

VILLAGE



GOSSIP (More or Less)

No Cub Scout pack meeting will be held tonight, January 22, it was announced this week...

Fun Nite for teen-agers will be held Friday night after the ball games, sponsors announced this week...

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Rogers of Bishop, Calif., stopped in McLean Monday for a visit with friends...

Rev. J. Edwin Kerr, newly installed pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in McLean, was guest speaker at the regular meeting of the McLean Lions Club Tuesday noon...

Jack Humphreys of McLean suffered lacerations on his face when the car he was driving overturned Friday night about three and one-half miles north of McLean...

Latest contribution to the truck fund of the McLean Fire Department came recently from James Noel, who donated \$20 to the fund...

Mrs. Alice Short Smith of McLean was in Washington for the inauguration of President Eisenhower. She flew from Corpus Christi with her sister and brother-in-law...

REVEILLE



Charles W. Bailey, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey of McLean, is completing his AF basic airman indoctrination course at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio...

P-TA Moms, Pops To Seek Victories On Court Tonight

People who enjoy fun were reminded that tonight is the date of the two basketball games sponsored by the Parent-Teacher Association in McLean...

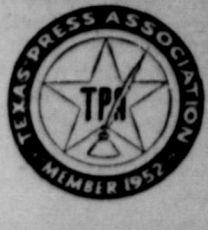
LOCAL AND HOME NEWS

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DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER

South Lane of 66 Not Opened Yet; Awaiting Signs

Opening of the south lane of Highway 66 through the city limits of McLean has been delayed until the proper highway signs are made...

Plans are to open the second lane of the divided highway from the west edge of McLean east to the Wheeler County line...

Father of Local Resident Killed

W. L. (Bill) Orrick of Shamrock, father of George Orrick of McLean, suffered fatal injuries last Thursday morning when he fell from the roof of the North Ward school building in Shamrock...

Orrick died shortly after being admitted to the Shamrock General Hospital.

The elderly man had been custodian of the school for a number of years. He had gone to the roof of the building to repair a bell, and apparently lost his footing in the high winds which prevailed that morning.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon in Shamrock. Survivors include his wife; one daughter, Mrs. Bill Hood of White Deer; and three sons, George of McLean, Jim of Stuttgart, Ark., and Bob of Shamrock.

Lieutenant Andrew Summers Rowan is the man who carried the famed Message to Garcia, the Cuban revolutionist, during the Spanish-American War.

Boys Win Canadian Tourney

Before the final game in the annual Canadian basketball tournament last week-end, fans were lamenting the idea that the Samnorwood boys would have little opposition from the opponents, the McLean Tigers.

But when the score was posted at the end of the game, the Tigers were the champions of the tournament, winning from the Norwood boys by a decisive score of 46-41.

Prior to the boys' game, the McLean girls lost to the Samnorwood Eaglettes by a two-point margin, 35-33. It was a disappointing loss to the Tigerettes, who were playing without Benita Bailey, sidelined with an injury she suffered in the opening game of the Tigerettes Friday.

But the McLean boys were the big surprise. The young, but eager players downed Lefors in their opener by a score of 50-43.

New Auto Tags Arrive, on Sale On February 1

New auto, truck, and other vehicle license tags for 1953 have arrived in Gray County, but will not be placed on sale until February 1.

The colors have again been reversed, but the same old shades will be the vogue again. This year, the black letters will be used on the yellow background—just opposite from the 1952 license tags.

Plates for nine different types of vehicles have been delivered. They are for passenger cars, trucks, trailers, motorcycles, farm trucks, dealers' cars, farm truck-tractors, truck-tractors, and house trailers.

Gray County tags will feature three different sets of pre-figures letters. They are AR, AS, and AT. The AR's range from 9100 to 9999; the AS's from 10 to 9999; and the AT's from 10 to 9999.

The largest number of tags go for passenger cars, with 18,980 expected to be sold in Gray County for that purpose.

Blaylock Dies In New Mexico

Lafayette McDuffey (Fate) Blaylock, former resident of McLean, died in Farmington, N. M., early Tuesday morning following a heart attack. He was 61 years of age.

The body was returned to McLean Tuesday for funeral services, which were pending Wednesday morning. Claborn Funeral Home will be in charge of arrangements.

Blaylock was well known in McLean, and moved from here two or three years ago. He had served as a garage mechanic here for a number of years.

Number of Flu Cases in Area Show Decline

The number of cases of influenza in the McLean area was rapidly on the decrease this week, according to reports from Dr. J. H. Kritzer, city health officer, and School Superintendent Paul L. Kennedy.

Dr. Kritzer estimated the number of people suffering early this week each day at about 125. This is in comparison to the 200 estimate he made last week. All of the cases, as was also true last week, are not bedfast.

The decline in absentees from schools in McLean was about on the same percentage, Kennedy stated. Only 29 were absent this Tuesday, in comparison to the 66 who were absent just one week before.

"We think the peak in school absentees came last week," the superintendent said. The average in absentees last week was 63 daily. The previous week, the average was 42 per day. Attendance this week is showing a heavy increase, with 25 missing from the elementary school and four from the high school Tuesday.

One day last week, Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer, estimated the total number of cases of flu in Texas was 400,000. Thirty or forty schools in the state were forced to close. The near-epidemic stage reached Pampa, and for a few days doctors there were considering asking the schools, theaters, and churches to close.

BIRTHDAYS

Jan. 25—Kenny Smith, Jennie Ray Smith, Mrs. H. L. Chase.

Jan. 26—Mattie Wheeler, Mrs. Joe Gibson.

Jan. 27—Mrs. J. L. Andrews, Mrs. E. H. Kramer, Mrs. J. W. Burrows, Mrs. J. C. McClellan, W. E. Green, Michal Anita Caruth, Mrs. Johnny Taylor, Mrs. Grady Darnell, Mrs. Clarice Medley, Mrs. C. R. Gray, Mrs. R. B. Sheddick.

Jan. 28—J. A. Sparks, Bonnie Darnell, Mrs. T. A. Landers, H. W. Brooks.

Jan. 29—Don Tindall, T. A. Landers, Mrs. Leon Waldrop, Dora Mae Bailey, Pete Fulbright, Dennis Lee Goodman.

Jan. 30—Hal Lounce, Worth Miller, Mrs. D. L. Hall.

Jan. 31—Mrs. N. A. Greer, Patricia Evelyn McIlroy, Troy Don Sublett.

Little Damage Done by Fires

Local firemen answered two calls over the week-end, but little damage was done by either fire.

First of the calls was to the home of Harry Harlan in McLean last Friday morning, when a rabbit hutch caught fire. The blaze was started when a tarp became ignited as Harlan was feeding the rabbits. The fire was extinguished after little damage.

The second call was to a grass fire near Alaneed Monday night. The fire, along the Rock Island right-of-way about one mile west of Alaneed, was on the W. J. Lewis Ranch. However, it was put out before any damage had been done.

Sherry Grogan Hurt in Wreck

Sherry Grogan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Grogan south of McLean, and Jimmie Scott of Wellington were injured in an automobile accident Friday night at about 7:30 o'clock, when the late-model car they were riding in overturned south of Lela.

The young couple was en route to Shamrock to attend a theater. The cause of the accident had not been determined Saturday, since neither was able to give a statement.

Sherry suffered a fractured left knee, slight concussion, bruises, and shock. Scott had a severe head laceration, bruises, and cuts, and was also suffering from shock.

Both were taken to the Shamrock General Hospital for treatment.

Street Solicitations, Cage Game, Mothers' March for Dimes Drive

Alanreed Plans Activities for March Dimes

Plans are underway in Alaneed to sponsor several activities in behalf of the March of Dimes for the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, Mrs. Bonnie Darnell, Alaneed chairman, has announced.

Highlighting the activities will be a full evening's program Monday night, January 26. The affair will be held in the high school gym at Alaneed at 7:30 o'clock.

Featured will be a Negro minstrel, with a cast of both adults and children. Admission will be 10c, 25c, and 35c. Mrs. Darnell stated, "We invite everyone to come out and hear his favorite quartet," she added.

A pie and box supper is also being planned, it was explained. All proceeds will go to the March of Dimes.

Ministers of the various churches in the community will aid by speaking in behalf of the March of Dimes before their respective congregations.

"The Alaneed committee," Mrs. Darnell said, "plans to give the community lots of fun and laughs, and at the same time contribute to this very worthy cause, fighting infantile paralysis, during this March of Dimes campaign."

Top o' Texas Show and Sale February 15-17

The Top o' Texas Hereford Breeders ninth annual show and sale, to be held in Pampa February 15-17, is expected to produce an all-time high in quality of cattle consigned.

A total of 60 head of choice cattle from outstanding herds in the top o' Texas area have been consigned to the sale. Judging and placing of the sale order will be conducted Tuesday morning, February 17, by H. A. Fitzhugh of the Straus Medina Hereford Ranch, San Antonio, and the sale will begin at 12:30 o'clock on the afternoon of the 17th with Col. Walter Britten of College Station serving as auctioneer.

The annual banquet of the Top o' Texas Association will be held on Monday night, February 16, prior to the show and sale the next day, at the American Legion Hall in Pampa, and will feature an address by D. D. Monroe, outstanding humorist of Clayton, N. M. Other entertainment features are being arranged by the program committee. The customary ranch-style dinner, consisting of barbecue beef and spare ribs, will be on the menu for the 300 cattlemen and their guests expected for the banquet.

Catalogs for the sale are expected to be off the press by February 1, and anyone desiring an advance catalog may write to the Top o' Texas Hereford Breeder Association, Box 1942, Pampa.

County Polio Fund To Benefit From Monday's Game

The McLean Jaycees basketball team, headed by Jaycee President Sammy Haynes, will meet the winner of the civic club tournament being held this week in Pampa, in the Municipal Building in McLean Monday night at about 8 o'clock.

All proceeds from the game will go to the March of Dimes. Should the McLean team win, the proceeds will be credited to the McLean drive, Larry Fuller, local chairman, said. If the Pampa team wins, then that city will get credit for the take, although in either event the money will go to the Gray County chapter's drive.

The Globe Walkers of the Pampa tourney are rated as favorites, and a good local team of Jaycees will be out to defeat the Pampa winner. It will be a lively game, and is expected to attract a large crowd.

Death Comes To Mrs. James At Age of 98

Mrs. Jeanette James, probably the oldest resident in this area, died Tuesday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. G. P. Folley, south of McLean. She was 98 years of age.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the McLean Methodist Church, with Rev. C. W. Parmenter officiating. Burial was in Hillcrest Cemetery in McLean under the direction of the Claborn Funeral Home.

Mrs. James had been making her home with Mrs. Folley for the past 28 years. Her husband, B. T. James, preceded her in death in 1913. He was a pioneer Methodist minister. Mrs. James was born October 9, 1854.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Folley of McLean, Mrs. Alice Fitzgerald and Mrs. Melvina Lynn of Oklahoma City; and four sons, Alfred James and Ed James of Quitaque, Arthur James of Chico, and Bishop James of Los Angeles, Calif.

John Deere Day On Wednesday

The annual John Deere Day, featuring free entertainment for everyone, will be held Wednesday, January 28, Joe B. Taylor of the McLean Implement company announced this week.

Highlight of the program will be the free movie at the Avalon Theater, beginning at 1:15 o'clock in the afternoon, Taylor said. The entertainment movie will feature Buster Keaton in "Paradise." In addition, a film entitled "Tom Gordon Goes Modern," will be shown, and several other educational and interesting pictures are planned.

Unwelcome Visitors Get Loot From Roth Home Near McLean

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roth, east of McLean on Highway 66, was practically "stripped" by burglars who entered the house some time between 1 and 7:30 o'clock last Friday afternoon and evening.

The loss amounted to several hundred dollars worth of clothing, household merchandise, and food. Included in the loot were the bed covers taken from beds in the home, clothes, a radio, 22 rifle, groceries, and dishes.

One cake and two pies, which Mrs. Roth had prepared for the Liberty Home Demonstration bake sale last Saturday—proceeds from which were to go to the March of Dimes—were taken by the looters. The visitors even took time to eat part of the cake before moving on.

Deputy Sheriff Jimmy Shelton stated that apparently someone also broke into the state highway department's warehouse just south of the Rock Island tracks last week-end, also. However, nothing has been missed from the warehouse except a water can, Shelton said. The hasp on the door of the small structure was broken to gain entry to the warehouse.

Shelton said that two men have been arrested in Las Vegas, N. M., and they are suspected of having something to do with the Roth burglary. The pair, caught there with quite a large amount of goods in their car, told officers they had burglarized several places while going through Texas. The New Mexico officers checked with Texas officials and found that the burglaries had occurred here as well as in Pampa and several other localities.

10-Cent Coffee, Other Donations Bring in \$228

Three attention-getting activities—solicitations on the streets Saturday, a mothers' march Monday evening, and a basketball game Monday night—will get the March of Dimes drive in full swing within the coming few days, Larry Fuller, local chairman, said this week.

To date, the collections for the local campaign total \$228.80, the total including all money contributed by Wednesday morning. The 10-cent coffee day Saturday at all places selling coffee brought in \$58.26, Fuller said. The additional contributions have been made in the envelopes which were mailed, and those which were distributed to the elementary school children.

The street solicitors Saturday will pit the local Lions Club against the Jaycees. Since the south lane of the highway has not yet been opened, all workers will be on the corner of the present highway. The Lions will man one side of the highway, and the Jaycees the other, and each organization will be attempting to collect more money than the other.

Monday evening, beginning at 6 o'clock, the P-T-A mothers will lead the annual mother's march. Mrs. W. W. Shadid is in charge of the march, and will have as her co-chairmen Mrs. Hershel McCarty, Mrs. Floyd Guthrie, Miss Gussie Bledsoe, Mrs. Earl Eustace, Mrs. Clyde Andrews, Mrs. L. F. Hauck, Mrs. Sinclair Armstrong, and Mrs. Bill Cash. All citizens who wish to contribute to the March of Dimes are urged to have their porch lights burning. Mrs. Shadid said. A house-to-house campaign is planned in this manner.

Then Monday night, the Jaycees' basketball team will meet the winner of the Pampa civic club tourney, being held this week. If the local team wins, the proceeds will be credited to the McLean drive, and if the visitors win, the proceeds will go to Pampa's credit. The game will be played in the Municipal Building.

Another feature of the campaign will be the annual March of Dimes dance, to be held Thursday night, January 29, in the American Legion Hall. The music will be by Emmett Allen and the Sunset Ramblers, and net proceeds will go into the polio fund.

Elizabeth Blackwell was the first woman doctor in the U. S. A Shoshone Indian girl named Sacajawea, which means "Bird Woman," guided the Lewis and Clark Expedition through the Northwest.

Molly Pitcher took her husband's place in the Battle of Monmouth, in 1778, as he lay dying beside his cannon.

The Thousand Islands are in the St. Lawrence River.

Nina Hankins Circle Meeting Is Held In Church Parlor

The Nina Hankins circle of Baptist W. M. U. met Tuesday night, January 20, in the parlor of the church, with Mrs. Blanche Giddens as hostess.

Mrs. Buell Wells was in charge of the mission study, and Mrs. Leroy Williams led the opening prayer.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to Mesdames Edna Graham, Bonnie Edwards, Una Newsom, Mary Boyd, Rae Simpson, Lillie Mae Williams, Irene Williams, and Margaret Wells; Misses Marjorie Fowler, Virginia, Jean, and Patsy Giddens, and Donna Joyce Boyd.

John Humphreys of Oakland, Ill., is visiting in the home of his brother, George Humphreys and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Price visited in Amarillo Sunday in the home of his sister, Mrs. Bob Byrd and family.

Used Car SPECIALS

From \$100 to \$350 under ceiling

1951 Plymouth two-door, 18,000 miles, extra nice — \$1,480 —

1950 Plymouth four-door, 19,000 miles, extra nice — \$1,390 —

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1950 Chevrolet four-door, nice car — \$1,195

1951 International one-half ton pick-up, 14,000 miles — \$890 —

Also Several Other Used Cars

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Society

Mrs. Adams Given Bridal Shower At Alanreed School

Mrs. Jeannie Hall Adams, a recent bride, was honored with a shower Thursday, January 15, in the school cafeteria at Alanreed. Hostesses were Mesdames Bill Stubbs, Pierce Castleberry, Roy Sherrod, and Frank Hambricht.

The decorations were carried out in the honoree's chosen colors of orchid and white.

Miss Jeannie Sherrod presided at the refreshment table. Guests were registered by Miss Beth Hall.

Attending and sending gifts were Mesdames Carroll Burdine, Carl Cox, C. A. Morgan, Guy Jones, Irene Mann, Richard Finch, C. E. Lindsey, Elmer Chenault, Billy Ray Young, Dee Smith, Flem Caraway, R. O. Thomas, R. C. Jenkins, Ed Mahaffey, Ruby Sandifer, Doris Barker, Earl Hodnett, I. T. Allred, Roy Crutchfield.

Mesdames U. T. Denver, Joan Rule, Carrie Johnston, Clyde Gilbreath, W. E. Tyler and Aunt Alice, Gilbert Byron, Dick Allen, W. C. Larimer, W. J. Ball, Hugh Castleberry, J. C. Willis, Mamie Kitrick, James Bryant, Wallace Cox, L. G. Goldston, S. T. Greenwood, Blanche Hardeman, T. E. Crisp, O. L. Tibbets.

Mesdames J. R. Giesler, C. M. Franklin, R. F. Sanders, W. B. Clayton, L. R. Day, H. W. Harlan, C. P. Callahan, Bill Bentley, Ann Johnston, Jimmie Hall, E. B. Lofton, C. T. Burns, Margurite Goodner, Jeannie Chapman, Frank Crisp, Tommy Hodnett, Foreman Stubbs, W. F. Stubbs, L. L. Palmer, O. J. Milham, Jack Lowrie, Wilda Woods, Joe Adams, A. P. Word, Frank Hambricht, Roy Sherrod, Pierce Castleberry, Johnny Vineyard.

Mesdames E. J. Windom, Philip Gibson, J. D. Fish, Noble Fish, Ira Self, M. C. Thomas, Thelma Phillips, George Bulman Jr., D. B. Money, Clyde Patterson, Buddie Hill, Virgie Blakney, Mattie Clark, W. H. Blakney, L. H. Earthman, O. W. Stapp, A. H. Moreman, H. H. Worsham, B. W. Moreman, Ada Simmons, G. L. Simmons, R. M. Cole, J. C. Gilbreath, T. C. D'Spain, J. J. Palmer, Shelton Nash, Jerry Grogan, Faye Oakley, W. S. Carlisle, Dale Hill, and Hershel Heath.

Messrs. and Mesdames George Preston, J. D. Carpenter, George

Methodist WSCS Meets at Church For Bible Study

The W. S. C. S. met Tuesday afternoon, January 20, for the regular meeting in the parlor of the McLean Methodist Church, with Mrs. J. L. Hess in charge of the Bible study.

The program opened with a song by the group. Mrs. Cliff Day gave the opening prayer, and Mrs. Charlie Carpenter gave the devotional. Others on the program were Mesdames W. E. Bogan, J. E. Kirby, Homer Wilson, Madge Page, and Elton Johnston. The closing prayer was offered by Mrs. Page. There were 21 present.

Ladies Auxiliary Meeting Is Held In Church Parlor

The Presbyterian Ladies Auxiliary met Tuesday afternoon in the church parlor.

Mrs. Raymond Glass opened the meeting with the hymn, "Take Time to Be Holy." Sentence prayers were given by each one in the group. Mrs. J. M. Payne presented the Bible lesson on the book of Colossians. The meeting closed with the Mizpah benediction.

Those present were Mesdames J. E. Kerr, Kid McCoy, T. E. Crisp, Mattie Graham, John B. Rice, Jess Kemp, Travis Stokes, Glass, and Payne.

McCracken, D. L. Hall, Cecil Carter, Gwan Wilkerson, Luke Armstrong, Bob Copeland, C. E. Allen, Cletus Fish, Joe Leonard, Bill Adams, Jenks Shaw, H. E. Breedlove, W. O. Hommel, Shelby Carpenter, Bobby Jack Massey, Jim Bruce, Marvin Hall, B. F. Shemwell, J. L. Wilmath, Harold Fox, Vohn Griffin, W. G. Adams, and A. M. Carpenter.

Misses Ruth Richardson, Jane Cole, Patsy McCracken, Wanda Beth Stapp, Lillie Williams, Beth Hall, Jeanne Sherrod, Sue Cox, Nell Bentley, Patsy Hommel, Rosa Lofton, Effie Rankins, Josephine Thomas, and Fanchan Allred.

Messrs. J. D. Fish, Ray Fish, Kinneth Hambricht, Raymond Adams, Lindsey Gilbreath, Benny Woods, and T. C. Israel.

Pioneer Study Club Meeting Is Held In Church Parlor

The Pioneer Study Club met Thursday afternoon, January 15, in the parlor of the McLean Methodist Church with Mrs. Bill Day as hostess.

Mrs. Vernon Gibson was in charge of the program. She chose as her subject, "Having Faith in

oneself," and also gave a poem, "If You Stand Very Still." Mrs. Wayne Hill and her small boys' speech class were guests on the program, and each gave a poem, as follows: Larry Gibson, "The Reason"; Jim McCarty, "A He Man"; Jake Hess, "Take Your Hands Out of Your Pocket"; Don Woods, "A Feller's Hat"; and Don

Cash, "My Sore Thumb" and "Dreamy Willie."

Lovely refreshments were served by the hostess to the following guests: Mesdames Wayne Hill, Bill Cash, Hershel McCarty, and Faris Hess, and the boys on program; and members, Mesdames Sinclair Armstrong, Jim Back, W. E. Borgan, J. D. Coleman, Jesse Cole-

man, Vernon Gibson, C. R. Griffith, Forrest Hupp, Carl Jones, Paul Kennedy, Clyde Magee, Freeman Melton Jr., Miro Pagan, C. W. Parmenter, W. W. Shadid, B. L. Webb, and June Woods.

E. J. Windom and Truitt Johnson made a business trip to Amarillo Thursday.

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GINGER CAKE MIX 27c

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COOKIES 65c (3 pkgs.)

Oregon Trail Vertical Pack Blue Lake
Green Beans 4 cans \$1.00

Shurfine Cream Style Golden
Corn 303 can 6 for \$1.00

Heart of Plains
Tomatoes No. 2 can 6 for \$1.00

Walker Austex
Beef Stew 300 can 3 for \$1.00

Fruits & Vegetables

Florida Large Juicy
ORANGES dozen **49c**

Fancy Pascal
CELERY stalk **15c**

Large Firm Heads
LETTUCE 2 heads **25c**

Large White California
GRAPEFRUIT 4 for **25c**

Libby's Frozen
Strawberries 10 1/2 oz. can 29c

Powdered
Pet Milk 13 oz. jar 33c (Makes 4 quarts)

Quality Meats

Wilson Corn King Sliced
BACON lb **49c**

Center Cut
PORK CHOPS lb **55c**

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Fireside Biscuit Logs— For Mid-Winter Entertaining



These interesting Spry biscuits are suggested for round-the-fire gatherings in mid-winter. Shaped like tiny logs and covered with a "bark" of tasty poppy or sesame seeds, they are delicious served with jam or assorted cheeses. Make them for fireside brunches, suppers and snacks. Here is the quick and easy Spry recipe:

FIRESIDE BISCUIT LOGS

1 1/2 cups sifted all-purpose flour
1/2 cup corn meal
3 teaspoons baking powder
1/4 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup bran flakes
1/2 cup Spry
1/2 cup plus 1 tablespoon milk
Poppy seeds or sesame seeds

Sift first 4 ingredients into mixing bowl. Add bran flakes. . . . Cut in Spry until mixture is as fine as meal. . . . Add milk all at once, mixing to a soft dough. . . . Knead lightly on floured board for 20 seconds. . . . Break off small portions of dough (about 1 tablespoon) and roll lightly into small cylinders or "logs" (about 3 1/2" long). Roll in seeds and place on Spry-coated baking sheet. . . . Bake in very hot oven (450° F.) 14-18 minutes. Serve piping hot. Delicious with jam, honey, or assorted cheeses. And steaming tea or coffee, of course! . . . Makes about 2 dozen.

Mrs. J. W. Meacham and daughters were Sunday visitors in Lefors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill McBee.

Mrs. Jack Bailey, accompanied by Mrs. Melvin Bailey of Pampa, visited in Amarillo Thursday.

BACK TRACTS

Mary Jane and boy-friend Ted
Fell in love and then were wed.
Gifts poured in—as gifts will do—
Some were old and some were new.
Then one night while they did sleep
Flames began to crawl and leap!
Ere the morning's sun arose,
They were minus home and clothes.
Not a bed or table left.
My! O my! They were bereft!
Till Ted said, "O don't be sad—
'Stead of blue, we should be glad!"
—glad that they had insurance

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Mrs. Mattie Granam spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Hayden Hensley, at Texhoma, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Mendorf were Sunday visitors in Wheeler in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Cousins were Sunday visitors in Clarendon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Chase and daughter Rolena visited Sunday with Mrs. A. N. Trout and baby in Worley Hospital in Pampa.

M/Sgt. and Mrs. Carol Fitzgerald of Amarillo spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jolly.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Clieff and son James accompanied her mother, Mrs. Lillie Cummings, to Lubbock Sunday for a visit with relatives before Mrs. Cummings returns to her home in California.

Mr. and Mrs. George Van Huss visited her mother, Mrs. Lucy Reimer, at Highland General Hospital in Pampa Sunday.

Mrs. Annie Bowen spent the week-end in Alanreed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Yake.

Mrs. Jess Kemp and Mrs. Laroy Sutton were Pampa visitors Monday.

Personals

Jewel Meacham and son Joel spent Sunday in Turkey with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Meacham.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Shaffer and daughter Jo Ann of Groom were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oba Kueloel.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kunkel and daughters of Amarillo, spent the week-end in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Kunkel.

Mrs. J. H. Bradley was in Lubbock over the week-end to attend the funeral of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Ben Newman.

Mr. and Mrs. Woody Wilkerson and Donna Sue, and Mrs. W. T. Eldridge and granddaughters, Nedra and Sondra Graham, were Amarillo visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones of Dumas spent the week-end here with Sue and Byrd Jones and Mrs. Lillie Johns.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Northcott and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Northcott and family of Amarillo were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Caudill.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rawlings were Sunday visitors in Lefors in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Montgomery and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Rawlings.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Williams of Phillips spent the week-end here in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Barrett and Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Butrum.

Mrs. Lillie Johns and Miss Sue Jones, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones of Dumas, were Sunday visitors in Quanah with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rogers.

LIBERTY H. D. CLUB

Meets in Home of Mrs. Ann Miller

The Liberty Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Ann Miller Thursday, January 8.

Eleven members were present, and it was voted to hold a bake sale Saturday, January 17. Proceeds of the bake sale are to go to the March of Dimes and a hospital fund.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Windom spent the week-end in Pampa and Hooker, Okla., with relatives.

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Hearts and Flowers



There is no season for romance, although Dan Cupid is specially honored on St. Valentine's Day. And speaking of valentines, there was a time when a valentine from a gentleman could rightly be considered a proposal of marriage. These days there are no strings to valentines, though romance has not dimmed in popularity. January or June — it's sweetheart time.

Sweethearts
1/2 cup butter or margarine
1/2 cup honey
1/2 cup All-Bran
2 cups sifted flour
1 teaspoon baking soda
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
1/4 teaspoon cloves
1/4 teaspoon allspice

Blend butter with honey and beat until creamy. Crush All-Bran slightly. Sift together flour, soda and spices. Add to honey mixture with All-Bran. Mix thoroughly. Chill. Roll dough on lightly floured board to about 1/16 inch in thickness. Cut with floured, heart-shaped cookie cutter. Place on greased baking sheets. Bake in moderate oven (350° F.) about 10 minutes. When cool, frost and decorate if desired. Yield: About 5 dozen cookies.

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Society

Birthday Party Given in Honor Of Mrs. Bill Moore

Mrs. Bill Moore was entertained with a birthday party at her home Sunday, January 18.

Among those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Royce Brooks and daughter Linda, and Mr. and Mrs. Jairrel Moore of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Plum and children, Bobby and Tina, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore and Chalmus, Wayne, Harlene and Hari Moore, all of McLean.

Birthday Dinner Given in Honor Of Mrs. Bailey

Mrs. Vestal Gene Bailey of Kellerville was entertained with a birthday dinner Sunday, January 18, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Luke Armstrong in McLean.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bailey and family and Mrs. Charles Bailey of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vestal Gene Bailey and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong.

Liberty H. D. Club Meets in Home of Mrs. Ann Miller

The Liberty Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Ann Miller Thursday, January 8.

Eleven members were present, and it was voted to hold a bake sale Saturday, January 17. Proceeds of the bake sale are to go to the March of Dimes and a hospital fund.

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Bridal Shower Given in Honor Of Mrs. Lowrie

A bridal shower was given Friday evening, January 16, in honor of Mrs. Jack Daniel Lowrie of Higgins, the former Aleta Milham of Alanreed, at the home of Mrs. Ford Shropshire.

Co-hostesses were Mesdames Sherman Crockett, Pete Fulbright, Clea Hensley, and H. E. Barrett. The honoree received many nice and useful gifts.

Chapter of R. A. Is Given Name Of Hayden Parker

The R. A. chapter met Thursday, January 15, at the First Baptist Church with the new counsellor, Mrs. A. A. Lindsey.

After a get-acquainted session, they held a short business meeting, and adopted the name of Hayden Parker, after Missionaries John and Ruby Hayden Parker, in Santiago, Chile, S. A. Refreshments of cocoa and cake were served by Mrs. F. E. Stewart to Dickoy Smith, Eddie Kunkel, Jerry Kunkel, Kenneth Willingham, and James Edward Stewart. The next meeting will be January 29.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to members of the fire department for the efficient work on their part in extinguishing the fire at our place last week. We shall always remember the fine work which they did.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harlan.

Mr. and Mrs. George Baker Jr. and baby of Cactus, and Mr. and Mrs. Marvis Godfrey and daughter Linda of Pampa visited during the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Baker.

New Look in Living Rooms



DOVER, OHIO—Living rooms, dens, recreation rooms are taking on a new look in modern homes these days. This new trend has resulted from the development of plastic-finished wall and ceiling panels which authentically reproduce the beautiful grain and coloring of fine, fully-finished woods.

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Woodpanel, and a wide variety of other colors and patterns for remodeling kitchens, bathrooms, and utility rooms, are available at leading lumber and building materials dealers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Kirk of Dumas spent the week-end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Irven Alderson were Sunday visitors in Clarendon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Alderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Armstrong, Jackie Don Bailey, and Mr. and Mrs. Vestal Gene Bailey of Kellerville were Amarillo visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Firth and boys, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Cruce and son Joe, and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Woodruff and girls, of Borger, and Mr. and Mrs. Travis Fletcher of Amarillo were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Giddens.

Mrs. J. W. Burks of Memphis and Mrs. Lonnie Burks and Mrs. Clarence Burks of Shamrock visited with friends in McLean Monday.

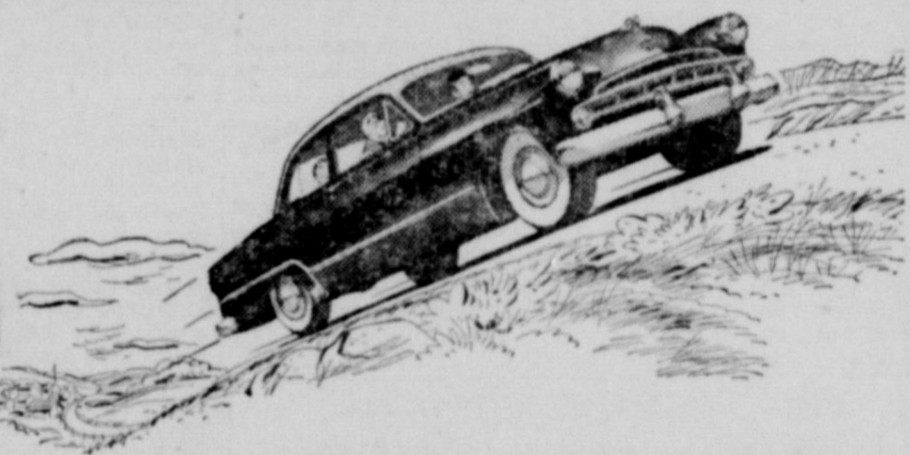
Mrs. F. L. Bones and Miss Iva Davidson were Shamrock visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Eudey returned to their home Thursday after a two-months visit in Long Beach, Calif., in the home of their daughter, Mrs. M. L. Fennell and family.

Floyd Guthrie left Thursday on a business trip to New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lusk and children of Amarillo spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Heasley.

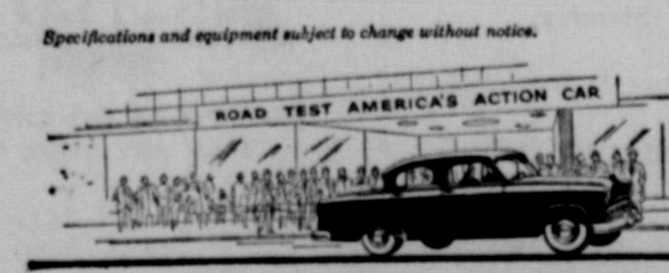
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A SIGH OF RELIEF

THE PRESIDENCY OF THE UNITED STATES, after 20 years in the hands of one political party and nearly eight of those in the hands of a man far too little to capably hold down such a job, passed into different keepers with the inauguration of President Dwight D. Eisenhower Tuesday.

Our dislike of the immediate past president, Harry S. Truman, has grown greater and greater during the past four years, for in these four years he has demonstrated time and time again that he simply did not have the "wherewithal" to serve as head of the greatest nation in the world.

His last act of any importance should certainly indicate to all of us that Harry Truman has been, during his presidency at least, a man of spite, a man who did not believe in the majority rule. This last act we refer to is his presidential order placing the vast offshore oil deposits under the command of the navy.

As we in Texas know, at least four states—Texas, California, Florida, and Louisiana—have been battling for the rights to the offshore oil deposits, commonly referred to as the tidelands, for many years. The issue was one factor in the election of Eisenhower to the presidency, and it certainly was most important in the election of Price Daniel as senator of the U. S.

Actually, Truman's order is really unimportant, since the new president has the right to rescind the order immediately; or congress can legislate the order back to the pigeon-hole in the desk where Harry Truman has undoubtedly kept it under cover for many months. But the act of Truman, the last-minute desperation act which he pulled, only shows us the real kind of man we have had as president for the past nearly-eight years.

The tidelands are important to us in Texas, for the revenue from these lands goes into our school funds. And we all well realize the need of funds to operate our schools in the manner they should be. Truman's order would simply give all these oil deposits to the U. S. Navy, with that organization holding the oil in reserve until some time it might be needed.

Naturally, Truman's order was received in Washington circles with a great deal of criticism. It was termed "outrageous," "an illegal power grab," and "personal spite." We honestly believe that personal spite was more in the heart of Harry Truman than anything else when he released the order.

We have long been Democrats, most all of us in Texas. We believe in the Democratic party as it used to be, but not as it has been under the rule of Harry Truman. Thank goodness—we can now give a sigh of relief that the people of the U. S. have turned thumbs down on the dictatorial policies of the immediate past president, and turned to what they hope will be "government by the people" once more.

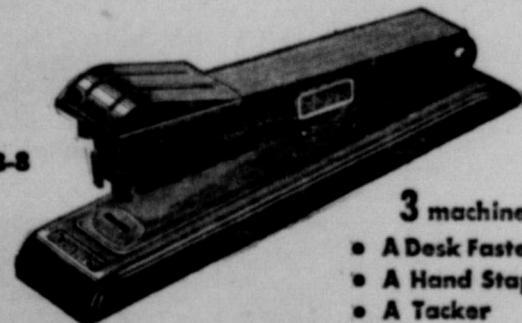
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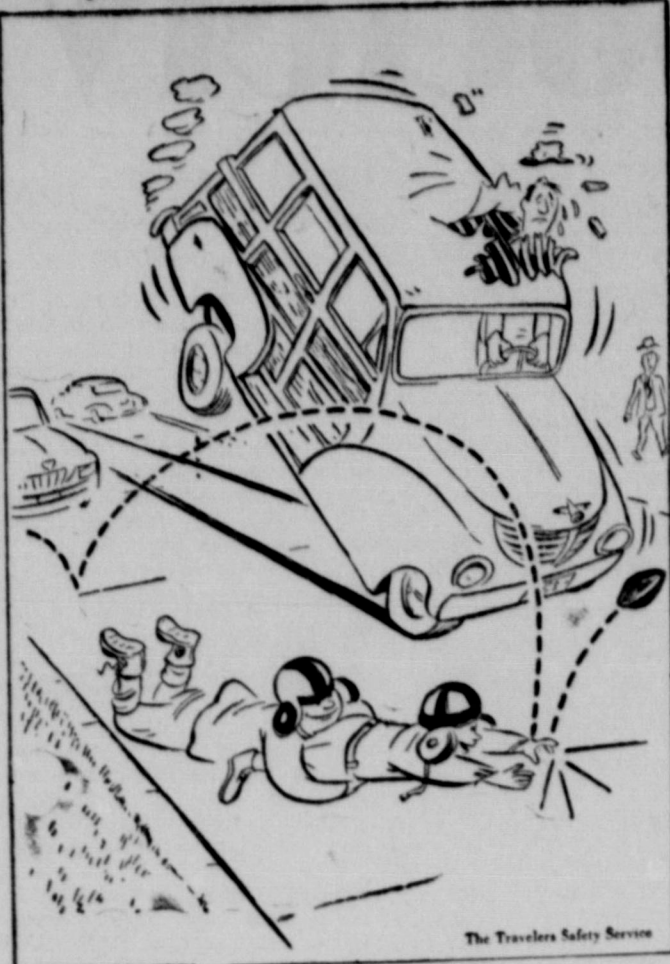
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TALK

By LESTER

This is a guess who:

I reckon the man was born in Missouri, somewhere in that neighborhood anyway. He grew up to be a boy, at least that's what was always said about him when he was young.

He worked hard as a boy, helping to shuck the cows and milk the corn. As a matter of fact, he had so much to do with corn that he, later in life, became quite corny.

As a young man, he served in the army of World War I, and was accorded great honors. The army thought it an honor when it was able to discharge him from the service.

He became a haberdasher (W: think that's the way it's spelled). A big success he was in that business. He got so he could pin a shirt tail on any south-bound donkey's north end. But he lost his socks in the business, and turned to politics.

Thereupon, the people of the great state of Missouri made several mistakes. They elected him to offices, among them the office of U. S. senator. Of course, he had the handy backing of one of the crookedest political machines in the country. Then he went to Washington, and eventually Washington came to him.

Nearly eight years ago, he was sworn in as president of the U. S., and since then he has spent about half his time swearing back. He became known as a man of letters, wrote a most unusual one to a music critic who criticized his daughter's singing. He became known as the Marine's hero, when he really stuck his foot in it and called the Marines propagandists.

Yes, this man has become a friend. A friend of many people who have attached themselves to the public's pocketbook during the past few years.

Tuesday of this week, he was succeeded in office, and is now

the immediate past president of the United States. Guess who?

For the past 15 or 20 years, all of us have become more conscious of that dreaded disease polio. As it has spread its tentacles to more and more homes, we have become aware of the horrible condition in which it leaves its victims.

The late President Roosevelt, who himself was a victim of infantile paralysis, started an organization which has come to be known as the Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. We refer to it once a year as the organization supported by the March of Dimes.

When the organization was first started, a March of Dimes was enough. There were many cases of paralysis, yes, but over the years they have become more and

more numerous. Costly equipment has been designed and adapted to the restoration of polio-stricken bodies to useful places in society. Millions of dollars have been spent on medical research in an effort to combat this dread disease. Dollars, not merely dimes, are now needed.

Just as medical science has had trouble in combatting other diseases, such as smallpox, scarlet fever, etc., so has medical science had trouble in isolating the polio germs and determining what will kill them.

So far, a few answers have been found. One of them is called gamma globulin. This particular medicine is believed to be capable of partially combatting the paralysis of polio. Tests have been given which show this indication.

Now, once again, we are in the midst of a March of Dimes campaign. We are being asked to give freely to the cause. We have seen the results of polio locally. We know what it can do to a person, regardless of his or her age. We want to do something about it, and giving of our money to this cause is one thing we can do.

The American Red Cross has agreed to collect blood from which more and more gamma globulin will be made and distributed through means set up by the Department of Defense. The Red Cross was called upon for this tremendous task since it already had its blood program in operation.

So this month we should all join in and contribute as heavily as possible to the March of Dimes. We shouldn't wait to be asked for donations—we should give voluntarily.

The same idea applies to the annual Red Cross drive which comes in March. Here is an organization which is primarily an emergency relief organization. Yet it has so many phases of operation it would be hard to list them all. The collection of blood for the gamma globulin will require an expenditure of seven million in itself.

Both are worthy organizations—the Foundation for Infantile Paralysis and the American Red Cross. Both deserve your support. Give now to the March of

Dimes. Give in March to the Red Cross.

Washington, D. C., is called "The City of Magnificent Distances."

The Statue of Liberty has been in New York Harbor since 1886.

P. T. Barnum, the circus man, purchased Jumbo, the elephant, in 1882.

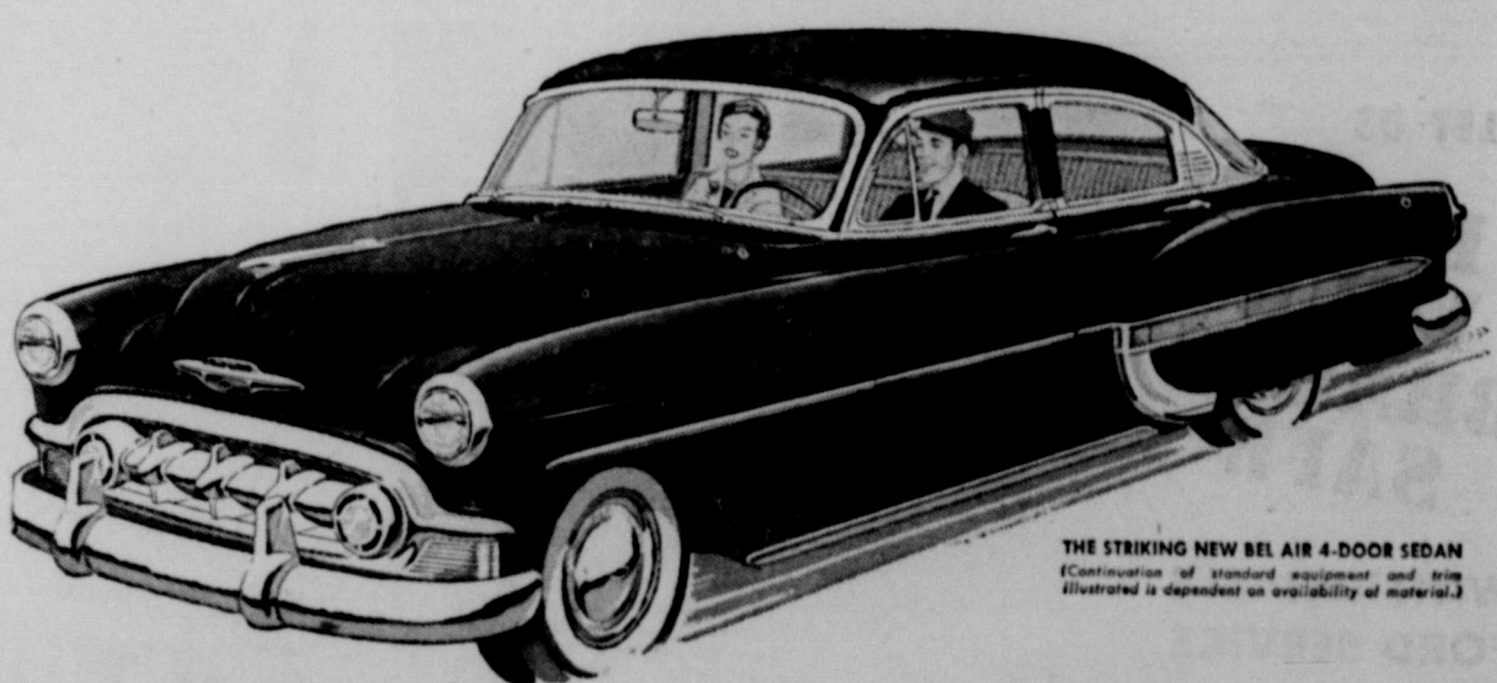
Shipmates Aboard The "Desi-Lu"



Here, minus makeup and the hectic atmosphere of their enormously successful TV show, are Lucy and Desi Arnaz, relaxing aboard their boat, the *Desila*. One of video's handsomest and funniest couples, they panic 20,000,000 fans each week with their "I Love Lucy" shenanigans. Their personal life, which closely parallels the moods of the Ricardo family they portray on TV, includes a ranch house near Los Angeles, their 1 1/2 year old daughter, Lucie Désirée, and another date with the stork on January 19th. A six-page cover story in the January issue of *Cosmopolitan* magazine traces the Arnaz' skyrocketing career since the former Cuban aristocrat-turned-band leader met the ex-chorus girl, soda-jerker and dress model. Explaining the lovely Lucy's switch from movie siren roles to blackened teeth, baggy pants and screwball hair-dos, the article quotes her as saying, "I don't know why, but I just love it when they laugh."

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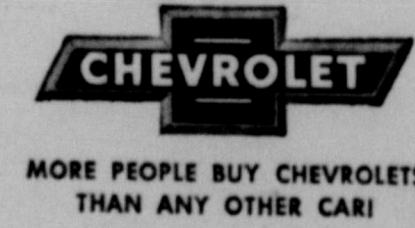
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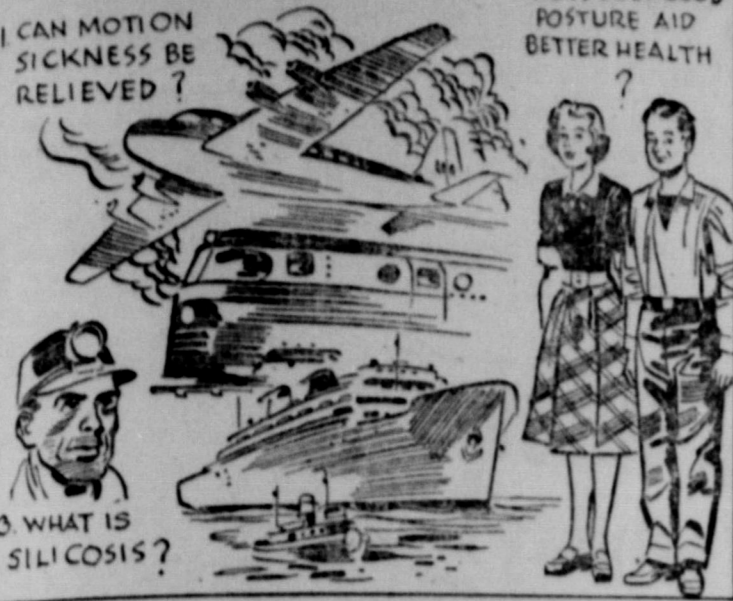


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GOOD HEALTH



Answer to Question No. 1:

Those who suffer from the discomforts of motion sickness when traveling by boat, airplane, train can now often be greatly relieved. Sudden dizziness, headache and nausea (the characteristics of motion sickness) can be greatly reduced by drugs to allow for a smooth journey. These drugs should be used only on the advice of your physician.

Answer to Question No. 2:

If good posture is encouraged in children, they may be spared many aches and pains in later years. Not only is a person's general appearance greatly improved,

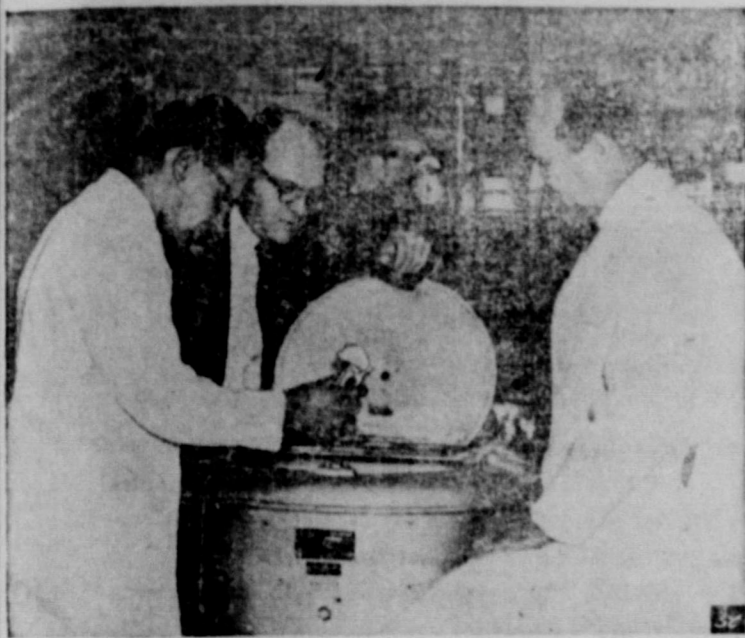
with shoulders back, head up, and abdomen in, but there is no unnatural strain on muscles and joints throughout the body. Good posture at all times—in both standing and sitting positions—lessens fatigue and discomfort.

Answer to Question No. 3:

Silicosis is a disease of the lung due to excessive inhaling of stone dust. It occurs most often in miners or stonecutters. The symptoms are like those of chronic bronchitis. Silicosis can also cause growths in the lungs and can become dangerous. Industrial medicine is lessening the incidence.

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Research To Conquer Polio Goes On



The fight against polio goes on night and day in our great research laboratories. Tremendous strides toward eventual victory over this dread disease were announced recently, but years of costly work remain ahead before this goal can be realized. Virus scientists at Lederle Laboratories Division, American Cyanamid Company, Pearl River, N. Y., examine an experimental polio vaccine just as it comes from the centrifuge, a machine important in this type of research. They are, left to right, Dr. Victor Cabasso, Dr. Herald Cox and Dr. Manuel Roca-Garcia. These three scientists figured prominently in the news recently when Lederle announced that a modified live virus vaccine, effective only in animal studies against one deadly type of polio can be produced easily in chicken's eggs.

Robin Hood's sweetheart was Maid Marian. New Orleans, La., is farther south than Tunis, Africa. According to law, a minimum of three people may create a riot.

40 Years Ago— IT HAPPENED HERE

Taken From the Files of McLean News, 1913

Ross-Perkins
William D. Ross and Miss Mary M. Perkins, both of McLean, were united in marriage yesterday afternoon in the county courthouse, Judge W. M. Peter officiating.

Miss Mary Perkins is the daughter of Mrs. Howard and has lived here in this city for about one year, moving here from Shamrock. Mr. Ross is the employee of the Rock Island Railroad and is located here for a short time.

The young people expect to make their home in Portales, N. M., where the groom has considerable property.

Good Grades

Following are the grades made in the public school in the contest for the doll and football given away by Mr. Arthur Erwin, as reported by Supt. O'Neal:

Miss Dalrymple's room—Fern Upham (doll contest) 98, Ted Glass (football contest) 98½; Miss Haynes' room—Leona Neill (doll contest) 98, Benny Skidmore (football contest) 97; Mr. Hedrick's room—Odessa Skidmore (doll contest) 96, Melvin Davis (football contest) 94; Miss Cook's room—Susie Neill (doll contest) 96, Boyd Reeves (football contest) 95; Mr. Biggers' room—Orma Kibler (doll contest) 94 13/50, Evann Sitter (football contest) 97; Miss Dean's room—Ora Geren (doll contest) 95; Mr. O'Neal's room—Maude Gardenhire (doll contest) 96½, Byron Kibler (football contest) 95½.

The two highest contestants for the doll tied and Mr. Erwin gave Fern Upham and Leona Neill each a doll; and Ted Glass was the winner of the football.

New Baptist Pastor

Rev. R. F. Hamilton is due to arrive with his family from Shamrock this week and intends to make his home here in the future, having accepted a call to the local Baptist church.

He will occupy the pulpit mentioned on two Sundays a month and the other two will likely be spent in Groom and Alanreed, although we have no positive announcement to that effect.

Rev. Hamilton will be at home to his friends and members of his congregation in the C. E. Dorgan home in the west part of town, Mr. Bogan having moved to the house recently purchased by J. S. Morse from F. H. Yokley.

Saunders Member Of Angus Group

George F. Saunders of McLean has been elected to membership in the American Aberdeen-Angus Breeders' Association at Chicago, announces Secretary Frank Richards.

Saunders was one of the 20 purebred Aberdeen-Angus breeders elected from Texas during the past month to membership in the organization.

Drug Addiction Called Disease --Not Crime

Drug addiction is not in itself a crime but a disease, declared Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer. It is vicious and deadly in that once the victim can no longer overcome his desire for drugs, he will resort to any illegality to obtain money to purchase the satisfaction of his craving. Increase in drug addiction is paralleled by crime increases.

Because of the increase of addiction among "teen-agers," parents would do well to understand the habits of their offspring. No matter what the age, an addict takes on a sly, underhanded attempt to concealment. And it is only when the teen-age victim becomes embroiled in some police involvement that the shame is brought to the parent.

Boys and girls must be taught that it is not smart or sophisticated to use drugs in any of their narcotic forms and they should understand the dangers involved. Once the habit is formed, it is difficult to overcome. While it is estimated that at least five per cent of narcotic addicts become so by means of repeated dosages of drugs to alleviate pain, the preponderance of addicts fall among those persons, normal in every respect, who seek adventure, and emotionally unstable persons who cannot face the realities of every day life.

Indications of drug addiction vary according to the method and the type of drug used. Among them are a strained expression, glassy stare of the eyes, trembling hands, swelling or redness in the partition of the nostrils; apparent puncture marks on the skin from hypodermic needles. Symptoms include running of the nose or tearing of the eyes; excessive yawning and sneezing, constant itching of the skin of the arms and legs, and dilation of the pupils of the eyes.

While it has been said that a "little knowledge is a dangerous thing," there can be no doubt that a public-minded consciousness of the drug-addiction problem will do more to curb the situation. The prevention of addiction is a community problem. Once the

habit is formed, it becomes a medical one. Do your part to prevent an addiction. Your child may be the next victim.

The Washington monument is 555 feet, 5 1/8 inches tall.

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The last championship bare-knuckle fight was in 1889 when Sullivan beat Kilrain.

Hippocrates was the first doctor to observe the mental state of his patients.

Indian peace pipes usually were made from stone quarried in Minnesota.

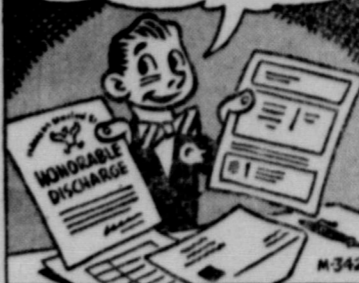
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TO: J. F. KILMAN, JR., defendant—Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable 31st District Court of Gray County at the Courthouse thereof, in Pampa, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same

being the 2nd day of March, A. D., 1953, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 14th day of January, A. D., 1953, in this cause, numbered 10,591 on the docket of said court and styled BETTYE RUTHE KILMAN, Plaintiff, vs. J. F. KILMAN, JR., Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Suit for Divorce, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Pampa, Texas, this 17th day of January, A. D., 1953.

Attest: Dee Patterson Parton, Clerk, 31st Judicial Court, (SEAL) Gray County, Texas. By Helen Sprinkle, Deputy.

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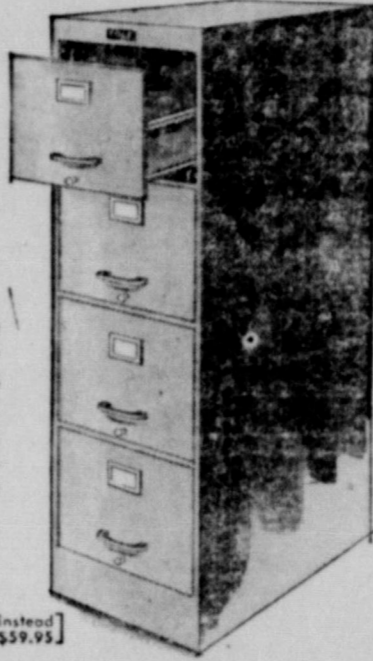
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GOOD HEALTH

1. WHAT IS A "CATASTROPHIC" ILLNESS?



3. HOW IMPORTANT IS URINE ANALYSIS?

2. WHEN IS A MEDICINE CHEST NOT A MEDICINE CHEST?

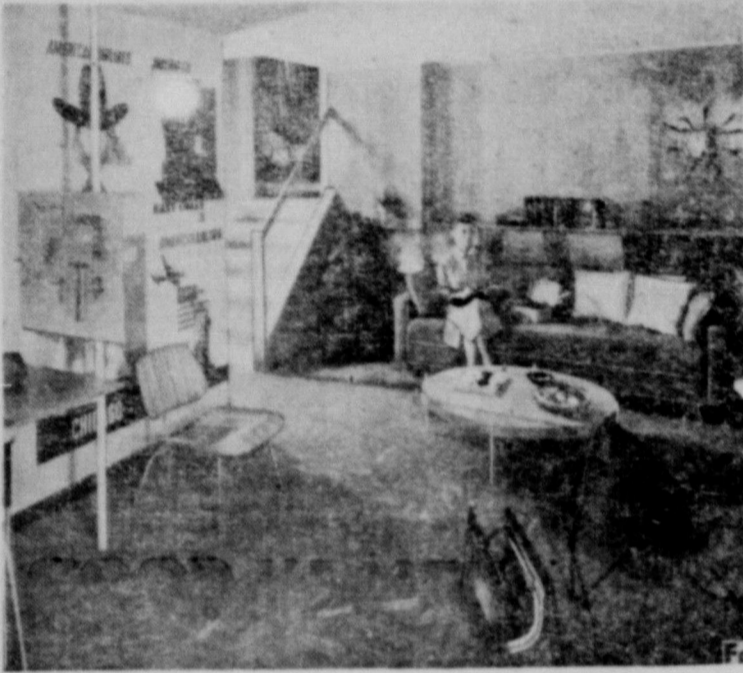
Answer to Question No. 1:
Catastrophic illness is the term commonly used to describe sickness or accidents which impose a severe or disastrous financial burden on an individual or family. Voluntary insurance plans are developing programs to lessen such hardships by absorbing major portions of costs.

Answer to Question No. 2:
When it is cluttered and disorganized with old medicines. A "medicine-cabinet-mistake" can be serious. Many medicines lose their effectiveness with age—or even become harmful. Left-over medicines from last year's illness should be discarded. Poisons must

be clearly labeled and well out of children's reach. The family keeps nothing but currently used prescriptions and fresh first aid supplies. Never use a prescription that is not specifically ordered by your physician for the present illness.

Answer to Question No. 3:
Urine examination helps in the diagnosis of many diseases and is the basis of every examination. Though it is not expected to tell the entire story, it does show the presence of infections of the kidneys and bladder, and malfunctioning of other organs.
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"All-Purpose Room" Solves Your Space Problem



Home decoration experts and industrial and architectural designers have combined their talents to provide a boon for everyone who has less space at home than is needed. It's the strictly new "all-purpose room"—pictured above—that serves many purposes; a den for the man-of-the-house, a playroom for the children, a television room, and provision even is included to give a luxurious bed to overnight guests by using the Sofa-Lounge bed by Simmons. By making one creatively furnished room serve the purpose of many, in effect actually new space is provided—without adding an inch to the size of the house or apartment.

A new split-level, moderate-priced home in East Meadow, L. I., was decorated as a model by Nardin and Radoczy, noted New York designers, using the following materials:
For the wall treatment of the lower-level room, the decorators selected gum plywood, a low-priced but handsome wood, for three walls. The other walls are a light brick red and

yellow. A bright center of interest is created by the application of four paper travel posters pasted to the wall. The floors are grey and white asphalt tile.

The posters, a TV set and a built-in desk unit set the stage for teen-age daytime activities such as looking at television, doing homework and making model airplanes. The TV set, built-in unit and cocktail table were designed especially for the room.

The Sofa-Lounge bed by Simmons provides a handsome sofa by day and a comfortable bed by night. The Sofa-Lounge has a storage compartment for bedding, and Beautyrest construction. It is available in several designs, and a wide range of decorator fabrics.

An air of youthful brightness is achieved with bright yellow curtains made of low-priced denim and gay Indian and Mexican figures. The black canvas sling chairs are also reasonably priced.

The "all-purpose room" is an answer to the homemaker's prayer!

Health Talk—GOT SYMPTOMS?

Anyone who has come to grips with disease or an accident, especially if it involves an operation or lasts a long time, is familiar with the accompanying financial problems. Nursing the patient in the home, when possible, helps reduce medical costs, but with home nursing other problems arise, such as the possibility of overworking the homemaker (who usually must do the nursing) and the doctor's orders, carry out simple treatments, and report on the patient's condition.

The home nurse can often help the doctor in the diagnosis and treatment by developing her sense of observation. Signs that all is not well with the patient are called "symptoms" and are of two kinds: subjective (known only to the patient) or objective (known to the observer as well). Examples of subjective symptoms are pain, feeling sick at the stomach (nausea), or feeling bad in general (malaise). Objective symptoms include such things as bleeding, skin rashes, swelling, and fever. A mother learns to recognize the location of pain by her child's behavior even when he is too young to tell where it is.

The patient's temperature, pulse, and respiration are a quick and accurate way of telling what the patient's condition is like. Although feeling the forehead may help decide whether the patient is feverish, the most accurate way is to use a clinical thermometer, the appearance of which is known to most people. Its bulb contains mercury, a heat-sensitive substance which rises through a hollow tube in the stem to indicate the body's heat. The stem is marked off in degrees and fifths of degrees, and this side of the stem is shaped so that the numbers are magnified and can be easily read in a good light.

The temperature can be taken by mouth, by rectum, or at some other part of the body not reached by air, like the armpit. First, the mercury must be shaken into the bulb to 95 degrees or below by grasping the other end of the thermometer firmly between the thumb and first two fingers and shaking it with a loose wrist movement as if shaking water from the hand. Care should be taken not to strike the tube against furniture or other objects.

If the temperature is to be taken by mouth, the patient should not have drunk anything hot or cold for a few minutes beforehand. While he is sitting or lying down, the thermometer is placed in his mouth, well under the tongue and a little to one side. He is told to keep his lips shut and not to bite down. In three minutes the tube is removed, wiped toward the bulb end with absorbent cotton or a disposable tissue to make reading easier, and held in a good light. The stem can be rolled slightly from side to side if the mercury can't be seen at first.

The normal temperature is usually considered to be about 98.6 degrees Fahrenheit by mouth. The rectal temperature, which is the most reliable, is about one degree higher than the one for the mouth, and the temperature taken at the armpit may be about one degree lower than by mouth. The thermometer should be left in place about three minutes under the arm.

The patient's pulse can be counted while the thermometer is still in place. The patient's arm and hand are placed in a relaxed position, thumb up. The nurse places her forefinger (or several fingers) on the thumb side of the patient's wrist between

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the tendons, cord-like structures which can be felt through the skin, and the wristbone and locates the beating of the artery, the blood vessel. The pulse beat should be counted for a minute using a watch with a second hand. Besides the rate should be noted whether the pulse is regular or skips a beat, slows down, or becomes faster; whether it feels full and bounding or small and weak; and whether the artery feels hard or soft to the touch.

The rate of breathing should be counted without the patient's knowledge because it is more easily influenced by emotion than the pulse; both can be affected by other things such as exercise, position, eating, or disease. Each rise of the chest is counted for a minute or two to get the rate of respiration. The nurse also should report whether breathing is deep or shallow, regular or irregular, noisy or quiet, or sighing or yawning.

Ernestine Fuqua returned to her home Sunday after being a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital in Wellington last week with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Martin and daughter spent Sunday with relatives in Miami.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Clemmons and son were Sunday visitors in Pampa with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lee and family of Pampa spent the week-end here in the homes of Mrs. O. K. Lee and Mrs. Frank Gholightly.

Mrs. Doris Dorsey and daughter Jeanine of Amarillo spent last week here with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Lady Bryant.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Williams and daughter Lana of Carrizozo, N. M., visited Friday and Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Riley and son E. W. spent the week-end in Mobeetie and Briscoe with relatives.

Mrs. Jo Ann Avery and daughter of Pampa spent several days last week in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Landers.

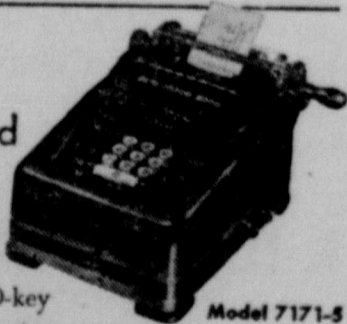
Mrs. Bob Law and small daughter Tyree Lee returned to their home in Borger Saturday after spending two weeks in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Biggers.

Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Windom and family of Clarendon spent Sunday afternoon in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Windom.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Simpson and son Melvin Ray were Sunday visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Allen, in Pampa.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Key of Vernon were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Key.

Mr. and Mrs. Duward Price and family of Shamrock visited Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Mantooh, Mrs. Myrtle Slayter and daughter

Rose, and Mrs. Cleo Pope visited Sunday in Claude in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Mantooh and in Amarillo with friends.

Mrs. Kate Stokes of Shamrock spent the week-end here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Stokes.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Carpenter and son Johnnie, and Mrs. Dickie

Everett and daughter Jennie Lee were Sunday visitors in Amarillo in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Saunders.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Lee spent the week-end in Wellington with Mr. and Mrs. James McClellan.

Mrs. Nellie Roach of Amarillo spent last week in the home of Mrs. W. C. Shull.

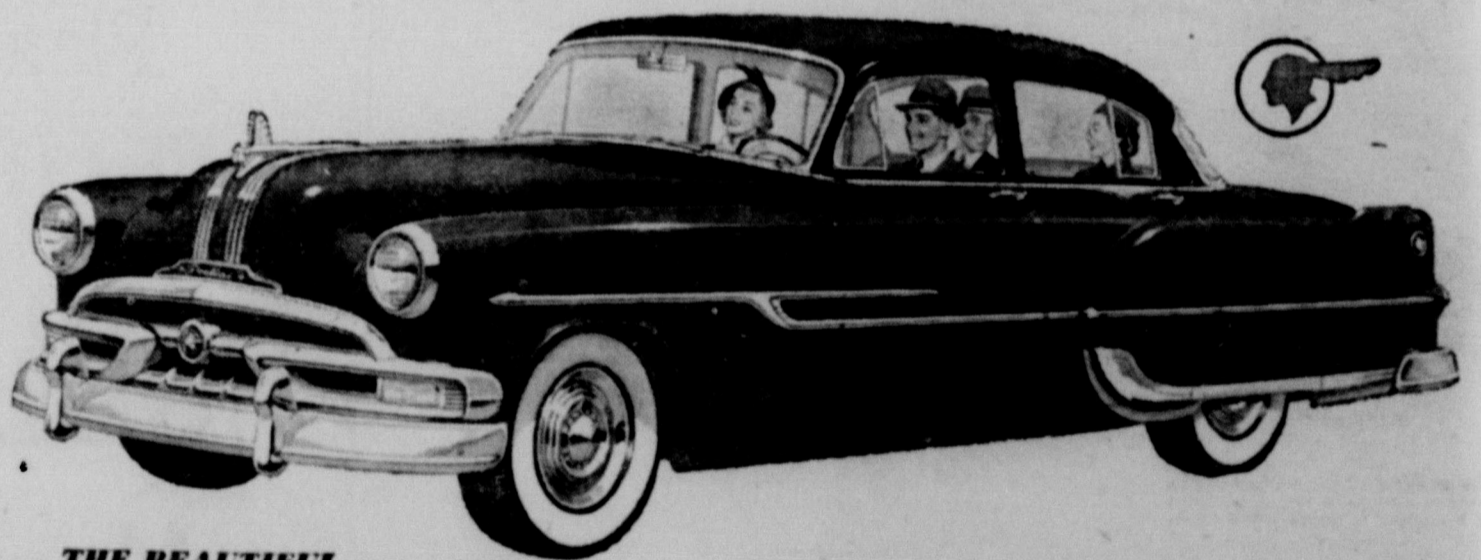


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Legislature Urged to Raise Salaries of Teachers in Texas

The 53rd Texas Legislature was urged this week to improve teacher salaries in order to attract 11,000 additional teachers who will be needed in Texas public schools in the next eight years.

Inadequate salaries are the main reason schools cannot find teachers for the classrooms being built by increasing enrollments, said Charles H. Tennyson, secretary-treasurer of the Texas State Teachers Association.

Tennyson said Texans should be shocked by the fact that the state may have fewer teachers in 1960 than in 1952 even though the scholastic population is expected to increase 325,000 over the present level by 1959-60.

More than 4,000 teachers left the profession last year, while population growth created the need for an extra 1,000 teachers. This means a total of 5,000 new teachers is needed. Only 4,000 college graduates were certified to teach in Texas in 1952, and approximately half of those were lured away from the profession, primarily by higher salaries offered by industry, Tennyson reported.

He questioned whether the average 1951-52 teacher salary of \$2,800 was adequate to hold men and women in the important profession of educating Texas' boys and girls. Income tax and retirement deductions cut that average to \$2,279, in take-home pay, and this had a purchasing power of \$1,150 in terms of the 1935 dollar, Tennyson observed.

"Who will teach Texas children in 1960 if the teaching profession is able to attract only 2,000 qualified college graduates each year and continues to lose 5,000 teachers annually?" Tennyson asked.

"This, he said, is a major question to which the legislature should give serious consideration."

NEWS FROM KELLERVILLE

The Lazy Daisy Sewing Club met Thursday in the home of Mrs. R. D. Holmes. Refreshments of salad and coffee were served to Mesdames S. B. Kiser, W. Gregory, W. S. Marshall, L. Thompson, H. A. D'Spain, W. Harris, C. Drum, E. W. Stafford, and the hostess. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. S. B. Kiser January 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Drum and Martha, and granddaughter, Maryn McClellan of Wellington, spent the week-end in the home of the Drums' daughter, Mrs. M. Dunnam, at Lubbock.

COTTON QUIZ

WHAT FIBER IS STRONGER, WET THAN DRY?



ANSWER—COTTON! COTTON'S TENSILE STRENGTH INCREASES APPROXIMATELY 25% WHEN WET, WHILE OTHER FIBERS LOSE FROM 12 TO 25 PER CENT IN STRENGTH!

Carolyn Parker Is Given Party At Corcoran Home

A birthday party was given for Carolyn Sue Parker Saturday, January 17, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Corcoran. Carolyn Sue was eight years old.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to the children, and a theater party followed.

Those attending were Mary Pearson, LaVon Watson, Sheril Grimsley, Linda Guill, Judy Smith, Patty McIlroy, Mr. and Mrs. Ermon Jones and children, Ricky and Irma Ruth, and Mrs. S. T. Brown of Dallas.

FHA CHAPTER MEETS

The McLean F. H. A. met Tuesday, January 13.

The girls brought their lunches and ate in the homemaking room. June Stubblefield was the presiding officer. Betty Jean McClellan gave a test on parliamentary procedure.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Bones and Miss Iva Davidson were Sunday visitors in Wheeler in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Davidson.

Mr. J. C. Willis and baby of Alameed are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Willis.

Wrong Use of Teeth Injurious, Doctor Warns

It's impressive to be able to pry off bottle caps with your teeth, but it's much smarter—from a dental health standpoint—to use a bottle opener.

And using a cigarette holder looks dignified, and it helps keep stain off your fingers, but it doesn't do your teeth any good, State Health Officer George W. Cox says.

Dr. Cox can count off some 36 everyday, commonplace habits that the majority of Americans, including Texans, practice in one

degree or another that are injurious to mouth tissues.

Lip biting is one such habit. Others are clenching or grinding teeth, picking them, chewing on match sticks, tooth picks, holding nails or bobby pins between the teeth, and thumb sucking. Biting on straw or the ear loops of eyeglasses, or chewing pencils can also cause trouble.

Also said to be detrimental to teeth and gums is the practice of leaning your chin in the cup of your hand. It causes side pressure that is sometimes injurious to both teeth and jaws.

"This has to be a pretty consistent habit, though," the health officer asserted, "before it will be damaging. But it is something to watch."

Ever experience obscure headaches, tenderness at the temples,

of tenderness in face muscles? These might be signs of faulty closure of opposing teeth which is reflected in mouth tissue.

Guests in the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Kerr during the week-end, and attending the installation services Sunday at the First Presbyterian Church, were his sister, Mrs. Sallie K. Lively, his nephew and wife, Dr. and Mrs. Luther Griffin, of Amarillo; his niece, Mrs. Dawson Allman and family, of Hale Center; and Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Bunch and Mrs. Artie Reber of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Williams of Pauls Valley, Okla., spent the week-end here in the home of

their daughter, Mrs. Lester Dysart and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Grigsby and son Eddie, and granddaughters, Beverly and Janet Ritter, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Ritter and son Johnnie in Lubbock.

Mrs. Hazel Weinett and Miss Beulah Peery of Hooker, Okla., were Sunday guests of Miss Winitred Almond.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Beighle and children of Skellytown were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Granville Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Abbott

were Sunday visitors in Amarillo in the home of his sister, Mrs. Lee Wilson and family.

Mrs. Goldie Koch of Wooster, Ohio, spent last week in the home of her niece, Mrs. Lester Dysart and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Colebank spent several days last week in Tucumcari, N. M., in the home of their daughter, Mrs. John Cooper and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ermon Jones and children and Mrs. S. T. Brown returned to their home in Dallas Sunday after a week's visit here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Corcoran.

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The Presbyterian ladies are sponsoring a chuck wagon dinner Wednesday, February 4, at the Lions Hall, \$1.00. Don't forget to eat with them. 4-2c

The body of Admiral George Dewey of Spanish-American War fame, was transferred from Arlington Cemetery to a crypt in the Washington, D. C. Cathedral on March 28, 1925.

About President Eisenhower's Inauguration

By Congressman Walter Rogers

The inauguration of President Eisenhower is being written several days in advance of the inauguration, but will reach you very shortly after President Eisenhower takes up the reins of government. If the weather for the inauguration remains as it is today, the new President will take office in weather closely akin to spring. I sincerely hope that the weather remains good because there are many, many people from all over this country and from foreign countries converging upon the Capital City to witness the orderly transition of the government of this country from one administration to the other. The orderly and peaceful transfer of the reins of government under democratic processes is a deep and moving occasion to witness first-hand. It is difficult for the mind of man to fully envision the tremendous burdens that are shifted from the shoulders of one man to another in a period of approximately 30 minutes. During this election year I have had the opportunity of talking at length with a number of foreigners from many places around the world. Some of them had witnessed these operations before but found it difficult to believe that the heat of the campaign would not leave some scars and deep wounds that would mar this transition. Others who had come to this country in recent years simply could not believe that it was possible.

By the time you read this letter these people will have watched this transfer of the reins of government without so much as one mishap and with very little fanfare, trumpet blowing, and clamor insofar as the serious side of these proceedings is concerned. They will at the same time witness the celebrations, the parties, the balls, and the many other social activities incidental to the proceeding, in which activities the men, women and children taking part will demean themselves as ladies and gentlemen and true Americans united in their beliefs that the primary interest of all is the welfare of this great country in which it is our good fortune to live. The incidental proceedings, such as the social activities, will of course consume the greater part of several days. These activities include everything from early morning breakfasts, luncheons, afternoon teas and parties, to formal and informal dinners, to formal and informal dances. The inaugural ball is of course the highlight of the social activities. Under the social rules and regulations this affair is strictly formal, which means that the ladies must have a new dress or be able to appear in one in which they have not before been seen. The men of course are required to wear formal evening clothes, which means a white tie and a tuxedo. The wardrobes of most men do not include this ultra formal wear. Many of them confine their formal attire to tuxedos. However, the inaugural ball invitations expressly call for the white tie. Soon after these invitations were in the mail there was a great scramble around Washington by the menfolk seeking to rent these dress suits with the long tail. Many of these rental suits no doubt have a rich history. It is entirely possible that some of them were worn by former presidents, and it is highly probable that many of them have been worn by high dignitaries, both domestic and foreign. I am sure that if these suits could talk, they could tell some interesting stories. Among the accessories worn with the full dress suit is a silk top hat. However, the new President has publicly stated that he will not wear a top hat, but instead

Vic Vet says

VETERANS WHO HAVE PERMITTED THEIR GI TERM LIFE INSURANCE TO LAPSE BY NOT PAYING PREMIUMS WHEN DUE MAY REINSTATE THE POLICIES BEFORE THE TERM PERIOD ENDS

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intends to wear a black Homberg. This of course is most comforting to many who do not have a silk topper and are unable to acquire one. This departure by the President himself from the so-called social code is looked upon with favor by himself and many other westerners who prefer to wear the most comfortable hat of all—the West Texas model. The truth is, I intended to wear mine, anyway.

The hotels, tourist courts, and tourist homes are all full and overflowing, and every available room in Washington has been commandeered by the housing committees. Many of the people coming to the inauguration will remain in the Pullman cars in the railroad yards. I understand that they have all of the comforts of home except shower bath facilities. These they have to obtain inside the Union Station. So, if you happen to be up here and see a man or woman walking across the Union Station in a bath robe, with a bar of soap in one hand and a towel in the other, you will know what is going on.

Organization of Committees
The first order of business after the inauguration is the final formation of the congressional committees and their organization. There has been much time spent in arranging these committees in view of the close division in the House. As most of you know, I have served the past two years on the veterans affairs committee. I have now been assigned to the committee on interior and insular affairs. This is the committee in the House in which the tidelands bill properly belongs. This committee also has to do with all of the public lands, which should include the continental shelf, that is, that portion of the continental shelf beyond our tidelands. The conduct of the operations and development of this continental shelf will be of vital interest to Texas and the other states bordering on the ocean. I am looking forward with a great deal of interest to the work on this committee, but I will also work very closely with my former committee, the committee on veterans affairs.

Dr. Buell T. Wells, Baptist pastor, is conducting a revival at Fritch this week.

Mrs. Luther Petty was called to Amarillo Monday because of an injury to her grandson, Vernon Kennedy.

It is possible to train an eagle to hunt.

Lucky You by Dick Shaw



Lucky you—you ignored road conditions and avoided the hospital

Reveille—

(Continued from page 1)

Force." Lackland is the world's largest air force base, site of Air Force basic training for men and women, headquarters of the Human Resource Research Center, and home of AF's Officer Candidate School.

Pfc. Jack Roberson left Thursday for Camp Stoneman, Calif., after a 10-day leave with relatives here and in Pampa.

J. N. Smith, S. N., U. S. Navy, left Friday after spending a 30-day leave here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Smith.

Vic Shelton, S. N., left Wednesday after spending a leave in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Shelton. He is now enrolled in school in San Diego, Calif., and his new address is: Billy Vic Shelton, S. N., Co. 15-53, U. S. Naval Hospital Corps School, U. S. Naval Hospital, San Diego 34, Calif.

The Rig-Veda is a collection of hymns sacred to the Hindus.

There are only nine general types of flowers.

A drone is a male bee that gathers no honey.

Bombay duck is an Indian dish of fried fish.

The arteries carry blood away from the heart.

Night blindness is caused by a deficiency of vitamin A.

Vows Exchanged
By Sue Lively
And Brooks Hugg

Marriage vows for Sue Lively of McLean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Schoonover of Shamrock, and Pfc. Brooks Hugg, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Hugg of McLean, were read Sunday, January 11, in Clovis, N. M.

The single-ring ceremony was read at 8 o'clock in the Clovis Baptist church by the pastor. The couple was accompanied by Miss Joyce Bruner, Joe Turner, and Jerry Henley.

The bride wore a brown taffeta dress with matching brown accessories.

Mrs. Hugg is a member of the senior class at McLean High School, and plans to continue her studies. Pfc. Hugg left January 18 for overseas duty in Germany.

Sunday School Study Is Held

"Building a Standard 'Sunday School' was the subject of a study just completed in the First Baptist Church under the direction of the superintendent, R. L. McDonald.

Mrs. Luther Petty, acting as secretary for the class, announced awards to Mrs. Frank Howard, Dr. and Mrs. Buell Wells, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McDonald, R. L. Appling, Mrs. Una Newsom, Miss Marjorie Fowler, Mrs. Gene Nicholas, Mrs. A. A. Nicholas, Mrs. R. L. Brown, Oba Kunkel, Mrs. Homer Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. Rush Turner, Duward Price, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Petty, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simpson, and Miss Eunice Stratton. The class was taught by Mrs. Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Thygeson of Borger were guests Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dwyer.

GOOD HEALTH



Answer to Question No. 1: Though eye accidents in children have been reduced 25 percent there are still approximately 85,000 a year in the United States. These tragedies are largely avoidable. It is the responsibility of parents to protect their children when they are infants and to teach them precautions which they must take themselves in later years.

Answer to Question No. 2: Post-nasal drip is a reasonably common condition, and consists of coughing up a certain amount of material from the back of the nose. It is worse, as a rule, in the early morning, and it can produce varying grades of discomfort, depending on the amount of the drip. It can even lead to bad breath, or nausea and vomiting. The only way to cure this condition is to find the cause. Consult your physician, who will study your case, and advise treatment.

Answer to Question No. 3: Freckles are caused by a collection of pigment in local areas of the skin, and made more pronounced by sunlight. Though some people consider them disfiguring, freckles are definitely harmless. This condition is often a family trait. It occurs most frequently in blondes and red-headed people. (Copyright 1952 by Health Information Foundation)



A "knight errant" in olden days was a wandering knight.

A barbat man is one with a beard.

There are two barrels to a hoghead.

"Cave canum" means "beware of the dog."

In language clearness is everything.—Confucius.

Many varieties of butterfly have a fragrance.

Wonder if the moon affects the tide as much as it does the untied?

John Adams, in 1800, was the first occupant of the White House.

Indian Summer is known as St. Luke's summer in England.

The opossum is about one-half inch long at birth.

The District of Columbia had a delegate in Congress for four years, 1871 to 1875.

NEW BOSS

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