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Mrs. R. N. Hodges Dead

Funeral services were held here Tuesday afternoon in the Methodist Church for Mrs. R. N. Hodges, who died Sunday in Big Spring.

Rev. Ed. H. Lovelace officiated and Nalle and Lowe Funeral Directors were in charge. Interment was in Foster cemetery.

Pallbearers were C. C. Ainsworth, R. P. Ainsworth, Lawrence, O. Lie Carper, John Ward and Fred Hodges.

Mrs. Hodges was survived by three sisters - Mrs. Gid Ainsworth and Mrs. A. C. Carper of Sterling and Mrs. Don Caldwell of Mexia; and three brothers, J. F., Jim and John Drennan, all of Texas; two sons, Robert of Big Spring and Allen of Littlefield, and two grandchildren.

Both Hall Boys Are Discharged

S-Sgt. Dale Hall and 1st Lt. Jimmie D. Hall, sons of the D. Halls, were discharged from the army last week at Fort Bliss.

Dale, a flying gunner, saw action in the European theatre of war. In the Air Forces three years and nine months, he holds two Air Medals and a presidential citation. Jimmy, with the Army Engineers, saw action in the Pacific, winding up in Japan proper. He was in the Army for five years and six months. He holds the Purple Heart with one Oak Leaf cluster and a presidential citation. His wife and baby joined him here.

Dale said both of them planned to go to college, perhaps the University of Texas, soon.

Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis McDowell of Alzada, Montana visited Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pearson here last week. Mr. McDowell is a nephew of Mr. Pearson.

W. Y. Bengé and A. C. Pearson attended the Ray Hargis funeral in Paint Rock last Sunday.

Mrs. Lee Hunt was called to Brownwood this week due to the illness of her sister.

The J. M. Starrs visited Mrs. Starr's brother, Louis Heinemann and Mrs. Heinemann in Olden and Mr. Starr's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Starr in Cisco last week.

All canning sugar coupons become invalid today, Nov. 30, said Halline Gibbs, local ration board clerk.

All ladies making Red Cross shirts please turn them in at the beauty shop by Saturday as they have to be in San Angelo by Monday.

Mildred Emery

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hagerty went to McCamey Sunday. Homer, a former employee of the T. & P. Oil Co of McCamey plans to return to work there soon. Mrs. Hagerty has been deputy clerk and abstractor in the Durham Abstract office here while her husband was in the Navy.

Walter King Buys Blakeney Downs

Walter King, Sterling rancher, has purchased Blakeney Downs, the old Henshaw Polo Field, six miles south of San Angelo from Joe Blakeney for \$35,000.00. The deal was closed last week, and King is to get possession January 1st.

Blakeney bought the Downs property, consisting of 134.8 acres and highly improved, Jan. 1, 1941 from the West Texas Utilities Co.

The new owner plans to construct a grandstand, build a rodeo arena, and improve the race track, one of the best in West Texas. He plans to board and train horses for polo, racing and saddle riding.

The farm has a horse barn, now occupied by 12,000 bags of government owned wool, has 78 stalls and is 88 by 300 feet, making it possibly the largest barn of its kind in West Texas. Outside of the big barn there are 48 shed stalls, a residence and other improvements.

University of Life

The University of Life met at the Methodist Church last Sunday for the discussion. Rev. Ed. H. Lovelace brought the lesson and message following.

Recreation was held in the basement of the church. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Earl Bailey and Mrs. Lester Foster.

Those present were Norvin Wayne Brown, Betty Jane Donaldson, Bob Ivy, Carolyn Foster, Peggy Hinshaw, Edith Fowler, Gene Fowler, Ruby Langford, Trinebeth Reed, Jacqueline Everitt, Billy Vern Davis, Clarence Daves, J. D. Fowler, Jimmie and Billy Findt, Bobby King, Billy Lee Smith, and Martha Jo Dobson of Ballinger.

Capt. Roy T. Foster, Jr. is now on terminal leave from the Army and will receive his discharge when his terminal leave is up. Capt. Foster, a reserve officer, served with the Army in the European War.

Mrs. Tommie Johnson left early Wednesday morning to meet her husband, ex-SeeBee Tommie Johnson, who has just been released from the Navy. They plan to be gone a week.

Frances Hennigan left Wednesday morning to meet her husband, Harvey Hennigan, just discharged from the Army. Sgt. Hennigan saw service in the European War.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fowler attended the funeral services for Mrs. Fowler's father, J. W. Baker, 92, near Rising Star Monday. Mr. Baker died Sunday and burial was in the Community Cemetery near Rising Star Monday.

Mrs. Homer Pearce and Mrs. Tommie Johnson attended a gift tea in Abilene last Friday honoring Miss Mary Ellen Fry, who will be married early in December to Capt. Homer Pearce, Jr.

Lions Club

Robert Berryman and Dale Hall were guests at the Lions Club luncheon Wednesday. The prize went to Dale Hall.

The club voted to ask the Veterans Service Officer from San Angelo to visit the club and explain the G. I. bill of rights. The Sister Kenny Paralysis Drive and a Veterans Counseling Committee were discussed.

Scouters Meeting

The district chairmen of the North Concho Valley Boy Scout District met at the Methodist church Monday night. The executives discussed problems and business and were served supper.

A Court of Honor followed the business meeting and two Garden City Scouts received awards.

The George McEntires visited in Dallas last week.

Mrs. O. D. Worthy of Fort Stockton visited Mrs. Lee Augustine here last week-end.

Mrs. William Foster visited her friend Miss Danny Hargrave in Lubbock last week-end.

William and Bubba Foster went to Fort Davis last week on a hunting trip and killed a deer each.

SEEN IN STERLING

A Negro working out a jail sentence cleaning up the courthouse lawn. . . . The stores now featuring Christmas merchandise. . . . Orrie Deal and Doc Swann cleaning up the east side-walk of the drug store. . . . John Brock home, discharged from the Sea Bees. . . . Roland Lowe drinking a coke then taking one to Sue Nelson at the store. . . . Henry Batjer, manager of West Texas Utilities Co., out from San Angelo. . . . J. T. Conger standing in front of Bengé's in the early morning, waiting for the store to be opened. . . .

TRIBUTE TO SERVICE WOMEN



Official Navy Photo
SCULPTOR IN WAVES. Lt. Comdr. Frances Rich, daughter of screen star Irene Rich, gave up career in art to help win the war. The Santa Barbara, Calif., girl became special assistant WR director. Buy Victory Bonds, she urges.
U. S. Treasury Department

Roland Smith has received his discharge papers from the Army, and is now enjoying that "furlough" that he has been looking forward to so long.



Liquid Air Demonstration December 4

Liquid Air Demonstrations to be given here Tuesday, December 4th. John Sloan will present a program of Liquid Air demonstrations in the Sterling City High School auditorium at 3:00 p. m. according to an announcement by O. T. Jones.

Probably no product of the laboratory lends itself to more spectacular demonstrations than liquid air. It piques the curiosity, not only of the student, but of the technician as well. It definitely suggests unexplored fields in the sciences.

It is possible to perform many strange and fascinating experiments with liquid air, as ordinary materials manifest peculiar properties when cooled to this low temperature. For example, if a rubber ball is immersed in liquid air and dropped on the floor, it breaks into many pieces as if made of glass. In the same way a piece of meat, grapes, or any substance containing water becomes as hard as iron and very brittle.

Liquid air will freeze a banana so hard it can be used to drive nails into a plank. Even alcohol, a liquid once thought impossible to congeal, freezes solid in liquid air. Many other novel experiments will be demonstrated.

Joe Barton shipped 5 cars of lambs to Wellington, Texas Tuesday. Jeff Davis shipped 1 car of lambs to Kansas City that day.

Last Sunday Sol Weatherby shipped one car of Bill Atkinson's calves to Fort Worth.

Will Meyer has been on the sick list this week.

The Nick Reeds and Carolyn Foster went to the Texas-A.&M. football game Thursday.

Will Meyer, local butcher bought 6 hogs and 2 calves in Angelo last Friday.

Col. and Mrs. Joel F. Watson of San Francisco, California are visiting in the home of Mrs. Henry Malloy. Mrs. Watson is a sister of the late Henry Malloy.

Otto Thiers, Jr., a veteran of 19 months in Germany, has been discharged at Camp Fannin after 2 years of service.

Thiers landed on D-Day in France and fought with the 90th Infantry. A former S-Sergeant, he holds the ETO Ribbon with 5 Bronze Stars, the Bronze Star with Oak Leaf Cluster, and the Purple Heart with Oak Leaf Cluster.

Robertson to Sell Out

Miss Ruby Pool of Dallas visited her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Robertson, here last week. Mr. Robertson went to Shady Grove for the week-end on business. He used to run a grocery store there before the war and is planning to move back there. He has bought his old store back and will close this one here.

Methodist Barbecue Supper

A barbecue supper, for all members and their families of the Sterling City and Moon Chapel Methodist Churches, will be served this evening at 7:00 o'clock in the Sterling Church.

The supper is in honor of the women from the two churches and will be prepared and served by a committee of men. The planning committee is composed of Dr. W. J. Swann, chairman, and Herbert Cope, Herman Garlington and Webb Hudson.

The First Quarterly Conference will be held during the program and members of the Quarterly Conference from the Water Valley Church will also be present for the dinner.

The H.M. Carters spent Thanksgiving in Stephenville visiting both parents. Herman's sister and her husband, the Robert Halberts, brought them home Sunday.

Marine Pvt. Harry Gann, son of the George Ganns, has received his discharge from the U. S. Marines and is now here with his parents. Harry was wounded on Okinawa and flown to the Marine hospital in Norman, Oklahoma for treatment. His discharge followed several months of treatment at the hospital.

Cutter Davis went to the colt auction Monday sponsored by the Tom Green County Sheriff's Posse - held in San Angelo. Cutter said it was the most "comic" auction he'd ever attended - all breeders and no buyers.

The first native son to become Governor of Texas was James Stephen Hogg born at Rusk, Texas.

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A MILLION DOLLARS worth of gold is used yearly at Western Electric Company's Chicago plant in plating piece-parts like these modeled by Carole Palma. In her hair Carole is wearing goldplated braid used in war equipment, while her "ring" and her "earrings" are important parts in electronic and communication devices. Gold plating is most frequently used on contact surfaces because of its conductivity of high frequency currents.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roland Lowe and Sue, Mrs. R. L. Lowe of Dallas and Mrs. E. D. Criddle of Corsicana spent Thanksgiving in Colorado City with Roland's sister and family, the E. H. Richardsons.

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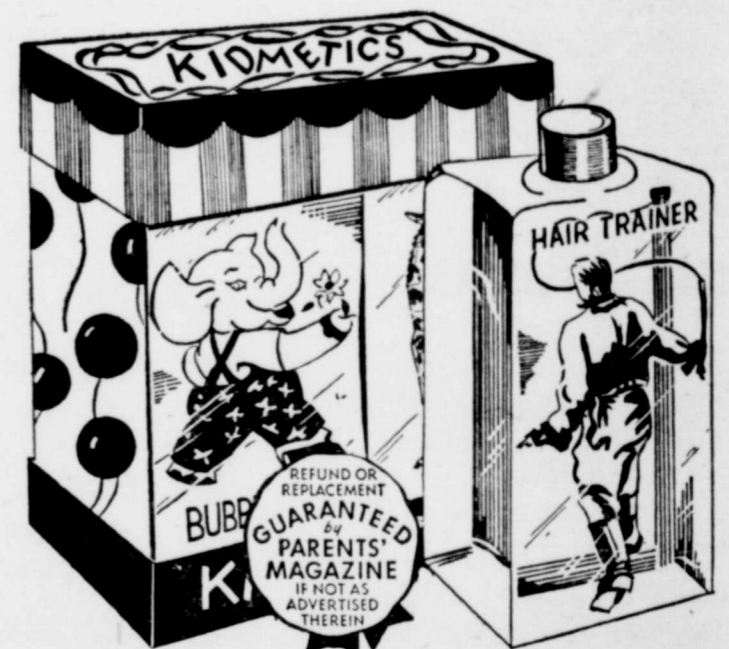
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Local Items

Lt. Robert Berryman, son of Bro. and Mrs. A. A. Berryman, has been discharged from the U.S. Air Forces, and is now home here with his parents.

My home is for sale. Mrs. A Rutherford.

R. P. Brown, local Texaco consignee, went before the Railroad Commission in Austin last week in the interest of the Texas Truck Transport Co. of Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Claude Collins and her little daughter, Claudia, are visiting in Oklahoma City this week.

LOST - Stewpan - Monday between my house and Methodist Church. Mrs. D. P. Glass.

Sgt. Joe Davis, husband of the former Nan Emery, rejoined his wife and baby here Monday after being discharged from the Army. He served in the European War.

Jean Durham has gone to Alva, Oklahoma to report to work with Robert H. Ray, Inc., doing gravity meter survey work.

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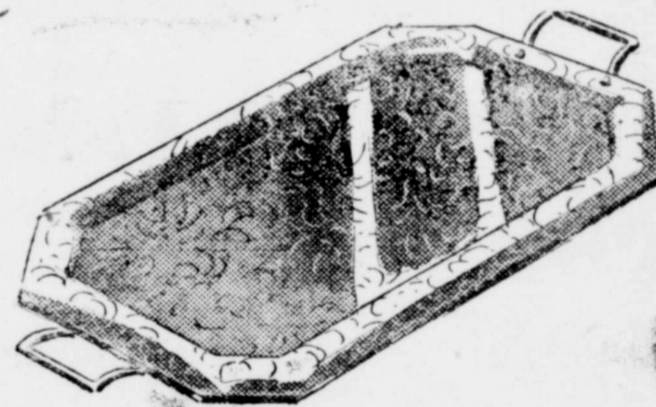
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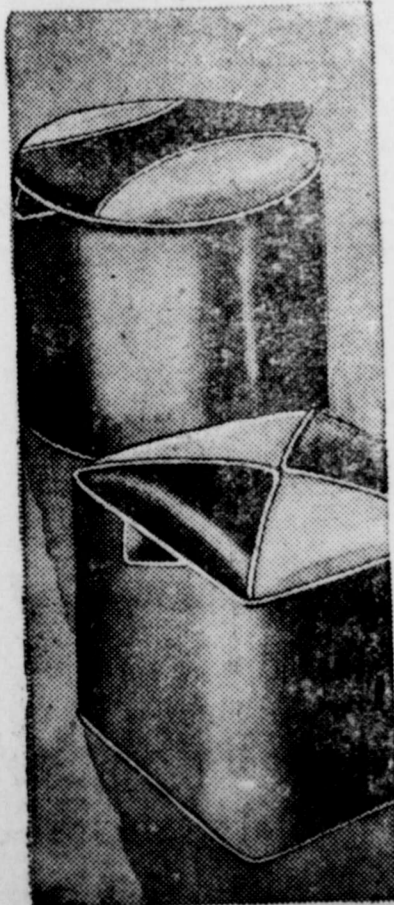
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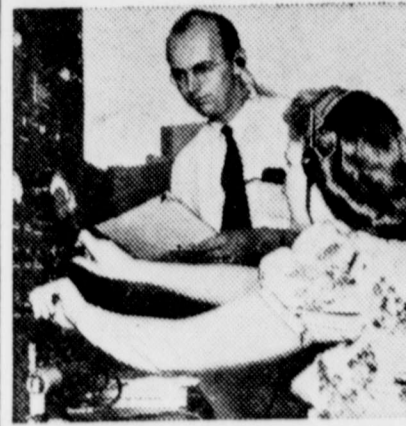
C. H. DAVIS

IN AIDING OTHERS HE AIDS HIMSELF

To big Ed Landwehr the job of making aids for the hard of hearing is about like a chef tasting his own broth. Ed has known the confusion of partial deafness since early childhood and now, as electrical test engineer at Western Electric Company's Clifton, N. J., Plant, he helps to manufacture the very type of hearing aid that came to his own assistance.

While still attending Northeastern University, from which he graduated with a degree in electrical engineering, Ed spent his summer vacations working as a waiter and bartender in his father's restaurant in New Britain, Conn. Because of his impaired hearing, particularly in the noisy hubbub of a busy restaurant, he found he was garbling orders. As Ed says, with a smile, "If a man asked for tomato soup and got potato salad, and later expected spaghetti and found spinach on his plate, his language grew somewhat abusive. I could hear the abuse and so did too many others in the room." Several such experiences convinced him he needed a hearing aid, which he promptly procured.

Not long out of college, Ed applied for an engineering position



"OK! That's got it." Ed Landwehr, Electrical Test Engineer at the Western Electric Plant in Clifton, New Jersey, himself a wearer of a Hearing Aid, tests a Hearing Aid on a Receiver Efficiency Test Set operated by Dorothy Vanderwall.

at Western Electric and eventually was placed in the Clifton plant. Although much of his effort was spent on engineering certain testing equipment for electronic war weapons, part of his job is the design of equipment to test hearing aids during manufacture and before they are shipped. Knowing the handicap of impaired hearing, Ed gets a lot of pleasure out of his work, which brings better hearing to thousands like himself.



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Listening Stick Bows To Progress

Today the "listening stick," like the bustle, the mustache cup and the rubber collar is only a museum piece, but there are many oldtime telegraphers who recall pleasantly the days when it was the magic wand, the mahogany baton that marked their trade.



The gentle tick of a pocket watch, when conducted to the ear through a listening stick, can be heard even in a noisy room. This ability to single out sound made the listening stick an important tool to old-time telegraph repeater attendants.

The listening stick was an ingenious but simple device designed by Bell System engineers and made by Western Electric early in the 1900's to aid the telegraph room attendant of the day. And that harried guy needed help. Often hundreds of telegraph instruments, spread on tables in one small room, clattered away simultaneously. Attendants shouted orders back and forth above the din. In this babel of electrical and human voices, even an expert technician had difficulty reaching across a table to pick out one electrical voice from the many. The listening stick did the trick.

Made of finest mahogany, the listening stick is about two feet long and five eighths of an inch thick. It operated much like a doctor's stethoscope. The telegrapher would place one end of the stick containing a hollow wooden earpiece to his ear and the other end against the frame of the instrument. The sound, moving by conduction through the closely knit fibres of the mahogany, focused at his ear. As a doctor judges the regularity of heart beats, the telegraph man determined the clarity of dots and dashes coming through. He could detect any flaws in the adjustment of the instrument and concentrate on one circuit at a time.

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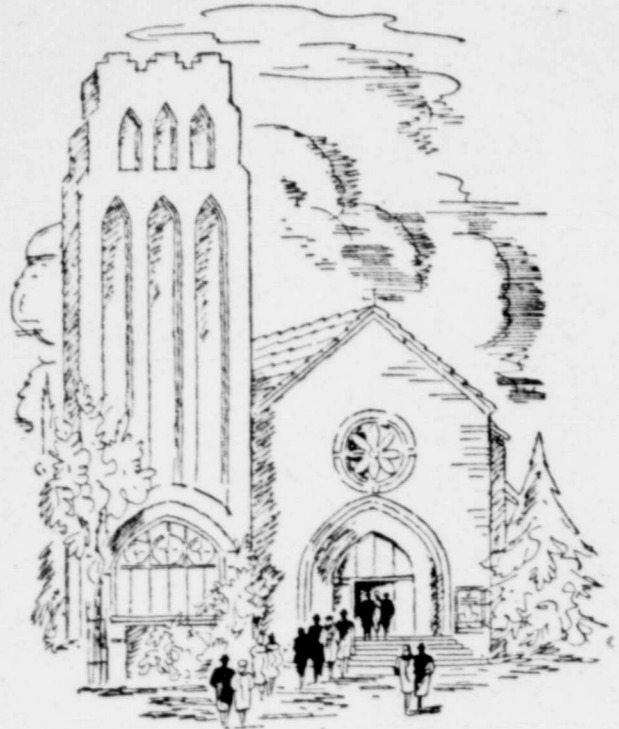
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Sunday School 10:00
Evening Service 7:15
Prayer and Bible study Wednesday 7:30 P. M.
Business and Social meeting on 1st Tuesday of month 7:00 P. M.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
A. A. Berryman, Minister
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Service 11:00
Evening Service 7:00
Ladies Bible Class Tuesday 4:00 P. M.
Choir Practice and Young People's meeting Wednesday 7:00 P.M.
Social every third Wednesday night at 7:00

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
B. B. Hestir, Pastor
Church School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00
Evening Program
The University of Life 6:30
Church Service 7:15, Rev. B. B. Hestir preaching
Recreation and fellowship 8:15 at Methodist Church.

METHODIST CHURCH
Ed. H. Lovelace, Pastor
Church School 10:00 A. M.
Morning worship 11:00
Evening Program
6:30 P. M. U of L Study
Evening Service 7:15, Rev. B. B. Hestir preaching
Recreation and Fellowship 8:15

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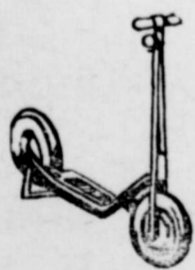
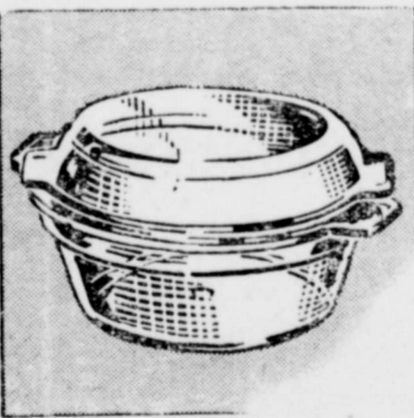
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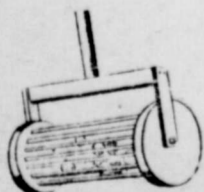
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Girl Scout Party Local Items

The Girl Scouts had a Thanksgiving party last Friday night at 7:00 p. m. Chocolate and cookies were served and games were played.

Present were Courtenay Skeete, Fern Garrett, La Verne King, Carolyn Bengé, Rieta Fay Reed, Dorothy Sue Lowe, Elizabeth Hildebrand, Mary Elizabeth Davis, Jennie Ruth Davis, Billy Ralph Bynum, Pascal Brown, Elroy Butler, Leroy Butler, Billy Roland Conger, David Criddle, Clinton Hodges, Mac Bengé, Jeane Clare Lee, and Mr. and Mrs. Farnsworth. Mrs. Farnsworth is the new leader for the Intermediate Girl Scouts.

Corporal Eugene Blackburn, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Blackburn, has been discharged from the Army. Seeing service in the Pacific theatre, Cpl. Blackburn received his discharge on November 23 and is now home here in Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Collins of Sonora were visitors here at the Claud Collinses last week-end.

Hugh Phillips, son of Mrs. Minta Phillips, visited here Thanksgiving. He, an employee of Humble Oil Co. of McCamey, was accompanied by a friend, James Handley.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gayle, Jr. of Big Spring on November 20. The baby weighed 7 pounds. The grandparents are Mrs. J. S. Cotten of Sterling City and Mrs. W. H. Gayle of Big Spring.

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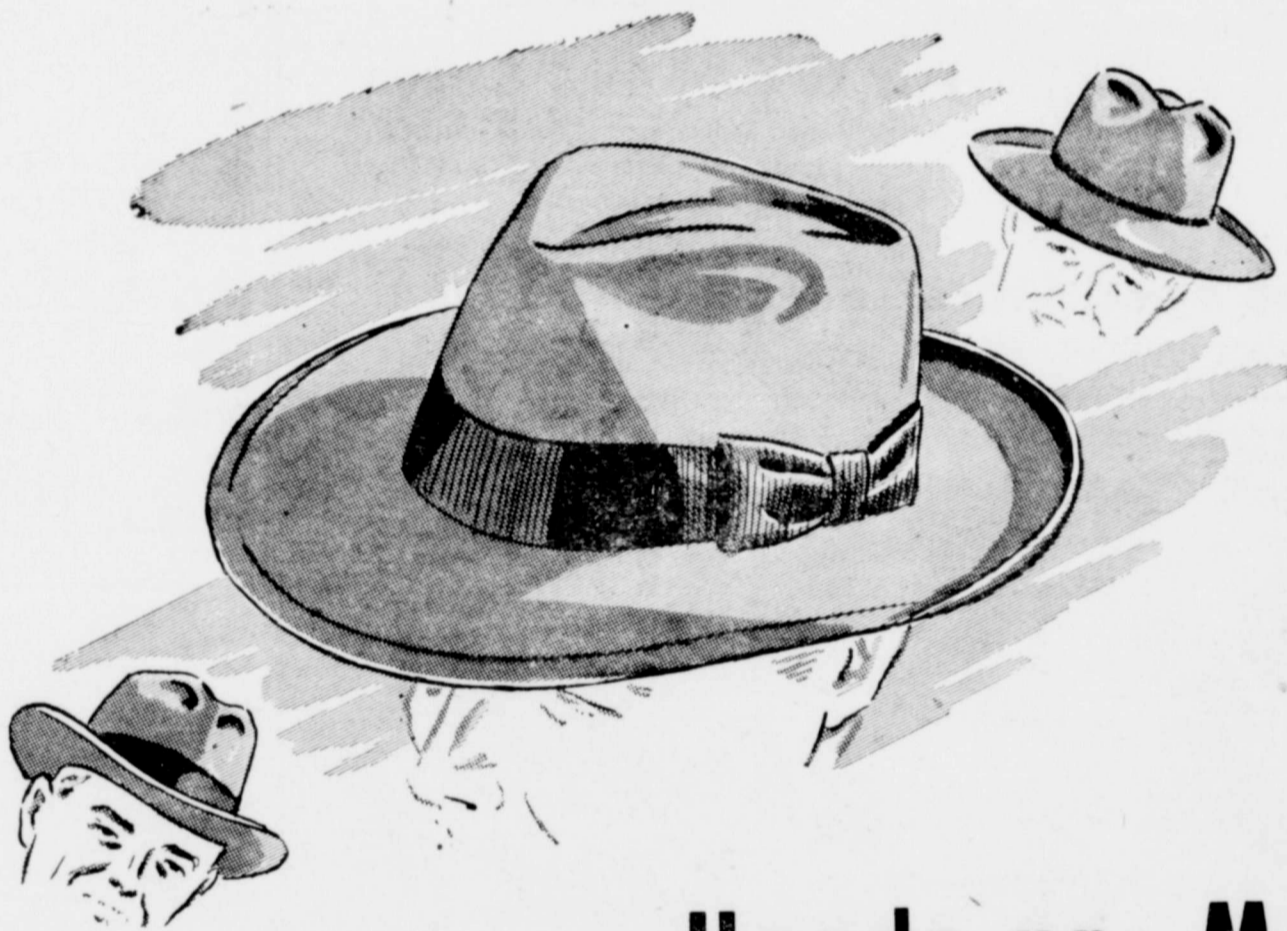
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