

Monument To Fallen Heroes . . . To Be Dedicated Today

# Dedication Of War Dead Memorial Planned Today

Howard County today conducts formal ceremonies to perpetuate the memory of its war dead. The new memorial on the courthouse square, erected in the name of those who paid the supreme sacrifice for their country, will be formally dedicated in a program beginning at 2:30 p. m. Gold Star Mothers are sponsoring the program, with Mrs. John Tucker in charge. They invited the public to attend and join in tribute to the memory of the county's youth who answered the final roll call.

who, as superintendent of schools here more than a quarter of a century, knew personally a great many of the fallen heroes. The popular World War I song, "My Buddy," will be sung by A-1C Anthony Green of WAFB. Unveiling of the monument will be done by four children who lost fathers or other kinsmen in the wars. These will be Charlotte Nobels, Blake Talbott, Charles E. Vessels and Hope Dominguez. Following the National Anthem, Chaplain C. O. Hitt of the VA Hospital will give the benediction.

The handsome brown granite marker, provided by the county in response to a project undertaken last year by the Gold Star Mothers, the American Legion and VFW and Chamber of Commerce, stands just east of the courthouse facing Main Street, in a sunken area specially designed and landscaped to give it a setting of beauty and solemnity. It is flanked by benches, walks and flowers.

The memorial contains the names of six casualties of World War I, 102 of World War II and 10 of the Korean conflict. Every effort was made by the sponsoring organizations and county officials to make the list of Howard County heroes complete.

## C Of C To Open Membership Drive At Monday Forum

A membership drive for the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce will be kicked off at 7 p. m. Monday at an open forum session of the organization's board of directors. The session, to which all Chamber members are invited, will be held in the conference room at the Periman Building. All members of the membership committee are urged to be present. Joe Pickle, coordinator of special events, will be in charge of the program. Matt Harrington and George Zachariah will be co-chairmen of the drive and will outline duties to those present.

## Reviewing The Big Spring Week With Joe Pickle

If the Yankees had lost Casey Stengel, it would have been no more of a jolt to their baseball fortunes than the loss of Durward Lewter was to this county's phenomenal show steer program. Lewter submitted his resignation Thursday to commissioners as county agent, effective April 15. In the decade he built up the program here, his feeders became the best known and respected in the nation. The record shows why.

Last week also saw the 18th annual 4-H and FFA livestock show pushed through successfully. Jaycees did a good job as usual, and buyers came through to support a \$15,000 gross on 28 steers, 12 lambs and 71 capons. Highlight was a sister combination winning champion and reserve in the steer division—Joyce and Martha Robinson. Sherry Fuller broke Robert Loman's strangle hold on the capon championship, but none could keep Robert out of the top bracket. He had the champion lamb.

It looked for a time Friday like one of those spring showers might give us a soaking before the weatherman could scare it away with a forecast. However the 3 of an inch in the center of town was about

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### THE WEATHER

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Cloudy with widely scattered showers. Partly cloudy and cooler tonight and Monday.

High today 78, low tonight 62, high tomorrow 82.

Highest temperature in Big Spring since March 1955: 82 in 1923. Lowest temperature in Big Spring since March 1955: 18 in 1921.

## Final Report Near On Polio Vaccine

ANN ARBOR, Mich., March 19 (AP)—Parents around the world will learn next month what doctors have found out about the Salk polio vaccine. Evaluators are near the end of their job of translating into statistics the test results compiled from a study of two million school children.

At no time in the history of this kind ever performed. It was fashioned to prove what doctors had observed in the test tube. Since these children, by their parents' consent, were placed under observation, the polio vaccine evaluation center, under Dr. Thomas Francis Jr., has kept a careful eye on their medical histories.

## Couple Adopts Five Children

KINGSVILLE, Tex., March 19 (AP)—Mr. and Mrs. Harris Milner first decided to adopt one infant. But the red tape was so great they decided to adopt an older child. Still couldn't be done. So they decided to take two, then three, then four—increasing the number each time. In hopes it would be easier to adopt a larger number of children than a lesser number, for few couples will adopt a family that large.

When some of them did contract polio, specimens were analyzed, medical reports were written and their progress was studied. At no time in the history of this kind ever performed. It was fashioned to prove what doctors had observed in the test tube. Since these children, by their parents' consent, were placed under observation, the polio vaccine evaluation center, under Dr. Thomas Francis Jr., has kept a careful eye on their medical histories.

## Southwestern Water Gauge Up

DALLAS, March 19 (AP)—The 26 Army Engineers reservoirs in the Southwest have 15 per cent more water now than at this time in 1954. Col. L. E. Seaman, division engineer, said today the present total is 7,113,000 acre-feet compared with 6,166,000 last year.

## Russian Seamen Get U. S. Asylum

WASHINGTON, March 19 (AP)—Twenty Russian seamen who chose a new life in the United States rather than return to their homeland will be given asylum in this country. At the urging of Secretary of State Dulles, it was learned, Atty. Gen. Brownell has agreed to waive a legal bar and admit the men with the clear understanding that the length of their stay depends on their good behavior.

## Commissars Reamed

VIENNA, Austria, March 19 (AP)—Communist political officers aboard Polish ships are getting a dressing down from Polish newspapers for the frequent desertion of crewmen in Western ports. The political officers are deputies to the captains.

## Fun, Fame And Fortune

Await some boy between the ages of 11 and 15, who'll win a trip in August to Akron, Ohio, as Big Spring's Soap Box Derby champion. He's certain to have loads of fun, and his trip could lead on to fame and fortune, for a \$5,000 college scholarship awaits the All-American Derby winner. There's a lot of other prizes, too.

But the first thing he has to do is REGISTER. Boys, accompanied by a parent, must sign up for the big Soap Box Derby at Tidwell Chevrolet any day this week, during regular business hours. Registration Closes March 26. Now's The Time!

# Giles Clams Up At State Land Probe

## Stassen Gets Disarmament Cabinet Post

WASHINGTON, March 19 (AP)—President Eisenhower assigned Harold Stassen today to seek practical ways of cutting down world armaments in order to avert atomic disaster. He created the new position of special presidential assistant, with full Cabinet rank, and named Stassen to it. Stassen was charged with drafting recommendations which, if given top-level and congressional approval, "will become basic policy" on the question of disarmament, a White House announcement said.

## New-Born Baby Whisked Away By Fake Nurse

BEAUMONT, Tex., March 19 (AP)—An infant girl only 19 minutes old was taken from Baptist Hospital this afternoon by a woman disguised as a nurse. The mother was still in the delivery room when the baby was taken, hospital officials said. G. H. Dalrymple, hospital administrator, said the infant was born at 12:56 p. m. She was taken from the second-floor nursery of the hospital by an unidentified woman about 1:15 p. m. Dalrymple said no one saw the woman enter or leave the hospital. Detectives said the woman apparently took the baby closest to the door of the nursery. The baby's parents are Mr. and Mrs. George Wharton of Beaumont. Wharton is an employee of the Magnolia Petroleum Co. refinery here.

## Former Land Chief Balks At Questions

AUSTIN, March 19 (AP)—The state's attorney directed questions at an empty witness chair today after former Land Commissioner Bascom Giles refused, through his attorney, to answer questions about two veterans land deals. Clint Small Sr. said his client would "respectfully decline" to make an oral statement because other defendants in the same suits had not been notified the deposition was to be taken. Kellis Dibrell, a special assistant attorney general in charge of civil suits resulting from the veterans land scandal, went right on asking questions. The notary public commissioned by District Judge Harris Gardner to take Giles' statement wrote down Dibrell's questions. Giles listened intently. His expression was serious most of the time, but he occasionally indicated amusement as Dibrell continued. After each question, Dibrell told the notary, Mrs. Jessie Waltrip, to "show no answer to that question."

## Thunderstorms Across State Herald Spring

By The Associated Press. Thunderstorms cannonaded across much of Texas Saturday, signaling the approach of Spring. As the thunderheads spilled local showers from West Texas to the Piney Woods in East Texas, a new front brought threats of light snow to the Panhandle. Spring is officially due at 3:36 a. m. Monday. There was advance warning of severe thunderstorms in two areas. The Weather Bureau, in a severe weather warning, alerted farmers and ranchers to thunderstorms which boomed Saturday evening from San Angelo to Palestine. The 150-mile wide band in the warning area included 48,600 square miles. Later the bureau warned of severe thunderstorms in an area of 60-mile radius centering 20 miles south of Hobart, Okla., which includes part of Texas around Wichita Falls.

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In both cases there was a warning call might accompany the storms. No hail had been reported late Saturday but the Weather Bureau pointed out that, because of the local nature of the thunderstorms, some hail in rural areas might have gone unreported. The Weather Bureau said the cold front due to enter the Panhandle before dawn Sunday probably would cool off North Texas but that it was too early to say how far into the state it will reach. Drizzle and fog covered much of East Texas Saturday. Temperatures remained warm south of a stationary front stretching from south of Houston to south of Austin and San Antonio, south of Del Rio and back into the Big Bend. La Brea and Presidio had the day's high of 88. North of the front temperatures were cool, with Fort Worth's high reading only 59. Precipitation for the 24 hours ending at 6:30 p. m. Saturday included Dallas 38 of an inch, Junction 41, Fort Worth 33, Houston 65, Lufkin 62, and 61 at Waco, Abilene and El Paso.

## Benson Slaps Rigid Levels

SALT LAKE CITY, March 19 (AP)—Secretary of Agriculture Benson urged the nation's farmers today to turn their backs on the "unrealistic, stop-gap emergency program of high, rigid price supports." Instead, Benson said, they should move "forward in our efforts to establish a soundly conceived, long range program designed to bring about better balanced agriculture production, broader financial stability and greater freedom for farmers." Addressing the Pacific Dairy and Poultry Assn., the secretary said the flexible price supports don't become operative until the 1955 harvests. Thus, he said, the claims of fixed price support advocates that farm prices are being wrecked by flexible supports just isn't so. "The attempt to saddle the failures of the old program upon a new one which hasn't even been tested yet is unlikely to meet with very broad acceptance among farmers who know the facts."

## HENS AGAIN ON BIG EGG CRAZE

Whether it was just a pre-Easter bonus or whether the big egg plague is on again is not certain, but another one of these "biggies" has been reported. Mrs. J. E. Russell, 611 E. 18th Street, found a whooper in the nests used by her small flock of Rhode Island Reds. The egg measured 7 3/4 inches around the long way and 6 inches on the girth. She did not weigh it. There have been several large eggs produced by the flock but none to compare with this one.

## Not Another Investigation?

WASHINGTON, March 19 (AP)—One of the Senate's famed monorail subway cars got out of control today and crashed into a cement block at the Capitol end of the line. Richard T. Butler, chief messenger of the Senate disbursing office, was thrown off the car and suffered a bruised leg. Another Senate employee jumped to safety before the crash.

## TV, Taxes Hurt

LONDON, March 19 (AP)—Britons are drinking much less beer. Unhappy brewers blame TV and taxes. TV keeps many old pub drinkers at home, they say, and the tax now is about 170 per cent of beer's basic price. Brewing in January was down to 1,328,397 barrels, the lowest in any January since the depression year of 1933.

## Texas Co. To Send Out Tidelands Barge

HOUSTON, March 19 (AP)—The Texas Co. said today a drilling barge will move on location tomorrow for start of the company's first Texas tidelands oil test. Drilling is to begin next week three miles offshore from High Island in Galveston County. Kerr-McGee Drilling Co. holds the contract to drill on State Lease Tract 137 Well 1. The projected depth of the test is 9,500 feet. The Kermac 44 barge will move into position over a 30-inch conductor pipe inside a 7 1/2 foot casings, through which the hole will be drilled.

## Older Babies Move Up In Personality Contest

An older class of babies moves in this week to pose for photos in the \$70 "Personality Baby" contest for 1955. Children in the age bracket from 18 months through three years have this week set aside for them at Barr Photocenter, 311 Rummels. No appointments are necessary, but mothers are urged to arrange for pictures as early in the week as possible. Prizes will be shown one week after the photo sitting. A grand prize award of \$100 in cash will go to the Personality Baby, chosen by an out-of-town panel of photographers and newspaper picture editors. In addition there are cash prizes of \$50, \$25 and \$15 for first, second and third place winners in each of three age divisions. All babies' pictures will appear

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In a special edition of The Herald during National Baby Week. There is a registration fee of \$1.50, to defray production and engraving costs. There is no other charge and no other obligation. The contest is open to all white babies, with the sole stipulation that pictures for the contest be made at Barr Photocenter during times specified. During the past week, babies from three through 18 months were photographed — and there were well over 100 of them. An even bigger registration is anticipated this week in the 19 months-through three years classification. These pictures can be made Monday through Saturday. And older group will have pictures made beginning March 28.

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Site For Water Security

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LETTERS TO EDITOR

Claims Best Investments Are In Insurance Stocks

To the Editor:  
Great wealth has been made and is being made in the field of investment. For the most part the public has been kept in ignorance.

A famous man was once asked a simple question: "How can I become independently wealthy?" His answer was to the point: "Pick out an enterprise in its infancy, make sure it is a business in which large profits can be made, and it is honestly managed, and then put your money into it. If you wait until it is a money making proposition, you will have to buy on a four to six per cent basis, while by investing at the start you can get the same thing on a basis that will return a per cent of hundreds and sometimes thousands."

Most people visualize investments as great industrial corporations, new inventions or new processes, finance or real estate or new discoveries of metals, etc. In such ventures the public seldom gets a chance to invest on the ground floor. Capital requirements are so great that they must be had from banks or wealthy individuals. Insurance stocks, particularly life insurance, is one enterprise in which the large investors are not as welcome as the small one. Story of profits in such stocks is little known. The story is fantastic, although anyone can get the figures that provide the evidence. Almost all insurance organizations had to start as stock companies. . . . It is necessary to sell stock to operate, and it is here that the doors of opportunity are opened wide to small investors who know of a company. The reason is obvious. Stockholders are potentially, if indirect, salesmen of the company's policies. . . . Examples are numerous.

Respectfully,  
Herbert Johnson Jr.  
601 E. 18th St.

Says Cash In For More Schoolrooms

To the Editor:  
The March 9 issue of the Big Spring Herald contained a picture of the Trustees of the Big Spring Schools presenting a check to Supt. W. C. Blankenship. The check for \$198,439 was a Federal reimbursement for buildings to help provide for children of Federally connected families and culminated four years efforts to collect same under Public Law 815. The article went on to say that the Board lost no time in arranging to spend the funds for more classrooms.

As a newcomer to the fair city of Big Spring, I would like to say that the school district is in a very pathetic condition if it must bide its time waiting for Uncle Sam's handouts in order to properly provide educational facilities. The fact that the more than normal growth was occasioned by scholastics from Federally connected families should be a boon to the community, rather than a detriment when you consider that the parents of these scholastics and their cohorts earn nearly TWICE as much as the employees of Cosden and T&P Railroad put together. When are we going to recognize that the presence

HOSPITAL NOTES

**BIG SPRING HOSPITAL**  
Admissions — J. L. Evans, Abilene; W. F. Armstrong, Ackerly; Debra Jo Miller, 1702 E. 15th; Mrs. Jack McConney, Westbrook; David Barton, Forsan; Mrs. Allen Kernodle, 802 W. 15th; Cecil Suttles, Forsan; Nellie Turner, City; Frances Pitta, 1604 Settles; Geneva Morton, 212 Harding; Kent Brown, 702 Tulsa Rd.; Robert Sady, Vincent.  
Dismissals — J. L. Evans, Abilene; Mrs. Eugene Baugh, Stanton; Deanna Elliott, 808 E. 18th; Mrs. Doyle Thomas, 209 Eleventh Place; Nadine Long, City; Virginia Henson, Stanton; Morgan Hall, Stanton; Marguerite Quintana, 1005 NW 1st; Roma Pearson, 1509 Vines.

'Personality' Termed GOP Election Plan

FRESNO, Calif., March 19 (AP)—Democratic National Chairman Paul M. Butler charged today the Republican party expects to win in 1956 on a personality and not on principle or achievement in office. Butler told the 2nd annual convention of the California Democratic Council the GOP has made its own admission of total bankruptcy and failure.

He said high ranking members of the party have conceded they must have Eisenhower as a nominee if they are to be assured of victory next year.

In 1955, he said, they were shouting "I Like Ike." Now they are crying, "We Need Ike." He declared that if the Eisenhower administration has failed to win enough popular support to elect another Republican president, the responsibility rests clearly upon the shoulders of President Eisenhower himself.



Council Jamboree Representatives

James Newel Hughes, left, of Midland and George Dare Lovett Jr. of Odessa have been selected as the two Explorers who will represent the Buffalo Trail Council at the World Jamboree, The world gathering of Scouts will be at Niagara-on-the-Lake, Canada Aug. 18-28. The selection committee headed by the Rev. Clyde Lindsley, Midland, said that Leon Byrd, Big Spring, and Melvyn Lynn Verman, Colorado City, were alternates.

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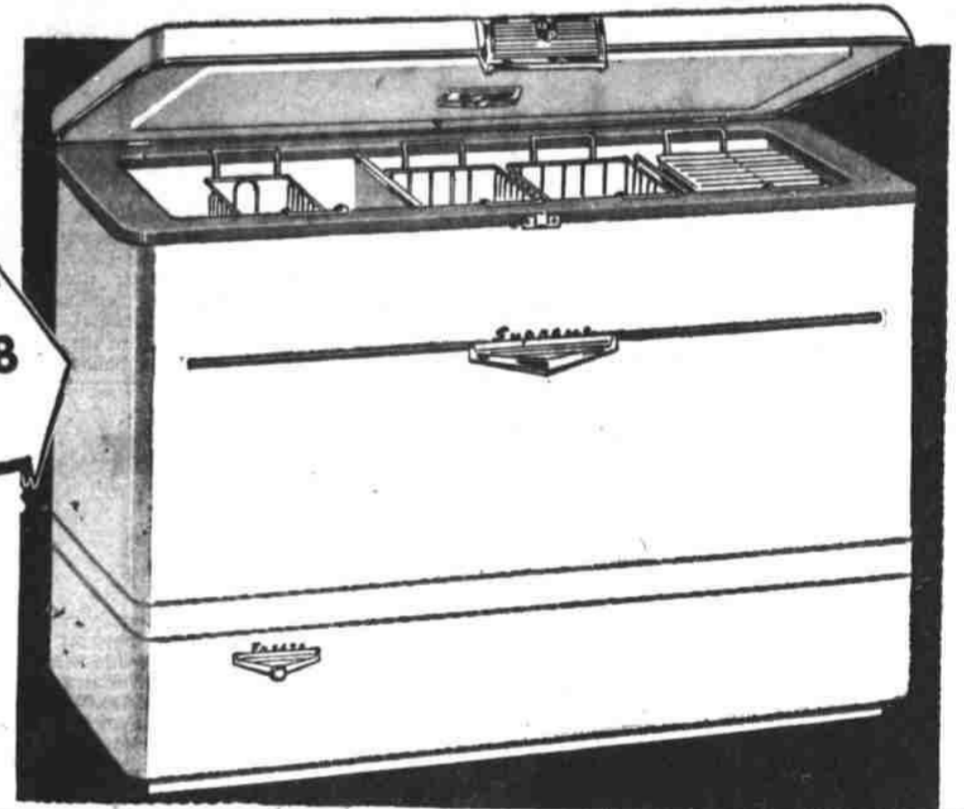
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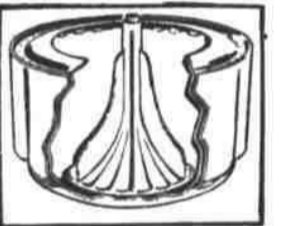
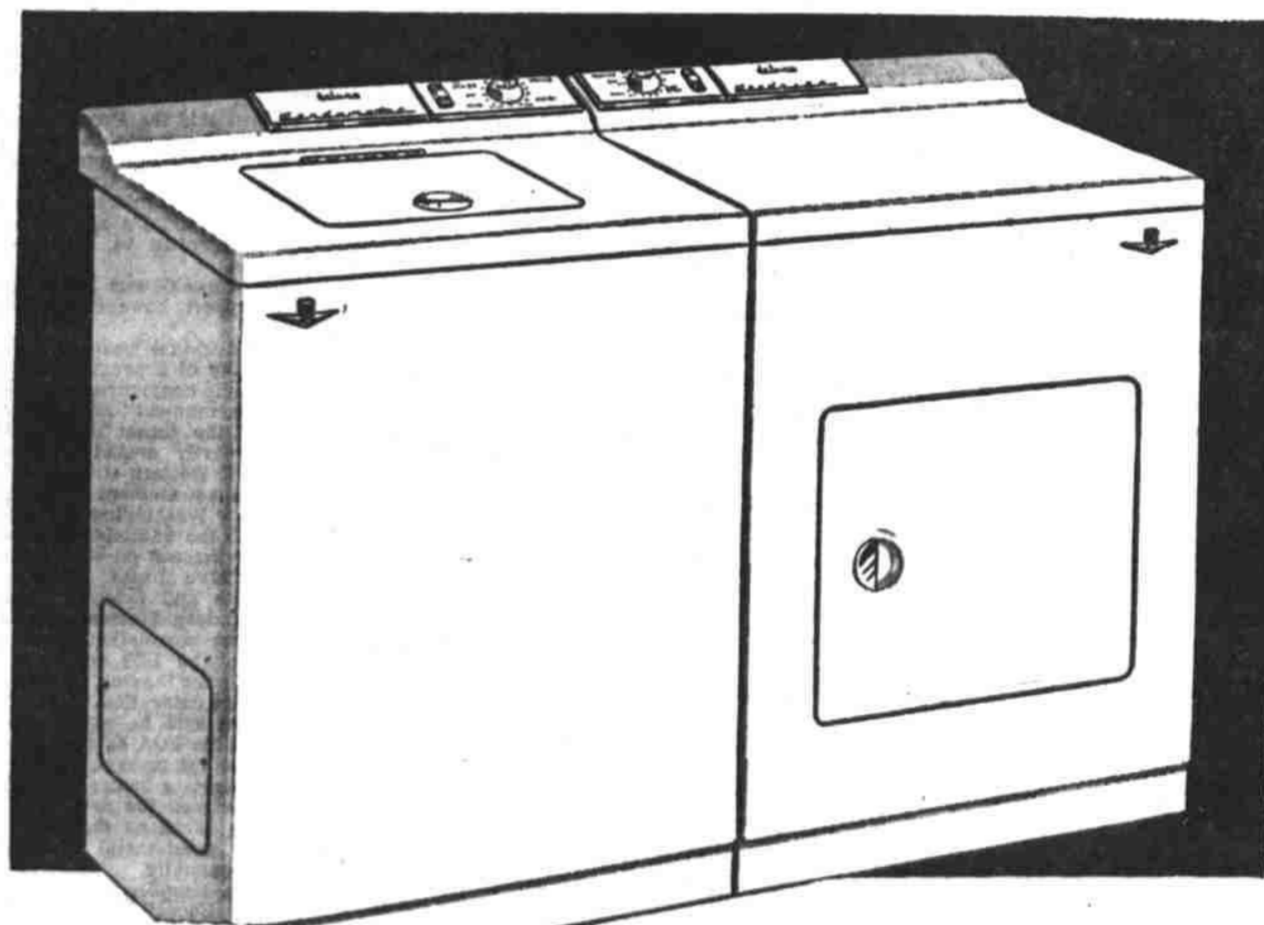
To the Editor:  
House Resolution 2967 — providing for UMT and a compulsory reserve system — will soon be coming up for a vote in Congress. This sets up a permanent compulsory reserve plan for every man between 17 and 35, involving 6 months

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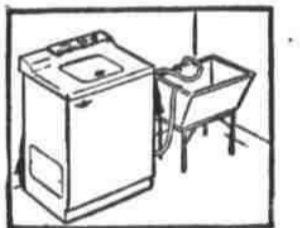
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# UNCLE RAY'S CORNER

Not long ago I gave a talk on astronomy to a seventh grade class. The pupils asked me many questions, and I had to leave before I could answer them all. A little later I received a package of letters, containing some of the remaining questions.

One question, from Susan Gordon, is this:

"Could you tell me whether it is possible for people of the earth to reach Venus and Mars?"

Our present knowledge of rocket travel is too small to make possible a successful trip to any planet. In the future, the story is likely to be different.

The first journey of "rocket folk" of the earth probably will be to the moon. I think it likely that a rocket will go to the moon (perhaps without people inside) before many years go by. Such a rocket might circle the moon and return to the earth. Automatic cameras could take pictures of the moon, giving us views of the side which (at present) is hidden from our view.

Trips to Mars and Venus may come in 50 or 60 years. Many problems must be solved before we can feel confident that a human traveler in a rocket would stay alive during a trip to a planet.

From Lynn Sanders, a member of the same class, I received this question:

"Do you think that if a man could reach the planet Mars he could survive on it?"

If a human being could be landed safely on Mars, he might live under special conditions. There is air on Mars, but it is thinner than the air on earth. In addition, the air on Mars is made up of different gases.

The earth visitor would need an oxygen tank, and would have to go back to his rocket from time to time for a fresh supply of oxygen.

In addition he would require a supply of food. It is possible that plants grow on Mars, but the visitor could hardly expect them to provide the right kinds of food.

Funeral Rites Slated For Loraine Woman

COLORADO CITY — Mrs. Will Gaston, 70, Loraine Negro woman, died in the Johnson Hospital in Loraine after a long illness.

Mrs. Gaston was born in Troup Feb. 6, 1885, and had lived in Mitchell County for 32 years.

Funeral services will be held Sunday at 2 p.m. from the Canaan Baptist Church with burial in the Mitchell County Cemetery in Colorado City under the direction of Kiker and Son of Colorado City.

She is survived by her husband, three daughters, Mrs. Beatrice Holland, Colorado City; Mrs. Lela Jones, Loraine; and Lydia Ann Parker of Odessa; one brother, Homer Roberts of Dallas; one sister Mrs. Annie Pullins, Dawson; and 28 grandchildren.

Big Spring Marine Reserve Unit Talked

Possibility of establishing a Marine reserve platoon here is being explored.

A meeting has been set for this afternoon at 419 W. Ave B in San Angelo to ascertain the potential and the degree of interest. Marine recruiters said that Harold Davis, lieutenant in the Marine reserve, had been secured as a probable commander with George McAllister, also a Marine lieutenant, as adjutant.

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## Churches Deny Italy Permits Free Function

ROME (U)—Evangelical churches including the Church of Christ, denied today they are permitted to function freely in this country.

Speaking through their joint legal office, the churches replied to a statement issued yesterday by the Italian Ministry of the Interior. This had declared that "any religion is authorized to operate in Italy without need of any particular recognition."

It added that "the Church of Christ, since the end of the war, has always operated freely in Italy." The statement was issued by Guido Bisori, undersecretary in the Interior Ministry, which controls non-Roman Catholic denominations in Italy.

There were repercussions abroad, J. R. Chisolm, minister of the Church of Christ, announced in Brownfield, Tex., he will go to Washington on Tuesday to present to the State Department "documentation" of his church's situation in Italy.

The Interior Ministry's statement was hit by the legal office of the Federal Council of Evangelical Churches in Italy as having been made "for purely publicity reasons."

The Council represents the Waldensian, Baptist and Methodist churches, the Evangelical Italian Missionary Assn. of La Spezia, the Christian Adventist Churches and the Assemblies of God in Italy.

"In these very days, in fact, in addition to the removal of the sign from the Church of Christ, the Adventist Church at Gaeta was prohibited from distributing leaflets announcing a religious conference," the Council said.

The Council added that at Mazara del Vallo, Trapani, Sicily, police this week prohibited a Waldensian pastor from holding services "even in his private home."

Gerald Paden of Lubbock, and Brownfield, Tex., speaking separately for the Church of Christ here, said "it would be extremely difficult to explain our experiences of the past in the light of yesterday's (government) declaration."

FTA To Meet

HUNTSVILLE, March 19 (U)—The state convention of the Texas Assn. of Future Teachers of America will be held here March 24-26.

## Labor, Ike's Farm Foes Link Forces

WASHINGTON, March 19 (U)—House forces seeking to ditch the Eisenhower farm program today claimed the backing of organized labor for the first time.

They thus raised the prospect of a possible new farm-labor coalition which could materially change the legislative complexion of the House at this session of Congress.

The initial test could come next Wednesday or Thursday, when leaders have scheduled House action on a bill to supplant the administration's sliding scale price support program with rigid supports at 90 per cent of parity.

Still on tap is a minimum wage raise in which labor unions have a primary interest. The administration is asking an increase from 75 to 90 cents an hour, but members representing large worker districts are proposing up to \$1.25. If they voted for 90 per cent supports, they would obviously hope for reciprocity from farm state legislators.

The administration farm bill passed by Congress last year provides for variable supports between 82½ and 90 per cent of parity. The bill coming before the House next week would fix supports at 90 per cent.

This figure would apply only to the so-called basic crops of wheat, corn, cotton, rice and peanuts, but the bill would also raise the support floor for dairy products from 75 to 80 per cent of parity.

Parity is a standard said to give the farmer a fair price on his crops in relation to his costs.

Advance estimates by both sides in the pending farm fight indicate a close vote either way. The outcome could hinge on the vote of members from city districts.

Rep. Cooley (D-NC), author of the high support bill and chairman of the House Agriculture Committee, asserted that "for the first time in the 20 years I have been in Congress we have clear-cut labor behind this bill as the city workers, there would be no question about the outcome."

Both the CIO and AFL have endorsed a return to rigid supports at 90 per cent of parity on grounds that farm prosperity is essential to industrial welfare.

Walter Reuther, CIO president, testified in person for the bill before the Agriculture Committee. He accused Secretary of Agriculture Benson of a campaign of "misrepresentation" about the administration's flexible support program.

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He said backers of high, fixed supports are "shouting from the rooftops" that the administration program is wrecking farm prices but "it just isn't so."

Pointing out that the flexible supports do not become effective until this year's harvest, he said: "Not one bale of cotton, nor one bushel of corn or wheat, nor one sack of rice, nor one pound of peanuts has yet been placed under price support loan or sold to the government at less than 90 per cent of parity."

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He said backers of high, fixed supports are "shouting from the rooftops" that the administration program is wrecking farm prices but "it just isn't so."

Pointing out that the flexible supports do not become effective until this year's harvest, he said: "Not one bale of cotton, nor one bushel of corn or wheat, nor one sack of rice, nor one pound of peanuts has yet been placed under price support loan or sold to the government at less than 90 per cent of parity."

Parity is a standard said to give the farmer a fair price on his crops in relation to his costs.

Advance estimates by both sides in the pending farm fight indicate a close vote either way. The outcome could hinge on the vote of members from city districts.

Both the CIO and AFL have endorsed a return to rigid supports at 90 per cent of parity on grounds that farm prosperity is essential to industrial welfare.

Walter Reuther, CIO president, testified in person for the bill before the Agriculture Committee. He accused Secretary of Agriculture Benson of a campaign of "misrepresentation" about the administration's flexible support program.

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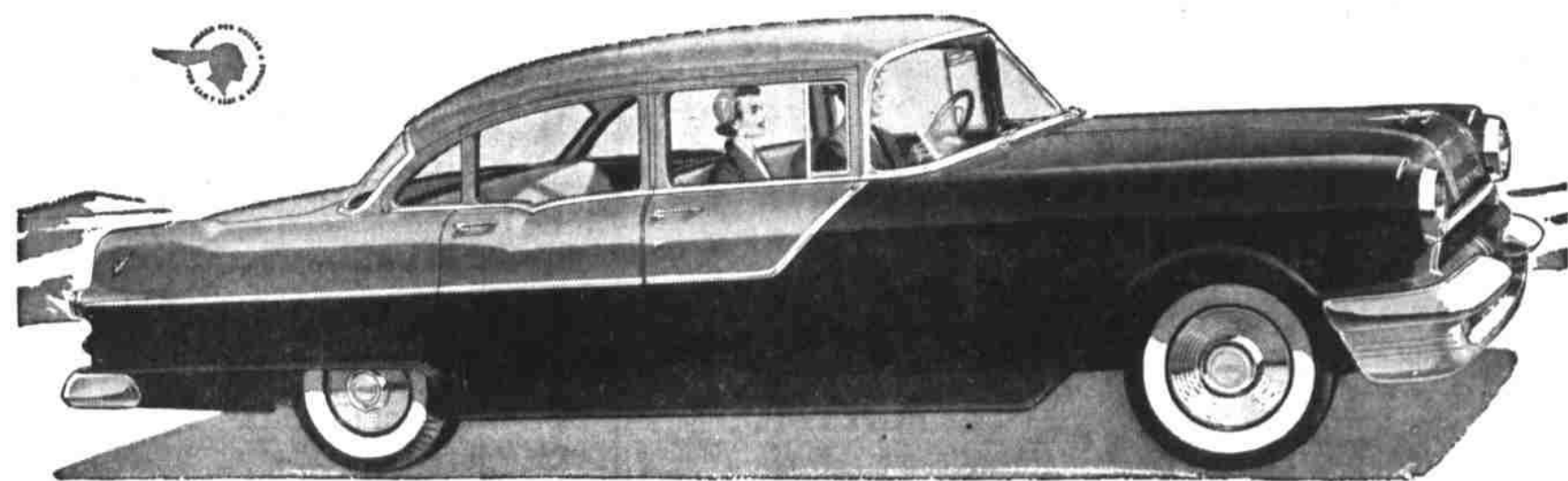
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Some Explaining To Do

James Lloyd Parker, 25, a Texas sailor now spending a 30-day leave at Kerrville, Tex., is pictured above with Mrs. Frances Malloy Parker of Norfolk, Va. Mrs. Parker produced the above picture after she read that Parker is in Texas trying to persuade a pretty English model to marry him. She said Parker would have some tall Texas explaining to do when he returned to Norfolk. Parker admitted being married but said they were separated and he thought Mrs. Parker was getting a divorce. (AP Wirephoto).

## Wife Spurns Break With Courting Tar

KERRVILLE, Tex. (U-P) James Lloyd Parker, the courting sailor says, "I guess I'll have to get a divorce any way I can." Parker, 25, said he and Maureen Toose, 19, saw nothing improper in their acquaintanceship despite the presence in Norfolk, Va., of Parker's 21-year-old wife. Mrs. Frances Malloy Parker, a motorcycle-riding waitress, called Parker's claim that they lived together only three weeks after their marriage last April "another of those tall Texas lies." "We were living together the night before he left to go to Texas," she said last night. Parker has been here about 10 days on a 30-day Navy leave. Both the sailor and the green-eyed, shapely lass from Arundel, England, have spoken of marriage. But they say there are no present plans for a ceremony and that they are still getting acquainted at the ranch home here of Parker's widowed sister, Mrs. Ruth Le Cleve. But Mrs. Parker has no intention of getting a divorce she said. "I'll make him sweat," she added. Parker's problem began last summer while on leave in England. Smitten by Miss Toose and her charms, he persuaded her to visit his sister so he could better woo her while on leave. Maureen thought it a good idea, too, but she still dates other swains. "I don't like it," Parker said, "but it's none of my business." "I don't think Frances will have any effect on my acquaintanceship with Maureen," he said. Parker, after meeting Miss Toose last summer while on shore leave in England, persuaded her to visit his sister on their Texas ranch. They emphasized they were merely "getting acquainted," but Parker said today, "I like her very much." And she said, "I think he's a very nice guy." Miss Toose said: "Of course I knew about Mrs. Parker. They had been separated almost a year. She told him she was getting the divorce. I don't think Mrs. Parker has complicated anything. I've never met her. I'm not upset, and I think it would be better for him for her to go ahead and get a divorce." Miss Toose said she and Parker are still no closer than "friends." "Mrs. Le Cleve is a widow with four young children. I always wanted to come to the United States. I met Lloyd and he said his sister needed someone to help her. So we just worked it out. "I think Lloyd is a very nice guy, but we're not engaged or anything. We're just getting to know each other better." Asked whether she thought they might marry, Miss Toose replied, "You never can tell what's going to happen." On this subject, Parker said: "I don't know for sure whether

## Shivers Now Faces Okay Of Tax Program

AUSTIN, March 19 (U-P) Gov. Shivers can slide his tax program through the Legislature as easily as his spending plans sped to approval in the House this week the session's money worries will soon be over. The strategy seems to be to get rid of taxing and spending then dig into the troublesome questions of water saving, insurance reform and the Veteran's Land Program. Two tax measures urged by the governor brought out a warning that a majority of the House has pledged opposition to the two cent increase in the gasoline levy. That bill and the upping cigarette taxes went to subcommittee in line with the policy of the House Revenue and Taxation Committee. But there was little doubt the governor's tax bills would win a favorable committee report. How much static they will encounter on the floor, or how many votes the opposition could vote on, remained to be seen. The spending bill rolled through the House with administration forces knocking down every effort to amend it with increases by a substantial two to one majority in almost every case. In the powerful 21-member Senate Finance Committee, each a member of the ploughed under and the outlook for quick approval of the general appropriations bill in the Senate early next week was rosy. What the governor has done is take the usual sting out of his opposition by recommending large increases for many such state services as state hospitals, public health, the colleges and universities, public schools. Liberals and conservatives have battled fiercely in the past over Liberal's efforts to add to spending. This time they had less to fuss about and there was less fussing. The governor's opposition is now expected to make a fight on the gasoline tax on grounds that natural resources are still not carrying their share of the load and that two cents more on gasoline is another concession to the sales tax trend. The administration's answer is that the folk who use the highways and need more safety and other improvements to bring the major roads to first-class standards are the ones who should pay the bill. The governor does not have, or has not shown, the degree of influence in water legislation that he has demonstrated on spending and taxation. Apparently his next objective will be to find a compromise between the legislative forces deadlocked on that question. The session has passed the midway point and the first week of the second half was highly productive. Some legislators are saying that if the water question can't be solved, Shivers will call a special session on it. The governor hasn't said what he would do.

I'll marry Maureen... maybe in the future but I just don't know. Well, yes I like her... but we're still getting acquainted." The tone of Parker's voice softened as he added, "I think of her as somebody I'd like very much to get better acquainted with."

## ABOUT BOOKS

### Big Spring Woman Wins Dictionary

Mrs. A. D. Webb, 1615 State, was the Big Spring winner of the 1955 Thorndike-Barthart Comprehensive Desk Dictionary in a contest sponsored by Doubleday and Company. The contest required that entrants use five specified words which appear for the first time in the 1955 edition of the dictionary. The five words Mrs. Webb used were gerontology, Earl Warren, smaze, astronaut, and colorcast. Mrs. Webb's prize winning sentence was: "Doctors of gerontology sincerely praise ex-governor Earl Warren for extensive help in controlling to a great degree the smaze that was such a hazard, also the scientists at their astronaut at Palomar Observatory and the TV studios for the clearer weather for their colorcast."

The fabulous growth of the drug store paper-back books has led book publishers to recognize that there is a market for inexpensive paper bound books. A few of the drug store variety ventured into more serious writing fields and had overwhelming success. As a result, publishers of hard cover books are now beginning to invade the field. One of the first publishers to put the better works of literature between soft covers at an economical price was Doubleday and Company. Their "Anchor Books" have set a high standard in paper back editions, and were immediately followed by other publishers. These Anchor Books are quality bound much in the same manner as a hard cover book. They do not fall apart after handling as many of the drug store paper backs do. And most of them make attractive additions to a book shelf. The price averages about one dollar for the books, some a little more and others less. Th selections published to date are bargains at the price. One very interesting book released only recently is:

"GROWTH AND STRUCTURE OF THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE," by Otto Jespersen, Anchor Books, 274 pp., 95 cents. This is the ninth edition of this work since its first publication around the turn of the century. The author traces the origins of our tongue from its early beginnings to the language as it is used today. Two of the most interesting chapters in the book deal with the influence of Shakespeare and the influence of the Puritans. The poetical contributions of Shakespeare are dealt with in an

interesting and sometimes familiar manner. The hard made many original uses of the flexibility of the language and readers of his plays are familiar with his brilliant turn of phrase. The Puritan influence on the language has been perhaps the more telling, and is in evidence in present day speech. "By-words" and profanity are the obvious words that received this influence. For instance, "gad," "gosh," and "golly" are words that had their origins in the use of "god" as a profane word. The Puritans substituted these words to get around using the Lord's name in vain. "Goodness gracious" falls into this category, also. And of course, there is also the more obvious changes without much subtlety of "danged," "dad-burn-it," "durned," and many others. This is a very interesting book and is a contribution toward better understanding of the American's most useful tool, his language.

"GREAT ROUNDUP," by Lewis Nordyke, Wm. Morrow and Co. In 1877, Texas was a pretty tough place to raise cattle. Cattle rustling was wide-spread and rancher's herds were in constant danger of outlaw depredations. There was no universal brand registry. About 40 of these ranchers gathered at Graham in that year and founded an organization that has contributed to the success of cattle raising in the state ever since. These men established a brand book among the first acts of the newly formed Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association. Nordyke has written an informative history of an important organization to cattlemen in 1877 and 1955. The organization today is the voice of the cattle industry. The author, with his definitive history, gives many of the reasons why.

Appeal To Thief HOUSTON, March 19 (U-P) Mrs. Era Bush begged the thief who stole her purse several days ago to keep the money and jewelry but to return two small cards. "My daughter, Rowena, only 10 years old, drowned off Galveston Beach last summer," Mrs. Bush explained. "Shortly before that she had written on two cards her love for Jesus Christ. The written words were my dearest treasure." Most jewelry is found in hot, damp climates, and least in very dry climates.

## Peace Meetings Seen Balked By Yalta Release

WASHINGTON, March 19 (U-P) Sen. George (D-Ga) said today publication of the Yalta record may make it difficult to arrange conferences to establish world peace.

George is a Democratic spokesman on foreign policy as head of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee. He said in an interview he believes "real harm" has been done efforts to reach some peaceful settlement with Russia and its Communist allies. "I regard the publication of these papers at this time as unfortunate," George said. "This action will make it difficult to have conferences with those nations with whom conferences must be had if we are to make progress toward world peace and stability. "We have to have conferences with Russia. The only final alternative is war if diplomacy doesn't work."

On the other hand, Sen. Knowland (R-Calif) said he foresees highly beneficial results from making public the record of the World War II meeting in the Crimea between Franklin D. Roosevelt, Winston Churchill and Joseph Stalin. Knowland, the Senate Republican leader, has been in the forefront of those charging that Roosevelt made concessions to the Russians which helped put Eastern Europe and China behind the Iron Curtain. "If the disclosures discourage two or three nations from thinking they can sit down behind closed doors—with no responsibility to their elected representatives and to the people—and proceed to parcel out nations and peoples without their consent, they will have served their purpose," he declared. "Whether it be at Yalta, Potsdam or Geneva, a useful purpose will be served if every official who participates in negotiations realizes that he has an ultimate accounting to the people and that his decisions will have to stand the light of history."

Secretary of State Dulles said the record of a number of international meetings would be made public but he did not know the schedule of releases. He was asked at the airport on his return from a two-day visit to Ottawa if these would include the Potsdam meeting. "I just don't know," he said. "A lot of these things are in the works. The historians are in charge of that." At Potsdam, the conferees planned the next blows at Japan and discussed the future of defeated Germany. Dulles said he did not know anything about possible British objections to disclosing the secret record of the Potsdam meeting.

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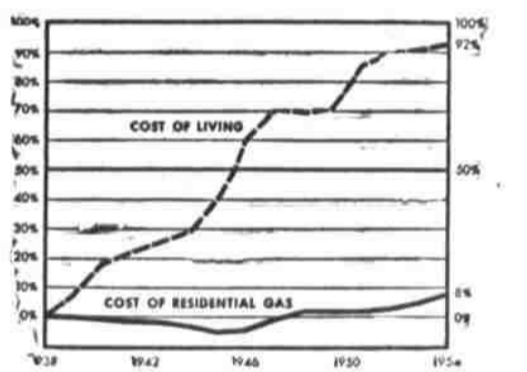
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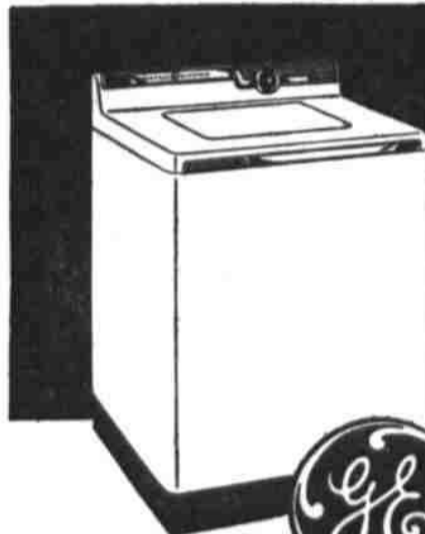
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Made up of individuals and companies concerned with natural gas and the broader basic issues of a free economy. This Committee believes that it has a responsibility to place the facts before the American people, that they may form a judgment of their own free will.

Advertisement for the Big Spring Daily Herald. It features a large headline: "Baring Of Yalta Report Settles No Differences" and "Stalin Drove Bargain For Warring On Japs". Below the headline is a photograph of a man in a suit. The ad includes handwritten-style text: "To Lewis Price and the Amphill Lunch", "A hearty handshake for helping make Big Spring a more progressive and attractive shopping center", and "Now trying to help do the same". At the bottom, it says "Everybody at the Herald" and "Mill Displeased Over Revelation Of Yalta Papers".

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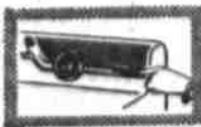
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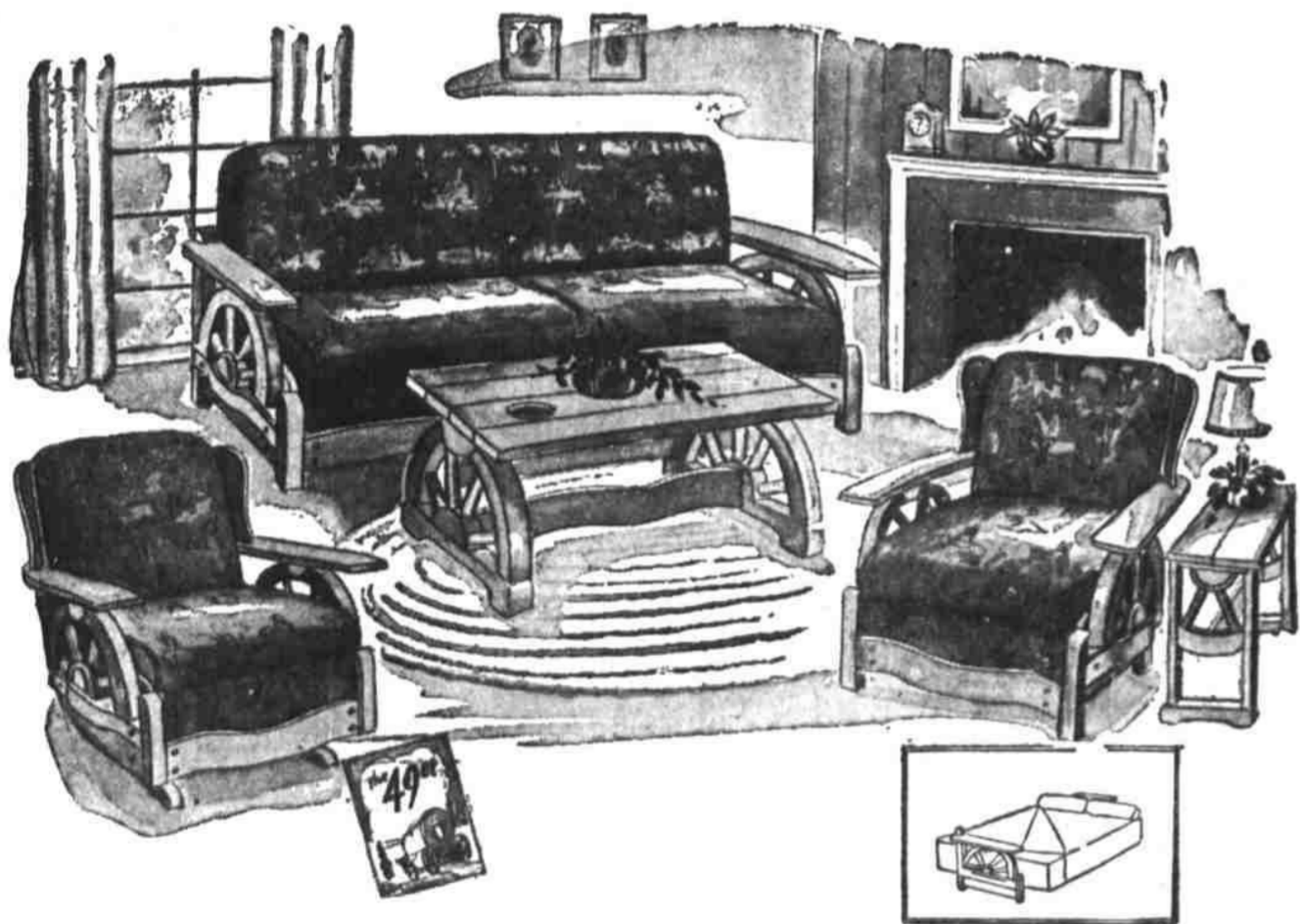
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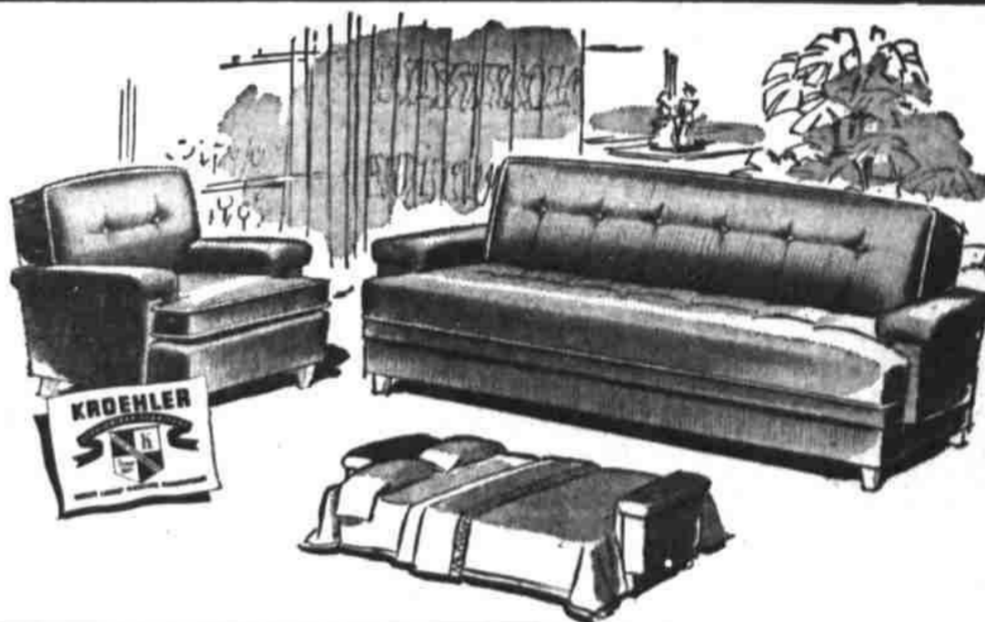
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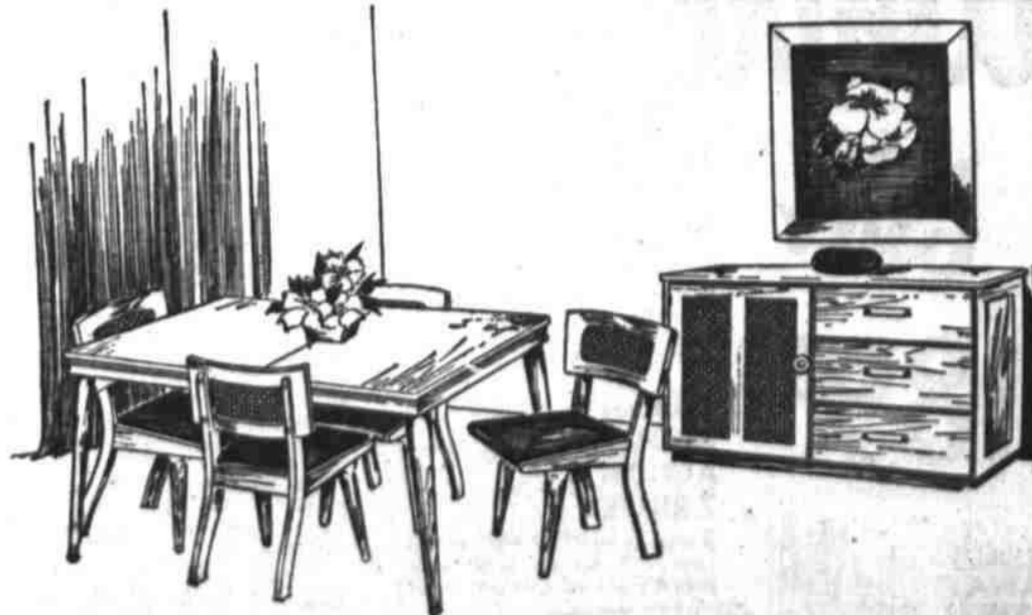
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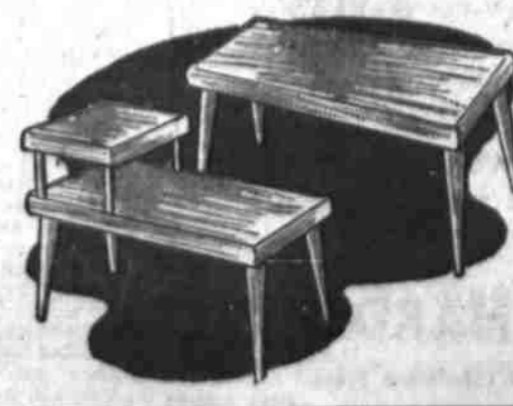
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Patio For The Pool

Col. Newton D. Hagins, commander of the Maintenance and Supply Group at Webb, wields a wicked shovel to scoop cement from the wheelbarrow powered by Lt. Delos Sutton, Lt. Ronald Rhodes, right, smooths cement already poured. All M&S group officers turned out Saturday morning to build a patio adjacent to the children's wading pool at Webb. The patio will be covered with a removable awning and will provide a place for mothers to sit while watching their youngsters in the pool. This is one of several volunteer projects at Webb to improve attractiveness and facility of the base.

## \$1.5 Million Budget Calls For 'Tight' Municipal Operation

The proposed \$1.5 million city budget which will be up for public hearing Tuesday night calls for "tight" municipal operation during the 1953-54 fiscal year.

"This budget provides for only the minimum requirements necessary to maintain acceptable municipal service," wrote City Manager H. W. Whitney in his budget message to the City Commission.

"It has been necessary to severely curtail the requests of the various departments for additional equipment and personnel, in order to hold the proposed expenditures within the funds available."

The proposed budget, which has

been tentatively approved, calls for expenditures of \$1,530,957.00. This figure is \$98,565.00 more than the gross estimated revenues, which are pegged at \$1,432,392.00.

Revenues during the fiscal year, which begin April 1, will be boosted by a beginning balance of \$263,100.00 in the city treasury.

This beginning balance is enough to absorb the \$98,565.00 overage in expenditures and still have an estimated balance at the end of the period of \$164,535.00.

Actually the \$1.5 million budget represents an outlay of only a little more than \$60 per person during the year.

Last year's budget, which will be effective through March 31, was slightly lower than the 1952-53 proposal, as it pegged estimated expenditures at \$1,199,856.29.

Manager Whitney pointed out in his message that only two new pieces of equipment are provided for in the budget. They are a new garbage collection unit and an additional radio-equipped motorcycle for the police department.

Cost of the garbage collection unit is estimated at \$8,000, and cost of the motorcycle is estimated at \$1,850.

"Several other items of new equipment, such as some heavy construction machinery and an additional street sweeper, are needed, but will have to be postponed until funds are available," he wrote.

Whitney pointed to increased water costs as an example of where expected additional revenues will be spent.

He explained in his message an increase of \$37,780 is expected this year in cost of water from the CRMWD and an increase of \$41,730 is expected in water treatment costs at the new filtration plant. These two figures will eat up the expected increase of \$80,000 in water revenues.

## CHURCH AT FORSAN FINDS OLD DEPOSIT

FORSAN, (S.C.)—Thanks to a bank deposit made quietly more than five years ago by the late Mrs. Dora Roberts, the Forsan Methodist Church today is \$15,000 richer than it thought.

The deposit came to light recently in a savings account at a Big Spring bank. It was a complete surprise to members and officers of the church.

The church members asked Mrs. Roberts for aid back in 1949 when their building was moved from the Chalk community to Forsan. Shortly after they made the request, Mrs. Roberts was injured in a fall and was taken to a Fort Worth hospital where she remained until her death on Dec. 27, 1953.

But before she was hurt, Mrs. Roberts had made the time deposit for the church. Church leaders forgot about their request and the money laid waiting.

The \$15,000 still is in the savings account.

"We haven't made any specific plans for it," said H. H. Story, board chairman.

## This Is Last Week For Boys To Enter Soap Box Derby

There's just another week for boys to sign up for the 1953 Soap Box Derby.

Sponsors have set next Saturday, March 28, as the final day. Boys between the ages of 11 and 15 are urged to sign up at Tidwell Chevrolet Company, any day this week, during business hours. The boy must be accompanied by parent or guardian.

It looks like the field to compete for rich prizes in this greatest amateur racing event in the world will be larger than last. The Derby is attracting boys from neighboring communities, and they, too, are as welcome to enter as are lads in Big Spring.

Boys are reminded again they will be assigned sponsors later, and that these sponsors will defray the cost of building cars, when the youngsters cannot afford such cost. The payment will not be made, however, until the racer is completed; but a boy who gets his official wheels and builds his car (materials besides wheels cannot cost over \$10) may then count on being repaid. In other words, he can enter the Soap Box Derby without cost.

The race will be run locally on July 4th, and there'll be a long list of attractive prizes. The big payoff, of course, comes to the champion with a free trip to Akron, Ohio in August for the All-American Derby. There he will have a chance at the national title and a \$5,000 college scholarship.

There are many other prizes offered in Akron, also, by the Chevrolet Motor Co.

Tidwell Chevrolet, The Herald, and the Lions club are sponsoring the race locally.

There are now about 50 boys listed for the competition. Latest to sign were Richard Cryer, 1110 N. Gregg; Ronnie Hamby, Route 2; and Warren Spearman, Knott.

## Mission Slated At Catholic Church

The Rev. Tom Quinlan, OMI, of Colorado City will begin a week-long mission at St. Thomas Catholic Church Sunday at 7:30 p.m. He will speak on "Man's Purpose in Life."

He will also speak every evening through March 27 at the same hour. His topics will be: "The Tragedy of Sin," Monday; "Death and Judgment," Tuesday; "Reward and Mercy of God," Thursday; "The Bread of Life," Friday; "Son, Behold Thy Mother," Saturday; "The Challenge of Catholic Life," Sunday.

## New Flare Device

ELMUDEN, Netherlands, March 19 (AP)—A new life-saving device tested this week can fire distress flares at 10-minute intervals for 16 hours after it drops into the sea. The water activates a pendulum which sets off the apparatus. The inventor is A. Stada, a Dutch pilot.

## 1905 Hyperions Win First On Reports At Federation Meet

In the recent meeting of District 8 of Federated Clubs at Monahan, first place in Club Reports was won by the 1905 Hyperion Club. This is judged by the way in which the year's work is summed up for the convention and is done with no notes or reminders. The report for the local club was given by Mrs. Clyde Angel.

Third place in the Garden Division of the program was won by the 1905 Hyperions for their program during the year on gardening. The club was also awarded third place for the work with their Latin-American Scholarship Fund. A certificate was given them for having 100 per cent subscriptions to "The Texas Clubwoman," federation magazine.

## Mrs. Turner, 81, Dies Saturday

Mrs. Nellie Turner, 807 NW 4th, became suddenly ill Friday night and passed away Saturday morning in a local hospital. She was 81 years old, having been born in Feb., 1874.

Mrs. Turner is survived by four sons, E. J. Turner, Mineral Wells; Patrick Turner, Gilmer; Mack Turner, Dallas; and Joseph Turner, also of Dallas; three daughters, Mrs. Minnie K. Birt, Big Spring; Mrs. Tenie Gain, Dallas; Mrs. Virgil Wright, Midland; one brother, Lawson Clark of Dallas.

Arrangements were made with the River Funeral Home to transfer the remains to Pittsburg, Texas, for interment.

## Initial Accident Record Incorrect

Records of the accident in which Deanna Elliott, 14, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Yates, 805 E. 15th, was bruised Thursday were incorrect. The initial accident record showed Della Mae Simpson, 710 Scurry, was driver of the vehicle which struck Deanna. This was not the case, for it should have shown that Della Mae Simpson was walking with Deanna when she was struck.

## Penwell Man Buys Registered Stock

A new Hereford breeder in this area is J. W. Bell of Penwell.

He purchased a registered cow this week from Leland Wallace of Big Spring to start his operations.

## Mitchell HD Agent Resigns

COLORADO CITY — Mrs. Emabeth Towery, home demonstration agent for Mitchell County for the past four years, will begin as home demonstration agent at Plainview on May 1.

Her resignation as the Mitchell County agent will be effective on the same date.

Mrs. Towery is a director of District 2, County Home Demonstration Agent's Association, and in the field of club extension has organized two new home demonstration clubs since her arrival in Colorado City. She is a graduate of North Texas State College at Denton and has done graduate work at American University in Washington, D. C., and at Colorado A&M in Fort Collins.

## Court Of Appeals Denies Rehearing

Appellee's motion for a rehearing in the case of G. H. Hayward versus Hazel Duiker has been overruled in the 11th District Court of Civil Appeals at Eastland.

Earlier the court had reversed the judgment in the trial court and remanded the case because a note on which suit had been brought was not actually produced. Appellee then asked for a rehearing, which was denied.

Submitted to the court was the case of Ellis Iden et ux versus Mildred Ackerman, et al, a title suit from Howard.

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## Five Automobile Wrecks Checked

Five minor automobile accidents were reported to Big Spring police Friday and Saturday. Officers said there apparently were no injuries.

Donald F. Biggs, Webb AFB, told officers that his car was struck by a vehicle operated by a hit-and-run driver about 2:45 p.m. Saturday. The mishap was at Fourth and Gregg Streets, he said.

At 8:11 a.m. Saturday in front of North Ward School, cars driven by Thomas Alvin Thielen, 1209 Pennsylvania, and Luis Guna Rodriguez, 602 NE 9th, collided.

Friday at 10:45 p.m. Nolan Briden, 1007 Scurry, and Leslie Herbert Steward, 1516 Sunset Drive, were operators of cars which were in an accident in front of the high school.

Virginia Driskell, Ellis Homes, and Ralph Cohan, Webb AFB, were drivers of cars which were in collision at the intersection of Seventeenth and Nolan about 1:47 p.m. Friday. At 12:30 p.m. at Eighteenth and Settles, cars operated by Cecil E. Bruton, 1302 Lamar, and Tracy Thurman Smith, 1900 Settles, were in an accident.

## W. T. Cole Is New Sheriff's Deputy

W. T. (Tommy) Cole, former Big Spring policeman, has accepted a position as deputy sheriff for Howard County, Sheriff Jess Slaughter announced Saturday.

Cole is to start work as a deputy April 1. He now is vacationing in Florida.

The officer will fill the place vacated last week by C. H. Fergus, who resigned to accept private employment.

## Eldorado Man Dies In Hospital Here

Lawrence M. Hill, 59, of Eldorado died in a hospital here Saturday morning.

The body was transferred by Nalley Funeral Home to Poteau, Okla., for funeral services. Mr. Hill was born Sept. 23, 1895, in Hill, Okla. He served in the armed forces during the first World War.

Survivors include his wife and one son, James Hill, of Eldorado.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We want to thank our many friends for clothing, bedding, dishes, cash, and contributions of all kinds, and the Red Cross for its timely help when fire destroyed our home March 9. We are deeply and humbly grateful.

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# er-Talkin

by Jess Blair

The rain Friday may have been refreshing but it missed several areas almost entirely. At Knott it was not much more than a sprinkle, and at Fairview just a heavy mist. The heaviest shower was around Key in Dawson County where gauges measured as much as 4 of an inch.

Billy Holley who lives on the M. J. Taylor Ranch just southwest of Gall says Borden County never looked better to him. He has just returned from a two year hitch in the Army, where he was stationed much of the time in Germany. He plans to get back into ranching and is already working out his horses.

Holley made the West Texas rodeo circuit before the Army took him, and says he needs a lot of practice to get in condition. He has developed a hobby that has paid him well. He trains cutting and roping horses for the rodeo performers. A few years ago he took a \$150 horse and after a year and half's training, sold him for \$2,500.

George Sealey, Borden County agent, says ranges are looking better in Borden County. Most ranchers had sold off much of their cattle a couple of years ago and the grass has more than held its own since then. Most cattlemen will be able to stop feeding within the next two or three weeks, with the growth of new grass.

Sealey says the county is in good shape for stock water in spite of the drouth, as ranchers have rebuilt their earth tanks, making them deeper. The raw, red clay of Borden County holds water like a jug, and the only loss is from evaporation and what the cattle drink.

According to Sealey, the county is relatively free from bitterweed, except in the northeastern part around Fluvanna where ranchers have been running sheep. Bitterweed is beginning to show up in that area.

The Key and Midway communities in southeastern Dawson County bounced back from the drouth last year like a rubber ball. From no crop at all in 1953, when not a seed was planted, the cotton average last year was around a half bale to the acre.

## OIL, GAS TRANSACTIONS

**MINERAL DEEDS**  
C. D. Herring et ux to Charles Herring Jr. et ux, a tract in Section 44, Block 32, Township 1-North, T&P Survey.

**ROYALTY DEEDS**  
C. H. Roberts Jr. to A. O. Phillips, an undivided 1/32 interest in the north half of an undivided 1/2 interest in the north half of an undivided 1/2 interest in the north half of the south half of Section 15, Block 31, Township 1-North, T&P Survey.

**LEASES**  
W. D. Anderson et ux to C. H. Roberts Jr., an undivided 3/8 interest in the north half of Section 15, Block 31, Township 1-North, T&P Survey.

**ASSIGNMENT**  
J. A. Lavender Jr. to A. D. Brown, the southeast quarter of Section 13, Block 34, Township 3-North, T&P Survey.

**ASSIGNMENT**  
J. A. Lavender Jr. et ux to Gulf Oil Corp., the east half of Section 23, Block 31, Township 1-North, T&P Survey.

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**ASSIGNMENT**  
W. W. Lay Jr. to W. W. Lay Oil Corp., the east half of Section 23, Block 31, Township 1-North, T&P Survey.

**ASSIGNMENT**  
W. D. Anderson to Choy's Drilling Co., the northeast quarter of Section 13, Block 31, Township 3-North, T&P Survey.

**ASSIGNMENT**  
L. M. Anderson to Choy's Drilling Co., the south half of the southwest quarter of Section 3, the east half of the northeast quarter of Section 9, both in Block 31, Township 3-North, T&P Survey.

**ASSIGNMENT**  
Elis Harria et ux to Choy's Drilling Co., the east half of the southeast quarter of Section 4, Block 31, Township 3-North, T&P Survey.

### New Cars Sell At 95c Weekly In Dealers War

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., March 19 (AP)—A Ford dealer's offer of a new car for \$1.25 a week for the first year has been countered by a lower weekly purchase price plan from other dealers here.

Seventeen dealers representing General Motors, Chrysler, Packard and Studebaker cars in a joint advertisement today offered new automobiles for as little as 95 cents a week for the first 52 weeks.

Under both plans the unpaid balance at the end of the year is refinanced and paid off in 24 equal monthly payments. The purchaser must own a "good 1952 or later model automobile to trade," and pay a year's insurance in cash.

The 17 dealers said in their advertisement they did not endorse the plan because it will cost additional money to finance

Whorter were brought by Nalley ambulance to Big Spring. Mathis' remains were then taken to Lubbock and Mrs. McWhorter was to be sent to Tahlequah early today.

The collision took the lives of Gene Mathis and Mrs. Mamie G. McWhorter, both of Lubbock. They were traveling south in a car which collided head-on with a truck driven by Clyde Evans of San Angelo about 11 miles north of Sterling City.

Highway Patrolman James Englund of Sterling City said the automobile veered off the highway onto the right shoulder, then skidded back onto the roadway into the path of the truck. The mishap occurred on a slight curve.

Evans received minor injuries. Bodies of Mathis and Mrs. Mc-

Whorter were brought by Nalley ambulance to Big Spring. Mathis' remains were then taken to Lubbock and Mrs. McWhorter was to be sent to Tahlequah early today.

Mathis is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Mathis of Morton; three brothers, Allen Mathis of Morton, Ralph Mathis of Lubbock, and Coy Mathis of Denver City, and two sisters.

Mrs. McWhorter's survivors include her husband, Troy G. McWhorter of Lubbock; her father, Massie Ellington of Tahlequah; a sister, Mrs. Jack Wallace, and a brother, Harris Ellington, all of Tahlequah.

The first lighthouse in what is now the United States was a tower at the entrance of Boston harbor, built in 1716.

## Lubbock Pair Killed In Sterling Crash

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When Mr. Pinkerton came there, the community didn't have any pavement, or even dirt roads. He says they were sand roads and in the spring completely blocked automobile traffic. A trip to town along in March and April meant going horseback.

Now it's a lot different with paved roads leading out to all the communities and towns. He likes it so well that he moved back to the farm a couple of years ago after spending several years in Big Spring.

"With electric lights, pavement and television, it's got living in town beat a hundred ways," Mr. Pinkerton said. "Out here a man has some freedom. At least your nearest neighbor can't lean over his yard fence and see what you are doing inside the house."

The animal "dressed out" in good beef to about 71 per cent of its total weight.

"If that isn't a record, it comes close to one," said Marvin Sewell of the Big Spring Locker Company, where the steer was butchered.

The 895-pound calf dressed out 635 pounds of beef. That's 70.949 per cent of the "on-foot" weight. The average for cattle butchered here is from 58 to 62 per cent.

Cosden Petroleum Corporation purchased the steer from Joyce at the Thursday night auction for \$1.25 a pound, or \$1,119.

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## STEER MUST HAVE BEEN MOSTLY FAT

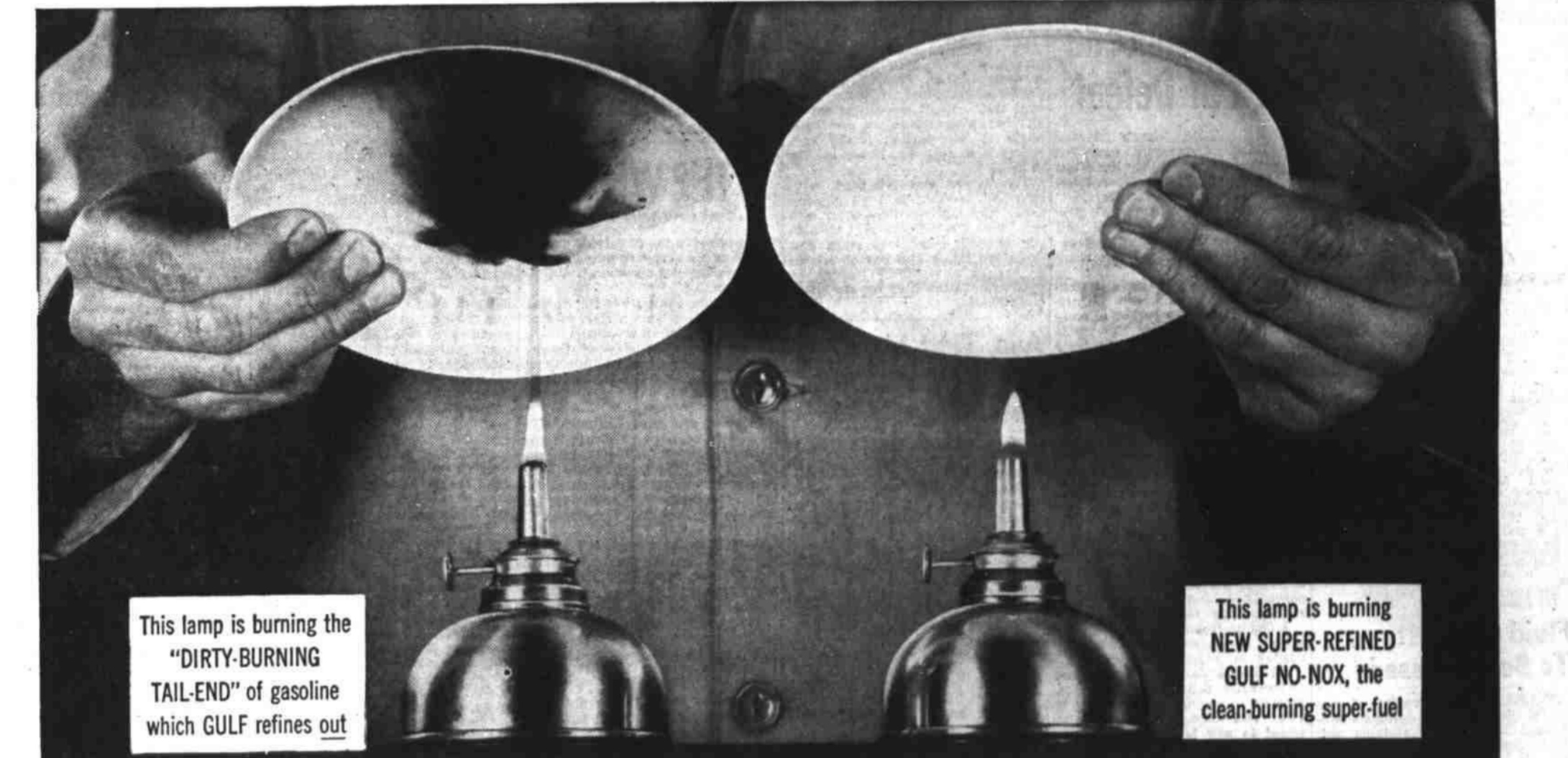
Joyce Robinson's steer that won the 4-H and FFA Fat Stock Show this week may have set another record for the Howard County 4-H Club Saturday.

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## LOOKING 'EM OVER

With Tommy Hart

Tony York, Odessa's new baseball manager, is an uncle to Peppy Blount, the one-time Big Spring griddler and state legislator . . . Tony, who was in the Pacific Coast League for several years, has visited here numerous times . . . Outside of players' salaries, the biggest expense item of the local baseball club in 1954 was for travel . . . Club owner Pepper Martin laid out \$4,374.15 for carrying the club to and from games last year . . . At least 12 Longhorn League exes will be active in the WT-NM League this year . . . Incidentally, I wish the decision of the WT-NM operators to go Class B would have been met with a verdict on the part of Longhorn Leaguers to return to Class D . . . Players are much easier to get in D and expenses are cheaper . . . The calibre of baseball doesn't suffer much, either . . . On numerous occasions, Longhorn League teams have offered teams in the Class D Sooner State League player help without response . . . The Sooner State can afford to be choosier because it is the only D League in this area . . . Major Keithley, Waco High School's stellar basketball coach whose team earned raves in the recent State Tournament, joined the Waco staff when Dan Stallworth, the former Big Spring, resigned there in 1950 . . . Keithley was recommended to Waco by none other than Pop Warner, one of the coaching immortals . . . It's strange that Stallworth was better known as a football official than a coach when he served as a school official here in the late '20's . . . Now at Baytown, he's recognized as one of the best mentors in the state . . . There's a possibility Raul Macias, the newly crowned bantamweight boxing champion, will defend his title in Texas . . . Clifton McNeely, Pampa's great cage coach, argues that basketball mentors are underpaid in the state . . . Says he: "We work just as hard as the football coaches, but they make the big salaries and I don't understand why." . . . McNeely himself is paid \$8,500 annually.

### Al Monchak Will Be In Pony League

Al Monchak, who has bossed two Longhorn League clubs in years past and who was offered a job with Big Spring in 1953, will mastermind the Wellsville entry in the Pony League this year . . . Al, whose favorite trick used to be untying and tying his shoe (and thereby stopping play) while debating strategy, has had managerial stints at Odessa, Roswell, Portsmouth of the Piedmont League and Lexington of the Tar Heel League . . . A perennial toughie in the State Basketball Tournament is Big Sandy and Coach Ford King may come up with his greatest team there next season . . . He's been the Big Sandy mentor for 16 seasons . . . New football assistant at Vernon High School is I. D. Russell, the former SMU blocking great and a cousin to Judge R. H. Weaver of Our Town . . . I. D.

### SWC Will Have Fine Soph Backs

Even if Odessa's Carl Schlemeyer doesn't play at SMU, the Southwest Conference may come up with its finest bunch of sophomore quarterbacks in history next season . . . Consider the group: Doyle Traylor of Baylor, Walt Fondron of Texas, King Hill and Frank Ryan, who will contest for the Rice job; and Texas A&M's trio of Bobby Conrad, Jim Wright and Don Bryant . . . Trinity University at San Antonio should field another tremendous football team next fall, one which could finally get it in a bowl game . . . Trinity has been beaten only once in two seasons . . . Pepper Martin still hasn't worked out his pitching problems here but a strong-arm Jim Zapp has recommended may help solve the problem . . . Don Ellis, the former Texas A&M grid ace, had his hat in the ring for the Anson head coaching job before Big Spring's Wayne Bonner took the post . . . Ellis recently accepted the backfield coaching job at Bryan High School . . . It

isn't generally known that Harold Riley, the former Baylor ace, quit recently as coaching aide to Don Mouser at Plainview . . . Bill Spivey, who was forced to resign the University of Kentucky under a cloud of suspicion several years ago, quit the touring pro cagers, the Washington Generals, recently to return to school . . . Clint Hartung, once regarded as a phenom by the New York Giants, spent the winter hurling for Johnny Lipon's Puebla club in the Veracruz League in Mexico, where he did very well . . . Elmer Tarbox, the ex-Texas Tech football great who recently moved here, says one of the reasons he got out of Lubbock was because it is growing too fast . . . "I'm really a small-town boy at heart," is the way Elmer puts it . . . St. Mary's College gridgers, who faced Elmer in the 1939 Cotton Bowl, thought he was "big-time," though . . . He was still running like a frightened rabbit when the final whistle blew.

## Herb Score May Win Top Honors

BY JOE REICTLER  
ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 19 (AP) — Southpaw pitcher Herb Score of the Cleveland Indians and third baseman Ken Boyer of the St. Louis Cardinals are the department's spring selections as the most likely to capture 1955 major league rookie-of-the-year honors.  
Boyer is picked as the National League's top rookie from personal observation. A sure-handed, stylish fielder with excellent body control, a fleet-footed base runner who can hit with power, this 23-year-old Missourian gets the call over such impressive youngsters as pitcher Karl Spooner and shortstop Chico Fernandez of Brooklyn, pitchers Jim Owens and Jack Meyer of Philadelphia, second baseman Gene Freese and outfielder Bob Clemente of Pittsburgh, pitchers Humberto Robinson and Don McMahon of Milwaukee, pitcher Joe Margoneri and outfielder Bob Lennon of New York, Pitcher Sam Jones of Chicago, pitcher Rudy Minarcin of Cincinnati and outfielder Bill Virdon, of the Cardinals.



HERB SCORE

The Score selection is based on rave reports turned in by veteran observers who watched the young pitcher in Arizona this spring and from baseball men who saw him win 22 games at Indianapolis last year while striking out a record 330 batters.  
Others receiving high rating in this corner for American League honors include catcher-outfielder Elston Howard of New York, catcher Hal Smith of Baltimore, catcher Pete Daley of Boston, pitcher Frank Lary and outfielder John (Bubba) Phillips of Detroit, pitchers Art Ceccarelli and Carl Duser of Kansas City, shortstops Johnny Kline and Juan Delis of Washington, first baseman Jim Marshall of Chicago and catcher Hank Folles of Cleveland.

Another impressive youngster is J. W. Porter, smooth-swinging slugger who apparently has won the regular left field job with Detroit. The rookie status of Porter, however, is debatable. He played in 33 games with the St. Louis

Browns in 1952 before entering the Army.  
Boyer, who hit 319 at Houston, demonstrated his power with 21 homers and 116 runs and his speed with 29 stolen bases. So far, he's lived up to all press notices as the minor league's No. 1 infielder last year.  
From all reports Score is something special. His fast ball is supposed to be on a par with Bob Feller's blazer of former days. Old timers insist only Walter Johnson, Left Grove and maybe Dizzy Vance threw harder. Cleveland officials think the Lake Worth, Fla., fireballer is a bargain for the \$70,000 bonus they gave him.

### Game Cancelled

MIDLAND, March 19 (SC)—The Midland-Snyder High School baseball game, which was to have been played here Friday, was called off due to rain.

## George Bayer Is Colonial Entry

FORT WORTH, March 20 (SC)—Popular demand of fans and sports editors has put George Bayer, the most talked of new name in golf, in the line-up for the \$25,000 Tenth Annual Colonial National Invitation Gold Tournament to be held here May 4-8.

Entry of the Seattle slugger in the select field was announced Saturday by the Colonial Tournament Committee. His addition fills 36 of the maximum of 48 places at Colonial, which is strictly an invitational affair — one of the three qualifying as a regulation PGA event — and offers the richest guaranteed purse among such tournaments.

Bayer, who turned professional only last year and started his golf career just four years ago, has already established himself as the longest driver of all times. By actual measurement, he has hit a ball 420 yards (at Las Vegas, Nev.), and he has monopolized top since he joined the tour.

Dispatches from the St. Petersburg Open this week featured reports of Bayer's 358-yard drive there in a warm-up. He first made his impact upon his fellow professionals in the driving contest at San Diego last year.

Called upon to hit first, Bayer stepped up and flew two balls over the green 365 yards distant and up hill all the way. The other players just walked away, conceding him the prize without bothering to try to top him.

Bayer's prodigious feats have made him easily the greatest one-man gallery attraction on the current tour. No matter how he is shooting overall, and the best he has done to date is a tie for twelfth at the Houston Open, he always has one of the largest galleries

with him just to witness his pounding of the ball.

Bayer hits so hard, incidentally, that a ball lasts him only two or three holes. He carries with him a measuring ring to check his pellets so that as soon as he has slugged one out of shape he will be sure to replace it for the next hole.

His clubs, too, are casualties of his power. A driver usually lasts him only eight to nine months. While Bayer's power has not yet added up to consistent low 72-hole totals, he does have some brilliant rounds to his credit on the current tour. His best 18-hole scores have been a 66 at Tucson, a 67 at Houston and a 68 at San Antonio.

Sometimes called the "human howitzer," Bayer is a mammoth-sized man, standing 6 feet 5 and weighing 240 pounds. At 29, he looks every bit the football star he was at the University of Washington in his home town of Seattle.

After completing his college career he went on to the professional gridiron, playing part of one season with the Washington Redskins.

As a youth, Bayer played some golf, but he quit the links at 16 in favor of football. After a lay-off of nine years, he took up golf again just four years ago as a recreational activity. Ultimately he showed great promise that this year the game has become his full-time business.

Bayer is playing out of the Glen Head Country Club, Long Island, N. Y.  
With Bayer, Colonial's 1955 line-up of 36 entries to date now reads: Stewart (Skip) Alexander, Jeremy Barber, George Bayer, Al Berslynk, Tommy Bolt, Julius Boros, Jack Burke, Charles Coe (am), Jimmy Demaret, Doug Ford, Ed Furgol, Marty Furgol, Fred Haas, Chandler Harper, E. J. (Dutch)

## Odessa To Get Six Rookies

ODESSA, March 19, (SC)—The Shreveport Sports of the Texas League have assigned six rookies to the Odessa Eagles of the Longhorn League.

They are: Earl C. Gage, Gilmor, Texas, infielder-outfielder; Delbert Kite, Texarkana, Ark., shortstop.

Sherman Roark, Kansas City, Mo., second baseman.

Willis Thrash, Fryeburg, La., catcher.

James Waver, Pampa, third baseman.

Grover Setz, Jr., Pampa, outfielder.

In addition to those six, the Eagles have Garland (Lefty) Fuqua, Roman (Lefty) Loyko, Pete Peirce, Phil Rizzo and Gil Verona under contract and there is talk Leo Eastman will return to the team with Odessa.

Loyko is an outfielder who was with Odessa two years ago. He did not play last season.

Rizzo, signed by business manager Red Hennech recently, performed for Iola of the KOM briefly but is still classified as a rookie. He plays second base.

Pierce and Verona are being sent here by Del Rio as part of the deal in which Del Rio received Bobby Fabian in 1954.

Hennech said the club had hopes of signing Barney Batson, first baseman, who managed Odessa last year.  
Harrison, Fred Hawkins, Ben Hogan, (Frank) (Bud) Holscher, Ted Kroll, Gene Littler, Lloyd Mangrum, Billy Maxwell, Dick Mayer, Dick Metz, Cary Middlecoff, Byron Nelson, Ed (Forky) Oliver, Arnold Palmer, Johnny Palmer, Bob Rosburg, Mike Souchak, Earl Stewart Jr., Peter Thomson, Wally Ulrich, Ernie Vossler and Francis (Bo) Winitzer.

## Hey! Did You Know? This Is National Baseball Week

This is National Baseball Week, so proclaimed by governors in all 48 states.  
It got under way yesterday and continues through next Saturday, March 26.

The local professional club and all sandlot, teenage and Little League players are being asked to participate in and emphasize it.

Radio and TV stars throughout the country are drawing attention to the observance.

No formal observance is planned here but the local Longhorn League entry will focus new attention on it by beginning drills on Friday.

The Spanish class of the local high school is taking part through its sale of opening night tickets. The Spanish Club is seeking to sell 5,000 tickets for the April 20 opener, in which event members would realize \$300. Such a sum would be used toward payment for their annual trip to Mexico.

Game tickets at reduced prices are being sold by the Coedden Cops' front office at a reduced price from now until Saturday night. Until that time, fans can purchase duets in any quantity wished for 50 cents each.

After that time, the price will revert to 74 cents each.  
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Lamesa Jaycees Install Officers

LAMESA (SC) — Officers who will serve the Lamesa Junior Chamber of Commerce in 1968-69 were installed at a banquet held at Bart's Restaurant Thursday evening.

Some 60 persons heard Ralph Krebs of Lubbock, former president of the Lubbock Junior Chamber, speak on "Jaycee-ism." DeWayne Davis, manager of the Lamesa Chamber of Commerce, gave the invocation. Odell Neathington of Halls, vice president of Jaycees Region 3, served as installation officer.

United Fund Meeting Set

Annual membership of the United Fund of Big Spring and Howard County is scheduled for Monday evening.

The session, to which the public is invited, will be held at the Settles Hotel at 8 o'clock. New officers are to be elected, and a third of the board of trustees will be named for a new term.

A complete report on the 1964 fund drive will be given, and plans discussed for the 1965 campaign. President Douglas Orme urged all interested persons to attend, "so that we can get the United Fund off to a good start for the new year."

J. C. Penney Chief Going To Houston

Frank C. Eppner, manager of the J. C. Penney Company store here, is being transferred to Houston, to assume management of a new Penney operation.

He will be in charge of a new store to open April 28 in the North Shepherd Drive shopping center in Houston. It will be a store of outstanding size, and the move represents an advancement for Eppner.

Eppner and his family left Saturday for Houston. His successor here has not been named, and he will return here in about a week to assist in transfer of management.

Eppner has been in Big Spring since June, 1953, coming from Laredo.

Professor Quits

ARLINGTON, March 19 (AP) — Prof. Daniel Kilber, head of the department of agriculture at Arlington State College, has resigned.

LEGAL NOTICE

Bids will be received at the office of the Business Manager of the Big Spring Independent School District until 5:30 p.m. on April 6, 1968 for the following property located at W. 4th and San Antonio Streets: 200 ft. on W. 4th and 200 ft. on San Antonio. Bids will be accepted for all the property or for 200 ft. fronting on W. 4th and 100 ft. fronting on San Antonio. Proposals may be either for purchase or for lease. Additional information may be obtained from Pat Murphy, business manager of the District, Phone 4-4841. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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**Honor Student**

Donald K. McCarty, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton McCarty, has been listed on the honor roll of Texas Western College, according to an announcement from Dean C. A. Puckett. Donald won a \$300 scholarship in the Oil Progress essay contest two years ago and is a physics major at Texas Western. He was second ranking boy in his graduating class although he was holding down a part time job.

**MEN IN SERVICE**

Pfc. John L. Beatty, husband of Mrs. Willie Beatty of 1511 W. 3rd, Lamesa, recently participated in "Exercise Roundup," an Army maneuver near Salzburg, Austria. Beatty is a gunner with the field artillery. He entered the Army in June, 1953, and received basic training at Camp Chaffee, Ark. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Beatty of Crowley.

Kenneth Stroup, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert L. Shipp of Stanton, left this week for Fort Ord, Calif., where he has enlisted in the Army. He will receive basic training in Colorado.

Pfc. Jimmie D. Ellison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eldred E. Ellison of 407 Ayford is serving in Japan with the 3rd Marine Division. Formerly stationed in Korea with the 1st Marine Division, he is now a member of the 4.5 Rocket Battery, 12th Marines, based at Camp McNair, on the slopes of Japan's famous Fujiyama.

**Jaycee Officer Nominees Picked**

Big Spring Jaycees will elect officers for 1953-54 at their March 28 meeting. Oliver Cofer, current president, has announced.

A nominating committee already has submitted the names of nominees to the members of the organization. The nominees include: For president, John Taylor and C. C. Ryan. For first vice president, Zack Gray and Jack Buchanan. For second vice president, James E. Whitney and Harry Weeg. For secretary-treasurer, Rad R. Ware.

Directors, Bill Gray, Max Alexander, Joe Nison, Herb Vinson, Milton Knowles, Otis Graft, Bennett Brooke, Bill Horne and David Simms.

**Monday Is 'Tax Aid Day'**

Monday will be "Tax Assistance Day" at the Internal Revenue Service office.

Taxpayers may come to the office all day for special assistance with their tax problems, according to agent in charge, Ben Hawkins. The office is located on the third floor of the Petroleum Building.

IRS agents will not be able to complete tax forms for visitors, however, Hawkins said. Taxpayers must have their forms in the final stages of completion before coming to the office.

Agents will have time to answer only specific questions. The IRS office will receive phone calls at any time to answer the questions of taxpayers. The number is 4-2612. But personal visits to the office are limited to Tax Assistance Days which fall on each Monday before the deadline April 15.

**Westbrook Infant's Services Are Held**

COLORADO CITY — Hiram Hargrove McKenney, stillborn son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack McKenney of Westbrook, was buried Saturday in the Colorado City Cemetery. Rev. Jack Ellzey, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Colorado City officiated.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by one brother, Ross, 4; his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. McKenney of Iowa and his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hargrove of Colorado City.

**Suspect Is Held**

MARSHALL, March 19 (AP)—County Atty. Phillip Baldwin said today a Californian is being held for investigation of a hot check swindling scheme. Baldwin said the man, 28, has signed a statement admitting signing bogus checks at "eight or 10" East Texas and Oklahoma points. Hold orders have been filed for him by officers in Langview, Sherman and Denison.

**Enlistments Open In Women's Marines**

S-Sgt. Helen T. Spaeth, recruiter for the woman's division of the Marines, is to be in San Angelo on Monday to interview young women interested in possible enlistment. She will be at the Marine Recruiting Office at Room 201, Post Office Building, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. Young women who are between the ages of 18 and 31, who are in good health, can furnish good character references, and who are single and without dependents are eligible for enlistment.

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**Japan Reaffirms Aim To Keep U. S. Good Will**

TOKYO, March 19 (AP)—Japan reaffirmed today her determination to continue friendly relations with the United States and to live in harmony with the rest of the world. Shortly after his investiture as Prime Minister, Ichiro Hatoyama told a press conference his government would work for peace and a

stabilized economy. And Mamoru Shigemitsu, who continues as foreign minister, said the foreign policy keynote of the Hatoyama Cabinet would be "continued cooperation with the United States and other free nations." Shigemitsu is regarded as the United States' best friend in the Hatoyama government.

**Industrialist Dies**

NEW BRAUNFELS, March 19 (AP)—Walter Dillard, 58, prominent South Texas industrialist, died at his home last night after a heart attack. He was former manager of the New Braunfels Textile Mill in North Carolina, Louisiana and Texas.

**Gas Price Meet Set**

DALLAS, March 19 (AP)—A forum on current price crisis among natural gas producers will be held here April 1.

**Churchill Reported Ready To Quit Parliament Post**

By JACK SMITH  
LONDON, March 19 (AP)—Friends of Sir Winston Churchill said tonight the aging statesman intends to retire "within weeks" as Prime Minister of Great Britain. Official confirmation was lacking, but well-informed sources who discounted previous rumors of

Churchill's retirement were accepting tonight's report as solidly based. Persons close to the 80-year-old Premier said he may stay in harness as an ordinary member of Parliament and elder statesman, keeping himself available as possible emissary for informal peace

talks with Russia—a goal he has long cherished. Churchill's successor would be Foreign Secretary Sir Anthony Eden, the "Golden Boy" of British politics whom the Premier first nominated as his political heir nearly 13 years ago. Eden is now 57.

Politicians were predicting freely that a general election will follow Eden's succession, either in June or October. October was the most-favored date. The Conservatives' five-year term of office runs until October 1956, but a severe split in the Labor opposition has encouraged Conservatives to think about an earlier date for voting. Churchill, more impetuous and bulldogged than ever in his later years, could still change his mind on the spur of the moment. But in government and political circles the opinion was hardening that he will be out of office before the government presents its annual budget on April 19.

News of Churchill's reported decision burst upon the nation this morning under banner headlines in Lord Beaverbrook's London Daily Express. Beaverbrook and Churchill are intimates, and the Canadian-born publisher has long been urging him to stay in office. "Sir Winston Churchill is about to retire," the Express said. "If present plans mature the Prime Minister will hand over his office to Sir Anthony Eden in the first week in April."

The London Evening Star said Queen Elizabeth II and the Cabinet have already been given the date for the change in leadership. Churchill has long been under the most intense personal pressures to give up his office, which often appears to be draining his strength. Informants said the pressures have come from:

His wife and his doctor, Lord Moran, who have worried about his health, especially after he suffered strokes in 1950 and 1953. The 1953 stroke left him temporarily speechless and paralyzed; and His Conservative party associates, who argue that the country must get used to Eden as Prime Minister before the party swings into another election campaign.

The Old Man has always firmly resisted the pressures in the past. Associates said he felt impelled by his sense of duty to stay in office and strive for a lasting peace with Russia. It is known that he wants to go down in history as an architect of world peace as well as a great war leader.

Ten days ago Churchill came down with a cold, and new concern for his health was felt. He announced his plans for a vacation next month in Sicily, his first in 18 months.

Almost simultaneously the opposition Labor party split wide open in a row between Leftwinger Aneurin Bevan and the party moderates. And former Prime Minister Clement Attlee came under heavy attack himself on charges of shilly-shallying in his party leadership. To many Conservatives the time looked ripe.

But many Conservatives question whether Churchill should fight another election campaign. There are strong doubts as to whether he wants to.

**SOPHISTICATE DEBS**



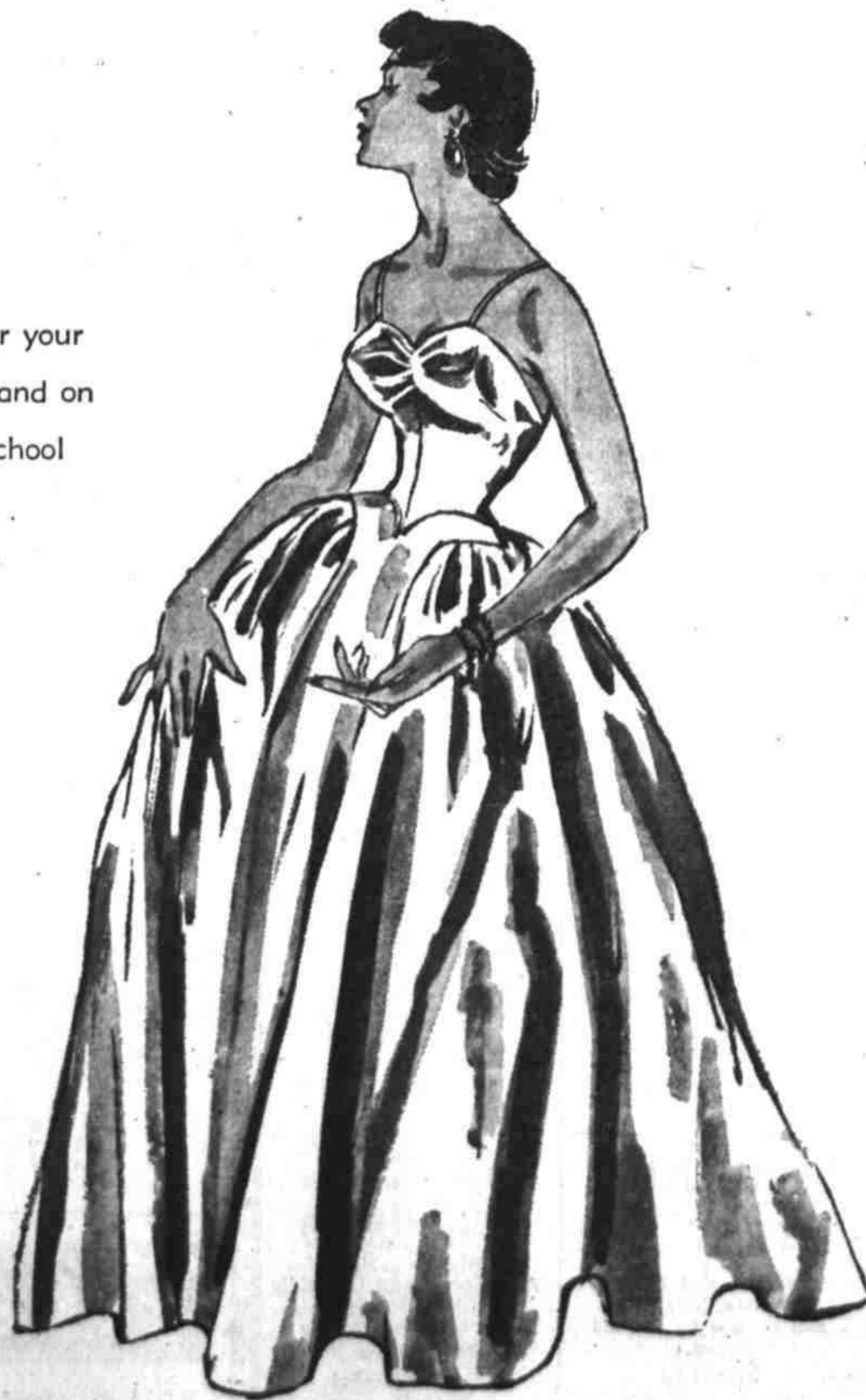
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**BIG SPRING HERALD**

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Old-Fashioned Sing-Song

There's nothing like a sing-song to bring a family together! Mrs. Tarbox insists that she plays the piano only for herself and her family, but from all reports, they make an admiring audience. Standing on the bench is Bill. Max is in front of Lee and behind them is Lois.

Garden Club Officers Installed

LAMESA — Following the theme, "A Watered Garden," new officers of the Dawson County Garden Club were installed at a tea Thursday afternoon at the First Christian Church.

Officers installed were Mrs. Charnell Jobe, president; Mrs. R. L. Meyer, first vice president; Mrs. Elmer Cope, second vice president; Mrs. Roy Bearden, third vice president; Mrs. L. D. Echols, corresponding and recording secretary; Mrs. Gus Schmidt, treasurer; Mrs. W. C. Land, librarian; and Mrs. V. Z. Rogers, parliamentarian.

Mrs. A. N. Randle, first president of the club when it was organized four years ago, served as installing officer and presented each officer with flowers, symbols of growth and devotion, as they were installed.

Delegates to attend the two-day District 1 State Garden Club convention to be held in Borger were named at a business meeting. They are Mrs. Charnell Jobe, Mrs. R. L. Meyer and Mrs. Gus Schmidt.

Members have tentatively set the date of their annual Spring Flower Show for May 3 in the Lindsey Building.

Mrs. Roy Bearden has been named general chairman of the event. The planning committee is Mrs. Bearden, Mrs. J. H. Adkins, Mrs. Oliver Rhoades, Mrs. O. H. Sires and Mrs. L. D. Echols.

Chairmen of the show committees are Mrs. L. D. Echols, schedule chairman; Mrs. Gus Schmidt, staging chairman; Mrs. Oliver Rhoades, arrangements chairman; Mrs. O. H. Sires, entry chairman for horticulture; Mrs. J. H. Goolsby, classification chairman of arrangements; Mrs. W. K. Crawley, classification of horticulture; Mrs. V. Z. Rogers, chairman of judges; Mrs. O. H. Sires, publicity chairman, and Mrs. Elmer Cope, junior exhibits chairman.

Further planning for the show will be made a meeting next week, when the club meets at the First Christian Church.



Tulips in Color

By CAROL CURTIS
Big red, yellow and leaf-green tulip designs need only to be ironed onto your table linens, guest towels, porch pillows, curtains or onto the pockets of house dresses and aprons. Three 5 by 6-in. motifs, six 2-in. motifs, all transfer instructions in pattern.

It's A Big Event - - Getting Into Paper!

It was a big day for the family of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Tarbox, newcomers at 1502 Tucson. They were, as six-year-old Max said, "going to get in the paper!"

Lee, four years old, had started early that morning to get ready for the picture-taking by emptying part of a bottle of hair oil on his head to make his hair "stay put."

CAMPUS CHATTER

The choir spent a very eventful week touring Midland, Gall, Knott, Ackerly, Garden City, Forsan and Sterling City last week, and plans indicate an equal amount of enjoyment for this week.

They will visit Welch and Lamesa Monday, Stanton Tuesday, Coahoma and Sweetwater Wednesday, and Snyder Thursday. They will go to Mineral Wells after the Snyder program to sing for the state meeting of the Federated Musicians Friday.

The choir program consists of "Dry Bones," "Comin' Through the Rye," "Going Home," "Balm in Gilead," "The Lost Chord," "Good Day," and "Gloria." Featured in solo numbers are Dee Phillips, Nancy Milford, Dennis Phillips, Martha Winans, and R. B. Hall.

The play "Annie Get Your Gun" has been postponed until next fall. Instead the Drama Club will produce a variety show for a college assembly in April.

An inspirational assembly was presented in the college auditorium Tuesday in connection with National Brotherhood Week.

Luke Thompson and James Underwood spent this weekend in Ft. Worth where they competed in an Invitational Golf Tournament.

Baseball and track practice is getting into full swing in spite of the short spell of cold weather. The baseball team will play a practice game with Odessa at Steer Park next Saturday.

The HCJC Future Teachers Chapter was installed Wednesday night by visiting members of the Sul Ross Chapter. One of the guests, incidentally, was Betty Hulsey, 1934 HCJC graduate.

The chapter was named after James Bryant Conant, the present High Commissioner to West Germany. The former president of Harvard University, Dr. Conant is outstanding for his contributions to the fields of science and education, and is also a noted humanitarian.

Plans are really getting under way for this year's Senior Day. All the seniors of this area have been invited, and much preparation has been made to insure an even better event than last year's. All you high school seniors are making plans to attend — that's at HCJC on April 1.

The geology class made a field trip to South Mountain Thursday to study the various geological formations in the area.

A number of Jayhawkers attended the Senior High play, "One Foot in Heaven," Friday night. Some of them and their dates were John Curtis, Toni Barron; Arlen White, Myrna Talley; Jimmie Smith, Doris Daniel; Jac Williams, Mary Lou Stagg; Louis Newell, Laura Holland; Frank Hunt, Tommie Williamson; Phil Gore, Peggy Hogan; Lynn Thames,

Party In Charles Wash Home Fetes Mrs. Donald McAdams

FORSAN — Mrs. Donald McAdams, former resident, who now lives in San Angelo, was the honoree at a shower Friday in the home of Mrs. Charles Wash.

Mrs. Bassham To Be P-TA President

WESTBROOK — Mrs. R. L. Bassham Jr. was elected P-TA president at a meeting Thursday in the school gym.

Elected to serve with her were Mrs. T. P. Iglehart, vice president; Mrs. Barbee, secretary; Mrs. Price Hendrix, treasurer.

Homemaking Girls Model

FORSAN — For the Forsan Study Club program on "Spring Fashions" Thursday evening, girls from the homemaking course modeled dresses made in class.

Sue Averett was commentator as Janet King, Frankie Bedell, Sue Miller, Faye Griffith, Mary Lou McElrath and Belvin Martin modeled. Mrs. Bill Conger played "East-er Parade" in the background.

Mrs. W. M. Romans talked on "Beauty Reminders" and Mrs. A. J. McNallen spoke on a new spring styles and colors.

Mrs. McNallen also reported the activities of the Brownie troop sponsored by the club. Roll call was answered with "My Secret Ambition."

Mrs. W. M. Romans and Mrs. Glenn Whittenberg were hostesses. Miss McElrath served refreshments. Mrs. W. M. Richardson was welcomed as a new member. Twelve attended.

St. Cecilia Guild
All members of the St. Cecilia Guild of St. Mary's Episcopal Church are urged to attend the meeting to be held in the Parish House Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Dates for meetings have been set for every other Monday evening.

Mrs. McAdams is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Oglesby. Other hostesses were Mrs. C. V. Wash, Mrs. C. C. Suttles, Mrs. Bel Griffith, Mrs. L. W. Moore, Mrs. Jesse Overton, Mrs. J. D. Gilmore and Mrs. Vera Harris.

The table was laid with a lace cloth over pink. Centerpiece was a white lamb encircled with fluted blue tulle dotted with tiny bunches of forget-me-nots.

Guests included Mrs. Dewey Young, Mrs. Tom McAdams, Mr. and Mrs. Garner McAdams, Mrs. H. H. Squyers, and Mrs. L. H. Merworth, of Big Spring; Mrs. Oglesby, Mrs. Eddie Everett; Mrs. Sammy Porter, Mrs. Wayne Monroney, Mrs. Joe B. Hoard Sr., Mrs. Dee Anderson and the honoree's husband.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Majors visited in South Texas on the Devil's River recently.

Mrs. Joe Zant and Mrs. W. A. Majors visited in Hamlin and Aspermont Thursday.

Mrs. John Kubecka plans to leave Monday for Fort Worth where she will join a cousin, Mrs. Ettie Hood, for a two-week trip and visit in Alabama. They will visit relatives in Gadsden, Attalla, Albertville and Birmingham.

Mrs. Pearl Scudday and Mrs. J. M. Hines are in Graham and Possum Kingdom for several days.

Mrs. and Mrs. Glenn Whittenberg



Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Evans, 817 Cayler Drive, are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Glynora Jean, to A-JC Bobby Ray Wall of Winston-Salem, N. C. He is the son of H. R. Wall and Mrs. Luther Barringer of Winston-Salem.

The date for the wedding has not been set.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Starr and family are in Lubbock for a visit.

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## BIG SPRING HOSPITAL

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 Born to Mr. and Mrs. Willie Scallion, 1108 NW 8th, a girl, Hester Ann, March 15 at 3:48 p.m., weighing 5 pounds 11 ounces.  
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Rowden, 1313 E. 6th, a boy, Philip Charles, March 15 at 10:10 a.m., weighing 6 pounds 15 ounces.  
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hernandez, Box 1574, a girl, March 15 at 9:35 a.m., weighing 8 pounds 5 ounces.  
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ray Hazelwood, Stanton, a girl, Pamela, March 17 at 9:10 a.m., weighing 3 pounds 6 ounces.

## MALONE-HOGAN HOSPITAL-CLINIC

Born to Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Baker, 1208 Blackton, a girl, Penny Rochelle, March 17, at 8:22 a.m., weighing 5 pounds 10 ounces.  
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brown, 1103 N. Nolan, a girl, March 18 at 9:05 a.m., weighing 7 pounds 7 ounces.  
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Witter, 601 State, a boy, Dean Everett, March 18 at 9:35 a.m., weighing 8 pounds 14 ounces.

## L. Wrinkle, 1010 Wood, a boy, Jay Dee, March 11 at 11:25 a.m., weighing 7 pounds 1 ounce.

Born to Sgt. and Mrs. Bernice Spradlen, Brownfield, a girl, Karen Ann, March 11, at 7:35 p.m., weighing 6 pounds 14 ounces.  
 Born to T-Sgt. and Mrs. Milford Smith, Ellis Homes, a girl, Donna Lee, March 11 at 9:36 p.m., weighing 7 pounds 10 ounces.  
 Born to Capt. and Mrs. Ronald Youngquist, 1507 Cherokee, a boy, Lance Elliot, March 13 at 10:03 p.m., weighing 8 pounds 8 ounces.  
 Born to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Clarence Gordon, 1510B Sycamore, a girl Sandra Clare, March 14 at 5:13 a.m., weighing 6 pounds 0 ounces.  
 Born to A-2C. and Mrs. David Souza, Ellis Homes, a girl, Donna Jean, March 14 at 8:25 a.m., weighing 6 pounds 11 ounces.  
 Born to 1st Lt. and Mrs. George Lewis, 1704 Johnson, a boy, Steven William, March 14 at 9:45 p.m., weighing 2 pounds 6 ounces.  
 Born to A-2C. and Mrs. Jack Steele, 810 Ohio, a girl, Deborah Ann, March 15 at 9:34 a.m., weighing 7 pounds 11 1/2 ounces.

# Russells Are Honored At Bridal Tea

Mr. and Mrs. Cleon Russell, recent bridal couple, were honored Thursday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Porch. Co-hostesses for the bridal tea were Mrs. Buster Vinson, Mrs. J. E. Kennedy, Mrs. Melvin Parkhill and Mrs. Jeff Chapman.  
 Mrs. Russell is the former Helen Jordan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Adams, 806 Bell. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Miller Russell, 509 Union.  
 Mrs. Porch greeted guests and presented the homages. The mother of the groom was at the register. The guest list included about 80.  
 Serving was done by Mrs. Vinson and Mrs. Kennedy from a table, March 15 at 3:10 a.m., weighing 4 pounds 11 1/2 ounces.  
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Curry, Rt. 1, Vincent, a girl, Karen Gay, March 15 at 7:42 p.m., weighing 3 pounds 4 ounces.

be laid in a lace cloth with an arrangement of jonquils and daffodils. Silver appointments were used and the color scheme of green and pink was followed in the frosting of the cake.

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## Miami Styles Star Dots

... Beach inspectors of 1955 will have spots before their eyes, as witness the rash of polka dots breaking out in current resort styles. Myrna Lowe, the musical mermaid at left, wears a dotted latex swim suit with ruffled and removable shoulder straps. At right, pretty Peg Fletcher wears a long-torso patterned frock combining stripes and polka dots; the skirt is stitched and pleated, the scoop neck finished in black binding. Both are designed by Alix of Miami.

# Rock-A-Bye Hasn't Gone Out Of Style

By DOROTHY V. WHIPPLE, M.D.

"But, doctor, won't I spoil him if I pick him up when he cries? We don't want a spoiled brat. Doesn't he have to learn right from the beginning that he can't have everything he wants?" Of course you don't want a

## Campaign Starts To Name Rose As U. S. Flower

Sen. Margaret Chase Smith of Maine, and Rep. Frances P. Bolton of Ohio, think that the rose should be named the official flower of the United States. The ladies have introduced joint resolutions in the Senate and the House of Representatives asking adoption of the rose.

According to All-America Rose Selections, the country's leading growers' association, a recent opinion poll showed that a vast majority of Americans would select the rose as our official emblem if given the choice. Garden clubs and many other organizations have started write-in campaigns to help support the measure.

Further action on the proposal will be taken by the Judiciary Committee of the Senate and the Administration Committee of the House. Those interested in the measure are urged to write their senators and representatives in Congress.

## Junior GA Elects Lanell Overton

FORSAN — Lanell Overton was elected president of the Junior Girls Auxiliary at a meeting Thursday at the church. Janet Gooch was elected vice president; Sarah Sue Sullivan, secretary-treasurer, and Sharon Klahr, reporter, Mrs. Jesse Overton is councillor.

Pat Edmond is in Anson with her parents for the weekend. Lola Milstead is visiting in Hamlin with relatives.

George Gray has been hospitalized in a Big Spring hospital since Tuesday with pneumonia.

Wilma Riffe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Riffe, is hospitalized at the Medical Arts Clinic Hospital as a result of severe burns received when the family home burned Wednesday.

## Barbara Elmore Is Honored By YWA

At a recent program and tea, Barbara Elmore, bride-elect, was presented with a white Bible by members of the YWA of the Baptist Temple. She was also given a miscellaneous shower.

Mrs. A. W. Page, sponsor of the group, gave the opening prayer. The Bible was presented by the Rev. A. R. Posey. Others assisting on the program were Sylvia Bentley, Martha Winans, vocalist, Sallie Brown, Connie Kamm and Joyce Lankford.

## Forsan Clubwomen Attend Convention

FORSAN — Attending the 19th annual convention of District 8, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, Thursday in Monahan were Mrs. C. V. Wash, Mrs. Sammy Porter and Mrs. C. B. Long.

Mrs. Curtis Lofton of Oil City, La., visited Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Willis and family for several days. Mrs. C. D. Fowler and Chiquita were in Dallas for the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Clay C. Bedell and Fern are planning to be in Dallas Monday.

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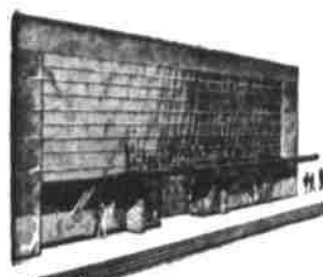
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# HI--TALK

By PEGGY HOGAN



MARYLEE JAMES

A gigantic sigh of relief swelled from the cast and crew as the final curtain on "One Foot in Heaven" was closed Friday night. Everyone, as usual, was glad and sad that it was all over — glad because the tremendous amount of work exerted and all sleep lost was over and sad because the hilarious nights of fun at practice were no more.

The final fling together as cast, crew, and director was staged in the cafeteria after the final performance. This tradition was backed with another as the cast presented Mr. McComb with a little gift. Incidentally Rodney Sheppard was the student director of the play and the senior class certainly appreciates the work he has done and that everybody else, especially the sophomores and juniors, did in paving the way for our Senior trip.

The topic that has been on everybody's lips for the past couple of weeks and that's still being talked about is the Tri-Hi-Y Powder Puff Bowl held yesterday afternoon. The Seniors battled the Juniors to the end in what proved to be "remarkable skill" as summed up by some of the boys. The Hi-Y Club furnished cheerleaders as the girls, loaded down in football equipment, took the field. It proved to be lots of fun for lots of laughs and all proceeds went to charity.

An assembly in observance of Brotherhood Week was given to the student body Wednesday morning. Three men representing the Protestant, Jewish, and Catholic faiths emphasized brotherhood in everyday life.

China Carrol is going to try to prove to all of us that tiny little girls can take on great big responsibilities as she has been named editor of the 1956 yearbook. This year's staff assistants take on real titles for '56. Sally Cowper is Art Editor, Margaret Fryar, Activities Editor, Kenda McGibbon, Clubs Editor, LaVelle Wesson, Senior Editor, Nancy King, Junior Editor, Jerry Barron, Sports Editor, and photographers are John Westbrook and Gary Tidwell. Four sophomores join the staff as assistants. They are Jacqueline Smith, Sue Boykin, Danne Green, and Jean Robison. It should only be about five more weeks 'til we see the '56 El Rodeos. You are really gonna be in the cold if your name isn't on the list to receive an annual because they're better than ever before.

The date for the Junior-Senior Prom has been set for May 7. From bits of conversations here and there, many dates have already been arranged and the junior officers are constantly buzzing with plans for this and that.

April 1 marks Senior Day at H.C.J.C. No fooling, we gather that it's really gonna be nice from reports of Mr. McAllister and Mrs. Walker of the Junior College faculty. They met with the senior class at a special meeting at noon Tuesday, explaining the day's activities and requirements for entering the beauty and talent contests.

Did you ever play hop scotch, jump the rope or jacks? The student council is giving every soul in BS-HS the opportunity to go hog-wild acting kiddish on April 6. It's Kid's Day — a new wrinkle on the social calendar that's destined to be lots of that fun Everybody wears kid's

our student council is sponsoring a radio program for the purpose of informing the public of the aims and activities of the council. It will be broadcast over KBST at 2:45 Wednesday afternoon.

Then the big convention that has demanded so many poster parties and publicity campaign stunts comes up this Thursday at Denton. Five members of the student council and Mrs. Betty Lou Hatliff will leave Wednesday at 1:00. Glenn Rogers will be attending executive meetings as vice president of the state while the others are setting out posters, pamphlets, etc., for the campaign for president. Others going are Tom Guin, Rodney Sheppard, Sue Boykin, and Peggy Hogan.

Congratulations are offered all around to Margaret Fryar and Frosty Robison for recent honors bestowed upon each of them. Margaret was selected by the American Legion Auxiliary to attend Girls State in Austin this summer. Frosty was selected to play for the North in the football game at the coaches school in August. Marylee James hits the spotlight for the next Senior-of-the-Week. Marylee's most outstanding achievement has been in her service as a leader of the Rainbow Girls. She is now serving as Worthy Advisor of the Assembly having previously filled many other offices. She was recognized as the outstanding member for a term and has received the Grand Cross of Colors. Marylee is also a member of the Tri-Hi-Y Club, secretary-treasurer of the FTA Club, and she is a typist on the Corral staff. Marylee hopes to attend McMurry College next year where she plans to major in Elementary Education.

### New Church To Open


WESTBROOK — The Rev. R. L. Bowman, pastor of the First Methodist Church, extends an invitation to the public to the formal opening of the new Methodist Church Sunday. Services will begin at 10:30 p.m.

clothes so start planning your get-up now.

The D.E. Club is having their annual Employe - Employer banquet Thursday night at the cafeteria. It is especially in honor of all the bosses in appreciation for everything they've done for the students in the club. Gil Jones is to be the main speaker of the evening with Virginia Carpenter, Sam Burns, Mary Walker, and Don Gregory also taking parts on the program.

March 20-27 has been officially proclaimed as Student Council Week in Texas by Governor Allan Shivers. In observing this week,


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Announcement is being made of the engagement and approaching marriage of Eva Anne Newcomer, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. E. G. Newcomer, 1808 Mittel, to L. George Alexander of Windom, Minn. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Alexander of Windom. Vows will be taken at 4 p.m. in the Mt. Zion Baptist Church April 17.

## DRESS PARADE

For the Friendship Day Tea, at which she was the speaker, Mrs. R. L. Morris wore a two-piece suit of navy, with a single strand of rhinestones on the left collar of her jacket. Her earrings matched this ornament and she wore a tiny back-of-the-head hat with small veil.

Mrs. W. A. Burdett, all in a lovely deep shade of pink at the tea, looked like the forerunner of Easter. Her suit was matched by the small derby-type hat worn with a wisp of a veil. Her shoes and bag were black; her gloves were white. Attending the same tea was Mrs. Jack Cook in a blue two-piece suit which made her blue eyes a deeper shade. Her small hat was a perfect match for her costume.

Mrs. C. B. Marcum wore a black and white combination, accented with green — quite appropriate for her on St. Patrick's Day; Mrs. Bill Bonner looked smart in a dark tans color with touches of white; Mrs. C. M. Adams and Mrs. W. A. Hunt and Mrs. Byron Lillie all wore spring outfits in that favorite for the season, navy and white; Mrs. D. S. Riley was attired in a gray suit with a red hat.

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**Firemen's Auxiliary**  
Members of the City Firemen's Auxiliary made pads for the Cancer Society when they met Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. H. V. Crocker. The group also decided on a gift for a member who is leaving town soon. Eight were present.

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A bright idea for a bridal shower gift, a church bazaar or just to brighten up your own life is a patchwork apron, made the old-fashioned crazy-quilt way. It's a good way to use up bright scraps from the ragbag, and with the aid of the automatic zigzag attachment on your sewing machine you can achieve decorative stitches that used to take Grandmother days to embroider by hand. Here are simplified directions worked out by local sewing center experts: You'll need about a yard of

bright cotton broadcloth or other sturdy cotton fabric — red is a good choice, then select from your ragbag enough gay scraps to make 45 patches 3 1/2 inches square — the more variety of color and pattern you have, the better. Sew the patches together in 10 strips, as follows: one strip of one patch only, one strip of three patches, one strip of 5 patches, five strips of six patches each, one strip of four patches and one strip of two patches. Then arrange them diagonally, starting with the single patch at the upper right-

## Mary Margaret Smoot Weds In Morning Rites

**COLORADO CITY** — Mary Margaret Smoot, daughter of Mrs. Joseph H. Smoot and the late Joseph H. Smoot, of Colorado City, became the bride of William Barna Pope, Jr., of Colorado City in a double ring wedding ceremony Saturday morning at 10.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Pope of Montgomery, Alabama. The ceremony in the First Baptist Church in Colorado City was read by the Rev. J. F. Selcraig, pastor.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Joe Smoot of Colorado City, wore a light blue wool suit with accessories of navy and white. She carried a bouquet of white carnations and orchids.

The matron of honor, Mrs. R. G. Perkins, of Eastland, sister of the bride, wore a blue suit and yellow hat and carried a bouquet of yellow roses.

Best man was Ralph W. Keller of Colorado City, with R. G. Perkins of Eastland and Joe Smoot ushering.

Members of the houseparty were Mrs. Lois Prude Bennett, Mrs. Charles Lusk of Lamesa, Mrs. A. J. Furlow Jr., Mrs. George Christian of Austin, Mrs. Hubert Howell, Mrs. W. L. Sweatt, Mrs. Dorothy Perkins of Midland, Mrs. Glenn Robinson, Mrs. Joe Smoot Jr. and Mrs. Billie Don Craig.

The Smoot home was decorated with pink stock. The serving table was covered with a white cutwork cloth and centered with a wedding bell surrounded by pink roses. Mrs. Hubert Howell presided at the bride's book.

The couple left on a week's wedding trip to Mexico and upon their return they will be at home in Colorado City.

The bride is a graduate of Colorado High School and Baylor University and a member of Beta Sigma Phi. She has been engaged in teaching in the Colorado City schools.

The bridegroom, a graduate of Sidney Lanier High School and Georgia Tech, is an engineer for the Shell Pipe Line Corporation.

Out-of-town guests for the wedding were Mrs. George Christian, Austin; Mrs. Mary F. Barkley and Joe Barkley of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lusk, Lamesa; Dorothy Perkins, Midland; Joseph M. Perkins, Eastland; Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Machia, Water Valley; Mrs. I. K. Galey, Odessa.

The bride was complimented at a series of parties preceding the wedding. A brunch was given by Mrs. Hubert Howell and Mrs. W. L. Sweatt of Colorado City. A dinner party was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Machia of Water Valley.

Hostesses for the rehearsal dinner Friday night were Mrs. Glenn R. Robinson and Mrs. John Brown in Mrs. Robinson's home.

## Mrs. Sullivan Is Hostess For Circle

**FORSAN** — Mrs. R. O. Sullivan was hostess for the Willie Mae Kennedy Circle of the Forsan Baptist W.M.U. Mrs. Luther Moore gave the opening prayer and Mrs. Wayne Monroney gave the Bible study.

Six attended. The next meeting will be held with the Belle Overton Circle at the church, Monday at 2:30 p.m. Mrs. W. J. White will be in charge.

Mrs. Sullivan gave the Bible study for the Belle Overton Circle meeting at the church, Mrs. Luther Stark offered a prayer after the group sang "Love Lifted Me." Mrs. R. Chambers gave the closing prayer. Eight attended.

hand corner, so that they fit into the rectangular shape of the apron. Stitch strips together.

From your piece of cotton broadcloth cut two border strips 3 by 13 1/2 inches and one border strip 3 by 35 1/2 inches. Cut a waistband 3 by 18 inches and two ties 3 1/2 inches by 35 inches.

Sew border strips to both short edges of the patchwork section and to one long edge. Press and trim off points of patches on wrong side.

Thread your machine with embroidery thread and use automatic zigzag to outline patches in decorative stitching.

Now cut out lining, same size as apron. Place the two sections together with right sides facing and stitch around the three red edges. Turn right side out. Run two lines of gathering stitches along top edge through both thicknesses, from side edge to center, leaving the two center squares plain. Trim off points.

Make narrow machine hems, using the narrow hemmer, on long edges of ties. On one end of each, fold both corners in to center to form a pointed end, and stitch in place. Fold waistband in half lengthwise and slip in other ends of ties. Stitch.

Adjust gathers on apron to fit waistband and stitch band to apron, with right sides together. Then turn in raw edge of waistband and slipstitch in place on wrong side.

If you want to add a few sequins for added sparkle, this is an apron that will be a conversation piece at a cocktail party, or a gay garment to cheer up housecleaning day.

## Janella Williamson Has Birthday Party

**WESTBROOK** — Mrs. Keith Williamson was hostess for a party honoring her daughter, Janella, on her eighth birthday. Second graders were guests.

Howard Williamson, Janella's brother and Mrs. Anson Henderson also attended.

Recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Williamson were his mother, Mrs. J. W. Williamson of Star, and his aunt, Mrs. Jack Youngblood of Eugene, Ore. Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Lee, Karen and Kathy visited in Odessa and Midland.

## Women's Study Club To Install Officers

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## Junior Forum Has Study Of Floors

Mrs. O. J. Forbes was present as a new member when the Junior Woman's Forum met Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. R. E. McClure Jr. Mrs. Dan Lewis was a co-hostess.

Mrs. Bill Tubb spoke on "The Care of Wood and Linoleum Floors." Mrs. Jim Whitney discussed carpets and showed samples of various kinds of floor coverings. The group made plans for the

Federation Tea to be given on April 21. Mrs. R. G. Dunham was a guest among the 11 present at the meeting. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Tubb.

New York state has a town named Alabama.



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Meet Mr. And Mrs.

Betty Grable and Harry James, in an exclusive interview with Lydia Lane, pass on some ideas for making a marriage a success. Betty stars in Columbia's soon-to-be-released "Three for the Show."

HOLLYWOOD BEAUTY

Betty Grable Follows Routine For Beauty

By LYDIA LANE  
HOLLYWOOD — Betty Grable and Harry James are new neighbors of mine and when I called on them recently, I found them completely delighted with their new home which is somewhat smaller and more modern than the one they previously lived in. "One of the best things about it," Betty told me enthusiastically, "is that all the rooms are on one floor which makes the house very easy to take care of. When something happens to the help, I can do the housework, wash windows, wax floors, even do the laundry. I really enjoy it. Hanging out clothes is good exercise if you bend from the waist as you pick up something and stretch high as you hang it on the line. "Even Harry gets into the act," Betty said, smiling at her husband. "I've never cooked in my life," Harry said in his quiet voice, "but my barbecued steaks aren't bad. "It isn't easy to combine marriage and two separate careers," I remarked, "and you're to be congratulated. "It's been seven years," Harry reflected, "but we've never really mixed our careers. We made one movie together, 'Springtime in the Rockies.' That's how we met. Betty used to come to rehearsals without any make-up. She was completely natural and the person that she is came across. Her sincerity appealed to me and I wanted to know her better. "Harry left to watch a fight on TV but Betty and I continued our chat. Betty was looking better than ever and I told her so. "Your skin is fabulous—and what a sun tan," I exclaimed enviously. "I've been using make-up a long time," Betty said, "but it hasn't seemed to hurt my complexion. I've never scrubbed my face with soap and water. My mother used to say 'Wash your face and your beauty goes down the drain.' I guess there is something to it because her skin is lovely even now and she's always used hand lotion on her face. I've found it good for my skin, too. "As for my sun tan, I'm using something my doctor told me about when I had my appendix removed. He suggested cocoa butter to keep the skin soft over the incision and told me that it was also a good base for a sun tan. It really protects the skin and keeps the oils from drying out. "Everyone who has seen you in 'Three For the Show' has remarked how young you look," I told Betty. This was released recently by Columbia. "It's my first independent picture," Betty informed me, "and I must say I'm enjoying free lancing. When I was under contract to Twentieth, I once did three big musicals in a row. I worked nineteen straight months. I'm rested now and I'm happy. I don't worry about myself—or fuss over trying to stay young. You can give yourself lines and wrinkles just fretting about it. "When Betty's daughter came in to ask her something, Betty remarked, "Victoria's hair is exactly the color mine would be if I didn't bleach it. "Betty's hair is in such good condition I wanted to know what she used to lighten it. "In all the time I've bleached my hair I've never had any trouble with it. I have a wonderful bleach—a cosmetician at the studio worked it out for me and I use it at home. It's a slow process but an easy one. "Does your hair take permanents?" I wanted to know. Betty laughed. "My trouble is too much curl—I don't need permanents. In fact, I have a routine to keep it under control. After I wash my hair, I comb it flat while it is still wet, then tie it down with a net. I sit under a dryer and let it dry like that, then I put some wave set on it and roll it from the ends, up, keeping the curls

large. After only a few minutes under the dryer, it's ready to brush out. "What's your favorite glamour trick, Betty?" I asked. "It has to do with eye make-up," she answered. "I think mascara is very important and it's the first thing I put on when I get up in the morning. There's a definite art to applying it, too. The brush should never be too wet and it's important to stroke both sides of your lashes, under and over. "When Betty crossed the room to let her poodle in I noticed how trim she was. "I just finished a television show," she said smiling. "I don't diet unless I'm working. I have to have an incentive—when I put my mind to it and know I have to get thinner, I can do it. When I'm being fitted for costumes, I always tell the wardrobe department to be prepared to make alterations, and they usually have to take my clothes in. "What's the secret behind this confidence?" I asked. "A strenuous but fool-proof 4-day diet," Betty replied. "I never stay on it more than four days but usually that's sufficient. It all comes of having a goal. Your mind and stomach have to work together for a diet to be successful," she concluded. **BEAUTY BONUS FROM BETTY** You'll get a triple selection of glamour secrets when you order the new leaflet M-54. "Betty Grable's Beauty Bonuses." Included is Betty's fool-proof 4-day diet, her formula for bleaching hair and her special exercise routine that can be done as you do your housework. Your copy of this vital leaflet will be on the way to you when you send only 5 cents and a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Lydia Lane, Big Spring Herald, P. O. Box 1111, Los Angeles 53, California. Be sure to ask for leaflet M-54.

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Woman's Forum Has Spring Luncheon

Old-fashioned poke bonnets, trimmed in ribbons and lace were used for the table decorations at the luncheon of the Woman's Forum held Friday in the home of Mrs. C. M. Boies. Mrs. Carl Benson was co-hostess. Nut cups in the shape of bonnets marked the individual places for 20 guests, and these were matched in larger ones for candleholders and for an arrangement of white carnations and stock on the buffet table. Members brought salads for the luncheon and each brought a copy of a favorite recipe to exchange. Mrs. E. B. Compton spoke to the club on "The Art of Cake Decorating." Mrs. Leroy Tidwell, in speaking on "The Art of Broiling Steaks," told her listeners that the best size steak for broiling is from one to two inches thick. She suggested that, if garlic is used, it be put on the bone or the fat which is left on the meat after trimming. During the business meeting, members were told that the next

review sponsored by the club will be given by Mrs. Clyde Angel on April 13. Plans were discussed for the Federation Tea which will be held on May 6. A report on the district convention held in Monahan was given by Mrs. Charles Tompkins. Mrs. Elvia McCrary, guidance chairman, told the club that the Guidance Report had won first place at the convention. First place was also won by the club for having 100 per cent subscriptions to the "Texas Clubwoman." Third place was awarded to the Forum for their Veterans work in the Public Affairs Department, and their mimeographed yearbook won third place. The group also placed third in the "Council of International Clubs." Mrs. Joe Pickle was elected to head the club for the coming two years. Serving with her will be Mrs. Compton as vice president, Mrs. Tidwell as recording secretary, Mrs. J. D. Jones as corresponding secretary and Mrs. Lucian Jones as treasurer.

COSDEN CHATTER

Desk, Derrick Officers Attend Lubbock Meeting

Mrs. Sue Ratliff and Mrs. Sue Broughton, president and vice president of the Big Spring Desk and Derrick Club attended the regular President's Meeting in Lubbock Saturday and Sunday. While there they visited with Mrs. Wanda DeVaney, a former Cosden employee. W. T. Abbott is to leave today to attend a motor transportation supervisor's school sponsored by Texas A&M College, Extension Division, at College Station. He will return to Big Spring Saturday. Paul Soldan, John Coffey, and Jack Smith left today for Houston to attend the Texas State Safety conference which will be held tomorrow and Tuesday. Dwayne Gagle, J. M. Voss, and J. D. Bowles, engineers from Phillips Petroleum Company, Bartlesville, Okla., visited Jack Alexander in the Asphalt Department Thursday. They were inspecting salt water disposal reservoirs in the area with Mr. Alexander. R. L. Tollett left Thursday afternoon for Chicago to spend two days at the headquarters of Universal Oil Products Company in nearby Des Plaines. He will be in New York Monday for regular monthly meeting of the board of directors. H. D. Addison of Wayne, Neb., visited in the home of his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Addison, part of this week. Floyd Young has returned to his station after being here on leave from the Navy for the past two weeks. J. D. Patton, watchman at the clock house, has retired effective March 16. Frank Clasquin, assistant vice president of the Cook Paint and Varnish Company, Houston, visited

in the Organic Chemical Division Thursday. C. W. Lollar is to leave next week for the U.S. Army. Mr. and Mrs. James Fryar visited in Cisco this weekend with his mother, Mrs. C. A. Fryar. Carol Belton left Friday noon for El Paso where he is visiting a friend stationed at Ft. Bliss. A. F. Anderson will spend his vacation in Fort Worth next week. His plans are to attend the Ice Capades. Johnny Hill will be in Corpus Christi and Gatesville during his vacation. The J. W. Bennett family were in Tulsa Wednesday to attend funeral services of Mrs. Bennett's brother. Bill Heckman from Burnett visited in the offices Wednesday. Helen Ann Hardy left the company Friday as they are moving to Lubbock. D. L. Orme is in Lubbock for an informal meeting with the officers of Texas Tech. He is a new member of the Board of Directors of the college. Nelson Phillips, Jr. was in the office two days this week. R. W. Thompson attended the state-wide proration hearing in Austin Friday. Arnold Marshall was in Dallas Thursday and Friday attending the Area Council YMCA Meeting. Ell McComb spent the week in Nolan County on company business. Among those on the sick list this past week have been B. L. Allen, C. P. Hull, J. W. Coots, Dick Stuteville, Chester Burton and Tom Slaughter. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Emerson and

Dance Class Has Formal

Forty members of the E. F. Bingham Junior high ballroom class and their guests danced to the music of the Rhythmettes Friday at the Settles Hotel Ballroom. Mr. Bingham gives the spring formal dance annually for his pupils. Chaperones included Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Bristow, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Barber of Coshoma, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McPherson, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Seals, Dr. and Mrs. R. B. G. Cowper, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Engstrom, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Lamb of Forsan, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. White, Mrs. Zollie Mae Rawlins, Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Lurting, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. McCrary, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Howard.

Beta Omicron Gives Preferential Tea

Beta Omicron Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi honored three new members with a preferential tea Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Clyde Thomas Jr. Honorees were Mrs. Paul Sheedy, Mrs. James Cate and Mrs. John Gary. Guests were greeted by Mrs. Billy Casey, president, and introduced to Mrs. Bill Newsum, Mrs. G. C. Broughton Jr. and Millie Balch. Music was furnished by Eunice Springman, vocalist, accompanied at the piano by Sharon McKee. Mrs. John Addison registered about 25 guests. At the table, decorated with an arrangement of stock and shamrocks, Mrs. Bill Merrick and Mrs. Wendell Stasey served. The cloth was of green linen.

Tony visited in Sulphur Springs this weekend. Vacating this past week have been Roy C. Bennett, E. H. Cole, C. S. Ryan, Rip Smith, Donald Allen, Dan Bostick, Palmer Smith, Jess Slaughter Jr., Boyce Patton, W. W. Barbee, Jesse P. Brooks, J. R. Chaney, M. W. Griffice. C. A. Tonn and family visited Tucson and Douglas, Ariz., last week. This was his first visit back in 39 years.

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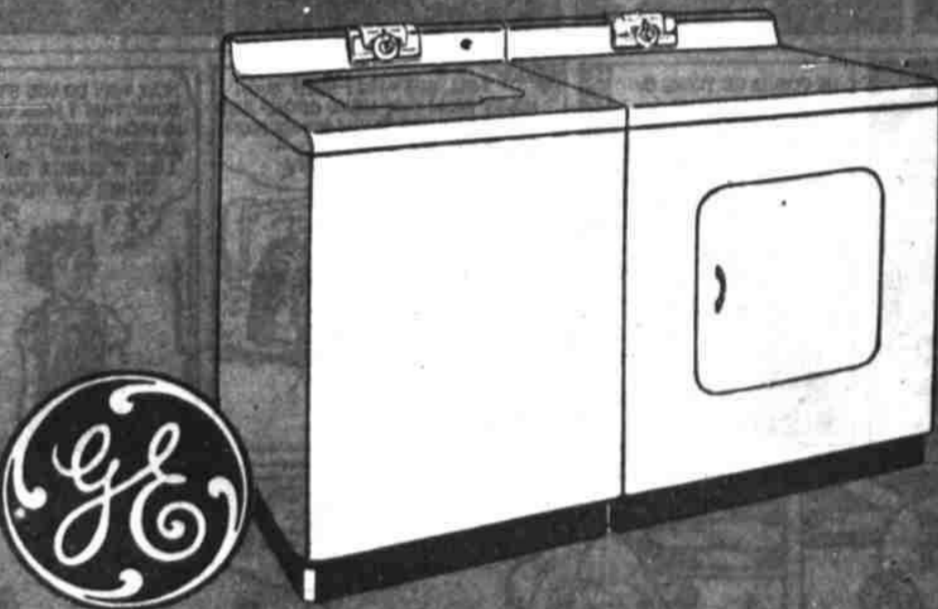
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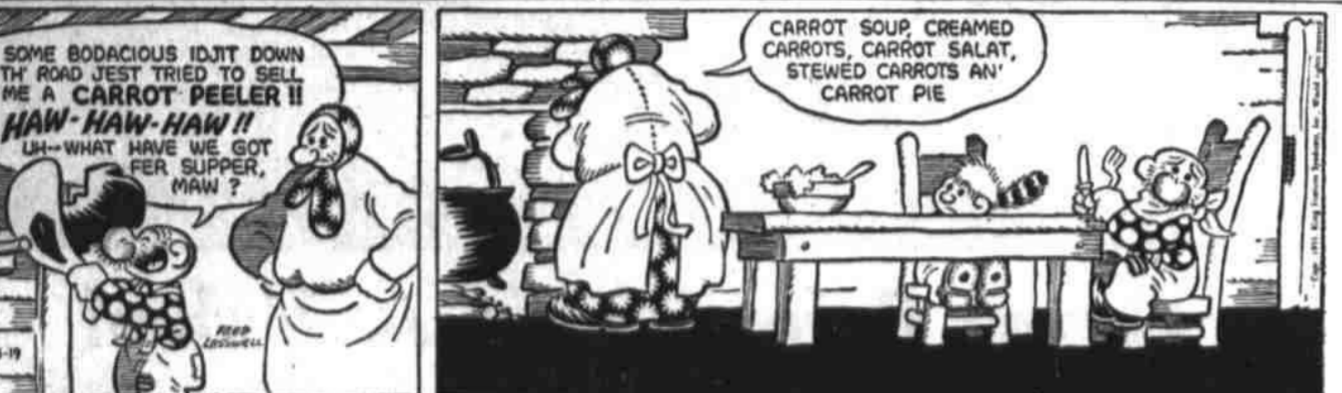
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# DO IT YOURSELF *Modern Couch Simple Item To Construct*

By BILL BAKER

It wasn't too long ago that the average woodworker was afraid to tackle any project in his workshop that was larger than a pair of book ends. But that day is gone forever. Or at least it should be. Don't be afraid to build a major item of furniture if you have the proper instructions and advice. The sky can be the limit if you have the right guide, and you don't have to own a lot of fancy shop tools, either.

I've got a major piece of furniture for you today, and it is really easy to build. To act as your guide on this project, so that you need have no fears of failure, you'll use my pattern package number 118.

Let me tell you about the pattern package. First of all you'll find a full and detailed instruction sheet. Step-by-step details are listed, just as

Here's how you can get your Modern Couch pattern package: send your name and address (clearly printed), together with only one dollar (\$1) in check, cash or money order. Mail your request to Bill Baker, Big Spring Herald, P. O. Box 1111, Los Angeles 33, California. Remember — pattern number 118.

you'll face them in your shop. You'll read this first to get a clear picture of the project ahead of you.

Then you'll take the material list and have it filled at your lumberyard. You won't buy too much — only what is actually needed. Foam rubber, used in the seat and back of the couch, can also be ordered at your lumberyard — or your dealer will be able to tell you where to purchase it in your area.

Most important part of the package, and the item that will be your best workshop assistant, is the exact-size pattern. Each section of the couch is duplicated in heavy-duty paper, so all you'll have to do is tack, trace and cut. You will face no problems when you assemble the pieces because each will be exactly right.

In the pattern package you'll also receive instructions on the easy job of upholstering both the seat and bolster. At each end of the nine-foot couch is a smart end table. A planter area is included and can be used if you like. Some people might like to leave this feature out of the finished product.

Another smart touch is the addition of a drawer in each end table. Your finished couch can use standard metal legs, as shown in the above picture, or simple wooden legs. Again, the pattern package will supply all of the details. Now remember — don't be afraid. Just a few basic tools and a conviction that you can do it is all you'll need to own this modern couch. And pattern package number 118, of course.



Modern Couch

Bill Baker's newest do-it-yourself design is really easy to build. Adele Mars, beautiful star of motion pictures and television, is shown relaxing on the easy-to-build item.

## Berserk Woman Disrupts C-City Hospital's Routine

COLORADO CITY — "Gee whiz, doc, lemme out of here, I've got to go home and get some rest" might have been the plea of patients at the Root Memorial Hospital in Colorado City after an all-night session with a very disturbed woman from California.

This lady kicked out the window in her room, wrestled hospital attendants and police — holding as many as two men and three women at bay and finally outfooted her nurses down the hospital corridor and plunged into the chill Texas night — clad only in her hospital gown.

Police found her about 30 minutes later in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aigie Mays, Colorado City Negro couple who live near the hospital.

"She broke open our back door," said Mrs. Mays, who was still pretty wide-eyed about the whole thing, "and came in and sat down on the bed — said somebody was trying to kill her. We just sat there in bed and she'd run around the room trying to find someplace to

hide." After police returned her to the hospital, the woman screamed and shouted until given a sedative. The woman left quietly with Sheriff Dick Gregory early Friday morning to wait until relatives in Dallas could arrive to carry her there. She was enroute to Dallas from her home in California by bus, and left the bus in Colorado City Thursday night and was taken to the hospital.

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## Lamesa Sells Revenue Bonds To Extend Utilities Lines

LAMESA—New additions recently taken into the City of Lamesa will derive a major portion of benefits from the extension and improvement program which will be made possible by the sale of revenue bonds now being processed.

The City Council has agreed with J. M. Barker, representative of the First Southwest Company of Dallas, to sell \$110,000 revenue bonds.

The bonds are being sold to increase water distribution lines and fire protection in the Hillcrest Addition, Sunset Addition, Oakland Addition, and Main Street Addition.

The bonds will go at 2 1/2 per cent interest on the first \$45,000 of the \$110,000 which will start maturity in 1957 and will reach maturity in 1964. The remaining \$65,000 will go at 3 1/2 per cent interest, starting maturity in 1977 and maturing in 1982.

The bonds will be sold to the Southwest Company to be delivered to two separate purchasers. This company handled the 1950 city

water and sewer revenue bonds, and will be in a position to call all bonds in the event they should have to be recalled and new bonds voted later.

The main portion of the bonds will go into laying some 20,000 feet of 8-and 8-inch water lines, 12,000 feet of 2-inch water lines, 10,000 feet of sewer lines, and 19 fire hydrants.

In 1950, taxpayers of Lamesa voted \$985,000 revenue bonds, and at that time, \$380,000 were sold to refund old bonds. Of the remaining \$605,000, \$302,000 were sold for extensions, and in 1951, another \$75,000 more was sold for extensions. This sale of \$110,000 in 1955 will leave the city of Lamesa with \$101,000 unsold bonds which will in all probability be sold in the next two years if the city's present growth continues, according to Carroll Taylor, city manager.

Taylor said also that if other funds are needed from revenue bonds, it will be necessary to recall and refund all revenue bonds

and vote an issue which would take care of any increase needed for additional extensions.

## Heritage Group To Meet On Monday

The American Heritage discussion group will meet Monday evening at 7:30 p.m. in the Howard County Library.

Topic for discussion will be the growth of business and development of economics in the United States. The group meets every two weeks and urges all interested persons to attend.

Mrs. Opal McDaniel has a supply of the books which the group uses and further information concerning the meetings can be obtained from her.

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**Best Cooks In The County?**

That's what the school students at Knott claim about the three women pictured above. They operate the school cafeteria, which is described by Sanitarian Lige Fox as one of the cleanest in the area. They are, left to right, Mrs. Edna Ditto, Miss Ila Herren, and Mrs. Herschel Smith. Superintendent of the Knott schools, James Lowe, who says he never misses one of their meals, is also pictured.

**Knott Students Claim To Have County's Best Cooks**

By CLIFTON LAWHORNE  
**KNOTT**—Students and teachers of the Knott Independent School District claim to have three of the best cooks in the county. This claim is supported by local health officers, who say that the three cooks maintain as clean a kitchen as can be found in any school cafeteria of the area. Those receiving the praise—all farm women—are Mrs. Herschel Smith, Mrs. Edna Ditto, and Miss Ila Herren. "They have their heart in their job," said Sanitarian Lige Fox. "If they were in it for the money they could make much more somewhere else." Approximately 175 people testify each day as to how good they think the cafeteria food is by lining up for their turn at the serving table. "I never miss a meal there," said Superintendent James T.

Lowe. "The food just couldn't be prepared any better." Sanitarian Fox stated that there is a higher percentage of students eating at the cafeteria in the Knott school than in any other school of the county. Only one meal per day is served at the cafeteria, and serving time is between 11:15 a.m. and 12:30. Younger children eat first and then the older ones. Mrs. Smith, who is in charge of the kitchen, is usually the first to arrive at work each morning. She opens up at 7 a.m. and Mrs. Ditto and Miss Herren arrive shortly afterwards. Meal preparations follow state-suggested menus, insuring that the school youngsters receive a well rounded diet on the five school days. Equipment in the kitchen is not of the latest type, but it is among the cleanest in the county accord-

ing to health unit records. And it is sufficient to prepare steaming hot and pleasing meals. Meat is served three times weekly, and the daily plate usually contains three vegetables and a fruit. Cost to the pupils is 25 cents a servings. Extra milk can be received at two cents per half pint. "We usually serve between 30 and 60 extra half pints per meal," said Mrs. Smith. The cost is low because of the federal hot-lunch program for schools. The government subsidizes the program by furnishing a

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number of food items and money for others. The cafeteria can accommodate 74 at one sitting, and the Parent-Teachers Association meets there frequently. The three cooks also have been called upon to serve the P-TA. "We have a good time cooking," said Mrs. Ditto, who is the mother of three children in school. "We wanted to do it, and it is no burden." All three of the women have attended each of the Foodhandlers' Schools sponsored by the Big Spring-Howard County Health Unit, and two of them received certificates from the School Lunchroom Workshop at Texas Tech. Mrs. Ditto said she could not attend the Texas Tech workshop because she had to take care of her family here. The three attended the local schools in order to learn more about their profession. And they all say that they learned quite a bit about the proper methods of preparing and serving food. In fact, they say that the foodhandlers' schools are largely responsible for their successful operation. None of them had ever worked in a cafe or cooked for groups before taking the jobs in the cafeteria. "The health unit schools provided us with an outline as to how things should be done," Mrs. Smith said. "Such little things as serving plates without your hand ever touching the top are stressed. These little things are important." Both Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Herren have been working for four years in the cafeteria, ever since the building was constructed. Mrs. Ditto has been cooking for the past three years. A whole beef is purchased every month for the cafeteria, and occasionally a hog is also bought. All bread items, such as corn bread and rolls, are baked. Only a few items are brought into the cafeteria which do not have to be prepared before cooking.

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# Garland-Kelly Oscar Contest Has Makings Of 'Class Struggle'

By JAMES BACON  
HOLLYWOOD, March 19 (AP)—It wasn't planned that way, but the fight for the films' top feminine Oscar might be called a class struggle.

It's Judy Garland, born in a vaudeville trunk, versus Grace Kelly, born into a Philadelphia mansion.

At this writing, the contrast between Little Miss Showbusiness and the debutante actress looks like a draw.

Hollywood, perhaps unconsciously, is taking sides strictly on the class basis. Performance-wise, both were superb.

Judy was given an actress' tour de force in "A Star Is Born" and came through in the finest tradition of Oscar. But it's doubtful if a Bergman or a Garbo could have handled the role of the beaten-down wife in "The Country Girl" any better than the reserved Miss Kelly.

Sentiment, perhaps, is on the side of Judy. One of the greatest

of child actresses, she had led a heartbreak life—a has-been and near suicide at 20, an Oscar favorite at 33.

It's the kind of story Hollywood loves and one that needs an Academy Award for the happy ending.

Miss Kelly, in the last 18 months, has had the most rapid ascent of any star in recent Hollywood history. A real pro at 26 she possesses the craftsmanship that most great stars never acquire until much later.

Judy doesn't want to win on the sentiment vote.

"I'd rather lose than be judged on anything other than performance," she says. "I think Grace will win it anyway, so I guess I won't have anything to worry about. But I admit I want to win very badly."

Miss Kelly makes no predictions on the outcome but willingly comments on Miss Garland's performance.

"I thought she was just wonderful."

Of course, both could miss the prize. Some folk feel that they may kill off each other in the voting, letting someone else slip in. Best bet in this case is Dorothy Dandridge, first Negro ever nominated for the top acting award, for her role in "Carmen Jones." The other nominees: Jane Wyman for "Magnificent Obsession" and Audrey Hepburn for "Sabrina," both past Oscar winners.

When the ceremonies are held the night of March 30, the only likely thing that could keep Judy away would be the premature birth of her third child. The baby is expected in a few weeks. That baby will go home, by the way, to a house every bit as fancy as that of Grace's millionaire parents in Philadelphia.

But the Garland fortunes were not always so good.

Judy literally was born backstage in Grand Rapids, Minn., of vaudeville parents. She was in the family act at 2, a movie star at 13. She never knew a normal childhood, yet she recalls that she had lots of fun that other kids didn't have. Her one regret—not going to school with other children.

At 20, Judy, like most children of the theater, was neither woman nor child. She was sharp in the ways of show business, yet immature in the cold ways of everyday life.

Before she had hit 30, she had had two unhappy marriages, poor health and had seen her career practically washed up after several suspensions.

"When Metro dropped me, I think the thing that hurt most was when the studio ordered that all photographs of me be taken down

from the walls. Studios can be awfully childish too."

In person, Judy is charming, friendly and witty. She probably has the most contagious, vivacious personality of any star in Hollywood. She lights up a room like a searchlight when her brown eyes start sparkling.

The backgrounds may be different for Judy and Grace but the drive behind them is very similar.

Judy became a success because she learned early that she had to give a little extra something to please ill-tempered vaudeville managers and hungry audiences.

Grace, born with a golden spoon, knew she had to become a success or live in the shadow of successful relatives.

Her father is a millionaire, her mother once was a beautiful cover girl. Two of her uncles are famous in show business—George, the Pulitzer Prize-winning playwright who wrote "Craig's Wife" and "The Show Off"; and Walter, vaudeville's famed "Virginia Judge."

Grace, who could have been the prettiest blonde in the Germantown country club set, got out of Philadelphia as soon as she could. She always wanted to act. She studied in New York and supported herself as a model.

"I wasn't the greatest model in New York," she admits, "but I got work. I finally got my price up to \$25 an hour, and that's good money for a model. I got it on my own."

Next came television jobs, but it was much tougher crashing Broadway.

"I read for 40 plays and didn't get one," she recalls. "I had to go to Hollywood because I couldn't get work on Broadway."

She did a role in the movie "14 Hours" and played Gary Cooper's wife in "High Noon," but Katy Jurado stole the picture from her.

Director John Ford needed a willowy blonde to play the English wife in "Mogambo." He cabled Clark Gable in London to take a look at "High Noon."

"Grace wasn't much in that picture," Gable recalls. "The Mexican girl walked away with the feminine side of it. But I could see where Grace might be okay for 'Mogambo' and told Ford so."

"It's a stinking part for an actress, but Grace tackled it and made it a standout. She's great, a real pro. She put fire into it."

That's the key to the Kelly appeal, that look of earthy sex under wraps.

About this time, Alfred Hitchcock discovered Grace. Hitchcock has never forgiven Roberto Rossellini for taking Ingrid Bergman out of circulation, but he's contented now. He starred her in three

Guy Caskey will be speaking each evening at 7:30 at the East Fourth and Benton Church of Christ throughout the coming week at the spring revival. The local preacher, T. H. Tarbet, will speak at both services Sunday. Mr. Caskey's first message Monday evening will be "The Gift Of God." (Adv.)

## Does Bad Climate Cause Colds?



No, colds occur in widely different climates at about the same season.

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### To State Meet

These four officers of the La-mesa High School student council are delegates to the state Student Council Convention to be held in Denton Mar. 24-27. Shown are Nancy Nowlin, Tommy Koger, Jerry McKinney and Phil Wilson, president of the local council.

pictures within a year. "Dial M for Murder," "Rear Window" and "To Catch a Thief."

The first picture had Ray Milland as leading man. Grace thought he was separated from his wife. They dated for dinner several times.

When gossip columnists labeled Grace a stren and a home wrecker, she learned he was not separated. She dropped him.

Since then she has confined her dating to such unattached stars as Bing Crosby, Gable and currently Oleg Cassini, dress designer and former husband of Gene Tierney.

There have been some rumors that Grace might marry Cassini but apparently it won't be with the family blessing. Her father has said flatly that he wants no divorced dress designer for a son-in-law. The Kellys are staunch Irish Catholics. John Kelly founded his fortune as a bricklayer, later went into making bricks.

Grace is a new kind of star. Big studios don't awe her a bit, as she proved the other day when she courted—and got—a suspension for turning down a role she didn't like.

Sugar cane has been widely cultivated for less than 500 years.

### Jury Frees Pecos Woman in Slaying

PECOS (AP)—Mrs. Sarah Adams, 30, divorcee and former secretary, was found innocent by a jury here in the death by gunfire of Paul Ward, a Pecos farmer.

The defense claimed it was an accident. Mrs. Adams testified for five hours and said she wasn't sure what happened and wasn't even certain that she was holding the pistol.

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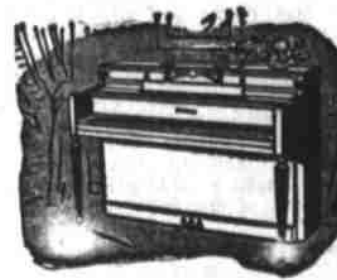
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# Western Hills Trip Awaits Winner Of 'Oscar Race'

Do you know who will win the Academy Awards this year? The nominations have already been made and you can win a free vacation weekend at the Western Hills Hotel in Fort Worth by selecting the six major winners of Hollywood "Oscars" this year. Sponsored by the Big Spring Theatres and The Herald, the winner of the contest will receive an expense paid trip, by plane or train, to the Western Hills Hotel in Fort Worth. The trip is for two people and includes transportation both ways, room for three days and two nights, and \$50 "mad money." Official ballots are available at the Ritz and they are free. The contest closes at 8 p.m. Wednesday, March 30 and the winners will be announced Monday, April 4.

Besides the first prize, five other prizes will also be awarded. The second prizewinner will receive a free pass to the Big Spring Theatres for a year, third prize will be a pass good for six months, and the fourth, fifth, and sixth prizes will be passes for three months.

Entrants in the contest will select their choice for Academy Awards from the following six categories: the best picture, the best actor, the best actress, the best supporting actor, the best supporting actress, and the best director. Nominees for the categories are: Best Picture, "The Caine Mutiny," "The Country Girl," "On the Waterfront," "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers," and "Three Coins in the Fountain." Best Actor, Humphrey Bogart, Marlon Brando, Bing Crosby, James Mason, and Dan O'Herlihy. Best Actress, Judy Garland, Grace Kelly, Jane Wyman, Audrey Hepburn, Dorothy Dandridge. Best Supporting Actor, Lee J. Cobb, Karl Malden, Edmund O'Brien, Rod Steiger, and Tom Tully. Best Supporting Actress, Nina Foch, Katy Jurado, Eva Marie Saint, Jan Sterling, and Claire Trevor. Best Director, Alfred Hitchcock, George Seaton, Billy Wilder, William Wellman, Elia Kazan.



'Passion'

Cornel Wilde and Yvonne DeCarlo star in the Technicolor and SuperScope production, "Passion." The film plays tonight and Monday at the Jet Drive-In.



Comedy From The Past

Bud Abbott and Lou Costello enjoy their usual shenanigans in this scene from "Abbott and Costello Meet the Keystone Kops." The film starts today and plays through Tuesday at the State.



Race Car Driving

Kirk Douglas and Bella Darvi cheer the winners of a race in this scene from "The Racers." The CinemaScope and Deluxe color film begins today and plays through Wednesday at the Ritz.

## Kirk Douglas Stars In Story Of Racing

"The Racers" begins today and plays through Wednesday at the Ritz, starring Kirk Douglas and Bella Darvi. Famous European race classics such as the Grand Prix of Italia and Milite Maglia illustrate the story of a race car driver (Kirk Douglas) torn between his love of racing and the love of a woman (Bella Darvi). Douglas meets Bella Darvi, a ballet dancer, in his first race when he wrecks his home built car to avoid running over her dog. In order to make recompense, she buys him another car and he begins to win races and make a name for himself in the racing world. A crack-up nearly finishes his career in racing but he recovers and insists on driving despite a handicap. He becomes one of the leading drivers for Lee J. Cobb,

manager of an automobile firm. His fellow drivers, Caesar Romero and Gilbert Roland, are also champion drivers and in a misunderstanding, Douglas loses a race, his girl, and the respect of his friends. He tries to regain all of these by brilliant driving and more respect for his fellow drivers. Also appearing in the film are Katy Jurado and John Hudson. The film is in CinemaScope and Deluxe color. The sound track of the movie features Peggy Lee with the picture's theme song, "I Belong To You." This film is the last one for Kirk Douglas before he begins directing pictures on his own. He made the announcement after this film was finished. He plans to make his directing debut in the very near future.

After selecting your choices for the six divisions, there is a space on the ballot to write a brief letter of 50 words or less entitled, "Why I Selected the Best Picture for the Academy Award."

## Big Business Dramatized In Lyric Feature

"Executive Suite" starts today and plays through Monday at the Lyric. Avery Bullard, president of a large corporation, dies without appointing a vice president. The company becomes a battleground of behind-the-scenes maneuvers by various hopefuls who each wish to assume the leadership. William Holden, Fredric March, Walter Pidgeon, Paul Douglas, and Dean Jagger are the men who must decide who is to lead. And each of them has hopes of being the man chosen. Barbara Stanwyck, a major stockholder in the company, has a deciding vote and each of the men try to win her to his cause. June Allyson plays Holden's wife, Shelly Winters plays Douglas' secretary, Nina Foch is the company conscience, and Lucille Knoch is Calhern's wife. The film is as exciting as an adventure film.

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THURS.-FRI.-SAT. — "White Feather" with Robert Wagner and Debra Paget.  
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**STATE**  
SUN.-MON.-TUES. — "Abbott and Costello Meet the Keystone Kops" with Abbott and Costello.  
WED. — "Stalag 17" with William Holden and Don Taylor.  
THURS. — "Casa Blanca" with Humphrey Bogart and Ingrid Bergman.  
FRI. — "Viva Zapata" with Marlon Brando.  
SAT. — "Battleground" with Van Johnson and John Hodiak.

**LYRIC**  
SUN.-MON. — "Executive Suite" with William Holden and June Allyson.  
TUES.-WED. — "Inferno" with Robert and Rhonda Fleming.  
THURS.-FRI.-SAT. — "Manhunt in African Jungle."

**TERRACE**  
SUN.-MON. — "Tanganyika" with Van Heflin and Ruth Roman.  
TUES.-WED. — "Sins of Jezebel"

with Paulette Goddard.  
THURS.-FRI. — "The Mad Magician" with Vincent Price and Mary Murphy.  
SAT. — "Valley of the Head Hunters" with Johnny Weissmuller.

**JET**  
SUN.-MON. — "Passion" with Cornel Wilde and Yvonne De Carlo.  
TUES.-WED. — "Desire" with Marlon Brando and Jean Simmons.  
THURS.-FRI. — "Three Hours to Kill" with Dana Andrews and Donna Reed.  
SAT. — "Capt. John Smith and Pocahontas" with Anthony Dexter and Jody Lawrence.

## Brando Back In 'Desire'

Marlon Brando, Jean Simmons, and Merle Oberon star in the CinemaScope film "Desire" at the Jet, Tuesday and Wednesday. Brando plays a convincing role as Napoleon in one of his best Hollywood parts. The picture was taken from the best selling novel about Napoleon in the years after the great revolution in France. As Desire, Jean Simmons plays the woman who loved Napoleon first and loved him last, even though he gave her up to make Josephine his queen. Merle Oberon plays Josephine, the empress who Napoleon publicly divorced when she could not give him a son and heir. The picture is another triumph for Marlon Brando, following his success in "Viva Zapata," "A Streetcar Named Desire," and "On the Waterfront."

## Horror Thriller To Be At Terrace

A horror-thriller plays Thursday and Friday at the Terrace. "The Mad Magician" stars Vincent Price, Eva Gabor, and Mary Murphy. Price portrays a magician who kills once only to find that he must kill another to cover up the first murder. He believes himself safe from detection until a detective with above average ability gets on his trail. Price equals his performance in "House of Wax" in this picture.

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## Past Academy Films Paraded At State

Academy Award pictures of the past will have return engagements in Big Spring beginning Wednesday at the State. "Stalag 17" will be the first of the films in this series. William Holden won an award as the best actor in 1954 for his portrayal of a prisoner of war. Playing a cynical, sharp tongued GI who spends his time thinking up rackets that pay off and trading with his captors for special privileges, Holden is accused by his fellow prisoners of being a stool pigeon for the Germans. His performance is perhaps the best of his career. Thursday, Humphrey Bogart and Ingrid Bergman star in "Casa Blanca," the Academy Award winning film that made both of them stars in Hollywood. Marlon Brando returns to Big Spring in "Viva Zapata" Friday. Filmed in part at Roma, Texas, the film tells a story of the great Mexican general, Emiliano Zapata, who fought the government for the peasants' rights. The picture was written by John Steinbeck, directed by Elia Kazan, and produced by Darryl F. Zanuck. Jean Peters co-stars in the picture.

"Battleground" will play Saturday starring Van Johnson, John Hodiak, George Murphy, and Ricardo Montalban. It is the first picture which starred Denise Darcel and she is the only woman in the picture. It is the story of the 101st Airborne Division who, though surrounded and outnumbered, prevented a German breakthrough at the crucial battle of Bastogne in 1944.



Van Heflin

Star of "Tanganyika," which plays tonight and Monday at the Jet Drive-In. Ruth Roman is the co-star.

**'White Feather'**  
Robert Wagner stars in "White Feather" which plays Thursday through Saturday at the Ritz. As a young survivor, Wagner rides to Ft. Laramie, Wyoming, in 1877 and aids the Army and the settlers make peace with the warlike Cheyenne Indians. The Indians like Wagner because he is not afraid of them and he in turn falls in love with an Indian princess, Debra Paget.

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# Four Big Spring Fliers Buy New Planes, 24 Hangared Here

Four new planes have been added to the number of aircraft now hangared at Hamilton Field, according to Barney Edens, manager.

This brings the total up to 24 owned by Big Spring fliers and hangared at the municipal airfield.

Ben Funk bought a Cessna 140 at Plainview. John Fort flew the plane back to Big Spring after making the trip to Plainview in Funk's Cessna 170, flown by Jack Cook.

County Judge R. H. Weaver and District Attorney Gil Jones were along on the Plainview trip. They are shopping around for an aircraft to purchase. Apparently, they are still in the market for one.

B. J. Hutchison bought a Piper Clipper at Ardmore, Okla., two weeks ago. J. H. Loyd and John Fort made the trip with him to pick up the plane in Funk's Cessna 170. They were grounded for a few hours at Olney on the trip because of fog.

James Cauble of the Elbow community bought a Taylorcraft plane and is working toward his solo flight. Leon Stearns, gas measurement engineer for the Reef Fields Gasoline Plant near Vincent, also bought a Taylorcraft.

He was checked out last Sunday and made a cross-country solo flight to Snyder.

Dr. James Whitney is interested in forming a Civil Air Patrol squadron in Big Spring. He has a large list of interested persons and has written CAP headquarters for the necessary applications and other material to get the squadron started.

Whitney pointed out that CAP squadrons can get Air Force aircraft for the use of the members or planes used for pilot training by the Air Force can be purchased. And the CAP is not limited to fliers. Non-fliers and fliers from

age 15 on up are eligible to join a CAP squadron.

Big Spring flying enthusiasts who have signed up to aid in the formation of a CAP squadron are: Grayson Spurlock, James McClendon, Howard Lloyd, Doyle Bynum, Clyde Thomas Sr., Jimmie Jones, W. G. Craeger, Robert E. Schmidt, Leon Stearns, J. T. Dunnam, Austin Aulda, B. J. Hutchinson, W. D. Peters, Herman Taylor, Jack Conley, M. S. Knowles, and M. H. Barnes.

Harvey Hooser, member of the Big Four Flying Club, almost soloed last Sunday. Almost, but not quite.

He landed and came almost to a stop when suddenly the aircraft nosed up in the runway. Instructor Harold Loyd was with him and they got out, pulled the tail back down, and the Luscombe was unhurt.

Merritt Barnes, another member of the club, received his private flying license. His first passenger was Hooser's small son. Mrs. Barnes was his next passenger.

All the members of the club have been logging up flying time the past few weeks. The club owns the Luscombe aircraft.

Every plane hangared at Hamilton was in the air last Sunday, according to Edens. The weather was nice for flying and pleasure trips, local instruction, and long cross-country trips were made during the day.

About 30 automobiles were parked at the field all day, Edens said, and flying enthusiasts kept the planes busy. It was the busiest day in years for Hamilton Field, he added.

Big Spring fliers were out on weekend trips last week.

Richard Hewison and Tom Benton spent the weekend at Baton Rouge, La. They left Big Spring on Friday and returned Sunday afternoon.

Charlie Long flew his Cessna to Austin for the weekend. J. R. Smith flew his Taylorcraft to Plainview on Saturday and returned Sunday.

T. F. Stroupe flew to East Texas in his Cessna Saturday. He landed back here late Sunday afternoon.

Clyde Thomas went down to Fort Stockton in his Tri-Pacer last Saturday in connection with his radio station there.

Cosden's "Dove" was in the air most of the week. Monday, it carried R. L. Tollett to Amarillo and back. Thursday, it carried Tollett to Dallas and back. Friday, it made a trip to San Antonio to pick up R. M. Johnson and to Austin for Dan Krausse. Bill Edwards and Jack Gully were the pilots on the trips.

J. T. Wilkinson piloted the "Bonanza" to San Antonio Wednesday. The flight had not returned to Big Spring Friday due to bad weather. The "Bonanza" is not equipped for all-weather flying.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thomas started for New Orleans in their Piper aircraft March 3. Bad weather interrupted the trip, however, and after making short stops at Galveston and San Antonio, they returned to Big Spring March 8.

Raford Dunagan, Elbow Community, has been taking flying instructions in James Cauble's Taylorcraft.

Jack Conley made his solo flight Thursday and is now logging up his solo time. Conley owns a Luscombe.

W. G. Craeger traded his Ercole to Lone Star Motors for a Studebaker pickup. Another trade of the week also involved the Lone Star Motor Company. They sold their Luscombe to C. A. Dahse of the Smith Transport Company.

The Piper Super Cruiser that was damaged in a crash at Hamilton two weeks ago has been moved. The aircraft was given temporary repairs and flown back to Dallas. The damaged plane belonged to R. B. Daniels of Dallas. It was in Big Spring being shown for sale.



Cosden's 'Dove'

The Cosden Petroleum Corp.'s "Dove" is a DeHavilland aircraft built in England. The two-engine plane was built to carry 13 passengers, but modifications for Cosden have cut this capacity to six. The "Dove" cost in excess of \$100,000. Cosden pilot, J. T. Wilkinson, is leaning on the prop.

## Library Receives Books To Aid Cashword Puzzle Fans

The Howard County Library has received several new books which should be an aid to persons working the Herald's "cashword puzzles." Librarian Opal McDaniel said she ordered the books as a result of the many requests of patrons who were trying to solve the puzzles.

Probably the most helpful is "The New Alphabetical Thesaurus and Word Finder." The book is a dictionary of synonyms and related words published by the National Poetry Association. A "Rhyming Dictionary" published by the Association was also received by the library.

These books are in the library now and are available to patrons who plan to "win" next week's puzzle.

Other books received in the library are:

"From Lexington to Liberty," by Bruce Lancaster, which is a history and story of the American Revolution.

"Abraham Lincoln," by Carl Sandburg, which is perhaps the best definitive history of the Civil War president.

"Soldier of Fortune," by Ernest K. Gann, another adventure tale by the author of "The High and The Mighty."

Mrs. McDaniel said 16 books had been donated to the library in the last few days. "The Greatest Faith Ever Known," by Fulton Oursler.

**Virus Tops List Of Contagious Diseases**

There were 229 communicable disease cases reported to the Big Spring-Howard County Health Unit during the past week by local physicians.

Virus, with 50 cases, headed the list. There were 20 cases of influenza and 23 of pneumonia. Another disease with a large number of cases was tonsillitis, with 35.

The report included bronchitis, 15; chickenpox, 10; diarrhea, 4; measles, 16; mumps, 11; strep-throat or scarlet fever, 14; syphilis, 2; upper respiratory, 20.

## Lamesa Scouts Schedule Awards Banquet April 7

LAMESA—Some 300 Boy Scouts from nine area cities of the Quannah-Parker Boy Scout District are expected to attend an awards banquet for Scouters in Lamesa April 7 in the High School cafeteria.

Dr. W. R. White, president of Baylor University will be the principal speaker.

Dr. White is former pastor of the First Baptist Church in Lubbock, past president of Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene, and was pastor of the First Baptist Church in Austin before accepting the presidency of Baylor. He will speak to the group on "American Youth and Scouting."

L. J. Richardson of Brownfield will be installed as district chairman of the Quannah-Parker Boy Scout Council following the awards presentations. Richardson will succeed C. W. Tarter, superintendent of the Lamesa Public School System, who resigned the post due to a pressing school program.

Among dignitaries who will attend the banquet are Joe Salem of Sudan, president of the Quannah-Parker Council; W. R. Postma of Lubbock, council executive, and F. B. Malone of Lubbock, president of the council for over 25 years.

Persons who are to receive the Scouters Awards for outstanding service in Scout work, will be named at a later date.

Cities participating in the awards banquet are Denver City, Seagraves, Brownfield, Meadow, Seminole, Tahoka, Plains, New Home, and Lamesa.

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## 'Great Books' Group Names New Leaders

The Great Books discussion group met Thursday evening in the president's office at Howard County Junior College to discuss Homer's "Odyssey."

The meeting was the first session of the group's second year of discussion. Two new discussion leaders were chosen for the second year to replace Rev. Otis Moore, who served as the leader during the first year. The new leaders are Carl Benson and Dr. Fred Johnson.

Next meeting of the group is scheduled for April 1. Topic of discussion at the meeting will be Herodotus' "History of the Persian War."

Here's a terrific *Esskay* Rugby Suit in the new

**CHARCOAL & PINK**

The 2-button pink jacket has a charcoal collar and lapel; is fully lined with pink rayon; two flap pockets; a simulated ticket pocket and a breast pocket. The charcoal pants have elastic back, zipper fly with gripper top, pink belt with solid metal buckle. Sizes 1 to 6.

**The Kid's Shop**  
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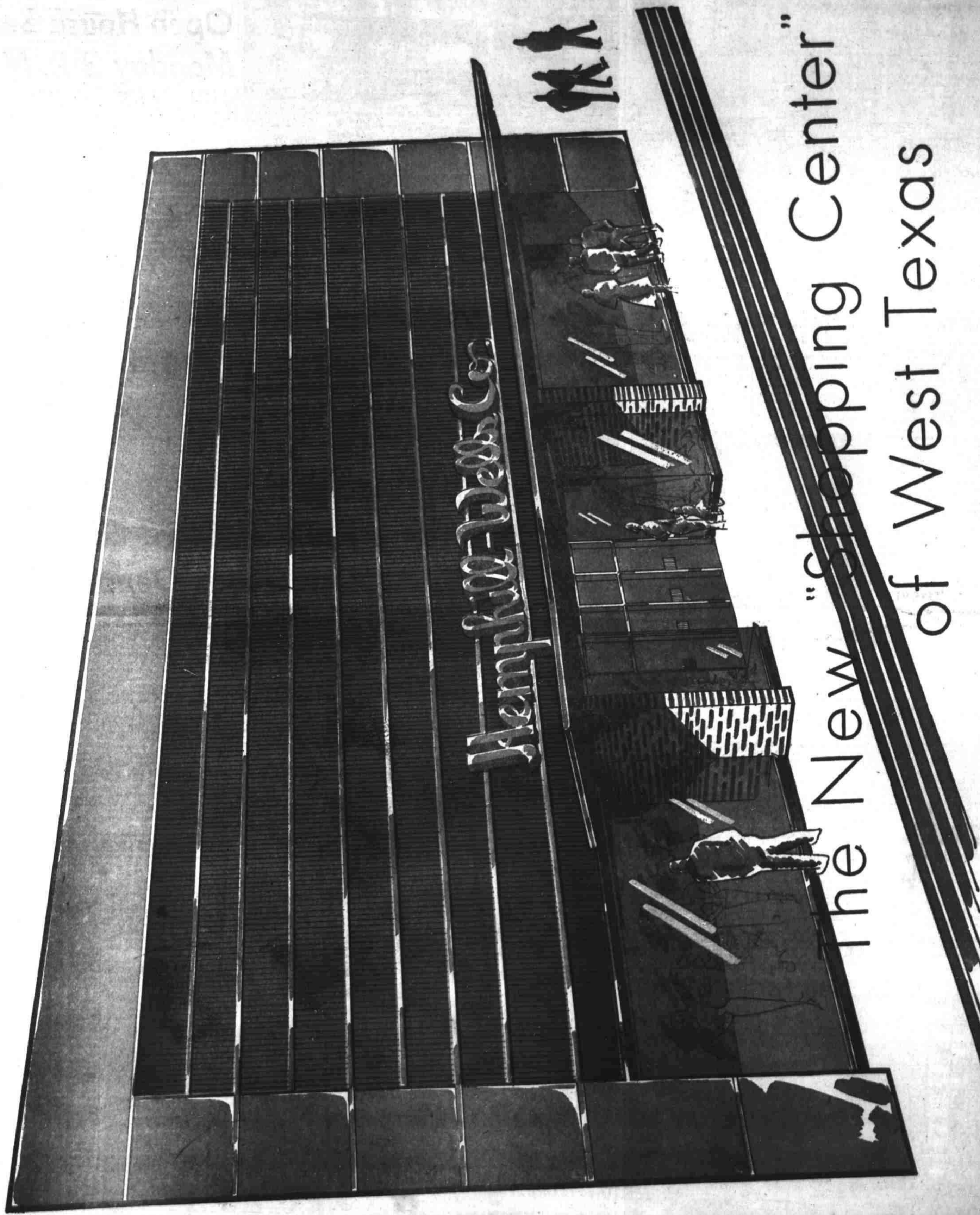
## Hats Off To Hemphill's

We join the rest of the community in justifiable pride in the fine, enlarged modern store of Hemphill-Wells . . . certainly an added attraction in making Big Spring an outstanding shopping center for a wide West Texas area

Our hats are off, with best wishes to Lewis Price and all the folks at Hemphill's on a momentous occasion in their deserving growth







# The New "Shopping Center" of West Texas

Opportunity  
Hemphill-Wells

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# Hemphill-Wells Open House Set Monday 3 P. M.

You can't spend your money Monday at Hemphill-Wells Company.

Open house to show off the new, enlarged department store will be observed from 3 p. m. to 9 p. m. Monday at the store, 214 Main.

Clerks and department heads will be on hand to assist visitors in touring the spacious, attractive plant with its 72x140 feet main floor covered with two score departments and sub-departments.

Nothing will be for sale during the open house hours, explained Lewis H. Price, vice president and manager. This party is solely for the purpose of affording residents of the area an opportunity to leisurely inspect the arrangements, the expanded operations and appointments.

Soft, organ music will be played during the open house period.

Tuesday the store opens on regular hours, 9 a. m. to 6:00 p. m.

## Fitting Rooms Ultra-Modern In Arrangement

Ultra-modern fitting rooms are standard equipment at Hemphill-Wells' new ladies' ready-to-wear department.

Four fitting rooms are located toward the back of the department near the dress section, and all four are equipped with double mirrors, dressing benches and chairs.

The four rooms each have an entrance into a private fitting hall, and the entrances are closed with curtains. In a department that offers the ultimate in privacy, the fitting rooms are even more private.

The ladies' department is off to itself on the south side of the building, and the fitting rooms are in the most remote corner. And the entrance to the fitting room hall is blocked with a brick planter and louver spars.

Two other fitting rooms are in the department. One, for those trying on foundation garments, is located in the front of the building, and the other, for those trying on coats and suits, is in the middle.

The four fitting rooms toward the back are adjacent to the alteration room, making it possible for the utmost in speed for proper fittings.

## Glass Boxes And Tables Facilitate Customer Viewing

Glass display boxes are new features which can be found in Hemphill-Wells' newly located ladies' ready-to-wear department.

The boxes line the various wall shelves in the department, allowing customers to see type and color of clothing. All the sales clerk has to do is reach for the article which the customer sees and thinks desirable.

Quite a few items are displayed on top of glass tables throughout the departments. Also, these tables have space enclosed at the bottom for reserve stocks, but a fair sampling can be obtained by looking at the items laid out.

Some of the display tables are designed in tiers, especially those in the infants' section of the department.

Another unusual feature is the shelf space itself, which can be converted to hanger space or for use of the glass display boxes.

## COLOR A-PLENTY IN NEW STORE

The open-display type of fixtures featured in Hemphill-Wells' new store will make the establishment one of the "most colorful" in Big Spring.

Practically every item of clothing available in the store will be displayed. And with all the new colors being featured in clothing, the displays will make the interior of Hemphill-Wells a riot of color.

In the men's department alone, there will be sox, shirts and other accessories in such colors as apricot, lime, pink, natural, cognac, maize, helio, watermelon, heliotrope, and the "chairs."

Although operations in the store won't be conducted entirely on a self-service basis, the open-display type of fixtures will make all merchandise available for the customers' inspection.

# Half Of Store Given To Dry Goods Departments

The dry goods department is the largest in the Hemphill-Wells store as it requires one half of the first floor, from the front door to the back, to display all the merchandise.

Mrs. Iown Phillips is the department manager and R. P. Nicholson is assistant. The department is divided into several sub-departments, beginning with the cosmetic department at the front at the store.

Mrs. Irma Glenn has charge of this department. The cosmetics department has all new glass and mahogany fixtures to display the wide variety of "Faberge" perfumes and "Charles of the Ritz" treatment cosmetics, which are featured at Hemphill-Wells.

The department is much larger than before the renovation and a cosmetics bar has been added. Foam rubber chairs, especially designed for the store, making shopping more comfortable and enjoyable for the housewife.

Across the aisle from the cosmetic department is the jewelry department. Mrs. Nettie Evans has this department.

A revolving island table also holds the latest creations in costume jewelry by Coro and Kramer. Whiting and Davis evening bags and accessories are also featured.

Hosiery is the next sub-department after jewelry. The hosiery counter is on the center aisle behind the jewelry department. Mrs. Dean Proctor has charge of this department.

A complete line of scarfs, hostlers, bags, and accessories is carried with a complete new line of hosiery, in all shades, deniers, and gauges.

Gloves, collars, and scarves are carried in the accessories department which is connected with the hosiery department. Mrs. Georgia Jacobs has charge of this department.

Stoles, neckwear, and billfolds are also carried in this department. The new spring tip head scarfs by Vera are featured in the department as well as nylon stretchee gloves.

The ladies hand bag department has been remodeled completely. The emphasis has been placed on the new "open display" which makes the merchandise more accessible to the customer.

A modernistic "island display" has been added to the department and displays bags priced from \$2.98 to \$37.50. These bags were created by such manufacturers as Ranay and Garay.

Hemphill-Wells features all types of bags from inexpensive clutches to alligators.

The piece goods department features every type of fabric imaginable and extends from the cosmetics department back to the hand bag department along the north wall. Two modernistic "island tables" also hold the piece goods and are fashioned to make the selection of fabrics easier for the customer.

Over 500 bolts of material are kept in the department at all times and many more are in storage in the basement. A wide selection of linens, cottons, silks, nylons, satins, nets, and taffetas, among many others, is always on hand.

Mrs. Vera Todd is in charge of this department.

The notions department has two "island counters" and a well section next to the piece goods department. A new zipper counter has been added to the department which will hold approximately 60 dozen zippers.

This counter is placed in the center of the aisle and easily accessible to the customer. The department also has a large selection of buttons, ribbons, laces, trimmings, and sewing accessories.

Handy to the notions department are the closet accessories. This is a completely new department and features plastic garment bags, skirt hangers and belt racks.

Next in line along the north wall is the pattern department with a large assortment of patterns. A new pattern bar, similar to the cosmetics bar, features the same kind of buttons, ribbons, laces, trimmings, and sewing accessories.

The linen department features tablecloths, bath towels, bath sets, place mats, bun warmers, and other household needs. Irish linen table cloths and California hand printed tablecloths are featured in the department.

These tablecloths come in several sizes, the smallest is 52 by 70 inches and the largest is 66 by 102 inches.

Two departments have been considerably enlarged. They are the bedding and drapery divisions and the gift display.

Mrs. Lota Cantrell and Mrs. Nadine Blair are in charge of the bedding and drapery department. Three new functional fixtures and several new "self-help" aisle tables make shopping easier for the housewife.

A built-in bathtub appropriately displays bath room accessories which are on display in the department. A built-in functional window aptly displays the many curtains and draperies. A large full-size bed sits in the center of the department to display bed spreads and other bedroom accessories.

This department was expanded from one small corner which it formerly had.

The gift department is in the rear of the store and has been given more room than ever. A large wall section and several new counters, all covered with scar-proof formica plastic, display novelty gifts, candies, and stationery.

Three large cases display gift cards and a long peg-board wall section is literally filled with wall decorations. The rear door of the store opens into the new gift department.

The gift department is managed by Mrs. Estah Flock and Mrs. Lorita Mouton.

The entire dry goods department has a vinyl floor covering which is slip proof and easy to clean. The department has new well lighted wall sections.

The department also employs a stock boy and a marketing girl. They are Gilbert Mancha and Jerry McGinnis.



IN THE CURTAIN NOOK ... See How Beautifully They Hang



GIFTS FOR ANY OCCASION ... China, Pottery and Glassware

## Much Of Stock Available For Public View

Some 72 feet of hanger space is available in the storage room of the ladies' ready-to-wear department, but only about 40 per cent of the stock will be kept in reserve.

Quite a bit more hanger space is located in the display area of the department, and some 60 per cent of the dresses, coats, and suits are ready for customer inspection at all times.

All the display hanger space is located in the south wall of the newly remodeled department, which is located on the south side of the building.

The hanger spaces are lighted by indirect fluorescent bulbs, allowing all material to be viewed easily. Mirrors are spaced at intervals along the wall to allow inspection of the articles as worn, and dressing rooms are also handy to the hanger areas.

## Eight On Duty To Aid In Ladies' Ready-To-Wear

Six clerks and two alteration experts are always on duty in the ladies' ready to wear department at Hemphill-Wells.

Though the department, was designed for the ultimate in self-service, the clerks are available for any assistance the customers might desire, said Mrs. Auda Stanford, buyer and manager of the department.

Mrs. Eunice Dean is clerk in charge of the suit and coat section, and Mrs. Mattie Glenn heads up the dress section. Most of these items can be found in hanger spaces along the south wall.

Clerk for the corset section is Mrs. Mary Louise Hammond, and Mrs. Iva Jordan is the clerk in charge of the lingerie sector. Miss Ara Bohannon is robe saleslady, while Miss Helen Ebling has charge of infants' goods.

The alterations are done by Mrs. Annie Vestine, and Mrs. Nevie Barthe. Their headquarters is in a room at the rear of the store near the four dress fitting rooms.

## Hexagonal Table Displays Jewelry

A modernistic hexagonal display table is one of the many new fixtures in the jewelry department at Hemphill-Wells.

It has built-in tiers, the upper most of which revolves to give the customer a better view of the costume jewelry offered by the store.

This fixture illustrates a new "self help" motif of all the new fixtures throughout the remodeled store.

# Hemphill-Wells Identified With This Area Many Years

The roots of Hemphill-Wells Company are sunk three score years into the past.

A clear line of ancestry extends back for almost half a century during which the concern has been a West Texas institution developing outlets in San Angelo, Lubbock and Big Spring.

From a relatively modest beginning, it has grown into the most heavily capitalized mercantile establishment in West Texas. Indeed, its \$2 1/2 million capital structure and an annual sales volume exceeding \$8 million is exceeded by few in the state. This solidarity has made the slogan of "finest department store" more than an idle claim.

J. D. Baker started a general mercantile business in Granbury in the late 1880's and presently moved to Weatherford. His son, Charlie Baker, who took over when the father died in the 1890's, formed a partnership with George Poston as Baker-Poston. His next



SPENCER WELLS



J. D. HASSELL



GRADY MITCHEM

## Upstairs Office Is Store Nerve Center

Nerve center of the Hemphill-Wells Company department store here is its office. Although the sales battles are waged down on the floor, the shots are called upstairs.

The man in command is, of course, Lewis H. Price, vice president of the company and manager. His office will overlook the entire operation.

Another key unit of the office division is the credit department, headed by Mrs. Lloyd Wooten, who was associated with the store when it was Albert M. Fisher Company. Her title is credit manager, but her duties extend far beyond receiving and passing upon credit applications.

She must run regular checks on ledgers in an effort to help customers keep accounts current. If it becomes necessary she makes recommendations about charge-offs. She also keeps books for the store, proving the accounts receivable, keeping an estimate of inventory each month while striking a balance and a profit and loss sheet.

Another chore, and a right sizable one, is keeping up with all invoices, which must be dated and stamped, and to see that all bills are paid on time or ahead of time.

Tapes are run on cash and charge accounts, with sales totals being broken into four major departments, (men's, ready-to-wear, piece goods and shoe), and these in turn into 36 sub-departments. These records are entered daily into a book with a notation about weather conditions or any special events which would affect volume one way or the other.

Twelve tubes are constantly delivering charge tickets or cash to the office for quick handling. Accounts must be posted. All correspondence clears through the office.

Working with Mrs. Wooten are Mrs. W. J. Goodson, Mrs. Cleo Hahn, Betty Brown and Ruby Joliet.

## Store Follows Departmental Operations

Operation of a big store like Hemphill-Wells is accomplished through departmental operations.

There are five divisions in the sales part—men's, headed by Gilbert Gibbs; ready-to-wear, headed by Mrs. Auda Stanford; piece goods, headed by Iown Phillips; shoes, headed by Duward Luce; hats, headed by Mrs. Sally White. There are other departments such as credit, managed by Mrs. Marguerite Wooten; advertising and display, handled by Mrs. Lola Knowles.

Buyers help operate the departments. Included are Mrs. Mary Hammond, corsets and foundations (all members of this unit, incidentally, must be graduate corsetseers); George Weeks, men's department; Mrs. Granville Glenn, cosmetics; Mrs. Dean Proctor, hosiery; R. P. Nicholson, assistant piece goods manager.



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## Trend To Comfort

One of the most pronounced trends in footwear today is toward lighter weight, softer leather shoes. In response to popular demand, the answer from the leather industry is glove soft leathers that can be tanned myriad colors for use in building really easy-on-the-foot footwear.



LINGERIE FOR M'LADY ... Softest Fabrics Tastefully Shown

# Self-Service Display Highlights The Ready-To-Wear Department

Self-service display is featured in the swank new ladies' ready-to-wear department at Hemphill-Wells.

Clothing items are attractively shown on new display tables, on wall hanger racks and on easily accessible shelves. Customers have every opportunity to inspect the articles of their choice.

The department covers the entire south side of the newly remodeled store, and the fine furnishings give it a palatial appearance.

There is only one entrance, assuring a high degree of privacy to the women shoppers. This entrance, opening to the central lobby, is beautified by a waist-high planter topped with louver spars leading to the ceiling.

An aqua colored carpet, underlaid with a thick rubber foam pad, sets off the department from the other sectors of the store.

A brick planter divides the entrance, which is lined on each side

with blond fixtures. Walls and ceiling are sunburst yellow, and the spars have a mahogany hue. Spars and spirals lead to the ceiling from several planters located at strategic intervals down the length of the department.

Fitting rooms are also located at convenient places, as are movable mirrors. Chairs are spaced in several sections of the department for the convenience of shoppers.

There are six fitting rooms located in the department. One is in front, one is about mid-way toward the back, and the other four are at the back.

The front fitting room is for women who are purchasing corsets, and the one in the middle of the building is for those who are trying on coats. The four near the back are near the alteration room and are for those trying on dresses.

The lingerie and blouse sections are near the entrance to the department. They are divided by the

central planter. Then comes the corset section and the sportswear department.

These are all in front, and the other sections swing toward the back. They consist of the infants' and children's wear, maternity wear, robes, suits, coats, dresses, hats and shoes.

The entire department is lighted by indirect fluorescent bulbs, as are the hanger racks in the walls. The display cases are placed up and down the entire area, most of them having glass shelves.

Only one coat rack is placed in the middle of the floor, all other racks being in the wall. Mrs. Audra Stanford, manager and buyer for the department, stated that 60 per cent of the stock is on display as a result of the additional hanger space.

Convenience of the customer was kept in mind when the department was laid-out, it was explained, and ample room was given to all sections.

Three tube stations are located in the department to allow quick financial transactions.

There is room to display four mannequins in the ladies ready to wear department. Two will be for children and two will be for grown ups, it was explained.

The south front window, which is located right in front of the department, will be devoted entirely to the ladies' goods, it was explained. Other mannequins will be in the window.

Counter shelves are unusual. They were especially designed so that either shelves, boxes or hangers could be placed in them. Conversion is rapid with the type of display desired.

About mid-way down the ladies ready-to-wear department is located the hat section. It is in a semicircle of desks and spars, set apart from the other sections. Behind this is the ladies' shoe department.

## NEW POSTOFFICE SUB-STATION IS ADJACENT TO REAR ENTRANCE

The post office sub-station—a fixture at Hemphill-Wells for many years—has been moved to the rear of the building on the right side. It is adjacent to the back door.

A circular counter has been constructed for the convenience of patrons who wish to mail letters or who might desire gift wrapping during special seasons.

Service will be continued at the new location as it has been offered in the past, and Mrs. Willie Fulmer will continue in her capacity of clerk in charge.

First class mail is picked up at the sub-station twice daily, at 11 a.m. and 4 p.m., and parcel post is picked up once a day, at 5:30 p.m.

The post office location is much more convenient than previously, with an arrangement that includes shelves in the back for needed accessories. It is just to the right of the central stair case leading to the second floor.

## New Fixtures Added In The Women's Shoe Department

The women's shoe department at Hemphill-Wells' newly remodeled building is at the rear of the ladies ready-to-wear department and is separate from the men's shoe department.

Ten chairs have been spaced in the department, and all new fixtures have been added.

Actually the department is divided from the men's sector by a partial partition, which is connected to the ceiling by louver spars. This gives both departments privacy.

The ladies' department has thick aqua colored carpet on the floor which makes for comfort on shoe changes.

Dress shoes to be handled are I. Miller, Mademoiselle, Martini and Naturalizer. Casual selections are Town and Country, Arthur Murray, Allure, Lucky Stride, Ted and Sun-Cal.

Children shoes include Buster Brown, Lazy Bones, and Gerwinettes.

Durward Luce, manager of the department, stated that some 9,000 pairs of shoes are in stock. Clerks include Mrs. LaVerne Taylor and A. D. Rice.

The men's shoes handled are Florsheim and Portage. Five men can be seated at the same time, and this section is at the rear of the men's department.

### Hand Stitching

Hand stitching to give a mud-guard effect in a country blucher of glove soft shrunken leather is being shown among the new in shoes for men this season.

### Work Shoes Smarter

With today's theme "dress smartly on the job," there's a revolution in the men's work shoe industry just as their is in the men's work-clothing industry. New styling, new colors, new design aimed at attractive patterns in sturdy

## Men Have A 'Lounge' All To Themselves

Designed solely for men and arranged so that other customers will not have to intrude en route to other departments is the men's clothing bay of Hemphill-Wells' modernized department store in Big Spring.

The men's clothing bay is situated at the rear of the new store, just in back of the boys' clothing section of the men's department. It is shielded from the front by tall cases in which suits are displayed and from the ready-to-wear (ladies') department by other display cases and the stock room of the shoe department.

The bay is easily accessible from either the main entrance or the rear entrance which faces the Permian and Petroleum buildings and other business places in that part of the downtown district.

The men's department is comfortably furnished with large leather chairs. It has two fitting rooms, as well as triple mirrors.

The men's clothing bay will include suits, slacks, sports coats and hats. Accessories such as shirts, ties, socks, and jewelry will be displayed in another bay near the front of the store. The men's clothing section is situated so that there will be no traffic through it as customers go from department to department.

It is reached from the front by way of the broad aisle which extends from the main entrance through the accessories and boys' clothing bays.

The men's clothing area occupies almost as much space in the new store as the entire men's department had before the store was

remodeled and enlarged. It is about three times as large as before, according to Gilbert Gibbs, men's department manager.

There are chrome, rotating display racks for 600 pairs of slacks, plus scores of suits, coats and jackets. Ample space also is provided for the display of hats. The entire area is covered with a deep carpet. All fixtures are of mahogany, either completely new or refinished.

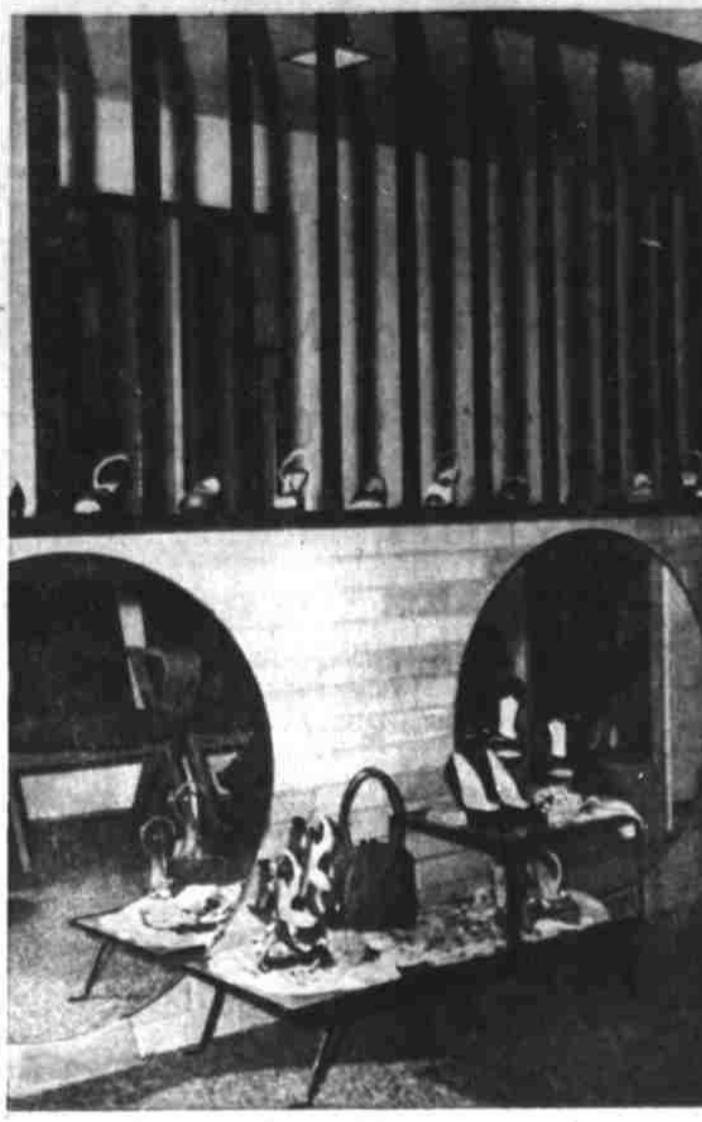
Serving the men's department is an alteration room, located near the service entrance at the rear of the store. Suits or other garments in need of alteration are hung here. A deliveryman takes the clothing to the tailor's shop periodically, and returns each garment as soon as it is completed. In the alteration room the clothing is then placed in individual plastic zipper bags for delivery to the customer.

### Woven Leather Slipper

The slipper shoe, smart indoors or out, is now being done entirely in woven leather for men. Black or brown appear to be preferred colors.

### Best Shoes In U. S.

Each year delegations of shoe industry executives from many foreign lands tour American shoe factories to see how the United States produces the best footwear in the world.



GLAMOUR IN FOOTWEAR

... Designs Accentuate Displays

## Two Eyelet Shoes Win Boys' Fancy

Teen-agers used to ape grown-up shoe styles. Now the same goes for little boys. Just as they have adopted slacks, waistcoats and jackets that are miniatures of the grown-ups, so they want their shoes styled as nearly as possible like the old man's.

Two-eyelet bluchers captured the fancy of the men a couple of seasons ago. Now they are the hot news for small boys. Masculine detailing and shoes that are light and flexible are in line with the trend. And the low top a big style feature.

Very mannish, hence very appealing are such shoes as a two-eyelet oxford in a soft grain leather with brown smooth leather outlining the tapered moccasin vamp and topline. The grain effect is also new looking on an amber tone two-eyelet oxford with a bit of dash in brass eyelets and brown mudguard welting with gold nailheads.

## Congratulations Big Spring...

for having a forward looking company willing to invest for the future in order to provide facilities for shopping usually found only in the larger cities.

## Congratulations Hemphill - Wells...

for the leadership and spirit of friendly co-operation existing in your entire personnel. Their untiring efforts and the sympathetic understanding of your many friends and customers have made the entire project possible.

## We Are Happy!

Our firm was chosen to design, manufacture and install the interior fixtures. Much thought and planning was necessary in order to provide pleasant, convenient shopping. We sincerely hope you find it so.



G. C. Matthews, Mgr.

Amarillo, Texas



LEWIS H. PRICE

## MANAGER SINCE 1946

# Lewis Price Reared In Merchandising

Dallas was Anne Price's home town, and it was New Year's. She and Lewis H. Price, lately Maj. Price of the U. S. Army, had closed up their home in Lubbock for a few days of relaxation before he considered the more prosaic business of getting back to work as a civilian. It was there that Spencer A. Wells caught Price at his hotel one morning.

"Lewis, come on back as soon as you can," said the voice of Hemphill-Wells Company in Lubbock. "I've got something I want to talk to you about."

In retrospect, Lewis Price pauses to reflect: "Now there's a woman's intuition for you. Anne asked me what he wanted and I told her all he had said."

"He wants to send you somewhere," she predicted. Sure enough, when Price walked into Wells' office the next day, Wells greeted him with the announcement that "We've bought a store."

It all ended up with Lewis Price taking over Feb. 1, 1946 as manager of the concern's newly acquired property, formerly the Albert M. Fisher Company, in Big Spring.

There was, perhaps, nothing unusual about that for Lewis Price had been practically reared in the business. He was born in San Angelo where his father, Merriwell Lewis Price — burdened with such a pompous given name because of family connections reaching back to the Lewis and Clark expedition — was working for L. Schwartz & Company. This store was acquired by Baker-Hemphill Company, and in 1909, with two years of college work in Pease Military Academy to his credit, it along with a hitch at business college, young Lewis joined the organization.

His first assignment was in the men's department. In 1921 he vowed that he would never be in the shoe department; later that same year, with a short-lived but severe depression on, 15 clerks got the ax at one whack and Lewis promptly got into shoes. It was there that he became associated with Sam Brewer, who shortly was to go to Big Spring to go to work for the recently organized Albert M. Fisher Company. Brewer later lured J. D. Hassell, another Hemphill man, to Big Spring, and until 1945 Lewis Price hadn't bothered to learn much more about Big Spring.

Baker-Hemphill had opened a store in Lubbock in 1922 and Lewis went there to take care of the shoes. After four years he moved over to his first love, the men's department, and headed it from 1925 to 1942.

In the meantime, he became enamored of a pretty Texas Tech co-ed, Anne Harston, whose father was sheriff of Dallas County. They were married May 29, 1929, in 1934, their daughter, Gayle, was born.

It was in 1942 that Lewis Price held up his hand and Uncle Sam nodded. He got the works in the

Princeton Army PX school and was sent to the post exchange at Salt Lake City. Next he went to activate the exchange in Sioux City, Iowa and by December 1943 was on a boat on the Pacific.

In rapid succession he was on New Caledonia, Guadalcanal, the Russells, and then was setting up an exchange at Munda, New Georgia. Back to Guadalcanal, he got poised for a jump to Green Island, where he activated still another exchange. October 1945 found him in the exchange at Bougainville, and a little later he was in Manila. The end of the war caught him in a base hospital at Manila. He can be specific about Dec. 12, 1945—that was the date he landed back in the States.

W. T. Fain and Scottie Johnson had been alternating as managers here until Price could take over—and this he did on Feb. 1, 1946. One of the first things to which he had to become accustomed was the almost total absence of men clerks. During the war both Albert Fisher, and then Gilbert Gibbs, manager of the men's department, had been called to service. There had not been a man in the business for the previous three years.

Stocking presented problems, too, for everything was on a quota basis. Price went in to see an old supplier of a top brand of shirts and was told his quota was three dozen. "Well, you give them to some other so-and-so and he'll have six dozen," Lewis told him. In the end he got more than three dozen shirts. Moreover, as he made connections, he frequently got allotments as large as the San Angelo and Lubbock stores. Instead of begging them for merchandise, sometimes he was letting them have hard-to-get items.

Steadily the business grew, and Price tried to keep pace despite space limitations. When Woolworth abandoned the lease next door, the gate was down for expanding into a truly fine department store. Evidences of a spreading trade area convinced Price that this was a wise move, and other Hemphill-Wells officials concurred.

Hardly had Price arrived in Big Spring before he was being pressed into civic service. The Rotary had an opening in his classification, and thus a continuity dating back to 1928 was maintained. He was made vice president of the Centennial Association in 1949 and made so many committee sessions he was nick-named "Meetin' Price." He has served as a director and currently as vice president of the Chamber of Commerce; as a member of the executive committee of the Citizens' Traffic Commission; on the board of the United Fund. He is a member of the Knife & Fork Club and a Presbyterian.

Just how thoroughly the Price family has become a part of Big Spring is illustrated by a little matrimonial affair which occurred this year. Gayle married a Big Spring boy, Lt. Ernest Potter.



COMFORT IN SHOE DEPARTMENT ... Milady Can Get Fitted With Ease



TYPICAL IN DRESS DISPLAYS ... You Reach For The One You Like

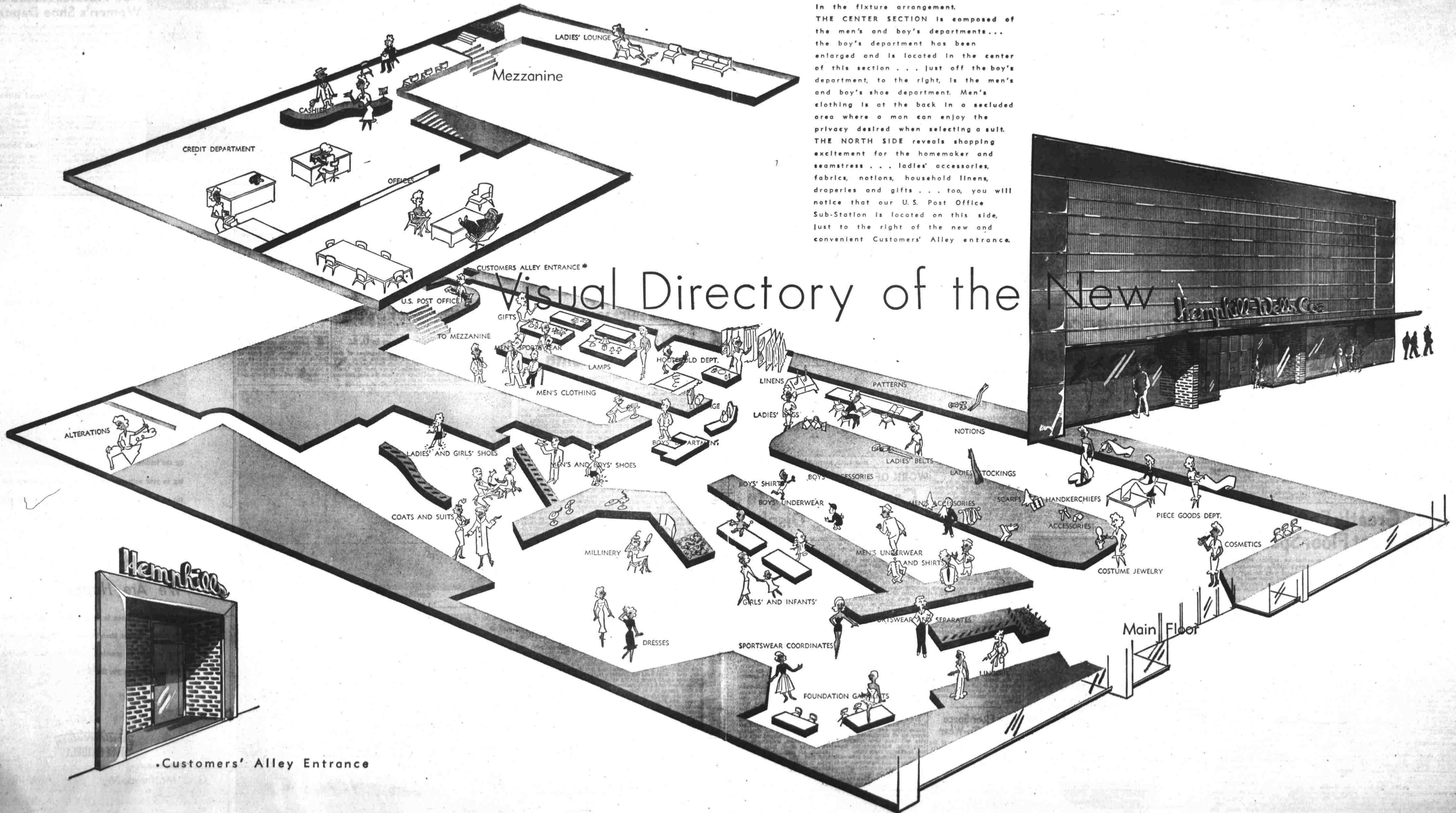
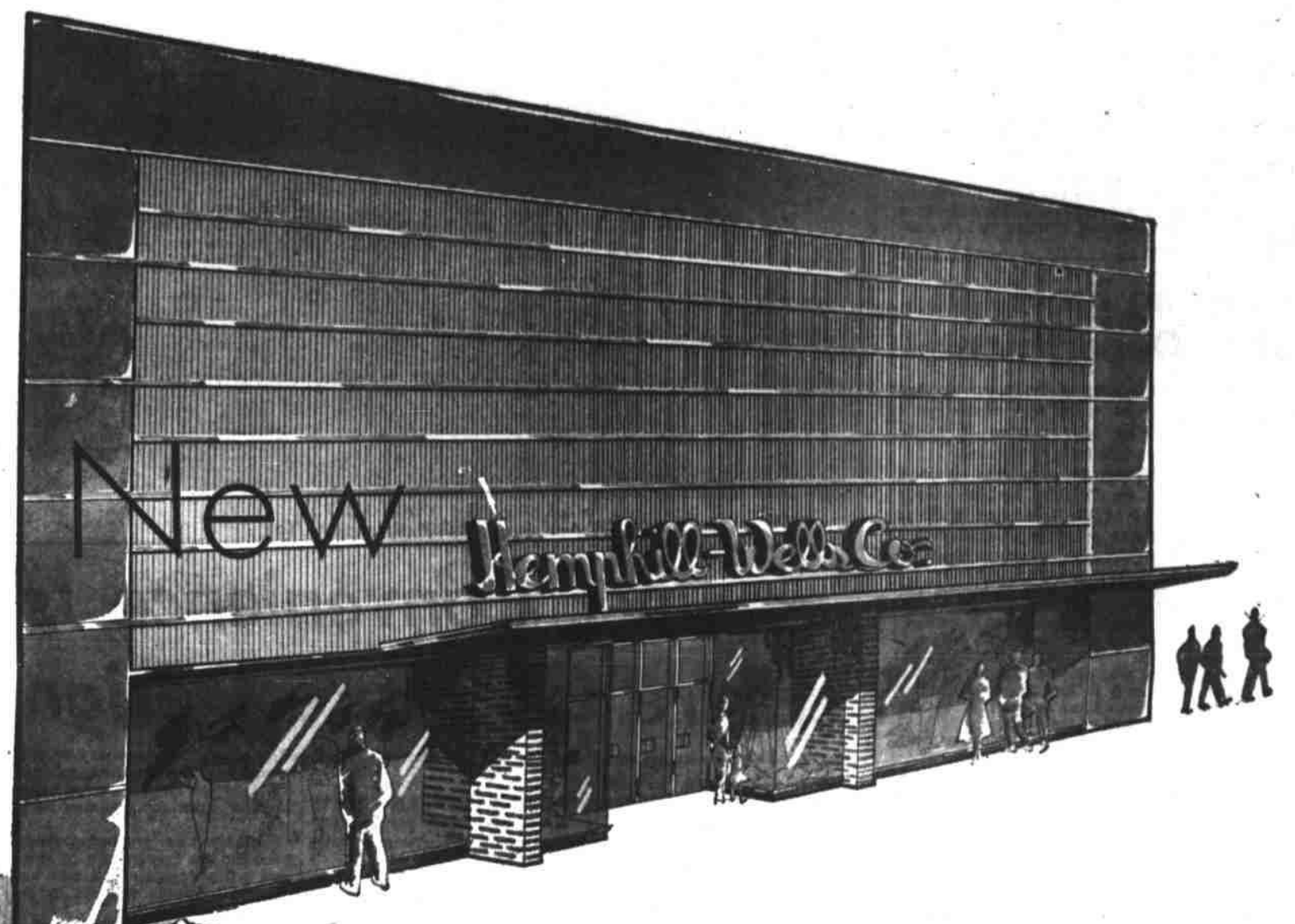
Formal Opening Monday, March 21st  
3:00 p.m. 'til 9:00 p.m.

Customer convenience reaches a new high in our new reconstructed store... soft blending hues throughout, easily found departments, fixtures arranged for accessibility plus aisle-space, and merchandise displayed where it can be easily seen.

THE SOUTH SIDE is devoted to fashions, from exclusive originals to lingerie for the ladies... dainty fashions for the girls and infants... ladies' and girls' shoe department included in the fixture arrangement.

THE CENTER SECTION is composed of the men's and boy's departments... the boy's department has been enlarged and is located in the center of this section... just off the boy's department, to the right, is the men's and boy's shoe department. Men's clothing is at the back in a secluded area where a man can enjoy the privacy desired when selecting a suit. THE NORTH SIDE reveals shopping excitement for the homemaker and seamstress... ladies' accessories, fabrics, notions, household linens, draperies and gifts... too, you will notice that our U.S. Post Office Sub-Station is located on this side, just to the right of the new and convenient Customers' Alley entrance.

# Visual Directory of the New



Customers' Alley Entrance

Main Floor

# Remodeling Program Doubles Sales Space

Spacious and well appointed, the new Hemphill-Wells Company department store is developed with blending two theories of merchandising — self service with aid of clerks.

The new store area has approximately 25,000 square feet, approximately half of it devoted to merchandising. This is about twice the previous area, which, by coincidence parallels the fact that the store has more than doubled its volume since Hemphill-Wells took over in 1946.

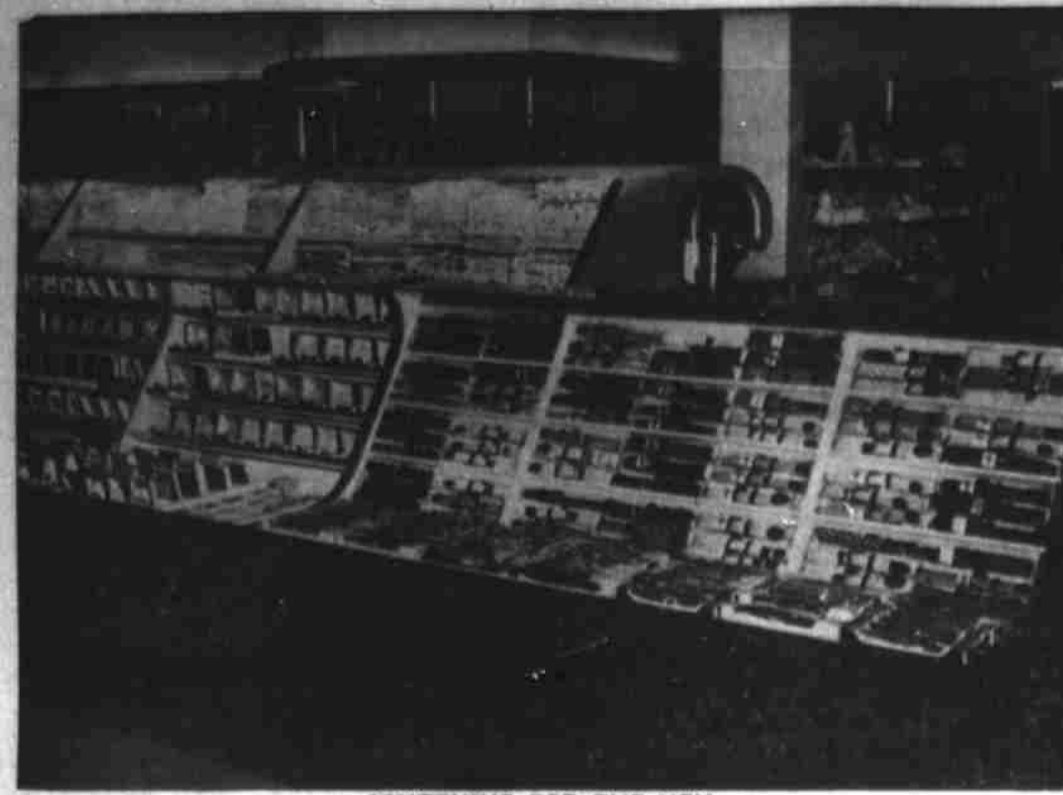
Yellow and blue pastels furnish a pleasant backdrop for the varying colors of goods. Grids of fluorescent lights furnish good illumination. At one point, there is an adjustable spotlight to accentuate any particular item in a department.

The store layout is quite naturally departmentalized, but in a logical line of flow. Bricked planters, accentuated by louvers and spars,

actually disturbing the sweeping view of the entire store. Nor is the free flow of warm or cooled air blocked or hampered while furnishing a degree of separation and even privacy in certain departments.

Although the store has an enlarged balcony, sales activity will be confined to the main floor. The office and lounges — one for employees and one for customers — are located in the balcony area.

Upstairs is stock room space as well as the equipment room for telephone, heating and cooling. The air conditioning employ an unique principle with three separate discharge and intake points. Thermostats are located in the intake duct of each unit so that it is actuated to a desired temperature. Thus, it is possible that two could be discharging cool air while the other discharged warm air to equalize the temperatures. The



SOMETHING FOR THE MEN  
... Personal Items Within Easy Reach

## Six Help With Sales In Men's Department

Six sales persons will be on duty in the enlarged men's department at Hemphill-Wells to assist shoppers in the selection of clothing and shoes for men and boys.

Department manager is Gilbert Gibbs, who also is assistant manager of the entire store. Gibbs will complete a quarter of a century Monday as a sales worker in the same store, although he is not now working for the same company as when he started 25 years ago.

Gibbs started in the same store building, however, as an employee of the Albert M. Fisher Store.

Other sales workers in the men's department are George Weeks, assistant department manager and who specializes in men's clothing; Roscoe Gillean, Mrs. Lee Sanderson, and Louis Beckham.

Duward Luce is manager of the men's and boys' shoe department.

## SOME CAME 'WITH STORE'

Several members of the Hemphill-Wells staff have been with the company since it began operating here in 1946. Some were even with the predecessor, Albert M. Fisher Company.

In this group are Gilbert Gibbs, Mrs. Marguerite Woodson, Mrs. Iovan Phillips, Mrs. Granville Glenn, Mrs. A. W. Evans, and Lillie Mae Nichols. Miss Emily Bradley undoubtedly would be in this group except for her untimely death.

## More Display Made Possible In Men's Department At H-W

Greatly increased floor space in the men's department at Hemphill-Wells will result in a special service to customers.

The larger area will permit more display. It also will make it easier for sales personnel and customers to "coordinate" the purchase of shirts and slacks, sports coats, jackets, etc.

With the convenient displays, sales workers will be enabled to demonstrate to customers the various combinations available in the new styles and colors, Gilbert Gibbs, department manager, explained.

## 47 Regularly On Hemphill Payroll

Operating a department store with the size and scope of Hemphill-Wells is no small matter. Payroll records show an average of 47 employees for the store. Around certain seasons, notably the Yuletide, employment may rise sharply. Last year it peaked out at 67 staff members.

## More Room, More Merchandise In Gift Department

The gift department of the Hemphill-Wells store has more room and more merchandise than ever before.

Russell Stover candies are featured in the department, from a 10-cent bar to a \$6.50 box. This candy was rated as the Number One candy in 1953 and 1954 by the National Candy Association, judged by taste.

China, pottery, and Fostoria crystal are carried in the department. Also, novelty gifts such as waxed fruit, Indian brass fixtures, wrought iron novelties, and the Hummel figurines made in Germany.

Montag stationery and Gibson Art gift cards are also carried in this department.

## Jewelry, Accessories For Men Given Special Display

The jewelry section of the men's department at Hemphill-Wells is greatly enlarged in the modernized store.

Gilbert Gibbs, men's department manager, pointed out that an eight-foot display case will be devoted exclusively to jewelry. This will include cuff links, clasps, lighters and similar items.

In addition, another display will feature such men's accessories and gifts as travel kits, brush sets, stationery, memo pads, desk accessories and similar items.

All of the jewelry and gift articles will be on "open display" as is most other merchandise. Customers will be enabled to inspect the wide selection at their leisure.

The new fixtures and display racks are made of mahogany. Shelves all are of glass, plastic or chrome and are adjustable to provide ample display space for nearly any accessory item.

Tops of shelves are made of formica, a hard, plastic-like substance which resists scuffing and scratching.

## Privacy In Fitting Provided In Men's Shoe Department

One of the most "secluded" sections of the new Hemphill-Wells store is the shoe department for men and boys.

It is located adjacent to the women's shoe department at the rear and in the center section of the store.

The men's shoe section is separated from the women's side by louvers of redwood spars, which effectively restrict the view from one department to another, but which have no effect on the circulation of conditioned air through the two areas.

It is situated at the left and just



MAILING FOR YOUR GIFTS  
... And Prompt Gift Wrapping, Too

## 3 Tube Stations Handle Money In Ladies Department

The ladies' ready-to-wear department at Hemphill-Wells is now so large that three "tube" stations have been set up for quick financial transactions.

The stations are in the front of the building, about mid-way and toward the back. Whichever sector of the department the customer happens to be in at the time of the purchase will determine the tube station used.

Money and charge tickets are sent by "tube" to the business office where proper change is made. The change is back at the proper station in a minimum of time.

## Customer Convenience Is Feature Of Store Design

The architects had customer convenience in mind when they designed Hemphill-Wells' modern new store.

Several features of the remodeler store point this up.

For instance, there are 11 pay stations in the new store. There were only four in the old establishment. A pay station is situated in close proximity to every sub-department, so that customers and clerks won't find it necessary to cross half the floor area to complete a transaction.

"Traffic" will move more smoothly in the new store, also. All aisles have been widened, to permit easy passage. In addition, the broad passageways lead directly to every department. Customers won't have to go through one section to reach another.

Also for the comfort and convenience of customers are the carpeting and the upholstered chairs in all departments.

Glass doors at the front of the store permit easy access to the interior, as well as facilitate a swing-laden exit. The doors swing both inward and outward, with little effort required for opening.

In addition, Hemphill-Wells has added a rear entrance for the convenience. Located at the northwest corner of the store, the rear entrance is expected to prove especially popular with persons working in the Permian and Petroleum buildings, as well as other businesses in that area. Customers also may dismount from a car in the alley at the rear of the store and enter through the auxiliary entrance. They may have the car meet them at the rear of the store after the shopping tour is completed, making it unnecessary to carry packages for great distances.

A complete lounge is provided in the new store for feminine shoppers.

Probably the greatest arrangement for the convenience of shoppers is the design of the new and refurbished display fixtures in the store.

Although Hemphill-Wells isn't a self-service store, all merchandise is arranged on self-service type display cases and racks. Shoppers will be able to see virtually every article in the store without having to call on a sales person to pull something out of a box or from under a counter.

Fitting rooms for clothing also are designed for comfort and convenience.

And of course the entire store is equipped with central heating and air conditioning. A full 30 tons of cooling capacity is provided by the three refrigerative-type air conditioning units with which the store is equipped.

## Millinery Unit Also Expanded

The women's millinery department at Hemphill-Wells has been expanded considerably with the remodeling project which has just been completed.

Quite a bit of floor space is devoted to the department, and a number of new hat tables have been added. Mrs. Sally White, manager of the department, said that there will be three customer seating places which have mirrors.

The department has a semi-circular arrangement, enclosed with hat tables and a huge waist-high planter connected to the ceiling with mahogany spirals.

A number of exclusive lines will be handled, including rather expensive "Marche". Among the better types are Belaire, Coralie, Phil Strann, and Helen Joyce. Some of the less expensive models stocked include Modern Miss, Valerie and Evelynvaron.

A good many of the numbers are displayed on top of the tables, and some are arranged on special racks.

## 'Home Scenes' Are Used To Display Drapes, Bedding

The drapery and bedding department will have three new innovations at Hemphill-Wells.

In one corner there is a bathroom, set in the wall area exactly like it would be in your home. Bathroom fixtures, such as curtains, towels, and other things, add to the decoration.

This display is arranged to give you an idea how the various items would look in your home.

Too, there is a section of the wall set up like a living room window. Draperies and curtains are hung in front of the window to clearly illustrate the merchandise.

In the middle of the department there is a large bed, which will be used to demonstrate bedspreads and other bedding supplies which Hemphill-Wells has for sale.

## Men's Unit Greatly Enlarged With 3,000-Foot Floor Space

The most enlarged section of Hemphill-Wells' new Big Spring store is the men's department.

The department now occupies some 3,000 square feet and extends through the center of the store from the main entrance to the back wall.

The men's department is divided into four sub-departments, or "bays." Each bay is separated from the others by the arrangement of the modern, new display fixtures.

The sub-departments are accessories, boys' clothing, men's clothing, and men's and boys' shoes.

The men's department is the first section of the new store customers see as they approach the store through the expansive glass front entrance. Broad aisles sweep to the right and left from the entrance, to carry customers to other departments.

On the left side of the store, as one enters, is the ready-to-wear department. On the right side is the notions and gifts department.

As a customer enters the men's department from the front, he approaches the clothing sections between large display cases in which Hemphill-Wells' large array of accessories are shown. On hand are displays of jewelry, such as cuff links, clasps, lighters, etc. On the other are such accessories items as shirts, ties, and socks, along with pajamas and lounging attire.

As in virtually all other departments of the store, "open display" of the self-service type will be featured in the men's accessories bay.

New fixtures—all of mahogany—are of the open type with shelves and racks adjustable so that practically any item offered will be easily visible. A customer can see almost all articles in any bay

simply by swinging his glance in a semi-circle.

Gilbert Gibbs, men's department manager and assistant manager of the store, said that few items, such as jewelry, will be under glass, but that all others will be on the open shelves and racks.

Just back of the accessories bay is the boys' clothing bay. Everything imaginable in boys' wear, from shorts and shirts to slacks and suits, will be on open display here. The rectangular area has displays for shirts, socks and similar garments around the sides. In the center are the chrome racks of suits, slacks and sports coats and jackets.

The boys' section is equipped with its own fitting rooms and with boy-size triple mirrors.

It is served at the rear of the store by the same alteration delivery room which serves the men's clothing section. Garments being sent to the tailor for alterations a deliveryman picks them up, takes them to the tailor for fitting. The finished garments are returned to the delivery room where they are ready to be picked up by the customer. Each altered garment is delivered in an individual plastic zipper bag.

Floor of both boys' clothing and accessories sections are in the gleaming new vinyl tile, which feels almost like rubber underfoot and which requires no waxing to maintain its lustrous surface finish. The broad aisle through the center of the men's department also is floored with vinyl. The selling area in the men's clothing and shoe sections is carpeted in a deep, rich green.

At the rear of the store and in a secluded area, which gives men customers as much privacy as the



JEWELRY IN A HEXAGON  
... Illuminated Top Turns



MRS. LOLA KNOWLES

## WORK OF LOLA KNOWLES Careful Planning In Advertising, Display

Presence of poodies in Hemphill-Wells windows this week is no matter of chance or even of sudden inspiration.

Actually, the idea was slow in developing and has been fitted methodically into a formal operating and merchandising plan. This is the where the display and advertising department fits into the operations of a large department store such as Hemphill-Wells.

There is perhaps no department in the store which must so completely anticipate the actions of all merchandise plans and so closely support current sales efforts as this department.

Hemphill-Wells is the only concern in Big Spring which maintains a completely separate advertising and display department. Heading up this division is Mrs. Milton Knowles, known around the store simply as Lola. The public likely will not see much of her, for her department will be tucked away downstairs in the east end. Each morning she will be developing advertising layouts, staying at least a week ahead on dummies and copy. Afterwards will be devoted to developing displays.

Every two weeks major changes must be made in the windows. Within those two week periods, every bit of merchandise on display will have been changed at least once. Sometimes the basic idea is changed more often.

Store conferences and talks with management and department heads help point up sales emphasis. These are worked off the National Retail Dry Goods Calendar. Then the idea mill is set to grinding on how to cleverly create demand for bathing suits or neckties.

This department must maintain literally hundreds of "props" (props) ranging from scatter material for floor covering to well-poodies. Scatter material comes in a variety of vivid colors or of wood

## Some Carpeting For Display Only

Some of the plush carpeting in the remodeled Hemphill-Wells store will never be walked on.

It is on the top of display stands where various merchandise will be shown.

Male customers will be able to get some idea as to how the new colors, such as mint green, cognac and black, will go together when they inspect displays of the combinations on the carpeted stand near the entrance to the men's department.

There also will be carpeted stands in other departments of the store, to show off the latest in merchandise.

All of the carpeting will be of the same type and color as that used on the floors. It is soft, green-colored, and is laid on rubber matting for the ultimate in walking and standing comfort in the carpeted floor areas.

## More Floor Space In Ready-To-Wear

Most impressive feature of the new ladies' ready to wear department at Hemphill-Wells is the tremendous amount of floor space.

The department has the entire south portion of the building, from front to back, and there is adequate room for display of all clothing items. There is plenty of room for customers, too, even in the rush buying season.

Mrs. Auda Stanford, manager of the department, comments that the present layout is a far cry from the cubby hole arrangement which the department had before remodeling.

J.L.'s famous last words..



*"Well it's done fellows...I guess the Hemphill-Wells bunch  
can run it all right, but they sure couldn't have built it"*

... and we of Hemphill-Wells Co., would like to add a few words to J.L.'s famous last remark... we wish to pay our highest respects to all of the many, many Craftsmen who put their heart and soul into this fine job... from Dewitt & Maeker, architects, to the Pioneer Builders and Southwestern Store Fixture Co... down to the smallest Sub-Contractor... to all we acknowledge a great debt of gratitude... never have we seen a group of men who seemed so concerned in making everything "Just Right."

Time and time again, details were called to our attention and mistakes averted where they would have been easier to ignore. It was a great undertaking, a tremendous job and most difficult at times... many new innovations were tried for the first time... and we want you to know that we are extremely proud of the workmanlike manner in which you accepted the challenge... we sincerely feel that we have the best job in the nation... we only hope that, in the years to come, you will continue to point with pride and say, "I HELPED BUILD THE HEMPHILL PLANT."

**"THANKS FELLOWS...FOR A GOOD JOB WELL DONE"**

*formal opening Monday 3:00 p. m. 'til 9:00 ...Everyone invited*

*You are invited  
to attend  
The Formal Opening  
of the new  
Hemphill-Wells Co.  
Monday, March 21st  
from 3:00 p.m. until 9:00  
Open House, just for looking  
We hope you will come*

ENTER IN FRONT OR BY THE NEW "ALLEY ENTRANCE"

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SUNDAY, MARCH 20, 1935

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BY AL CAPP

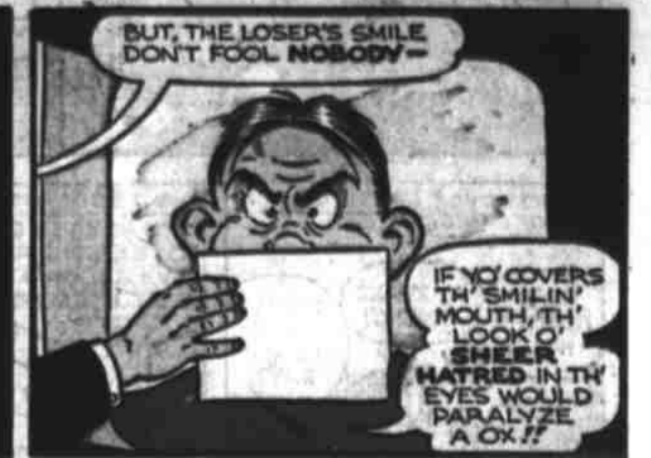
HOG PALACE TONIGHT PROFESSOR FLEASONG will deliver 1000 CHOOR "SMILES" SHOES COMPULSORY



A SMILE DONT NECESSARILY MEAN TH' SMILER IS HAPPY!! MOST SMILES MEAN TH' SMILER IS MIZZABLE!!

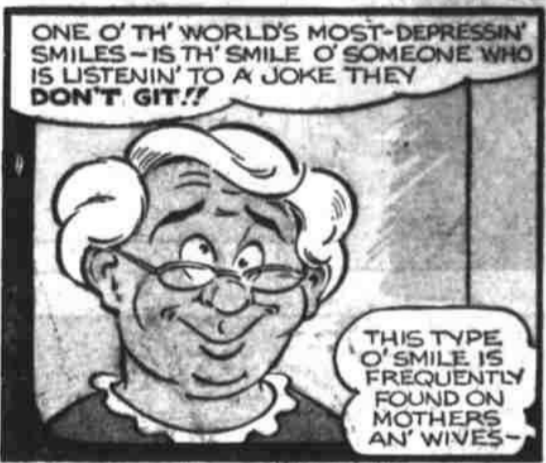


FO' INSTANCE, TAKE TH' "LOSER'S SMILE" YO' SEES THIS TYPE, EVERY DAY, ON TH' SPORTS PAGES—



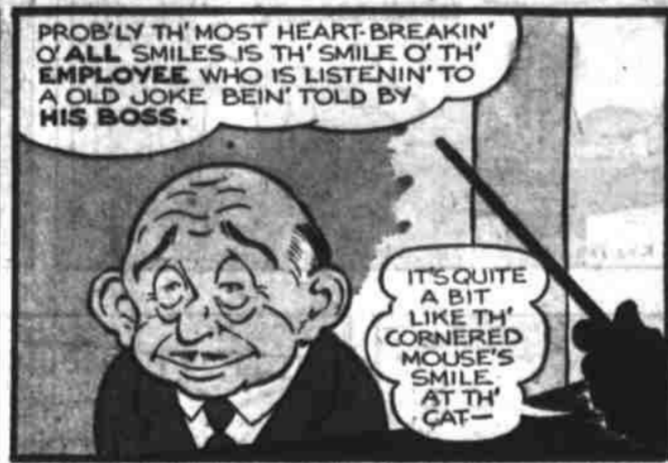
BUT, THE LOSER'S SMILE DONT FOOL NOBODY—

IF YO' COVERS TH' SMILIN' MOUTH, TH' LOOK O' SHEER HATRED IN TH' EYES WOULD PARALYZE A OX!!



ONE O' TH' WORLD'S MOST-DEPRESSIN' SMILES—IS TH' SMILE O' SOMEONE WHO IS LISTENIN' TO A JOKE THEY DONT GIT!!

THIS TYPE O' SMILE IS FREQUENTLY FOUND ON MOTHERS AN' WIVES—



PROB'LY TH' MOST HEART-BREAKIN' O' ALL SMILES IS TH' SMILE O' TH' EMPLOYEE WHO IS LISTENIN' TO A OLD JOKE BEIN' TOLD BY HIS BOSS.

IT'S QUITE A BIT LIKE TH' CORNERED MOUSE'S SMILE, AT TH' CAT—



THIS IS TH' SMILE O' A FATHER LISTENIN' TO A STORY O' SOMETHIN' CUTE, DONE BY SOMEONE ELSE'S CHILD—



HERE'S THE SAME FATHER, LISTENIN' TO TH' SAME STORY O' TH' SAME THING, DONE BY HIS CHILD!!



PROB'LY TH' MOST BLOOD-CURDLIN' O' ALL SMILES IS TH' SMILES O' LADIES WHO HATES EACH OTHER—

-AN' SO, NATCHERLY, IS BEIN' PARTIK'LARLY SWEET TO EACH OTHER.



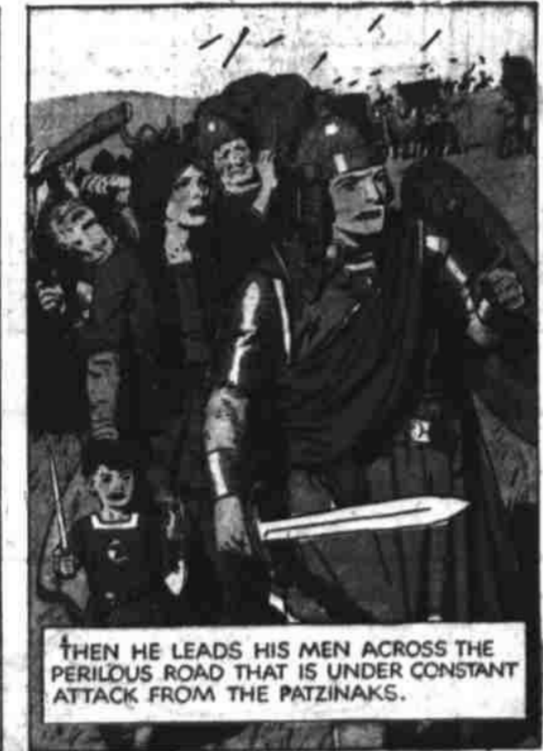
-AN' FINALLY, THIS IS TH' HOPEFUL SMILE OF A HONGRY LECTURER WHO'LL STARVE T' DEATH—ONLESS YO' CORN-TRIBUTES GENERUSSLY, WHILE HE PASSES TH' HAT—

POSITIVELY NO SMILIN'



BUT O' SOB'S THEM IS TH' DEEP, THOUGHTFUL SMILES O' CHEAP SKATES WHO IS PERTENDIN' T' THINK O' SOMETHIN' ELSE, AS THEY SASHAYS OUT, WIFOUT DONATIN' ONE RED CENT!!

Prince Valiant IN THE DAYS OF KING ARTHUR by Harold R. Foster



THEN HE LEADS HIS MEN ACROSS THE PERILOUS ROAD THAT IS UNDER CONSTANT ATTACK FROM THE PATZINAKS.



WHEN NIGHT FALLS ONE SHIP AND ALL THEIR GEAR IS SAFELY PORTAGED ABOVE THE FALLS; WHILE BELOW, SIX LEAGUES AWAY.....



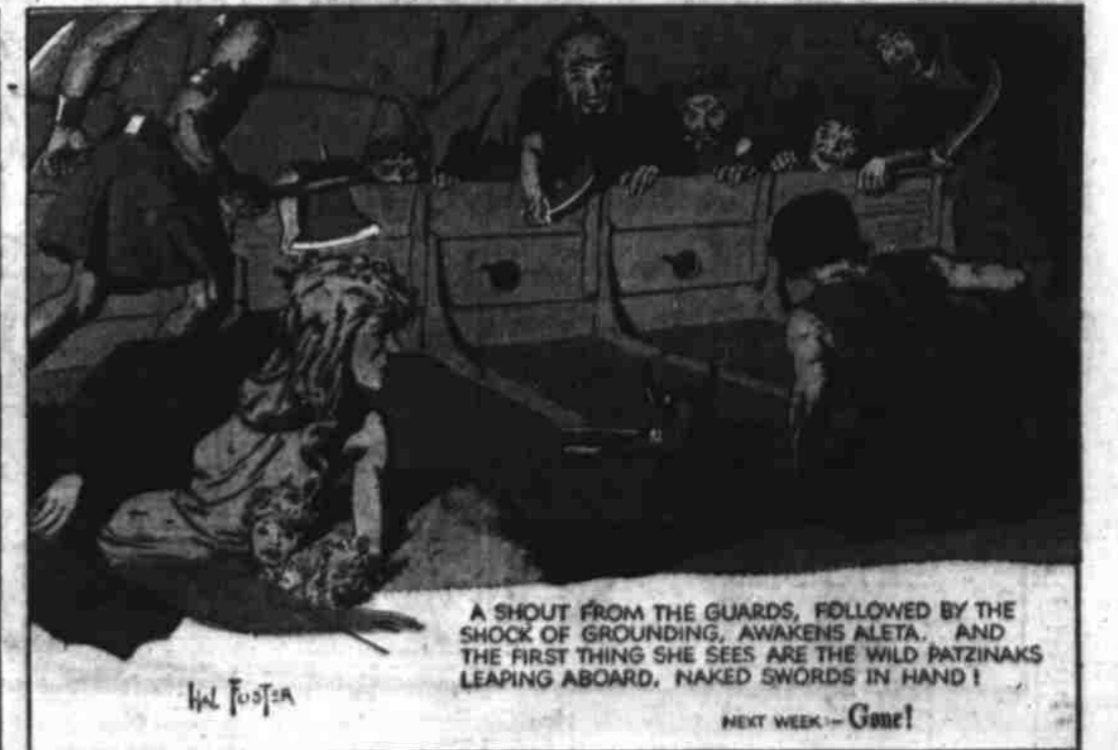
...THE OTHER SHIP SWAYS IN THE FOAM-FLECKED CURRENT THE ANCHOR HOLDS FIRM, BUT UNSEEN IN THE DARK WATERS BELOW A ROCK RUBS THE CABLE!



FIRST TO NOTICE THAT THE LONGSHIP IS DRIFTING AWAY ARE THE PATZINAKS, WHO FOR DAYS HAVE WATCHED THIS PRIZE FROM AMONG THE ROCKS.



STEALTHILY THEY FOLLOW IT ALONG THE BANK UNTIL A SWIRL IN THE CURRENT BRINGS IT ASHORE.



A SHOUT FROM THE GUARDS, FOLLOWED BY THE SHOCK OF GROUNDING, AWAKENS ALETA. AND THE FIRST THING SHE SEES ARE THE WILD PATZINAKS LEAPING ABOARD, NAKED SWORDS IN HAND!

HAL FOSTER

NEXT WEEK—GONE!



# RUSTY RILEY

**A NEWCASTER CAUTIOUSLY WARNS HIS LISTENERS THE WORLD HAS NOT BEEN INVADIED FROM SPACE.**

FOLKS, I'VE JUST RECEIVED THE LATEST BULLETIN ON THAT ALLEGED FLYING SAUCER AT MILESTONE FARM... DON'T BE ALARMED... THE REPORT THAT A MAN FROM MARS LANDED THERE IS NOT TRUE... IT'S A HOAX!

**BUT STATIC CAN PLAY STRANGE TRICKS.**

...LATEST BULLETIN ON THAT (SQUAWK) FLYING SAUCER AT MILESTONE FARM... YOU SHOULD (RRRK) BE ALARMED. (ZZZT) THE REPORT THAT A MAN FROM MARS LANDED THERE IS (OOOEEEE) TRUE (QURRRK)

SHOCKED BY THE NEWS AS HE HEARD IT THE DRIVER LETS HIS CAR GO MOMENTARILY OUT OF CONTROL.

GOOD HEAVENS!

HEY! LOOK OUT!

HEY, WAIT! COME BACK, YOU... I WANT TO SEE YOUR LICENSE!

SORRY... NO TIME! GOT TO RUN FOR IT... THE MEN FROM MARS HAVE LANDED!

AS THE RUMOR SPREADS, SOME FOLKS PANIC...

HEAD FOR THE HILLS!

MARTIANS COMING!

THEY'VE GOT DEATH RAYS!

...AND SOME ARE JUST CURIOUS... LET'S MBANDER OUT TO MILESTONE AND TAKE A LOOK AT THAT STRANGE CRITTER!

DON'T MIND IF I DO... I NEVER YET LAID EYES ON A FELLER FROM MARS!

MEANWHILE, THE INNOCENT CAUSE OF ALL THE EXCITEMENT SCURRIES INTO THE FOREST.

I BET I CAN FIND A GOOD HIDING PLACE IN THIS OLD WOODS!

SAY, MAYBE BUBBO HEARD YOU CALLING THE POLICE AND GOT SCARED... HE WOULDN'T KNOW YOU WERE JUST TRYING TO HELP HIM.

THAT COULD BE, RUSTY... YOU'D BETTER GO LOOK FOR HIM AND BRING HIM BACK!

BUBBO... HEY, BUBBO, COME BACK! YOO-HOO, BUBBO!

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# DONALD DUCK

CITY SCHOOL

WELL, CONGRATULATIONS! YOUR FIRST "A"!

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# Joe PALOOKA

McFadden Syndicates, Inc. by HAM FISHER REG. U.S. PAT. OFF.

JERRY SAYS THE WHOLE TEAM'S "CRAZY" ABOUT HIM. HE MUST BE ON HIS GOOD BEHAVIOR. HE SAYS HE WON A BALL GAME BY HIMSELF.

I WONDER HOW TOO BAD HE DIDN'T DESCRIBE THE GAME.

BEAR READER... THIS IS HOW IT HAPPENED.

DUKE'S TEAM IS PLAYIN' PEE-WEE'S TEAM. I GO IN LATER WHEN IT'S IMPORTANT.

OH, MISTER LEEMY, YOU'RE WONDERFUL!

HEY, PEE-WEE... HOW 'BOUT LETTIN' ME PITCH... IT'S TH' THOID INNIN' ARREDDOY?

NOT YET. BRING SOME EXTRA TOWELS.

THE LAST HALF OF THE NINTH INNING. PEE-WEE'S TEAM LEADS BY ONE RUN. THE DUKE'S HAS TWO OUT WITH THE TYING RUN ON THIRD AND THE POSSIBLE WINNING RUN AT BAT.

NOW! PLEASE... MY GOIL FRIEND'S WAITIN' T'SEE ME PLAY... PUH-LEEZE!

OH... OKAY... PLAY CENTER FIELD.

THAT'S AS FAR OUT OF THE WAY AS I CAN GET HIM!

AWRIGHT... AWRIGHT... LE'S GO, MEN... LE'S GIT THIS BUM... HE'S EASY.

IT'S A POP-UP OVER THE INFIELD...

I GOT IT... I GOT IT... OUTA ME WAY

I'LL TAKE IT, BOYS.

IT'S AN EASY OUT... GAME'S OVER!

POINGG!

WHOW! THAT WAS CLOSE.

NICE CATCH, PEE-WEE, WE WIN.

IF IT WASN'T FER ME... HE'D NEVER OF CAUGHT TH' BALL. I GOT CREDIT FER A AFFISHUL ASSIST. I WIN TH' GAME?

OH, MR. LEEMY YOU'RE WONDERFUL... THAT LUMP ON YOUR HEAD IS GETTING BIGGER.

TO BE CONTINUED

# GRIN and BIAH IT



"You couldn't have embezzled THAT much money just to chase women Sneedby! ... You MUST have married one! ..."



"Is selling it on installment plan, comrade! ... You are getting another installment of it as soon as glorious factory makes it ..."



"The budget must and can be balanced, gentlemen! ... Accordingly, I shall introduce several amendments to the laws of arithmetic ..."



"I see no reason for taking samples of our culture with me ... There may be happy people there ..."

## CASEY RUGGLES



WE WANT THAT CONCORD OFF THE ROAD! THIS IS ----

TOM!- RUGGLES IS COMIN'!



FEELIN' GOOD ENOUGH TO TELL YOU WE DON'T NEED YOU 'ROUND HERE NO MORE.

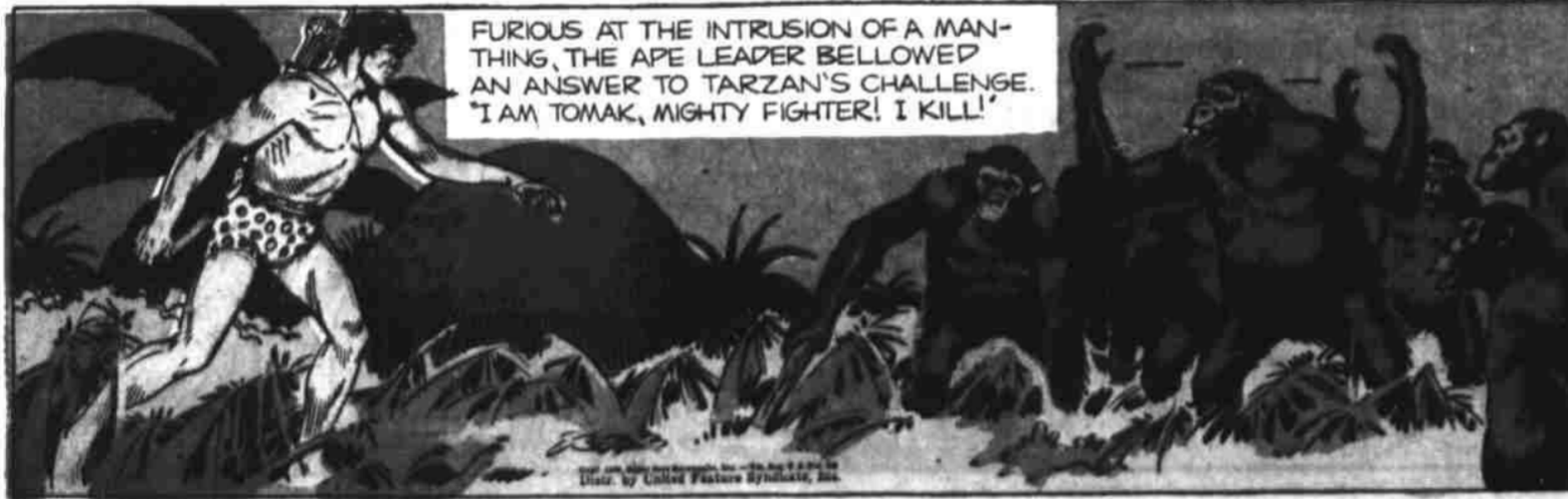


BEHIND THAT CURTAIN--

YOU HEARD ME. DON'T WANT YOU NO MORE.



## TARZAN



FURIOUS AT THE INTRUSION OF A MAN-THING, THE APE LEADER BELLOWED AN ANSWER TO TARZAN'S CHALLENGE. 'I AM TOMAK, MIGHTY FIGHTER! I KILL!'

## Edgar Rice Burroughs



TARZAN WAITED FOR THE INEVITABLE CHARGE. EVERY FIBER OF HIS POWERFUL BODY ALERTED FOR COMBAT--



THE APE COLLAPSED, TEMPORARILY STUNNED, AND THE JUNGLE LORD LEAPED FOR HIS BACK WITH A PANTHER'S AGILITY--



BUT THE MASSIVE TOMAK WAS QUICK TO RECOVER AND TARZAN GRIMACED IN PAIN FROM A MERCILESS, BONE-CRUSHING GRIP!

# OUT OUR WAY

# The Willets

By J. R. Williams



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# BRENDA STARR

GOLLY, BEAUTIFUL, I HOPE IT'S NOT BAD NEWS--!

IT'S--IT'S FROM BURT!

DUE TO ALL THE PUBLICITY OVER THE DEATH OF HIS MOTHER-- AND THAT AWFUL PARTY BURT HAS LEFT FOR PARTS UNKNOWN--!

WONDER WHAT HE'S GOING TO DO ABOUT THAT FABULOUS WARDROBE.

THAT'S ABOUT ALL SHE LEFT HIM, TOO, THEY SAY!

IMAGINE PUTTING A FORTUNE IN CLOTHES THAT GO OUT OF STYLE IN 3 WEEKS!

AND CONSERVATIVE ESTIMATES SAY OVER \$200,000!

WOW--! IS IT TRUE, BRENDA, THAT THERE'S EVEN A PINK MINK PETTICOAT?

BRENDA! WHERE'D SHE GO? SHE SEEMED UPSET!

GUESS SHE TOOK BURT'S LEAVING PRETTY HARD!

WELL, ISN'T THE PATTERN ALWAYS THE SAME FOR BRENDA?

DOESN'T SOMETHING ALWAYS HAPPEN TO THE MEN IN HER LIFE?

YEAH! BUT MY GUESS IS THERE WAS SOMETHING ELSE IN THAT TELEGRAM--

LATER: IN THE PENTHOUSE OF THE LATE GWEN GAY--

BUT--BUT--I JUST CAN'T BELIEVE IT!

IT'S ALL HERE IN BLACK AND WHITE, MISS STARR. THIS WARDROBE IS YOURS, ALL YOURS!

GAWRSH... AIN'T IT BEAUTIFUL?

YEP... NOTHING LIKE A SPRING DAY!

I THINK I'LL WET A LINE RIGHT ABOUT HERE!

I'LL JUST WANDER AROUND AND SOAK UP THIS FRESH AIR!

HI, BABE! ON A DAY LIKE THIS I FEEL IRRESISTIBLE!

HMMM... PRETTY BIG EGGS!

LOOK, PAL... NO SENSE IN GETTING TOUGH! I GOT NO DESIGNS ON YOUR EGGS!

GLUCK!

CAREFUL! YOU HAVEN'T GOT A CHANCE AGAINST SUPERIOR SKILL AND INTELLIGENCE!

IT'S ALL A MATTER OF FOOTWORK AND... UGH!

WELL, ON THE OTHER HAND... THERE'S A LOT TO BE SAID FOR JUST PLAIN BRUTE STRENGTH!

Walt Disney

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# PENNY

By Harry Hoenigsen

BE QUIET, DEAR, YOUR FATHER IS DOING HOMEWORK.

MOTHER, YOU'RE KIDDING.

NO I'M NOT, HE'S GOING TO SCHOOL TO STUDY FOR SOME SPECIAL WORK HE IS TO DO. HE'S INSIDE AT HIS HOMEWORK.

YIKES!

AHEM, IS YOUR HOMEWORK GIVING YOU TROUBLE, FATHER?

HUMPH--WELL, A LITTLE--

WHY, THESE ARE SIMPLE ALGEBRA EQUATIONS. CAN'T YOU DO THEM?

CERTAINLY I CAN DO THEM, I WAS A WHIZ AT ALGEBRA, I'M JUST A LITTLE RUSTY.

I HAVE TO TURN THIS STUFF IN IN THE MORNING--AH-- IF YOU COULD HELP ME--

HEAVENS, FATHER, IT'S JUST AS YOU ALWAYS TELL ME--

YOU ALWAYS SAY IT WON'T DO ME ANY GOOD IF YOU DO MY WORK, YOU SAY I WOULDN'T HAVE TROUBLE WITH HOMEWORK IF I PAID ATTENTION IN CLASS.

I THOUGHT I UNDERSTOOD IT.

LOOK, PRINCESS, I APOLOGIZE FOR EVERYTHING IN THE PAST. WILL YOU PLEASE DO THOSE PROBLEMS?

NATCH, I WON'T LET YOU DOWN, FATHER.

REVENGE, AS THE POET SAYS IS DEFINITELY SWEET!

Hoenigsen

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# TOOTS CASPER

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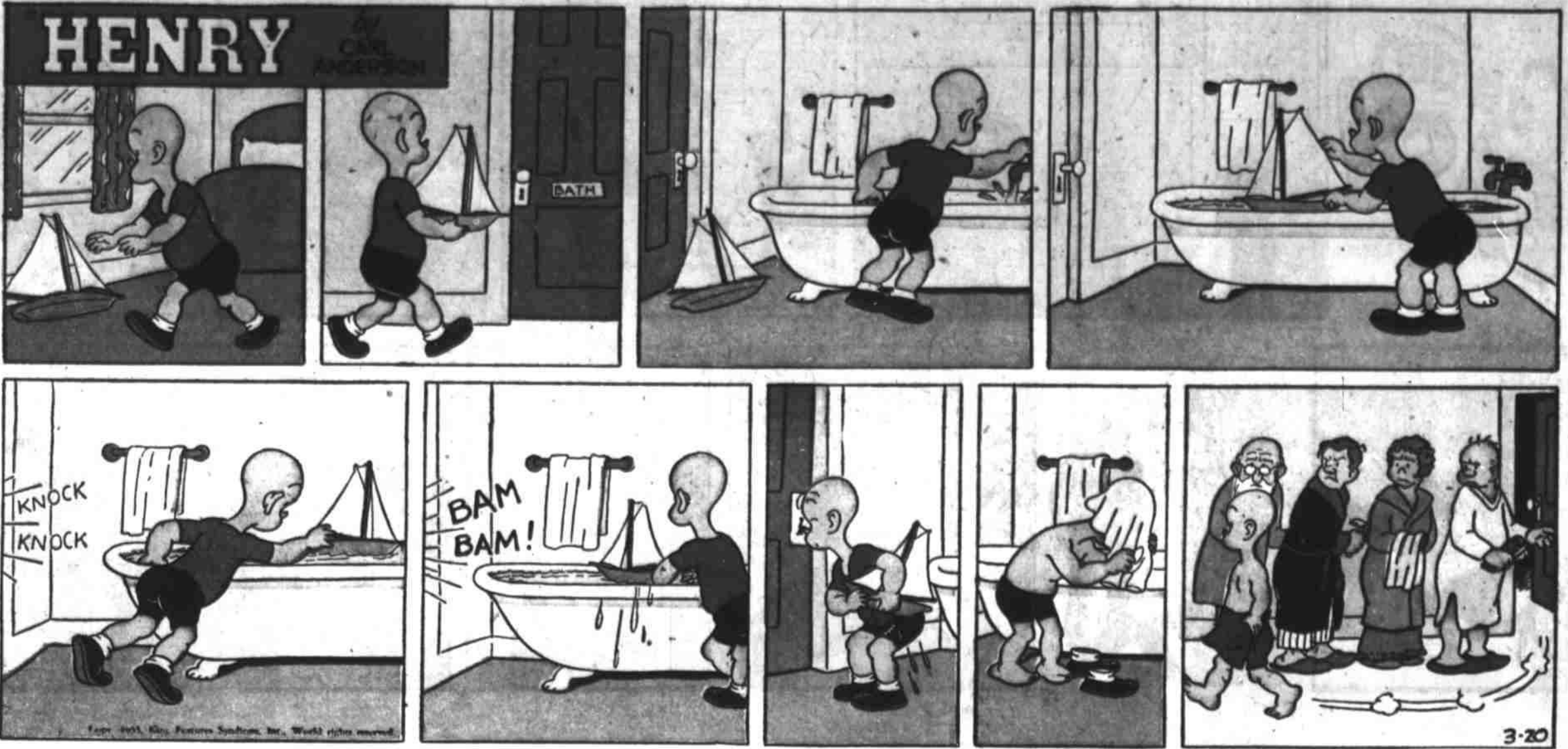
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# Captain EASY

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## OUR BOARDING HOUSE

With Major Hoople



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**BIG SPRING DAILY HERALD**



Veteran Dude Wrangler  
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**Do You Have a Million-Dollar Invention?**



## I was just thinking...

... I'M AFRAID we startled our dinner guest pretty badly. Dinner was on the table and I guess we weren't very polite.

He was delivering a discussion on tax rates when we suddenly took his hands and bowed our heads and my sister recited a blessing in a fast monotone.

I couldn't resist the temptation to peek. Our guest was cut off in the middle of a percentage basis and it still lay on his lips. There was a strange look on his face.

Then he smiled, slowly and quietly, to himself. I liked his smile, and after grace there was a new bond among all of us. We were friends.

I can't remember why we began holding hands around the table in the first place. We're not the kind of family given to effervescent emotion, but we've always said grace. It comes as naturally as brushing the teeth. Sometimes, I fear, quite as automatically.

The grace we say is a child's rhyme. I don't suppose it's even a very good one and it lends itself admirably to a singsong chant, which is just the way my sister learned it



H. Armstrong Roberts.

and brought it home when she was in pigtails. But even when she's not around, it comes just the same from a gray-haired member of the family.

Lots of families sit down to a meal without saying anything more than "Pass the salt." That's all right with me. Everyone to his own seasoning. But we like ours and we don't apologize to strangers. It doesn't seem necessary. The smile on the face of our dinner guest, startled and rebuked, wasn't unkind. It was pleased. Maybe he thought us quaint. Maybe he went home and laughed a little. Or maybe he wondered. Maybe we don't seem the type.

But maybe there isn't a type at all. I don't think we'd have to clasp our hands together and bow our heads and let a prayer drift across the table in order to win a ticket to heaven. I think a lot of people make it without announcing their intentions.

Still, it's possible that there's something almost as important as the daily bread.

The hand's warmth.

The heart's blessing.

Patty Johnson



### A COLOR-FULL FAMILY ARGUMENT

My husband and I can't seem to agree on the color scheme for the interior of our home. I feel that the color scheme should be left to my discretion since I remain in the house most of the day. I want the colors to be livable instead of the outrageous shades he has chosen. Is this decorating problem a matter that should be a wife's privilege to decide, or am I wrong?—Mrs. E. L., Tallahassee, Fla.

#### For Problems: A Way That Works

Folks who have problems which they consider insurmountable might take a cue from Alcoholics Anonymous. Instead of trying to make bold, long-term, often-frustrating plans, these "forgotten legions" have a very workable day-to-day approach. Each morn-

ing the AA promises himself he won't take a drink that day. He doesn't try to see beyond that day. This puts the problem on a current basis, within grasp.

Surely this realistic "today" approach would spare those with other problems a lot of grief. Suppose, for instance, the man intent on suicide paused each morning and promised himself that somehow he'd get through that one day. As with the AA, that one day would become another and another . . . and his problem would be solved.—Bill Copeland, Sarasota, Fla.

#### Club for God-Sharers, Not Gossipers

A few months ago a small group of wives at our Air Force Base decided to meet for an hour each week to share God. Each of us

brings some verse from the Bible, a poem, or a thought which has helped us feel closer to God.

We share the ways that we worship God in our homes. We exchange magazines and books that inspire us. We pray for each other's needs. We ask prayer for those in sorrow or trouble. We share God's answers to our prayers and special requests.

In former days we used to share our children, our homes, our new clothes, our clubs. But we have found a much higher bond of friendship in sharing God.—Mrs. Thomas E. Myers, Greenville Air Force Base, Miss.

#### The Case of the Mended Cup

Two cups and saucers of a rare and beautiful pattern were sent to me from Europe. Unfortunately one cup was broken. With some good china cement I glued it together, making it as good as new with just a slight trace of the break apparent.

Later, at a bridge party, I decided to give the one perfect cup and saucer as a prize. The recipient opened her gayly wrapped parcel, and as the prize came into view, cries of admiration were heard. Then suddenly, when it was held high in the light for

another admirer to see, there was a silence. I looked, too, and to my abject consternation saw I had wrapped the cracked cup as the prize. I don't know how I did it.

Imagine my embarrassment! I apologized and hastily brought out the perfect cup, presenting it as the prize. Did my friends believe me, or did they think I had purposely given the mended cup, hoping the break would not be detected? I remain in an agony of doubt.—A. C., Douglas, Wyo.

#### Faith in Youngsters Repaid

Some years ago I taught school in northern Kansas. There were no trees on the school grounds, and I was warned by a number of people that if trees were planted, the "young terrors" would destroy them. Having much faith in children, I made it a school project.

The children were told about tree-planting techniques and civic-mindedness, then divided into groups. Each group brought a young Chinese elm to school, planted it, and cared for it. They thoroughly enjoyed the project.

Today, 15 years later, when I go to Kansas for a visit, I can see all the wonderful shade those trees are giving to other young-

sters. I have talked to many of my former pupils and they, too, have a deep sense of pride in what they did.—Mrs. Carl B. Diecker, Duncan, Okla.

#### The Boy Who Came to Dinner

I used to worry about my family always finding fault and being so unappreciative of things. That is, until a little incident happened one day. We were eating dinner and, as usual, my son was complaining that the steak was tough. The little neighbor boy, who comes from a large family of meager means, was eating with us. To my son's remark about the steak, Billie, the young neighbor, remarked:

"It's tougher if there ain't any!"

Somehow we all remembered that remark and, ever since then, we have counted our blessings a little more.—Mrs. Claude Ryan, Manchester, Iowa.

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The old-time Western cowboy has long since passed from the American scene, and his place has been taken by the modern, mechanized cattle rancher and the fellow on our cover. He's what is known as a "dude wrangler," a man who takes city slickers or "dudes" on guided horseback tours at Western resorts. Colorful Blackie Dillon of Cut Bank, Montana, is one of the veteran dude wranglers at Glacier National Park. (Photo by F. W. Nyquist from Shostal.)

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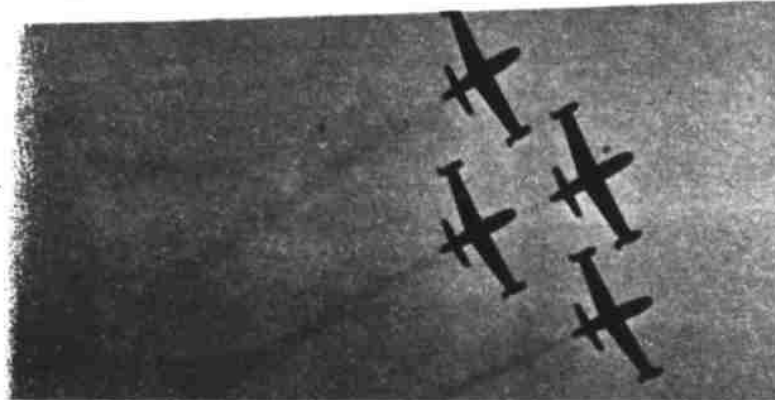
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# America's First Jet-Propelled Governor

by Bruce  
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Flying ace Joe Foss, now Governor Foss, as he described air show at Faulkton, S. D.



Foss has won the hearts as well as the votes of South Dakotans. These unposed photographs show what happened when he met Joe Yount, a seven-year-old Faulkton boy.

IN A NATION that has reached the Jet Plane Age, it was inevitable that one of the 48 states would elect as governor a qualified jet-fighter pilot. That honor has fallen to South Dakota, a state with the wide-open spaces jet-propelled people need. Its new governor is one of the legendary figures of World War II and a winner of the Congressional Medal of Honor, the highest award the nation can give for courage and skill in combat.

He was the first World War II fighter pilot to shoot down 26 enemy planes, to equal Eddie Rick-enbacker's World War I mark, before being shot down in the Pacific himself.

The man, of course, is Joe Foss of Sioux Falls, South Dakota, who received 57 per cent of the total vote last November as Republican candidate for governor in an election year when Democrats made substantial gains.

Foss is an extremely friendly man, but his amiability covers an incisive mind, one which automatically appraises a man or situation, reaches a conclusion, and makes a decision. It is an ability he developed on Guadalcanal, when life and death hung on instantaneous decisions.

#### He believes in direct action

Like most men of action, Joe Foss is not a great reader. He relies on newspapers and radio programs for general current information. For specific information, he gets the facts himself or from someone he considers reliable.

Foss is an exponent of direct action. This was well illustrated in 1950, when Louis Johnson was Secretary of Defense. As an economy measure, flight pay for pilots had been pared and their required number of hours of flight time cut to what many Air Force and Marine aviators felt was dangerous.

Far away in Sioux Falls, Joe Foss, proprietor of an aviation service and flying school, and commanding colonel of the South Dakota Air National Guard, decided direct action was necessary.

He had heard that no one could get Johnson's ear long enough to point out the dangers in the economy program. He zoomed airborne in his Air National Guard Thunderbolt fighter plane and a few hours later swooped down purposefully on Washington.

Still in his one-piece flying coveralls, he hitchhiked to the Pentagon and walked up to Johnson's private office. Two Marines were on guard, but they both knew Joe, so they grinned and waved him past.

The Secretary of Defense looked up from a conference with two high-ranking assistants to see Foss quietly standing there. Joe got quickly to the point of his unscheduled visit.

"When you get a pilot for your personal plane, Mr. Johnson," asked Joe bluntly, "do you want one who has flown only 6 hours that month, or 12?"

The three Defense executives exchanged glances.

"I see your point," conceded the Secretary.

The restriction was lifted shortly afterward.

At 39, Joe Foss is a rugged, virile six-footer with dark, close-cropped hair, a ready smile, and a friendly handclasp or backslap. He doesn't have the best memory in the world for names, but he remembers faces and places perfectly.

#### He's been working all his life

Foss was born on a farm near Sioux Falls, on April 17, 1915, one of three children. His father died when Joe was a senior in high school, and Joe man-

aged the farm for awhile. He worked his way through Augustana and Sioux Falls Colleges and the University of South Dakota, where he got his degree in business administration in 1940. He joined the Marines soon after and won his pilot's wings.



For shooting down 26 enemy aircraft, Foss received the Congressional Medal of Honor.

Joe and a pert girl named June Shakstad made music together in the Washington High School band in Sioux Falls. She played tenor saxophone and he played baritone saxophone in the next chair. They were married in 1942 and Joe went to the Pacific with the Marines two weeks later, destined to become one of America's great war heroes.

Joe and June have not had the best that fortune could give, but no one has ever heard them complain. Their first daughter, Cheryl June, was born

during Joe's second tour of overseas duty in June, 1944. She has cerebral palsy. Joseph Jacob, Jr., died at birth in September, 1945. Mary Jo was born a year later. Joseph Frank was born in August, 1951. He had a severe case of polio but is now almost recovered from its aftereffects.

These circumstances have made Joe and June active in behalf of crippled children. He has headed the South Dakota Society for Crippled Children, helped in a drive that built a hospital for them in Sioux Falls, and is a prominent member of the National Society. In fact, two hours after he learned that he had been elected governor, Foss was flying to Boston to attend a convention of the National Society for Crippled Children.

Joe has had other tough breaks. One was in business. His flying service and aviation school was doing well when his hangar and planes were destroyed by fire in February, 1953.

Insurance rates on that type of business are prohibitive, so Foss was wiped out.

But he grinned wryly and bounced back, this time in an automobile agency and garage business.

**He has a way with planes**

In his campaign for governor, Foss' physical endurance was phenomenal. He fixed up a Piper Cub plane with durable landing gear so he could practically land in a plowed field, and flew 11,000 miles visiting voters.

Joe can make a plane do things it won't do for other pilots, his passengers swear.

"A plane just seems to come alive in his hands," says Hoadley Dean, who managed his campaign.

Foss has a natural instinct for navigation, and a photographic memory for landscapes and terrain.

"We flew from Sioux Falls to Pierre four times in six months," says Dean, "and each time we flew right smack over the same haystack. I think he was born with a silver compass in his mouth."

Flying is Joe's love and his pride.

"If I ever get so I can't fly better than anyone else in this squadron, I'll quit," he told pilots in his Air National Guard squadron when he became the first to check out in a jet plane.

He is one of the healthiest specimens ever to sit in a governor's chair, and his vision is unique. He has 20-10 eyesight, meaning he can see at 20 feet what people with supposedly perfect vision can see at 10 feet. He had it when he joined the Marines and he has it today.

An avid sportsman, Foss goes deer-hunting every Fall in the Black Hills with a group of lawyers and businessmen who are constantly amazed by his tirelessness and his vision.

Says Huron lawyer Leo Temmey, "Joe brings down deer when they're so far away that I can't even see the animals!"

His friends are betting that his political foresight will equal his eyesight.

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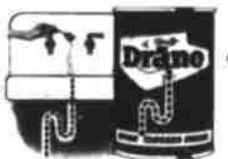


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**America's Greatest Inventions.** In 1940, when the Patent Office celebrated the 150th anniversary of the American patent system, 75 scientists, industrialists, and statesmen were asked to name the greatest American inventions. Their selections follow:

**COTTON GIN**  
Eli Whitney, March 14, 1794  
**STEAMBOAT**  
Robert Fulton, Feb. 11, 1809  
**REAPER**  
Cyrus McCormick,  
May 21, 1834  
**TELEGRAPH**  
Samuel F. B. Morse,  
May 20, 1840  
**VULCANIZED RUBBER**  
Charles Goodyear,  
May 15, 1844  
**SEWING MACHINE**  
Elias Howe Jr., Sept. 10, 1846

**TYPEWRITER**  
C. L. Sholes, June 23, 1868  
**AIR BRAKE**  
George Westinghouse Jr.,  
April 13, 1869  
**TELEPHONE**  
Alexander Graham Bell,  
March 7, 1876  
**PHONOGRAPH**  
Thomas A. Edison, Jan. 27, 1880  
**INDUCTION MOTOR**  
Nikola Tesla, May 1, 1888  
**PRODUCTION OF ALUMINUM**  
Charles N. Hall, April 2, 1889

**LINOTYPE**  
Ottmar Mergenthaler,  
Sept. 16, 1890  
**MOVIE PROJECTOR**  
Thomas A. Edison,  
March 14, 1893  
**AIRPLANE**  
Orville and Wilbur Wright,  
May 22, 1906  
**VACUUM TUBE**  
Lee De Forest, Jan. 15, 1907  
**THERMOSETTING PLASTICS**  
Leo H. Baekeland, Dec. 7, 1909  
**OIL CRACKING**  
William M. Burton, Jan. 7, 1913

## Do You Have a

**C**AN YOU FIGURE OUT how to make a nylon stocking that's both sheer and resistant to runs? A razor blade that will stay sharp without honing? Or a tooth-paste tube that will close automatically?

Millions of dollars await the discoverers of these and similarly useful items. All you need are resourcefulness, luck—and the blessings of the U.S. Patent Office; for unless you get a patent for your brain child, it may be stolen before you can enjoy it.

Nowadays many patents go to full-time professional researchers in the laboratories of American industry. But America is still the land of opportunity for spare-time geniuses who emerge from home workshops with new and useful discoveries.

The Patent Office receives more than 1,000 ideas proposed for patent every week, and each one is examined for originality and utility. In fact, so carefully are patent applications studied that there's a backlog of about 131,000 waiting to be handled. So if you submit a design for a dripless faucet or a noiseless vacuum cleaner, be prepared to wait two years for a decision.

If you have an invention you want to patent, the Government advises hiring an attorney, or agent, registered in the Patent Office. He'll investigate to see if your idea really is new, then prepare your patent application, which is a complex proceeding.

Americans have always been an inventive people, eager to find new and better products, improved ways of doing things. Indeed, even

before the United States was born, some colonies were granting patents. The earliest is believed to be a patent granted by the Massachusetts General Court in 1641 to a Samuel Winslow for a new way to make salt.

In 1787 the Constitutional Convention empowered Congress "to promote the progress of science and useful arts by securing for limited times to authors and inventors the exclusive right to their respective writings and inventions." And in 1790 George Washington signed a bill laying the foundation for today's patent system. Three patents were granted that first year.

"Under the patent system a small, struggling nation has grown into the greatest industrial power on earth," says the U.S. Department of Commerce. "New products have been invented, new uses for old ones discovered, and employment given to millions."

Unlike some countries, America does not tax patents. "We have looked about us to see what nations are the greatest so we can be like them," said a Japanese envoy visiting the United States many years ago. "We said, 'What makes the United States such a great nation?' We investigated and found that it was patents, so we will have patents."

### Abe Lincoln, inventor

"The patent system added the fuel of interest to the fire of genius," Abraham Lincoln declared. And while serving as a U.S. Congressman from Illinois, Lincoln himself received Patent No. 6,469 for a

simple device to buoy ships over shallow water.

The ship model Lincoln whittled to show the Patent Office is still in the Smithsonian Institution. It looks workable enough, but the invention didn't make Abe rich.

Yet similarly simple ideas have earned millions. The paper clip is a good example.

While waiting for a street-car one day in Washington, D.C., a clerk idly picked up a woman's hairpin from the sidewalk and began doodling with it.

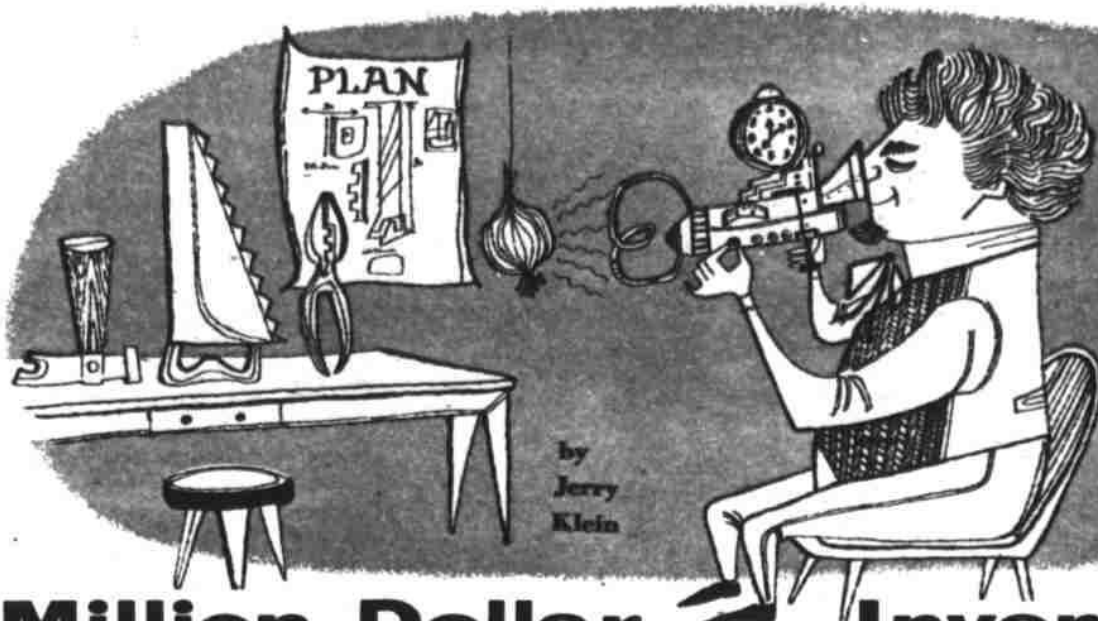
The result: the paper clip and a small mountain of greenbacks for the inventor.

A young man named Humphrey O'Sullivan earned his living by testing electrical gadgets. He was supposed to stand on a rubber sheet so he wouldn't be shocked, but sometimes Humphrey forgot.

One day he got the idea of cutting the rubber sheet into pieces small enough to be glued to the bottom of his shoes. It worked so well Humphrey no longer had to stand on the sheet. He noticed, too, how springy and quiet his steps were when he walked on rubber—so much better than the wood and leather heels then popular. O'Sullivan patented his idea of rubber heels and made a fortune in a business which is still going strong.

The patents with which Charles Goodyear founded a great industry resulted from an accident. While experimenting with rubber, he spilled some on a hot stove, thereby discovering the secret of vulcanization.

Hyman L. Lipman of Phila-



**Get Started on These!**

In the belief that necessity is still the mother of invention, the National Inventors Council recently listed 109 items needed by the Armed Forces. Among the proposed inventions were a new material for oxygen masks, something to muffle the noise of turbo-jet plane engines, and an instrument to measure odors.

## Million-Dollar Invention?

delphia conceived the idea of putting a rubber on the ends of pencils. Seems simple enough, doesn't it? Lipman got \$100,000 for the patent!

**Inspiration in Labrador!**

A fish dinner might be said to be responsible for the Birds Eye frozen-foods business—and patents that were sold for an extremely cool \$22,000,000. Clarence Birds-

eye ate the fish while visiting Labrador and smacked his lips. The fish tasted as if they'd just been caught, but actually they had been quick-frozen long before in Labrador's sub-zero temperature.

Other simple discoveries have struck pay dirt: King C. Gillette tired of stropping his straight razor and invented the safety razor; D. C. Stillson, a steamfitter, had trouble

grasping pipes with an ordinary wrench so he came up with the Stillson wrench.

Perhaps you can do as well with one of your own projects. But don't emulate the man down in Tennessee who recently sent his Congressman this request:

"Please go down to the Patent Office and get me a list of things that haven't been invented. Get me the answers

by return mail as I am anxious to get to work."

You may obtain a free pamphlet titled "General Information Concerning Patents" by writing the Commissioner of Patents, Washington 25, D. C.

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William F. McDermott was born 65 years ago of pioneer parents who went West in a covered wagon. A native of Winfield, Kan., he did his first writing for the Winfield COURIER, then moved on to the Kansas City STAR as a police reporter. Convinced that trying to cure crime with clubs and jail cells was like swatting mosquitoes instead of draining the breeding swamps, he entered the ministry, graduating from McCormick Theological Seminary in Chicago. Since then, he has held numerous pastorates in sham chapels and institutional churches, largely contributing his services. For the last ten years he has been a full-time freelance contributor to leading national publications.

## The wind that destroys...

by William F. McDermott

**D**ID YOU EVER follow the trail of a tornado? If so, you know firsthand the havoc wrought by nature's original atom bomb.

On June 8, 1933, after a day of sullen heat and boiling clouds, the sky suddenly darkened over the village of Beecher, Michigan. A roar "like that of 20 express trains" spread terror among the people, and within seconds the twister struck.

It was all over in five minutes, but death and ruin were in its wake.

A tornado? Just wind whirling in a circle, that's all. But no man-made wind gauge can measure its speed; it tears the instrument to pieces. Yet what is at the heart of this terror? Nothing!

There's another type of tornado blasting away at America's roots today—the vicious twister of hoodlumism, vandalism, crime, and torture of human beings.

Five 16- and 17-year-old boys recently beat and kicked an old man to death in a petty robbery.

Three 11-year-olds invaded their school, wrecked desks, scattered ink and paint, tore records to pieces. When asked why, they said, "Nothin' else to do."

What's wrong with these young people? Simply this: there's a vacuum at the center of their lives. They have no goal, no purpose, no moral standards, no sportsmanship, no love for anyone or anything, no religion.

Nothingness at the heart—that's what unleashes the tornado of brutality. Contrast the street-corner gangs of loafers, those who yield to dope, the incipient thieves and killers, with the more than 2,000,000 members of the

4-H Clubs of America, enriching rural life; and the more than 3,000,000 Boy Scouts and 2,000,000 Girl Scouts who are building character, citizenship, and ambition through useful activities and high ideals.

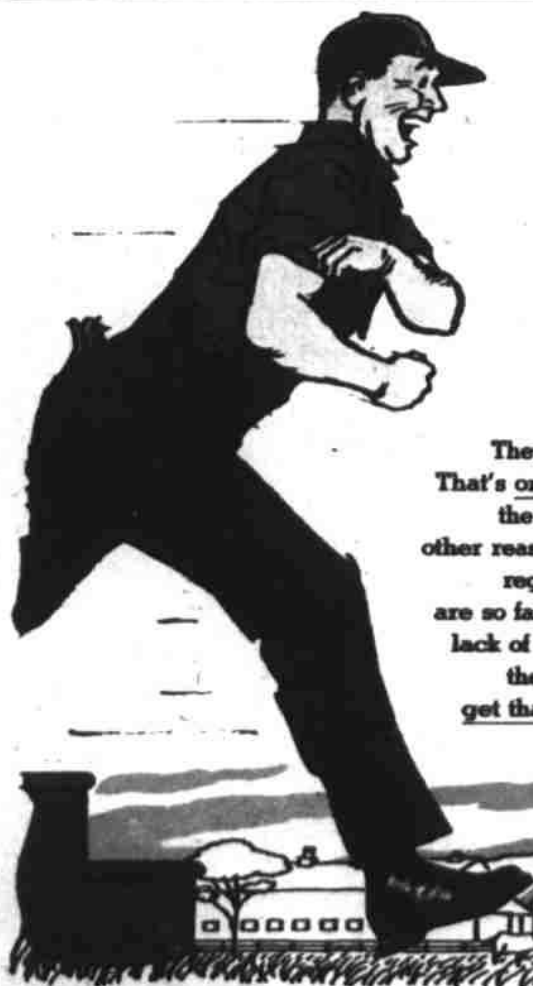
Prisons cure few criminals, although they check many. Using the handcuff method to produce good will and decency is like trying to throw up a wall high enough to stop a tornado.

What alternative do we have? Only this: we must instill in the childish heart the desire to be decent and honorable, the urge to be kind to others, the purpose to attain culture and education, the ambition to succeed in business or profession, faith in the sanctity of life and the overruling benevolence of God, and the knowledge that happiness, peace of mind, and respect and affection are gained only by living the Golden Rule.

The vital need is for parents to regain their sense of responsibility toward their children, and to recapture the joy of sacrificing, if necessary, to bring up fine boys and girls; to encourage their children to get all they can from, and give all they can to, their schools; and to make their church or synagogue of prime importance in their pattern of living—taking, not sending, their children to worship.

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**Walnut Torte with Butter Frosting**

Grease bottoms of two 9-in. round layer cake pans with removable bottoms, or grease two 9-in. round layer cake pans. Line each with waxed paper cut to fit pan bottoms. Grease waxed paper.

Sift together and set aside  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  cup sifted flour  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  teaspoon concentrated soluble coffee  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  teaspoon cocoa or Dutch process cocoa

Using a rotary-type grater with hand-operating crank, grate

$2\frac{1}{2}$  cups (about 16 oz.) walnuts (about  $4\frac{1}{4}$  cups, grated)

Reserve  $\frac{3}{4}$  cup grated walnuts for the frosting. Thoroughly blend walnuts with the flour mixture; divide into four equal portions and set aside.

Combine and beat until very thick and lemon colored

6 egg yolks  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  cup sugar

Mix gently into egg yolk mixture  
1 teaspoon grated lemon peel (grated through colored part only; white is bitter)

1 teaspoon vanilla extract

Set egg yolk mixture aside.

Beat until frothy

6 egg whites

Add gradually to egg whites, beating well after each addition

$\frac{1}{2}$  cup sugar

Beat until rounded peaks are formed and egg whites do not slide when bowl is partially inverted. Gently spread egg yolk mixture over beaten egg whites. Spoon one portion of the flour-walnut mixture over egg mixture and gently fold together with a few strokes until batter is only partially blended. Repeat with second and then third portions of flour-walnut mixture. Spoon remaining one-fourth of mixture over batter and gently fold just until blended. Do not overmix! Gently turn batter into pans and spread evenly to edges.

Bake at  $350^{\circ}\text{F}$  25 to 30 min., or until a cake tester or wooden pick comes out clean when inserted in center of torte, or until top springs back when lightly touched at center.

Cool torte layers 15 min. in pans on cooling racks. After cooling, loosen sides with a spatula and cover with a cooling rack. Invert and remove pan. Remove paper from bottom of torte layers and immediately turn right-side up; cool completely.

When the torte layers are cooled, prepare the frosting. Spread frosting over top of bottom layer. Cover with the other layer. Frost sides of torte first, working

rapidly. Frosting should touch plate all around bottom, leaving no gaps. Pile remaining frosting on top of torte and spread lightly.

Place in refrigerator until ready to serve.

**For Butter Frosting**—Set out a candy thermometer.

Cream together until mixture is light and fluffy

$1\frac{1}{2}$  cups firm unsalted butter  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  teaspoon vanilla extract

Add one at a time, beating thoroughly after each addition

2 egg yolks

Set aside.

Combine in a small saucepan having a tight-fitting cover

1 cup plus 2 tablespoons sugar  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  cup water

Bring to boiling over medium heat, stirring until sugar is dissolved.

Cover saucepan tightly and boil sirup gently 5 min. to dissolve any crystals that might have formed on the sides of saucepan. Remove cover and hang candy thermometer on pan so that bulb does not touch side or bottom and is covered with sirup, not just foam. Continue cooking sirup until temperature of mixture

reaches  $230^{\circ}\text{F}$  to  $234^{\circ}\text{F}$ , the thread stage (sirup spins a 2-in. thread when allowed to drop from spoon). Remove pan from heat while testing. During cooking, wash any crystals from sides of pan with pastry brush dipped in water; move candy thermometer to one side and wash down crystals that may have formed underneath it on sides of pan.

Shortly before sirup reaches thread stage, beat until stiff (but not dry) peaks are formed

2 egg whites

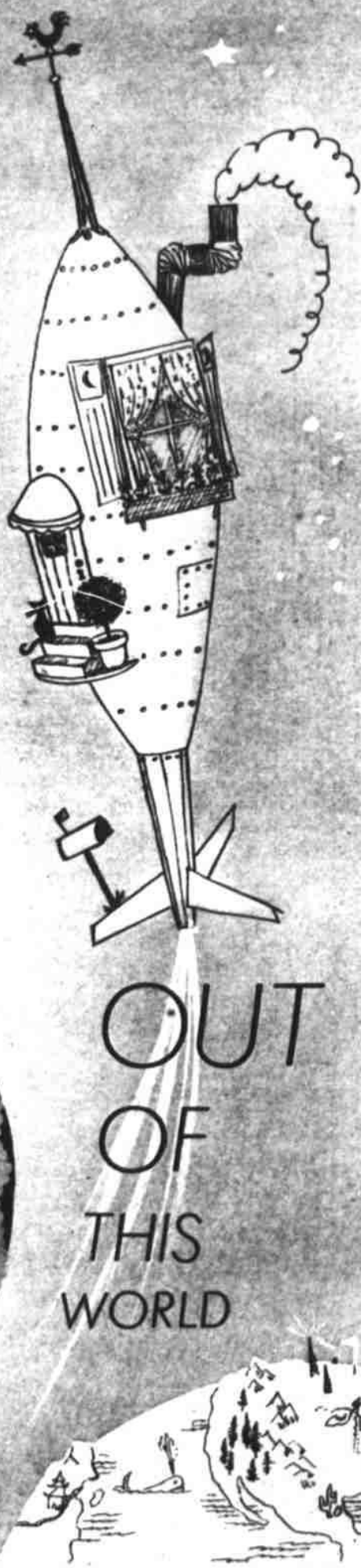
When the sirup reaches thread stage, remove candy thermometer. Continue beating egg whites and pour the hot sirup in a thin stream into beaten egg whites. (Do not scrape sirup from bottom and sides of pan.) Continue beating a few minutes, just until egg white mixture is very thick (piles softly) and is of same consistency as the butter mixture. Cool completely. Beat egg white mixture, about 2 tablespoons at a time, into the butter mixture until just blended. Gradually blend the reserved grated walnuts into frosting.

If necessary, chill frosting in refrigerator until it is of spreading consistency.

12 to 16 servings



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White peppers are soaking, prepare Chorizo (meat filling).

**For Chorizo**—Mix lightly together  
 1½ lbs. ground pork  
 3 tablespoons cider vinegar  
 3 cloves garlic, minced  
 and a mixture of  
 1½ tablespoons chili powder  
 1½ teaspoons salt  
 Melt in a large, heavy skillet  
 1 tablespoon fat  
 Add meat mixture and cook until  
 browned, breaking into small pieces with

**Hot Crab-Meat Canapés**

**For Spread**—Scald (just until a thin film appears) in top of double boiler over simmering water  
 ¼ cup milk  
 Set aside.  
 Melt in a heavy 2-qt. saucepan  
 3 tablespoons butter  
 Add  
 2 teaspoons finely chopped green pepper  
 1 teaspoon finely chopped onion  
 or 2 shallots, finely chopped  
 Cook slowly about 1 to 2 min., or until partially tender. Blend in  
 3 tablespoons flour  
 ½ teaspoon salt

**For Sauce**—Transfer peppers and soaking water to a sieve or food mill placed over a bowl. Force peppers through sieve. Blend in  
 1 tablespoon oregano  
 Mix thoroughly in a large, heavy skillet the pepper mixture and  
 ½ cup cooking oil  
 Bring mixture rapidly to boiling, stirring constantly. Reduce heat and simmer gently, stirring occasionally, about 15 min. to allow flavors to blend. Stir in  
 1 tablespoon salt  
 ¼ teaspoon cumin seed  
 Remove from heat.  
**To Complete Enchiladas**—While sauce is cooking, set out a large, shallow baking pan and

½ teaspoon Worcestershire sauce  
 ¼ teaspoon dry mustard  
 Few grains white pepper  
 Heat until mixture bubbles. Remove from heat and add the scalded milk gradually, stirring constantly. Bring mixture rapidly to boiling, stirring constantly; cook 1 to 2 min. longer. Add to saucepan and mix gently until thoroughly blended  
 2 cups (about 7 oz.) fresh, frozen, or drained canned crab meat (heavy tissue removed)  
 2 teaspoons chopped pimiento  
 Cook over low heat, stirring occasionally and gently, 2 to 3 min., or until crab meat is thoroughly heated. Vigorously stir

10 tortillas  
**Grate and set aside**  
 1½ lbs. Cheddar cheese  
 (about 6 cups, grated)  
 Cut off root ends and a thin slice from stem ends of  
 4 medium-size onions  
 Peel, rinse, chop finely, and set aside.  
 Melt in the skillet in which meat was browned  
 1 teaspoon fat  
 Using a slotted spoon or fork, dip the tortillas into the sauce one at a time. Fry tortillas in skillet, 1 or 2 at a time, until lightly browned on both sides. Add more fat as needed.  
 As the tortillas brown, remove from skillet and place in the baking pan. Generously spoon Chorizo, the chopped onion,

about 3 tablespoons of hot mixture into  
 1 egg yolk, slightly beaten  
 Immediately blend into mixture in the saucepan and remove from heat. Allow mixture to cool (transferring to a shallow dish will hasten cooling).  
**To Complete Canapés**—Trim crusts from and toast until golden brown  
 5 slices white bread  
 Set out  
 5 teaspoons grated Parmesan cheese  
 2½ teaspoons melted butter  
 Lightly spread toast slices with  
 Butter  
 Cover toast with the crab-meat filling

and half the grated cheese over tortillas. Roll up tightly and fasten with wooden picks. Turn so that fastened side is down. Pour remaining sauce over top of enchiladas and sprinkle with remaining half of cheese.  
 Bake at 375°F 10 to 15 min., or until cheese is bubbly and lightly browned. Place on a warm serving platter.  
**Garnish with**  
 Sprigs of parsley  
 Radishes  
 Serve immediately.  
 8 to 10 servings  
**Note:** Canned hot red peppers may be substituted for fresh peppers. Drain peppers and reserve liquid. Omit soaking. Combine the reserved liquid with the warm water, using only enough water to make 1 qt. liquid.

Top each slice with 1 teaspoon of the grated cheese and ½ teaspoon of the melted butter. Sprinkle with  
 Paprika  
 Cut each toast slice diagonally into four triangles and place on a baking sheet.  
 Bake at 425°F 8 to 10 min.  
 Set temperature control of range at Broil (500°F or higher). Place canapés 2 to 3 in. from source of heat and broil them 1 to 2 min.  
 Serve piping hot garnished with  
 Lemon slices  
 Sprigs of parsley  
 20 canapés

### Lamb with Green Beans

Set out a heavy 10-in. skillet having a light-oiling cover.

Wipe with a clean, damp cloth and cut into 1-in. cubes.

2 lbs. boned-in lamb shoulder

Place into the cold skillet  
4 slices bacon, sliced

Cook slowly, moving and turning frequently, until bacon is lightly browned. Remove bacon with a slotted spoon to a small dish.

Add to the bacon fat in skillet  
½ cup (about 1 medium-size)  
chopped onion

Cook slowly, stirring occasionally, until onion is transparent. Remove onion with slotted spoon to dish containing the bacon and set aside.

Add meat to the bacon fat and brown slowly on all sides. While meat is browning, prepare

2 cups quick meat broth  
(2 beef bouillon cubes dissolved in 2 cups hot water)

Season the meat with a mixture of  
2 teaspoons salt  
1 teaspoon caraway seeds  
1 teaspoon paprika

Remove skillet from heat and slowly pour in the meat broth. Return bacon and onion to skillet. Cover skillet and simmer 1½ to 2 hrs., or until meat is tender when pierced with a fork. If necessary, add more liquid during cooking period. Liquid surrounding meat should be simmering at all times—not boiling.

About an hour before meat is tender, wash, remove ends, and cut into 1-in. pieces

1 lb. (about 3 cups) green beans

Cook in a small amount of boiling salted water 15 to 30 min., or until just tender. If necessary, drain beans (reserving any cooking liquid) and set aside. Cool the cooking liquid.

Pour into a 1-pt. screw-top jar  
½ cup liquid (reserved bean  
cooking liquid plus water)

Sprinkle onto the liquid  
¼ cup flour

Cover jar tightly and shake until mixture is well blended. Bring contents of skillet to boiling. Slowly pour the flour mixture (shaking again if necessary) into skillet while stirring constantly. Bring this gravy to boiling, stirring constantly; cook 3 to 5 min. longer. Remove from heat and vigorously stir about ½ cup of the gravy, 1 tablespoon at a time, into

½ cup thick sour cream

Pour the mixture gradually into the skillet, stirring constantly. Gently mix in the green beans. Cook ingredients over low heat, moving mixture gently, 3 to 5 min., until heated thoroughly; do not boil.

Remove to a large serving dish and, if desired, serve with mounds of rice sprinkled with paprika.

5 to 7 servings

### Beef with Green Beans

Follow Base Recipe; substitute lean beef for the lamb.

### Love Letters

Lightly grease baking sheets.

For Dough—Sift together into a large bowl

2 cups sifted flour  
2 tablespoons sugar  
¼ teaspoon salt

Work into dry ingredients by pressing against bottom and sides of bowl with a fork

¼ cup butter, chilled and  
cut in pieces

Add gradually to butter-flour mixture, blending ingredients with a fork

3 egg yolks, slightly beaten  
(Mixture will be crumbly.) Gather dough into a ball. Turn out onto a lightly floured surface. Work with hands, squeezing until well blended. Shape into smooth ball with palms of hands. Divide dough into halves; wrap in waxed paper and place in refrigerator for about 1 hr.

After 45 min., prepare filling.

For Filling—Mix together  
½ cup (about 2 oz.) coarsely  
chopped walnuts  
1 teaspoon grated lemon peel  
(grated through colored part  
only; white is bitter)

Set aside.

Beat until frothy  
2 egg whites

Add gradually to egg whites, beating well after each addition, a mixture of  
¼ cup sugar

½ teaspoon cinnamon

Beat until rounded peaks are formed. Gently fold nut mixture into the egg whites. Set filling aside.

To Form Love Letters—Remove half of dough from refrigerator. Place dough on a lightly floured surface and roll into a rectangle 1/16 in. thick. Work quickly to prevent dough from becoming too soft. With a knife or spatula, gently loosen dough from board wherever sticking occurs; lift dough slightly and sprinkle flour underneath. Trim off uneven edges of rectangle. Gather trimmings into a ball; wrap in waxed paper and place in refrigerator.

Cut rectangle into 3-in. squares. Place about 2 teaspoons of the filling onto the center of each square. To make "letters" bring opposite corners together, overlapping slightly at center. Repeat with remaining two corners. Place on baking sheet. Repeat procedure for remaining Love Letters and place 1 in. apart on baking sheet. Brush Love Letters with

Egg, slightly beaten

Bake at 350°F 20 to 25 min. until lightly browned. Carefully remove Letters from baking sheet to cooling racks. When cooled, roll in mixture of

2 to 3 tablespoons sugar

¼ to ½ teaspoon cinnamon

¼ to ½ teaspoon paprika

5 to 7 servings

### Potatoes with Tomato

Wash and cook covered in boiling salted water to cover

4 medium-size (about 2 lbs.)  
potatoes

Cook 20 to 30 min., or until potatoes are tender when pierced with a fork. Drain.

To dry potatoes, shake pan over low heat. Peel and slice ¼ in. thick; set aside in a warm place.

Melt in the saucepan in which potatoes were cooked

¼ cup butter

Add to the butter and cook slowly until transparent, occasionally moving and turning with a fork or spoon

¼ cup chopped onion

Remove from heat and add gradually, stirring constantly, contents of

1 8-oz. can (1 cup) tomato sauce  
and a mixture of

1 tablespoon sugar

1 teaspoon salt

½ teaspoon pepper

Bring tomato mixture to boiling. Remove saucepan from heat. Stirring vigorously with a French whip, whisk beater, or fork, add to contents of saucepan in very small amounts, a mixture of

1 cup thick sour cream

½ cup milk

Gently mix potatoes into the sauce and cook over low heat, stirring constantly, 3 to 5 min., or until thoroughly heated. (Do not boil or overcook or mixture will curdle.)

Garnish with

2 tablespoons chopped parsley

Serve immediately.

6 to 8 servings

### Medley Fruit Salad

Drain (reserving syrup for use in other food preparation) contents of

1 No. 2 can (about 1½) pear halves

Set aside in the refrigerator.

For Frosted Grapes—Beat until frothy

1 egg white

Dip into the beaten egg white

1 bunch table grapes

Shake off excess egg white and place in refrigerator.

Combine fruit and grapes in a large bowl.



### For Cheese-Nut Balls—Set out

3 oz. cream cheese

½ oz. blue cheese

Sliver and set aside

hazelnuts

Form into a ball about ½ teaspoon of the Blue cheese. With about 2 teaspoons of the cream cheese form a layer around the Blue cheese ball. Shape into a smooth ball. Roll in slivered hazelnuts. Repeat procedure until 10 balls are formed. Set balls aside.

For Orange Sections—With a sharp knife remove peel and white membrane from 2 oranges

Remove sections by cutting on either side of dividing membrane; remove sections over a small bowl to save juice. Set the sections aside.

To Assemble Salad—Wash and discard bruised leaves, dry thoroughly

lettuce leaves

Place lettuce leaves on chilled serving plate. Arrange pear halves cut-side up on lettuce leaves. Place one Cheese-Nut Ball in hollow of each pear half. Arrange orange sections and frosted grapes on plate (see photo). Garnish with

Water cross

If desired, serve with

Tarragon Salad Dressing

5 servings

### Tarragon Salad Dressing

Put into a small bowl

¼ cup sugar

¼ cup white corn syrup

¼ cup tarragon vinegar

1½ teaspoons celery seed

1 teaspoon dry mustard

1 teaspoon salt

½ teaspoon grated onion

Few grains white pepper

Beat with hand rotary beater or electric mixer until thoroughly mixed. Add gradually, about ½ teaspoon at a time, while beating constantly

¼ cup salad oil

Combine dressing and ingredients



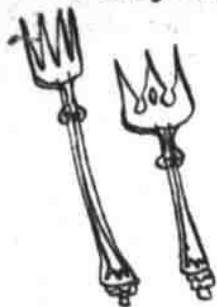
In tempo with modern table, earthenware plates combine with contemporary silver and glassware on textured place mats. Flowers are unobtrusively decorative.



Charming red-and-white table set with milk glass is right at home in this provincial dining room. Carnation-filled epergne and pine hutch lend atmosphere.

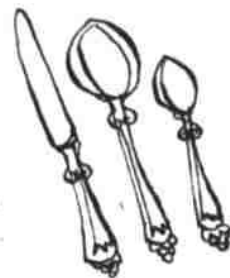
## set your table with taste

by Ruth W. Lee, Home-Furnishings Consultant



"How lovely your table looks!" This compliment finds its way straight to a hostess' heart, for her table agleam with china, silver, and other accessories reflects her hospitality. There are only a few basic rules for setting a table with taste. Formal glassware is used with china, simple

tumblers with earthenware. Table decorations should be in scale with the setting and help dramatize it, without obstructing the view. From here on, the hostess may compose her table setting as her own good taste dictates, whether it's a formal dinner, an informal luncheon, or a family breakfast.



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### KATCHWORDS ACROSS

- Seeing her reflection in a shop window, a lady might choose to ----.
- Scraps or sketches relating to a place.
- A man so inclined should learn to control himself.
- Exclamation.
- Unit of measurement.
- Will help you speed over the ice.
- Toward.
- Flow back.
- Belonging to us.
- Similar to.
- Luminous circle around the moon.
- The way your hair-do shapes up depends a lot on them.
- At a side-show, a good one could attract more money into the till.
- You might try it if you want a fire to spread.

### KATCHWORDS DOWN

- Surgeons sometimes employ the spinal anesthesia, if not the ----.
- Beam.
- Within.
- Sometimes enough to identify a bandit.
- Add this if there's something brewing.
- With such a hand, you may choose not to draw.
- The bigger the family, the more should accumulate.
- Elevated railway.
- Masculine pronoun.
- You may choose to keep it a secret, regardless.
- To row.
- Thieves might tear down the rafters to find a certain ----.
- It should be complete if you fill in the ----.
- Employ.
- It appears on the face of a clock.
- The warp in a loom.
- Body of water.
- If you do, watch out you don't get cut.

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Coconut.....1 can (1½ cups) Raisins.....1½ cups  
Dates.....1 pkg. (7½ oz.) Peanuts.....1 cup  
Candied fruits.....¼ lb. (or other salted nuts)

# EASTER WEARS YESTERYEAR ELEGANCE

by Allyn Rice

**E**ASTER'S in the offing—and it's looking very elegant. Parade fashions have caught the spirit of yesteryear, when luxury was the order of the day. So the modern well-dressed woman will swish through the occasion in whispering silk that's etched with the higher neckline, rounded bosom, and longer delineated

torso reminiscent of bygone times. Her escort's clothes will show the Edwardian influence in narrower lapels and shoulders and tapered cuffs, executed in fabrics with new twists and patterns. This is the important new look of fashions coming for Easter and destined to stay until the really hot weather takes over.

Write Family Weekly, 179 N. Michigan Ave., Chicago 1, Ill., for information if styles shown are not available locally.



Elegance of the 1830s returns in this navy silk shantung with a high-rounded bosom and full-blown skirt circled with deep tailored pleats. Stand-away regency collar of figure-hugging jacket is chalked with silk faille. Strategically placed roses form hat.  
Samuel Winston about \$135



More-fitted look and high square-notched lapels highlight a navy-blue wool suit woven with light-blue slubbed threads. Straw hat has white-silk shantung band.  
J. P. Stevens about \$50



Traditional and correct for Easter: the braid-outlined black-flannel club jacket, double-breasted waistcoat, striped cuffless trousers, and a black Homburg.  
Haricon coat and vest about \$70  
trousers about \$22.50



Blue-speckled silk tweed with a longer torso and eased rounded bosomline reflects styles of yesteryear. Banded seam at hips creates a two-piece look; collar is bright-white pique.  
Kasper of Arnold-Fox about \$55

Hats: Cavanagh, Lilly Dache, and Knox. Gloves: Aris  
Bag: Jana. Furs: Ritter. His shirts: Hathaway  
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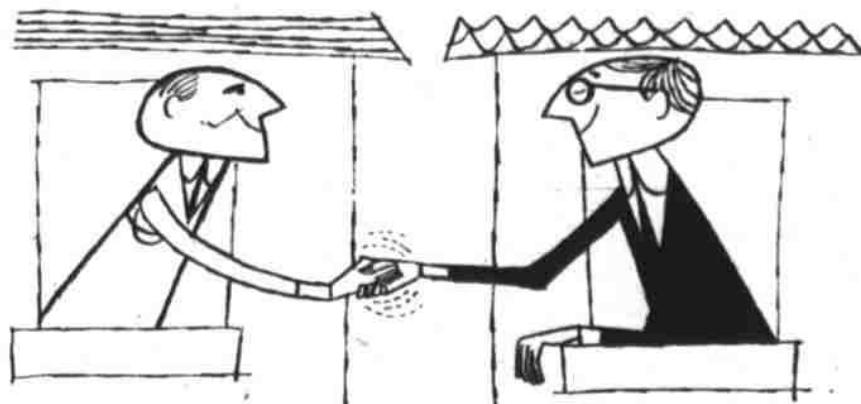
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## Family Weekly Quiz



## Are You a Good Neighbor?

by Charles and Jean Komaiko

Much has been said and written about good neighbors. The Golden Rule is a basic tenet in our civilization, yet neighbors sometimes put up fences that limit

friendship. To see how you rate, answer the questions below honestly. If you fail on more than three, you're not doing unto them as you would have them do unto you.

- |  | Yes                      | No                       |   | Yes                      | No                       |
|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. Do you teach your children respect for your neighbors' possessions?             | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 7. Are you the last to shovel the snow or cut the grass?                    | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. Do you slyly question the children next door about what goes on at their house? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 8. Do you borrow as little as possible, and return borrowed things quickly? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. Do you remember the Tenth Commandment—and keep it?                              | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 9. Do you play your radio or TV too loud and too late?                      | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4. Do you gossip about your neighbors?   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10. Do you teach your children respect for your neighbors' religion?        | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 5. Do you avoid getting into neighborhood arguments which don't concern you?       | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 11. Do you keep an eye on the neighbor's place when they're out of town?    | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 6. Do you offer to help when there is illness next door?                           | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 12. Do you ever invite your neighbors in for an evening?                    | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Yes—1, 3, 5, 6, 8, 10, 11, 12. No—2, 4, 7, 9

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## WORDS ABOUT MUSIC

by  
Joey Sasso



Music, recorded or otherwise, is a delightful treasure. Unlike most forms of entertainment, it can be enjoyed without intruding on your normal activities. You can listen to music while driving your car, reading a book, at work, or at play. You can even enjoy music while falling off to sleep. Such is music's universal appeal. Here are recommended recordings from this wide world of music, available at your record shop, that will give you hours of pleasurable entertainment.

### POPULAR:

"Close Harmony"—The Chordettes. Cadence LP Album. It was inevitable that, one day, women would raise their voices in barbershop quartet singing. The Chordettes have done just that and have come up with an outstanding album. Their impressions of "Careless Hands," "We Three," "San," and "Watermelon Weather" bring a fresh perspective to a capella singing.

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### CLASSICAL:

"Lucia di Lammermoor"—Lily Pons, Richard Tucker, and the Metropolitan Opera Orchestra and Chorus under the direction of Fausto Cleva. Columbia Album. Here is a superb presentation of Donizetti's famous opera. Lily Pons, who has sung "Lucia" more than 200 times, is most celebrated for this role. Listening to this performance shows why. The album includes complete Italian and English librettos and a story synopsis.

### WESTERN:

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The Chordettes

Be True, Dear," "Slow Poke," "Cold, Cold Heart," and "Tennessee Waltz."

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Built near Lancaster, Pa., in 1824, this Conestoga wagon has been fully restored and will eventually tour the entire United States.

## The Conestogas Are Rolling Again!

Fully restored, one of the wagons which served as freight carriers for the Colonies will soon visit every corner of the U. S.

**T**HE PEOPLE of Lancaster County, Pa., are tired of all the fuss Hollywood makes about the prairie schooner and covered wagon. They want the world to know that the first pioneers went West in the Conestoga wagon—a Lancaster invention that was the forerunner of both.

Once the home of the Conestoga Indians, Lancaster County used to lie in Conestoga Township, and it still contains a community and a creek called Conestoga.

According to Dr. H. M. J. Klein, emeritus professor of history at Franklin and Marshall College, "Something about the Conestoga wagon appeals to the imagination." That "something" may be its traditionally blue body, red running gear, and white canvas top. Some say the Conestoga colors inspired the red, white, and blue of the American flag. Certainly long before the birth of Old Glory, Conestogas were a common sight on Pennsylvania roads. They could carry 12,000 pounds of freight, a payload that compares favorably with that of a modern truck.

Benjamin Franklin called the wagon "the ship of inland commerce" and in 1755 he advertised in Lancaster for Conestogas to send the British forces attacking Fort Duquesne. Twenty years later, Franklin bought hundreds of Conestogas to supply the Revolutionary Army.

The Conestoga drivers were tough as the oak and hickory of their wagons. Some could lift their 3,000-pound wagons by lying underneath and pushing upward with hands and feet.

They rolled along, singing sassy songs all day. And darkness found them putting up for the night at the blacksmith's shop.

But the Conestoga was destined to die: improved roads no longer required such a ponderous vehicle; canals and railroads moved freight faster. Today so few wagons are left that when an authentic Conestoga was restored and

set rolling recently, Lancaster crowds stared in fascination. A tobacco company bought the 130-year-old rarity, had it repaired by a wagoner in Blue Ball, Pa., rented a team of six Belgian mares from a farmer in Kinzer, Pa., and sent the wagon on a long journey from Lancaster to Wheeling, W. Va. Next August the Conestoga is expected to visit the Ohio State Fair in Columbus and eventually it will visit most of the country.

Traveling by Conestoga isn't particularly comfortable—the wagon was designed for cargo, not passengers. The driver sits on the rear left horse and his helper walks alongside to operate the brake. If the helper tires of the three-mile-an-hour pace, he can stand on the "lazy board," a beam that protrudes between the wheels.

The tobacco firm touches on a delicate point when it says the wagons "presumably" were invented "by Pennsylvania Dutch wagoners and blacksmiths." Some experts—including members of the Lancaster County Historical Society—concur on this point, others disagree.

For example, Carl W. Drepperd, director of the Pennsylvania Farm Museum in Landis Valley, Pa., says: "The Conestoga is of decidedly English origin." Drepperd traces it to an early settler in Lancaster County, an English wheelwright named Carter. And he has drawings of 18th Century English wagons with boat-shaped bodies and canvas tops, like those of the Conestoga.

The Farm Museum has three of the rare old wagons—one of them "ready to roll." Drepperd is particularly proud of hundreds of specimens of delicately decorated Conestoga hardware—hand-forged iron toolboxes, braces, and hinges.

The Conestoga wagons which they adorned are dust now. So are the men who drove them. But to the Pennsylvanians of the Conestoga country, they are still as alive and real as the great nation which they helped to found.

by K. C. Jerome

A 1773 drawing shows the English forerunner of the busy Conestoga wagon.



The oak and hickory Conestoga could easily carry 12,000 pounds of freight.





## Junior Treasure Chest

Edited by Marjorie Barrows  
Editor of The Children's Hour

### Block-Ball

This is a good outdoor game for about ten or more players. The players form a circle and spread their legs apart until their feet touch those of the players on either side. One player is selected who stands in the middle of the circle with a basketball and tries to throw the ball between the legs of any one player or between any two players. With their arms and hands they try to block the ball. If it goes through a player's legs, he must take the thrower's place, and if it goes between two players, the one to whose right the ball passed must take the thrower's place in the center.

This is a fast-moving game in which you have to be alert at all times to block the ball, or else you're "it."

### Riddle Me This!

1. Why is the Statue of Liberty's finger only 11 inches long?
2. Who was the smallest man that ever lived?
3. Which is the largest kind of ant?
4. Why couldn't anyone play cards on Noah's ark?

ANSWERS: 1. If it were 12 inches long, it would be a GI-ant; 2. The sailor who went to sleep on his watch; 3. The G-ant; 4. Noah stood on the deck.



### Name the State

Suzie Sailer

See if you can name the state in which the following things can be found.

1. The heads of Abraham Lincoln, Theodore Roosevelt, George Washington, and Thomas Jefferson, sculptured in the solid granite of Mt. Rushmore.
2. Carlsbad Caverns, called "the Big Hole" by its discoverer, Jim White. It is the largest known cavern in the United States and people who tour it eat their lunches in one of its enormous rooms.
3. The Giant Redwoods, largest and oldest of trees, date from the age when coal was formed. Some of the trees are large enough to be used as rooms when the in-

sides have been burned out by forest fires.

4. "Pikes Peak or Bust" is still exclaimed by many a tourist who is making his way to the top of this famous mountain. On the Fourth of July there are daredevils who race down the treacherous winding road in their racing cars.
5. The geyser that came to be called "Old Faithful" because at intervals of 64 to 65 minutes it spouts forth a column of water 150 feet high. It is located in Yellowstone National Park.
6. The Grand Canyon into which tourists can travel on burros. Near the bottom of the canyon the temperature

becomes hot, like the tropics, and even the shrubs and flowers are different.

7. The Great Salt Lake, which has so much salt in its waters that a person will float with no effort and, in fact, can't sink.
8. The glaciers of Glacier National Park, where there are snow banks in July. The water from the glaciers drains in three directions, eventually reaching Hudson Bay, the Gulf of Mexico, and the Pacific Ocean.

ANSWERS: 1. South Dakota; 2. New Mexico; 3. California; 4. Colorado; 5. Wyoming; 6. Arizona; 7. Utah; 8. Montana.

## Junior Journalists

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Sincerely,  
Marjorie Homola  
Age 15 Gackle, N. D.

stopped at the Cherokee Indian Reservation in North Carolina. The Indians looked and dressed a lot different than I expected. My sister and I had our pictures taken with one. He was dressed like a chief.

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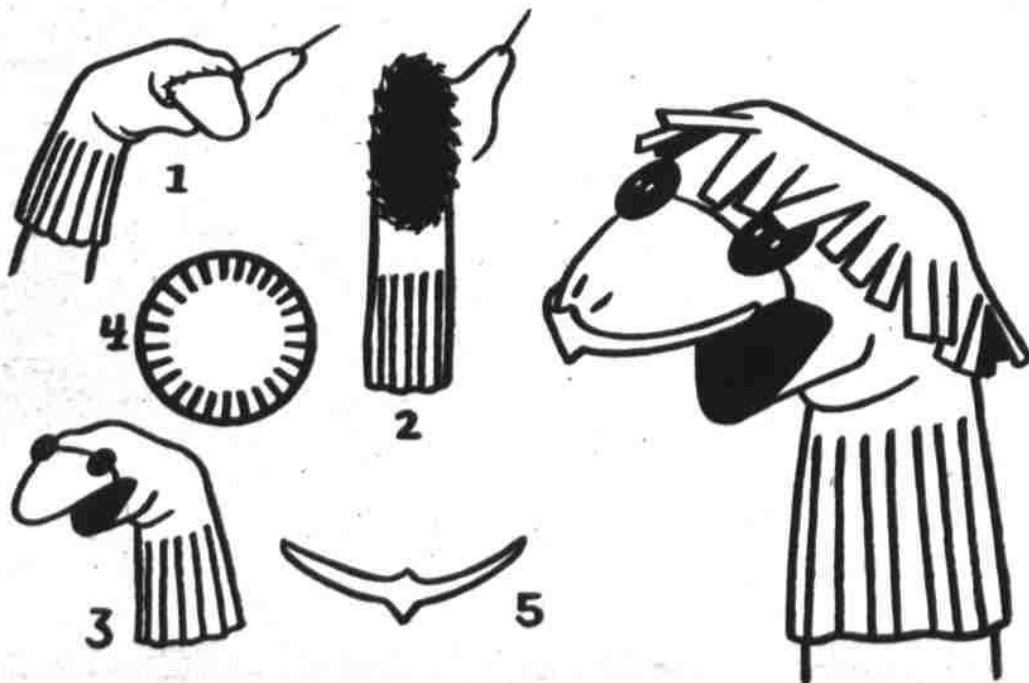
Yours truly,  
Charlotte Blankenship  
Age 13 Tuscumbia, Ala.

### Baseball

I love baseball. It's a wonderful game, And if you've ever played it You'll feel quite the same. I belong to a team And it's lots of fun, But the biggest thrill comes When you hit a home run.

Billy Cunningham  
Age 10 Richmond, Va.

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### Alexander Dragon (A Hand Puppet)

Suzie Sailer

Take an old white or other light-colored sock and put it on your hand with your thumb in the heel and the rest of your fingers in the toe. If the toe is too long, fold it under like a cuff and sew it in place. Now lay the sock flat so that the sole is upward, and cut a piece

of dark cloth to fit the sole.

Sew the cloth on and you will have the mouth. Sew two large dark-colored buttons on the top side about two and one-half inches from the end of the toe. From a bright piece of cloth cut a circle seven inches in diameter and cut

fringes along its edges. Tack the circle on the top of the sock with some thread so the fringes reach over part of the eyes. Now cut a strip shaped like figure 5 and sew it around the top of the mouth. Paint the nostrils, and Alexander is ready for action.

Do It Yourself

# There's money in your SEWING MACHINE

by Regina Gruss

Use it judiciously  
and you can stretch  
your household allowance  
in dozens of  
ingenious ways.



Mrs. SMITH WORKED busily at her sewing machine for three days and turned out a dress for her daughter, a jacket for her son, and a smart topper for herself. Then, pleased with her output, she closed her machine until the next time she felt like replenishing the family wardrobe.

Mrs. Smith is typical of many women who don't make full use of one of the greatest aids for homemakers ever invented.

Unlike Mrs. Smith, who thinks of hers only when the family needs new clothes, the wise housewife can stretch the household allowance by pressing her sewing machine into service for darning, mending, hemming, making new home accessories, and rejuvenating tired ones.

If you have a sewing machine that is gathering dust, you might start your "sew-to-save" projects by making plastic covers for lampshades and electrical appliances like toasters and mixers. Plastic material needs no hemming, so your job is that much simpler. While on your cover-making spree, try tailoring some "shortie slipcovers" for your upholstered furniture to protect those spots that age and soil first.

If your bed has a headboard or footboard you'd like to hide, sew a gay slipcover to match the bedroom draperies. And matching closet fittings—colorful shoe bags, laundry bags, and garment covers—are easy to make.

Worn-out window shades are easily replaced with homemade decorative ones. Your discarded shade is a good cutting

and sewing guide, and the new one can be attached to the old rollers and clips. Try trimming the shades with the edgings and borders your machine can turn out in minutes.

Attractive table mats that brighten table settings are also fun to make. Cut fabric to the desired size, then fringe the edges and "lock" them with single rows of machine stitching.

Another simple-to-sew project for your table is a plastic cloth. You can match it to appliance covers and kitchen curtains by working with the same color plastic and creating border designs with contrasting colors.

You can give worn sheets and pillowcases new life by re-hemming them with contrasting fabrics. If a sheet has ripped down the center, cut it into two pieces, joining selvage sides in a center seam. Trim the ragged side edges and hem.

Many women use an "iron seamstress" as the key to a smart wardrobe. But a sewing machine does more than stitch up new garments; it extends the life of old ones. Here are suggestions that may spark some ideas of your own:

Next time the lacy bodice of a slip wears out, trim it off at the waist, sew on an elastic band, and you have a serviceable petticoat. And just because a pajama jacket is destined to become a dust cloth doesn't mean the trousers need to be discarded, too. Rip the old jacket to use as a pattern and sew a new top from contrasting material.

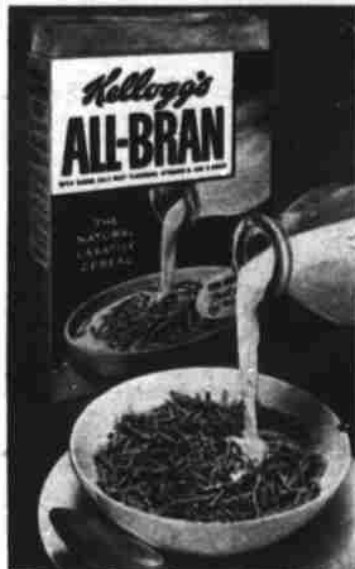
Your sewing machine saves time and effort, as well as money. It darns, mends, and sews on buttons or hooks and eyes in a fraction of the time it takes by hand. And it can monogram, blind-stitch, applique, overcast, and embroider!

There are many sources of instruction for the woman just learning to sew. Libraries have books full of ideas for beginner or expert. Many schools offer sewing courses, and lessons are usually included when you buy a sewing machine.

If you don't own one, you've been overlooking an invention that some rank with the automobile and the electric light. Mahatma Gandhi, for instance, exempted the sewing machine from his ban on the import of Western machinery into India. He rated it "one of the few useful things ever invented."

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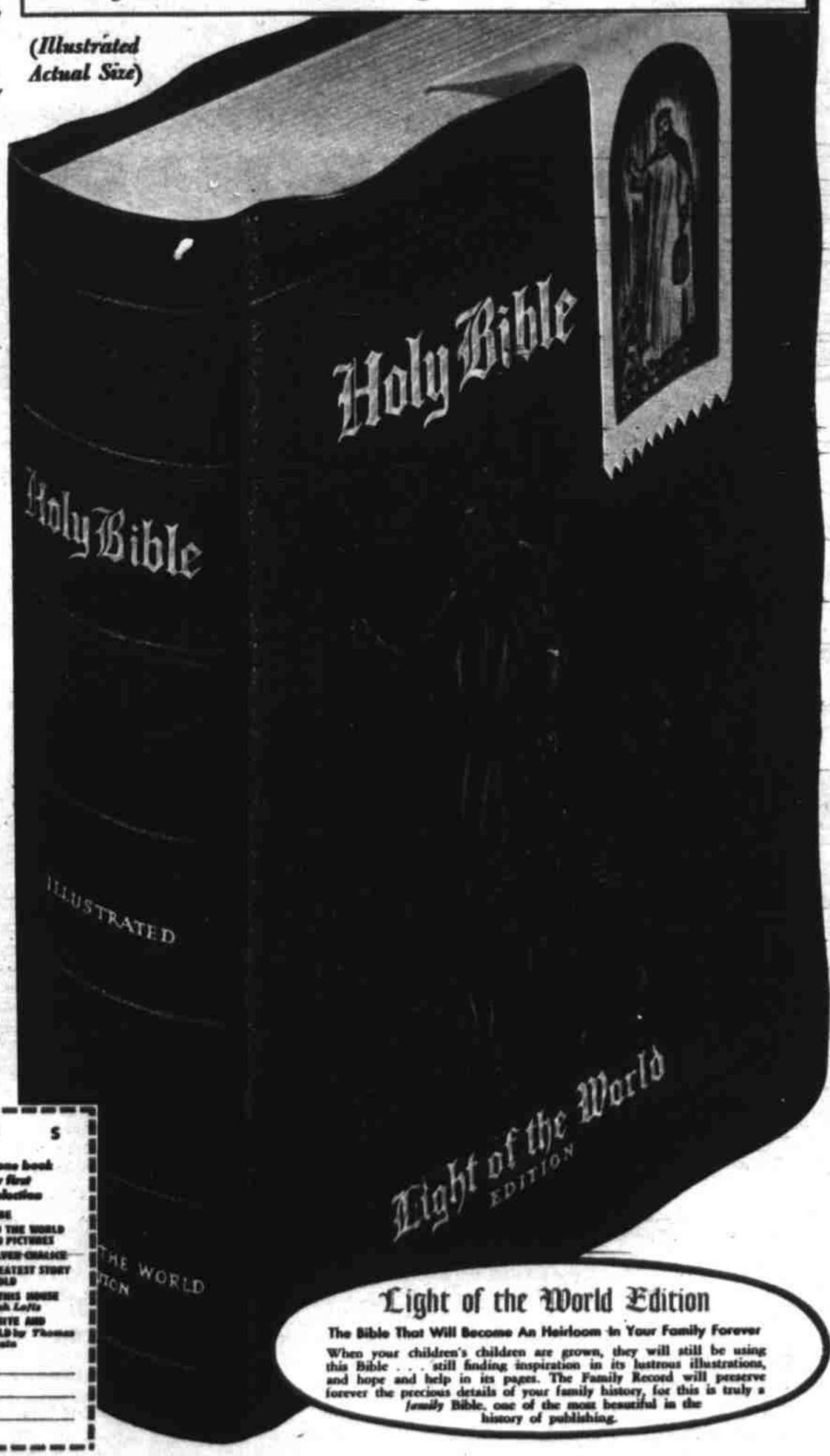
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