

The Lynn County News

"I wholly disapprove of what you say but will defend to the death your right to say it."—Voltaire.

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House Numbering System Devised For Tahoka

Mayor K. R. Durham, Pat Hines, and others with the City government have devised a house-numbering system for Tahoka that will be of great convenience to the citizens and to strangers or other non-residents who may wish to locate any one living here.

A complete map of the city showing the location of every residence in it has been made and a number has been assigned to every house, which number may be procured at the office of the city secretary.

Residence owners are requested to procure metallic numbers corresponding to these map numbers and have them placed on their residences. This can be done at comparatively little cost and it will enable anyone to locate any residence easily and readily.

Not only the houses but the blocks in the town have been numbered systematically.

Beginning at the east limits of the city of Tahoka out beyond the Santa Fe railway, the first tier of blocks running north and south within the city limits will be known as the 100 block, the next tier immediately west of them 200, and so on west through the city, so that the westernmost tier of blocks in the city limits is 2200, we believe. The court house is in the 1500 block.

Now, beginning at the southern limits of the city, the first tier of blocks running east and west within the city limits will be known as the 800 block. The next tier of blocks immediately north of these is 900, and so on: so that when the court house block is reached that is found again to be the 1500 block, and so on north to the limits of the city.

In other words, the courthouse square is in the 1500 block from whatever direction or street one approaches it. It is the official center of the town. The block numbers decrease 100 tier by tier as one goes east or south from the courthouse and they increase 100 tier by tier as one goes west and north from the courthouse.

Furthermore, as one goes west or north on any street all the houses on the right side will have even numbers and all on the left side of the street will have odd numbers. As one goes east or south on any street, all the houses on his right will have odd numbers and all on his left even numbers.

The Boy Scouts of Tahoka have been granted the privilege of furnishing and mounting the numbers on the residences of the city. For nickel plates, the charge will be 60 cents each, for brass plates 90 cents each.

It is hoped that every house-owner in the city will have a number placed on his residence. It will be a great convenience in directing any one to any given residence in the city.

Lions Announce Ladies' Night

Lion's Club members are receiving novel invitations to a Ladies' Night to be held on December 21 at the High School Cafeteria. Stellar attraction is an altogether-different entertainment, a humor-packed "Laugh Fiesta." Program chairman promises something doing every minute, leading up to feature acts that will score new highs in fun making.

Prince Nur-Al-Din, Oriental Mystic, with powers of divining the future, is the guest of honor. Members and their wives will be permitted to lift the curtain to see what the tomorrows have in store for them. Eight novelty acts and features will display the well known comic talents of the membership in a wide variety of surprise events.

President Jack Robinson of the Lion's Club issues a friendly warning to all members not to miss this funfeast, or there will be war when the missus hears members tell what a frolicsome evening everyone had.

It takes 75 percent more energy to hang clothes from a basket on the ground than it does from a child's wagon.

Cotton Crop Is Above Estimate

The five Tahoka gins reported Wednesday afternoon that a total of 7,985 bales had been ginned here this season. Just a little more than 400 bales have been ginned here since our report of two weeks ago.

Special agent James C. Womack reported that 46,694 bales had been ginned in Lynn county from this year's crop prior to December 1.

Using that as a basis together with the number of bales ginned in Tahoka since December 2, as reported to the News, it would be a very close guess that approximately 50,000 bales have been ginned in Lynn County up to this date.

Prior to December 1, last year, 83,257 bales had been ginned in Lynn County, according to the Bureau of the Census.

Farm Program Results Given

Lynn county farmers who have participated in the 1948 Farm Program will number around 1200 according to Clarence Church, chairman of the Lynn County A. A. A. committee.

Soil conservation assistance to these farmers will amount to \$79,400.00 with the majority of the financial assistance going for building large ridge-type terraces and contour listing. In 1948 there were three hundred and seventy five miles of large ridge terraces built in Lynn county under the A. A. A. program. Over two hundred and eighty five thousand acres of contour farming was carried out under the program.

Church points out that one of the most valuable practices carried out this year was the practice of leaving at least a 10 inch stubble of grain sorghum on the land as a protection against wind erosion. There were between forty-five and fifty thousand acres of this practice carried out with A. A. A. assistance. Because of the extreme dry conditions this practice has proven very valuable against wind erosion this fall. Another practice carried out under the program is deep plowing of sandy cropland to prevent wind erosion. Several hundred acres of this practice have been carried out and it is thought that much more will be carried out under the 1949 program.

Mr. Church is chairman of the 1948 A. A. A. committee and other members of this committee are Neal S. Parker and Julian Pirtle. This committee is charged with the overall administration of the A. A. A. farm program. Clint Walker is the administrative officer and the clerks in the office are Mrs. Betty Wilson and Mrs. Lewis Wilson. Hubert Tankersley is the field man for the office.

New county committeemen will be elected December 23 to administer the program of 1949 and the program for 1949 will be substantially the same as in 1948. The program will be announced later in the paper.

Bill Strange At National Meeting

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Strange of the Bill Strange Motors, Ford dealers, have gone to Detroit, Michigan, to attend the annual meetings of the Ford Dealers Advertising Fund, following which they will attend the regional meeting in New Orleans.

They will also visit friends in Ohio and Kentucky.

Mr. Strange is president of the Dallas District Ford Dealers Advertising body.

MRS. EDWARDS PRESENTED STUDENTS IN RECITAL

On Tuesday night at 7:00 o'clock Mrs. Marcus Edwards presented the following intermediate piano pupils in a Recital in her home.

Sue Williams, Geraldine Hyles, Jeanel Martin, Floyd Brasher, Ted Pridmore, Bobbie Ruth Draper, Phyllis Ann Fielder, Marianna McGinty, Bettie Carroll, Bobbie Carroll, Martha Ann Prohl, Patricia Inman, Sylvia Thompson, Lou Ann King, Susy Smith, Sarah Beth Nelms, Jerie Lemond, and Jane Shepherd.

Irrigation Belt Spreads To City Limits Of Town

Recent developments indicate that Tahoka is definitely in the great shallow water belt of the South Plains, or maybe, it is just in the edge of the belt.

Anyway, it is good to see a well little more than a mile from the city limits belching forth at least 600 gallons of water per minute. This is the record being made by a well recently drilled for D. W. Gaignat on the west side of the Tahoka-Lubbock highway a mile north of town. It is estimated that this well will irrigate 60 to 100 acres of land depending on the seasons.

Furthermore, Mr. Gaignat has another well in a field quarter of a mile east of this one that has like. Hardly a quarter 66666 6mlpovoo wise proved its worth. It pumps seemingly about the same amount, first Gaignat well mentioned on the same side of the Lubbock highway is the Reble Thomas well, which is in the same class as the other two.

Jumping over across the railroad onto the Wiley Curry farm is another well which he has had drilled and which was under the pump for about three weeks and which he says pumped as high as 750 gallons per minute. A half mile southeast of this well on the same farm is a new well which seems to be good for only 300 gallons per minute—a little weak for irrigation purposes. But a mile east of these, on the old Henderson place, Judge J. W. Elliott has had two wells drilled; one a good one, the other a little weak. He also has one good well south of the highway. Still another well is now being drilled about nine miles east of Tahoka.

The prospects are that numerous other wells will be drilled this winter and spring in this area.

N. E. Wood, director of Soil Conservation work in this county, recently stated that there are about 280 irrigation wells in the county, most of them in the northern portion of the county. Some of them are strong wells, some fairly good, and some a little weaker, but they have added greatly to the irrigation acreage in the county, and the probabilities are that additional wells drilled this winter and spring will add much more to this acreage. And the new wells are extending the territory much farther south.

Drouths may come and drouths may linger with us a long time, the winds may blow and pick up clouds of dust and sand, but in spite of all this the man who has a good irrigation well on his farm may be reasonably sure of a good crop on all the land that it will irrigate. Irrigation holds out much promise to many of the farmers of Lynn county.

Congratulations:

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Verner on the birth of a daughter weighing six pounds and six ounces in the West Texas Hospital at 9:00 a. m. Thursday, Dec. 9. They have named her Paige. Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Gaignat are the grandparents.

Tahoka Junior Chamber of Commerce Issue Invitation To Membership

Here is a cordial invitation to join the Tahoka Junior Chamber of Commerce. They need you and if you are willing to help your community, you need them.

Tahoka's Jaycee is made up of approximately fifty young men, men of this community, men for this community. These men are anxious and very willing to work in any way for the betterment of Tahoka and Lynn county. They are anxious to get started but there are many obstacles that must be cleared before any accomplishment or achievement can be reached.

In a recent Jaycee meeting, several worth while projects were suggested and a committee was immediately appointed to investigate, learn every detail possible, and be ever alert for public resentment.

The following meeting, this com-

Free Turkeys Will Be Given Visitors To Tahoka During Christmas Week

Be on hand neighbor, yes just be around the triangle on the Court House Square any and all the four days before Christmas.

At 2:30 P. M., Tuesday, December 21, the local Junior Chamber of Commerce will drop a nice size turkey from the top of the Court House. The person who catches the turkey is the winner.

The second day entertainment (same time, same place) Connor Parsons, flying a light plane, furnished by Dick Mitchell, will drop loose leaflets with the word "TURKEY" written on ONLY ONE leaflet. The person finding the "TURKEY" ticket will be given a turkey. Pilot Parsons has selected the triangle on the Court House Square as his bombing target.

Thursday, December 23, the local Girl Scouts will have charge of a feather guessing contest. The person guessing the nearest number of feathers on a turkey will be presented a turkey. The guessing game starts Tuesday morning and closes Thursday at 2:00 P. M.

And now for the big and final day. Santa Claus, in person, will drop a turkey from the top of the Court House. Catch the turkey and it is yours.

The Lion's Club, Rotary Club, Chamber of Commerce, and the Junior Chamber of Commerce each gave a turkey for the event. The Junior Chamber of Commerce has charge of the turkey distribution.

Business Changes Announced Here

A deal was announced the first of this week whereby the Sinclair Oil and Gas Company has disposed of its interests in Tahoka, selling to Gulf Company.

John N. Hill, who has been the agent for the Sinclair Company, has closed his office and the wholesale business is now in charge of the Gulf Company with E. W. Shaw in charge.

Mr. Hill stated that he had matured no plans for the future when interviewed by a representative of the News Tuesday.

In this connection, Reid Parker has sold the Sinclair service Station here to R. A. DuBose, who has moved here from Hermling and who took charge of the Station Monday, which will be operated hereafter as a Gulf station.

Mr. Parker has announced no plans for the future but left with his family on Wednesday for a few days visit with relatives in California.

Christmas Edition Out Next Week

The Lynn County News annual Christmas Greeting Edition will be published next week—and one day earlier, on Wednesday, in order that our readers may get the same before Christmas day.

The edition will carry many Christmas feature stories, as well as greetings from most of Tahoka's business institutions.

Correspondents are urged to get their news in by Monday if at all possible, to insure publication. Anyone desiring a greeting advertisement is urged to see our advertising solicitor, Mrs. Frank Hill, by Monday. She is making an effort to contact all business institutions, but time will not permit returning two or three times in order to make contact with the proprietor. We sincerely appreciate your co-operation.—The News.

Check Artists Land In Jail

Monday afternoon a gentleman of color walked into the Rutherford Department Store here and made a small purchase, for which he presented an Eighty-dollar check purportedly made by W. W. "Rowling," acting with such composure and artistry as to convince the clerk who had waited upon him that the check must be genuine and good for the money. So, the clerk paid him the money and the customer departed.

A little later, however, Mr. Rutherford started a little investigation that readily convinced him that the check was a fake. The sheriff's office was notified and they soon got on the air. That night, as one decidedly brunette brother was about to board a bus in Lubbock for Paducah, an arm of the law touched him on the shoulder and he was invited to accompany the gentleman with the big gun to the lock-up.

The colored brother himself had a gun on his person, it was stated. It developed that he was following his wife down to the sub-caprook city, who had suddenly left him, possibly for good and sufficient reasons. He had bought the gun with a portion of Randolph Rutherford's money, it is presumed. What need he had for a gun was unexplained.

The Tahoka sheriff was promptly notified and the prisoner was brought back to Tahoka and given a berth on the fourth floor of the court-house. He was not alone, however, for a Tahoka Negro had assisted in the matter of forging and passing the check and shared in the proceeds, according to court officials here. So, a complaint was filed against Negro Number 2, and he also was given lodging behind the bars up over the temple of justice.

A grand jury will soon investigate their cases and both will probably be escorted to Huntsville a little later on.

Garner's Now Own Radiator Shop

The Garner Implement Company, J. I. Case dealer in Tahoka, has bought the business and equipment of the Tahoka Radiator Shop, and moved the same to their place of business on the east side of the square.

Mr. Garner says they are fully equipped to do any and all kinds of radiator work.

METHODIST CHILDREN WILL GIVE CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

Next Sunday is to be another Mountain-top day at the Methodist Church here according to plans that have been made. Everything will have the Christmas touch.

At the morning service, the pastor, Rev. C. A. Holcomb Jr., will have as his sermon theme, "Christ Above All."

Beginning at 7:00 p. m., a Christmas Carol service will be rendered by the children, under the direction of Mrs. Sam Floyd and Mrs. Irving Stewart. This program promises to be very fine, and you are cordially invited to attend and enjoy it.

The pastor will not preach at this evening service, but Christ will be magnified just the same.

City's Christmas Program Filled With Activities

A full week of Christmas entertainment and holiday programs is in store for the people of Lynn county between now and Christmas, sponsored by the various civic organizations of the community.

Opening the season's program, for the tots at least, will be the visit of Old Santa Claus to the business district next Thursday and Friday, December 23 and 24.

Also for benefit of kiddies only is a free picture show, sponsored annually by the Rotary Club and the Wallace Theatres. This will be at 9:00 o'clock on the morning of Thursday, December 23. The show will be made up of cartoon comedies.

Beginning today, Christmas carols will be broadcast over town by way of a public address system each day until December 25.

Mentioned elsewhere on this page is the free turkey awards which will be given away Tuesday through Friday.

Lights have been strung on the down town streets, and many store windows and homes have been beautifully decorated in keeping with the season.

Two contests are being conducted this year. Prizes of \$15.00 and \$10.00 will be given for the two most attractive store windows, and two prizes of \$15.00 and \$10.00 each for the most attractively decorated homes. Entries in these contests should be filed with Clint Walker at the AAA office. Judging will be by a secret committee of men and women on Thursday night, December 23.

Provision has also been made to see that children in needy families are remembered by Santa Claus.

Practically every civic club in the town is co-operating in the Christmas program.

Christmas Cantata Sunday Night

Sheldon Russell, associate pastor and choir director of the Baptist Church has been giving the choir some intensive training recently in preparation for the rendition of a Christmas Cantata entitled "The Birthday of the King" at the First Baptist Church Sunday night.

Rev. C. T. Aly, the pastor, has announced the entire service Sunday night will be given over to Mr. Russell and the choir. The cantata, rendered by approximately 35 well trained voices, and continuing for an hour or more, will furnish one of the greatest musical treats, it is believed, that has ever been given in a church here. Mrs. Pat Hutchison will preside at the organ. It is hoped that a capacity house will be present to enjoy this event.

It is also hoped that a large congregation will be present again Sunday morning and that the Sunday School attendance will again show the upward trend. After being low for two Sundays on account of bad weather the attendance was up well above 300 again last Sunday. Not only was the weather bad on the preceding Sunday but the pastor also was away on account of a death. The pulpit was ably filled, however, by a former pastor, Rev. George A. Dale, who brought wonderful messages at both the morning and the evening services.

The pastor has announced that his subject next Sunday morning will be "The Christ-Centered Christmas."

There is also a class for every age in the Baptist Sunday school from the nursery on up to 100 if any there be who are that old. You come!

MRS. BURROUGH ATTENDS COUSIN'S FUNERAL

Mrs. T. B. Burrough on Tuesday attended the funeral of a cousin, Willie Wilson of Snyder, 60, who died there on Monday. His mother and Mrs. Burrough's father were wins.

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COLLEGE TAKES OVER AIRPORT AT CANYON

Canyon, Dec. 16. (WTNS)— West Texas State College took over operation of the Canyon airport recently after receiving full Civil Aeronautics approval for a flying school.

The school, under the direction of Ted Teid, owns three airplanes for private and commercial training. Reapproval for the ground school was also given by the C.A.A. Flight instructor Jack Nesbitt of Fort Worth, is a former military, private and commercial pilot. He holds four licenses and has an A. and E. mechanics rating.

Fourteen students are taking the flight courses. Used in the school are an Aeronca Champion, two-place trainer and a Bellanca Crusair, four-place plane used for commercial and instrument training.

Manager of the college leased airport is George Webb. The field is large enough to accommodate large planes and does a column cross-country business. A new floor has been laid in the main hangar.

MULESHOE VOTES IMPROVEMENT BONDS

Citizens of Muleshoe recently voted bonds in the aggregate sum of \$300,000 to retire outstanding bonds, to improve the city water system, the city sewer system, and other purposes. Muleshoe has experienced quite a building boom during the current year. It is the county seat of Bailey County.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Tankersley, who left here on Wednesday of last week for the lower Rio Grande valley have written back that they are located in Hyatts Courts on highway 77 one mile west of San Benito, where they expect to spend the winter, and will be glad to hear from their friends. They had a hard time getting located since all the tourist courts, they say, are full. The weather was as nearly perfect as possible. Same here. Rats!

We are ready to renew your daily. —Mrs. E. I. Hill at The News Office.

WINIFRED CARPENTER WEDS LUBBOCK GIRL

Announcement has been made that Miss Margie Nell Russell of Lubbock, daughter of Mr. Walter Russell of Matador and Mrs. Emma Russell of Corpus Christi, and Winifred Carpenter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Carpenter of Tahoka, were to be married at six o'clock last night at St. John's Methodist Church in Lubbock, with Dr. Norvel Young, Minister of the Church of Christ, reading the ceremony.

Further announcement of the wedding will be furnished the News next week.

Abilene, Tex., Dec. 15.— Miss Sue Holcomb, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Holcomb, Tahoka, member of the art education class, McMurry College, helped judge posters for Good Book week at St. Joseph's Academy, Abilene, recently.

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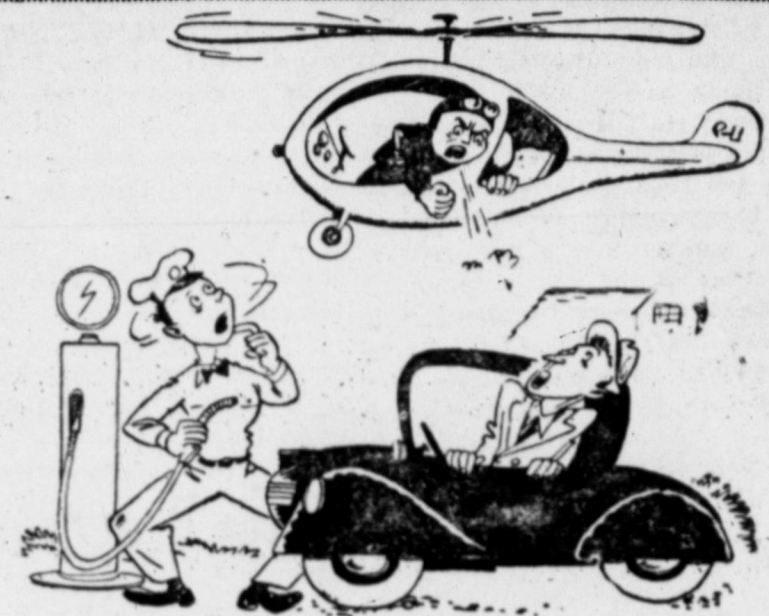
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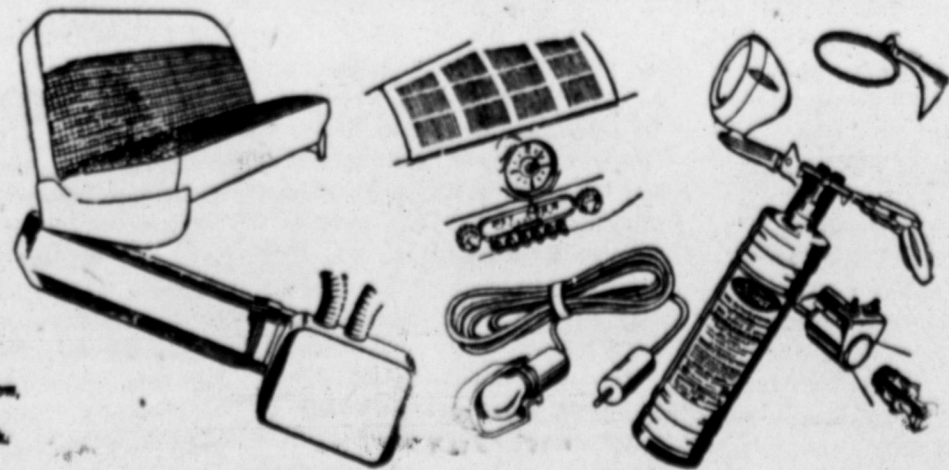


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Molds Allergy Leaders, N. U. Specialist Explains

Molds, borne on the air from crop fields, play a part second only to that of pollens in causing allergic symptoms, and, it has been estimated, about 20 per cent of allergic persons are clinically sensitive to molds, a Northwestern university specialist reports.

Dr. Theodore B. Bernstein, a member of the allergy division faculty in the medical school, spoke before the opening session of the week-long orientation course in clinical allergy, sponsored by Northwestern and the American Academy of Allergy.

The most important molds, from the standpoint of allergy causation, are the group known as fungi imperfecti, Dr. Bernstein said. In this class are included the most important molds commonly found in the air, such as alternaria, hor-moendrum, aspergillus, penicil-lum, and monilia.

Mold spores (cellular reproductive bodies) are present in the air all year 'round, and some types show seasonal fluctuation. Others, which are usually less important as allergens, do not. Alternaria and hor-moendrum account for 72 per cent of the total number of molds in the air, and about 80 per cent of the total alternaria crop is found during the six-month period of June through November. Hor-moendrum and smuts also occur in large numbers during this period.

These statistics, the specialist said, were compiled after surveys conducted in Chicago during the last 10 years, and hold true in general for conditions existing between the eastern and western mountain ranges. (The mold committee of the academy last year instituted a nationwide survey of atmospheric fungi.)

'Flower Pot' Atom Smasher To Detect, Count Neutrons

A tiny atom-smashing machine, no larger than a flower pot, has been developed by Westinghouse scientists to detect and count neutrons—vital building blocks in matter's structure.

The new device, which contains a very small amount of uranium 235, generates a series of tiny atomic explosions to reveal the presence and behavior of neutrons. It is expected to enable scientists to penetrate more deeply into the core of the atom and eventually to solve more of the mysteries involving the powerful forces at work there.

Called a "neutron counter," the instrument was developed jointly by Dr. William E. Shoupp, manager of nuclear physics and electronics at the Westinghouse re-search laboratories and Dr. Kuan-Han Sun, Chinese-born research physicist.

"With the aid of this new instrument," Dr. Sun said, "we will be able to make more accurate studies of the number and speed of neu-trons."

Hunters Need Geological Map

Every deer hunter, or for that matter every hunter who enters large stretches of strange timber, should make it a point to know just about where he is at all times. This is not so difficult as it sounds. Unless he is going with an experienced guide and is willing to follow that individual's instructions implicitly, he should, when planning his trip, secure a U. S. geological map of that area. These maps are quite detailed and are ideal for the deer hunter, not only in allowing himself to "keep up with himself" but to locate the best hunting places. They show all the physical characteristics of the land—swamps, lowlands, ridges, cliffs, streams and moun-tains. Having a fair knowledge of the use of his compass and pos-sessing one of these maps, practi-cally any hunting tyro can find his way around by frequently referring to both.

Rat Control Program

There's scarcely a farm that isn't troubled by rats at some time. Michigan State college extension specialists are urging farmers to continue rat control campaigns through the whole year. If you'll make it hard for the rats to find food, they can be easily poisoned or trapped. Feeds should be stored properly and scraps and garbage kept in ratproof containers. Rat-proof buildings are a good measure to keep rats away once you've rid the farm of them. Putting metal shields around building supports and protecting sides of cribs with metal stripping are two good steps. Keep scrap lumber piles away from cribs since they attract rats and provide a shelter for them.

Royal Couple's Income

Income of the royal couple (Princess Elizabeth and the duke of Edinburgh) is paid from a fund made available by King George from savings on his own income effected during the war years. During 1940-41, for example, the king drew less than one-tenth of the amount he is granted. Annual sums paid to the king are given in exchange for property inherited by the royal family, and the public gets far more back in revenues from the royal lands, than it pays out to royalty. Last year the British public made a "profit" of nearly four million dol-lars on the exchange.

ATTEND FUNERAL OF FATHER

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Healy and daughter, Joyce of Tahoka, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Rainey and family and Clarksville where they had attend-

ed the funeral of J. L. Rainey, 72, who was known to a number of Lynn county people.

Mr. Rainey and Mrs. Healy are week, the father passing away of children of the deceased and Mrs. Thursday, and the funeral being Davis is a grand daughter. They had held on Saturday. one down on Wednesday of last Try A News Classified Ad.

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Basketball Team Loses Close Games

Tahoka Bulldogs A team has lost two games the past week to top-notch opposition, while the B team won two.

Monday night Sinton defeated the A team 23 to 19, while the B team won an extra period game 31 to 29. The score was tied at 25 all at the end of the regular period of play.

Tuesday night, the A team went to New Home and lost 39 to 29 to A. L. Pace's veteran quintet. The B team won 23 to 11.

As The News went to press on Thursday night, both teams were in Brownfield for games with the AA clubs.

Coach Jake Jacobs has been scheduling games with excellent clubs to give the boys playing experience before opening of the Conference season in January.

See Santa Claus in person at Piggly Wiggly Saturday afternoon from 3 to 4 o'clock. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Cooper returned Thursday morning from visiting their daughter, Mrs. Charles K. Harris and family of Compton, California, and Mrs. Cooper's mother and other relatives at Riverside.

See Santa Claus in person at Piggly Wiggly Saturday afternoon from 3 to 4 o'clock. adv.

NEW 1949 OLDSMOBILE WILL BE DISPLAYED BY WHARTON MOTOR CO.

Highlighted by the debut of the new "Rocket" engine, and featuring new "Futuramic" design throughout all models, the new 1949 Oldsmobiles will be on display at Wharton Motor Company here beginning on Sunday, and at the more than 3,500 Oldsmobile dealers throughout the nation. This announcement was made today by S. E. Skinner, vice-president of General Motors Corporation and general manager of Oldsmobile Division.

For 1949 all series of Oldsmobiles will be "Futuramic" according to the announcement. The new "Futuramic" series "76" will introduce Fisher's newest body, which along with newly-styled frontal and fender treatment, gives it Oldsmobile's characteristic "Futuramic" look. The "Futuramic" series "98" will be newly styled outside, and newly appointed inside, Mr. Skinner said. Both series will offer new engines—the "76" powered by an improved "Big Six," and the "98" featuring an entirely new high-compression power plant—the Oldsmobile 1949 "Rocket" engine.

The Futuramic "76" series will consist of six body types. In addition to the Four-Door Sedan, Club Sedan, Coupe and Convertible models, there will be an entirely new streamlined Four-Door Town Sedan, and a new deluxe six-passenger Station Wagon with steel top. The "Futuramic" series "98" model will include three body types—Four-Door Sedan, Club Sedan and Convertible Coupe. The Futuramic "76" series will occupy a substantially lower price range than the series "98."

The new "Rocket" power plant is the same high-compression, eight cylinder, valve-in-head engine which General Motors engineers and research experts have had under process of development for several years. It is the product of an entirely new engine plant in Lansing, Michigan, which Oldsmobile calls "the newest, most modern plant in the world." According to Mr. Skinner,

the compression ratio of the new engine is 7:25 to 1. With only minor mechanical modifications, this ratio can be stepped up in future models to 12 to 1, as soon as higher octane fuels are available.

"Oldsmobile's 1949 'Rocket' engine," Mr. Skinner revealed, "is the most powerful ever installed in an Oldsmobile. Its 135 horsepower is an increase of 20 horsepower over Oldsmobile's eight-cylinder 1948 engine."

ATTEND FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Henderson Mesdames Jake Jacobs and Frank Hill attended the funeral services of Mr. W. C. Henry of Ralls Wednesday afternoon of this week.

Mr. Henry was the father of Mrs. Grady Howard, who taught for a number of years in the Tahoka Public School system here. He School system here and stayed in the Hill's home, while Mr. Howard was in service.

Mrs. Howard is Mesdames Henderson and Hill's sister-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. Sister Howard's home now is in Hot Springs, New Mexico.

BRIDAL TEA IS GIVEN

Amid a setting of seasonal decorations, Mrs. Clois Leverett, formerly Miss Faye Johnson, was honored at a bridal shower and tea given Sunday afternoon between the hours 2:00 and 5:00 o'clock in the home of Miss Jo Ann Henderson.

Assisting with hospitalities were Mesdames John Witt, Dusan McClintock and Durwood McClintock. Lace over pink covered table was centered with a crystal punch bowl on a reflector, surrounded by pink carnations and fern, flanked with blue tapers.

Fifty two guests called and eighty four beautiful and useful gifts were on display.

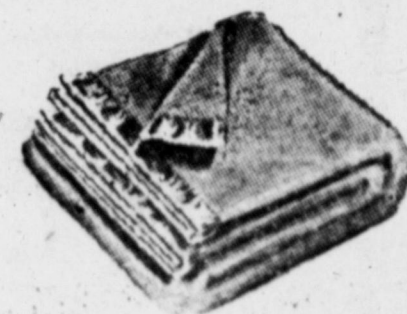
The News inadvertently omitted the name of O. C. Sikes as one of the Tahoka Masons attending the Grand Lodge in Waco in the story world." in last week's paper. We are sorry.



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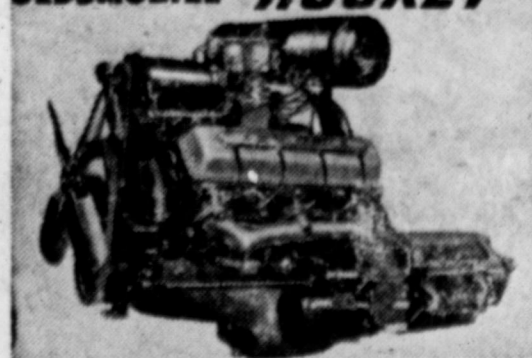
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pression, valve-in-head eight that actually gives you more power on less gasoline! Combined with GM Hydra-Matic Drive, the "Rocket's" performance is so smooth, silent, and spirited, you've got to try it to believe it! Your Oldsmobile dealer invites you to inspect the new Futuramics—examine the new "Rocket" Engine—and experience "The New Thrill!"

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EASTERN STAR CELEBRATES SILVER ANNIVERSARY

Tahoka Chapter 743, Order of Eastern Star, celebrated its 25th anniversary with appropriate ceremonies honoring the 9 Charter Members and 23 Past Matrons and Past Patrons who were among the 75 members and 5 visitors present in the Masonic Hall Monday evening, December 13th.

Of the twenty five members who started the work together 25 years ago 4 have passed from labor to

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rest, some have moved into other chapters or districts, but of the 10 still on the Tahoka Chapter roll 8 were present, as was one, Mrs. Bonna Stokes, now of Bangs Chapter. Mrs. Stokes was the first Chapter Lin and has also served the Chapter as Worthy Matron and as Secretary. Mrs. Robbie Thomas and W. E. Smith were introduced as the first Worthy Matron and the first Worthy Patron respectively. Others introduced, each of whom have held one or more offices some time during the past quarter century were W. M. Harris, C. H. Cain and Mmes. Clara Harris, Sue Cain, Launa Thomas and Vesta Redwine. W. E. Smith and C. H. Cain had each served 7 terms as Worthy Patron.

Brother J. W. Chenoweth of Slaton, who is a member of the Board of Grand Trustees, Grand Chapter of Texas Order of Eastern Star, was recognized and given Grand Honors by the chapter. He was accompanied by his wife, Mrs. Ollie Ruth Chenoweth, past District Deputy Worthy Matron of this section.

An outstanding feature of the entertainment was the drill of the fairies. Into the room where the soft glow of candle-light was reflected from the silver decorations came 25 white robed women carrying silver wands each topped by a star and wearing white veils showered with silver stars, and executed a beautiful drill with Mrs. Anita Billman as Marshal and soloist and

Mrs. Beulah Applewhite as pianist. Several short talks were made by charter members and by Bro. Chenoweth. Mrs. Grace Prohl spoke about benevolent work that the chapter is doing referring to the adopted Chinese child that the Chapter supports in China. She gave the name of a family adopted by the chapter for the purpose of bringing Christmas cheer. A love offering was taken for this family.

During the opening and the closing of the Chapter all offices were filled by the Past Matrons and the Past Patrons, led by Mrs. Minnie Davis as Worthy Matron and C. H. Cain as Worthy Patron, but the program and business session was under the direction of the present efficient Worthy Matron, Mrs. Etta Lorene Reid, and it is due to her untiring efforts and the good work of her corps of officers that such a wonderful program could be enjoyed.

From a table with silver appointments hot coffee and star-shaped cookies in Christmas colors were served during the social hour which followed the business meeting.

BAILEY COUNTY VOTES DRY

In a wet-dry election held throughout Bailey county on Tuesday of last week the county voted overwhelmingly dry. The vote was 1137 dry to 224 wet, more than 5 to 1.

This is said to have been the first local option liquor election ever held in Bailey county.

See us for Bargain Day rates on all leading daily papers. —Mrs. E. I. Hill at Lynn County News Office.

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What to do for woman's oldest problem, functional monthly pain? Many a girl and woman has found the answer in Cascot's 2-way help. You see, Cascot may make things lots easier for you in either of two ways: (1) started 3 days before "your time" and taken as directed on the label, it should help relieve functional periodic pain; (2) taken throughout the month like a tonic, it should improve your appetite, aid digestion, and thus help build up resistance for the trying days to come. Cascot is scientifically prepared and scientifically tested. If you suffer "at those certain times", get Cascot today.



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JIM BURLERSON IMPROVING

The News is informed that Jim Burlerson, who has been ill for the past several weeks, is continually improving and hopes to be home within the next few weeks.

He and Mrs. Burlerson are at the Royal Palm Motel in McAllen, down in the Lower Rio Grande Valley.



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Franklin's Business Policy

Foremost in Benjamin Franklin's business policy was the adherence to industry and frugality. These were the keys to success, which he believed he proved through his own life. One biographer has noted in Franklin's writing, 73 repetitions of the two words, "industry" and "frugality." Franklin believed that success depended on appearances as well as reality. He took care not only to be industrious in reality, but to look the part. To show that he was about his business, he sometimes brought home the paper he purchased at the store in a wheelbarrow. Concerning partnerships in business, Franklin advised that everything be explicitly settled in writing. Although partnerships often end in quarrels, Franklin said that all of his agreements ended amicably; owing, he thought, to precaution in settling disputes explicitly and stating the deal specifically. In 1743, Franklin had printing partners in three different colonies and later several more.

Hunt With a Dog

Those who use a dog when hunting ducks or quail bag every wounded or dead bird. "When a dog is not used, a hunter may wound or kill as many as 20 birds before he gets four," points out Earl F. Kennamer, A. P. A extension wildlife specialist. Of course, a dog won't retrieve a dove. This makes it necessary for a hunter to keep a hawk in his mind where a dove is. After the dove flight starts, go directly to the point where the bird falls. "If the dove is not to be used your hat to mark the spot and walk in gradually widening circles until bird is found."

Snow Removal in U. S.

United States has 217,000 miles of primary highways which would be blocked by snow part of the winter at least, and many miles of secondary roads and city streets which would be impassable were it not for the untiring efforts of state, county and city maintenance crews working with modern equipment which has been developed to meet this annual need. The job of snow removal is one that must go on year after year. Snow fences help. We have 13,447 miles of snow fence in this country. Snow hedges and tree protection are also valuable.

Generally speaking, unfertilized pond support from 100 to 200 pounds of fish per acre, fertilized pond will support from 500 to 600 pounds.

REV. CHARLES KENNEDY TO PREACH HERE

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Kennedy are coming this week-end from Waco, where Charles is a Ministerial student in Baylor University to visit with Mrs. Kennedy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Nordyke, and Rev. C. T. Aly pastor of the First Baptist Church, requests the News to announce that Charles will speak and conduct the prayer services at this church on Wednesday night of next week, December 22.

Mrs. Kennedy is the former Miss Faye Nordyke. The couple were married in the Church here on Sunday, August 1. She is a graduate of the Texas Tech.

BAPTIST' YOUNG PEOPLE'S DEPARTMENT

Supt. and Mrs. A. L. Smith, Mrs. W. H. Kenley, and Mrs. W. A. Reddell, together with W. A. Reddell, Assistant Sunday School Superintendent were hosts for the Christmas party of the Young Peoples' Department of the Baptist Sunday School and the Training Union in the Smith home Monday evening.

The house was decorated in the Christmas motif and gifts were exchanged from a beautifully lighted tree.

After the program a refreshment plate with sandwiches and iced drink was served to each of the 25 who attended.

DISTRICT MISSIONARY TO PREACH AT REDWINE

Mrs. G. C. Watson of Redwine has requested the News to announce that Rev. F. E. Swanner, missionary for District No. 9, will fill the pulpit at the Redwine Baptist Church Sunday morning.

Rev. Swanner is one of the strongest pulpit speakers of the Baptist denomination in this entire Plains region and the members of the Redwine Church are urged to hear him. Everybody cordially invited.

Top Producer of Fluorspar

For many years the United States has been the world's leading producer of fluorspar. It accounted for 37 per cent of the total in pre-war years. Germany was second with 27 per cent, followed by Russia, 12 per cent; France, 9 per cent; United Kingdom, 6 per cent; Chosen, 2 per cent; Italy, 2 per cent, and Newfoundland 1.6 per cent. The rest of the world combined produced only 0.4 per cent. Prior to World War II the bulk of the United States' meager imports of acid grade fluorspar came from France, Germany, Newfoundland, Tunisia and the Union of South Africa. Since World War II the shipments have come chiefly from Mexico, Canada, Newfoundland, Spain and the Union of South Africa.

Incomes of Families

Bureau of the census figures show that out of over three million families of which a woman was the head of the household, 400,000 had incomes of \$5,000 a year or more in 1946. Of these about 50,000 had incomes of \$10,000 a year or over. Approximately one out of every eight of such families in the \$5,000 and over income bracket lived in rural non-farm areas and the rest in the cities. There were nearly 700,000 families headed by a woman with incomes of \$3,000 to \$5,000 a year of whom about one out of every nine lived in rural areas. The \$3,000 and under income bracket had more than 2,000,000 of such families of whom about one out of every four lived in rural areas.

Scrap Drive for Farmers

A new national industrial and farm iron and steel scrap drive is being sponsored by the U. S. department of commerce. Scrap collected on farms is considered particularly desirable as much of it is of heavy cast iron which is scarcer than steel scrap. Farmers play an important part in supplying raw materials for the steel mills and foundries as they furnish approximately two million tons of scrap a year.

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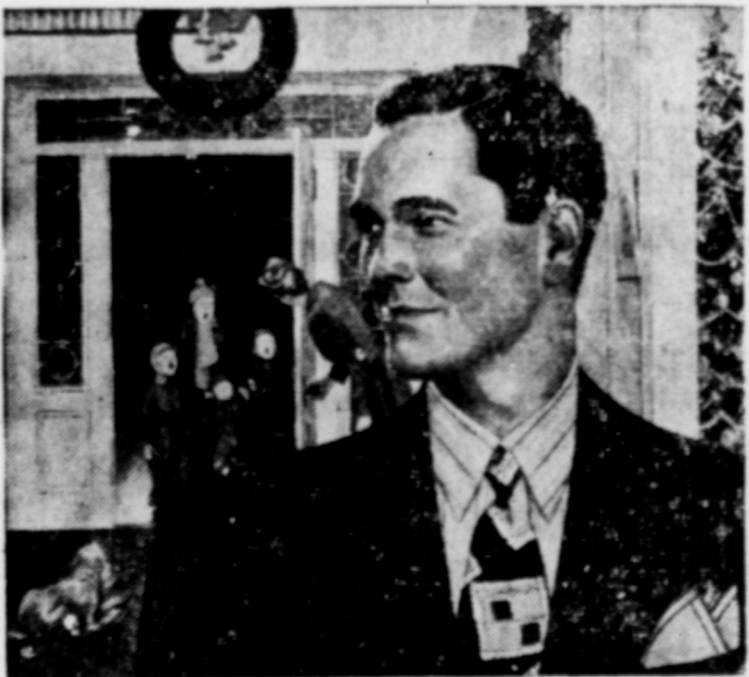
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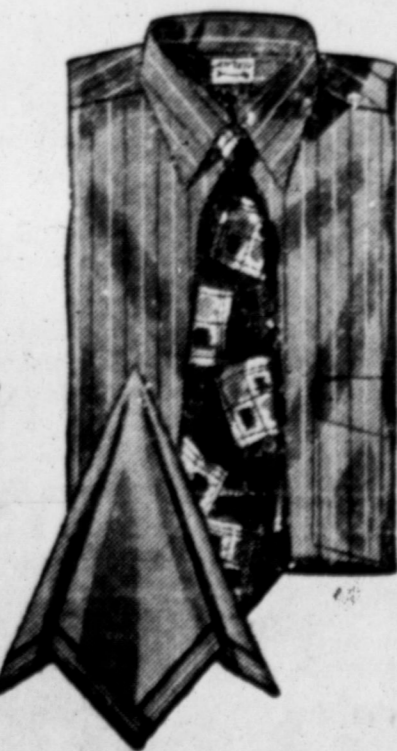
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Fire Boys Help Make Christmas Merry For Kids

"At least fifteen families in and around Tahoka will have a merrier Christmas through the generosity of the local Volunteer Fire Department," Mrs. Fred McGinty stated to the News Tuesday. She is directing the work of looking after the needy at this Christmas season and has procured the active support of the churches and most of the civic organizations of the town in this work.

"The Fire Boys 'dished out' one hundred dollars and asked the Council of Girl Scout leaders to see that the less-fortunate families were remembered, especially the children," Mrs. McGinty continued.

"The Council, headed by Mrs. Emil Prohl, working through the County Welfare organization, is striving to use wisdom and judgment in the expenditure of this very generous donation. Doubtless much cheer and happiness will be the result.

"Thanks, Fire Boys !!!"

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Microscope May Supercede Jinie Thermometer, Belief

A microscope trained on the eye may soon replace a thermometer in the mouth as the conventional method of judging a person's physical condition, according to the Better Vision Institute. This new development is a result of 16 years of research and experimentation by four scientists on the conjunctiva the thin membrane that covers the eye.

By observing the capillaries in the conjunctiva, the scientists discovered that red blood cells—each about the size of a capillary—do not flow through the capillaries freely in unhealthy bodies, as they do when the health is good. Instead, they form clumps which cut off nourishment from cells usually supplied by the capillaries. This situation exists in at least 60 diseases, ranging from the common cold to acute alcoholism and cancer.

In larger blood vessels, the clumps disturb the free flow of blood and it becomes turbid. The resulting situation is similar to that of an automobile trying to run in the winter with summer oil thickened by the cold weather.

The scientists who have been conducting this research are Dr. M. H. Knisely of the University of Chicago, Dr. E. H. Bloch of the University of Copenhagen, and T. S. Elliot and Louise Warner of the University of Tennessee. Their work for the past seven years has been on the blood in the eyes of both healthy and diseased persons.

Farm Accident Toll High; Control Measure Offered

More than 18,000 farm people lost their lives in accidents in 1947 and others lost enough time from injuries to produce over one-half of the nation's wheat crop.

This statement was made by A. J. Schwantes, chief of agricultural engineering at the University of Minnesota, who based his estimate on yearly averages computed by the National Safety Council.

Among the steps which can be taken by farm families to reduce the accident toll, Schwantes recommends these 10:

1. Repair all defective ladders and steps.
2. Remove all nails from loose boards.
3. Clean up yard of rubbish, garden tools, pitchforks.
4. Avoid storing loose materials overhead.
5. Store gasoline out-of-doors, underground or in an isolated building.
6. Clear stairways of brooms, mops, tools, toys.
7. Build one strong handrail for each stairs in the home.
8. Get rid of oil-saturated or paint rags.
9. Protect water tanks, cisterns, wells or pools hazardous to children.
10. Build a safe bull pen for the bull.

C. E. Waldrep of Brownfield, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Waldrep of Tahoka, underwent an emergency operation for appendicitis, early Wednesday morning of last week, the appendix having ruptured when he entered the hospital. Latest news is that he is making satisfactory recovery.

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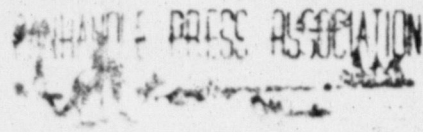
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A VALUABLE COMMITTEE UNDER FIRE
Although J. Parnell Thomas, chairman of the House committee on Un-American activities, has himself been indicted by a Federal grand jury for graft in padding his pay roll for the employees of his office, yet we take it that the other members of his committee are indisputably honest, and we believe that it has rendered a valuable service in unearthing the activities of Communists who have managed to secure many positions in some of the departments of our government and in some instances have given out secret information to the agents of Russia.

Some have attempted to belittle and obstruct the investigations being made by this committee. These critics include U. S. Attorney-General Clark and former Secretary of State Sumner Welles, and many others high up in the Governmental official family. Mr. Clark has himself been carrying on some sort of investigation of Communist activities in this country, he claims, and recently he has been having witnesses appear before a Federal grand jury, and in that connection has been requesting that the Congressional committee desist from further investigations and turn the whole matter over to the grand jury. Some of the many critics have been accusing the Congressional

committee of merely playing politics and setting a priority. Well, there may be some truth in that—we don't know—but at least the investigations and revelations made by the Congressional Committee have turned the light of publicity on some of the leading Communist offenders, brought out the evidence that many secret and important papers have been sneaked out of the offices of the State Department and the information which they contained furnished to other Communists in this country, which of course has been transmitted to the head and front of Communist activities in the world, one Joe Stalin of Russia.

In spite of the claims and criticism of the U. S. Attorney General it is noteworthy that he did not unearth his information nor place it before any grand jury until it was brought to light by the Congressional Un-American Activities committee. It was the probing of this committee that brought to light the activities of former Communist Chambers while connected with the State Department some ten years ago and evidently brought about his resignation two or three weeks ago as one of the publishers of Time Magazine.

We think the Congressional Committee is doing a very valuable piece of work and should be continued.

Get On Guard!

HERE WE GO AGAIN!
The word is out in Austin that a sneak approach will be used when the Legislature meets in January to seek the enactment of so-called "fair trade practices" legislation.

For at least 12 years one of the most powerful lobbies in Austin has been working for a law under which out-of-state manufacturers and distributors would fix minimum retail prices for hundreds of articles sold in drug, department and other stores in Texas.

The attempt has been dishonest as to its "Fair Trade Practices act" title. If ever an unfair, discriminatory law was proposed, this is it. But the advocates of the law, which would cost Texans millions of dollars a year, are due credit for having stated in their proposed measure what they wanted done. Their attempts invariably have been blocked.

So now they reportedly are preparing a sneak attack. Austin hears

they will propose the creation of some sort of "commission" in a law worded in such a way as to appear harmless and inoffensive. But actually, it would put the selfish interests in position to dictate the membership of the commission, and would be given power to impose price and other regulations far more drastic and far-reaching than any thus far proposed in any law.

Prospects are encouraging that the maneuver will fail. Enough legislators should be on alert to minimize the possibility that sneak techniques will remain undiscovered. If the sneak attack is identified, it is incredible that enough legislative support can be secured to enact a law which so flagrantly would be against the interest of Texas and Texans. —Lubbock Morning Avalanche.

MAGAZINE PUBLISHES ARTICLE ON TAHOKA SEWER DISPOSAL FARM

N. E. Wood received a letter Tuesday from Vernon Stegall, manager of the Stegall Stock Farm situated near Franklin in Robertson county, asking for more information about Tahoka's Sewer Disposal Farm and about the bench leveling on this farm that had been done under the direction of Mr. Wood, who is in charge of the State Soil Conservation work in this county.

Mr. Stegall stated that he was very much interested in an article which he had read in the December issue of the Progressive Farmer written by Louise Allen, a representative of the Magazine. The ar-

STATED MEETINGS of Tahoka Lodge No. 1041 the first Tuesday night in each month at 8:30. Members urged to attend. Visitors welcome. BUEL DRAPER, W M H. G. HODGES, Secretary.

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article discussed at some length the work that was being done here in a new leveling and in using the sewer water from Tahoka's Sewer system for irrigation purposes.

He had a tract of pasture land that was almost level and was seeking a way to use it to a better advantage. His letter head showed that he was majoring in the raising of fine Hereford and Brahma cattle.

Mr. Wood was intending to give the gentleman the additional information desired.

Mr. and Mrs. Skinner Connolly visited Mr. and Mrs. Clay Hughes out at Mayhill, New Mexico, last week and brought back with them a

turnip which Mr. and Mrs. Hughes had raised weighing more than four pounds, a sample of the products of the soil out there. The Connollys presented the turnip to the editor—Thanks.

NANCY WYATT MAKES HONOR ROLL
Nancy Wyatt is one of the forty students of McMurry College who made an average of 90 or above the first nine weeks of this semester.

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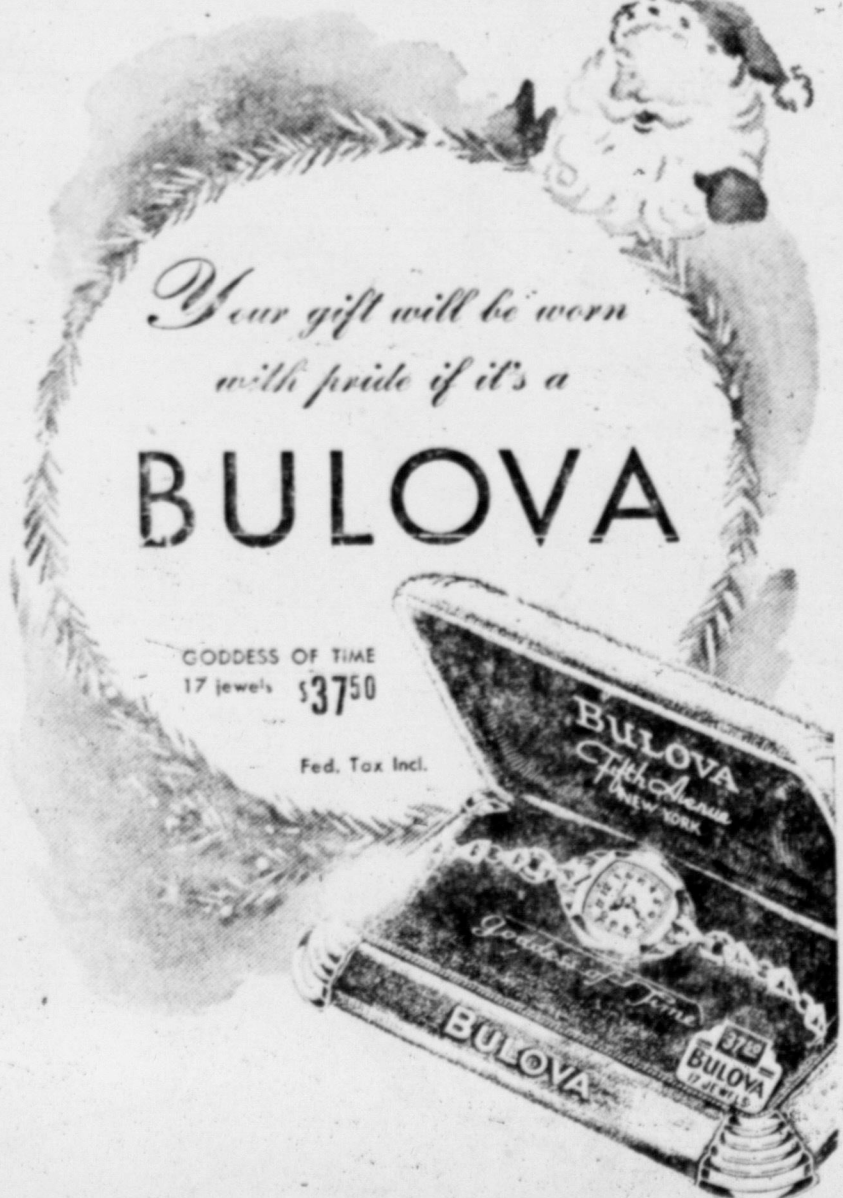
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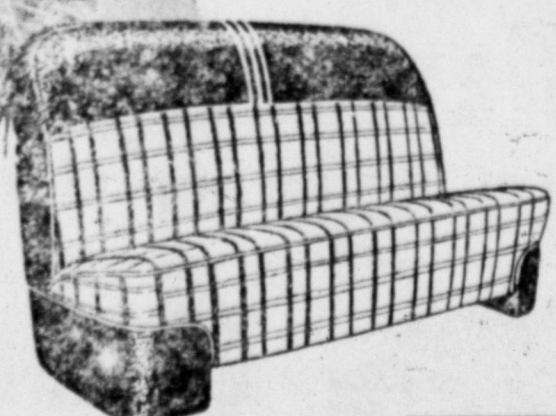
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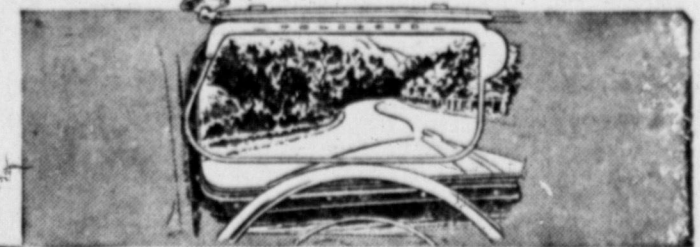
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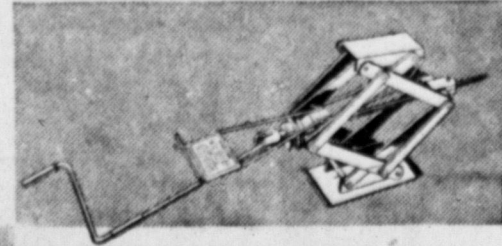
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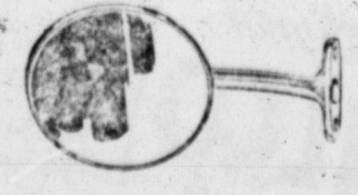
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Coconut 4 OZ. KG. 15c

SUGAR Pure Granulated 10 LB. Sack 85c

SAUSAGE, Pure Pork lb. 39c

MORRELL PRIDE, SLICED
Bacon 65c

CHEESE, Chevelle 2 lb. box 83c

BACON, Armour's Star, slab 65c

U. S. GRADED—CUDAHY, LION or T-BONE
Steak 79c

ROAST, Chuck, lb. 59c

OYSTERS, Select, Pint 89c

FRESH PORK, 1/2 OR WHOLE, 10 to 12 Pound Av.
HAMS 59c

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BORDO PITTED
DATES 6 OZ. PKG. 19c
MILK
Pet or Carnation
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FOLGER'S
COFFEE, Folgers 1 lb. tin 55c
LADY BETTY, 12 OUNCE GLASS—
POTATO SALAD 23c

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Raisins 15 OZ. BOX 19c
CALIFORNIA
Walnuts POUND 37c

YELLOW
ONIONS
NO. 1
POUND 5c

WASHINGTON
DELICIOUS
APPLES
POUND 15c

IDAHO RUSSETS
Potatoes
NO. 1
POUND 6c

CARROTS, Large Bunch 9c

RADISHES, Bunch 7 1/2c

PAPER SHELL
Pecans POUND 29c

BANANAS, Golden Fruit lb. 15c

ONIONS, Fresh Green Bunch 7 1/2c

CALIFORNIA GREEN
Celery STALK 17c

8 POUND MESH BAG
GRAPEFRUIT, Texas 33c

CAULIFLOWER, Sno-White lb. 12 1/2c

TEXAS
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SUGAR, 1 POUND BOX 12c

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Spinach 14c

TIDE
LARGE BOX 35c

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Bleach qt. 14c

PILLSBURY
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SERVICES ANNOUNCED FOR GRASSLAND NAZARENE CHURCH
 Rev. S. R. Brannon, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene at Grassland, announces that Rev. Lyman P. Wood from Bethany-Peniel College, Bethany, Oklahoma, will preach Sunday morning at the Grassland

Church. It is hoped that he will be greeted by a large congregation.
 Mrs. E. W. Shawn received news Wednesday that her father was seriously ill at McKinney and has gone there to be at his bedside.

O'Donnell Infant Buried Saturday

Graveside funeral services were conducted in the O'Donnell cemetery last Saturday afternoon for the late Bruce Wayne Gage, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gage of O'Donnell, age one month and 9 days who died in Lamesa on Thursday of last week. Services were conducted by Rev. R. T. Peek, pastor of the Assembly of God Church at O'Donnell, and burial was under the direction of the Stanley Funeral Home of Tahoka.

The babe was born in a Lamesa hospital on October 30, 1948, and had been sick most of its brief life. Survivors include the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gage; one little brother, Dannie Joe; the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gage of Tahoka; and the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Rogers of O'Donnell, six uncles and six aunts.

Canyon, Dec. 16 (WTNS)—Probably the last Model 1 Linotype in the Southwest has come to rest in the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum.

The old machine was purchased by Clyde Warwick of the Canyon News for the printing exhibit at the Museum. It belonged to A. C. Torres, publisher of the Spanish newspaper, El Defensor Del Pueblo in Socorro, New Mexico.

Manufactured by the Mergenthaler Linotype Co. of Brooklyn, N. Y., it bears the date 1895. The Mergenthaler Company aided Warwick in securing the machine as it still services all the machines it makes. The company will send a mechanic here soon to erect the linotype which was dismantled for transportation.

The printing exhibit in the Museum covers one-fourth of the basement floor in the old annex and includes six cases of materials and several old presses.

Jackie, young son of Jimmy Applewhite, was taken to the Tahoka Hospital on Wednesday morning suffering from bronchial pneumonia. He was reported to be much better Thursday, having responded to the treatment nicely.

PHEBE K. WARNER CLUB

The spacious and beautifully decorated living room of Mrs. Alton Cain was the scene of the annual Christmas dinner of the Phebe K. Warner Club, Tuesday evening of this week. Roast turkey with all the accompaniments was served.

The 25 members attending the dinner sat at two long tables and upon the snow-white linen cloths rested a center piece consisting of the Letters 'P. K. W.' in snow plastic surrounded by evergreens and bright holly, tall red tapers in groups of three burned brightly at the ends of the tables.

The Club discussed plans for bringing Christmas cheer to the family it has adopted.

The outstanding feature of the evening was the reviewing of Van Dyke story "The Other Wise Man," by Mrs. G. M. Stewart. Club members declare that the story was exceptionally well-told and was very impressive.

Mrs. Cov Fielder is President of the Phebe K. Warner Club which organized in Tahoka 26 years ago and became a part of the State Federation of Women's Clubs that same year. Through the years this Club has taken a very active interest in all educational and civic affairs of Tahoka and has rendered a very worthwhile service to the entire community.

See Santa Claus in person at Piggly Wiggly Saturday afternoon from 3 to 4 o'clock. adv.

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WANTED—Ironing to do. Mrs. Raymond Talkmitt, 3 1/2 blocks west Minnie's Beauty Shop. 11-2tp

FOR SALE—M Farmall and equipment, including 5 row pick-up bed knifer and pick-up 4 row knifer. R. L. Fillingim, 2 mi. E. and 3 1/2 north Lakeview. 11-2tp

WANTED—Sewing and Ironing. Mrs. Clyde Sargent. 11-3tp

FOR RENT—A 5-room modern house. —Tom Gill. 11-tfc

MARTHA SHERROD CLASS

Mrs. C. T. Aly was hostess for the annual Christmas party of the Martha Sherrrod Class of the First Baptist Church, Tuesday evening, December 14.

After playing several unique and unprovoking games, Mrs. J. A. Roberts told an interesting Christmas story and Mrs. G. B. Sherrrod read the story of the Nativity from Luke as a closing devotional thought.

gifts from a beautifully decorated tree were exchanged by members present and each one left a toy to bring Christmas cheer to a child. Fruit cake with a hot drink was served to the thirty members present.

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FOR SALE— One 6-inch irrigation pump and gasoline motor, used only two seasons, in good condition, priced reasonably. For further information call or write Jack Henderson, Rt. 2, Post, Texas. Phone 900-F4. 10-2tp

FOR SALE— Jersey bull, 3 years old. —Dr. G. W. Williams, Box 722, Tahoka. 10-tfe

FOR SALE— 1939 Model F-20 Farmall, complete 4-row equipment, excellent condition. Joe D. Unfred, New Home. 11-8tp

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FOR SALE— Extra good F-20 Farmall, new rubber, 4-row equipment complete. —A. L. Norman. Grassland. 10-2tp

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FOR SALE— 1939 model "30" Farmall tractor, and equipment. Claude Brown, 5 miles west and 2 miles north of New Home. 8-4tp

FOR SALE— House, 5-rooms, bath, 75x140 lot, double garage, work shop, \$4750.00. —V. J. Lowrance, Phone 347-J. 10-4tp

FOR SALE— Six-piece twin-bed room Suite. W. H. Fulkerson. 8-tfc

FOR SALE— Three Boone 2-row Cotton Harvesters. Bargain prices. D. W. Gagnat, Hardware. Phone 71. 7-tfc

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FOR SALE— F-20 Farmall in good shape, 4-row planter, and 2-row cultivator. —John H. Martin, 3 blocks south of Curry Gin. 11-4tp

FOR SALE— Two boys bicycles, and a "La Ray" Powercycle. See Billy Edd Ware or Call 336-J. 1tc

FOR SALE— F-Farmall, 4-row tool b.r., 2-row cultivator, priced right. W. T. Hill, Rt. 4. 11-2tp

FOR SALE— Farmall Regular tractor with all equipment; price \$375.00; also spotted pony. —A. D. Jester. 11-2tp

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Mrs. Rollin McCord's Mother Is Buried

Mrs. Rollin McCord returned on Thursday of last week from Los Angeles, California, to which place she had been called on the preceding Friday, December 3, by the death of her mother, Mrs. Medora Pariseau Lavole, 66. Mrs. Lavole had died in her sleep at the home of another daughter, Mrs. John F. Blerer, in Los Angeles, from an attack of heart trouble. Mrs. McCord had visited her there a few months ago, and when news of her mother's death came she hastened to Los Angeles by airplane.

The mother's body was shipped by plane to Boston early last week and funeral services were to be conducted in St. Mary's Church in Newmarket, New Hampshire, her former home, at nine o'clock on Friday morning.

Born in Biddeford, Maine, on May 9, 1882, Mrs. Lavole was the daughter of Wilfred D. and Rosalia Pariseau. She was married in Newmarket, N. H. to Louis Phillip Lavole in 1902; who died about seven years ago. Surviving are nine children—five sons, all of whom live in New Hampshire and New York, and four daughters, one in Newmarket, two in Los Angeles, and Mrs. McCord, of Tahoka.

Mrs. Lavole had visited here and had spent the past two years in Los Angeles.

Jack Hickerson In Veteran's Hospital

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hickerson went to Post early Tuesday morning and took their grandson, Jack Hickerson, in their car from Post to the Veterans' Hospital in Amarillo for treatment and an operation soon. He was suffering from ulcers in the stomach and other ailments.

Jack was employed by the Mason Hardware & Furniture Company in Post. Before the war, he was a student in the Tahoka high school, having been reared here and at Three Lakes. During the war he served overseas for three years as a paratrooper in the Army Air Force. He came back strong and well but ill health came on and he had lost much weight in recent months. It is hoped that his maladies can be cured.

BAPTIST WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION

Reviewing the life of "Miss Lottie Moon," Southern Baptists' outstanding missionary to China, Miss Lola B. Johnson of Abilene, Y. W. A., the Sunbeams, 29 members of the W. M. S. and the Pastors all wanted to hear more about Miss Moon's life and work in China. Though the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering for Foreign Missions was taken in the church on Sunday some gave their offerings on Monday and others may appropriately give throughout December, as the offering is not forwarded until a-

of Miss Johnson had especially invited her sister to review the life of "Miss Lottie Moon" to the Intermediate G. A. girls, but the Junior G. A.s, the Royal Ambassadors, the Y. W. A.s, the Sunbeams, 29 members of the W. M. S. and the Pastors all wanted to hear more about Miss Moon's life and work in China. Though the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering for Foreign Missions was taken in the church on Sunday some gave their offerings on Monday and others may appropriately give throughout December, as the offering is not forwarded until a-

bout January first. At the close of the meeting delicious refreshments were served from a table decorated like a huge Christmas package. Many expressions of gratitude were heard for the use of this fine modern building in which to hold the meeting.

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BOY SCOUT WINTER CAMPS TO BE HELD DECEMBER 28, 29, 30

The Headquarters Office of the South Plains Council, Boy Scouts of America, announced today through Mr. Alex McDonald, Council Camping chairman, that Winter Camps will be held December 28, 29, and 30, at both Camp Post and Camp Mammy Haynes.

Each troop in the Council Area may attend the camp of their choice. The Council will provide camp directors at each camp site to assist scoutmasters with program plans. Field Executives Pat Lewis, Jack Johnston and Frank Atkinson will be at Camp Post located 2 1/2 miles southwest of Post, Texas. Ray Howard, Raymond Lupfer and W. R. Postma will be at Camp Mammy Haynes, located ten miles east and three miles north of Silverton, Texas.

The Winter Camps will be troop camps with each troop bringing

their own food, cooking utensils, bedrolls and etc. The Council will have a few tents at each camp site for troops that do not own their own tentage. Each troop will come prepared for five meals.

Both camps will start late on Tuesday afternoon, December 28, with troops arriving in time to pitch camp and prepare the evening meal before dark. Both camps will end following breakfast on Thursday, December 30. All Scout troops in the twenty county area in the South Plains Council are cordially invited to take advantage of this excellent camping opportunity. All parents and friends of Scouting are invited to visit the boys while at Camp during the holidays.

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ATTEND FUNERAL OF SISTER

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Lawler of Midway returned on Wednesday of last week from Bell county, where they had spent about two weeks, during which time Mrs. Lawler was at the bedside of a sister from Purmela in Coryell county, who was a patient in a hospital in Temple.

The sister died while they were there and the funeral services were held in Gatesville, with burial at Killen.

The Lawlers also visited at Killen, Florence, and other places while in that section of the state.

VISITORS WILL BE BACK FOR OLD SETTLERS RE-UNION

Mrs. Joe Barnes and daughter Sherry, who had been living in Detroit, Michigan, spent Thursday night of last week here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Wells. They were on their way to California to join Mr. Barnes, who had recently located there. As a boy Mr. Barnes was a resident of Tahoka and graduated years ago in the Tahoka high school. Ruby Wells was one of his school pals. They gave the Wells family the assurance that they would be back here in June for the annual meeting of the Old Settlers of Lynn County.

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WELLS H. D. CLUB HAS CHRISTMAS PARTY

Mrs. Joe McLaurin and Mrs. Buster Phipps were co-hostesses to the Wells H. D. Club Christmas party in the McLaurin home December 7.

The living room was decorated with mistletoe, candles, and Christmas lights.

The group played games and sang carols. The occasion was enjoyed by fifteen club members and visitors. Each brought a gift. The gifts were numbered and corresponding numbers were placed in a toy balloon. Each lady was given a balloon with instructions to inflate the balloon until it burst. The number she found was the number of her gift.

Refreshments of sandwiches, red and green lemonade, and red and green popcorn balls were served to Mesdames W. A. Barnes, R. A. Webb, Hulon Bolch, Andrew Jordan, Marvin Ratliff, Nola Bolch, Misses Myrtle and Ina Ledbetter and the hostesses.

Four new members were enrolled. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. T. B. Barton on January 4, 1949. —Reporter.

Canyon, Dec. 15. (WTNS) Dr. J. A. Hill, retired president of West Texas State College, and Mrs. Hill, returned to their home last Tuesday after a 91-day tour which took them through the Middle West, the Pacific Coast, Canada and a dip into Mexico.

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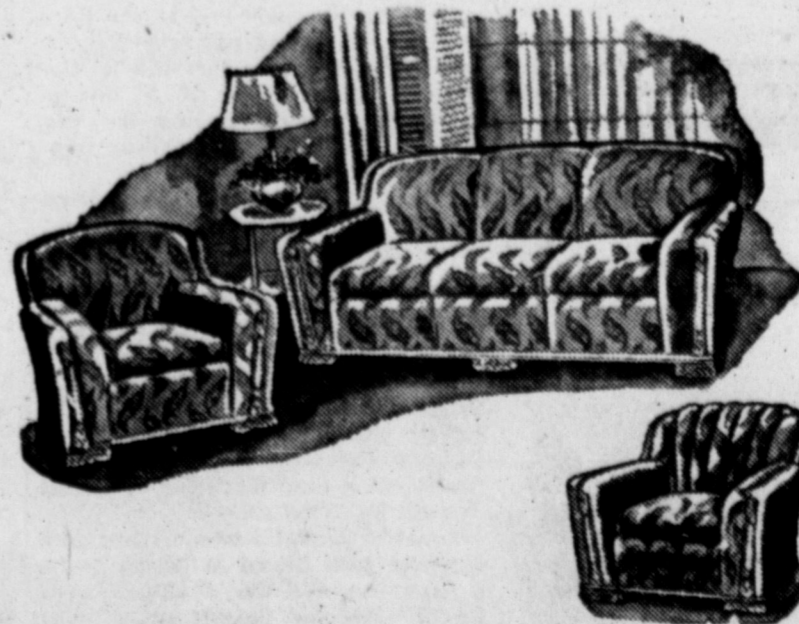
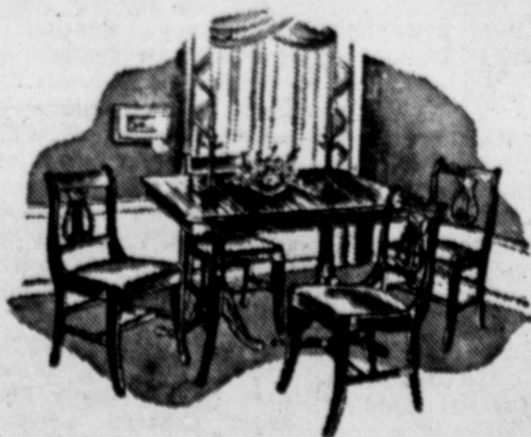
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3. How many words are there in the English language?
4. How many teeth do girls use lipstick?
5. How many ships in the world have been damaged by World War II mines since the end of the war?
6. What kind of electricity does an electric eel generate?
7. How much perspiration does a person give off in a day?
8. How fast does a toy top turn when you spin it?

The Answers

1. More than 14,000.
2. Benjamin Franklin.
3. More than 700,000.
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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

U. S. Cooling to Chiang Kai-shek; Russians Agree to Blockade Talks; Truman Wary on Deflation Prospect

EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysts and not necessarily of this newspaper.

HOLE CARD: China's Missing?

With stakes terrifically high and the Communists having him beat showing, China's Chiang Kai-shek fingered the pasteboards for a look at his hole card. In a quick double-take, he looked again. Was it gone, or had it dwindled to a deuce? That's the way poker players might have described the tense situation which faced beleaguered China and her generalissimo. The United States, China's only and all-powerful ally, appeared waning in ardor for the generalissimo's leadership. No less an authoritative U. S. foreign-policy spokesman than Senator Tom Connally (D., Tex.), who will head the senate foreign relations committee in the 81st congress, had spoken.

PUTTING IT BLUNTLY, Senator Connally had said, in effect, that China generally, and Chiang Kai-shek especially, should have done more to help themselves in the battle against Chinese Communist forces before pressing an 11th-hour appeal for American aid.

The senator emphasized his viewpoint: He stated that the visit of Madame Chiang Kai-shek to the United States was "not by invitation of the United States government." He made it clear that Madame Chiang was "just a protagonist of the Chinese government."

WOE PILED UPON WOE for the Chinese. Coincident with Senator Connally's statement, press services carried the following despatch from New Orleans: "William McChesney Martin, president of the U. S. Export-Import bank, said the bank would not even consider a loan now to Nationalist China. He said the Export-Import bank does not have on hand as much money as China probably will want, and that China is a 'poor business risk'."

Why was Connally giving the back of his hand to the generalissimo? Hear the senator: "Chiang is a generalissimo except that he doesn't go out and generalize. . . . If he took command of one of his armies in the field, he would do more to revive the morale of his people than anything else."

The Texan was but voicing publicly what other administration officials have been saying privately—that they are not too keen about Madame Chiang's all-out propaganda drive to divert more money and materials to China, possibly at the expense of the Marshall-plan countries. Connally summed up by saying that he was not prepared at this time to pass any opinion on increasing the aid to China, but added, "I am not in favor of sending combat troops to China."

MEANWHILE, CHIANG'S Suchow garrison was under orders to sally forth in an effort to save Nanking and rescue an entire army group trapped by the rampaging Communists—but gave indication of heeding the call. The fate of the frightened capital depended on the ability, or willingness, of the 250,000-man Suchow force to quit its fortress 211 miles northwest of Nanking.

While the garrison was deliberating its next move, latest battle-front dispatches said the government's 12th army group, totaling about 140,000 men, was encircled by Communists 67 miles south of Suchow and 145 miles northwest of Nanking. Little defense remained on the route to Nanking.

BERLIN: Blockade Talks Set

Hope for an early end to the Berlin blockade flared upward. Russia had accepted a new formula by the neutral nations of the U. N. Security Council for mediating the Big Four deadlock on the German capital issue.

Juan A. Bramuglia, Argentine foreign minister, announced that Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Y. Vishinsky had agreed to the plan at a meeting with him. It called for the naming of a "neutral" commission of currency experts.

BASIS for the resurgence of hope that the issue could be amicably resolved was a statement by U. S. Senator Connally that he believed the Russian land blockade of Berlin "would be lifted soon."

Senator Connally told a news conference that "there is bound to be a way out" of the deadlock over Berlin. He said the argument over the circulation of Russian currency in Berlin does not justify the cost



German Communists named Fritz Ebert, son of the late President Friedrich Ebert of the Weimar republic, as mayor of Berlin at a frenetic outdoor rally before Berlin university. The "rump" city assembly, attended only by Communists, voted for the immediate resignation of the acting mayor, Ferdinand Friedensburg.

of the air lift supplying the city, and does not "relieve us of any threats of conflict." He insisted on joint control of any currency distributed in Berlin.

The United States, France and Britain gave approval in principle to the Bramuglia proposal. Bramuglia stated he hoped for immediate formal acceptance by the three western powers and saw a possibility for the new mediation effort to get results.

THE NEW FORMULA of the "neutrals"—China, Colombia, Syria, Canada, Argentina and Belgium—was aimed at meeting western objections to talks on the currency issue under the threat of the Soviet blockade of Berlin. It was also known to contain provisions for a commission of experts to try to unravel the Berlin currency problem in consultation with the Big Four's own experts.

The plan would recommend a complete and final lifting of the Berlin blockade at the same time the Soviet-zone mark is introduced in Berlin as the sole currency.

The four powers agreed on the use of the Soviet mark August 30, but became entangled in a dispute over when the measure should take effect and what kind of currency controls should be established.

DEFATION: Truman on Lookout

Like the horseman who galloped off in all directions, President Truman is sprinting both to and fro in the vexatious price control race.

Just as the administration was girding to battle mounting living costs, prices sagged and now its economic experts are debating the need to don armor against deflation.

Most economic policy-makers believe inflationary forces still dominate the national scene—but some of them feel these forces are just about spent.

ONE TOP-LEVEL fiscal official declared, "inflationary pressures still outweigh the deflationary forces. But they aren't as great as they were a few months ago."

Inflationary pressures have subsided somewhat in recent weeks, but many government economists have adopted a "wait and see" policy. They want to know, first, how much President Truman will ask for "cold war" spending.

The cost of living is one of the important economic barometers indicating at least a temporary slackening of inflationary pressures. As measured by the bureau of labor statistics, living costs dropped slightly between mid-October and mid-November for the first time in seven months. And department store sales have been below their usual pre-Christmas levels.

However, economists point out that heavy spending for the armed services could quickly change the picture.

They expect President Truman's 15 billion dollar ceiling on defense spending to be boosted, and military aid for China and lend-lease arms for western European governments, they add, could swell the cost of foreign aid.

THAT KIND OF SPENDING economists point out, puts more money in circulation and reinforces inflationary pressures by bidding up the price of labor and scarce material.

The Cross Triumphant

Church Operates Underground in Russia

Millions of Christians are worshipping God in Russia despite Soviet opposition. The Rev. Kurt Szkalia, who recently visited Moscow in disguise, said that during his travels through Russia he discovered that Christians of all faiths, opposed to what he called the Moscow orthodox church, have formed a "cave church."

They are active, he said, in the western part of the Soviet union, particularly along the Don and Dnieper rivers. He said the underground church has millions of followers, but he does not believe the time ripe to reveal details concerning the movement. Its leaders, he said, are being vigorously persecuted by Soviet authorities.

HOUSING: Realtors Critical

State socialism was the goal seen by the National Association of Real Estate Boards for the promoters of public housing.

A pamphlet published by the board's legislative committee charged a "clever propaganda campaign" about housing has been developed by a coalition of planners, socialists and radicals.

"The objective of this powerful coalition is simple," the pamphlet continued, "state socialism with all its dangerous implications. Control of housing is their first and logical step."

THE PAMPHLET, entitled "The world owes me a living," appeared to be an attack on public housing features of the Taft-Eliender-Wagner bill. President Truman is committed to ask congress in January to revive and enact this measure.

The bill failed to pass in the 80th congress. It would lay down a long-range housing program, including incentives for private industry, and federal subsidies for construction of 500,000 units of low-rent housing.

The real estate group pointed out that many people think most costs too much. Yet few of them, the pamphlet added, would propose that the government go into the meat business.

YET, ALL OBSERVERS of the situation were agreed that no answer would be forthcoming to the continuing and aggravating national housing shortage until more rental units were constructed.

NO MONEY: No Draftee

Army draft calls for January and February were reduced more than two-thirds when military officials realized this was necessary if limits on defense spending fixed by Mr. Truman were to be observed.

THE JANUARY QUOTA was cut from 20,000 to 10,000 and the February call, which had been set to take 25,000 to 30,000 men, was lowered to 5,000.

The army stated simply that the proposed budget for next year isn't big enough to build the 900,000-man army authorized by congress.

The armed forces had asked for 23 billion dollars for the fiscal year beginning July 1. President Truman set a 15 billion dollar ceiling on defense spending.

Of this total, 600 million dollars must be spent on stockpiling strategic raw material. The balance of \$14,400,000,000 will be split among the armed forces, with the army expected to get about 5 billion dollars.

BECAUSE OF THAT, the army figures it will have to limit its strength to 677,000 officers and men. This is 223,000 (24.8 per cent) under the 900,000 authorized by congress last summer.

Army officials saw in the budget difficulty probability of sharp reductions in later draft calls, too. Instead of some 225,000 or 250,000 men marching off to the colors this fiscal year ending June 30, prospects were that the total would be but a fraction of either of those two figures.

Embattled China



Map shows how U. S. marine reinforcements from Guam (lower right) were moved to Tsingtao (1), American evacuation center. Safe conduct for evacuating Americans was considered imperative as the desperate battle for Suchow between Chinese Reds and Chinese Nationalists went into its final phase. Suchow (2) is the hot spot of China.

WARNING: Doctors Must Offer

It's up to the nation's doctors themselves whether they'll be drafted. Physicians attending the interim session of the American Medical Association in St. Louis were warned they must volunteer in sufficient numbers or face a special draft.

Dr. James C. Sargent, chairman of the AMA council on emergency medical service, said "many doctors are going into uniform in the months ahead—make no mistake about that." Sargent said a special draft would be undesirable, but that it may have to come. "We must provide adequate medical care for our fighting men," he said.

HUNGRY FED: U. S. Great Sharer

America's millions shared with the hungry of the world in record amount during the past crop year, and yet managed to feed themselves better than in all their previous history.

Exports during the crop year ended July 1 totaled 19,347,000 long tons. This is the largest quantity of food ever shipped by any country in a single year. It topped American exports of the previous crop year by 187,000 tons.

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YOU'LL have such fun with all the needlework variety here! Embroidery and crochet in a fascinating old-fashioned girl design for linens.

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CHILDREN frequently become deeply attached to one of their playtime toys and will spend countless hours talking over imaginary trips and adventures. Because this Giraffe Clothes Tree seems to understand almost everything a child says, he quickly takes first place in the heart of every little child who sees him.

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Send 25 cents for Joe Giraffe Pattern No. 24 in East-Bird Pattern Company, Dept. W, Pleasantville, N. Y.

Household Hints

Keep salt, pepper, sugar bowl, salad dressing, napkins and preserves on a tray and take them to the table in one trip.

Keep your iron temperature very low for rayons or it will crinkle them and cause a hole.

When dry cleaning, keep your hands out of the fluid by using a suction washer.

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JUST BEHIND

Big Program
Refreshments, a thin sandwich and two olives, had just been served at the town dance in the hill country.
"Is your program filled?" asked a loca! Romeo of a hillbilly belle when the dancing was resumed.
"Filled!" glared the girl. "Look here, young feller, it takes more than a skinny sandwich and two green plums to fill my program."

Tricks of the Trade
The night was dark and the hour was late as a solitary wayfarer passed along the deserted street. Suddenly three slinking figures emerged from the shadows, marked their prey, and then attacked him.

Three to one is powerful odds, but the wayfarer held his own. One by one his assailants landed with a thud on the ground, battered and bruised, their clothing torn.

A policeman hurried up and surveyed the wreckage.

"Fine work!" he said, addressing the hero, who was calmly lighting a cigarette. "Ju-jitsu?"
"No," answered the hero. "Railway porter."

You can breeze through a good part of your Christmas shopping by simplifying your gift list. It's probably a fact that a good many of your friends enjoy cigarette or pipe smoking. You can easily please these friends by ordering several cartons of mild, mellow Camels and pound tins of rich-tasting Prince Albert from a local dealer. Both these popular gifts come ready-wrapped in gay holiday dress. No other gift wrapping is necessary. There's even space for your personal greeting. Save time and energy this Christmas season by giving cool, mild Camels and mellow Prince Albert Smoking Tobacco. (Adv.)

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It may be caused by disorder of kidney function that permits poisonous waste to accumulate. For truly many people feel tired, weak and miserable when the kidneys fail to remove excess acids and other waste matter from the blood.
You may suffer sagging backache, rheumatic pain, headache, dizziness, getting up nights, leg pains, swelling. Sometimes frequent and scanty urination with smarting and burning is another sign that something is wrong with the kidneys or bladder.
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HOUSEHOLD MEMOS by Lynn Chambers



Let Ham Grace the Yuletide Table (See Recipes Below.)

Star Attraction

FROM YEAR to year we look forward to Christmas dinner as one of the most notable meals of the year. I've planned this year's menu with special care, with an eye to the delightful red and green color scheme, and particular consideration for the most taste-tempting recipes. You're certain to receive plenty of compliments on it!

Since the foods for the menu are star attractions, have the table setting as simple as possible.

START OFF the menu with a mouth-watering soup, so delicious from beginning to end, you'll want to serve it often. It doesn't take long to make, and the cooking time is short.

- *Tomato Richard (Serves 6)**
- 6 cups tomato juice
 - 1 medium onion, coarsely chopped
 - 1/2 cup coarsely shredded carrot
 - 1/4 cup thin sliced celery
 - 1/4 cup shredded green pepper
 - 1 teaspoon salt
 - 1/2 teaspoon pepper
 - 1/2 teaspoon sugar
 - 2 bay leaves
 - 6 tablespoons real mayonnaise

Simmer tomato juice, vegetables and seasonings for 10 minutes. Remove bay leaves. Stir a little of the hot mixture into the mayonnaise. Then blend all together. Top with the following: Whip one-half cup of heavy cream and add to it one-quarter cup of real mayonnaise and sprinkle with chopped chives.

A HOLIDAY HAM is a wise investment in this season where there are plenty of sizable incomes on your budget; the ham will not only fill the bill for Christmas dinner but will also pad out other menus during the holiday weekend. The leftovers can be the base for a main dish gelatin mold to grace the buffet table; for a main dish salad; and the "final finale" can go into sandwich spreads for lunches during the Yuletide vacation.

Serve your ham, resplendent on your best platter, with a garnish of orange slices topped with cranberry Christmas trees. To make these, cut canned cranberry sauce, chilled to make sure it's firm, in one and one-third inch slices. Cut out a paper tree pattern and place on slice of sauce; carefully cut around pattern with point of knife. Place the tree on orange slices. Cream a small amount of milk with cream cheese; put through pastry tube on to trees in scallop pattern to resemble Christmas tree garlands.

***Baked Ham**
Place ham, fat side up, in an open roasting pan. Do not add water and do not cover. Do not baste. Bake in a slow (325° F.) oven, according to the time given below. If you have a meat thermometer, insert it through outside fat into center of thickest part of ham so that the bulb does not rest on bone or fat.

LYNN SAYS:
Use These Last Minute Tips for Christmas

If your plans include mince-meat tarts, use a small star-shaped cookie cutter on the top crust after rolling. Youngsters will enjoy this novel touch especially if you insert a small red candle in the cut-out when serving.

Sweet potatoes, mashed and seasoned with butter, brown sugar and chopped nuts are flavorful. Bake in a casserole with a topping of marshmallows, if desired.

CHRISTMAS DINNER

- *Tomato Richard
- Crackers Assorted Relishes
- *Baked Ham Garnish
- *Sweet Potatoes and Apples
- Buttered Green Beans
- Fruit Salad Hot Rolls
- Plum Pudding *Sauce
- *Recipe Given.

Roasting Time Table (For Ham)

Oven temperature: 300° F.—325° F.

Ham, whole, uncooked	Thermometer Reading	Minutes Per Lb.
18-12 lbs.	160° F.	18-20
Ready-to-eat		
10-12 lbs.	130° F.	10
Ham, half, uncooked		
6-8 lbs.	160° F.	22-25
Ready-to-eat		
6-8 lbs.	130° F.	10
Picnic (shldr.) ..	170° F.	30-35
Boneless Butt	170° F.	40-45

These times are given for ham at room temperature. If ham is just removed from refrigerator before starting, allow a little longer time.

One-half hour before cooking time is completed, remove ham from oven, peel off rind with sharp knife and score the fat surface. Place a whole clove in each section. Glaze with the following sauce:

- *Tabasco Orange Sauce**
- 2 tablespoons cornstarch
 - 1/4 cup firmly packed brown sugar
 - 1/4 teaspoon salt
 - 1/4 cup water
 - 1/4 cup white corn syrup
 - 1/2 cup orange juice
 - 2 tablespoons vinegar
 - 1/2 teaspoon tabasco sauce
 - 1 cup orange sections

In a sauce pan, blend cornstarch, brown sugar and salt. Add water and mix until smooth; add corn syrup. Cook, stirring constantly until mixture boils. Remove from heat; stir in orange juice and tabasco sauce. Add orange sections and return to heat until sauce is hot. Serve with ham.

***Sweet Potatoes and Apples (Serves 6)**
Peel 6 medium-sized sweet potatoes and 4 medium-sized apples. Slice potatoes, slice and core apples. Place alternating layers of potatoes and apples in a greased casserole. Sprinkle with one-quarter cup brown sugar and three tablespoons butter. Pour one-quarter cup water or fruit juice over all. Bake in a moderate (350-degree) oven for one hour or until potatoes are tender.

- *Plum Pudding Sauce**
- 2 eggs, well beaten
 - 1/2 cup sugar
 - 1 tablespoon butter
 - 1/2 pint cream, whipped
 - Flavoring

Mix well beaten eggs with sugar; add butter and cook over hot water, stirring constantly, until thickened. Cool, then fold in whipped cream. Flavor as desired. This is not only delicious on plum pudding but also on ice cream.

Released by WNU Features.
If you're making pecan rolls for Christmas be sure to place a half candied cherry on top of each roll along with the nuts, so the rolls will look more festive. When serving the rolls cold, sprinkle them with powdered sugar to make them look frosted.

Bring individual plum puddings to the table covered with sauce with a red or green cherry perched on top of each one.

Having muffins for the holidays? Drop in some dates and nuts to make them more delicious

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FIRST AID to the AILING HOUSE

by Roger C. Whitman

QUESTION: Is there any remedy for crumbly brick?

ANSWER: A partial remedy is to give the bricks two coats of a cement base paint, to be bought from a dealer in mason supplies. This is a powder to mix with water. This will protect the surface of the brick only; it will not harden them throughout. Very poor bricks should be replaced with a harder burned variety.

QUESTION: I intend to put in a new cement walk in the gangway, and need to know the amount of sand, gravel and cement that I will need.

ANSWER: There is much more to be said about laying a sidewalk than the proper mixture of cement, etc. For complete information on laying concrete walks as well as proportions and amount of necessary material, ask the Portland Cement association, 33 West Grand avenue, Chicago, to send you a copy of their booklet on this subject.

QUESTION: We had planned to use a creosote stain on a white cedar rustic fence, but understand that this would be injurious to the adjacent shrubbery. What type of paint would you recommend?

ANSWER: As the cedar is resistant to deterioration, it will hardly be necessary to apply any kind of finish unless you have a special reason for doing so. A liquid wood preservative that can be brushed on could be used instead of the creosote, or else a good spar varnish.

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THOMPSON DISCUSSES FLARE GAS WASTAGE

In view of the controversy which has recently arisen and the closing down of certain oil wells by the Texas Railroad Commission because of gas wastage by flares, the following statement recently made by Ernest O. Thompson, chairman of the Commission, not only is very timely but contains much information of value to the people of Texas.

Thompson's Statement

The economy and continued prosperity and well-being of the entire State of Texas is tied in absolutely and inescapably with the production of oil and gas.

Conservation and waste prevention of these God-given irreplaceable natural resources is vital to every man, woman and child of Texas.

Our schools are affected; our churches are vitally interested, and our landowners are dependent upon the Railroad Commission of Texas to see to it that oil and gas are not wasted. The stockholders of companies wasting gas are affected, and the landowners and royalty owners are vitally affected. The State of Texas is losing the taxes on this waste of gas in flares from oil wells.

Today we have 110,000 producing oil wells in our State, producing 2,500,000 barrels of oil each day. Oil sells today around \$2.50 to \$3.00 per barrel. Even at \$2.50 a barrel this means an income of 6½ million dollars per day to the oil producers of Texas.

We have 1425 oil fields in Texas stretching from the piney woods of East Texas to the shadow of the Davis Mountains, and from the Magie Valley of the Rio Grande to the Llano Estacado up in the Panhandle.

Nature has been bounteous in her distribution of oil and gas all over Texas. Therefore conservation of oil and gas is not a local problem; it's statewide in Texas. Every school child is benefited by conservation and by conservation, I mean wise use of nature's blessings—not wasting it away in flares from oil wells.

The sky is lighted in many parts of our State by oil well gas flares

burning valuable gas to the air. Every citizen has seen this waste going on. It must be stopped. It can be stopped.

The Railroad Commission has been working for many years to get the operators to cease and desist from this wasteful practice. At one time a billion feet of gas per day was wasted in the Panhandle. All that waste in the Panhandle has been effectively stopped.

Hundreds of oil fields now save every foot of the gas produced with oil. It means added profits to the producers.

Our program is to stop all such waste wherever the quantity is great enough to justify saving the gas.

The oil companies ought to save this gas without being compelled to do it by law. They are wasting their valuable assets when they do not save flare gas and use it either to lift more oil or for some lawful purpose or use.

The Supreme Court in the Seelgison Case said it was within the powers of the Railroad Commission and was the Commission's responsibility to stop this waste wherever it was economically feasible and reasonable to do so, and we are requesting that waste of gas be stopped in 16 or more fields on December 1, 1948. More show cause orders on other fields will be soon forthcoming.

We tell the operators to either save the gas or cease producing oil there until they are ready to save the gas that comes with the oil. I believe this is reasonable.

Of course, the operators try to enjoin our orders in the courts, but I feel that in the end we shall prevail in stopping this waste of the heritage of all the people of Texas. We are certainly in earnest about it.

Every oil field in Texas is being restudied. Wherever it is economically feasible the gas flare waste can be stopped by reducing the allowable, that will be done on request of the operators.

Merkef, Taylor county, now has 136 blocks of street paved. Sixty blocks have been paved during the current year.

THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: MARINA FLORES, Defendant

Greeting: You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Lynn County at the Court House thereof, in Tahoka, Texas at or before 10:00 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the issuance of this citation, same being the 10th day of January A. D. 1949, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court on the 20th day of November A. D., 1948, in this cause, numbered 1838 on the docket of said court and styled Maximiliano Flores, Plaintiff, vs. Mariana Flores, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: That on or about the 15th day of May, 1944, plaintiff and defendant were duly and legally married, and that said plaintiff and defendant continued to live together as husband and wife, until on or about the 2nd day of January, 1945, at which time defendant abandoned plaintiff without just cause; and that Defendant, disregarding the solemnity of the marriage vows and obligations, did on the 22nd day of January, 1945, voluntarily leave the bed and board of plaintiff with the

intention of permanently abandoning plaintiff, and has remained away from plaintiff continuous of said time which is more than the space of three years, with the intention of abandonment; as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and Seal of said Court, at office in Tahoka, Texas, this the 22nd day of November A. D. 1948.

ATTEST: W. S. Taylor Clerk, District Court, Lynn County, Texas. 8-4te

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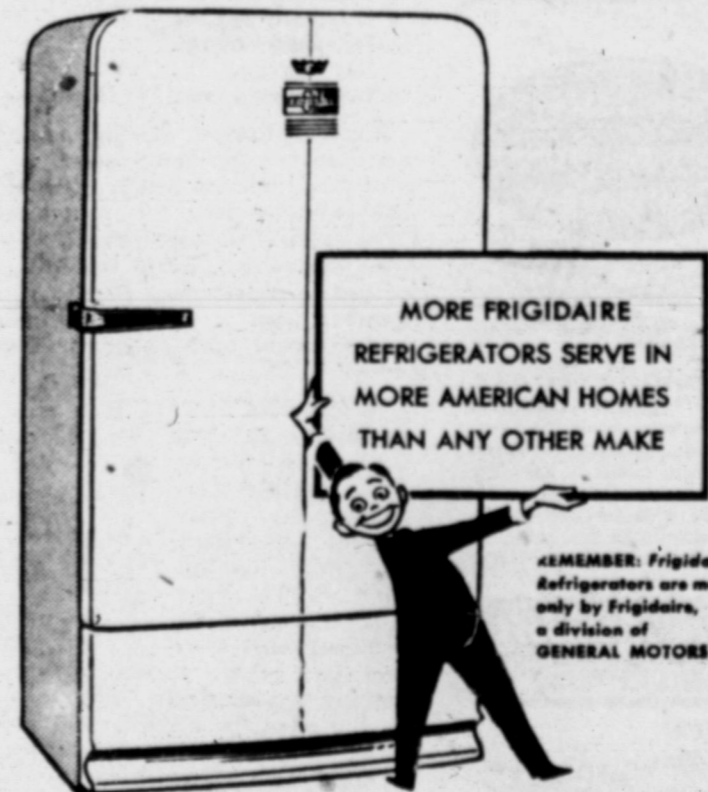
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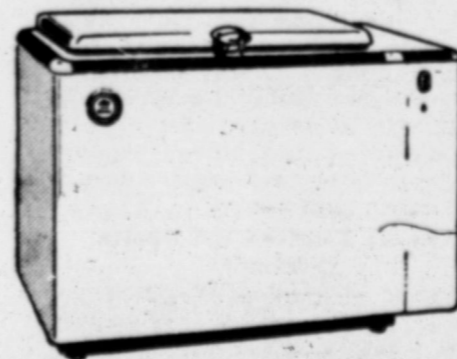
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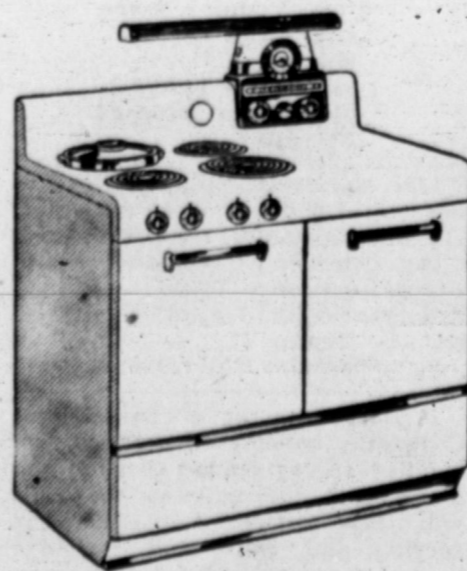


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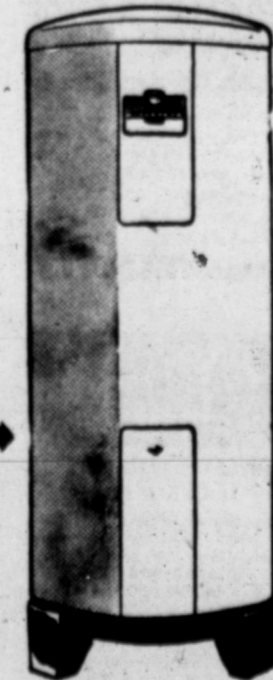


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