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All my life I have been inform ed by persons in the know that since Eve ate the apple man has been born with an inherent sense of shame and all consuming desire to bide his nakedness with clothes And while I would be the last to contradict tradition, I must confess that I did pause and woncier that the other day upon learning that 18 month old Rusty Ruesell bas 18 month old Rusty Russell has been toddling up and down the sidewalks at town clothed only in
bis diapers, offering bis diapers, offering to sell them for a nickel cash or swap for an ice cream cone.

One might be tempted to ignore Rusty's boldness and lack of shame shrugging it off as an isoleted case, an exception that proves the rule. but for the fact that last winter his bis 3 year old cousin, Bumpy Rus sell, was discovered circling the house at high speed on a tricycle with not one stitch of clothing pro tecting him from the icy blasts. Be it sad for Bumpy that when blue fingers and chatteriag teeth made him aware of his nudity, be
did stop long enough to go into the did stop long enough to go into the house and return with a bit of flan nel which he spread out upon the tricycle seat, thus ending from prying ey
rear.

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Even these two incidents might be passed off as merely a family trait were it not for the case of 5 year old Marjorie Marsh. who with a Gypsy Rose Lee swing to her bipe stepped out into the street the other morning strapped to a red bandana handkerchief which she wore in lieu of the better known fig
Her mother caught sight of her through the window and was horrified but the concern of Majorie's 7 year old br
"Get Marjorie out of the etree George." she commanded sharply. "Aw, she's all right, Mama", said George. "She's got her tail light on" 000
And there's the case of Jackie Polk, who learned to take his first steps by first removing his dress and holding it out in front of hlm while be followed in around.

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Fear of bringing down around my ears a hail of protest against my writing propaganda for the cult of uudism, I avoid drawing any conclu sions from the above paragraphs and pass on to quote from the brush country sage and philosopher, Pecos Turner.
"Humans dress up and cow punchers down", Pecos observed. "When reech man raise from his bed and and vest never then his shirt and quarters to the elements till he slips ioto his pants-well he don't have to show me no rope burns in bis bands. I can tell from his manner of dressing that back along th trail somewheres he's quit his bed froze ond there was icicles hanging the flanks of the cows he aursing.
had to prove that the sins of reikers and for He cbildren can be visited upan the lather, even unto this upon the


Horn Flies to Be Destroyed

The hornfly, one of the major cattle pests, is soon to be eliminated according to a writer in the Readers Digest of Augnst, 1941.
The writer says that recently an entomologist-entirely ignorant of veterinary traditions-opened the road to the answer. In trying to control the blood sucking hornfly hat scouraged cattle on West Texas ranches. he found that the fly reproduced only in its victims drop the Why not feed insecticides to


Spencer Tracy
Spencer Tracy has been acclaimed by crities who have seen his lates
picture "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde"
is pis an "Academy Award" wrinner for
as his grand characteriza
latest M-G-M thriller.

## Save Your Own Seed

 For PlantingMost of seed concerns put out good seeds, but these concerns must depend on others to their seeds and it is not alway they produce the beat, is if you want to dow the best of vetetable it is afer and surer that you save your own seeds.
Home grown seeds will come quicker and do better than those b)ught from the regular seed houses provided you select and care for the seeds you grow.
In selecting seeds for the next season select the best specimens and carefuily dry them and then put them away where they will keep dry and cool. A paper container, such as a dood envelope or a dry ice cream carton are the best for this purpose, though a dis. carded tea can will do provided is is not made air tight. Be sure to correctly label the package with the date and then put away in a dark place.
For melons, cantaloupes, tomotoes peppers and other things, select only the best specimens from which o save seed and you will hat B. Butier gets about as i luck with your next years planting hot need one. Judge says he does We are warned that seeds may be tot need one. Judge Brown has acarce next year because of war without it. The unly reason I know conditions and it may be a good Uncle Bill

## Elsie Knight Named Student Assistant

Outstarding scholastic and citi zenship records have earned the position of student assistant at Texa State Coilege for Women for Miss Elise Knight of Sterling City.
Majoring in Homu Economics Ed ucation, Miss Knight will be an as sistant in the Chemistry department She is a junior student and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L, R. Knight
Chosen because of her excellent this high standard while she occupying this position.

## 4. H Club Elect Officers

The 4-H Club met in the High School gy manasium September 23, a 2:30, P. M., for the purgose of electing officers. Fred Mitchell, vice president in 1941, called the meeting to order and explained that its purpose was to elect offieers. The election resulted as follows:
Fred Mitchell, president; Ross Foster, vice president; J. B. Clark, secretary; Jack Mitchell, treasurer. The Club members plan to have as their demonstrations, beef calves, mutton lambs, registered lambs and bogs, to be exhibited at the 1942 Sprink shows.

## STICKS

Up to a short time ago, one rárely saw a man with a walking stick on the streets of Sterling City. The other day, while I was teetering my way along the sidewalk with a cane my father used after he was a hundred years old, I met Gid Ainsworth whose gitalongs refused to chibobstick thout the aid of a walkio and AI Rutherford with Herbert Cope was wh canea hat he was waso much inproved case of G. A. Walker, bish p of his church, who reached fo his pocket Bible and drew out pack of poker cards which scattered shast Walker's sons considered this outBible a highly entertaining joke their parent,

## LEGS

Most every normal human was born with a pair of legs. At first these legs were of little account ex cept to seep time with each squall let out by their owner and show his impatience when milking time came.
Then came a time when these legs were called on to bear up their owner in a standing position and later to take a step, When this occured, Mamma was thrilled and bored all her friends and neighbors with the news that baby could stand alone and had taken a step. At first these little legs were wob bly and gave their owner many a fall, but as the days came and went, they grew stronger and car ried him swiftly and safely whereever he wanted to go. I said "he", because grown man before I knew

1 in my day, women were so are ful of concealing their legs that
they wore dresses that even bid they wore dresses that even bid
their feet. But even with all this care, I suspected they had legs tha might be of the same model of those I had, and later, I found out that my supsicious were well found

## Led

Legs are a most beautiful part of a woman's nomenclature, and never could see why they took
such care in concealing them from such care in concealing them from
the sight of men. Today, they the sight of men. Today, they ar more sensible and dress as if the
sight of these beautiful appendages sight of these beautiful appendages
were not to be entirely conctaled. were not to be entirely conccaled
Nearly 87 years ago, I drew a pair of legs. At first hey were oo good except as above stated Later on they became strong and dependable I could hold my own in a foot race and they have car ried me out of many tight places I could climb any tree and swim swollen rivers. They bave carried me all over these hills and valleys for miles around and have enabled me to peep in eyery nook and cranie in the rocks.
For more than 80 years these legs have served me well. One cold day last winter the demons of rheu matism with red hot daggers began to stab and slash at the muscles and these dear old servants tha have carried me so well and lons refused to carry me any longe They refuse now to track and have to help them hobble along with the aid of a stick.
Well, after all, I have gotten the best of these good old legs, because they have carried me more than 80 years without a complaiat. When a fellow first draws a pair of legs, they are not much good, and after asingthem for a long time, they do back on him Well you can go back to last always. - Uncle Bill

## WHAT YOU MAKE IT

A town or community is what it people make it. If the institutions and industries of a town are not supported by its people, the town is not worth three whoops at a dog fight. A man or woman who takes up his residence and accepts service in an industry or one of the institu tions of a town should taise a pride in supporting his town. He should trade at the shops and stores of the town and cooperate in the upbuild ing of the community which makes it possible for him to gain a living. There are always a few who give their support to other towns instead of their own town. These are always passage.

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## Local Items

Mrs. H. W. Gayle, of Monahans is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. S. Co is visiti
teo.

Mr. and Mre. Thad Munn, of Junc ion visited friends and relatives bere the first of this week.

Mrs. Allie D. Scott of Murchison Texas is visiting her daughter and son in la w Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Dear
ea.
Your laundry will be appreciated Will call for and deliver all laundry Mrs. John Purves-tf

For Sale; 5 room house on 2 lots in Foster addition of Sterling City Mrs. G. A Stockton ti

Messers and Mesdames J. D. Findt Garden City. Artuhur Findt of lairemont, spent last week end here with their mother, Mrs, Lens Fiodt.
E. B. Butler, who has bad trouble with his "gitalongs" for sometime past, is now able to come up to the drugstore most everyday.

Our good old time friend, AI Ruth erford who has been down with bis bead under him for the past three months was able to visit the News Record shup last Saturday.

County Commissioner Roy T. Fos ter who has been in ill health for the past several months, is now able to come up town these days. While Roy is somewhat "drawed", he is getting along all right.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Wallace of Waco and Mr. and Mrs. David $\mathbf{P}$ Wallace Jr. of Dallas were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Reed.
Kiss Jo Waliace Jr. was formerly Miss Johnnie Bess Reed.

In the sixman football game bere last Saturday, Sterling defeated Courtney 14 to 0 . The Courtney team were heavier than our boys, but no doubt lacked the train ing which the Sterling team had

Our friend H. M. Mills of Alpine was a welcomed caller on the News Record force last Tuesday, After selling ranch holdings on Lacy Creek Mr. Miils moved to Alpine where he established a home for his family in order to be convenient to sehool. He bought a 31 section ranch about 75 miles southeast of Alpine wher he resumed the raising of sheep Mr. Mills says he has fine grass on his range and that part of the coun try is in fine condition.

Methodist Church

| Lowell 0. Ryan Pastor |
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| $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Church school } \quad 10 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m} \text {. } \\ \text { Morning worship } & 110^{\prime} \text { clock }\end{array}$ <br> Morning worship, 11 o'clock |
| Young People's Service 6:30 p. m. Evening worship, 7:00 o'clock |
| Wanted: My old customers back al ${ }^{80}$ lots of new custorners. Guaranteed Work Low Prices-Mrs, Gregstons | Work Low Prices-Mrs. Gregstons Home Laundry tf

Posted All persons are here by forbidden to hunt, fish, gather pecans, haul wood, drive stock or otherwise trespass upon any lands owned or controlled by me

George McEntiri
One out of every $31 / \frac{1}{3}$ oil welle drilled by Texas oilmen have been dry boles.

Weaves Rug for Coilicge Chapel


Adornfng the chancel of the Little-Chapel-in-the-Woods at Texas State College for Women is a hand-woven rug which, in a few months' time, would be impossible to weave because of the growing scarcity of good linen and wool. Miss Adeine Lee of she tied 115,680 knots by hand, used 200 razor blades to cut threads, and put 15 pounds of linen warp and 50 pounds of wool into weaving the $17 \times 4$-foot rug for her master's thesis in art.

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## STIRRING AROUND

 STERLINGBy Gadabout

Football games, going to rallies and just plain going equal actions of S. H. S'ers over week end
Double dating for the Ram-Daniel Baker game Friday night were; Elouise and Unk, Winston and Mitzi.
Sue and Freda were there but their date were not S. H. S'ers. Sterlingites attending the Bohcats Lubbock game Saturday night were: Bluff Dale Hall. Dixie Abernathy and John Lancaster. Coaches Burnet. and Brown and Miss Dean Ross Foster with Olga Atkinson, ArArlene Abernathy with Jack Grafa and Mitzi Broome with Frank Meadows, and others

Eagies, beat Garner!
Since nearly all of you were and should have been at the Beat Court ney Pep Rally, I won't go into any details but remember to be at the next rally to help us get our boys in the groove and

Beat Gerner!
Ex-assitant of yours truly, Mary Lou Foster, Fish Foster at S. M. U writes home that she is enjoying school lots as well as having fun She said she hopes our Eagles

Beat Garner
Mitzi, June and Billye Sue have been working hard every day the past week on dew yeils and motions So if every member of the pep squad will try to be "the Best Pepper Up per of all we cun help our own boys Beat Garner!
There's not too much gossip in the breeze to day but may be I cad make up for it next week. And until then-
Tell me all you see, know and hear We bope that when you read this our boys will have rolled the Water Valley Bearcats in the sod and yea we want them to

Beat Garner!

## EAGLE OUTLOOK

By Scribbler
The Sterling Eagles tangle up with the Water Valley cats Friday Oct. 3.d at 2.30 P. M. They are go ing to get reyenge Friday from the last years game. The Eakles have not forgotten about it. Its going to be a real game
Everyone come and help push the boys through by boosting them They would like to have all the town people to come and see them play and win.
The referee will be Red Ramsey of San Angelo. He is one of the best. The admission for adults will be 25 c each and school children will be 10 c eacb. The Eagles will be looking for all of you to be there

## High School Boys

Take Dallas Trip
Ross Firster, a member of the senior class is to attend a vocation al Agriculture convention in Dallas October the third until the fifth.
Ten state (fficers are to attend. The purpose of the meeting is to make plans for a trip to Kansa City. Foster is second vice presi dent of the state organization.

Entire
Sophomere Repurter: Marjorie Hum ble

Freshman Reporter: Paula Sue Wy ckoff
F. H. T Reporter: Arlene Abernathy
F. F. A. Reporter: Weldon Pbilips

## The Ryan Medal

The Reverend and Mrs, Lowell 0 Ryan have ennounced through high school faculty that they will award at the end of each schoo year, during which they have child ren attending this school, to one high school student a medal known as the "Ryan Medal" for general
excellence. This medal is to be awarded on the following condition acceptable grades, deligence, cooper ation with the faculty, loyal school spirit, unselfisbness toward fellow students, any other similiar traits he feculty might wish to consider The high school facuity is to determine who the winner of this

Support Appecatatad
The coaches, football players, stu dents and school officials of Sterling City High School appreciated the fact that the merchants closed for the first game of the season with All school children were admitted

free to the Courtney dame Adults the strong Garner team will meet following financial report is given $\mathrm{P}, \mathrm{M}$ on the Courtney game; Receipts:

Gate receipts
Gate receipts $\$ 3405$ Jokes Total profit is $\$ 37.60$ leceipts $\$ 371.00$ che powers quals $\$ 660$

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37.60 less $\$ 31.00$ "This he explained," is one

On Friday October 3, Water Val- most dangerous explosives of them
Wildcats will be here for a game all. If 1 am in the slightest degree
All school children were a

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liable to be blown through the root Kindly come a little closer so you can follow me better
Bobby to a Senior "Who was Ham let?"
Digfied Senior; "Aren't you asham ed of ignorance. Bring me the Bible and I'll show sou".

Honest trath by Secoter Ca
"Three drops of skunk mush will sent or era about one mile square" "B e.d spells bed" said Mrs. Em ery to one of her pupils. "Now do you understand?
"Yes," said Tommy
"Well, c-a.t spells cat, $d \cdot 0 \cdot g$ spells dog and bed spells - what did tell you b-e d spells?

I've forgotten, Mrs. Emery," whis pered Tommy.
"Well once more bed spells what you sleep in. Now what is it? "My shirt, said Tommy.

## WE WONDER

We wonder who was in the car with Joe Allen and William Thurs day night after the pep rally.
Who was Georga Belle with Sat
urday night. This freshmen seem to be getting around.
Jack and Billy seem to have this Martio fever, eh what boys?
Where June and Joe were Sun day evening. Round top seems to be a
kids.
If Jerry really got stoud up S urday night. Her boy friend seem. ed to be with someone else
Jerry seems to be quite Sharp tely
Who that good looking girl Fred was with Saturday night. Everit where you look there they are.


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