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The Herald has grown with this section from strictly a ranch country. This area now consists of thriving towns and cities, supported by scientific farming and stock farming, augmented by huge oil fields, with the nation's largest known oil reserves.

HERALD LAUNCHES "GOOD WILL" CAMPAIGN WITH BIG LIST OF VALUABLE PRIZES

Scouts Take Over City, State, County Offices

Friday the Boy Scouts of Brownfield will conclude their anniversary week by taking over the city, state and county offices here. The citizens of Brownfield are advised to have a pocket full of dimes when they venture forth in their automobiles on Friday, as the scouts will act as law enforcement officers and watch closely for traffic violators.

The following scouts will hold honorary offices for the day. Troop 74, sponsored by the Legion will have boys in the following offices: Mayor, Roscoe Treadway; Highway Patrol, Johnny Cloud, and Howard Swan; County Attorney, Teddy Hardy; City Supt., Billy Thompson; District Clerk, Perry Cowan; County Health Doctor, John Holmes; County Commissioner, Robert Strickland; Councilor No. 2, Joe Swan.

Well, We're Back In West Texas

With practically all of January, cold and wet, cloudy and dreary, old February for the past three days, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, have been showing us that we still live in West Texas. In fact, Monday and Tuesday, the wind was from the southwest and raised no little dust in places where the land is practically naked, and has been too wet to break.

Wednesday, the wind was more from the northwest and we believe a bit cooler, but not quite so much dust. The farmers are taking the ringtail to get into their fields, and we are pulling for the event to the best of our ability.

Deputy Collector To Be Here March 4

While no existing laws make it mandatory for tax collectors or deputies to assist income tax payers to make out their return, nevertheless such is allowed, as making returns is no small matter and a worry to many people. A deputy collector can often in minutes do what the average man would have to take many hours and not a few headaches.

Prison Films Shown—Ellis Plan Endorsed

The local Lions Club, Jaycees, and some of the Rotary Club members met in joint session at the American Legion Hall at noon on Wednesday, February 9. They saw the film on the Texas State Prison System which the clubs have purchased for future showings.

Hinkle Selected For AF Counter Intelligence

Cpl. Bobby D. Hinkle of Hamilton Field, Calif., son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hinkle, former Brownfield residents, was one of four boys selected from 1,000 who applied for work with the U. S. Air Force Counter Intelligence Dept. They were chosen by direct command of Maj. Gen. John E. Upston, commanding general of the 4th Air Force.

Craigs to Dallas For Look at '49 Plymouths

M. J. Craig, Sr., and son, Robert Lee, of M. J. Craig Motor Co., left yesterday for Dallas where they will attend a dealers' preview showing of the new 1949 Plymouths. They will return tonight or Saturday.

Esquire Cafe Offers Banquet Room

Brownfield Teen-agers have a new found friend in Bobby Jones, owner of the Esquire Restaurant. He has announced that he will open the banquet room at his restaurant to the teen-agers every night that it has not been reserved for a party or banquet.

IN APPRECIATION

I wish to extend my thanks and appreciation to all who contributed so generously of their time and money in working on the March of Dimes. I would like to give special thanks to the Women's Activities Committee under the direction of Mrs. Walter Hord, to the house to house canvass workers organized by Mrs. Milton Bell, to the Legion and Country Club for the free use of their building, to the business firms for their donations, and to all who helped make this drive a success.

South Plains Ginnings Third Of 1947

While some of the heavily irrigated counties, such as Hale and Floyd showed gains from the 1948 over the 1947 crop, the counties that had little irrigation showed a decided drop. Other counties such as Lubbock, Lamb and Hockley with quite a lot of irrigation, dropped in production, it was not so radical as other counties with little irrigation.

Troop 79 Has 17 Prospective Eagle Scouts

The Rotary troop 79, under the leadership of scoutmaster Ralph Bailey, has seventeen prospective eagle scouts, who will probably take their rank next Sept. It is a very unusual thing for any troop to have so large a number of boys ready to receive the eagle award at the same time, it has rarely happened before in scouting in the United States.

Haskell Man Dies At Plains

E. C. Caddell, age 18, of Haskell was found dead Tuesday morning, Feb. 8, at the new Court house building in Plains. Caddell was a laborer working on the construction of the new court house. He and several other workers, including two cousins, slept in the building at night. When his companions got up Tuesday morning they discovered him dead.

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The Terry County Herald announces the beginning of a Good-will Circulation Campaign in the Brownfield trade territory — a campaign of expansion in keeping with the progress being made by this paper.

Four large prizes, plus cash commission, are offered to workers in this campaign, who, within the next seven weeks, will gather subscriptions to the Terry County Herald.

First Prize, 1949 5-Passenger Ford Club Coupe, purchased from Portwood Motor Co., tops the awards in this great contest, and there are other prizes and a 20 per cent commission paid. The campaign is designed to greatly augment the widespread and steadily growing of the Terry County Herald in its trade territory.

Thorne Smith Joins The Herald Force

Yes, Thorne Smith has joined the Herald office as combination ad and floor man. You have probably heard the name Smith. It is easy to remember. And this time the Herald has made some investigation of the new staffman and feel that our customers need have no fear whatever. In fact, Thorne is just a West Texan the same as you and I.

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Just listen to this! If you have the desire to earn a car, then this campaign is made to order for you, and it may enable you to realize some of your dreams. It's all very simple. All you have to do is represent the Terry County Herald to your friends. You and they all know and want this paper.

The Good Will Campaign is a business proposition. The Terry County Herald wants more subscribers and is willing to generously reward those who will become "Good Will" boosters for it.

Every one in this territory will profit. All those who take an active part have everything to gain and nothing to lose. You win if you lose. Each worker who does not win one of the four big prizes will be paid a 20 per cent commission on all business he or she turns in.

County Officers Make Several Arrests

County officers had a busy week. Sunday they returned a Mexican from South Texas charged with his deserting wife and two children, earlier this year. Monday they returned a colored man from near Austin who had carried off a mortgaged automobile. Late Tuesday evening Highway patrolmen intercepted a young man alone who claimed he was from Wichita Falls enroute to California. He was driving while drunk, near Meadow. After spending the night in jail, he was relieved of his driver's license, and a liberal fine, and luckily for him, found a man going to California, giving him a free ride to drive for him.

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Bond Issue Threatened With Another Law Suit

Planning Committee For Red Cross Drive Meets

The planning committee for the Red Cross fund drive met at the La Mecca Cafe Tuesday morning, Feb. 8 for breakfast. They discussed the program and activities for the Red Cross Drive which will start March 1. Clifford Jones, who will be in charge of the drive in Brownfield informs us that plans will be made for a kick-off breakfast on the morning of March 1st, and that the volunteer workers will start their campaign following the breakfast, and conclude it the following Friday, March 4.

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School Board Refuses To Call Election

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF TERRY. (From Minutes of School Board Meeting.) On this the 7th day of February, A. D. 1949, the Board of Trustees of the Brownfield Consolidated Independent School District convened in regular session with the following members present: Gene Gunn, H. L. Glenn, A. M. Muldrow, C. G. Griffith, Alton Webb and O. L. Stice, and the following members absent: R. D. Jones, constituting a quorum present, and, among other proceedings had by said Board of Trustees was the following:

Search For Meteorite Continues In Area

E. R. Cornelius of Lamesa and Dr. Lincoln Lapaz of the University of New Mexico, have joined forces in the search for the meteorite, believed to have fallen in western Terry about dusk Sunday evening, January 30. Mr. Cornelius is very anxious to hear from Brownfield residents if any who chanced to see the meteor. Reliable reports from here would narrow the search area considerably.

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At the regular meeting of the Brownfield School Board on Monday night, Feb. 7, representative of the opponents of the bond issue offered a petition. Gene Gunn, president of the school board, stated that the following men, accompanied by their attorney were present: W. J. Carter, George W. Neill, Jake Sandage, V. H. Wheatley, Jay Barrett, Fred Turner, and their attorney, Cobb of Lubbock.

The petition presented called for an election to see if the bonds voted in March of 1948 should be cancelled, stating it would be cheaper for the school board to hold an election than it would be for them to continue to fight legal action brought on by the contestants.

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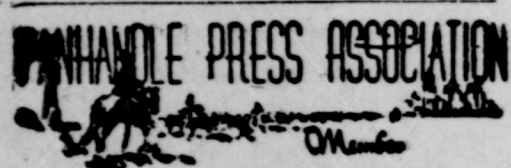
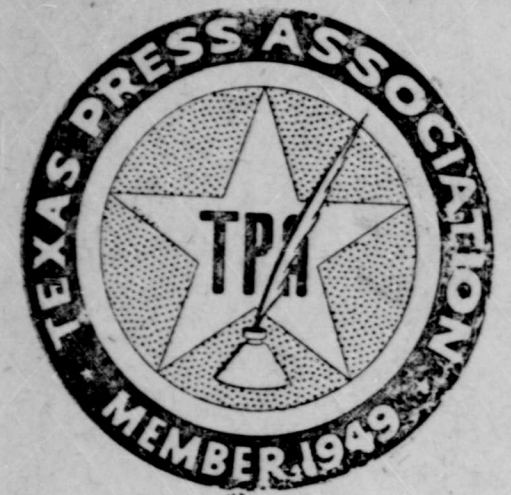
News dispatches the past few days describe American planes spanning the continent in a few short hours. Our navy has just accepted and commissioned one of these sky-giant speedsters. Newest note pictures one 180-passenger plane flashing half its pay-load, 90 people, from coast to coast in far less than a sun-up to sun-down trip. 500 miles an hour is speed personified! — results working for American people.

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Here's another old saying that has been proven, believe it or not. You have often heard that women change their minds more often than men. A test at the University of Texas has fully sustained this. Last year 109 male and 150 female students at the U. of T. were asked to list their choice of vocational studies. This year, the same students were asked the same question. Only 41 percent of the ladies were agreed with their aim of the year before, while 65 percent of the men had not changed. Yes, women do change their minds, as well as a few men.

Last week's Lynn County News had a fine article on learning students while in school to spell. At a recent convention of newspapermen, Editor Hill of the News stated that this matter was under discussion, and that it was agreed among the newspaper folks that something should be done. Some thought that in learning young students to read without learning the alphabet, was part to blame for bad spelling. Let us state that newspaper folks see a lot of bad spelling from week to week. A lot of stuff received at the Herald office for publication has to be re-written before sent to the Entype. Just so happens that occasionally one of our correspondents is ill or away and the work of writing is turned over to some of the children or perhaps grand children to write. The lady herself writes a very nice hand and is an average or above speller. But when one of the substitutes writes, it takes all hands and the office cat to interpret and rewrite the letter so that it can be put in print.

Recently the Herald received a long questionnaire from the president of the Negro A & M college at Prairie View, Texas, concerning the use of colored help around

our office. As none had ever been used we could not answer. Our failure to answer President E. B. Evans, was not because of any prejudice. We would like to see the negro A & M succeed in educating young negro students with ambition to learn. Not only that, but we would like to see the negro University at Houston, and all other negro schools of higher learning in Texas and elsewhere learn to do by learning how. If there are any employers in our city who do work colored people and there are many, we would like to turn this matter over to them. And if there are any ambitious students at the Phyllis Wheat school in town that the teachers think might be interested in higher learning to better prepare themselves, we feel sure that President Evans would like to hear from them.

It is stated that the Hoover Commission report on reorganization of our executive government, is fast becoming a best seller, and many have already placed subscriptions at \$10 each. It is believed that if the commission recommendations are adopted and carried out by the commission, it will save the nation several billion dollars annually, by stopping many duplications, and stop the employment of thousands that are doing the government no good. This week the congress adopted the Hoover Report almost unanimously, and it is hoped that President Truman carries it out. He stated he would. Tax burdened people need all the help they can get.

"Save the Soil and Save Texas" is a conservation program this year of Texas Press Association. A prize of \$100 is being offered to the newspaper having the best editorial on soil conservation this year. The prize does not go to the writer, but to the editor of the editorial. We fear that the editorial staff of the Herald is deficient of those who are capable of writing a very good soil conservation editorial, much less one that might win a prize. But if there are those who are working in the soil conservation service of the CTY district, and wish to take a whack at this prize through the columns of the Herald, we will be more than pleased to print it and send it in to be judged for the prize.

Last but not least, the Groundhog failed to see his shadow in this area last Wednesday, and if that is any sign, he stayed out, and Spring is just around the corner, according to the old saying. But judging this section by the past, you'd better take this evidence of early spring with a grain of salt. All humans and animals, male or men, let the Weatherman put it over on them here on the South Plains. But speaking of weather, read the next editorial below.

The editor yields to the Belton Journal this week for the tallest tales about the weather. An indefatigable reporter, editor Russell

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got an on-the-spot interview with the goose that flew south out of Amarillo backwards to keep snow out of its eyes. A hen, facing away from the cold, slashing wind, had to lay the same egg three times before she worked up enough courage to turn around! And then there was the woodpecker, pecking a hunk of granite so hard the sparks flew, and he was stamping out the sparks to keep his feet warm! There was a crow flying for all his might, but staying stationary in the air. He did this three days before puzzled spectators figured it out: cold had congealed the crow's shadow, and it wasn't until ice thawed that the shadow was released and the crow could continue onward. We dare not let him hear of the predicament of one of our own Crosby County hens. Last week we had a day so warm, and zero weather moved in so fast, that one half of her egg was soft-boiled and the other half, a hailstone. — Rails Banner.

## TEXANS IN WASHINGTON

By Tex Esley  
Washington, Jan 31 (-AP)—Windup of Texas festivities here in connection with the inauguration of president Truman was a luncheon (Jan. 21) in the House wing of the Capitol given by Rep. Paul Kilday and Mrs. Kilday for the Cavaliers of San Antonio.

When Senator Tom Connally was called upon for a talk after the meal was finished, he told this little known story about himself. In 1898 Theodore Roosevelt came to Texas in search of recruits for his Rough Riders. Connally and another young man who was to become one of his closest friends in later years, were fired with enthusiasm and made a special trip to San Antonio to see the famous Teddy.

The senator then lived at Eddy, between Waco and Temple.

Identifying his companion as the late Dr. Carl Loveless of Waco, Connally said: "The rough and ready Roosevelt looked us over and asked if we could ride. We told him sure, everybody in Texas learned to ride a horse before he learned to walk. Then he wanted to know if we could shoot. We said sure, but we forget to mention that our shooting had been with an old muzzle-loading double-barrel shotgun at field larks and doves.

"Well, you boys are just the men I want," declared Roosevelt. "But I reckon he didn't want us too bad, not both of us, anyway. We had a physical examination, and they told me I was too light weight. Nothing serious wrong with me, I was just too much of a bean pole."

His friend was recruited and went with the Rough Riders to Cuba, for combat in the Spanish American War. Connally then joined the second Texas volunteer regiment.

Leader of the move on the House side of the Capitol for repeal of the oleomargarine tax is Rep. Bob Poage of Waco. He says he is in favor of hearing even though most sponsors of the bill think that sufficient hearings were held last year and contend the measure should be reported promptly to the floor.

Such procedure would leave the open to changes that the repeal advocates are using high-handed tactics, says Poage, so opponents

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## It Seems We've Heard That Song Before



## Behind the Scenes in American Business

NEW YORK, Jan. 31—How much money do you need to go into business for yourself? Many a man has asked himself that question. Many a merchant has wondered, when he saw a new retail store starting, what kind of capital was behind the newcomer. Now the Department of Commerce has totaled up a complete set of statistics on the capital needs of new trade firms. In the three years 1945, 1946 and 1947, the astounding number of 1,400,000 new business enterprises were started, surely impressive proof that Americans can still start new companies despite all the hollering about "monopolies." The average new wholesaler started with a capital of \$22,500. The average new retail store started with an average of \$9,500. Among the retail group, apparently more capital is required to get a start in the building materials, hardware and farm implement businesses than any other. Average for new firms in this group was slightly more than \$25,000 in original capital. Lowest were the filling stations. You can get yourself up the filling station business with \$5,600, according to the Commerce department figures.

**KITCHEN FIXTURES**—There was a day when any wit could get should be given an opportunity to renew their protests at an open hearing.

Representing a big cotton producing district in central Texas, Peage has been a leader also in a move by several congressmen to get the government to permit exports of fats and oils.

"So long as there was a shortage," he observed, "I did not outstion the need of export controls." "Now there is no shortage in the United States. On the contrary, we have a huge surplus. The price of cottonseed oil has dropped about 40 percent in the last five months. The price of peanut and soybean oils and fats like lard have suffered similar breaks."

a laugh by ironically referring to a can-opener as a cooking utensil—and few housewives would even admit owning one. But today, apparently, it is a weapon of distinction—or at least of complete social acceptability on the American scene. A survey made for the American Can Company shows that only four housewives in 1,000 don't have some sort of can-opener today. In the east, only one kitchen in a thousand is can-openerless; in the midwest it's two, in the far west, five and in the south, 14 per thousand. Another thing the survey showed is that the gadgets are not only more numerous now, but fancier and easier to operate. The old-style pump-action type is actually in the minority now—outnumbered by the type which cuts can tops off neatly by the turning of a handle. And of the latter a considerable portion are of the type which occupy a permanent spot on the kitchen wall, ready and able to help the busy American housewife put together nutritious meals in a hurry even when she gets home late from bridge or PTA meeting.

**THINGS TO COME**—Lights on billboards will turn on automatically at dusk, go off with the break of dawn, thanks to a new control gadget that works through built-in time switch—This next is hard to believe, but at last someone claims that he has ink blotter that really works. It's made of a new absorbent composition,

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and no matter how stained it gets it still blots clearly, so they say—Folks with many school children in the family may be interested to know there's a new electric pencil sharpener that sharpens pencils seven to eight times faster than the conventional hand-operated equipment—And grandmother who no longer have a high-chair in the house can use the new "Addaseat" to lift their grandchildren to table level whenever their descendant come a-visitng. A new translucent garment bag has been designed particularly to keep clothes dust-free when traveling by car. Serves handily in the home too. Home mechanics can now get chrome plated rings to fit on pistons when they give their annual overhauling this spring. And you can take that shine off your old blue serge suit with a new liquid preparation that must be applied with a criss-cross motion.

**SUMMER RESORT**—Within the past year, 18 new hotels have been completed at Miami Beach. That's more new hotels than all the rest of the country can boast. Most luxurious of the 1948-1949 crop is the Saxony, a \$5,000,000 project which sets new standards in comfort-giving appointments. George D. Sax, president of Sax Enterprises, Inc., which owns the hotel, figures it cost \$21,000 a room including price of site, beach development and furnishings.

Like most other Miami Beach hotels builders, Sax plans to operate the year round and is banking on summer trade for a substantial part of his revenue. To guarantee comfort when the sun begins to bear down next June, he had Minneapolis-Honeywell Regulator Company engineers install the most modern air conditioning control system in any hotel in the country. The Honeywell people say that 15 of the 18 new hotels have air conditioning to some degree.

**BITS O' BUSINESS**—Generally speaking, the nation's hotel keepers are not as busy as they have been. Average occupancy is down to 86 percent from the record year 1946, when 93 percent of all the rooms in the country were filled

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## Economical To Buy Plentiful Foods

COLLEGE STATION, Feb. 6th It's cheaper to make up the family grocery list from the list of plentiful foods. Scarce items are generally more expensive. Homemakers can keep the grocery bill lower by shopping from the monthly food list issued by the Production and Marketing Administration, USDA. They have

with paying guests. But the boni-heart, but livestock experts say meat supplies will not be noticeably affected. Lumber retailers in the east, assembled in convention predict a 15 per cent drop in lumber sales during 1949, while experts tell them housing construction will be 10 per cent less this year. Oil burner manufacturers, who were given a bad time last year because of the government sponsored "oil shortage" scare, are launching a major sales drive. Fuel oil prices are declining all over the country as surplus oil stocks continue to swell. Faces do little complaining, remembering their half-filled hotels of 1937 and 1938. Ski resort owners in New England are having a bad season. Too mild, too little snow. Out west, of course, there's too much snow. Plight of snowbound livestock touches the nation's

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Social Events of the Week

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Another Woman's Angle

Plans are being made for the Red Cross fund raising campaign which will start March 1. We realize that the public sometimes becomes weary of the many appeals made to their pocket books...

The Red Cross has over a period of years shown itself capable of rise at time of disaster. It offers rise at time of disaster. It offers a means of organized community welfare work...

We perhaps have a more vital interest in Red Cross work, because during the war years we worked on a Red Cross Chapter Staff. During those years Red Cross did a particular job that other organizations were qualified or equipped to do...

The work of the Red Cross is not, however, limited to war years. Here in Texas during the last year 2 horrible disasters occurred that called for Red Cross assistance \$198,894.00 was expended on the victims of the McKinney tornado...

When the Red Cross drive starts on March 1 let's all give what we can with generosity and good will.

Hearts and flowers, cupid and jows, Valentines Day is approaching. All women with sentimental femininity want to be remembered and reminded of their husbands affection every day...

Perfume is always acceptable, and pretty lingerie appeals to any gal. Incidentally if a husband suspects his wife is going to have a new spring suit or dress, or else, why not tell her to go down town and purchase the outfit as a Valentine.

Danna Ruth McLroy flew in Monday from Mexico City. Her mother tells us that she had a wonderful trip. Danna had to report at once to school at Tech, but she will be down this week-end with a report for us on her exciting vacation. Watch for it in our next weeks edition.

WCS MEETS IN FELLOWSHIP HALL W. S. C. S. met Monday, Feb 7 in Fellowship Hall. Mrs. Proctor gave the devotional based on the 23rd psalm. Mrs. Webber led the lesson titled "The Newness of Life". Mrs. Carpenter presided over the business meeting.

Plans were discussed for the Zone meeting in Meadow Tuesday, Feb. 8. Seventeen members attended this semi-yearly meeting of the Brownfield Zone on the following day.

The following members were present at the meeting at Fellowship Hall: Mmes. Cleve Williams, J. H. Carpenter, G. S. Webber, C. F. Mote, H. L. Thurston, C. E. Proctor, Ida Belle Walker, Ben J. Hill, W. H. Hare, J. W. Hogue, Tobe Power, B. L. Thompson, U. D. Gorton, D. S. Sampson, Joe Johnson, Glen Harris, W. B. Downing, and Miss Maude Bailey.

Mrs. E. Brown has recently moved to Amarillo from Dumas, to make her home with her daughter, Mrs. Ola Belle Green, who have a concession at the courthouse in Amarillo. Both Mr. and Mrs. Green are blind, but they are doing well, and have a nice home in Amarillo.

Read And Use Herald Want Ads

Miss Joan Gray And Bill Green Wed

Miss Joan Gray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Gray, and Bill, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Green were married Saturday, February 5 at the home of Rev. W. T. Sparkman. Rev. Sparkman, pastor of the west side Baptist Church officiated.

The bride wore a aqua suit with dark blue accessories, and a corsage of white carnations and red roses. Her only attendant, was her sister, Mrs. Burl Blake, who wore a tan suit and brown accessories. Burl Blake was best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Green left for a wedding trip to San Angelo following the ceremony. On their return they will be at home near Brownfield where Mr. Green will engage in farming.

Mrs. Price Entertains Her Children

Mrs. Sally Price had four of her sons and their children as dinner guests Sunday. Her guests were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Price of Lovington, N. Mex. and their three children, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Price of Tahoka, Mr. and Mrs. Gay Price and daughter Francis Gay and Mr. and Mrs. Word Price of Brownfield.

SUB-DEB CLUB ENTERTAINED BY CYNTHIA BLACK

The Sub-Deb Club met with Cynthia Black on Feb. 8 at 4:00 p. m. Plans were made for a semi-formal banquet to be held on the first Thursday in March. A short program was decided on.

Ice cream and cookies were served to the following members: Barbara Bente, Betty Ferguson, Francis Price, Velma Ruckler, Joanne Shelton, Joanne Hutson, Freda Antrony, Jackie Crump, Joanne Manchen, Delma Murphy, Patsy Johnson, Norma Jo Boyd, Norma Rogers, LaMoine Lindsey, Waynell Webb, Nancy Morgan, Charles Gaston, Lois Steven, Jackie Allen, Leah Portwood and the hostess.

PLEASANT VALLEY H. D. CLUB MEETS

Mrs. Lester George was hostess to the Pleasant Valley Home Demonstration Club Feb. 4. Due to the bad roads only four members were present. After a brief business meeting the program was turned over to Mrs. Manal Hinson who gave the program on "Care of the Feet". Refreshments were served to Mmes. Riley, Forbes, Hinson and the hostess.

WELLMAN HOME ECONOMICS CLASS VISITS KNIGHTS HARDWARE

The students of the Wellman Home Economics department were visitors at Knights Hardware Store on Tuesday, February 8. This visit is an annual trip that the girls make to study the various types of cooking ware, china, glassware and silver.

Mrs. J. R. Watson, and Mrs. A. F. Dungan employees of the store show the girls the different types of ware, and discussed their uses.

Mrs. and Mrs. J. R. Watson and daughter Mrs. Ray D. Harris, were visitors in San Angelo over the past week end. They spent the week-end in the homes of their other two daughters, Mrs. J. H. Jenkins and Miss LaVern Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Howze and Mr. and Mrs. Lee O. Allen returned Sunday from Corpus Christi after a two weeks vacation fishing.

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Mrs. Kirschner Entertains Las Amigas

Mrs. Jerry Kirschner was hostess to the Las Amigas Club on Friday night, February 4. Mrs. Prentice Walker won high prize and Mrs. Martin Kirschner won second high. Mrs. Sam Privitt, and Mrs. Sam Kirschner won the two bingos.

Creamed Crab in ramkins, stuffed apples, asparagus, hot rolls, chocolate roll and coffee were served to the following members and guests: Mmes. Buell Price, Jack Shirley, Sam Privitt, Prentice Walker, Jack Stricklin, Sam Kirschner, Martin Kirschner, O. L. Stice, Clovis Kendrick, Burton Hackney, I. M. Bailey, and Frank Ballard.

WELLMAN 4-H MEETS

The Wellman 4-H club met Feb. 7, 1949. Dessie Oliver gave a demonstration on making bed mats. Patsy Scales was elected the new sponsor.

The girls for the future talent club were given the rules. They will be given \$10.00 to start out with. The girl who succeeds in making the most money from his original \$10.00 investment will be given another \$10.00 at the end of the year.

PHI BETA CRAESUS METTS

Miss Onagene Walker was hostess to the Phi Beta Craesus Club on Tuesday, Feb. 8. The meeting was called to order by Lynne Sturges. A committee that visited Lubbock last Saturday on club business reported. Ways and means of making money were discussed.

Super-dogs, cokes, and candy were served to Lynne Sturges, Harlene Glenn, Sandra Bailey, Mary Chisholm, Phyllis Boshe, Janelle Thompson, Barbara Stice, Patsy Hill, Nan White, Glenda Blevins, Peggy Black, Annie Nicholson, and Wanda Stafford.

Local Girl Wins In Greater West Texas Contest

Miss LaNelle Duffy, local high school student, was informed Feb. 1 that she had been chosen as a winner in the Greater West Texas Contest sponsored by K. S. E. L. radio station in Lubbock.

This is the first contest Miss Duffy has ever entered. She was encouraged to do so by her mother and was quite astonished to learn she had been chosen as a winner. She does not know as yet what her prize will be.

14 Attend For Band Clinic In Galveston

Fourteen students of the Brownfield High School left Tuesday to attend a band convention in Galveston. The convention meetings will be held in the Municipal Auditorium, and various band clinics will be held, also a clinic for twirlers.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Szydoski, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Nunn, and Mrs. Frank Weir will be among the parents taking students down.

Methods for finding the longitude of a ship at sea were not devised until the 18th Century.

High School Seniors To Sponsor Carnival

The Brownfield High School seniors will sponsor a Valentine Carnival Monday night, Feb. 14. The highlight of activities will be the crowning of a king and queen who will be elected by penny votes to be deposited in ballot boxes at the high school.

The carnival will be held in the high school gym, starting at 7:30 p. m. The public is invited and the seniors guarantee an evening of fun with such diversified amusements offered as a fortune teller, cake walk, bingo game, negro minstrel, apple bobbing, and horror house.

Candy, cold drinks and pop corn balls will be on sale in the concession stand.

WELLMAN HD CLUB LEARNS TO MAKE PURSES AND HAND BAGS

A demonstration was given to the Wellman Home Demonstration Club at their meeting in Friday, Feb. 4, on how to make purses. Mrs. Roy E. Moore was the demonstrator.

At the business meeting Mrs. Horace Fox was elected alternate delegate to the council Mrs. Roy E. Moore was elected as possible delegate to the district meeting. The club will meet with Mrs. Miller Rich on third Friday.

The mariners' compass was first generally used by Europeans in the 14th Century.

BIBLE COMMENT FOR FEB. 13

There Is No Place For Prejudice In Our Religion

A PLAUSIBLE philosophy of life has said, "Be good and you will be happy." But if happiness consists in being free from danger, and immune from pain, the sufferings of good men, often persecuted because of their very goodness, have revealed how false is that easy advice.

A deep mystery of life is that the innocent have suffered with the guilty. It is the mystery of the Cross, and the suffering and sacrifice of Christ himself. The hostility that Jesus aroused in His prejudiced fellow-townsmen as He began His ministry in Nazareth continued on the part of many throughout His ministry.

Religion ought to make men humane, kind, considerate, ready and eager to help one another. But unfortunately it has often made them bitter and full of hatred. It was not unnatural that the claims of Jesus should be questioned by some, as they had been by his own brothers (John 5:7). But why should His pronouncement of the forgiveness of sins have aroused such hatred? If He had no power to forgive sins, His sin would not be forgiven. To question His authority was one thing—to hate Him, and seek to kill Him, was another.

Again, the Sabbath was a noble Jewish institution, a symbol of the utmost sacredness and devotion. Its observance called forth the fiercest feelings in devout Jews. But when its observance became so formal that concern for the welfare of one's fellowmen was obliterated, the glory of the Sabbath was lost. To break the Sabbath, in their idea of it, was a greater sin than to have hatred and murder in one's heart.

The opposition of certain Scribes and Pharisees and official religious authorities had more justification. The mistake that they made was in ignoring the actual words and deeds, in being blind to the authority of goodness, and in hating One whom the people heard gladly. Are we wiser than those of old? Is religion our response to the goodness of God, or is it dominated by prejudice and bigotry?

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E. S. A. ENTERTAINED BY MISS SUE JONES Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority met in the home of Miss Sue Jones, 321 West Cardwell, Tuesday night, Feb. 8 at 7:30. A business meeting was held, and after the meeting the remainder of the evening was spent in conversation.

A sandwich plate and cokes were served to the following members: Misses Bennie Wartes, Jerry Lindsey, Twilla Graham, Margaret Coza, Bernadine Grabler, Evelyn Evans, Mary Ballard, Forrest Steen, Pat Steen, Kanna Stephens, and Mmes. Alred Gore, and Dale George.

GIRL SCOUT TROOP HEARS ABOUT FRENCH SCOUTING

Troop 6 at their meeting at the little house on Tuesday of last week, were entertained by Mrs. Blair, a Frenchwoman who told them about scouting in France. Fourteen were present to hear this interesting report.

The Girl Scouts of Troop 6 at their meeting on Tuesday of this week, Feb. 8, learned several folk dances under the direction of Mrs. Leo Holmes. Fourteen members were again present.

One of the earliest forms of naval attack was ramming of one boat by another and navy ships up to 1911 were built with bows designed to withstand ramming impacts.

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### Report On Grain Sorghum And Cotton Situation For 1949

By George Mahon

The present law permits but does not guarantee a loan, usually referred to as a support price, on grain sorghum. I have joined here with others in appealing to the Secretary of Agriculture to announce immediately a 90% of parity loan on grain sorghum for the 1949 crop. I am also supporting legislation which would require such a loan support. Producers need to know what to expect in the way of support prices long advance of planting time.

The Secretary has authority to announce a 90% of parity loan, or a loan at any rate lower than 90%. A loan of less than 90% would be unsatisfactory and inadequate. What the Secretary may do and what Congress may do is not yet known. I hope we can secure passage of a long range farm program assuring a support of at least 90% of parity on grain sorghum, cotton, and other important crops. Producers should be on the alert for developments, particularly in connection with the 1949 crop.

Here is the situation as to cotton. The present law assures a support price of 90% of parity for 1949, but after 1949 the support could be as low as 60% of parity. A 60% support would be practically worthless, and we hope to fix the figure for the long range program at not less than 90%.

Two important questions as to cotton may be decided by Congress within the next few weeks. First, will acreage planted to cotton in 1949 be considered in arriving at cotton quotas on individuals farms in 1950? Second, what sort of formula should be used in fixing cotton acreage quotas for the states, counties and individual farms in and after 1950? It is assumed that there is to be a support price on cotton in 1950 there will be a cotton acreage control program in 1950.

Production controls, however, would not be placed in operation without an affirmative vote of the producers themselves.

If Congress decides that 1949 shall be counted as a base year, West Texas farmers will probably go to the limit in seeding land to cotton. But, at the same time,

many Central and East Texas farmers who have about gone out of the cotton business would probably plant a big cotton acreage, and it has been argued that West Texas might possibly sustain a net loss in cotton quotas.

Members of the House Committee on Agriculture are seeking passage of a resolution specifying that the year 1949 shall not be considered as a base year in fixing 1950 acreage quotas.

The House Committee on Agriculture has heard some of the recommendations of the Farm Bureau, a nation wide organization, in regard to cotton acreage allotment problems. Farm Bureau members in West Texas should see to it that the West Texas viewpoint is not overlooked in the presentation of the Farm Bureau.

A group of West Texans are scheduled to appear before the House Committee on Feb. 7. Committee officials advise that it will not be possible to hear all individual farmers who may want to appear, but they want to hear as many spokesmen of groups of farmers as possible in order to get a good picture of the situation throughout the cotton belt. The Committee hopes to conclude hearings as to cotton on Feb. 11, but the final draft of long range legislation will not be agreed upon until a much later date.

I shall seek to be of all possible assistance in this important matter. I welcome the views of the people of our District, and I shall submit any suggestions and plans which are submitted to me to the House Committee on Agriculture. Congressman Bob Poage of Waco and Congressman Gene Worley of Shamrock and Amarillo are members of the Agriculture Committee.

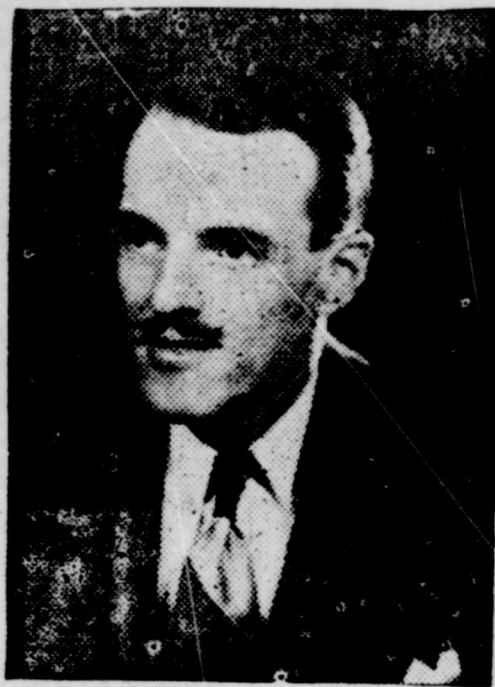
### 5,000 Area People See New Pontiac

Ross Motor Co. reports that an estimated 5,000 people came in to see the new Pontiac on display on their floor last week. The model on display for the showing was a 1949 Chieftain, 4-door hydro-matic, deluxe sedan in two tone gray-blue.

The 1949 Pontiac introduces an entirely new body style, but had only slight motor changes.

Ross Motor wishes to extend their thanks to their many friends and customers who came to view the new model, and made their showing such a success.

### Midland Man To Head Cancer Drive



H. WINSTON HULL

HOUSTON—H. Winston Hull of Midland has been re-elected lay representative director of the American Cancer Society, Texas Division, for District 2.

Selection of Mr. Hull as a part of the cancer society's three-sided leadership in this West Texas area was announced by Frank C. Smith, president of the Texas Division.

Dr. Roscoe B. G. Cowper of Big Spring is the Medical representative, and Mrs. G. Howard Hodge of Midland is the Field Army commander heading activities of lay women in the counties of District 2.

Mr. Hull said that similar triangular leadership is being organized in these counties composing the district: Andrews, Borden, Dawson, Dickens, Ector, Fisher, Gaines, Garza, Classcock, Howard, Kent, King, Lynn, Martin, Midland, Mitchell, Nolan, Scurry, Stonewall, Terry, and Yoakum.

Division agent for the Texas Gulf Producing company, Mr. Hull has been engaged in the geological, engineering, land, and administrative phases of the oil industry since 1923. He has resided in Midland for more than five years and administers the land work and general business affairs of his company in that area.

He will direct a district-wide educational and fund-raising campaign during April, which by Act of Congress is the nation's cancer control month.

### 2,455 Pay Poll Tax

Herbert Chesshir of the County Tax Collector's office informs us that 2,455 have paid their poll tax for the coming year. This total falls somewhat short of the total for the last year which was 3,606.

The number paying is always higher during a general election year such as last year, and of the 5,000 estimated potential voters in this county 2,455 is an above average percent for an off year.

Ambrosia was the food and nectar the drink on which the gods of ancient Greece were supposed to feed.

### Military Intelligence School To Be Held

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan 27 — A military intelligence school for the Organized Reserve will again be held this year at Fort Sam Houston from June 12th to June 25th, according to a Texas Military District announcement today.

Enrollment will be limited to officers and enlisted men of the Military Intelligence Reserve, or those in other arms or services who are in the process of transferring to the Mi-Reserve. There are some other special cases where such training may be beneficial, in which cases their applications for enrollment must be approved by the Executive of the Texas Military District.

Four subjects, "Intelligence Staff Officer," "Order of Battle," "Photo Interpretation" and "Interrogation Prisoners of War," will be included in the course of instruction, which will be held in lieu of unit summer training for all Reservists attending.

The close date for receiving and considering applications is May 15th all interested Reservists should contact their local Organized Reserve Instructor's office.

### MRS COLEMAN WILLIAMS ENTERTAIN ALPHA OMEGA

The Alpha Omega Club met in the home of Mrs. Coleman Williams on Tuesday, Feb. 8. Their program topic was "The South Plains". Mrs. Virgil Crawford acted as program chairman. Club members answered a roll call on when and why I came to Texas.

Mrs. Geron reported on the History of Terry County. Mrs. Sam Teague discussed Lubbock and Texas Tech. Mrs. Clarence Lackey spoke on a west Texas Sandstorm. Mrs. Wayne C. Hill gave a report on Federation Activities, and Mrs. P. R. Cates conducted a Parliamentary Drill. Mrs. Paul Bish was installed as a new member.

Pineapple upside down cake, topped with whipped cream, and coffee were served to the following: Mmes. Lee Brownfield, P. R. Cates, H. B. Crawford, A. J. Geron, E. C. Gerstenberger, Grady Goodpasture, Jake Gore, Jack Hamilton, Tommy Hicks, Wayne C. Hill, Clarence Lackey, N. L. Mason, W. T. McKinney, Wayland Parker, V. L. Patterson, John Portwood, J. O. Rodgers, Sam Teague, Coleman Williams, Geo. O'Neal, M. J. Craig Jr., and Paul Bish.

THREE YEAR CONTRACT AT UNION

Myrl G. Gary has been appointed Superintendent of Schools at Union and has been given a three year contract. Mr. Gary came to Union from Lynn county to serve as high school principal during the 1947-48 term, and took over as superintendent when Mr. Hancock left for Shallowater.

### National Heart Week Feb. 14-21

AUSTIN.—Throughout the United States the week of February 14-21, will be observed as National Heart Week, and Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer has announced that the State Health Department will cooperate to the fullest extent in stressing to the public the necessity for full information and intelligent action in attempting to control this nation's major killer, heart disease.

From a national level, heart disease is the leading cause of death, and yearly takes a greater total number of lives than the next five leading causes of death combined. One out of every three deaths in the United States is due to disease of the heart and blood vessels, and it is estimated that one out of every twenty persons suffer from some form of heart or blood vessel disease.

A great amount of research in the causes and treatment of the heart disease has established the fact that some of them can be materially helped by certain drugs or even surgery, and it has been proved beyond doubt that the heart patient who places himself early under competent medical care, has by far the best chance of survival. In many instances the patient can, under competent care, lead an almost normal life with only certain restrictions as to activities and indulgences which might adversely affect his condition.

"Consult your doctor for a physical check-up at least once a year", Dr. Cox advises. "If heart disease occurs, he will have an opportunity to find it, and begin proper treatment in the early stages, thus assuring you a better, longer life span."

The Rev. Mrs. R. A. Ham, of Dexter, New Mexico, will be the guest speaker at a revival being sponsored by and conducted in the Church of the Nazarene, South Second at West Tate. The revival commences February 16 and will continue, nightly, through February 27. Services are planned to begin at 7:30 each evening, according to J. Reynald Russell, pastor.

Mrs. Ham was the founder of the local church in 1943, the congregation meeting at that time in the building now converted into the parsonage. At the present time she is working as an itinerant evangelist, her labors being largely centered in New Mexico and West Texas.

Mrs. Ham will be accompanied here by her husband, who will be active in the work of the revival campaign. Both members of the evangelistic party will sing from night to night.

Services will be conducted on every night of the week and Sunday services will be held at 9:45 and 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

### Jerry Kirschner New President Of Country Club

The members of the Brownfield Country Club at their annual business meeting Monday night, Feb. 7, at the country club, elected two new members to the Board of Directors, and new officers for the coming term.

Jerry Kirschner, and V. L. Patterson were elected the two new members to the board. Mr. Kirschner will serve as president during the coming term. Hiram Parks was elected vice-president, and Mrs. Bill McKinney will serve again as secretary-treasurer.

Plans for a swimming pool will be pushed for the coming year. It is hoped that the pool can be completed during the coming summer.

Whalebone, or baleen, is a substance which hangs from the roof of whales' mouths as a dense fringe of 300 or more blade-shaped plates, each one eight or 10 feet long.

Harlem, now a Negro center in New York, was once a village on Manhattan Island.

### On Incl



Elvred E. Gillers, above, the "Axis Sally" of Nazi radio propaganda broadcasts, is on trial in Washington for treason. Mrs. Gillers, 48, is a native of Portland, Me. She faces possible penalty ranging from five years imprisonment to death, if convicted.



ADmits EMBEZZLEMENT—Joe Allen Mason, 28, (above) Reserve Army captain, has admitted embezzling more than \$10,000 from the First National Bank of Odessa, Texas, Harry Kimball, special agent in charge of the FBI in San Francisco, announced. Mason was arrested in San Francisco while awaiting transportation to army duty in Japan. (AP Photo.)



SECRETARY OF STATE — Ben Ramset (above) of San Augustine has been sworn in as Secretary of State in Austin. The former state senator was sworn in by Judge Lloyd Davidson, Commissioner of the Court of Criminal Appeals, in the Governor's office and went immediately to his new office to take over duties from outgoing Secretary Paul Brown of Harlingen. (AP Photo.)

Fire kindled by fire sticks or by a rope on a stake was believed by ancient Scots to ward off disease in their flocks

### Medical Prices Will Increase

Shortage always raise prices. The Texas Medical Association, by restricting enrollment in Texas medical schools to barely enough to replace deaths and retirement has cut down our supply of doctors especially in our rural areas, thereby causing a shortage and higher fees for services, while 3,000 pre-med students find the gates barred against them.

This same medical association now plans to get control of the supply of all competitive healing professions. So they can cut off placements in these healing professions and make the shortage even more acute and thus raise the prices higher than today.

The Basic Science Bill (S. B. 63) designed to give the Medical Association complete control of all branches of the healing arts and it is being pushed by unlimited funds and a high-priced lobby. If we, the people, do not write phone or visit our senators and representatives, we will have this infamous legislation upon us.

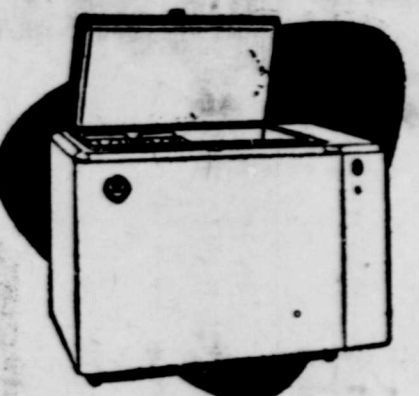
This is a call for action. If you want to know the names of your legislators, phone this newspaper. Address letters to them: at Capitol Station, Austin. Stop that Basic Science Bill. Write, wire or phone today.

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Most whales live on fish, but some species also eat seals and porpoises.

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Japanese firemen shinny up and down guy-ropes in a demonstration at the annual fire brigade review held at the Imperial Palace Plaza, Tokyo. Almost 5000 firemen took part in a spectacular review which was witnessed by thousands, including U. S. occupation personnel.

### And More Boots on the Way



Lois Mae Hamm, 15, of Whitney, Neb., whose prize steer, Cupid (shown here), won top honors in the junior division at the National Western Livestock Show in Denver, Colo., receives a pair of token boots from Harry Schwarz, Denver businessman. When Cupid is slaughtered, Schwarz's firm has promised to make Lois Mae a pair

### Mexico Comes to Miami



To make his friends, the Mexican chihuahuas, feel at home in Miami, Fla., little Billy Hansen dons a super-sombrero and gets ready for the Miami Dog Show. The tiny dogs are decked out in floral blankets for their appearance at the canine carnival.

### Owners Show Champ Lambs



Elvin Yeagley, 18, left, of Elizabeth, Pa., and Jean Graybill, 11, of Manheim, Pa., both 4-H Club members, exhibit their champion Smithdown lambs which won ribbons at the Pennsylvania State Fair Show in Harrisburg. Yeagley's entry won the Grand Championship, and Jean's lamb won the Reserve Championship.



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**WHAT IT MEANS**

**The Protest Against U. S. Aid To States**

By Clarke Beach

WASHINGTON—Grants of federal money to the states are becoming larger each year. And many leaders in the state and federal government don't like it. The grants-in-aid gradually subtract from the independence of the states, they say, weakening the whole system.

Last August the Joint Conference of State and Governors and members of Congress at a meeting in Chicago resolved that the grants should be reduced at least 20 percent in the fiscal year 1950. But President Truman has proposed in his 1950 budget substantial raises, rather than reductions, in the total of grants. The largest increases he suggested were \$290,000,000 for federal aid to education and \$65,000,000 for increase general assistance.

Even without these programs however, the 1950 total of grants was bound to be higher rather than lower. This was pointed out in a speech in December by James E. Webb, director of the budget. The federal government was already committed to supply increased funds in grants, in accordance with past acts of Con-

gress.

The practice of giving the states grants-in-aid is as old as the republic, but it has taken on major importance only in recent years. The big boom came in 1930's when the states and cities were unable to cope with the needs for work projects and other relief for the unemployed. The peak came in 1939, when \$2,908,999,000 was spent in federal grants.

Since 1946 they have been rising again: \$1,622,068,238 in 1948; \$1,941,784,566 estimated for 1949; and \$2,458,202,454 in 1950 if the President's proposed new legislation is approved. This would not include \$100,000,000 in contract authorizations for the new housing program which the President recommended as another grant measure.

The general idea behind grants is that the federal government should pay part of the bill to enable the states to conduct certain programs in the interest of the nation as a whole. The states themselves administer the grants. The program chiefly concern health, education and social welfare. Grants are supposed to do two things:

1. Stimulate the states to conduct programs they might not undertake if they had to depend entirely on their own funds. The

federal government dangles large sums of money in front of them. It is theirs to use if they can match it, usually putting up from about 25 to 50 percent of the total sum to be spent.

2. Equalize the burden among the rich and poor states.

But that's where the critics begin to differ with the advocates of grants. There is very little equalization of the burden, they claim, and some experts in the Federal Bureau of the Budget agree with them.

In fact, say the critics grants discriminate against the poor states. To get the big hunks of federal money they obligate themselves to put up matching funds which leave holes in their small treasuries. To engage in the federal program they have to neglect some local programs which might be more important to them.

The federal government, moreover, must necessarily establish certain minimum standards for the programs it helps to finance, and this means a measure of control over local administration. Representatives of the Council of State Governments feel that the whole program tends to violate the well accepted political principle that the unit of government which spends money should be responsible for collecting it.

Neither the Council nor the

**Veterans' News**

The next few years will see an increase demand for college graduates in the fields of medicine, psychology, kindergarten and elementary school teaching and certain phases of electricity.

At the same time, competition will grow keener for positions in the fields of engineering, chemistry, pharmacy, law and personnel relations.

These conclusions were contained in a study prepared for the Veterans Administration by the Occupational Outlook Service, Bureau of Labor Statistics, U. S. Department of Labor.

The study is being used by VA advisement and guidance officers as an aid in counseling disabled veterans planning to take educational and training courses.

Veterans enrolled under the GI Bill in on-the-job training courses or in schools below the college level who desire leave of absence, should apply for it at their training establishment or school, and not at the Veterans Administration.

In the past, these veterans were required to make application at the appropriate VA regional office. Now, they must obtain approval from their employer-trainer or school official before going on leave.

Advance leave is provided only in cases of emergency.

Leave is accrued at the rate of two and one-half days a month throughout training—including that time during which the veteran is on approved leave of absence. However, it may not be accrued beyond 30 days.

Veterans training on-the-job or in below-college-level courses under Public law 16 (for the disabled) must continue to apply for leave at VA.

Miss Mary Ballard spent Sunday in Littlefield visiting her aunt, Mrs. N. T. Dalton.

Governments, however, want the grants program abandoned. They only want it minimized. And they want the federal government to withdraw from tax collections in certain fields where states can step in and raise money to conduct their own social welfare programs. But federal experts, and even Council representatives, admit that this probably would not be the answer. Localities hate to tax their own people, and states try to keep their taxes down because of interstate competition—the effort to provide tax havens for wealthy corporations and individuals.

The programs now financed by grants-in-aid might lag or be abandoned. And even if states and localities impose taxes as heavy as their people can afford, the poor states will end up with revenue which is inadequate for such programs as those now in effect. None of the critics seem seriously to expect any development except a gradually expanded program of grants-in-aid.

**STRICTLY FRESH**

THE blank look on a taxpayer's face these days probably means that he has just filled out the one for his income tax.

A prominent senator announces that he is already in the race for re-election in 1950. This should set some sort of record for endurance running.

Marauding wolf packs are invading populated areas of Alberta, Canada. This item was read to a lovely young teenager, and she exclaimed: "And that's news?"

Atomic energy official says we will have to learn to live with the atom. What a nerve-shattering thought!

Members of the masonry and cement industry have just ended their annual convention. It can be assumed that the gentlemen got something concrete out of it.

**Veterans Hospital Gets Investigation**

We don't know one single thing about the fracas which is going on at the Veterans Hospital in Amarillo. It is charged that one or more of the brass up there refused entrance to the hospital of a young ex-marine who died in three days after he was refused admission. Several groups are trying to investigate and get to the bottom of the deal.

We wish them success. But we call your attention to the fact that if the charges are true that you have an example of socialized medicine right in our midst.

If the charges are true you have the opportunity of seeing socialized medicine at its worst, and a form of practice that will be in general vogue throughout the nation if Congressional leaders get their way.

We do know of another ex-service man who has tried for several years to get medical assistance in that hospital. He was wounded in France and spent several months in the hospital in 1918.

Can he get the attention of the brass hats at the Veterans Hospital? No, indeed. Yet veterans of Randall county are going there for treatment almost at will, and are being treated for all kinds of ailments, whether the direct result of the war or not.

If the government wants socialized medicine, it is doing a mighty poor job of convincing the people of this section that treatment of ex-service men at the Amarillo Hospital is such an attractive means.—Canyon News

Read And Use Herald Want Ads

**Cancer Control Chairman**



Karl Hohlitzelle (above) of Dallas has been selected state campaign chairman of the American Cancer Society, Texas Division, for its annual cancer control month in April.

Dolan Lewis of Wellington is visiting this week with relatives here. Mrs. Maurine Newson of Midland was a business visitor in Brownfield Monday.

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## Soil Conservation News

By Riley Carlton  
"Save the Soil and Save Texas" is the slogan of a statewide Soil Conservation Contest which is held annually in Texas. Total cash awards in the contest amount to \$6000. Some of the divisions under this contest are: farmer, or ranch a Soil Conservation District, essay for students in public schools. Also a community Chamber of Commerce and local weekly newspapers, which had the best editorial in support of the soil conservation district program.

A. B. Carpenter, Lamesa, Texas, made Application for Soil Conservation Planning on 1920 acres through the District. This work is to be done on three of his farms in Yoakum County.

J. M. Welborn, Lubbock, Texas contacted the C. Y. T. District Office this past week and requested conservation planning on Sec. 97, Block D-11. The proposed practices will be either terraces or a complete contour system and using crops according to good land usage.

We take care of the things we love, but as a nation we have not learned to love the one thing that takes care of us—the land!

J. H. Mackey, Rt. 1, Meadow, Texas who operates three separate farms here in the District made applications this past week for assistance under the C. Y. T. District Program for a planned coordinated conservation plan on each farm.

Soil and water conservation problems of Texas and the other Southwestern States will receive special attention during the annual convention of the National Association of Soil Conservation Districts in Denver, Colorado, Feb. 15 to 17 according to Jay Barret, Chairman of the Cochran-Yoakum-Terry Soil Conservation District. Mr. Barret said, "One full day of the National Convention, Feb. 16, will be given over to a train trip into the Rockies in order that delegates from all sections of the country may see the conservation needs of the West. This special train will take the delegates from Denver to the Winter Park area beyond the west portal of the famous Moffat tunnel."

Soil and water conservation, grazing land and watershed management, forestry practices, and the Colorado Big Thompson Reclamation Project all will be discussed informally by the delegates and representatives of Federal agencies in charge of these programs.

Mr. Barret further stated that the three-day session of the National Association will be preceded by the one-day meeting of the Colorado Association of Soil Conservation Districts on Feb. 14th. Mr. Kent Leavitt of Millbrook, N. Y., President of the National Association, will open the session on February 15th. Mayor Quigg Newton, Denver, will welcome the delegates after which reports will be heard from all state district associations represented. Women guests of the convention will hold a luncheon on February 15th. Robert Wilson, Vice-President, of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co. and an ardent soil conservationist, will be a dinner speaker.

Following the all-day tour in

the Rockies on Feb. 16, Palmer Hoyt, Editor and Publisher of the Denver Post, will stress the need for world wide conservation on Feb. 17. President Leavitt will discuss National Association affairs at the concluding banquet. Walter A. Green, President of the Colorado Association, is making plans for more than 500 delegates from 2,000 locally governed Soil Conservation Districts.

Texas Topsoil Magazine, the official organ of the Association of Texas Soil Conservation District Supervisors in its February number had this to say about the proposed Soil Conservation District Aid Bill which was recently introduced in the Texas Legislature, "All of us are keeping this important legislation in mind. It grants \$5,000,000. each of the next two years to help the Districts get the job done. This job is stopping the annual loss of 796,748,000 tons of irreplaceable topsoil. Keep contacting your State Senators and Representatives."

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## No More Two Year Enlistments In Army

The Army has recently announced two additional steps designed to keep the enlisted strength of the service within the limits anticipated for the Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 1949. The overall army strength of 677,000 contemplated for that date includes approximately 605,600 enlisted men, according to information reaching Sgts. Carnes and Dobbins, Commanding Officer of the U. S. Army and U. S. Air Force Recruiting Station at Courthouse, Brownfield.

Effective February 1st, the following restrictions will be placed on the enlistment of men without prior service: Priorities for acceptance will be established; based on combined intelligence ratings and physical standards.

The number of recruits needed to maintain the Army at its authorized strength will be determined periodically; and recruit vacancies will be allotted to each of the six continental armies.

"The Army has already announced cessation of enlistments for two year periods," said Carnes. "Men seeking enlistment are being taken for three, four, five, or six year terms."

The new rulings do not affect men with prior military service. The Army considers a man with less than 90 days time in civil life since his last enlistment, to be a re-enlistee, while those with more than 90 days out of uniform are considered to be prior service enlistees from civil life.

Army personnel officials believe that limitation of enlistments on the basis of mental and physical qualifications will result in eventual economies.

### SANTA FE CARLOADING

Santa Fe system carloadings for week ending Jan. 29, 1949 were 19,355 compared with 23,447 for same week in 1948. Cars received from connections totaled 9,662 compared with 10,417 for same week in 1948. Total cars moved were 29,017 compared with 33,864 for same week in 1948. Santa Fe handled a total of 31,754 cars in preceding week of this year.

### Rail Shipments Of Poultry And Eggs

AUSTIN, Texas Feb. 8—Rail shipments of turkeys from Texas stations totaled 123 carloads in December, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

This compares with 136 carloads in November 1948 and 247 in December 1947.

Egg shipments totaled 78 carloads in December, 63 in November and 24 in November 1947.

Eggs received by rail at Texas station totaled 28 carloads in Dec. 39 in Nev., and 46 in Dec. 1947.

### Read And Use Herald Want Ads

inquiry on the best method to seed grass for permanent pasture this spring. Conditions now appear favorable for planning grass acreage this spring. The District Conservation Office stands ready to assist you at anytime.

Blue Panic grass, from all reports, is an ideal grass to be planted in late spring for permanent pasture. Seed in rows just like an ordinary sudan and cultivate about three times during the growing season in order to keep down any weed growth.

## G I QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q Who chooses the institution or establishment in which a veteran trains?

A For vocational rehabilitation under Public Law 16, VA selects the facility with concurrence of the trainee. Under Public Law 346 (GI Bill), the veteran chooses the training institution, but may have the guidance of VA if he desires it.

Q Will Veterans Administration accept collect telephone calls from physicians who wish to ascertain whether they will be paid for emergency treatments given veterans?

A Yes. Q Does my converted policies have cash surrender values, paid-up insurance and automatic extended term insurance values, together with policy loan provisions, effective after the policy has been in force one full year.

Q Is VA pension, compensation, or retirement pay deducted during hospitalization for veterans who have dependents?

A It is not, provided the necessary proof of relationship has been established. Veterans should make certain that such proof is established promptly. Any additional allowance or increased compensation for aid and attendance, however, will be discontinued upon hospitalization.

### Livestock Shipments Drop In Texas

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 8—December shipments of livestock in Texas fell 40 per cent from Nov. to 4,703 carloads, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

Shipments of hogs stepped up 8 per cent from Oct., but shipments of cattle, calves, and sheep slid 45,43, and 41 per cent, respectively.

In comparison with Dec. 1947, livestock shipments were down 16 per cent. Sheep shipments were up 29 per cent, but the movement of cattle decreased 22 per cent; calves, 13 per cent; and hogs, 7 per cent.

Interstate shipments plus Fort Worth slid 35 per cent from Nov. and 13 per cent from Dec. 1947.

India's untouchable classification is believed to have developed after the Aryan invasion of the northwest more than 3,000 years ago.

### Meadow Resident Dies

Funeral services were held Feb. 3 at the Methodist Church in Meadow, for Mrs. N. L. Kiker, 80 year old Meadow resident. Mrs. Kiker died at 8:40 p. m. Feb. 1 in a Lubbock hospital. Rev. T. E. Rutledge of Wolforth officiated at the services.

Following the funeral the body was carried overland by the Brownfield Funeral Home in Jacksboro, Texas, where funeral services were held at 2 o'clock at the Methodist Church. Internment will follow in the cemetery there beside her husband who died Sept. 13, 1948.

Mrs. Kiker who died after an illness of several weeks, had been a resident of Terry County since 1930.

She is survived by two sons, O. A. of Wellington, Texas, and M. M. of Frederick, Okla.; two daughters, Mrs. W. H. Marrow, of Shallowater, and Mrs. J. E. Hall, of Meadow; five sisters, Mrs. Dan Files, Mobeetie, Texas, Mrs. Bella Meadowbrook, Jackboro, Mrs. Eunice Ross, Fort Worth, Mrs. Mae Shields, Jackboro; three brothers, Emory Weir, Tulsa, Okla. and Willie and Ewing Weir both of Jackboro, and six grandchildren.

A rich vein of uranium-bearing pitchblende has recently been reported on the eastern slope of the Rockies in Colorado.

### Prodigal Swan



An errant swan, found wandering a mile from its home at Wapato Park, Tacoma, Wash., rests contentedly on an office safe at the Tacoma dog pound. In spite of the time spent on the money box, the swan produced no golden eggs, and was returned to its home at the zoo.

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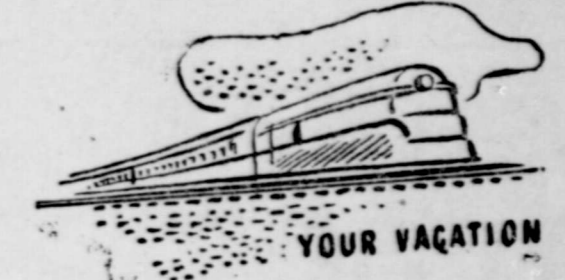
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PLAINS NEWS

Mrs. V. L. Wheeler and Betty Sue of Odessa visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Morris Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Shelton, Mrs. Ethel Tucker, and Mrs. Elmer Bish visited Mrs. Shelton's sister Mrs. Floyd Ledbetter in Midland Sunday.

New Clothing System For Enlisted Men

Sgt. Carnes and Dobbins, in charge of the U. S. Army and U. S. Air Force Recruiting Service at courthouse, Brownfield, revealed today that a new clothing credit system for enlisted personnel of both the Army and Air Force, will go into effect on 1 July 1949.

"The plan is expected to call for a sum of money to be placed to the credit of each enlisted person at the beginning of each three months period," said Sgt. Carnes.

Eventually, it is said, this system will be replaced by one whereby enlisted personnel will be given a cash allowance to buy their own clothing.

The three services are now working out the details necessary to the changeover. The credit system is being adopted as an interim measure so savings may be realized as soon as possible.

The Low Down From Hickory Grove

Well folks, she looks like things are getting better—maybe. Better than what, says Henry, answer me that.

Ticklers

By George



"What's the chances of getting a job, Mister. . . All my life I've wanted to work around horses."

Robert S. Calvert To Fill Office

Robert S. Calvert, recently appointed by Governor Beauford H. Jester to fill out the unexpired term of the late George H. Sheppard as State Comptroller, has just about the most important job in Texas' government.

As State Comptroller, it is Calvert's duty to supervise the collection of several hundred million dollars per year in taxes. He acts as the state's bookkeeper, and writes several million state checks every year in paying the debts of the state which amount to over four hundred million dollars per year.

Calvert knows his job—having been in the Comptroller's office for eighteen years as financial statistician from 1940 to 1944 and chief clerk until his elevation to his present position.

Governor Jester paid tribute to both George H. Sheppard and Calvert when he issued the following statement when he announced the appointment:

"I feel I can pay no higher tribute to the late loved George H. Sheppard than to name as his successor his long time friend, trusted assistant and highly capable chief clerk, Bob Calvert.

"The office of Comptroller is one of the most important in our State government. Here we must



UNDER A PATTERN OF WHITE sight of a blanket of snow on the was the first in Houston since —A small part of Houston, Texas, city's Eam Houston Park. The skyline towers over the unfamiliar snow which fell Jan. 30 and 31 1940. (AP Wirephoto).

TEST YOUR I. Q.

- 1. Who used the pseudonym "Boz"?
2. In what kind of climate does the ebony tree grow?
3. Is there any word significant to the radio distress signal SOS?
4. Into what body of water does the Rhine River empty?
5. What is Martha's Vineyard?

- 1. Charles Dickens.
2. Tropical.
3. No. It is simply three dots.
4. The North Sea.
5. An island off the Massachusetts coast.

TEST YOUR I. Q. ANSWERS TO



FRIGID FRUIT AND BATHING SUIT—Two-foot bicycles hang from this grapefruit tree in the yard of John E. Petty of Weslaco, Tex. where a hard freeze did unestimated damage to the citrus crop

Mr. Calvert's own distinguished record of faithful public service bears out this judgment." Robert S. Calvert was born in McLennan County April 27, 1892. He was educated in the public schools of Brownwood and Howard Payne College.

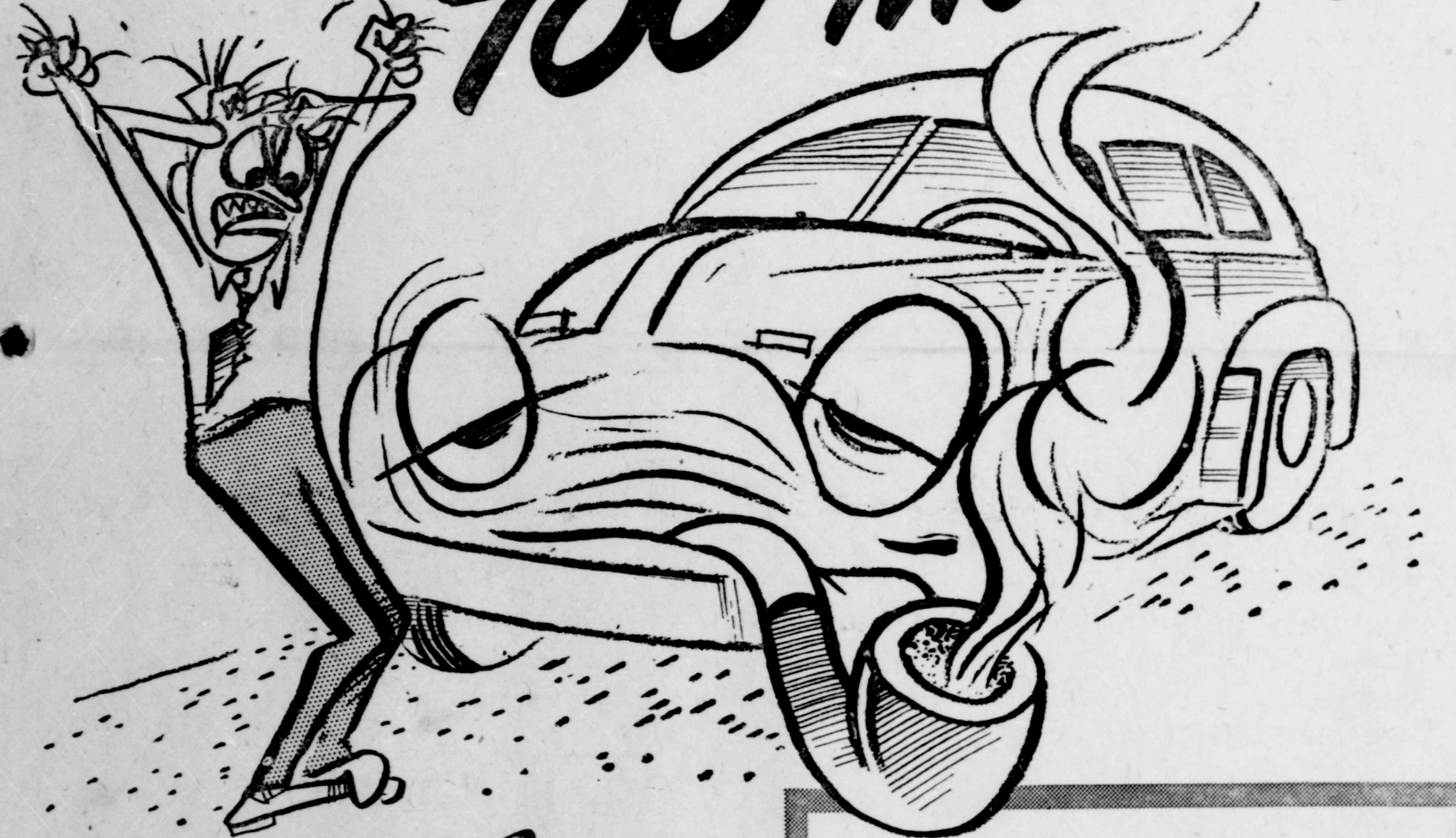
The new Comptroller is active in church, fraternal and civic affairs—being chairman of the Board of Deacons of the Central Christian Church of Austin; a member of the Masonic Lodge, Scottish Rite, Shrine; American Legion and Lions Club.

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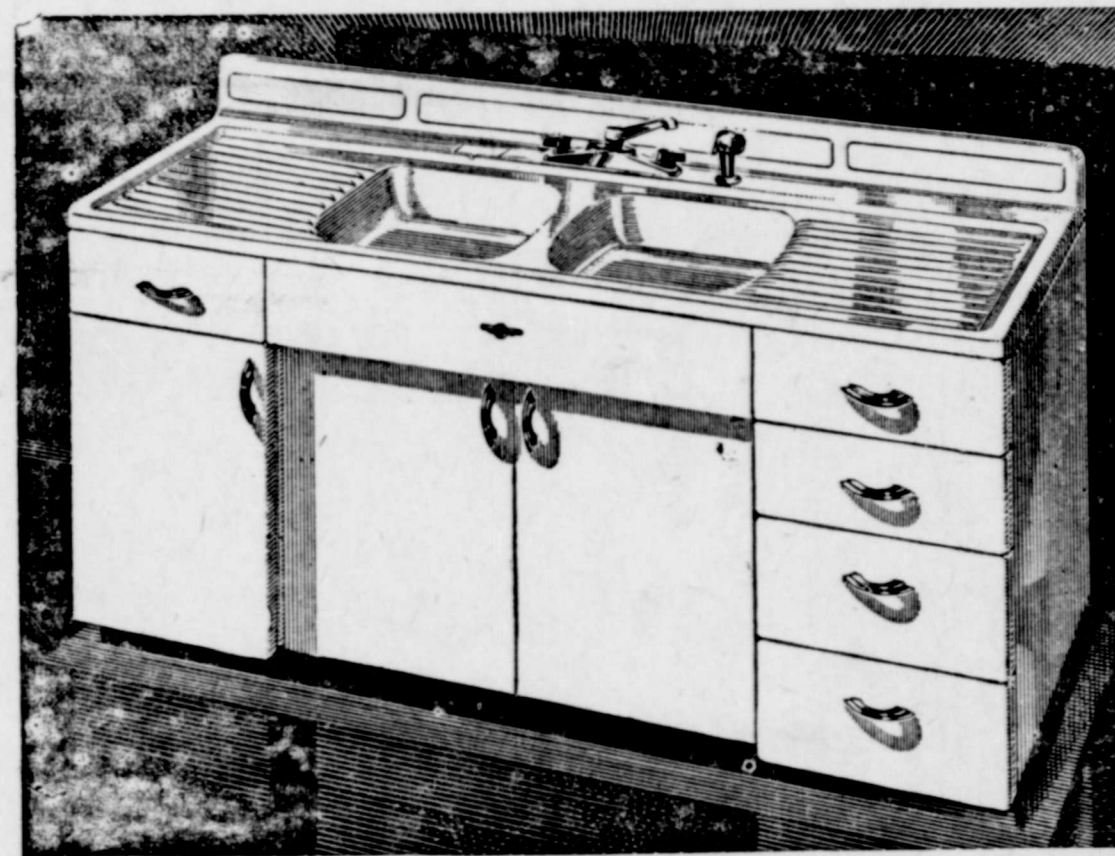
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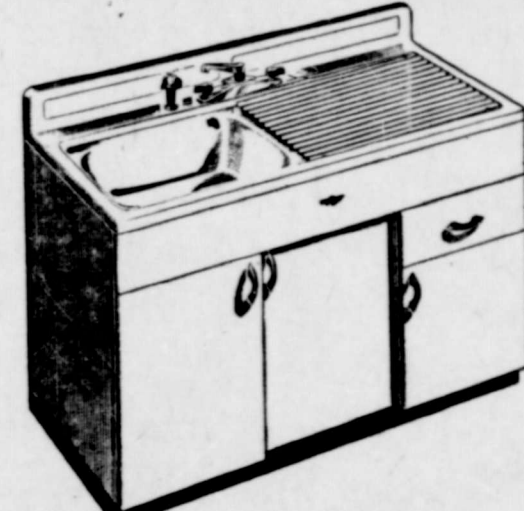
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FOR SALE: 1939 model F 20 Farmall with 4 row planter & cultivator and foot brakes. See Max Entekin 7 miles west and one south of Roperville. 30p

Gerald L. Schantz, Social Security Administration Representative, will be in Brownfield at the U. S. Post Office at 9:00 a. m. on Thursday February 17, 1949, for the purpose of answering questions you may have on social security; discussing possible benefit and taking claims from persons who seem to be entitled to bene-

FOR SALE: F-20 or F-30 Farmall tractor with rental of one section of land five miles southeast of Wellman. See S. R. Loe. 30p

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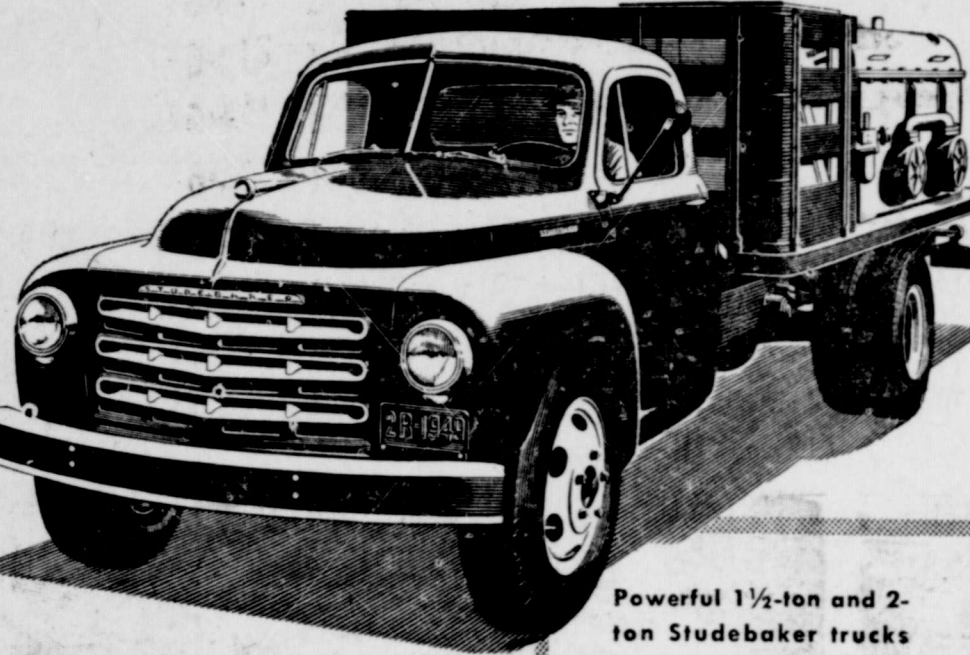
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A. The air space in the blocks is supposed to furnish some insulation. If you want more, better lay some wooden planks in the joints and nail insulating board to the inside wall. In storages, they glue cork board to the wall with hot asphalt, but that is too expensive for a hen house.
Q. Could you tell me why our salt pork does not keep well? We put lots of salt on it and keep it in the cellar. A scum forms on it, which we have to wash off and change the brine. The meat isn't spoiled, but it doesn't taste just right. Our hogs are milk fed and large. Why do we have this trouble every year?
A. I suspect you fail to sterilize the crocks and boil the water or else some bacteria get into the brine. Keep crocks covered with paper.
Q. I have fifty New Hampshire Red pullets that hatched last April 7, and started to lay at 5 1/2 months. Have been getting about 3 1/2 dozen eggs a day, then dropped to two dozen, and have about twelve pullets that want to set. They have mosh in front of them all the time and get scratch twice a day, plenty of water. The coop has lights in it. Just what causes the broodiness at this time of the year?
A. Broodiness (or that morbidly instinct) is inherited. Some breeds and some strains within a breed inherit more than others. To dis-

LOCAL MAN OFFERS PRIZE IN ESSAY CONTEST Mr. Graham Smith, local insurance agent, is offering a \$50.00 wrist watch to the high school student in Terry county who writes the best essay on "The True Purpose of Life Insurance". The contest will be judged by members of the home office staff of the Southwestern Life Insurance Co. in Dallas. Students wishing to enter should contact Mrs. J. D. Miller for further details.

STRICKLINLY SPEAKING

Serious—Sincere—Silly Well, here we go this week to see how much foolishness we can squeeze out of the atmosphere, to jam in this journal. When you read it, sift the chaff from the grain, and we'll bet you won't have too much grain.

About the first thing we want to observe in this column this week is there's no good place to have rheumatism. Take the old guy that was usually bothered with boils. Finally one came on top of his head. "Just the Place," sez he, until he crawled into a low corner door and whamed his boil against the top door jamb.

Well, if any of you have decided that the feet are the best place for rheumatism, better reconsider. When both of your feet feel like some mean guy with a 2x4 scantling had bashed you across your feet you might change your mind.

Last week we read a quotation from an African born negro. He had been a trusted staff member of President Haile Selassie in Ethiopia. He had lived for some time in England, and last but not least in the USA both north and south.

He is a fairly well educated man, and has reached the conclusion the negro has the best opportunities in the south than any place in the world and has decided that Mississippi, the most maligned of southern states, is the one he will settle in for life. What a travesty on the negro "sympathizers" who have never been south to see about how conditions really are.

Yep, west Texas weather has really returned again. We knew it would by being so long about it. High wind from the west-southwest is the old style west Texas. But thanks for the moisture.

After a fellow has lived to be almost three score and seven, he is naturally of a quiet disposition. He has a lot to be quiet about.

To most of us old timers a wet January gives us a 50 percent better shot toward a 1949 crop. No one will bet on the weather in west Texas unless a newcomer or the other fellow, but us other fellows will "low as how."

Then there are those whose opinion seems to be an heirloom; been in the family for generations.

Just because a driver is coming out of the brush on a road to the highway is no sign that he will stop when he gets to the juncture. So, you'd better begin to slow yourself.

Another driver that gets our goat is the smart guy in a fast new car that slashes up to the stop sign at 70 miles per hour. You slam on your brakes even if you have the right-of-way, and about that time the smart fellow stops his car on a dime.

We agree that most women throw themselves away. However, a majority take careful aim before throwing. With two new bloods working for the Herald this week, it ap-

pears that things are humming, and we hope no short circuit appears.

Most of us feel a bit dizzy at times, but generally the feeling is not from doing too many turns.

This paper never in its forty odd years has got the habit of self boqueting. We just let the people judge.

No such thing as an idle rumor—they're always busy.

Most of the people in Brownfield and vicinity pay their accounts promptly. Then there are some like us.

Do not satisfy yourself with the tricks of the trade. Why not actually learn the trade?

When we as a nation get so indolent as to turn everything over to the government, you can just kiss liberty goodbye.

One of our subscribers that had layed out on us a year or so, or perhaps had been reading another paper, recently came back for more of the Herald. This was Cacy Day of Slaton, and Cacy is a real old timer by every measuring rod. He came with his family to Crosby county when just a child. He owns some land in Terry county. Cacy says the Herald suits him fine.

Then there is that fellow J. E. Michie over at McAlester, Okla., who though has been away from Terry for many years, still likes the crap we write about. So, he sends in his renewal for another year, and tells us he has moved—from one street to another. Yep, it has really been cold here this winter, J. E., but 10 above is the lowest point so far, while way down toward old Santone, it got 7 below zero, and even Amarillo boasted a warmer temperature than much of central and south Texas.

FRANK PHILLIPS JUNIOR COLLEGE BUS GOES THROUGH BROWNFIELD ENROUTE TO ODESSA

A bus load of Frank Phillips Junior College basketball players went through Brownfield Monday enroute to Odessa, where they will play Odessa Junior College Monday night. Tuesday night they will meet the Howard County Junior College in Big Springs.

Ten men including the regular team and substitutes are making the trip. They will return Wednesday.

The blue orqugal whale is probably the largest animal that ever lived, with whalers reporting specimens over 100 feet long.

World Peace Died 25 Years Ago

Woodrow Wilson died 25 years ago this week. His heart was broken, when he realized that America had turned to isolationism and would not support his plea for a League of Nations. Since Wilson's death another great war has been fought. Amer-

ica is head over heels in debt. A third world war is said to be in the making. Those who should have learned that war does not pay are slowly strangling the United Nations out of existence. What fools we be; what might have been saved for humanity had the world listened to Woodrow Wilson 27 years ago.—Canyon News

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HORIZONTAL 1,6 Pictured film star of silent days, Ruth
12 Choice part
13 Song bird
14 Age
15 Livonian river
16 God of lower world
17 Mimic
18 Atmosphere
19 Most honest
21 Negative vote
22 Chlorine (symbol)
23 Us
24 Therefore
26 Biblical pronoun
27 Jumbled type
28 Calcium (symbol)
30 Half an era
31 Erbium (symbol)
33 Musical note
34 Alternating current (abbr.)
35 Provided
38 Senior (abbr.)
40 Any
41 Twice (prefix)
42 Mouth part
44 On board
48 Sun
49 Constellation
50 By way of
51 Mythological maiden
52 Provide with weapons

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