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Utility Improvements Being Planned by C of C

At a banquet at the La Mesa cafe Tuesday morning of this week, a movement was launched that may mean much for the future of our city. The breakfast was attended by a committee that had previously been appointed by the Junior Chamber of Commerce, together with officials of the Senior Chamber and a few interested visitors.

At this meeting a large bond issue was discussed, but no formal announcement was made. Mayor C. C. Primm freely discussed the matter. "At this time," the mayor said, "we have an engineer going over the proposed needed extensions and improvements, and after his report is in, and we learn just what is needed, an election will be called to pass on a bond issue." He made no mention of the amount, but some one mentioned \$750,000 as the approximate amount.

Not Fair To Some Taxpayers
In the meantime, it is the purpose of both chambers to begin education of the citizenship on the needs of the town for more paving, more street lights as well as extensions of sewer and water. This is especially true in the newer areas of the city, that do not have street lighting. To say the least, it is hardly fair to tax such people for something they do not get.

With the bringing in of the deep test 14 miles southeast of town, and the Cobb deep test just over in Yoakum county, not to mention a 50-50 possibility of a well in the Sawyer deep test just five miles southwest of town, there could be at least a small scale repeat of the Snyder experience. Why not prepare for it?

It will be remembered particularly by people who live in Snyder, that they had utilities for a city of some 3 or 4 thousand, and now the estimate is as high as 17,000. That could be repeated right here. As we understand, we now have sewage disposal facilities for some 15,000 to 20,000. But we do not nearly have the connections for that many, nor for that matter, water mains, fire plugs, street lights and what have you.

The group also went on record as approving the participation of Brownfield in the Canadian River Dam project. Eleven other south Plains towns have already taken steps to benefit from the project. The main pipe line will run directly south through Amarillo, Tulia, Plainview, Lubbock, Tahoka and Lamesa, with a feeder line running out to Slaton. Littlefield and Levelland, also interested in the project, and Brownfield, can be connected to the main pipe with feeder lines.

Wayne (Red) Smith, new manager of the Chamber of Commerce here, wrote a letter to the president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, D. A. Brandegee, advising him of the action taken.

SCHOOL BAND-CHORUS TO PRESENT PROGRAM

The third annual winter Brownfield high school band and chorus concert will be presented at 8 p. m. tonight (Friday) in the high school auditorium.

Admission is fifty cents, tax included, and the proceeds from the concert will be used to defray expenses when the groups enter the Interscholastic League contest to be held at Canyon in April. Soloists to be featured on the program are Lyle Shelton, Carlton Brady, Ann Snedeker, and Gene Willingham. Bobby Helen Brian will be piano accompanist for the choral group.

The concert is to be presented in three parts. First to appear will be the chorus, who will sing "Sylvia," "Speaks," "Thy Wisdom, Lord, All Thought Transcendeth," a traditional Russian melody; "Nobody Knows the Trouble I've Seen," a negro spiritual; "With A Hey and a Ho," and a Ho-ho-ho. Kelter. The Russian melody will be sung a cappella. Juanelle Greenfield will play a piano solo, "Clair de Lune" by Debussy, and Ann Snedeker will sing "Were You There When They Crucified My Lord?"



ICILY COMPOSED—Sandra Peterson faced news cameras minutes after a district court jury at Brady, Tex., found the 18-year-old Somerville, Mass., brunette guilty of the hitchhike murder of Lewis Patterson. She was sentenced to life imprisonment. (AP Wirephoto)

Terry Teachers To Meet January 30

The Terry County Teachers Association will meet Monday, Jan. 30, at 7 p. m. at the Esquire Restaurant.

Principal speaker will be Ray L. Chappelle, E. H. Boulter of Lubbock will give pointers on the operation of the Texas State Teachers Association.

This is the second meeting of the association this year, and the group plans to have one more meeting before the closing of the schools.

All teachers and their wives and husbands are urged to attend the meeting.

What, No Blizzard?

Or was it twin "blizzards" that was headed this way? Anyway, one or both have been predicted by the weather men since Tuesday. We have waited patiently for freezing rain, snow and ice up to Thursday.

Needless to say none showed up. On the other hand, we had two raging sandstorms Tuesday and Wednesday. Perhaps they headed the "cold front" in another direction. But it is warm and nice today (Thursday).

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Machen and Jo Anne visited friends and relatives in Seymour Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlin Hertzog of Farwell visited friends here over the week end.

by the local chamber in regard to the project.

And one of these days we're going to need more power at the plant, not to mention more fire fighting apparatus. If you're prepared for the rush, it does not catch you off balance.

Dr. W. A. Roberson, president of the Jaycees, presided, and Herbert Chesshir was toastmaster. Special music was offered by Ruth Huckabee, and Crawford Taylor was song leader.

GS Training Course Will Be Held Here

Mrs. Ivalee Hobden of Dallas, a state leader in Girl Scout work, will meet with, and instruct, all Girl Scout leaders when they meet in the Girl Scout Little House February 6 and 7 for a training course.

A training class will be held Monday, February 6, at 2 p. m. in the Little House for all leaders. A board meeting will be held at 7 p. m. February 6.

Beginning at 9:30 a. m. February 7, there will be an all-day meeting, with a cook out to be held at noon. All leaders, as well as any one who is interested in Girl Scout or youth work, are urged to attend the meetings and benefits from the classes.

Mrs. Herbert Chesshir and Mrs. J. C. Criswell, who are in charge of the meetings, said they want that leaders and workers for both Girl Scout and Brownie groups are badly needed here. They ask that anyone who is interested in these groups contact them.

Brown Opens Cotton Office In Brownfield

Ran into T. I. Brown late last week, and held a chinfeest over a cup of Arbuttle. T. I. came to Brownfield way back when—and managed a store for some time where the Stell store now stands. He then resigned, and entered the cotton market as buyer. He was regarded here as one of the best classifiers, and gained a rep of always giving the seller every dime possible for his cotton.

T. I. stated that he was helping his son, T. I. Jr. to open a branch office here, to his Lubbock office. Jr. is located in the Brownfield building. In view of the fact that young Brown attended school here in his younger days, he will not be a stranger to many of his play and school mates.

We feel sure T. I. Jr. will be glad for old time friends to call on him, and in the meantime, welcome to Brownfield.

Lubbock Attorney Addresses Group

Waggoner Carr, Lubbock county attorney, was principal speaker at the annual Junior Chamber of Commerce ladies night banquet held at the Esquire Restaurant Monday night.

Carr also awarded the achievement key and scroll to John J. Kendrick, Brownfield's outstanding young man for 1949, for outstanding service to his community.

Approximately 125 persons attended the banquet, and heard Carr's address. Carr said that the United States is, and has always been, a young man's world. He gave several examples of great men who had risen to the leadership of their country or their business while still very young men.

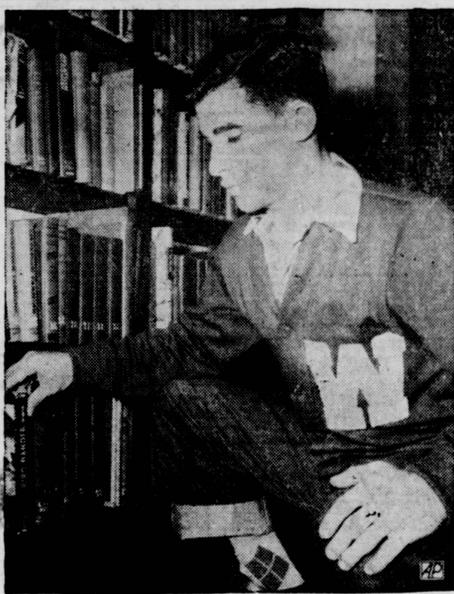
Carr warned his listeners that the youth of the nation must be very vigilant if this is to remain a free country with free enterprise. "I, for one, want a chance to be an old man," he said.

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Roberson presented past president pins to Kendrick, Tommy Zorns, and J. E. Gillham, at the banquet.

MOTHER OF MEADOW RESIDENTS CLAIMED

Funeral services were held Wednesday in the First Baptist church of Tahoka for Mrs. Ida Sarah Cook, 68, who died Monday following a long illness. She was the mother of V. E. Cook of Meadow and of Mrs. H. A. Dial, also of Meadow.



FOUR YEARS MAKE A BIG DIFFERENCE—Johnny Camera (above), once the waif of Salerno, proudly wears his football B team "W" of Waxahachie, Tex., high school as he selects a book from the high school library. Johnny stowed away on a troop ship four years ago to join his friend Claren (Curley) Thompson of Waxahachie, who had been his friend when his mother and four sisters were killed during the Italian invasion. Thompson adopted Johnny, who is now a sophomore in the Waxahachie high school. (AP Wirephoto)

John J. Kendrick Is 'Man of the Year'

The Jaycee committee that Monday night made its selection of John J. Kendrick, cashier of the First National Bank, as the outstanding young man of a year could not have come up with a more popular young fellow for the position, had they spent all the rest of 1950 in pursuit. With all due respect to a lot of other young men of our city, we think they did a perfect job.

However, at the outset, let us state that it is not a hard job to find a fine young man in Brownfield. There are many good ones, and droves that are above the average. But they are scarce and far between hereabouts that equal Johnny Kendrick, in our estimation. There is absolutely no put-on just for show about him. We have never seen him play to the galleries for popularity. His popularity and worth to our fine city is the habit of years, stemming from training as a youth from two fine west Texas pioneers, the late John J. Sr. and Mrs. Kendrick.

We believe it was April or May of 1909 that we first met his dad in the little city of Plains. It was just after their organization as a county. If we remember right, he was not married at that time, but he persuaded us that unless we had a large family of mature boys and girls to take up land, a quarter section over in New Mexico, where we were headed, it would be a painful experience. We turned back on our advice.

Later John married and moved to Seminole, where he became County Judge, and where Johnny Jr. was reared. While before the elder Kendrick died, the family moved to Lubbock. But the junior is a chip off the old block. He has the fine traits of both his dad and mother. If he ever had any bad habits we never heard of them.

Many years ago, he came to Brownfield to learn the banking business under his uncle, R. M. Kendrick, and along with three sons of R. M., at that time, as well as a son-in-law. He married a Brownfield girl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Smith. When the war came on, he did his stint in the air corps, when the U.S. was flying the hump to keep the Chinese fed and supplied to fight the Japs. They have two children, one a little fellow born during the war, and we remember we used to entertain it on Fridays when Mrs. Kendrick would come down to air mail that issue out to Johnny over in Asia.

You are familiar with his work in the Jaycees, his civic club, the rodeos, Harvest Queen, his church, lodge and other matters, such as the schools. In fact, he has had a hand in the advancement of every worth while matter since he became a citizen of Brownfield.

Yes, we fully agree that Johnny was the outstanding young man of '49.

McMurry Chanters Appear Here Sunday

The McMurry College Chanters, under the direction of Mrs. Gypsy Ted Sullivan Wyllie, will present a concert Sunday, Jan. 29, at 11 a. m. in the First Methodist church, according to the Rev. H. L. Thurston, pastor.

Concluding their annual ten-day tour of Texas and New Mexico, the group will present concerts here and in two other towns on Sunday.

Chamber Commerce To Construct Office

The Terry County Commissioners court has approved a request from the Brownfield Chamber of Commerce to construct an office building on the north side of the courthouse lawn.

Serving as an office for both the Chamber of Commerce and the Junior Chamber of Commerce, the building will include a reception room and two offices.

Virgil Crawford, president of the Chamber of Commerce, said that the building will be erected at the cost of the Chamber of Commerce and not of the taxpayers.

Pete Hobbs Died At Seminole Last Week

T. E. Hobbs of Hollis, Okla., was through here after the Christmas holidays and informed us that he had been to Seminole to visit his brother, J. O. Hobbs and family. He further stated that his nephew, Henry E. (Pete) Hobbs, was very low, and he expected death to him momentarily.

We note from a dispatch in the dailies from Seminole under date of the 20th that Pete had passed away the 19th, leaving his parents and several brothers and sisters. The family lived in the Harmony community many years.

Pete served in the navy during the war, being discharged in 1946. He suffered disabilities during the war that ended his life at the age of 23.

Over 75,000 Bales Of Cotton Ginned In Terry

Had a little chat with R. M. Kendrick over at his First National Bank this week. And by the way, R. M. is not going to miss his 87,873 bales of cotton guess too much, according to the way we have it figured. While no exact figures have been given out for the ginnings up to the first of January, at that time they had passed 75,000 bales from the 1949 crop, he stated.

Then we got to talking about Terry county cotton ginned in neighboring counties, at Seagraves, Ashmore, Loop, Welch, Newmore, West Point, Lakeview, Ropesville and Locketville. Against this array of gins just over the line in Gaines, Dawson, Lynn and Hockley counties, we have one just over in Terry from Yoakum county, the Lee O. Allen gin at Tokio.

In fact, while we were talking, there was a gin man from Welch listening in and he stated he had ginned over 300 bales of Terry county cotton, and there is another gin at Welch. We have an idea that one or two county line gins, gin more Terry county cotton than from the county they are in, as there is more land in cultivation.

Religious Census To Be Taken February 5

The Brownfield Ministerial Association met Monday and decided to conduct a city-wide religious census, beginning February 5 and continuing through February 12.

Churches that will participate in the census-taking are the First Christian church, the First Methodist church, the First Presbyterian church, the First Baptist church, the Assembly of God, the Calvary Baptist church, the West Side Baptist church, the Four Square Gospel church, the Church of God, and the Nazarene church.

Workers are asked to meet at 12:30 p. m. Monday, February 5, in the First Baptist church for a luncheon. At the luncheon, instructions will be given to the workers on taking census. Work will begin at 1 p. m. that day, with some 130 persons covering the city.

Information obtained in the city will be available to all church groups in the city.

Last Rites Held For G. C. Jordan

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. January 21 in the Meadow High school auditorium for G. C. Jordan, 36, who died of injuries received when his car plunged over a 40 foot embankment near Rocky Ford, Colo., Jan. 18. The Rev. Cecil Tune, pastor of the Meadow Methodist church officiated.

Jordan, a former resident of Terry county, had operated a ranch near Rocky Ford for the past 4 years. He moved to Terry county in 1931 and had lived here until moving to Colorado.

Survivors include his wife, the former Lois Beasley; two daughters, Deon and Carolyn Ann; a brother, Bennett Jordan, Brownfield; three sisters, Mrs. Emmett Watkins, Seminole, Mrs. Elmer McCutcheon of Meadow, and Mrs. C. P. Adams of Amarillo; and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Jordan of Brownfield.

Interment was in the Meadow cemetery, under the direction of Brownfield Funeral home.

Two Held For Robbery Series

Two of the possible three burglars who broke into several business firms here Sunday afternoon are being held in custody in the Lubbock county jail. Sheriff Ocie Murry said Thursday morning.

Riley Smith, 19, and Billy Berry, 19, both of Seminole were apprehended in Lubbock Tuesday night when they were attempting to enter a store there.

Murry said that the two had not made a confession concerning the burglaries here, but that Berry was wearing a pair of trousers stolen from the Broadway Cleaners here and that a shirt, in Smith's name, found in a Seagraves tailor shop had been identified as his by both Doug Jones, owner of Broadway Cleaners, and Fletcher Lewis, owner of the shirt. The shirt had already been altered to fit Smith, the sheriff said.

The burglary of Broadway Cleaners, in which several pair of pants and shirts were taken, is believed to coincide with the burglary of Teague-Bailey Chevrolet Company, where \$140 was stolen. Also believed to have been robbed by Smith and Berry is the Cecil George filling station on the Seagraves highway, where \$37.20 was taken, and the Mason Oil Company, where \$15 was stolen.

Murry said that he did not believe there is any connection with these robberies and the robbery of Alexander Goslin drug store, entered Saturday night or Sunday morning. Some \$300 in cash and a large amount of narcotics was taken from the drug store. Murry said there was no further development in the case, but an investigation is underway.

All of the places were entered by breaking the glass in a back door and unlatching the catch.

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FFA Chapter Plans Father-Son Banquet

The Future Farmers of America met January 23, with 31 members present.

Plans for the father-son banquet, which will be held the latter part of March, were discussed. Among other phases of the banquet which were talked about, the members changed the menu from the traditional fried chicken dinner to barbecued pig.

The motion was made, and passed, to present the FFA sweetheart, Miss June Whitaker, with her gift at the assembly program during FFA week, which is February 5-12.

Committees were appointed to present the assembly program during FFA week.

One hundred baby chicks were ordered, for use of first year boys to gain experience in chicken raising.

Orville Miller and J. D. Moore were appointed Herdsmen of the chapter Hog project.

Mrs. J. W. Ball, 69, Claimed Last Week

Mrs. J. W. Ball died January 17 following a ten year illness. Funeral services were conducted January 19 in the First Baptist Church by Elder V. J. Lowrance of Tahoka, assisted by the Rev. A. A. Brian.

A resident of Terry county for 25 years, Mrs. Ball was active in church work until she became ill. She was born in Mississippi September 29, 1880, and was married in Pototoc county, Miss., August 4, 1907.

Survivors include her husband; four daughters, Mrs. Lester Caswell of Loop, Miss. Hazel Bell of Brownfield, Mrs. Hadley Kern of Morton, and Mrs. Alvia Morris of Brownfield; three brothers, J. W. Brown of Brownfield, T. A. Brown of Smithville, Miss., and R. P. Brown of Guntown, Miss.; and three grandchildren, Ley and Rita Kern of Morton, and Sharon Morris of Brownfield.

Burial was in Terry County Memorial Cemetery under the direction of Brownfield Funeral Home.

Palbearers were J. E. Thurman, C. D. Reid, W. E. Winn, J. C. Osborn, and B. D. Bowlin, all of Brownfield, and T. A. Caudle of Dublin.

JUNIOR DEPUTIES MEET

The Brownfield Junior Deputy Sheriff's Posse will meet at 10 a. m. Friday (today) in the West Ward school building, according to Sheriff Ocie Murry.

At 1:30 p. m. today, the Meadow Junior Deputy Sheriff Posse will meet. The Wellman group will meet at 1 p. m. next Tuesday, January 31, Murry said.

OFFICERS OF LOCAL CROP GROUP CHOSEN TUESDAY

The Terry County committee of the Christian Rural Overseas Program met Tuesday night at the First Baptist church to elect officers.

H. L. (Hub) King is county chairman of the group, and all precursors in Terry county are ex-officio members of the committee.

Vice-chairmen named are A. A. Brian, minister of the First Baptist church in Brownfield and H. L. Thurston, minister of the First Methodist church here. Grady Goodpasture was named secretary and Leo Holmes is treasurer. Other members of the committee are Burton Hackney, Al Muldrow, C. E. Ross, Ike Bailey and J. M. Burleson of Meadow.

At Tuesday night's meeting, the group was addressed by Rev. Dennis, former Christian preacher in Brownfield, who said that already 70 counties in Texas have been organized in the support of the CROP. He said that, through the work of CROP, which is a national movement, some 2900 car

loads of commodities were sent overseas last year.

The Brownfield Ministerial Association, as well as ministers in all of Terry county, are co-operating in the program. They have appointed canvassing committees in each of their churches and they will meet tonight (Friday) in the First Baptist church to discuss plans.

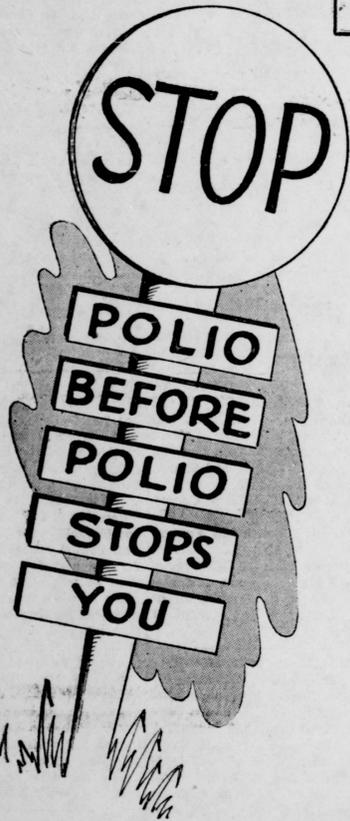
CROP has as its aim to ship rural commodities in car load lots to orphanages, hospitals, and stricken peoples overseas. It is the hope of the local group that every person in Terry county will respond in support of the program. Any commodity will be accepted for use in the program.

Local church groups participating in the movement are the First Baptist church, the First Methodist church, the West Side Baptist church, the Calvary Baptist church, the Pentecostal church, the Four Square church, the Assembly of God, to Church of God, and the Nazarene church.

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- For Commissioner Precinct No. 4
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G. A. (George) RICH
H. R. (Horace) FOX
E. D. (Edd) DUNCAN
- For Justice Peace Precinct No. 1
J. W. HOGUE

Maybe you sorter fell out with Poller Gallup last fall, when he got into a sort of jamb over the out come of the presidential election. However, we note that Bro. Gallup is appearing in a great many of the dailies yet. All of his polls however, do not concern politics, thank goodness. One only recently showed what the vast majority in a sample poll favor advertising in the newspaper, and think it of news value to the public, as well as a source of income to newspaper and worth the money to the advertiser or space buyer. It also showed that the younger folks, 20 to 30 years of age were most sold on advertising news, and that women lead men in the percentage that placed advertising news as of great value to the public. After all, the ladies do a big percentage of the family shopping, and of course

are better judges of the worth of advertising news to the general public.

Recently we gave you a short article about a "Log that Talks" about the destruction forest fires bring annually to the USA. No, we have no forests here, but most of us buy some lumber, and sometimes we visit forest sections, and could, during that time become careless with matches or camp fires. We left you with the idea that each year fires destroy forests equal in size to Indiana. Here's a few more to think about that "Woody" hands out: Enough sawtimber is burned each year to build 86,000 modern homes, houses that go up in smoke before they are built. That's not all—fires each year destroy enough timber to print all the US newspapers. But that's not half the story: When trees burn, people lose their jobs. To be continued.

Those southern European countries are all alike. They just want their own brand of politics and religion, and exclude all others, all bad, they think. According to the current issue of Scottish Rite News Bulletin, which we have just perused, the Spanish government has appropriated the sum of \$90,909.00 to fight Freemasonry. This information comes from a Spaniard, now living in the United States from the former Spanish Republic regime, now in exile. The man, J. Alvarez Del Vargo, was once the Republican minister to the USA. Yet a lot of narrowheads at Washington want to recognize Franco's Spain, and begin turning over millions of American money to that motley bunch.

It is a well known fact through much publicity, that Gov. Allan Shivers wants the reaction of the people of Texas, how to raise the some 25 million dollars that will be needed to properly finance the building and enlarging of Texas eleemosynary institutions. Then we will not be ashamed that we call everything in Texas the greatest, best and biggest. Those millions must be forthcoming to properly care for our unfortunate folks, the following is our suggestion: Dear Gov. Shivers: As you suggested in one of your talks, we can hike the tax on natural resources, or we can get the money by a sales tax, inheritance tax, or just a plain old bond issue. In either case, as you suggested, the people will pay the taxes in the final analysis. The Herald being one of the individuals or institutions that helped elect you as Lieut.-Governor, as well as the members of the legislature, we expect you folks that are better trained in legislative matters than we, to find the best way. But for gosh sakes, Governor, try to urge those boys to get down to work and not mess around three or four weeks, after they get to Austin. Thanks for reading.

The more we learn about the matter, the better we are pleased with the fact that old Texas has played shy of that thing they call the "fair price law." The big manufacturers of the north and east have tried to ram this law through just about every legislature that has met in Austin in recent years, and so far without success. A recent occurrence in

Psst---Your Deficit's Showing



California, where they have this "fair trades law" refreshes our repugnance against the law. A man was arrested, we believe for selling wine too cheap. And the poor guy was really manhandled by the police as if he had been a murderer. Perhaps the man was overstocked on some brand, and merely proposed to give some folks who drink wine, a bargain. But suppose it had been bread, butter or bacon instead of wine? We hope the citizenship of Texas never permit outsiders to dictate what the people will have to pay to get their stuff. If so, you can bet your last dollar it will be at a price that is plenty high.

It is a pity that our president has reached the point that he cannot emphasize his points without the use of Billingsgate. It is a poor reflection on our nation when the chief executive gets into the gutter. The whole world is listening to the USA and its officials. Not so long ago, Mr. Truman referred to a news commentator as a s. o. b., and just the past week, when newsmen wanted his reaction to Jimmy Byrnes being a candidate for governor of South Carolina. It is reported that HST said he "didn't give a d---n what Byrnes did." This all brings to mind that after Byrnes kinder got fed up with new dealism and quit the State Dept., Mr. Truman wrote him hinting that his recent expressions reminded him of Brutus and Caesar. Meaning of course that Byrnes was the Brutus that stabbed Mr. Truman in the back. Jimmy just wrote right back that he (Byrnes) was no Brutus, and that he didn't consider Mr. Truman a Caesar. That perhaps was the reason HST used the above ugly word about Byrnes' candidacy.

There is no limit to the amount of taxes the federal government can impose on the people. There was until 1913, when the present law was passed, known as the 16th amendment to the constitution. It was recently brought out that some senator at that time

wished to make the constitutional limit 5 percent, and stated that some day the government might impose as much as 5 percent. Other senators laughed at him. That was a matter of 36 years ago, and now the amount ranges from 25 percent on up to almost all income in the higher brackets. As the present bunch of spenders get more and more in power, they may take every dime the people earn. While on earth, Christ taught, he that would be the highest, must be the servant of all. That idea has been reversed in modern times.

Last week the Gaines County News, Seagraves, had an article about their fire department making a run to the Ashmore gin, too late, but later another to Loop in time to prevent a costly conflagration, perhaps. But, and here's the rub, Seagraves has only one fire engine, no money to buy another—and what if a big fire had broken out while it was away? That was the question posed by Editor Vanzant, although he believes in Seagraves helping rural communities all it can. He suggested a fire district of some ten square miles, and with that addition, perhaps another fire truck could be purchased. The Herald may be mistaken; it often is, but was not the proposition of rural fire districts one of the two constitutional amendments of the ten that passed last November in the knock down and drag out election?

Remember folks, there are going to be a whale of a lot of candidates to thin out come the fourth Saturday in July. And unless you are armed with one of those little poll tax receipts, you will be no better than a Chink—beg pardon, we forgot about the good neighbor policy. We meant a Chinaman, of course. If you did not become 21 since the first of January, or 60 before that time, better get a poll tax receipt. Herbert Chesshir and his clerks will be glad to fit you out as a citizen.

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Mayor of Gomez Calls on Herald

Or old friend and fellow traveler, J. J. Whitley now of this city, but for many years designated as the mayor of Gomez, was in to see us last week. His call was to renew for the Herald going to his daughter, Mrs. Parnell, Santa Ana, Calif.

And we might mention that while we try to laugh about the mayor of Gomez, and Lee O. Allen, as holding the same position at Tokio, we might remind some of the newer folks that Gomez did almost have a semi-official mayor one time.

Along about 1909, the late Col. J. T. Gainer was just that, except that he was called the President of the Commercial Club. That was before the advent of Chambers of Commerce. And the Colonel made a good one.

About that time, the Gomez folks got a young fellow and wife out from Dallas who started a newspaper, the Gomez Tribune, we believe. He was a nice young fellow, but somehow a city slicker and those old pioneer settlers didn't Gee-Haw just right, and after a few months, he closed up and returned to Dallas.

At that time, Gomez was a bit larger than Brownfield, about 250 to 200 we'd say, and there was just a bit of the old animosity left from the county seat fight. We were just a newcomer, but the fact we settled in Brownfield was enough to charge the dog of being in the wrong manger. There was talk of another election even after we came.

Finally, after the railroad came to Brownfield, and several of the stores and houses were moved here, Gomez as a village began to deteriorate; the old timers shook hands and called it a day, and no more was said about a county seat election.

For many years after we came here, a man from Gomez running for office was almost sure fire for election. Not only would the Gomezites support him to a man, but many Brownfieldites.. The latter figured when the guy was elected, he would move to Brownfield, which most did, with the exception of assessors.

Will tell you a bit more about those old times some day. It's a bit safer to mention such matters at this day and time.

That fine lady, Mrs. Opal Parker, called last week to renew. No one can help like Mrs. Parker. She just has a way that makes friends.



WAYLAND A. CAPELLA CHOIR—The Wayland a capella choir, shown above, is directed by Ben W. Shanklin, voice and organ teacher at Wayland. Among the basses is Alfred Brian, son of Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Brian of this city.

High School Honor Students Named.

The below named Brownfield high school students made the honor roll for the third six weeks period, having made an average of 90 or above in all major subjects, with no grade below 80.

Freshmen: Richard Ridgeway, Wesley Price, Marilyn Willis, Kay Szydloski, Jane Anderson, Ronny Daniell, Leah Dale Portwood, Herbie Kendrick, Max Black.

Sophomores: John Odell, Don Jones, Bobbie Bingham.

Juniors: Linda Hudson, Onagene Walker, Sandra Bailey, Harlene Glenn, Juanelle Greenfield, Mary Jane Duffy, Etheleene Bucy.

Seniors: Annie Grace Nicholson, Nancy Wier, Herbert Brannan, Donald Moore, Janelle Thompson.

We are glad to have Mrs. H. O. Longbrake back on our subscription list. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Longbrake began to take the Herald soon after they moved here from Illinois years ago, and with the exception of a few months recently, have read the Herald.

TOKIO NEWS

Mrs. Dave Ramsour is in the hospital with rheumatic fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Blount are the parents of a girl, born Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hughlett of Plains visited in the Kelley Ware home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sherrin and son, Jimmy, spent the week end in the Roy Taylor home at Muleshoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Beasley of Hobbs are visiting in the L. G. Norris home.

Don Tuttle spent Sunday with Glenn Holmes in Johnson.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to our many friends for their kindness, sympathy, and co-operation shown us in the loss of our beloved Wayne.

We also thank everyone for the food and the many beautiful flowers.

May God's richest blessings be with each and every one of you.

The Gregg family

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New Correspondent Writing for Plains

For the time being at least, Mrs. J. P. Robertson will write the Plains items. Indeed she started in last week, and we think she did great for the first try. Mrs. Robertson is to call soon and have a chat about the matter.

In the meantime, we ask those with society, church or school news at Plains to get in touch with Mrs. Robertson. She, as well as the Herald will appreciate it.

We wish to thank our old faithful, Mrs. J. H. Morris for helping to locate a writer at Plains. And we are glad to report that Mrs. M. is getting better from treatment she is receiving here from her physician.

Something new to us at least has happened down at Hardin-Simmons U., at Abilene. They are starting some Saturday classes for folks who are off duty the day and wish to pep up on their learning. Four courses will be the starter, art, business administration, Home Ecs. and history.

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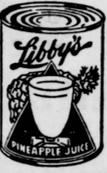
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The Insemination Birth Problem

By Clarke Beach
 WASHINGTON—(AP)—What right has a doctor to take a life? That's one of the physician's oldest legal and moral problems. What right has a doctor to help create life? That's a fairly new problem for medical men. The modern techniques of artificial insemination created it.

Churchmen and lawyers for centuries have argued about "mercy killings," such as the one for which Dr. Hermann N. Sander was recently indicted at Manchester, N. H. Now they are drawing the battlelines for the newer controversy. Is it morally or legally right for a woman to have a baby by use of the life germ of a man who is not her husband, even though the husband consents and a doctor engineers the project: Or is it adultery?

enormously complex. In criminal prosecutions or civil litigation over these issues, doctors could become involved as agents or accessories. Both medical and legal men have done a lot of thinking and worrying about the possibilities. Actually there has been very little court action regarding artificial insemination—but that very fact leaves the physician all the more in the dark as to his rights and liabilities. Doctors who perform an artificial insemination often view it as an act of mercy or charity. A couple long frustrated in their hope for children come to him with the plea to enable the wife to have a child. It is often an act of desperation, on which all their future happiness seems to depend. They won't be satisfied to adopt a baby. They want a child that will be at least half theirs.

If the doctor agrees, he must act with extreme secrecy to protect all the parties concerned. He must choose a donor, the other man, who is youthful, healthy, intelligent, of good character and resembling the husband as much as possible. Neither the donor nor the couple must ever know the other's identity. Usually the donor is a hospital



KNOWS HIS STUFF—Richard Spicer, Jr., youngest handler in the amateur event of the annual trials of the Pinehurst, N. C. Field Trial Club, shows one of his "spicer" dogs. The Winston-Salem, N. C., lad handled his own entry like a veteran.

intern who needs extra money. He is paid \$5 or \$10 for a specimen, and he often donates to one recipient repeatedly over a period of months—neither, of course, ever seeing the other. One specimen was carried 500 miles by airplane. After the baby is conceived, here are some complications that might arise:

Suppose the husband or wife has a change of heart. Could they charge the physician with abetting a rape or adultery? What will be the status of the child if the couple become divorced? If potential heirs later find out that the husband is not the father, can they deny the child his inheritance on the grounds of illegitimacy?

Suppose the donor resorts to blackmail. Or suppose he claims that he unwittingly had been used in a medical experiment. Suppose the donor's wife objects to her husband being the father of another woman's baby? Does the child have any right to claim the donor as his legal parent? Or could the mother subsequently sue the donor for the support of the child?

To protect themselves, most doctors require that all parties concerned, husbands and wives on both sides, sign statements agreeing to the procedure and freeing the doctor of all liability. New York City requires that such records be kept. But if the names are thus recorded, there is no guarantee of perpetual secrecy. So some doctors outside of New York never require any such statements.

The month from January 20 to February 20 has been designated as Pecan Tree Planting Month in Texas. The program is being sponsored by the Garden Clubs of Texas.

MODEL TURNS TAXIDERMIST

DECATUR, Ill.—(AP)—Lola Reab, 1927 midwest beauty contest winner and model, is living in nearby Niantic in retirement working as an amateur taxidermist. She also finds time to do outside work on a farm. She raises hogs and chickens, and does carpentry work.

Frozen water pipes and hydrants cut off the winter supply of water for farm livestock and poultry. The use of electrical heating cable or frost-proof hydrants will solve the problem. Remember that water is just as necessary to livestock and poultry in the winter as in the summer.

Have A Home Heating Problem?

COLLEGE STATION, Jan. 27—New home construction and remodeling in rural areas is expected to continue at about the present rate and coupled with home building comes another important consideration—home heating. W. S. Allen, extension agricultural engineer—buildings of Texas A & M. College, says there is now available a new 24-page illustrated booklet, "Your Farmhouse . . . Heating," that should be of special interest to families who plan to build new homes and to those who are remodeling or replacing old heating systems in their present home.

New developments in home heating equipment are discussed in the booklet and include such systems as baseboard radiators and panel heating. There are also sections on fuels, burners, and automatic controls with information the householder should have in mind when discussing plans with the local dealer.

The first step in installing heating equipment is to consult a competent heating contractor, says Allen. Proper installation is a key to comfortable and economic heating and equipment should be bought that has been designed specifically for the fuel to be used, continues Allen. Coal or wood burners can be converted to oil or gas but they usually do not have sufficient heating surface for efficient heating. Those who plan to burn oil but may later want to convert to a solid fuel will be wise to start with a coal-burning unit. Coal and wood require a larger fire pot than oil or gas.

If you are buying a boiler, which is required for all hot-water, steam, or vacuum systems, look for the rating stamp. Cast-iron boilers are stamped I-B-R (Institute of Boiler and Radiator Manufacturers) and steel boilers SBI (Steel Boiler Institute).

Control Hog Mange With Lindane

COLLEGE STATION, Jan. 27—Lower hog prices are a challenge to every pork producer. The cheapest, most practical and efficient methods of production must be used if the income from hogs is to be kept on a profitable basis for the producer. One of the most important considerations according to E. M. Regenbrecht, extension swine husbandman of Texas A & M College, is to keep the hogs healthy.

In the early spring, he says, a common cause for unthriftiness among hogs in Texas is mange. It spreads from animal to animal and most of the mange on pigs come from their mothers. So, he says, if you keep your brood sows free from mange, you will have little trouble with many pigs.

For treatment at this time of the year, Regenbrecht recommends a single spraying with lindane. There are several reasons for using lindane—the pure gamma isomer of benzene hexachloride—over using ordinary BHC. Lindane can be used right up to marketing time, and it does not have the undesirable musty odor of regular BHC.

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M. J. Prucha, professor of dairy bacteriology at the University of Illinois, worked with the company during the development of the new unit. He says the pressure cooker method of sterilization has been tested and proved under the most severe bacteriological conditions.

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Sgt. Rambo With Signal Corps In Germany

BAD TOLZ, Germany, Jan. 27—Helping 1st Signal Company of the war-famed First Infantry Division celebrate the fifty-first anniversary of its organization here this week is Sergeant Charles B. Rambo of Brownfield.

The sergeant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Rambo of Brownfield, has worn the khaki-green of Uncle Sam since September 1940. He has served in the Alaskan Defense Command and in both the Pacific and European theaters of operation.

Sergeant Rambo's company is the oldest signal organization in the U. S. Army. The anniversary day celebration in which he will participate will include a program of athletic competitions, presentation of awards, and an inspection by the Commanding General of the U. S. Army in Europe, Lt. General Clarence R. Huebner. Festivities will close with a gala dinner for all members of the company.

Some 1,800 home demonstration club members in eight central Texas counties, during 1949, worked out new methods for doing at least one housekeeping job. The work simplification program sponsored by the Extension Service of the Texas A & M College system and extension specialists trained the leaders who in turn passed the information on to the club members.

A new 24 page illustrated booklet, "Your Farmhouse Heating" can be secured from the Government Printing Office, Washington, 25, D. C. for 15 cents.



FATHER AND SON REUNITED—Hirokichi Kumazawa, right, self-styled pretender to the Japanese throne, greets his 26-year-old son, Takanobu Kumazawa, just returned to Osaka after four years in a Siberian prisoner of war camp. Father was shocked to learn that his son wants to join the Japanese Communist Party. Takanobu was like others who were Red-indoctrinated by the Soviets.

With the Eighth United States Army

CHIGASKI, Japan—Private Joseph E. Smith, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smith, 1001 North Third Street, Brownfield, is serving with Company "A" 71st Heavy Tank Battalion, which is in the Famous First Cavalry Division. This unit is stationed about twenty five miles south-west of Yokohama, Japan, on the shores of Sagami Bay, a part of the Pacific Ocean.

Pvt. Smith is assigned to the Headquarters platoon of this company, where his duties are those of half-track driver. The

half-track is a vehicle with two wheels in front, but instead of rear wheels there are two tracks, much like tank tracks. This vehicle is also heavily armored. It is Private Smith's responsibility to drive this vehicle on all of the maneuvers in which this organization participates, as well as to maintain it and keep it in top shape at all times.

Private Smith first enlisted in the Navy in May, 1946, and after his tour of duty expired with the Navy he reenlisted in the Army, volunteering for the occupation of Japan. He arrived in Japan on September 30, 1949.

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Texans In Washington

By Tex Easley
AP Special Washington Service
WASHINGTON, Jan. 20—(AP)—What's your idea of the Washington life of Texas members of Congress?

You're wrong if you imagine they live in swanky, silk-stocking neighborhoods. Their homes are much like those of any moderate-income family man in any Texas city large enough to have apartment houses and suburbs.

Only 12 of the 23 members of the Lone Star delegation reside in the District of Columbia, with its population of nearly a million. Seven live in Virginia, in nearby Alexandria and Arlington; the remaining four live in Maryland. Eleven of the Texans live in "detached" homes, as distinguished from the so-called "row" house common in the East. The others live in apartments in the District and in Arlington.

Those who own homes in the District are Senators Tom Connally and Lyndon B. Johnson and Rep. Ed Gossett of Wichita Falls and Paul Kilday of San Antonio.

Incidentally, Senator Johnson has J. Edgar Hoover as an across-the-street neighbor.

Rep. Albert Thomas of Houston rents a house in the District. Those who own or rent a house in nearby Maryland are Reps. J. Frank Wilson of Dallas, Olin E. Teague of College Station, Lloyd Bentzen Jr. of McAllen and Ken Regan of Midland; those with Virginia house are Reps. Tom Pickett of Palestine and Wingate Lucas of Fort Worth.

Ten years ago Kilday was the only one who had contracted to buy a home. That was when congressmen sometimes feared political repercussions if they owned property here; times have changed that line of thinking. It's the high prices that now hold most of them back.

Speaker Sam Rayburn of Bonham has an apartment fairly close to downtown Washington.

Living in apartment buildings in the District also are Reps. George Mahon, Colorado City; W. R. Poage, Waco; Omar Burleson, Anson; Wright Patman, Texarkana. Rep. Clark Thompson of Galveston has an apartment at the Wardman Park Hotel.

Reps. J. M. Combs of Beaumont, Gene Worley of Shamrock and John E. Lyle live in the Buckingham apartment development about six miles from the capitol in Arlington. Reps. Lindley Beckworth of Gladewater and Homer Thornberry of Austin live about the same distance in another section of Arlington, in the Fairlington apartment development.

Most of the Texas congressmen are fathers, and 14 of them have a total of 36 children 'teen age or younger.

POLISH JEWS STILL ON MOVE

TEL AVIV—(AP)—Jewish authorities directing the "ingathering of the exiles" hope 20,000 Jews will come to Israel from Poland in 1950 to find a new home. About 100,000 Jews from Poland are now believed to be here.

Polish authorities recently have tended to let the bars down on Jewish immigration to Israel. In recent weeks, several large transports of Polish Jews have arrived here.

Available estimates indicate 50,000 and 60,000 Jews remain in Poland out of a pre-war population of 3,600,000. The Nazis were said to have wiped out 3,000,000. Hundreds of thousands have been scattered in various countries since the war.

Low Down From Hickory Grove

You know, from one angle, our young folks are in a dilemma. They see the Govt. finger being pointed at anybody who has gotten far enough along to get his name in the paper—or maybe his picture. To be undesirable, you qualify quick by being self-supporting, or big, or helping make some venture a success. Why take hold of something small or new and by the use of elbow grease build the small venture into something big. Where is the point along the route where the little venture changes its coat from being "deserving and desirable" to being "undesirable." That is the dilemma question.

There is difference—but not big

—between the way Russia runs all business, big and little, and the way we operate here in our own grand land. Our own Govt. is bending every effort toward being the Big Smoke, too, like Russia, by putting rocks on the track of little business soon as it shows signs of making speed under its own steam.

As one sample, take Edison and his motor and his lamp. Little fellows built up poles and wires to supply the power—did a good job—but now what. The Govt. is elbowing in and pushing out the folks who made a little new business into something important—*big*. A dilemma for our young folks, I call it.

Yours with the low down,
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- * Tapered Shadowline Styling—Full-length doors, rugged and rigid. New styling reduces floor space required.
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- * "Tight-Wad" Refrigerating Unit—Quiet, economical, never needs oiling—manufacturer's 5-year warranty riveted to back of cabinet.
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- * Porcelain Enamel Interiors—Acid-resistant bottoms. Rounded corners make cleaning easy. Nothing to catch dirt.

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GLUM SKI FAN—Expert skier Heidi Stahle, of Helsinki, Finland, is a bit dejected by the non-skiing weather in New York upon her arrival at La Guardia Airport recently. The weatherman just wouldn't give her any promise at all.

We take the Woes and Worries out of Weather



ONE of the grandest things about your Buick is the way you can ignore the season—chew your way through gravel and dust alike, splash through the wet stretches, snug and secure even on slippery pavements.

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Rough road conditions call for special attention to your lubricants. Tires should be checked for correct inflation—for deep, clean tread that bites on a slick surface. Brakes won't stop you with a sure and gentle touch if the master cylinder needs more fluid, or if an air-bubble has worked itself into the line. These things, and more, should be checked to keep your Buick at its best.

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GOMEZ GOSSIP

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Christenson of Lubbock were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Christenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cowell of Meadow have moved to the Gomez community.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Peadles and children are visiting in east Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Schofield and children visited at Lubbock Sunday with his mother, Mrs. M. Schofield.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Fox and daughters visited over the week end at Mineral Wells with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Newberry.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wooley visited his sister in Lubbock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Paden visited with Glen Paden and family in Brownfield Sunday.

A. B. Buchanan attended a dairy short course at A & M college last week and remained to visit with relatives in Bryan over the week end.

Ned Kempson and family of Denver City visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Kempson before moving to Houston last week.

Mrs. T. L. Burns was in charge of Bible study when the W.M.U. met in her home Monday. Seven members attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Allegly of Odessa were week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Rutledge and children visited Sunday at Lubbock in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Doss.

College students who spent the week end with home folks were Miss Nellie Carter, student nurse at West Texas Hospital in Lubbock, and Miss Wanda Swain and Maurice Martin, both students at Draughon's Business college at Lubbock.

Wes Key, who has been confined to his bed for several weeks, is reported improving.

Mrs. W. M. Wooley is visiting at Abilene.

The Rev. and Mrs. T. L. Burns were called to Wellington Thursday, where he conducted funeral services for a friend.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Paden are moving to Abilene this week, where he will enter Abilene Christian college.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Maynard of Meadow were visitors Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bolen.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Webb and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Hub King attended the air show at RAFB at Lubbock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bolling of El Paso spent last week end with her sister, Mrs. John B. King and family and her brother, J. D. Miller and family.

Two Bank Officials Left Out Last Week

After the last issue of the Herald was bedded down, it was then too late to make any correction of two of the important officials of the Brownfield State Bank and Trust Co., that were left out of the writeup. No, it was not deliberate. One of the main reasons was lack of time, as the writer had been out of town. And perhaps a bit senile, if you like, at which time memory is not up to par.

Take the case of Sawyer Graham, one of the assistant cashiers. It so happens that we were at the Methodist church when his dad and mother, the late E. A. Graham and Mrs. Graham were married, the first couple we saw married in Terry county, way back about 1909. We saw Sawyer grow up from childhood to manhood; attend the public schools and then the New Mexico Military Institute at Roswell.

We saw him as he volunteered his service in the late war, go overseas as a Lieutenant, and in charge of a fleet of trucks, saw to it that food and ammunition were supplied to the advancing American army across France and Germany. Then, when the hostilities were over, he came home after discharge, and assumed his place in the family of the then Brownfield State Bank, as assistant cashier.

Sawyer seems to spend more time aiding new employees in learning their work, and in the collection department than at the cashier's window, and for that reason, we guess, he was overlooked.

The other was R. N. (Mack) McClain. For many years before the war, he was Terry county farm agent, and one of the most popular we have ever had. He was liked by both the farmers and business men. That disarming smile that he always wears was the answer.

He, too, did his stretch in the armed services in a technical way during the late unpleasantness with Hitler's bunch. And being a graduate of A & M, was naturally an officer. When it was all over, over there, he returned to old Terry and was given the agricultural program of the bank to look after.

His business is primarily with farmers, either with an office at the bank, or out consulting with and advising farmer customers of the bank on things connected with better farming efforts, etc.

Frankly we don't think either Sawyer or Mack gave a tinker's dam about us ignoring them, and believe they both realize it just an oversight. In fact both so stated. But the Herald truly regrets the oversight.

Birth Announcement
A La Oil Route

Yep, petroleum engineer Deral M. Brewer and wife, Marion M. Brewer, took a rather unique way of announcing their first born, Marion Alyce, who arrived just after Christmas. The announcements he had printed at the Herald office read as follows:

Brewer Petroleum Corporation, Production Report, Petroleum Engineer, Deral H. Brewer, Geologist, Marion M. Brewer, announce their first big strike. Name: Marion Alyce Brewer, date, December 28, 1949, location, Treadaway-Daniell Hospital, Brownfield, Terry County, Texas.

Of course the young couple had the above paragraph laid out more in the form of the regulation announcements of the stork's arrival. Anyway, congratulations.

RICHARDSON RECENTLY RECEIVES PROMOTION

Announcement has been made by Colonel James A. DeMarco, acting commanding officer of the 509th Bomb Wing, Walker Air Force Base, Roswell, N. M., of the promotion of Pfc. Ernest A. Richardson to the rank of Corporal.

Cpl. Richardson, who formerly resided at Brownfield, is a member of the 509th Air Refueling Squadron.

The 509th Bomb Wing, "the first of the Atom Bomb specialists," is a part of the Eighth Air Force under the Strategic Air Command.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Webb and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Hub King attended the air show at RAFB at Lubbock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bolling of El Paso spent last week end with her sister, Mrs. John B. King and family and her brother, J. D. Miller and family.

CHALLIS NEWS

We had a nice crowd at church last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Henderson spent Sunday in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Judson Henderson.

Fred Howard and family from Haskell visited in the Lence Price home this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Garner and daughter, Avenell, visited in the Clint Carter of Plainview this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Carroll visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Carroll Sunday.

Miss Wanda Langford spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Langford.

Mrs. L. P. Carroll has been on the sick list this week. We hope she will be well soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gray visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Langford, this past week end.

Wayne and Billy Bagwell spent Sunday with Melvin Carroll.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Zinn spent Sunday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Zinn.

MOTHER CLAIMED

Funeral services were held in Westbrook Monday for Mrs. Albert L. Moore, 60, mother of Mrs. Carmon Stephenson of Ropesville and Mrs. Violet Curtis of Meadow.

Other survivors include her husband; one other daughter, six sons, and 17 grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Fallis visited in Snyder Sunday.

FOR SALE

2400 ACRES for sale, all in cultivation, good improvements. Will sell in 320 acre tracts or all in one body. Priced from \$25.00 to \$35.00 per acre.

320 ACRES for sale. All in cultivation. Well improved on pavement. \$40.00 per acre.

320 ACRES, two-thirds tight land. Fair improvements \$45.00 per acre.

Possession on all above land for 1950.

ROBERT L. NOBLE
Brownfield Building
Phone 320

PLAINS NEWS

Uncle Trudy Ward, as he was called by all who knew him, passed away at the home of a nephew in Midlothian, Texas, Jan. 13th. He was 88 years of age. He was one of the first settlers in Youkum county, and was an extensive property owner until disposing of his property about three years ago. Those attending the funeral from Plains were Mr. and Mrs. D. B. McGinty and Steve; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bookout and Susie, and Donald Bookout and mother.

There will be a Red Cross meeting in the district courtroom Friday, Jan. 27th at 2 p.m., for the purpose of reorganizing the chapter for the coming year. Bob Rollen, representative of the National chapter will be present. Everyone invited.

Mrs. C. F. McCargo and Mrs. Bob Wyley, were shopping in Lubbock, Saturday.

The new high school building which replaces the one burned on Thanksgiving, 1948, is about completed. Furniture, seats, etc., are being installed. The class rooms are well arranged, as are the lockers for the students. A most modern Home Ecs. Dept., and science hall are features. The length of the building is 203 feet by 215 feet wide.

Mrs. Bill H. Lowell and Mrs. M. W. Luna, were Lubbock visitors Tuesday.

Hugh Robinson and family moved to Lubbock Thursday. We regret to lose this family, but wish for them every success in their new location.

Mrs. S. McDonald is visiting her daughter in Hobbs, N. M., this week.

Otto Baker, who is in charge of the market at the Red and White store, has moved a house up from Denver City, and after remodeling it, will move his family to Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. M. McGinty attended the Golden Wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Draper at Tahoka, Sunday.

Hospital News

MEDICAL PATIENTS: Mrs. Homer Casseaux of Brownfield, Pat Howard of Plains, Mrs. Charles McCanal of Loop, Mrs. A. L. Issiac of Tokio, and Mrs. M. B. Chisress of Brownfield.

ACCIDENT PATIENTS: Miss Cracey Bookout of Kermit and J. D. Faught of Brownfield.

SURGICAL PATIENTS: Mr. Noah Bell of Brownfield, Vilda Foster of Seagraves, S. F. Easley of Sundown, Mrs. L. P. Carroll of Meadow and Mrs. W. D. Snyder of Brownfield.

Congratulations to . . .

Mr. and Mrs. James Lawrence Gunn Sr., of Brownfield on the birth of a son, Howard Taylor born Jan. 18, weighing 9 lbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Kenneth Coppersmith of Tatum, N. M. on the birth of a girl, Eva Mae, born Jan. 19, weighing 5 lbs., 11 1-4 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Haggard of Brownfield on the birth of a girl, Vickie Lynn, born Jan. 19, weighing 9 lbs., 9 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Blum of Tokio on the birth of a girl, born Jan. 22, weighing 7 lbs. 5 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Arthur Beach of Brownfield on the birth of a girl, Mary Jean, born Jan. 20, weighing 6 lbs., 3 1/2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lockett of Meadow on the birth of a girl, born Jan. 24, weighing 9 lbs., 9 oz.

Saw Mrs. Charles Roberts Jr., of the Andrews News, one day last week at a local cafe. They were, she stated on their way to Levelland for a visit. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Travis lived here at the time she and Charles were married. But we believe she stated they lived at Corpus Christi now.

SERVICES HELD FOR GUNN INFANT

Funeral services were held January 18 in the West Side Baptist church for Howard T. Gunn, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gunn. The Rev. W. T. Sparkman officiated.

Besides his parents, the child is survived by five brothers and sisters and his grandparents, all of Brownfield.

Burial was in Terry County Memorial Cemetery, under the direction of Brownfield Funeral Home.

Notice of Sale of County Land

By virtue of an order of the Commissioners Court of Terry County, Texas, made on January 9th, 1950, appointing me as Commissioner directing and empowering me as such to sell and dispose of certain real estate, described as follows:

The undivided one-half interest of Terry county, in and to Lots Nos. 21 and 22 in Block No. 52 in the original town tract of the city of Brownfield, as shown by the recorded plat of such town. Meaning the real estate only, the building now on said lots to be retained by the County. Known as the old Legion Hall site.

I will at 10 o'clock a.m. on February 6th 1950, at the Court house door in Brownfield offer for sale, and sell to the highest bidder at public auction, the above described property. The terms of such sale shall be for all cash to be paid on delivery of deed. I, as such commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Witness my hand at Brownfield Texas this January 10th 1950.

H. R. WINSTON
Agent and Commissioner

DONALD PRICE FINISHES AT JUNIOR COLLEGE

Mr. and Mrs. Gay Price announced this week, that their son, Donald, who has been attending Cisco Junior College, will graduate this week end. We believe they plan to attend and bring him home.

Mrs. Price stated that Donald would seek work here through the spring and summer, and this fall enter some four year college.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this method of thanking all of our neighbors and friends who were so nice to us in the death of our dear wife and mother. The flowers and food, and all other help was greatly appreciated. May God richly bless each of you is our prayer.

J. W. Ball and Hazel
Mr. and Mrs. Lester Caswell
Mr. and Mrs. Hadley Kern and family
Mr. and Mrs. Alvia Morris and daughter

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this opportunity to thank each of you who helped with food offerings and kindness during our recent sorrow in the death of G. C. Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Beasley
Mr. and Mrs. Son Beasley
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Beasley
Mrs. Lee Wallace

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of expressing our heartfelt gratitude to our friends and neighbors for the many expressions of sympathy shown us during our recent bereavement.

Mrs. J. C. Jordan, Dean and Carolyn
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Jordan
Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Jordan
Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Adams and family
Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Watkins and family
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McCutcheon and family

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Carl E. Gaunt
GREETING:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 27th day of February, A. D., 1950, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Terry County, at the Court House in Brownfield, Texas.

Said Plaintiff's petition was filed on the 18 day of November, 1949.

The file number of said suit being No. 3674.

The names of the parties in said suit are:

Johnnie Mae Gaunt as Plaintiff and Carl E. Gaunt as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit:

A suit for divorce, alleging marriage Nov. 25th 1940, separation on June 20th 1949, because of cruel and harsh treatment and improper conduct on the part of defendant toward plaintiff, and for custody of their three children, Linda a girl age 7; Georgia a girl age 3, and Michael T. a boy aged 2 years to be awarded to Plaintiff. That Plaintiff has resided in Texas for more than twelve months, and in Terry county for more than six months before filing this suit, that Defendant's residence is unknown.

Issued this the 9th day of January, 1950.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Brownfield, Texas, this 9th day of January A. D., 1950.

ELDORA A. WHITE
Clerk, District Court,
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Real Estate * 22

For Sale *
FOR SALE: Several houses, different sizes. Will sell on terms. See Sam Houtchens, Terry County Abstract Company. 27tfc

FOR SALE: Used bicycle, good condition. 220 Buckley, phone 321-R. 26-27-28p

FOR SALE: Large gas heater for store buildings, etc. Apply at Herald office.

FOR SALE: 2 hp electric motor GE make. In A1 condition, cheap. Apply at Herald office.

STRICKLIN CERAMIC SHOP
Ceramic supplies, and greenware for sale. Lessons taught in ceramics and copper work. Commercial kiln firing. Enroll anytime. 106 E. Broadway. tf

FOR SALE: 35 MM Mercury II and case. Ideal gift for Christmas. Bobby Jones, Knight Hardware.

FOR SALE: Guaranteed used refrigerators from \$60.00 Farm and Home Appliance Co. ttc

For Rent
FRONT BEDROOM, private entrance. 601 South 4th. 27p

Miscellaneous
WANTED: Two beauty operators. Sixty per cent commission. Apply at Cinderella Beauty Shop. 27-28c

FOR RENT: 6 room furnished house. Located one block east of Banner Ice Co. Phone 546-R. 27c

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E. A. WARD, 5 miles south of Wellman has for sale one Farmall regular tractor. Completely overhauled since used. Power lift and upright planters, new lister bottoms \$350.00. 27-28p

Real Estate * 22

FOR SALE: Five room house, close in on pavement, \$750 down. Call 591-M. 28p

FOR SALE: 3 bedroom house. 620 E. Main or call 303-W. 26tfc

FOR SALE: East half of Sec. 96, Block T, about 6 mi. south of Brownfield, 1 mi. east off farm to market road. Good well and windmill. House in poor condition. 98.8 acres cotton allotment for 1950. No minerals, but can give possession of place. \$35.00 per acre. State debt of about \$2100.00. Write or call Harry Wilbank, 611-38th, Lubbock, Phone 2-2051. 29p

Lost And Found
LOST: Pair of horn rimmed spectacles. Reward if returned to Clarence Griffith, phone 37-M. 27c

Saw Ed Neberry and daughter, Mrs. Shorty Nelson of Seminole on the streets one day last week. First time we have seen Ed since old Heck was a pup, and Heck is blind and toothless now. Ed lives in California where he follows the carpenter trade. He and wife are visiting relatives in Texas, among them being his brother, Clay of this city.

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- Half section Northwest Terry county. 12 acres pasture. Fair improvement. Four miles gin and store. 70 acres cotton. Five or six thousand loan. Price \$12,500.
- Half section on pavement, all cultivation. Fair farm improvement, electricity, one third minerals, 95 acres cotton. Price \$14,400. Good loan 4 1/2 %.
- Good quarter section. Cotton land. Without improvement. 145 a. cultivation. Price \$85 acre.
- If you have a good farm for sale and will sell and give possession, write or see me. D. P. CARTER Brownfield Hotel

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FARMERS!

We have opened offices in Brownfield on the west side of the square over Kyle Grocery in Rooms 4 and 5. We want to buy your cotton and are also interested in some qualities of equities.

Troutt Cotton Co.
See T. I. Brown

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Engagement of Miss Newman Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Newman are announcing the approaching marriage of their daughter, Ganelle, to the Rev. Jack Pearce, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Pearce.

The wedding will take place February 17 at 6:30 p.m. in the First Baptist Church. The Rev. A. Brian will officiate.

Miss Newman is a 1946 graduate of Brownfield high school and is now attending Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene. She received her bachelor of arts degree January 26.

The Rev. Pearce is pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church in Brownfield and is a student at Southwestern Theological Seminary.

Betrothal of Miss Morgan Announced

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Morgan of 220 South Second Street announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Nancy Evelyn, to Clarence Mack Ross, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ross of 902 East Tate Street.

The wedding will take place some time in March.

Miss Morgan and Mrs. Ross are both 1949 graduates of Brownfield high school. She attended Draughon's Business College at Lubbock, and he is a student at Baylor University.

Mrs. Bill McGowan Hostess to Club

Mrs. Bill McGowan was hostess to the Friday Afternoon Bridge Club when they met at her home at 3 p.m. January 20.

Cake and coffee were served to Mesdames W. A. Roberson, Dick Chambers, Sam Teague, Coleman Williams, Clyde Truly, Phil Gaasch, Tommy Hicks, Truett Flaiche, Edgar Self, Jim Finley, R. E. Kiofanda, and George Weiss.

Mrs. Teague received high prize and Mrs. Chambers was second high. Bingo prizes went to Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Gaasch.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Neal Entertain at Party

Mr. and Mrs. George O'Neal were hosts when the Monday night bridge club met January 16 in the Seleta Jane Brownfield club house. Eleven couples, including members and guests, attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harris received high prize for club members, and second high went to Mr. and Mrs. George Germany. J. T. Bowman and Mrs. Sam Teague won club members bingo prizes.

High score for guests was won by Mr. and Mrs. Bill McGowan. Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Zorns were second high. Bingo prizes went to Mrs. Bobby Jones and J. T. Hoy.

Travelling prizes went to Jack Shirley and Mrs. R. E. Kiofanda.

NAMES OMITTED

The names of fourth grade honor students in the Gomez school were omitted last week. They are:

Yvonne Hortman, Patricia Lary, Mary Ethel Vest, Patsie Cowell, Travis Cowell, Evelyn Vest, Cora Lee Lary, and Janie Lary.

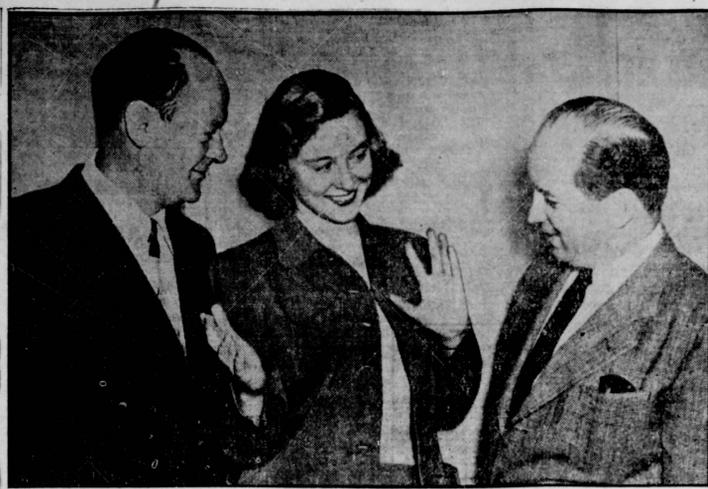
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SHIRLEY MAY TELLS HOW SHE FELT—"It seemed only this far away," says Shirley May France, Somerset, Mass., high school girl, in discussing her attempt last summer to swim the English Channel. Shirley plans to appear at the New England Winter Sportsman Show directed by Philip Perkins, right. Shirley's dad, J. Walter France, is at left. Pulled from the water under protest just seven miles from her goal Shirley vowed to swim the Channel in 1950.

Terry HD Council Met January 14

The Terry County Home Demonstration council met in the home demonstration agent's office Saturday, January 14 for its first 1950 monthly meeting.

The president called the meeting to order. A song was sung and a ten minute recreation period followed.

New council officers and members were introduced. Five of the eleven clubs were represented.

Chairmen and members of the 1950 committees were announced and plans were given for the coming year. Six of the resolutions were adopted.

After old and new business was transacted, Miss Helen Dunlap gave a short talk on "The Purposes and Functions of the County Home Demonstration Council."

Announcements were made, and the meeting was adjourned.

Ideal Club Met With Mrs. Walker

Mrs. Prentice Walker entertained the Ideal Bridge club Jan. 18 at 3 p.m. in the party room of the Esquire Restaurant.

A salad plate, pie and coffee were served to Mesdames Roy Herod, R. N. McClain, Harold Crites, A. A. Sawyer, C. L. Hafer, Jerry Kirschner, Jack Shirley, Ike Bailey, Roy Wingerd, Wilson Collins, W. A. Roberson and Hiram Parks of Lubbock.

Mrs. McClain scored high, and Mrs. Shirley was second high. Bingo prizes went to Mrs. Roberson and Mrs. Collins.

Pleasant Valley HD Club Met Jan. 6

The Pleasant Valley Home Demonstration club met with Mrs. Lester George on Jan. 6.

A short business meeting was conducted, with Mrs. Imo Riley in charge. New rules for 1950 were adopted. Miss Helen Dunlap concluded the meeting with a demonstration on "Furniture Arrangement."

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Riley, Evans, Hinson, George, Massingill, Forbes, Henson and Miss Dunlap.

Mrs. Hubert Hinson Hostess to HD Club

Mrs. Hubert Hinson was hostess when the Pleasant Valley Home Demonstration club met in her home January 20.

Mrs. Imo Riley, president, named the chairmen of all special committees.

Household pests was the topic of discussion.

Plans were discussed for possible club undertakings in the next year.

Refreshments of cherry pie, coffee and ice cream were served to Mesdames Riley, Massingill, Evans, Mancel Hinson and the hostess.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Mancel Hinson Feb. 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dugger visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Dugger in Lamesa Sunday. From there they went to Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sheppard and visited friends.

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Kolonial Kard Klub Met with Mrs. Davis

The Kolonial Kard Klub met with Mrs. E. C. Davis at 3 p.m. January 20.

Chicken a la king and fudge squares and coffee were served to Mesdames Walter Ford, Toke Howze, Mike Barrett, A. A. Sawyer, Jack Shirley, Mon Telford, Roy Wingerd, Roy Herod, Kyle Graves, O. W. Schellinger, and Rebecca Ballard.

High prize went to Mrs. Shirley and low went to Mrs. Howze. Mrs. Barrett binged, and Mrs. Herod won high for the guests.

JOHNSON NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Shover and boys of Paducah spent the week end in the C. A. Matney home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Peters and children visited Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Williams in Yoakum Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Holloway have moved to the Alton Loe place.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Bench are the parents of a baby girl born January 20.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Tuttle and children visited in Seagraves Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Murray and daughter, Juanita, visited in Slaton Sunday.

Mrs. M. C. Wade, who has been sick for the past two months, is now able to be up and around.

Rev. Steele preached at the Johnson Baptist Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ming of Austin have moved to the Stangle place.

Mrs. Marshall Holmes received word that her daughter-in-law, who was to have spent her vacation here last week, underwent an emergency operation in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Stangle have moved to Arkansas.

Mrs. Jack Bell was called to the bedside of her mother in Fort Worth last week.

Don Tuttle of Tokio visited Glen Holmes Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Steel were dinner guests in the H. Joyce home Sunday.

Willie Nokes is in the hospital. Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Porter from Big Spring visited in the L. A. Whitworth home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wheatley and children were dinner guests in the Paul Young home in Brownfield Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Henson Jr., of Denver City spent the week end in the T. F. Winn home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Holloway were called to the bedside of his grandmother, Mrs. J. W. Stall of Wellington Sunday.

The average American at 156 pounds of meat in 1948.

Johnson Club Met With Mrs. Holmes

The Johnson Home Demonstration club met at the home of Mrs. Marshall Holmes January 17. Roll call was answered.

Mrs. R. D. Jones, Sr., recreation leader, led a game of naming the 48 states.

The council report was given by Mrs. Holloway, president, in the absence of the delegate.

Mrs. Holmes was appointed to send cards to the sick. A 42 party to be given in the home of Mrs. Jones was voted to be a club social, honoring Mrs. Alton Loe who is moving away.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Hardin Joyce on Feb. 7. The program will be on rug making.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Holloway, Frank Tuttle, Holmes, Joyce and Jones.

Pleasure Club Met With Mrs. Barrett

The Pleasure bridge club met January 18 at the Esquire Restaurant, with Mrs. Mike Barrett as hostess.

Sandwiches and coffee were served to Mesdames Clyde Truly Tom Harris, John L. Cruce, Roy Wingerd, J. T. Hoy, E. L. Sturgess, George Germany, Walter Hord, C. C. Primm, Jack Hamilton, Frank Szydlowski, O. L. Stice, Jack Cleveland, Ted Hardy, J. T. Bowman, and Lee Brownfield.

Mrs. Hoy won high prize and Mrs. Hamilton won high member prize. Second high scorer was Mrs. Wingerd, and Mrs. Sturgess won bingo.

MRS. J. A. CORNETT HOSTESS TO HD CLUB

The Union Home Demonstration club met Jan. 19 in the home of Mrs. J. A. Cornett.

"The Household Pest That Has Cost Me Most, and How to Get Rid of Them" was discussed by the club members.

Mrs. W. Jones gave the council report.

Refreshments were served to seven members.

Jerald Harris, Nelson Brigance, and Clarence Rogers visited in the new Furr Food Store, which will be formally opened this week, in Monahans Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Dixon and son were in Abilene last week visiting his grandmother who is seriously ill.



JOHN REN SHEPPARD, 33-year-old Gladewater attorney, has been named one of the 10 outstanding young men in the United States for 1949 by the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce, the first time a Texan has been included on the list since 1936 when James V. Allred was selected. Sheppard gained worldwide fame during 1948 while serving as national president of the Jaycees. This year he won acclaim for originating the "Democracy Beats Communism" idea, known as the Gladewater Plan, which has spread over the country. More recently, he has been conducting a campaign for reorganization of the State government which he has dubbed "Our ox-cart State government with the fringe on top." Sheppard will receive his award at a banquet in Peoria, Ill., on Jan. 21.

Gee Gee's Chit Chat

Congratulations to John T. Kendrick, who was named Brownfield's Outstanding Young Man for 1949 at the annual Junior Chamber of Commerce banquet Monday night at the Esquire Restaurant. Johnny is a hard and conscientious worker for Brownfield, and I can't think of anyone more deserving than he is. And, if you know Johnny, and I suppose almost everyone does, you know that he is not only outstanding because of all the work that he does for the community, but he's also outstanding because he's one of the friendliest citizens we have. What Brownfield and Terry county needs is more Johnny Kendricks.

Speaking of the outstanding young man, one of the nation's leading cigarette manufacturers has a radio program every Wednesday night at 7:30 called "This Is Your Life." Last week, the man whose whole life was relived for him on the program was one of the 10 outstanding young men in the nation, chosen by the national Junior Chamber of Commerce, Charles Harting Percy, 31 years old and president of a large camera company.

Remember this time last year? All the trees were so loaded down with ice that their limbs cracked and broke off, and some people, like Clyde Lewis for instance, who had to eat off the mantle for a few days as a result of falling on the ice?

Being only human, there are some things that irritate me almost beyond endurance. One of those things is sandstorms. Another is people who gripe about things not being done or being only half-done, but who are never willing to contribute any of their time or talent toward improving matters.

But, as the old saying goes, there are two sides to every story. For instance, what is more wonderful than to wake up to a perfectly beautiful, calm day, after the sand has blown unrelentingly for a week? And as for the do-nothing-grippers, you rarely hear of any of these people tapping out at the age of 43 with a heart attack because they worked so hard for their church, their lodge, or their community, do you? As a matter of fact, I'm beginning to think some of them are going to live forever.

Hurrah for the chambers of commerce, both senior and junior in Brownfield. It seems that there is one thing we are all in accord with: none of us like to creep around in the dark. I was born and raised in a small town, but I can always remember having a street light somewhere on the block where I lived. Not only are the chambers of commerce

here stumping for further developments of lights, water, and sewage in certain sections of Brownfield, they are also on record as wanting to participate in the Canadian River dam project. Which is a wonderful thing, because it will assure us of plenty of water in the future to wash the sand off after a day like Tuesday. And the strain of paying for it will be no more noticeable than paying your monthly water bill because, you see, that's exactly how our water from the Canadian river dam pipeline will be paid for. Simple, isn't it? And some day, I'm going to sit down and give you all the dope on it. Anyway, chambers of commerce of Brownfield, I love you—especially if you help me get a street light and a water plug in my block.

If you are a music lover, but not the long-haired kind, then you'll surely be interested in buying a season ticket to the Brownfield Concert Association. We will have at least three concerts here this year, featuring some of the top artists in the nation, and the owner of a ticket to this association will also be entitled to use same ticket for concerts sponsored by the same concert service in several surrounding towns. In other words, if you don't run out of gas, you may be able to attend some 15 or 20 concerts per year. All for \$4.80. Call for Mr. Thomas at phone number 345 for further information.

And if you don't want to wait so long to hear some good music, all local talent, be sure to go to the band and chorus concert tonight at 8 p.m. at the high school auditorium. Being a firm believer in Richard Young's ability to get music out of a dodo bird if he just applied himself, I'm looking forward to hearing his kids perform tonight. And if you've ever heard them before, you won't want to miss this. That's 8 p.m., tonight, at the high school auditorium.

You have exactly four more days to pay your poll tax. If you, too, need a street light, get that poll tax paid so that you will have a right to say so.

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FEB. 2-3-4

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JANUARY 27

"The Devil's Henchmen"

JANUARY 28

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With Jimmy Wakley

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Think Now of Summer Jobs

BY I. R. HEGEL

WHILE ice still coats the ponds and snow lingers in the city yards, thoughts of vacation may seem distant removed from the winter scene. Yet many high school boys and girls are making their summer vacation plans right now. And they are—you guessed it—outdoor vacations with pay.

Last year Matt Goring surprised his senior high school classmates by returning to the September semester, bronzed, muscular and smiling.

"You must have had a honey of a vacation," his chums told him. Matt laughed. "I sure did," he acknowledged. "I'm \$500 richer besides. I had a job with the State Highway Department."

Matt was one of 800 boys who took part in Ohio's highway program in 1949. These youths went out in gangs on highway trucks, cutting weeds where growth obstructed the vision of motorists, trimming shrubbery, preparing soil and even doing shovel work on occasion.

Matt, as a result of his summer's work, has become interested in

landscape architecture in which he will now take special training. Government reserves, city parks, golf links, highways and real estate developments all need landscape architects. Matt's summer job could be the beginning of a lucrative life's career.

Do you like biology? State fish hatcheries often employ extra help in the summer season at good pay. Specialization may be recommended in this field, too, since it is definitely not an overcrowded one. And fish hatcheries, in most states, are on the increase.

A "forest lookout" is another summer job that appeals to teenagers on the rugged side because, for this position you must be prepared to live by yourself, 10 weeks in all, splitting wood, cooking from packaged goods and cans, doing your own laundry and washing windows more often than you have ever washed windows before. You must get up at 6 every day, telephone your ranger-station, make check watches 30 minutes apart and be on duty every day, all day, unless it is foggy. Pay is good and crews of teen-agers receive

four days of intensive instruction before assuming their posts. These rookies learn how to combat fires, how to meet the public, how to operate a radio, how to replace batteries and fuses, how to read a compass, take weather forecasts, read section maps, use a firefinder and care for tools.

Make applications to the headquarters of your National Forest Region. Six thousand forest lookouts are employed each summer, besides many other untrained workers who do everything from marking timber to building trails and taking supplies to the lookout.

THE Park Department in your local city is another familiar employer who engages many young people part-time in the city playgrounds when the warm days come. Those who like children and working with them may find this outdoor work to their liking.

Lifeguards at park-controlled beaches, lakes or ponds are for swimmers who can qualify and pass the necessary tests.

Outdoor jobs for the summer months are gaining increasing attention from high school students each year. Because many such jobs demand early application and some training, it is a good idea to start planning your summer months though winter is still with us.

You can have healthy outdoor summer living, developing your muscles and acquiring a coat of tan AND get paid for doing it. It's, according to those who have tried it, a superdupur way to spend a vacation.

Sure Cure

Young Albert was showing Sam his stamp collection. Sam was not duly impressed and finally said:

"The only stamps that do you any good are tuberculosis stamps—the kind you get at Christmas."

"But they only come out once a year," said Albert.

"Yes," said Sam, "but I always put 25 cents worth on my chest and I've never had tuberculosis yet."

Puzzle Patch

Products, Exports
Use the words and pictures in this rebus to learn about some products and exports of Arabia:



Riddles

1. Is it true that pepper is half peas?
2. What grows with its roots upward?
3. What goes out but never comes in?
4. What is the largest bird ever seen at the South Pole?
5. What food tastes hot but sounds cold?

Scrambled Sentence

The Puzzle Man had a little trouble with his sentence about Arabia. See if you can straighten it out:

Muscat best are interior The in Oman. the bred camels Arabia of in of the Sultanate

Mix-Ups

Rearrange the letters in the strange lines following to form the names of the five kingdoms, etc., which make up Arabia:

- RUB AA SAI AID
ME NEY
AUK WIT
NUT CAD SO AM MAN
SAND HAIL BAR SIN

Diamond
Most fertile part of Arabia is the PLATEAU of El Jebel, which forms a center for this word diamond. The second word is "measures of cloth," the third "to puff up," the fifth "to guide," and the sixth "an auricle."

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Puzzle Answers

PRODUCTS, EXPORTS: Camels and horses; Dried fish; Pearls; Barley.

STORYBOOK POSERS: 1—Came home. 2—Prince. 3—Hansel. 4—A horse. 5—Alice.

MIX-UPS: Saudi-Arabia; Yemen; Kuwait; Muscat and Oman; Bahrain Islands.

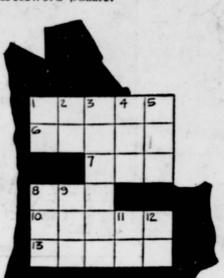
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SCRAMBLED SENTENCE: The best camels in Arabia are bred in the interior of the Sultanate of Muscat and Oman.

RIDDLES: 1—Yes. It has six letters; three of them are P. 2—An icicle. 3—A fire. 4—Admiral Byrd. 5—Chili.



Crossword
A silhouette of the Arabian peninsula serves as a base for this crossword puzzle:



ACROSS

- 1 Begin
- 6 Weird
- 7 Mimic
- 8 Cry softly
- 10 Old-womanish
- 13 Pester

DOWN

- 1 Southeast (ab.)
- 2 Symbol for tellurium
- 3 Our subject
- 4 Tear
- 5 Golf device
- 8 Was seated
- 9 Individual
- 11 Left side (ab.)
- 12 Eye (Scot.)

Storybook Posers

If you've read the stories, you'll find the answers to these posers:

1. Did Little Bo Peep's sheep go to market, to the fair, or come home?
2. Did a prince, a king, or her mother awaken the Sleeping Beauty?
3. Was Peter, David or Hansel the name of Gretel's brother?
4. Was Black Beauty a dog, a horse or a skunk?
5. Did a hunter, Goldilocks or Alice fall down a rabbit hole?

Hoedown Fun For Everybody

"HOEDOWNS" make perfect parties for spring. Teen-agers like the boisterous jamborees because there are no fuss and feathers attached to them. Everyone attends in jeans and plaid shirts. And the hoedown can be held anywhere from the basement to the barn.

Music should be furnished by a guitar, an accordion and a fiddle. These instruments provide the right atmosphere. If you cannot manage an old-time trio, do the next best thing by selecting the proper numbers, even if they must come via the record player. "Old Smoky," "Down in the Valley," and "Skip to My Lou" are first-rate hoedown tunes. You can find many more appropriate selections.

Should the crowd be unfamiliar with square-dancing, here is your chance to teach them. Call the steps. Confusion may result now and then but that adds to the fun. The boys and girls will all be square-dance fans before they return to their homes.

Take time from the dancing to sing a few dogie tunes. Pass out typewritten carbon copies of the ditties in order that everyone can warble the words to "Careless Love," "Red River Valley," and "Green Grow the Lilacs."

For laughs, start a Couple Race. This is the side-splitter where a boy and a girl stand back to back their arms interlocked. At a given signal, the boy starts running forward as fast as he can and the girl must follow him, sliding, falling or stumbling without disengaging her arms.

When the goal is reached—if it is—the boy runs backwards while the girl runs forwards. Prizes to the winning couple should reflect the pioneer spirit of a hoedown—a western hat for the boy, a sunbonnet for the girl.

Hoedowns are part of the countrywide revival of things American. You'll be voted a hostess-in-the-know if you're the first in your crowd to have one.



Rock Fantasies

1. Find a few smooth ROCKS about 4-inches long. They can be either round or oval or odd shaped.



2. Paint flowers, fish, birds or designs with POSTER PAINT on round or oval rocks.

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3. Paint the hollows of the odd shaped ones with different colors.



4. USE FOR PAPER WEIGHTS, PLACE CARDS or TABLE ORNAMENTS!

Teaching Teenagers How To Drive Cars

Texas and the other 47 states have joined in a common program designed to promote driver education in the high schools as a means of curbing teen-age recklessness on the highways and generally improving driving habits among the nation's future motorists. The Association of Casualty and Surety companies announced today in New York.

Governor Allan Shivers personally authorized Texas' participation and has appointed C. E. Sanderson, safety education director of the State Department of Education, as state co-ordinator of the program. In that capacity, Mr. Sanderson will promote driver education in high schools throughout the state as an effective and permanent means of increasing public safety on the streets and highways.

"Newspaper and magazine editors, state officials and educators throughout the nation, not to mention worried parents, have become alarmed and aroused about the recklessness of exuberant youths behind the wheel of the automobile," said Julian H. Havey, widely known safety specialist and manager of the Association's accident prevention department. "There is a simple and positive cure, however, for the 'teen-age problem on our streets and highways. It is sound education in how to drive, given at the proper time. The proper time, of course, is just before the legal driving age; and that means in the high school classroom. "Driver education is good from every point of view. The students

DOG NURSES PIG, KITTEN
MONMOUTH, Ill.—(P)—Porky, the pig; Babe, the kitten, and Patsy, the Collie dog, are a happy family on the Leroy Carlson farm near here.

Patsy adopted Babe and Porky as her own. She lets them nurse whenever they are hungry. The ten-week old Duroc-Chester pig was added to the family circle when it refused to take milk from a bottle.

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love it; teachers have told me that the one class kids almost never cut is the driver training class. And anyone who reads the glowing testimonials of kids who have completed the course will know that they really take an interest."

BIBLE COMMENT

FOR JAN. 29

Blessing of Christian Gospel Is for Everyone

If we could transport ourselves back through 20 centuries, and see just as it was the world and the environment in which Jesus and His little band of disciples laid the foundations of Christianity and the Christian church, we should understand something of the wonderment of that beginning, and the seeming miracle of how the church took root and grew.

We can hardly conceive how small, in an outward sense, was the beginning, in an environment little larger than the smallest American state, in a country itself almost insignificant in size, among the great and powerful empires of that ancient world.

The marvel and the explanation of the growth of Christianity are seen in the teaching and mission of the Master, and in the faith and vision that He inspired in His disciples. As if He might have been speaking from Rome, the center of world power, instead of from villages insignificant in the eyes of Rome, He announced His mission as worldwide. He commissioned His disciples to go forth and preach the gospel to all the world, even to its very ends, and he assured them that everywhere He would be with them.

G. I. QUESTIONS and ANSWERS

Q—I am a World War II veteran receiving compensation from VA. How should I go about making certain that I get my compensation checks while I am living in England in 1950?

A—You should give VA your address in England, or if you don't know what your address will be, you should write VA asking that your account be suspended until you forward your new address. When you send in the address, all checks due you will be mailed as directed.

Q—I want to reinstate my National Service Life Insurance converted policy that I allowed to lapse about 8 months ago. Will I have to pay for the medical examination connected with the reinstatement application?

A—If you desire to reinstate your NSLI, you may upon application, receive a physical examination free of charge at any VA

field office having medical facilities.

Q—Is there a provision that allows monthly income payments to disabled National Service Life Insurance policy holders?

A—A provision may be added to NSLI policies on application of the insured which provides payments of \$5 per month for each \$1,000 of insurance in force. The insured pays a small additional premium to have this protection.

Q—Are medical treatment and hospitalization available to me for my service-connected disability while I am residing in a foreign country?

A—Hospitalization and medical treatment are available to you only if you are a U. S. citizen, residing temporarily in a foreign country and in need of treatment or care for a war service-connected disability.

The higher up a mountain one goes the lower the temperature of water will be when it starts to boil.

STOWAWAY HONEYMOON

COPENHAGEN —(P)— How would you like to spend six months of your honeymoon locked up in a cabin as a stowaway?

That's how a 23-year old Danish girl spent it. She just returned to Denmark after having visited—but not seen—the Panama canal, Puerto Rico and Chile together with her husband, a greaser aboard a Danish freighter.

None of the officers aboard know anything about the romance sheltered by their ship, and will never know, if the sailor and his wife can keep their identity a secret. Six months ago the newly wed woman visited her husband aboard the ship at Frederikshavn on the east coast of Jutland. She overslept and did not wake up until the ship was at sea.

Soon the whole crew knew about the stowaway. They fed her and she darned their socks.

Six months after it is hatched the average pullet will lay its first egg.

BERLIN SMOKES GO FEMINE.

BERLIN —(P)— German cigarette packs have been demilitarized. Distributors now give away

tiny pictures of pin-up girls with each pack. The last "give-away" in Hitler's time, were pictures of uniformed soldiers.

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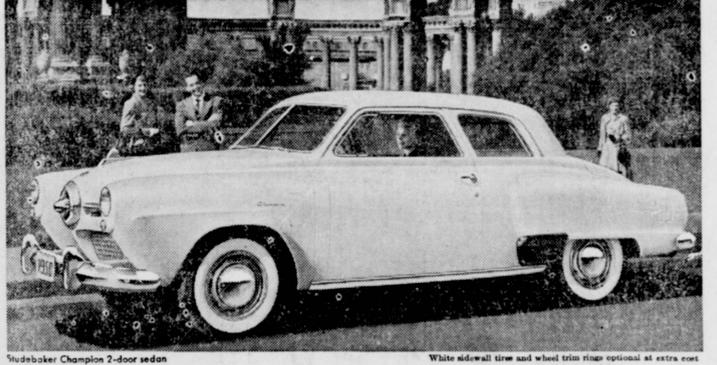
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Stricklinly Speaking

By Old He

Don't try to fool all the people at the same time. Be satisfied to make it just a family affair.

One of the candidates for a commissioners precinct jokingly asked us to close the columns against further announcements in that precinct. Didn't sound good to us, as each 15 bucks that we get from that precinct just means the difference between a new spring suit we have waited for several years, and the same old mixed lot of regalia. Come on in, the water's fine.

What in heck has become of our water canal for irrigation as well as other purposes that was to come in from the upper reaches of the Missouri river? Did last

year's abundant rainfall clog the canal?

Our idea of a badly henpecked husband is one that the wife has rudely awakened from an amorous dream.

If such a hobby suits you, donate heavily to charity, thus escaping a lot of taxes. Such sweet dreams, however, never bother our slumber.

We note that Plainview Production Ass'n lists three automobiles at \$1804.01. We want the address of the dealer who sells such cheap cars. Or could they be as ancient as our old '40 chevy

According to news offered us by the Big Spring annual Sheriff Possie Futurity—whatever that means—the event will take place

April 16-23. Of course all the "hoses" men will understand all about what "futurity" means. Others can go and learn or stay at home and guess. But if we go, it will be in the old chevy—not "harse" back.

According to the reading matter sent us, they have entrants from a number of states, who will enter their "futurities" which in that instance, were described as foals of 1948.

Trends, in the Crosbyton Review, had what it termed the "confession of a Steeplejack," last week. The high altitude guy stated that in putting up high buildings, if one was there as the building went up, the altitude was not noticeable, but just let a guy lay off or get sick for a few weeks, while the building rose several stories higher.

We talked with a guy on a train one time that had just come off a job erecting the first water reservoir at Stamford. We stated that we couldn't understand why folks didn't get "dizzy headed" at that elevation.

He was one of those guys that talks out of the corner of his mouth. "You don't get dizzy," he related, "you lose your nerve." Just the same, our head takes the whirrs.

We note that farmers of Lubbock county and parts of adjoining counties recently got together in an effort to build more rural phone lines. We hope the urge reaches down here in Terry

TEST YOUR I. Q.

1. How fast can a bobsled travel?
2. What former heavyweight champion boxer was issued a patent on a monkey wrench?
3. About how many muscles of your body are in use when you walk? 10? 100? 500? 1000?



4. Whose likeness appears on the U. S. penny postcard?
5. What four-month period of the year produces one-half the annual egg production of the United States?

Basketball Fabric Scores High



NEW YORK—A new 1950 spring fabric by Fruit of the Loom has made its debut here at Madison Square Garden. Here are New York teen-agers Sandy Madigan and Mary Tompkins wearing blouses home-sewn from a pattern featuring basketball action scenes. Appropriately enough the first admirer of the new fabric is George Mikan, 6-foot, 10-inch professional star of stars. Fashion stylists say that the new basketball pattern also lends itself to home-sewing of play-suits, draperies, bedspreads, and table decorations for the rumpus room.

and area. We have seen the time we would have paid quite a little fee to talk with some farmstead in this area. On a few occasions it could have saved us quite a drive after night.

Editor H. G. Richards of the Anton News, tells us about some of the happenings at his old home at Christmas time. One of the stunts was the eggnog his dad made, and the idea was in vogue in about all homes back then, as the Old He can remember.

No one thought it a great sin, and most ministers would take a glass. We as a child liked eggnog, but despised whiskey, as we imagined it a medicine that was brought to our bed mornings when we had a cold.

Like in the Richards home, a quart bottle usually sat on the Stricklin mantle all winter, for

cold medicine. None in the summer months.

Had a letter last week from Johnny Andrews of Chicago, son-in-law of Mrs. Fred Smith. As he married a great niece by marriage, his letter started, "Dear Uncle Jack." Johnny had been surprised at a picture in the Herald of the new lens that is fitted to the eye-bank instead of in frames. Furthermore, the reading matter under the picture stated that the college he is attending was specializing in this particular contact lens.

The old Herald is a pretty up-to-scratch sheet, Johnny. That particular picture was furnished by the National Editorial Association release. The NEA and AP cuts keeps the Herald in the forefront among weeklies.

And speaking of the Herald reminds us that while in Snyder recently, an old friend, mother of Roy Herod, said she heard we had sold the Herald. Like Mark Twain was when the report of his death got out, the sale is a bit previous.

INCUBATORS FOR BABY PLANTS

DAVIS, Calif.—(AP)—Test tube incubators are being used here to nurse delicate young hybrid plants through their earliest stage. Many hybrid embryos die easily in the first generation. Dr. Paul G. Smith, truck gardening expert at the University of California College of Agriculture here, has worked out a way to keep them alive until the second generation produces the customary stronger traits. He keeps the embryo seedlings in warm test tubes.

U. S. Bureau of Reclamation hydroelectric plants turned out 19 billion kilowatts in 1948.

Answers to TEST YOUR I. Q.

1. Speeds of 79 miles an hour have been reached on four-man bobsleds, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.
2. Jack Johnson.
3. When you walk, you use about 520 muscles.
4. Thomas Jefferson.
5. March, April, May and June.

New Highway Map Free for Asking

AUSTIN, Jan. 27—Want to know the best route from Boca Chica to Texline?

Motorists may have the latest official Texas Highway map just for the asking.

D. C. Greer, state highway engineer, states that the 1950 map is the best ever published. Anyone desiring a free copy should contact the Texas Highway Department.

The new map has been brought up to date to show all of the recent changes in the principal highways of the state. Complete mileage tables are shown.

Twenty-five full color pictures show points of interest in Texas and along the Pan-American highway in Mexico.

The highway department distributed three hundred thousand copies of the 1949 edition. An even larger demand for the new map is anticipated.

BERLIN SMALLER BUT IT SMOKES MORE

BERLIN—(AP)—Berlin's population is about a million less than before the war, but its cigarette consumption has increased by two billion a year.

City statistics show that Berliners smoke eight billion cigarettes a year, compared with six billion in pre-war years. This makes an average of 7 to 8 cigarettes a day for each adult. Also more Berlin women have joined the smokers. Only eight per cent used to smoke 20 years ago. Today it's 36 per cent.

Pay your Poll Tax by Jan. 31st



If there's anything more determined than a woman trying to get a word in edgewise, it's a man trying to get there first. My sister and I were fighting hard, but my spouse and brother-in-law were in the lead. The big discussion revolved around the dream house our relatives were going to build.

Jean clamored loudly for getting floor plans settled. But the male contingent was busy with a man-to-man debate on materials.

"Of course I realize," Jean told me with heavy sarcasm, "that copper tube is more important than where the kitchen sink goes!"

"You might think so in a few years when it saves you from having to cook, clean, and wash with rusty water," brother-in-law Bill stated.

"But the floor plans..." wailed Jean.

"Look," said Bill, "a home is only as good as its essential accessories. You've got to make up your mind about things like water line tubing and outdoor hardware. You want radiant heating... what kind of coils? What about gutters and down spouts and chimney flashings?"

"Don't think you're so smart," put in Jean. "I know that flashings are the things around chimneys that prevent rain from leaking in. But what difference does it make if you haven't got a room under the chimney?"

"What good is a room if the roof caves in?" yelled Bill.

In with his two cents came Jeff, my ever-loving. "Bill, you know your mind is made up. You're set on copper, brass, and bronze for everything from flashings and heating coils to hardware and window screens because they're rustproof and withstand corrosion. You just can't get a better long-time value for your money. Now let's go get a cigar and let these females decide the details."

As they rounded out the door Jean got a satanic look in her eye and grabbed a pencil.

"Details," she yelled, "details! I'll fix him. These are the final floor plans. Bill's study goes next to the coal bin. The living room will be on the third floor. We'll have the back porch in front..."

And edgewise or not, the female of the species got in the last word!

WEEKLY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Here's the Answer

HUMORIST

HORIZONTAL	VERTICAL
1 Pictured famous humorist, —	1 Uj
9 At this place	2 Anger
10 Any	3 Conduct
11 Peruse	4 Egyptian sun god
13 International language	5 Upon
14 Auricle	6 Sea eagle
16 Too	7 Bright color
17 Measure of area	8 South America (abbr.)
19 Winklike part	9 Cavities
21 Argument	12 Fruits of the palm
22 Greek letter	13 Male sheep
23 Entwine	15 Concerning
25 Ship's staff	16 Near
26 Urge	18 Uncooked
28 Vegetables	20 Snake
29 Missouri (abbr.)	22 Age
30 Paid notice	24 He was noted
31 Not fast	
33 Little lance	
36 Aspiration	
37 Commotion	
39 Texas (abbr.)	
40 Tardiest	
44 American writer	
45 Biblical pronoun	
46 Vat	
47 Pull	
49 Musical note	
50 Puddle	
52 Erbium (symbol)	
54 Bites (symbol)	
56 He was a favorite humor (pl.)	

25 Type of tree 42 Street (abbr.)
27 Line 46 Also
28 Tablet 48 His writings
31 Slumber hold a high
32 Light place in the
34 Tear annals of
35 Equipment 51 Ocean (abbr.)
36 Pippen 52 Print measure
38 Beverage 53 Registered
40 Quieten nurse (abbr.)
41 Bachelor of Arts (abbr.) (abbr.)

OKINAWA SCOUTS STARTED

SHURI, Okinawa—(AP)—A U.S. soldier from New York City has helped to organize Okinawa's first Boy Scout troop. Pvt. Joseph Forcheneaux suggested the Scout organization to Shemel Nashiro, assistant principal at the English language school here.

Then Forcheneaux wrote to the Boy Scouts of America and obtained literature and the promise of financial help. Now there are 1,200 Okinawa scouts. Nashiro is the scoutmaster. Included on the Shuri Scout Council is a Buddhist priest.

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LINCOLN'S CHURCH COMING DOWN

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The New York Ave. Presbyterian Church, which President Lincoln dedicated, is to be torn down. A new church, larger than the present one but of the same general appearance, is to be built on the site.

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A new shampoo shade makes baby's hair washing more fun. It helps keep the soap out of the toddler's eyes and mouth. The shade is available in clear pink, blue, yellow or green.

FARM QUESTION BOX

by ED W. MITCHELL
Farm Advisor
General Electric Station WGY

- Q. Our corn turns brown, the leaves wilt and dry, and the plant dies when it is two or three feet tall. What is this and what can we do about it?
- A. I think this is a bacterial wilt, and the practical remedy is to plant hybrid corn that is resistant to this wilt disease and rotate to new soil as often as is practical.
- Q. About ten years ago I set out some Pine and Spruce trees. Some have grown well and are four to six feet high, others only one to two feet high. Could I transplant these trees?
- A. Transplant in either the fall or the spring. The smaller the tree, the more apt it is to survive the shock of transplanting.
- Q. Why do tomatoes crack open before they get ripe?
- A. Probably because of wet, good-growing weather following a dry period during which the fruit becomes somewhat dry and firm. The prevention is to use less of the water in the soil or irrigation to keep moisture and growing more uniform.
- Q. Rats and mice are taking possession of our place; how can we control them?
- A. Clean up, as much as is practical, all lumber piles, rubbish, etc. where rats and mice can find refuge. Store food so they cannot get at it. fumigate wherever it is possible to confine the rats. Gas in a limited area, and use poison traps and cats till you get the best of them.

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