

# Democrats Offer Revised Labor Bill for Speedy House Action

## Pampa News

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### 41 Loads of Trash Hauled To Open Drive

Forty-one trucks of trash were picked up from Ward 4 yesterday, the opening day of the 1949 clean-up, fix-up, paint-up campaign. Ernest Winborne, steering committee member, said.

Trucks sponsored by the Rotary Club will continue picking debris from Ward 4 alleys today and tomorrow. Any resident in Ward 4 who adds trash after the trucks have made their first round should notify Winborne at 617.

"We have extra trucks on hand," he said, "to take care of any late residents who get their trash into the alley after the trucks go by."

With three days in each ward, it is expected the city will be even more thoroughly cleaned than last year. More than 300 loads were hauled from Pampa alleys to the city dump during the 1948 drive.

Meanwhile, residents of Ward 3—south of E. Foster and east of S. Cuyler—have been requested to "start filling their alleys." Under the direction of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, the Ward 3 clean-up, fix-up, paint-up campaign will get underway Thursday and will run through Saturday.

Besides the annual cleaning Pampa is receiving, members of the Steering Committee hope residents will plant flower boxes, flower gardens, vegetable gardens, grass plots, shrubbery and trees to beautify the city.

Under the cleaning phase of the campaign, residents have been urged to clean alley lots, back yards, front yards, vacant lots, walls, basements, attics, house gutters, porches, garages and furnaces.

"Fixing up should include shrubbery and trees, trimmed, dead trees and stumps removed, buildings repaired, buildings modernized, porches and steps repaired, roofs repaired, water faucets, leaks repaired, screens repaired, fences repaired, electrical equipment repaired, electrical wire or cord replaced, old electrical fixtures replaced, junk and papers destroyed, insect breeding places destroyed, rats and mice refuse cans disinfected," he said.

The last phase of the drive should include the painting of the exterior of homes, rooms, floors, woodwork, porches, fences, out-buildings, screens, roofs, ceilings and basements.

### Girl Scouts Plan Camps

Pampa Girl Scouts have started to concentrate on summer camping and day camp activities, Mrs. Howard Vineyard, Day Camp Committee chairman, said.

Scouts of Troop 9 will spend the weekend at Camp Sullivan under the leadership of Mrs. Archie Bullard, Mrs. Bill Luedeker and Mrs. K. E. Thornton.

Lake McClellan will be the camping place for Scouts of Troop 21 Saturday. Mrs. Vineyard will accompany Troop 21 Scouts and will be assisted by Martha Dittmeyer, program aide.

Meanwhile, Day Camp registrations were sent out this morning from the Scout office. Brownie and Tenderfoot Scouts who plan on attending the camp, June 6 through 13, have been requested to have their applications in the office by 5 p. m., May 27.

A well-rounded program has been planned for this year's Day Camp. Some of the activities to be included are handicraft, singing, outdoor cooking, nature, hikes, dramatics, campcraft, tracking and trailing, games, folk dancing and story telling.

The site for the camp will be the Scout House at 716 E. Kingmill. The camp will be held from 4:30 to 8:30 p. m. daily.

A Day Camp training course for the leaders will be instructed all day May 16.

### THIRD PART OF TOUR—SORRENTO, Italy — (AP) — Princess Margaret, of England arrived at Sorrento today on the third part of her Italian tour.

### THE WEATHER

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU

TEXAS: Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday. A few showers and rain showers Wednesday.

OKLAHOMA: Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday with scattered showers and thunderstorms beginning today in Panhandle, spreading over state tonight. Wednesday scattered showers and thunderstorms southeast and extreme east. Cooler northwest tonight and in west and north West.

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Halsey Chrysler for that shower gift from Lewis Hardware—adv.

### West Ready With Time-Table Plan for Ending Blockade

NEW YORK — (AP) — The three big Western powers were reported today to be completing a joint declaration of policy on the Berlin blockade to lay before Russia in 24 hours.

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Usually well informed quarters, however, said it would be safe to speculate on these dates in connection with the Western position—May 11 for ending the blockade and May 25 for the council of foreign ministers.

Russia's two top representatives here, Malik and Deputy Foreign Minister Andrei A. Gromyko, spent the morning at Lake Success where they were delegates to the United Nations Assembly.

These reports followed a meeting of British, French and American envoys here yesterday which lasted for more than an hour. The only official announcement after this session was a terse communique saying the blockade "satisfactorily."

The next step would be presentation of the Western-power proposal to Malik, Russia's key man in the blockade talks here.

A U. S. spokesman cautioned against undue hope for speed, hinting that Malik and the French and British envoys were awaiting further instructions from their home governments.

The Soviet Union has offered to sell off the blockade if the Western Allies will drop their counter-blockade and agree to a mutually acceptable date for a meeting of the big four foreign ministers on the whole German problem. The offer resulted in a series of secret meetings between Jessup, talking for the West, and Malik.

### War Against Stray Dogs Is Declared

Stray and unlicensed dogs in the city are on the increase, according to complaints flooding the city manager's and chief of police's offices during the past ten days.

As a result, the city's dog catcher was ordered to pick up all stray and unlicensed dogs, over six months old, that he sees and hold them in the city pound for three days. If, at the end of that time no one claims the dog, or offers to take it, have it vaccinated against rabies and give it a home, the dog is destroyed.

City Humane Officer Stanley White last night explained the three-day period was set because it costs too much to feed a dog per day and if he is unclaimed within the three-day period, the dog is destroyed.

White, also a mechanic for the city, was told to pick up every stray, or unlicensed dog, he sees especially since the canine population is on the increase and because the rabies season is coming.

All licensed dogs in the city have been vaccinated against the dread hydrophobia disease. Dog owners, city officials reminded, must produce a rabies (hydrophobia) vaccination certificate from a veterinarian before they may secure a dog license.

Chief of Police Louie Allen said license fees run \$1 for all males and spayed females over six months old and \$2 for all females capable of bearing pups.

### Man Fined on Driving Charge

Jim Culbertson, White Deer, was assessed a \$50 fine and costs yesterday by County Judge Bruce Parker for speeding and reckless driving. A Buick sedan was a late model 1948 and was driven by Albert Lee Wilson, 1138 S. Wilcox. Damage to the Buick was estimated at \$500. Wilson was also fined \$1 and costs by Judge Henry for driving without an operator's license.

The charges arose out of a crash near Kingsmill last week when Culbertson hit the rear end of a Buick sedan driven by Albert Lee Wilson, 1138 S. Wilcox. Damage to the Buick was estimated at \$500. Wilson was also fined \$1 and costs by Judge Henry for driving without an operator's license.

State Highway Patrolmen investigated the crash and filed the complaints.



**TORNADO'S WAKE**—Mrs. Jack Schult and son, Erik, inspected damage to a neighbor's home in Norman, Okla., after it had been hit by a series of tornadoes which has ruffled Norman to the tune of near one million dollars in property damage alone. At least eight persons are dead and seventy or more injured throughout Oklahoma and the northeastern section of Texas. (NEA Telephoto)

### Injunctions Would Be Continued

WASHINGTON — (AP) — An important revised Democratic labor bill carrying several Taft-Hartley features went before the House today for perhaps quick action.

The compromise was far different from the simple repealer which labor unions have been seeking to wipe out the T-H Law. For one thing, it would continue to permit the use of 80-day injunctions—bitterly fought by unions—to deal with national emergency strikes.

Speaker Rayburn (D-Tex.) and Democratic Floor Leader McCord (D-Mass.) were scheduled to speak for the new proposal. A House vote was possible before nightfall.

The parliamentary situation was such that, before getting to the Labor Committee's Lendrak Bill, the House would have to vote on the Wood measure, a union-opposed bill that would re-enact most of the Taft-Hartley Law. The Wood Bill has piled up strength among Republicans and Southern Democrats.

The new Democratic measure consists of the administration's original bill to repeal the Taft-Hartley Law with five compromise amendments inserted and a new section tacked on at the end.

Besides the slightly altered court order provision, the amendments would (a) retain the Taft-Hartley section requiring unions to make regular financial reports to their members, (b) require employees as well as union officers to swear they are not Communists, (c) provide that both

### April Wasn't Good Month For Burglars

Burglars got very little for their trouble here during April's 30 days, according to the monthly report of the Pampa Police Department.

The report showed only five break-ins, including two cars from which a three-cell flashlight and three large screwdrivers were taken. The other three break-ins were limited to business houses along W. Brown where millions of dollars worth of goods were taken totaling less than \$20.

The report showed no murders and no personal robberies or hold-ups.

A total of 446 traffic summonses were handed out by police, 213 of these for overtime parking and the remaining 233 for various moving traffic and illegal parking offenses.

Six fights were reported to police while 24 were booked for disturbing the peace. Drunks brought in numbered 88 and 44 gamblers, 18. Five men were picked up for investigation and five others were turned over to the county on charges of drunken driving.

Chief of Police Louie Allen said police were called to investigate 23 wrecks during the month, but that no traffic fatalities arose from any of them.

Allen said there were approximately one-third more wrecks in the city than were reported. He based this on the fact that where the total damages to all cars involved in any one wreck does not exceed \$25, the wreck does not need to be reported. If, on the other hand, the damage exceeds that amount, state law requires that drivers of all cars involved make a report within 24 hours. This means calling police. Failure to report such a wreck is a misdemeanor in Texas, the chief reminded.

### Boy Scout Exposition Is Awaited

Tom-toms are beating in the distance. An occasional 51.0 is being whistled by a headless Shreve predicted the business recession in his keynote address. He said:

"When the current readjustment has run its course, and buying for inventory replacement (See ACHESON, Page 2)

Between 45 and 80 Cub Scouts were working on their Indian costumes for several weeks, awaiting the big day. Myrtle Morgan, Cubmaster of Pack 14, Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. H. D. McWaters, Mrs. Calvin Jones and Mrs. D. C. Paulson, den mothers, have been assisting the boys.

The five dens of Pack 14 will bring their small units within the Indian village. Four activities will take place during the day—leatherwork, metalcraft, basketry and clay modeling.

Saturday's Scout exposition will be conducted in the business section of town for the first time annually. Cubs and Scouts will present their skills and activities between 9 a. m. and 5 p. m. on street corners and on the City Hall and Courthouse lawn. Activities will range from twerit badge demonstrations to a replica of the Philippine Islands.

Each exhibit will be under the supervision of an adult leader. Exhibits will be judged during the day and blue and red streamers presented to the troops at 5 p. m.

The day's activities will close with a ceremony at 5 p. m. on the Courthouse lawn at which time the Scouts and Cubs will dedicate themselves to the ideals of Scouting.

### Singers to Hold Harmony Banquet

The annual ladies' night and harmony banquet of the local chapter of S.P.E.B.S.Q.S. will be held at the Waco today in the Schneider Hotel Dining Room, Dude Bathrope, president said.

Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Quartet Singing in America quarters from Berger, Amarillo, C. P. Trussell, and Perryton, together with the Squeaky Door Four, the Melody Menders and the High School girls' trio will provide the evening's entertainment.

Dinner will be served promptly at 8 p. m., Bathrope said. All members of the organization have been invited to be present with their wives and invited guests.

### 'Death of a Salesman,' Play, and 'Guard of Honor,' Novel, Win Prizes

NEW YORK — (AP) — Pulitzer Prizes have been awarded to "Death of a Salesman," the smash Broadway hit, and to "Guard of Honor," a novel about a wartime Air Force general.

The writers were named yesterday by the trustees of Columbia University. The 45-year-old James Gould Thompson, 52, music critic of the New York Herald Tribune, won the award for his novel, "Guard of Honor," a wartime Air Force general.

Robert E. Sherwood received an award for his intimate biography, "Roosevelt and Hopkins."

The Pulitzer Committee decided that the Nebraska State Journal of Lincoln, Neb., rendered the "most distinguished and meritorious service" among the nation's newspapers. The Journal was honored for promoting a presidential primary.

A New York Sun series by Malcolm Johnson of waterfront crime was adjudged the year's outstanding example of local reporting.

The awards—given for the 32nd year—were established in 1917 through a gift of \$2,500,000 made to Columbia University by the late Joseph Pulitzer, former publisher of the New York World and the St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

A cash award of \$500 is given each individual winner, and a \$500 gold plaque to the winning newspaper. The drama award covers the year from April 1, 1948, to April 1, 1949, and all other awards are for the calendar year 1948.

The music award went to Virgil Thomson, 52, music critic of the New York Herald Tribune, for the accompaniment to "Louisiana Story," documentary film on the drilling of an oil well in the Louisiana bayous.

Lute Pease, 80-year-old cartoonist and the oldest man ever to win a Pulitzer Prize in that field, was honored for a cartoon in the Newark (N.J.) Evening News. The cartoon showed a broken window pane labeled "coal strike" with a lower line saying "U. S. economy." A judge was shown pointing a finger at United Mine Workers Boss John L. Lewis, who was asking innocently, "who, me?"

Two newspapermen won prizes for the year's best editorials. The winners were John H. Crider, 43, editor-in-chief of the Boston Her-

### Greying Puss—In Greencastle, Ind., Mrs. James W. Wright's Persian cat was jet black (above left) until it went after a bird. The cat, reaching for a canary, pulled the bird's cage from a hanger; and at the same time, a flower pot fell and rolled after the retreating cat. It was several hours before the frightened puss was found. In a few days it began to turn white (above right). The first change was a ring around the feline's neck; then came a gradual greying. (NEA Telephoto)

### Reds Claim Capture Of Important City

SHANGHAI — (AP) — Kwangteh, important city midway between Wuhu and Hangchow, has been captured by Red troops, the Peiping Communist radio said today.

The radio claimed victory for the Communists in a battle on the borders of Kaingou-Anhui and Chekiang Provinces. The radio said 2,400 Nationalists were captured.

The report has not been confirmed by any other source.

The Communist radio said also that Tatum, 125 miles west of Peiping, had been taken. The city, last Nationalist bastion north of the Yangtze except surrounded Tsingtao, on the coast, surrendered on May 1, the radio said.

Tsingtao is the base of the U. S. Western Pacific Fleet.

A U. S. Navy spokesman said at a news conference that American, British and French Naval vessels hurriedly departed from Shanghai last week to keep the Communists from trapping them on the Whangpoo River. He said a Communist plot to scuttle a ship and block them from reaching the Yangtze and the sea had been uncovered.

The American spokesman said the Navy was still ready to evacuate the 1,650 Americans still in Shanghai if it became necessary.

The big ships were moved down the Yangtze estuary, he said, to get them out of range of Wosung fortress guns, which may eventually fall into Communist hands.

A Nationalist garrison commander earlier said the six Chinese warships captured at Nan-

### 'Mehaffey' Is Cry at Baylor U.

WACO — (AP) — "We want Mehaffey" was the rallying cry of Baylor University law students today.

"Mehaffey" is Mrs. A. J. Mehaffey, Waco housewife, mother of two children (aged 9 and 11), and Baylor law student.

The Waco News Tribune said news leaked out that Mrs. Mehaffey polled the most votes in the annual May queen election. She hadn't sought the honor.

This was a hard blow to the 19 teenage glamour girls from Texas, Arkansas and Louisiana who thought they had the field to themselves.

But there was every indication Mrs. Mehaffey would not be named queen. Dean Abner McCall of the law school said her candidacy had been filed 48 hours late, and was not accompanied by the required filing fee.

"If she wasn't entered," said the dean learnedly, "how could she win?"

That's where the law students rebelled. They argue that democracy should be served, despite technicalities. The idea is they'll settle for a separate coronation for their fellow law student, if the crown is officially given to one of the glamour belles.

Mrs. Mehaffey herself is a bit bewildered. She is widely known as the Waco dealer in used cars and alligator steaks, whose trade name is "Pore Old Mehaffey."

She's not saying exactly how old she is. But she was a campus beauty in her undergraduate days at Baylor back in the 1920s. She also studied at the Sorbonne in Paris. Mehaffey received his Baylor law degree in 1940. Mrs. Mehaffey decided she wanted one, too.

All former Air Force personnel are invited to attend.

### Air Force Reserve Meeting Tomorrow

The regular meeting of the 311th Composite Unit, Air Force Reserve, will be held in the County Court Room, at 7:30 p. m., Wednesday, according to the unit commander, Col. C. W. Bogan.

Some interesting films will be shown by the unit training officer, Lt. Wesley Lewis. The lesson will be on Air Force administration.

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### 26 Cases Handled By Justice Court

Twenty-two criminal misdemeanor cases and four civil suits were handled by Justice Court last month, figures on Judge D. R. Henry's monthly report disclosed.

Of the 22 cases, State Highway Patrolmen filed 12 on traffic violations, seven by the Sheriff's Department, two by Constable Bill Langley and one by city officers.

A total of \$108 was levied in fines by the court, not including the costs of court.

### WE HEARD...

County Agent Ralph Thomas saying dandelions can be killed easily by purchasing the chemical 24D, at any drug store, mixing it with water according to directions, and then spraying or sprinkling it on the lawn. The person doing the job must be careful not to spray or even get the mist on shrubs and flowers. 24D does not kill grass.

### Hester Keeps Busy Changing His Testimony

CLEBURNE — (AP) — Arthur Clayton Hester, convicted slayer of Dr. John Lord, twice has changed his trial testimony that Dr. Lord was a homosexual.

Waiting in jail here to be taken to the state prison where he faces a 50-year prison sentence, Hester yesterday said Dr. Lord was not a sex pervert. Hours later he reversed and said, "Dr. Lord was a homosexual," he said. "I had to start with my statement that I was untrue. I made it because I thought it would help me."

Hester was convicted last Saturday of the bludgeoning killing of Dr. Lord, 70, dean of the Graduate School at Texas Christian University in Fort Worth. Dr. Lord had taken Hester in off the streets and given him a home.

The handsome, often jaunty youth of 38 appeared voluntarily in the office of District Attorney John A. James yesterday. He had asked Sheriff Houston Welling to take him there so he could "clear some things up."

In an interview with Jack Proctor, Cleburne newspaper man, Hester said, "I wanted to clear the name of Dr. Lord because I really liked the old man."

In his signed statement to James, Hester said:

"I was afraid Mr. James would prosecute me again if I said I had lied during the trial. (See HESTER, Page 3)

### Money Bill For Colleges On Calendar

AUSTIN — (AP) — A near \$5 million dollar money bill for state-supported colleges went to the House calendar for action today.

It was the last of the major money bills which have been haggling in the House Appropriations Committee. Two years ago, the Legislature voted 46 million dollars to support the colleges during the current fiscal period.

The House has already approved the judiciary and eleemosynary bills. All the major appropriations measures which must be passed before final adjournment are still hung-up in the Senate Finance Committee.

The House Appropriations Committee today voted \$7,689,000 for Stephen F. Austin State Teachers College and a \$15,000 item for small grain research to the total recommended by its subcommittee.

An effort to add \$15,000 a year for wool and mohair study failed by an 8 to 9 vote. Several other additions were beaten down, including an increase of \$350,000 for Prairie View University for Negroes.

The report favored for House action, the higher education bill calls for expenditures of \$57,968,660 in the next two fiscal years.

The subcommittee on higher education recommended \$47,677,000 for the state colleges, approximately \$11 million more than for the biennium ending Aug. 31. (See MONEY, Page 2)

### McLean Sets Cancer Drive

Lester Campbell, is serving as chairman of the McLean American Cancer Society drive. J. Ray Martin, Gray County chairman, said this morning.

McLean's drive is sponsored by the Lions Club and will be added in the county total.

McLean's drive is more than \$1,000 short of its goal at present, Martin continued.

"We sent letters to many Pampa concerns and enclosed envelopes to return contributions to the annual drive," he said. "A few of the businesses have responded, but not nearly all of them."

Cancer research was the chief recipient this week as University of Texas regents in session at El Paso Friday accepted \$100,000 in gifts and grants.

More than one-third of the total is tagged for seeking the cause and cure of the dread disease and included:

American Cancer Society grants-in-aid of \$8,000 to Dr. C. P. Oliver and \$5,400 to Dr. Jackson W. Foster for research at the University at Austin, \$7,500 to the Galveston Medical Branch Research Center and an additional \$14,380 to the University's M. D. Anderson Hospital at Houston for research.



# Rope Burns 'n' Saddle Sores

By H. B. TAYLOR, JR.

I don't know what I started this column for anyway. Here it is nearly midnight and I have just started to write. I have been down at the ranch all day gathering strays and doctoring. Then had to go to town to a roping club meeting tonight and have just got home. I bet I start earlier next week.

The Roping Club got their calves in this weekend. We got 77 head of the nicest brahma calves. Ed Gipson, one of our club members, went down close to Houston and bought them for us. We had them all vaccinated and located out at the fair grounds in the Hereford barns when something happened to them. The calves all got excited and staged a little stampede. They tore down about fifty yards of net wire fence and the corner of the barn with it. If you have ever seen a bunch of blackbirds scatter when they are scared, you will have a pretty good idea of what happened to the calves. We finally gathered forty-nine head Saturday and then picked up twenty-five more Sunday. There are still three calves that we have not located. If anyone knows where these calves are, please let some of the club know. Just call the Court House Cafe or call me and we will get right out and get them. We don't mind the calves being gone so much as we do the work that Buck Hines, Rabbit Walters, Tooter Henry and I put in vaccinating them. Talk about big blue spots, those old calves can really kick.

The Pampa Roping Club was well represented over at the McLean rodeo last Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Among those entered from the club were Geo. Smith, Bill Stockstill, Rip Barrett, Tooter Henry, Lee Cockrell, Aubrey Walters, Buddy Cockrell, Buck Hines, John Organ, Earl Looper, and of course, I had to go. The Roping Club conducted the grand entry for the Saturday afternoon rodeo and also led the parade that was held preceding the show. Joe Looper asked me to thank each of you fellows for your help in making this venture as good as it was. I thought that we The event that drew the biggest crowd over at the McLean rodeo was the relay race from Shamrock to McLean. That was really a race. There were only three men entered but they were after that \$100 prize. The race

really did a bang-up job. If we can just keep up the good work at the shows around the country, we will put the Roping Club on the map for keeps.

got off to a late start but the riders made the time up after they finally did get underway. Bob Sherrod, McLean, Tom Harlan, Kellerville, and Pat Slavin, Clarendon, were the entries. Bob Sherrod got off to an early lead and was about 100 yards ahead at the first 1-2 mile lap. Bob's time for this lap was 21 minutes. Sherrod also led at the end of 13 miles with a time of 40 minutes 45 seconds. Pat Slavin began to pull up about three miles from the finish and won the race by approximately 125 yards. The time for the twenty miles was a nice 57 minutes flat. Plenty fast running for cow horses, don't you think? Bob Sherrod rode the second lap of the race without his saddle, being cinched. His second horse put on a little rodeo and bucked with him. Sometime during this bucking spree the cinch came unbuckled and Bob just pulled it up over the horn and went to McLean. Slavin also had his bad luck when he broke a stirrup after mounting his last horse. Pat rode the last lap with only one stirrup. The results of the McLean show on Saturday were: First go-round: Calf-roping: 1st, Doyle Sparlin, McLean, 15.1; 2nd, Claude Cassion, Wellington, 18.3rd, Gilford Nolan, McLean, 18.1; 4th, Jack Lisle, Shamrock, and Pike Cluck, Gruver, tied, 21; Rib-roping: 1st, H. B. Taylor, 14; 2nd, Bob Sherrod, 18.2; 3rd, Bill Murry, Samnorwood, 22; 4th, Tooter Henry, Pampa, 22.1. Bull-dogging: 1st, Cotton Marston, 8; C. M. Coffee, Miami, 15.1; 3rd, Doc Guynes, Shamrock, 16; Jack Lisle, 16.3. Saddle Brones: 1st, C. M. Coffee, 2nd, Bob Sherrod, 3rd, Leslie Dorsey, Alarend, with five men being bucked off for ground money. Girls Sponsors: 1st, Dora Waldrop, Amarillo; 2nd, Maureen Nolan, McLean; 3rd, Patsy Turpin, Dalhart.

I didn't get the results on Sunday, for I was tied up with the calves. The calendar for the coming rodeos looks like the cowboys won't have time to look after the home chores if they are going to make all of them. May 7-8, Higgins, Claude Hayes furnishing the stock, Johnson, Kansas, also May 7-8, Pat Wartman furnishing stock. May 13-14, the Annual Gruver Spring Festival, Gruver, Claude Hayes stock contractor, Crosbyton, Texas, also on May 13-14, Goat Mayo's stock. May 21-22, the Sunray Roping Club's

## WHO ARE THESE 700,000 MEN THEY CALL "KNIGHTS"?

Whether you are a Catholic or not, you should know the truth about the Knights of Columbus.

Is it, as sometimes rumored, a secret society with designs against our government? Do its members really take an oath to destroy non-Catholic institutions and to promote Catholic political power?

If such rumors were true, the Knights of Columbus would not deserve the friendship and trust of non-Catholic citizens, which it invites and merits. Actually there is no more thoroughly American organization than this fraternal order of Catholic men.

It is composed of plumbers and lawyers, farmers and doctors, business men and scientists—of Catholic men at every level of the social and economic scale. Some are rabidly partisan Democrats, others equally staunch Republicans. On political and public questions, they "choose up sides" with all the freedom and enthusiasm of any other citizens.

The Knights of Columbus was formed in 1882, by a small group of the men of St. Mary's Church, New Haven, Connecticut. They had met, at the invitation of Father Michael J. McGivney, not to form a national fraternal society, but to "render mutual aid to the members of the parish and their families."

In the years that since have ensued, the Knights of Columbus has grown into a fraternal order of 700,000 members, spread over the United States, Canada and other countries of the Western World. But its purpose of "mutual aid" and its principles of charity, unity, fraternity and patriotism... have remained unchanged through those 67 years.

Millions of dollars contributed by the American people have been

spent by the Order for the relief of victims of fire, flood and famine... for the support of Christian youth work... for aid to Christian education. In World War I, and immediately thereafter \$44,000,000 was expended by the Knights in support of our troops and in the rehabilitation of veterans. Even after all these years, veterans of the first great conflict still remember the Knights of Columbus huts in France with their friendly invitation: "Everybody Welcome—Everything Free."

Nearly one out of every six Knights served his country in World War II, and many laid down their lives. Despite these and many other signal demonstrations of its principles of charity, unity, fraternity and patriotism, some people have the most absurd beliefs and suspicions about the Knights of Columbus, just as they do about the Catholic Church. Even today, misinformed people give publicity at times to a false alleged Knights of Columbus oath which has been proved to be fraudulent, and which scores of others have been forced publicly to admit is untrue.

This message... and others explaining Catholic beliefs and practices... are published by the Knights of Columbus so that our non-Catholic neighbors may judge us as we really are—not as we are often misrepresented to be. We believe that truth, as Lincoln said, "is generally the best vindication against slander."

If you would like to know more about the Knights of Columbus... about the ideals, history, achievements and aims of this international society of Catholic men... we shall gladly send you free an interesting pamphlet on the subject. Write today for Pamphlet No. 9—KC.

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Religious Information Bureau

2422 LINDELL BLVD. ST. LOUIS 8, MO.

22nd Annual rodeo, Pat Wartman's Rodeo June 10-11-12. If you can't go to another show all year, try to make this last one. We are really working hard to get the best stock and cowboys in the business for this year's show. I don't know for sure where I will wind up next weekend but I will see some of you either at Higgins or in Johnson, Kansas. That is if my mother will let me.

## Legal Records

MARRIAGE LICENSES  
Hubert G. Carson and Vera L. Carlson.  
Carl Lam and Billie L. Scott.

## REALTY TRANSFERS

G. A. Poston and wife to A. L. Bain; Lot 1, Block 7, East End.  
Frank Peppie and wife to Claude H. Casey; Lot 14, Block 11, Lefors.  
Luther Pierson and wife to Lane-Wells Co.; part of Section 157, Block 3, I & G N Railroad Co. surveys, Gray.

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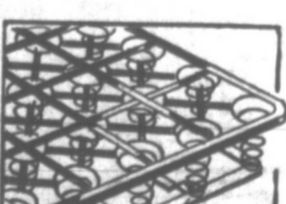
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For Ward Week only

Spring-fresh cottage curtains of shadow-striped scrim or edged with colorful percale band!



REG. 41.95 VIG-O-REST  
REDUCED! 3488  
Pre-built Bed

231 Premier Wire coils, sisal-insulated—filled cotton padded. Tan and white woven tick.



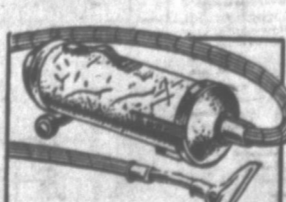
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Ideal support for your inner-spring mattress! 99 resilient Premier Wire double-deck coils.



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Just open lid of Airline's smart maroon portable! Plays instantly on AC/DC/battery! A top buy!



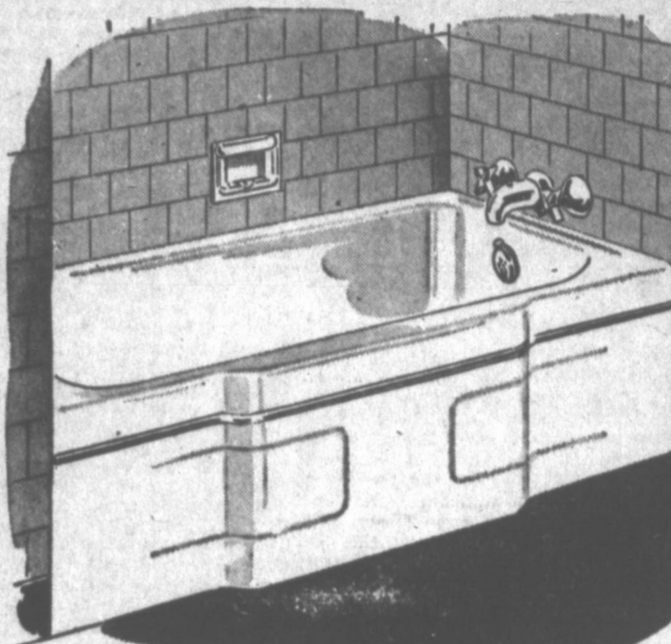
PRICE CUT ON M-W  
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Save now! M-W's powerful suction cleans rugs; furniture. Easy dirt disposal! 6 attachments!



REG. 31c DUPLEX  
RECEPTACLE 26c  
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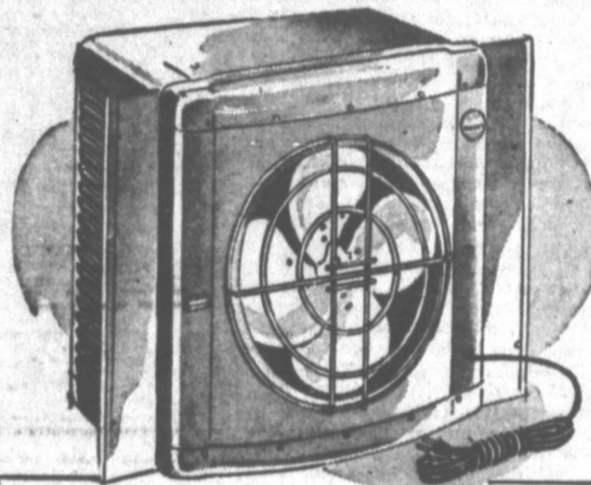
Has "T" slots for firmer grip. Heavier contacts. UL approved. Reg. 11c Brown Plate... 8c



STEEL TUB WITH FITTINGS  
PRICE CUT NOW! REG. 84.39

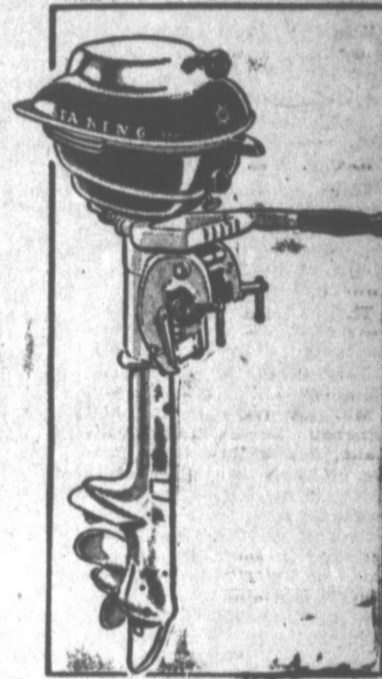
On Terms: 10% Down, Balance Monthly 7750  
8 ft.

Buy your steel tub today at Wards and save dollars. Dazzling white porcelain-enamelled steel, with shiny chrome trim... Ideal for modern bathroom. Acid, stain resistant... 16" high, it's easy to step in and out of... equipped with convenient built-in ledge seat.



SALE! REG. 49.50 EVAPORATIVE COOLER 4450  
On Terms: 10% Down, Balance Monthly

For filter-fresh air in sweltering summer heat... buy this cooler at Wards special price. 1500 c.f.m. capacity really drops room temperature.

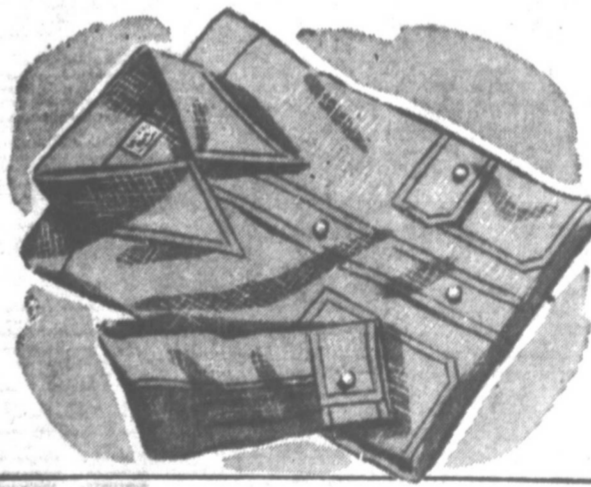


REG. 132.50  
5 H.P. "SEA KING"  
MOTOR 11550  
O.B.C. Rated of 4000 rpm.

It's smooth and quiet in operation, yet this Deluxe Twin packs a lot of power! Develops speeds to 14 m.p.h., slow trolls without a sputter! Automatic rewind starter, full 360 degree reversal!

WARD WEEK

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1.29 TRIPLE-SEWN CHAMBRAY SHIRTS! 117  
Built specially to Wards specifications for comfort and long wear on your job. Triple-sewn main seams, non-rip sleeve facings, double shoulder yoke, long tails. 14 1/2 to 17 necks. Sanforized—1% shrinkage!



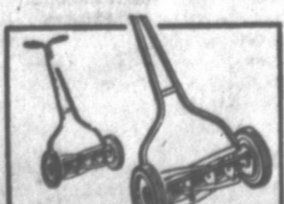
REG. 19.95 POP-UP  
TOASTER 1744  
Ask about terms!

Save bread, time, electricity! Fully automatic! Beautifully styled in chrome. Cord. AC-DC.



4.95 STAINLESS SET OF  
FLATWARE 377  
24-pc. Set for 6

Amazing low price for flatware of rustproof, solid stainless steel; enduring bright finish.

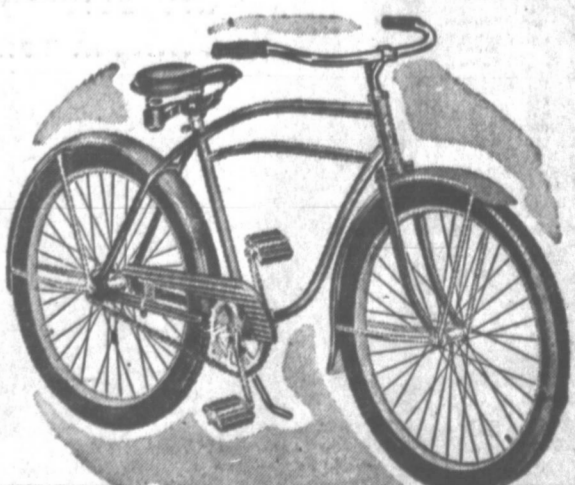
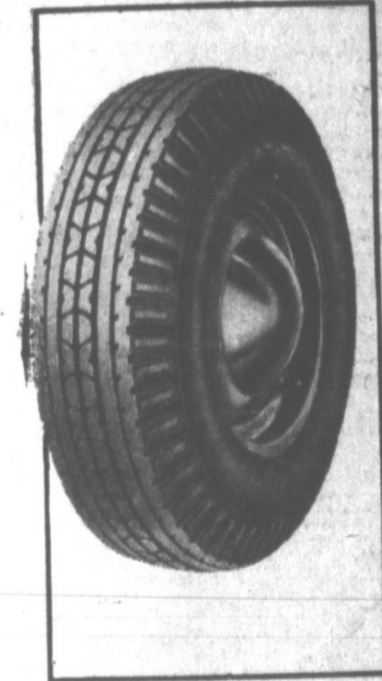


REG. 19.95 WARDS  
LAWN MOWER 1697  
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SALE! RIVERSIDE  
FIRST QUALITY  
1075  
Each  
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Yes! First quality Riverside tires, sale priced for Ward Week only! Take advantage of these low prices during Wards most famous sale! Remember every tire reduced! Size 6 or all cars, trucks!



REGULAR 37.95 HAWTHORNE BIKE 3388  
It's a champion in any class... a new Hawthorne Baked-on enamel finish, chrome trim, kick stand, chain guard, and big "Air-Cushion" balloon tires!  
On Terms: 10% Down, Balance Monthly

Fair Enough - Pegler

The American public recently has seen two more displays of fatuous conceit in well-known and pretentious characters who had the intelligence to run their own little political affairs, yet presume to guide the nation and the world.

Miss Thompson is a cosmic journalist of quavering judgment in her personal concerns which are always to her of the dearest sanctity. In this she resembles Marshall Field, the little man who wasn't there.

Adams is a professional intellectual and penny-a-line heckler and humiliate underprivileged journalists in several New York newspapers "columns" of the old B.L.T. tradition by nosing out this practice in their copy.

Since he withered on the vine, Mr. Adams has sprouted again as one of the three wise guys of information. He has a department of information, a room of proofroom and copy-desk minutiae such as many a rump scholar wasted on the boozey air of Perry's, the Steuben and kindred hangouts of ink-blotted wretches when we were very young.

Washington.....by Peter Edson

WASHINGTON (NEA)—Resonance of Republican Senator Raymond E. Baldwin of Connecticut presents an interesting case of a senator's life under modern conditions.

Under the hammering of this session, Baldwin's hands began to shake and his complexion turned to waxy dough. A physical check-up showed nothing organically wrong with him.



LOOKING AHEAD

A TASK FOR TRUMAN President Truman has before him one of the greatest opportunities that any president has had during the first half of our century.

So far, indications are that Mr. Truman will deal with the problem of reorganizing the executive side of the federal government with his usual honesty and forthrightness.

Time is running short. Our sprawling bureaucracy will not of itself change its habits. Instead, if left alone to grow, expand, and mushroom as it will, our financial burdens will never cease.

On the other hand, it would be to Stalin's interest merely to keep this contentment complacent. It also provides a publicity program and military spearhead for promoting revolution in other Asiatic countries.

Gracie Says

By GRACIE ALLEN

I see that the New York Telephone Co., which must be a very interesting corporation to live with, is conducting a campaign to get people to quit saying "Hello" over the phone.

NEW PAPER PLANNED NEW YORK (AP)—T. A. Hackrey, former editor and publisher of the New York Post Home News, plans to publish a new daily newspaper here within two weeks, it was reported today.

On and On, Ad Infinitum



National Whirligig

news behind the news

Once a week, this veteran Washington correspondent devotes his column to answering readers' questions of general interest on national and international policies and personalities.

WASHINGTON — "What is Washington officials' reaction to the crackup of the Chinese Nationalist government, and the possibility that the Communies will overrun all of China?" asks A.M. of Brooklyn and numerous other readers.

INTERNAL — V.H. of Houston, Tex., wants to know why "Uncle Sam" does not wage Western Europe that no pact will be signed, no arms shipped, unless those countries first form a federation.

REASON — There seems to be good reason for this hands-off attitude, although it is not generally appreciated over here. Although they welcome and need our help, European officials and people vaguely resent their reliance upon us.

DESERTED — It is hard to blame Washington for the debacle, however. Chiang Kai-shek was almost as impossible to deal with on a sensible basis as Charles de Gaulle of France; both are glib and strong men.

Songstress

- HORIZONTAL 6 Bamboo-like grass vocalist, 7 Validae, 8 Small island, 9 Nova Scotia (ab.), 10 Turn left, 11 Conclusion, 12 Scotch sheepfold, 13 Hebrew ascetic, 14 Scattered, 15 Asiatic, 16 Through, 17 Paid (ab.), 18 Dutch city, 19 Ours, 20 Fail to follow, 21 Vindicate, 22 Suit in cards, 23 Possesses, 24 Come, 25 Sailed aloft, 26 On the, 27 Sheltered side, 28 Harvest body, 29 Crafty, 30 Measure of pressure, 31 Essential being, 32 Not as much, 33 Lieutenant (ab.), 34 Organ of hearing, 35 Harvest, 36 Deed, 37 Bleish, 38 Brazilian, 39 Sacaw, 40 Mineral rock, 41 Worm, 42 Editor (ab.), 43 Symbol for calcium.



TEXAS NEWS

Success Secrets

By ELMER WHEELER We know ourselves to become successful by so-called circumstances. "Business is bad—a depression is coming—it's too late—too soon—there is no market—Everyday you hear people lamenting explaining why they are not successful. Of course, outside influences do affect our success, but we are all inclined to attach entirely much to these bug-a-boos.

In 1945 two fellows got together and decided to make ball point pens. They were Dr. J. M. Stiles and E. Blythe Hollywood. They made their first pen in Blythe's garage, and fixed the ink for it in his kitchen.

When they were ready to bring their pen out on the market, the boom in ball point pens had burst. The market was shot. Numerous manufacturers began to get out of the business.

These two fellows were not defeated by a "trend." Their pens continued to sell; they kept reducing the price until within a little over a year, they were selling their "B.E." pens at the rate of more than 1,000,000 per month, while total sales of all makes amounted to only 2,000,000. The second year in business they sold more than \$2,000,000 of pens, and that figure is steadily climbing.

Here is how they did it: Their policy was to constantly improve B. E. pens and at the same time reduce the price. Today B.E. pens sell for 38 cents. Yesterday they were selling for 45 cents.

The Nation's Press

PUMP PRIMING (The San Diego Union)

Those who have been worrying about a serious recession or depression in this country should be more or less reassured by reading the statement of Senator Millard Tydings of Maryland that the "tools" for the coming year are costing ten billion dollars a year. That is without reckoning what it may cost when we get into the matter of arming and equipping the various signatories to the North Atlantic pact, which figure in all probability will climb at least 50 percent.

So long as the federal government is spending ten billion dollars a year for the products of industry and agriculture there is not likely to be a serious slump in production or employment. The manufacturers of arms, trucks, tanks, airplanes, ships, locomotives and other articles of military use will continue to be busy. Our food producers will be able to keep on disposing of what otherwise would be surplus so long as we continue exporting food on a large scale. Our leather, electrical textile and other industries auxiliary to munitions production will keep their payrolls up.

Now there is only one catch in this prospect. That is that the federal government may not be able indefinitely to carry on this 10 to 15 billions of spending every year. We have been skimming the cream off our wealthier taxpayers for a long time. We have taxed industrial profits so heavily that investors may get discouraged. In the long run, we must find ways to help to keep living costs up and net incomes down. So the big flow of revenues could decline to the point where it would be impossible to keep up the foreign spending without cutting the figure in deficit—which would make more inflation and add to living expenses.

It is probable that we could meet the great outlay on behalf of world peace—as we hope. But it is doubtful if we could meet them and at the same time foot the bill for such experiments as the administration is filling with "home aid" or all cradle-to-grave security; compulsory health insurance; billions' worth of subsidized housing; federal hundreds of millions for education; vast subsidized power projects; retaining no taxes, which deficits supported from the treasury.

It is axiomatic that in order to bear the burdens of the world—as we have been doing and propose to continue doing—we must remain internally strong. Even the Communists realize that, as their hope is that we shall soon reach economic collapse as a result of our extravagant over-spending, thus opening the way for Communism in the United States and the Communist conquest of the world.

For the present and for some time to come, no doubt, the tremendous "pump priming" from our outlay of European billions will keep the economy steadily grinding. But we can't meet these outlays, and devote multiplied billions to socialist experiments without facing the chance of real domestic trouble.

McLean (Special) - Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Windom have returned to McLean after spending the winter in California. Mr. and Mrs. Vester Dowell of Pampa and their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dowell of San Angelo, were visiting friends here last week. Mrs. M. D. Curry has returned from a trip to Fort Worth. While there she visited her old home where she lived 50 years ago. Mrs. Curry also visited at Elk City and Quannah and was honored at two birthday dinners on her trip. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lankford left Friday for their home near Farmington, N. M., after a few days visit with her father, H. M. Hinton. Friends of Larry Sanders, former McLean coach, will be glad to learn he has been elected head coach at Canadian, stepping up from the assistant position. A 7-pound-13-ounce girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Shedd April 24, at the Groom Hospital. She has been named Rhonda Sue. Mrs. Laura Byerly enjoyed a visit from her son, John Stratton, and family of Sunray last week. Mrs. E. H. Carver and granddaughter, Linda Jean Kerr, of Lubbock, are visiting in the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Roy McCracken. Mrs. J. H. Wade has gone to San Diego, Calif., to visit in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jack Brewster. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ray Clett have returned from a honeymoon trip to Carlsbad, N. M. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Goodman and son, Dennis Lee, have returned to McLean to make their home from Compton, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Switzer and son John of Dalhart are visiting with Mr. Switzer's brother, Forrest Switzer, and family at Kerrville. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Davis and children, Jimmy and Patricia, and Miss Patricia Green of Childress were weekend guests in the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Davis. Mrs. John Scott, daughter, Mrs. Lucille Parker and her daughter Rosemary have returned from Amarillo where they visited in the home of the former's sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Whitait. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Campbell of the McLean News announce the adoption of a baby daughter, named Chris. Mr. and Mrs. Jess Kemp have returned from a two-week visit with her sister, Mrs. A. D. Andrews, Salome, Ariz. Mr. and Mrs. Don Randall of San Diego, Calif., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leamon Andrews. Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Petty of Elorado, Okla., called in the home of the former's brother, Luther Petty and family, while returning home after a visit with his children, Roy Petty and family of Pampa and the Joe Gordzick family at White Deer. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Smith have recently moved to town from near Lefors. Skellytown (Special) - Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Coffey have returned from Kansas where they attended funerals for Roy Beck, former resident of Pampa, who was victim of an explosion in New Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. George Porter have returned from a visit at Corpus Christi. Mr. and Mrs. Troy Teele visited friends in Pampa recently. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harlan and granddaughter Beverly Nell visited last Wednesday with Mrs. Harlan's mother, Mrs. Era Hilber, at McLean. Mr. and Mrs. C. B. McIntyre and Pat have returned from a visit with Oklahoma relatives. C. C. Foster is visiting friends and relatives in Oklahoma. Mr. and Mrs. Fete Carroll visited her parents recently. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Weaver are the parents of a son. Mrs. I. N. Howard has been dismissed from the Pampa Hospital. Mrs. Meba Hutchison was honored recently with a handkerchief shower. She is leaving to make her home with her sister in Ft. Worth. The Preston family, with the exception of Mrs. R. A. Gilbert of Sacramento, Calif., were present at a family reunion Sunday at the A. V. Beckwith home in Dumas. Present: Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Preston and family, Antartillo; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Preston and family, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Giles and family, Morenci, Ariz.; Mr. and Mrs. James L. Giles and family, Burger, Okla.; Mrs. Ben Lick and family, Skellytown; Mrs. J. W. Prater, Dumas; and Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Preston and family, Skellytown. In one year the Pacific Fleet, and 5,814 officers and 67,700 enlisted men.

**Northern Natural Sewing Club Meets**

SKELLYTOWN — The Northern Natural Sewing Club met Thursday at the home of Mrs. Herbert Rapstine in White Deer. After the business meeting, salad sandwiches and coffee were served to: Addie F. Lick, Dorothea Barethmin, Leona Smith, Ida Shubring, Mrs. Jack Waters, Madeline Parsons, and Mrs. Rapstine. The next meeting will be May 12 at the home of Miss Addie F. Lick.

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OPEN 1:45  
ENDS TONIGHT  
Two-Features  
HOSIER HOTSHOTS  
"SINGING SPURS"  
STORY OF A HORSE  
"Black Eagle"

WED. ONLY  
**LEO GORCY**  
and the Bowery Boys  
"Smuggler's Cove"

**Crown**  
PHONE 333

OPEN 1:45-9c-25c  
NOW - WED.  
The FBI Moves in on New Violence  
"The Street With No Name"  
Mark Richard  
Stevens Widmark  
Henry Busse & Orch.  
Modern Pioneers

Great Plains  
Premiere  
**"THE YOUNGER BROTHERS"**  
IN COLOR!  
Thurs., Fri., Sat.  
**LANORA**

**Newcomers Club Has Luncheon At Country Club**

Twenty-one members of the Newcomers Club gathered Thursday noon at the Country Club for luncheon and bridge games. Two baskets of larkspur decorated the table, and miniature May baskets filled with candy, marked the places of the following: Mmes. Robert Burton, Curtis Billings, Robert Burns, Howard Cruise, A. S. David, J. R. Donaldson, A. R. Everett, Edwin Givens, Warren Hassel, Albert Kemp, C. O. Mangold, M. A. C. Powell, Charles Robinson, A. E. Schneider, Jay Kruth, Ken Bennett, Pinky Smith, Joe Howard, Latman, Earl Troseil, A. R. Edgmon.

Mrs. Edwin Givens was presented a setting for four of Waggon Wheel pottery from the club in appreciation of her having started the Newcomers Club in Pampa.

Following the luncheon, bridge was played. Mrs. A. R. Edgmon was the winner.

**The Social Calendar**

WEDNESDAY  
10:00 Golf Club, Country Club.  
12:30 Methodist Circle 5, Mrs. Vernon Langley, hostess, covered-dish luncheon, Church Dining Room.  
1:45 Salvation Army Ladies Home League.  
2:00 Bell HD Club, Mrs. David Collins.  
2:30 Presbyterian Circle 1, Mrs. Geo. F. Huff, 601 N. Sonerville, Circle 2, Mrs. J. E. Nensel, 529 S. Frost, Circle 3, Mrs. John Adams, 1130 Christie, Nursery provided at church.  
2:30 Methodist Circle 1, Mrs. Henry Jordan, 413 N. Dwight, Circle 2, Mrs. H. Clyde Smith, 211 S. Foster; Circle 4, Mrs. Claude Byrd, 1212 Mary Ellen.  
9:30 Council of Clubs, City Club Room.  
8:30 American Legion Auxiliary, City Club Rooms.

FRIDAY  
2:00 Worthwhile HD Club, Mrs. Paul Chambers, 1002 W. Wilke.  
2:30 Entre Nous Club, home of Mrs. J. E. Lewis with Mrs. J. C. Farrington as hostess; club is packing misc. boxes for Circle 4.  
8:00 Order of Eastern Star regular meeting, Masonic Temple.

PRINCESS TRAVELS  
ISLE OF CAPRI—Princess Margaret of Britain will leave Capri tomorrow for Sorrento, in the Gulf of Naples.  
She spent her last day on this island at a seaside villa.

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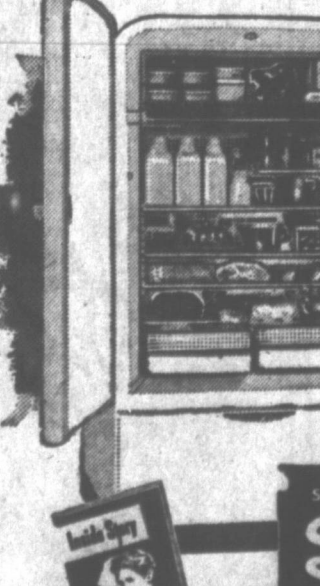
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**Woman's PAGE**

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**Outstanding Achievements of Merten Home Demonstration Club Women**

Gray County Fair last September.

Mrs. J. C. Steward has been for many years another outstanding Merten Club member. An all-around homemaker, she has been an asset to her club and her community.

Her special interest has always been 4-H club work and her three daughters are proof it has been most successful. They have won many awards during the past several years. Last year Alta Belle was chosen the outstanding 4-H club girl not only of Gray County, but of all of District One which includes 18 of the Texas Panhandle counties.

Another club member, Mrs. D. A. Rife, though comparatively new to club work, has made an outstanding record. In Sept. 1947, at the close of her first year in club work, she won three grand championship purple ribbons at the Gray County Home Demonstration Clubs annual fair.

Mrs. Rife, now local leader, came to Pampa from the farming community of Tiffin, Ohio, and found considerable adjustment necessary in order to be at home and happy in our oil field town and its West Texas ways.

When listing the outstanding Merten Club women, it is hard to single out a few. No account would be complete without a mention of the excellent gardening and canning done by Mrs. V. Smith.

Her interest in experimental gardening procedures and the use of insecticides, carried on under agent supervision, has been a source of help to the entire community.

In the sewing category, we have Mrs. Frank Bailey to thank for keeping alive our interest in quilting. Few women feel that they have time for it now and quilting would be almost a lost art in our club were it not for her quilting bees.

Then there is our champion with the comb and cutter, Mrs. A. Swafford. Dozens of women go to her with their personal grooming problems which are also a part of our club work, as we strive to touch on all the interests of a well-informed homemaker.

Mrs. Swafford is never too busy to lend a hand, and says she enjoys it thoroughly.

In listing the club achievements and help it has been to various members, we must also mention the recreational activities and fellowship it has promoted in our Merten community. It has brought pleasure to many which is no small achievement in itself.

**McKENNEY ON BRIDGE**

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY  
America's Card Authority  
Written for NEA Service

Is there a difference in the bidding or play of a hand in tournament and rubber bridge? Yes, there is a great deal of difference. In rubber bridge all that is necessary is that you make your contract. The making of an extra trick or two means only an additional twenty or thirty points. In tournament bridge these extra points may mean the difference

between a top or bottom score on a hand.

As an example, I have selected a hand from the March issue of the Bridge World which was sent from a Detroit writer. He asked if the bidding was correct and what was the correct line of play. I quite agree with the Bridge World that there is no criticism or comments to be made on the bidding. I like the description they give on the play for rubber bridge.

The opening lead of a small

♦ J 532  
♦ 1093  
♦ J75432

♠ Q984  
♥ 10987  
♦ 64  
♣ K6

W N E S  
Dealer ♠ Q98

♠ AK107653  
♥ AK  
♦ A2  
♣ A10

Tournament—Neither vul.  
South West North East  
2♠ Pass 2N.T. Pass  
3♠ Pass 4♣ Pass  
4♠ Pass Pass Pass  
Opening—♣ 6

Small-sized grooming aids such as soft plastic combs and brush encourage a little girl to care for her hair herself.

**Business Women's WMU Organizes**

Forty-five women were present at the organizational dinner-meeting of the Business Women's WMU of the First Baptist Church Wednesday in the dining room of the church.

Mrs. Owen Johnson welcomed the guests and introduced Mrs. Flora Mitchell who presented the women from Amarillo who gave talks on how to organize a business women's WMU.

Mrs. Johnson then introduced Mrs. Louis Tarpley, president of WMU, who gave a talk.

Mrs. Homer Dorsett was elected president. Mrs. Hattie Holt was elected co-chairman; Mrs. W. C. Griffith, devotional chairman; Mrs. E. Ray Miller, benevolence chairman; Mrs. L. H. Taylor, stewardship; Mrs. Flora Mitchell, commission; Mrs. Brooke, missions; Mrs. Gaut, education; Mrs. C. E. Willingham, periodicals; Mrs. Bus Benton, mission study; Mrs. Frank Turpen, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. W. Austin, social chairman; Mrs. L. B. Scruggs, reporter.

The theme of Aunt Jemima, was carried out in place markers and favors. Mrs. Stokes, representing Aunt Jemima, and Mrs. Hanks as Rastus, presided at the guest register.

Visitors from Amarillo were: Mrs. Y. Murray Malone, Nettie Crane, Lillian Stone, Mrs. Estelle Scott, and Miss M. McClurkin.

Next meeting will be May 6, with dinner at the church.

**Junior Charm**

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**Too-Free Advice May Be Resented**

By ALICIA HART  
NEA Staff Writer

One of the most difficult exercises in self-discipline for a new grandmother is to avoid offering free advice on baby care to the young mother.

It is a natural impulse, writes a beloved grandmother of eight young grandchildren, for a woman who has raised a family to want to pass along all the advice she can cull from her experience. But, says this wise woman, she should realize that many young parents prefer to seek answers to problems from their pediatricians, from child-care specialists or from books written by unbiased authorities.

Best rule for a grandmother to follow in the interests of smooth family relations is to wait until her advice is sought. If it is asked for, she can express her views on health measures or methods of discipline, says our friend who practices what she preaches.

The wise grandmother keeps up with new studies dealing with child care and admits openly that the old-fashioned way is not necessarily the best. When her advice is asked for as it is with flattering frequency — her children are sure that her answers stem from reasoned judgment based on past experience and modern information.

diamond was won by the declarer with the ace. In rubber bridge, it was pointed out, that now the correct play is a small spade to the jack. In this way you protect yourself against losing only a spade, diamond and a club. Of course, if there are five spades in one hand you will always be down.

The tournament player who would play for the spades to be split 3-2 would cash the ace and king, hoping to drop the queen. However, most tournament players know that the percentage favors a 4-1 split in the trump and on this theory they should make exactly the same play as the rubber bridge player.

**Junior Girls Class Has Wiener Roast**

SKELLYTOWN — The Junior Girls Class of the Skellytown Baptist Church held a wiener roast Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd E. McCoy, north of Skellytown.

Members of the class who were present were: Mrs. R. C. Agee, teacher; Yvonne McCoy, Annette Burns, Patricia Gerik, Julia Faye Hill, Lovell Vaughn, Carole Ann DeMoss, Frances Coffey, Patsy Willis and Donna Eubanks.

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**OES Past Matrons Gavel Club Meets**

The Past Matrons Gavel Club, Order Eastern Star, met in the home of Mrs. Waller Parker, 437 N. Hill, Thursday evening for a covered dish supper with Mrs. O. A. Wagner co-hostess.

After supper a short business meeting was held. Mrs. Roy Sewell presiding.


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The next meeting will be May 26, with Mrs. Guy Rankin as hostess. Mrs. G. C. Crocker, Pampa, will be the guest.

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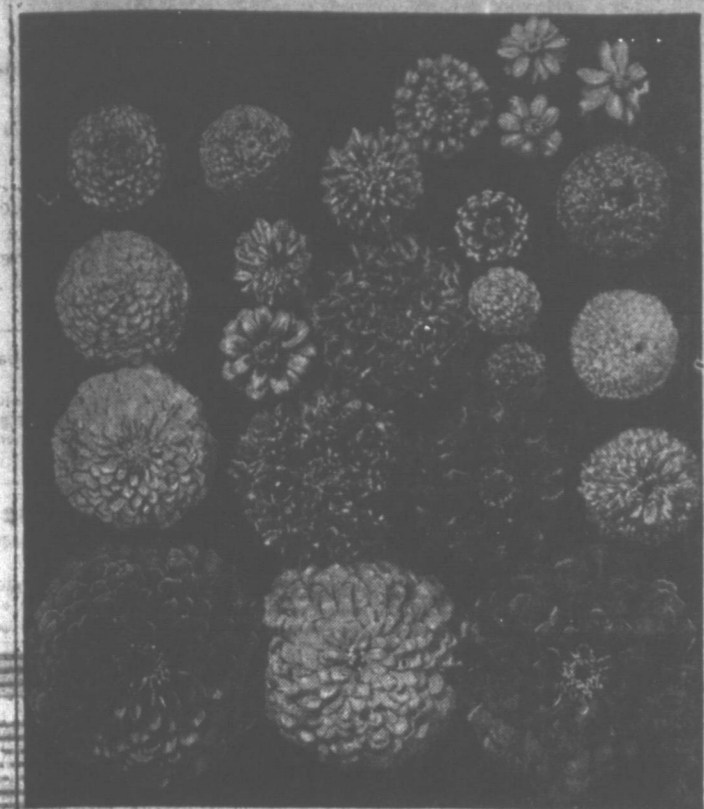
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## Modern Zinnia Excels in Varied Forms and Colors



From tiny single to giant double flowers, all the zinnias have charm.

To many gardeners a zinnia is a big flower on a large bush; and the bigger they are, the more delighted the grower. But size is not the only merit of the zinnia. It will pay to become acquainted with all its types, and varied colors—so varied that an entire garden may be planted to zinnias with excellent effect. The illustration shows the principal types, and their relative sizes. It also shows the colors you would find every hue of the rainbow represented except clear blues. There are excellent lavender and purple, however. And for size, look at the group of single flowers in the upper right hand corner. These are the zinnia linearis, which grows in a sprawling plant 18 inches tall, and bears those yellow daisies abundantly. Three flowers in a row just below, with feathery petals are scabiosa flowered zinnias, with anemone-like centers, lovely as cut flowers. To the left of linearis are two red and yellow striped flowers of the Navaho type. Below them is a group of three blossoms which might be called curly-haired, because their petals have discarded the rather formal regularity that characterizes other double zinnias, and have a permanent wave, which many admire. They are called, very appropriately, Fantasy zinnias. Two cupid zinnias—the smallest formal double flowers—are at right of the top Fantasy flower. The other small blossoms that encircle this top Fantasy are Haggiana zinnias, a group of delightfully varied forms and color combinations, which make beautiful bowl arrangements, as well as looking well in the garden. One the left side, top, are two Liliput zinnias, which grow on little bushes, with flowers held high above the foliage, and so numerous as to cover the plant. Below these are Puntilla zinnias, a little larger, with much the same growing habit, highly esteemed for both garden and cut flower use. The three lower blossoms are large flowered varieties, a dahlia flowered type on the left, the other two California giants. And this does not tell the whole story, for there are several types left out. But you can find them all in almost any seed catalogue. Zinnias grow so quickly it is hardly necessary to start them under protection. Sow the seed as soon as it is safe for beans, and they come up in a few days and grow so fast you should have flowers in six weeks. But give them room to develop, and see that they have a fertile soil. A complete plant food should be applied under or raked into the surface soil, using at least four pounds to a hundred square feet. They like hot weather, and stand it dry in mid-summer, since they are natives of Mexico and have grown up in our kind of weather.

## Gardener's Endless Battle Against Foes Made Easier by Weed-Killers



When using weed killer from a portable pressure tank, keep the spray from drifting and poisoning your shrubs and flowers by using a hood attachment on the nozzle.

By HENRY L. FREE  
Written for NEA Service  
Lawn-keeping would be simple if it were not for the weeds. The old theory that weeds will not grow in a thick stand of desirable grass is not true. Bluegrass lawns completely taken over by crabgrass, the most pernicious of weeds, there are two kinds of crabgrass—a small and a large—and the only difference between them is that one is worse than the other. Recently new anti-crabgrass compounds have appeared on the market. They are efficient, but the only 100 percent cure is to dig up the plants in early summer before they go to seed. Broad-leaved weeds such as yankain, buckhorn, ground Ivy, chickweed and pussy will pass out of the picture if sprayed or dusted with a weed killer like 2,4-D. And since this killer will damage other vegetation it must be kept away from shrubs, trees and garden plants. Your seed store can supply you with a combination lawn food and weed killer. This compound, easily applied in dry form, at once solves two problems, it kills the weeds, and it feeds the desirable grass to better growth to fill in the spaces left by the dying weeds. But it shouldn't be used on Creeping Bent. Insect pests attacking lawns can be controlled if the light is caught when bugs are active. Chinch bug, most serious of all lawn pests, can be controlled by dusting the lawn with Chlordane or DDT, just as the tiny insects

## FARM NEWS

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### Livestock Association Openly Opposes New Farm Program

WASHINGTON — (AP) — The American National Livestock Association has declared its opposition to the Truman administration's proposed new farm program. The association said it dislikes "government subsidies and controls."  
"We are opposed to over-all grants of authority that inevitably will tend more and more to regiment the entire industry. Aside from our belief that such subsidies and controls are fundamentally unsound, the very nature of our industry is such that it does not lend itself to operation under such controls."  
The administration has proposed that the government abandon its present price supports on many crops. These supports aim to maintain farm prices by holding crop surpluses out of the market. The government either buys the surplus or makes loans on surpluses stored and withheld from the market.  
Secretary of Agriculture Brannan has suggested instead that these crops be permitted to sell at what the market will pay. The government then would make "production payments" directly to farmers to make up the difference between the average price in the market and the price the government considers to be a fair return to the farmers. These objections were outlined:  
1. Proposed limits to such support would exclude about 25 percent of cattle production.  
2. Livestock growers believe the program would discourage the feeding of cattle, particularly in commercial feed lots which are a substantial factor in beef production.  
3. If so, a reduction of acres planted to corn and other cattle feed crops would be necessary.  
4. It seems inevitable that such a program "would add tremendously to the already heavy tax burden."  
5. Citing increased imports of meat, foes said "instead of moving in the direction of production controls as the program does, it would seem more equitable to give the American producer a larger share of the American market and avoid any possibility of making production controls necessary."

### Homemade Rigs Are Beat by '49 Farm Sprayers

TOPEKA, Kans. — The farm sprayers of 1949 are smooth numbers compared with the homemade rigs of two or three seasons ago. Capper's Farmer, reporting on new weed and insect spray machines, says that weaknesses which made spraying a tough job have been largely eliminated.  
The improved models have features that farmers want, says a story in the farm magazine. Some farmers worked out to use 2,4-D and DDT are found in the new equipment.  
The irritating fight with clogging nozzles is largely won. The surplus of nozzles has been redesigned and proper filters and strainers are used. New-type nozzles have interchangeable parts to vary application rates.  
Booms, a common cause of complaint in early sprayers, have been strengthened. Longer brackets permit adjustment to greater heights. Outrigger wheels prevent sway and hold the boom at uniform heights.  
The buyer, whether he takes a tractor-mounted unit or a trailer outfit, can control most of the operations from the tractor seat. Generally, the tractor mount is less expensive. Price of a separate engine is saved because the pump operates from the power take-off.  
The farmer who wants a general-purpose sprayer for crops, livestock and buildings can have it, the story continues. But the outfit with such wide capacity costs more. Weed spraying seldom calls for pressures above 50 pounds. For livestock work pressures up to 100 pounds are desirable.  
Compressed air or knapsack sprayers for lawns and gardens have come in for revamping. Some new ones are mounted on small two-wheel push carts and equipped with a short three-nozzle boom. Those who don't like to pump the small sprayer can get one with a cylinder of carbon dioxide which creates the necessary pressure.

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### Soil Conservation Bill Passes House

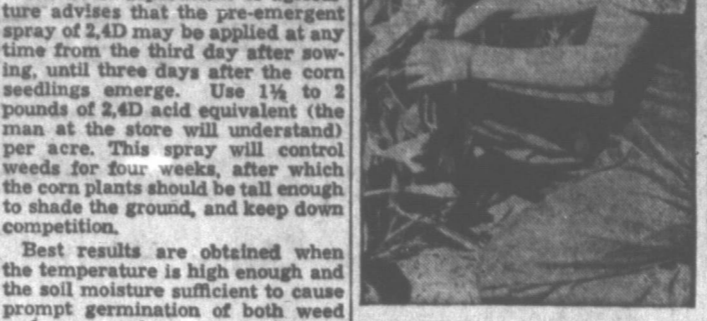
AUSTIN — (AP) — The House decided Monday to spend \$2,500,000 annually on soil conservation.  
The original bill had called for a five million dollar annual expenditure. The House Appropriations Committee cut that figure to \$1,500,000.  
But the House upped that to \$2 million on the floor, adopting an amendment offered by Rep. Lammie Lively of Temple, 10-28. Final passage of the bill was 128-1.  
"We wouldn't oppose 20 million spent on soil conservation," said Rep. Jim Norton of Nacogdoches. "But, gentlemen, you know our shortage. We want to give as much as we possibly can and take care of other requests." He asked that the lowest figure be kept.  
Rep. W. R. Chambers of May said the appropriation was not "just a gift to farmers; it's a revolving fund and farmers will pay for use of the equipment purchased in the 150 soil conservation districts."  
A similar measure is pending in the Senate.  
EARTH TREMOR  
LOS ANGELES — (AP) — A slight earth tremor was felt throughout a wide area of Southern California early today. There was no damage reported.

### Alger Hiss Trial Postponed Again

NEW YORK — (AP) — Trial of Alger Hiss, former State Department official accused of perjury, was postponed a fifth time Monday until May 23 by Federal Judge Samuel H. Kaufman.  
The postponement was granted at the request of the government because of the illness of Robert E. Murphy, assistant U. S. attorney who will prosecute the case.  
The human brain contains from nine to 15 billion nerve cells and neurons.

## New Sweet Corn Culture May Double Garden Yield

Amateur gardeners of experimental bent may double the yield on a small sweet corn patch by placing twice as many plants as usual, and using 2,4-D to kill the weeds, instead of cultivating.  
Best for the purpose is a heavy soil, well fertilized. At least 4 pounds should be spaded into every 100 square feet, even if the soil is fertile to begin with. Sow three or four seeds to a foot in drills a foot apart, thinning out to six inches for early varieties, and one foot apart for tall, late kinds.  
The U. S. department of agriculture advises that the pre-emergent spray of 2,4-D may be applied at any time from the third day after sowing, until three days after the corn seedlings emerge. Use 1 1/2 to 2 pounds of 2,4-D acid equivalent (the man at the store will understand) per acre. The spray will control weeds for four weeks, after which the corn plants should be tall enough to shade the ground, and keep down competition.  
Best results are obtained when the temperature is high enough and the soil moisture sufficient to cause prompt germination of both weed and corn seed. In sandy, porous soil, or if it rains hard after spraying a heavy soil, the chemical may be carried down to the corn seed and injure it as well as the weeds.  
If the corn borer is active in your vicinity, when the plants are knee high dust them with five per cent D. D. T. Repeat this in 10 days, as a minimum protection. It is better to dust four times, five days apart.  
Seed should be sown as soon as danger of frost is over.  
A sowing should be made in a single long row. This insures that when the pollen is ripe, a cross wind will carry



Pick sweet corn when just right and serve it within the hour, for maximum enjoyment.

it to the silk in the young ears of an adjoining row, rather than wasting it on the ground, as might be the case in a single row. Each silk must be fertilized by pollen, in order to produce a kernel, and many failures with corn are traceable to poor pollination.  
Deep cultivation of corn must be avoided because the plants have shallow roots; but all weeds should be kept down until the plants are half grown. Side shoots and suckers need not be removed.

### Warnings Sounded On '49 Grain Crop

GALVESTON — (AP) — The Santa Fe Railroad warned Monday that the nation's expected heavy 1949 grain crop may find storage facilities already crowded with 1948 grain.  
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Dentists Discuss All Kinds Teeth  
HOUSTON — (AP) — Straight teeth, crooked teeth, decayed teeth and "store bought" teeth. These and many other dental subjects were under discussion here as over 2,000 dentists, their wives and technicians convened for the sixty-ninth annual meeting of the Texas State Dental Society.  
Also meeting were the auxiliary to the society, the Texas State Dental Assistants Association, the Southwest Society of Oral Surgeons and the Texas Society of Orthodontists.  
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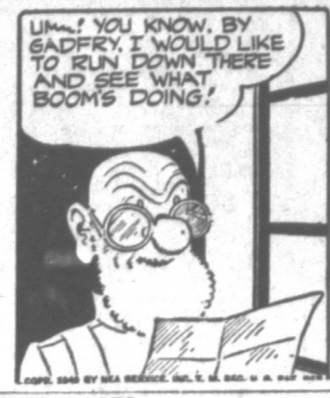
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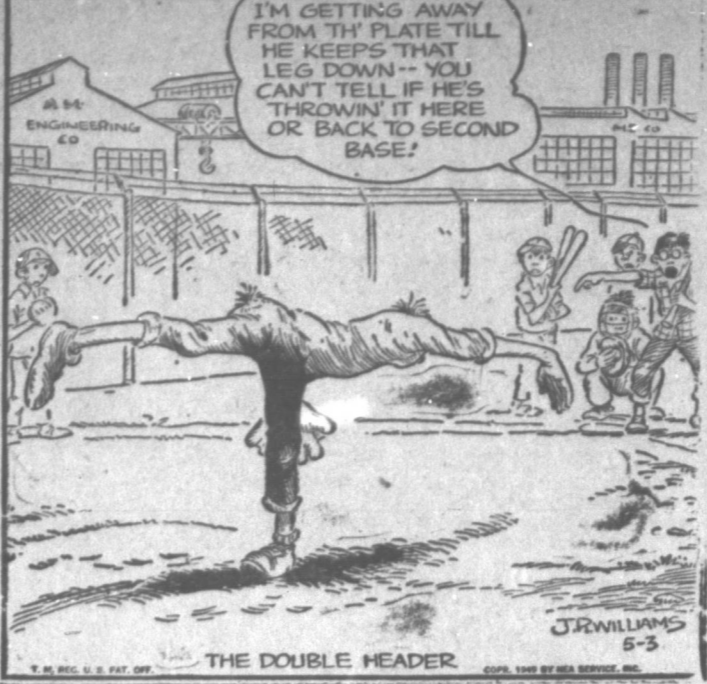
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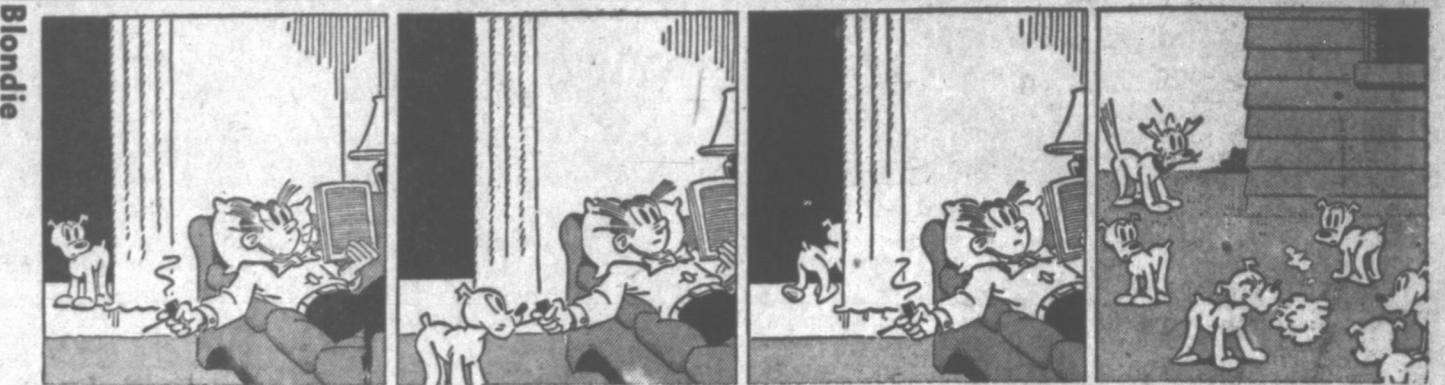
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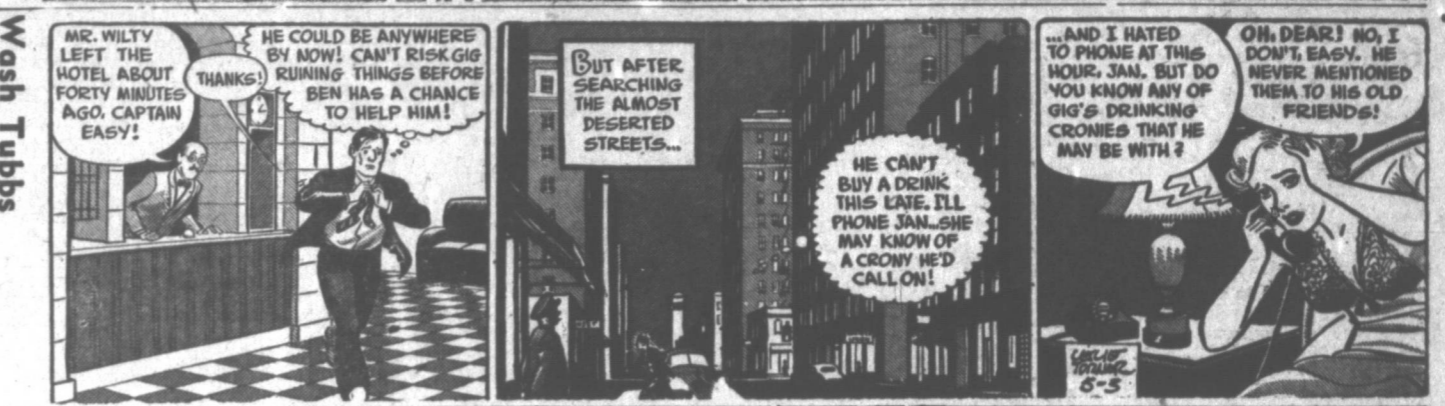
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# This Is the Week to Follow Example of 'Pinky' Sims

## Pampa Glass Behind Drive

Pampa Glass and Paint Company, 117 N. Frost, is behind the clean-up, fix-up, paint-up campaign all the way.

For Pampans who wish to clean up, they should drop into the glass and paint company where they will find waxes, polishes, paste wood filler and just about everything else to clean up the interior of homes.

Next fix-up—and still the Pampa Glass and Paint Company is the place to visit. Maybe those old floors in your home have needed a sanding for several years. Why not rent the floor sander from the company and really get behind the current drive in Pampa.

Painting up also may be started at the company, where Multi-Tint, the new paint discovery, is featured.

Many patterns of United wallpaper are stocked at the company and the selection is sure to have the pattern for every room in your house.

Multi-Tint arrives at the company as white bases. However, 38 colors are kept stocked to mix with the white to give any desired color and shade.

The Multi-Tint flat wall finish is washable and dries to a soft velvety finish. Semi-gloss finish also is washable and has that satiny sheen that is ideal for ceilings, walls or woodwork. Interior gloss finish is durable, washable and is especially suitable for kitchen and bathroom walls and woodwork. Multi-Tint quick-drying enamel is ideal for furniture, bric-a-brac, woodwork and accessories.

All USG products are stocked by the paint company. Perfa-tape cement, Perfa-tape joint system and Textone, the plastic paint are included at the company. Also, Cementite white and Texolite washable water paint are stocked.

Some of the best paper hangers and painters in town are

## Fix Up Is Important Phase Clean-Up, Paint-Up Week; Call Pampa Tent & Awning

Most all Pampans are cleaning up their premises in keeping with the present clean-up, fix-up, paint-up campaign in the city. However, after they get their yards clean, many of them feel as if their jobs have been done.

Cleaning yards and houses is a step in the right direction, but in the Texas Panhandle one cleaning lasts only as long as it takes to get dirty again.

Pampans should put more stress on the fix-up phase of the drive and really fix up their houses, both inside and out. One of the best ways to fix up the house is to attach awnings to help keep the glaring sun out of the house. Also, venetian blinds will serve the same purpose.

Melvin Clark, 321 E. Brown, for the past year has owned and operated the Pampa Tent and Awning Company. He has lived in Pampa for the past 15 years and now resides with his wife, Sue, and his son, Kent, who is one and one-half years old.

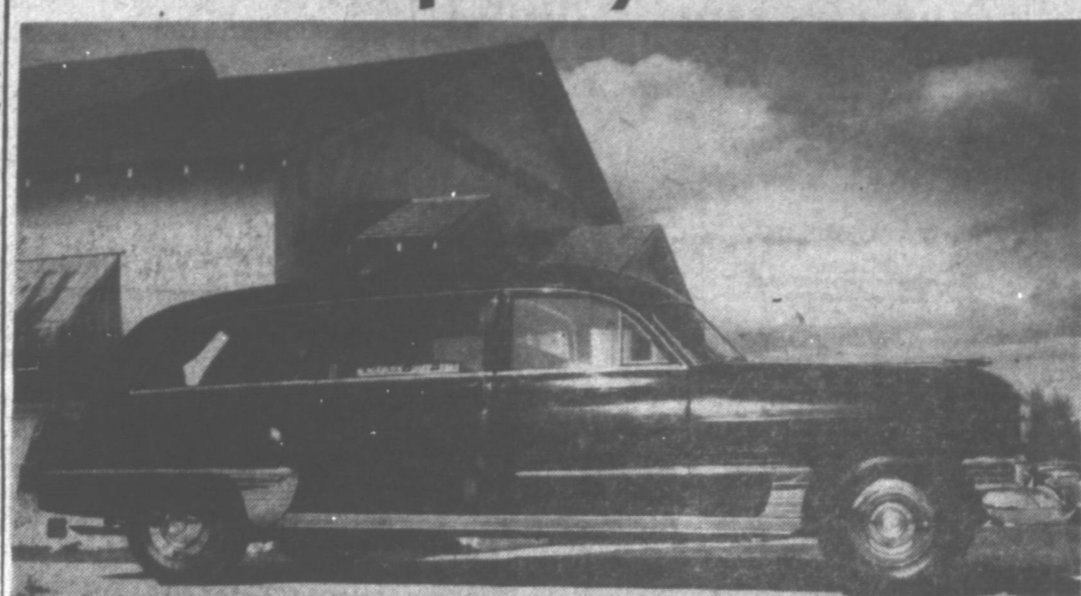
Melvin, a graduate of Pampa High School, spent three years in the Navy during World War II. The Clarks are members of the Zion Lutheran Church.

One truck carries most of Melvin's supplies. He has many awning patterns, which he can apply to any size window. Also, custom-made venetian blinds are handled by the Pampa Tent and Awning Company.

Melvin offers free estimate services on any window in town. Other items carried by the company are horse trailer and truck covers. He covers suitcases and lawn furniture, assisted by Don Nixon, who also is employed at the company.

The number to remember when that fix-up feeling mixes with the clean-up and paint-up urge is 1112 and Melvin will be at your door to assist.

## Blackburn-Shaw-Sims Funeral Home Completely Remodeled



THIS IS IT! The new 1949 black Miller Cadillac that is constantly ready to serve Pampans and residents of neighboring towns. Looks as if this ambulance has already gone through one clean-up, fix-up, paint-up campaign. The number to remember in case of emergencies is 3550.

By JIM McCLUSKEY  
Public Relations Editor

Most Pampans are clean-up, fix-up, paint-up campaign conscious this week. Some of them merely have the spring housecleaning urge, others are trying to clean up their property as a polio precaution and still others attended the formal opening of Blackburn-Shaw-Sims Funeral Home Sunday and were inspired at that time to do some cleaning up.

Robert "Pinky" Sims, co-owner and manager of the Blackburn-Shaw-Sims Funeral Home, has been busy for the past six weeks supervising remodeling of the funeral home.

Flowers were presented to each woman attending Sunday's open house. The many Pampans who went through the remodeled home were quick to note its cleanliness.

A music room has been added to the home and has a false window so musicians singing or playing at funerals will be unnoticed. Padded green leatherette-covered doors have been installed throughout the building and each room has different patterns of green, gray and pink wallpaper.

Twenty-one caskets are now kept on display in the enlarged casket room and a funeral arrangement room also has been added. The preparing room has been remodeled, the rest rooms have been completely done over and a pulpit has been added in the chapel.

The funeral home has been in business in Pampa since March 1 and occupies the site of the former Clegg Funeral Home, 102 W. Browning.

The new Cadillac ambulance already has been seen by the majority of Pampans. It will be used for emergency calls locally, funeral services locally and in neighboring towns, out-of-town ambulance service and for any other emergency. The number to remember when needing an ambulance is 3550.

Pinky says many people get hysterical in emergencies and are caught without money for a phone call an ambulance. He urges such individuals to remember the Blackburn-Shaw-Sims Funeral Home and place the call collect.

Assisting Pinky with his latest business venture is Bob Baldwin of Borger. Bob also serves as funeral director.

Sims has spent the past 15 years in Amarillo. He had been employed by Blackburn-Shaw Funeral Home in Amarillo for some time. He was born and grew up at Moundville, Ark., and played guard on the local high school football team.

In October of 1941 he went into the Army and served four years, most of the time as technician in the 17th Station Hospital. His service included two years in the Aleutian Islands.

When he got out of the Army in 1945, he went to Cincinnati for a refresher embalming course before he returned to Blackburn-Shaw Funeral Home.

Pampa was fortunate to receive such a versatile, likeable resident. Speaking with his Southern drawl, typical of his home state, he related the organizations to which he already is a member. They are Pampa Kiwanis Club, Chamber of Commerce and First Methodist Church. In Amarillo he was a member of the Lions Club, First Methodist Church, Veterans of Foreign Wars and American Legion.

The Sims now live at 1100 Terrace. He was married Sept. 4, 1947, to Miss Viola "Tyker" Vance of Panhandle.

An unusual chain of events brought Pinky to the Panhandle in the first place. He was the ninth child in a family of 10, but the chain of circumstances probably began before he was born.

It all started when E. M. Blackburn, Sr., and Pinky's father were schoolmates in Alabama. The Blackburns left Marion, Ala., in the early 1920's and went to Amarillo. Each year when they visited in Alabama, Blackburn stopped off at Moundville to visit the Sims.

Next Pinky's brother, Harry, went to Amarillo to stay with the Blackburns and work his way through business college. It was not until Harry was graduated and married Miss Maurine Nesbitt that Pinky made the long trip to Amarillo. Finally Blackburn offered him a job and he accepted.

HAMILTON AND MONDAY  
Lloyd and Dean certainly know how to please Pampans. The H & M Service Station, 301 W. Foster, is now open for business. After the paint and clean-up job Hamilton and Monday gave the station, it most certainly is ready for customers.

AID CANCER DRIVE  
J. Ray Martin, underwriter for Business Men's Assurance Company, is beginning his third consecutive year as Gray County chairman of the annual American Cancer Society drive. He urges Pampans to support the worthy cause.

CALL 3550  
When emergencies arise, residents should remember 3550. After calling 3550 residents may expect the 1949 Miller Cadillac ambulance, owned by Blackburn-Shaw-Sims Funeral Home, to arrive almost instantly.

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## Wallpapers and Paints Are Awaiting at Treasure Chest To Be Used in the Clean-Up

In keeping with clean-up, fix-up, paint-up week, Pampans should really "get on the ball" and paint up both in side and outside of their homes.

For Pampans with wallpapered houses, now is the time to take care of that too. At the Treasure Chest, 219 W. Brown, Pampans may well remedy their paint and wallpaper problems.

Mrs. Josephine Eahom, who has resided in Pampa for the past 21 years, owns and operates Treasure Chest. She and her husband, C. W. "Cowboy" Eahom, reside at 321 S. Somerville.

The Eahoms managed Al's Drug in Pampa for 17 years. Treasure Chest has been operated in Pampa for the past year and one-half. Paints that may be purchased there include Armstrong, Deer O Western and Nichols. Wallpapers stocked include many patterns of Pan American and Atlas. With spring at hand the wallpapering urge has reached many Pampans and many Pampans have reached the Treasure Chest.

Besides the many kinds of paints at the Chest, all accessories, such as waxes and polishes, are kept on hand to fit into the fixing-up phase of the current clean-up, fix-up, paint-up campaign.

Treasure Chest is truly what its name implies. The curios and novelties found there certainly could be found in a treasure chest.

The vases found there are made from many objects. "Myrtle-Wood" vases, stocked there, are said to have originated only in Oregon or Palestine. California red wood vases, shell, pottery and china vases are all obtainable at Treasure Chest.

Other Treasure Chest novelties include Indian jewelry, cactus applances, Mexican coats, pictures, scarves, greeting cards, ash trays, earrings, bracelets, combs, rings and almost anything else that could be put in a treasure chest.

## 'Blondies' Now Are Featured at Coston's Bakery, 109 W. Francis

"Blondies," better known as butterscotch brownies, are one of the products featured at Coston's Bakery, daily, becoming more popular with adults and Junior High School students alike.

The bakery, 109 W. Francis, specializes in fancy pastries that are tops in taste. Some of the specialty cookies sold at the bakery include cream puffs, oatmeal, brownies, "Russian Rocks," peanut butter, sugar, chocolate chip, fudge, butterscotch and macaroni tarts.

The bakery has been open since Dec. 4, 1948 and is run by Clay Coston and his wife, Emily.

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## Clean Up, Fix Up Then Insulate With Fi-Blak

All Pampans have been urged to participate in the 1949 clean-up, fix-up, paint-up campaign, which will be continued in Pampa until May 14.

Many have already cleaned their yards, insides of their homes and added an extra coat of paint on the exterior of their houses. But, have they got down to the cause of much of their discomfort and insulated their homes?

Some Pampans have been putting off home insulation though they will realize sooner or later they must have the job done. Why should they remain too hot in the summer and too cold in the winter just because their homes are

expensive up if it is allowed. Maybe some Pampans are planning to re-paper the interior of their homes during the current clean-up campaign. If their homes are not properly insulated, they might as well save their money. For without insulation it is probable that within a very few years, the job will have to be done again. Fi-Blak prevents wall sweating which is reason enough in itself for its installation.

Lane, who has been in business in Pampa for the past 20 years, offers free estimates of the total cost of an insulation job on Pampans' homes.

Probably many Pampans have already noticed the large white truck going about the city with the inscription "Home Insulation Company, Pampa, Texas." However, have they realized that a phone call to Lane at 732-W will bring the truck to their door?

Nonetheless, Pampans continue to say: "I won't live in this house another winter unless I get it insulated. Why freeze?" Then at the close of summer, the Pampans say: "I'll swear, I won't live here another summer until this joint has been insulated. Why Swelter?" If these Pampans will take a few minutes to call 732-W, they may find their problems rapidly being solved.

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