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PRICE FIVE CENTS No. 34



Fireman: "The record for sliding down a pole in our fire house was three seconds. I did it in two seconds."
Friend: "No kidding?"
Fireman: "No pole."

According to word received by his parents Mr. and Mrs. Don Baker, Col. Robert Butler, serving with the U. S. armed forces over in Korea and who was seriously injured in an accident in an overseas combat area, is showing "normal improvement" in an Army hospital in Osaka, Japan. Mrs. Baker also reports that she has received a letter from her soldier son in which he states that he is being well taken care of in the hospital. Col. Butler is reported in a cist from his waist to his neck with only his left arm free. Details regarding the accident in which he was injured are not yet known. We are glad to report, however, that the Ranger lad is doing nicely. . . . Up in Salem, N. H., the other day when the heat reached 90 degrees, a minister cancelled his sermon, advised his congregation: "Just remember that the place down below is much hotter than up here, and that's where you will get your don't believe." . . . Big S. . . . out traveling over the Southeastern United States for Social Science Lab, is due to return to Ranger about August 1, reports his boss, A. W. Warford. At last word, big Sam was in Gwinna. We'll be mighty happy to see Sammy and so will many many of his friends who've been missing the big guy. . . . The farmer's share of every dollar you spend for food is about 60 cents, according to the New York State Agricultural College at Cornell University. . . . Members of the Ranger County Club are reminding that there'll be a dinner and business meeting out at the club tonight. Serving of dinner will begin promptly at 7:30 o'clock. . . . Bad video reception turned much better during the 60th spell. Reception Monday night was excellent. . . . A friend of ours says he knows a woman who has every other tooth in the top of her mouth missing. Her husband has every other tooth in the bottom of his mouth missing. And when they kiss they sound like two freight cars coupling up. . . . Simple economic theory: The dollar doesn't need to go further half as much as it needs to come quicker. . . . Be careful! One out of every 17 persons in the United States suffered a disabling injury last year. . . . Four Rangerrites who are associated with the coming 8th annual Ranger Rodeo to be staged here next week—on July 22-23-24-25—attended the Coleman Rodeo Saturday night. The party included Beverly Dudley Jr., A. D. Kitchen, Morris Campbell and Pat Moseley. Campbell said the announcer for the Coleman show really plugged the Ranger event. . . . The most popular composer in America last year was Irving Berlin whose songs were performed commercially 600,000 times, earning him \$600,000. How'd you like to be a song writer? . . . Bertha Goforth, one of the sole owners and operators of Jones Dry Cleaners (Allen Jones is her partner), is attending summer school this summer at Texas Christian over in Fort Worth. She attends classes 8:30 a. m. Drives back and forth each day. . . . Why is it that invariably a good pitcher can't hit the side of a barn? Before Jerry Wharton, the American Legion hurler, got to working steadily on the mound and spent most of his innings in the orchard, his slugging was worthy of plenty of extra mention. But, as his pitching effectiveness increased, his batting average dropped. Last night, for instance, he shutout the Eastland Rockets 6-0, allowing only three scattered hits. At bat three times he failed to get a hit. . . . Trick riding, featuring Mrs. Frank Marium, one of the nation's top performers, had been added as one of the special acts for the 1953 Ranger Rodeo next week. . . . Rev. Ralph Perkins, pastor of Ranger's First Baptist Church, and the missus and their youngsters are now out in sunny Cal enjoying a vacation. They stopped off in Arizona enroute, postcarded friends from there. The popular pastor and his family are due back in Ranger this

Eastlanders To Attend Bureau Meet At A&M

Four delegates and three alternates have been named to represent the Eastland County Farm Bureau at the annual short course Farm Bureau Institute convention at Texas A&M College, College Station, on August 26. It has been announced.

The delegates and alternates were named during a session of the directors of the county unit Thursday night at Eastland. Named as delegates to the state convention were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Coates of Cisco, Jimmy Sparks of Desdemona and Mrs. Thelbert Jones of Ranger.

The alternates: Ed Harrison of Gorman and John Loye and Mrs. Bill Tucker of Cheaney.

Others planning to attend the statewide meeting are Ray Morris of Platwood, secretary-treasurer of the county farm bureau organization, and Mrs. John Love of Cheaney, service agent for the county group.

The Eastland Counties will attend classes in philosophy, policy development, membership, county and community groups and public information during the four-day training session of county leaders.

Prominent speakers and teachers in their field have been secured for the class sessions and recreationals will have its place on the agenda, leaders said.

'Care of Sick' Classes Taught By The Red Cross

Mrs. Bill Tucker, Home Nursing Chairman of the Eastland County Chapter of the American Red Cross announced today that the second class in "Care of the Sick" has been completed.

The class was taught by Miss Loretta Morris, authorized instructor. This was the first class to be held at night for business women in this chapter during recent years.

The following ladies successfully completed the course and received their certificates: Mrs. Hattie E. Tate and Mrs. Horace Lane of Desdemona; Mrs. A. K. Garrett, Myrtle Walker, Charles Burkett and A. V. Edwards, all of Eastland.

State Drought Aid Is Studied In State Capital

Atty. Gen. John Ben Sheppard said today his entire staff is searching for legal possibilities of state aid for drought-stricken Texas areas.

The problem is receiving top priority over all other business, he said.

He promised a memorandum of the staff's findings to the governor within 72 hours.

The move is a follow-up on the state-aid suggestions of President Eisenhower's drought conference in Amarillo Friday, Sheppard said.

Tim Spurriers Attend Course In Minneapolis

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Spurriers, operators of the Macio Hearing Service in Eastland, recently returned from Minneapolis, where they enjoyed an eight-day post-graduate course in audiometric testing and the fitting of hearing aids.

This school is held at the Macio Laboratories in Minneapolis each year, for the purpose of acquainting their distributors over the nation with the most recent improvements in scientific methods in relieving sufferers of hearing impairment and hearing loss.



HAPPY COUPLE—Band leader Eddie O'Neal and his bride, the former Pat King of Houston, smile happily following their marriage at St. James Episcopal Church in Chicago. Pat is sister of Sheppard (Abdullah) King, Texas oil heir who married Egyptian belly dancer Samia Gamal.

Mrs. Reese Is Buried Today

The body of Mrs. Dennis J. Reese of Irving, though former resident of this county, passed through Eastland Monday enroute to the Flatwood cemetery.

New Discovery Is Announced For Breck Area

The Eastland County oil front was very quiet over the week end with no new locations or completions reported.

However, discovery of a new field in nearby Stephens County and a new location and a completion for the Palo Pinto County area were announced late Monday.

Woodson Oil Co. (formerly Novi Equipment Co.) No. 1 Hardin-Simmons, Section 1222, TE&L Survey, wildcat four miles north-west of Breckenridge, Stephens County, has been completed as a 1,800-foot wildcat in Palo Pinto County 11 miles west of Grafton, 330 feet from the north and 3,000 feet from the east lines of Peter Miller Survey, A-312.

Palo Pinto Oil & Gas Corp. No. 18 Wm. Sanders, Section 43, Block 2, T&P Survey, 11 miles north of Strawn, has been completed for 18 barrels of 38 gravity oil per day on pump from open hole at 1,289-1,303 feet.

8 Candidates Announced For Queen's Contest

Several Eastland County girls have already been nominated to represent communities in the forthcoming Queen's Contest of the Eastland County Farm Bureau to be staged in Eastland on Aug. 7 during the annual Horned Toad Derby, it was announced today.

Details of the big event the being worked out by a special Queen's contest committee comprised of Mrs. J. C. Coates, Mrs. Bill Tucker, Mrs. Jolene Eison, Mrs. Bill Clinton and Mrs. Ray Bullock.

Coronation ceremonies will be staged on the south portal of the Eastland County courthouse on Friday evening, August 7.

Judges to select the winner will base their final choices on appearance, poise and personality. All contestants will wear formal gowns and carry bouquets.

Those attending included Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hallmark and daughter, Stephenville; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Little and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hallmark, Flatwood; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hallmark and Linda of Carbon; Grover Hallmark, Carbon; Ruth Beatty, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wood, Mr. and Mrs. William Higgs, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Harling and son, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hallmark, all of Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Lasater, Flatwood; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Holland, Clarendon; Ora Holland Whitfield, Hedley; Nora Holland Terathers, Lela Lake; Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hageman, Cisco; Mrs. Edna Hillbreth and son, Mark, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boland and Mrs. Roy Shannon, Throckmorton; Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Green, Batum, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Smith, Odessa, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ham, Wichita Falls.

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Last Rites For Mrs. Jacobs, 70, This Afternoon

Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Thomas Funeral Home Chapel in Cisco for Mrs. Calvin Jacobs, 70-year-old resident of Cisco for half a century, who died early Sunday morning at her home.

Rev. E. H. Lightfoot, pastor of Cisco's First Methodist Church, will officiate, assisted by Mrs. Jacobs' nephews, Rev. C. O. Boatman of San Antonio.

Interment will be in Oakwood Cemetery.

Nephews of the deceased will act as pallbearers.

She was born in Comanche County Sept. 22, 1882. The former Jenetta Belle Boatman, she moved to the Cisco area when a child. She was married to Calvin Jacobs here Jan. 4, 1904.

Survivors are her husband; two sons, Orbie Dee Jacobs of Cisco and Frank Jacobs of Shreveport, La.; and one granddaughter, Mrs. Bill Jamison of Odessa.

Bobby Clark Is On Leave From U. S. Navy Duty

Bobby Lee Clark, boatswain mate first class serving aboard the Navy's USS Toledo, is in Ranger enjoying a 30-day leave.

Clark, who has been in the armed forces for 14 years, has been stationed aboard the Toledo for the past five years.

He has been on three tours of duty and following expiration of his present leave, he expects to return to Korean waters.

The boatswain is the son of Mrs. Eula N. Clark of Ranger.

Clark has 11 ribbons—Presidential Unit Citation of Republic of Korea, Navy Commendation, Navy Unit Commendation, Good Conduct, Asiatic Pacific Theatre, World War II Victory Medal, Navy Occupation Medal, China Service one star, Korean Medal six battle stars, and United Nations Medal.

His mother's residence at 1016 Vitalious Street, Ranger.

Capt. Paul Flynn Plans Special Reserve Training

Captain Paul T. Flynn, 101 S. Ammerman, is the first Eastland air force reservist to take two weeks summer training with the 807th Pilot Training Wing based at Hensley Field, Grand Prairie, beginning July 19th. Training will take place at Hensley Field and Eagle Mountain Lake airport.

Captain Flynn will join with Texans from 70 other north Texas communities to participate in a tightly packed fifteen-day training schedule.

According to Colonel Jerry W. Davidson, Fort Worth, wing commander, reserve pilots will fly three shifts from morning until midnight as they practice transition, night, and instrument flying.

Non-flying members of the Wing face a rugged snap to sundown schedule of classroom and on-the-job training.

The two weeks training period, first for the 807th, affords its members a chance to celebrate the Wing's first anniversary.

Shows Fall In Scattered Areas

Sunday afternoon's showers were widely scattered over Eastland county, though the precipitation was light everywhere.

East of Ranger a fair shower of rain fell, while Eastland got only a light shower. Mangan remained dry, though a good shower fell between the two points. To say the least, showers were scattered and will offer very little relief.

Family Reunion Held on Sunday

The Hallmark-Ramsey family reunion was held in City Park in Eastland on Sunday, July 12, with many members of the families from various Texas points present. This is an annual affair, and held on the second Sunday in July.

Those attending included Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hallmark and daughter, Stephenville; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Little and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hallmark, Flatwood; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hallmark and Linda of Carbon; Grover Hallmark, Carbon; Ruth Beatty, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wood, Mr. and Mrs. William Higgs, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Harling and son, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hallmark, all of Eastland.

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Rangerite Pitches Shutout—

Wildcats Claw Rockets, 6-0

Jerry Wharton, young Ranger southpaw hurler, fanned 15 batters and gave up but three scattered hits to lead his mates of the Ranger Wildcats to an impressive 6 to 0 shutout over Don Fierman's Rockets of Eastland in a 7-inning diamond duel played in Ranger Monday night.

Wharton, in his most impressive mound appearance of the season, gave up only four bases on balls.

Smith, pitching for the Eastlanders, also threw a bang-up game, despite the loss. His change of pace especially was impressive. Smith struck out 13 Ranger batters, yielded but two bases on balls. He was touched for eight hits.

The Rockets were charged with 3 errors, and the Wildcats committed only 2 fielding miscues.

Both pitchers went all the way. Ranger runs crossed the plate in the first, fourth, fifth and sixth frames.

The Wildcat win began stacking in the bottom of the initial inning. Short Stop Bill Herrington, first up, singled, David Wharton drew a free pass to first. Third Baseman Larry Pruitt and Pitcher-Wharton fanned, and then Herrington jogged home on a passed ball. Second Baseman Paul Hines was out on a grounder, second to first, to end the inning.

In the bottom of the fourth frame Hines got to first on a walk, and then Royce Phillips rapped out a three-bagger over center to score Hines. Phillips was one of the top timber-swingers of the night, batting a perfect 1.000. He got three hits in three trips to the plate.

A double into right center field by Pruitt in the fifth scored Herrington for the Wildcats' third run. Herrington, leading off, had opened with a single.

In the three-run sixth, Hines got to first on a slider through pitcher's box. He streaked to second on a single by Phillips. Jim Rodgers, first baseman, singled, left-fielder Clifford Estes singled, scoring Phillips. Herrington came up to bat. Rodgers stole third, and then scored the final run on a passed ball.

The Ranger nine will be in action again Friday night here when they collide with the rugged Goldsmiths Blues on the local diamond at 8 p. m.

Browning Rites Pending Today In California

Funeral services were reported as pending in California today for Henry Browning, 62-year-old Firebaugh, Calif. resident and son of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Browning, 908 Vitalious Street, Ranger.

Mr. Browning, who was born near Desdemona on July 3, 1891, died in a California hospital Sunday night and a half day after having been critically injured in an automobile accident.

He never regained consciousness.

A brother, Leander Browning of North Cowden, Tex., and three sisters, Mrs. Nancy Slater of Crane, Mrs. Bena Ora Thomas of Mairpo, N. M. and Marnie Belle Elrod of Snyder, already are in California for the final rites.

Other survivors include two sons, Herman Browning of Bell Flower, Calif., and Mallory Browning, serving with the U. S. armed forces in Korea; three daughters, Etoria of New York and Marcella and Daphney of Bell Flower, Calif.; and his parents of Ranger.

Mr. Browning has been a resident of the Ranger area until about 20 years ago when he moved to Firebaugh.

He and the former Miss Booie Ainsworth, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Clark Ainsworth, late pioneer Eastland County residents, were united in marriage in 1913. Mrs. Browning died in 1918, leaving their son, Herman Browning. Later Mr. Browning married Miss Allene Kelley of Ranger, and one son and three daughters were born to this union.

252 Carloads Grain Ordered By PMA Office

Farmers and ranchers of West Texas, western Oklahoma and New Mexico ordered 252 carloads of feed grains through the Dallas Administration office today.

The record appeal brought to 1,109 carloads total requests since July 3 when the emergency drought disaster feed program was announced. Truman Cunningham, acting state PMA director, said the first 1,061 requests included:

1. For 152 West Texas counties; 429 cars of corn, 431 cars of oats and 12 cars of wheat.
 2. For 49 Western Oklahoma counties; 188 cars of corn and 19 cars of oats.
 3. For New Mexico, excepting southwestern counties, 19 cars of corn, 17 of oats and 6 of wheat.
- All orders have been channelled through the Dallas office.

He's Jaycees' Arena Director—

Mariam Is Top Rodeo Worker

The Ranger Jaycees are lucky. Mighty lucky. One of their members, Frank Marium is an old-time at the rodeo game. A former world's champion bull rider (Marium won the coveted title at Madison Square Garden in New York City back in 1938), he retired from the popular arena sport in 1951 after a quarter of a century as a contestant.

Now he's ranching and "hose-trading" but his big hobby and interest is the annual World Championship Rodeo which is staged each summer under sponsorship of the Ranger Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Marium is one of the charter members of the local Jaycees group and was one of the top hands who helped organize the big annual show which first was staged eight years ago—back in 1946.

Following his retirement as a contestant, however, Marium still couldn't resist the lure of a hot arena. And for several years he's been serving as arena director of several rodeos each season in Texas, Montana, Colorado, Iowa and other states.

And—of course—he's a former director of the Jaycees' annual Ranger presentation. He's held down that important job every year but one—and that was 1951—the year he retired as a cash-winning rodeo cowboy.

He is a member of the rodeo committee for the Ranger Jaycees' big 8th annual World Championship Rodeo which will be staged Wednesday through Saturday, July 22-23-24-25.

It's an RCA approved show and offers contestants prizes totaling \$2,900 in cash—plus all entry fees.

"BIG SHOTS" ENTER OLD RIP DERBY; SUCCESS IS ASSURED

Entries are being received in the Chamber of Commerce office for this year's "Old Rip" Horned Toad Derby.

Among the entries is "Mortimer Spurd" sent in by Edgar Bergen; "Chase Me" by R. C. Irvine, president of Chase National Bank of New York; L. L. Colbert, president of The Chrysler Corp., who has entered "Coronet"; Harry Matthews of the New York office of the Associated Press.

Frank Watts, general sales manager of Humble Oil & Refining Co.; President D. A. Huey of the Lone Star Gas Co.; J. P. Thomas, president of The Texas Electric Service Co.; E. J. Forio, vice-president of the Coca-Cola Bottling Co. of Atlanta, Ga.; Walker A. Williams, vice president of sales and advertising Dept. of Ford Motor Co.; W. G. Vollmer, president and L. C. Porter, vice president of The Texas & Pacific Railway; Jim Parley, chairman of the board of Coca-Cola Corp. and former postmaster general, and many other prominent people throughout the United States.

Tanner stated that it was probable there would be considerably more entries in his "Old Rip" than was in the last "Old Rip" Horned Toad Derby.

ARRIVES—Lord Salisbury, acting British Foreign Secretary, arrives in New York enroute to Washington to attend Big Three Foreign Ministers meeting starting July 10.

Ranger Daily Times GUEST TICKET COUPON

for Lonnie Cozby and Guest

at the RANGER DRIVE-IN THEATRE

Wednesday, July 15

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NEWS FROM CARBON

The gospel meeting which started at the Church of Christ Sunday is progressing nicely and with good attendance at each service.

Blackwell of Cheaney, is in charge of the song service. The meeting will continue for ten days and the public is invited to attend.

A. R. Guy and family, Ed McGlothlin and family, D. A. Sandlin and family and J. C. Brownlee and family were among those from Carbon, who attended the celebration at De Leon on the Fourth

Mrs. Clara Kuykendall and son, Jack, of Eastland, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Ella Thurman and Miss Bess Thurman.

M. C. Tucker who suffered a heart attack several days, is seriously ill again at the Gorman hospital.

Abe Hall of Lovington, N. M., spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hall. They visited Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Hazlewood of Comanche and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wyatt of Sipe Springs Sunday.

Pat and Mike Collins visited their sister, Mrs. James L. Bigby and family in Colorado last week-end.

Will Reagan of Cisco was visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. Hall Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Mullins and son have returned from a visit with relatives in Beaumont and Corpus Christi.

J. S. Vaughn visited relatives in

Jackboro and Fort Worth last week.

Karan Ann Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Campbell of Azle, visited her grandmother, Mrs. Ailie Campbell last week.

C. G. Stubblefield left last week in company with his daughter, Mrs. Glen S. Schriener and family, for a ten-day visit to Cape Girardeau, Mo., where they will visit Mr. Schriener's father and other relatives.

Mrs. Lora Welch of Post, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Knight, last week.

Wanda Nell Blume of Holtville, Calif., arrived last week to spend the summer with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brownlee.

Mrs. Georgia Davis is visiting her son, V. K. Davis and family in Baytown, and her sister, Mrs. R. E. Thurman and Mr. Thurman in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hightower and family of Fort Worth, and Rev. and Mrs. C. O. Hightower of Weatherford, were guests of Mrs.

Fannie Bridges last week.

Mrs. Ella Thurman, Mrs. S. S. Sherrill, Mrs. Clint Wharton, Mrs. Fannie Bridges and Miss Bess Thurman, visited Mrs. Mary Hearn in Morton Valley, Sunday.

Visitors in the home of Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Thomas last week included his brother, J. L. Thomas and wife of Houston, W. A. Thomas and wife of Gorman and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Thomas of Breckenridge; granddaughters Bettie and Julia Ann Thomas of Denver, Colo., and Mr. and Mrs. Nevis Patterson and daughter, Kathy Ann Standlee of Wichita Falls.

Between Us...

(Continued from Page 1) week end. A 150-watt bulb now produces 10 times more light than a 25-watt bulb, yet uses only six times as much electricity. There is a proportionate efficiency gain in intermediate bulb sizes, too. The first motorcycle of the Ranger Jaycees, plugging and publicizing the 1953 Rodeo next week, was a terrific success, reports Morris Campbell. About 35 folks went on the jaunt which took them to Strawn, Minges, Gordon, Stenhouse, Dublin, Comanche, DeLeon, Gorman, Carbon, Eastland and back to Ranger. There'll be another goodwill trip Saturday and Car'bell would like men, women and children to go. Departure time - 9 a.m. And you'll be back in the little Oil City by 5 p.m.

Mama: "Willie, come now and kiss your new nurse-maid." Willie: "No, sirree. Not me. I'm afraid." Mama: "Afraid-why?" Willie: "Daddy kissed her yesterday and boy did she slap him hard!"

MARIAM--

(Continued from Page 1) around \$6,000. Events slated include bareback and saddle bronc riding, bull riding, bulldogging, calf roping, cutting, horse contest, barrel races, and two special Palomino exhibitions.

Top attraction of the 1953 four-day rodeo—performances nightly at 8 p.m.—will be the "Sons of the Pioneers" radio, movie, TV, and recording artists, who'll appear in person direct from Hollywood, Cal.

Keeping Up With Holidays A Job

An annual booklet, formerly published by the U. S. Department of Commerce to keep business firms informed on special calendar events, has been taken over by the Chamber of Commerce of the United States. It was announced today. The booklet will be prepared by the Chamber's Domestic Distribution Department. It is expected that the 1954 edition of the booklet, entitled "Special Days, Weeks and Months" will be ready for distribution early in November. There was no

1953 edition. The move is in line with the government's policy of relinquishing those activities which private organizations are willing and equipped to handle. "Special Days, Weeks and Months" lists about 400 leading business promotion events, legal holidays, religious days and other special occasions observed in the United States.

The chamber feels that the booklet, which names the sponsor, origin and purpose of each event, is a valuable service to American business men and should be continued. The compilation is designed to help business men coordinate their advertising and promotional plans with national cele-

brations. It is of interest to retailers, wholesalers, manufacturers, advertising agencies and advertising departments of all media. It also aids public understanding and support for such observances as American Education Week, Cancer Control Month, National Business Women's Week, National Boy Scout Week and similar events.

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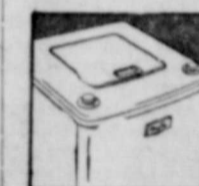


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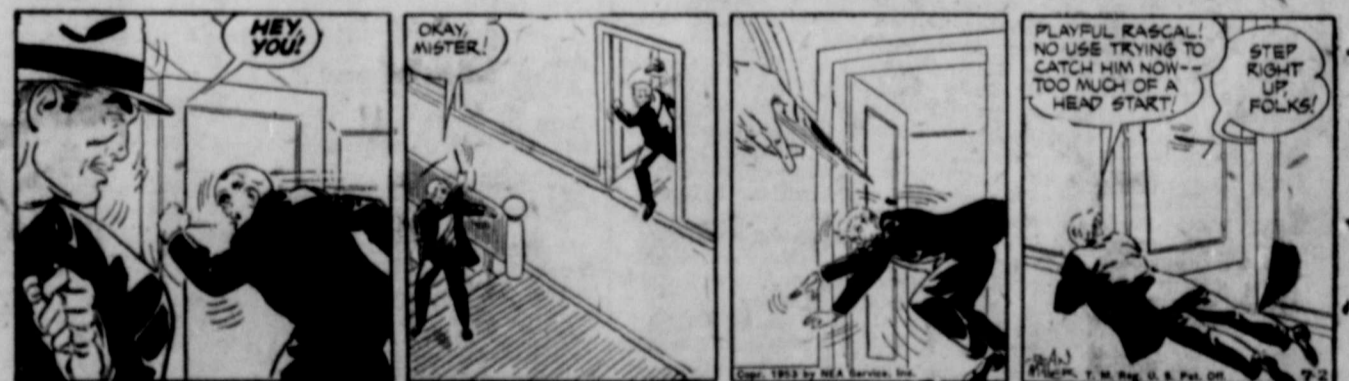
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By Merrill Blosser



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Mrs. A. Kirk Is Circle Hostess

The Anne Bargett Circle of the First Baptist Church met at 8:00 p.m. Monday, July 13, in the home of Mrs. A. Kirk.
The business session was presided over by Mrs. Earle Pittman, circle chairman. Mrs. Kirk led the invocation.
Mrs. Pittman thanked Mrs. Marshall Jolly for baking a cake for the G. A. Supper.
The meeting was turned over to Mrs. Jolly who presented the program on stewardship taken from "Sacrifice and Song."
Mrs. Keith Langford led the benediction.
Refreshments were served to the following:
-Mes. Pittman, Pete Brashier, Duane Dennis, Langford, Lloyd Kennedy, Jess White, Charles Cox, Jolly, Cecil Meadows and the hostess.
The next meeting will be held on July 27, in the home of Mrs. Jess White.

LOOK WHO'S NEW



Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whitefield of Ranger, are the parents of an eight pound and one ounce boy, born at 4:37 p.m. Monday, July 13, in the Ranger General Hospital.
The paternal grandmother is Mrs. Fred Whitefield of Ranger. The maternal grandparents live in New York.

Susan Bennett Has Birthday Party Sunday

Miss Susan Kay Bennett, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Earl V. Bennett, was complimented on the occasion of her fourth birthday, Sunday, July 12, with a party at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sutton.
Susan's birthday cake was pink and green iced cream was served. Books and birthday hats were given as favors.
Those present were: Janis Bennett, Bobby Townsend, Dorothy Ann Oliver, Don Ella and Zuella Carville, A. H. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Faircloth, J. B. Thompson, Mrs. Howard Oliver, Mrs. Earl Bennett and the hosts and hostess.

Hospital News

New patients in the Ranger General Hospital include Mrs. R. V. Robinson of Ranger, surgical; Kathy Sharp, Cisco, medical; Jim Whitehead, Cisco, medical; Mrs. Marvin Edwards, Ranger, surgical; J. E. Barfield, Caddo, medical; and Mrs. J. L. Kuhn, Olden, medical.

Byrd James and Willie M. Sharp Married Sat.

Byrd James, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. I. James of Olden, and Willie Mae Sharpe, daughter of Mrs. Carl W. Sharpe and the late Mr. Sharpe of Harmony, N. C., were married Saturday, July 11 at the Winthrop Friends Church in Harmony, N. C.

After a two-week wedding trip to Texas, they will make their home in Winston-Salem, N. C., where he is employed by Western Electric Co.

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Tri-County H.D. Camp Held At Lake Brownwood

Approximately seventy-five Home Demonstration women met at the Baptist Encampment Grounds at Lake Brownwood, July 8-9, for the annual Tri-County H. D. camp.
Registration began at 10 a.m. with Home Demonstration women and agents from Brown, Eastland, and Comanche counties attending. The women brought food from home and the responsibility of meals was shared by three groups.
Besides crafts, the program included recreation by women from Brown and Comanche counties, sing-alongs led by Mrs. Bill Tucker from Eastland County, skits and stunts by various clubs from the three counties, night and sunrise ceremonials, and a book review given by Mrs. Brook Smith of Brownwood.

The women learned to weave baskets, make shell jewelry, and to tool copper pictures. Mrs. H. C. Fridge demonstrated the making of wastebaskets and bread baskets from reed, and many of the women took home useful and attractive baskets. Mrs. Holt from Brown county worked with the group in making earcres and pins from tiny, delicate colored shells. Mrs. West and Mrs. Stroebeln from Comanche County worked with those making copper pictures.

At the general assembly before breaking camp the group expressed themselves as having had a wonderful time and all stated that they would like to attend camp again next year. It was voted to have the camp at Lake Brownwood next year during the second week in July. The group also voted to include Mills county next year and make the affair a four-county event.

Those attending from Eastland County were Mrs. H. C. Fridge, Mrs. Henry McCoy, Pioneer H. D. Club; Miss Willie Word, Mrs. M. O. Smith, Word Club; Mrs. R. W. Gordon, Mrs. Bill Tucker, Cheaney Club; Mrs. Bulah Turner, Mrs. Minnie Foster, Mrs. Jean Harbin, Flatwood Club; Miss Bonnie Foster and Miss Letha Fay Mathews, guests of the Flatwood Club; and Home Demonstration Agents Miss Jimmie Dee Sturdivant, and Mrs. Mildred Crow. Also present was Miss Annie Lucy Lane, District Home Demonstration Agent of District Eight.

Mrs. R. F. Duncan left today to visit her daughter, Mrs. Sue Milmer in Midland; her son, Marshal Duncan in Williams, Ariz., and her sister, Mrs. Edith Hatley in Tucson, Ariz.

Miss Faye Daskevich, who is employed in Fort Worth, was home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Daskevich, Sr., this week end.

Mrs. Hardin Bridges and children spent last week here visiting her mother, Mrs. R. M. Ivy. They returned to their home in Wichita Falls Sunday.

Mrs. L. L. Furr, of Stamford, is visiting in the home of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. VanBibber.

Mrs. L. E. Wilbanks and daughters, Dana Kay and Kathy, of Cleburne, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Hattie Bragg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Jones and Patrick, of Tulsa, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Onis R. Mills and Michael, of Grand Prairie; Mrs. W. R. Reeves and Renee, of Collins of Eastland; and Mrs. Carl Jones of Eastland; and Mrs. Glynn Covington and family all spent the week end in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jones.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Deaton had as their weekend guest Mr. Deaton's sister, Mrs. R. F. Hanks, of Dallas. She returned to her home Monday evening.

Mrs. Joe Stie has returned from Seminole, Oklahoma, where she has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Stie.

Mrs. Kitty Stephenson is in San Angelo this week visiting her sister, Mrs. Lillie Ellis.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Waggoner spent the week-end in Dallas visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scott. They also attended the stage production, "Kiss Me Kate."

Mrs. John Gholson and Mrs. Ella White spent the week-end visiting in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Crawford left Saturday for a vacation trip to California. They were accompanied by Mrs. Crawford's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Nicol of San Antonio.

Mrs. Callie Lee and her son, William Lee, were in Fort Worth over the week-end, visiting Jerald Lee, who is a patient in St. Joseph's hospital there. His condition is improved.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Shockey, Marinell and Gerald, spent the

week end in Gilmer, Tex., visiting Mr. Shockey's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Dopbrate.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ashcraft and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bradshaw attended the Butler family reunion at Lake Cisco Sunday. There were eighty people present and fifteen towns represented.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy E. Guess and children of Artec, N. M., and James E. Guess of Levelland were week end guests in the G. A. Guess home.

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Texas' sweet Bermuda onion may assume a new significance in the state's economy if a series of experiments being conducted at the Alford Refrigerated Warehouses in Dallas prove successful.



Elaine Anderson (left) and Janet Hoffman find it difficult to believe that anyone could have flown a Curtis Pusher, an exact scale model replica of which is shown here. As young present day model plane fliers who hope to compete in the Plymouth Motor Corporation's Seventh International Model Plane Contest, they are amazed at the extreme design changes in the past 50 years. The International will pay tribute to the 50th Anniversary of the Wright brothers' original flight when 500 of the top model plane fliers assemble in Detroit August 19 through 24.

Texas' onion crop is the most widely distributed in the state and it usually is one of the first three in volume of market movement. Principal producing points are in the lower Rio Grande Valley, Winter Garden, Laredo and Eagle Pass areas, Coastal Bend and the Collin-Dallas-Ellis county area.

Fred F. Alford, president of Alford Refrigerated Warehouses, Inc., believes he has licked the problems of temperature and humidity in onion storage. A small scale test last year proved that the sweet Bermudas can be stored up to five months with temperature at 35 degrees in a relative humidity of 50 per cent without heavy spoilage.

This year Alford has put 44 carloads (21,881 50-pound bags) in storage. If these keep as well as those did last year, Alford will begin storing the onions on a commercial basis in 1954.

Alford said his company has already invested around \$10,000 in the experiments, "and if our theories prove correct we're ready to spend \$50,000 in equipment next year to store onions commercially."

Texas onion growers have always taken a beating on their crops because, being unable to store the eye-watering vegetable, they have to dump their whole harvest on the market at a time when prices are low.

With current prices ranging around 80 cents per 50-pound sack, some farmers in North Texas are finding it cheaper to plow their crops under than to try to market them. Last winter, cheaper grade onions, many of them imported from Mexico, were selling for around \$5.50 per sack.

BUILT-IN STORAGE UNITS KEY TO SPACE IN HOME



BUILT-IN STORAGE Built-in storage units are today's answer to need for more put-away space in homes. Photo shows portion of combination fir plywood storage wall built from plans issued by west coast plywood manufacturers. Plans are available at retail lumber yards throughout the country.

The housing experts say there is a 50-50 chance it isn't. And most of them agree that the most common failing of many new homes and most older homes is inadequate or inconvenient storage space. That's not hard to demonstrate. A leading building industry trade journal reports that a housewife's number one need today is built-in storage area. There are 47,000,000 dwelling units in this country, says another national publication, and half or more of them are obsolete judged by today's design standards.

In an older home there are often plenty of cubic feet in an attic or basement but this area is inefficient, old-fashioned storage. Even the standard closet is out of date. All you can do there is hang clothes and stack things on the floor.

New Houses Smaller

What's more, today's new house has been getting smaller and that adds to the problem of space. In 1940, most houses had at least five rooms. Today, the average new house has four rooms and there are 12 million more children under 14 jammed into the nation's housing plant than there were then.

Any way you look at it, most people need more places and better places to put things. Designers agree that large house or small, the most logical solution is built-in storage. This is the most outstanding trend underlying the uncluttered "feel" of a well-planned, modern home.

This kind of storage ranges from carefully planned kitchen cabinets to an entire storage wall in the living room. The primary construction material is fir plywood. Even where a more exotic wood is used for facing surfaces for plywood is the universal material for the structural parts.

More Livability

Built-ins multiply living space in a small home, efficiently substituting for old-fashioned bureaus, buffets, side-boards and cabinet furniture. In a larger home, built-ins account for a substantial degree of livability and comfort.

Today's most popular new homes are marked by the trend in modern design to open-planning—the new "freedom for living"—obtained with partial walls, free-standing island storage units and storage wall partitions.

In an older home, greater livability can be achieved through better organization of existing storage space and addition of strategically located, compact built-in storage units. Usually these so-called built-ins are placed against existing walls. The answer in such homes to modernization or remodeling problems often is the installation of the right built-in conveniences. It's a matter of getting the old house to work for you instead of against you.

Financing Easy

When built-in storage is a permanent improvement in the house, financing is easy through FHA. Improvements up to \$3,500 can be repaid over a three-year period and you don't need a down payment. Lumber dealers who often function like a department store for the homeowner offer optional methods of financing.

Then there is the newly recognized mortgage which permits borrowing under the existing mortgage as your equity in the house increases. This means you simply extend your payment period in financing improvements.

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