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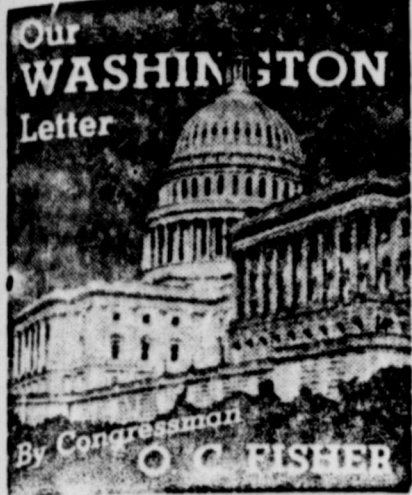
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Our WASHINGTON Letter

STOCKHOLM
Sweden, with its seven million people and its long Baltic coastline just across the sea from the Hammer and Sickle, shows signs of nervous concern for its future safety.

The Latvian coast line, directly across the Baltic from Sweden, is an impenetrable iron curtain. Since Russian occupation more than 20,000 Latvians have sought refuge across the narrow sea, and every month others appear in open make-shift boats. None have been turned away, though the Swedes put them through a gruelling screening operation before allowing them the freedom of the country.

For 114 years Sweden has avoided war. "Now we wonder more than ever how much longer our luck will hold out", a Swedish official commented.

While Sweden has, with some irritation to other free countries, declined to join the Atlantic Pact, her sympathies and interests are linked closely with the west. Recently the Russian propaganda mill has been beaming caustic criticism of the Swedes, belaboring them for their tie-up with the "Capitalist imperialists."

A few weeks ago the Soviets announced the extension of their jurisdiction over Baltic Coastal waters from five to ten miles from shoreline. But the Swedes dismiss this as of no significance. "What difference does it make?", a government official said. "We rarely ever fish within that 10-mile area anyhow."

The Russians are, according to Swedish sources, building up a Navy in the Baltic. Two years ago a Naval Ministry was created by the Kremlin and there has been some sign of naval activity in the Baltic. The press report of some weeks ago to the effect that a Russian battleship had been seen maneuvering in the Baltic is discounted here. Two old ships have been seen but useful mostly only for training purposes. Some ship building is going on, however, including submarines, but the importance of this is discounted by Swedish naval experts. After all, in case of war, the Baltic could be closed by Norway and Denmark and all outgoing traffic stopped.

It is of interest to note the basis for Sweden's "neutral" position and her intention to remain aloof from Great Power alliances.

It will be recalled that in late 1948 the Government attempted to bring about a defense union with the three Scandinavian countries—Denmark, Norway and Sweden. But because the Swedes insisted that such a union remain aloof from the then projected North Atlantic Treaty, the Norwegians declined to go along.

Even though Sweden has adhered to a "freedom from alliances" policy, it has participated in the Marshall Plan, the Organization for European Economic Cooperation, the European Payments Union, and other joint economic programs. She has received no direct aid from the U.S. under the Marshall Plan but has participated through multilateral trade arrangements with other countries and by laws, all of which will be repaid.

Moreover, the Swedes have gone down the line with western powers in United Nations decisions, and sent a hospital ship and staffed a field hospital as her contribution to the war in Korea. So there can be no question of the general pro-western attitude of the Swedes.

But why has Sweden declined to join the Atlantic Pact, as Norway and Denmark have done? Her explanation is that it would actually serve no useful purpose and might "disturb" the equilibrium of the Baltic. She feels that Russia is not pressing toward the North Atlantic through Scandinavia, and that a Swedish alliance with the west might jeopardize Finland's present status of independence of Soviet domination. She regards Finland as a valuable buffer state.

Sweden is spending around twenty percent of her budget on defense

Rankin Red Devils Upset Eagles 15-13

By Harry Blanck

Last Friday, Rankin's Red Devils fought hard to defeat the Sterling City Eagles, 15-13, in a District 8 six-man football game at Rankin.

The triumph enabled the Devils to pull into a tie for the league lead with Sterling, defending champion. Each of the teams play one more game.

Norman Yochem put Rankin ahead in the first period with a 55-yard scoring dash. Elbert Echols added the extra point when he passed to B. McClain.

Rankin went further ahead in the second when Bill Hurn tossed an aerial to McClain that carried 20 yards into the end zone. Echols booted the ball through the uprights to send Rankin ahead, 15-0.

Sterling came fighting back in the second half. Henry Bliznak charged 12 yards for one score and Leroy Butler added the extra point on a run.

With two minutes to play, Butler crossed over from the eight-yard stripe but the try for extra point failed.

A large following of Sterling fans followed the Eagles to Rankin for the game.

CONFERENCE SEASON ENDS TONIGHT

The Sterling Eagles will meet the Garden City Bearcats on the Bearcat "Gridiron" tonight at 7:30 instead of 8 o'clock. If we win this game and Rankin wins over Paint Rock, the two teams will be declared co-champions. There will be a flip of a coin Friday night to decide who represents this district against Ackerly. Friday night's loss to Rankin was the first time in two years that Sterling has lost a conference ball game. The Eagles had won 18 consecutive conference "tilts."

DISTRICT STANDINGS:

Team	Won	Lost
Sterling City	6	1
Rankin	6	1
Forsan	6	2
Mertzon	5	2
Christoval	3	3
Paint Rock	3	4
Garden City	2	5
Water Valley	1	6
Courtney	0	8

Humble-Foster Wildcat Swabbs After Shooting

Humble No. 1-B Foster, Sterling County wildcat, was preparing to swab in a section in the Permian above plugged back total depth of 4,025 feet. The section had been hot with nitroglycerin.

Last Friday, this operation wabbed four barrels of oil per hour, with no water, after having created perforations between 3,960 and 4,025 feet in the Permian with 100 gallons of Halliburton Marflo. Location is 1,965 feet from the south and 2,050 feet from the west lines of section 16-T&P.

A 4,000 foot east outpost to the Durham field, the Salt Dome Producing Co. No. 2 Ethel R. Foster and Fay Hildebrand, will drill to 2,000 feet with cable tools to test the San Andres.

Location is 330 feet from the south and west lines of section 17 12-SPRR, and one-half mile south of Sterling City.

and preparedness. She maintains a small but efficient navy, air force and army. Her Bofors gun factory is one of the best in the world, and provided the best anti-aircraft weapons used on our battleships during the recent war. We are getting guns from Sweden today.

Her air force while small is modern and getting stronger. At the invitation of the Swedish minister of defense, I was privileged to inspect her jet plane factory located 150 miles from Stockholm, as well as other installations. Much of this is underground, with vast, spacious factories carved out of granite formations far below the earth's surface, thus making them invulnerable to bombing attacks.

All in all, it can be said that Sweden is very conscious of her strategic position and vulnerability in event of war. She is stepping up her preparedness and is an exponent of the policy of preventing aggression by making it too costly to the enemy to justify an attack.

Fortunately, Sweden has maintained a high tempo of preparedness for five years—and the Russians know it.

Lions Club Luncheon

The Lions dined on deer roast at the luncheon Wednesday, courtesy of R. P. Brown, who had killed the buck last week. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Russ of Boys Ranch, Mrs. T. S. Foster, a Mr. Norton and a Mr. Ware.

The club voted to sponsor the benefit football game between the local junior football boys and the Boys Ranch team. Russ, superintendent of the Ranch, former coach, will bring his boys up next Tuesday night for the game. Money raised will go to Boys Ranch. Admission will be by donation.

The prize went to Mrs. Robert Russ.

"Covering the County"

By Garyl Hoffman, Co. Agent.

The second annual 4-H Achievement Banquet went off in fine style Tuesday night with Marshall Blair and Clinton Hodges presiding. The banquet is for the get-together of the boys and parents and to give recognition to boys that have completed a demonstration during the past year. The banquet was held in the Community Center.

A barbecue plate was served with all the trimmings. The goats were donated by David Glass, Fred Hodges, and Tom Humble, who have been a great help in developing a 4-H Club program. All the mothers donated the beans, potato salad, drinks, cake, bread, pickles, onions and the decorations of the tables. Jeff Davis did the barbecuing on J. T. Davis' pit.

Several special guests were invited, and three were able to attend. Those attending were Worth Durham, Riley King and Bro. W. J. Weimer. There was a total of 76 in attendance. W. I. Marschall of San Angelo was the guest speaker. Everyone enjoyed his short talk. His talk was about some of his past experiences with 4-H Club work.

The following 4-H club boys were presented awards:
Billy Humble, Gold Star, 4th Year, and a jacket backpatch.
Clinton Hodges, Achievement Award, 6th Year Pin, and back patch.

O. F. Carper, Meat Animal Award and 5th Year Pin.

Harry Blanck, Leadership Award, and Book, and 4th Year Pin.

Billy Ralph Bynum, Sheep and Goat Raisers Award, 6th Year Pin and back patch.

Henry Bliznak, 4th Year Pin and back patch.

Larry Glass, 3rd Year Pin and back patch.

Mims Reed, 3rd Year Pin.

Kent Jones, 3rd Year Pin.

Marshall Blair, 3rd Year Pin.

Bobby Blair, 3rd Year Pin.

Gene Smith, 3rd Year Pin.

Robert Harris, 2nd Year Pin.

Derrell Blair, 2nd Year Pin.

Charley Davis, 2nd Year Pin.

Delmar Rodde, 2nd Year Pin.

Gordon Sparks, 2nd Year Pin.

Jackie Don Harris, 1st Year Pin.

The jacket back patch was awarded to boys that had carried and completed two or more demonstrations during the year.

Marvin Worsham showed a colored film "Everyman's Empire" which was enjoyed by the entire group.

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The election that is coming up November 20th is important to all landowners, operators, tenants, and sharecroppers. One of the requirements is that you have received a conservation practice payment for 1950 or produced some product that could be put under price support.

The above requirements also apply to commitment to be elected. Anyone having met these requirements is eligible to vote-man and wife.

The election is for the purpose of electing County Committeemen to help carry out the P.M.A. program for 1951. Ballots have been mailed to all voters. You can either come by the P.M.A. office or mail them in. The P.M.A. office will be open from 8 to 5 November 20. All ballots mailed in should reach the P.M.A. office before 5:00 p.m. November.

I now have my work outlined to where it can be predicted for several days in advance. During the past two months getting 4-H Club work outlined and the plan of work it has been hard to outline work ahead. My schedule for next week will be: Monday, annual leave; Tuesday, Sweetwater cotton meeting; Wednesday, annual leave; Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Thanksgiving holidays.

North Concho River Soil Conservation News Column

Steve Currie has got a lot of grazing from his 90 acre irrigated pasture west of Sterling City this year. A total of 220 grown cattle and 70 calves were carried on the pasture from March 1st to October 15th when 70 cows were removed. At present there are 170 grown cattle of which 90 are coming 2-year old steers and 70 weanling calves on the pasture. The mixture planted includes orchard grass, smooth broome, perennial rye, meadow fescue, alfalfa, and ladino clover. The pasture is irrigated with a sprinkler.

Terrace lines have been staked on 160 acres of the Wilde Brothers farm at St. Lawrence and plans have been made to stake and construct terraces on an additional 480 acres very soon.

Terraces have been staked for construction on 44 acres of cropland on the Will Augustine ranch northwest of Sterling City.

Six dams for livestock water and erosion control have recently been completed and checked on the John C. Reed ranch at Sterling City.

One dam has also been completed and checked on Phillip Thompson's ranch north of Sterling City.

At the present George Skeete is in the process of working out a coordinated soil and water conservation plan for his ranch 20 miles southwest of Water Valley.

March of Dimes Drive Here Soon

Mrs. Martin C. Reed, chairman of the March of Dimes Drive for Sterling County, has announced that a supplementary drive would take place this month. The regular drive comes the last half of January. BUT the National Foundation has expended its money and is in need of additional funds to complete this fiscal year. Incidence of polio has been high over the nation again this year.

The local chapter sent in what funds it had on hand not long ago to tide the Foundation over. This drive which will take place soon is in connection with similar drives over the country.

Mrs. Reed urges cooperation on the part of the citizens here to help make the drive a success.

By "Lending a Hand" we can help some boy or girl to agin be normal, instead of showing the ravages of polio.

McMURRY COLLEGE CHORUS TO SING AT METHODIST CHURCH MONDAY NIGHT

A girls chorus from McMurry College at Abilene will sing at the local Methodist Church Monday night at 7:30 it was announced this week. There will be no admission charge, and everyone is invited to attend.

Chesley McDonald, Roland Lowe, Riley King and H. A. Chapple left Wednesday on a deer hunt near Ricksprings.

Boys Ranch Benefit Ball Game Tuesday

Coach Johnny Ozee's junior high football boys will meet the Boys Ranch boys in a six-man benefit football game here in the local ball park next Tuesday night. The game begins at 7:30 p. m. Proceeds will go to the Boys Ranch near Tankersley. Superintendent of the ranch, Robert Russ, former coach, will bring his boys here for the tilt.

Russ has only eleven boys at his place now, ranging from 8 to 16 years old. He borrowed some football suits from Lakeview high school for the occasion. He said some of his players (small boys) would be mostly suits, but that they were looking forward to the game.

Admission will be by donation, and all money raised will go to the ranch. The affair is operated as a home for boys without homes, and the boys lead normal lives, as

Eaglets Crush Forsan Juniors 31-12

The Sterling City Eaglets crushed the Forsan Buffaloes here Thursday night 31 to 12.

A small but spirited crowd watched Marshall Blair take the ball on the first play from scrimmage and go around his own left end for 40 yards and the first tally. Billy Blair added the extra point.

The Eaglets kicked to Forsan and held them for four downs. Then on the Eaglets second play from scrimmage, Marshall Blair ran around left end again for another Sterling touchdown.

A few minutes later Albert Oglesby of Forsan scooped up a short pass and scooted 60 yards for the first Forsan touchdown.

The score at the half was 13 to 6 in favor of Sterling.

Marshall Blair scored again early in the third quarter, and Harold Hicks of Forsan ran 50 yards for the last Forsan tally of the night.

A few plays later Marshall Blair intercepted a Forsan pass and raced 30 yards for his fourth touchdown of the evening.

Then with just two minutes to play, Forsan threatened again but Sterling held for 4 downs inside their own 10 yard line.

The ball went over to Sterling on downs. Billy Derrell Blair took over the ball, standing five yards back of his own goal line and pounded his way through the middle of the line. With the aid of a wave of blockers, he raced 85 yards for a touchdown. The game ended 31-12 in favor of Sterling.

The junior pep squad gave a colorful demonstration during the half period. They formed an F in honor of the visiting Forsan team and gave a yell for the Buffaloes.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morgan had as guests this week Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Loe of Los Angeles, California and Mrs. Jack Smith of Rankin. Mrs. Loe and Mrs. Smith are sisters of Mr. Morgan's.

The Bill Durhams spent last week-end visiting the Jean Durhams in Houston.

Deer hunting on John Reed's ranch near Sierra Blanca last week were John Reed, Martin Reed, David Wallace, M. K. Smith, John Blair, Bunk Lawson, Jimmy Long and several others from other places. Thirteen bucks were killed by the group.

Spending last week-end at the R. P. Brown's were Mr. and Mrs. Evan Jones of Fort Worth. Mr. Jones, a brother of Mrs. Brown's, is a vice-president of the South Fort Worth State Bank in Fort Worth.

Visitors at the Henry Merrell's last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ramsey of Mart, Texas. Ramsey and Merrell were chums together as boys. Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Jones of Odessa were also Sunday visitors at the Merrell's. Mrs. Jones is the sister of Mr. Merrell.

Luke Hallmark got his deer last week on the John Reed ranch near Van Horn.

far as schooling, recreation, and work is concerned. The ranch serves thirty-two West Texas counties and the boys there are "Not Problem Boys. . . But Boys With Problems" The officers and directors of the ranch feel that it is better to build boys than mend men. The clean productive lives lived by the boys at the ranch gets them started on the right road to manhood. The affair hopes to eventually be 60% self-sustaining, but now is in the process of becoming established.

Russ, the superintendent, gave up a better-paying job as superintendent of the Lakeview schools in San Angelo to handle the job. He is doing a capable job in a work that appeals to him.

It is hoped that a goodly crowd will attend the game or if not able to be present, a donation will be made. The project is worthy. A visit to the ranch will convince one, AND visitors are welcome.

Do You Have a Maid?

"Do you have a maid?" Not so very many households these days can answer yes, but those who do have a maid or any other household worker will need a copy of a brief booklet bearing that question as a title. George Clark, manager of the San Angelo social security office has begun distribution of this booklet. This colorful leaflet sets out, in a few sentences, just how the lady of the house, or any employer of domestic help in or around the home, may tell whether or not the worker is brought under the new social security law which become effective on January 1.

The work of those regularly employed in private homes will be credited to social security and the employer will be responsible for reporting wages, along with social security taxes, to the collector of internal revenue.

A simple test in the booklet, in terms of amount of wages paid and regularity of employment, will tell whether a maid or cook or laundress will get the protection of social security—and whether the housewife should start making reports next year.

If so, there's a postage-paid postal card in the government-issued booklet which the housewife should mail in for instructions.

For the domestic worker's own information about her new social security program, a special leaflet is available at the social security office, San Angelo.

Mr. Clark pointed out that regularly employed domestic workers will need a social security account number after January 1, 1951.

The "Do You Have a Maid?" booklet does not apply to domestic work on farms operated for profit. Such work is covered by other provisions in the new social security law.

For your home—use paper drinking cups. Cheap to use—cleaner, less work in dish washing. Don't spread germs in your home—use paper cups. Get cups and dispensers at the News-Record.

LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. John Lane, now of Brownwood, but former residents here were visiting relatives and friends her the first part of the week.

A pick-up and car collision here at about five o'clock Monday afternoon resulted in a damage estimated near \$400 to the car and slight damage to the pick-up. The car, a 1949 Dodge, belonged to Mr. and Mrs. John J. Carnes of Big Spring. The pick-up was Sam Simmons'. The accident took place at the intersection of the highway near the South Texas Lumber Co.

The highway patrol was investigating the accident

Warmer weather set in this week following the cold northers of last week. The around 20 degree temperatures then were not looked for, at least by the weather bureau boys—or if they did know, they failed to let the general public in on the secret.

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CAPITOL CARAVAN

BY MICHAEL C. ALLEN

Washington, D. C.—Your baby, your taxes, and your home. In that order, those are the things you're most interested in reading about.

Or, at least that's the way employees of the government's mammoth printing office see it.

They run probably the biggest book-selling operation in the world. Government books and pamphlets are sold mainly by mail-order although the GPO—as the Government Printing Office is known—also runs over-the-counter bookstores in Washington.

Uncle Sam's best seller is a 15-cent booklet called "Infant Care." First published in 1915 by the Children's Bureau, this pamphlet has sold six million copies and is still selling at a rate of a copy every two minutes. Runner-up is another piece dealing with your children, "Prenatal Care," whose sales run over three million.

"Your Income Tax"—Uncle Sam's own explanation of how to figure out what you owe him—has sold over half-a-million copies and "Care and Repair of the House" over a quarter-of-a-million.

This pattern of sales is so well established that Roy B. Eastine, who, as superintendent of documents, runs the GPO, says his help can usually figure out what to do in a case like this. A letter arrives saying, "Please send me the book," and a few coins are enclosed.

If the money totals 15 cents, the GPO sends "Infant Care." If it's a quarter, "Your Income Tax" is sent out. And if the customer sends 50 cents and asks for "the book," he gets "Care and Repair of the House."

These three books, though popular, are only a few of the thousands of titles GPO offers. Each year, it gets about 40,000 new documents, all worked up by some government agency and sold nearly at the cost of publication. Total sales run about 42 million copies—enough to pack a fleet of Mack Trucks—every year on subjects dealing with everything from Federal laws, descriptions of U. S. wars, atomic energy to how to take care of a typewriter to how to rat-proof a building.

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Armistice Day

In the year 1918 a small group of men met in a railroad coach and signed papers that ended a shooting war that had taken a gigantic toll in human life. The fighting stopped at 11 a.m., November 11, and the world went wild with joy. We had just fought a war to end all wars. It was time now to beat our swords into plowshares and spears into pruning hooks.

It was a beautiful dream while it lasted, but the world was rudely awakened into reality again by the report from Pearl Harbor in 1941. We abruptly realized that man was not ready to live in peace and harmony with his fellow man.

Since V-J Day, we have been very busy searching for a formula for peace, and at least some progress along that line is being made by the United Nations. However, it is too bad that our world statesmen refuse to look in the right place. There lived a Jew in Palestine 2,000 year ago who left us a formula for world peace. His formula is written in a book called the Bible. On this 32nd anniversary of Armistice Day it may pay us all to read this formula.

R. P. Brown got back from his deer hunt near Marfa last Thursday with a good 8-point buck.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank everyone, especially the fire department, for the help in putting out the grass fire on my place recently. My deepest thanks to the department and the volunteers.

L. W. Longshore.

"YOU'RE FIRED" * * * Sometimes it's good to be fired! Dancer Ray Bolger, fired from a \$20-a-week messenger's job, now makes \$8,000 a week. Thousands of men and women accept the loss of a job as a challenge, and many have gone on to success. For this and many other colorful features read the American Weekly, that great magazine distributed with next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

The Rankin fans were all "het" up at the referee after the football game there last Friday night. Five of them went out on the field following the game and tried to whip the ref. Now that is something—even winning the game, the fans were not satisfied with the refereeing. Anyway, the sheriff had to go out on the field to stop the disturbance.

Doctors Register for Draft



BALTIMORE, MD.—Dr. John V. Woytowotz, a dentist, and Dr. E. Irvin Neserke (center), a veterinarian, are registering for the doctor's draft at Selective Service headquarters. Capt. Katharina Kindervatter is giving the doctors some information.



BY PATRICIA MORAN

(In 1944, Patricia Moran, RN, began her hobby. A strange one for an attractive young woman. She builds model planes, and, like many hobbyists, she began it quite casually.)

While I thought I was building an interest in my hobby, it was actually building many important steps in my life. It gave me a husband, two loving children, and a life that surely would have gone in another direction if it hadn't been for an off-hand joke.



Patricia Moran

I was stationed as a nurse at an airfield in Texas during part of the war. One day—December 6th, 1944, to be exact—a young M/Sgt. was admitted to the hospital. He had suffered a fractured ilium in a crash landing that had killed his pilot and co-pilot.

Even though I was a 2nd Lt. by virtue of my profession, I was only one-tenth soldier to nine-tenths nurse. And I didn't know a trim-tab from a downwind landing. Naturally, he discovered it almost at once. Within a couple of weeks, we found a strong friendship. He was charming and—well, he's my husband now.

At Christmas I decided to surprise him. I bought him a beautiful Barbasol Toilet Kit, but I was in for a surprise myself. He, as a joke, gravely presented me with a large package, and said, "I thought you might need this." It was a model airplane kit. Also included was a more "Christmasy" gift, but I went along with the joke. I thanked him for it and admitted that it was just what I needed.

Secretly, however, I resolved to put the darn thing together and give it back. It took weeks, and it was so bad I was ashamed to give it to him. I bought another kit. This time it went a little faster, and I suddenly realized I was beginning to like it.

When I gave it to him, he didn't say much. Finally, he smiled his wonderful, wonderful smile and said, "Thanks very much. This will go on my desk when the war's over." It is, too. Even though I've built over one hundred other planes since then, and better ones, I dust that one every day. My hobby brought me luck. How's yours?

THE AMERICAN WAY



Your Vote Is A Vote For Freedom

From where I sit... by Joe Marsh



We Ask That "Fares" Play Fair

Judge Cunningham was telling about a taxi ride he took over to the County Seat last week. The cab was all littered with cigarette butts, plus candy and gum wrappers. This annoyed the Judge and he spoke to the driver about it.

To his surprise the cabman answered right back. "Don't blame me," he said "Fast as I clear this taxi out, the fares just mess it up again. I like a clean cab as well as anybody, but a man has to have some co-operation!"

Judge figures the fellow was in the right, and maybe we ought to

do a little campaigning with the public. I agree with him—that's why I'm writing this article. From where I sit, it's important for us to remember the fellow who's going to get in the cab after we leave it. Because he pays the same as we do, he's got the same right to a clean, comfortable ride—just as he has the same right to enjoy the beverage of his choice (be it coffee, beer, lemonade, or what have you).

Joe Marsh

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Mrs. Jennie Lee Adele, 412 N. 27 St., East St. Louis, Ill., a nurse, says she wishes she had found out about HADACOL sooner because since taking HADACOL she feels so good. Mrs. Adele was suffering a deficiency of Vitamins B₁, B₂, Niacin and Iron which HADACOL contains.

Here is Mrs. Adele's own statement: "I have been a nurse for over 14 years. My food never seemed to agree with me. I heard one day how so many folks were being helped because of HADACOL. I tried it and after 8 bottles I could tell a big improvement. Now I eat anything I want—sleep well and I am full of energy."

Why HADACOL Gives Such Fine Results

HADACOL does not bring just symptomatic relief. HADACOL now makes it possible to actually relieve the cause of aches and pains in the shoulders, legs and arms, certain nervous disturbances, and a general run-down weakened condition due to deficiencies of Vitamins B₁, B₂, Niacin and Iron in your system.

HADACOL not only supplies deficient systems with extra quantities of Vitamins B₁, B₂, Iron, and Niacin but also helpful amounts of important Calcium and Phosphorus

—elements so vital to help maintain good health and physical fitness.

Why These Vitamins and Minerals Come In Liquid Form

There's a very good reason why HADACOL comes in special liquid form. These precious Vitamins and Minerals are more easily and quickly absorbed into the blood stream this way—ready to go right to work. A big improvement is often noticed within a few days.

Don't Be A 'Doubting Thomas'

After reading Mrs. Adele's wonderful experience with HADACOL—how can you doubt that this great new nutritional formula will help you if your system lacks Vitamins B₁, B₂, Iron, and Niacin?

What HADACOL did for Mrs. Adele, it can do for you if you're troubled with aches and pains in the shoulders, legs, and arms, certain nervous disturbances, insomnia when due to an upset stomach, stomach distress and a general run-down weakened condition due to such deficiencies.

So what are you waiting for? Don't you see that HADACOL is the kind of product you need—the kind you should buy and the kind you should start taking immediately!

Sold On A Strict Money-Back Guarantee

HADACOL even helps build up the hemoglobin content of your blood (when Iron is needed) to course through your body, carrying these great health-building elements to every body organ. No wonder HADACOL helps you feel wonderful.

Be fair to yourself! Give yourself a break if you have such deficiencies! Why continue to drag yourself around—a burden to yourself and your family—when relief may be as close at hand as your nearest drugstore if you suffer a deficiency of Vitamins B₁, B₂, Niacin and Iron. This great HADACOL is inexpensive, too—costs only a small amount a day. Trial size, only \$1.25. Large family or hospital size, \$3.50. If your druggist does not have HADACOL, order it direct from The LeBlanc Corporation, Lafayette, Louisiana. © 1950, The LeBlanc Corporation.



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Legion Auxiliary Making Sock Dolls

The American Legion Auxiliary met in regular meeting Tuesday night at the Legion Hut with 12 members and three guests present. After the business session, everyone present made a sock doll. These sock dolls are to be included in the Christmas Gift Shop box which is sent to the V.A. hospital at Legion, Texas, every year. Each member present also brought a gift to go in the box. Miss Bonnie Ruth King, who was one of the guests, brought her portable sewing machine and sewed the arms and legs to go on the dolls. The other guests were Mrs. Riley King and Mrs. Sterling Foster.

Members present were Mrs. W. D. Augustine, Mrs. T. F. Foster, Mrs. Lura McClellan, Mrs. Minta Phillips, Mrs. Jeff Davis, Mrs. Winnie Mae Neill, Mrs. Ross Foster, Mrs. Chesley McDonald, Mrs. John Brock, Mrs. Pete Easley, Mrs. Rufus Foster and Mrs. Harold Emery.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Neill and Mrs. Easley.

These gift boxes are sent to all V.A. hospitals so that those veterans who cannot buy Christmas presents for their families may select a gift for each member of the immediate family free of charge. All gifts are donated by the American Legion Auxiliary and any other person that wants to help our Veterans.

BAPTIST W. M. S.

The Baptist Woman's Missionary Society met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lee Hunt for a study on medical missionaries in the foreign field. Mrs. J. A. Revell led the program.

Present were Mrs. D. C. Durham, Mrs. Jack Douthit, Mrs. Mud Allen, Mrs. Henton Emery, Mrs. Lee Augustine and Mrs. Hunt.

CARD OF THANKS

I am very thankful for all the flowers, cards, visits and to everyone who helped make it possible for me to hear the ball game while I was in the hospital.

ELROY BUTLER.

Late Again

The Linotype chose this week to "act up". In my ignorance, I tried everything I knew—which wasn't enough. Finally a call to the machinist at the Standard-Times put it to rights (Late Thursday).

These things are complicated. And I'm not.

They're just a series of cams, shafts, pulleys, springs, gears and weights and counter-weights—plus. A good machinist is worth his weight in linotype metal, and boy, is it high now?

For such reason, we did not get all the items that we had intended to in this paper—some parties, etc.

But, we did get a paper out—such as it is!

LOST—Tie Spurlup with initials HFD. Reward. See Horace Donalson

Visitors at the R. P. Browns Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Tony Manitzas and Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Mathis, all of San Angelo.

HEALTH TALKS

Prepared by the State Medical Association of Texas

One of the most common mistakes in regards to anatomy is placing the stomach in that big general region from the waistline to the pelvis, over on the left side extending to wards the right under the ribs.

That region that you may call the stomach, your doctor refers to as the abdomen, extending from the diaphragm, that big muscle under the ribs, to those bones at the hips. It is a very crowded area with all sorts of essential organs and their coverings, muscles, and blood vessels twisting around in there.

It may be divided into three general regions. The top part is known as the epigastric region and extends from about the fifth rib to the waistline. In here is located from right to left, touching the bottom of the diaphragm, the liver, the stomach and the spleen. The liver and stomach overlap like a pair of shoes placed heel-to-toe and where they meet at the bottom is where the gallbladder is tucked in. The stomach turns into the small intestine in a C-shaped tube called the duodenum, and tucked into the C, like the hole of a doughnut, is the pancreas.

The diaphragm forms a roof for these organs and a portion of the large intestine forms a floor, along the waistline. This may be considered the beginning of the second region of the abdomen, called the umbilical region, easily identified

by the naval or belly button, sometimes referred to as the spot where the Yankees shot you.

Reading from right to left under this portion of the abdomen, you find the part of the large intestine that operates against gravity going up the right side of the abdomen, that part of the small intestine called the jejunum at the front, the kidneys at the back, and over on the far left the descending colon, that part of the large intestine that carries food down.

The hypogastric region, just above that big bone that form the floor of the body, contains the place where the small intestine empties into the large intestine, the appendix, the small intestine portion known as the ileum, and the portion of the large intestine where it empties into the rectum.

In examining all these organs which are hidden from view, your

doctor checks the outward appearance of your abdomen first, to see if there are bulges where there shouldn't be, caved in spots where it's supposed to bulge, lines where circles are supposed to be, and discolorations. He knows what your stomach should look like for your age, build and occupation; when he runs into something that varies from that look, he starts a closer check.

The routine check of the stomach also includes a certain amount of punching around on those organs to see if they can be moved as much as they are supposed to be or can be moved more than they are supposed to be. Each organ is supposed to fit within certain size limitations, too, and as he feels your abdomen, he is checking the outline of those organs to ascertain the size. Some organs are hard and some are soft, so he has to punch

a bit to find out what the organ feels like, making sure that the hard ones haven't softened up and the soft ones haven't become hard.

There are all kinds of swellings that might appear in the abdominal cavity where they aren't supposed to be. Some tumor might resemble a hernia until your doctor pushes that swelling. If he finds a hole and the swelling gurgles when he pushes it back in the hole, then he knows it's a reducible hernia. These hernias are portions of an organ which break out of the wall that forms a cover and protrude into another space.

Each of these organs has a specific job to do, of course, and when one of them starts changing character, your doctor must trace all the way through the circuit to see if the change originates in the organ or is the result of some change elsewhere in the body.

When you go to the doctor with some specific pain and can point out where it is, he can start from here and deduce where the trouble may originate. But the purpose

of the routine physical examination is to foresee where difficulty may enter the picture of health, and the abdomen may present clues long before the symptoms become evident. Hidden as they are, these organs sometimes manage to keep their secrets, but there are many tell-tale signs which your doctor can pick up and make good usage of for your welfare.

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