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If our grain is needed to keep people in other sections of the world from starving, then we say, give them the grain, and choke off the distilleries and breweries. It has been found that people can actually live without either, although it certainly goes against the appetites of some. But—here is the rub. Don't allow any nation a pound of grain that is to be made into liquor to sell back to us.

We note that one of the area editors, who seems to be a dyed-in-the-wool new dealer, takes the whole Southland to task for being ignorant, stupid, illiterate and what have you just because the Southern states don't like being kicked in the teeth by H S T with his so-called equal opportunity program, which is already being worked out in the south very satisfactory to the levelheaded of both races. As for social equality, it will, like the carpet-bagger reign, take a yankee soldier on every door step to enforce. They tell us that it is practiced very little in the north. As for the Ku Kluxers, he mentioned, there were plenty of them in the north during the 20's, especially in Illinois, Indiana and Ohio. The majority of people never did belong to them in the south, and fought them to a standstill, as they considered the organization un-American. But, if we were so keen to move among literate folks, we'd pull out north. However, if statistics were available, we believe there are more people from the north moving to the south than vice versa. Let's try to remember the south had to start from scratch in 1865.

We have many cares and worries, such as the atomic bomb, world war 3, taxes, sickness and getting our man elected, but the least of our worries is, who is the "Walking Man"??

One German war criminal, just before being tried, jumped off the wall of his prison to his death. Still another hanged himself in a Paris prison. Pass the rope and save expenses.

Two hundred newspaper men and women met in Dallas for the mid-winter session January 31. In a resolution they took some candidates to task for running their own political sheets during a campaign, with paper as scarce as it

is at present. Coke Stevenson was contacted, and he stated that he did not intend to start any paper or any of his friends for him. Pappy O'Daniell, who usually does that very thing, has not replied.

Well, no, your grocer can't help rising prices. No use to mention the fact to him. As soon as the wholesale markets adjust themselves to lower level, you can bet your bottom dollar that your grocer man will pass the saving on to you. And this goes for the dry goods man, the hardware dealer and other lines.

Many people, especially the politicians, like to rear back on their "pastures" and tell the dear people how the utilities are robbing them. So far as we can figure out right now, your gas, electricity, telephone and telegraph business are the only ones that have prices the same or near what the pre-war charges were. Otherwise you'd have something to cry about. Let us always try to remember that it is not just some "big booger" that owns the utilities. They have thousands of stockholders who are people just like you, who invested in them to try to have something to live on when they became old and unable to work.

It is our honest opinion that the United States is trying to bite off too much at one bite. Seventeen billion dollars is a lot of money to be saddled off on our children and children's children for an indefinite period of time in the way of taxes. Who knows that things might change and we might have more need for help than they in the course of five years? But the powers that be in Washington don't seem to have much mercy on the home folks. Let's help Europe and Asia all we can, but at the same time let's cut the plan to our own recovery program, and renew the need as it arises over there.

Being late with copy you wish to go in a newspaper means that errors may slip in. It may get us in dutch with the preachers, but of all trades, callings and professions, they, as a rule lead the van with late copy. Yet, nearly every Sunday they lecture their hearers on the value of punctuality. We like the ministers; they are great folks and trying to help the world and humanity, but why can't they take their sermons literally?

The Lubbock Avianche-Journal are now coming out with all the colors of the rainbow, having installed a new press that will handle color printing, all in the same operation as the usual black ink. Well, the A-J should be able to handle all races now—reds, pinks, white, yellow and black.

A Texas poll claim that the voters of this state are in favor of HST's \$40 and a mule plan. We just wonder if this (Austin) poll was not taken among the pinky-rosy-blossoms of the U. campus?

W. U. Extends Service Till After 7 P. M.

The Herald was informed last week that Western Union, which has closed here at 7 P. M., until recently, has opened another downtown station in the lobby of the Hotel Brownfield.

This will make it very convenient for those who wish to send a wire after 7 P. M., as heretofore, one had to call Western Union at Lubbock which added the cost of a telephone message to that of the wire.

ADVERTISEMENTS FOR BIDS:

Sealed proposals will be received by the City of Brownfield, Terry County, Texas, at the office of the City Secretary, until 8:00 P. M., February 23, 1948, for the construction of STREET LIGHTING IMPROVEMENTS, and at time and place the proposals will be publicly opened and read.

The proposals must be accompanied by a bidder's bond, or a certified check in the amount of ten (10%) per centum of the total bid price, payable, without recourse, to the City of Brownfield, Texas, as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into contract and execute a performance bond in the forms provided within Ten (10) days after notice of award of contract to him.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish a performance bond of 100% of his total bid, written by a responsible surety company, satisfactory to the City Council of Brownfield, Texas. The City reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids and to waive formalities.

Bidders are expected to inspect the site of the work and to inform themselves regarding local conditions.

Plans, specifications, and other proposed contract documents are on file at the office of E. D. Jones, City Superintendent, at the City Hall, in the City of Brownfield, Texas, and at the office of the City Secretary at Brownfield, Texas.

The proposed work includes approximately the following: Installing and erecting sixty-eight (68) steel standards, laying of 22,000 feet of Parkway cable underground, and the replacing the pavements and sidewalks. The City of Brownfield, Texas, will furnish all materials except those required to replace sidewalks and pavements.

Bidders attention is called to prevailing wage scale heretofore established by the City of Brownfield to be paid to laborers, mechanics, and others.

FRANK JORDAN, Mayor
Attent:

THOMAS D. ZORNIS, City Secretary.

Our Error

We are very sorry the signature, "First Christian Church" was left off the copy in their ad last week. The copy, however, was turned in during the last minute rush.

However, we believe Dr. McCord is well enough known, as his picture was in the ad, as well as street numbers, that few readers failed to know where the preaching was to be.

Harold Jones, who has been a patient in the Veterans hospital in Amarillo for the past three weeks returned home Friday. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eunice Jones.

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"Fundamental processes of our government which students are supposed to learn in grammar-school civics remain a mystery to millions of voters. Fewer than half of American adults know how many United States Senators there are from each state. One-half of the nation's voters don't know who Harold E. Stassen is and one-third don't know what Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg is. Only one-third know where Greece is, in spite of our widely-publicized aid-to-Greece program, and forty per cent of us don't know who General Franco is.

"The cause of this great lack of public knowledge certainly does not lie in any lack of mass communication. Through newspapers, radio, magazines and newsreels we are constantly being bombarded with information. But a large percentage of the population persists in ignoring what passes before its eyes. Why?"

"In the business world it would be pointless for a manufacturer or seller to blame the public if his product did not prove popular. The challenge is how to make it popular—how to interest the customers. Why shouldn't educators place just as high a premium on making their product interesting and attractive to their 'customers'? This need not involve a lowering of teaching standards. Certain academic subjects are hard to learn; a student can master them only after a patient digging and much sweat. But there must be ways to make this labor a joy and a satisfaction.

"But fortunately there is much common sense that never came out of books. The heartening fact apparent in one opinion research is the amount of good sense and good judgment shown by the people, even though they are poorly informed on many academic subjects. Dr. Max Radin, a member

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of the law faculty at the University of California, recently published an analysis of the popular vote in California on 155 referendum propositions put before the people in State elections between 1936 and 1946. He concluded that the voters not only displayed caution and good judgment, but that they rejected crackpot schemes with greater firmness than the elected legislature.

"So the American people are not lacking in basic intelligence. If they find school boring, it is not because they are stupid. It is because the method of teaching does not make the subject vital and compelling enough to the majority to command their attention and enthusiasm."

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HOW EXPENSIVE IS OUR GOVERNMENT?

President Truman seems to not want only the American people to ration, but even to dispense with many things in order that the government might have a great horde of cash to spend. In fact our government seems to have adopted one of the earliest New Deal motives, as put forth by Harry Hopkins: "Tax and tax; spend and spend; elect and elect."

Here is about the way the program shows up as this day and time: In 1929 the federal government expenditures were less than the income of the state of California. By 1938 it took the combined income of every state north and west of New Mexico. By 1946, it was as much as the income of every state west of the Mississippi river with the exception of Kansas, part of Missouri and Louisiana.

In 1930, every 100 families supported two federal employees, in 1940 it was three, and by 1947 it was 5. Then is it any wonder that million of people, including those right here in Terry county, are asking, "where do we go from here?"

Water supplies should be safe in order that no harmful bacteria may be introduced into milk from contaminated water in the process of washing and rinsing utensils. Carriers of disease organisms, milk handlers who may be ill, can also introduce harmful organisms into a milk supply.

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Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn White spent the week end in San Angelo visiting with friends.

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Fire Kills And Destroys Many People

Fire burned to death 541 people and destroyed nearly 21 million dollars in Texas in 1947, today reported Marvin Hall, State Fire Insurance Commissioner.

"Even these unbelievably high figures are not complete," Hall declared. "The monetary loss is already three billion dollars higher than losses for any one year in the history of our state."

Deaths from fire also threaten to break all records, he believes. A few death reports are still coming in. Loss of life in the Texas City disaster is not included in the above figure.

Insured fire losses for 1947 total \$20,903,000. This does not include uninsured losses, the Commissioner advised.

"These deplorable losses are growing more alarming every day, he said. "The only way to combat this useless loss of life, property, resources, manhours and resultant higher cost of living is for each Texan to assume an individual responsibility in seeing that fire hazards are removed. At least 90 per cent of our fires are due to carelessness."

Over half of our fires have been in homes. The condition is especially grave in the face of the housing shortage.

Matches and cigarettes were the number one cause of fires in 1947. Electricity was the next greatest cause with trash and rubbish, third. The fourth most frequent cause was kerosene stoves and fifth, gas stoves.

Hall said gasoline and kerosene fires are on the increase as well as heating equipment fires, such as gas, oil and kerosene stoves and heaters; chimneys; and water heaters.

Is The Government Seeking Railroads?

The railroad industry is the door through which Socialism threatens to come to the United States, C. E. Johnston, of Chicago, chairman of the Western Association of Railway Executives warns in an article in the current issue of Traffic World magazine.

After setting forth statistics showing that the railroads over a period of 25 years have not been permitted to earn more than a meager and wholly inadequate return "insufficient to provide improvements and pay dividends, Mr. Johnston observes that "if and when the railroads fail to be self-supporting, their acquisition by the government will be inevitable, since the country cannot possibly survive without rail transportation."

"Most informed students of the subject believe that if the railroads are allowed to fall into government ownership," the article continues, "the same fate ultimately will overtake all other basic industries and public utilities just as is happening in England today. That, of course, is Socialism and it might well be the forerunner of Communism and dictatorship—the ultimate punishment for failure to handle a fundamental economic problem courageously and soundly, and in time."

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SOCIETIES * CHURCHES * ENTERTAINMENTS * CLUBS

Social Events of the Week

Mrs. Ralph Ferguson, Editor Phone 321-W

Dorcas Class Meets With Mrs. Adams

The Dorcas Sunday school class of the Baptist church met with Mrs. W. M. Adams Tuesday noon for a covered dish luncheon. Valentines were used for plate favors and the table was centered with a cake decorated in the Valentine motif. The cake was given by Mrs. Effie Johnson who is soon moving from here. The class members presented her with gifts as a farewell gesture.

Following the luncheon Mrs. L. J. Dunn gave a devotional and a business meeting was conducted by Mrs. C. P. Henderson. Mrs. A. R. Tyler gave the closing prayer.

Attending were Mesdames H. H. Heath, L. A. Rhyne, Arch Fowler, Cora Harris, Clemmie Hamilton, F. G. White, Aycock, W. H. Waggoner, John Walls, Dunn, Henderson, Tyler and Johnson.

Alpha Omega Club Meets For Program

Stressing child care in their program Tuesday afternoon the Alpha Omega club members heard talks on Sex Education by Mrs. Virgil Crawford, Boys and Girls Clubs by Mrs. V. L. Patterson and Can a Child be Taught Thrift by Mrs. P. R. Cates. Mrs. Homer Newman was program chairman and Mrs. Jerry Kirschner hostess.

Mrs. O. Livingston was initiated into the club as a new member.

Present were Mesdames Cates, Crawford, Goodpasture, Gore, Hamilton, Hicks, Hill, Lackey, Mason, McKinney, Newman, O'Dell, Patterson, Teague, Tarpley, Parker, Sadler, Greer and Livingston.

Union Utterings

Miss Helen Dunlap gave an interesting demonstration to the H D Club women on Refinishing Furniture. The club met in the home of Mrs. Frank Sargent, who served delicious refreshments to five ladies. The club meets next third Thursday, February 19th at the high school gym. A special speaker will be present and everyone is given an invitation to attend this meeting.

The second and third grades gave Roy Snow a clothing shower Monday afternoon. Cookies were served to the pupils. Yvonne Snow also received nice gifts from the fourth and fifth grades. Candy was served to the group. It will be remembered that the Snow family were unfortunate in having their home and contents destroyed by fire recently.

The Union 4-H Club met Wednesday, February 4th. A new recreation leader was elected as the former leader has moved. The newly elected leader is Yvonne Herring. Miss Dunlap gave an interesting discussion on, 'The Growing of Tomatoes.'

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Decker, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Decker and Mr. Frank Decker visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Key of Lovington, N. M. Sundry.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Adair and children visited his mother, Mrs. Dolly Adair of Wellman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. McClatchey and family are moving to Abilene this week.

Bridge Clubs

Among the bridge clubs meeting the past few days was the Friday Afternoon Club which met with Mrs. Dick Chambers. High score went to Mrs. W. A. Roberson and bingo to Mesdames Tom O'Neal and C. L. Truly. Other guests were Mesdames T. C. Williams, Sam Teague, Phil Gaasch, Bill McGowan and Tommy Hicks.

The Pleasure club met with Mrs. Jack Hamilton with Mesdames Mike Barrett, C. C. Primm, J. T. Bowman, N. L. Mason, Paul Eish, Tom Harris, George Germany, Joe Shelton, C. L. Truly, Buel Price, Burton Hackney and A. A. Sawyer present. Mesdames Hackney and Sawyer were club guests.

Mrs. Mike Blair entertained the 44 Club Thursday of last week with a buffet supper and bridge. Bridge scores went to the Crawford Burrows for high, Ed Mayfields, guest high and Tom Crawford, second high. The Jack Bentsons, Mrs. Lawrence Wean and Mrs. W. A. Blair bingoed. Other guests were the Wayne Browns and Martin Lines and Messrs. Blair and Deen.

Mrs. Dean was hostess to the Delta Hand club Tuesday evening with Mesdames Will C. Brown, Wayne Brown, Burl Hahn, Mayfield, Mike Blair and Line present.

In November 1947, the National Education Association reported that colleges and universities in the U. S. were serving 2,338,226 students compared with the 1946 peak of 2,078,005. About 49 per cent of the students are veterans.

Wages to farm workers have tripled since 1940. An all-time high was set in 1947.

Doris Armstrong And Herschel Henderson Exchange Vows

Miss Doris Ann Armstrong and Mr. Herschel R. Henderson, both of Plainview were married February 6, at 7:30 p. m. in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Armstrong, 313 Austin St. Plainview.

The double ring ceremony was read by Rev. R. L. Shannan, pastor of the First Baptist church at Meadow, before an improvised arch of baskets of gladioli, greenery and candelabra.

Before the ceremony Mrs. Eugene R. Standefer sang, 'I Love You Truly and recordings of 'Always and Yours' were played. Records of the traditional wedding marches were also played.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a street length wool suit of blue with black accessories and a halo and corsage of white roses. She carried a white Bible and for something old she carried a white linen handkerchief belonging to her mother. Something borrowed was a necklace sent to her matron of honor from China. She wore a penny in her left shoe to carry out tradition.

Mrs. Robert E. McDonald, matron of honor, wore a gray wool suit, black accessories, and a corsage of white carnations.

Edell Henderson, brother of the bridegroom, served as best man. Lloyd Armstrong lighted the candles.

A reception was held immediately following the ceremony. Mrs. Roy L. Smith and Mrs. Walter W. Shields served coffee and a three tiered wedding cake topped with miniature bride and groom from a table laid with a white silk cloth and centered with blue tapers. Blue napkins monogrammed with 'Doris-Herschel' were used to further carry out the color scheme of blue and white which symbolizes purity and truth.

The bride is a graduate of Meadow high school and is vice-president of the Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority. She was employed by the Plainview Cotton Compress prior to accepting employment with the Plains Machinery Co.

The groom attended Hale Center schools, Kansas State Teachers College in Pittsburg, Kansas and served four years in the Army Medical Corps. He is a member of the Plainview VFW chapter and is now engaged in the paint and carpenter trade.

After a wedding trip to Wichita, Kansas, where they plan to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hill the couple will be at home in Plainview. For travelling the bride wore a black and white dress with red accessories.

Out of town guests were Rev. R. L. Shannan, Meadow; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shields, Dumas; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Smith, Morton, and Mrs. B. F. Donawho, Meadow.

The Armstrongs lived at Meadow for several years before moving to Plainview.

Series of Religious Pictures To Be Shown At Methodist Church

Dr. J. O. Haynes, district superintendent of the Methodist church will be the speaker at the evening service at 7:30 Sunday.

On the following Sundays a series of religious pictures will be the speaker at the church program of visual education. February 22 the picture, 'Jairus Daughter will be shown, followed by Journey Into Faith on March 14. Beyond Our Own will be shown on March 21 and King of Kings on April 11. The picture, King of Kings, is the same as the film production shown on the theatre screen several years ago and is a two hour picture.

Kindled Flame will be shown April 25 and Wheels Across India on May 9. Wheels Across India tells of the religious rituals in India, among them is shown an Indian princess worshipping a cobra snake. The pictures are shown on 16mm film and have sound with them.

Rev. Thurston, pastor of the church, invites the public to take advantage of the series and come to see them.

REBEKAH LODGE HOLDS INSTRUCTION SCHOOL

The Rebekah lodge met Monday at 7:30 P. M. in the IOOF Hall for a school of instruction on ritualistic work conducted by the district deputy president, Mrs. Mary Ellen Brown. Mrs. Fern Parks, Noble Grand, conducted the business at which time Mrs. Charles Didway was elected team captain for the year.

During the social hour, sandwiches, heart shaped cookies and coffee were served. Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Farley, Mrs. Sue Seaton and Miss Era Seaton were hosts. Thirty six members were present.

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CHURCH CALENDAR

JANUARY 18-24 SUNDAY

Bible Study 9:45 a. m.
Worship Services 10:45 a. m.
Sermon by Bro. Wood "Peter's Fall"
Communion Service 11:30 a. m.
Young People's Class 6:00 p. m.
Evening Service 7:00 p. m.
Sermon by Bro. Wood "The Message of the Book of Acts"
Communion Service 7:45 p. m.

TUESDAY

Ladies Class 3:00 p. m.
Teacher's Class 7:30 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Mid-Week Bible Study 7:30 p. m.
"Come Thou With Us And We Will Do Thee Good."

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Fulton spent last week end at Clovis visiting B. O. Black and Early Key, former residents of the Gomez community.

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COTTONLAND'S CHOICE FOR 1948 MAID



Cream of the 1948 crop of cottonland beauties are the three gorgeous girls who came out on top in the Maid of Cotton contest held in Memphis recently. In the center is the 1948 Maid, vivacious Matilda Nail, of Fort Worth, whose blonde loveliness and gracious manner captivated judges and spectators. On either side are the beauties who ran a close race for the coveted title: left, second alternate, Elizabeth Ann Stollenwerk of Vanhook, Texas; right, first alternate, Catherine Hamrick of Gaffney, S. C. Matilda, the first Texan to make the international tour as cotton's fashion and good-will ambassador, is 19 years old, 5 feet 8½ inches tall and was a sophomore at the University of Texas when she was selected Maid of Cotton.

Gomez Gossip

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bozeman and son of Springlake visited last week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McLeRoy.

Mrs. Bert King and little daughter, of Plainview spent the week end visiting her father, Tom Doss.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Thurman are proud parents of a baby daughter born February 2nd. The baby is named Linda Frances and her mother is the former Miss Allen Hodges of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Hanson are the parents of a baby boy born Feb. 8th.

The Training Union study course that was postponed because of the weather will be held next week, February 16-20 at the Gomez Baptist church.

Bobby, Jim and Joe McLeRoy, of Plains spent the week end in the K. Sear house.

Mrs. B. R. Lay and daughter, Joan who are attending beauty school in Lubbock spent the week end with home folks.

Earl Sears was a member of the Tech meat judging team that won third place at the Fort Worth Fat Stock show. Earl placed second in individual judging.

Attending the Sunday School meeting in Tahoka last Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Wes Key, Rev. Fred Lambert and Misses Jinks Key, Winnie Doss and Danvone Guest.

Gomez PTA meets at the school Friday evening February 13th. An interesting program has been planned by the program committee. (That's tonight), Come.

Judge Winston Speaks At PTA Meeting

West Ward PTA met February fifth at the school with Judge Homer Winston as the principal speaker. His subject was, Your Government Is You. As February is the month in which the PTA organization was founded, Mrs. Don Criswell gave a Founders Day talk.

The music pupils under the direction of their teacher, Mrs. Grace Wood, entertained the group with folk dances, rhythm music and songs.

Mrs. J. M. Teague and Mrs. Glen Akers served tea during the social hour.

Terry Co. Methodist Mens Club Formed

Sixty-five men from over Terry county met at the Methodist Church Tuesday evening to organize the Terry County Methodist Mens Club. Kenneth Purcell was elected president; J. E. Gillham, vice-president and Louis Peeler, Meadow, secretary and treasurer. Directors elected were Harmon Scales, Forrester; Sam Parks, Johnson and W. R. Tilson, Pool. The officers will serve for the coming six months.

The local board of stewards, under the leadership of Bill McKinney, were hosts for the banquet which preceded the business. J. O. Gillham was toastmaster and Rev. Jordan Greens, of Levelland was the speaker. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Young entertained the group with several musical numbers, among them a cornet solo by Mr. Young.

The Club will meet each month on the third Wednesday with the next meeting at the Brownfield church.

Country Club Elects New Officers

At the annual business meeting of the Brownfield Country Club Monday evening Mr. Glen Akers was elected president, Herbert Cheshir, vice-president and Tommy Zornis was reelected secretary and treasurer. New directors elected were Hiram Parks and Herbert Cheshir, replacing Al Muldrow and Bill McKinney. Committee reports were also read and approved and the proposed budget presented and discussed.

Proceeds from the box supper amounted to \$682.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted White and daughter, Landra are planning to leave within the next few weeks to make their home in Honduras, Central America where Mr. White is engaged in business. He has been there for the past few months and Mrs. White has been staying with her grandmother, Mrs. W. H. Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brown and son, C. B. visited relatives in Anson over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Redford and children are moving to Plains Saturday. Mrs. Redford has also accepted a position as teacher in the grade school.

Mrs. Bradley Honored On Birthday

Mrs. Earl Bradley was honored on her birthday Tuesday evening when her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Bradley entertained with a dinner at their home 615 S. First. The table was laid with a lace cloth and centered with a begonia plant.

Places were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Brudley and their children, Peggie, Wynona, Belvert and Ruedell, Mr. Jim Beck of Del Rio and the hosts.

The entire day was a happy occasion for Mrs. Bradley as gifts were received throughout the day from neighbors and friends and her sister, Mrs. W. J. Pearson, of Amarillo called long distance to wish her many happy returns of the day.

HOY'S FLOWERS

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Norma Gillentine Wed To Boyce Woods

In a double ring ceremony read in St. Johns Methodist church, Lubbock at three o'clock Sunday afternoon Miss Norma D. Gillentine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Gillentine, of Brownfield, became the bride of Boyce M. Woods. Mr. Woods is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Woods, of Olney.

Dr. Ralph Grant, pastor of the church, read the vows before an altar decorated with baskets of orchid and pink gladioli and fern.

Preceding the ceremony Bob Scoggins of Lubbock, organist, played the couple's favorite song, Stardust and accompanied Miss Stella Deak as she sang Indian Love Call and I Love Thee, by Grieg. The Lord's Prayer was played during the ceremony.

Miss Carolyn Taylor was the bride's maid of honor and wore a green suit with black accessories and a corsage of yellow ionquils.

J. L. Proctor of Brownfield was best man. Bill Bagels and Clyde St. Clair, of Lubbock were ushers and lighted the candles.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a two piece suit dress of white with navy accessories. She carried pink gloves and wore a halo of pink flowers with pink veil. Her corsage was pink roses. Her something blue was a pair of ear screws and for something old she wore a watch belonging to Mrs. W. N. Nabors.

Mrs. Woods is a graduate of the Brownfield high school and attended a business college in San Antonio. She is now employed as secretary at the Southwestern Associated Telephone Co. The groom served two years in the Army Air Corps and is now attending Texas Technological college where he is majoring in textile engineering.

The couple left immediately following the ceremony for a short wedding trip to Roswell and other points in New Mexico. For travelling the bride chose a dark red suit with navy accessories and a corsage of gardenias.

Wedding guests were from Ft. Worth, Olney, San Antonio and Lubbock.

MEADOW H D CLUB MEETS IN SCHOOL

The Meadow Home Demonstration club met Tuesday, February 3, at the Meadow grade school.

After a short business meeting, Mr. Breedlove gave an interesting talk on Ungulant Fever.

There were eight members and two visitors present.

The Club meets for a call meeting Tuesday, February 10, in the home of Mrs. Finley.

DEAN ALLEN TO LECTURE FEBRUARY 16

Dean Allen of Texas Tech will give a book review at the Maids and Matrons meeting Tuesday, February 16 at 8 o'clock at the Presbyterian church.

The public is invited to attend. Admission is fifty cents.

Mrs. Roy Herod and Billie Mack spent Saturday in Lubbock shopping.

WCSLS LESSON TAKEN FROM WORLD OUTLOOK

The Women's Society of Christian Service met Monday at the church for a lesson from the World Outlook magazine. The theme of the lesson was, That They May Be One. Mrs. Lee Walker conducted the lesson and taking part were Mesdames Cleve Williams, A. E. Proctor, H. L. Thurston, Tobe Powers, B. L. Thompson, G. S. Webber and Miss Maude Bailey. Mrs. Ed Tharpe closed the lesson with a prayer.

During the business meeting plans were made for the World Day of Prayer which will be held Friday 13th. Monthly reports of the various committees were read and discussed and plans made to attend a zone meeting in Denver City Wednesday.

Telfords Visit Sick At Temple, Texas

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Telford made a trip last week to the A&M College at Bryan to visit their son, Mon, jr., and family. Returning last Thursday, they stopped off in Temple to visit Brownfield people hospitalized there, Sawyer Graham, Mrs. A. J. Stricklin and Mrs. Bill Amo, of Little Rock, Ark. Mrs. Amo is a sister of Graham, and her mother from here Mrs. E. A. Graham, is there with them.

The Telfords report Sawyer and Mrs. Stricklin getting along fine following their operation, which we understand were about the same nature. Mrs. Amo is to have a rather serious operation after her blood count is built up sufficiently. Mon gave her nearly a quart of his blood last Friday.

Uncle Jim O'Conner Observes 92nd Birthday

Friday, February 6 was Uncle Jimmie O'Conner's 92nd birthday and he appears as spry as a man of fifty and is enjoying very good health. He walks to town every day and has attended morning and evening church services regularly for many years. His friendly, jovial disposition is enjoyed by many friends.

To honor him on his birthday, his daughter, Mrs. Nannie Hamilton, entertained him with a "come and go" party at her home, 221 West Powell. Assisting Mrs. Hamilton with the hospitalities were Mesdames Roy Collier, Homer Winston, Joe Chisholm, Ross Black and Whit Barrow. A large pink and white birthday cake made in the shape of a Bible was served with spiced tea to 38 guests, who dropped in to wish him a happy birthday and many more years of good health.

Out of town guests were his daughter, Mrs. S. F. Rogers, Amarillo; a granddaughter, Janice Rogers, Skellytown; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tomas, Perryton, a granddaughter; his sons, J. L. O'Conner, Huntsville, Mo., and D. N. O'Conner, El Monte, Calif., and Mrs. David Mills, Seminole, a granddaughter.

SPRING'S IN THE AIR



It doesn't take a weatherman to predict that spring's just around the corner, for violets are in bloom again and spring's in the air, says this romantic formal gown created by Emma Domb. Though the air may be a bit nippy and Jack Frost still at work, there's no scarcity of violets on this charming young lady's enchanting dress and flowing scarf of Flugelman's "Her Ladyship" cloquy organdy.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kirschner are on a buying trip for the Bargain Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson, of Lawrence, Kansas, were here for the week end visiting his sister, Mrs. W. B. Brown and his mother, Mrs. Pearl Johnson.



SWING THE SKIRT - NIP IN THE WAIST 1947's suit looks to an earlier day for inspiration. Justin McCarty combines plaid and plain, puts on a new chin-high collar, flares the skirt and zips the jacket. Skirt is 100% wool worsted Shamokin plaid; jacket, 100% wool gabardine. The brown jacket comes with a brown and rust plaid skirt or brown and green. 7's to 17's and 10's to 18's. \$39.95

Collins

Girl Scout troop 2 met at the West Ward school Monday afternoon with fourteen members and their leader, Mrs. Shorty Forbus, present.

Miss Ruth Griffin spent the weekend in Littlefield with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Griffin.

Mesdames M. G. Tarpley, Chad Tarpley, Roy Wingerd, O. L. Pet-erman, R. L. Bowers and Mr. Boy Tarpley were in Amarillo Thurs- day of last week to hear Marion Anderson sing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hailey spent Sunday in Colorado City visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hailey.

COTTON QUIZ



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DOROTHY DIX, noted newspaper columnist and counselor to millions of Americans, says: "The best advice I have ever given in my long life is the advice I give Americans now: that is, keep buying and holding U. S. Savings Bonds because they will insure your future happiness. Any home with Savings Bonds is certainly a better home than one without Savings Bonds. I can truly write about the merits of Savings Bonds in the family relationship, because bonds are really very personal in their nature. Savings Bonds eventually become the things we hope for, whether it is marriage, a new home, children's education or plain leisure." U. S. Treasury Department

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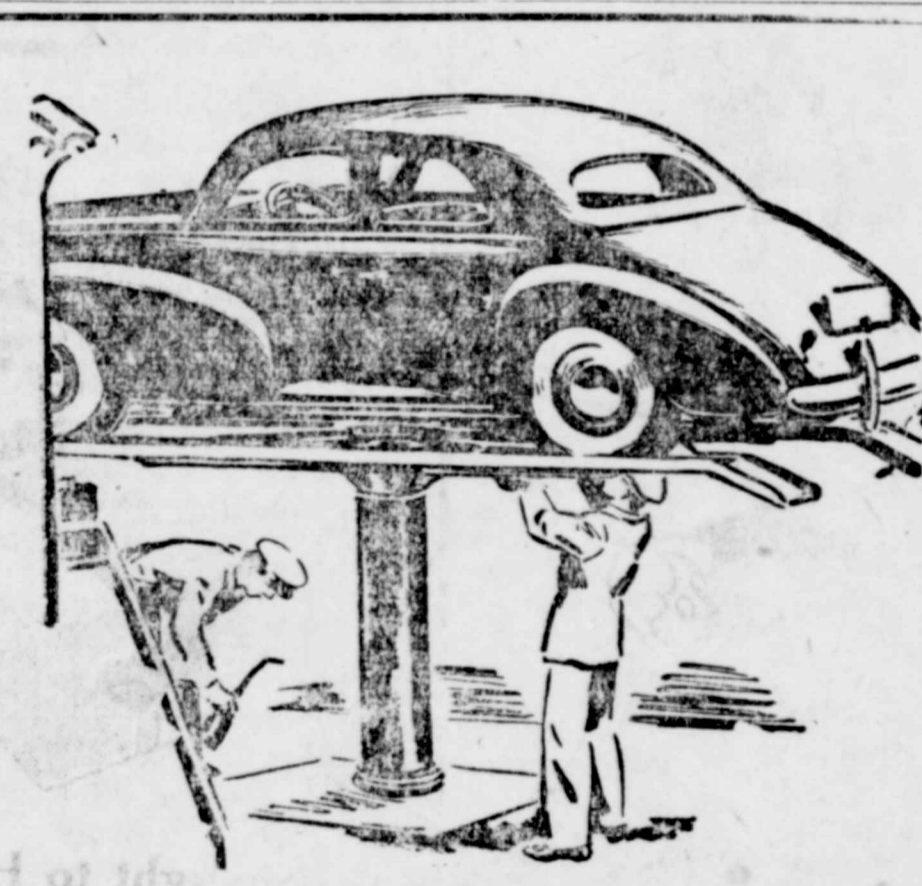
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LOST— Female spayed white and brown Fox Terrier named Queenie. The hair has been clipped on top of head and throat. Last seen south of Meadow. \$20 reward if returned in good shape to Mrs. Fayne Smith at J. L. Cruce's Auto Parts. 30p

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Cates were in Fort Worth Thursday and Friday of last week.

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Judge Kilmer Corbin Formally Enters Senatorial Race

"The people of West Texas stand today on the threshold of the greatest era of prosperity in history," Judge Kilmer B. Corbin of Lamesa, stated here recently when he visited this area in the interest of his candidacy for State Senator from the 30th District.

"Whether or not the people of this great section are able to take advantage of the opportunity which this new era will offer will depend largely upon the strength of their voice in State Government," Corbin added, "and I want to have a part in strengthening that voice."

The 28 year old Dawson County, who is now serving his third term as County Judge of his home county without opposition, opened his active campaign by lashing out at the system which has existed in the past, to give politicians, who are tools of the special interest groups, almost complete control of the State Legislature.

The Senatorial aspirant, who was reared on a Dawson County farm, educated in the schools there, Texas Technological College, and the University of Texas Law School, called on voters of this district to examine his record in both public and private life, and his actions and experience in county government. Prior to his election as County Judge, he taught and served as principal in Dawson County Rural Schools. Judge Corbin is a lawyer, a member of the Lamesa Bar and State Bar of Texas.

"The need exists today more than ever before for sound thinking and constructive action in our state lawmaking bodies," Corbin said. "The people must awaken to the fact that too many state office holders owe their allegiance— their very political existence— to special groups who would dominate legislation in Texas. There are too many little men holding down big jobs at the expense of the farmer, rancher and small business man of Texas."

Corbin is married, and the father of three children, Barry, age 7, Blaine, age 4, and Jane, age 3. He has long been active in several state organizations whose chief aim is bettering the conditions of West Texas. He is a member of the Baptist Church, a 32nd degree Mason, Past Master of Lamesa Lodge and a member of the Knights of Pythias, and a member of the Knights of Kaosran.

Corbin's platform, which he hopes to present to every voter of the district before election day, includes the completion of redistricting Texas' legislative districts in order that the people of West Texas will have an equal voice in their state government; a constructive program of soil conservation; a social security program for the aged, blind and dependent children of the state; a sound program for the building of a system of farm-to-market roads for Texas, which will be second to none, more and better aid for the schools of Texas, and a revision of the outmoded Code of Criminal Procedure of Texas.

"A plan to pass a law to prevent large corporations from purchasing for any purpose other than that for which the incorporation was accomplished will also be one of his main aims, if elected. "The wealth of the land belongs to the people," Corbin stated, "and I, for one, will work to see that the lands of West Texas are kept from the hands of monopolies."

"I am entering this race," Corbin said, "with the feeling that my background as a farm boy, a teacher, a lawyer, and a public of-



Speaking of Glass Houses
MANY members of congress are eager to get into the public print concerning the cost of operating the federal government. Such members as Congressman John Taber of the house appropriations committee and Senator Styles Bridges of the senate appropriations committee are quick to criticize the expense and the practices of other governmental agencies but little is heard about the actual cost of running congress and some of the wasteful practices committed in those hallowed halls of the national capitol.

For instance, the 80th congress, in Public Law 197, appropriated \$55,254,435 for legislative purposes. That's more than most governmental agencies. Congress employs an army of 6,044 men and women, clerks, stenographers, pages, policemen and maintenance workers. That's more than most other governmental agencies.

On the house side, through the house disbursing officer, there are 3,494 employees including those in the two house office buildings. On the senate side and the senate office building there are 1,540 employees. The capitol architect, who has charge of operating the capitol building, the library of congress and maintenance of the supreme court building, has 1,000 employees on his payroll.

Not on Payday Though
 Speaking of wasting the taxpayers money—the Congressional Record, which all may read, shows that during the 80th congress there were 300 quorum calls in the senate and 69 in the house. A quorum call is a calling of the roll in an effort to get members of house and senate into the two chambers in order to transact the nation's business whenever there is not a quorum present. In the house it takes an average of 30 minutes for a quorum call; in the senate, 14 minutes.

The Congressional Record also shows that the 80th congress was in session 143 days and the average length of each day's session was 5.2 hours.

So a little simple arithmetic based on the average day's session and the time for quorum calls shows that our legislators spent 20 of their 143 legislative days trying to get members into the two houses in order to do business.

Not counting salaries of the hundreds of employees in each body, salaries of senators and congressmen total approximately \$15,300 per day. So, figuring 20 days at an average of \$15,000 per day, lawmakers added away about \$300,000 of the taxpayers money calling each other into house and senate chambers in order to vote or otherwise transact the business for which they are drawing their salaries. This wastage is not peculiar to this congress—it has been true of all congresses.

Equal opportunity for all, reads the constitution. In our ten poorest states they spend about \$94 annually for each school child. In the ten richest states they spend an average of \$177 annually for each child. Nothing equal about that, is it? Educational opportunity . . . which is an argument for federal aid to education.

Can't Afford to Hear
 Congressman Charles P. Keene of Kansas, chairman of the house agricultural committee, raised issue with Senator Flanders of Vermont and Congressman Jacob Javits of New York over their proposed meat rationing bill.

The Kansas says such discussions cause panic and mere shortage by causing folks to hoard meat in food lockers, and also induce farmers to sell immature and unfinished animals on the market.

Keene says there is plenty of meat and per capita consumption in 1948 will be only about half an ounce a day less than in 1947. And he asks "Is this any cause for panic?"

The congressman overlooks the fact that prices of 95 cent and \$1 a pound for meat provide cause for panic.

No 'Politics' Involved
 The sweeping program of Bernard M. Baruch, elder statesman and presidential advisor, passed issue with Senator Flanders of Vermont and Congressman Jacob Javits of New York over their proposed meat rationing bill.

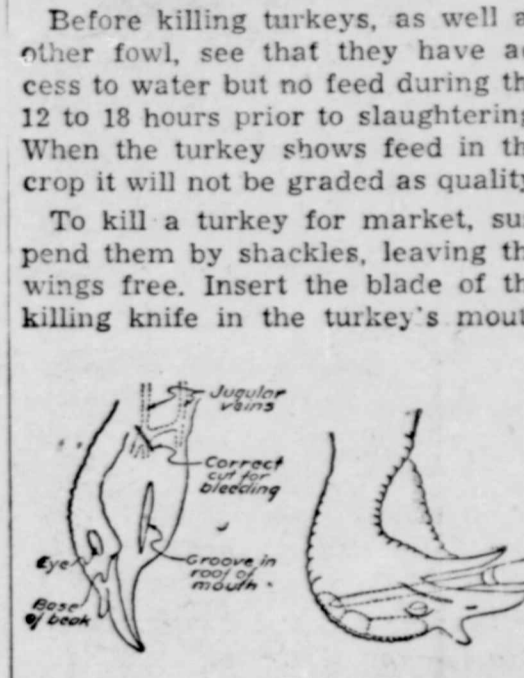
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Official has given me the qualifications with which I can serve the people of my district to their advantage. I have no connection with the vested interests of Texas and will never obligate myself to anyone except the people I serve. If elected, I will exert my every effort in the interest of the people of the 30th District. No man can do more; no man should do less."



Process for Killing Turkeys Explained

Proper Slaughtering And Bleeding Required



Before killing turkeys, as well as other fowl, see that they have access to water but no feed during the 12 to 18 hours prior to slaughtering. When the turkey shows feed in the crop it will not be graded as quality. To kill a turkey for market, suspend them by shackles, leaving the wings free. Insert the blade of the killing knife in the turkey's mouth.

Hold the turkey head down, with the beak open, until the blood is well started. With the left hand grasp the head in front of where the cut has been made to prevent the pressure of the fingers from checking the flow of blood. Poor bleeding is indicated by visible blood in the veins and by the dark red appearance of the carcass after picking.

When the blood is flowing freely, thrust the knife blade straight back on a line between the eyes and ears, through the cleft in the roof of the mouth and into the lower lobe of the brain. Give the knife a quarter turn. This kills the bird and loosens the feathers.

Herds and Flocks on Successful Farms

Feed bunks for cattle should be 30 inches high for mature stock and 24 inches for calves. Allow 30 inches of trough length for each grown animal, 20 for each calf. Make the grain and silage bunk three feet wide for feeding from both sides.

Many ewes die every winter from

a condition known as pregnancy diseases. The losses are not as common in flocks where the ewes are kept gaining slightly in weight during the gestation period.

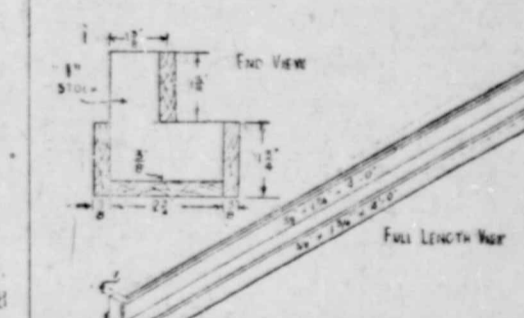


Well-conditioned ewe that should cause no trouble.

Lousy cows, when freed from lice, give 10 per cent to 15 per cent more milk, according to Michigan State College. This means the equivalent of another cow in a herd for \$1, by controlling lice. In winter, which is a bad time for cattle lice, apply a powdered louse killer containing DDT and repeat the application in 10 to 14 days.

Early spring litters of pigs do poorly unless the brood sow has an abundant supply of milk at farrowing time.

Baby Chick Feeders



Preventing waste of feed is always important. Easily-built feeders of wood will help prevent waste of feed. This Washington State college design can be built at little cost. It will serve 100 chicks for their first 10 days.

New Poison Reported More Potent Than DDT

An insect poison four times as potent as DDT against certain insects has been discovered. Called synkor, it is particularly powerful against such household pests as roaches, ants, moths and carpet beetles. Hordes of grasshoppers in recent years also have bowed to this new chemical. It has proven effective for hard-to-kill German roach as well as weevils, aphids, lice and ticks.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Green and children of Tokio attended the Fat stock show in Fort Worth last week. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Young took care of the store and Post Office.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Motheral, of Pyote and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Barber of Roswell were week end guests in the Jim Jackson home.

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Recent Happenings Of Folks You Know

Truett Flache, of Colorado City spent the week end here with his mother, Mrs. Ame Flache.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Downing returned Friday from Temple where Mr. Downing underwent surgery. He is improving but will have to return to Temple for further medical attention.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Figley and children of Abernathy spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Preston Figley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hudson of Tokio, announce the birth of a son January 29th in the local hos-

pital. The infant weighed 8 lbs., and 14 ozs. at birth and is named Ernest Lynn.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Spinks, of Borger visited in the F. D. Auburg home over the week end.

Mary Ballard, of Odessa visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Ballard. She moved there about three weeks ago to manage an accounting office opened by P. R. Cates.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Auburg visited with Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Auburg in Turkey over the week

end. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ballard attended the Panhandle League meeting of the Associated Master Plumbers of Texas in Plainview Saturday. Saturday evening and Sunday they visited Mrs. Ballard's sister and father in Tulla. Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bandy returned Friday from Breckenridge where they visited their daughter, Mrs. E. L. Flippin and her family. Their plans were to stay for the week end but due to the heavy snow they were unable to return for a week.

Rev. H. L. Thurston attended the Wilson lectures at the McMurry college in Abilene this week. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hinson of Spur visited with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Germany the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Brown and son were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Short Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Sadler and son, U. S. Alexander and Don Goodrich were dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Thurston Monday evening of this week.

Dr. and Mrs. J. V. McCallister, of Lubbock were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Haynes. Patsy and Judy Teague spent the week end in Lubbock with their grandmother, Mrs. E. A. Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Gillham and daughter, Sue, of Barstow, Calif., and their son, Frank, of Crosbyton spent the week end here with Mrs. Etta Gillham and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Sawyer have been visiting the Truett Flaches in Colorado City for several days.

P. H. Wilson of Tahoka and Doran Gibson of Ropes sustained minor bruises when their automobiles were in a near head-on collision on the Seagraves highway Saturday night.

W. B. Downing, business man of Brownfield who underwent major surgery in a Temple hospital two weeks ago, is back home and able to be up and about.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hord, Mr. and Mrs. Buell Price and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Byron Price were in Fort Worth to see the Fat Stock show and attended business in Dallas.

Mrs. Bill Redford and Mrs. Rebecca Ballard visited Dannie Ballard in Albany Sunday. Dannie, who is a student in Hockaday, is visiting a classmate between semesters.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Culley are leaving Saturday to make their home in Hobbs. Mr. Culley's with the Kobe Inc., and is being transferred to the New Mexico district.

Mrs. J. J. Williams, of Olney is here visiting in the L. M. Rogers home. She is Mr. Rogers' sister.

Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Brian, Rev. and Mrs. W. T. Sparkman and Mesdames Gladys Morhead, R. M. Moorhead, Elco Evans and Carl Johnson attended a district W.M.U. meeting in Floydada Tuesday. The state W.M.U. president was the main speaker.

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Good Housekeepers Keep Gas Ranges Spotless For Efficient Use and Sparkling Appearance

ACCIDENTAL spillovers on today's automatic gas ranges are nothing to get excited about, for their modern finish is as easy to clean as a dish or glass. Aside from spillovers, some grease is bound to splatter over on to the working surface and burners from open pots or frying pans. Don't worry about it because you can keep that gleaming, clean look for years with just a little simple care.

Since the greater part of the range top is porcelain enamel—a glass-like material fused on metal, it merely requires washing with a cloth slightly dampened with warm, soapy water. Rinse and dry. The most important point to remember, however, is that this should never be done when the range is hot. Wait until it cools off. The easiest cleaning habit is to wipe off the top and around the burners after every dish-washing — by which time the range has cooled off.

Milk, fruit juices, vinegar and other acid foods will eventually dull porcelain-finished tops even though they are acid resistant. A dry cloth or fold of paper towel will take care of these emergency wipe-ups.

Cleaning Top Burners

Automatic gas ranges are equipped with burner grids of cast iron with a baked-on coat of enamel which can be washed in warm, soapy water. You can lift out the burner heads and wash them the same way, rinsing and turning upside down for quick drying so that burner ports (where gas flame comes through) will not be clogged with dampness. Aluminum burner heads can be cleaned with steel wool or mild cleanser but on chrome heads use a soft abrasive, not steel wool. If chrome or aluminum burner heads lose their gleam, clean them with a metal polish as you would an aluminum kitchen utensil.

The holes or "ports" where flame comes through can be cleaned with a stiff brush and warm water. Old type burners may sometimes clog with spillovers. If this happens push a wire into the hole or port, twist and remove the dirt.

Removable drip trays underneath burners found on some models can be cleaned with warm, soapy water, always remembering to wipe dry the bottom of the tray, as well as the top, before replacing.

Cleaning the Oven and Broiler

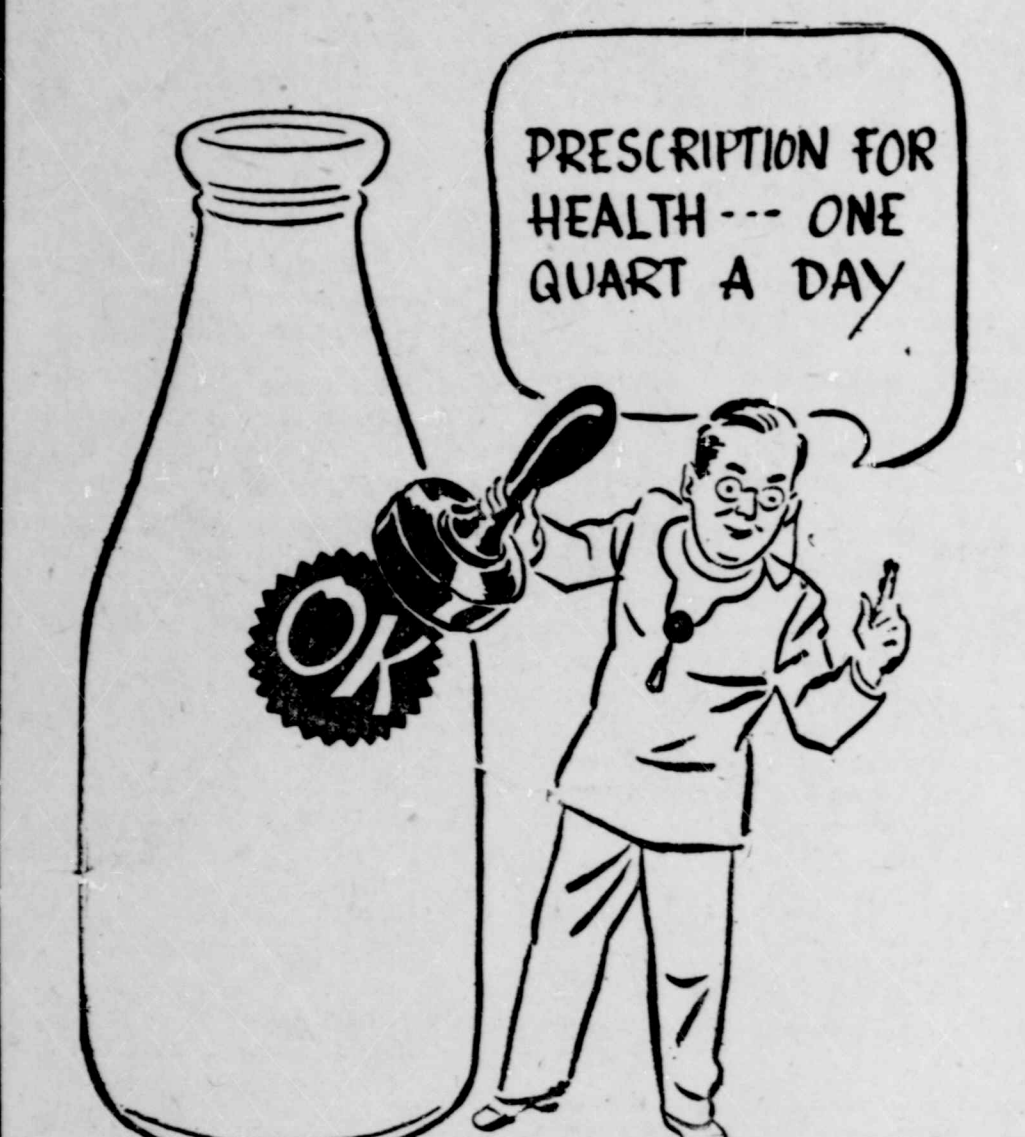
Since broiler and oven linings are made of porcelain enamel they are as easy to clean as a porcelain pot. As soon as food is cooked, take out the broiler pan and grill and, if very badly spattered, soak in hot water while you are doing the dishes. Then wash with warm water and soap using very fine steel wool or a stiff brush for the dirtier spots.

Occasionally, the inside of the broiler compartment itself, including top, sides and bottom, can be washed with warm, soapy water.

The same method of cleaning applies to the oven. Oven racks can be lifted out and washed. Don't forget the top of the oven while you're at it. Grime collected here comes from food vapors which rise from the baking dishes.

If, as occasionally happens, your baking dish has overflowed because it was filled too full, allow the oven to cool, then remove the oven bottom and clean as usual. The bottom of the oven can be completely immersed in soapy water if it's not insulated. Otherwise, just clean the top section.

These simple, time-saving habits will guarantee that your gas range will look spanking new as long as it stands in your kitchen.



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One Second From Eternity

Reprinted From The Omaha World Herald

A railroad engineer whose train nearly crashed into a car, addressed an open letter to "the youth and his girl" in the car.

His letter, sent to The World-Herald, says:

"I don't know who you are, it's true, but I do know you were scared to death Sunday evening near 9 o'clock when you drove your car across directly in front of a speeding passenger train. It was so close that I, in the cab, could see the young girl (your sweetheart, I presume) throw her hands up in front of her face and cringe up against you in stark horror.

"If I were that young girl I'd pull away from you, fast. You don't have good sense, son. You probably say you love her. I wonder. Those we love we try to protect. But not you.

"Wouldn't that have been a nice present to hand your mother—a broken and battered body. And how do you think we in the cab of that engine would feel. We are human beings, too. We have young left Sunday afternoon to attend a church conference in Dallas. They will return today.

Skooker Roscoe celebrated his 6th birthday with a party Tuesday morning at Mrs. Crump's kindergarten. Birthday cake and grapes, with balloons as favors, were served to 14 pupils.

Had a nice letter this week from Dr. Otis D. Carter of Glendale, Calif. The Dr. visited relatives here around Christmas, but we failed to see him when he called. He said some nice things about the Herald, a clipping of which was about himself around Christmas. Also invited us to call it ever around Glendale.

Old Luke Cruce and wife are down at Brownsville, Texas, enjoying the warm sunshine, the lowers and the oranges, while we look at snow and ice. And they would send us a card with a pretty girl standing in a flower bed, with orange trees for a background.

Plains Pioneer Passed Last Week

We sadly chronicle the passing of Mrs. W. J. Luna, at Lubbock, last Thursday. Mrs. Luna, who was 84, was hit by a car around Christmas, and never recovered from the accident. Mrs. Luna is the mother of Ben Hurst of Wellington, Mrs. Murphy Luna of Plains, and Mrs. Porter Earnest, whose address is also thought to be Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurst and Mr. and Mrs. Luna moved to Plains when it was no more than a townsite, according to R. M. Kendrick of this city, and Mr. Luna was townsite salesman. Mr. Hurst first died, and is believed to be about the first person buried at Plains. The first Mrs. Luna then died and is thought to be about the second person buried there. Later Mrs. Hurst and Mr. Luna were married.

Soon after the writer came to Brownfield, the Lunas moved to Lubbock and for several years ran the old Nicholet hotel on the south side of the square. We have spent many nights with these two fine old pioneers, and each guest had the same attention as if one of the family.

Mr. Luna died some four years ago. Mrs. Luna was buried in the Plains cemetery.

one waiting home for us to return. We, too, could have been killed.

"You and your girl were one second from eternity, son.

"I hope you read this and know it means you, and that your girl will, too. Next time you go driving around, stop and look. We don't want to hit you but we are helpless, as we cannot swerve away from our given rail.

"If I were you, son, and you, too, sis, I'd thank God for that split second He granted you.

"I said a prayer for all when I realized you were going across. Perhaps that's what saved us all.

"Now think it over, both of you. And I'll bet you are both still going in your shoes.

"And please, for God's sake, don't try it again."

Young Wife Dies Here Saturday

Mrs. Betty Joyce Johnson, 21, a native of Ropes and Meadow communities, died early last Saturday morning in the local hospital following a short illness.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p. m., Monday in the Methodist church at Meadow, conducted by Rev. Wheeler, pastor there. Interment in the Meadow cemetery by the Farley Funeral home.

She is survived by her husband, Quenton Johnson, a War II veteran, her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gossett of Meadow, a county commissioner and one brother, Edgar Gossett and two sisters, Elsie and Dahlia Gossett, all of Meadow and her grandfather, Ed Howard of Weinert.

USDA's State Crop Insurance office reports that 3,993 cotton claims for indemnity have been received under the 1947 program and final payments in Texas will amount to approximately \$1,180,000.

A small dwelling with all contents were destroyed by fire early Wednesday morning in the colored section of the city. The structure was practically destroyed before firemen were called.

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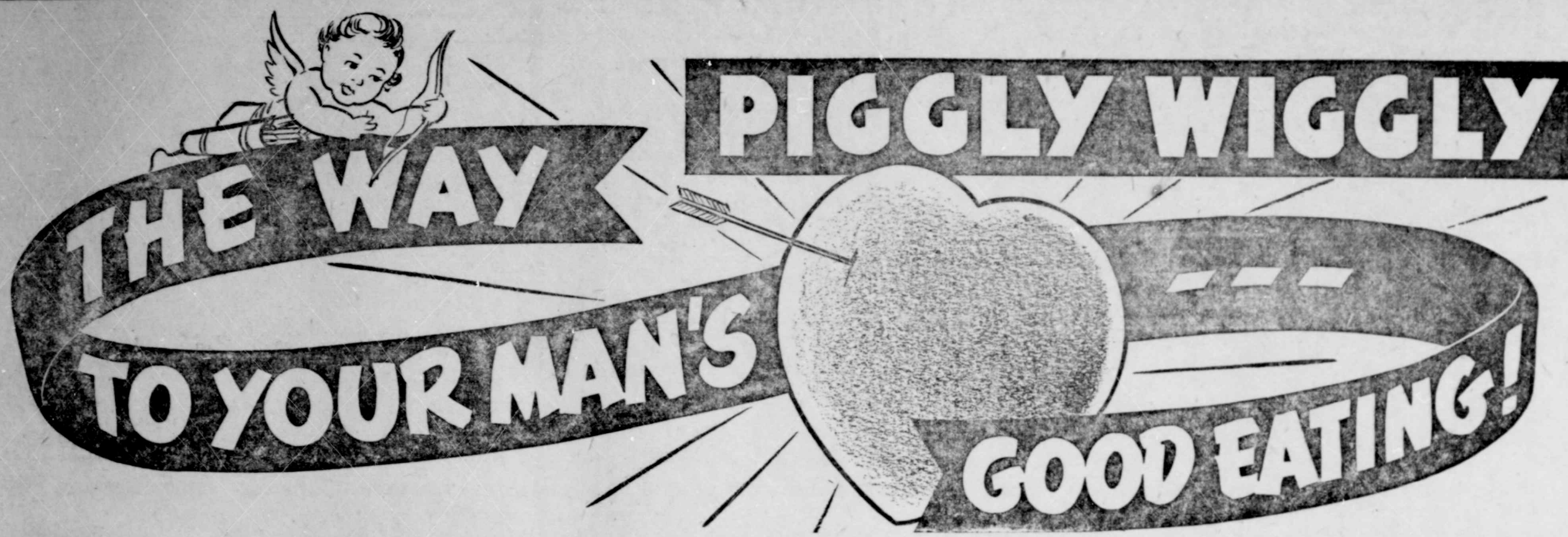


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Vienna Sausage Snack Time 1/2 can .. 15c	RAISIN BRAN	Whole New Potatoes, Dorman no. 2 .. 13c
ROYAL DESSERTS .. 8c	pkgs. .. 15c	BABY FOOD, Libby's 2 cans .. 15c
PINTO BEANS Dorman, no. 2 .. 14c		WHITE KARO 1/2 gallon .. 59c
SUPER SUDS, large box .. 39c		TURNIP GREENS, no. 2 1/2 can .. 10c

Pure Lard ARMOURS 3 LB. CARTON **75c**

Gold Tip GREEN BEANS No. 2
12 1/2

Pink SALMON No. 1 Tall Can
49c

Rich Sudsing TREND Deal - 2 pkgs.
38c

Lima Beans, Rio Grande, no. 2 can .. 14c	ALL GOLD SPINACH No. 2 can .. 15c	DOG FOOD, Dash, no. 1 tall can .. 14c
Eagle Brand Milk, large can .. 27c		Fruit Cocktail, Libby's no. 1 tall can .. 27c
Blackeye Peas, Dorman no. 2 can .. 15c		APPLES Comstock, no. 2 can .. 23c
POP CORN, Venus, 1 lb. .. 27c		CHILI Libby's no. 2 can .. 27c

Eggs Fresh, Clean Doz. **44c** | **COCOA** 2 lb. can Mothers **37c**

Orange Juice Nu Zest 46 oz. can .. 25c	Skinner's MACARONI box .. 11c	RAISINS 2 lb. kraft bag .. 31c
Potted Meat, Red Crown 1/4 can .. 6 1/2c		Deep Brown Beans Libby's 14 oz. .. 15c
TOMATOES No. 1 can .. 10c		SARDINES, Cottage can .. 12 1/2c

CLEANSING TISSUES 400 pkg. **27c**

APRICOT PRESERVES Libby's lb. jar **25c**

VEL Large Box **35c**

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Lettuce Firm Heads Pound **13c**

CELERY Fancy Green pound **15c**
TURNIP-TOPS Bunch **10c**

GRAPEFRUIT Texas Seedless 10 lb. bag **35c**



ORANGES Texas - Full of Juice 8 lb. bag **39c**

APPLES Extra fancy delicious pound **15c**
CARROTS Calif. extra large bunch ea. **10c**
SWEET POTATOES Pound **10c**

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Picnics Armour's 1/2 or Whole lb. **49c**

FRYERS DRESSED **69c**
PORK CHOPS Center Cuts lb. **69c**

Sliced Bacon

Wilson's Delicious Pound **69c**
Morrell's Pride Pound **79c**
Wilson's Drexel Pound **59c**
BACON SQUARES lb. **49c**



Choosing Sides
OPPOSITION to the Marshall or European recovery plan is, paradoxically, coming from the two extremes of political or economic thought. It is coming from the rich and powerful, where fascism might flourish, and it is coming from the other end of the ladder, where communism flourishes. A



glance at the various organizations which are on record for or against the Marshall plan, or merely are giving it lip or qualified service, and members of congress whose support comes from these organizations bears out this statement.

Registered against the Marshall plan are such organizations as Midwest Manufacturers association, Southern States Industrial Council, American Tariff League. Giving it only qualified support or lip service are National Association of Manufacturers, U. S. Chamber of Commerce, Investment Bankers of America, National Home Builders association and like organizations.

At the other end, arrayed against the Marshall plan, are the Communist party, United Electrical Workers, National Maritime Union, Progressive Citizens of America, America's Future, Inc., German-American Republican League and National Farmers Union.

Standing foursquare in favor of the Marshall plan are U. S. Junior Chamber of Commerce, American Bar Association, American Supply and Machinery Manufacturers Association, American Farm Bureau Federation, National Grange, National Cooperative Milk Producers Federation, National Council of

Farmer Cooperatives, American Federation of Labor, Congress of Industrial Organizations, International Ladies Garment Workers, United Automobile Workers; every national woman's organization, such as General Federation of Women's Clubs, League of Women Voters, and a dozen others; almost every religious organization, every veterans organization, including the American Legion, VFW and Amvets. Whose side are you on?

The danger to the Marshall plan from the forces of reaction and fascism is to slash it to pieces so that it will be nothing more than a relief program. Someone has coined the word to "sterilize" the plan by cutting its appropriations to insignificant proportions. While immediate relief is essential, the core of the Marshall plan lies in the industrial and economic rehabilitation of Western Europe so these nations can help themselves. From the left, or Communist front, the danger lies in the possible suggestion that it should be managed and administered by the United Nations. This is what Russia would like, since Russia then would have a vote or a veto in distribution of the money and of raw materials and machinery.

Uninformed on Plan

This reporter was amazed to read in the current issue of Successful Farming magazine that 52 per cent of the six million American farmers have never even heard of the Marshall Plan. The magazine survey further showed that of the 48 per cent who had heard of it only 11 per cent had a correct knowledge of what the Marshall plan is. This is either an indication that farmers are not interested, or that they don't listen to the radio or do not read the newspapers.

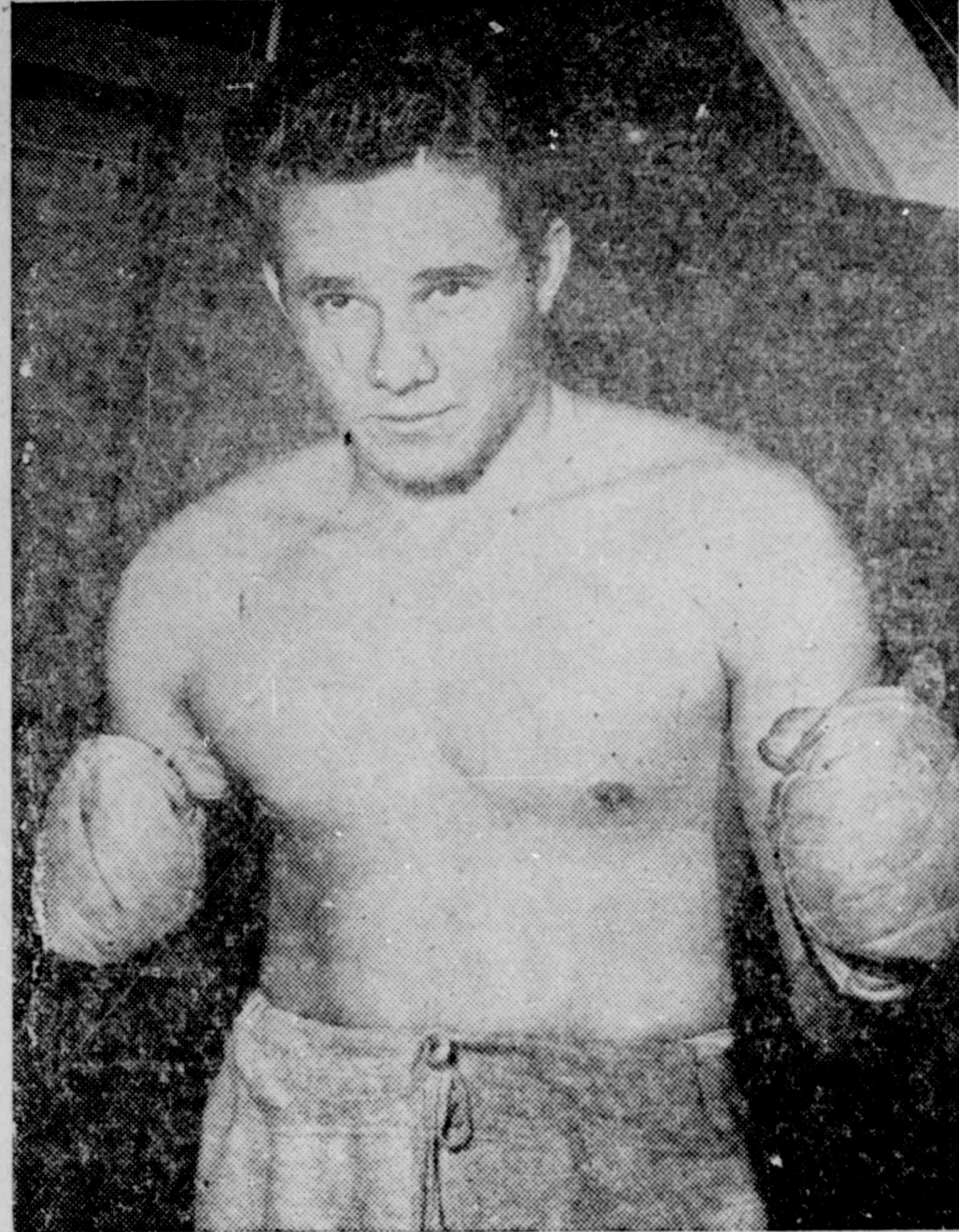
Nevertheless it's true. The government sank \$773,156,000 in the share capital of about 1,450 building and loan associations to save them from bankruptcy during the depression years. All has been paid back save about nine million dollars and on top of it the government earned 55 million dollars in dividends.

Home Mortgages Increase

Home mortgages have risen from approximately 4 1/2 billion dollars in 1920 to 24 1/2 billion dollars at the end of 1946. FHA figures reveal. When this agency was established in 1934, the average interest rate ran approximately 7 per cent and as high as 12 per cent on second mortgage refinancing. FHA immediately set an interest rate of 5 per cent. Thus it has saved home owners 400 million dollars a year in interest in the past 14 years.

Mrs. C. C. Bryant of Carlsbad was here last week visiting her daughter, Lajuna and her mother Mrs. L. M. Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. V. I. Miles and daughter, Johanna plan to leave the 16th with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Anderson of Lubbock for a weeks vacation in the Rio Grande valley and Old Mexico.



Tom Adams, Golden Gloves light heavyweight champion of 1947, successfully defended his title in the first night of competition at Fort Worth Wednesday. Adams is a freshman at Hardin-Simmons university and has been undefeated in boxing competition this fall, having won decisions in

Many Buick Cars Over 18 Years Old

Nearly 97 per cent of the Buick automobiles produced and sold in the United States during the last 10 years are still in operation, a tabulation of registration figures disclosed. The survey, completed recently by Buick Motor Division analysts, showed that of the 1,475,483 cars produced in the last 10 years, 1,424,999 or 96.6 per cent are still in operation, according to registration figures received from each of the 48 states. Harlow H. Curtice, Buick general manager, disclosed there were 1,928,619 Buicks registered in the United States last year, of which nearly 50,000 were at least 18 years old. Buick has produced more than 4,800,000 cars in its 45-year history.

LARGEST ENROLLMENT IN HISTORY

Abilene Christian College, Abilene, Texas, opening its 1948 spring semester Feb. 2, has enrolled a total of 1505 students from 37 states, making the largest enrollment of any spring semester in the college's history.

Included among the students in Abilene Christian College are three students from Brownfield. They are Carrol W. Collier, Robert M. Craig, and Jimmie Paden.

Hiram Parks made a business trip to Dallas over the week end.



three bouts. He was unopposed in the Abilene regional tournament last week in a meeting held in the Hardin-Simmons Rose Field House. Young Adams is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Adams, 220 West Broadway, Brownfield.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following named candidates have announced their candidacy for office subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries Saturday July 24 and August 28, 1948:

- FOR STATE SENATOR**
 RALPH BROCK
 Lubbock County
 KILMER B. CORBIN
 Dawson County
- FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY**
 H. B. VIRGIL CRAWFORD,
 Brownfield
- FOR COUNTY JUDGE**
 H. R. WINSTON
- FOR SHERIFF**
 OCIE H. MURRY
- FOR ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR**
 HERBERT CHESSHIR
- FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY**
 R. L. GRAVES
 GEORGE W. NEILL
- FOR COUNTY CLERK**
 H. M. (Dube) PYEATT
- FOR DISTRICT CLERK**
 ELDORA A. WHITE
- FOR COUNTY TREASURER**
 MRS. O. L. (Oscar) JONES
- FOR COMMISSIONER, Pct. 1**
 W. BRUCE WHITE
 MARION B. STONE
- FOR COMMISSIONER, Pct. 2**
 S. H. (Sam) GOSSETT
- FOR COMMISSIONER Pct. 3**
 LEE BARTLETT
- FOR COMMISSIONER Pct. 4**
 H. R. (Horace) FOX
- FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE, Pct. 1**
 J. W. HOGUE

Meadow Musings

Mrs. Muri Thompson of Colorado visited at Meadow and Brownfield last week. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moore gave J. A. Maddox a surprise birthday party on Thursday of last week. Many nice gifts were presented to the honoree on his 71 birthday.

Mrs. Muri Thompson, Mrs. Arch Fowler and Mrs. Darrell Moorhead visited Mrs. W. T. Arnett Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Evans and son, David, visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Copeland and family at Chandler, Texas last week.

David Evans had the misfortune of breaking some bones in his foot recently.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Gray returned from Sulphur, Okla., Monday, where they attended the funeral of an uncle of Mrs. Gray's.

Mrs. Betty May Arlege of Chillicothe, Texas, is visiting Mrs. McNutt this week.

Mrs. R. L. McNutt is not feeling quite as well as usual this week.

Rev. R. L. Shannon and Jake Fulford attended the Pastors and Laymens Conference at Plainview last Tuesday.

A pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. Grover Richey was held in the home of Mrs. C. E. Hicks

on Tuesday afternoon of last week. The honoree was the recipient of many beautiful gifts. About 51 guests registered in a lovely blue satin book made by Miss Lavada Shannon.

Mrs. Joe Keesee, Mrs. Ray Castleberry, Mrs. Horace Castleberry, and Mrs. Dave Gregg assisted Mrs. Hicks as hostesses.

Mrs. George Arnett of Lubbock visited Mrs. W. T. Arnett and Mrs. C. V. Hill on Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Afton Verner and little son of Portales, N. M., visited Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Verner and other relatives at Meadow last week.

Local Boy On Tech Judging Team

Earl Sears, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kellie Sears of Brownfield, was on the meat judging team from Texas Technological college, that participated in competition with many colleges in the southwest at the recent Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth.

His team rated first on lamb carcasses, second on beef and third on pork. They stood third in all competition, but Earl was second in individual judging.

Mr. and Mrs. Money Price were in Fort Worth over the week end to attend the Fat Stock show.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means to thank everyone for their kindness and sympathy in the loss of our dear father.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Redding, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Aldridge, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Young, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Coulter, Mrs. Edna Hamilton, Holland Redding.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelton Miller and daughter spent the week end in Pampa with Mr. and Mrs. Leon Miller.

Don Cates left Wednesday of last week to enter an accounting school in Chicago.

Mrs. Robert Tipps, of Pueblo, Colo., left Wednesday for home after a weeks visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Gillham.



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G I Question And Answer Department

Q. My daughter of 19 is attending school and I would like to know if she is entitled to participate in my estranged husband's compensation?

A. She is entitled to participate in your estranged husband's compensation until she is 21 if she continues in an approved school until that time.

Q. I was wounded in World War II and would like to know if my compensation check is subject to seizure by creditors?

A. No.

Q. How are places of job-training approved under the G-I Bill and how does a veteran find out what establishments are approved?

A. Training establishments are approved by State approving agencies for job-training under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act (G-I Bill). All VA offices maintain a list of approved establishments in the area in which they are located.

Q. My employer has dismissed me from my job-training position and I would like to know what I can do so that I can continue to receive subsistence?

A. Your training status was terminated and your subsistence allowance ceased when your employer dismissed you. It is now up to you to seek another place of employment with an approved on-the-job training program.

Q. Have I any recourse to civil courts if I do not like the decision of Veterans Administration on my claim for compensation.

A. No.

The Low Down From Hickory Grove

You know folks, soon as one thing that the Govt. has us worked up and wondering about and which it was gonna fix, but didn't dies down after losing its ability to distract us, they waltz out a new one. And now, it is the St. Lawrence Seaway being revived. That far north river with its ice and fog for 6 months of each year, is no place for a steamboat to try its luck at bucking the elements, and paying expenses. There are plenty of waters elsewhere, for 'em to sail in.

And furthermore—in case of war—to protect such a more or less useless seaway, and power houses, men and anti-aircraft guns, etc. galore, would be diverted from other places. And then there is the power angle—from those icy waters. It will be no different, I reckon, than in other spots where the Govt. has barged in—like in Oregon and Washington state when the Govt. is the Big Smoke in power, and rules the roost. There is now a power shortage there—that's what the papers say. But before the Govt. came in and set-up shop, there had never been a slightest kind of shortage for those Webfoot and Clam-digging folks in that grand country—that land where, if you put it on a William Cullen Bryant poetic basis, it would be "Where rolls the Oregon."

Yours with the low down,
JO SERRA.

S. A. (Sam) Ribble Calls On Herald

We had a surprise visit from an old friend this week. He was no other than S. A. Ribble, who at present is minister of the Church of Christ at Loop, Texas, and preached many sermons and held at least one revival for the church here some 25 years ago.

He had brought a neighbor child to the hospital for examination and treatment, he informed us. Evangelist Ribble might be termed a pioneer minister of the Plains section, where together with New Mexico most of his work has been confined.

He has two daughters and three sons. One son, W. O., a Lubbock florist, was former mayor of that city.

Hopes To Be Just Half As Good As Dad

Had a letter this week from Mrs. O. L. Chapman of Richmond, California. In mentioning the long standing friendship of the deitor and her dad, the late Cam Sears, Mrs. Chapman stated that she hoped to be just half as good and kind to people as her dad was.

Well, the writer is pretty well acquainted with the children of Mr. and Mrs. Sears, and we always found that they were average or above the run of mine folks. They are all good people and fine neighbors.

By the way she reported a rain that morning, the 4th, that broke a drought of almost a year. And if the Old He and lady are ever cut that way, we have a pressing invitation to visit Mr. and Mrs. Chapman. And their regard to all old Terry county friends, and three bucks to keep the Herald rolling west to Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Fulton spent the week end in Clovis. Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Elack.

Are You Familiar With Traffic Laws?

What is your TLQ?

Your traffic law quotient, that is, do you know the laws that help protect you from an automobile accident?

To familiarize the public with traffic laws and the necessity for obeying them, The Texas Department of Public Safety is cooperating in a nationwide "Learn and Obey Traffic Laws" program during February.

"In almost every accident, one or more drivers were violating some traffic law," said Colonel Homer Garrison, jr., Director. "Better voluntary observance of traffic laws would save a lot of lives."

One of the most common causes of accident is driving in the wrong lane, according to W. J. Elliott, Chief of the Texas Highway Patrol Division. He pointed out that National Safety Council statistics show driving on the wrong side of the road to be the second most frequent violation reported in traffic mishaps.

Keep right and you'll be left—to drive another day, he said, and listed these rules:

1. Drive to the right of the centerline. On three-lane roads, never drive in the far left lane, and on four-lane roads, never drive to the left of center.
2. Drive to the left on a two-lane road, in the center lane on a three-lane road, or in the lane next to the center on a four-lane road only to overtake and pass a slower moving vehicle, and then only when you are sure that everything is clear.
3. On multiple lane roads, drive in one lane. Don't change from one lane to another without looking back and on both sides. Be sure a car is not overtaking you at the side and to the rear—a blind spot in many automobiles.
4. In some cases it is legal to overtake and pass on the right, but this is not a universal rule. Even where it is legal, it should be done with care because many drivers are not expecting it. Overtaking and passing on the right may be made when:
 - a. The driver in front is making a left turn.
 - b. On "one-way" streets.
 - c. On a pavement wide enough for two or more lines of traffic moving in each direction.

The new Uniform Act regulating traffic requires that all movements must be made "in safety." All drivers are therefore required by law to be alert at all times.

Mrs. C. L. Berry and daughter of Floydada; and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cheddex, of Plainview spent the latter part of the week with their sisters, Mrs. D. W. Allmon and Mrs. Roy Sparkman and families.

Motor trucks and tractors have replaced horses and petroleum products have replaced enough oats, corn and hay to release some 35 million acres of cropland for market production since World War I.

New Band Man Calls To Get Acquainted

Richard Young, new Brownfield school band instructor, was a pleasant caller at the Herald office, Monday. Mr. Young comes directly from Lamesa to Brownfield, and seems to be a man that can get along with young folks and gets the best out of them in the way of musical training.

Found that he was well acquainted with our son-in-law,

The goal for "Freedom Gardens" in 1948 has been set at 20 million. Texans expect to reach the million mark in home gardens.

Herman Trigg, at Brownwood, also Jenkins Webb of Monahans, and other band men mutually known to each of us. Mr. Young has some very fine ideas about promoting a bigger and better high school band for Brownfield.

We hope he not only gets the cooperation of the school officials, but the people in general.

It is reported that a Mr. Bob Kirby of Plains, who lived alone, tried to commit suicide, Tuesday the 3rd, by slashing his throat with a knife. This is the story he is alleged to have given a lady neighbor. However, he was carried to the Vet hospital at Amarillo. A doctor is said to have informed the man's brother that the wounds were not self inflicted, and the brother believes there was foul play.

Mayor Frank Jordan and County Commissioner Lee Bartlett left Tuesday for Brownwood to negotiate purchase of one or more army barracks from Camp Bowie to be used by the city and county for public uses.

Milk cow numbers are now the lowest since the fall of 1940, but milk per cow in December was second highest on record.

Uncle Jimmie O'Connor is reported to be confined to his bed with profuse nose bleeding.

J. B. Knight and Harold Denton of Knight Hardware, and Lal Copeland of Copeland Hardware, were attending the hardware convention in Amarillo the first of the week.

Ben Hurst wrote in this week enclosing three smackers for another year of the Herald. Says that is the only way he can keep track of old timers.

The Texas Safety Association reminds drivers that when you shoot out of the driveway without looking both directions, you risk your life.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorn Walters of Lubbock were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Draper visited the Alton Webbs in Gomez Sunday afternoon.

Thanks

We wish to express our heartiest thanks to all our friends for the lovely flowers, expressions of good wishes and interest we received on the opening of our new business. Collectively and separately, it was all a tremendous inspiration to our entire staff to give at all times the very best service possible in all departments.

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