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Lions to Install Officers July 4

Dr. W. B. Everitt will install the new officers of the Sterling City Lions Club next Wednesday, July 4, at the regular luncheon hour.

Bro. A. A. Berryman, pastor of the Church of Christ, talked on "Preparedness" at the luncheon Wednesday. A committee to investigate a softball team (Lions) was appointed. Ed. Lovelace was made chairman.

Guests included Rev. B. B. Hester of Carlsbad, Guy Rutherford of San Angelo, Kenneth Watkins of Abilene and Bro. Berryman.

Girl Scouts Have Swim

The Girl Scouts enjoyed a swim at the Riley Kings last Friday afternoon. After going swimming they made ice cream.

Scouts attending were Mary Davis, La Verne King, Carolyn Bengel, Fern Garrett, Sue Lowe and the leader, and Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. King and Bonnie Kuth King.



Notes of a Newspaperman:

Telegram: "Poetic Justice. The dramatic reversal of the Reichstag trial. Goering prosecuted Georgi Dimitroff in the frame-up blaming Dimitroff for starting the Reichstag fire. And today Dimitroff is prosecuting 'Meyer' Goering! Isn't it wonderful?" — Ralph Berendt, New York City.

A Russian delegate to the Security Conference was trying to throw some light on the muddled situation in China (for a perplexed journalist) before Chiang "technically" resigned his premiership.

"But why," asked the writer, "is it so hard to establish in China, of both the Chungking Gov't and Communist guerrilla forces want to destroy the Japanese?"

"Perhaps it is best explained by saying that it is an old custom for Chiang to fight the Communists," replied the delegate, "and he has much love for ancient institutions that he will not look at the new moon, out of respect for the old one."

British soldiers who witnessed the capture of Lord Haw Haw gave him the English equivalent of the Bronx cheer. One yelled derisively: "Boys, take a look at Lord Hee-Haw, the man who brayed like a donkey!"

Another Tommy (in the group standing at ease) commented: "That reminds me of the time all the donkey-cart drivers in Britain went on strike. They sent a delegation to 10 Downing street, and the man who was spokesman told Winnie: 'We're going to stay off the job until you do something about that fellow in Berlin, named Lord Haw Haw. Our donkeys have been listening to his broadcasts, and now every jackass thinks he can be a radio commentator!'"

According to the best-informed gossip, Joe Davies' flying trip to see Churchill was for the purpose of off-pedaling the anti-Soviet hysteria which has been emanating from the London-Washington pipeline in recent weeks. Capitol politicians have dug deep into "the guess that-for" basket. In a discussion between two Administration Senators, one remarked: "I doubt if Davies will be as successful with Churchill as he has been with Uncle Joe."

"Don't worry," counselled the other. "Davies is a wise and honest man. Trouble with most of our diplomats is that we appoint them

Merchants to Close on 4th

The stores and business houses of Sterling City are planning to close on next Wednesday, July 4th, as has been the custom for the past.

No special celebration or observance has been set for Sterling City. Some people plan to attend the Stamford Rodeo, some to visit friends or relatives and others have nothing at all planned.

Daughter to Townsends

A daughter, Alice Daine, was born to Pfc. and Mrs. O. G. Townsend here Friday, June 22 at 8:45 p. m. The father is stationed at the Midland Army Air Field. The baby weighed seven pounds and eight ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lee of Sierra Blanca and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Townsend of Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ware and Winona are visiting in Blackwell this week.

The A. T. Brattons visited relatives in Comanche last week-end.

to avert situations which would never occur if they weren't our diplomats in the first place."

When about to bury Himmler, it's said that a British soldier assigned to the job speculated in ironic vein: "Don't you think, sergeant, that we ought to pay some touching tribute to the deceased?"

"Yes, indeed," mused the top-kick. "I will now say a few words," and he began: "Dear Lord, we are now delivering up to you— at which point he was stopped by one of the Tommies, who spat and said: 'Let's get 'im underground, 'e smells awful!'"

To which the sergeant intoned: "What do you expect from a skunk—perfume?"

The Love Letters of a Columnist:

In a broadcast from Tokyo the other day (heard by the FCC) the Mikadomei News Agency heaped praises on Joe Stalin for his "powerful leadership based on Sovietism," which "finally overcame a danger of defeat far greater than the one facing the Japanese at present."

When the item was carried in the Russian press, it was the cause for some ironic comment by the down-to-earth Muscovites. One gray-beard was overheard remarking: "When the fox begins to praise the rooster, and tells him he is a fine bird, the rooster had better be ready to fly for his life."

Out of a long, painful experience, Abraham Lincoln wrote five sentences which all of us would do well to study: "If I tried to read, much less answer, all the criticisms made of me and all the attacks leveled against me, this office would have to be closed for all other business. I do the best I know how, the very best I can. I mean to keep on doing this, down to the very end. If the end brings me out all wrong, then 10 angels swearing I had been right would make no difference. If the end brings me out all right, then what is said against me now will not amount to anything."

It's the latest silly going around. A subway strap-hanger kept staring long and affectionately at a man who was sitting down. The fellow who was being stared at became uncomfortable under the other's stare. Finally, the strap-hanger said: "You must excuse my looking at you so hard, but if it weren't for the moustache you would be exactly like my wife."

The man sitting down said: "I haven't got a moustache." The strap-hanger answered: "No, but my wife has."

Question Box

This week's question: "What are you planning to do on the Fourth of July?"

OSCAR FINDT: "Going a fishing."

TOM ONSTOTT: "Not anything if I can get around it."

D. DAVIS: "I'm gonna get drunk."

MAC BERGE: "I'm gonna get drunk if you pay me that quart of whiskey."

HINTON EMERY: "I have no more idea than you. I don't plan that far ahead."

DR. SWANN: "Same thing I always do."

SETH BAILEY: "Gonna close the store - that's all I know yet. I won't go anywhere I know."

SUE NELSON: "I'm going to Angelo."

HAL KNIGHT: "Nothing, I don't guess."

D. HALL: "Lock the depot and throw the key away."

C. C. AINSWORTH: "Work like h— — —. That's what I do all the time."

CLYDE DAVIS: "As far as I know I'm gonna work."

W. W. DURHAM: "Same thing I always do, why?"

JACKIE DURHAM: "I think I'll go to Angelo and go swimming."

HERMAN EVERITT: "I don't know of a thing right now, but I imagine I'll go somewhere."

TRINON REVELL: "I'm gonna work - right over here at the courthouse. We don't get any holidays except Christmas."

RUFUS FOSTER: "Work like a son - of - a - gun. What are you gonna do."

G. C. MURRELL: "I don't have any plans."

V. R. FORD: (bachelor) "I don't know what I'm going to do."

LEE AUGUSTINE: "I'm gonna work I guess. That's all I've done for the past few months."

ARCHIE MARIE REVELL: "I don't know. I haven't really had time to think - I'm going to take advantage of the holiday and do something."

MRS. TOMMIE JOHNSON: "Work."

HOMER PEARCE: "Work-try to catch up on some things I need to do."

F. S. PRICE: "I'll have a broomtail (2-yr. old) at the Stamford Rodeo."

WILL MEYER: "Work like the devil, I guess".

W. H. McDONALD: "I don't know what I'm going to do yet."

In the present war, Texas has a higher proportion of her population in the Armed forces than any other state.

A farm lad who took a defense job in the big city returned home a few months later to report he was flat broke in spite of the big pay. He said, "Most of my money I spent on women and whiskey. The rest I just wasted."

Last Week to Purchase Car Stamp

This is the last week to purchase your \$5 Federal car stamps reminds postmaster Anna Lee Johnson. The stamps must be bought and affixed by July 1, under penalty of federal law.

Want Your Cow Tested?

Dr. W. W. Sadler, veterinarian, will be here July 3 to test cows at the Simpson Dairy and for anyone else who would like their cows tested.

Dr. Sadler will test each cow for Bang's disease and tuberculosis for \$1.50. Such tests take two visits by the vet.

If you are interested call the county agent's office today or tomorrow.

New Grocery To Open

J. M. Robertson has rented the confectionery building from Earl Bailey and is to open a grocery store. Mr. Robertson is from Shady Grove (near Dallas). He worked for North American Aircraft Co. at Grand Prairie before coming here. He and Mrs. Robertson have an apartment at the Elliots.

Notice to Bidders

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Sterling County, Texas, at the regular term of said court on July 9, 1945, will receive bids from any Certified Public Accountant for a complete audit of the books and accounts of Sterling County for the years 1941, 1942, 1943 and 1944.

By order of the Commissioners Court this 25th of day June, A. D. 1945.

W. W. Durham
County Clerk, Sterling County,
Texas

Twelve Navy Admirals including Nimitz, two Marine Corps Generals, and thirty Army Generals including Eisenhower, are native Texans.

A Dallas Navy Seabee planted a garden alongside the batallion sick bay, where patients may tend it as a convalescent occupation.

Texas' annual billion dollar output of minerals is the highest in the nation.

Look at the expiration date on your News-Record. Don't let your subscription expire.

Cast Your Vote

Just a few more days left to vote for the most outstanding citizen for the month of June. Dr. Wm. J. Swann is leading the field now but it's the final count that tells the tale. Be sure and vote during June.

My vote for Sterling's outstanding citizen of the month is
Date.....
Signed

Personal

Spending last week-end in Norton were Mrs. Tommie Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Jarret, Jackie Durham, and Bobby Ivy. They visited Mrs. Jarrett's mother, Mrs. Carlton.

The Roland Lowes went to Kerrville the first part of the week on a vacation. They visited with Roland's sister, Mrs. E. D. Criddle of Corsicana and her family.

The Commissioners Court of Sterling County sat as a board of equalization on Monday of this week. The court had raised land values to \$2 acre minimum.

The Commissioners Court of Sterling County passed an order Monday for a special election here on August 25 (same day as amendment election) to reallocate tax money from one fund to another.

The Claude Collinses visited relatives in Comanche last week-end.

The Willie Garretts of El Paso are visiting the R. A. Garretts.

Mrs. Allie Hunter, sister of Homer Pearce, has been here visiting the Pearces.

FOR SALE: Small house. --- Mrs. Billy Davis (Lena Findt).

Will Meyer brought back about 30 pounds of fish from Lake Buchanan last week.

A rain fell on the divide last Friday afternoon, but stopped just short of Sterling City.

Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell and children of Fort Worth have been here visiting the Jeff Davises.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Ivy and son, Jim, visited friends in San Angelo Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hildebrand and daughter, Elizabeth, left Sunday on a vacation trip to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Wallace of Dallas, S-Sgt. and Mrs. R. E. Cope and daughter of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Holsenbeck and children of San Angelo visited Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Wallace last week.

Lee Augustine tried to doctor his eyes Monday with some Smear 62 worm medicine. Anyway, it was sorta painful says Lee.

Beef Cattle Subsidy

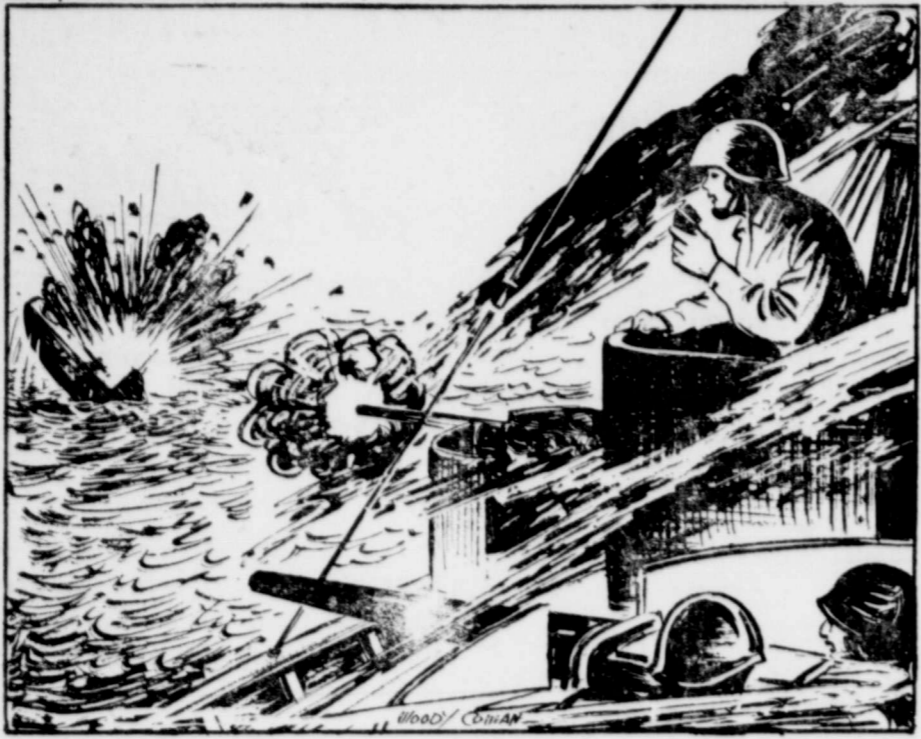
The government's new program to increase meat production allows 50 cents per hundredweight on good or choice cattle weighing 800 pounds or more and selling for at least 13.50.

For sales made from May 19, 1945 to June 30, 1945 applications must be filed on or before August 31, 1945. Applications shall be filed in the AAA office and the payment is available to all feeders who sell cattle for slaughter.

P A I G E

AMERICAN HEROES

by WOODY COWAN



COAST GUARD officers every day are proving how effectively the smaller naval vessels purchased with the help of War Bonds can clear the seas of enemy submarines. Comdr. David H. Bartlett of San Diego, Calif., recently was awarded a Navy medal for maneuvering his Patrol Frigate in such a manner that it brought about the destruction of a Jap undersea attacker. Other commanders of small vessels are doing highly efficient work.

U. S. Treasury Department

Mrs. Finis Westbrook is working at the posting machine at the bank while H. L. Hildebrand is off on his vacation.

The union services in the tabernacle will begin at 9 p. m. each Sunday evening henceforth, it was announced last Sunday.

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WALTER WINCHELL

T. E. Brown, now stationed at Groton, is an unassuming lad. . . . At the battle of Midway he left a flying formation that had destroyed a Jap battleship. . . . Then he "aloned it" for another target and slipped a big egg right into the funnel of a Jap destroyer — sending it to the hari-kari trail. . . . Lt. Brown rejoined his group on the way home—and after two days (and threatened discipline by his CO) he admitted that he knocked off the Jap destroyer. . . . He was afraid, he said, of being yelled at "for breaking the formation!"

Nightlifers, unable to sleep, who spend the wee hours visiting the Central Park zoo. "You probably meet a better class of animals!" . . . Penny-ante booking agents transacting "business" on the sidewalk. This is one of the most tragic aspects of the show business, which is dedicated to making others happy. . . . The penny arcades that have coined fatter profits and lasted longer than most expensive night clubs.

But It's True



STRUCK BY LIGHTNING IN HIS HOME IN PARIS, FRANCE, ON JUNE 4, 1929, BONHEUR CHASSEUR HAD ALL HIS TEETH KNOCKED OUT—BUT HE WAS OTHERWISE UNHURT AND HIS GUMS DID NOT BLEED!

"ANNIE" A CAT BELONGING TO MRS. CAROL LEWIS OF KEANE, NEW HAMPSHIRE, SUCKLED A BABY, LINDA, APRIL, MAY, 1931.

THE TOWN OF GREAT LAKE, NEBRASKA, WAS NAMED IN 1894 ALTHOUGH IT NEVER HAD ANY WATER NEARBY UNTIL A LAKE FORMED OVERNIGHT ON ITS VILLAGE GREEN—MAY 3, 1902 (See Underminter)

There are 9000 babies a year born in Dallas.

In some isolated spots in Texas, one turkey egg brings 48 cents.

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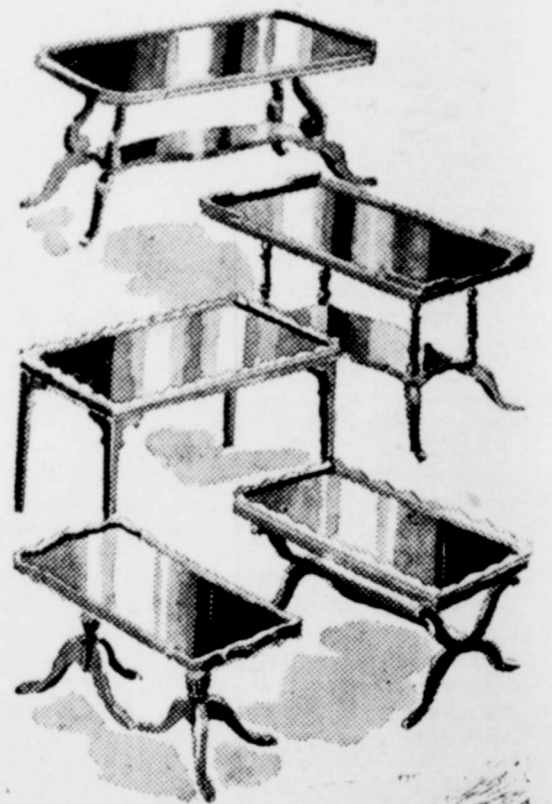
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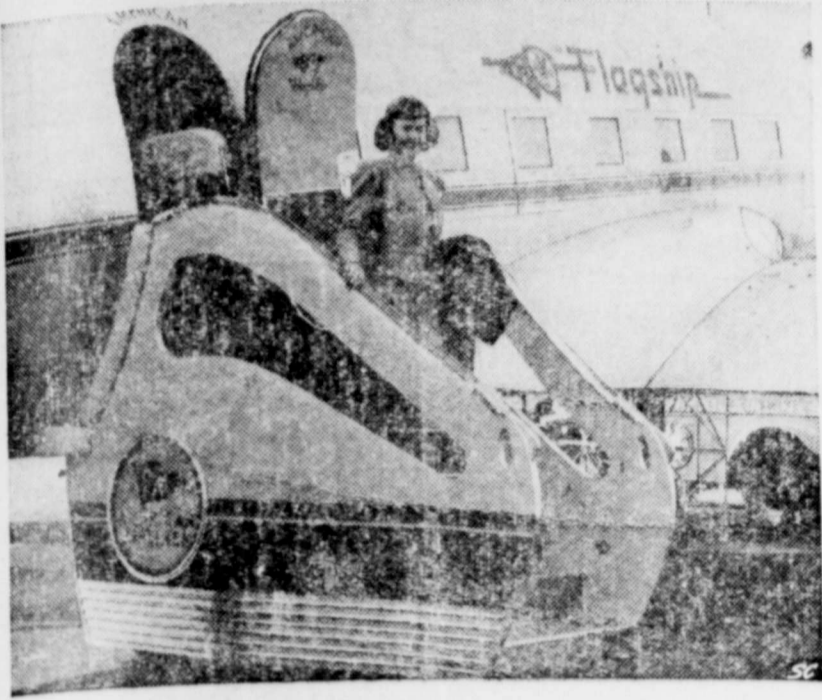
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Beauty Plus...



Valerie Garniss has a petite figure, clear blue eyes, chestnut hair and a Dutch bob. She looks like a photographer's model but works as a technical engineering aid for American Airlines, Inc. She is shown stepping down the passenger ramp she designed for the airline and which will be manufactured on a mass production basis after the war.

Cong. Fisher to Broadcast July 3

Congressman O. C. Fisher will take part in the American Forum of Air program from Washington next Tuesday night, July 3rd. It will be broadcast over a National hook-up of the Mutual Network beginning at 8:30, Texas time.

The subject will be "Should a Permanent Fair Employment Practices Commission be Established?" Fisher will be on the negative side. Three other Congressmen will take part in the 45 minute debate.

"This proposal is an attempt," Fisher recently said, "to give a Government agency power to tell the farmer and merchant: 'You must hire this man. You must fire that man. You must promote the other man.'"

The Texan has also pointed out that the bill, if passed, would give the Federal bureau power to control the employment practices of every school board in the land with regard to hiring teachers. He has shown that the proposal would have the effect of repealing job preference laws for veterans, and would promote intolerance and racial bitterness.

Often as we read the news of the day we feel as insecure as a skinny old maid in a strapless evening gown.

It is now revealed that the cocktail the major general drank in England, which caused him to give the tip off on D-Day, was a "radio special." Three drinks and you start broadcasting.

One tenth of the world's crops are destroyed annually by insects.

The shortest road to riches is to spend like you were poor.

You can't expect \$1 an hour for your working time if you spend your leisure hours like they were worth a dime a dozen.

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| Sermon | 11:00 A. M. |
| Lord's Supper | 11:45 A. M. |
| Ladies Bible Class on Tuesday | 4:00 P. M. |
| Choir Practice & Young People's Meeting Wed. | 8:45 P. M. |

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Your
BABY

By Lillian B. Storms

Milk is baby's natural food, but it isn't entirely adequate for more than a few weeks. After cod liver oil and orange juice are introduced, then come the solid foods, baby cereals, strained vegetables and fruits.

Usually a special baby cereal is the first of the supplementary foods. These cereals are available in pre-cooked form, with added vitamins and minerals which are needed in addition to those present in milk. A cereal is usually started at about 3 months of age, earlier if your doctor decides it is necessary.

This first solid food is fed with a spoon so your baby will learn to eat and so he will learn to handle solid food with his tongue. At first, dilute the cereal with enough milk or formula so it is a creamy consistency. This is something entirely new to him, so give only a taste the first day or two. Later it may be made thicker.

After he has learned to eat cereal, perhaps in a couple of weeks, one of the strained vegetables is introduced. It may be Carrots or Spinach. For a few days, dilute the vegetable with some milk! After he has learned to eat one vegetable, then give him another, feeding the same one for several days until it is familiar. During the next two or three months, gradually give a variety of vegetables and fruits, all finely strained as they come in the small cans or jars.

Be casual, matter-of-fact and enjoy feeding your baby, so that he will associate happiness with his mealtimes.



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THE STATE OF TEXAS)
 COUNTY OF STERLING)
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN
 That by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Sterling County, on the 1st day of June 1945, by W. W. Durham, Clerk of said Court for the sum of Fourteen Dollars & fifteen cents (\$14.15) and costs of suit, under a Judgment, in favor of THE STATE OF TEXAS in a certain cause in said Court, No. 467 and styled THE STATE OF TEXAS vs. Arthur A. Smith, et al, placed in my hands for service, I, V. E. Davis as Sheriff of Sterling County, Texas, did, on the 2nd day of June 1945, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Sterling County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Lot No. 8, Block No. 20, Sterling City Original, and levied upon as the property of Arthur A. Smith, and that on the first Tuesday in August 1945, the same being the 7th day of said month, at the Court House door of Sterling County, in the City of Sterling City, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of those above named.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Sterling City News-Record, a newspaper published in Sterling County.

Witness my hand, this 7th day of June 1945.
 V. E. Davis
 Sheriff Sterling County, Texas.
 By R. H. Emery Deputy.

THE STATE OF TEXAS)
 COUNTY OF STERLING)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN
 That by virtue of a certain Order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Sterling County, on the 1st day of June 1945, by W. W. Durham, clerk of said Court for the sum of Forty Two and 27 100ths (\$42.27) and costs of suit, under a Judgment, in favor of THE STATE OF TEXAS in a certain cause in said Court, No. 468 and styled STATE OF TEXAS vs. L. M. McLendon, et al, placed in my hands for service, I, V. E. Davis as sheriff of Sterling County, Texas, did, on the 2nd day of June 1945, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Sterling County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Lot No. 18, Block No. 20, Sterling City Original, and levied upon as the property of L. M. McLendon and unknown heirs of L. M. McLendon, and unknown owners and lien holders and legal representatives and that on the first Tuesday in August 1945, the same being the 7th day of said month, at the Court House door of Sterling County, in City of Sterling City, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder as the property of those above named.

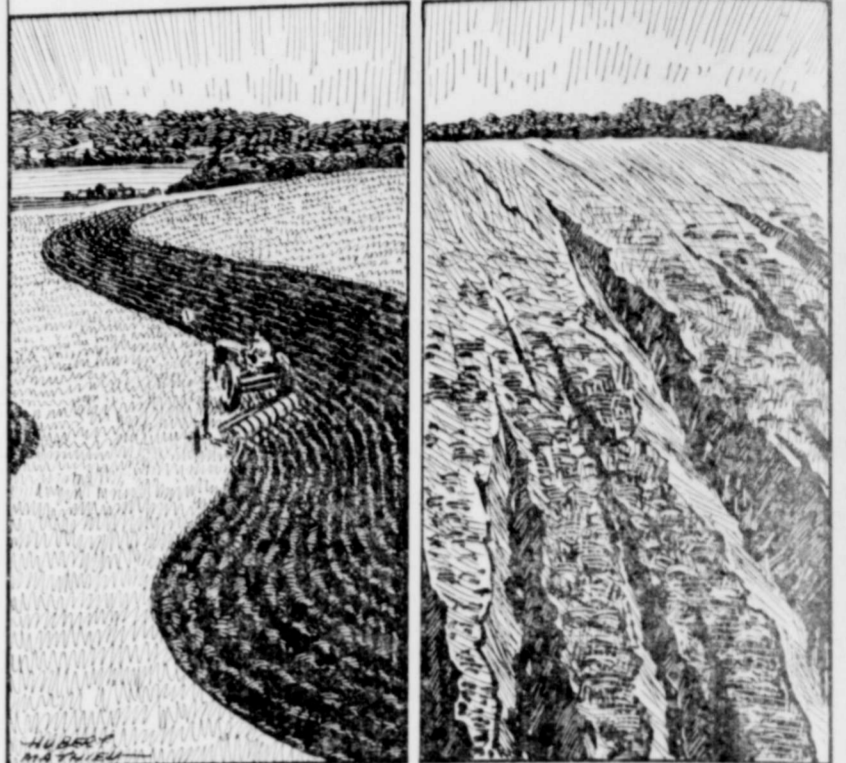
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 By R. H. Emery, Deputy

OUR DEMOCRACY — by Mat

TOP-SOIL

EVERY FARMER KNOWS THAT TO KEEP HIS FARM PRODUCING OVER THE YEARS HE HAS CONTINUOUSLY TO BUILD AND CONSERVE TOP-SOIL VALUES AND TO GUARD AGAINST EROSION.



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GUARD AGAINST THE "EROSION" OF WASTEFUL SPENDING.

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 That by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Sterling County, on the 1st day of June 1945, by W. W. Durham, Clerk of said Court for the sum of One Hundred Twenty - six and 68-100 (\$126.68) and costs of suit, under a Judgment, in favor of THE STATE OF TEXAS in a certain cause in said Court, No. 466 and styled THE STATE OF TEXAS vs. The unknown heirs of Anastacio Ledesma, deceased, et al, placed in my hands for service, I, V. E. Davis, as Sheriff of Sterling County, Texas, did, on the 2nd day of June 1945, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Sterling County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Lot No. 14, Block No. 20, Sterling City Original, and levied upon as the property of The unknown heirs of Anastacio Ledesma, deceased, and unknown owners of above described property, and that on the first Tuesday in August 1945, the same being the 7th day of said month, at the Court House door of Sterling County, in the City of Sterling City, Texas, between the hours of ten a. m. and 4 p. m. by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of those above named.

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Gene Autry

Sunday, Monday, Tuesday
 July 1, 2 & 3

'To Have and Have Not'

Humphrey Bogart-Lauren Bacall

Wednesday & Thursday
 July 4 & 5

'Here Come the Waves'

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Jane Withers - Paul Kelly

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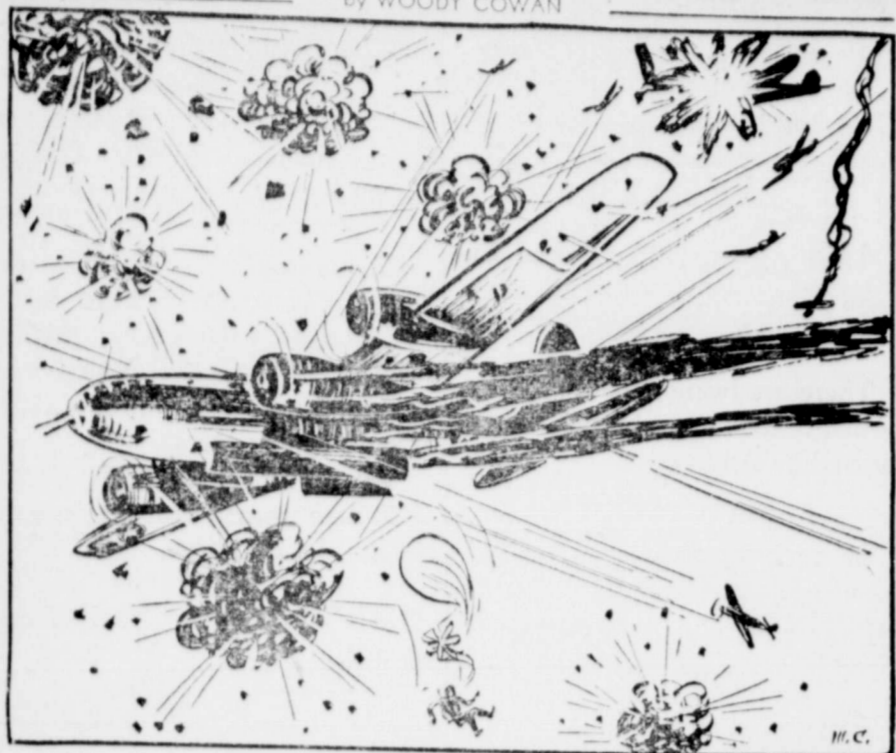
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U. S. Treasury Department

North Concho River Soil Conservation District News

Board of Supervisors:
Zach Jones, Chairman
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Foster S. Price, Secretary
J. R. Mims, Supervisor
J. W. Cox, Supervisor

Range and engineering surveys have been completed on Rufus Foster's ranch south of Sterling City. This information will be used by Foster in the preparation of his conservation plan.

The diversion terrace immediately above Roy Foster's field on which terraces have been enlarged is also being enlarged and extended to offer greater protection to the terraces on the cultivated field. The extension of this diversion will also flood irrigate approximately 30 acres of range land.

To give additional protection to

his terraced field and to utilize run-off water for growing range grasses Roy Foster is constructing a water spreading system in his pasture 3/4 mile above the field to distribute runoff water from 265 acres over 130 acres of range land. "It is expected that this system will add approximately 1.5 inches of additional water to the irrigated area annually" stated H. M. Kautz, Soil Conservation Service Engineer.

Sadie Mae Wallace returned to Dallas Saturday with her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Wallace. Sadie Mae plans to spend the remainder of the summer there.

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Squibs

He who does only what he is hired is a slave.

He who does more than he is hired to do is his own master.

Don't marry on Sunday. It's unlucky to gamble on the Sabbath.

Too many mothers are not on spanking terms with their children.

A good speech has a good beginning and a good ending, close together.

Be true to your teeth and they won't be false to you.

Most women are shy about telling their ages -- several years shy.

The four stages of sickness are: Ill, pill, bill, will.

How times change. Time was when women had to lift their skirts to cross the street. Now they have to hold them down.

It's not the square miles, but the square people, that make the nation.

Those who censure the modern bathing suit have scant reason for doing so.

What you tell a woman goes in one ear and out over the back fence.

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What's Doing in the Churches

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Ed. H. Lovelace, Pastor
Church School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 11 A. M.
Evening Worship 9:00 union service at the Tabernacle, Rev. B. B. Hestir preaching.
8:00 P. M. U of L Study
Recreation and Fellowship immediately after evening service.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
A. A. Berryman, Minister
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Service 11:00
Evening Service 9:00 at the tabernacle.
Ladies Bible Class Tuesday 4:00 P. M.
Choir Practice and Young People's meeting Wednesday 8:45 P. M.

BAPTIST CHURCH
W. J. McCawley, Pastor
Morning Services
Sunday School 10:00
Preaching Service 11:00
Evening Service 9:00 at the tabernacle.
Prayer and Bible study Wednesday 9:00 P. M.
Business and Social meeting on 1st Tuesday of month 8:45 P. M.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
B. B. Hestir, Pastor
Church School 10:00 A. M. Clarence Mogford, Superintendent.
Morning Service 11:00
Evening Worship 8:45 at the tabernacle, the above pastor doing the preaching. A mixed quartet from Carlsbad will sing at this service.
The University of Life will also meet at the Tabernacle at the regular time.

University of Life

Mrs. E. H. Lovelace led the study last Sunday evening in the absence of Mrs. Tommie Johnson. Mrs. G. H. Cannon and Mrs. John Walraven were hostesses for refreshments last Sunday evening. Study group next Sunday at 8:00 p. m. at the tabernacle. Chapel Service 9:00 p. m. Fellowship following the Chapel Service.

In 1944 more babies were delivered at Baylor Hospital, Dallas, than in the giant Bellview Hospital, New York.

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One thing that can be said for the automobile is that it virtually stopped horse stealing.

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There is no standard size and weight for a bar of silver. However, it generally approximates the size of an ordinary building brick.

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It has been calculated that a fly makes 330 wing strokes a second; a bee 240; a wasp; a dragonfly 28; and a butterfly 8.

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The average bee hive yields about 17 pounds of honey a year.

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Glenn H. Curtiss was issued the first license as an air pilot in America. The date was June 8, 1911.

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I- McAllen, Texas, a firm is making livestock feed from waste citrus peel.

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The Dupont Company has under construction at Orange, Texas, a \$20,000,000 Nylon plant.

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U. S. WAR BONDS
MEAN
The AMERICAN WAY OF LIFE
BUY THEM HOLD THEM

There were only 4,000 newspapers and magazines in the world 100 years ago. Today there are 94,000.

Thirty-six of the United States' 57 carbon black plants are located in the Texas Panhandle.

Thin Air-Mail Paper and Envelopes at the News-Record.

There are twenty base prisoner-of-war and twenty branch camps located in Texas.

On a mountainside on a jungle trail in Burma is a sign: "Texas 11,871 miles" erected by a Dallasite

Adding machine paper at the News-Record.

The average person will drink 90 bottles of soft drinks per year.

A turkey has 3860 feathers.

Sears, Roebuck & Co. began as a mail order watch business.

Frank Winfield Woolworth was the founder of the ten cent store (February 1879).

Air Mail Packets; 40 sheets of paper. Envelopes. 40c at the News-Record.

Prior to the death of Charles VIII of France, in 1498, widows wore white as mourning. His queen, Anne, changed the custom when she clothed herself in black.

In China the mourning color is white; in early Egypt it was yellow; Ethiopia, brown; Turkey, violet.

The custom of presenting the keys of a city goes back to medieval times, when every fortified town in Europe was surrounded by walls and people could only enter or leave by the gates.

Chinese women bear an average of nine children each.

CARBON PAPER at the News Record.

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