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Pluctuating Prices Puzzle Economists

The Empty Table - An Ominous Sign



"Table 23—reserved for Senator Olin D. Johnston, Democrat of South Carolina, and party:" served as a silent reminder of the southern threat at the Jefferson-Jackson Day celebration in Washington. This was the sole empty table at the main dinner in Washington. Senator Alben Barkley, Democrat from Kentucky, is on the speakers rostrum. Senator Johnston and his wife snubbed the dinner and stayed at home. (NEA Telephoto).

PATRIOTIC PROGRAM IN RANGER SUN.

A patriotic program will be presented Sunday evening at 8:15 o'clock at the Recreation building in Ranger by Holy Trinity Episcopal church.

The invocation will be given by Rev. Jasper C. Massee and the following numbers sung by the Breckenridge Men's Chorus; The National Anthem; Sylvia; The Rosary; The Volga Boatman; Sail Away to the Rio Grande; Deep River; Let My People Go; Were You There; Swing Along; Keep In The Middle Of The Road; and The Battle of Jerico. Charles Kiker is director of the chorus and Robert Watters is pianist.

The Rev. James W. McClain, priest of the parish and formerly Dr. I. Q. of the radio, will conduct a patriotic quiz.

O. G. Lanier will pronounce the benediction.

Following is the personnel of the chorus:

First Tenors: Guy Ewing, Jr., Burley Burleson, Robert E. Kincaid, John Buchanan, Jack McClure.

Second Tenors: W. A. McNallen, G. J. McNallen, Winter Wood, Garland Coody, Charles G. Groslos.

Baritones: R. M. Wilson, Sid Bowers, D. T. A. Hoxworth, Paul Christenson, James Evans, James Corley, Russel Carter, R. V. Meador, L. H. Kaltenbruger.

Bass: Sloyd Holder, C. K. West, James R. Greer, W. C. Briden, Lee Roy Meador.

45 Non-Readers Of The Telegram Are Readers Now

A total of 45 new subscriptions were turned in for the Daily Telegram Thursday and Friday. These were about half city subscribers and half rural subscribers. This makes a total of 145 new subscribers added within the past four days.

The thing that is pleasing to the publishers is that people are saying, "We realize the need of a local daily. We like the Telegram and really appreciate the bargain rates." One woman said: "Just think, I only a few weeks ago, renewed my subscription to a weekly paper and could have gotten the Telegram six times a week instead of once a week and got more news in either of the six issues than I get in the one issue of the weekly and at not much more cost." Another woman said about the same thing, adding, "I'm going to take the Telegram anyhow, and I'll bet I don't get caught on that deal again."

One woman solicitor in the south part of Eastland county wrote: "I am still at work, although the bad weather kept me in much of the time for the past several days. A number of people I have contacted have said they were thinking of switching to the Telegram; others stated definitely that they would give me their subscriptions on a future date. Keep the special rates in effect until I can have time to see these parties. Most everyone I have contacted have seen and read one or more copies of the Telegram and all say they like it."

Carrier boys in Eastland have on a contest. The boy getting the largest number of subscriptions; wins ten silver dollars; the one getting the second largest number of subscribers gets five silver dollars and the boy that is third in new subscribers will get two silver dollars.

The contest closes February 27.

TRUMAN BEGINS CARIBBEAN TOUR TODAY

SAN JUAN, P. R. — President Truman began his tour of the Caribbean today with a plea to the world to follow the example of the United States and Puerto Rico in "the Democratic way of collaboration between friendly peoples."

He spoke briefly upon arriving at the Isle Grande Airport outside San Juan where he was greeted by Gov. Jesus T. Pinero and a large group of Puerto Rican officials and commanders of American Armed Force Units in this area.

The President flew here from Key West, Fla., and planned to spend the day. He will visit St. Thomas in the Virgin Islands tomorrow, and sail Monday to the nearby island of St. Croix for a brief stop before turning back toward Cuba and the U. S. Naval Base at Guantanamo Bay.

Speaking shortly after he stepped from his personal plane, the Sacred Cow, Mr. Truman reiterated his belief in self-government for Puerto Rico and hailed the appointment of Pinero, the first native Governor, as a step in the right direction.

Praising the relations between the island people and the government in Washington, the President said this "democratic collaboration" represented "what the American people are trying to encourage in the world at large."

Production Of Plant Is 100 Dozen Per Day

In an article on the Hollywood-Maxwell Company plant carried in the Telegram Friday, February 20 it was stated that the plant's production, under the streamlined system installed by Mr. M. V. Martin, had been increased from seven to more than one hundred pieces per day. When the company speaks of one or one hundred, they mean one dozen or one hundred dozen, since they count production in units of a dozen.

Mr. Martin expressed himself as being highly pleased with the work being done in the Eastland plant and gave employees much credit for the increase. He also praised the citizens of Eastland and surrounding towns and communities, the Chamber of Commerce, and other civic organizations in Eastland for their cooperation.

Many Notables To Attend Two Day Convention

Plans for the 17th District American Legion convention to be held in Eastland Saturday and Sunday, February 28 and 29 are going forward with each day. A long list of notables are listed among those who have signed their intention of attending the two day meeting.

Officials of Dulin-Daniel Post of the American Legion in Eastland state that registration for the convention begins at 1:00 p.m. Saturday at the Connellee Hotel or American Legion Hall in Eastland.

People who have bedrooms they could spare for convention visitors Saturday night, are requested to please get in touch with H. J. Tanner at the Eastland Chamber of Commerce.

67 Years at Organ
LA PORTE, Ind. (UP)—After playing the organ at services in St. Peter's Catholic church for 67 years Miss Minnie Conklin has retired. She started as organist at the church when she was 14 years old. Miss Conklin was a first grade teacher here for more than 50 years before quitting in 1941.

SOME COSTS DOWN; STEEL BOOST THREAT TO STABILITY

CHICAGO — Declining food prices pulled the cost of living down slightly today.

Food dealers reported that many housewives were holding out for further cuts, and a big New York chain announced a new list of price reductions to become effective Monday.

Some economists, however, spotted a possible inflationary development in prices.

At Washington, government economists said the new steel price boost will encourage inflation.

The steel price increase probably will add about \$68,000,000 annually to the steel consumers costs.

Dr. Edwin G. Nourse, chairman of the President's council of economic advisers, said the steel boost would make it difficult for others to hold the line on prices. He said it also might lead to stronger demands for wage increases.

Joseph M. Dodge, president of the American Bankers Association, said the steel price development indicated that "the dangers of inflation are not over."

The best news for housewives turned up in the special labor department survey which showed that food prices declined 3 1/2 per cent in the last month.

Friends From A Distance Attend Fiery Funeral

Friends from Fort Worth, Kermit, Abilene, Midland, Levelland, Breckenridge, Artesia, New Mexico, attended the funeral services here last Wednesday for Walter Fiensy.

The pallbearers were: Clyde Barton, Hugh Houston, Elie Lam, Ellis Summers, Tommie Thompson, Kenneth Burrows all of Kermit; Bill Ellinger, Artesia, New Mexico, Bill Jessop and Harry Woods of Eastland and Edward R. Hudson of Fort Worth.

Jefferson Davis was the president of the Confederate States of America.

King Richard I was popularly known as Richard the Lion Hearted.

There are 240 pounds difference between a long and a short ton.

THIS WEEK AT LOCAL THEATRES

Majestic

Sunday-Monday
"Sleep My Love"—with Claudette Colbert and Robert Cummings.

Tuesday-Wednesday
"Always Together"—with Robt. Hutton and Joyce Reynolds.

Thursday, Only
"Great Expectations"—with John Mills and Valerie Hobson

Friday-Saturday
"Treasure Of Sierra Madre"—with Humphrey Bogart and Walter Huston.

Lytic

Sunday
"I Wonder Who's Kissing Her Now"—with June Haver and Mark Stevens

Friday-Saturday
"Prairie Express"—with Johnny Mack Brown

The Telegram has tickets for Mr. and Mrs. Walter Maynard to see "Sleep My Love"—Sunday or Monday.
(Please clip the above program from this newspaper and present it with federal tax at the Majestic box office.)

DEMAND ACTION FROM PARTY HIGH COMMAND

WASHINGTON — Insurgent southern Democrats put a chip on their shoulder today and all but dared the Democratic high command to knock it off.

"We aren't out to make a trade," insisted Rep. William M. Colmer, D., Miss.

The southern congressmen he said, will demand "satisfaction" from Democratic National Chairman J. Howard McGrath on their stand that President Truman should withdraw his civil rights program. That satisfaction, Colmer added, will be the price of southern support for Mr. Truman in the 1948 presidential race.

Colmer is chairman of a group of about 75 House Democrats opposed to the President's civil rights proposals. He planned to appoint a committee today to join a delegation of southern Governors who will confer with McGrath and other party leaders Monday.

About 50 of the southern congressmen from 11 states adopted a resolution yesterday warning administration that it is jeopardizing Democratic party unity by sponsoring anti-poll tax, anti-lynching and anti-discrimination legislation.

The southerners said they are ready to fight all such measures to the last ditch.

Republicans, meantime, were doing their bit to keep the warring Democratic factions at each others throats.

Infant Who Had Two Operations Dies Saturday

Angela Grace Hancock, daughter of S. Sgt. and Mrs. Allen W. Hancock of Rising Star and Kelly Field at San Antonio, died in the Eastland hospital this morning about 4 o'clock.

The 11-day-old baby had undergone two very unusual operations for an intestinal obstruction and it had been felt that recovery was likely.

Toss in Towel
ATLANTA, Ga. (UP)—U. S. Post Office employees literally tossed in the towel when higher-ups ordered them to economize. The first casualty of the new economy program was the 1,400 workers' towel service.

Nikola Lenin was the first president of Soviet Russia.

Oil Industry Meeting Demands For Products

The petroleum industry is making tremendous strides toward meeting today's record high demand for petroleum products, a demand which has increased over the past 20 years at an average of about 4 1-2 per cent per year, but which in 1947 increased almost 11 per cent. The extraordinary efforts being made to meet consumer demands for petroleum are shown by Humble's present rate of operations. Humble's current production of crude oil is at an annual rate of 131 million barrels, 15 per cent higher than a year ago. At the same time, the national crude oil production rate is about 12 1-2 per cent above last year.

In an effort to keep pace with increasing demands, Humble has begun the most expensive program of drilling in its history. In 1948 the company plans to spend about \$65,000,000 for drilling 738 wells, or 163 more wells than were drilled last year. About one-third of the expenditures are planned for drilling wildcat wells in the search for new oil fields. The balance will be spent to expand production in areas already known to contain oil.

At part of its program of exploration, the company will drill three or four wells in the Gulf of Mexico. Drilling on these submerged lands is difficult and costly, but the high level of demand makes it mandatory that this area on the continental shelf be developed promptly.

Recent surveys indicate that the whole industry, like Humble, is going "all out" in its search for new oil—and that a record of more than 36,000 wells are scheduled to be drilled in 1948.

Large Audience Hears Expression Pupils in Recital

A large audience was present to hear the Expression pupils of Mrs. W. G. Womack Friday, February 20 at 7:30 p.m. at the West Ward auditorium.

Pupils participating in the program were: Patricia Fullen, Gay-lia Walters, Jeannie Pipkin, Nancy Lynn Gann, Clinton Ray Humphreys, Brenda Fay Butler, John Powell, Mary Angeline Vaughan, Dean Fox, Johnnie McMahan, Julia Lynn Inzer, Allen Neal Pritchard, Don Burleson, Shirley Ann Dotson, Terry Allen Gattis, Paul Gattis, Ellen Whatley, Betty Joyce Robinson, Doris Lynn Bownds, Luella Lewis, Jeannette Caten, Wayne Cummings, Mildred Thompson, Maxine Harbin, Norma Sue Gourley and Linda Linkenhoger.

Switzerland's political districts are called cantons.

Nathanael Green was an American general in the Revolutionary War.

HEARING ON STEEL PRICES TO BE HELD

WASHINGTON — The joint Congressional committee on the economic report voted unanimously today to summon "two or three" steel industry leaders to explain the increase in steel prices.

Chairman Robert A. Taft, R., O., said the men would be called to appear at an open hearing next Thursday. The committee will decide from their testimony whether to start a full dress investigation, he said.

At the same time, two Republican Senators—Joseph A. Ball, Minn. and Arthur V. Watkins, Utah—called for a justice department investigation of the steel price increases.

Taft said he had not decided who would be called but the witnesses probably would be one representative of United States Steel, one from so-called "Little Steel," and one independent operator.

The committee also voted to set up two subcommittees to study other phases of the economic situation. One will study the effect of European Recovery Program on the national economy and the other taxes and proposed inflation controls.

Ranger Man's Mother Dies In Breckenridge

Mrs. Martha Anne Daniels of Breckenridge, mother of Walter Daniels of Ranger, died Saturday morning at her home in Breckenridge. She was 82 years of age. Funeral services will be conducted Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the First Baptist Church in Breckenridge and interment will be in the cemetery there.

Castleberry Will Be Candidate For Re-election

T. E. (Ed) Castleberry, County Commissioner for the Eastland-Olden-Ranger precinct, told a Telegram representative Friday that he would be a candidate for re-election in the coming Democratic primaries and would have a formal statement to make later.

Castleberry is serving his first term as County Commissioner. He resides on his farm just north of Eastland.

Yazoo River To Reach Crest Near Greenwood, Miss.

The rampant Yazoo river, six of whose tributaries have surged over 400,000 acres of rich northern Mississippi cotton land, was expected to reach a crest today near the virtually isolated city of Greenwood.

Greenwood residents went about their business calmly today, but kept careful watch over the wall of sandbags that was their only protection against the river which rose past the 40-foot mark during the night.

Weather forecasters, meanwhile, told Texans that cloudy skies and occasional rain was in store for the week-end with slightly warmer temperatures. They warned, however, that another cold wave was on its way down from Canada, but might not reach Texas.

Christian Living Theme Of Baptist Training Union

Christing Living is the theme of the Training Union of the Baptist church which starts Sunday at 6:30 p.m. and starting week day evenings at 6:45 and closes at 8:30 p.m.

Separate classes for each age group will be under the direction of the following: Elementary, Mrs. Hollis Bennett; Story of Birds and Animals; Juniors, Mrs. R. L. Young; Living for Jesus; Intermediates, Mrs. L. M. Chapman, "Not Your Own"; Young people's group, Mrs. Pat Crawford, theme, "Investments in Christian Living".

Sunday evening service at 6:30 p.m. will behave the book "Looking to the Future". The Training Union closes Thursday evening.

His Honor's Move

AUBURN, Ind. (UP)—Mayor Hal Hoban is looking for another house. He lives on a jog in a highway. Within two months a car crashed into his porch and a truck rammed into the house.

Eamonn de Valera was the Irish Republic's first president.

Huguenots were French Protestants of the 16th century.

Changes In Fight Of Disease To Be Announced

WASHINGTON — Some changes in "battle plans" in the fight to prevent spread of the dread foot and mouth disease in central Mexico will be announced today, agricultural officials said.

The changes are being worked out at a meeting of a joint U. S.-Mexican commission. A U. S. agriculture official said there would be no basic change in the policy of using "buffer zones, quarantine lines, vaccines and limited slaughter of diseased animals."

Well Named



Lumberman Albert Mason, newly elected Mayor of Warr Acres, Oklahoma, nails up city limits sign in suburb of Oklahoma City. Warr Acres residents recently voted to organize their own city in opposition to annexation by nearby city of Bethany, where "blue laws" forbid sale of beer and cigarettes. Bethany claims to have annexed part of Warr Acres already and that the election was illegal, including Mason's new mayorship, since he lives in an area allegedly annexed. (NEA Telephoto).

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Unreconstructed Rebel Hasn't Yet Surrendered To Damyankees

GRAHAM, Tex. (UP)—The hard feelings that the "boys in gray" once felt for the "Damyankes" has been dimmed somewhat by time. There still is one unreconstructed rebel in Texas who never has surrendered, however.

R. S. Hilburn, Uncle Bob to the residents of this farm and oil producing community, turned the head of his little mare homeward 83 years ago without the formality of surrendering. He hasn't surrendered yet.

The 102 years that he has lived have softened Uncle Bob somewhat, though. Today he takes pride in the fact that he is one of the surviving confederates still living in Texas.

When only 15 years old, Hilburn looked into the face of Capt. Lyon, a regular U. S. Army officer who commanded Union troops

at the Battle of Wilson Creek in Missouri and wondered if he had fired the shot that killed him.

"He was one of the Union's best men," Uncle Bob recalls. Lyon had been breveted a general shortly before he was killed.

One time the young soldier had his gun shot out of his hand and another time the Yankees nearly shot all the bark off a tree he was using as a shelter.

His father, who enlisted with Uncle Bob, was killed at Fayetteville, Ark., a battle in which the son also fought.

Hilburn never mustered out of the Confederate Army. He and his mare, Fashion, just took off for home, but didn't stop there. The war had taken care of that and only ruins remained. He finally moved to Texas, in those days a wild country.

OFFICE Nurse

By Adelaide Humphries

THE STORY: Janice Hilary, pretty, efficient young nurse to popular and handsome society doctor Eric Holbrook, runs his office for him. Billon McTear, one of the secretaries, has been acting strangely of late. She confides in Janice that her no-good husband, whom she ordered out of the house, has actually carried out his threatening threat to kidnap their little girl, Edna Mae. She is afraid to notify the police. Janice calls on Ben Archer for help. He promises to do what he can. Ben has been angry with Janice for breaking their last date without an explanation. Now Janice tells him she went out with Dr. Holbrook that evening. Her excuse for doing it sounds lame, even to Janice. Ben, who loves her very much, is dismayed when he realizes she is in love with her boss.

XIV
"YOU know," Betty Jane said to her boy friend, Bill Larkin, as they came out of the movies, "something's gone haywire in our office. I can't figure out what it's all about. Something's wrong, but definitely."

"It must've been catching," Bill grumbled. Betty Jane had refused to let him hold her hand in the theater. "What's it to you?" he asked. "What makes you think something's wrong?"

"I feel it in my bones," Betty Jane returned loftily. The idea of Bill asking what it was to her! Anything that went on in Dr. Holbrook's office was Betty Jane's concern. "Nothing's the same," she added, thinking aloud. She wished there were some way she could reason out the change that she felt had taken place during the last few weeks, and talking sometimes helped.

"For instance?" Bill inquired. He knew that Betty Jane, once started on any subject, could not easily be persuaded to drop it.

"For instance," Betty Jane said. "Dr. Holbrook. He's different, somehow. He seems kinda worried about something. Course it could be his wife—she's in France,

you know. I understand she's got a villa over there in some swell resort. Only I don't think it's the wife. I have a feeling it's someone else."

"Could be."

"I might be Miss Hilary—Aunt Mame thinks it is—and I did give them a start the other day," Betty Jane was thinking aloud again. "It was when I went to the utility room and there they were, the doctor and Janice, and I coulda sworn they were holding hands. Anyhow, he dropped hers quick-like, and they both had the funniest, guiltiest look on their faces."

"DIDN'T your Aunt Mame teach you it's polite always to knock?" Bill grinned at catching Betty Jane up for a change.

Betty Jane ignored him with a look. Then she shook her head. "No, it couldn't be that," she decided. "Though they do act funny, almost too polite, as if they were strangers or were sore at each other. But Miss Willows was wrong."

"What's Willows got to do with it?"

"She said there was no young man Janice might marry. But there is," Betty Jane's smile broadened with satisfaction.

"Yeah?" Bill prompted. He had become slightly interested, against his will.

"He came to the office," Betty Jane confided. She rested both elbows on the table, her blue eyes dreamy. "And say, is he a right guy! Tall—must be over six-two—and broad shoulders like a football star. He kinda looks like a cross between Cary Grant and Van Johnson, if you know what I mean."

"Sounds screwy, if you ask me. Those two look nothing alike."

Bill was only five feet five and he knew he did not resemble any movie or football star.

Record Business Aids Government

By Albro B. Gregory
United Press Financial Writer
WASHINGTON (UP)—The federal government's fiscal health improved greatly during calendar year 1947 under the impetus of record-high business levels.

The net income of the treasury during the year was \$40,805,000, or \$1,737,000,000 above that of the previous 12-month period.

The treasury's income was bolstered by record payments of income taxes withheld from all wage and salary earners. The new peacetime records—nearing those of the biggest war years—were achieved despite the repeal of excess profits taxes on Dec. 31, 1945.

It will be remembered for comparative purposes, however, that 1946 income included profits tax payments made to settle such obligations for the previous year. Therefore, the record for calendar 1947 seems all the more remarkable.

During the year the government also managed to cut back somewhat its expenditures. This was the result of the administration's expressed determination to lower government costs, plus Republican hard-riding on the national pocketbook.

Spending for 1947, amounting to \$38,874,000,000, was \$2,466,000,000 below that of 1946.

The record income and lower spending resulted in a surplus on a calendar basis of \$1,931,000,000. This compared with a deficit of \$2,272,000,000 in the previous year.

Income in the first two full postwar years aggregated \$79,875,000,000, compared with \$10,752,000,000 in the two full preparatory years of 1939-1940.

Expenditures in 1946-1947 aggregated \$20,214,000,000, compared with \$18,542,000,000 in 1939-1940.

In the 1948 fiscal year which ends next June 30, the government estimates an income of \$41,667,000,000, and an outlay of \$37,000,000,000, leaving a surplus of \$4,667,000,000. However, since the latest estimates were announced by the White House last Aug. 20, prices have advanced further and the economy generally has moved to higher levels than expected. Consequently, usually predicting a surplus approximating \$6,000,000,000.

Night Of Mad Love Brings On Divorce

CHICAGO (UP)—Judge Joseph Sabath granted a divorce to a man whose wife said she wanted "a night of mad love," then tried to kill him with two knives.

Nello Brocolino told the court he was in bed at midnight when his wife came in.

"She walked in with liquor on her breath and said she wanted a night of mad love," Brocolino testified. "Then she went to a drawer, pulled out two knives, jabbed one in my back and stabbed me in the leg with the other."

Brocolino said he disarmed his wife but was so shocked he drove to a doctor's home 25 miles away to be treated.

Slogan for Smokers
TALLAHASSEE, Fla. (UP)—C. E. Hames, hotel man, coined the newest slogan for Florida's state-wide drive against forest fires. It is: "Chaperone your cigarettes. Don't let them go out alone."

Russia sold Alaska to the U. S. for \$7,200,000.

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Legal Holiday

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WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY

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BY MERRILL BLOSSER

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ABOUT ME?

THEY SAY YOU'RE GIVING UP BASKETBALL BECAUSE IT'S TOO TOUGH AND YOU CAN'T TAKE IT! ISN'T THAT LAUGH?

THAT ISN'T THE REASON AT ALL! IT'S BECAUSE—

I TOLD THEM I'D RATHER DIE THAN QUIT THE TEAM!

BUT, HILDA, YOU DON'T UNDERSTAND! I—

MAN, THAT GAL CAN OPERATE!

WE'LL BEAT KINGSTON YET!

RED RYDER

BY FRED HARMON

HOW NEAR IS NEXT TOWN BOILING MAD?

YOU KNOW, YELLOW SNOW I CAN NOT READ MAGIC SCRATCHES OF PALEFACE?

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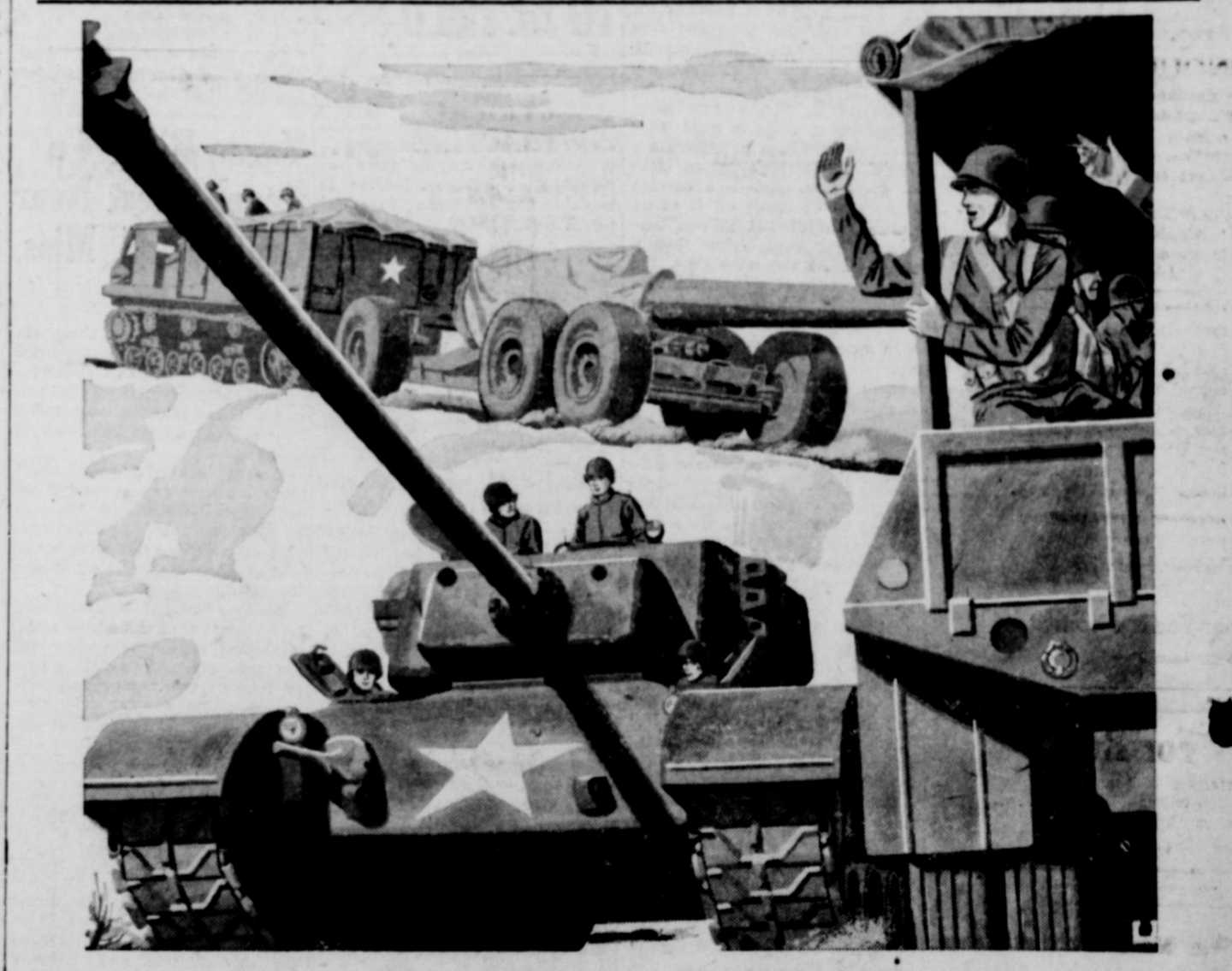
ALLEY OOP

BY V. I. HAMLIN

LOOK I MUST HAVE BEEN ASLEEP! MY DIAMONDS! GONE!

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NEWS FROM LONGBRANCH CARBON ROUTE 1

Mrs. G. W. Stowe, Cor.
LONG BRANCH, Feb. 18 — Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Poe have been suffering from flu at their home at Long Branch.

Miss Melba Ruth Reed had as a week-end guest, her chum, Miss Finley, from Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. John Edward Dudley were out from Cisco Sunday and attended church and visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Britt Dudley.

J. W. Cooper came out from Eastland to spend several days in the home of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sherrill and, incidentally to get in on the hog killing program.

Friends of Mrs. John Bell are glad to learn that after a very severe illness and hospitalization at Gorman she was able last Saturday to be taken to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Minnie Cornelius at Zephyr where she is being cared for while convalescing.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Curtis from Cook; Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Alford from Okra, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Been from Carbon and Henry Carter of Branton attended church here Sunday. All of them are members of this church.

The remodeling of the church is nearing completion and soon a story of the newly repaired building will be seen in this column.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Poe and Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Poe had as guests Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Poe, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Shaw and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Spencer from Cisco.

Mrs. Elizabeth McCracken and J. P. McCracken of Cisco and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Standlee and children, Lois Anne and Jimmy, from Chicago visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Stowe Saturday afternoon. Mr. Standlee is a nephew of Mrs. McCracken and Mrs. Stowe.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bohannon and their daughters, Vesta Leigh, Mary Alice and Jimmy Mae motored to the home of his sister, Mrs. Grady Rone near Carbon Sunday, where they also visited with another sister, Mrs. Bert Kent from near Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bell from Rising Star were dinner guests of

NEWS FROM Rising Star

RISING STAR, Feb. 20 — Miss Wanda Hights spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hights in Desdemona.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Tompkins spent the first of the week here with her sister, Mrs. W. J. Herrington and husband.

Mrs. Harriett Reynolds and son, Charles, of Kermit, spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lee.

Miss Eva Richardson and her cousin, A. C. Floyd and wife of Brownwood, attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Johnston at Chillicothe Tuesday.

Mrs. Cecil Leonard and son, Paul, are visiting relatives at Odessa this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Love and son, Audie, are at Lufkin at the bed side of her step-father who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Roberson of Cisco spent Saturday with their daughter, Mrs. Cecil Joyce and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Batesell of Ft. Worth are here overhauling the ice plant.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Acker visited in Eastland Friday.

Mrs. Mattie Stark returned from Houston last week where she had been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Elliott of Sundown were visiting relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Seay and daughter of Cross Plains spent Saturday night and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Bob Elliott and family.

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Library Builds Up

CHICAGO (UP) — Miss Wilma Troxel, librarian at the University of Illinois school of medicine, said the addition of 34,000 volumes in the last 10 years makes it one of the largest in the world today. The library has 84,910 volumes, receives 923 journals and adds 4,000 new books every year.

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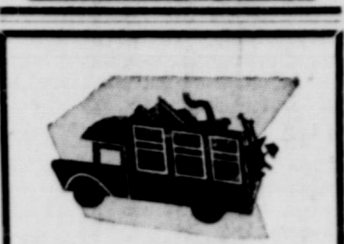
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Husband Guests At Sunday School Thursday Dinner

Suzana Wesley Class of the First Methodist Church hosted an annual dinner for their husbands Thursday evening at the church Fellowship Hall. Mrs. W. G. Marquardt, president, and Mrs. R. D. Estes were in charge of the arrangements. Mrs. Marquardt presided over the table and Rev. Mr. Gordon gave the invocation.

Following the dinner Mrs. Marquardt, in behalf of the class, presented Mrs. John Little a going away gift. Games were played.

Attending were: Rev. and Mrs. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Marquardt, Mr. and Mrs. John Little, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Miller, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Kilgore, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Perry, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Stinchcomb, Mr. and Mrs. N. P. McCarty, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. McCarty, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jackson, Dr. and Mrs. R. N. Whitehead, H. L. Hassell, Mr. and Mrs. Leon White, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Seibert, Mrs. Bill Walters, Mrs. Max Loy, Mrs. Oscar Avera, Mrs. Eldon Smith, Mrs.

Olden P. T. A. Observes 51st Birthday of P.T.A.

Members of the Olden P.T.A. observed the State organizations 51st birthday Thursday with a tea at the regular meeting. A large cake and spiced tea was served to those attending.

Mrs. A. E. Cushman, president, presided over the business meeting and the past months' accomplishments were discussed and presented.

The P.T.A. members installed the past month in the cafeteria dishes, silver, glasses, linens, linoleum, and a mix master.

A birthday offering was taken and sent to the State treasury.

Miss Allman's room furnished the program for the meeting and won the prize for the best attendance.

R. D. Estes, Mrs. G. B. Athey and daughter Miss Louise of Breckenridge, guest of Mr. and Mrs. McCarty and Miss Hazel Harrell. Ten children were present in the nursery. Mrs. Frank Crowell is teacher of the class.

The W. S. Adams Entertain Friends At "42" Party

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Adams, 208 Oaklawn entertained with a forty-two party Friday evening at their home.

Mrs. Adams served refreshments of apple pie topped with whipped cream and coffee to Mr. and Mrs. Eli Rushing, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Herring, Herman Rushing, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lindley.

Methodist Circles Meet Monday P. M.

Mrs. John Little's Circle of the W.S.C.S. of the Methodist church meets Monday afternoon at 3:00 p.m. in the home of Mrs. John D. McCare South Dixie Street. All members are urged to attend.

Mrs. Jack Ammer's Circle of the Methodist church meets Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Ammer at Leon Plant. All members are urged to attend.

Baptist W. M. U. Meets In Circles Monday Afternoon

W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church meets in Circles Monday at 3:00 p.m.

Maybelle Taylor Circle meets in the home of Mrs. John Alexander.

Blanche Grove Circle of the Baptist Church meets in the home of Mrs. O. B. Crowley.

Lottie Moon Circle meets in the home of Mrs. James Ward.

Business Woman's Circle meets Monday at 5:45 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Everett Plowman South Seaman Street.

Mrs. Armstrong Hosts "Come-As-You-Are Breakfast"

Mrs. W. B. Armstrong hosted a "Come As You Are" Breakfast, Saturday morning at her home, 108 East Lens Street.

Mrs. Armstrong served coffee and doughnuts buffet style in the living-room to Meses. Kenneth Garrett, Hilton Kuykendall, Guy Robinson, Guy Craig, Howard Upchurch, L. W. Dalton, G. L. Whitley, George Hendricks, and hostess Mrs. Armstrong.

Personals

Recent guests in the home of Mrs. D. D. Allen, 1210 Main Street, were her husband and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Finley of Pecos.

having all of her children home over the week-end. Mrs. Bargsley has a son Lewis and family of Grand Prairie and three daughters.

C. C. Cornelius, who has been in the Veterans hospital in Dallas, is improving. Mrs. Cornelius returned first of the week from a visit with him.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. P. McCarty this week were Mrs. G. B. Athey and Miss Louise Athey of Breckenridge. Mrs. Athey is Mrs. McCarty's mother and Miss Louise is her sister.

Miss Margaret Hipp, who is attending TSCW, Denton, came home Saturday for the week-end. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Hipp South Oak Street.

Transacting business and visiting relatives in Abilene Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Aaron and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Murphy.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Aaron on the Carbon highway, this week-end are Mrs. Aaron's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Huff and Children, Sue, Bob and Johnie, and Mrs. Aaron's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Huff, all of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Adams have purchased a Lome, 208 South Oaklawn and have moved there from 305 N. 11th Dixie Street.

Mrs. J. B. Brannan and daughters Johnnie and Judith Ann of Breckenridge, were guests in the home of Mrs. Brannan's sister Mrs. I. M. Herring and her mother and father Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Brannan recently moved from Eastland to Breckenridge.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alanzo Gober this week was Leut. Col. Robert Rates of Marshall, who flew over to visit his sister Mrs. Gober.

Ewing Baker, Jr., from the Baker ranch near Hico, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Baker, on the Cisco Highway.

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Adults are oftentimes, though so much more subtle in their ridicule than children. Children, at least, resort to no trick; they are essentially honest to the point of painfulness.

Have you ever had an almost insane desire to scream with laughter when you witnessed someone fall on the street, sprawling out on the pavement, embarrassed to the point of tears? Do you ever wonder why you actually wanted to laugh instead of rushing over to help the person get up?

You wanted to laugh in violent reaction to the knowledge that it was not you who fell; you are laughing partly in sheer relief that you were not subjected to the same horror; and you wanted, to laugh partly because there is a devil in you and me that of ten times triumphs over the angel in us . . . a laugh, leering, grinning devil who delights in seeing someone suffer.

Don't deny it!
It's true
It's a good thing we've progressed a little toward law and order; toward subjection of unwholesome human emotions . . . a little toward civilization.

If we hadn't we'd still be ducking witches in the river.

We haven't come far . . . not yet. We're still savages at heart . . .

But as long as we stop to remember the broken hearted little child, who was ridiculed at school, and who came home to weep her heart out . . . we can believe that we will continue to progress.

Progress lies in awareness and sympathy and understanding.
And in being able to take it on the chin . . . and laugh it off . . . even though you fall sprawling in the middle of the street and everyone there screams his head off . . . laughing at you . . . instead of helping you to get up.
It's the way of the world.
So watch your step.

BUSY PEOPLE

By Annie L. Jones
There is a woman in Eastland who is an out-standing Church and Club woman. She reads religious literature, good books, and magazines. She keeps posted on all kinds of religion, government, and things in general over the world.
She is an excellent speaker in Church activities and clubs, because she reads and keeps posted. She is an outstanding Bible instructor, having taught a Sunday school class for several years. Her lessons were an inspiration and had a spiritual influence over many who have heard her.

Since the death of her husband, she has given up being a regular teacher of her Sunday school class but she never fails to be present when possible and never fails her duty. She is a lover of home. Since the members of her family are away, she stays with her home, reads and works and is a great flower lover. She grows some of the finest flowers in Eastland. If you do not know this fine woman, you have missed something.

This lovely woman is a native of Kentucky. She met her late husband while attending a one-teacher school in Kentucky. She said she was attending a school and had heard that a fine and handsome teacher was teaching another school, and she asked her father to let her attend his school, and he agreed.

After attending College in Indiana, and the "teacher" attending the University of Texas law school, the couple were married in Kentucky. They came to Odessa in 1908, and after a short time, moved to Colorado City where he served as District Attorney and District Judge. They moved to Eastland in 1926, where he served as Associate and Chief Justice of the Eleventh Court of Civil Appeals.

She has been an active worker in church and club work, and Civic affairs in Eastland. People who knew her before she came to Eastland say that she has always been an active and very busy woman. Her life is a shining light and a guiding star to those who have known her.

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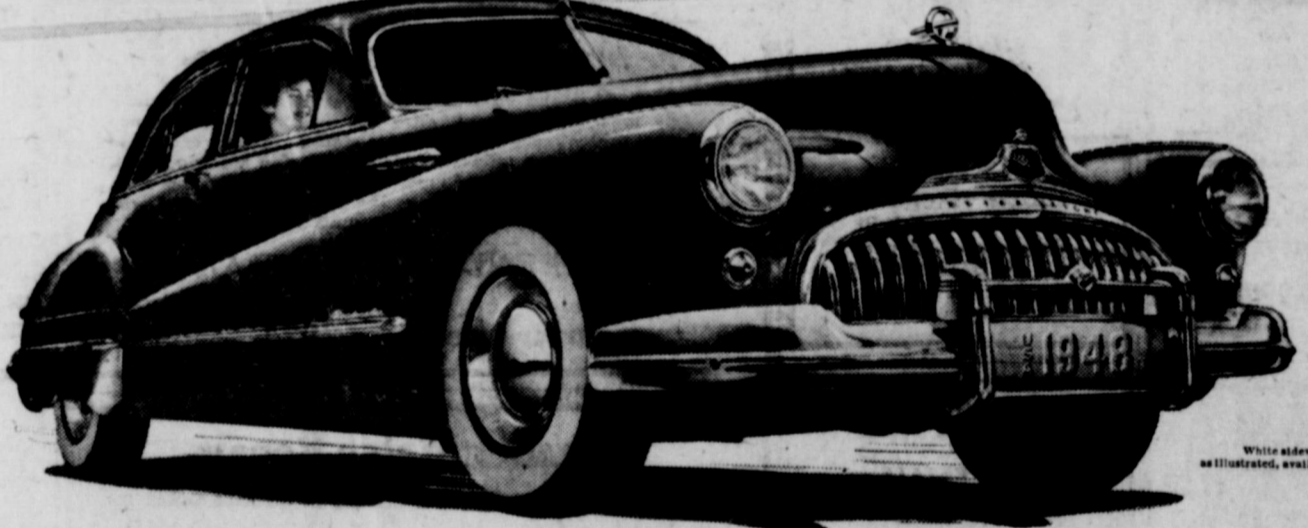
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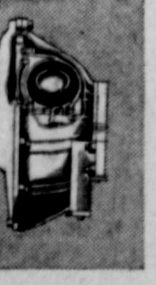
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