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## MRS. C. E. RANKIN IS EMPLOYED AT ALVIS-GARNER CO.

Mrs. C. E. Rankin has accepted a position as saleslady at Alvis-Garner Company and assumed her duties Monday morning. She succeeds Miss Oleta Saunders, who will leave next week for California to make her home.

Mrs. Rankin, who has had many years of experience in this line of work, needs no introduction to the people of Coryell county. She invites all her friends to visit her at her new place of business.

## WITH THE COLORS



Dr. H. M. Haynes Jr., reserve officer, has been called for active duty July 1st at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Texas, where he will be stationed in the Base hospital. He was accompanied by his wife.

Pvt. Fred Earl Keener is with Group 6, Co. D., 29th Engineer Training Battalion, Ft. Leonard Wood, Missouri. Fred is a son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Keener of near Gatesville and is a brother of Mrs. C. L. McCutchen of Flat.

Creg Davidson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Davidson, who for the past few months has been in army training at Lowery Field in Denver, Colorado has been recently transferred to March Field at Riverside, California.

Creg as you know is a graduate of Gatesville High School and has been living in this vicinity for a number of years. He left Gatesville last Wednesday for his new base after spending a few days with his family.

Corp. A. C. Bates Jr., has re-enlisted for a three year period in the regular army. A. C. has been selected to go to Officers Training School in Ft. Monmouth, N. J., and will then be sent to Panama, according to reports.

## Markets

As of June 30

Corn, ear	60c
Corn, shelled	65c
Cottonseed, ton	\$25
Cream, No. 1	31c
Cream, No. 2	26c
Oats, loose	30c to 31c
Eggs	22c
Fryers, 2 lbs.	13c
Old Roosters	5c
Hens, light	12c
Hens, heavy	14c

## JAMES V. CURLEE TO PREACH AT CHURCH OF CHRIST, 2ND

James V. Curlee of Crystal City will preach at the Church of Christ at Gatesville Wednesday night, July 2.

Mr. Curlee comes here well recommended and the members and the general public are cordially invited to attend this service.

The present pastor, E. D. Shelton is in Abilene with his new position as instructor in Abilene Christian College.

## Courthouse News

Madison F. Whately and Sarah Jo Harlien.

Willie Smith and Lena Powell. Oliver E. Puckett and Nella Fern Freeman.

Bennie Lee Kelley and Ruby Snow.

### DEEDS RECORDED

J. M. Clemons and wife to D. R. Hollingsworth.

Mrs. Felicia Honeycutt to R. L. Woodall.

Mrs. Cora Hale and others to K. L. Hale

W. W. Glass and wife to Felix C. Green

L. S. Secrest and wife to C. W. McConnaughey.

A. T. Watson and wife to O. R. Williams and wife.

Max Kriegel to Mrs. Henrietta Kriegel.

Mrs. M. H. Shepherd Jr. left Sunday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Bert Smith, in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Wordell Piler, Laverne Piler, and Mrs. Raymond Ford of Longview were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Mayes Sunday.

## July 1, Today If You're 21 You Must Sign

Today, July 1, if you've become 21 since October 16, 1940 you gotta put your name on the dotted line with Uncle Sam since this is the No. 2 "R" Day.

From the Selective Service Office in the courthouse, it is thought 100 to 150 will be due to register during this second registration.

Uncle Sam don't say please, either—it's the law!

## Gatesville Float Takes First Prize, Temple Celebration

Gatesville's float rode away with the first prize in Temple's 60th Anniversary Celebration among the out-of-town floats, and the pay off was \$75.00. The float was the original Chamber of Commerce float which was in Gatesville's Fifth Annual Rodeo and Frontier Celebration.

Principals of the float were Misses Jennie Katherine Spalding, Mabel Marion Brown and Mary Jane Stone.

F. A. Thomson of Temple presented the girls with colonial bouquets of flowers which corresponded with their dresses and the theme of the float. The city, and Chamber of Commerce are indebted to Charles Powell and Francis Caruth for the use of their truck. Mrs. Tom Mears, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce accompanied the girls to Temple and was in charge of the float. Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Spalding were also among the visitors to the Temple Celebration which was heralded by a grand edition of the Temple Daily Telegram, edited by the one and only Walter R. Humphreys.

Other prizes: second to Buckholtz, third, Belton, and fourth, Westphalia.

## O. C. HONIG IS NAMED DIVISION FREIGHT AGENT, SANTA FE

Of interest to shippers in this section, is the fact that O. C. Honig, formerly city freight agent of Dallas, has been named division freight agent of the Santa Fe Railway at Temple, and Mr. Honig's territory will include Gatesville.

Mr. Honig is well known in Texas freight circles having been in the business for years in Dallas, and is a native Texan.

## LYNDON B. JOHNSON IS OUT IN FRONT AS W. LEE O' LAGS; MANN 3RD; DIES OUT



LYNDON JOHNSON That's the way it looks right

## CORYELL CITY HOME COMING TO BE THERE JULY 6, SUNDAY

Home-coming will be at Coryell City Sunday, July 6.

There'll be no program, and the word is out, to come as you are. It'll be featured by "chin-music", old fashioned greetings, a good dinner, and no program, or after dinner speeches, and, of course, all exes, are invited, and also, anybody else that wants to meet some fine folks and have a good time.

You better be there!

## "PREPAREDNESS FOR DEFENSE" EDITION OUT SUNDAY

Did you get yours? Well, you ought to, because it was and is the "Preparedness for Defense" edition of the Waco News-Tribune, and it also features the "Progress and Development" angle of Waco and Central Texas, with emphasis of this part of Texas' part of the Nation's defense program.

There are pictures, stories, features, and a special photographer was sent to Brownwood where he spent several days making pictures of the activities there.

It's really a startling edition, and you should get yourself a handfull of it, because, it's really an arm load.

Mrs. Jack Glass and daughter, Carole Dawn, are spending their vacation this week with friends in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Everett of White Deer, Texas are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Everett.

now, and here's a 3 o'clock Monday radio result, the latest that we have heard so far.

Johnson	167,669
O'Daniel	163,588
Mann	135,379
Dies	77,964

This does not count approximately two and one-half percent of the vote which is still out, or about 15,000 votes. This report is from 124 counties complete out of the 254.

It looks like it's "Roosevelt, Unity and Lyndon Johnson", and that's that.

The new Senator started as a secretary in Washington for Congressman Kleburg of the King Ranch country, and in 1936 was appointed NYA State Administrator. On the death of Congressman Buchanan, he replaced him, and then was re-elected to succeed himself. From the start he has been an ardent New Dealer.

## Senatorial Race, Coryell: O'Daniel Johnson, Mann, Dies

Here's the box by box count on the "Big Four" in Saturday's U.S. Senate Race. The Coryell county winners are in order in the headline.

Box	MD	LJ	GM	O'D
Ward 1	11	111	89	95
C. City	0	10	11	51
Mound	5	13	6	23
Purmela	2	15	16	22
Pearl	3	13	7	52
Harmon	0	9	4	18
Evant	2	19	7	27
Eliga	2	2	1	13
Sugar Loaf	3	2	4	15
Brown's Crk	0	2	2	8
Ewing	2	9	7	33
The Grove	1	1	17	31
Hubbard	0	1	9	13
Eagle Springs	1	11	3	7
Oglesby	7	45	64	33
Osage	0	40	17	22
Turnersville	4	22	23	31
Hurst Springs	2	10	5	15
Jonesboro	3	11	23	24
Ames	2	9	4	8
Cop. Cove	2	41	8	72
Levita	1	7	9	29
Pidcoke	0	19	22	11
Spring Hill	0	4	3	8
Ward 2	15	155	166	126
Peabody	1	3	2	9
L. Junction	3	21	7	29
Whitson	3	5	0	10
Slater	2	4	13	13
Ireland	2	16	5	29
Arnett	0	16	5	29
Flat	1	6	13	23
Cave Creek	3	13	5	14

TOTALS ..... 83 655 590 930

Morris received 1 vote each at Purmela, Evant, The Grove, Osage Ames, Levita, and 2 at Copperas Cove and Ward 2.

Fisher got 1 at Jonesboro; Hicks got one at Turnersville, Williams got one at Hurst Springs, and Elvins, Republican got one in Gatesville, Ward 2.

Results unofficially show Mann carried Gatesville, O'Daniel, Coryell County and Johnson, the state. We'd predicted this, but not very loud.

Miss Odette Hardin of Temple was a week end guest of her mother, Mrs. Henry Wiegand.



IN SEWING WORK Sewing Room Open 1-5 Monday, Wednesday and Friday

## THE WEATHER

Barometer Reading ..... 29.87  
Temperature ..... 86  
Western Union Forecast:  
Fair to partly cloudy Tuesday.  
Fishing ..... Good

# NORTH EAST WEST SOUTH

A SUMMARY OF WORLD, NATIONAL AND STATE NEWS

### NAZIS DRIVE TO MOSCOW

Berlin, June 29 (UP)—Nazi panzer forces have thrust beyond Minsk on the road to Moscow and are battling on old Russian soil, it was claimed Sunday simultaneously with the long-awaited high command communique recounting staggering German successes in the first week of the Russo-German war.

Berlin says Russians lost 4,107 planes and 2,233 tanks.

### F.B.I. NABS TWENTY-NINE

New York, June 29 (AP)—J. Edgar Hoover, director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Sunday announced the arrest of twenty-nine persons charged with conspiracy to engage in espionage activities in the United States.

He said it was the biggest single roundup of spy suspects made since the passing of the espionage act of 1917.

### ONLY 1 YEAR FOR DRAFTEES

Hyde Park, N. Y., June 29 (AP)

—The temporary White House gave a clear indication Sunday that selectees would be kept in military training only a year, then be permitted to re-enter private life.

### WOPS SAY "LONG WAR"

Rome, June 29 (AP)—Virginio Gayda, Fascism's foremost editorial spokesman, cautioned Italians Sunday against expecting a lightning victory over Russia.

### BEAVERBROOK SUPPLY CHIEF

London, June 30 (AP)—Prime Minister Winston Churchill, suffering his Cabinet for the second time in two months to take swift advantage of Adolf Hitler's Russian campaign, Sunday appointed Lord Beaverbrook Minister of Supply, with responsibility for one of the most important posts of the British war machine.

### MARINES "SUNK" ON SHIP

Washington, June 29 (AP)—An authoritative source said today

that a ship carrying a detachment of 10 American marines to England had been torpedoed and sunk in the Atlantic.

### PADEREWSKI DEAD

New York, June 29 (AP)—Ignace Paderewski, 82, former premier of Poland and world famous pianist, died tonight at the Hotel Buckingham. He had been ill one week. "GOD'S PUNISHMENT", POPE Vatican City, June 29 (AP)—Pope Pius XII, for the first time, attributed the war today to the hand of divine providence as punishment for the sins of mankind. He did not specifically mention the Russian-German conflict.

### N.E. TO BE ASKED

Washington, June 29 (AP)—The administration was reported reliably Saturday to have decided to ask congress for a formal declaration of a national emergency to give President Roosevelt as commander-in-chief a free hand in defense moves.



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Farmers in this community have just about finished their grain.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fletcher of Waco spent Sunday evening with his mother, Mrs. Kate Bauman. She returned home with them for a visit.

Mrs. J. M. Sandlin and son, who have been visiting her parents and relatives, returned to her home in Victoria Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Evans and David spent the week end in Oglesby with her parents.

Jed Evans, who is working in Evant, spent the week end here with his folks.

Misses Juanita and Elizabeth Hale of Jonesboro have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hale and children.

Lucille and Cletha England spent Sunday with Mrs. John Brumalaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Brumalaw and girls of Wichita Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Brumalaw Sunday.

Mrs. George Davis and son of Austin have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bush Kearney, and Jennie Marie.

Mrs. Johnnie Whittenberg and Mrs. David Whigham, who are working in Gatesville, have moved there for the summer months.

**Coryell Valley**

Mrs. A. M. McCallister, cors.

Mr. Russell and son, Mr. Necessary of Brady and some friends from Gatesville visited A. M. McCallister Monday night for a fox chase. Mr. Russell bought two fox hounds and took them back to his ranch at Brady.

Mrs. U. Z. Touchstone visited her sister, Mrs. A. B. Sheppard, recently.

Mr. Geo. Griffin of Oglesby visited A. M. McCallister Monday.

Mrs. Dee Riddle and sons, Mrs. A. M. McCallister and Mrs. Dixon visited Mrs. A. B. Sheppard Friday of last week.

This county has had an abundance of rain, and at this writing

it looks as if we might have more rain. The army that passed through Gatesville last week made the writer as well as others think Coryell was on a boom, sounded like a big rise coming.

Mr. and Mrs. Rae Spence and family visited Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Sheppard and family Monday nite.

Miss Francis Buchanan of Houston visited A. M. McCallister recently. She is a great niece of Mr. McCallister.

Mrs. Francis Witcher and baby of Gatesville is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. B. Sheppard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Nichols visited Mr. and Mrs. A. M. McCallister Sunday.

Sunday visitors in the J. H. Wood home were, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tow, Mr. and Mrs. Adams and Dee Vandiver.

Miss Elizabeth Woods spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. Bill Tow.

Little Jean Harvey Lewis of Liberty Church community visited last week with his grandmother, Mrs. Minnie Latham.

Jonn Lee McCallister visited his uncle, Tud McCallister, last Thursday.

Mrs. J. H. Woods and Miss Elizabeth Woods visited Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Sheppard one night last week.

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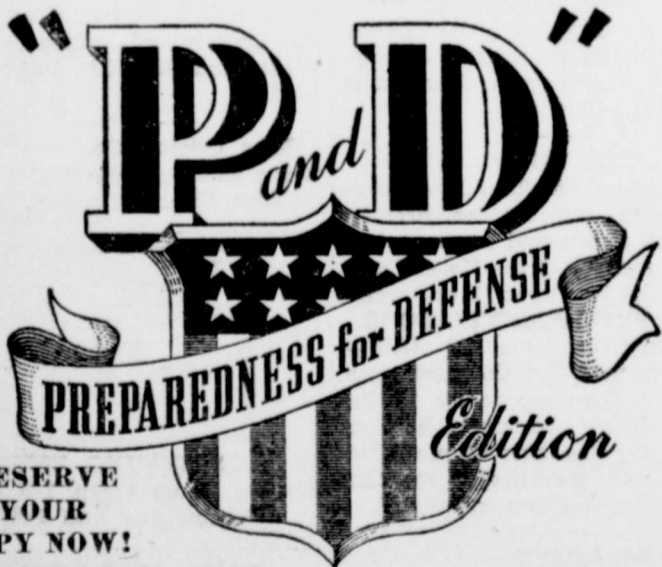
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Bernita Conner, Cors.

Sister Nellie Hill filled her regular appointment here Sunday night.

Mr. S. M. Self left last Saturday to go to El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Conner, Glenn, Roberta and Syd visited in the A. B. Conner home Sunday.

Mrs. Allen Carrigan, who is attending college at Brownwood this summer, spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Conner visited in the Lee Basham home of Pidcoke Sunday. Mrs. Conner's sister, Betty Jo, returned home with them for a visit.

Several from this community attended church at Pearl Sunday.

Miss Roberta Conner visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Conner Jr. last Saturday.

Miss Ione Conner spent Satur-

day night with her sister, Mrs. Allen Carrigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvis O'Neal were called to her father's bedside at Clifton again this week end.

The men of the community were very busy threshing last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Terry of Cranfills Gap visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Price, Sunday.

**Maple**  
Mrs. R. M. Phillips, Corsp.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Gotcher of Rock Springs are visiting her mother, Mrs. A. M. Potter, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaden Barrington of Killeen spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cook.

Mr. Randall Paul of Killeen and Miss Reba Everett were quietly married Saturday night by the Rev. Loyd Lester of Killeen. They will make their home in Killeen, where the groom is employed at the Western Auto Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Powell Sutton and son of Purmela spent Sunday with Mrs. Sutton's mother, Mrs. A. M. Potter, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Everett.

The Club met with Mrs. O. C. Marshall Thursday, June 26.

**Liberty Church**  
Mrs. John Derrick, Cors.

Mr. and Mrs. John Derrick and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Kitley of Coryell Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Miers were Sunday dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. Tommie Lawrence of Moshem and were guests in the R. F. Lafever home in the afternoon.



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O. B. Miers accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Turner and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Hinson, Jeff Turner and Misses Exa and Rubie Turner attended the Tharp reunion at Waco Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Laxton and son were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Brasher.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones of Turnersville, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jones of Rio Grande Valley, Mrs. Coward of Pancake, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fullwood of Prairie View, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Hollingsworth of Moshem and Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Wilson were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Franklin.

**PURMELA 4-H CLUB NEWS**

Purmela's 4-H Club girls met June 17 for their regular meeting. The president called the meeting to order, and asked for the reading of the last minutes. Our secretary did not have the minutes so the president called for old business. There being no old business, she called for new business. Our sponsor, Mr. Raymond Winslar, made a motion that we have a picnic our next meeting, July 1st. The motion carried, and we are going to have a menu lunch.

After the picnic had adjourned we went to Elizabeth Adams' to see her yard which we found very interesting.

Those present were: Mrs. Raymond Winslar, Charlottee Bertrand, Sybil Basham, Martha Jean Laxson, Juanita Boyd, Geraldine Ballard and a visitor, Irene Van, from Copperas Cove. We wish to have a better attendance our next meeting, July 1st.

**Plainview**

Mrs. Ed Necessary and daughter Dorothy, visited Mrs. Archie Necessary Tuesday.

Mrs. Belvain Hardcastle and daughters from Ireland spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. George Hardcastle.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry and son were visiting in Mr. Jake Rhoades' home Saturday evening.

Mr. Dennis Featherson from Purmela moved over in the Arnett community last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Rhoades and family visited Mrs. Dood Sims, their daughter, Sunday.

Young people from Plainview, Pearl and Gatesville ate dinner on the creek Sunday.

Everyone is in the field working mostly hoeing cotton and getting their grain threshed.

Mr. and Mrs. Erbie Necessary and Mr. Clayton Deavers visited in Mr. Necessary's home a while Friday evening.

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**SCS Bridge Club  
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Porter Home**

The J. C. Porter home on College street was the scene of a lovely bridge courtesy last week when Mrs. Porter entertained members and guests of the SCS Club. Various summer flowers decorated the party rooms, where three tables were arranged for the games.

After prizes had been presented Mrs. Ray Scruggs and Mrs. P. M. Browning, who held high and second high scores, respectively, the hostess served delicious angel food cake, punch and sherbet.

The guest personnel included: Mesdames R. G. Dickie, S. B. Graham, Elmo White, Ray Scruggs, E. L. Stewart, A. T. Ray, P. M. Browning, Byron Leaird Jr., Ray Ealy, Eugene Alvis, E. C. Lay and George Painter.

**Mrs. Wade Sadler Is  
Hostess to Coterie  
And Guests**

As a compliment to members of the Coterie and additional guests, Mrs. Wade Sadler entertained in her home on North 16th street Thursday afternoon. Adorning the reception rooms throughout were bouquets of roses and zinnias.

High and second high score prizes were awarded Mrs. Sherrill Kendrick and Mrs. N. A. Waldrop, respectively. Other players were, Mesdames Madison Pruitt, Chess Sadler, O. N. Hix, Johnnie Washburn, George Painter, Lou Hatter, Henry Sadler, Bevie DeMerville, Ray Scruggs, Elmo White, Joe Bradford, Ray Ealy, J. W. Laird, E. C. Lay, George Moore, Louis Neuman, Scott Russell, P. M. Browning, Tal McCown, Bill Nesbitt, Floyd Zeigler, and Miss Eloise Cook.

At the conclusion the hostess served an appetizing salad course.

**Visitor Is Named  
Honoree At Picnic  
Friday Evening**

Miss Jane Thomson entertained Friday evening with a picnic in compliment to Miss Betty Jane Sadler. Miss Sadler, who formerly resided in Washington, D. C., is a guest of her grandmother, Mrs. J. R. McClellan, and will leave soon with her mother, Mrs. Henry Sadler, to join Lieut. Col. Sadler at Monterrey, California, where they will be at home.

The group met at the Thomson home on East Leon, and drove to Coryell Creek on the new highway, where a picnic supper, consisting of sandwiches, potato chips, pickles, olives, deviled eggs, cookies and cold drinks was served.

Sharing the affair with the honoree were: Misses Nell Routh, Belva McCoy, Margaret Haase, Lalla Rookh Martin, Frances Brown, Eloise Cook, Annie Ruth Witt, Mrs. Joe Ricketts, and the hostess.

**Billie Joan Laxson  
Complimented At  
Birthday Party**

Mrs. Mable James entertained with a party honoring Miss Billie Joan Laxson of the Liberty com-

munity on her birthday anniversary recently.

Friends present were, Jerry Lynn Tyson, Betty Lue and Doris Marie Seward, Shirley Hill, Nelda Newsom, Dorothy Nell Wright, Mary Jo Newsom, Patsy Marie Onstott, Eva Frances Jones, Betty Jane Glaze, Laverne Ament, Martha Joan Laxson, Rose Ella Tyson, Bonnie Berl Smith, Billie Mack James and the honoree.

**Two Recent Brides  
Honored At Shower  
In Ewing Community**

Mesdames Frank Brown, Carl Eubanks and Carl Brown entertained Friday afternoon at the Frank Brown home in the Ewing community with a miscellaneous shower honoring Mrs. Earl Martin and Mrs. J. B. Martin, recent brides. Mrs. Earl Martin was the former Miss Estella McFarlin, and Mrs. J. B. Martin was Miss Arline Bates before her marriage.

Several contests were held, and the last one led the brides to the back room of the home, where they found their gifts.

Refreshments of punch and cookies were served from a lace-laid table centered with an arrangement of gladioli. Bouquets of gladioli adorned other points about the reception suite.

Mrs. Merle Glass presided over the Guest Book where approximately twenty-five people registered.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wilson are visiting their daughters, Mesdames H. B. Lewis, E. N. Mercer, and O. H. Myers in Fort Worth.

C. H. Wallace Jr., who is attending SHSTC in Huntsville, was a week end guest of relatives and friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Edmondson and children of Paris were week end guests of relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Woodson returned Thursday from a two weeks' trip through the western states.

Miss Gladys Marie Phillips and her guest, Miss Teda Walker, of

Fulcher, both students at Sam Houston Teachers College in Huntsville, spent the week end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Phillips, in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Russell have moved to Waco, where Mr. Russell will assume his duties today as assistant County Agent of McLennan County.

Miss Alma Louise Murray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Murray, has recently accepted a position as receptionist in the Constructing Quartermaster offices at Camp Wolters, in Mineral Wells. She has formerly been employed with Rollins and Forrest, Architect Engineers of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Winfield spent Sunday at Mexia, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hicks.

R. B. Forrest left Sunday for Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Edwards spent the week end in Dallas, where they visited R. J. Wilkinson, who is in the hospital. Mrs. O. B. Reed and son returned to this city with them after visiting in Dallas, and are guests in the Frank Smith home a few days before leaving for their home in De Leon.

Miss Ann Goodall of Austin

spent Sunday and Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Goodall.

Dr. and Mrs. M. D. King Sr. and Dr. and Mrs. Malvern King Jr., have been visiting in the Drs. M. W. and Elworth Lowrey homes. Dr. King Jr. has just recently received his master's degree of dental science in orthodontics from the University of Southern California at Los Angeles, where he and his wife have been making their home for the past 18 months. Dr. and Mrs. King Sr. and Mrs. King Jr. will leave Wednesday for their home in Durham, North Carolina, but Dr. King Jr. will remain in Texas about one month.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Sadler spent Sunday in Moody, where they were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pate. Wade Sadler Jr., who had been visiting there the past week, returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Worley returned last week from a vacation trip to Fort Worth and Van Alstyne.

Miss Dorothy Ruth Henderson is visiting in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wicker, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wicker and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Baisdell.

Misses Patsy Lovejoy and Councice Jean Pruner are spending this

week in Stephenville with their cousin, Mrs. Carl Schwalbe.

Mrs. Charlie Smith and son of Honey Grove are visiting their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Culberson, this week.

Mrs. W. H. Everett visited her brother, Clifford Seawright, who is in a Waco hospital, Monday.



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John Sharp and Family  
Cecil Sharp and family  
Mrs. F. H. Baker and family

Words fail us when we attempt to express our appreciation for the many acts of kindness shown us in our sorrow. For the nice food sent in, and for the lovely floral offering, we are indeed grateful. May the kind Father bless you comfort each and everyone of you. Mrs. N. P. Cooper and family 8561tc

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**SPORT SCRAPPS**

By EDWIN



In a wild and wooley game at the State last Friday, Rabon Balch's State team trampled the State Home team of Waco by the score of 12 to 2. The State team has showed great improvement

since the start of the season under the leadership of coach Rabon Balch.

Balch is well qualified to be the fine coach he has proved to be. He has played lots of ball himself and knows how to handle his players. He is in favor of Coryell County having an entry in the State Semi-Pro tourney this year and said that he would do everything possible to help such a team.

This might be a little far fetched but Joe DiMaggio the batting star of the New York Yankees

and centerfield lacks only three games in establishing a new record in hitting. He has hit safely in 39 consecutive games and if he can manage to go just three more games he will pass the record made by George Sisler 19 years ago. This same Mr. DiMaggio is greatly responsible for the Yankees to be leading the American League at the present.

The manager of the Waco Dons nearly went crazy the other night at Katy Park as his charges finally beat out the 7-up Bottlers

in the ninth inning. Just to show you how well matched the Dons and 7-up teams are, they have played three games, the Don winning two of them, but all three of the games were either won or lost in the ninth inning.

According to pre-tournament dope the Waco Dons look like they are going to be the team to beat out for the title. They have signed about all the best pitchers to be had in these parts and to top it all have recently added Dave Alsobrook to their roost. You will remember Alsobrook as the hitting marvel of the Don team a year or two ago. He is noted for hitting long fly balls and in the short playing field at Katy Park they usually go for homers.

Waco will play two night games with the Buford, Georgia teams sometime in July. This Georgia team always is among the top ranking teams in the National Semi-Pro Tournament at Wichita, Kansas and when they come to Waco it would be well worth anyone's time to see these games.

There is a membership drive in progress at the local golf course and anyone that likes the game should get in touch with Pete Patterson or Chess Sadler at the Guaranty Bank. As a feature attraction they are holding a rather spectacular tournament in that the total club membership is divided into two parts and the losing half pays for a big barbecue to be had either on Tuesday or Wednesday night of this week, depending on how soon all matches can be played off.

The management of the course extends an invitation to everyone that plays golf or is interested in it to come out and inspect the local set up. Due to recent rains the turf is in excellent shape as is the greens.

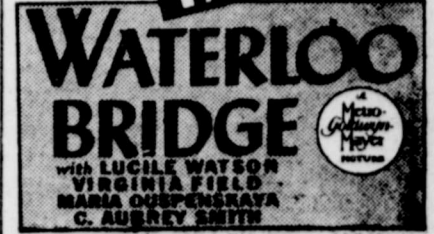
Some people get the idea that golf is an old man's game but its quite the contrary in that it takes a lot of skill and strength and a world of practice to even play a decent game.

Got a letter yesterday morning from Mr. A. H. Kirksey, State Commissioner of the Texas Semi-Pro baseball tournament. He sent some entry blanks and urged us to have a strong team on hand to enter the tournament that starts on the 24th of July. There is not but about three more Sunday evenings to practice before the tournament and we've not even started. Something will have to be started this week or the whole idea will have to be dropped. Even if we are lucky to enter a team it will do no good if we do not get together and practice. This week will be about as late as we can hold our entry up.

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Mrs. Sharp was a member of the Presbyterian Church. Surviving are: her husband, J. M. Sharp; two sons, Cecil and James Sharp of Turnersville; one daughter, Catherine Sharp of Turnersville; four sisters, Mrs. F. H. Baker of Hamilton, Mrs. Robert Bethea and Mrs. Will Golf, both of Baton Rouge, La. and Mrs. Mattie Mac Queen of Los Angeles, California; three brothers, Monroe Martin of Glennwood, Ark., W. A. Martin of Gorden City, Texas, and John Martin of Dallas.

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Private Papers Of a Cub Reporter

Dorothy Thompson, the columnist, refused to sit at a dinner table the other night where the guests were lauding the achievements of Hitler.

That isn't the first time she's done that... During the recent campaign she found herself with dinner guests among whom sat a senatorial "dark horse," who made some remarks that made her innards somersault.

"You four-syllable!" Dorothy shouted as she got up and left.

The following amazing story about Hitler is credited to one of his former intimates now in the U. S. It is passed on to exercise your eyebrows... The one-time intimate of Hitler says it came from Hitler's personal pilot...

Sportswriter Chas. Scully and some of the boys were reminiscing... When Heywood Brown was covering big league ball games (before he took up colymbing) he casually mentioned, in one of his reports, that a large and intelligent crowd witnessed the contest...

The Damon Runyons were doing the town the other midnight with Hazel Forbes, the ex-Ziegfeld girl, who married Harry Richman...

announcing the split of the Richmans, and Hazel's plan to go to Reno... "Tell me a love story," Hazel said, "anything to show me that romance can bloom on this darn old street—or that marriage can survive."

Patrice Runyon, who rarely gabs, then revealed how she met Damon—and how she almost didn't... It was at the Silver Slipper many years ago, and Patrice was in the new show as featured dancer...

"The star," Patrice dramatically added, "was Harry Richman."

Notes of an Innocent Bystander

The Big Parade: F.P.A. and John Kieran of "Info, Please" getting more laughs playing tennis at Forest Hills than they'll ever get with their typewriters...

Sallies in Our Alley: One of the local ham actors was complaining about the way the New York press refused to admit he existed. "Amazing," he intoned, "the way they all ignore me!"...

The Ho-hum Dep't: Cudahy says he submitted his interview to Hitler, and Adolf didn't change a word... Which is the worst criticism that interview has rec'd!...

RIDE A CROOKED MILE Serialized by STEPHEN LORRAINE from the Paramount Picture featuring AKIM TAMIROFF LEIF ERIKSON • FRANCES FARMER

SYNOPSIS Mike Balan, who makes a business of hijacking cattle enroute to stock markets, meets his son, Johnny, for the first time in twenty years. Their tempers clash and the two engage in a fist fight. This display of fighting spirit pleases Balan and the two become great pals. Trina (Frances Farmer), a singer who is a member of Balan's strange household, attracts Johnny and they fall in love.

CHAPTER V AS LONG as he lived, Johnny decided, he would never forget this party of Mike's. Certainly he had never seen anything like it. Gathered in Mike's capacious house was the most colorful company Johnny had ever seen.



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Grouped around the piano, a Russian orchestra played furiously. Clad in full Cossack costume—wide trousers of many folds and pleats, a pair of red morocco boots with silver heels, a scarlet coat and a golden girdle in which a riding crop was stuck pistol-fashion—Mike stalked in and stood beside Johnny.

"Everybody here stand up! Look at him! He is my son Johnny." As the guests, cheering and laughing, crowded around him, Johnny saw Trina coming down the broad stairway. Her sheer beauty tonight struck him with the force of a blow.

"I am mighty happy to know you," Johnny finally murmured. Unconsciously mimicking Mike's Russian intonation, Trina curtsied.

"Someone told me that a son had come into this house," she said. Further conversation was halted by Ostap's announcement: "Dinner is served, if you please."

Mike placed himself between Johnny and Trina and led the way to a magnificently appointed dinner table. At each place was a bottle of champagne in an individual cooler. Reaching for his, Mike popped the cork and roared a welcoming toast. It was greeted with a barrage of answering shouts.

To Johnny the dinner was an endless succession of tremendous dishes—caviar, roast beef, barbecued lamb, all washed down with a tremendous amount of wine and brandy. Across Mike, Trina and Johnny exchanged glances; conversation was impossible.

Suddenly Mike turned to the girl.

Mike looked exultantly across at Trina. For a moment he had been jealous of her—jealous because he feared Johnny was more interested in her than he was in his father. Mike turned to Johnny.

"Good! You and I will make love to all the girls from Delhi to Marseilles. We will fight when we come across fighting—for that is what a man is made for!" He smiled mockingly at Trina. "I have done some fighting, I can tell you. Sandino, I knew, and Villa, and Somonoz and Batista. I will take you places where they still remember me, you bet." He pulled himself erect. "Ho! We will live and love and fight and drink and dance!"

They found a bench and sat in silence, listening to the distant music. It was Trina who broke the spell.

"I know what you're thinking," she said. "You'd like to know what I'm doing in Mike's house."

There was a brief pause before Johnny answered. "Yes, I would," he answered slowly.

"It's very simple. I fell off a horse. I was broke and I tried to ride for prize money in a rodeo. The horse tossed me, of course. I woke up in the hospital—and not in a ward, either."

"Mike?" "Yes. He had been at the rodeo. And now I'm trying to learn to sing in Russian because if I do, I know where I can get a job and repay Mike."

"So you like to pay people back, do you?"

Suddenly Trina was gravely serious. "I've learned this much," she said. "The things people give you cost too much." They were both silent as Johnny realized that she had stated one of the major tenets of her existence. Suddenly he swept her into his arms and kissed her hungrily. She clung to him for a moment and then pushed him away.

"Oh, Johnny, I'm glad you came along. No, wait," as Johnny tried to kiss her again. "Johnny, if it ever came to a showdown, who would be first—Mike or me?"

"Mike," Johnny said simply. Trina stared at him thoughtfully. "I'm glad you don't lie to me," she said softly. "I know now that one can have love enough for two, even if the love is different."

"And I know you'll always be waiting for me," Johnny said.

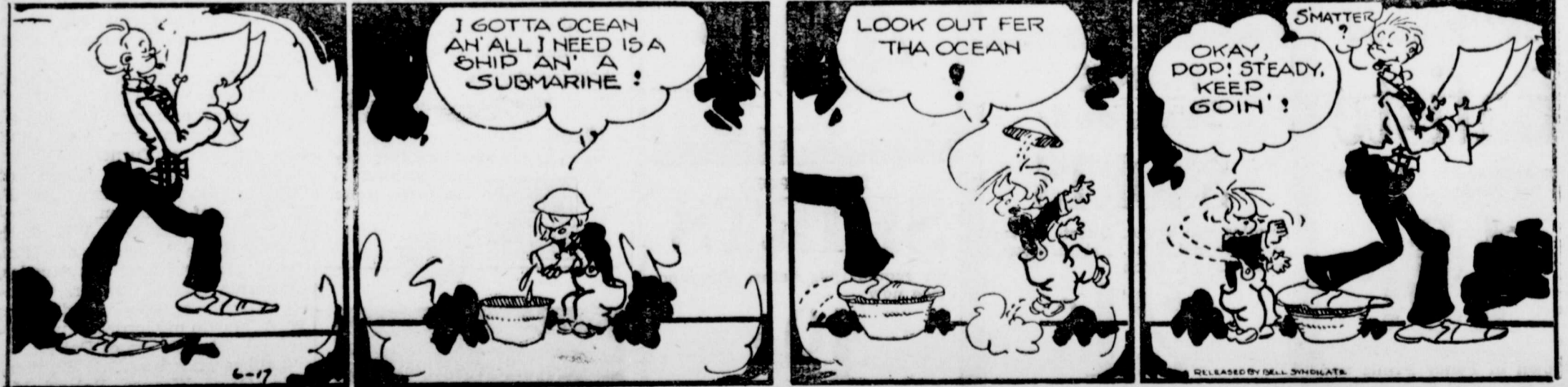
"I know! I know!" Trina imitated him, half gay and half irritated. "As if you really did know. My darling, I'll not wait for you at all."

"Do you mean that?" Johnny demanded. "You just leave me and see," Trina laughed. "If I like you, I'll follow you, no matter where you go."

(To be continued)

S'MATTER POP—Foot Too Big for the Ocean!

By C. M. PAYNE







The House has been considering conference reports on appropriation bills so much of the time this last week that one would normally suppose that we would adjourn in a few days. It has long been the custom of Congress to adjourn when all of the appropriation bills were passed. Up until the adoption of the "Lame Duck" amendment Congress adjourned every other year on March 4th. On other years the session generally lasted until about June 1st. This enabled the members to spend a large part of their time at home. In recent years, however, Congress has been in almost continuous session. Even in the absence of the threat of foreign involvement, the ever increasing size of the Federal establishment has made this more and more necessary. Now we have the added pressure of foreign danger. I do not, therefore, look for any extended adjournment this year. Of course, there will probably be a recess of a few days beginning next week and lasting over the 4th of July, and a little later the House may take several three-day recesses while waiting on the Senate to act on the tax bill, but I see no prospect of an adjournment.

These continual sessions have taken their toll of members. Wednesday we observed memorial services for the members who have passed on during the last twelve months. Thirteen members were missing—Most of them had suffered a sudden collapse. Our neighbor, Hon. Luther A. Johnson of Corsicana, delivered the memorial address.

Today (Friday, June 20th) the House finally passed the conference report on the Agricultural Appropriation Bill. This bill carries the appropriations for the payment of "parity", soil conservation and rural electrification, as well as the money for the regular functioning of the Department of Agriculture. While the conference report only carried \$212,000,000

for parity instead of the larger sum that had been placed in the bill by the Russell Amendment early this spring, it is thought that together with the 85 per cent of parity loans, heretofore provided, and the soil conservation payments the total returns to the farmer for this basic crops will equal a parity price.

Earlier in the week the House had passed the conference report on the appropriation bill for the Department of the Interior. This report involves a wide range of items including funds for conservation, the development of water-power, forestry, etc.

Late this afternoon the House passed the Flood Control Bill. This bill contains an authorization for

the commencement of the Whitney Dam on the Brazos near Waco just as soon as money is made available. This great dam is of vital importance to all Central Texas. It will give a tremendous amount of flood control to the City of Waco and to all of the Brazos Valley further down. It will provide a substantial amount of power and will assure a large supply of water for industrial purposes. If we had this dam in existence at this time I feel sure that we would be able to get one of the defense industries for Central Texas. This bill is, therefore, of great importance to us.

The House has again passed the so-called Dependent Widows' Bill extending the benefits payable to dependent widows, parents, and children of deceased veterans in many cases where they can not now receive anything. I supported this bill. If it passes the Senate it will be worthwhile for all dependent survivors of deceased veterans to file claims with the Veterans Bureau.

Another measure which was passed today was a bill authorizing the Navy to construct a number of lighter-than-air craft, (blimps). No one is sure whether these airships

will be of substantial value or not from a military standpoint, but the only way to make progress in the race of naval weapons is to build them and try them out. We have decided advantages in the use of lighter-than-air machines inasmuch as we are able to fill them with helium while other countries

have to use hydrogen, which is very inflammable and dangerous.

I expect to be in Texas next week and the 4th of July will fall on the date when I would normally write my next letter, so I shall not write a news letter for the next two weeks.

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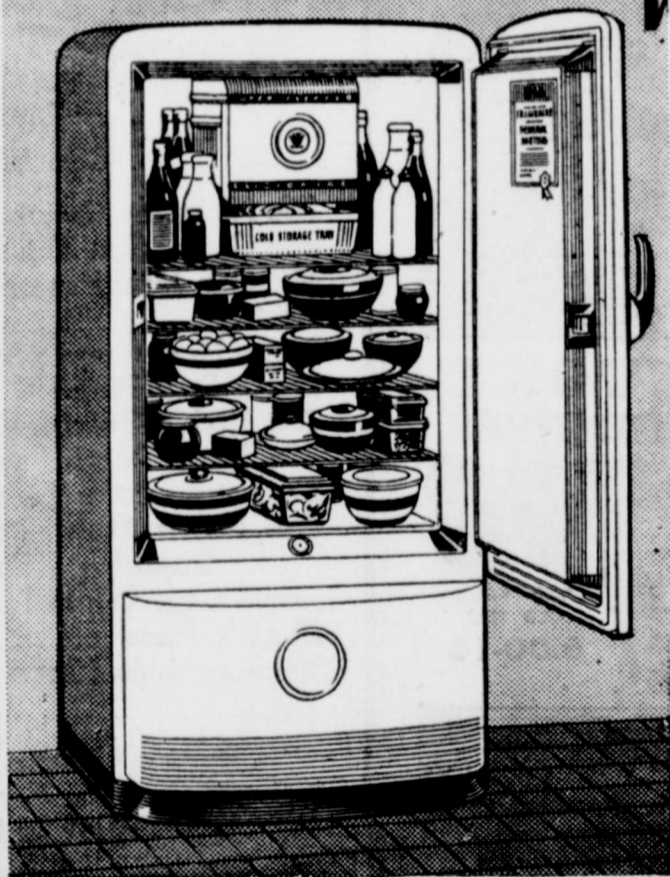


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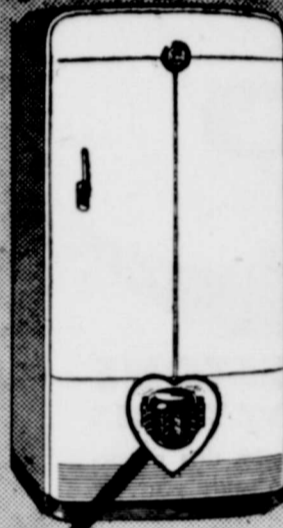
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# Loony Lucy

Sports Editor, The Express.  
San Antonio, Texas.

Dear Wardie:

I was a havin' a fuss with my boy friend and he asked me if I thought he was a man or a mouse, and I told him he could figger it

out fer hisself, but I was afraid of a mouse.

That B. F. is so dumb he thinks all golf courses is alike. He said all baseball diamonds was alike, they had a grandstand and four bases, and all golf courses had a club-

house and 18 holes.

I went a fishin' last week to one of them fine huntin' and fishin' cabins these fellers talk about. It was a swell place just like most other swell ones—deer heads on the wall, a stuffed fish too, dirt on the floor, fleas in the bed and ants and cockroaches in the grocery box.

It begins to look like Uncle Sam is the only one what has got Joe Louis' number.

I seen a headline, "FLIES TO LONDON". I wisht they'd take the ants, mosquitoes and cockroaches too.

My little niece Imogene wanted to go to the North Pole on vacation to see Santy Claus. I told her he weren't there any more, he's moved to Washington.

Hitler must a graduated from high school. I heard a couple of these graduatin' speeches, where they tell the youngsters what a cinch it is to go out and conquer a world what's a waiting' fer 'em, jest chocked full of opportunity.

I seen where Dallas brought back Snipe Conley. Maybe the Missions could get Ike Pendleton, Ray Flakamper, Jim Riley and Abner Doubleday—to say nothing of Ike Boone, and then they'd win the pennant—maybe.

I'll be a seein' you Pal.

Yourn,  
LOONY LUCY

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REVIVAL MEETING AT SCHLEY TO BEGIN SUNDAY, JULY 6TH

There will be a revival meeting at Schley school house beginning Sunday, July 6th, and continuing through the next week. The Rev. Jack Shaw, pastor of the Methodist Church at Round Rock, will assist the pastor of the Gatesville Circuit, the Rev. P. W. Layne in the services.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend all services.

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REVIVAL TO START AT TURNOVER SCHOOL FRIDAY, JULY 4TH

The Church of Christ will hold a revival meeting, beginning Friday, July 4th, at the Turnover school house. Dennis Kellogg will do the preaching.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend this ten-day meeting.

# BIG JULY 4<sup>th</sup> Firestone TIRE SALE



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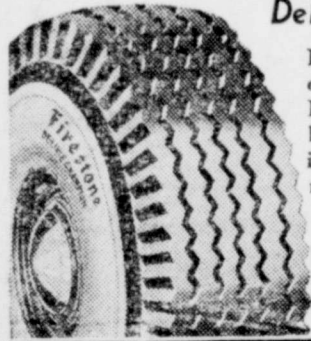
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