

# STERLING CITY NEWS-RECORD

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## PLYMOUTH BEGINS NEW OIL TEST

Cellar and pits were being dug Wednesday and rotary moved in for the drilling of Plymouth Oil Co. No. 1 Mrs. Willie Mae Foster in north central Sterling County, scheduled to drill 9,000 feet if necessary to explore the Ellenburger. No. 1 Foster will be 2,951 feet southwest of Plymouth No. 1 Mrs. Georgia Frost, which was installing a pump for an attempt to develop discovery Ellenburger production through casing perforations at 8,358-63 feet. Guy Mabee Drilling Co. of Midland, which drilled No. 1 Foster, has the contract on No. 1 Foster, which is in the C NW NW 56-2-H&TC. No. 1 Frost is in the C NAW SW 39-2-H&TC 11 1/2 miles north and slightly west of Sterling City. The last report of oil being swabbed the No. 1 Frost tested approximately 3 1/2 barrels of oil and three barrels of water hourly through casing perforations at 8,358-63 feet.

## Sesame Club Studies Texas Emblems

"Official Emblems of Texas" was the topic for discussion when the Sesame Club met Tuesday at the County Library with Mrs. Lura McClellan as hostess. Mrs. Frank Cole gave a discussion on the "State Flower and Tree." "The State Song and Bird" was given by Mrs. W. R. Hudson. Mrs. Kenneth Garms discussed "The Texas Seal and Motto." Present at the meeting were Mrs. Ralph Bynum, Mrs. Frank Cole, Mrs. Minta Phillips, Mrs. Herman Garlington, Mrs. Kenneth Garms, Mrs. W. R. Hudson, Mrs. A. T. Bratton, Mrs. George Case, Mrs. H. A. Chapple, Mrs. Lura McClellan, and Mrs. Ruth Allen.

## NEW EQUIPMENT AT HEFLEY MOTOR COMPANY

Among the up-to-date equipment installed at the Hefley Motor Co., this week was a new wheel alignment set-up and a new wheel balancing machine. These two new units added this week increase the modernization of the service department of the company. A factory man helped the local force install the new machines.

## MRS. FRANK McCABE DIES WEDNESDAY

SISTER OF MRS. W. J. SWANN

Mrs. Frank McCabe, 56, of Robert Lee, died in a San Angelo hospital early Wednesday morning after an illness of two years. Funeral services were held from the First Church in Robert Lee Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The Rev. Fred D. Blake, pastor, officiated, and burial was in Mitchell County with the Clift Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Paul Good, B. A. Austin, T. A. Richardson, J. C. Snead, Jr., Milton Wylie, Buck Ivey, Marvin Stewart, all of Robert Lee, and Clint Duncan of Bronte. Mrs. McCabe, born Dec. 27, 1890, in Milam County, moved to Coke County with her parents in 1900, and had lived there since. She was a graduate of Bronte high school and before her marriage was a teacher in the Divide School.

Frank McCabe, member of a pioneer Coke County family, and Mrs. McCabe, who was the former Miss Fern Chumley, were married Oct. 20, 1912. Both the Chumley and McCabe families are well known in this section.

Survivors include the husband; three sons, Victor and Wayne McCabe, both of Sanco, and J. F. McCabe, Jr., of Robert Lee; three grandchildren, Truett, Vickie and Charlotte Wayne McCabe; the father, S. H. Chumley of Bronte; three brothers, Mark Chumley, Robert Lee; Craig Chumley, San Angelo; and Sam Chumley of Big Lake; and three sisters, Mrs. R. E. Lee, of Big Spring, Mrs. W. J. Swann of Sterling City, and Mrs. James A. Crossland of Gulfport, Miss.

## Tailoring Representative At Baileys Monday And Tuesday

Clinton Hoyt of the Globe Tailoring Co. will be at Bailey Bros store on Monday and Tuesday, October 20 and 21. Mr. Hoyt, expert measurement man for the company will take orders for made-to-measure suits those two days, said S. M. Bailey, owner, this week. So, if you want a real made-to-measure suit for the season, drop in at Baileys for measurement next Monday or Tuesday.

## J. L. GLASS, 86, DIES LAST SATURDAY

J. L. Glass, 86, a charter member of the Presbyterian Church here and for 35 years a school board member, died in a San Angelo hospital at 1 o'clock Saturday morning. He and his wife, the former Mattie Matilda Kellis, would have observed their golden wedding anniversary had he lived until Dec. 23 of this year.

Mr. Glass rode the range set off by San Angelo, Pecos, the Davis Mountains and Devil's River the first five years after he came to San Angelo in 1883, the year after the Ben Ficklin flood. Then he took a lease in Sterling County and his family had resided here since.

The funeral services were conducted from the First Methodist Church here Sunday evening at 9 o'clock with the Rev. B. B. Hestir pastor of the local Presbyterian Church and the Rev. B. O. Wood of San Angelo assisting. Burial was in Montvale Cemetery. Lowe Funeral Directors were in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Aaron Clark, H. M. Knight, W. B. Allen, O. T. Jones, W. W. Durham, Rufus Foster, Henton Emery, and Fowler McEntire.

Honorary pallbearers named were N. A. Austin, Joel R. Barton, Dr. F. T. McEntire, Robert Raphael and Ira Ratliff, all of San Angelo; W. M. Key of Odessa; J. S. Cole, Claude Collins, W. B. Atkinson, the Rev. Malcom Black, W. L. Foster, C. C. Reynolds, John Reed, Orb Pearson, George McEntire, W. Y. Benge, D. C. Durham, Dr. W. J. Swann, J. T. Davis, and H. L. Pearce, all of Sterling City.

Survivors include the widow, six children, 11 grandchildren, three great-grandchildren and two brothers. The children are Frank, Harvey and David of Sterling City, Dr. R. E. Glass of San Angelo, Mrs. W. E. Grigsby of Sanderson, and Mrs. S. M. Ray of Belton. The brothers are D. P. Glass of Sterling City and Weber Glass of Connelly Springs, N. C., the old family home.

Mr. Glass was the third of five brothers and five sisters born to the late James Dysart Glass and Henrietta Johnson Glass. He was born June 28, 1861, and his life was that of an average farm youth with an ambition to be a cowboy. Strangely he never saw a range cow until he was 22 years old. Mr. Glass came to San Angelo in 1883 to become a cowpoke. He came by train as far as Abilene and rode the stagecoach from there in a blinding blizzard and snowstorm. The stage changed horses every 15 San Angelo then consisted of the miles, old Nimitz Hotel, then on the site of the present Naylor, Fort Concho, a general store and a few saloons. A brother, Frank, had preceded him to San Angelo in 1877 and was working in the Sonora country at the time.

Mr. Glass got a job driving a wagon and hauling grub and changing camps for the old Half Circle Six Ranch, a sheep outfit at the head of Dove Creek. Then he took a job with the old Joe Ellis Rocking Chair Ranch and by his first fall here had saved enough to get a horse. Frank, having acquired a new saddle, sent his old one to J. L. and his dream of becoming a cowboy had become true. He then joined the Duke and Hiler ranch crew, then on the site of the present Broome ranch on the North Concho. When these two men separated, Mr. Glass continued on with the Hiler crew going into the Presidio country. He was a line rider along the Pecos many times. When Peacock Brothers of the Half Circle S went bankrupt he took up four sections of land on Lacy Creek.

Mr. Glass often recalled that he was among the first to learn the art of spaying heifers, a practice adopted by many because spayed heifers got sleek and fat, though never quite so large as steers. This practice made it possible to market heifers on the open range. A medical doctor, brought to the Half Circle S ranch, taught Mr. Glass the art and thereafter he did the work for the cattlemen of that area.

Joe Hansen and Mr. Glass as cowhands for the Half Circle S had been privileged to run a free herd of cattle not exceeding 100 head. They established their partnership brand, the AH Triangle. They divided their cattle in 1890 and Mr. Glass homesteaded four sections, and the Glass brand became J. L., the brand that has become J. L. (Continued on Back Page)

## "Covering the County"

By Byron W. Frierson, Sterling County Agent

Joe Lemly, Veteran Coordinator of San Angelo College, has in formed me that the Veterans class is ready to start here in Sterling as soon as an instructor is hired. Announcement of an opening date will be made as soon as a suitable instructor is secured.

Sleeping sickness among horses reached the epidemic stage recently in Louisiana. Official reports list 3,713 cases in that state. Fifty-two cases have been reported in Texas so far. Vaccination is still advisable as the disease is likely to continue until cold weather sets in.

The next meeting of the Sterling County 4-H Club will be held at 9 a. m. Tuesday, October 21. The club members will meet at the county agent's office, and from there will go to the country for a practical demonstration. The meeting will continue until noon. 4-H club members and parents, please take note of the following: Superintendent Jones has agreed that club members will be released from school to attend 4-H club meetings once each month provided they have a written note from their parents agreeing to their participation in 4-H club work. All boys are eligible to participate who are from 10 to 21 years of age.

I received word last week that millions of seedling trees are available from the Texas Forest Service at cost. The trees will be sold at cost of production for starting timber and fence post plantations and for windbreak purposes. They will not be sold for landscaping purposes. Types available for West Texas are red cedar, Arizona cypress, Russian Mulberry, green ash, thornless honey locust, desert willow, western yellow pines and pistacia. Cost is \$2.00 to \$3.00 per thousand F.O.B. the nursery. If you are interested in securing any of these seedlings for the above mentioned purposes, see me as soon as possible, or write the Texas Forest Service at College Station, Texas.

Try this the next time you have a "dogie" lamb or calf. Down in Limestone County there is a lady who says that a few drops of turpentine on the back of all calves orphans and natural calves alike, will cause the cow to be unable to distinguish her calf and will readily accept orphans. Sounds reasonable. Try it and let me know how it works.

The grain feeds are scarce and high. With this mind it is well to remember if you are feeding hogs for this winter meat supply, the bigger you grow the hogs, the more grain it takes per 100 pounds of gain. For each succeeding 100 pounds you put on a hog the more grain it takes. It takes less grain to feed three hogs to 200 pounds each than it does to feed two hogs to 300 pounds each.

Billy Humble put almost 5 pounds per lamb on his nine Rambouillet lambs in the first 24 days of their feeding period. Bill has a brand new lamb feeding pen and shed with a concrete water trough. Water flows into the trough constantly keeping the water clear and fresh.

Alfred Thieme Jr. was busy last Saturday getting his lamb pen all cleaned up. His lambs have gotten over their initial shrink and are beginning to gain right along.

## BUYS ARKANSAS FARM

Jake and Marvin Martin have bought a 331 acre stock farm near Harrison, Arkansas, and are planning to get possession of the place in the next few days. Jake has sold his home here to Miss Fannie Copeland, and is all packed up and ready to leave.

## FOOD SALE OCT. 25

The ladies of the Methodist Church will have a food sale on Oct. 25, in the office of the West Texas Utilities Co. here in Sterling City. The sale will begin at 10:30 a. m. announced Mrs. Roy Foster, this week.

## CARD OF THANKS

To our many friends who came to us in this the saddest hour of our lives, we wish to express our gratitude. The beautiful floral offering, the many expressions of sympathy and the deeds of kindness shall always be remembered with deepest appreciation. Mrs. J. L. Glass & Family.

## STERLING DEFEATS ACKERLY 14-6

In one of the best games of the season Friday night the Sterling Eagles beat the Ackerly Eagles on the home field by the score of 14-6. Sterling took the ball on the opening kick-off and made two successive first downs. Ackerly held and then in three tries Ackerly failed to gain and kicked to Sterling. Sterling took the ball and scored before the end of the first quarter. In the middle of the second quarter Sterling scored again with Smith driving over for his second touchdown. The half time score was 12-0. Ackerly threatened in the last part of the first half but Hudson intercepted a pass to end the first half.

Sterling kicked to Ackerly to start the second half. Sterling held them for three downs and then Ackerly kicked. Sterling took the ball and on successive plays drove to the two yard line to lose the ball on downs. Ackerly took the ball and the second play tried to kick out. Grosshan drove through and blocked the punt to send the ball sailing out the end zone to make the score 14-0.

After the kick to Sterling, Sterling fumbled and Rogers picked up the ball and drove to the 10 yard line. It took four plays to drive it over making the score 14-6.

Tweedle and Smith were outstanding for Sterling on offense and Baker and Grosshan stood out on the defense. It was one of the hardest tackling teams that Sterling has met all season. They were undefeated this season but not any more.

Keep up the fight, Sterling!

## STERLING EAGLES TO COURTNEY TODAY

The Eagles journey to Courtney Friday to meet the strong Courtney squad at 3:00 p. m. The defeated team will be eliminated from the conference race.

Coach Tillerson stated that his boys are in the best shape they've been in all season.

There were no injuries in the game last Friday night, and Sterling is out to win today.

Courtney has won over Garden City 47-0; Coahoma 12-6; and lost to Forsan 41-6.

## 4-H Club Meeting

The Sterling 4-H Club will meet Tuesday morning, October 21, at 9 o'clock in the County Agent's office. The club will engage in a grass study to be followed by a grass identification contest. Cash prizes will be awarded to those members making the highest scores in grass identification. All boys from 10 to 21 years of age are invited to attend this meeting.

## AUNT OF SETH AND EARL BAILEY DIES

Mrs. Sam Stanley of Clarksville, aunt of Seth and Earl Bailey of this city died at her home on Friday of last week. Burial services were held on Saturday at 4:00 p. m. there. Seth and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bailey attended the funeral services, returning home Sunday.

## HESTIR TO ARKANSAS ON TRIP

Rev. B. B. Hestir, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church here announced this week that he would be in Little Rock, Ark. on Sunday on a vacation trip, and there would be no preaching at the Presbyterian Church either time Sunday.

## New Texaco Station Building

R. P. Brown, local Texaco Consignee, is building a new service station just east of the present one immediately east of the Hefley Co. building.

Cost to "exceed \$12,000.00" the work on the new structure began this week. Brown will use the present station as an office and warehouse for his business.

C. H. and Billy Benton, operators of the present station, will occupy the new station.

## Opens Pipe and Machine Shop

V. Z. Donalson, brother of Horace and J. O. Donalson, arrived here last week and opened the Lowe Pipe & Machine Shop.

Charter No. 9813 Reserve District No. 11  
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1947. Published in Response to Call Made by the Comptroller  
of the Currency, Under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	891,619.04
United States Government obligations, direct and Guaranteed	822,224.67
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	113,900.00
Corporate stocks (including \$6,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	6,000.00
Loans and discounts (including \$6,553.89 overdrafts)	787,202.35
Bank premises owned \$2,500.00, furniture and fixtures \$1,000.00	3,500.00
Other assets	855.16
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>2,625,301.22</b>

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	2,385,308.65
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	1,499.83
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	8,718.76
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	3.24
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$2,395,530.48</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>2,395,530.48</b>

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock: (c) Common stock, total par \$60,000.00	60,000.00
Surplus	140,000.00
Undivided profits	29,770.74
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>229,770.74</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES and CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>2,625,301.22</b>

State of Texas, County of Sterling, ss:  
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**H. M. KNIGHT, Cashier.**

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(Seal) Notary Public

**CORRECT — ATTEST:**  
J. T. Davis  
W. L. Foster  
Claude Collins  
Directors.

**THE BODY USUALLY FOLLOWS**



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This great Parrish cartoon, published by The Chicago Tribune, illustrates graphically what is happening to the American Patent System. With its implications apparently little understood, the recently vetoed National Science Foundation bill would have set the stage for bureaucratic control, not only of scientific research but of the keystone of competitive industry—patents. Accumulation of vast patent pools, through subsidy agreements, would have placed in the hands of bungling bureaucrats life-or-death power over large segments of industry, dependent for existence on the American Patent System. National Patent Council warns that such an eventuality would reduce invention, jobs and our standard of living, making us easy prey to totalitarian aggression.

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**Be Patient About Your Baby's Growth**

IF YOU'RE concerned about how your baby is growing, just give him the best possible care and be patient, advises Beulah France in an article in Capper's Farmer, one of the leading farm magazines. He will develop only as rapidly as nature intends.

"How fast your baby grows depends on 2 things," she writes in the magazine read by 1,300,000 farm families. "One is heredity—traits he inherited from both sides of the family. The other is environment—baby's surroundings—which include the food he eats and the treatment he receives."

In the early months, once a week is often enough to weigh your baby, she says. Later, once a month will be sufficient. Baby usually doubles his birth weight in 6 months. At one year he should weigh about 3 times his birth weight.

Your baby may begin to sit alone for a moment or two at a time when he is 7 months old. But he must not be propped and left that way. He will sit without support



and walk alone when his bones, nerves and muscles are ready for the effort. Between 12 and 18 months he will try to walk. By a year and a half he may be toddling. Between the ages of 2 and 3 he'll become an accomplished walker.

Some babies repeat a word or two as early as 10 months. But they generally don't know what they are saying. By a year, your child may call several things by name, including his father and mother. But do not expect a child to use phrases before he is 18 months old. Even babies of 2 years may not speak clearly.

"Don't use baby talk with your child," Miss France cautions. "Speak slowly, correctly, as you want him to speak when he grows up. It's unfair to teach a child a language he must later discard."

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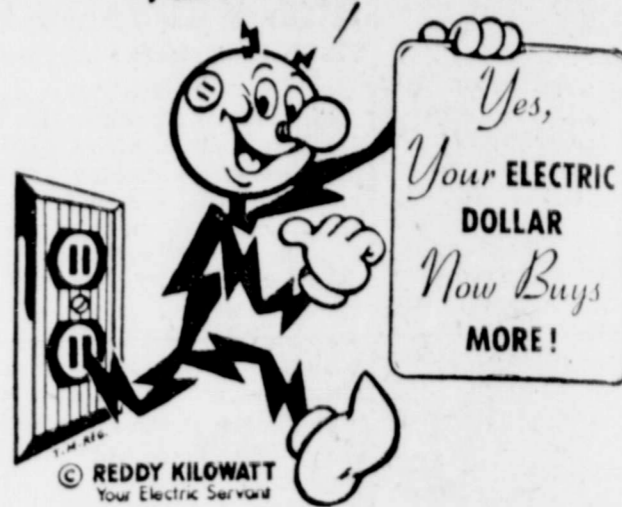
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### North Concho River Soil Conservation Column

Elton Mims and Paul Coulter delivered their lambs last week. Pay weight was 73 pounds. J. R. Mims stated that there was a good grass cover on the range on which these lambs were produced.

The water spreading systems have added runoff water to 900 acres of range land on Lester Foster's Glasscock County ranch twice during the last six weeks. The range area covered by the additional water can be easily traced by the added green color to the grass.

W. B. Welch's deferred 600 acre

pasture has made excellent growth of buffalo and side oats grama this year. Clippings made last week by range conservationists with the soil conservation Service showed yields of 1772 pounds per acre in pure stands of buffalo and 2273 pounds per acre in pure stands of side oats grama. The side oats grama had 3670 pounds of old grass and litter per acre in addition.

J. R. Mims, district supervisor, commenting on the benefits of summer deferment stated that years ago when he was wagon boss on the Funk Ranch he rested a five section pasture on Dry Rockie every summer and used it only during the winter months. After following this practice for a few years this pasture was producing grass "stir-

rup high."

The supervisors in regular meeting Monday approved application for district assistance by Neill Munn of Sterling City and W. M. Turner and T. E. Harden of Water Valley. Conservation plans on V.W. Watkins and A. F. Michalewig farm at Water Valley and Grape Creek were approved.

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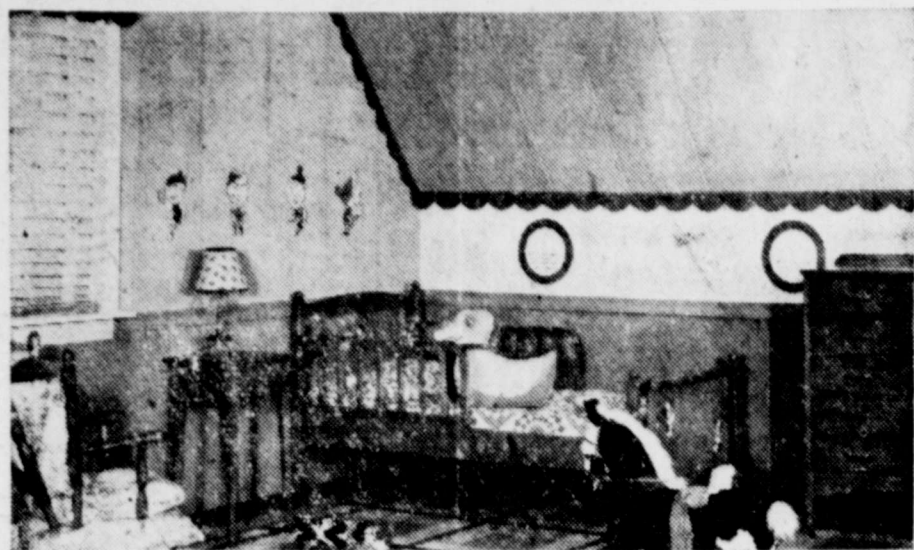
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### Walls Can Make Room Cozy or Cold



Wall board of several colors was used to turn unfinished attic into an attractive room for a child. Scalloped border was cut from the board.

WALLS can change the whole appearance of a room. As a background they play up or detract from the furnishings—make them look cozy or cold, writes Tharen Petersen in nationally-circulated Capper's Farmer.

"Choose colors, textures and patterns that will do the most for your home," she advises homemaker readers of the well known farm magazine.

"For a warm, cheery atmosphere, you'll like walls covered with wood.

"If you hanker for modern, plywood is a possibility. For bathrooms or kitchen walls, take a look at plastic-coated wall paneling.

"Composition wall boards, usually made of wood fiber, come in vari-

ous colors and sizes of panels. You can arrange them so the joints make vertical or horizontal lines, block or geometric designs. For a novel effect, use 2 colors together. Many of the wallboards insulate as well as decorate.

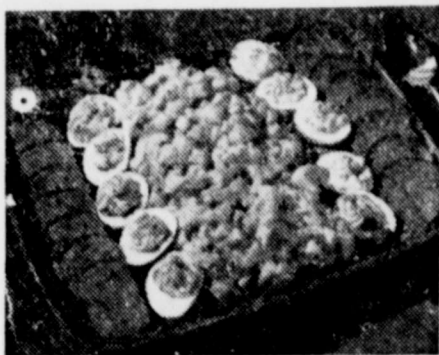
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### Mustard Potato Salad A Hit for Club Lunches

An attractive platter of potato salad, cold cuts and deviled eggs will make a real hit at that next club luncheon, advises the Rural Home Editor of Capper's Farmer, one of the best known farm magazines.

For added zest, make the potato salad with mustard cream dressing,



she writes. You can give it an extra tang, too, with diced raw cucumbers or crumbled fried bacon.

#### MUSTARD CREAM POTATO SALAD

- 4 medium potatoes
- 1/2 c. prepared mustard
- 1/2 c. evaporated milk
- 1/4 c. sugar
- 1/4 c. vinegar
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- 1/2 c. onions, chopped
- 1/2 c. celery, diced
- 1 tsp. celery salt

Cook potatoes in their jackets until tender. When cold, skin and dice. For dressing combine sugar, mustard, milk, vinegar and salt; beat thoroughly. Toss together lightly potatoes, onion, celery, celery salt and salad dressing to moisten. Chill before serving. Add hard-cooked egg if desired. Serves 6.

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### "Take Pen in Hand"

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Some of them take me over the coals for what I say—like the column I ran on planting alfalfa. Others write, "I liked your column yesterday, but..." All of them have different points of view.

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**Creative Power of Faith**

Lesson for October 19, 1947

THIS lesson takes us to the Westminster Abbey of the Bible—Hebrews, eleventh through the thirteenth chapters—to meditate for a season upon the valiant souls in the long ago who obtained a good report as they stood at the passage of destiny and sounded the trumpets of triumph, even the trumpets of faith.

The reader will be richly rewarded to stop right here and open his or her Bible and read these three chapters. Your attention will be riveted to the word, faith.

"Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen. For by it the elders obtained a good report. Through faith we understand that the worlds were framed by the word of God, and that things which are seen were not made of 'things which do appear.'" Hebrews 11:1-3.

Parents and teachers are here reminded of their solemn responsibility in pointing intermediate boys and girls to the truth of Sunday's lesson. Life is too valuable, too fleeting, to be frittered away in purposeless drifting.

Faith is the bright shaft of God's presence and power to guide young people into his will. It is the unflinching light to direct their steps daily. It is the creative power to sustain them each step of the way.

**A Journey to a New Land**

I WANT the boys and girls to look at the passage which describes how Abraham, "when he was called to go out into a place which he should after receive for an inheritance, obeyed; and he went out, not knowing whither he went."

How could Abraham leave his pleasant situation in Ur? Through faith in God, and that alone. A memory verse is here suggested: "I will trust, and will not be afraid," Isaiah 12:2. Abraham might well have been afraid of unknown enemies, of disease, of poverty. Men do become afraid of these things, unless their faith is in God. But Abraham believed in God—had faith in God. And he went forth, holding the hand of God.

There is creative power in such a faith. Abraham discovered that every step he took was accompanied by God. He built altars. He talked with God, and God talked with him. Such will be the experience of every boy and girl who stakes his or her all upon implicit faith in God.

**What Faith Can Do**

INTERMEDIATES are considering what they will do with their lives. It is the vitally important period when they are wisely considering a life career. This lesson would seem to clearly indicate that God has a purpose and plan for each life. He will reveal that plan to those who trust him for guidance. Faith in God at this point is absolutely essential if we are to live victoriously.

Read again the eleventh chapter of Hebrews and see how these heroes of faith in the long ago cast themselves wholly into the will of God for their lives. We can have no doubt about their ultimate success.

Young people are interested in biography. I would commend to you the lives of the great men and women of modern times, who lived in the creative power of faith in God.

John Wesley, for example. There was a man whose life, when strangely warmed by the spirit of God, lifted England from the depths of secularism and set her feet once more on the highway of worthy achievement.

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TAKE any one of the characters portrayed in these three chapters of Hebrews and see how faith in God produced men and women who changed the course of history.

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**J. L. GLASS DEAD**  
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come well-known throughout the Sterling Country. He built a house on that land and it stood there for 51 years. It was there he took his

bride, Minerva Sackett Greenlee, following their wedding Jan. 3, 1889.  
Mrs. Glass died June 13, 1897, while she was at Hot Springs, Ark. for her health. Frank, Harvey

and May Glass, the children were then taken back to North Carolina where they could have the care of relatives, and Mr. Glass returned to his ranch operations. He was married Dec. 23, 1897, to Mattie Matilda Kellis, and the next April they went to North Carolina to return the children.

Mr. Glass kept adding land until he had 43 sections. He recalled often that one of the best bargains was two sections, just north of what the family knew as the Dipping Vat land, at \$1 per acre. It took almost a year for the man in charge of the land to persuade Mr. Glass to buy it.

The family moved to Sterling City in 1916 to take advantage of the schools.

The Glasses experienced their first telephone in 1902 and never were without one since. They went to the World Fair in St. Louis in 1904 and saw their first automobile, and Mr. Glass longed to have one. In 1907 he bought a Pope, the first car ever used in Sterling County. It was a one-cylinder air-cooled job. It was painted red, had a door in the rear and a crank in the side. The seats ran lengthwise of the machine.

The next two cars owned by Mr. Glass were Lamberts, and then came the Mason, which had more hill climbing jower. It burned while the family was in Big Spring. The hack that followed seemed slow in comparison, and the next car was a Studebaker with friction drive. A small rise in the river convinced them of one defect, for when the clutch got wet, there was no way of getting out other than by horse power.

In Kansas City in 1911, Mr. Glass bought a Stoddard-Dayton, a big red car without a windshield, but it would make 60 miles an hour. Studebaker, an E.M.F., Hudson Pontiac, Chevrolet, Ford and Buick cars have followed. It was in the old Stoddard-Dayton that Mr. Glass and Pat Kellis made a trip to Kansas City in 1912, starting July 2. The only strip of paved road they encountered was 14 miles west of Kansas City. Only about one-tenth of the roads were graded.

When the steer buyers began coming to the country in 1912, Mr. Glass conceived the idea of fattening the animals for market, and he bought a tract of land out of Kansas City. However, with buyers plentiful, he never did use the "fattening pens" he had bought, selling the land.

Mr. Glass served first as trustee for the Lacy, Hackberry, and Morrow schools, and subsequently between 1915 and 1942 in Sterling City. He was defeated by Hal Knight by one vote then.

Sterling County was organized in 1891 and 1905 Mr. Glass was named commissioner of precinct 4. As commissioner he helped lay out the Big Spring and Garden City roads, the latter being his special pride. His dream was realized when it was paved all the way between Sterling and Garden City in the spring of 1943.

Not long after the county was organized, Mr. Glass was a candidate for sheriff against Bill Hiler and John Cope. The result was a tie and the election reheld with Hiler winning. Subsequently Mr. Glass served as justice of the peace.

The dry winter of 1918-1919 afforded Mr. Glass quite an experience. He had a Reo speedwagon, and he went into the freighting business because ranchmen could not haul enough grain to keep their

animals from starving. Business was rushing and a son, Roy, returning from college, got into the same business with a Ford truck, and it was no unusual thing for father and son to haul feed around the flock.

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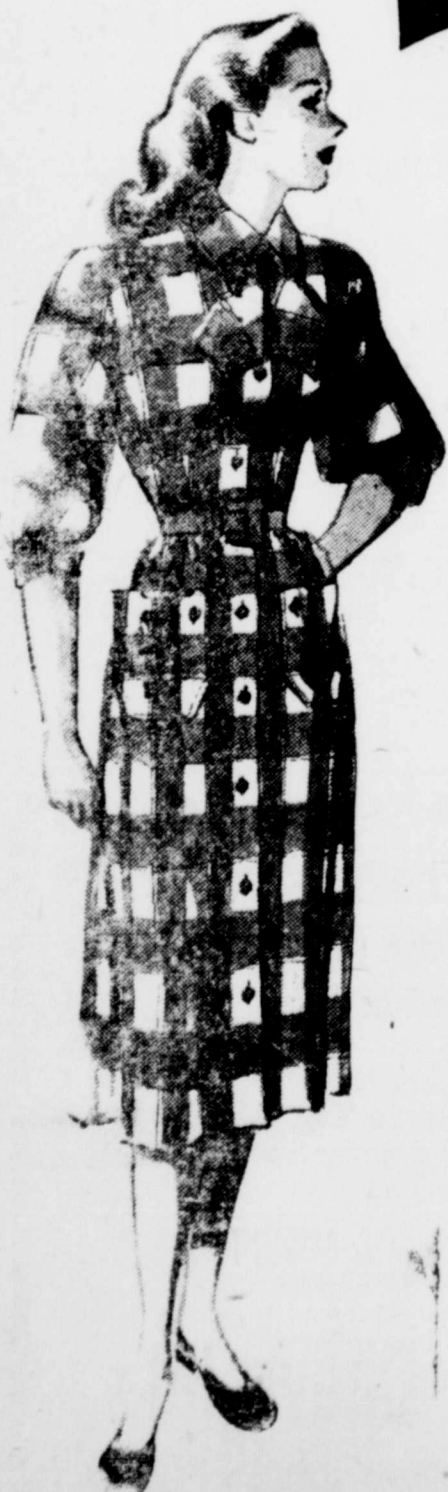
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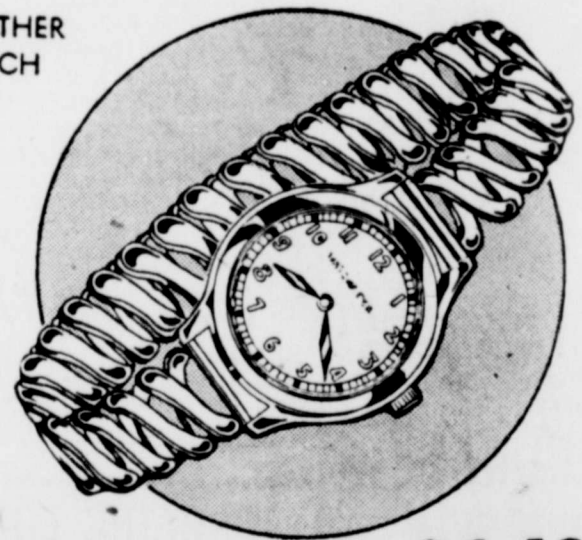
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