

SCHOOLS OPEN SEPTEMBER 1



LABEL FOR GIFTS TO GREECE . . . Rep. Leo E. Allen (Rep., Ill.) and John Baer, cartoonist and former congressman from North Dakota, display the emblem submitted by Baer for house approval in connection with a bill introduced by Allen for the labeling of all goods donated by the U. S. to the relief of war-torn countries. The measure would provide that indelible markings on all such gifts tell their origin, destination and unsalability.



WILLIS KREEGER of Gainsville, Texas, who will begin a ten-day series of gospel services at the Bovina Church of Christ on Saturday, August 23.

Scorching Weather Is Damaging Local Crops

In common with a vast scope of the middle west that has been suffering with scorching, dry weather the past several weeks, this area of the Plains country continues in the grip of a drought that threatens to seriously curtail the feed crops this fall.

With the exception of light, local showers over widely scattered sections, no rain of any consequence has

Riding on the waves of one of the heaviest electrical displays in recent years, the most beneficial rain of the summer fell here after midnight Tuesday. Chas. Lovelace, local weather recorder, said this (Wednesday) morning that the rainfall measured 1.25. Earlier in the night, showers were reported falling in the Parmerton section, between Bovina and Friona, but the amount of the precipitation was not learned. No other reports had been received here when The Tribune was preparing to go to press Wednesday morning.

fallen here since early Spring. Feed crops that were planted on the limited moisture from the early rains are withering and in some fields dying for lack of moisture.

Most farmers interviewed the past week see little hope of a feed crop this fall, except in small scattered areas where local showers have fallen. Wheat growers, who have been waiting for a rain to bring up the volunteer crop of wheat so that it may be killed out before sowing operations are undertaken, are merely marking time and awaiting the coming of moisture.

While the drought holds on, the mercury continues to climb each day with readings of the high 90's being recorded every day. Cool nights are the only revitalizing agencies at work, allowing a restful night to residents.

Suit on Account Is Reversed by Jury

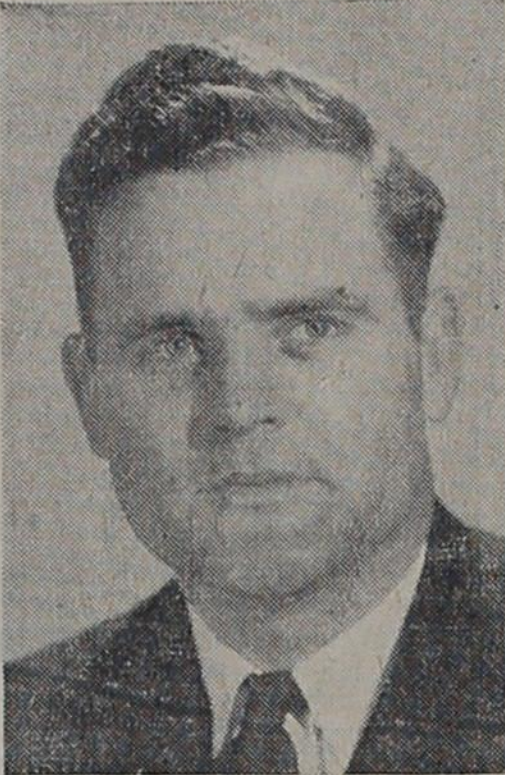
A suit on an account, allegedly due the Consumers Fuel Association, resulted in a reversal verdict in Justice Jess Newton's court here last Thursday.

According to Newton, the Consumers had brought suit against T. C. Buckner, seeking judgement on a hundred dollar account. Instead of rendering in favor of the plaintiff, the jury found in favor of the defendant and gave him a judgement of \$200. The case has been appealed to the county court, Newton said.

ATTENDS CONFERENCE

Mr. B. A. Rogers, supt. of the Texico Schools, attended a two-day conference for Administrators of Eastern New Mexico held at Portales, Monday and Tuesday of this week.

The program was sponsored by the Eastern New Mexico College. Rogers stated that several state officials were present for the meeting, including R. J. Mullins, Executive Secretary of the New Mexico Educational Assn., Mr. Rose, Superintendent of Schools, and Mrs. Barker, Elementary School Supervisor.



PRINCIPALS IN REVIVAL, starting on Wednesday, August 20, at the First Baptist Church, Bovina, are (above) Rev. A. G. Purvis, evangelist; and (below) Rev. Bruce Giles, pastor of the Bovina church.

Bovina Baptist Church Opens Revival Meeting

A revival meeting will open at the First Baptist Church in Bovina on Wednesday, August 20 and will continue through August 31, it was announced today by Rev. Bruce Giles, pastor of the church.

Rev. A. G. Purvis, pastor of the Dixie Baptist Church at Tyler, Texas, has been engaged to do the evangelistic preaching, and Virgil Hinton Jr. of Clovis will be in charge of the song service.

Services will be held twice daily at 10 a. m. and 8 p. m. In announcing the revival meeting, Rev. Giles extended an invitation to the public to attend any and all services.

Test Fire Equipment On Wednesday

Last Wednesday night at drill practice, the Texico-Farwell Fire Department members made a practice run to the vacant block south of Henderson's Grain Co., going through the routine operation of familiarizing themselves with the operation of the equipment.

The two one-and-a-half inch fog hoses were connected and a test made on the pressure pump, which proved to be up to par; also, the high pressure booster hose was put into operation, giving each member a chance to get the feel of it at different pressures, up to 600 pounds.

Two new members were accepted into the Fire Department at the last meeting, and others are expected to become members next Wednesday night, which is regular drill night.

Farm Home Near Bovina Destroyed by Fire

The farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Woltman, north of Bovina, was completely destroyed by fire last Saturday evening, it was learned here the first of this week.

The Woltman family was in Clovis at the time of the fire and discovered the charred remains of their home upon their return. The cause of the fire was not known. Built only about a year, the home was practically new. New items of furniture, added only recently, went up in smoke. No insurance was carried, it was reported here.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wilson of Odessa, and Lester Kirby, of Morton, were recent visitors in the Denver May home.

One Year Down and Eleven to Go

Is the way Larry Hightower of Ellensburg, Washington, has figured it, as he stopped in Farwell last Saturday on his way around the world with his fast becoming famous wheelbarrow.

Hightower, age 46, left Ellensburg July 4th, 1946, with a determination to do what no other man has ever done; to walk and push a wheelbarrow completely around the world. To date (Saturday of last week), the world traveler had covered 4,701 miles in the 13 months and 4 days since he began the journey.

The wheelbarrow is an all-steel, common workman's type, equipped with two headlights, two tail lights, fog lights, rear view mirror, two generators and a radio receiving set. While traveling at night he wears a luminous jacket, as a safety precaution from highway traffic.

Hightower stated that in a full 24 hours push he would cover about 27 1/2 miles, but seldom made so great a distance without rest, or being stopped for an interview. He is a member of the American Chamber of Commerce; also a member of the Lions Club, in his home town.

The traveler makes the acquaintances of the town officials, including the Chamber of Commerce members and the police department heads. He is carrying a picture from Roswell, showing a policeman presenting him with a ticket for turning a corner on one wheel with his wheelbarrow. He also carries a letter of good cheer from some official in each town.

The Chamber of Commerce at Las Cruces asked him to deliver a bottle of white sand from one of the most scenic spots in New Mexico, to the mayor of New York City.

Hightower stated that he is asked so many questions that he has to fix answers on some of them. For example: "Where do you get your mail?" He seems to be in good spirits even after a year of walking, and is more determined than ever to carry out his mission.

LOCAL BOY A WINNER

Arlyn Kriegel, Oklahoma Lane 4-H Club boy, was selected by the judges at A. & M. College as one of the winners of the Producer's Grain Corporation Talent Club Contest.

This award was made on Arlyn's achievements as a club boy and his written essay, which gave the best record from this wheat growing district. Said district includes Parmer-Castro, Swisher, and Briscoe Counties.

Arlyn and Ollie Liner, County Agent, will be guests of the Producer's Grain Corporation at an all-day meeting in Amarillo on August 20.

Arlyn is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Kriegel of Oklahoma Lane. This contest has been previously won by two Parmer County Club members. In 1942 it was won by Mary D. Christian, and in 1943 by Barbara Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Aldridge and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lovelace have gone to the high altitudes of New Mexico for a vacation trip.

Fire Department Gets \$2000 From State

Qualifying for state aid, the Texico Fire Department received a check last week from the state treasurer of New Mexico in the amount of \$2000, being the town's share of a \$120,000 fund distributed annually by the Fire Protection Fund of New Mexico.

Town Clerk W. L. Freeman said that the money had been placed to the credit of the local fire department and would be used exclusively for the maintenance and operation of the fire department. Maintaining a high standard, the Texico Department has qualified for the maximum share of the fund for the past several years.

Clerk Freeman said that 1000 feet of new fire hose was being ordered for the local department. This hose, he explained, will be used to replace some hose bought only a few months ago which did not come up to standard requirements of the insurance division of the state. Texico and Farwell share equally in the cost of the new hose, Freeman added.

Bovina Coach Leaving For Vega Opening

R. W. Standefer, who has been principal and coach of the Bovina school since 1940, except for the period in the Army, has announced his intentions of leaving Bovina to go to Vega, where he will take over the principal-coach job there.

Standefer said that the only reason for leaving Bovina was the increased pay offered on the Vega job. The Vega school is a 12-teacher system, he said. Mr. and Mrs. Standefer plan to leave Bovina about August 20 and get located for their new duties.

Hugh Tucker Opens Garage in Texico

Hugh Tucker, who has been working as a mechanic at Bovina for the past several months, has returned to Texico and has just recently opened a garage in the old Snell building just south of the Crawley Bakery in Texico.

Tucker said today that the place would be operated as Tucker's Garage, and that he would be adding new items of equipment just as soon as they were available. Before going to Bovina, Tucker worked as a mechanic for the Harrison Hardware here.

HAS OPERATION

Little Sam Pool, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Pool, underwent an operation for the removal of a sisk on the lower end of his spinal column last weekend, and is reported to be recovering satisfactorily. He will likely be confined to a Clovis hospital the remainder of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Kirby and daughter, Lynnette, of Odessa, Texas, were visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Denver May and family, of Texico, last week.

Both the Farwell and Texico schools are slated to open Monday, September 1st, according to superintendents, O. T. Loyd and B. A. Rogers, respectively.

Teachers secured for the Farwell school for the ensuing year are: Mrs. James B. Airhart, who will teach the first grade. Mrs. Airhart has 3 and one half years of experience in primary work. This is Mrs. Airhart's first year at the Farwell schools.

Mrs. L. S. Pool of this city will teach the second graders. Mrs. Pool has completed 3 and one-third years of college work, having attended school at Eastern New Mexico College this past summer. She has had two years of teaching experience, both of which were in the Farwell School.

Mrs. C. E. Sanders, whose home is in Texico, will have charge of the third grade. Mrs. Sanders has 3 and two-thirds years of college work and 14 years of teaching experience, having taught last year in the Farwell school.

Mrs. Grace Loyd will be the 4th grade teacher. She has a B. S. Degree from Texas Tech and has 12 years experience of teaching to her credit. Mrs. Loyd and her son, O. T., superintendent, have been teaching together for the past several years, having taught at McAdoo and Smyer, before coming here.

Miss Wilma Snider, who has completed 3 1/2 years of college work at the Eastern New Mexico College, will teach the 5th grade. Miss Snider has had one year of teaching experience, having taught here last year.

Mr. Monroe E. Richie has been secured as instructor of the 6th grade class. Mr. Richie acquired his B. S. degree at the West Texas State Teachers College. He is married and he and his wife will make their home here. The couple have no children.

Mr. James B. Airhart will teach the 7th and 8th grades and is also elementary principal of the school. Mr. Airhart has had 14 years of experience as principal and coach. He has a B. S. degree from the North Texas State Teachers College. He and Mrs. Airhart, who is also a teacher, and two daughters, who will be in school, will make their home in the West Camp Community.

Mrs. Earl Booth will retain her position as English instructor in High School. Mrs. Booth has a B. A. degree of West Texas State, and five years of teaching experience.

Robert Morton, Vocational Agriculture teacher with 6 years of experience, will teach his fourth year in the local school. Mr. Morton possesses a B. S. degree from Texas A. and M.

Jack Williams returns as principal and boy's coach. Mr. Williams has a B. S. degree from the Southwestern State Teachers College of Oklahoma, and 7 years of experience in teaching.

O. T. Loyd heads the school as superintendent and will teach in the capacity as commerce instructor. He has a Master of Education degree from Texas Tech, Administrator's Certificate, and 8 years of teaching experience.

The Home Economics vacancy, which appeared in the faculty some time ago, has not yet been filled, according to Supt. Loyd.

Superintendent Loyd announced that the school cafeteria has undergone redecoration work and that the school has purchased a new deep-

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Self-Service Laundries Is Big Business

Apparently one of the fastest growing businesses in this country is the self-serve laundries, a rapidly expanding industry which is drawing increased numbers of operators and patrons, of which both the operators and customers are finding much satisfaction in the washeteria business.

Long before the war, there were helpy-seify laundries in many of the residential sections of our towns but the industry itself may be called a post-war phenomenon, having taken such a stride and proving to be the need of the people in general.

A washeteria may be found in any town with a population of 500 or several in larger cities, offering the housewife the most modern equipment and comfortable environment while doing the weekly task for the family. Although many of these types of businesses were operating

some years ago, they offered little more than the convenience than the average wife had at home, but they have speeded up to keep pace with the more modern and fast-increasing number of laundries.

The helpy-seify laundries vary in size, from seven or eight units to twenty-five or more, and offer their services from twelve to sixteen hours a day, six days a week, giving the laundry lady an opportunity to do the washing at her convenience, at a reasonable price; ranging from \$25 to \$50 per hour for each machine.

Soaps, starches, and bleaches may be had at a minimum cost without the loss of time. Pickup and delivery service is being featured by many of the self-serving laundries.

The old ditty of Monday being washday is fast losing its tinge. Monday is still a busy day with the laundries, but other days, especially Sa-

tday, is making fast gains, and in the future there may be no wash day; although it is the custom of the housewife to acquire the habit of picking one day of the week and getting accustomed to using it as her day for wash, while others choose any day she desires.

There will be a great demand for washing machines for some time to meet the supply needed for the fast increasing number of laundries that are being put into operation, and to replace the old and out-of-date equipment. The commercial service life that the machines will experience will be considerable shorter than an individually owned unit.

Many of the larger laundries, with 25 or more units, will take in \$100 per day, which will amount to a considerable sum in a year's time. It seems to be quite a profitable business for the owner as well as the customer.

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W. H. GRAHAM, Editor and Owner

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Bovina Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Mruphey of Pamona, Calif., visited Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ellison over the weekend.

Wesley Ayres was slightly injured Sunday afternoon, when he was swimming. He dived into a shallow tank and bursted a place on his head. It is not thought to be serious at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Johnson and family visited Mr. Hubert McKinney who is in the hospital in Muleshoe Sunday afternoon. Hubert is slightly improved at this writing.

There is a Bible school started at the Baptist Church Monday. It is a vacation Bible School.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Moorman and children are visiting relatives in Crosbyton, Tex. at this time.

Charles Denny Williams spent the day Sunday with the Lowrie family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barnett and Jackie and Miss Martha Williams are visiting the Eldon Wards in Tulsa this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Ruby and Zeltbert were dinner guests in the F. W. Ayres home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Magness of Farwell attended church at the Church of Christ in Bovina Sunday. They tell us they are moving to a farm near Frieno.

Mr. and Mrs. Mell Gunn have as their guest Mr. Gunn's father.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Elton Rhodes and two sons, Charles and Tim from Wink, Texas, are visiting Lee's mother and dad, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. White.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ellison had as their dinner guests on Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Elton Rhodes and two sons, and Mr. and Mrs. Lilvus Rhodes and two sons, and Mrs. A. G. White.

Minister and Mrs. S. A. Ribbel of Tatum, New Mexico spent Monday night in the home of Minister and Mrs. Shelby Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Rhodes have returned from a vacation trip to Oklahoma and Ft. Worth, Tex. They attended a family reunion in Ft. Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rhodes, and Thomas and Dorothy, from Bovina, and Miss Gwendolyn Rhodes of Amarillo attended this reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wilkerson are the proud parents of a son born August 2nd.

The small child of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams, grandchild of Mr. and

Mrs. O. W. Rhinehart of Bovina, is in the hospital in Lubbock very ill with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Venable presented the Church of Christ with a lovely large electric clock. The pastor Minister Sanders and all the members are very grateful for this courtesy.

The Rev. and Mrs. Fred Stumpp and Peggy Joyce, from Gainesville, Tex., came through Bovina, Wednesday night on their way to Red River, N. M., where they will vacation for a week or two. They spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. H. Tidenberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ward, and Billy, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Denny and Willie and Rosa Lee, are vacationing in the mountains near Taos, N. M., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Whetstone and

daughter Sharon Kay, from Amarillo, are visiting Mrs. Whetstone's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pesch.

Betty Jane Kimbrough underwent surgery, in a hospital in Clovis Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Quickel were guests in the Wilbur Charles home last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Quickel and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pesch attended the ballgame in Clovis Saturday night.

Lloyd Batty had some dental work done in Clovis Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ross, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jones are vacationing at Yellowstone National Park this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Derrick are moving this week on the old Ross Estate.

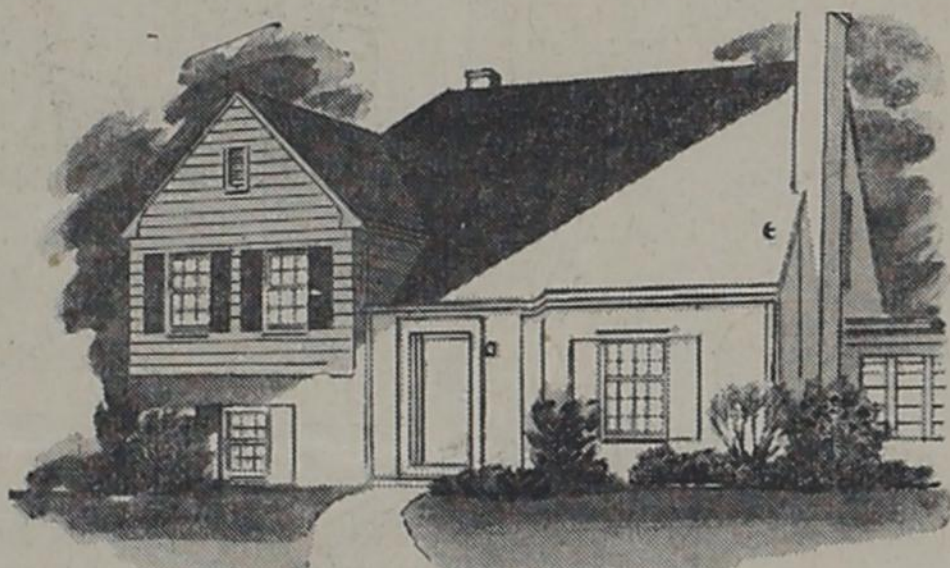
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terms of a one-year sales contract, which provides for automatic renewal, the sales agency will deliver \$500,000 worth of passenger cars, trucks, tractors and spare parts in 1947 to Yugoauto. The automobiles may be manufactured in England or Spain.

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Bovina Wheat Growers Inc.
Lee Thompson, Mgr.
BOVINA, TEXAS

BOVINA NEWS

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Lee Hopingardner and H. Blalock are in Hot Springs this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Osborne Loflin and family are vacationing in Colorado this week.

Ladies of Bovina and surrounding communities, are you interested in your yards and flowers? We are going to organize a flower study club. There are six names on the list now and we expect many more to be added on the evening of Sept. 17th, at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Batty's, at which time we will organize the club. Those who have their names down now are: Mrs. Louis Pesch, Mrs. Lloyd Batty, Mrs. I. W. Quickel, Mrs. Mable Newberry, Mrs. A. G. White, and Mrs. Bob Williford. The name chosen for the club is "The Lilly Flower Club". The subject for the first meeting will be "How best to Mulch or Fertilize the Soil for Different Flowers and Plants, and "When to Plant What." If you are interested, meet with us on the afternoon of the 17th, of Sept. in the home of Mrs. Lloyd Batty, and if you have any flowers at the time you want to display, bring them along. We will also exchange bulbs and plants of all kinds when we have extras.

There was quite a bit of excitement on the Chester Venable farm Thursday, when his wheat stubble field caught fire, burning almost the entire field before it could be checked. It was not known here how it started.

Howard Elison, just had to try that new Mercury car out, so he and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bunch left Thursday for Oklahoma for a few days. They will go to Dennison Lake and fish for a while. Lake Dennison is near Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Bishop from Jacksonville, Tex., are visiting here with Mrs. Bishop's parents and other relatives. They came for their children who had spent the summer with their aunt, Mrs. Troy Fuller.

Mrs. Glen Williams and Miss Earlene Marker left for Arkansas the first of the week to visit Mrs. Williams' brother, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hawkins and children, Gene, Roylene and Edith, are vacationing this week in Oregon, and other places of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Batty are driving a new Pontiac and is it a beauty.

Mr. and Mrs. Osborne Loflin, visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jefferson at Atoka, Okla., while they were in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Bess Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson are enjoying an outing at Ruidoso this weekend.

Mr. A. G. White is doing some repair work on the I. W. Quickel house this week. He is building a new porch and other minor repairs on the house.

Word from some of the vacationists this week: The Bryon Turners and children were in California, and will visit the Ben Hendricks and Harold Turners while there. They say they are having a wonderful time, and the Frank H. Wilsons have gone on into California and Washington, and may go into Canada.



HOWDY FOLKS: Did you hear about the waitress who kept insisting to a customer that there were no calories in the hash because they had the cleanest kitchen in town.

SHE: "Who was that girl you just spoke to?"

HE: "Never mind, darling. I'll have enough trouble telling her who you are."

MATH PROF: "Now, if I subtract 25 from 37 what is the difference?"
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Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Wilson are vacationing in Canada.

Mrs. Luke Henley and Mrs. Artia James and Mrs. Hubert White, all of Hereford visited Grandpa White Monday, who is very ill at this time.

Elmer Thompson is spending the week with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson at Portales.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ellison, who have recently returned from their vacation trip tells us that while they were in Twin Falls, Idaho, they visited a few hours with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith, formerly of Bovina.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Venable had as their weekend guests, a daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Westmorland and children, and Mr. Walter Bagley, a cousin of Mr. Westmorland from Kermit, Tex.

The Church of Christ had an attendance of 75 Sunday morning for Sunday school and preaching services.

We are grieved to report that Mr. and Mrs. Jack Woltman had the misfortune to lose their house and all the contents on Saturday night by fire. They were at Clovis when the fire occurred, and the origin of the blaze is not known.

DORCAS CIRCLE MET WED.

Mrs. A. G. White was hostess to the Dorcas Circle, of the Methodist Church, on Wednesday, Aug. 6.

The ladies met in an all-day meeting. Before lunch they visited and did some needle work. After the covered dish luncheon that was so thoroughly enjoyed by all was over, they did their fancy work, crocheting and embroidering, until around 3 o'clock, when the business meeting got under way, with Mrs. I. W. Quickel acting as president in the president's absence.

Mrs. Lewis Pesch opened the meeting with a prayer, and a general business discussion was held. Then reports on the Bible were heard, Mrs. Quickel reporting on Hagar, Mrs. Newberry reporting on Lot's Wife and Mrs. White gave a report on Leah and Rachael. The meeting closed by benediction by the group.

In attendance: Mrs. Loyd Batty, Mrs. Louis Pesch, Mrs. I. W. Quickel, Mrs. Mable Newberry, Mrs. John Wilson, Mrs. Shelby Sanders, and the hostess, Mrs. White.

After the meeting was over, the ladies went through the new church buildings of the Methodist, Baptist and Church of Christ, after which they came back to Mrs. White's home and enjoyed cold lemonade.

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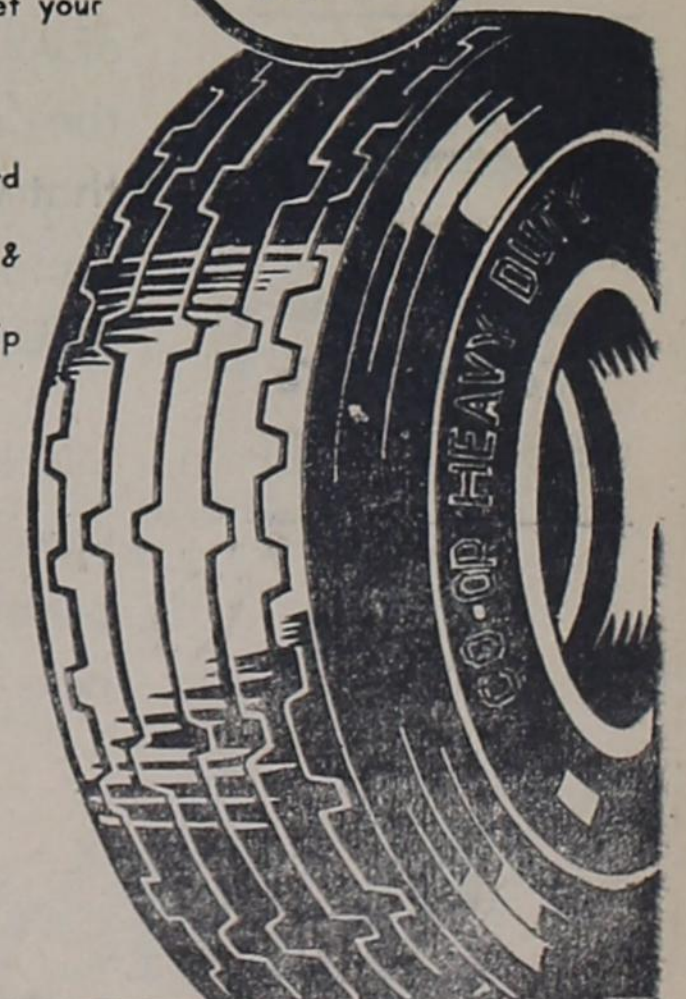
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CARD OF THANKS

Our many friends of in and near Texico will never know how we have appreciated your remembrances in the form of flowers, gifts, visits and words of comfort you have extended us while Mrs. Body has been recovering from an accident sustained several weeks ago. We invite you to come and see us often.—Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Body.

BACK FROM HARVEST

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hardage returned home the latter part of last week from the harvest fields, having followed the harvest with combines from here to Nebraska. Ed says he had a very profitable trip, and was delayed only four days by rain, adding that the only reason they came home was that they just got "worn out."

Dairy cows do best when given a six weeks to two months rest between lactation periods.

Cool Retreats Call Local Vacationists

A general exodus on the part of Parmer County residents has been on the past two weeks and the number will likely increase during the next week, as vacationists from all parts of the county load into the old jalopies and take off for the cool retreats in the mountains of New Mexico.

Some are headed for higher elevations in Colorado and even farther to the northwest.

One vacationist, returning home last weekend, said that Parmer County cars were in evidence at every camping place he visited in northern New Mexico. Unless reservations had been made in advance, he said, it was out of the question to find a vacant cabin, with the result that many were forced to sleep in their cars or out in the open.

Regardless of the hardships, the stream of vacationists, bent on getting a little "breathing spell" before the opening of school, are taking to the hills in unprecedented numbers.

LEO POTISHMAN HERE

Leo Potishman of Ft. Worth, owner of the Farwell Elevator in this city, and the Santa Fe Grain Co. in Friona, was here over the past weekend, looking after his interests. Potishman said that the 1947 bumper grain crop over the Texas Panhandle was the largest in history and added that facilities for handling the grain in the large terminal centers proved a real undertaking.

MISS DAVIS RESIGNS

Miss Mable Davis, primary teacher of the Texico School for the past four years, resigned her position last week, according to B. A. Rogers, superintendent of the Schools. Miss Davis did not reveal her future plans, but it is understood that she has accepted another job.

COMMISSIONERS MEET

The County Commissioners Court was in session here Monday. The minutes reveal that the only business transacted was the payment of current bills and approval of the minutes of the last meeting. The Court has set Aug. 25th for the date of the annual budget hearing.

Tips on Using Sugar in Making Preserves

COLLEGE STATION—Here's a tip for housewives now making preserves out of the fruit crop that's coming to market now.

Fruit preserves are successful only if the fruit holds its shape, yet is tender and translucent in the syrup home economists for the USDA say as they explain that sugar has a firming effect on fruit tissues but must be applied differently to various types of fruit.

Sugar is added "straight" to tender, juicy fruits like peaches, cherries and berries. If the fruits stand overnight in sugar, they become firmer and are less likely to go to pieces in cooking. The sugar draws out the juice and shrinks the fruit somewhat, but the juice provides enough liquid so that no water need be added, and this shortens cooking time. The shorter the cooking, the better the color and flavor.

Juicy fruits with a firm skin, like plums, do not need overnight firming. But because they are juicy, they are put in a thick syrup. This helps keep their shape as they cook, and the juice, as it cooks out, thins the necessary amount.

Firm fruits like quinces and crab-apples are put in thin syrup to cook. For thick syrup toughens them, and too, they have time to cook tender while the syrup boils down.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Ham, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Minter left here the first of the week for a vacation trip that will carry them to the northern part of New Mexico and possibly on into Colorado.

With food prices high, even vegetarians are beginning to beef.



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Local Happenings

Local Couple Wed In Roswell

Miss Ruth Glenn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Glen of Farwell, and Joe Blair, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Blair of Texico, were married in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Ezell of Roswell, July 31st, at 6 p. m., in a single ring ceremony, with the pastor of the Methodist Church of Roswell officiating.

Only a few close friends of the couple were present for the occasion, with R. B. Ezell acting as best man, and Mrs. Ezell matron of honor.

The bride wore a blue gaberdine suit, and white blouse with brown accessories, and a white carnation. Following the wedding the couple went as guests of the Ezells to dinner.

The following day the couple left for Ruidoso, where they spent three days before returning to their home.

The bride has been employed as bookkeeper for Roberts Seed Co. since January. Her former home was in Ft. Worth, Tex. The groom is farming with his father three miles south of Texico. They plan to make their home in Texico for the present.

Couple Meets Friends First Time in 40 Years

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Ford, who live northeast of Farwell, returned home last week after a three week's visit with relatives and friends at Madison Hill, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford report that they met some friends at a Cemetery Home Coing that they had not seen in forty years. They visited with relatives and friends all along the way, enroute home, and reported a very nice vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ford and family of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. Elton Malone of Hereford left here Saturday for a week's outing trip to the mountains of northern New Mexico.

Friona Couple Wed

Miss Mamie Lou Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph G. Wilson and Louis Welch, son of Mrs. F. N. Welch, both of Friona, were united in marriage last Sunday morning at the Friona Congregational Church.

Rev. M. M. Beavers, retired, Methodist Minister, read the matrimonial rites.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore an ivory satin gown, designed with a sweetheart neckline, and long fitted sleeves that pointed at the hand. Her bouquet was made up of white roses and stephanotis.

For something old she carried a large handkerchief belonging to the groom's mother something new, a string of pearls, a gift of the groom; and a pair of blue barbers was worn for something blue.

Miss Muran Welch, sister of the groom and maid of honor, wore a yellow dress and carried an arm bouquet of white asters. The bridesmaids, Miss Theima Zimmerman, Miss Lunell McFarland, Miss Evelyn Johnson and Mrs. David Johnson, wore identical dresses of blue marquisette over satin and carried arm bouquets of white asters. Little Miss Marilyn Potts, cousin of the bride, was the flower girl and wore yellow marouette and carried a yellow net basket.

Davis Johnson of Dallas, served as best man.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the home of the bride's parents where the wedding cake and punch was served to many of the bride and groom's relatives and friends, both of Friona and out of town.

Mrs. J. H. Ross visited her brother and family in Lubbock over the weekend.

T. O. Barnes of Roswell, formerly of this city, was attending to business here Thursday of last week.

Miller-Daily Rites Read

Miss Reba Miller and Mr. Earl Daily were united in marriage in a single ring ceremony performed Wednesday, August 6 at Clovis.

Mrs. Daily, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Miller of Clovis, formerly of Farwell, was a graduate of Farwell High School with the class of 1947.

Mr. Daily is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Daily of Oklahoma, formerly of West Camp.

For the ceremony, the bride wore a black and white two-piece dress with black accessories.

Following the reception in the home of the bride's parents, the couple left for Amarillo, where they will spend their short honeymoon. Afterwards, going to Blanchard, Okla., Mr. Daily's home, and from there they plan to go to Washington, where they will make their home.

Outdoor Hamburger Fry

The Les Means' home was the scene of a hamburger fry Monday night, when a group of friends gathered for an outdoor feast, with Dixie Stewart and May Means acting as hostesses. Hamburgers, french fries, cake and soda pop were served the following: Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Green, Aileen May, Donald Watkins, Buddy Pearce, Delores Green, Mr. and Mrs. Les Means and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Stewart and children Beal and La Dona.

Mr. and Mrs. Denver May and family had as their guests over the weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Newson, of Tulia, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Kirby and daughter Lynette, of Odessa, Texas, Ruth Thomason, Odessa; Lester Kirby, Morton; Leroy Herd and Chester Boles of Colorado and Mr. and Mrs. Odis Murphy, of Pomona, Calif.

Robert Morton, Vocational Agriculture teacher of the Farwell school, spent four days last week at Texas A. and M., where he attended a State Vocational Agricultural Teachers Conference.

Robert Morton will attend the West Texas Duroc Breeders Assn. sale, to be held at Lubbock Saturday.

Edward Engram returned home last week from an unscheduled trip to Fullerton, Calif., where he visited a few days with relatives. Edward explained that Pen Curtis invited him to go along and he accepted the invitation without much preparation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Yoder of Fullerton, Calif., are expected to arrive here next week for a week's visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Sikes went to Silver City, N. M., last Saturday returning home Tuesday evening, where they visited in the home of Mrs. Sikes' sister.

Larry Smith of Orange, Texas, visited in the home of his aunt, Mrs. J. C. Moore, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Smith of Orange, Texas, visited in the J. C. Moore home Sunday. Mickey has just returned from the Phillipines, where he has been with the Consolidated Ship Builders since the first of the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bob Drace and daughter, Lynn, were on vacation this week. They visited the Carlsbad Caverns, El Paso, Lubbock and Hale Center, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hair and children of Hereford visited in the home of Mrs. Hair's mother and brother, Mrs. Grace Loyd and O. T. Loyd, last week.

B. T. U. Has Hay Ride

The Baptists Training Union of the Texico-Farwell Baptist Church sponsored a hay ride Saturday night in honor of Virgil Hunton, Jr., of Clovis, formerly of Texico.

Donald Watkins furnished the tractor and Junior Harding the trailer and hay. The group went to the sandhills about 12 miles south of Texico, where a picnic lunch was spread and enjoyed by Delphine Johnson, Aileen May, Buddy Pearce, Fred Curtis, Helen and Grace McDaniel, Peggy Schleuter, Nell and Mildred Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Paul, Delores Green, Donald and Leonard Watkins, and Junior Harding.

Rendered Surprise On Birthday

Members of the Wesley Bible Class of the Methodist Church tendered Mrs. Anne Overstreet a pleasant surprise last Sunday afternoon, when they appeared in a group at her home in observance of her birthday.

Bringing with them the refreshment items, a lovely birthday cake and punch were served during the afternoon while conversation and music was being enjoyed.

Class members in attendance for the affair were: Mesdames Roy Thornton, Albert Thomas, O. B. Pippin, Lena Yoder, J. F. Parks, G. W. Atchley, B. N. Graham, Roy B. Ezell, A. D. Smith, and Ruby Dixon. Other guests included Mrs. Ida Temple, Mrs. Grace Sanders, Mrs. W. H. Graham, Laura Temple, and Sammy Lee Graham.

Honored at Party

Delores Green, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Green, Texico, was honored with a farewell party and weiner roast Friday night, at the Hillcrest Park in Clovis, with a group of friends as her guests.

Miss Green left Tuesday for Amarillo, where she will enter nurses' training at the North West Texas Hospital, Wednesday August 13th.

Those present for the party were Aileen May, Delmer and Robert May, Buddy Pearce, Bobby Poteet, John White, Wayne Tucker, Delphine Johnson, Fred Curtis, Bill Stewart, Donald Watkins, Peggy and Jean Rogers, Nell and Mildred Murphy, Jewel Middleton, George Paul, Norma Lee Sanders, Junior Harding, Mrs. Les Means, Mrs. Stanley Stewart, Mrs. A. C. Green and honoree, Delores Green.

Mrs. E. P. Cason of Malakoff, Tex. returned to her home Tuesday, after a ten-day visit with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Cason, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Rip Snodgrass and son returned to their home Monday after three weeks of vacationing and taking mineral baths at Hot Springs, N. M. They returned by way of Carlsbad, where they visited the Caverns.

Mr. and Mrs. Si Magness and son Cecil, are here from Elberary, Tex. visiting relatives.

Lawrence Overstreet of Oklahoma City, arrived here Sunday to spend his vacation with his mother, Mrs. Ann Overstreet.

To Friona

Mr. and Mrs. George Magness, long time residents of this city, have moved to their new home, located 3 miles west of Friona, where they plan to farm. The couple purchased the farm some time ago and have rented their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Jarrell and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Stephenson and daughters of Portales, visited their son and brother of Denver, last week. On their return home, they had the pleasure of visiting some interesting points in Santa Fe and Albuquerque.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyde Brewer were Friona visitors last Thursday.

Mrs. Grace Sanders of Clovis was visiting friends in Farwell Sunday afternoon. Norma Lee Sanders, daughter of Mrs. Sanders, returned home with her, after spending the weekend with Peggy and Jean Rogers of Texico.

Mrs. De Bilbray and son David, of Tulia, returned home last Thursday after visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. Tom Lovelace.

S. S. Shelby, brother of the late Mrs. J. S. Jersig of north of Bovina was here the first of the week visiting with old friends. He resides in Amarillo row.

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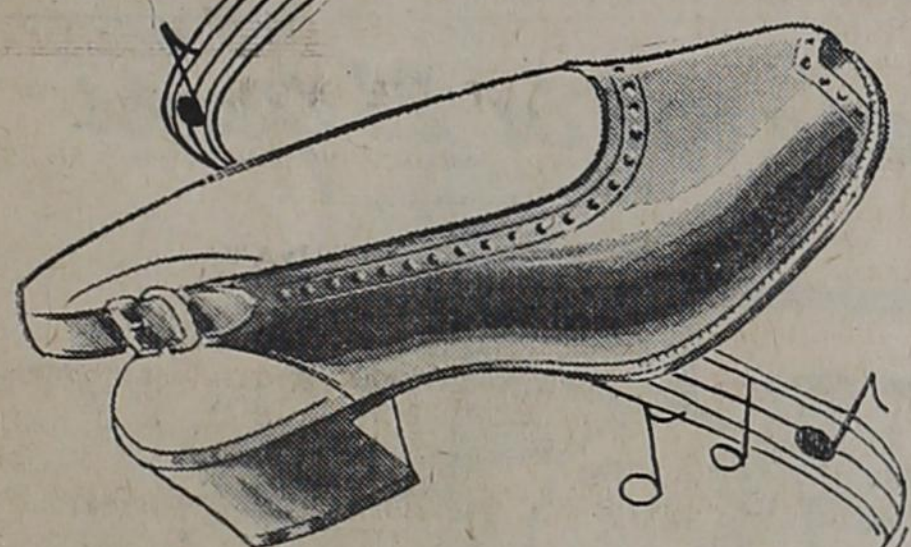
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As the sentry's cry of "All's well!" Echoed through the stone barracks and across the courtyard to a little rock house just within the confines of Fort Concho, little eight-year-old Mary relaxed for sleep. It was wonderful to feel secure. She couldn't recall any sensation quite like it. But even as she hugged the feeling close to her, she wondered how long it would last.

Would it, for instance, still be hers in their little new house that her father was building across the river? Mary Tankersley was a child of the

West Texas frontier and, being in a country infested by Indians, had been taught to be on the alert. Born at Camp Colorado in 1861 after the Civil War had commenced and the federal government had removed its troops from the frontier posts, tragedy had come close to her while she was still in her crib. Their nearest neighbors, the Jacksons, were attacked; the father, mother and older daughter killed and scalped and the two younger children taken captive. Her own father had joined the Rangers in tracking down the Indians and the retrieved children had lived with the Tankersleys until relatives

could come for them.

And then their family had moved to Concho country, becoming the first white people in that area, and them by the Rangers in the winter of 1865. And so for four more years little Mary had lived in the shadow were again soon in the midst of Indian trouble. The Kickapoos, once a friendly tribe, had gone on the war-path after an unfortunate attack on of this feeling of insecurity.

It was not until this summer when the family had come to live at the post while the father was away trailing cattle that this fear had begun to recede. But Father was back now, and their own little home across the Concho would soon be ready to move to.

Mary was glad that it was this close to the fort, but she wished that she could hear the sentry's "All's well!" during the night.

It was in the late Fall of 1869 that Mary, daughter of R. F. Tankersley, pioneer Ranger, cattleman and trail driver, wished for closer neighbors and the security they would offer in frontier West Texas.

Three-quarters of a century later, as Mary Tankersley Lewis sat on the front porch of her home just across the street from the San Angelo High School, she recalled this wish. But the exact location of the little house, and of its sheds and corals, now well within the confines of that bustling metropolis of the Concho, was harder to identify.

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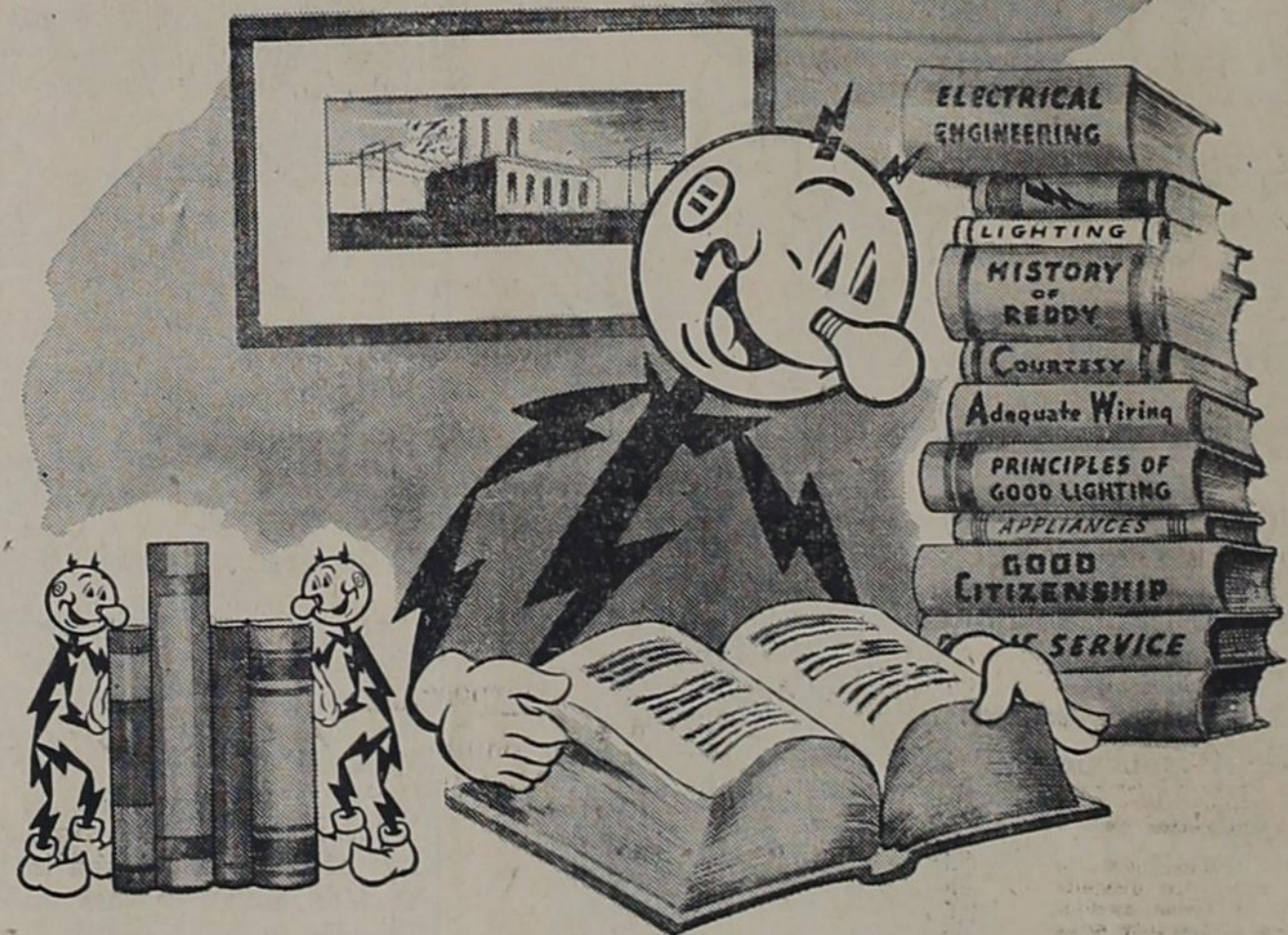
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TO: Ephriam Bockover, J. P. Rogers, John P. Roberts, the unknown partners and unknown owners of Blackwell Hdw. Co., a partnership and the unknown stockholders, creditors, officers and directors of Blackwells Hardware & Furniture Co., a defunct corporation, and the unknown heirs, assigns and legal representatives of each of the above defendants:

GREETING: You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, the same being Monday the 15th day of September, A. D., 1947, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Parmer County, at the Court House in Farwell, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 30th day of July, 1947. The file number of said suit being No. 1405. The names of the parties in said suit are: J. T. Gee, as Plaintiff and Ephriam Bockover, J. P. Rogers, John P. Roberts, the unknown partners and unknown owners of Blackwell Hdw. Co., a partnership, and the unknown stockholders, creditors, officers and directors of Blackwells Hardware & Furniture Co., a defunct corporation, and the unknown heirs, assigns and legal representatives of each of the above defendants, as defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit:

Suit by plaintiff in trespass to try title against defendants, plaintiff alleging that on July 1st, 1947, he was the owner in fee simple of lots 5, 6, 7, & 8 of Block 18, of the Original town of Friona, Parmer County, Texas, and that on the 2nd day of July, 1947, the defendants unlawfully entered upon said land and withheld from his possession thereof, to his damage in the sum of \$12.00.

Plaintiff pleads the ten year statute of limitations in the alternative. Plaintiff prays for title and possession of the above described land.

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this 30th day of July, A. D., 1947.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Farwell, Texas, this the 30th day of July, A. D., 1947.

Loyde Brewer
Clerk District Court,
Parmer County, Texas
By Dorothy Lovelace,
Deputy (Seal)

DUST CLOTHS

LUBBOCK—Dust cloths should be treated to increase their ability to pick up dust rather than merely spreading it, according to Miss Lola M. Drew, assistant professor of home management at Texas Technological College.

Old soft knit cloths prove best for dusting, she said. They should be dipped, six or eight at a time, in a solution of one pint boiling water to which one-fourth cup of lemon oil has been added, and allowed to dry.

A steel shortage is handicapping industrial production in the Union of South Africa. Only half of the Union's requirements can be supplied by domestic iron and steel mills. Imports are difficult to get from either the U. S. or Great Britain. Other acute industrial shortages are textiles for clothing manufacturers, cement for building, oils for the soap industry and sugar and cocoa for the confectionary industry.

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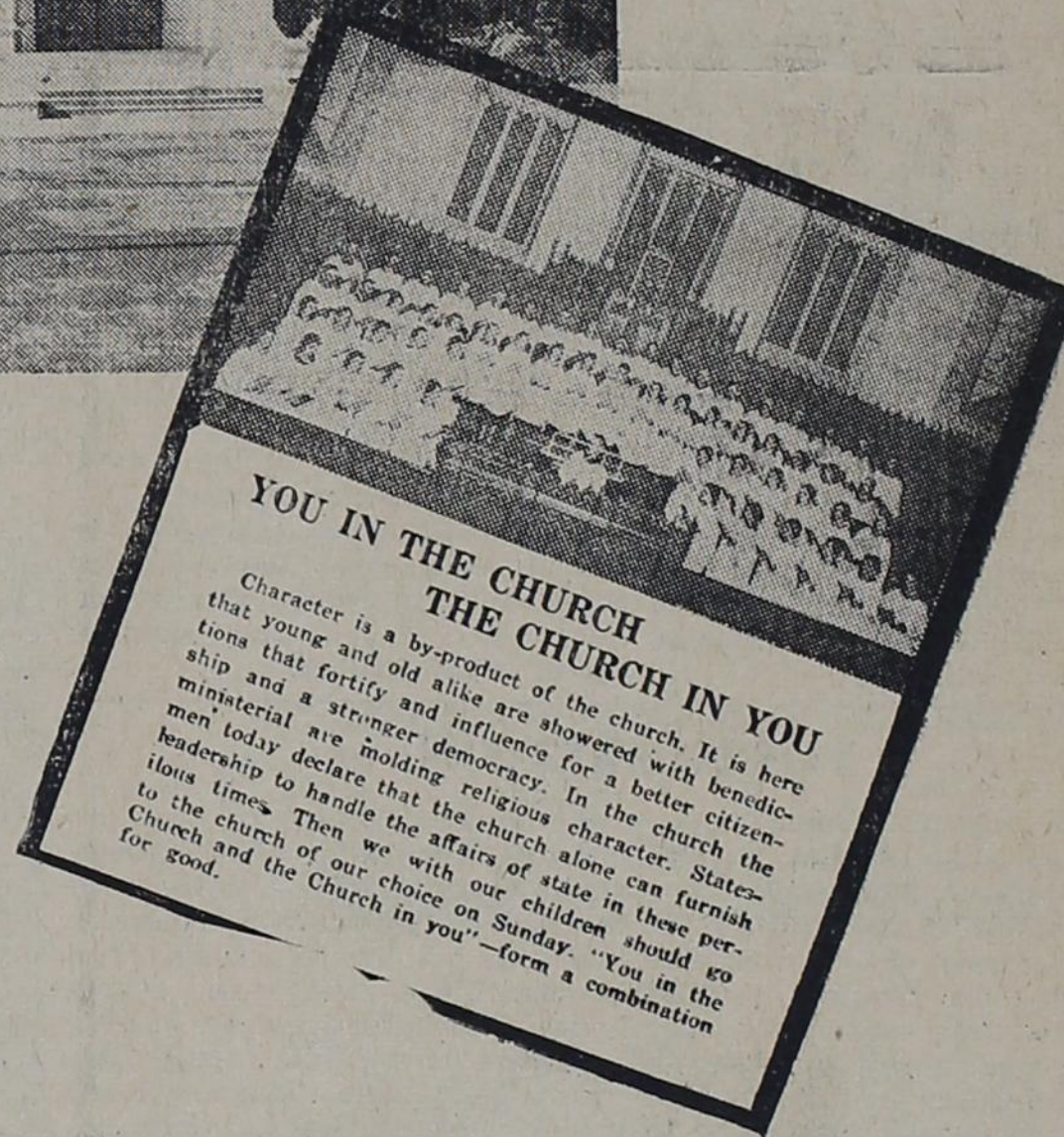
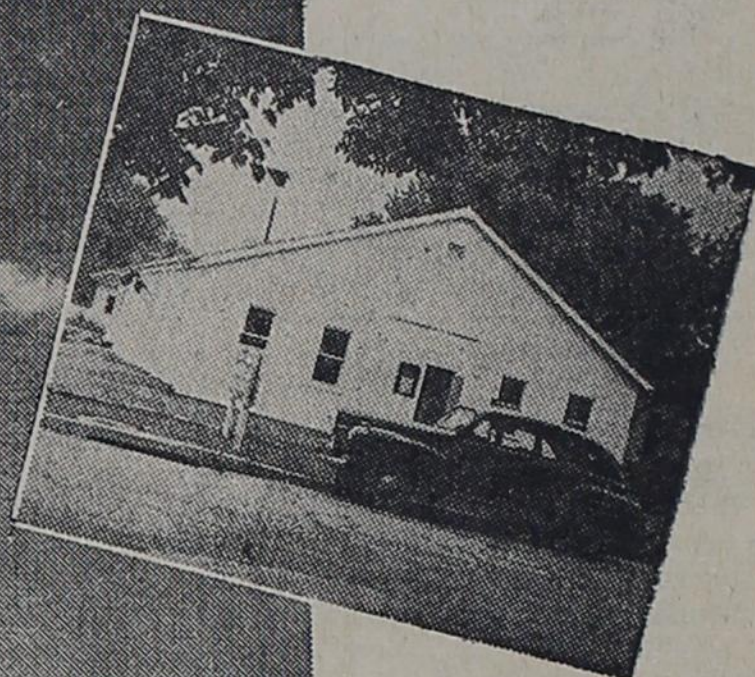
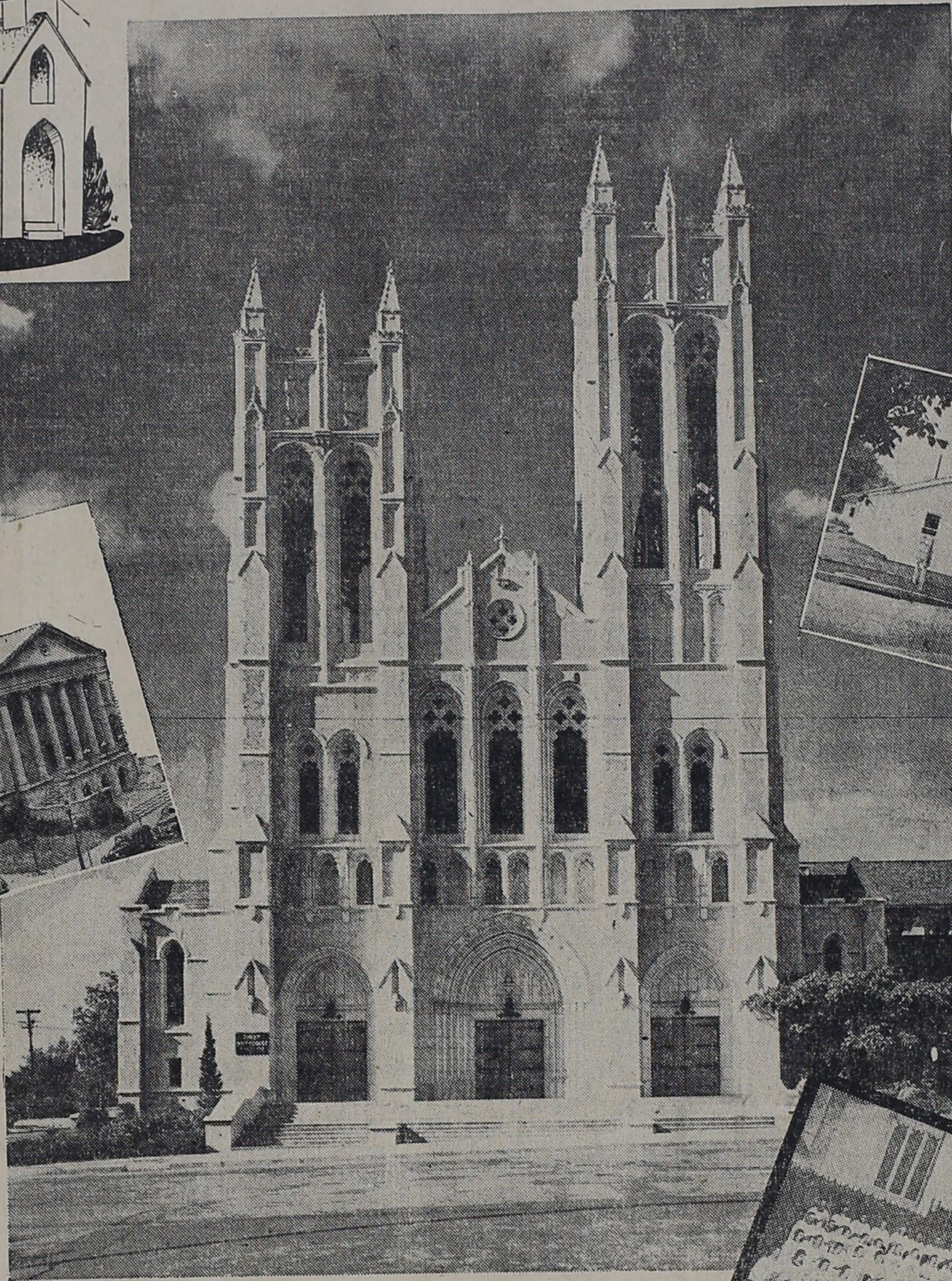
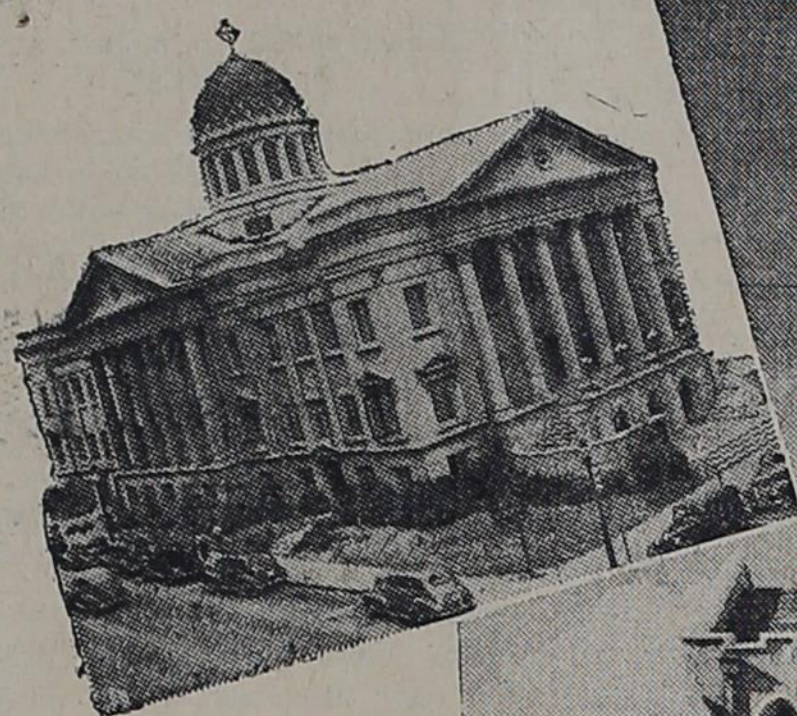
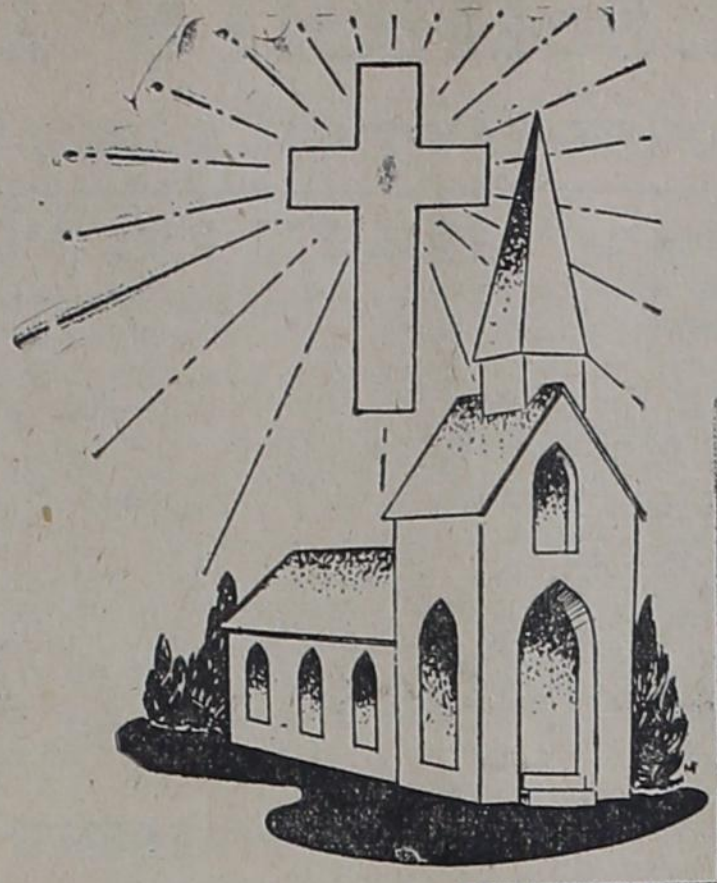
It may be caused by disorder of kidney function that permits poisonous waste to accumulate. For truly many people feel tired, weak and miserable when the kidneys fail to remove excess acids and other waste matter from the blood.

You may suffer nagging backache, rheumatic pains, headaches, dizziness, getting up nights, leg pains, swelling. Sometimes frequent and scanty urination with smarting and burning is another sign that something is wrong with the kidneys or bladder.

There should be no doubt that prompt treatment is wiser than neglect. Use Doan's Pills. It is better to rely on a medicine that has won country-wide approval than on something less favorably known. Doan's have been tried and tested many years. Are at all drug stores. Get Doan's today.

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Pictured here are various types of churches, ranging in cost from a few hundred dollars to over a million. The imposing structure in center is one of the most beautiful in America. Its physical equipment consists of almost everything possible for man to build into "HIS Temple of Worship."

Elsewhere on this page are pictured other types of churches in different cost brackets. You'll find in every community in America a church suited to the likes of those it serves.

A community without a church would be a poor place to live indeed. In city or hamlet throughout this land you'll find the rich and the poor flocking to the church of their choice—on Sunday with a common faith and a common purpose.

The church points the way to a fuller and more useful life. Attend your church every Sunday.

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Clovis, N. M.

Clovis Merchants' and Businessmen's Directory

CLOVIS BUSINESS FIRMS SOLICIT CUSTOMERS IN THIS TRADE AREA AND INVITE YOU TO PAY THEM A VISIT WHEN IN CLOVIS, N. M.

BRYSON-TANNER FURNITURE COMPANY

Be sure to trade at the Bryson-Tanner Furniture Co. and know you are getting the best. This firm is located at 410 Main in Clovis. They know what your furniture requirements are and have in stock the latest designs and suits of furniture.

For furniture to live up to those old univiting rooms, let these experienced clerks help you in your selections. They can suggest pieces that will add miracles of charm to the furniture you already have.

Bedroom, living room, dining room and kitchen can all be fitted in accordance with the style of the day at this firm. Your home should be the happiest place in the world for you. Give it a chance by placing pleasing furniture in those bare spots.

We wish to commend this reliable home furnishing establishment in Clovis and remind you of wonderful bargains awaiting you there.

SUTTON'S BAKERY

For the best of baked goods try Sutton's Bakery bread and pastries. This bakery is located at 515 Main in Clovis, phone 625-J. Special orders are catered to here.

Famous for the quality and flavor of their baked goods, this institution is a model of cleanliness and efficiency. Their bake shop is immaculate. Only the purest of staple ingredients go into their products and the deliciousness of their baked goods is the talk of the town.

There is perhaps no food with more nutritive value than baked goods. Of bread it may be truly said, "It is the Staff of Life." Pastries made from fresh butter, milk, eggs and fruits are rich in food value.

Sutton's Bakery is famous for the quality and flavor of their products. No better baked goods can be obtained than those produced by this shop in Clovis.

STEED FUNERAL HOME

The Steed Funeral Home is located on N. Main Street in Clovis. Phone 14. This funeral home offers dependable service to folks in this section at reasonable prices. Their service is measured not by Gold but by the Golden Rule. They are glad to assist you in making all necessary arrangements and you can rely on them to fulfill all the duties of helpfulness which are so important at trying times.

Sooner or later we must all engage the services of a funeral home. The Steed Funeral Home in Clovis has built up an envied reputation by their satisfactory service, and distinguished manner in which their funerals are conducted.

Give your loved ones a final tribute with a distinguished funeral. For service of this kind, engage the Steed Funeral Home in Clovis.

New Mexico Welding Supply Co.

The New Mexico Welding Supply Co. is located in Clovis at 210 Mitchell, phone 49. They are distributors for the well known products of the Linde Air Products Co. These products have stood the tests of welders for years and are known to be of the highest quality it is possible to purchase.

The New Mexico Welding Supply Co. has a complete line of supplies for both light and heavy welders. Following is a partial list of the supplies they offer you: Complete line of industrial gases, gas welding supplies, gas welding rods, welding torches, hoses, gauges, complete electric welding equipment, A. D. Smith electrodes of any type, carbide generators as well as all those other necessary supplies such as gloves, goggles, helmets, wire brushes, etc.

If you are in the welding business it is to your advantage to get acquainted with this reliable firm in Clovis. Drop in at The New Mexico Welding Supply Co. and they will be happy to discuss your welding supply needs with you.

THE LUMBER BIN

When in need of building materials, see the Lumber Bin at 1201 E. 1st, in Clovis. Phone 988-J.

This reliable dealer will supply your lumber needs at the lowest possible cost. This company is glad to give you free estimates on the work you want done. They have in their employ men who are capable and you can depend upon them to render you the best service possible.

They carry in their stock a supply of quality paints and varnishes at all times.

We must remember that there are many demands on the Lumber Bin companies at this time, due to the critical housing shortage and therefore lumber is not always available. The Lumber Bin is doing their utmost to deal fairly with every one of their customers during this shortage. See them about your building needs and if they cannot furnish you with adequate materials at this time, they will inform you of future deliveries so you will know when to expect your order filled.

WESTERN MACHINERY COMPANY

This well known firm, located in Clovis at 121 W. 2nd, is the dealer for the popular Massey-Harris Farm Implements. Be sure you see this firm before you purchase your farm equipment. They have had years of experience in furnishing just the right machine for the job.

When you buy farm equipment you want to know you are getting machines that will stand up to the job. Massey-Harris tractors and farm implements have stood the test

for years. This equipment can be depended upon to give the maximum service per dollar invested.

We in this "Merchant and Business Directory Issue" wish to point out the fine reputation that The Western Machinery Company has built for themselves. They are noted for square dealings and will stand behind every purchase. Trade with a firm you can depend on. They are located at 121 W. 2nd. Drop in and see the new models the next time you are in Clovis. Phone 238.

FARMER'S COOPERATIVE ELEVATORS, INC.

The Farmers Cooperative Elevators, Inc., is located at 505 E. 1st in Clovis. Here they feature the famous Full-O-Pep feeds, that are famous for containing the proper vitamins and minerals.

If you are a rancher or farmer, no doubt you are always in need of feed for livestock and poultry. To get the desired results from feeding, you must first be sure you are feeding the right thing. At The Farmers Cooperative Elevators, Inc., you'll find men who are well qualified to advise you on the proper feeds you should use. When you are using feeds that are high in vitamin content, it is not necessary to give as much as it

would be for feed that is low in vitamins. It is not the amount given that counts, instead it is the nutritive value of the feed you're using. You can save a lot of money on your feed bill if you use only these feeds that are high in vitamin and mineral content.

For all your livestock and poultry feed, remedies and seeds, go to The Farmers Cooperative Elevators, Inc., located at 505 E. 1st, in Clovis. You are invited to come in and discuss your feeding problems with them. In this "Merchants and Business Directory Issue" we are happy to have such a firm as this to recommend to all our readers.

El Rancho Milling Co.

Distributors of the Famous El Rancho Feeds, located at 100 West in Clovis. Phone 107.

Specializing as they do in furnishing the farmers and dairymen in this section with all kinds of quality feeds, this concern is doing their part to advance stock and dairy progress. Feeds bought here not only go further for the money, but are just right in mixture to produce milk at a profit. For your next stock of dairy and stock feeds, visit the El Rancho Milling Co.

The members of this firm have had years of experience in feeds and feeding. For dependable information on feeding don't fail to consult this firm in Clovis. They can be relied upon to advise you on your feeding problems.

They also carry a full line of the best in poultry feeds which include a line that will produce more eggs from those laying hens. Don't fail to ask their advice on your poultry feed problems.

Jack's Chevron Service

Jack's Chevron Service, located at 501 Main Street in Clovis, is the best place to take your car to make sure you are getting the best in service.

We all like to feel certain we are giving our automobile the best of care. Don't neglect to have your car greased every 1,000 miles, it is important. The attendants at this Station know their business from A to Z and you can be assured that a grease job here means more than just a quick greasing to "get through." They examine every part carefully and know exactly how much, and where to apply it.

Jack's Chevron Service also features quality products that have proved themselves to the public to be the best for your automobile, and you can expect good mileage and top performance only by giving your car the best. Next time you are in Clovis stop by and give Jack's Chevron Service a try.

State Finance Company

This prominent firm is located at 413 Mitchell in Clovis. Phone 767-J. They feature loans on salary, furniture and automobile.

A loan agency is an essential business to any thriving community. This firm in Clovis has served the people of this section faithfully. You need not pay exorbitant rates of interest when the services of a firm such as The State Finance Company are available to you. They offer for reliable people mercantile and auto loans for low interest rates. They specialize in financing new automobiles.

In this "Merchants and Business Directory Issue", we feel that we can recommend The State Finance Company for courteous and dignified loan service. They are strictly confidential with all interviews and information. See them in Clovis at 413 Mitchell for your next loan.

Pittman Agency

Leaders in Real Estate, located at 301 Main in Clovis, phone 1079-M.

They are altogether familiar with all details indispensible to the real estate business. They have developed an acute sense of values through their experience in buying and selling real estate properties. They also manage and handle rentals of all types of real estates.

Both city and rural properties have been listed for your convenience. Suppose you are living in the rural district and wish to move into town, just get in touch with this concern. They have a very attractive list of city properties and it will be to your advantage to get in touch with the Pittman Agency in Clovis.

When you wish to buy or sell real estate you can be assured of personal attention of The Pittman Agency.

They also have every kind of insurance that is possible, with the exception of life and accident insurance.

Maxine's Beauty Shop

For your next beauty treatment, go to Maxine's Beauty Shop, located at 310 West St. in Clovis. Phone 1456-R for appointments.

Here you will find a professional operator who has had years of experience in beauty care. She has studied hair and hair styles and can give you a hair-do that will make you look at your best.

This is the shop where the hair styles are as modern as tomorrow. It is a woman's privilege and duty to look her best at all times. Don't neglect yourself, call this shop for an appointment today. We are offering specials on school permanents.

For the best in beauty care be sure to visit Maxine's Beauty Shop in Clovis and be assured of fine beauty work.

G. C. Williams Paint Store

The G. C. Williams Paint Store is located at 119 E. 5th in Clovis, phone 462-M. They feature a full line of Du Pont Quality paints, varnishes and enamels.

"There is no place like Home". You can add much to the happiness and contentment enjoyed there by keeping the inside of your home fresh and beautiful with fine quality paint. This store has had years of experience in helping their customers select just the right design and shade of quality paint to make their room and home as attractive as possible.

Certainly, we cannot expect inferior cheap paint to give a beautiful luster or last very long. The G. C. Williams Paint Store realizes their customers want the best for their homes and carry only quality merchandise. This Review congratulates this firm on the service and quality merchandise they offer the people of this community.

Roy R. Smith Cleaners

Located at 416 Main in Clovis. Phone 258. Here, fine dry cleaning is done. They use the best and latest process, and as a consequence, when garments are returned to you, they look smooth, are odorless and in perfect accordance to the styles of the day.

They specialize in all classes of dry cleaning, both for men and ladies, and the most delicate of dresses are handled in the most careful manner at Roy R. Smith Cleaners.

Many people have learned that through good dry cleaning service they can save the expenditure of a few dollars for new clothes. Both men and women have also found that the most sensitive fabrics are carefully handled and successfully cleaned at Roy R. Smith Cleaners in Clovis, and are returned to them cleaned and finished in the most satisfactory manner.

A. T. Machinery Co.

This well-known firm, located in Clovis at 1548 Wallace, is the dealer for the popular Case Farm Machinery and farm implements.

Be sure you see this firm when you buy farm equipment. They have had years of experience in furnishing just the right machine for the job.

They have one of the finest repair shops in this section for fixing any part of your tractor. They have men in their employ who are experts on machinery repair work. These men have had years of experience in this line. Whenever you have a breakdown with your farm implements, or are in need of parts, see this firm.

We, in this "Merchants and Business Directory Issue" wish to point out the fine reputation The A. T. Machinery Co. has built for themselves. Trade with a firm you can depend on.

They are located at 1548 Wallace in Clovis. Phone 279-W.

Clovis Safety Lane

This firm is located at 516 W. 7th in Clovis. Phone 508 for estimates on work.

The Clovis Safety Lane features a system of wheel alignment which is noted for its effectiveness. They can handle jobs on knee action, and specialize in wheel balancing and straightening, as well as frame straightening. They do expert brake service too.

For the sake of your family and friends don't fail to have good brakes. Wrecks are expensive and destructive, so avoid them by having good brakes on your automobile at all times.

Wheels out of line double your tire expense and make a car hard to steer properly. You can receive better service if you take your car here when they relin your brakes they will fit the lining to the drum, which has been turned and ground smooth as glass, and makes them as good as new.

Woody Electric Co.

This well-known firm at 117 W Grand in Clovis features commercial and domestic refrigeration. They are headquarters for equipment which meets the needs of every refrigeration problem, whether for one or one hundred tons. They show a complete line of groceries, markets and dairy lockers. They do service on all household appliances and complete repair service on all electric motors.

Refrigeration is as important to our modern living as any modern invention or convenience. Good refrigeration comes only with good equipment. Be wise and invest in equipment that has stood the test of years. Quality and service are their watchwords. Give them a trial today. You will find courteous service and expert ability reigns paramount at this popular firm in Clovis.

ELLIOTT-BELL AUTO SUPPLY COMPANY

This prominent firm in Clovis is located at 115 E. 4th. Phone 820-W for information concerning any automotive part or machine shop work. They supply garage owners and filling stations with a wide variety of auto parts, such as rings, fuel pumps, gears, gaskets, bearings and bushings. Be sure to see the Elliott and Bell Auto Supply Co. in Clovis for all auto parts. Their stock is large and as complete as possible.

The twentieth century has often been referred to as the "machine

age". The modern machine shop is an integral part of this age. This well known machine shop has had years of experience in machine work and can be depended upon to give you excellent workmanship. They can grind crankshafts, reface valves and have bearings that will fit any shaft you have. These are just a few of the many jobs they are able to do in their completely equipped machine shop.

In this review we highly recommend this dependable firm in Clovis.

WARREN'S RADIO SERVICE

Warren's Radio Service can repair all makes of automobile or home radios. They have the technical knowledge to locate your radio trouble rapidly, thus saving you dollars on your repair bill and days that your radio need be in the shop. Be sure and call this firm at 612 W. 7th in Clovis if you would like technically trained men to repair your radio properly. Phone 1533-J.

Warren's Radio Service offers the people of this community reliable

service at reasonable rates. Their expert workmanship will please you. This firm in Clovis guarantees their work and you can rest assured that they will replace only those parts which are actually needed.

Remember, a radio is a very delicate instrument and only experienced repairmen know how to handle radios without damaging them. In this "Merchants and Business Directory Issue" we highly recommend this outstanding firm in Clovis.

DUFFY'S

Located at 612 Main, in Clovis. Phone 267-M.

Here they feature everything in the photographic line. They have a complete stock of flash bulbs, General Electric photofloods, cameras and tripods, and books on amateur photography. Regardless of what your needs might be, you'll find it at Duffy's.

They also do photo developing and

finishing. If you want your films developed and enlarged, this is the place in Clovis to have it done. They feature a fast service so there is no delay in getting your pictures when you leave your films here.

If you are an amateur or experienced photographer and are in need of supplies or information on photography, you can do no better than to consult Duffy. See him on your next trip to Clovis.

Gunnell's Automotive Service

One important thing that the average motorist usually neglects is the car's electrical system. If he's driving in the daytime and something goes wrong with the engine, he drives to a garage, but, at night, if the lights or generator fails, it's just too bad.

Why neglect your car's electrical system when you can take it to Gunnell's Automotive Service, located at 601 Main in Clovis. Phone 333.

This firm does all types of automotive repairing, including carburetor, generators, starters, ignition, Bear wheel alignment and brake service.

Your car isn't safe without proper lights. They can be too bright or too dim, or maybe they just don't work. That dimmer switch too, if it's on the blink the employees at this shop can fix it for you. Every wise motorist knows that unimportant though it may seem, the dimmer switch can save a life. It is not only courteous, but safe to dim your lights when approaching a car at night.

If your automobile is in need of any work in the electrical line be sure to take it to Gunnell's Automotive Service your official Auto-Lite Station in Clovis.

Carmack And Sons

Fine Clothiers at 308 Main in Clovis. This store is headquarters for stylish, up-to-date clothes for men and young men. They also carry a complete line of the conservative styles for business men or those who prefer smart, conservatively styled garments. The best that can be had can be obtained here and at reasonable prices. They are a revelation in style and value giving. You will find every style to be authentic at Carmack And Sons in Clovis.

Here, their stock is complete in sizes ranging in all variations, assuring perfect fit. Next to style and value, there is nothing of a greater importance to the discriminating buyer than variety.

Their stock of hats, ties, shirts, handkerchiefs, underclothing, pajamas, is both comprehensive and complete. Here you will find just the right accessories to complete a most distinctive appearance. Men who are interested in stylish, serviceable clothing will do better at Carmack And Sons in Clovis.

There were 11,394,000 persons employed on farms throughout the nation on June 1. 2,481,000 of this number were hired workers. 8,913,000 were operators and unpaid members of their families.

JONES ABSTRACT COMPANY

Located at 317 Main in Clovis. Phone 89 for prompt and efficient abstract service.

In this section of the country, as in all countries, the question of title often causes the new purchaser an endless amount of trouble.

This abstract office has all the information on hand from Government entries and grants to the present time.

There is a great satisfaction in

knowing that when you consult this office you are in conference with an authority on the matter of abstracts and titles pertaining to everything on the matter from the office of the Register of Deeds.

We are glad in this "Merchants and Business Directory Issue" to refer our readers to the Jones Abstract Company in Clovis and know your abstract will be absolutely correct and promptly delivered.

HESTER MOTOR COMPANY

The Hester Motor Company buys and trades good used cars. This well known firm is located at 1301-1309 Main in Clovis. They will pay you approved prices for your used car.

The Hester Motor Company is headquarters in Clovis for all auto repair work. They give each job individual attention and the mechanics here will give your car as much care as if it were their own. Their policy has been to make fair repair

charges so that you will want to return. They do not stick you all you will take, like so many repair shops do. This "Merchants and Business Directory Issue" recommends this dealer in Clovis for all automobile repair work.

The Hester Motor Company is your Plymouth and DeSoto dealer in Clovis. When you are ready to sell or buy a car, be sure to see this firm first. They are always willing to appraise your car without any obligation on your part.

FERGAS COMPANY

The Fergas Company, located at 102 Main in Clovis, is headquarters for all Butane fixtures. They feature butane Magic Chef ranges, heaters, furnaces, water heaters and unit heaters. They carry a large stock of parts and accessories for all these fixtures.

Butane gas has been a life-saver for folks in the rural community. Many prefer to use butane when all types of gas is available. For Butane to really be satisfactory and desirable you must have fixtures of a good quality. This well-known firm

in Clovis makes it a special point to handle only the best quality fixtures in order to better satisfy their customers. It is to your advantage to buy fixtures of the better quality, because in the long run they are really cheaper. This firm has a large stock of these fixtures which they will be happy to show you. Stop in the next time you are in Clovis, or telephone 282 for information.

The Fergas Company has the equipment and experience to properly service all your gas burning equipment. Be sure to call them for all your needs of this type.

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FIRST MOTOR COMPANY

The First Motor Company, located at 711 East First in Clovis, is the place where you can find real bargains in new and used cars and trucks that will suit every need. Whether you want a large sedan or a small town coupe, the First Motor Company can show it to you. For information, telephone 331-M.

When you have your automobile appraised you want to take it to men who are reliable and can be depended upon to be fair and who will offer you the highest price. This

firm has served the people of this section for years and they have built an envied reputation by their square dealings.

You can do no better in buying or selling an automobile or truck than at the First Motor Company in Clovis. We suggest you not wait another day if you are in the market for a car.

In this "Merchants and Business Directory" we are happy to commend this firm for the outstanding manner in which they have served this community.

CLOVIS MOTOR COMPANY

The Clovis Motor Co. buys, sells and trades used cars. The well known firm is located at 1221 Main in Clovis.

If you are ready to sell your automobile and get a better one, this is the place to go in Clovis. They will offer you a trade in value that you won't want to refuse.

This firm believes in fair play and you will find their prices are in line. You will find a variety of cars in all price ranges on display at The

Clovis Motor Co. It is well worth your time to stop here and let them show you their price list. You'll be pleased with their values.

These dealers are always happy to appraise your car without any obligation on your part. When you are ready to sell or buy a car, be sure to go to The Clovis Motor Co. This is your authorized "Pontiac" car and "Reo" truck dealer in Clovis. For service or information, telephone 204.

Al's Drive Inn

Al's Drive Inn is located in Clovis at 701 Thornton. On your way to and from Clovis be sure to go to this popular Drive Inn and enjoy a fine sandwich or an ice cold drink. They provide excellent curb service so you need not get out of your car to enjoy your meal. The employees here are always courteous and ready and willing to serve you.

There is one outstanding feature about Al's Drive Inn in Clovis. You can rest assured that the food they serve is fresh and special attention is taken to keep it clean. You need never worry or wonder about the food here. Their large volume of business makes it necessary for them to replenish their food supplies almost daily. We in this Review recommend Al's Drive Inn highly and suggest you drop in for a sandwich or cold drink the next time you're in Clovis.

Scott's Music Store

Located at 311 Main, "Next To Ward's" in Clovis, this firm is equipped to serve you in all your music needs. Telephone 482.

It has been said that "a man who hath not music in his heart is a traitor to his soul". That was in olden times, but music has just as much effect on a person now as it did then. Good music is the painted picture to our ear. We should all be interested in music and give our children a chance to learn and appreciate its wonderfulness.

Remember, for musical instruments of all kinds, band, orchestra, pianos, radios, phonographs or records, this firm in Clovis can supply your needs. They are noted throughout this section for their reasonable prices and fair dealings. Stop in at Scott's Music Store the next time you are in Clovis and select an instrument for yourself or your child and enjoy life much more.

Ernest Repair Shop

Don't let your car get run down and badly in need of repairs. Have your motor checked completely by expert mechanics who are specialists in their work. Don't let someone work on your car that is inexperienced and undependable. We must remember that new parts for cars are not always available, so the best of care must be taken of your old motor. When you realize that your car is in need of repair, or an overhaul job, have it done; don't wait. Driving a car when a minor repair is needed may result in serious damage to your motor and a big expense you cannot afford.

For work of all types and for fast dependable road service call on The Ernest Repair Shop, they will check your car over and adjust it to give you top performance.

Ernest Repair Shop is located in Clovis at 1101 W. 7th. Phone 1431-M for road service.

Skinny's Body Shop

Located at 512 W. 7th in Clovis, Skinny's Body Shop in Clovis does expert automobile painting. They have the finest of equipment with which to give you a paint job equal to the one it had when it came from the factory. There is an art to painting automobiles and making the paint stay on in any kind of weather, as well as having that fine lustrous finish which new paint gives. The manager, Mr. Holland, supervises work done on every car, so you may be sure of your car receiving personal attention, on that new paint or body ad fender job.

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Don't find yourself the owner of a car that is drab and dull looking when for so little cost it can look like new. You will find the prices reasonable at Skinny's Body Shop. For free estimates on your painting needs, phone 799 in Clovis and this firm will gladly quote their prices.

Dairy cows need their vitamins. Good legume hay put up in the barn now will help prevent a vitamin-lack this winter.

Motor Supply Company Of Clovis

Located at 117 E. 4th in Clovis specializing in auto parts and catering to garage owners. Phone 455.

A few years ago garage men wishing replacements parts or repairs for a machine were forced to send to the factory, or if it were an obsolete model or car, they might have to have patterns made or parts forged and machined in a machine shop.

This modern parts house may be said to act as a large clearing house between the parts manufacturers and the garage men of this section. This progressive auto parts company has studied the needs of the garage men and invested the money necessary to carry this enormous stock.

The Motor Supply Co. of Clovis in Clovis deserves honorable mention in this "Merchants and Business Directory Issue" for their honest and efficient efforts in supplying garage owners with the best in their line.

The cotton insect has started getting out of every seven that he usually gets in Texas. Insect control is necessary if Texas farmers get that extra bale to the gin.



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Busy Bee Cafe

For a meal that is delicious and a place that is friendly, go to the Busy Bee Cafe, located at 200 Main in Clovis. Here you will find a home-like atmosphere together with courteous service that you will like.

The Busy Bee Cafe features dinners of tender meats that are cooked to suit you, served with vegetables, salad and dessert. They also have delicious steaks cooked to order and served in your favorite manner. If it's just a snack you want, you will find sandwiches, salads and soups here that are just the thing to take away that hungry feeling.

If you are a person who wants the best in food when you eat out, you'll find that the Busy Bee Cafe is the place to go. In this "Merchants and Business Directory" we suggest you take your family out to the Busy Bee Cafe the next time you are in Clovis and judge for yourself.

Stovall's

Stovall's is located south of the underpass in Clovis, can be depended on to give you first-class radiator repair work. They are specialists in this line and have the equipment and experience to repair your radiator so that it will stay in good condition.

The cooling system of an automobile is a vital part in the function of the motor. The burning of the gasoline creates a terrific heat in the automobile or tractor motor. That heat must be dissipated in order that the motor can be operated efficiently.

The cooling system must be kept clean if we are to expect the maximum cooling effects of the radiator. Don't be satisfied with inefficient operation of your motor because your radiator does not cool properly. Take it to Stovall's, south of the underpass in Clovis and have them clean and flush it properly. They are experts in repairing and recoring radiators of any make and any size. This is your authorized dealer for "Harrison Radiators", for sales, service or information telephone 209 in Clovis.

Snazzy Pig Sandwich Shop

This excellent Bar-B-Q and sandwich shop is located at 112 E. 1st in Clovis. Be sure you stop here for a cold drink and a bite to eat the next time you are shopping in Clovis. They provide curb service for your convenience. If you are not dressed to go in just drive up to The Snazzy Pig Sandwich Shop and you will be pleased with the excellent service they give you right in your own car.

One of the most important points a person considers when they eat away from home is the sanitary condition of the kitchen from which the food comes. In this "Merchants and Business Directory" we wish to commend the management of The Snazzy Pig Sandwich Shop on keeping such a clean kitchen and serving really good food. Be sure you try this fine eat shop the next time you want good food well prepared.

The Orchid Beauty Shop

The Orchid Beauty Shop offers Clovis and surrounding territory an up-to-date beauty service. Located at 204 Gidding in Clovis. Phone 781 for appointment. The owner of this shop has had years of experience in beauty work. She is an expert in all types of beauty culture. You will be surprised at the great difference between a facial here and just an ordinary facial. They use a system that has been tried and proven through the years.

Many ladies have found by the pleasing experience that the permanent wave is really an investment in economy. A permanent at The Orchid Beauty Shop justifies the name "permanent". It lasts, and then the more important consideration is the beauty of it and the satisfaction that goes with perfect grooming. Hair dying is now popular and this shop can be depended upon to give you just the shade you want.

We wish to recommend The Orchid Beauty Shop in Clovis to all our readers in this "Merchants and Business Directory Issue".

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Juarez Cafe

Here is the popular meeting place for folks in this section. Stop here for a meal the next time you are in Clovis. Located at 119 Thornton. The management invites you to drop in for some of the fine cooked foods in which they specialize.

There is something about the Juarez Cafe in Clovis that sets it apart from other eating places and makes it highly satisfactory. The extreme care and thought that goes into everything; the cooking service, and arrangement creates a dining atmosphere that should be visited regularly.

The food is good, it is temptingly delicious, prepared in the most careful manner, in a spotless sanitary kitchen. You'll find a tempting meal here of a variety of fresh vegetables and the favorite meats, prepared to retain their natural flavor. Be sure to eat at the Juarez Cafe when you are in Clovis.

Sutter's Jewelry Co.

Sutter's Jewelry Co. is located at 303 1/2 Main in Clovis. Phone 446.

Sutter's Jewelry Co. features diamonds, watches, jewelry, silverware and gifts for all occasions. When you are buying jewelry be sure you are getting quality merchandise. Do not be satisfied with cheap, inferior grade jewelry that lasts only a little while. This prominent firm in Clovis has only the best, and they will stand behind your purchase.

Sutter's Jewelry Co. maintains a watch and jewelry repair shop where you can have certified watchmakers repair your watch or jewelry at a reasonable price.

When you are shopping for gifts for all occasions be sure to visit Sutter's Jewelry Co. and see their selection. Their employees are courteous and helpful and they are happy to assist you in selecting any item from their large stock.

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In Clovis at 501 Hull and 410 W. 7th where they feature the well known Cosden Products. For service call 1253-J or 693.

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Motorists appreciate little things such as clean, sanitary rest rooms, clean drives, and a well-kept station. These are some of the things that go to make up first-class stations such as these.

In this "Merchants and Business Directory" we wish to urge all our readers to drive into one of these fine stations in Clovis. They check your oil, inflate your tires to the correct pressure, clean your windshield and service your car in a splendid manner.

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SCHOOLS OPEN SEPT. 1st

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freeze unit for the storing of meats and vegetables. Staff for the cafeteria management is now complete. The Farwell Schools possess three new and one 1942 model bus, which,

according to Supt. Loyd, will furnish adequate transportation for the students. The drivers will include James B. Airhart, teacher, Monroe Ritchie, also a teacher, G. C. Meeks, local janitor and Duane Curtis, student. Rogers will continue his duties as superintendent of the Texico Schools and C. E. Sanders will assume his place as coach and teacher of history. Mr. Sanders has been connected with the school for several years and has turned out a number of good athletes.

Mrs. Jimmie Allman will teach Home Economics, having filled that position for the past several years. Mrs. Frank Seale will have charge of the 3rd and 4th grades. Mrs. Seal has had 17 years of teaching experience and two years with the Texico Schools.

Mrs. J. E. Neill, will be 2nd and 3rd grade teacher, and has had several years of teaching experience with some four years at the local school. Mr. Fern Stout will have charge of the Vocational Agriculture class. Two new teachers were secured Monday night at the board meeting, one of which is Mrs. Gladys Prescott, who has been teaching at Pleasant Hill. Mrs. Prescott has a B. S. degree from the State Teachers College of New Mexico, and a M. A. degree from the University of California. She will teach Commerce and English, to fill the vacancy of Mrs. Sartain, who recently resigned.

Mrs. Wanda Faville of Texico will take over the duties of Miss Mable Davis, who resigned only a few days ago. Mrs. Faville will have charge of the primary grade. She has a B. A. degree from North Texas State Teachers College and several years of teaching.

Mrs. B. A. Rogers will be the 5th and 6th grade teacher, having had several years of teaching experience, and has been with the Texico School for a number of years.

Warren G. Harding, whom The Tribune erroneously reported in an earlier issue as being a grade school teacher, is principal of junior high. Mr. Harding also held this position at the local school the past year.

Superintendent Rogers announced that any parents having children that will start to school this year and have not been inoculated against smallpox and diphtheria, are urged to have the child immunized soon as possible. Rogers stated that the County Nurse, Mrs. Wiggins, will be in the county health department at the Curry County House in Clovis on Saturday mornings, and anyone needing her aid may go there.

SUMMER ROUNDUP PROGRAM
Mr. O. T. Loyd, superintendent of the Farwell Schools, announced that at a later date, there will be a summer roundup program for school children who will enter school for the first time or those who have not been vaccinated against smallpox and diphtheria. Mrs. Airhart, primary teacher, will have charge of the program, and the aid of a medical doctor will be secured.

Through artificial insemination, it is possible to breed 75 to 100 cows from each service of a bull.

Scouts Return From Encampment

The local Boy Scouts returned home Saturday from their annual encampment in the Lincoln National Forest, at Camp Whinahpay, after a week's outing.

Four boys of the local troop, including Billy Don Crume, Jessie Colburn, Jerral Curtis and Sonny Spurlin were accompanied by A. C. Green, who acted as Scout Master for the encampment, attended the trip.

During the second day in camp, the group worked on first and second class ranks, after which they hiked into the mountains, looking for the Lost Spring. Billy Don Crume was initiated into the Order of the Arrow, which is one of the highest honors to be achieved in scout work.

The Farwell Troop was the only troop to make Honor Campers, due to the fact of having good records and carrying out their work in accordance with regulations.

HOME FROM CANADA

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Matthews, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed M. Daniel, and Miss Mary Harding returned home last Friday from a 16-day trip through the northwest, including such interesting places as Yellowstone Park and across the international line into Canada.

In giving an account of the trip Matthews said he didn't realize "there was that much wheat and hay in the world." He was disappointed in the number of cattle seen on the range, especially in Wisconsin, the great dairy state. "I saw more cattle between here and Raton than I saw on the rest of the whole trip," he declared.

4-H CLUB ENCAMPMENT

The 4-H Club boys of Parmer County left Monday, August 11, for three days of 4-H encampment to be held at the McKensie Park in Lubbock. The encampment will be held the 11th through the 13th.

The boys attending the encampment were: Gerald Norton, Clyde Hays, David Spring, Arlyn Kriegel, Donald Christian, M. C. Osborn, James Tidenberg and Ollie Linder.

Heifer Examinations To Be Held Friday

All 4-H Club boys who are entering the Sear's Heifer Contest are to report to the County Agent's office at 9:00 a. m. on August 15th, Friday of this week.

At this time the written examinations will be given to each contestant. These examinations are compulsory. Those boys who have not submitted their essays to Ollie Linder, County Agent, may bring the essays with them on Friday. Both the essay and examination sheets will be judged by the Parmer County Dairy Club and the County Agent.

F. F. A. Class Returns From Trip

The Future Farmers of America Class of the Farwell school and instructor, Robert Morton, returned home Sunday August 3rd, from an extended trip in New Mexico.

The group first planned to go east into Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana, but due to the hot weather they changed their route and headed for the mountains in New Mexico, where they visited several points of interest, including Red River, Tres Ritos, and came back by Almagordo and other points.

Members who made the trip included Leonard Watkins, Leon London, Duane Curtis, R. A. Cassidy and Jackie Holland. Bowden Darr and Morton furnished the transportation.

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SCHOOL SUPPLIES

As usual, your drugstore will be headquarters for all kinds of school supplies this fall. Better begin now gathering up those items the kiddies are going to need.

FOX DRUG STORE

BACK IN AIR FORCES

Major and Mrs. Julian Thornton were here last weekend, visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Thornton, north of town. They left here Sunday and he was scheduled to report to Tuscon, Ariz., on Tuesday. They visited at the home of Mrs. Thornton's parents in Albuquerque enroute.

Maj. Thornton, who served overseas during several months of World War II, was discharged some time ago, and finally decided to reenter the service. He was granted his original commission at the time of re-entry.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their deep sympathy and understanding in our recent bereavement. For their deeds of kindness and floral offerings, we are indeed grateful.

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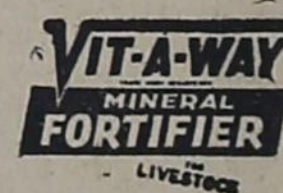
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NOTABLE NEWS EVENTS IN PICTURES



GIANT-SIZE "NIGGER SHOOTER" — Oakland, Cal., youths who built this atomic-era nigger shooter show police how it hurls a brick a full city block. P. S.—Police decided on confiscating the dangerous weapon.



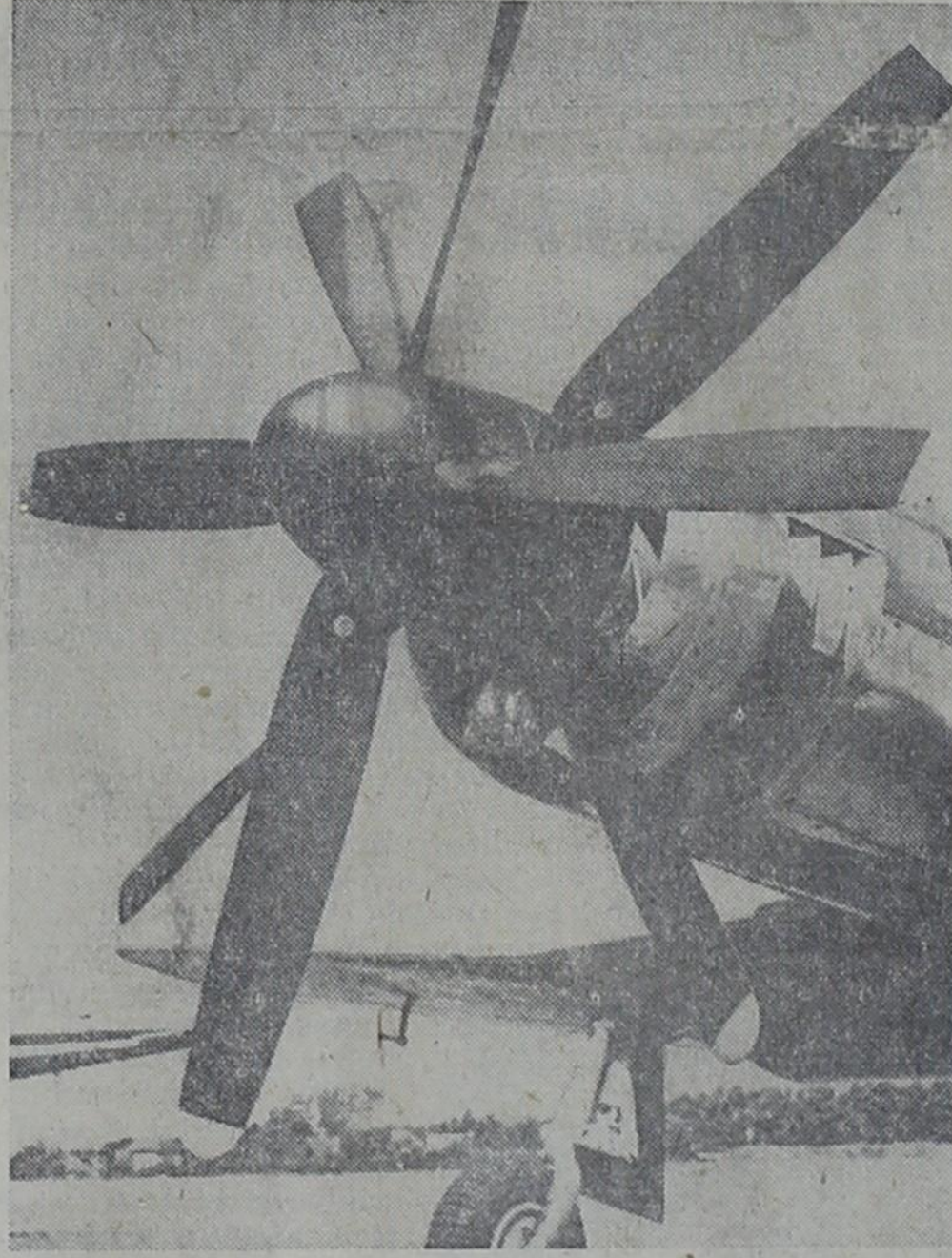
SUPPLIES FROM THE SKIES—Members of "Operation Whitetower," Alaskan expedition, wait on a Mt. McKinley glacier for supplies to be landed by plane on snow field at right.



MEET MISS FRANCE 1947—Annie Ferriere is France's ambassador of beauty in European pulchritude contests.



OH, MAMA!—Ocean bathing may be sport for the oldsters, but this little vacationist at Galveston Beach, Tex., sees no enjoyment in it whatever despite mother's urgings.



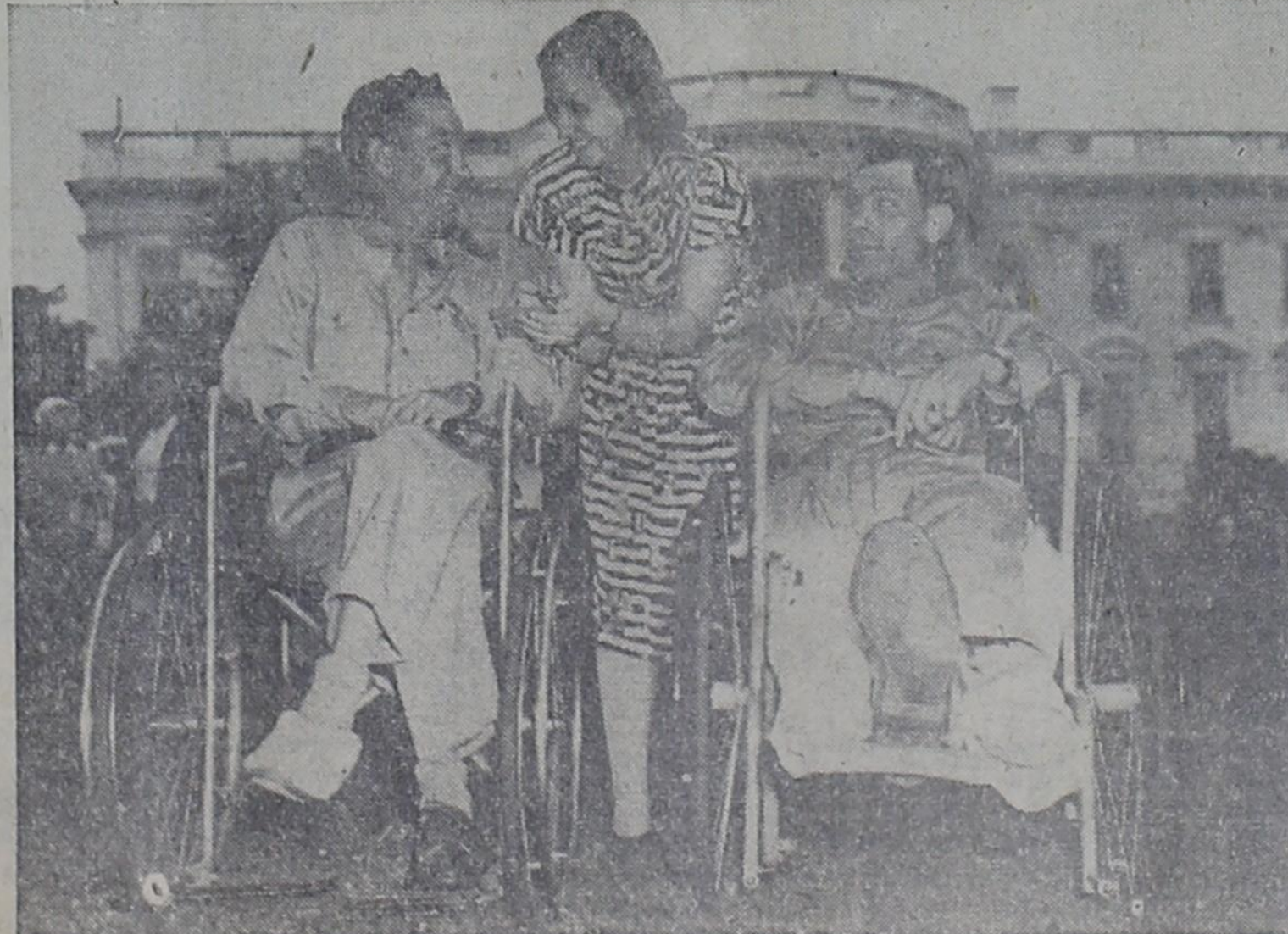
GREAT BRITAIN'S newest fighter plane resembles an egg-beater with its eight-bladed contra-rotating propeller.



MISS BABY CARRIAGE—One-year-old Clair Lynn Belden of Lynbrook, N. Y., registers surprise after winning first prize in national baby photographic contest sponsored by a baby carriage manufacturer. She gets \$300 in United States bonds.



BRITISH CONTESTANTS at Wichita Falls, Tex., soaring meet show controls of their glider to Chester Decker of New York.



AT WHITE HOUSE GARDEN PARTY—Margaret Truman autographs tags for two guests at her parent's garden party on White House lawn for patients of Walter Reed hospital.



DAISIES WON'T TELL—But Lorene Harris, of Rogers, Ark., is no believer in tales, so she tries her hand at plucking these wild daisies.

EAST and WEST Split On the Marshall Plan

(Condensed from New York Times)

There opened in Paris July 12 the first conference of a new European period—a period marked by a declared division of Europe into Eastern and Western blocs.

Officially the meeting has the title "The Conference for European Economic Cooperation." It is called to "draw up as quickly as possible a program to cover Europe's resources and Europe's needs." It is the conference convened so that Europe may qualify for American aid under the "Marshall Plan."

Despite the official language, actually only about half of Europe is represented. The Russians and their eight satellite countries in Eastern Europe are not represented, because Moscow has boycotted the meeting.

Up until now the West and Russia have made at least a pretense of settling Europe's problems on a Continent-wide basis. But with the withdrawal of the Russians the break is open. Two rival economic systems are launched on the Continent and the issue between Russia and the West is drawn.

Nations Attending

Present at Paris are the delegates of sixteen of Europe's twenty-seven countries. They are:

Austria, Belgium, Denmark, France, Greece, Iceland, Erie, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, United Kingdom.

Absent are the nine countries lying east of the Stettin-Trieste line. They are:

Albania, Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, Finland, Hungary, Poland, Rumania, Yugoslavia, Russia.

Eight of these countries are under Russian domination politically and economically. They no doubt were promised economic aid by Russia for turning down the Marshall Plan.

Absent also are Germany, which has no government to speak for her 65,500,000 persons, and Spain, whose ruler, Generalissimo Franco, is in bad with Russia and the West alike.

For an entire week there was a tug of war between Soviet Russia and the West to range the nations of Europe on one side or the other. In that struggle the West's strength lay in the resources of the United States and the

promise that the United States would use those resources to rebuild the war-devastated Continent. Russia's strength lay in her physical control over most of the territories within her sphere of influence, and in the ideological ties with the government leaders in Eastern Europe.

Molotov Walks Out

The stage for the struggle had been set on July 2, when Russian Foreign Minister Vyacheslav Molotov walked out of a meeting of the Foreign Ministers of Britain, France and Russia—a meeting which had been called to plan Continent-wide coordination under the "Marshall Plan." Mr. Molotov rejected the plan as "interference" in the internal affairs of sovereign governments. The next day—July 3—British Foreign Minister Ernest Bevin and French Foreign Minister Georges Bidault invited twenty-two nations to join Britain and France on July 12 in the Conference for European Economic Coordination.

From the first it was clear that most of the nations in the West would accept; there seemed an outside hope that some of the countries in the Russian bloc would face dissatisfaction and unrest if they categorically turned down an offer that might mean food for their underfed people; machines for their idle factories; tractors for their farms.

Russia's Reasons?

Why Russia insisted so strenuously on the general Eastern European boycott was a matter for intense speculation in the three principal Western capitals—Washington, London and Paris. One explanation offered was that Russia feared any Western penetration of

her "iron curtain" such as the "Marshall plan" implies. Another was that Russia feared that her satellites, if they once joined the plan, might be unable to refuse offers of food and industrial equipment when the plan comes to fruition, and thus desert the Russian bloc.



THIS MAP SHOWS graphically how Europe is divided, with Russia and her satellite countries refusing to attend the Paris conference on the Marshall Plan.

A third explanation—and the one regarded as most important in Western

prosperity by rebuilding European markets.

Out of the developments there emerged clearly the outlines of the economic struggle, with its heavy political undertones, which lies ahead. For the West there is to be the "Marshall Plan"; for the East the so-called "Molotov Plan." The two plans have virtually nothing in common.

The Marshall Plan. As outlined by the American Secretary of State on June 5, this program calls for three steps: first, a survey to determine Europe's needs and resources; second, the drawing of a "blueprint" for coordinated self-help; third, the presentation to the United States of a detailed plan by which the United States can help Europe to help itself. The plan envisages the cooperation of nations of diverse political and economic systems. It calls for the lowering or eradication of trade barriers that interfere with European recovery.

The Molotov Plan. This is a term recently applied to the process of economic orientation toward Russia which has been going on in the Soviet sphere since the war's end and which now seems about to be accelerated. Russia and her satellites already have negotiated bilateral treaties linking them more closely to Moscow. Russia and Czechoslovakia have agreed to a five-year trade treaty for the exchange of goods. Early in July Russia and her Balkan satellites reached an agreement for close integration of the Balkan railways into the Russian system. In its full implications, the Russian plan envisages cooperation among nations of similar (Communist) political structure. It calls for advancement of Eastern Europe even if Western Europe suffers as a result.

East-West Line-Up

In the struggle between these two systems both sides have advantages. This is the line-up:

Aligned with the West are countries (including the British, American and French zones of Germany) which contain, outside the United States, the most advanced industrial populations in the world. On the other hand, these countries do not produce nearly enough food to supply themselves.

Aligned against the West are countries (including the Russian zone of Germany) which, with some exceptions have been largely agricultural. Before the war they relied on Germany and the West for machinery and manufactured goods.

Immediately the scales seem to tip in the direction of the West, since United States food can make up much of Western Europe's deficit, while there remain large markets within Western Europe itself for industrial and manufactured goods.

But for the long pull there remains the question whether Western Europe can organize economically without

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PICTURESQUE, Historic San Antonio, Texas

(From Philadelphia Inquirer)

WHEN it comes to selecting the most colorful, most charming and most distinctive cities in the United States, the list usually narrows down to New Orleans, San Francisco, New York, Charleston, Boston, Butte, Montana, and San Antonio, Texas. Of this selection, San Francisco and New Orleans almost are certain to lead the rest, for they are, by popular acclaim, the favorite cities in the United States. Less publicized, less visited San Antonio is not far behind.

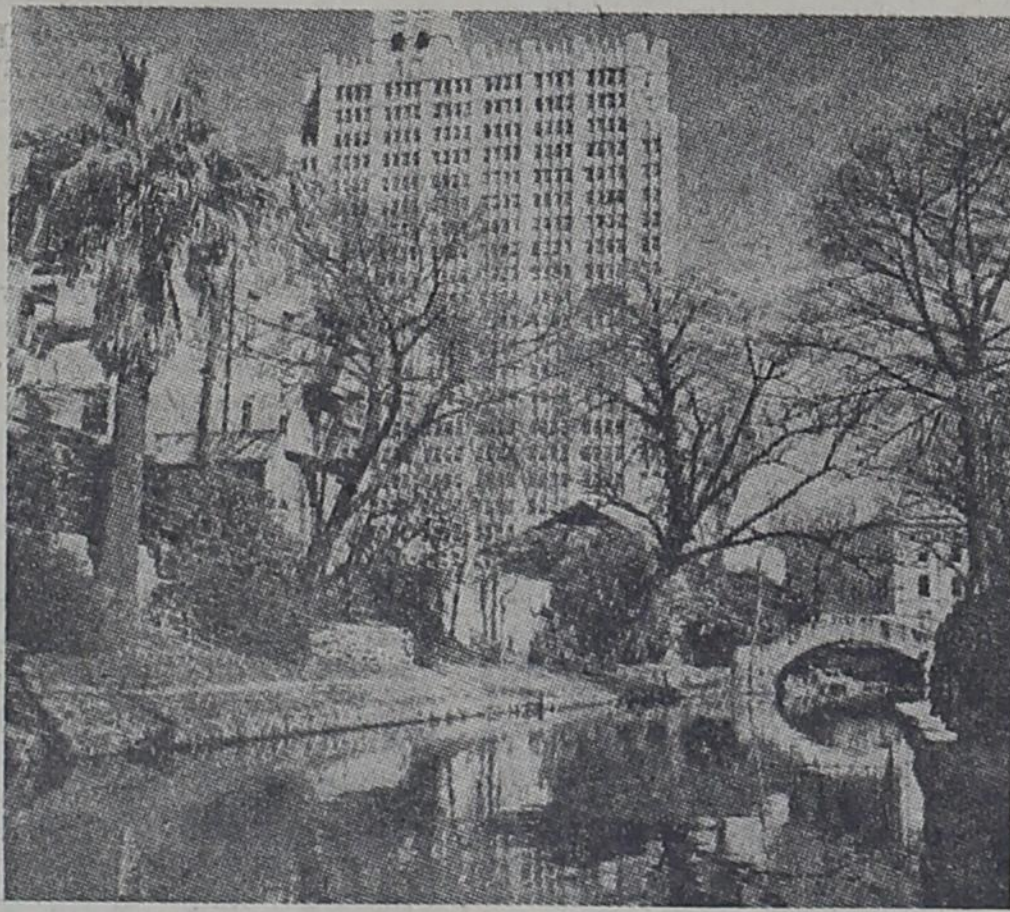
But why these cities? Why not Dallas, Detroit, Seattle, Los Angeles? As we analyze it, to get in the above-mentioned league, a city must be cosmopolitan in its racial makeup, food and language; picturesque and colorful in its physical appearance; rich in historical background. A combination of these three will give any city an atmosphere and character of its own and will set it apart.

Why San Antonio Is Different

Now before we get into an argument concerning why your favorite city isn't better than those we've mentioned, let us tell you about San Antonio—why you should visit it, why it is different.

San Antonio, as it is called by every one but its own residents, is a sunny Spanish-appearing city in the south-central section of the largest State in the Nation. One hundred and fifty miles from the Gulf of Mexico, an equal distance from the Rio Grande, she is the oldest and the third largest city in Texas. And though, population-wise she has lost out to fast-growing Houston to the east and compact Dallas to the north, her charm, color and climate more than make up for any loss in economic or political prestige. San Antonio still remains the darling of Texans and tourists.

Main U. S. and Texas State highways run into and through San Antonio from all directions. Coupled with the city's crooked, crazy-quilt downtown streets, they make a map of the region resemble a "skillet full of snakes." Newcom-



SAN ANTONIO RIVER twists for 15 miles and under 40 bridges in its course through six miles of San Antonio streets.

ers who spend most of the daylight hours strolling along the river's tree-lined banks, marveling at the reflections of nearby skyscrapers in the quiet, emerald-hued stream.

Colorful Atmosphere

To get a better idea of the river, you suddenly decide you're tired of fellow pedestrians and noisy traffic. So, you drop down one flight of stone steps, and—presto—you're walking peacefully along a river bank right in the middle of town. You can see high above you the peaks of the highest buildings, but, except for a sprinkling of pedestrians and automobiles on the overhead

bridges, the busy business world is out of sight. Canoes float by, propelled by gondoliers who serenade their romantic customers with lifting Spanish songs. There are delightful patio restaurants, reeking of tamales, enchiladas, chili con carne—and atmosphere. As you round one bend of the river, you come upon the Little Theater, with grass-covered seats for the audience on one side of the river, and the stage for performers on the other. (During summer months these performances are one of San Antonio's favorite pastimes.) At intervals waterfalls come splashing down either side of the banks. Trees are in full foliage, still it's nice to be able to see the tall buildings through the leafy limbs.

Near another bend of the river, in the shadow of a modern skyscraper, is the Alamo Plaza, the Shrine of Texas' liberty. Actually the fortified old chapel of Mission San Antonio de Valero, the Alamo, became the fortress and the burial ground of its 182 Texan defenders. In case you've forgotten your history, here's a brief reminder:

In 1836, Mexico's El President and self-styled "Napoleon of the West," General Santa Anna, decided to lead a force against the upstart "gringos" of Texas who were clamoring for independence and had stormed San Antonio, forcing the surrender of one of Santa Anna's generals. On February 23 of that year, Santa Anna's army camped on the high hills overlooking San Antonio and demanded the town's immediate and unconditional surrender.

Heroes of the Alamo

The Commander of the sparse American defenders, Lt. Col. Travis, answered with a burst of cannon fire. In his heroic letter addressed to "The People of Texas and All Americans in the World," he told his stirring story: "I am besieged by a thousand Mexicans... I have sustained a continual bombardment for 24 hours and have not lost a man... The enemy has demanded a surrender... I have answered the demand with cannon and our Flag still waves proudly from the walls. I never shall surrender nor retreat... I am determined to sustain myself as long as possible and die like a soldier..." (Continued on Page 5, Column 3)

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LAKE TEXOMA and Its Fish Rodeo

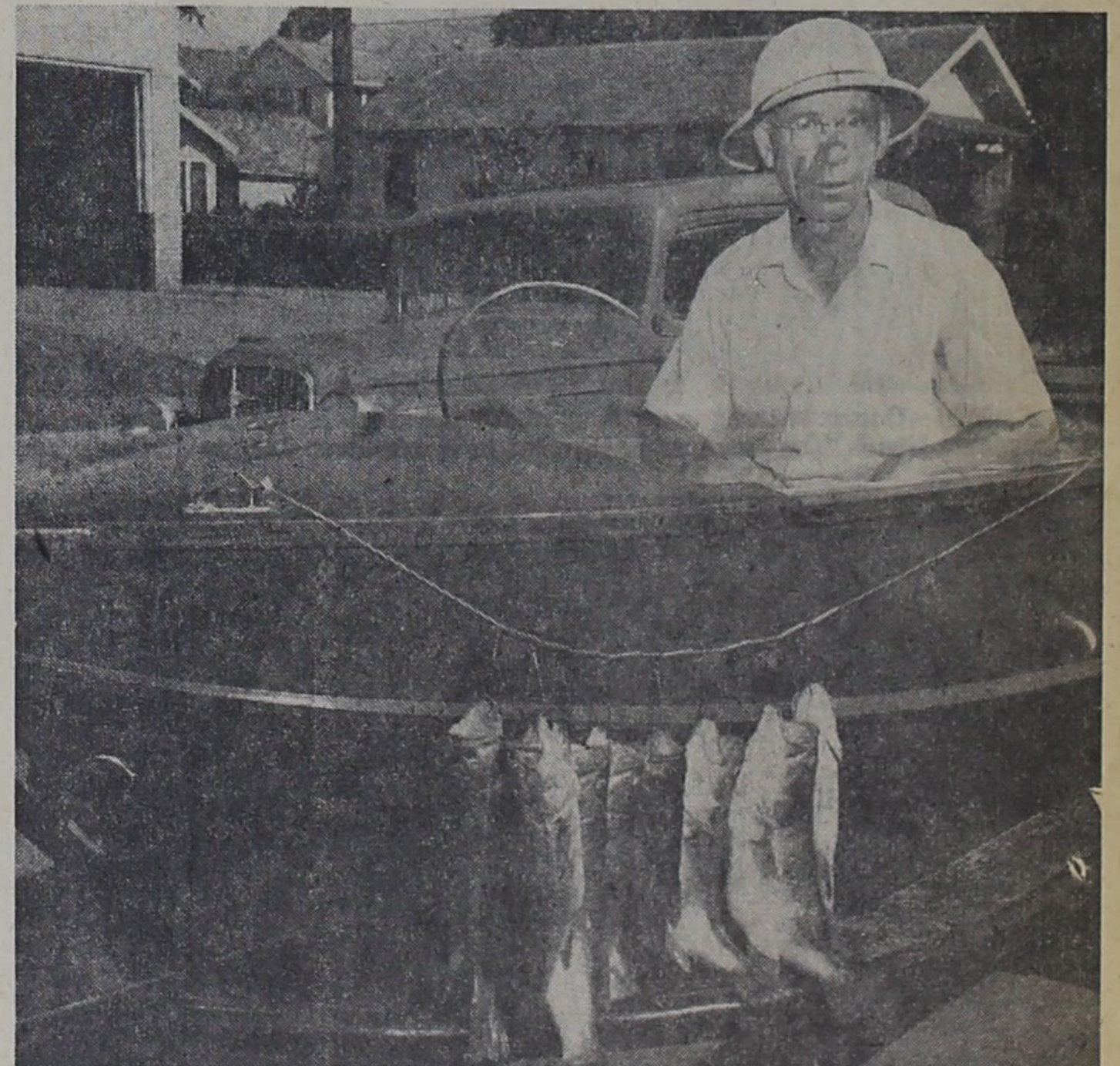
By JOHN CLIFT
Denison, Texas.

FISHING is a year-around sport at Lake Texoma, the fifth largest artificial lake in the United States, which covers 140 square miles along the Northeast Texas-Southeast Oklahoma border. The fishing season is still on at the lake, given impetus by the \$75,000 fish rodeo which continues until December 1.

During the four short years since the

Some Big Bass

Lake Texoma is well stocked annually by both the Texas and Oklahoma fish commissions. Also, the fish in the lake lay an estimated million and a quarter eggs annually. There are plenty of fish in the lake, and the size of the average catch is increasing steadily. Whereas last year a catch of around five pounds would excite anglers, this year that size bass is simply taken for granted. There have been dozens of black bass caught ranging from six to ten pounds, and one weighing 12 pounds one ounce was pulled out of the water.



AFTER A TWO-HOUR fishing trip on Lake Texoma, Charles Bohnfeld, of Denison, brought in these beauties.

completion of Denison Dam (now known as Lake Texoma), the lake has spawned huge numbers of both fish and fishermen. The large-mouth black bass is the main fish, but white bass, crappie, drum, perch and catfish—all of them edible—also provide rare sport for fishermen. Artificial and all kinds of live bait are used, depending on the skill and preference of the individual.

Catfish weighing more than 100 pounds have been caught.

Before telling about the fish rodeo now going on, it might be well to say something about the lake itself and how it is operated as a recreational area. Sixty-five per cent of the water surface of Lake Texoma is in Oklahoma and 35 per cent in Texas. The Lake (Continued on Page 7, Column 3)

Employment at Peak

GOVERNMENT statisticians have announced that the 1947 employment peak in the U. S. will almost surely reach 59,300,000, higher by 1,300,000 than ever before.

Robert C. Goodwin, director of the U. S. Employment Service, also said in an interview that already unemployment has shrunk to what probably is the lowest point it could reach in a free labor market.

"And there is no evidence that situation will change in the immediate future," he said.

Farm Income Up Over 1946

The Agriculture Department has reported that farm income, including government payments, was about 25 per cent higher during the first half of this year than in the first half of 1946. Total cash receipts were estimated at nearly \$12,000,000,000, compared with \$9,600,000,000 in the same period of last year.

The greater part of the increase reflected higher prices. Most farm products were under price ceilings a year ago.

Receipts from livestock and livestock products were about \$7,900,000,000, up nearly 40 per cent over the same period of 1946. The largest gain—60 per cent—came from meat animals, because of much higher prices and some increase in marketings.

Receipts from dairy products showed an increase of about 30 per cent but only 10 per cent when government dairy production subsidies are added to last year's receipts. These payments were stopped when price ceilings were removed.

3,000 Vets Study Abroad

More than 3,000 veterans of World War II are studying abroad under educational provisions of the GI bill, the Veterans Administration said.

The Philippine republic heads the list with 1,411, most of them Filipinos who served with the United States armed forces. Canada is second with 571.

British Naval Loss in World War II

Great Britain lost 1,503 naval vessels in the recent war, the Royal Navy reported in a statistical review.

Enemy action accounted for the destruction of 958 vessels, while accidents were responsible for the loss of 545. Mines were the greatest menace, causing the destruction of 281 craft, while enemy aircraft destroyed 271.

Submarines accounted for 172 and enemy surface vessels for 109.

American Oil Refining Capacity

More than five million barrels of crude oil a day can be handled by petroleum refineries in the United States, the National Petroleum Council has announced.

The council's committee on refining capacity reported that refining capacity is not at present a bottleneck in the supplying of petroleum products.

The report says that the expansion of refinery capacity has been held back by "material shortages and by the general governmental policy, both during and since the war, of discouraging or refusing approval of building projects whose primary purpose was increasing refining capacity."

How Secret Is Our Atom Bomb?

Just how secret are the secrets of the atomic bomb? This is a question being asked all over the country today. And thus far it has not been very well answered.

It all began when Senator Hickenlooper (R-Iowa) announced that two Army sergeants had pilfered atomic bomb secrets from the testing station at Los Alamos, N. M., in March, 1946. And the theft was not discovered until a whole year later.

The Department of Justice said Federal agents were investigating the case. It added that the data taken by the soldiers were negatives of pictures of parts of the atomic bomb. The soldiers were hunting souvenirs, this statement continued, and the negatives never got out of their hands. They were all recovered. "The fundamental secret of the atomic bomb simply does not exist," declared one well known scientist. The real secrets, he added, are the techniques of making the bomb and exploding it.

Russia Will Not Estimate International Police Force

Russia has rejected a request that it submit to the United Nations its estimate of the size of an effective international police force to maintain world peace. The United States, Great Britain and France already have submitted separate estimates. China has concurred in the British figures.

Wool Prices Remain High

Unprecedented American demand for foreign wool is holding fine wool prices at current high levels, the American Wool Council reports.

The council, in a review of world wool supplies, said prices for fine combing wools show an average advance of 51 per cent over December, 1946, and no softening is in prospect because there are no appreciable surpluses of wool of the type in demand.

Cotton Crop Said to Be Short

The United States faces the smallest supply of cotton for the coming marketing year in nearly a quarter of a century.

The Agriculture Department's acreage figures—the first cotton report of

ed by a carryover of about 3,000,000 bales from previous crops. This carryover is the smallest since 1929 and is 60 per cent smaller than last year's carryover.

German Coal Increase Sought

The United States has fostered a direct boost to European recovery by announcing that an effort will be made to increase Germany's vital coal production. The State Department, in making the announcement, pointed out that coal is the key to success in any recovery program for Europe.

In response to an American invitation, the British government sent a mission to Washington to discuss improvement of coal production in Germany's Ruhr valley.

New Powerful Rocket

A new rocket that could streak across the continent in 26 minutes with a 200-pound bomb load has been developed by the U. S., announced Dr. Walter Orr Roberts, of Colorado University, on his return from White Sands (N. M.) rocket proving grounds. The projectile can rise 235 miles and travel 8,000 miles an hour, said Roberts. "This is not a dream but a completed thing," he emphasized in a statement.

Siamese Twins Hit Road Shows Again

At 37, the world famed Hilton Siamese twins, of San Antonio, Texas, are on tour again after deserting the footlights a few years ago.

The sisters who are joined at the spine put it this way: "We didn't need the money, but like the monkeys in the zoo, we got lonesome for people. We're having a lot of fun on the road."

Violet and Daisy are accustomed to the eyes of the curious. Their mother deserted them in Texas shortly after birth, and their private lives have been anything but private. The public has been informed of all their moves from infancy to their marriage and also their divorces.

The girls get along well, despite the differences in their personalities. Daisy is blond with green eyes. She is impulsive, talkative, and quick. Violet has dark hair and hazel eyes. She is quiet.

Scientists have insisted that the girls could be separated by an operation without harm, but the Siamese sisters would have none of it.

"We were born this way, and we stay this way," they agree.

Air Safety Proposals Made

President Truman's special air safety board proposes that passenger airlines be required to install at once electronic "eyes" which will enable pilots to see obstructions through darkness or clouds.

At the same time, the board also suggested that planes be required to fly at 2,000 feet—twice as high as under present rules—when flying at night or in overcast above dangerous terrain.

U. S. Soldiers Taught About Soviet Spies

The War Department is distributing to United States troops all over the world a book entitled "Soviet Spies—the Story of Russian Espionage in North America," by Richard Hirsch. The Army said 13,000 cheap paper editions of the book will be distributed through its troop information and education division.

The book deals with the Soviet spy ring which sought atomic and other secrets in Canada.

"This book is not an official War Department document but has been purchased from commercial sources," the Army said. "As a report on the breaking of the atomic bomb espionage ring in North America this publication is of timely interest to every member of the military establishment."

World's Largest Atom-Smasher

The University of California's new 4,000-ton cyclotron has produced the first man-made replicas of the mysterious interstellar cosmic rays, the force from space of which so little is known. With the huge new atom-smasher the university has probed deeper than ever before into the unknown. For the first time in history, the immense range of the cosmic and the invisible subatomic world has been brought within the reach of man, made visible by photographs taken in cloud chambers while the cyclotron was bombarding the atom.

The university cyclotron, put into operation November 1, 1946, after six years of construction hampered by the war, is believed to be the world's largest atom-smasher. Russia is known to be working with similar cyclotrons.



Herblock in The Washington Post

"OKAY—STEP ON THE STARTER."

the season—indicated that production this year possibly may fall nearly 2,000,000 bales short of estimated requirements.

The department reported the cotton acreage in cultivation on July 1 at 21,389,000 acres, an increase of 17.6 per cent over last year but about 10 per cent below the government's recommended goal.

The department made no production forecasts, but the crop would be about 10,495,000 bales of 500 pounds gross weight if the acreage abandoned is equal to the 10-year average and the yield per acre is equal to the long-time average of about 250 pounds.

This year's crop will be supplement-

Grass Root Reveries

By JOE GANDY

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JULY went on a rampage and broke heat records that had been established by other Julys for over 15 years. No one but a weather man bothers about heat records. Most of us forget 'em while thinking of more important things.

August is another heat record-breaking month. I make no predictions about weather (I may be a fool, but I'm no newcomer) and what I don't know about weather is not worth telling and what I do know is not fit to print. Nonetheless, August, as a runner up, has a bad reputation to live down for searing heat.

Our family physician said the best way to beat the heat is to forget it and drink plenty of cool, not iced, water. I tried this and it worked all right—all except the forgetting. The more I tried to forget the more I remembered the heat. Finally I jumped into my jeep and made a bee line for the "ole swimmin' hole" on Coon Creek. After a dive and a swim in its tree-shaded waters I was as cool as a cucumber. My sage advice to all who want to beat the heat is via the ole swimmin' hole.

Most men never realize how stupid they are until their wives get sick and they're stuck with the housework. Recently wife took down with a summer cold and I had to do the cooking. Needless to say I made a mess of it. The first morning I charred the toast, the coffee pot boiled over and the fried eggs looked like burnt holes in a blanket. The average married man is either a poor cook or no cook at all and I am both.

As I write this the mystery of the

flying disks is still a mystery. According to newspaper reports they were seen in 43 States—including Texas and Oklahoma. An East Texan said he saw a disk fly as low as 300 feet over his garden patch. On June 25th Kenneth Arnold, of Boise, Idaho, took off in his private plane and flew northwest into Washington, D. C. As he passed between Mt. Ranier and Mt. Adams he saw, he said, saucer-like objects flying in perfect formation at 1,200 miles an hour. Several commercial plane pilots reported seeing the strange aircraft while flying their regular routes. Explanations of the disks came from many sources, some fantastic, some mere guesses. My guess is the disks are new types of Army or Navy planes making test flights and their source of power either jet propulsion or atomic energy. All reports agreed they were flying at terrific speed.

Having failed to talk ourselves into a depression, let's go to work and produce more of everything we need and everything the rest of the world needs. There is yet a great scarcity of many things, and that keeps prices up and buying down. Because of a shortage of materials and consequent high prices, homes are not built and thousands of people live in trailers or any kind of makeshift shelter. We seek world leadership, yet how are we to lead the world if we shirk responsibility, fold our hands and loaf on the job? It is high time we give thought to more production and less thought to more wages. The solution is not more wages, it is more production.

President Truman declared the week of July 20-26 as Farm Safety Week. The National Farm Safety Council says farming is the most dangerous of all occupations. Machinery accounts for

many farm accidents. Power has come to the farm through specialized machinery and it needs careful handling. We farmers used to hitch up horses or mules to go plowing and cultivating, but now we hitch up tractors, gang plows, cultivators, harrows, combines, trucks, trailers and other heavy machinery to do the work. Among the "don'ts about handling farm machinery the best one is: "DON'T BE CARELESS."

So many faiths, so many creeds,
So many roads that wind and wind,
When just the art of being kind
Is all this old world really needs.

—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

Feminine beauty comes high. The magazine, "Beauty Fashion," estimates that American women spent \$850,000,000 last year for cosmetics alone. This sum does not include other millions spent by women in the beauty parlors. But who is craven enough to say it is not worth the money? What a drab world if there were no feminine beauty! Perish the thought.

Washington, D. C., has been often described as a place where men mill around like squirrels in a cage, believing they are going somewhere but not knowing where. Now Congresswoman Clare Booth Luce comes along with this colorful description: "During my years in Washington, I became keenly aware of the fact that the people who have authority there have no time to think, and the people who have time to think have no authority."

An automobile going 40 miles an hour travels 118 feet in two seconds—and even on good pavement, even with good brakes, the driver cannot stop under 126 feet. Speed of oncoming cars is very hard to judge in daylight—impossible at night. Last year some 130,000 pedestrians were killed or injured at street intersections because they guessed wrong or just weren't thinking at all. Safety pays dividends. Watch your step. Don't expect drivers to do all the watching.

Guard Units Get Approval

The War Department has given its approval to about 41 per cent of the 6,388 National Guard units planned for the post-war national defense structure.

Maj. Gen. Butler B. Miltonberger, National Guard bureau chief, announced that Federal recognition has been granted so far to 2,358 ground and 257 air units in the various States and territories.

When a guard unit qualifies, by virtue of its strength, equipment and other factors for Federal recognition, its personnel receives Federal pay for each of the 48 weekly training periods and the 15-day summer field training.

Corn Crop Below 10-Year Average

The Department of Agriculture has forecast this year's corn crop at 2,612,809,000 bushels, compared with last year's record of 3,287,927,000 bushels and with a 10-year average of 2,639,102,000 bushels.

Department officials says a crop of less than 2,850,000,000 bushels would force curtailment of livestock production and result in prolonged high prices for meats.

Chickens Cost Same As in 1926

The Poultry and Egg National Board reports that Americans can well afford to have a chicken in every pot. Basis of the belief is the fact that chickens may be purchased for the same price as in 1926.

The board quoted poultry values at 100, using the recognized base year of 1926, whereas other foods were listed at 163.

Jap Cotton Trade to Be Arranged

A group of cotton men and several Federal officials have been in Japan to make arrangements for shipments of American cotton to Japan through regular trade channels. W. L. Walter, of Houston, Texas, chairman of the Cotton Export Advisory Board, estimated that \$100,000,000 will be spent for American cotton for export to Japan, under a system of loans from the Export-Import Bank and private banking institutions.

The exports to Japan will take care of a large part of any increased cotton production this year on the South Plains of Texas, Walker said. Japan was a heavy user of Texas short staple before the war.

Japanese Policy Adopted

The 11-nation Far Eastern Commission has set forth the basic principles which should guide Allied post-surrender policy toward Japan. American government officials said the commission's lengthy document, issued some 22 months after U. S. forces began occupation duty, in effect approves the occupation directive President Truman sent General MacArthur on September 6, 1945.

Russia was among the 11 nations which debated and adopted the policy.

Mexico Bans Luxury Items

Importation of automobiles, refrigerators, radios and many other luxury items has been banned by Mexico, and higher duties ordered into effect on numerous other articles. The move is designed to stabilize Mexico's economy by protecting her dollar balance in the United States. Mexico has had an unfavorable balance of trade for months and the tourist business, which has gone a long way toward making up the difference, also is slumping.

The embargo and higher tariff order will remain in effect for an indefinite period.

Automotive Industry Gives Many Jobs

The Automobile Manufacturers Association reports that one out of every seven workers in the nation makes his living in the automotive and related industries.

AMA, in its 1946-47 automobile facts and figures yearbook, said that 537,000 automotive business places—one-sixth of all U. S. concerns—employ 8,200,000 persons.

Of these, 4,750,000 truck drivers form the largest occupational class, while production workers who make automobiles and parts account for only one-tenth the total—800,000.

AMA's annual survey turned up these facts about autos:

The average vehicle in use last year was nine years old, compared with 5½ years in 1941.

Motorists last year paid \$2,500,000,000 in gasoline and excise taxes and license fees.

Money spent for road and street construction last year amounted to \$700,000,000.

Traffic fatalities last year were 43,500 or an all-time low of 9.7 per million miles of travel.

Total number of vehicles in use last year was 33,946,000, 437,000 below the 1941 peak year, but including a record high of 5,726,000 trucks.

TEXAS BRIEF NEWS ---from Over the State

BATTLESHIP TO BE STATE SHRINE

Texas' school children, civic clubs and veterans organizations will be asked to cooperate in raising the \$50,000 needed annually to maintain the USS "Texas" as a State shrine, the Battleship Texas Commission has announced. The battleship is to be anchored near San Jacinto battleground.

CELEBRATE 65TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McDaniel, old-time residents of Comanche county, celebrated their sixty-fifth wedding anniversary recently in their home eight miles northwest of Sidney. Mr. McDaniel is 85 years old, and his wife is 83. They are the parents of eleven children, of whom one is dead.

TEXAS CITY GETS AID FROM COSTA RICO

The Costa Rico town of Cartago, grateful for aid received from the American Red Cross following an earthquake in 1910, has contributed \$625 to help victims of the Texas City explosion. The contribution, announced by Walter J. Donnelly, United States ambassador to Costa Rico, represented individual gifts and proceeds of social functions.

OLD BUFFALO HUNTER DIES

R. C. Parrack, age 94, one of the last old West buffalo hunters, died recently in Lubbock. Parrack killed entire herds of buffalo without leaving his stand, fought Indians, and once saved a child from a stampeding herd of long-horns in Abilene, Kans., by dismounting from his horse and fighting the herd leader with only his quirt. He had lived in Lubbock 48 years.

EXTENSIVE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT

Industrial development in Texas in the period 1940-46, inclusive, was greater than in all previous history of the State, according to the 1947-48 edition of the Texas Almanac, just published by the Dallas Morning News. The number of industrial employees during that period increased 100 per cent even after the closing of many of the large war plants, the Almanac said.

STATE WATER LAW REVISION NEEDED

The Texas Water Conservation Association is making an intensive study of the need for revision of the State's water laws. New laws are needed, according to association officials, to insure the proper development, protection, conservation and utilization of Texas water resources. Recommendations made by an 11-man committee named by the organization will be available to the next Legislature.

BIG TOURIST SEASON SEEN

Texas will play host this summer to the largest number of visitors since the centennial year of 1936, according to Paul W. Curtis, executive secretary of the Southwest Motor Club. Curtis attributes the new interest in Texas as a vacation spot to better highways, more national publicity and the glowing stories servicemen stationed here during the war carried back to their home States. The motor club is an affiliate of the American Automobile Association.

NEW LAW ON AUTO MOTOR NUMBERS

A new law to end the legal confusion incident to exchanging motors in cars and trucks has gone into effect, following its passage by the Fiftieth Legislature. Since a vehicle is legally identified and its ownership established by its motor number, it is important that the title papers be corrected when the owner installs a new or exchange motor. Otherwise he might find himself not the legal owner of the car. All county tax assessor-collectors and the State Highway Department at Austin have forms and instructions for making application for proper numbers to be die-stamped on the new motors which bear no number. The law now bans the practice of stamping the old number on the new motor.

OLDEST PRACTICING DENTIST IN U. S.

A birthday cake with 80 candles and a telegram from the Texas State Dental Association congratulating him on being the oldest practicing dentist in the United States greeted Dr. John E. Story, of Beaumont, Jefferson county, as he celebrated his birthday last month. Doctor Story, who once filled a tooth of Joe Jefferson, the famous actor, and pulled a molar of the glamorous Lillian Russell, is still going strong. He has completed 25 sets of teeth in his own laboratory since the first of the year, doing all the work himself. Besides having put 55 years of dental practice behind him, Doctor Story has studied surgery, has been a cowboy and is internationally famous as a fly-fisherman.

GI SCHOOL APPROVAL DELAYED

Governor Jester has announced that no more schools will be approved under the GI training program until October 1, because the State is not prepared to make the necessary surveys until then.

TEACHERS WANTED FOR OVERSEAS

The University of Texas is one of 12 educational institutions in the United States asked to cooperate with the Federal government in providing teachers overseas. Dr. Hob Gray, chairman of the Teacher Placement Committee, said. Teachers are wanted for children of American couples in Germany. Dr. Gray explained, and six will be chosen from each institution.

PARKS BOARD BUDGET CUT

The State Parks Board has announced that the sharply trimmed budget for the year beginning September 1 will be sufficient only for salaries and some maintenance work in the State's 36 parks. A budget of \$218,600 was cut by the Legislature to \$130,595 for the first year of the biennium. No improvement of existing facilities or construction of new buildings will be possible with the limited amount, officials stated.

BIG INVESTMENT IN TEXAS ROADS

Texas has invested nearly a billion dollars in its State road network in the 30 years since establishment of the State Highway Department, says Chairman John S. Redditt of the State Highway Commission. Paved mileage in the State's road system has more than quadrupled since it was first measured accurately in 1929. Redditt said in reviewing more than a quarter of a century's work by the department.

TEXAS CITY FIREMEN'S KIN SHARE \$91,347 PAYMENT

Checks amounting to \$91,347.25 are in the hands of 27 widows and dependents of Texas City volunteer firemen killed in the April 16 disaster. Fire Chief Fred Dowdy said that each immediate survivor received a check from the Continental Insurance Company for \$3,000 and \$383.25 from the city fire department relief fund for a total of \$3,383.25.

TEXAN NAMED TOP AID FOR YOUNG DEMOCRATS

Roy Baker, of Sherman, Grayson county, president of the Young Democrats of Texas, has been named associate national director by the executive committee of this organization. Baker will make visits to Young Democrat clubs throughout the Southwest.

STATE ACQUIRES OLD FRENCH EMBASSY

Title to the "French embassy" in Texas has passed to the State, which in turn is transferring the property to the care of the Daughters of the Republic of Texas for restoration. The two-and-one-half-story colonial residence, built of native Texas pine and furnished with window panes imported from France, was the Austin home of Alfonse de Saligny, representative from the French government to the Republic of Texas.

DRIVING TO BE SAFER IN TEXAS

Many of the practices heretofore recommended to Texas drivers in the driver's handbook will be law after September 5. The uniform traffic code, passed by the 50th Legislature, will become effective then and is expected to cut the mounting toll of traffic deaths and injuries. For instance, a driver now can make a left turn from the right traffic lane, on a four-lane highway, and he'll be within the law. Also, he can make a right turn from an inside lane. He'll not get a ticket for either practice, before September 5, but both practices are unsafe. The new code will require a right turn from the right lane, nearest the curb, and a left turn will be made only from the inside lane nearest the center stripe. Another big improvement in the law will give the State Highway Department the right to designate "no passing" zones and will deal with legal driving operations on multiple lane roads and designate right of way.

RAT CONTROL PROGRAM URGED

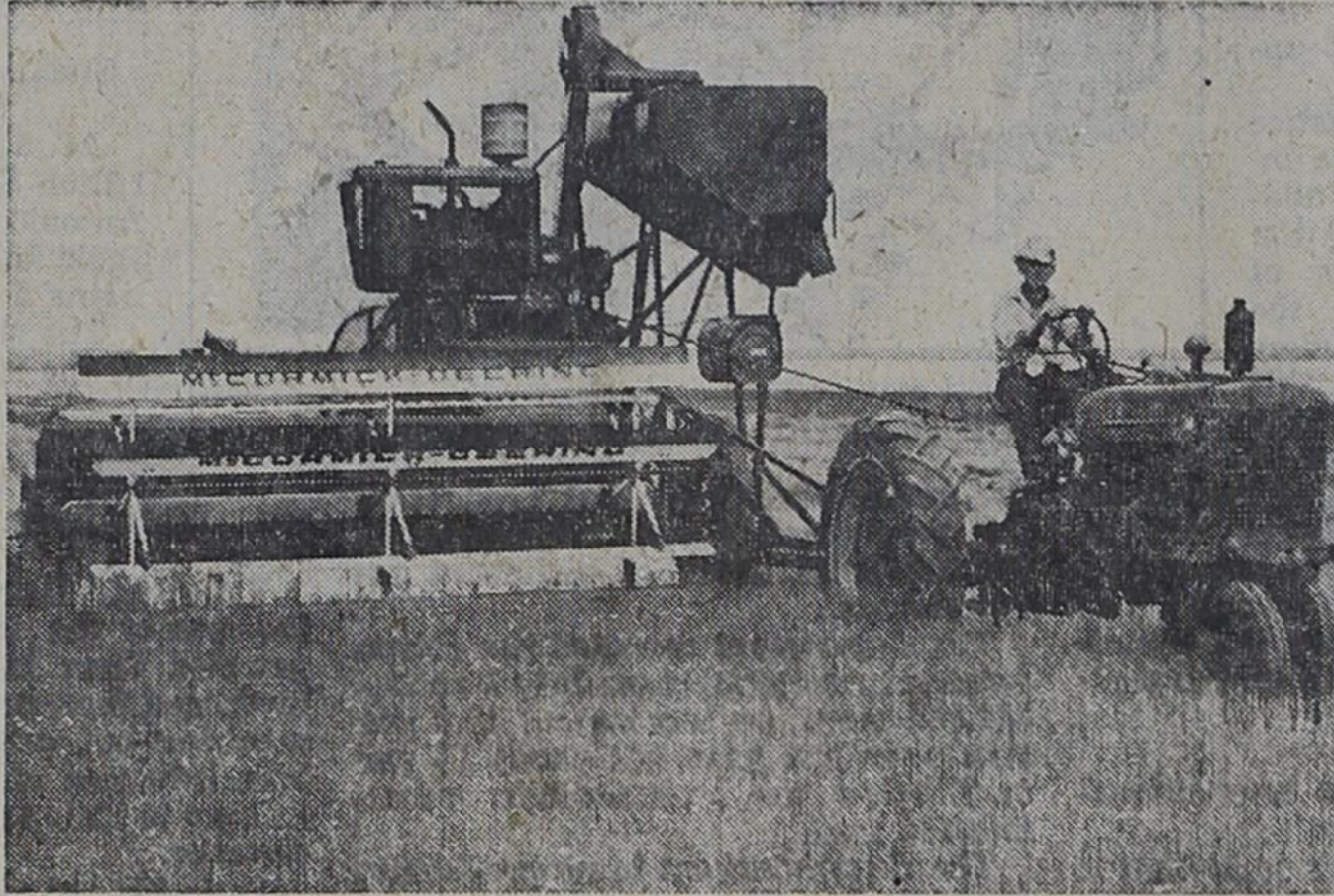
A continuous rat control program in every urban and rural area in Texas is being urged by State Health Officer Cox as "necessary to public health."

MAN DIES ON VISIT TO WEDDING SITE

An 84-year-old man died in Marshall, Harrison county, while he and his wife were visiting the place where they married, 63 years ago. He died of a stroke suffered a week previously. The Bernsteins, who live in Memphis, came to Marshall for a visit, their first in five years. They were married at the home of Mrs. Bernstein's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Grossman, August 17, 1884.

FIRST VACATION IN 57 YEARS

For the first time since they entered business, 57 years ago, Herb and George Park, hardware merchants in Alvarado, Johnson county, decided to have a vacation together. To eliminate business worries, they sent out a notice to all their customers: "Our store will be closed during the week of July 6. For 57 long years, since 1890, we have served you faithfully, and we have never had a vacation together. But this time we are long gone. Sorry. No phone orders, no mail orders, and no curb service."



COMBINES SPEED NEW TEXAS FLAX HARVEST

Flax has become an important new cash crop in Texas. From a mere 1,000 acres in 1937, the size of the Texas crop has grown to an estimated 150,000 acres the past year. Karnes county, in South Texas, had a third of this acreage, or 50,000 acres. This acreage, it is claimed, places Karnes county first in the U. S. A., as a flax-producing country. International Harvester self-propelled combine machine, owned by J. J. Pogue, Jr., of Kenedy, is shown above at work on his 2,850-acre farm, 1,650 acres of which were in flax. He said he was the first man to grow flax commercially in Karnes county.

WAINWRIGHT STATE PARK AUTHORIZED

Creation of a State park named for Gen. Jonathan M. Wainwright has been authorized by the State Parks Board. The park will be located at Lake Bridgeport, approximately five miles from Bridgeport, Wise county, and will cover about 50 acres of woodland. The reason given for naming the park in honor of General Wainwright was that many young men from Wise county had served in Texas' famed lost artillery battalion and were imprisoned with the general in Japanese prison camps.

\$12,000,000 FOR VET TRAINING

New contracts became effective last month, calling for about \$12,000,000 of Federal funds to finance vocational and rehabilitation training for veterans in Texas public schools. W. E. Lowry, executive director of vocational education in Texas, said there were 122,000 GI's registered in the State's universities, colleges, public and private schools. He said there were 750,000 Texas returned GI's from World War II and that 22 per cent were entered in public and private schools. The \$12,000,000 aid fund is to be expended under Lowry's direction, but with the approval of the State Board of Education. The new contracts will expire June 30, 1948. Books, tools and equipment will be furnished veterans under these contracts for vocational training and for vocational rehabilitation.

WHITNEY DAM DEDICATED

From the highlands of New Mexico to the waters of the Gulf, residents of the Brazos river basin flocked to Whitney, Hill county, early in July to participate in the dedication and see Gov. Beauford Jester break ground for Whitney Dam, key project in the vast Brazos river conservation plan.

MANY ALIENS SUBJECT TO DEPORTATION

North Texas is crowded with aliens subject to deportation, but the United States Bureau of Immigration and Naturalization does not have the personnel to cope with the situation, according to W. C. Young, inspector in charge of the 65-county area. Young said he frequently received letters, both signed and anonymous, giving locations of aliens subject to deportation.

PAINTER SURVIVES FIVE-STORY FALL

Kelly Hall, a Dallas painter, tumbled halfway down the side of a five-story warehouse when his scaffold collapsed, crashed through the roof of a loading dock and into a small storeroom, then got up, opened the door and walked out. Hospital attendants later said the fall cracked five or six ribs, but added that his condition was not serious.

TRUMAN INVITED TO BIG BEND

President Truman has been invited to dedication of Big Bend National Park, which may be held next year. Secretary of the Interior Julius Krug and National Park Director Newton Drury have already planned to attend the dedication. The park cannot be opened, however, until the State builds a road from Alpine to the park entrance.

TEXAS REVENUE RISES 2 PER CENT

A two per cent increase in internal revenue collections in Texas during the 1946-47 Federal fiscal year ending June 30 has been reported by the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research. Total collections for the year were \$1,085,574,212. Income tax collections climbed two per cent during the year, employment taxes 18 per cent and withholding taxes jumped two per cent. Miscellaneous taxes declined four per cent. June collections slipped downward four per cent from June, 1946, to \$97,716,438. In April and May collections had run 20 per cent ahead of collection figures for the same months last year.

FOXES MENACE TO 10 COUNTIES

Dr. George W. Cox, State health officer, has issued a proclamation declaring sufficient foxes are infected with rabies to be a menace to the health of citizens in 10 Texas counties. Under a new law passed by the 50th Legislature, the State Department is offering a \$2 bounty for each fox destroyed in nine east and southeast counties and one Central Texas county.

COLLEGE BUILDING AMENDMENT

On August 23, the voters of Texas will have an opportunity to vote on the College Building Amendment to the Constitution, an amendment that will provide, for the 16 State-supported institutions, a \$60,000,000 30-year building program. The amendment was proposed by college officials and alumni as the best plan to ease overcrowding in the colleges and to provide for their future orderly development. The Texas Legislature has submitted the amendment to the people for disposition.

CLAYTONS GIVE MILLION FOR RESEARCH

A gift of 20,000 shares of common stock in the Anderson-Clayton Company aggregating a million dollars, has been donated to medical research by Undersecretary of State and Mrs. Will F. Clayton of Houston. It is understood the money will be used in infantile paralysis research.

WEST TEXAS TO GET EARTHQUAKE STATION

A seismographic station capable of recording earthquakes and seismic disturbances all over the world is to be established at Texas Technological College, Dr. Leroy T. Patton, head of the geology department, has announced. The new station will be the only one in operation between St. Louis, Mo., and Tucson, Arizona. The college will cooperate with the United States Coastal and Geodetic Survey and will send reports of all seismic disturbances to them.

ROSE FESTIVAL TO CROWN QUEEN

A "court of beauty," with more than fifty girls from Texas and ten other States, representing famous beautiful women from history and fiction will be the theme of the 1947 Texas Rose Festival coronation of the Queen of Roses to be held in Tyler October 2 and 3. The coronation, tenth to be held since the inauguration of the annual festival, will be staged on two occasions this year at the Tyler municipal auditorium. The ceremony will be presented twice, because the auditorium has insufficient seating capacity for a one-night performance as was the custom in the past.

AIR INDUSTRY ASKED TO AID IN IMPROVEMENTS

The Texas Aeronautics Commission has asked the flying industry to help it in three major projects: air markings, airport registrations, and standardization of GI flight training. Proper marking of airports to aid fliers was characterized by Commissioner Director A. W. Meadows as "wholly incomplete" in Texas. Chairman Al Buchanan of San Antonio told the commission that the air industry's aid in promoting city markings and registration of airports is of the first considerations.

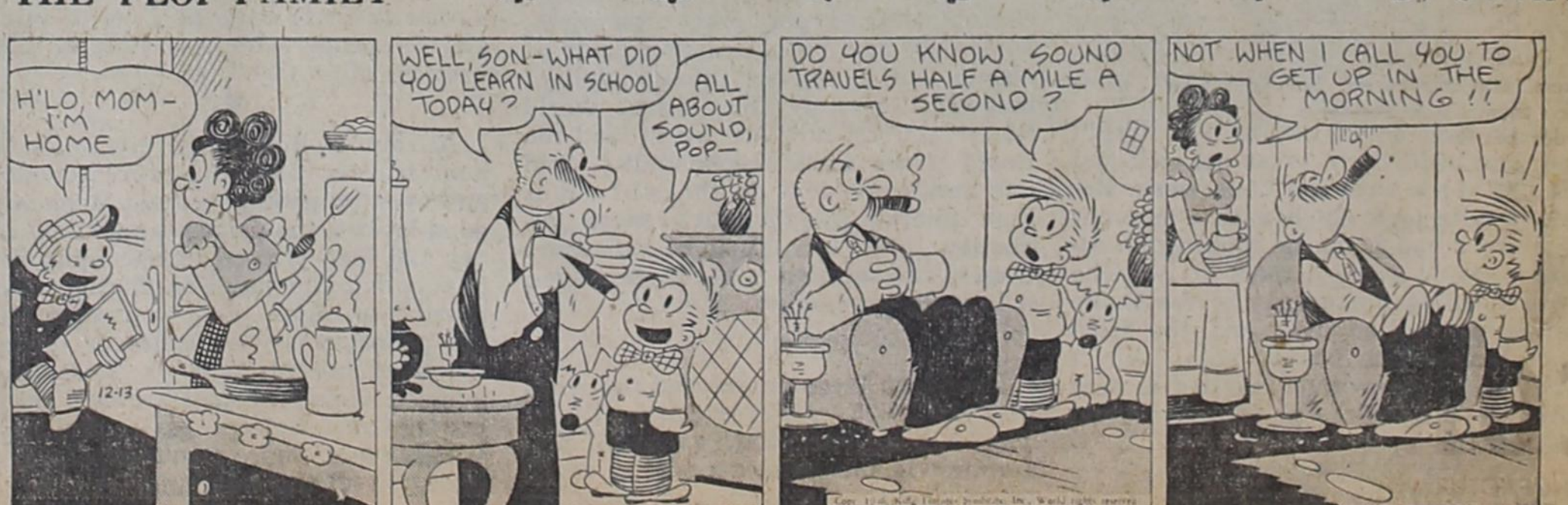
EROSION COMPARED TO ATOMIC BOMB

Soil erosion is just as destructive to civilization as the atomic bomb, according to Paul H. Walser, State conservationist for the U. S. Department of Agriculture in Temple, Bell county. Walser stated that the destructive force of soil erosion is more drawn out than the destructive force of an atomic bomb. "Lots of us still take the land for granted—as God's beauty continuously forthcoming," he said, "but erosion is a destroyer of mankind and all he has." Erosion, he explained, is caused either by wind or water. In Texas, it has gone so far that topsoil originally nine inches in depth has been reduced to less than six inches. More than three-fourths of the topsoil has been lost on 46,000,000 acres in Texas, and 11,000,000 acres are totally destroyed for further profitable use.

NEW POTENTIAL INDUSTRY FROM TEXAS PLANTS

Dr. John R. Clopton, supervisor of agricultural research for the Texas State Research Foundation, said recently several hundred native Texas plants which have never been employed commercially would be suitable for use in producing perfumes, cosmetics or medicine. The research foundation is presently engaged on a survey of native Texas plants, which Dr. Clopton estimates number from 6,000 to 10,000. When sufficient information has been accumulated on certain oil-bearing plants under investigation in the foundation's laboratories, the field should be ripe for establishment of a top flight drug and cosmetic factory in the State, he said. The foundation's staff of scientists is experimenting with plantings of more than 1,000 varieties of soybeans, to determine those best suited for cultivation by Texas farmers.

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There's Always Room for Another

Aunt Aggie, trying to cheer up Judy Canova, admonished, "You mustn't be discouraged. Remember that in this world there's a girl for every man and a man for every girl. You can't improve on an arrangement like that." "Shucks," said Judy, "I don't want to improve on it. I just want to get in on it."

Time On His Hands

Because of war curtailments, a man was carrying a grandfather's clock down a crowded main street to a repair shop. As the clock limited his vision, he unintentionally collided with a woman, knocking her down. After collecting her composure and packages, the woman struggled to her feet and scathingly inquired: "Why don't you carry a wrist watch like everybody else?"

The Editor's Retraction

A small-town newspaper was waging a campaign against the town council. One heading screamed: "Half the Town Board Are Crooks." The outraged councilmen demanded a retraction and the editor promised to run one. The next day the paper carried this headline: "Half the Town Board Are Not Crooks."

Battle of the Hamburgers

Lexington Avenue, New York, is now the scene of a price advertising battle. A favorite hamburger haunt has done a booming business there for many years, on no advertising—just good beef, rolls, catsup and solid word-of-mouth promotion. But a competitor moved in around the corner, replete with plate glass, fancy woodwork and a large sign in front that read: "The Hamburger with the College Education, 25c."

The 25c educated hamburgers promptly stole all the business and left the favorite hamburger haunt barren of customers. Then the owner, realizing at long last that he must merchandise or fail, struck back viciously. He now has a sign in his window which reads: "Hamburger with the High School Education, 15c."

The Ideal Way

Three old men were discussing the ideal way of dying. The first, aged 75, said he'd like to crash in a car going 80 miles per hour. The second, 85, said he'd take his finish in a plane at 400 miles per hour. "I've got a better idea," said the third, aged 95. "I'd like to be shot by a jealous husband."

He Asked for It

A wise guy stepped up to the bus as it pulled into the bus terminal two hours late and said to the driver: "Well, Noah, you got here at last. Is the ark full?" "Nope," replied the driver. "We need one more monkey. Hop right in."

Parable of the Pig

A rich man said to his pastor, "Why is it that everybody is always criticizing me for being miserly, when everybody knows that I have made provision to leave everything I possess to charity when I die?" "Let me tell you a story about a pig and a cow," the minister replied. "The pig was lamenting his lack of popularity. He complained to the cow that people were always talking about the cow's gentleness and kind eyes. He admitted that the cow gave milk and cream, but maintained that pigs gave bacon and ham, lard and bristles and pickled feet. He demanded the reason for such lack of appreciation. "The cow thought awhile and said, 'Maybe it's because I give while I'm still living!'"

Where Vice-Presidents Fear to Tread

George Wharton Pepper in his autobiography, "Philadelphia Lawyer," recounts one of Calvin Coolidge's favorite stories. Before he succeeded Warren Harding as Chief Executive, Coolidge occupied an apartment at the Willard Hotel. A fire one night brought him down to the lobby partially undressed. When the conflagration seemed to be under control, Mr. Coolidge started to walk upstairs. A fire marshal shouted: "Who are you?" Mr. Coolidge said he was the Vice President and was told to go ahead. A moment later, the fire official called back: "Hey, what are you vice president of?" "I am the Vice President of the United States," Coolidge replied. "Well, in that case you come right back here again," was the sharp order. "I thought you were the vice president of the hotel."

Didn't Want to Waste Time

A constituent wrote Representative Gore of Tennessee to say that he'd like to be an inventor but that he didn't want to waste his time on things already invented. "Will you please go down to the patent office," his letter read, "and get me a list of things that haven't been invented. Get me the answers by return mail as I'm anxious to get to work."

Really Invisible

"Pardon me," said the hen-pecked little husband to the clerk, "I want to get some invisible hairnets for my wife. "Okay," said the breezy clerk, "here you are. That will be one dollar." The little man cleared his throat and timidly asked, "Pardon me, but are you sure these hairnets are invisible?" "Invisible!" snorted the clerk, "Brother, I've been selling them all morning and we've been out of them for two weeks."

Poultry News

(Condensed from American Poultry Journal)

Industry Position

While no industry is ever in an invulnerable position, it can be said that the poultry industry has maneuvered itself into a strong defensive position, whether there is a change in the price level or a shift in demand. The April hatch of baby chicks, crucial month of the starting season, was 10 per cent below the hatch in April, 1946. The stock of eggs in storage is below the previous low year of 1917, 30 years ago, and about 4 million cases less than the annual average holdings for the years 1942 to 1946. The poultry industry is in a formidable strategic position to meet such problems as would arise from a deep depression, or if there is to be but a mild recession, as many forecast, short supplies may prove inadequate to meet consumer demand except at rising prices.



Provide Fall Markets

During the summer months, it is a wise plan to study marketing problems that are going to concern the poultry enterprise when full winter production has started. If not already selling to a market that recognizes and pays premiums for quality products, then it is a wise move to take steps to find such a market. An egg route is one way of receiving premiums, and now is a good time to develop such a route. Commercial firms, restaurants, hotels, hospitals and many other firms will usually pay nice premiums if the egg supply is regular and of top quality.

Regardless of the final means of marketing winter eggs, it is vital that only highest grade products be offered for sale. This means, in addition to adequate and proper poultry house equipment and correct management practices, that an egg cooling and holding room, wire baskets to gather eggs in, egg candlers and egg cleaners will be needed to handle and produce top quality eggs.

As marketing competition grows stiffer, quality products will become more valuable in their ability to assure the producer an adequate profit from his poultry flock. Check your market plans and handling practices soon.

Encourage Nest Laying

The habits that young pullets develop on range are usually carried with them when they are moved to the winter houses, and for this reason, extra care should be taken with the birds that start to lay on the range to see that they develop the habit of laying in nests. A simple shelter can be built to cover a few nests and placed near their feed and water as a means of getting the birds accustomed to laying in nests. In any case keep the nests fairly dark and be sure they are full of good nesting material. A little time spent now encouraging pullets to lay in nests will be more than justified when they are moved to permanent laying quarters by helping to reduce the number of dirty and broken eggs.

Frozen Poultry Products

At a recent Fact Finding Conference of the Institute of American Poultry Industries, Dr. G. A. Fitzgerald of the Frozen Food Foundation, called attention to a long list of frozen pre-cooked poultry items that are available. The list includes Bar-B-Q chicken, chicken a-la-king, chicken chow mein, chicken liver creole, chicken cutlets, chicken patties, chicken hunter style, chicken turnovers with gravy, chicken and vegetable dinner, fried chicken Pennsylvania Dutch style, fried boneless chicken, pan fried chicken, and sliced turkey and filling. Also he mentioned the fact that chicken and turkey hash are quite common.

With so many chicken products being available in frozen form and with frozen products gaining in popularity, an increased consumption of poultry and poultry products should result.

Processed for Quality

Experimental work towards improving the quality of eggs offered to the consumer has shown that brown eggs will keep better than white eggs. Reason for this better keeping quality lies in the fact that brown eggs are less porous than white eggs. This information has led western poultrymen, where mostly white eggs are produced, to develop the practice of processing nearly every egg offered on the market. This processing consists of sealing the pores by dipping them in oil which increases the keeping quality of the eggs.

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San Antonio

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Victory or Death!" Thirteen days later, Travis and every one of his men—even the non-combatants who were in the fort—had "died like soldiers."

There were no male survivors of the last day's bitter fighting. Vengeful Santa Anna refused the defenders a rightful burial, ordered all bodies burned. Stirred by the heroes of the Alamo, Texans rallied around General Sam Houston and with the battle cry, "Remember the Alamo," they defeated the superior forces of Santa Anna at the Battle of San Jacinto and sent the remainder of his army scurrying back across the Rio Grande into Mexico forever.

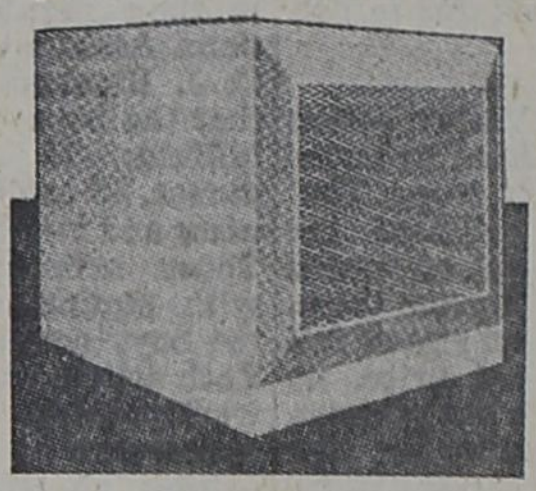
That's the story you remember when you're rambling around the Alamo Plaza. The thick, bullet-scarred walls of the Alamo help you understand why Texans are particularly proud of their State and sometimes feel—and make you feel—that they are a separate entity, not really a part of the United States. They feel that way because they fought their own bitter battle for independence without help from any other part of the United States, formed their own Republic, and then, by a treaty made as an independent republic, entered the Union.

(A clause in that treaty, incidentally, reads: "New States of convenient size, not exceeding four in number, in addition to the State of Texas, and having sufficient population, may hereafter, by the consent of the States, be formed out of the territory thereof, which shall be entitled to admission under the provisions of the Federal Constitution." In short, Texas actually could be five separate States, have ten instead of two Senators!)

But there is more than the river and the Alamo in store for the visitor to San Antonio. South of the city, spread out along the river are four peaceful Franciscan Missions. Built more than 200 years ago, these missions were connected in 1740 by a stone aqueduct, considered in those days to be a remarkable bit of engineering skill. Of the four—Concepcion, San Jose, Aqueeduct and San Francisco de la Espada—we think Mission San Jose is the most beautiful. In fact, we found it even lovelier than any Mexican or California mission we have visited.

Indian pueblos, soldiers' quarters and a granary form the walls of the large quadrangle. Outside the walls is a restored old mill and an outdoor theater with a rustic stage where historical and religious pageants are presented. The Mission itself is noteworthy for its carvings, most famous of which is the sacristy "Rose Window."

Back in the center of town there are other attractions: La Villita, a part of old San Antonio reconstructed as an historic shrine. It has a spacious, graceful old patio, art and craft shops, a museum and library, and reproductions of houses more than 100 years old. The Spanish Governor's palace at-



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tracts many visitors, mainly because of its charming "wishing well" in the center of its patio. . . . Then there's a curio store called "The Buckhorn," which has on display a collection of horns from almost every type of horned animal; also rattlers from 32,000 rattlesnakes.

Haymarket Plaza at sundown tells another story of San Antonio. That's the time of day when produce trucks roll in from the rich Rio Grande Valley with their loads of luscious fruits and vegetables to be sold in the open air market. Mexican women vendors draped in black and purple rebozos leave their squalid tenement homes in the west side Mexican Quarter to stand on the corners of the Plaza and offer for sale shredded green prickly pear leaves—for salad. Members of San Antonio's aristocracy, big-moneyed cattle men wearing ten-gallon hats and high-heeled boots, saunter over to the Plaza from a horse and mule auction at the nearby Union Stockyards; Mexican troubadours dressed in resplendent but inexpensive charro costumes stroll among the customers and visitors, singing their songs in return for a small coin tossed into their outstretched sombreros.

That's a picture of the city and its history. Its people equally are interesting and colorful. They are a conglomeration of 30 nationalities—36 per cent of which are Mexican, nine per cent Negroes. There are close to 50,000 persons of German descent who migrated to Texas in 1845 and 1846. There's a liberal sprinkling of French, who drifted over from Louisiana. There

are Italians, Belgians, Greek and Chinese, most of whom speak English with a Spanish accent. With such a diversified population, San Antonio is cosmopolitan in its language, food, music and customs. As a matter of fact, it's difficult to order a plain meal like mother used to make. For here the majority of restaurants feature French, Italian, Chinese or Mexican food.

As if the above mixture wasn't enough to assemble in one town, San Antonio boasts that it is the "home town" of one of the United States' largest Army posts—Fort Sam Houston. Picked by the U. S. Army as having nearly ideal weather conditions for flying, San Antonio was surrounded with about 15 Army airfields during the recent war. The most celebrated, of course, is Randolph Field, "The West Point of the Air," about 18 miles away. Here, B-29 crews were trained for duty in the Pacific. Kelly Field, just outside the city limits, is one of the oldest Army airfields in this country.

Well, that's San Antonio. Travel bureaus list it as a "popular winter resort" because of the mild, sunny winter skies, but listen to what the San Antonians have to say: "Come in April," they say. "Come the week of April 21, to be exact. That's when we celebrate our independence from Mexico with our Fiesta de San Jacinto. That's when all our flowers are in bloom and our Battle of Flowers parade spectacularly down the principal streets. But whatever you do, y'all come back, y'hear . . ."

The Melbourne Zoo has jungle scenes painted on the walls of its cages as a psychotherapeutic measure to keep its tigers calm and contented.

London's Big Ben is named after the man who happened to be Commissioner of Works at the time the clock was built 91 years ago: Sir Benjamin Hall.

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Texas Farm News

Jim Gill of Coleman is helping some of the Coleman county 4-H Club boys and FFA students get some South-down lambs for show purposes. He has a few South-down sheep and the boys help him with them. He recently sold a lamb to Stanley Blackwell, Coleman FFA boy.

Department of Agriculture agronomists are saying that the record wheat crop in Texas and the U. S. this year is due in part to new varieties of wheat which were planted. In the past ten years, 30 improved varieties of wheat have been distributed to American farmers.

A new type of hay baler, operated by one man and turning out a round bale without wire, is making its appearance in El Paso county. A registered Shorthorn breeder, who is the first El Paso county man to use the baler, says the wireless baler is really an advantage since many cattlemen in West Texas have lost stock due to baling wire.

Rio Grande Valley cotton growers are talking in terms of a \$50,000,000 crop. That is what they estimate the 1947 yield, biggest on record for the area, will gross them. But the figure can rise or fall on the cottonseed price, no market on which has yet been established because of the earliness of the season. If the crop does gross \$50,000,000 it will be a \$10,000,000 more profitable yield than in 1946, when a peak of 205,000 bales was set.

M. K. Horne, Jr., of the National Cotton Council of America, declared at the recent Cotton Congress held in Dallas that if cotton could hold its present quality advantages its markets would be relatively secure, but warned: "At the present time the research programs devoted to the improvements of cotton's competitors are disproportionately large. Paper and synthetic fibers have made great strides in research and they can with good reason be expected to make further strides. Their research programs are aimed directly at overtaking cotton in those quality advantages on which it depends for its markets."

Damon White, of Brady, McCulloch county, has bought the Sellman Ranch eight miles east of Rochelle for \$101,905. The ranch consists of 2,265 acres. The new owner plans to run sheep and cattle on it. The purchase was from C. T. White individually and C. T. White and G. P. White as trustees under the will of the late J. E. White and Mrs. Joy W. White.

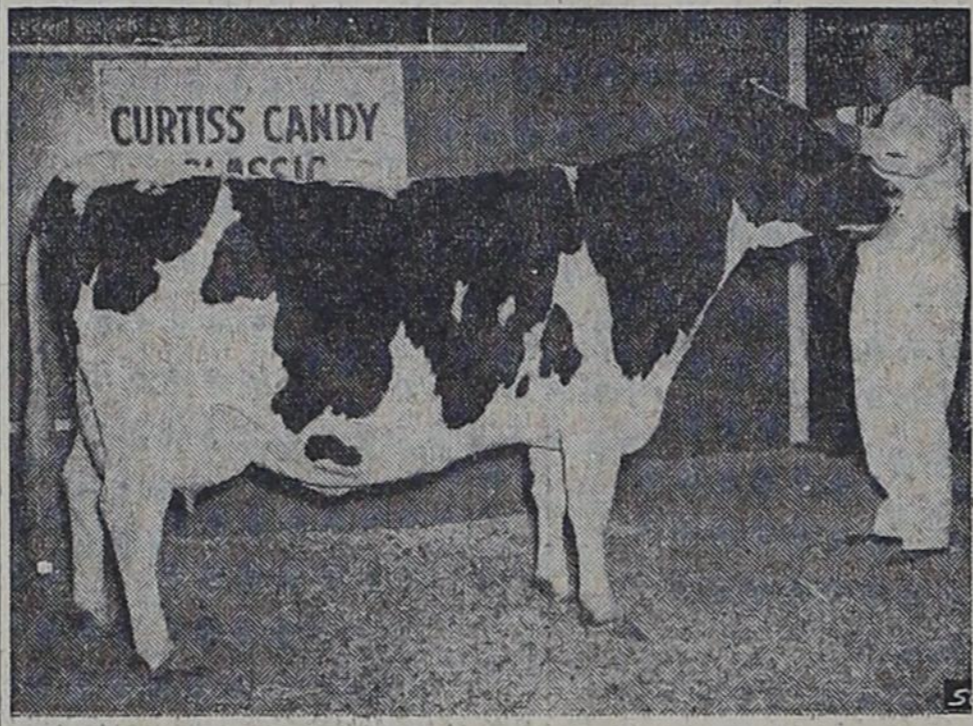
Premiums totaling \$2,000 will be awarded winners in the annual Nacogdoches County Fair and Livestock Exposition set for Oct. 13-18. The event will include a dairy and beef cattle show, community exhibits, poultry and swine shows, and Future Farmers of America and 4-H club divisions. The annual Nacogdoches County Horse Show has been set for Oct. 1, 2 and 3.

Matagorda county 4-H Club boys are developing a profitable leather-working sideline to their regular demonstrations. Assistant County Agent O. J. Rinehart, Jr., reports that the boys have made 125 billfolds, 75 belts, 25 coin purses, 15 comb cases, 25 key cases and two cigarette cases. These articles were toiled with equipment bought by the boys' county 4-H council. Each article will be scored on workmanship, neatness and appearance at a forthcoming exhibit of boys' craftsmanship.

Hamilton county legume growers believe it takes organization to move a million and a half pounds of vetch and clover seed. After small scale tryouts, the farmers have gone all out and formed a county-wide legume growers association, reports Agricultural Agent E. R. Lawrence. Last year, when 18 farmers planted and harvested hairy vetch seed, they made \$3,500 extra by pooling and marketing their seed together. Seeing possibilities, the group formed itself into a small association and the number of farmers planting vetch for seed jumped to 250. The Association is constructing a 40 by 100 foot steel, concrete-floored building to house a vetch and clover cleaning machine. They estimate a 1,500,000 pound legume seed crop this year.

Oliver Steel of Brownwood, Brown county, has completed combine harvest of vetch and rye on a small acreage that yielded 1,037 pounds of seed per acre, plus hay, County Agent Charles V. Griffin said. Griffin said Steel will get more than 500 pounds of vetch seed per acre when the seed is separated and cleaned.

An old, discarded table out of the barn has made a work-saving canning table for Mrs. Ira Floyd, home demonstration club member of Navasota, Grimes county. Looking for extra space in the kitchen to place her sealer during canning work, Mrs. Floyd brought the old table in, made it just the right height, added a new, sturdy top and produced a real work-saver. Constance S. Hanson, Grimes county home demonstration agent, says the canning table is ideal, since it can be made the correct height for easy working.



HIGH-PRICED COW. This eight-year-old Holstein, Dunloggin Mistress La Princess, was sold at auction in Cary Hill, for \$23,500, highest price paid for a Holstein cow in 20 years.

The future of the pecan industry looks good, according to Dr. Fred R. Brison of Texas A. & M. Dr. Brison, addressing the 26th annual meeting of the Texas Pecan Growers Association, pointed out that Texas growers' representatives can speak for only 250 growers, while representatives of the California English walnut industry speak for 9,000 members.

Sixteen demonstrations were given to Wichita County 4-H Club girls last month on canning vegetables. County Home Demonstration Agent Jimmie Lou Wainscott says that new time tables were distributed and different types of jars and lids were discussed in addition to correct techniques for canning. How to store canned vegetables properly also was shown.

Folks all over are asking about the practice of using potatoes as feed for dairy cows. Extension dairymen at Texas A. & M. College are telling them that spuds are satisfactory in a dairy ration if fed in limited amounts, as a substitute for grain or other feed. Sometimes, say the dairymen, cows may choke on the potatoes, but this can be remedied if the dairy farmer will slice or chop the vegetables before feeding. When fed at the rate of 24 to 40 pounds per head daily, the spuds are a good substitute for corn silage, the dairymen say.



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LaSalle County Agricultural Agent V. O. McCoy reports that a demonstration on "cabling" mesquite was given to 16 farmers. Two crawler-type tractors were used with a steel cable pulled between them. Mesquite was dragged down on 12 acres of land in about an hour and a half. An examination made two weeks later showed that approximately 70 per cent of the trees were destroyed. Most land owners in this area agree that this method is an economical method of doing away with large mesquite trees. County Agent McCoy adds that the smaller brush can be treated with kerosene or grubbed at a lower cost.

Three Lower Rio Grande Valley counties are among the nation's leading grapefruit growing areas. Hidalgo county ranks first and has 23 per cent of the 10,635,582 grapefruit trees of all ages in the United States, according to figures from the 1945 Census of Agriculture issued by Director J. C. Capt, Bureau of the Census. Cameron county ranks third nationally in number of grapefruit trees, with 862,160 of all ages. Hidalgo county has 2,470,681 trees. Willacy county ranks 26 and has 46,511 trees. Two other counties in Texas, among the 50 leading grapefruit producing areas in the nation, are Brooks 38, Dimmit 41 and Jim Wells 50.

Texas is having its largest cotton acreage year since 1942, although the figure is still below the ten-year average. The Crop Reporting Board of the United States Department of Agriculture announced that estimated Texas cotton acreage on July 1 was 8,365,000, about one-third larger than a year ago. The 10-year average from 1936 to 1945 was 8,937,000. The report said approximately one-half of the 2,082,000-acre increase is in the high plains area where moisture supplies have been unusually favorable for seeding and germination. A contrary condition slashed acreage in this area for two previous years.

Foy Proctor, of Midland, has contracted most of the good calves in the Midland area for fall delivery. Some early deals were made at 17 cents a pound, but most of the calves sold at 18 and 19 cents for steers with some at 20 cents a pound. Heifer calves were about one cent a pound lower than steer calves. All of the calves purchased by Proctor were on contract and most of them will end up in the Corn Belt States.

Forrest Garling, Cameron county farmer, received \$1,825.40 for the nation's first bale of cotton of 1947. The bale, flown to Houston on June 23 from Harlingen, weighed 512 pounds, and sold for \$1.07½ per pound. At an auction on the floor of the Houston Cotton Exchange, Garling received \$1,275 as a bonus from the exchange and \$550.40 as the auction purchase price for the middling 1 1-16 cotton.

Wilbarger County Agent Frank Wendt says that the common topic of conversation in his county these days is centered around

hairy vetch. He says this is the first year that the crop has been planted in the county, but it has made such a dense growth and has protected the soil so well from wind erosion that farmers are sold on its possibilities as a cover crop, a seed crop, and a soil building crop. Approximately 1500 acres of vetch were planted in this county last fall and County Agent Wendt predicts that about three times that much will be planted next fall.

Recent sales of Texas wools, especially 12-month fleeces, have been in greater volume than at any time since the government took over the domestic clip in 1943, being estimated at 12,000,000 pounds. Prices have been good, ranging up to 60 cents a pound. Men in touch with the wool situation at San Angelo, the largest inland wool market in Texas, think the 1947 Texas clip is slightly under the 35,000,000 to 40,000,000 pounds quoted at Boston.

Crop rotation is paying off for J. T. Stewart of Lancaster, Dallas county, whose farm is located in the Middle Ten Mile Creek Soil Conservation Unit. Stewart expects to harvest from forty to fifty bushels of corn from land planted to fall peas, which were turned under after frost had killed the vines last year. The land, barely stubble ground, was planted to peas after the July, 1946, rain, and Stewart picked 5,500 pounds of green peas which he sold wholesale at eight cents a pound, making a gross income of \$440 from the nine acres.

Care of clothing in regard to stain and spot removal and pressing was studied by 4-H Club girls in Cherokee county last month. A stain and spot removal kit was shown and their uses were explained by County Home Demonstration Agent Gladys Dotson. Removal of grease, ink and lipstick stains from material was demonstrated. Pressing equipment shown included an iron, sleeve board, tailor's cushion, wool press cloth, cotton press cloth, and a rag for dampening. Methods of pressing ties with cardboard were also shown.

A county-wide improvement program, including church improvement, school ground improvement, community cemetery landscaping and the beginning of a 50,000-acre game preserve demonstration, is under way in Rains county, according to County Farm Agent Frank Micars.

The end of the green-wrap tomato season left an estimated \$750,000 in the pockets of Northeast Texas growers. A report from Paris, Lamar county, says 769 carloads were shipped

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from the area. Six sheds operated during the season in the expanding Red River Valley truck growing industry.

Bryan Crumpton has become the Chicken King of Guadalupe county in two years. His annual production of fryers now tops 35,000 head, for which he finds a ready market in San Antonio, Austin and other cities. It takes 14 sacks of feed every day to feed the 8,000 head he has on hand all of the time.

Amateur wiring or overloading of electrical equipment is a big cause of disastrous fires on Texas farms.

The decline in apple production in Texas may be headed off and turned around through use of the right kinds of sprays in combating worms and other insects. A. B. Lancaster, of Wheeler county, was about ready to cut down his four acres of Golden Delicious apples a year ago because of damage done by the codling moth. His county agent advised him to use a spray to control the worms and his first attempt was with two pounds of 50 per cent DDT wettable powder to 100 gallons of water. He repeated the spraying at 10 to 14-day intervals, varying the spray mixture, and last fall he harvested more than 4,000 bushels of apples at a price that brought him close to \$1,000 per acre.

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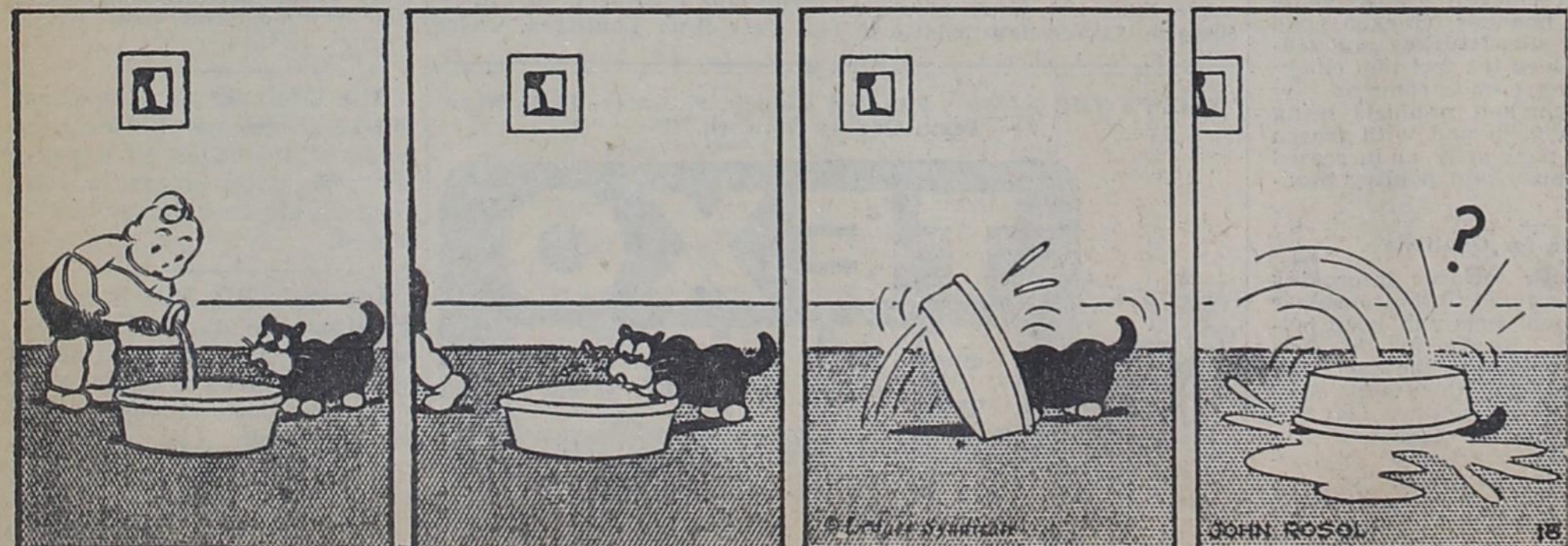
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SCHOOL FOR THE BIG CATS

By Clifford B. Hicks
(Condensed from Popular Mechanics)

Dick Clemens is as mild-mannered as any school teacher. His scars betray the ferocity of his pupils. Every morning he slips through the door of the big cage in his back yard and puts his pack of full-grown lions and tigers through the ABCs of jumping through fire hoops, playing leapfrog and carrying him piggyback. Four hours later he slips out, relieved that he has proved he is still the boss.

Clemens is one of the country's four leading wild animal trainers. He plays in Shrine circuses and benefit shows on an independent circuit.

Every day that he's not on the road the 47-year-old trainer holds school for the big cats at his home in Creve Coeur, a small town near Peoria, Ill. The scars that cover his body are proof that spending four hours daily in prepping the lions and tigers for their circus act isn't exactly a healthy way to make a living.

Take his famous "door bounce," in which he plays a dangerous game of tag with an angry lion. Clemens taunts the snarling cat until it leaps from its pedestal. Then he drops his whip and races across the cage for the door. The cat crosses the arena in a couple of bounds. Just as it makes a final lunge for the trainer's back, Clemens slips through the door and the 500-pound lion crashes into the bars.

The "door bounce" is a good reason why Clemens can't get a life insurance policy. To make sure that our photographer got a good shot, he made his dangerous dash for safety five times.

Once when Clemens was putting a big lion named Nero through his paces, he stumbled over a prop. Nero leaped for his stomach. Clemens put up his legs to protect himself and the cat crunched down on his left thigh.

Clemens gets a faraway look in his eyes when he describes what happened then. The big animal flipped him into the air and carried him clear around the arena. Clemens says he had no sensation of fear or pain—just dizziness. The trainer's wife, standing just outside the cage, fired a blank in the lion's face. The loud report startled Nero momentarily and he dropped the man. Instantly Clemens was on his feet, whip in hand, forcing Nero to his pedestal. Then he calmly backed out of the cage and went to the hospital for five weeks. He says, a little bitterly, that a lot of the audience thought it was part of the act that night.

After the lion has been taught to keep his distance from the trainer, Clemens teaches him to move in the right direction. This is done by tapping him gently on the nose with the whip. He'll lean for it, then follow it as the trainer moves it in the proper direction.

"Seat-breaking" an animal—training him to go to the proper pedestal and sit down—may take a half hour or two years. But this and the more intricate tricks are based on the trainer's ability to make the animals follow the tip of a whip or sticks.

Roars, snarls and spits from the animals dress up any lion show. Clemens has a neat little trick he uses to make his cats bellow on cue. During the first stages of training they instinctively snarl and roar at the whip that dangles above their noses. Clemens holds his right fist toward their faces. Whenever a lion roars, the trainer spreads his fingers. Eventually the process is reversed in the lion's mind. Whenever Clemens opens his hand the lion roars. It's what a psychologist would call a conditioned reflex but to Clemens it's just a training trick.

During Clemens' act there are 10 lions, two tigers and one man in the cage. The animals build pyramids, walk planks, roll over, jump through fire hoops, sit up and play leapfrog.

Clemens' more spectacular stunts include riding a lion's back like a horse, taunting one of the cats until it leaps at him from a high pedestal, and holding his head inside the mouth of his most trustworthy animal.



DOG HAS DAY—For winning first prize in pet division of children's parade at Prophetstown, Ill., Queenie shares an ice cream cone with her master, David Warkins.

To teach an animal to balance himself on his hind legs the trainer uses a mechanical "crutch"—an ordinary pedestal fitted with a hinged support along one side. A rope runs from the support through a pulley in the top of the cage to an assistant outside. Clemens lifts the cat off his front feet by dangling the whip above his nose. The lion finds himself sitting straight up, leaning against the hinged support for balance. The assistant gradually drops the support until the lion is sitting by himself.

Meat often is used as a bait in teaching tricks to the tigers. According to Clemens, these striped cats are sneaky as a snake, treacherous as a mule, and a lot more dangerous than either. He frankly admits he's nervous whenever they're in the cage. After a two-hour warm-up with the lions, he switches to the tigers for an hour. It isn't a very pleasant change, Clemens considers lions reasonably safe as long as they're on their pedestals—it's when they're on the ground that they become dangerous. Tigers are dangerous all the time.

After a nerve-racking hour with the tigers he polishes the entire act for 12 minutes, then drives the animals back to their cages. Then he may train his "punks," the 1½-year-old cubs, for a while, which he considers a more or less pleasant pastime.

He may also require "jugheads" to stay after school if they've acted up during the regular training period. "Jugheads" are animals that aren't quite as bright as Clemens would like them to be.

The "weapons" that he carries into the cage aren't really weapons at all. Clemens says there's nothing short of steel bars or a rifle shot that can prevent a big cat from killing him. His safety depends upon how well he can bluff the cats into thinking they can't reach him. He does it by jabbing a pole or chair toward them. There are half a dozen old chairs around the cage at his home. With legs battered off,

they're good evidence that a lion or tiger can reach the trainer any time he wants to—he just doesn't know it.

Whips are seldom used directly on the animals, as a cat that can be whipped into submission doesn't belong in his act. He uses the whip to break up fights, dress up the act and give emphasis to his spoken commands.

Blanks are fired whenever an animal has made up his mind to do something he shouldn't. The loud report makes him forget his plan momentarily and gives the trainer a chance to change the cat's mind.

Clemens points out the discomfiting fact that if one lion jumps the trainer the other cats likely will pile in. But there's bad blood between lions and tigers and the striped cats rarely will help any animal except another tiger.

This bad blood leads to frequent scraps (Continued top next column)



Lion Tamer Dick Clemens and one of his lion pets.

inside the cage. One day last year Clemens decided to work four "punks" into the act. It was the first appearance of the cubs and it upset the older animals. Instantly the cage was a melee of fighting cats with Clemens in the middle. When he'd driven the animals back through the chutes one of the cats lay dead and another was so badly wounded it had to be shot. An expensive day.

One of the first questions a stranger asks the trainer is how he got into the dangerous business. Clemens has a wanderlust and dangerous occupations have a magnetic attraction for him. He ran away from home to join a circus when he was 14 and fell naturally into the job of cage boy for the lion trainer. After drifting around for five years he landed a job at the Minneapolis Zoo, a job that lasted only three weeks. The director discovered him training the zoo's lions at night.

He drifted from circus to circus for a while, then wandered around the world from Siberia to Samoa. Returning to the States, he became a deep-sea diver, dredgeman and steel-mill hand. After his marriage he and his wife moved to a small piece of land near Peoria and set up a cage in the back yard, where he developed his highly successful act. Incidentally, his wife is his top assistant.

Clemens has trained more than 100 big cats during his life and his body shows it. One of his popular tricks is holding a lion's food between his lips until the cat crunches down on it. There's a recent scar on his mouth from a cat that was a bit too hungry.

He can also show you a scar on his back that slants down from one shoulder to the opposite hip, a reminder of an Oakland, Calif., incident. Clemens was "working" one lion when an assistant tripped over a guy wire that held up the cage. The shaking framework nudged another cat off its pedestal behind Clemens. The animal immediately jumped for the trainer's back, raking him from shoulder to hip. After Clemens finished the act he was rushed to the hospital. The seam in his back required 118 stitches. He gave a scheduled performance the next afternoon.

Clemens hasn't lost his appetite for danger but he's getting philosophic now that he has a big-time act. "Most people who have sense enough to pick out a goal early in life, work until they die to attain it. Ever since I was a kid I've had one ambition—to hit the big time with my own lion act. Maybe it wasn't much but I've done it. Now there's still half a life for me to live. What's a guy supposed to do from here on in?"

Lake Texoma

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Texoma Recreational Area comprises 161,937 acres of the total of 194,775 acres, all government land. The remaining 32,838 acres are under the jurisdiction of the U. S. Engineers, and includes two national wildlife refuges. Sixty-eight per cent of the government land lies within the borders of Oklahoma.

Under National Park Service
The National Park Service of the U. S. Department of the Interior is responsible for the administration and development of recreational facilities on the lake itself and land surrounding the lake. In addition to fishing, recreational facilities now being developed include boating, swimming, duck, geese, dove and quail shooting, picnicking, camping, and other sports.

Since the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers and the National Park Service are jointly responsible for the policies established for Lake Texoma Recreational Area, the project differs widely from a national park where the principles of preservation and protection are of primary importance. It is considered likely,

however, that the development of recreational features will surpass any area now being administered solely by the National Park Service.

One outstanding feature is that the Lake Texoma Recreational Area is an all-year resort. Fishing, as has been said, goes on throughout the year. Duck hunting and upland game hunting are fine in the late fall and early winter. Swimming begins in the late spring and continues into early fall, as does picnicking, and boating is available the year round.

To fishermen, however, all this is just trimming on the cake. What they want to know about are fish and fishing accommodations.

Boats can be rented for \$2 a day, and approximately 5,000 boats are available. Fishing is good most of the time. During a period in the early summer, when Lake Texoma had its heaviest siege of rainfall in two years, expert fishermen still came in with good hauls. For example, Max Eggleston, a war veteran pilot who now is a professional guide at the lake, took several parties out on bad days and still came back with catches of from 4 to 30 black bass and sand bass.

Bait Available at Lake

Bait, both live and artificial, is available at lake concessions and in the surrounding towns. For the deep-water fisherman, the usual bombers, Shakespear dopyes, Hawaiian wigglers and river runts are obtainable. On the surface, of course, the call is for plunkers, chiggers and so on. Incidentally, it is interesting to report that in the fish rodeo, which got under way last May 1, almost as many tagged fish were caught on cane polli with red worms or minnows as were caught on rods and reels with artificial lures.

This fish rodeo, sponsored by the Denison Sportsman Club, is just now the principal topic of conversation among fishermen who frequent Lake Texoma. This contest started out as a chamber of commerce project with a goal of \$25,000 in prizes. But the idea caught hold and merchants in towns near the lake chipped in with prizes—totaling about \$75,000 in cash and merchandise—to be divided among the fishermen fortunate to hook the right fish.

Here is how the fish rodeo works:

Five hundred fish were caught or taken from the hatcheries of Texas and Oklahoma. Small metal tags, each bearing a number, were fastened either to the mouths or gills of the 500 fish. For each tag number a list of prizes was set up. The average tagged fish, when caught by a member of the Sportsman Club, pays off to the extent of more than a hundred dollars.

To add excitement to the six-months-long event, sponsors of the rodeo picked out one fish—No. 1013—which is a good-sized black bass, gave it the name of Kilroy and placed merchandise and cash prizes on it aggregating \$1,400. This fish is the object of many a fisherman's dream. Anglers from every State in the Union and some from as far away as South America have had a try at snaring Kilroy but the big black bass still swims about the lake fearlessly and serenely.

Many Others Caught

But, while all fishermen have missed the elusive Kilroy, they have done well to date on the other 499 tagged fish. In fact, the number of tagged fish caught in Lake Texoma is more than twice the number caught at any other lake in the Southwest holding a similar rodeo contest. Prizes have been paid on all tagged fish caught—except four. These four were hooked by men who had failed to join the Sportsman Club, membership in which is necessary in order to collect rodeo prizes. One man caught his fish, took it home, cleaned and ate it before he discovered the fish had a numbered tag. Therefore, it was too late for him to get the prizes, since tagged fish must be weighed and measured by the proper authorities soon after they are caught.

All fish must be caught by legal methods and all State and local laws must be observed. Prize fish must be alive when caught, as no prizes will be paid for fish found dead.

Possession of proper fishing licenses is important at Lake Texoma, both for participation in the rodeo and for regular fishing. On the Texas side, fishermen must have a Texoma special license costing \$1.10; with this it is not necessary to have an artificial lure license. Residents of Texas who fish on the Oklahoma side must buy an Oklahoma non-resident license which costs \$1.25 for ten days or \$5 a year. The safest course, if one plans to fish all over the lake, is to buy both licenses and have an untroubled mind.

There are plenty of fish in Lake Texoma—big ones—and they can be caught if you are able enough to outsmart the fish.

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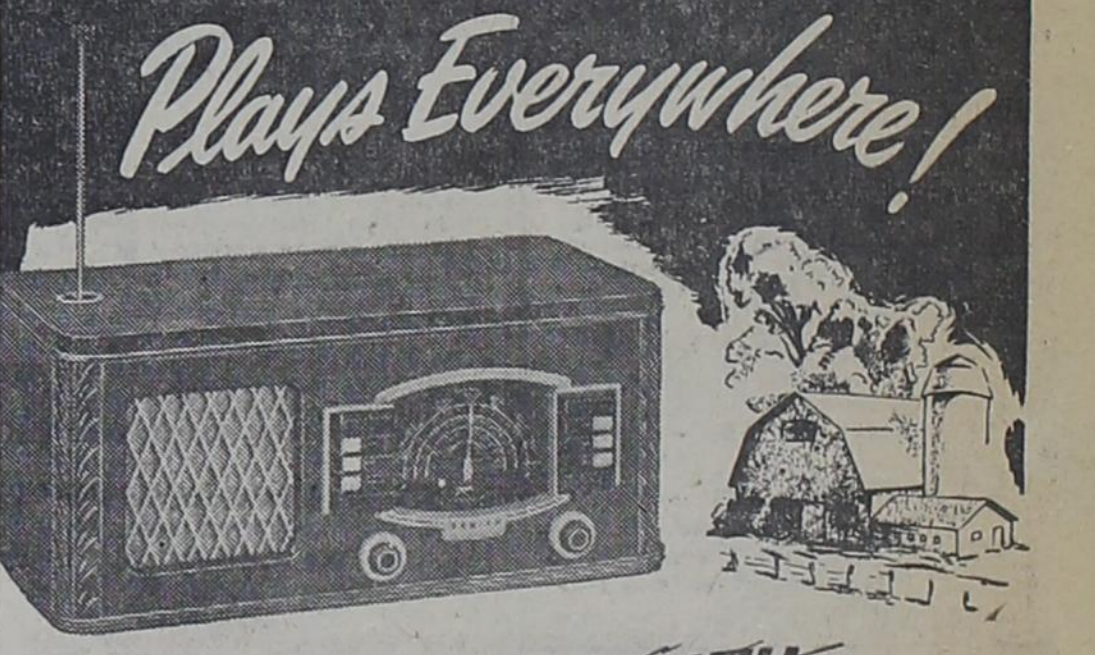
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When a favorite dress is a bit too tight to be becoming, there are always methods of getting width where it's needed, and making the dress more attractive at the same time. The simplest thing to do is to let out side seams. If these are skimpy, try inserts of fabric or grosgrain ribbon, fagoting, or even separating the dress at the waist and turning it into a bolero suit. Here are seven make-it-wider ideas for skirts and bodices.

1. To bring new back-fullness into a soft crepe dress, try a shirred insert of sheer fabric. Shirr the insert to a width of about 7 inches, continuing the rows down to make a stitched shirred block about 7 inches deep. Separate the bodice from the skirt, and slit the center back of the skirt from waist to hem. Seam the insert to the skirt, and gather it into the bodice at the waist.

2. Make several button-on dummies, each in a different color, that you can swap to change your costume. Slit the center front of the bodice from neck to waist. Sew buttons at both sides of the opening, then button the dummy on top.

3. A grosgrain insert would work wonders on a pull-over blouse, and at the same time make a front closing. Slit the bodice down the center front from neck to waist, stitch a 2-inch wide ribbon at each side of the closing. Sew buttons to the ribbon at one side, make buttonholes at the other. Bind the collar with matching grosgrain.

4. A gathered panel of striped fabric would look well on a straight, narrow skirt. First remove the waistband, and slit the skirt down the center from waist to hem. Seam the insert to the skirt, and gather it into the waistband.

5. To get width in a dark rayon blouse, try several rows of fagoting in a lighter shade. Slit the blouse from shoulder to waist in three places at each side of the neckline. Then fagot the pieces together with embroidered thread.

6. A good idea for a simple dress is a stitched-on bib of striped pique. Slit the center front of the bodice from neck to a point an inch or two above the waist. Then stitch on the bib. Make a collar to match, a snap closing at the back of the neck.

7. For a really definite change, you can turn a narrow-shouldered dress into a two-piece bolero suit. First separate the skirt and bodice at the waist, and remove the sleeves. To finish off the skirt top, make a waistband from the dress belt. (You may have to open the belt and back it on with grosgrain.) To make the bolero, slit the bodice down the center from neck to waist, and round the corners at the bottom. Piece the front, using fabric from the

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UNSELFISHNESS CANNOT BE FORCED ON CHILDREN

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

When a mother says, "I make my boy give up his toys when other children want them because I don't want him to be selfish," she is doing by force what should only be done voluntarily.

There are so many such situations in which a mother takes advantage of a child's weakness and this is one of them. If her boy is playing with his baby sister and she grabs his toys, it is wrong to force him to give them to her. To shame a child for not permitting a younger child to take possession of his property, is to develop a burning sense of resentment because his mother is showing favoritism and because the younger child is getting away with such behavior.

It is more important for the younger child to learn to respect the possessions of others than it is for the older ones to make a pretense of unselfishness.

If the baby can not be persuaded to stop taking what belongs to her brother, then the older child's property should be protected. Give the boy a drawer or closet in which he can lock his toys when not in

use. Give him a play place in the basement or attic that is his very own. Put the baby in a room with a gate or in her playpen so that she will not be able to destroy what does not belong to her.

When a child goes out to play he is certain to associate with children who will want everything he has, because they lack possessions of their own or are acquisitive.

Every mother wants her child to be a polite and unselfish host. However, everyday play with everyday companions is not the place or the persons for whom a child must give up his own cherished toys. He goes out to play with his own things and if he wants to share or trade that is his affair. If he does not it is unfair for the mother to interfere and force him to give them to others. That is very seldom a 50-50 proposition.

Children learn to be unselfish if they live with and play with persons who are generous and fair. But a child feels only resentment and no desire to be unselfish just because his mother turns his bike over to the first child who says, "I want to ride." Unselfishness is not built on a foundation of such experiences.

BE CAREFUL WITH ELECTRICITY

Among the items that help start household fires are the housewife goes about her daily tasks, the electric iron ranks up among the worst of them.

Ordinarily the blame can't be put on the iron, but on the person who goes off for a few minutes and forgets to turn it off. If a housewife is really safety-minded, she will not only turn off her iron when she leaves it, but disconnect it as well, even if she leaves only for a few minutes.

"Octopus connections"—several electrical

connections from one outlet—are another serious household fire hazard. A safe rule is to make only one or two connections from an outlet and avoid the use of extension cords except as temporary wiring.

Other electrical "don'ts" around the house are: don't hang extension cords over nails, or run them through doors or underneath rugs; don't use worn cords on lamps and appliances; don't let clothing, draperies or other inflammable materials come too close to light bulbs.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Don't blame the potato for your overweight condition. The potato supplies about 100 calories, or about one-twenty-fifth of the number recommended each day for the average adult.

Sweater belts should be measured before washing. Then they can be stretched and pinned to the exact size before drying.

No party sandwiches for pop. But you can add chopped salami to the egg salad filling you used for the "girls" sandwiches and make him a sandwich to satisfy his manly soul and appetite.

Oil zippers on your galoshes if they have become rusted and difficult to slide. Use

ordinary machine oil and be careful not to get any on the fabric.

If the seat of a cane chair has worn through, and the chair does not warrant a new cane seat, buy a leatherette one at the dime store and tack it over the vacancy. Cover with a colorful cushion, and who's the wiser?

What if your neighbor does get her wash off the line first? Clothes dried slowly will always be whiter than those dried in a hurry.

Try this on your new sheets. Before attempting to remove a paper label from new sheets, pillow cases, etc., pull the material on the bias around the label several times,

TESTED RECIPES

Boiled Dinner, Summer Style

1 smoked boneless butt (about 2 lbs.)
1 onion, sliced
10 small carrots
2 1/2 cups potato balls or cubes
2 cups fresh limas
4 ears corn

Put butt in large kettle; cover with water and add onion. Cover; bring to boil, lower heat and simmer about 2 hours or until tender. (If a ready-to-eat butt is used, it will take about an hour.) Add carrots, potatoes and lima beans. Cover and simmer 20 minutes. Put corn on top; cover and cook 10 minutes or until tender. If more corn is desired and kettle will not hold it, remove meat and vegetables and boil corn in the broth for 5 to 7 minutes while slicing meat and arranging platter.

Rice-Vegetable Casserole

2 cups cooked rice
1 can condensed vegetable soup
Combine rice, soup, cheese and water in a baking dish. Sprinkle crumbs over top

and bake in a moderate oven (375 degrees F.) 30 minutes. Serves 4.

Pickled Pears or Peaches

3 lbs. pears or clingstone peaches
2 (3-inch) sticks cinnamon
1 teaspoon whole cloves
1 cup light or dark corn syrup
1 cup sugar
1 1/2 cups water
1 1/2 cups cider vinegar

Wash peaches or pears and peel. Tie cinnamon and cloves in a cheesecloth bag. Place in a saucepan with corn syrup, sugar, water and vinegar and mix well. Bring to a boil. Drop a few pears or peaches at a time into the boiling syrup. Cook until the fruit is tender. Remove from the heat and let stand 10 minutes. Remove spice bag; pack in clean, hot jars. Seal immediately, according to manufacturers' directions. Process in boiling water bath for 10 minutes.

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Honey Peppermint Taffy

1 cup sugar
1/2 cup light corn syrup
1/2 cup strained honey
Pinch of cream of tartar
1 teaspoon vinegar
2 tablespoons butter
1 teaspoon peppermint extract
Place the sugar, syrup and honey in a saucepan. Heat slowly until the sugar has dissolved. Then add the cream of tartar and boil the mixture, stirring constantly, for about 20 minutes. Add the vinegar, butter and extract. Allow to boil up once and then pour into a greased pan.

Pull when cool enough to handle. Cut in cushions after pulling.

Meat Pie with Biscuit Top

1 cup sliced onion
1 tablespoon fat
1 cup cooked carrots
1 cup cooked green beans, peas or celery
1 1/2 cups brown gravy
2 cups diced left-over meat
Seasonings to taste
Biscuit dough (1 1/2 cups flour)
Evaporated milk.
Cook onion in fat 5 minutes. Add vegetables, gravy and meat. Season to taste with salt, pepper, Worcestershire, etc. Pour into 2-quart baking dish. Put 8 unbaked biscuits on top; brush with evaporated milk. Bake in very hot oven, 450° F., for 15 to 18 minutes.

NOTE: For dropped biscuit topping, add 3/4 cup additional milk to dough and drop from tablespoon to form 8 biscuits. With beef or pork add crumbled bay leaf or sage; with lamb, veal or poultry, add thyme or poultry seasonings; with smoked meat add mustard or chopped dill pickle.

Spicy Sweet-Sour Meat Casserole

Take left-over pieces of beef or pork roast. Cut in thin slices. Roll in flour; brown in bacon fat. Place in deep 1 1/2-quart casserole; cover with thinly sliced onions. For each 1 1/2 cups meat, make a sauce of 1/2 cup ketchup, 1/2 cup vinegar, 2 teaspoons chili powder, 1 tablespoon brown sugar, 1 cup water, salt and pepper to taste. Pour over meat; cover and bake in moderate oven, 350° F., 30 minutes or until onions are tender. If desired add celery salt and garlic salt for extra seasoning.

Maple Pecan Pie

1 1/4 cup sugar
2 tbsp. butter
2 tbsp. flour
2 eggs, beaten
1 1/4 cup maple syrup
1 tsp. vanilla
1 cup pecans
1/2 recipe pastry

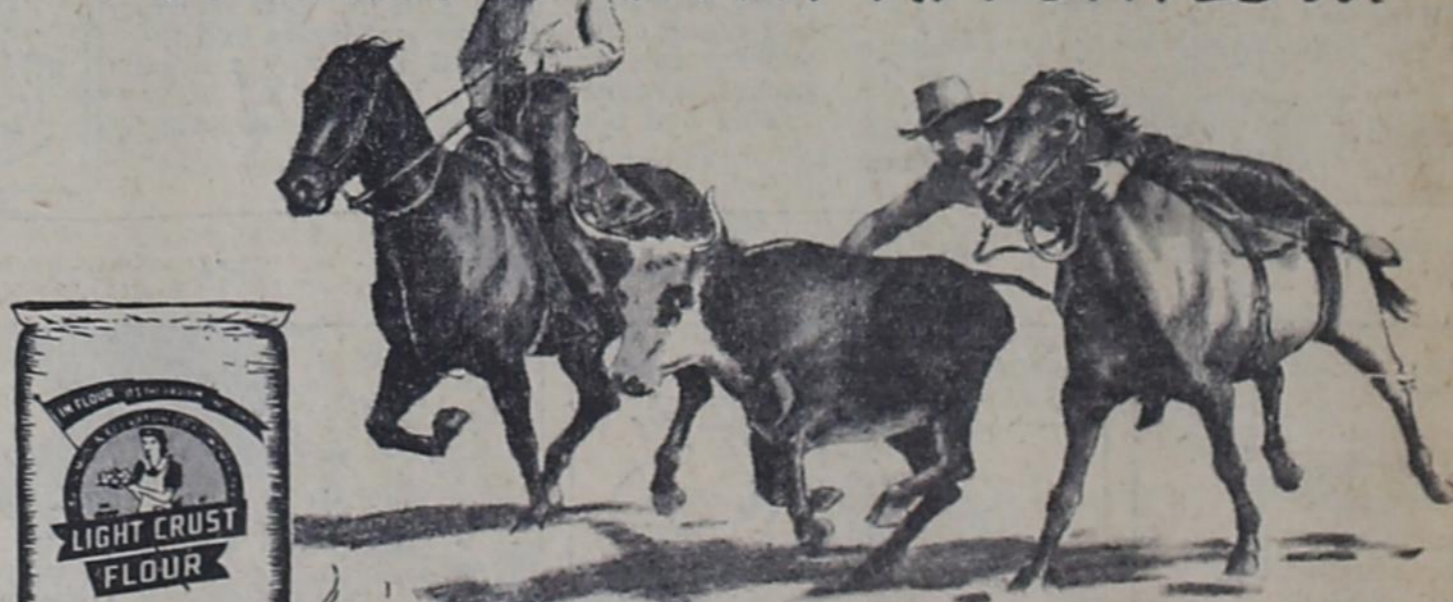
Cream sugar and butter, stir in flour, then eggs. Add maple sirup, vanilla and chopped or whole nutmeats. Pie cuts easier if they are chopped. Pour into an unbaked 9-inch pie shell and bake for 45 minutes in a hot oven (400° F.).

HOME—GOD BLESS IT!

"Home," she said, "is the laugh of the baby, the song of a mother, the strength of a father, warmth of living hearts, light from happy eyes, kindness, loyalty, comradeship. Home is the first school and the first church for the young. Here they learn what is right, what is good and what is kind. Home is where they go for comfort, when they are hurt or sick, where joy is shared and sorrow eased, where fathers and mothers are respected and loved and where children are wanted. Where money is not as important as loving kindness. Where even the teakettle sings a song of happiness. That is home—God bless it."

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GUIDED ROCKET DEVELOPED

First step toward guiding the flight of captured German V-2 rockets from the ground by radio controls was taken at White Sands, New Mexico, when a V-2 was fired from the U. S. Army Ordnance Proving Ground, carrying an automatic pilot system developed by the General Electric Company.

Not a remote-control system, the device tested may lead to successful ground controls for rockets in flight, an army ordnance officer revealed.

Lt. Col. J. G. Bain predicted that the automatic pilot system "will form components of a later system to control the flight of rockets by radio signals from the ground."

Remote control of planes in flight has been successful for some years and "drone" planes were used in World War II, but the German V-2, using American developments, may become the first rocket-type missile controlled in flight.

The rocket has a gyro system. The main unit is a small gadget known as the "wobulator." The automatic wobulator is designed to tip the gyroscope which steers the rocket.

DID YOU KNOW THAT?

In six of our States girls may legally marry at the age of 12, and boys at the age of 14.

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