I USED TO BE!

**BESSIE**

By NICK PENN

TSK-TSK! YOU GOT WET!

-BE SURE TO WIPE YOUR FEET BEFORE COMING IN-

HOW'S THIS?

**MUTT AND JEFF**

By Bud Fisher

HEY, BUDDY! OH, NO YOU! WONDER YOU DIDN'T SEE THAT RED LIGHT WE JUST PASSED!

PASSED A RED LIGHT? AND ON THE WRONG SIDE OF THE ROAD! EH?

WELL, WE DIDN'T THINK THERE WAS ANY HARM IN THAT AS LONG AS WE STAYED ON THE ROAD!

BUT WE ALMOST WENT OFF THE ROAD WHEN MUTT WAS DOIN' SIXTY!

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**JITTER**

By Arthur Pointer

OH SUSIE... CALL JITTER, I WANT TO CATCH UP ON MY SLEEP!

HUH... SEEMS LIKE I'VE ONLY BEEN IN BED A FEW MINUTES.

IT'S SURE DARK OUT. FOR TWO BITS I'D MOVE TO TAHITI AND SLEEP UNDER A PALM TREE THE REST OF MY LIFE!

YO' ALL WORKIN' A NIGHT SHIFT NOW, BOSS? IT'S ONLY TWO A.M.

**WYLD AND WOOLY**

By Bert Thomas

HOWDY, I'M THE STATE WOOL INSPECTOR.

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By Len Kleis

Panel 1: "THERE GOES MR. JONAS—HE'S SPOGGED TO HAVE A LOT OF MONEY!"  
Panel 2: "OH—NOT SO MUCH, POP SAYS."  
Panel 3: "WELL, TAKE MRS. SLODIM—I'LL BET SHE'S WORTH THOUSANDS."  
Panel 4: "POP SAYS NO."  
Panel 5: "I HOW COME YR POP KNOWS SO MUCH ABOUT PEOPLE—IS HE A BANKER?"  
Panel 6: "NO—BUT POP HAS WAYS 'A TELLIN'."  
Panel 7: "HI POP!"  
Panel 8: "GARBAGE!"

**SUNNYSIDE**  
By Clark S. Moss

Panel 1: "JIM!"  
Panel 2: "WHEN YOU WERE COURTIN' ME YOU PROMISED THAT IF I ACCEPTED, YOU WOULD NEVER LOOK AT ANOTHER WOMAN!"  
Panel 3: "WAW, I THOUGHT YOU UNDERSTOOD ABOUT ALL THOSE CAMPAIGN PROMISES!"  
Panel 4: "GROWL-RUF!"  
Panel 5: "BO-WO!"

**THE OLD GAFFER**  
By Clay Hunter

Panel 1: "GUESS I'LL WALK BY THE OLD FOLKS HOME AND SEE WHAT THE GANG IS DOING."  
Panel 2: "SAY, WHEN ARE YOU GOING TO JOIN US?"  
Panel 3: "I THINK YOU ARE OLD ENOUGH TO BE ADMITTED."  
Panel 4: "OLD ENOUGH? YOUNG MAN, I GRADUATED FROM HERE 20 YEARS AGO!"  
Panel 5: "HE MUST BE OLD ENOUGH TO BE MY FATHER."

**BESSIE**  
By NICK PENN

Panel 1: "FOR BAKING THIS CAKE I'LL NEED 2 CUPS OF FLOUR—1 CUP SUGAR—1 CUP MILK—1/2 CUP BUTTER."  
Panel 2: "—OH YES, I ALMOST FORGOT—"  
Panel 3: "—AND A PINCH OF SALT—"  
Panel 4: "NICK PENN"

**MUTT AND JEFF**  
By Bud Fisher

Panel 1: "COME ON—SEVEN!"  
Panel 2: "JEFF, WALK UP TO THE CORNER AND SEE IF THERE'S A COP AROUND!"  
Panel 3: "HOT DOG! SNAKE EYES! I WIN!"  
Panel 4: "THIS GAME IS TOO NOISY—I WISH JEFF WOULD HURRY BACK!"  
Panel 5: "MUTT, I COULDN'T FIND A COP, SO I WENT TO THE STATION AN' GOT THE SERGEANT!"  
Panel 6: "COME ALONG BOYS!"

**JITTER**  
By Arthur Pointer

Panel 1: "AH—NOT SO FAST BROTHER, YOU HAVEN'T SEEN MY WONDER PIPE YET!"  
Panel 2: "DID YOU EVER SEE A PRETTIER BABY? AND THERE ARE FIFTY OTHER STYLES IN MY SAMPLE CASE."  
Panel 3: "AND THEY'RE ALL LINED WITH PURE MAPLE SUGAR TO HELP BREAK 'EM IN. I'LL SHOW YOU IN A MINUTE."  
Panel 4: "NO!"  
Panel 5: "MUTT AND JEFF"

**WYLDE AND WOOLY**  
By Bert Thomas

Panel 1: "CALIFORNIA OR BUST!"  
Panel 2: "HERE COMES A WAGON HEADED EAST, WONDER WHERE HE'S GOIN'."  
Panel 3: "BOSTON OR BURST!"

**CROSSTOWN**  
**BOBBY SOX**  
By Marty Links

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## HOUSEHOLD MEMOS by Lynn Chambers

### Serve Family Breakfast That Tastes Wonderful, And Looks Good, Too

COULD YOU RESIST a breakfast that smelled irresistible, looked good and tasted wonderful? Could you pass up a well-balanced meal that someone cooked with enthusiasm, and hummed happily while they did it? No, chances are you couldn't, and neither will your family if you set this pleasant pace every morning.

Almost everyone agrees they should eat a good breakfast, but they have all sorts of reasons for not doing so: a few more minutes of sleep, lack of time, lack of appetite and interest. What's more, they know it would do them good, but they just don't get around to it.

Every homemaker can help her family off to a good start by planning this first meal as they do the others. When delightful odors come from the kitchen early in the morning, they can do more good than an alarm clock. If the meal is varied and interesting, she can have the family practically tumbling over each other getting to the table.

Start things off with a peppy eye-opener: plump, luscious strawberries, tall glasses of tomato, grapefruit or orange juice, juicy halves of grapefruit, colorful cranberry or refreshing pineapple juice.

Follow this with a bowl of steaming, fragrant cereal served with raisins and brown sugar and cream or crisp, already sugared prepared cereal with fruit-in-season.

If the family likes a hearty breakfast, try bacon rings with eggs or poached eggs in sausage nests. Maybe they'd like fried mush with apple rings, pancake drizzled with hot syrup, French toast with cherry preserves or plump omelet with Canadian bacon.

**\*Fluffy Scrambled Eggs (Serves 4)**  
6 eggs, well beaten  
1/2 cup light cream  
1/4 teaspoon salt  
1/4 teaspoon pepper  
1/4 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce, if desired

Combine eggs, cream and seasonings. Cook in double boiler until just lightly set, or in a lightly greased skillet, stirring frequently. Serve on buttered toast with crisply cooked sausage, Canadian bacon circles or broiled bacon.

**Golden Mush**  
PACKED COOKED cornmeal mush in tin can which has been rinsed in cold water. Cover and chill thoroughly. Slice and brown in hot fat in skillet until golden brown. Serve with a sausage patty, glazed apple slices and hot syrup. The mush may be prepared the night before to chill thoroughly.

Slow cooking gives the patties the desired crispness.

**Crisp Bacon and Eggs (Serves 4)**  
6 slices bacon, chopped  
1 cup soft bread crumbs  
1/2 cup milk  
1 teaspoon salt  
Dash of pepper  
3 eggs, beaten

Fry bacon until crisp. Remove lean; add bread crumbs to the drippings and heat until the crumbs are crisp and brown. Add milk and seasonings to eggs. Scramble in bacon drippings. When nearly set, add crumbs and bacon.

**LYNN SAYS:**  
Imaginative Tricks  
Make Foods Delightful  
Like crab cakes? You'll like them even more if you roll the cakes in finely chopped nuts before frying them.

Try egg balls for garnishing soup the next time you have guests. Moisten the sieved and seasoned yolks of two hard-cooked eggs with enough raw egg to moisten. Shape in tiny balls and drop into the soup during the last few minutes of cook-



Whiffs of fragrant pineapple kuchen will send the family running to breakfast. A bread such as this which uses nonfat dry milk, rich in protein, calcium, riboflavin and lactose is a good way of adding nutrients to the daily diet.

**LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU**  
Chilled Orange-Grapefruit Juice  
Sugar-Coated Cereal with Strawberries  
\*Fluffy Scrambled Eggs  
Canadian Bacon \*Popovers  
\*Beaten Beverage  
\*Recipes Given

**IF YOU WANT** your popovers to be crusty and crisp, use the oven for them alone. If anything else needs baking, do it first. You'll like these for a gay breakfast with strawberry preserves or honey:

**\*Crusty Popovers (Makes 6-8)**  
2 eggs  
1 cup milk  
1 cup flour  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1 tablespoon melted shortening  
Beat eggs thoroughly. Add milk, then sifted dry ingredients. Add shortening. Beat until smooth with a rotary beater. Fill oiled custard cups one-half full. Bake in a very hot (450°) oven for 15 minutes, then reduce heat to moderate (350°) and bake until firm, about 30 minutes. Two or three minutes before removing from oven, prick to let steam escape.

**Pineapple Kuchen (Makes one 8"x8"x2" cake)**  
Cake:  
2 1/4 cups sifted flour  
3 tablespoons nonfat dry milk  
1/2 cup sugar  
3 1/2 teaspoons baking powder  
1 teaspoon salt  
1 egg, slightly beaten  
1 cup water  
1/2 cup shortening, melted  
Topping:  
1/2 cup coarse graham cracker crumbs  
2 tablespoons nonfat dry milk  
2 tablespoons flour  
1/4 cup sugar  
1/4 cup butter  
1/2 cup crushed pineapple, drained

To make cake, sift together flour, nonfat dry milk, sugar, baking powder and salt. To beaten egg, add water and slightly cooled, melted shortening. Make a well in dry ingredients. Add liquid ingredients all at once to dry ingredients. Mix lightly just enough to combine dry and wet ingredients. Do not beat. Pour into well-greased 8"x8"x2" cake pan. Sprinkle pineapple topping evenly over top of batter. Bake in a moderate (375°) oven until golden brown and firm when pressed with finger, about 40 minutes. Serve warm.

To make topping for cake, combine graham crackers, nonfat dry milk, flour and sugar. Cut in butter with two knives or pastry blender to make crumbs. Combine pineapple with crumbs. Spread evenly over batter.

**Bacon Muffins (Makes 12)**  
2 slices bacon  
1 tablespoon sugar  
1 cup milk  
1 egg, beaten  
1 cup flour  
1/4 teaspoon salt  
4 teaspoons baking powder  
1 cup cornmeal

Cut bacon in small pieces and fry slowly until crisp. Add sugar, milk and egg. Sift flour with salt and baking powder. Mix with cornmeal. Add first mixture and stir until dry ingredients are moistened. Fill greased muffin pans two-thirds full. Bake in a hot (425°) oven for 20 to 25 minutes.

You can make simple vanilla ice cream a special dessert by pouring a spoonful of maple syrup over it and dusting with gingersnap crumbs.

Sharp and pungent flavor in your cheese rarebit is the desired thing, of course. Make the rarebit with sharp cheese, then serve it on toast buttered and spread with just a bit of anchovy paste.

## Scientists Say There Is No Such Thing As an Average Lifetime

The belief of Biblical times that "three score and ten" is an exceptionally long span of life is being revised by modern scientists. Today, the average span of man's life in advanced nations is approximately 65 1/2 years, and it is gradually rising.

Mankind has been able to more than triple his life span since primitive times. Eighteen was considered an old age in the days of the caveman. The upper class Roman was lucky if he lived beyond 22. In 1850 the average life span on this continent was 41 years. Now, it has advanced to almost 66 years.

Research workers are now suggesting that the human life span could be lengthened to 120 years within a decade by increasing our "know-how" in nutrition, medicine, chemistry and other factors entering into a good living standard.

A new national foundation for anti-aging research has been established in the United States with the aim of obtaining at least \$4,000,000 (a fraction of the cost

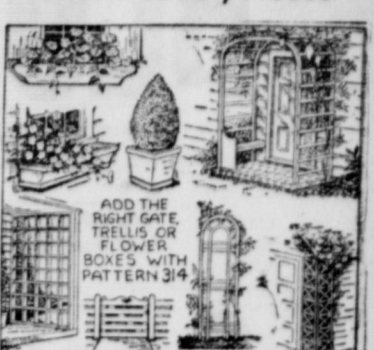
of making one atom bomb) for research in the new science of gerontotherapeutics (prevention of old age).

In recent years scientists have stated there is no such thing as a "natural lifetime." Dr. Henry S. Simms of Columbia university has observed that if the human body could retain throughout the years the ability it possesses at at 10 years of age to resist disease and repair breakdown, "man would have a life expectancy of 800 years and some individuals might survive 22,900 years."

When plastic table covers get too scratched or torn to be used for tables, they can be cut down to make good aprons, or sheets for wrapping refrigerator foods.

To remove excess fat from hot soup, wrap a piece of ice in a small piece of cheesecloth and run it over the top of the soup. The excess fat will congeal and collect on the cold surface of the cloth and is thus easily removed.

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### Early History Given of Local Baptist Church

Upon an invitation of the Baptist People of O'Donnell, Rev. Davis, the missionary of the Big Spring Association came and preached in the afternoon on the first Sunday in October, being the 4th day 1914. After preaching, the group present entered into the organization of the O'Donnell Missionary Baptist Church. The church covenant and articles of faith were read and adopted and then privilege for church membership was given those present.

The members were as follows:  
Mr and Mrs F M Vaughn, Miss Jewell Vaughn, Mr and Mrs Hester, Miss Ima Vaughn, Mrs T S Vaughn, Miss Pearl Vaughn, Miss Effie Vaughn, Melvin Barber, Jane Vaughn, Mrs Bill Williams, Mrs Viola Riggs, F M Vaughn was elected church clerk and served until August 1917.

The pastors were as follows:  
Rev. Davis 1914 to 1915  
Rev. G W Chancellor 1915 to 17.  
Rev. J M Braswell 1917-1921  
J D Mathews 1921-22  
Rev. Calloway 1923  
Rev. W K Horn 1923-29  
Rev. Joe E Wilson 1929-30  
Rev. L S Jenkins 1931-35  
Rev. A L Lopez 1935-36  
Rev. J A Lunsford 1937-40  
Rev. E C McDonald 1941-45  
Rev. J M Hale 1945 1949  
Rev. John Johns, present

The church was organized in a frame school house in O'Donnell. Later they met in the Presbyterian Church building once a month while the other churches used the building the other Sundays. Later the Baptists began meeting in the local theatre building every Sunday and then in 1924 under the leadership of Rev. W K Horn the basement was built. Four years later the Tabernacle was built on the corner lots just across the street from the basement; these lots were bought for \$750. The lot on which the basement and church were built was given to the church by the late Charley Doak from the original town site. The church built a parsonage before they built the basement due to the fact that there were no houses in town in which the pastor could live. This house was sold and the present parsonage built in 1931 under the leadership of Rev. L S Jenkins.

In September 1938 construction was begun on the present church building over the basement which was opened on the 4th Sunday in May 1939 under the leadership of Rev. J A Lunsford. Present membership was 260 and enrollment in Sunday school 210

Misses Pearl and Effie Vaughn and Melvin Barber were the first ones to join the church by baptism after it was organized; they were baptized in a dirt water tank in Mr Miles pasture

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Homer Dan Vaughn, son of Mr and Mrs Dallas Vaughn, suffered a fractured left foot Friday while pole vaulting.

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NEWMOORE NEWS

Mr and Mrs Jack Webb are the proud parents of a baby girl.

T G Crutcher was operated on for appendicitis Saturday at a Lamesa hospital.

Mr and Mrs Virgil Adams, Grandpa and Grandma Rogers were in Christoval last week

Mr and Mrs Ted Rogers visited her sister who is ill at Dallas

The Jude Taylors attended a housewarming Thursday night for the Byron Cabbiness family; they lived here at one time and have built a lovely home in Brown field.

Mr and Mrs A J Crutcher of Plains visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs Maggie Wilson is visiting with her daughter in Dallas

Mr and Mrs Walters had 6 o'clock dinner Sunday evening in the Joe Schooler home at O'Donnell.

The Henry Godbehere family had as their guests over the week end two sisters, Mrs Ruby Morgan and children Mrs Jack Gregory and son, a brother, E T Godbehere and Cliff Allison all of Roswell S M

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