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NOTICE

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SHOULD WE BE AFRAID?

(An Editorial)

Now that Congress is back in session and we're having a general shakeup over the guided missile and the man-made moon, the nation sets trembling in its boots for fear the Russians will attack us with a guided missile that will destroy us pronto and turn the nation into an ash heap.

There is nothing like feeding fear with fear.

The guided missile program and the satellite program are little less than a political football — the Democrats are aghast that the Republicans have allowed it to happen; the Republicans howl of the inefficiency of the Democratic Congress which has allowed the country to go to the dogs — both are thinking, not in terms of the people they serve, but in terms of reelection.

Politics are like that—it's not for the good of the country but for the good of the party. It has ever been thus and will ever continue to be thus.

In all the howling that has been done no mention of the fact has been made that the United States has Russia surrounded by missile bases — bases with nuclear warheads; what has not been told is the fact that the United States is situated, at this very moment, where they could destroy Russia in a matter of hours. You are not told of this because it would not be good politics, but you are told of the inefficiency of the Armed Forces and their dismal failure in producing a guided missile that will travel five thousand miles and hit the target right on the nose — all because we have a Republican president.

The Russian leaders, however, are aware of this fact. They are so aware of it that they are trembling in their boots. What they do not have is bases within striking distance of the United States. What they would have to do in case of war would be to depend on submarines to launch missiles and the long range missile which they say they have. The fact that Russians are liars of the first water makes it a little doubtful that they have a missile which can be accurately fired at a distance of 5,000 miles. All we have is their word for it.

But the primary object is to instill fear. Of course, they have been helped along by the politicians — we want you to notice the vast difference in the statements of the Democrats and the Republicans. Both endeavor to show that the other is to blame. As a matter of fact, if there has been a failure they are both to blame.

Do you think for a moment that if the Russians have the superiority they claim in weapons of war that they would hesitate to attack?

It is our opinion that the Turn to Page 2

Snow Promotes Hope For Future

We have been told that this is great "next year" country. And this seems to be one time the saying is going to prove true.

The recent snow, and the rains which fell during the fall, have soaked into the earth in such quantities we imagine it would be hard to dig to dry dirt — a condition which has not existed for several years. It is the "bottom" season that assures crops for the South Plains; it is this underground season that gives plant life something to draw on when it is dry, as it sometimes gets during the growing season.

However, history shows us that when it starts to be "seasonable" on the South Plains it continues to be seasonable and good crops are the result. For almost seven years the South Plains has suffered from unseasonable weather, and if it had not been for irrigation it is

likely that almost total crop failures would have been suffered. However, it appears that now we are in a seasonable cycle, and these cycles are said to last from five to seven years, which means that we have ahead of us from five to six good crops before we swing back into the dry cycle.

Naturally, it is the nature of the South Plains that we have dry years. This condition has existed since the South Plains was discovered, and we imagine it will continue to be so. So, we are not telling you we are in for a continued bonanza, but for a short time the yield of crops on the Plains should be fabulous, and if there is not a serious recession and prices remain on a level where a profit can be made, we are in for prosperous times.

Anyhow, that is what we are dreaming of.

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NAZARENE CHURCH

Rev. Dan Jones, Pastor
Our regular services are as usual:

Sunday School 9:45 AM
Morning worship 11 AM
NYPS, Juniors 6:30 PM
Evening service 7:00 PM

This Sunday is an important service. It is the time to make pastoral arrangements for another year. We urge every member to be present. Also, we will observe the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper—that is another reason why you should be present. Then you should just be in service every Sunday. You need the church, and the church needs you.

We will look for you Sunday.

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SCHOOL HAS NEW PICKUP

The Ropes schools are now enjoying a new pickup which is being furnished the Ag Department by the Jack Bailey Chevrolet of Brownfield.

The car being used for driving training is being furnished by the Keeling Buick in Levelland, and this is the ninth car they have furnished the school.

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SAWS SHARPENED

I am now ready to sharpen your saws. Also, I rebuild any kind of door.

GROVER BLANKENSHIP

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DICK BRAZELL VISITS IN NEW MEXICO

Dick Brazell, operator of the local TV and Radio Repair Service, was in Ft. Sumner, New Mexico, over the weekend visiting in the home of his parents.

Dick says the snow wasn't as heavy in that section as it was in the Ropes territory.

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WILL KEEP Children in my home or yours. Call or see Mrs. Jack Ogle. Telephone 3971.

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G. BLANKENSHIP SUFFERING FROM ASTHMA

Grover Blankenship was a pleasant caller at the Plainsman office Tuesday, and told us that he is just recovering from a severe attack of asthma. When young Grover had reoccurring attacks, but this is the first time it has bothered him in twelve years.

Grover left an ad with us stating that he is ready to sharpen saws and rebuild doors.

Grover is a pioneer citizen of the Ropes community, moving here years ago. He was a contractor and builder of the first water, and there are few buildings in Ropes that he did not have a hand in building.

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IN SERVICE TRAINING FOR TEACHERS HELD

Monday night the first meeting of a program, "Training for Teachers in Service" was held.

This program proposes to develop better training in the elementary grades in the teaching of science. A consultant from Texas Tech was present at the meeting.

The teachers of the Ropes and Meadow schools are working together in the program.

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FULLERS SUFFER FROM INFLUENZA

O. V. Fuller told us that he contracted the flu while in Austin, and that when he arrived home he found his wife was suffering from the same disease.

Also at his home are their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. David Dalton, who are visiting them. They, too, are afflicted with the influenza.

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FOR SALE — \$750.00 — Two lots in North Ropes, the A. J. Jester place.

See Roberts—Ashburn.

FFA Banquet Held in Ropes Huge Success

By Duane Howell
Of the Lubbock Avalanche

A 16-year-old brown-haired brown-eyed beauty from Levelland was named sweetheart of the Levelland FFA District Monday night at the district's annual banquet in the Ropesville High School cafeteria.

Petite Peggy Wiley, daughter of Mrs. Joe Wiley of Levelland, won the honor over seven other girls in the annual sweetheart contest, held in the high school auditorium here in Ropesville immediately preceding the banquet.

Identity of the sweetheart was not announced until the close of the program, attended by about 130 Future Farmers and guests from nine chapters.

Runners-up were Glenda Jones, 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Jones of Anton, and Susie Hawkins, also 16, daughter of Mrs. Scott Hawkins of Morton. District President Jeffrey

Edwards of Smyer presented Miss Wiley a trophy after announcing the winners. Miss Hawkins, a sophomore at Levelland High School, will represent this district in the annual Area I FFA sweetheart contest to be held later this year at Lubbock.

Two voting delegates from each FFA chapter in the district selected the sweetheart. Each candidate was introduced by a representative from her chapter.

In the principal banquet address, Dr. F. G. Harbaugh of the Texas Tech animal husbandry department traced the charges he's witnessed in the South Plains agricultural scene during the past 30 years.

He said there is a need for more diversification of area farming operations. Livestock numbers, he said, have been decreasing steadily in this area since 1940.

"Areas to the south of us, where cotton was once the main crop, are raising more and more livestock, while we're doing just the opposite," Harbaugh said.

"Perhaps we should begin to think in terms of putting the vast amount of feed we raise into profitable livestock feeding operations as another source of farm income," he said.

To meet the need for more diversified farming, Harbaugh said he wouldn't be surprised to see area farmers greatly increasing the acreage devoted to vegetables and "truck crops."

"Many people are predicting this change, and I think it has a lot of merit," Harbaugh said. "I believe this would be an ideal area for truck crops."

C. D. Knott, Morton vocational agriculture teacher and District FFA adviser, introduced the District's 12 Lone Star Farmers of 1957. He pointed out that this is the highest state honor an FFA member can attain. Only 2 per cent of the FFA members in Texas are eligible for the Lone Star Farmers Degree, he said.

The district's 1957 Lone Star Farmers are Harry K. Synatsch and Kirby D. Williams, both of Anton; Joel Cookston, Louis Glass, Milton Holloway and Preston Wilson, all of Levelland; Hal Wayne Curry, Robbie Joe Epperson, Gary L. Grant, Jerry Lynn Jeffcoat and Layoid Lowrie, all of Ropesville; and Edwards.

Other sweetheart candidates included Patsy Condra of Ropesville, Ann Hughes of Smyer, Jolene Cook of Sundown, Sandra Hall of Whiteface, and Alice Faye Milligan of Pettit.

Two bands from Levelland provided music. Bobby Neal of Whiteface, district vice president, gave the invocation. O. V. Fuller, superintendent of the Ropesville schools, welcomed the FFA members and their guests.

Has the Perfect Crime Been Committed Here?

Has the perfect crime been committed in Hockley County? That is the question that is being mulled over by officers and interested people.

More than thirty days ago a man wearing a Halloween mask walked into the home of John B. King, near Smyer, shot him six times, walked out and was swallowed up in the darkness. And there, he disappeared — disappeared as completely as if he had been swallowed up by the earth or evaporated into thin air.

"We have run out of clues," Sheriff Weir Clem told the Plainsman Tuesday. "I have a lead that I am going to Amarillo to investigate this week. If we don't develop anything from this lead we will have to look elsewhere."

A woman, Mrs. King, and a boy living with them, saw the killer — talked to the killer — a heavyset man wearing a yellow Halloween mask, a cap with earflaps, and a coat with turned-up collar. What they didn't know at first was that Death had entered the room. He seemed to come out of nowhere and disappeared into nowhere. It was as if he never existed.

"We don't believe," stated Sheriff Clem, "that the man is still in this section. We think he left immediately after shooting King."

It has the earmarks of a gang killing, except that the killer was a poor shot; it has the earmarks of vengeance, and yet no motive has ever been found for the deed. The only point so far developed in the life of King that might lead one to believe a vengeance killing had been done is the heretofore unpublished fact that several years ago he was "taken" by confidence men in Oklahoma. But they "took" the wrong man, as King returned to that state and saw the swindlers placed in the penitentiary.

If there had ever been any tieup with the above it has not been told. Paraffin tests

given Mrs. King and the boy proved negative. As to the results of the lie detector tests they have never been divulged. But the fact remains that no arrests have been made; the fact remains that no one has been put under restraint. No gun was ever found. The mystery of the disappearing dogs has never been unraveled. The story of the dogs is this: The Kings have two watch dogs, and one is vicious and has never been known to allow anyone to prowl about the place, yet on the night of the murder the dogs were not there — they were gone. If it was known where these dogs were kept on the night of the murder a substantial clue might be obtained.

But, no one knows.

There is another feature of the unsolved crime: No footprints were found, nor was a motor vehicle or other vehicle of any kind seen in the vicinity of the King place on the night of the killing.

Sheriff Clem stated to the Plainsman: "We are doing our best to solve this case. We are running down every lead that we can develop." And, even the Texas Rangers have helped.

Officers are not at fault, it is the fact that they are dealing with a smart killer who, perhaps, planned his crime months in advance. And, he left no clues—they say that a murderer always makes one mistake but, apparently this murderer was an exception to the rule.

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MOVED TO LEVELLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Thomas and son, who have been living in Pasadena, have moved to a farm on Route 1, Levelland.

Charles is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thomas, and his wife is the former Miss Kathryn Ivy.

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MRS. JOE HARRIS VISITS DENTIST

Mrs. Joe Harris was in Lubbock last week keeping an appointment with a dentist.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

- For District Clerk:
MRS. RUBY BEEBE
(Re-election)
- For County Clerk:
MRS. H. E. (Grace) CLINGAN
- For County Treasurer:
A. S. (Dick) COOKE
MARY MEEK
(Re-election)
- For County Judge:
PAUL A. WILLIAMS
(Re-election, 2nd term)
- For County School Superintendent:
DAVIS POUNDS
- For Justice of Peace:
J. A. GOTCHER
J. F. WILLIAMS

SHOULD WE BE AFRAID?

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politicians are causing undue alarm. It is our opinion that they are making a special effort to cause alarm. If this is not so, the government is in mighty poor hands — both Democrats and Republicans — and some kind of change should be made to place men in office who think first of the welfare of the nation and second of their own personal destiny. If the army and navy and air force have been such failures in meeting the needs of defense the problem should be placed in other hands. If it had been private business and such utter failure as is reported daily by the press were found the entire staff would be fired and kicked out. This should apply to the armed forces if they are not doing their jobs. The West Pointers who compose the pentagon, if reports are true, are wholly inefficient and through their inefficiency, if reports are to be believed, have brought the country on the very verge of disaster.
We remember back in the "roaring" twenties that the constant howl was a fear of Russia — that fear has continued. Yes, when they entered World War II the United States had to furnish them with equipment with which to fight. Without the equipment furnished by the United States they would have been wiped from the face of the earth. Yet, in

a matter of years they have outstripped this country and we are made to believe we are at their mercy.

What we need, as bad as anything else, is a little truth and accurate reports of what is going on behind the Iron Curtain. They have their spies here—but has our counter intelligence been able to place spies there?

Let's wait a little while before we panic.

INSURANCE LAW REFORMS EXPLAINED

The last Regular Session of the Texas Legislature passed seventeen laws designed to further regulate the insurance business. A few of those bills are of particular interest.

Under the old law a company could, in addition to carrying on businesses ordinarily carried on by an insurance company, accept deposits and act as Trustee for the handling of such deposits. The U. S. Trust & Guaranty Company adopted the charter powers granted in the old law, enabling them to accept deposits much as a bank would accept deposits. They used the money for various types of investments. The law has now been amended so as to prevent surety and guaranty companies organized under that particular chapter from acting as Trustees.

Formerly, a fire or casualty insurance company writing health and accident insurance policies could refuse to pay losses without incurring any penalty. But, if a life insurance company refused to pay its losses, it incurred a penalty of 12% of the amount due under the policy, plus reasonable attorneys' fees.

Under the new law, the provision for the 12% penalty and attorneys' fees applies to all health and accident policies, regardless of whether they are written in a life company, on the one hand, or a fire or casualty company, on the other.

Under the old law, companies writing fire insurance could not charge a premium in excess of that fixed by the Board of Insurance

Commissioners, however they could write such insurance at a lesser rate than that fixed by the Board.

Now, if a company is to write fire insurance at a rate different from that fixed by the Board, it must file facts and statistics to justify the different rate, and the Board has a right to determine whether or not the company can write at the proposed different rate and maintain its solvency.

Prior to the last Regular Session, certain lines of insurance which could not be placed with companies licensed to do business in Texas were burdened with a 5% premium tax if placed through an agent licensed in Texas to do a surplus lines business.

If such business was written by an unlicensed company direct (without a licensed Texas Agent), then no tax on the premium had to be paid. Under the new law, if the business is written direct, the insured is required to pay a tax of 5% of the premium paid, thus equalizing the tax on whether it is placed through a licensed Texas agent.

The workmen's compensation laws were amended, one of the principle changes being to increase weekly benefits to injured workmen from \$25.00 to \$35.00 per week.

SHELBY EVANS BACK FROM THE HOSPITAL

Shelby Evans, who has been suffering from pneumonia and who was confined to a Brownfield hospital for several days, has been returned home.

Shelby said that while there they discovered he was suffering from an ulcerated stomach, and they now have him on a milk diet.

RAY MARTIN IS TILLER OF THE SOIL

Ray Martin was looking after business in Ropes on Monday. For the past year or so Ray has rented his farm land out to others for cultivation, but this year he will work it himself. And, from the looks of things, he has picked a mighty good year.

He stated that it was so muddy around his place he had to pull his car to the pavement with a tractor and that when he returned home he had to use the tractor to pull it back again. The recent fifteen inch snow has given us an underground season such as we have now is the best we have had in years.

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SNOW NOT AS HEAVY TO THE NORTHWEST

The snowfall to the north was not as heavy as it was in the Ropes community. On a trip which we made to Texico Sunday, in company with our children, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Thomas and children, we found that the snow, after leaving Smyer, was considerably lighter than in this section.

After passing Littlefield most of the snow was gone from the fields and in places you could not tell that it had snowed. In Texico they stated that they received up to 10 inches of snow. From the looks of things there was from 18 to 20 inches between Ropes and Smyer.

In Texico we visited in the home of our son, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Morris and children.

M. W. MARTIN VISITS ROPES

M. W. Martin, who is making his home in Post looking after a brother-in-law and sister who are invalids, was in Ropes over the week-end visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. Martin, among other things, was here for the purpose of visiting a doctor in Lubbock for a checkup.

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MRS. T. LITTLEFIELD RESIGNS POSITION WITH RIOJAS DEPT.

Mrs. Tommy Littlefield, who has been employed by the Riojas Dept. Store for the past two years, resigned her position with the firm this week.

Lucy says she now just another housewife.

ATTENDS MEETING IN AUSTIN

Last week O. V. Fuller, superintendent of the Ropes schools, was in Austin where he attended a mid-winter meeting of school superintendents.

The meeting was a workshop where accounting and budgeting were studied.

JONES' ATTEND FUNERAL AT HAMLIN

Rev. and Mrs. Dan Jones were in Hamlin this past Saturday where they attended the funeral of a long time friend, Mrs. W. E. Garrett, who was 95 years old at the time of her death.

Rev. Jones stated that she had been a Christian since she was 13 years of age.

IS ILL

It is reported that Aubrey Mayfield is ill with influenza. He was in Lubbock Wednesday where he went for medical treatment.

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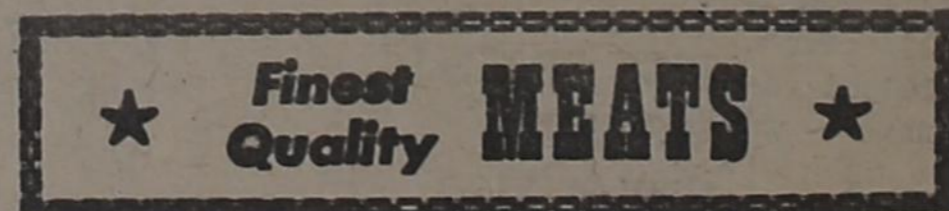
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NEW INVESTMENTS IN TIME AND EFFORT

By Judge Sarah T. Hughes

Important in the development of children is companionship with their parents. Youngsters need to feel that they have significance in the daily lives of their mothers and fathers.

Among the happiest memories of my childhood are the times I spent with my parents. There were the bonfires my father and I had from the leaves we raked together, and the Sunday picnics, and walks in the spring. They are among my fondest recollections.

Gave Things Instead Of Himself

A young girl recently answered her newspaper's inquiry as to what young people wanted from their parents with the statement

that her father gave her material things—whatever she wanted—money for shows, travel, clothes, even a car. But what she really wanted from him was attention, she wrote.

Happiness does not depend, as many people believe, on material things—a TV, the latest model car, or a mink stole. It doesn't depend on keeping up with the Joneses, but rather on being loved and understood, of feeling secure, of being important in work and play with our parents.

Much Harder Today

It used to be easy for parents and children to do things together—there were many tasks around the house or the farm and they called for joint effort.

But today, with the chores limited and so many outside distractions, it is easy

to drift apart—each to have his or her own interests outside the home. The job of being a parent in today's world requires increasing effort and time.

There are many things to do together—singing in the living room, fishing, picnicking, taking pictures, raising vegetables or flowers, saving stamps. It may require work on the part of parents to think of a project to include the family, but the results will be rewarding.

Gave Car Instead Of Himself

A young boy who finally came before me in the juvenile court became delinquent largely because his father, with whom he lived, thought material things sufficient. The mother and father were divorced, and the father, busy making money, hoped to retain his boy's love by giving him a car.

But he failed to give him time and understanding. The boy, having no attention at home, fell in with the wrong crowd. What finally brought him into court was stealing tires and gadgets for the car his father had given him.

Family Life First

On the other hand, a recent article in a national magazine showed photographs of the Danish royal family—king, queen, and three daughters—at afternoon tea, an occasion that the king never allows anything to interfere with. It is also well known that despite Queen Elizabeth II's multitudinous duties she sets aside time daily to be with Prince Charles and Princess Anne.

So do the wisest and most successful parents everywhere make sure that the house is a home for being together in, not just a place to keep their clothes.

The Missing Parent

In cases of delinquency the mother and father are usually missing—wholly or partially—from the life of the child.

Good relationships—love, understanding, guidance and companionship—are basic in the child's development into a worthwhile citizen.

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TEXAS TECH NEWS

LUBBOCK—A new course for area teachers, Comparative Education, is one of ten graduate-level education courses to be offered from 6:30 to 9 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday nights during

the Spring semester at Texas Tech.

Dr. Morris Wallace, Tech education department head, said the Comparative Education course involves a detailed study of the structure organization and purposes of education in other countries. It is offered in less than 30 of the higher institutions in the United States.

He said the Comparative Education course is important "in view of the various

institutions of those cultures. One needs to know and understand their educational systems."

Four undergraduate education courses required for certification of Texas teachers will also be offered in the Tech Evening Program. A Saturday-only course in group processes will be offered next semester, he said.

Wallace said persons interested in these courses are asked to address inquiries to

the Department of Education, Texas Tech, Lubbock.

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Texas Salutes 4-H Champions



The Lone Star State salutes three top ranking teen-agers for superior performance in 1957 4-H activities. Recently returned from expense-paid trips to national 4-H Club Congress in Chicago are Patricia Madison (left) and Wanda Lewis. The third national champion is Johnny Manning, winner in the 4-H Dairy program, who also attended the Club Congress.

One of the nation's stars in the 4-H Frozen Foods program, Patricia Madison, 17, came appropriately from Rising Star, Brown county, to show her progress in freezing foods. An amazing record of 1,560 pints of fruits and vegetables, 5,379 pounds of meat, poultry and fish and 355 packages of other foods carried her to national success.

Patricia gave more than 50 demonstrations before state, district and local groups, and appeared on radio and TV as well. Whirlpool Corporation is the donor of her trip and \$400 college scholarship award.

Helping and teaching others to play won national honors in the 4-H Recreation program for Wanda Lewis, 17, of Breckenridge, Stephens county.

Adept at leading songs and games, she was recreation leader of her local 4-H Club in 1954 and of the county club in 1955. Wanda served on county and district recreation committees and was junior leader on county-wide recreation programs.

Wanda was a member of a leadership encampment group covering 22 states, and recently attended a leader workshop. Among her many awards is the

4-H Gold Star. As national winner, her Club Congress trip was made possible by the National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work.

Johnny Manning, 15, of Godley, Johnson county, built his 4-H Dairy project from one Jersey heifer to become one of six national winners in the program. Of that heifer, won in a drawing, Johnny said, "To thin to be even wild," but after being well fed and cared for, she won 20 blue and three red ribbons, was five times grand champion and three times reserve champion.

Today Johnny has six cows and five heifers which won 69 ribbons. Named the 4-H Gold Star boy of Johnson county, Johnny also won numerous honors in judging contests.

President of his local 4-H Club and of the county club, Johnny is now chairman of the 250-member county dairy club. The Oliver Corporation provided his trip and a \$400 college scholarship.

The national 4-H award programs are arranged by the National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work and are directed by the Cooperative Extension Service.

Texas 4-H'ers Back from Chicago Congress

The 36th National 4-H Club Congress recently concluded in Chicago is a once-in-a-lifetime experience to be long remembered by Lone Star 4-H Club members who were there. Among the delegates were the 1957 state winners in the national 4-H Clothing and Dress Revue programs.

The coveted 4-H Dress Revue award, a week in Chicago, was won this year by Mary Ann Haisler, 19, of Denton county. Her dual role as seamstress and model helped bring about this honor. The Simplicity Pattern Co. sponsored the Chicago trip. Mary Ann modeled her win-



Doris Range

Learning good construction principles and how to dress appropriately were prerequisites in a state award won by Doris Range, 19, of Victoria county. Imaginative in designing her clothes helped Doris win a trip to Club Congress provided by Coats and Clark, Inc.

Working in this project for 10 years, Doris completed 139 garments and 15 other articles. She made 10 clothing exhibits and participated in nine dress revues.

Last year Doris was Gold Star Girl, received her eight-year pin, three medals and a bond. She was vice president of the Patti Welder 4-H Club four terms, of the county group for two, and was assistant leader.



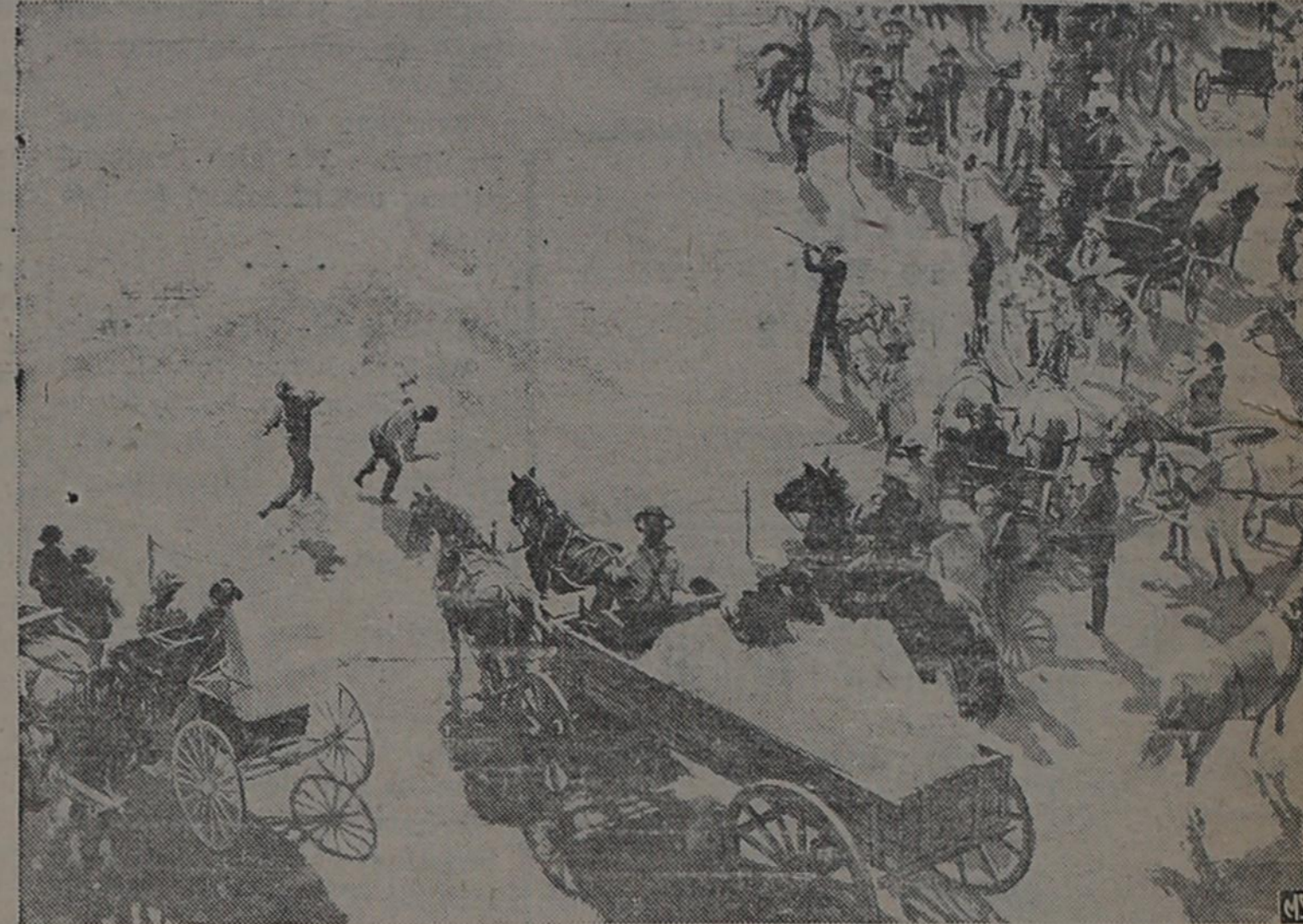
Mary Ann Haisler

ning ensemble at the gala style show during the Congress. Her costume is a Dior blue wool crepe dress with a portrait neckline, scarf of self fabric, and raglan three-quarter length sleeves. The pencil slim skirt has small unpressed pleats. Accessories included a matching feather hat, black leather pumps, white gloves and pearl earrings.

Mary Ann was president of her local 4-H Club. A student at North Texas State College, she hopes to have a career as a home demonstration agent.

These 4-H award programs are arranged by the National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work, and conducted by the Cooperative Extension Service.

After A Half-Century, Top Gun Is Still "Top"



Ad Topperwein blazed away for ten days at the tiny wooden blocks tossed into the air by a team of throwers at the San Antonio fair grounds. His record number of hits was so remarkable that no shooter has dared attempt it since.

This month shooters everywhere will mark the fiftieth anniversary of the greatest feat of marksmanship in shooting history—a record so imposing that no other rifleman has even attempted to equal it.

The extraordinary feat of precision and stamina that has defied so much as a challenge was performed on the San Antonio, Texas, fair grounds by Adolph Topperwein, exhibition shooter for Winchester. Ad, as he is called, fired away with a 22 rifle at wooden cubes the size of alphabet blocks thrown into the air by a team of strong-armed youths. Over a ten-day period, he shot at a total of 72,500 of the tiny, flying blocks—and missed a total of only nine times.

Today, with results of shooting matches hidden in obscure specialized publications and Olympic shooting hardly noticed, it may seem strange that anyone should attempt such a record. But in the "fast draw" days, when Buffalo Bill and Annie Oakley were still touring the country and drawing crowds by the thousands, a great national interest existed in marksmen and they gained worldwide prestige. Significantly, in the era of the leaden "home run" kings, Americans were renowned for their marksmanship—a reputation long since lost.

Before the turn of the century, Adam H. Bogardus, an Illinois market hunter, set a record with a shotgun by breaking 5,000 glass balls thrown into the air in 480 minutes and 45 seconds—an accomplishment of no small note even in a nation of shooters. Shortly after, this record was eclipsed when William Frank Carver smashed 5,500 balls in 420 minutes—using a rifle!

Carver quickly became a celebrity and was presented with



On his 88th birthday, recently, Winchester presented Ad Topperwein with a model 88 rifle and a model 50 shotgun in honor of the 50th anniversary of his historic shooting feat.

gold, silver and jeweled medals, and feted by world-wide nobility. He later improved his own record by missing only 650 of 60,000 thrown targets.

Just as today's youngsters might worship a Mickey Mantle, Ad Topperwein's boyhood hero had been Carver. When the latter's record was broken by B. A. Bartlett, who rang up a score of 63,732 hits out of 64,017 tries, Ad determined to champion his tumbled idol. He did this so emphatically that no one has since bothered to top "Top."

For anyone who has any doubts about the stamina and endurance associated with such a record, this is the way it is described by an article which takes you back to this event in the January issue of True Magazine:

"Short of an assault on Mount Everest it is difficult to think of an athletic feat calling for more physical stamina than the goal Topperwein set for himself. The record he was gunning for had stood against almost continuous

assault by the finest shooters in the world. To break it he would have to shoot continuously for at least a full week from dawn till dusk.

"His second miss came well into the third day, after an almost incredible run of 14,540 hits. By the fifth day, however, the strain was beginning to tell. His eyes were red and sunken and there was a stubble of dark beard on his face. At night after the seventh day he was so fatigued and lame that Plinky (his wife) had to undress him. He was unable to lower his arms below the waist and his shoulders were swollen. When he flexed his arms, a painful cramp knotted the biceps of his right arm. A barber shaved him while he slept. Frequently that night he cried out in his sleep, as those elusive nightmare blocks that no man can hit soared through his dreams.

"On the eighth day, to a cheering gallery, he passed Bartlett's record. Still he refused to stop. At the end of the ninth day he realized that he had driven himself to the utmost. They almost had to carry him to the firing line on the final day. He had become a crude caricature of his former self, a red-eyed, hollow-faced scarecrow of a man. Finally, late in the afternoon he took the last cartridge from the last carton and stuffed it into the loading port. The final block arced—the rifle cracked—the wood split and fell into a mountain of fragments that now stood taller than the shooter.

"Friends dashed forward to catch Topperwein as he started to collapse. 'What was the final score?' he asked weakly. 'The damndest score ever made by anyone, Top,' they told him. 'Out of 72,500 shots, you missed just nine.'"

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Those who got exempt were very happy and those who didn't took the test. Everyone who took the test did all right on them in the sophomore class. We sure hope we beat Meadow tomorrow night.

FRESHMAN NEWS

We have our semester test Friday, January 10th. Some are very lucky and will get exempted, while others will have to take the semester test.

Everyone enjoyed the snow we had. We also enjoyed getting out of school for two days.

GRADE 4-A - Mrs. McKenzie

We are happy for all of the children to be back in school. However, we did enjoy playing in the snow. It was a lot of fun.

We are finishing our tests and are looking forward to a good report card this week.

In our English class we are writing letters to a group of fourth grade children in the state of Oregon. We have enjoyed many interesting pictures that they sent us, of that part of the state.

Charlotte Johnson and Glenda Price.

GRADE 2A - Mrs. Bailey

We all enjoyed last week's snow very much, and almost everyone got to build a snow man. The weather wasn't all fun though, Gerald Jackson, Robbie Prater and Roy Rowland were sick part of the week and had to miss school.

Judy Hardin, Linda Mayfield, Diana Suter, Rose Marie Tubb, Ronnie Chitwood, and Roy Rowland are our students who have made one hundred on their spelling each week the last six weeks. We are proud of these boys and girls.

GRADE 3A - Mrs. Wallace

What fun we have had in the snow! Most of the children in our room lived in town or on the pavement so they could get to school each day. We made a mural of children building snowmen for our school room.

We are practicing on a play to present to PTA. The bad weather prevented our putting it on last Thursday.

We have been taking tests and finishing up this semester's work. We will get our report cards Wednesday. We have two new pupils in our room.

GRADE 2B - Mrs. Redford

We have taken part of our box supper money and fixed up our aquarium. We have lots of pretty fish and are enjoying it so much.

GRADE 2A - Mrs. Bailey

We lost Larry Benton the past week. He moved to his new ranch at Los Vages, N. M. We sure hated to see him go.

We now have 32 enrolled in our room.

We are just now beginning our new semester. We will soon begin our reader for the last half. We will also start writing soon.

ARMY LICENSES

LAKE TEXARKANA

TO GAME DEPT.

Permissive rights to 79,400 acres of land surrounding Lake Texarkana, on the Sulphur river, have finally been acquired by the Game and Fish Commission from the Federal Government, it has been announced by the Director of Wildlife Restoration.

Under the license agreement signed on behalf of the Game Commission by H. D. Dodgen, Executive Secretary, and Edward A. Bason, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Army, the Commission now can begin a program of wildlife management on the area.

This may include the construction of fences, buildings and signs; the planting of shrubs, plants and grasses. It is thought parts of the licensed area have definite opportunities for up land game and waterfowl management.

The license is for 10 years, but may be revoked by the Secretary of the Army at any time.

According to the Director, the state will undertake a program to improve habitat around the lake.

Arkansas already has begun a waterfowl program on approximately 9,000 acres of land down the Sulphur River from Lake Texarkana.

Local capital is building Kickapoo Lodge on Highway No. 8, four miles south of Vaughn. The city of Texarkana also has acquired some acreage at the lake

and plans recreational facilities.

TEXAS GAME

AND FISH

AUSTIN — Wintertime is the best time for fishing, if you can stand the cold. If you don't believe it, check the evidence given by Marine Biologist Terrance Leary in the January issue of TEXAS GAME AND FISH, the official publication of the Game and Fish Commission.

Fishermen who line the coastal fishing spots this month will probably be rewarded with good strings of redfish, Leary claims. Trout, drum, and sheephead also rise to the bait when the northerners hit.

"Wet hands, and cold feet are a small price for the fine strings of fish," Leary adds.

WARDEN TELLS HOW

TO CLEAN DUCKS

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ATTEND LODGE AT SUNDOWN

Mrs. G. C. Thomas and Mrs. R. M. Mayfield attended Rebekah Lodge at Sundown Monday night. Installation of officers was held by the Lodge Deputy.

The officers are as follows: Maude Ramage, Noble Grand; Grace Lesley, Vice Grand; Lula Hensley, R.S.N. Grand; Jessie Thomas, L.S.N. Grand; Nola Duncan, R.S. V.G.; Marie Myers, L.S.V.G.; Anne Norwood, Secretary and Treasurer; Josephine Duke, Warden and Color Bearer; Willie Murphy, Conductor assistant; Margie Bell Chaplain; Shellie Mayfield, Musician; Velma Wilson, Inside Guardian; and Woodrow Wilson, Outside Guardian.

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4-H CLUB MEETING

By Peggy Tudor

Club was called to order by Donnie Blackman, our president.

Peggy Tudor made a motion that all of the 4-H Club members of Ropes Junior 4-H Club bring either a new member or pay a nickel. Motion was seconded by Carol Conatser.

We also discussed our Dairy Foods Demonstration, and whether we would like to have a Dress Revue or Bake Show.

Meeting was adjourned, and refreshments served.

ATTEND FUNERAL OF GRANDMOTHER

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Hanford were in Clyde Monday for the sad mission of attending the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. Laura Cole.

Mrs. Cole was 88 years of age.

Berrilyn, 10-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Thomas, is reported to be recovering from a severe cold which has caused her to miss several days of school.

PAY YOUR POLL TAX AT THE ROPES DRUG STORE

Murry Stewart, county tax assessor-collector, announced this week that those desiring to do so can pay their poll tax at the Ropes Drug Store.

Property tax cannot be paid in Ropes due to the fact that the county had to set up a tax budget for the Junior College, and it was so late at the time that there was not time to make up additional rolls for other towns other than Levelland.

DELAYED

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thomas spent the Christmas holidays in Rule visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Whitten. All the children were present with the exception of one daughter.

Mr. Whitten suffered a heart attack on the day following Christmas, and is reported to be slowly improving.

HERE FROM PASADENA

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Chesney and children, Betty and Ronnie, of Pasadena, Texas, were here over the New Year holidays visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thomas.

BILL CARTER HERE FROM SAN SABA

Bill Carter was here this past week from San Saba. Bill is engaged in raising sheep in that section. He says they did not get snow this winter, but had received plenty of rain.

RITA JO SUTER, EDGAR WHITEHEAD ARE MARRIED

This past Sunday, January 12th, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, Rita Jo Suter and Edgar Whitehead exchanged vows which made them man and wife.

The marriage took place at the Church of the Nazarene in Ropes with Rev. Dan Jones, pastor, saying the words that made them one.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, Ray Suter, and the maid of honor was Melba Jean Gregg. Best man was Norman Harrison, and brides maids were Jessie Faye Martin and Mrs. Phillip Kimberlin.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the home of the bride's parents.

Mrs. Whitehead is the charming and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Suter of Ropes. Edgar is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dock Whitehead, and is a young man of sterling worth and unimpeachable character, with a bright future ahead of him.

The couple has rented the Chester Stephenson house on Timmons Avenue, and will make their home in Ropesville.

J. F. WILLIAMS ANNOUNCES FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE

J. F. Williams was a pleasant caller at the Plainsman office this past Wednesday, and while here authorized us to announce to the folks of this Justice Precinct that he is a candidate for Justice of the Peace.

Mr. Williams has lived in Hockley County since 1937, and has been on the South Plains for the past 40 years.

He states: "I am making the race for this office at the urgent request of my friends. This is the first time I have asked for public office, but feel that I am fully qualified to discharge the duties of the office which I seek."

"I intend to make an extensive campaign, and will endeavor to see each voter in the precinct before election."

MEADOW RIPS ROPESVILLE

Trailing 10-4 at the end of the first quarter, Meadow rallied to defeat Ropesville, 63-32, at Meadow Tuesday night.

The home team pushed into a 20-18 halftime margin and held a 37-21 advantage at the end of three quarters. Ronnie Bell, with 23 points, and Perry Lockett's 12 paced Meadow. J. L. Hansard was high-point man for Ropes with 10 points.

In a girls' game, Ropes rallied in the fourth quarter to make off with a 40-38 victory. Meadow held quarter leads of 12-8, 23-20, and 30-28. Lena Christopher had 20 points and Jean Tussy 13 for the visitors. For Meadow, Linda Hendricks totaled 17, two more than Betty Eubanks.

Meadow won the B-team contest, 27-22. Virgil Gilliam of Meadow and William of Ropes each scored 8 points.

MRS. L. McNABB VISITS IN NEW MEXICO

Mrs. Louie McNabb and children were in Tucumcari, New Mexico this past weekend where they visited in the home of her parents.

SCHOOL BUSES STILL OFF THE DIRT ROADS

According to reports given us Tuesday, the Ropes school buses were still unable to travel on dirt roads, staying on the pavement in their rounds.

The heavy we snow, which is now melting, has turned the roads into a soggy mess such as has not happened in years. We have seen the time in the past when a car would sink to the axle, but it has been a good many years ago.

C. STEPHENSON UNDERGOES EYE SURGERY

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Stephenson were in Lubbock Monday where he had an eye treated.

It was discovered that the eye had become infected and minor surgery was necessary to remove the infection. It did the job, and Chester is now well on the road to recovery.

LYNELL ETHERIDGE RECOVERING FROM INFLUENZA

Little Lynell Etheridge, daughter of Mrs. Isla Etheridge, who has been suffering from the after effects of the flu, has so far recovered that she is now able to attend school.

SEEKS JUDGMENT

In a damage suit filed Tuesday in 99th District Court at Lubbock, W. A. Tucker of Grayson County seeks \$46,000 judgment against Perciliano Soto of Ropesville. Tucker alleges injuries to his wife and damages to his car when his auto was in collision with one driven by Soto at the intersection of 19th St. and Avenue H, Lubbock, on October 5, 1957.

VISITS FRIENDS IN ROPESVILLE

Mrs. Audrey Beavers, of Aransas Pass, on Monday afternoon visited in the W. H. Wilkison home.

She is an old friend of the family and met there the Wilkison daughters, Mrs. J. R. Gailey and Mrs. Isla Etheridge.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wilson, of Route 1, are the proud parents of a son weighing 7 and one-fourth pounds, born Sunday in a Lubbock hospital.

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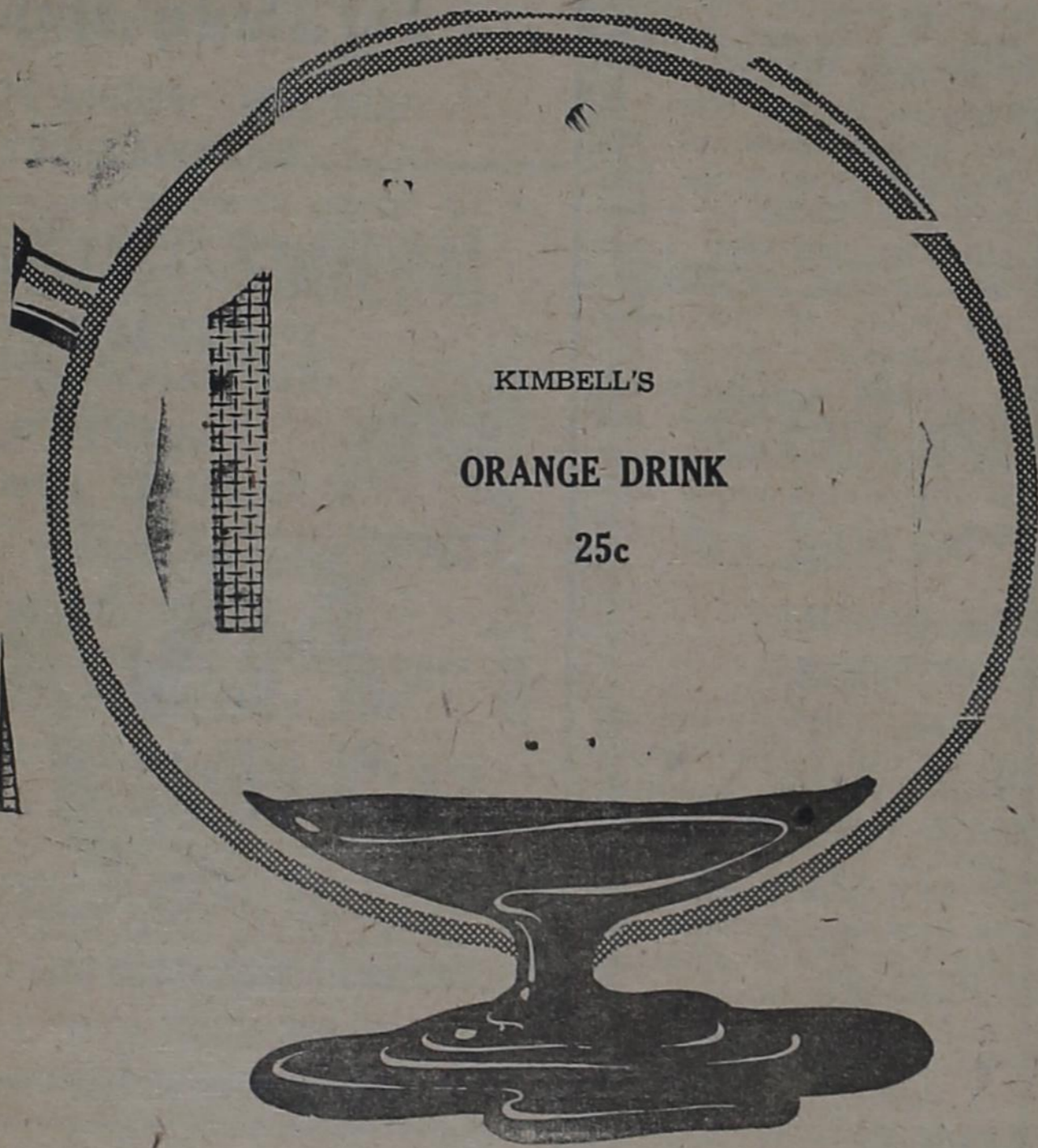
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