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Connally Defends Farm Bounties Before Senate

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Agricultural subsidies were vigorously defended on the floor of the United States Senate by Tom Connally, Senator from Texas, in answer to charges made by Senator Taft of Ohio that the Senate increases for the farmer were unnecessary.

Asks for Privacy in School Shower



Joan Avaline Lawrence, above, doesn't think that high school girls should take showers together in the same room.

Rabbit Drive To Be Given At Oakley

A big rabbit drive has been planned for the Oakley community for Friday, beginning at 8 o'clock, it was announced here today.

Valley Accidents Take Five Lives

CORPUS CHRISTI, Mar. 27.—Three prominent Robstown men were killed today, five miles west of Robstown when a train struck the automobile in which they were riding.

Sixth District Opens Convention In Colorado City On April 1st

The 25th annual convention of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs will open Monday, April 1, in Colorado City with headquarters at the Colorado hotel.

Meeting Is Held In Stephenville To Discuss Taxes

City, county officials, West Texas Chamber of Commerce directors and civic leaders from a number of towns in this section of the state met at Stephenville today in a meeting designed to cooperate in preparing and analyzing local budgets, with the view toward promoting efficiency and economy in local affairs.

Royal Arch Meet Due On Thursday

A meeting of the Eastland Royal Arch chapter will be held on Thursday night, March 28, at 7:30 according to announcement of officials today.

Choral Singing Starts Tonight In The County Meet

The county wide contest in choral singing for the Eastland County Interscholastic League champion ward school choir will be held tonight at the Recreation Building at 7:30.

Eastland Knights Have Fish Fry At Hall On Tuesday

Little remained of 125 pounds of fish after a fish fry attended by 55 persons Tuesday night at the Knights of Pythias Castle hall in Eastland.

Official Maps For Highway System Available In Ranger

The Ranger Chamber of Commerce is in receipt of a number of the 1940, spring edition of the official Texas highway maps, published and distributed by the State Highway Commission.

New Pastor Given A Resolution By Leonard C. Of C.

The Ranger Chamber of Commerce is in receipt of a copy of the following resolution, passed at the regular meeting of the Leonard C. Of C. on Tuesday night.

Damage Suit Begun In District Court At Eastland Today

Suit to recover damages (\$50,000) from the West Texas Utilities company in which Mrs. Anna Schaefer and sons, Jack Earl and Richard Schaefer, Jr., are plaintiffs was begun Wednesday in 88th district court.

Bridges In County Will Be Widened

AUSTIN, Mar. 27.—The State Highway Commission today announced a tentative list of projects upon which bids will be taken on April 15, including three bridges in Eastland county.

Destroyer Blast Is To Be Investigated

NEWPORT, R. I., March 27.—A naval investigation was planned today into the mysterious blast which damaged the destroyer King, seriously injuring six members of the crew and killing one.

Palatine Plans a Big Band Festival

PALESTINE, Texas.—Palestine's first band festival, expected to become an annual affair, will be held March 30.

Dining Room Rotates

WASECA, Minn.—Far be it from Howard Diechen to deprive guests of a view of Clear Lake from all points of the compass while relaxing in his lake-front home.

The Queen Gets Her War Paint



The British liner, Queen Mary, gets a new coat of battleship gray preparatory to reported plans for her conversion into a transport ship to carry Australian troops.

New Oil Reserves Double Production During Past Year

NEW YORK.—New, proved petroleum reserves totalling 2,399,122,000 barrels, nearly double the amount of oil produced in 1939, were discovered or developed in new and old oil fields of the United States during last year, according to a report of the American Petroleum Institute's Committee on Petroleum Reserves, made public today.

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Ranger Boy Injured In Accident Shows A Rapid Recovery

Jerry Burns, eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Burns of Ranger, was today reported showing steady improvement and about ready to leave the hospital.

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ALLIES HINT SOVIET TO BE A COMMON FOE

An open break with Russia was advocated today by many French and British leaders after Soviet Ambassador Souritz was recalled from Paris by Moscow at the request of the French government.

Dies Committee To Extend Activities

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Any erroneous reflections upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of this paper will be gladly corrected upon being brought to the attention of the publisher.

Covered Wagon Days Are Over

If you haven't been sure the past few days, you can take it from Uncle Sam—the days of pioneering are over. There's nothing to be gained, Uncle Sam warns, in packing the family and furniture into what's left of the 1923 four-cylinder job and steaming away toward the hills beyond.

According to the Farm Credit Administration, the spring migrations of farmers all over the nation annually cost landlords and farmers themselves a total of \$150,000,000. Thousands of farm tenants will be aided financially by the FCA—if they stay where they are.

That isn't the way it used to be. "Go West, young man," said Mr. Greeley, and they went—thousands of them. It all started when New Englanders began to get restless, wondered what the country looked like on the other side of the Appalachians. They trekked into the Western Reserve, and then down to the Mississippi valley. And finally wandered out across the plains, found the Pacific.

Uncle Sam felt differently about the matter, then because conditions were different. Free land was offered to hardy souls who would settle in the new lands. The country needed to be built up, tied together.

It's all over now. Geographical pioneering has ended. The covered wagon people have fulfilled their mission. The migrants of today can't push the country's boundaries westward and it's no good just bouncing around.

Uncle Sam's advice to tak roots is as good today as was his advice to move westward 100 years ago. Farmers with a touch of gypsy in their hearts must learn to realize this. Farm lands deteriorate when they are worked by people who have no personal interest in them. Land that could be kept fertile for years to come under the care of a rooted tenant or owner is likely to be worked to death by a series of migrants.

The best kind of an agricultural economy is one that is stable, dependable. Under the scientific supervision of the U. S. Department of Agriculture and the agricultural colleges, soil that has been depleted may be restored—but only if the man who works the farm is interested enough in it to accept the advice and to coddle it as something he intends to use for the rest of his life as a source of income.

An Oklahoma librarian thinks it's a waste of time to read bestsellers. He's not sure even "Uncle Tom's Cabin" will stand the test of time.

The Japanese, who don't like our conduct in the East, may go so far as to refuse to apologize for insults unless we mend our ways.

ALLEY OOP

By Fred Harman



RED RYDER

By Fred Harman



Last Rites Held For Mrs. O'Brien

Funeral services for Mrs. Charlotte Belle O'Brien, 84, whose death Tuesday removed another of the thinning ranks of pioneers of this section, were conducted Wednesday afternoon. Services were held at the First Baptist Church in Eastland with interment in the Pleasant Hill cemetery. Mrs. O'Brien was the wife of the late Charles H. O'Brien, who died 20 years ago. She was born Charlotte Belle Rushing, Feb. 13, 1856, at Tuscaloosa, Ala. At an early age she moved to Sheridan, Grant county, Ark., with her family. In 1871 she was married to Mr. O'Brien and in 1872 moved with her husband to Texas, settling in the northern part of Comanche county. Later they moved to the tract of land where Long Branch school and church now stand. Her husband fought three and one-half years under Joe Wheeler in the Confederate Army. He was a courier for General Wheeler and was twice cited for bravery.

Former Eastland Resident Succumbs At Dallas Hospital

Funeral services for Mrs. L. Moldave, 35, sister of Dave Wolf of Eastland, who died Tuesday noon in a Dallas hospital, were to be held Wednesday in San Antonio. A former resident of Eastland, Mrs. Moldave had been in the Dallas hospital, St. Paul's for several weeks. She and Mr. Moldave, who operated the Boston Store while living in Eastland, had been residents of Dallas for several years. She was born in Europe and had lived in Texas for over 20 years. Survivors are her husband; two children, Sam and Evelyn Wolf, both of Dallas; four brothers, Dave Wolf of Eastland, I. Wolf of San Antonio, Morris Wolf and Joe Wolf of Dallas; one sister, Mrs. Reva Brawnstein of Dallas, and her mother, Mrs. Ella Dow, Houston.

R. C. Cola Plans Big Newspaper Advertising Space

Newspapers will play a strategic role in the 1940 plans of Royal Crown Cola, "the greatest advertising and merchandising campaign in our 30-year history," according to H. R. Mott, President of the Nohi Corporation, makers of the beverage. "We are taking advantage of the tremendous momentum which Royal Crown's sensational sales increase has given us," Mr. Mott announces, "and again in 1940 we will use the power of the press to push Royal Crown sales upward." More than 600 newspapers, coast to coast, will carry dozens of hard-hitting Royal Crown Cola advertisements. Royal Crown sales reach 25 million readers. Color advertisements specifically aimed at almost five million women—"purchasing agents for the great American home"—will appear in women's magazines. Radio will be vigorously used. Royal Crown Cola takes to the air again on February 16th, over the 88-station coast-to-coast network of the Columbia Broadcasting System. "Believe It or Not" Bob Ripley will again be the headline feature, with B. A. Rolfe and his orchestra and songstress Linda Lee. In general the program will follow the pattern of last year's show, which was officially rated one of the top attractions on the air. Bob Ripley promises even greater emphasis upon humorous "Believe It or Not" when he parades his "astounding aggregation of oddities" before CBS microphones every Friday night during most of the remainder of 1940. Striking billboards in picked locations, store displays, merchandising stunts, and unusual dealer helps complete one of the biggest advertising "pushes" ever put behind a beverage.

Roadside Beauty to Grow

HARRISBURG, Pa.—Pennsylvania's highway department is preparing a \$730,000 roadside planting program this spring. The present plans call for the planting of thousands of trees, shrubs and vines. Primary design behind the scenery-enhancing program is prevention of soil erosion and slides along the highways.

MASTER PRINTER

Horizontal and vertical crossword puzzle grids with clues. Horizontal clues include: 1 Johannes pioneer printer, 9 He was born in Germany about 1398, 14 Jejuine, 15 Avouches, 17 Great lake, 18 Reverberated, 19 Silk, 20 Fabulous birds, 21 Modified, 23 Upholstering cloth, 25 Land right, 27 Dad, 28 Choice part, 32 Barrier, 34 Assam silkworm, 35 Assumed name, 36 Cake maker, 38 Eagle, 40 Electrical unit, 42 Local position, 44 Applying a brake. Vertical clues include: 1 Johann Strauss, 49 III-wisher, 50 Alley, 51 Bower, 53 Soared, 57 Grafted, 58 Arch posts, 59 Part assumed, 60 He was a metal worker, 61 He invented printing with type, 2 Russian mountains, 3 Light color, 4 Brim, 5 Founded, 6 Capable of being evaded, 7 To rot flax, 8 Gravel, 10 Pertaining to air, 11 Pressing implement, 12 Fastidious, 13 Heightens taste of, 22 Fish eggs, 24 Sea inlet, 26 Beasts' beds, 29 Field, 30 To be tired of an equal score, 31 To make an egg resemble a frog, 36 He printed a Scriptural Book (pl.), 37 Portuguese money, 39 To agree, 41 To bevel timber, 43 Human trunk, 45 Crown course opposed, 46 Person, 47 To capsize, 48 Grating, 52 Common verb, 53 Brother, 54 Tennis stroke, 55 Measure of length, 56 Tiny.

WALTZ KING

Horizontal and vertical crossword puzzle grids with clues. Horizontal clues include: 1 European composer called "Waltz King", 12 Concerns, 13 Lubricated, 14 Railing, 16 Food fish, 18 Mine shaft hut, 19 Pennies, 20 Polished surface of rock, 22 Postscript (abbr.), 24 Old French coin, 25 Italian river, 28 Street (abbr.), 27 To be indebted, 29 Transposed (abbr.), 30 Influenza, 31 Rowan trees, 32 Step of a series, 35 Hence, 36 To pay one's part, 37 Musical note, 38 Hops kiln. Vertical clues include: 15 Speakers, 17 Public disturbances, 19 Smoking tool, 21 Mongrel, 23 Took oath, 26 Cuts lengthwise, 28 Unit of work, 29 Cooling device, 32 Gift, 34 Powder ingredient, 39 Pronoun, 40 Pithy, 41 Abstract being, 43 Lazy, 44 Knocks, 45 Island, 46 Beverage, 47 Aromatic substance, 48 Tree, 49 Priest, 52 Eternity, 53 Avenue (abbr.), 54 Type measure, 56 Afternoon (abbr.), 57 Right (abbr.), 41 Kill, 42 Senior (abbr.), 43 His musical ability was an from his father, 49 Verbal ending, 50 Rubber pencil ends, 51 To exist, 53 Genus of augs, 55 Spread, 56 Needy, 58 He was a by birth, 59 To deplore, 1 To crowd, 2 Eyes, 3 Backs of feet, 4 Negative, 5 Dint, 6 Black hawk, 7 Ten, numeral termination, 8 Road (abbr.), 9 Nettle rash, 10 Mentally sound, 11 Thus, 12 He was the of "The Blue Danube" waltz (pl.), 12 He was the of "The Blue Danube" waltz (pl.), 12 He was the of "The Blue Danube" waltz (pl.).

Advertisement for Royal Crown Cola. Text: "NO DINKY DRINK FOR ME. I WANT ROYAL CROWN COLA". "NOT ONE BUT TWO FULL GLASSES 5c". "Bigger—and better-tasting, too! Royal Crown has won 9 out of 10 certified taste-tests against leading colas from coast to coast! Order some from your dealer today. BEST BY TASTE-TEST!". "Tune in the Ripley Show Fri. night, CBS Network A Product of Hecht Corp." NEHI BOTTLING CO. EASTLAND, TEXAS. PHONE 129.

Advertisement for NEHI Bottling Co. featuring a portrait of a man and the text: "Both Paul McNutt and J. Edgar Hoover are accused of having too much glamor. Look as if better times are ahead for the boys and girls who aren't the Life of the Party."

Canadian People Are Baffled by the Cromwells

Ottawa Reserves Judgment on Jimmy and Doris Anti-Nazi Speech Brings Speedy Repercussions

By NEA Service
OTTAWA—A world record for the free-style plunge into hot water has been achieved by James H. R. Cromwell, since early January American minister to Canada.

Already heavy fire, including acrid demands for his recall, is being directed at him from congressional benches on the American side. And on the Canadian end, official and social Ottawa is baffled by his wife, the former Doris Duke, whose activities as official hostess have been notable by their absence.

She reached the high point of her brief diplomatic career recently when a Toronto paper carried in Ottawa dispatch which said of her:

"She confessed to Hon. C. D. Howe, minister of transport, when asked how she liked Ottawa, 'Well, all I've seen of Ottawa so far is a haze of cigaret smoke through cocktail glasses.'"

Cromwell, whose life has been marked by an avid desire to make something of himself and who wants to rise above the position of a rich man married to "the world's richest woman," buckled down to a valiant effort to live up to demands of his post.

HARD-WORKING DIPLOMAT STICKS HIS NECK OUT

He is at his desk every morning, denying audience to no serious person, evidently bent on being "human" and democratic. He has worked hard under the able coaching of a veteran career staff headed by the level-headed John Farr Simmons.

But after two conventional public appearances before the Ottawa Canadian Club and the Ottawa Women's Canadian Club came his Toronto speech, in which he "risked his official head" by a warm, pro-ally speech denouncing Germany as seeking to

destroy the basic institutions of American democracy.

It was this less-than-neutral speech that brought down congressional lightning and raised the question of just how diplomatic "Jimmy" Cromwell had become in his two months' apprenticeship.

THE FIRST MOVE WAS UP TO DORIS

There was a brief flutter of excitement when Ottawa got its first glimpse of Doris, preceded by world-wide publicity. The reception was formal and polite. Then people sat back to wait and see.

Lavish entertaining was expected. But it didn't follow. Mrs. Cromwell appeared as hostess at only three social functions, all minor.

Ottawa has seen little of her. She has been spending only about two days a week in Ottawa. On other days she is off on skiing expeditions to Quebec and other sports centers. Once she flew to New York in her private plane.

"CALLIVANTING" LABEL PASTED ON DORIS

The same paper which made public her "cigarette smoke through cocktail glasses" version of Ottawa, said that she spends most of her time gallivanting about and that, "as yet she has no social secretary."

This was followed by hints that the Cromwells were not taking kindly to their jobs. These became so prevalent that Cromwell felt that he had to deny them—a strange and unenviable position for a member of the diplomatic service.

So Cromwell said, publicly: "Nothing could be farther from the truth. Both Mrs. Cromwell and I have liked Canada and Canadians from the beginning."

Official Ottawa is patient and realizes that the American representatives were green when they took the job and could hardly be expected to turn into model diplomats in two months. Canadians as a whole seem determined to wait and see.



James H. R. Cromwell: Staked his diplomatic life on anti-Nazi speech.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere and heartfelt thanks to our many friends who have contributed to the lifting of the heavy burden which came with the loss of our father, husband and friend, Martin Samuel Smith. We commend you to our dear one's Christ and may his bountiful blessings shield your lives and be your comfort and shield when your life's evening sun shall fall.
Mrs. M. S. Smith,
Mr. and Mrs. Everett Smith and children,
Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Teague and children,
Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Beck and children,
Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Gray and children,
Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Gregory and family,
Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Craig,
Pete Craig,
Miss Eunice Toone.

Fueling Device To Give Airplanes A Higher Ceiling

By JOHN F. FRANKISH
United Press Staff Correspondent
CLEVELAND, O.—A revolutionary new fuel system, developed secretly by an Army Air Corps sergeant and a Cleveland concern, will enable United States military planes to fly for great distances at altitudes above 20,000 feet, out of the range of anti-aircraft fire.
Experimental flight data on American military airplanes disclosed that they could not be depended upon to maintain consist-

ently high altitudes. One plane might be able to fly at 22,000 feet today and at only 18,500 tomorrow.

The reason for this varying performance is known to aeronautical engineers as "vapor lock," and results from an uneven flow of fuel because of the varying atmospheric pressure in the "thin air" of the sub-stratosphere. At certain altitudes high test gasoline vaporizes and replaces liquid fuel in feed lines.

Tests at Wright Field
It was to overcome this "vapor lock" that Serget Ralph E. Gray and the Pump Engineering Service Corporation of Cleveland carried on a series of experiments at Wright Field, Dayton, O., and developed the new fuel system, which is being produced exclusively for army and navy planes.

Secretary of War Harry H. Woodring recently wrote Gray congratulating him "for this development which is the product of your ingenuity, skill, zeal and enthusiasm."

All engineering details of the new fuel system have been kept secret, but it was disclosed that "vapor lock" was overcome by placing the fuel pump at a point remote from the heat of the motor and at a level more equal to that of the gasoline tank and fuel supply.

Altitude Not Consistent
Military aircraft using conventional fuel systems have been able in the past to approach 20,000 feet altitude, but have been unable to operate consistently above that level.

All statistics of the experimental flights with the new system at Wright Field have been kept secret by army officials, but it has been revealed that it has made possible long flights at much higher altitudes.

Aeronautical engineers believe that the secret development will give American bombing, reconnaissance and pursuit planes a great advantage over those of other nations, more vulnerable to anti-aircraft guns.

Says 'Rich' Mate Fibbed on Wealth



The gal in the song who pleaded "Oh, Mama, get the butcher boy for me" was NOT singing dancer Betty Alien, above, a New York Supreme Court hearing annulled her marriage to clarinetist Gus Bivona, saying Bivona claimed his father was a millionaire owner of a meat shop chain. But, Betty declared, Papa Bivona is only a butcher.



Doris Duke Cromwell: Saw "a haze of cigaret smoke through cocktail glasses."

Just a Bit Personal . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hagamen and daughters, Frances Ruth and Betty Lou, returned Tuesday from a visit to points in New Mexico.

Vegetable Laxative Has Important Points

This laxative does three important things for most users. If simple directions are followed, it usually acts promptly, thoroughly, gently. You'll like a spicy BLACK DRAUGHT'S way. Chief of its all-vegetable ingredients is an "intestinal tonic-laxative" which helps tone lax bowel muscles. Next time, take BLACK DRAUGHT. Economical, too; 25 to 40 doses, 25c.

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7—SPECIAL NOTICES

Your own dresses FREE and up to \$15 weekly showing Fashion Frocks. Lovely Spring styles now ready. Write fully, giving age and dress size. FASHION FROCKS, Dept. V-3659, Cincinnati, O.

TAXI—Phone 1. JIM TOLAND.

11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT—Two room furnished apartments. Carter Apartments.

15—HOMES FOR SALE

FOR SALE: My 5-room modern home, A-1 Condition, attic cooling system. A real bargain. Located 1118 Foch St. See S. P. BOON or Phone 452 or 665-W.

19—FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE or TRADE: My home for sale, trade for automobile or long lease. Terms—See RAYMOND TURNER, Traveler's Cafe.

USED CARS

At Drastic Reductions!

These prices are good only for Thursday - Friday - Saturday—1928 Ford Fordor . . . \$37.50

(No Trade-in)
1930 Chevrolet Sedan . . . \$37.50

(No Trade-in)
1927 Chevrolet Sedan . . . \$29.75

(No Trade-in)
1935 Dodge Coupe, an excellent car. Was \$245.00. Now only . . . \$145.00

1934 Pontiac Coupe. A good running car. Was \$225.00. Now only . . . \$125.00

1936 Chevrolet Standard Town Sedan. Worth \$325.00. Special price . . . \$245.00

1934 Chevrolet Truck. Short wheelbase, platform body, tenply tires. A real good truck . . . \$165.00

The above cars are just a few selected from our stock. We have a large selection of fine Used cars. See us before you buy! The price is right!

ANDERSON-PRUET
Chevrolet Co.

Owner Will Raze General Sherman's Old Homestead

LANCASTER, O.—The birthplace of Gen. William Tecumseh Sherman, whose march "from Atlanta to the sea" was a decisive factor in subduing the South, is to be demolished.

Legislation for the purchase of the property by the state failed in the last session of the Ohio general assembly, and a proposal that it be made a national memorial was rejected in Congress. Ed Schleicher, who has owned and lived in the house where Sherman was born for 43 years, said he had decided to raze it and build an apartment house on the site. Sherman's boyhood days were spent largely in the residence of Thomas Ewing, one-time senator from Ohio, who reared both Sherman boys, William Tecumseh and his brother, John, later a congressman and secretary of the treasury. After the death of their parents, the Ewing residence is still standing and is an object of interest to visitors here. It is considered one of the better examples of early residential architecture in Ohio.

Leadership in 1940 IT'S FORD ACROSS THE BOARD



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THE PLAYOFF..

BY HARRY GRAYSON
NEA Service Staff Editor

MIAMI BEACH, Fla.—For years it has been suspected the Phillies were a nomadic band wandering around the National League with no one at their head.
Not even the Phillies cared about the Phillies, you heard, and their stout defense of eighth place bore out the assumption.
So it is news when you run across someone actually concerned about the Phillies. I discovered him on the bench at Flamingo Park here inspecting his athletes with the admiration of a pennant-winning manager.
Gerry Nugent is a ruddy-faced, handsome and pleasant Irishman who got into baseball through marrying Mae Mallen, secretary to William F. Baker, the New York contractor who formerly controlled the franchise.
The Nugents own a majority of the stock and it is not for sale despite the fact that the outfit hasn't made money since they took over.

ANYWAY, Nugent considers 47 too young to retire and wouldn't know what to do if he retired the Phillies.

Nugent feels he completed a 13-year task and that the financial structure of the club was fully rebuilt in mid-season of 1938 when he was released from what was a unique and perpetual lease at Baker Bowl and moved into the American League plant—Shibe Park.
No longer is it necessary for Nugent to pour thousands of dollars a year into maintenance at the ballpark that was Baker Bowl, chiefly in the interest of safety.

Nugent is confident he no longer will have to sell his outstanding players to remain solvent, as he did in the cases of Chuck Klein, Curt Davis, Ethan Allen, Dolph Camilli and Tuckey Walters.
The Giants and others would like to have the right-hand pitcher, Hugh Mulcahy and Walter Higbe. Outfielder Morrie Arnovich would bring a fancy price, but Nugent is keeping his best talent now.

Levy—six feet five and weighing 195 pounds—is the big noise in the Phillies' camp at the moment, however. He will be given every opportunity to beat out Gus Suhr at first base.

A YEAR ago Levy was rated almost a certainty to succeed Lou Gehrig of the Yankees, who outbid the Reds and gave him \$4000 for signing a contract while he was a student at Rollins College in the spring of 1936.
A line drive hitter and the fastest man in camp despite his size, Levy's work was highly satisfactory in the New York chain until last season, which he spent with Newark and Oakland.

He didn't like the way Johnny Neun gave up on him in Newark. Nerves pinched in his back while sliding put him in the dust. He got to throwing bats hither and yon.
Extra-curricular activities are also said to have put him in a poor light with Yankee officials. Anyway, he failed to get going again after being shipped to the Oakland Casters.
So the Phils gave the Yankees \$7500 and Jim Shilline, the second baseman who was with Cleveland last spring, for the right to look at Levy and must pay \$17,500 more if they keep the big fellow into May.

It is a convention to order at the Adolphus Hotel here April 8, more than 1500 dentists from all parts of the state will be on hand.
The convention program will bring to Texas many noted speakers and clinicians including Dr. Arthur H. Merrill, of New York City, president of the American Dental Association and F. V. Mersjoe, of Washington, D. C., of the Farm Security Administration.

By United Press
KINGS CITY, Mo.—Kentucky colonels may drink deep and wax eloquently over the beauties of their blue grass, but today Missouri claims to be the "Blue Grass State" of the union.
By government record the blue grass area near here produces more blue grass than the entire state of Kentucky. Stripping of the blue grass seeds starts early in the summer and much of the seed will be sold in Kentucky, sellers say.
When the buying season reaches the peak markets are established here which furnish work for more than 200 men who will handle seed day and night.

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BY BRUCE CATTON
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

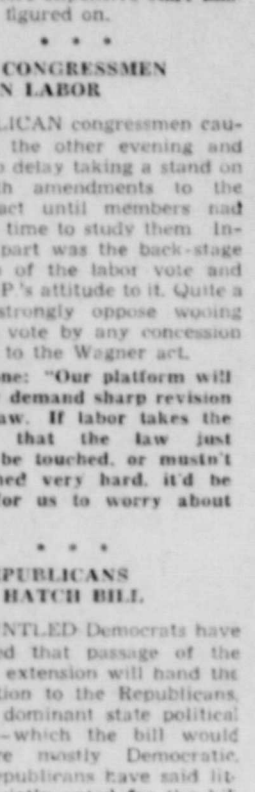
WASHINGTON.—Top executives of the American Federation of Labor got little comfort out of their recent conference with Assistant Attorney General Thurman Arnold concerning his building costs campaign.
No sooner were they seated in his office than Arnold began:
"Your might as well understand one thing right from the start: we're not going to stop indicting labor leaders."
The conference almost ended right there, and might as well have for all the good it did. One union head exclaimed his criticism of Arnold's policy with a spirited defense of individual liberty. When he got through Arnold laughed loudly.
"That's almost word for word what a high-priced Wall Street lawyer said to me less than two weeks ago," he explained.

FSA IS PROUD OF CHEAP HOUSES

OFFICIALS of the Farm Security Administration are quietly proud of the way they've cut farm home building costs. On their newest resettlement projects, they're putting up four- and five-room "dole-and-wood" apartment houses at a cost less than \$1200 per family.
If they're able to build that way from the start the history of the resettlement projects would be considerably different. Big trouble there has been that the homes built were too fancy, hence too costly; that's reason for that (though you'll never get anyone to admit it) was the interest taken in the projects by Mrs. Roosevelt. She got behind the movement in its early days and plugged so hard

OUT OUR WAY

By Williams



THE CLOSE OBSERVER

OHIO REPUBLICANS BATTLE HATCH BILL
DISGRUNTLED Democrats have charged that passage of the Hatch act extension will hand the next election to the Republicans, since the dominant state political machine—which the bill would wreck—are mostly Democratic. Senate Republicans have said little and quietly voted for the bill.

IN Ohio, though, the Republicans are in charge, and Ohio Republicans on Capitol Hill are beginning to get loud cries of protest from back home, the complaint being that the law would handicap the party terribly, and you please get smart and vote against it!

MODERN MENUS

BY MRS. GAYNOR MADDOX
NEA Service Staff Writer

THERE will never be any left-overs: from well-planned dinner made of left-overs. Combine some of yesterday's ingredients, kept in a modern refrigerator, with some of today's fresh ingredients. That is one of the first rules of low cost food budgets with high grade satisfaction.

CARROTS STUFFED WITH HAM (Serves Six to Eight)

Four large carrots, 1 tablespoon butter or margarine, 2 tablespoons chopped onion, 1 tablespoon chopped green pepper, 1 cup boiled rice, 3/4 cup finely chopped left-over ham, salt, pepper, buttered bread crumbs.
Wash carrots and cook until tender. Peel and cut in half lengthwise. Cook onion and green pepper in butter until slightly browned and add rice and ham. Season with salt and pepper. Stuff with carrot halves, sprinkle with crumbs and brown in moderate oven 375 degrees Fahrenheit. Serve with your favorite tasty sauce to complete the tasty effect.

SPINACH CROQUETTES (Serves Four to Six)

One tablespoon butter, 3/4 cup chopped mushrooms (fresh or canned), 1 cup thick white sauce, 1 egg, 1 1/2 cups chopped spinach, 1/2 teaspoon onion juice, 3/4 teaspoon salt, 1/4 teaspoon pepper.
Saute the mushrooms in butter. If desired, mix the mushrooms and spinach with the white sauce, and add the seasonings. Chill one hour in the icebox. Form into croquettes, roll in sifted dry bread crumbs, then in beaten egg, and then in crumbs again. Fry in deep hot fat until golden brown. Drain on absorbent paper. Serve with or without cheese sauce.

Tomorrow's Menu

BREAKFAST: Pineapple juice, dry cereal, cinnamon toast, coffee, milk.
LUNCHEON: Carrots stuffed with ham, colla, sliced bananas, tea, milk.
DINNER: Lamb shoulder chops, baked potatoes, washed turnips, rhubarb Betty, coffee, milk.

Health, Clean-up Week Is Planned For Entire State

AUSTIN, Tex.—Observance of Texas Health, Clean-up and Safety Week will be marked by scores of community celebrations throughout the state the week of March 21 to April 7, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.
The Texas State Health Department, The Texas Fire Insurance Commission, and the Texas Department of Public Safety are co-sponsors of the week.
The annual observance of this Health, Clean-up and Safety Week gives each locality an opportunity to take precautions against the spread of disease, disabling sickness, and property loss through fire and accidents on the highways. Success of the week is dependent on the cooperation of each individual citizen who taken collectively make up local observances of the week.

In the interest of better public and personal health, it is suggested that Texans ask themselves:

- 1. Is my family immunized against diphtheria, smallpox, typhoid?
2. Is my home protected against disease-carrying flies by screens in good condition, removal of fly-breeding spots, proper garbage disposal?
3. Is my home free from mosquito-breeding places?
4. Is my water supply bacteriologically safe and pure?
5. Do I have safe sewage disposal, either through connection to city sewers, use of approved septic tanks, or sanitary toilet?
6. Is my plumbing in good repair and without leakage which may spread disease?
7. Have I checked my home for hazards which contribute to accidents and removed these hazards? Is it safe from fire?
8. Is the area adjacent to my home free from potential harbors of rats, flies, and mosquitoes? Is it free from ragweed and will it be kept that way as an aid to hay fever sufferers? Are standing pools of water drained, filled, or aired as an aid to mosquito control?

BOTANICAL FREAKS SHOWN
CAMDEN, Cal.—To prove the richness of the soil on his farm two miles southeast of here, Rudolph E. Jublet has on display two giant botanical freaks. One of the plants was a 150-foot grapevine which Jublet said produces approximately one-half ton of fruit annually, and the other a 9 1/2-foot sunflower which shows as many as 55 blossoms at one time.
Every time a couple of nations sign a treaty in Europe, they call on another 100,000 men for the army just to cement the friendly relations.

Legionnaires Are Just Cake Eaters

TEXARKANA, Tex.—Those supposedly rough-and-tough, ex-soldiers of Texarkana's American Legion post are just a bunch of cake eaters.
The post observed the Legion's 21st anniversary this week and made away with a 75-pound, three-layer cake "to the last crumb" according to Commander Henry Mathis.

He Fells a Tree But Not In Right Way

By United Press
CLINT, Texas—J. M. Edwards, El Paso county road employee, got the tree down all right, but not the way he wanted to. Edwards dug around the tree's 18-inch-diameter base, then sat down under its branches to eat his lunch. The tree fell, injuring him.
"I saw it moving, but couldn't get out of the way fast enough," Edwards said.

Impact advertisement for printed material with images of various forms and business cards.

RANGER TIMES advertisement featuring a man with a bicycle and contact information.

SERIAL STORY

\$15 A WEEK BY LOUISE HOLMES

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YESTERDAY: Ann finds Clara little changed. Clara has two letters for Ann—from Paul, written four months ago. In the first Paul asks Ann to marry him...

CHAPTER XXXI

THE telephone operator had not located Paul when Ann and Irene and Mr. Temple left for the train. At the LaSalle street station Ann called Steve...

"Steve—this is Ann." "I don't believe it. Ann doesn't call young men on the telephone." "Don't be funny, Steve. I'm taking a train in 10 minutes. I may not be back."

"I'm going to Paul. If he'll have me, I'm staying." "Isn't this rather sudden?" he asked coldly.

"Yes, it is. I went to see Clara today. She gave me a letter from Paul in which he asked me to marry him. The letter was written four months ago. It may be too late."

"Have you considered what this means to me?" His tone was like splintered ice. "I'm sorry, Steve—if you really care. I love Paul—I've always loved him." Her voice broke.

"I suppose you want me to wish you every happiness?" "Please do, Steve."

"Well, I won't. I'm going out and get roaring drunk. I'm dead sick of the sweet and simple life. He was childishly angry. "Goodbye, Steve."

THERE was a crash in her ear and no answer. Ann found Irene and her father at the gates. The long train waited. Ann had already forgotten Steve. He and Irene would find each other and they would be happy. They viewed life from the same angle. At the train steps Mr. Temple put a check into Ann's hand.

"For expenses," he said. "Come straight home, Ann, if things don't work out for you."

She tried to thank him but he hustled her into the car. It was midnight and they walked through a dimly lighted, curtained aisle. In Ann's compartment, Irene hugged her hard. "Write to me, Ann," she said tearfully. "I'll miss you." Mr. Temple kissed Ann's cheek, the train gave a

preparatory jerk, and she was alone.

The berth was made up and she sat down on the plush couch. She sat for a long time as the train gathered speed. After a while she looked at the check. Expenses? The scribbled amount was enough to furnish a little house.

Ann took off her dress, donned a house coat and lay down. She did not close her eyes. Joy, wild and tumultuous, surged through her. She was going to Paul. Again and again she read his letter, each time gaining deeper happiness.

It was 4 o'clock of a chill, dark morning when she left the train and took a taxi to the hotel. In her room she lay down again and sleep overtook her. She awoke with a start to find bright sunshine making a slanting oblong on the carpet. It was 9 o'clock.

Ann made a careful toilet. Rapturous wings beat in her heart, they made her fingers unsteady. She drank a cup of coffee in the flower shop. By means of a gardenia she had met Paul. It might have significance again. Asking directions, she walked to the big 10-cent store a few blocks away. Taking a deep breath, she went through the swinging doors.

Thousands of articles filled the counters, dozens of girls stood about or straightened their stock. A few early customers moved through the aisles. Ann's eyes darted across the room and up and down. A dark head at a counter in a corner caught her attention and her heart seemed to turn completely over. The dark head turned and the heart settled into place with a disappointed downward slide. Paul was not in sight.

Stairs led to a basement store and Ann went down, holding tight to the rail. Her knees were like rubber bands. No Paul in the basement store.

Returning to the main floor, she went to one of the clerks. "Can you tell me if Paul Hayden is in the store?" she asked. The girl's hair and fingernails made her think of Clara.

"He's in conference," the girl said importantly, adding, "Some of the big bugs are here from New York." She passed a hand over her elaborate hair.

"Do you know if he'll be busy long?" Ann asked. If she didn't find Paul soon her knees would cease to function.

"The office is on the balcony," the girl told her, "but don't crash in. They're having a conference."

ANN went up to the balcony. A small office was empty. She could hear voices from over a half partition. She sat down to wait. It was good to sit down.

"You haven't been with us long but you've proved your efficiency," a man said clearly. "The management of our Cedar Rapids store is open. Will you take it? Yes or no."

Ann almost jumped from her chair as Paul's voice came over the partition. "The answer is definitely yes."

There was a rumble of laughter. The first speaker said, "Sixty a week and the regular semi-annual raises. Satisfactory?"

"Yes." "Can you leave Saturday?" "I can leave at once. I have no home, no ties—"

Ann thought, "Oh, yes you have. You're taking a wife to Cedar Rapids with you. Maybe you don't know it, but you are—you are."

She got a little hysterical in her thoughts. Cedar Rapids—it sounded nice—like paradise. Did they have little houses there—with gardens and front porches—? The door opened and three men filed out. They glanced at Ann and went down the balcony stairs. She could see Paul at the desk. He was stuffing papers into a brief case. Ann's eyes yearned over him. She went to the door.

"Hello, Paul."

HE swung around, dropping a handful of papers. His face went white. "Ann—" he said. "May I come in?"

"Oh, yes—come in, Ann—come in." Lights flickered far back in his eyes. He held his mouth tight as if he were afraid.

Ann touched her gardenia. "I'm trying to pick you up again, Paul." He stared at her, his mouth queer and tight. She pulled his letters from her bag.

"Clara gave these to me yesterday," she explained. "I—I came right away. I heard what the men said—maybe all the little houses in Cedar Rapids aren't rented—"

He put both hands on her shoulders, holding her away, still only half believing.

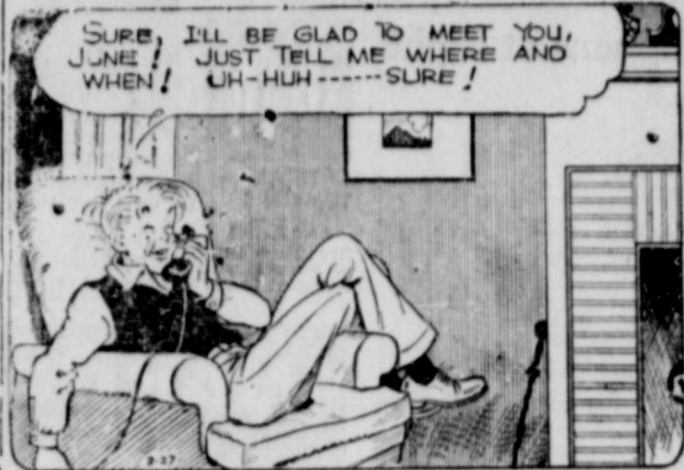
"Shall I say it, Paul?" she asked, her voice trembling a little. "I love you very, very much."

His hands drew her close. His arms went around her. He kissed her eyes and her chin and her lips. The salesgirl who had directed Ann to the balcony crossed the outer office and stopped short. Ann and Paul did not know that she was there.

"Gee—" she said, and softly closed the door.

(The End)

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS



Novel Of G. O. P. Is In Preparation By Louis Bromfield

By United Press NEW ORLEANS.—Louis Bromfield, the novelist, has come to deep Democratic territory to finish gathering material for a novel based on the history of the Republican party. Bromfield, a Democrat, says he doesn't like Republicans. He says his novel will be plotted in New Orleans, during the carpet-bagger

SERIAL STORY

K. O. CAVALIER BY JERRY BRONDFIELD

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CHAPTER I

CAPT. STEVE HANSEN leaned over the rail of the "Northern Belle" and scratched his iron-gray whiskers reflectively. Quite a voyage this would be. Quite.

Captain Steve spat down into the waters of San Francisco Bay, where the "Belle" lay moored to her pier. He straightened up as Barney MacGregor approached.

"You sent for me, Steve?" Captain Hansen grunted. "Yeah." And then: "How long you been first mate on this tub, Mac?"

"Long time, Steve... something like eight years I guess. Why—what's in th' wind?" "Well, you ain't first mate no longer, Mac. At least not for awhile."

Barney MacGregor placed two big hands on his hips and struck a belligerent Scotch chin four degrees forward. "And would you mind explainin' just what th' hell you mean, Steve Hansen?"

Captain Steve spat upside again. "Pull in your jib, Mac. Ain't as bad as you suspect. Y'see Mac, we're going to have some company going up to Prince Rupert this trip. Female company," he added, significantly.

Barney MacGregor's expression clearly indicated he didn't get it. Captain Hansen sighed lustily. "Might as well tell you th' whole story." He pulled a battered pipe from his pocket, tamped some tobacco into it deliberately and lit up.

"Old Hank Vaughan called me long distance today. All th' way from New York... musta cost him a week's pay... Week of your pay, that is," he corrected. "Anyway, Hank calls to tell me his one and only niece is shipping with us this trip. Says he put her aboard one of those airplanes himself and she'll be here this afternoon."

"An' who is Hank's niece an' how come we're signin' on females?" Captain Steve squinted at him. "Mac, don't stand there and tell me you don't remember little Valerie Douglas. She used to scramble all over this ship 12 years ago."

"You don't mean that long-legged kid with th' pig-tails, Steve?" "Th' same, Mac, except I doubt very much if she still has those pig-tails. Must be quite a lady by now. A cute one she was, then, too."

Steve Hansen smiled softly. "Took her fishing out in the bay, once and she threw all my worms overboard because she was sorry for them. Before her mother took her east I promised she could come back some day and be my first mate for a trip or two."

"And this is it, eh? An' you're goin' through with it?" "Orders from Hank. Th' gal is th' star woman's sports writer for a big newspaper syndicate. Hank says she's dailym' around with a sea-farin' novel and decided she wanted to spend part of her vacation aboard th' 'Belle' to get some more atmosphere, as she calls it."

MacGregor snorted and Captain Steve continued. "But don't take all this too seriously, Mac. O' course you're still first mate. Th' gal's going to have a sorta honorary title. But the boys can amuse her by stringing along with any little things she wants done. See?"

"Yeah," Mac said mournfully. "I see, but I don't like. Neither will th' boys, I'm thinkin'." Captain Steve hitched up his belt. "It's gonna be your job to see that they do like—or there'll be a lot of cracked skulls around here."

Barney MacGregor muttered something under his breath and stalked off. Explaining this new situation to the rest of the boys wasn't quite to his liking and he didn't think his announcement would be well received.

It was 4 o'clock that afternoon when the taxi drew up at the dock and instinctively Steve Hansen knew Valerie Douglas had arrived. The cab drew away and the girl who stood with hands on hips looking up at the ship was slender, blond and, even from a distance of 60 feet, amazingly pretty. Two suitcases were at her feet.

"Captain Steve!" she hailed him. "Stevie, you old landlubber, is this the best welcome you have for me? C'mon down and haul up my duffie."

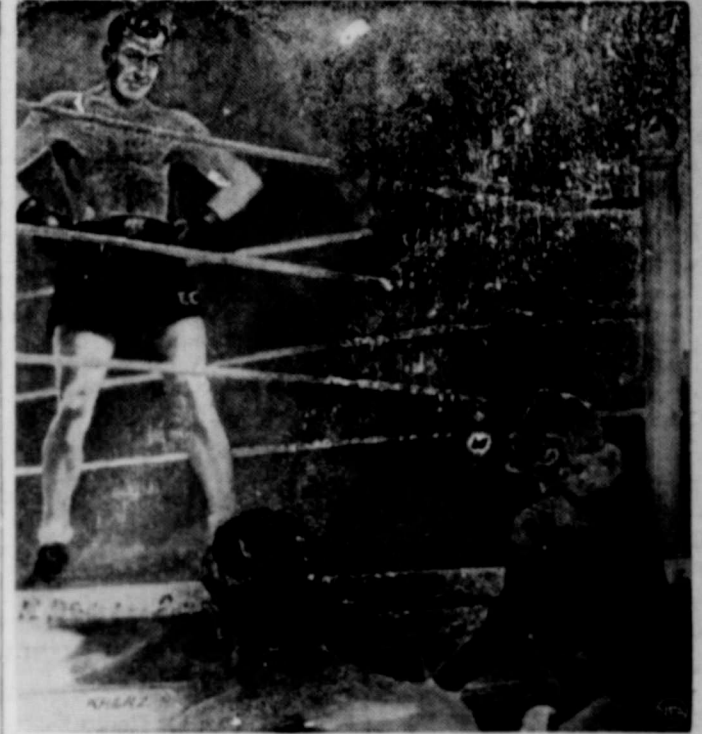
Steve Hansen's leathery face cracked. That little tyke... grown up like this. He could hardly believe it. And then a wrinkle popped into his eye.

"Lug it up yourself," he called down to her. "You're in the navy, now."

She laughed heartily at him, picked up her bags and hurried up the gangplank. Seconds later she threw her arms around his neck and gave him a big kiss.

He held her off at arm's length for a minute and shook his head. "Danged if I can hardly believe it. Little Val Douglas, all grown up and purtier'n a West Indies sunset."

"And just as bright," she twittered



Illustrated by Art Krenz

"He leaned over the ropes and laughed in my face. He didn't say anything... just laughed. I'm going to fix him for that."

coquettishly. "Where do I bunk, Captain Steve? I'd like to get into some different clothes."

"Good idea. You'll be in th' port cabin, aft. It's fresh scrubbed and waitin' for you."

When she joined him on deck a half hour later she was garbed in blue denim trousers, gray flannel shirt and heavy tan moccasins. Perched saucily on top her blond curls was a battered officer's hat.

He grinned, saluted her smartly and then led her over and sat her down on a hatch cover. "Now then, masey, you've got 12 years of your past to tell me about so let's have it."

She hooked an arm in his. "Gee, Captain Steve, I hardly know where to start. I'm a sports writer for World Syndicate, you know, and—"

Steve Hansen slapped his thigh as he interrupted. "Say, that reminds me. What's this about you feudin' with this box-fighter... what's his name? You know who I mean. It was in all th' papers a short spell back."

A shadow of a smile crossed her face. "Oh... I guess you mean Eddie Cavalier."

She clasped both hands around a knee. "He's a pugilistic snob. I told him so in a column I wrote. Told him his pants were too pretty, too, and I guess he didn't like it. Then one night at Madison Square Garden... the night he knocked out Tuffy Brostak... he leaned over the ropes and laughed in my face. He didn't say anything... just laughed. I'm going to fix him for that."

He looked at her keenly. "Well, he's close at hand if you want to get at it immediately like. I see by the papers he has a big fight here in Frisco in a couple weeks. Uh—I suppose you knew that, didn't you?"

"Look, Steve," she growled. "If you mean what I think you mean, let me tell you that it's strictly coincidence that he happens to be here just when I'm starting my vacation."

"(To Be Continued)

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OUT OUR WAY BY WILLIAMS



WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

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Society Notes

L. L. L. Union Meets Tuesday Evening

The L. L. L. Union of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday evening for a business session in the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Jackson.

The election of officers was held and the following were selected to serve for the six months period: president, Dan Milne; vice president, Velma Brown; secretary, Twyman Hale; group captain No. 1, Eunice Preslar; group captain No. 2, Mona Robinson; corresponding secretary, Thelma Acaff; treasurer, Eva K. Reese; daily Bible reading leader, Johnnie Young, and reporter, Ora Mae McGee.

The Union had grown to such proportions that a division was made at the meeting and the C. E.

Sonja Henie's Latest Film "Everything Happens at Night"



Robert Cummings and Ray Milland both have fallen for Sonja Henie in her latest picture, "Everything Happens at Night," which comes to the Arcadia Theatre Wednesday.

C. Union formed. This group is composed of the young married couples, and elected officers as follows: president, Bruce Harris; vice president, J. B. Ponder; secretary, Mrs. J. B. Ponder; treasurer, Mrs. James Erwin; group captain No. 1, Tom Fred Reese; group captain No. 2, Mrs. Forrest Webber; corresponding secretary, Wilmet Simpson; daily Bible readings leader, Mrs. Tom Fred Reese, and reporter, Mrs. Bruce Harris.

This Union will be divided into two groups and members of the groups are as follows: group No. 1, Tom Fred Reese, Bruce Harris, Wilmet Simpson, J. B. Ponder, Forrest Webber, and Mrs. Bruce Harris; group No. 2, Mrs. Forrest Webber, Mrs. Tom Fred Reese, Mrs. Wilmet Simpson, Mrs. James Erwin, Mrs. J. B. Ponder and James Erwin.

At the close of the business meetings refreshments were served and games played.

Legion Auxiliary Meets With Mrs. Taylor

The American Legion Auxiliary met Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Grace Taylor.

A short business meeting was held before the members joined in making gifts to be sent to the veteran's hospitals in Texas.

At the close of the evening refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. H. T. Schooley, J. D. McClister, Carrie Brady, Joe Todd, Con Hazard, Preston Barks, Ruth Reeves and Miss Sallie Redding.

The committee making arrangements consists of Mr. and Mrs. Warren, Mrs. Floyd Killingsworth and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Staton. Members planning to attend are requested to deliver a chicken to Killingsworth's store by 3 o'clock Friday afternoon.

All members are cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Hoyt Agnew is spending today in Cisco.

Mrs. Charlie Ford and Mrs. Jimmie Simpson are visiting in Fort Worth today.

Miss Gracie Hillard of Comanche is the guest of Mrs. E. R. Green.

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J. D. McClister left today for Milledgeville, Ga.

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Ranger Chapter Of FFA Renews Charter for Year

A. J. Spangler, Future Farmers of America advisor for Area 4, has issued the following letter advocating renewal of the Ranger Chapter of FFA, after examining the application:

"I have carefully examined the application of the Ranger High School Chapter of the F. F. A. for a renewal of its charter for the year 1939-40 school year ending July 1, 1940. I am happy to advise you that I have approved the same and have forwarded a copy to Mr. J. B. Rutland, State Advisor of the Future Farmers of America, Austin, Texas.

"There are many outstanding features of this application. I would like to call your attention to a few of them which I think makes this chapter, under the leadership of C. H. Bell, Vocational Agriculture teacher in the Ranger High School, one of the strong chapters of Area 4.

"Secretary James Hunt reports a chapter membership of 61 farm boys which gives the chapter a rating of 100 per cent of all boys enrolled in vocational agriculture in the department as being active members of the FFA Chapter. In checking over program of work submitted for the chapter, I find that supervised practice in each boys long time farming program on his home farm has been well taken care of as well as the FFA activities of the chapter. Some of these activity highlights are as follows:

Annual Father-and-Son Banquet, parliamentary procedure has been taught to each member of the chapter, each member has had opportunity to serve as a leader on some special committee, each item of business is under the direct supervision of a committee with no other responsibility, the business of the chapter is carried in a true democratic manner, and each and every member feels that the success of the entire program depends upon his doing the job assigned to him by President Clarence Horn, who serves as an ex-officio member of all committees and leads them to carry out the plans set up.

"If these 61 Future Farmers under the leadership of Mr. Bell, President Horn and Secretary Hunt carry out their plans I am sure that you will class this department of vocational agriculture as one of the best in the Area.

"Very truly yours,
"A. J. Spangler,
"FFA Advisor, Area 4."

Oysterman Has a Pelican for a Pet

AUSTIN, Tex.—A rarity in pets are pelicans, but Dolf Rogers, veteran Galveston oysterman, has one which is gaining considerable renown. The ungainly white bird was rescued by Rogers during the last hunting season after being wounded by shotgun pellets.

Nursed back to health, the bird, while free to go whenever it chooses, stays rather close to Rogers' home on the Gulf near Galveston. The bird is probably one of the most unusual watchdogs in the United States. Whenever it gets aboard Rogers' boat no one but the owner can come on board.

The bird has been photographed by a newsreel company and even Hollywood is interested in the unusual pet. However, Rogers is worried concerning the well being of the pelican. Since he saved it last fall he has treated it again for gunshot wounds and has upon four occasions removed fish hooks from its body and legs. Fishermen have thrown the hooks at it in an attempt to catch the big-billed bird.

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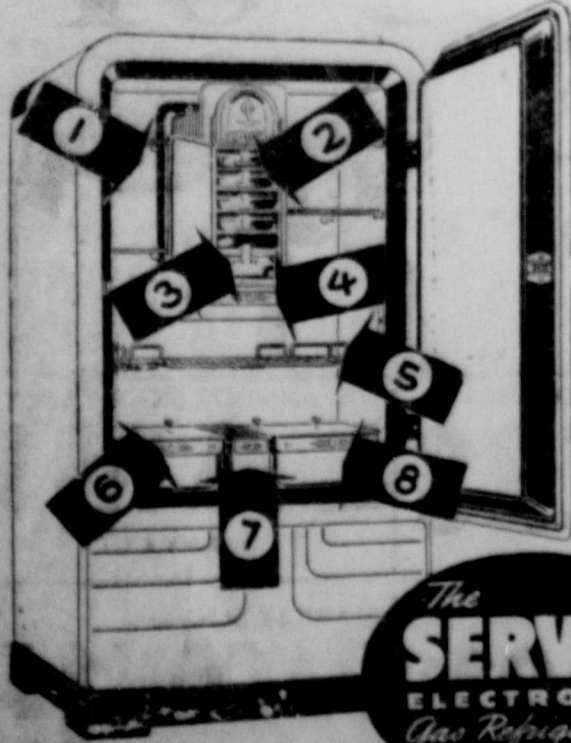
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LARGE WIENERS Per Pound 12c

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DRIED PRUNES 2 Pounds 9c	RICE 2 Pound Box 11c
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White Squash	CARROTS 2 Bunches 5c
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