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Well... I Dunno, But...

Heard two men discussing "felt hat day" which they claim is today. Of course, one was a merchant with felt hats to sell and no doubt he wanted to see the straw hat grabbing get started.

So we'll help him all we can and from here on boys, if you want to save that straw hat, you'd better leave it at home. Didn't hear of any straw lid casualties today, however.

In the conversation this morning, one mentioned that of all the special "days" that have been started in this country, he thought one that is definitely headed for the graveyard is Gene Howe's "Mother-in-Law Day." We think mothers-in-law have taken their share of the ribbing. After all they're somebody's mother or they wouldn't be a mother-in-law. Or maybe we're just thinking about our own future.

A superstition questionnaire in the mail this morning reminded us that we have a Friday the 13th next week and some kind of society for the prevention of superstitions and fear wants to know if we're subject to such social superstitions as having a black cat cross your path; economic superstitions as accepting a two dollar bill; meteorological superstitions as bringing on ants to bring rain; matrimonial superstitions as believing that a girl who sings while she eats will marry a cross-eyed man; hygienic superstitions, that rubbing a gold ring on a sty will make it disappear; pediatric superstitions, bad luck to cut a baby's fingernails before its sixth month; gastronomic superstitions, that if you don't take the last bite of a meal you'll remain single and domestic; do you prepare for company when a knife accidentally falls on the floor.

If you can deny belief in these superstitions and 24 others of the society says that you are unaffair, possessed with intelligence, confidence and common sense. If you're only partially fearful of them or above, there's hope for you but if you are subject to the majority of fears, you're lost and they question your intelligence.

If you're worried about the state of your superstitions, we'll be glad to furnish you with the complete quiz.

We sure never did think that anything good could come of the hot, dry months of July and August but Mrs. C. E. Brock and her brother, A. S. Davenport, of 812 West Main street have proved us too skeptical.

The latter part of July a peach tree in their yard produced a fine crop of luscious peaches. That crop has been gone about three weeks and now the second crop is beginning to ripen on the tree. Mrs. Brock says that the second crop appeared without first blooming.

Mrs. Brock and her brother recently moved here from San Antonio and thoroughly awed by the productive wonders of West Texas.

Sometimes when we feel the worst, things strike us as being the funniest. Recently when stricken with a painful crick, it was painfully funny, to see a sympathizer, unconsciously going through stiff motions just like we were and with a look of deep concern on the face. And we do mean "painfully funny" because we laughed and heard that the crick or catch hurt worse.

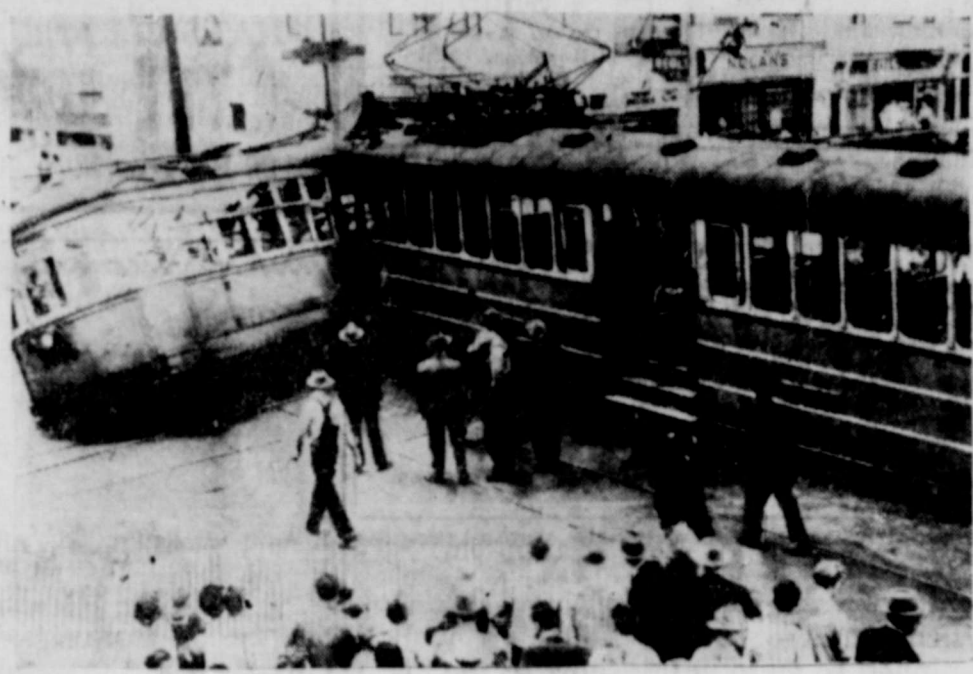
Another thing that always strikes us as funny, is to see the facial contortions of a man taking glue out of a big jar and putting it in a paste pot for his desk. It always reminds us of the expression, "grinning like a cat eating paste," because the working of the face, we think, would look very much like a cat working over the paste.

A man we know holds steadfastly to two predictions that he makes from personal observations over a long period of time. One is that the first natural fall cool period comes between September 9th and 11th and the other is that fall is really here when the butterflies start their southward flight.

And we've watched it so long and heard it so much that we're almost convinced that he's right.

There are now 3,000,000 electrical farms and there will probably be 5,000,000 by 1950.

## Twenty-Five Injured In Trolley Crash



Twenty-five persons were treated for injuries in Oakland, Calif., when a San Francisco-Oakland bridge train crashed into a trolley in downtown Oakland. The street car was almost broken in half when the heavy six-car electric train struck it broadside. (NEA Telephoto).

## U.S. Blocks Delay In UN Council Meeting

### NEW RETAIL MEAT PRICES ANNOUNCED

WASHINGTON (UP)—The OPA today announced new retail meat ceilings averaging 3 3/4 cents a pound higher than those of June 30.

The new ceilings will go into effect Tuesday, instead of Monday as previously planned. This will give OPA another day to distribute new meat price posters to butchers. There has not been any price control on meat since June 30.

The average increase on these cuts of beef for which prices were raised is eight cents a pound.

Not all cuts of beef were being increased in price, however. The average price increase for a 1 lb beef is only about three cents a pound, according to OPA.

OPA increased the price of 95 per cent of all retail lamb and mutton cuts. The new lamb prices average 10 cents a pound higher than June 30 prices. Mutton is about four cents a pound higher.

Increases on the better pork cuts average seven to eight cents a pound higher here again, and a lot of pork is increased, so that OPA placed the average increase for all pork at about four cents.

Retail ceilings on lard will be 5 1/2 cents a pound higher than the June 30 ceilings.

Veal cuts and sausage are returned to June 30 ceilings.

OPA said the new ceilings will go into effect Monday, as planned.

### Little 'UNs, Big 'Uns Problem To Senator Jones

AUSTIN, Tex. (UP)—Sen. Charley Jones of Bonham has quite a puzzle on hand. The Fannin County Senator was in Austin recently planning attractions for the fair to be held in his home town the first week of October.

Senator Jones thought it would be a good idea to have the state's biggest and tiniest public servants in the parade which will open the celebration.

So he invited 57-inch-tall Wayland Gallaway of the Secretary of State's Department to represent the "little 'uns" and Sen. Sterling Parrish of Lubbock as representative of the "big 'uns."

Since making those selections he has been challenged by friends of Gus Strauss of Hallettsville, incoming member of the Texas Senate. They claim Strauss outweighs Parrish.

Strauss recently was asked about his weight and explained it "this way."

He was attending a fair where a blindfolded man was offering to guess the weight of any person who stepped on the scales, merely by keeping a finger on the scales and feeling how much they moved.

Strauss stepped on the scales. "Hold on. Only one at a time," objected the blindfolded man.

### Troop Supply Lines Paralyzed By Seamen Strike

WASHINGTON (UP)—The War Department said today it's supply lines to American troops overseas have been paralyzed by the nation's worst maritime strike.

Meanwhile, Secretary of Labor Lewis B. Schwellenbach held labor conferences on the strike with top administration advisers at the White House. The situation confronted President Truman with the question of whether to call on the armed forces to man troop supply and foreign relief ships.

SEEKS SUGAR WAGE RAISE—NEW ORLEANS (UP)—West coast labor leader Harry Bridges today announced plans to unite world sugar workers in a wage-raising movement which he intimated may bring a complete sugar strike sometime in the future.

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### A&M COLLEGE BUYS BIG LIST SURPLUS GOODS

COLLEGE STATION, Tex. (UP)—Texas A&M College officials announced today the acquisition of government surplus instructional property valued at over \$350,000.

The equipment will be used for maintenance of college property and in laboratories and class rooms. Included in the list of acquired property were such items as band instruments for the Argie Band, water heaters, furniture and construction machinery for veterans' housing units on the campus, office fixtures, grounds maintenance equipment, tractors and other implements for the School of Agriculture, electrical and mechanical engineering laboratory and shop equipment, and chemical laboratory equipment and supplies.

Also purchased recently were thousands of dinner plates, cups, silverware and kitchenware for the Texas A&M College mess halls and the Texas Annex at Bryan Army Airfield.

Most expensive individual items bought were a gear generating machine for the mechanical engineering shops originally valued at approximately \$25,000, and a Sperry gyro stabilizer turret, which originally cost \$20,000, for the electrical engineering department.

State institutions may purchase surplus property on priority, after Federal agencies and veterans' officials explained.

CABINET CRISIS—SANTIAGO, Chile (UP)—A cabinet crisis was created today when acting President Alfredo Dubalce accepted the resignations of four Socialist ministers.

### U. S. VULNERABLE FROM ARCTIC, AAF HAS WARNED

By William F. McMenamin United Press Staff Correspondent WASHINGTON (UP)—America is vulnerable to attack from Europe or Asia over the polar ice cap, the nation's new frontier in the air age, the Army Air Forces says in an official publication.

The North Pole is in the center of the great land masses of Europe, Asia and America, the AAF said, and the land masses contain the great industrial areas of the world. The analysis points out that most of the nations that have ever participated in a great war, or have the industrial potential to wage one, lie above 30 degrees north latitude.

That was emphasized in 1937 when the Soviets made two trans-polar flights from Moscow to Vancouver Barracks, Wash., and to San Jacinto, Calif. The route from Tokyo to Chicago is 2,700 miles closer via the North Pole. "Similar comparisons will show the vulnerability of almost all strategic areas in the world to attack by polar-based aircraft," the AAF said.

### State Employees To Get Many Nov. Holidays

AUSTIN, Tex. (UP)—November is a short month but Texas state employees will get more holidays in it than in any other part of the year, except for the Christmas-New Year period.

First week of November will start off with a pair of holidays caused by elections. Under state law employees are entitled to a day off for statewide elections. On Nov. 5 there will be the general election of state officials and a vote on three proposed Constitutional Amendments. Two days later (thanks to a mistake of the legislators) there will be another holiday for the vote on a fourth proposed amendment to the state constitution.

Four days later a state employee is privileged to stay home or go fishing because it will be Armistice Day, another state holiday. To top them off will be the Thanksgiving Day holiday on Nov. 28.

### Mrs. Marquardt Is New County H-D Agent

Mrs. Helen Marquardt, assistant county home demonstration agent will succeed Miss Myra Tankersley as Eastland County Home Demonstration Agent, September 15th. Miss Tankersley has been transferred to Taylor County as demonstration agent, succeeding Miss Grace Patterson, who resigned to be married.

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### CITED FOR WORK AS CORRESPONDENT

Milburn McCarty, former Eastland resident and who now is an advertising executive in New York City, was cited by Marine General A. A. Vandegrift recently for his work as a Marine Corps combat correspondent on Okinawa.

The commendation mentioned the work of McCarty, then a second lieutenant, in "courageously incurring many risks rather than accept second-hand accounts of battle action." The commendation recited that McCarty accompanied assault troops in amphibious operations against Naha airfield and the Oroku Peninsula, Okinawa, is vice president of Douglas Leigh, Inc., in New York.

Machinery is the cause of 30 per cent of all fatal farm work accidents.

### OVER 100 MUST BE APPROVED FOR OFFICE

AUSTIN, Tex. (UP)—More than 100 appointees named by Gov. Coke R. Stevenson since the regular session of the late state legislature will have to run the gauntlet of the Senate of the 50th Legislature to get confirmation in their jobs.

The State Supreme Court Friday refused a rehearing in the solo session case in which it held that the session held by Senators in January 1946 at which the appointments were considered was entirely invalid.

Also necessary invalid was that session's failure to confirm Harry Brenge Crozier, personal and political friend of Governor Stevenson.

Now names of all must go to next January's session. The Senators of the 49th Legislature had planned to meet again the 16th of this month.

Purpose of the September 16th session was to pass upon appointments made by Gov. Coke R. Stevenson since the former solo session when the Senators scrutinized the list and approved all but Crozier for Chairman of the Texas Unemployment-Compensation Commission.

Since then there have been few appointments subject to Senate confirmation. The few include Mrs. Maureen Moore, State Labor Commissioner; Leonard Carleton and L. H. Flewellen, Member of the Industrial Accident Board; Mrs. Margaret Greenwood, Chairman of the State Board of Cosmetology and Asst. Adj. Gen. William H. Martin.

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### Low Livestock Supplies Lays Off Workers

CHICAGO (UP)—Thousands of workers were laid off at packing plants across the country today as the shipment of cattle and hogs to market dwindled to the lowest point in history.

Meat industry spokesmen predicted that the pinch of the renewed meat shortage would be felt by consumers next week. By the end of the week, they predicted, housewives will be standing in line again at their neighborhood butcher shops.

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### Heirens Attempts Suicide



Just a few hours before William Heirens, 17, was to appear in court to hear himself sentenced for three slayings, he tied a sheet to a bar of his Chicago jail cell, twisted it around his neck and attempted suicide. Warden Frank G. Sain examines the sheet from which Heirens was cut down. (NEA Telephoto).

### RUSSIA ASKED DELAY OF MEET FROM SEPT. 23 OPENING DATE

PARIS (UP)—The United States tonight decried the foreign ministers council by holding out alone against postponement of the United Nation's General Assembly meeting now scheduled for Sept. 23.

As a result of American insistence that the meeting be held at the scheduled time despite the request of Russia for a delay, the ministers broke up in a deadlock. The Foreign Ministers Council met today in a "Big Five" session in an effort to seek agreement on the United Nations General Assembly meeting date.

Chinese Foreign Minister Wang Shih-Chieh attended the council session for the first time since last September's meeting in London.

The decision to call today's meeting despite the absence in Germany of Secretary of State James F. Byrnes was made this morning when Russian Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov asked French Premier Georges Bidault to summon the council to discuss urgently whether the General Assembly meeting should be held on Sept. 23 in New York City or be postponed.

Two previous meetings of the council had failed to reach agreement.

Byrnes' place was taken by Assistant Secretary of State James C. Dunn, who was accompanied by Ambassador Jefferson Caffery and Samuel Riebs of the state department.

### Heirens Sends His Advice To U. S. Youths

CHICAGO (UP)—William Heirens, 17, speaking from the bitter experience that will imprison him for life, sent this message today to other youths:

"Confide in your parents or those close to you."

Heirens, sentenced to three terms of life imprisonment for three murders, said in an interview that he never learned to confide in his own parents.

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**Maybe Thieves Were Deaf**  
VANCOUVER, B. C. (UP) — Thieves who entered St. James Church had an odd taste in loot. They took four receivers provided in the church to aid the deaf.

### TOWER'S DOUBLE FEATURE



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**EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill. (UP)**—Water on the outside didn't bother tipplers here. Undetected by floating debris, tavern regulars braved waist-deep water to carry

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### NEWS FROM Cheaney

Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Laeffler of Coffeyville, Kansas are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Freeman.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Blackwell and baby, Gaynell, spent last week in Roby visiting Mrs. Blackwell's parents.  
Dave Love spent last week visiting in Austin with a buddy, that

he spent twenty-six months with in New California.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Howe of Odessa were week-end guests in the home of Mrs. Hise's Mother, Mrs. J. B. Griffith.

Mrs. Phyllis Clemmer of Abilene spent Tuesday in the home of her aunt, Mrs. B. B. Freeman.

Willis Weekes and family of Comanche spent Wednesday visiting in Cheaney.

Jim Blackwell of the Cross Roads community, father of Curtis Blackwell, has been seriously ill, but is improving.

Mary Farrell of Fort Worth is at home in Cheaney recuperating after having a tonsillectomy in a Ft. Worth Hospital last week.

Mrs. Edd Dean of Alice and her son, Mr. James Dean, and wife of

Waco visited in Cheaney Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Freeman and Mrs. A. H. Dean transacted business in Eastland Tuesday.

Mrs. John Love entertained with a birthday dinner in her home Wednesday for Mrs. Henry Perrin, Miss Bettie Tucker, Mrs. Rosa Miller and Ronnie Love. 20 guests were present.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Freeman and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Dean spent Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weekes a n d family, celebrating the 40th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Weekes.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Howard transacted business in Ranger Tuesday.

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### 2 Former Range Residents Married

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Imogene Minton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Minton of Conway, Arkansas, to Mr. Joe Holt of Midland, son of Mrs. J. H. Holt of Sherman.

The ceremony was performed Tuesday afternoon, September 3rd at 5:00 o'clock in St. Matthew's Episcopal Cathedral in Dallas with Bishop Harry T. Moore reading the ceremony.

The wedding was attended by members of the two families and by Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Morris of Ranger.

Mrs. Holt formerly was head of the fine Arts Department of Ranger Junior College and Mr. Holt was for a number of years associated with the West Texas Clinic as laboratory technician.

They will make their home in Midland where Mr. Holt is connected with a clinic.

### PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Corman Merton have as their guests Mrs. Merton's sister, Mrs. C. H. Keck and Mr. Keck of Knox City.

Miss Caroline Robinson left for Temple today where she will take up her duties as teacher.

Mrs. J. R. McLaughlin left Thursday for a visit with relatives in Chicago. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Jessie Pickell of Tulsa, Oklahoma, who has been the guest of the McLaughlins during the summer.

John Kindle of Dallas is transacting business in Ranger.

Mrs. Ada Gordon spent Friday in Abilene transacting business.

Joe Walker of Slaton is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Walker.

Mrs. C. A. Middleton of Corsicana, Mrs. J. C. Dolson of Colledge, and Mrs. W. C. McKinney of Alpine have returned to their homes after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Myers and Mrs. Leola Martin. The three are nieces of Mr. Myers.

### Hospital News

HOSPITAL NEWS dmb  
U. F. Casey of Eastland is a patient in the Ranger General Hospital.

Miss Vivian Glenn underwent a tonsillectomy in the Ranger General Hospital this morning.

Mrs. Ruth Bishop, who was a surgical patient in the Ranger General Hospital, has been dismissed.

Mrs. Fanny Ella Childress of Cisco is a medical patient in the Ranger General Hospital.

Miss Nettie Marjorie Seay is a surgical patient in the Ranger General Hospital.

Miss Lila Anne Love



Miss Lila Anne Love, above, daughter of W. V. Love, County Clerk and granddaughter of Mrs. Minnie Love, of Eastland, graduated September 3rd at Harris Memorial Methodist Hospital School of Nursing in Fort Worth. The graduation exercises were at the First Methodist Church, Fort Worth. Miss Love formerly made her home in Ranger.

### NEWS FROM EASTLAND

Mrs. Joe Stephen and sons, Stanley and Rodney spent last week in Dallas visiting Mrs. F. M. Jones and family.

Mrs. Joe Stephen spent Monday and Tuesday in Anson visiting her sister, Mrs. A. V. Womack.

Miss Patsy Sparks will leave for Lubbock Monday, where she will attend Texas Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Beard returned Tuesday from Abilene, where they were joined by their daughter, Mrs. George Bennett, of Midland, Mr. Bennett and George Ann. They attended the ball game between Pampa and Abilene.

Bob Harrison, son of Mrs. R. H. Harrison, is employed with the Highway Department. He hopes to return to school another year.

Mrs. Lila Crone, Worth Matron of the Eastern Star, announces an initiation Monday, 8 p.m. at the Masonic Temple.

Mrs. Obera Todd and son, Bobby have moved to Abilene. Mrs. Todd is employed with the J. C. Penney Store and Bobby will attend Hardin-Simmons University. Leonard Todd, oldest son of Mrs. Todd, plans attending Simmons.

Jack Burkhead, of Poyte, visited his mother, Mrs. Eunice Burkhead and his sister, Mrs. W. M. Jessop this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Strickland residing in Breckenridge several years, have sold their home in Breckenridge, and have returned to Eastland and at present are living at the Alhambra Hotel.

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### Olden

#### NEWS FROM

OLDEN, Tex. Sept. 3—Homer Bond and family of Abilene, visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bond and family over the week end.

Mrs. Clara Simer left Friday of last week for her school in El Paso.

Mrs. Jon Blackwell and her daughter, Beira with Miss Echols, of the Staff community were guests of the Lassiter and were visitors at the Church of Christ Sunday.

Miss Peggy Laudreth returned

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