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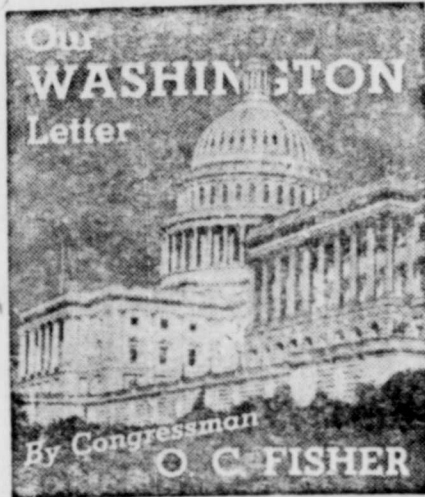
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Next Friday Is School Holiday

Teachers to Attend Meeting
Next Friday, March 16, will be a holiday at the Sterling school in order that all teachers may attend the Mid-Texas State Teachers Association meeting in San Angelo. This is one of the holidays set up by the school at the beginning of the school year last fall. The meeting begins in Angelo on the night of March 15 and runs on through Friday, March 16.



IN THIS NUCLEAR age it is difficult for the human mind to understand the wonders of science and the revolution that is taking place before our very eyes. That fact was brought home to the other day when I, upon invitation from the Navy, boarded the atomic-powered submarine, NAUTILUS for an overnight cruise from its home base of New London, Conn.

It was the most amazing experience I have ever had. Aboard were experts, people who directed the development of the world's first nuclear-powered boat, who explained as much as they could, but that wasn't much because the average mind is not capable of comprehending what it is all about. It can be said that the performance of the Nautilus exceeds the most optimistic expectations.

We were submerged for 12 hours during which time the Nautilus did about everything but jump over the moon. Much of the detail is still classified, but here are some general statements that can be made:

Whereas the conventional submarine travels relatively slowly, must come up for air every few hours, can submerge to a limited depth and must be refueled at comparatively brief intervals—the nuclear-powered sub travels at fast speed, faster than most surface ships, can remain submerged for months with out refueling, and can maneuver at much deeper levels. The Nautilus can traverse the globe once without coming up for air or refueling!

The SEA WOLF, which will be commissioned this summer, is an improvement over the Nautilus. We authorized six additional atomic subs to be built immediately. We can be fairly certain that in this important respect, the United States is far ahead of the Soviets. The latter with more than 300 modern subs, is believed not to have achieved the nuclear-power technique as we have done.

INCIDENTALLY, the world's first atomic-powered missile submarine designed to reach points off enemy shores at tremendous speed and stealthily fire nuclear weapons onto distant strategic targets, is included in the Navy's next-year shipbuilding program. In fact, experts now talk of the day when such missiles will be launched from below the surface, and in a flood of flame and cloud of steam the weapon would rise from the sea in quest of a chosen target! Admittedly that is far in the future, but that day is definitely in the planning picture.

Ralph Hines of Pleasanton visited his parents, the Witt Hines of Westbrook last week-end. Ralph stopped in Sterling City Monday on his return. He formerly was a soil conservationist with the Range Conservation Unit here. He is now a salesman for Universal Mills with a district south of San Antonio.

Lowell Hamilton, formerly of Albuquerque, New Mexico, has moved to San Angelo and begun work at the San Angelo Standard-Times. Lowell, a son of John Hamilton of Sterling City, will learn how to operate a linotype machine there.

Foundation For Future Security



Behind The 8 Ball

Well, we had our open house for our twelfth anniversary here in Sterling City and, of course, the new building "house-warmed." The crowds came light in the morning and somewhat heavy in the afternoon. Out-of-town visitors from San Angelo and Midland were included.

8-BALL

We served coffee, cookies and cold drinks. As I saw Gandy's Creamery man early Saturday morning, I asked him if he didn't want to furnish the cream for the open-house coffee, and sure 'nuff, he did.

Everyone had a good time. Even with a game leg I enjoyed it. On Friday morning out in the backyard at home I had tree trouble. A little peach tree had died last fall, and I decided to break it off at the ground. I stepped on it leaning it over flat, and it broke off about 20 inches up—with that bottom part springing up and banging me on the shin with an awful crack. Everything turned black for a moment, and I staggered around finding a post to lean on. I was feverish and somewhat sick for two days with it. The X-Rays didn't show any crack or chip, but I'll bet if I had had it done immediately, something would have showed. As it was the swelling and bruise probably filled up the crack by late afternoon—when it was X-Rayed.

Anyway, my leg swelled up for several days—kinda looking like a leg ought to look—instead of so thin—as usual.

8-BALL

This is public school week. On Tuesday, Worth Durham and I went up to the school and visited in the rooms where our children are students and ate in the lunchroom.

We visited Mrs. C. L. King's 1st grade first. She had the students read. At dinner we ate in the lunch room along with some teachers. After dinner we visited Mrs. Johnnie Lee's and Mrs. B. J. Crossno's rooms. Arithmetic was the order of the hour in those rooms.

We did not see any other visitors while we were there, although on later days visitors were reported.

8-BALL

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Foster returned home Wednesday after a week's visit in Las Vegas, N.M. with the Fred Allens. They said it snowed a two-inch snow just before they left. However, as they got along toward home the dust re-

placed snow. Especially in the eastern part of New Mexico and the western part of Texas.

8-BALL

A duster blew in Tuesday making things dusty again. Then on Wednesday night, a norther blew in giving some freezing weather. Thursday the wind got back into the south and milder weather once more prevailed.

Just name your weather out here and give it a week's time. You'll get it.

8-BALL

There's twelve more days of winter weather due by the calendar. And we'll probably get more than that—if usual weather prevails. Anyway, with an early Easter, we can hope for no more real bad cold fronts after March 20.

Last year in April, we had the worst week of all—it seems.

8-BALL

The local 4-H'ers and FFA Club boys headed for San Angelo this week with their lambs—and hopes high. In the Angelo show competition is tough, though, and it will be a very high honor if someone from here tops. No sales are held there following the show and the boys and girls have to win to do any good—monetarily speaking.

8-BALL

In this Lenten period of self-denial, it might not be a bad idea to ask for a little rain in devotions. After all, we need it.

8-BALL

Chaucer, in his prologue to his Canterbury Tales, speaks of the sweet April showers following the drought of March. Maybe we will get some rains next month. But so far, March is a failure.

However, Chaucer, never would call his English weather a drought, should he spend a few years over here. Nossir.

8-BALL

Hope springs eternal in the human heart, quoth the poet. Especially in the young. Maybe it will rain this year—this spring.

8-BALL

Hello, Mims, what's going on out there boy?

8-BALL

The newly, redone and re-decorated Frozen Foods Locker Company, held open house last Saturday, serving cookies and coffee to the public. Manager Harry Lawson has everything going now and is ready in all respects for business. H. L. Hildebrand is owner.

8-BALL

The talk is that we will have five figures to our telephone numbers when we get the dial setup later this month. Yep, five digits.

WIMODAUSIS CLUB

Miss Ann Albro of San Angelo presented a program on "Friendship Abroad: America's Key to Strength" to the Wimodausis Club at a meeting Tuesday evening in the community center.

It was also Friendship Day with the club, and members of the Noratadata Club and friends were guests.

Mrs. Roy Morgan, club president, welcomed the guests, and Mrs. Lester Foster introduced Miss Albro.

Miss Albro, who was San Angelo's Community ambassador to Finland last summer, showed slides and told of her experiences abroad. The people of Finland were most friendly to Americans, she said, and are making a rapid recovery from the ravages of war. She, in turn, tried to give them an idea of how we live in a democracy, and to point out the similarities in customs of the Finnish people and of our own.

During the social hour which followed the program, Mrs. Harvey Glass rendered a selection of piano music.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. T. F. Foster, Mrs. J. C. Reed, Mrs. H. F. Donalson, Mrs. H. L. Hildebrand, Mrs. C. A. Bowen, Mrs. R. T. Foster, Mrs. H. D. Glass and Mrs. L. S. Dubberly.

Approximately 40 guests attended, including Miss La Juan Lawson of San Angelo.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients in the Sterling County Hospital on Thursday morning of this week included—

Robert Dill
Neill Munn
Lynn Glass
Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Glass
Mrs. Elizabeth Rodriguez and infant daughter, born March 8
Mrs. Neal Reed
Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week include—
Mrs. W. B. Atkinson
Mrs. John Stuckwisch and infant daughter, Pamela Jean
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Poff
Mrs. Ruth Allen
John Walraven
George R. Till
Mrs. Hollis Kenemer

Jack Weeks is building a welding shop building on the corner of West Side Elm, just south of the News-Record building. His new building is a quonset hut, bought at army surplus sale, and has concrete block front and back.

Rubber Stamps at News-Record.

Lions Club Luncheon

The Lions Club met at noon on Wednesday at the community center for the regular weekly luncheon. Boots Williams acted a president in the absence of president Rufus Foster.

There were three guests present, including Harry Lawson, Roy Snyder, meat specialist of Texas A&M and Bob Bryan.

Lion Jim Butler told of putting out the trash containers over town in the cleanup campaign. The club voted to pay the welding fee that was necessary to fasten the holders to posts over town.

Red Cross Drive To Be Handled

The club voted to take charge of the Red Cross Roll Call drive here this month. Members will take names and get contributions for the drive here, as was done last year.

It was reported that the Heart drive went over the quota of \$200.

Coach Diddle Young told of an art course that might be sponsored by the club for Gilbert Gaitan, an exceptional art student in Sterling school.

The club voted to give a Soil Conservation award to an outstanding rancher for conservation work in this district.

Roy Snyder, a meat specialist from Texas A&M, talked on meat handling and preparation. He was here for the day helping Harry C. Lawson, manager of the local Frozen Foods Locker Company.

TEXAS EMPLOYERS UNDER UNEMPLOYMENT LAWS

Seven employers in Sterling County became liable under the amended Texas Unemployment Compensation Act anuary 1.

And, Leon M. Kinney, Big Spring office manager, advises these employers that establishing payroll reporting accounts with the state office of the Texas Employment Commission, Brown Building, Austin, will help avoid penalties and assessments of back taxes.

An amendment to the state's unemployment compensation laws extended coverage to all employers with as many as four employees on 20 days in 20 different weeks, Kinney said. Prior to January 1, 1956 only firms who hired eight or more were affected.

"The expanded program also covers a small business which has four people working only Saturdays, or one which has regularly two employees during the day and two others at night."

The state program was extended by the 1955 legislature to conform with Federal statutes already enacted. "Otherwise," stated Kinney, "Sterling County employers of four to eight people would not have the advantage of the Texas system of possibly reduced taxes because of employer experience ratings. And early action will mean earlier eligibility for reduced tax rates."

Combined Federal and state taxes begin at 3 per cent of each annual wage up to \$3,000. However, the state's program provides for a possible minimum rate of 1-10 or one per cent, and the 1955 average rate for rated employers was .222 per cent. The net Federal tax is 3-10ths of 1% in addition to the state tax.

Any Sterling County employer of four, five, six or seven persons for 20 weeks during 1955 should request explanations of the state TEC office about complying with the program, Kinney said.

The Roy Morgans are getting, it seems to me, close to the time of moving into their new home just over the river on the Big Lake road. The house is of pink brick.

FOUR PARAKEETS for sale. Young ones, just off nest, \$2 each. Tony Allen, Phone 4802.

THE AMOCO CLUB TO MEET

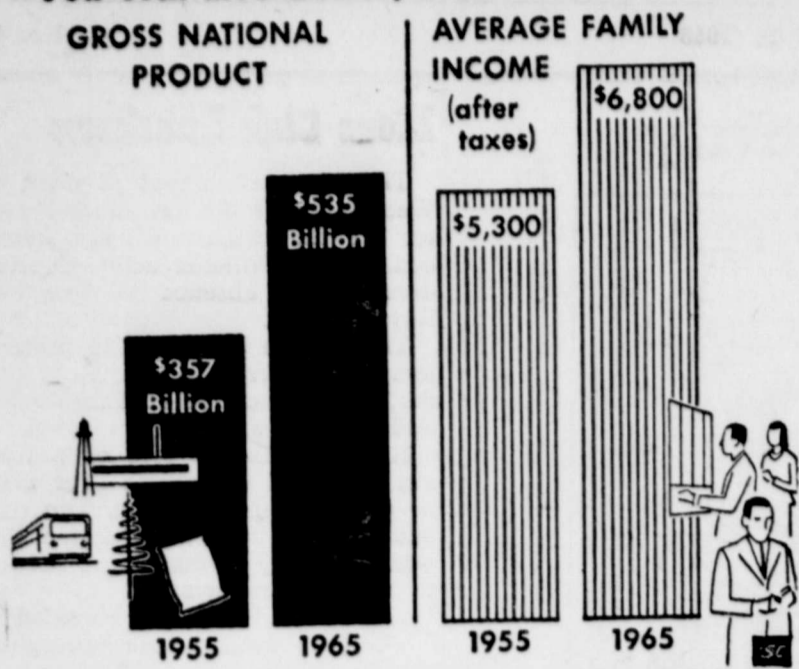
The Amoco Club will hold its regular monthly meeting on Friday, March 16, 7:00 p.m. at the community center. All members are urged to be present.

Alton Humble is back from San Antonio where he has been a guest of the Army at Brooks General Hospital. Everyone is glad to see Alton back home.

This is Public School Week. You still have time to visit your local school. Visitors are welcome this week.

All subscriptions not paid up to the News-Record by the end of this month will be discontinued.

You Will Live Better, Earn More in 1965



Nation's Growth Linked to Expanded Sanitation Facilities

Many of the changes in the American way of life within the last decade have been related to the industrial expansion of the country and the growth of the American Community.

As a result of this industrial progress and community growth, Americans will live better in 1965 than they did in 1955, the Sanitary Engineering Committee of the National Clay Pipe Association reports.

However, full modernization of the Nation's existing sewage and water facilities is necessary in the next ten years if this country is to continue its growth and progress.

The combination of industrial growth and rapid population

increase has placed a burden on present sewage and water facilities. Thousands of miles of underground clay pipe lines are needed to carry wastes to disposal plants. Vitrified clay pipe is recognized as the one material that provides all the qualities necessary to satisfy the exacting demands of sanitary structures. Clay pipe resists all the effects of acids and other caustic substances that are found in sewer systems.

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CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank everyone for the gifts, cards, flowers, etc. I received while I was in the hospital.

Billy Roland Conger

Rubber Stamps at News-Record.

DIRT MOVING and garden plowing. See T. A. Gartman. 3tc

When you want a treat - This is the place to eat! Where shall we meet **Carter's Cafe** can't be beat! (Ad)

Meat Specialist Here

Roy Snyder, meat specialist of Texas A&M College, was here on Wednesday of this week giving Harry Lawson, Frozen Foods Plant manager, some of the fine points of butchering and preparing meats for

freezing and processing. Snyder was a guest at the Lions Club luncheon at noon.

For wedding invitations, announcements, at-home cards, etc., see the local News-Record shop.

Ray Lane Has Operation

Ray Lane of Sterling City underwent an emergency operation in the Clinic-Hospital in San Angelo last Saturday. He is recovering o.k.

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A Special Way For Your Holiday

By Betty Barclay

WHAT'S the use of a holiday if it isn't spent in a special sort of way? Start the holiday off with a special breakfast—say, a "stack of cakes" (pancakes to you!)—something you haven't time to make, or the family to eat, on an ordinary day. And to pour over them here is an extraordinarily delightful, spicy syrup to be served piping hot. So tasty is it that the cakes may go swimming right off their plates when the family gets through pouring it on!



Spiced Log Cabin Butter

1 cup maple-blended syrup; 1/2 to 3/4 cup butter; 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon; 1/2 teaspoon allspice; 1/2 teaspoon mace.

Combine all ingredients in saucepan. Place over medium heat until butter is melted and syrup is hot. Beat with egg beater until blended. Serve hot on pancakes. (Mixture may be stored in the refrigerator and reheated before using. Beat to blend.) Makes 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 cups butter or enough to serve with 21 to 24 pancakes.

Note: If desired, 1 teaspoon mixed pumpkin pie spices may be used in place of the above spices.

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Carolyn Riddle Honored On Eighth Birthday

Mrs. H. D. Riddle honored her daughter, Carolyn Jean, with a birthday party in their home Mar. 1 at 3 o'clock. The home was decorated with clusters of colorful balloons. The dining table was laid with an imported lace cloth and centered with a beautiful birthday cake. Colors were pink and white.

Games were enjoyed by all. Bobby Stone, Mike Foster and Rosanne Foster won the game prizes. Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served to all.

Those present were Bobby Stone, Andy Gaston, Larry Stewart, Mike Foster, Billy Boyd Allen, Betty Jo Daves, Mike Stuckwish, Rosanne Foster, Don Stuckwish, David West Foster, Weldon Daves, Jeannie McDonald, Carolyn Tindall, Linda Zuck, Johnny McCorkle, Freddy Lynn McCorkle, Michael McCorkle, Mrs. David McCorkle, Mrs. C. O. Stroud, Mrs. Hugh Riddle, the honoree's grandmother and Mrs. Barrett.

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Political Announcements

The following announce their candidacy for offices listed subject to action of the Democratic Primary in July, 1956:

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STERLING CITY, TEXAS

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 John Agar, Lori Nelson

Sun., Mon., Tues., Mar. 11-12-13
"The Desperate Hours"
 Humphrey Bogart, Frederick March

Wed., Thurs., Mar. 14-15
"The Phoenix City Story"
 Richard Riley, Kathryn Grant

Fri., Sat., Mar. 16-17
The Magnificent Matador
 Maureen O'Hara, Anthony Quinn

DIRT MOVING and garden plowing. See T. A. Gartman. 3tc

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By Betty Barclay

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Chocolate Honey Sauce
 1 package semi-sweet chocolate chips; 1/2 cup honey; 3/4 cup evaporated milk.

Melt chocolate over hot water. Add honey and evaporated milk and blend. Remove from heat. Serve warm over ice cream, cake, or pudding. Sauce may be stored in covered jar in refrigerator and warmed before using. Makes 1 1/4 cups.

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THINGS TO TALK ABOUT
 BY FRANKLIN J. MEINE
 Editor, American Peoples Encyclopedia

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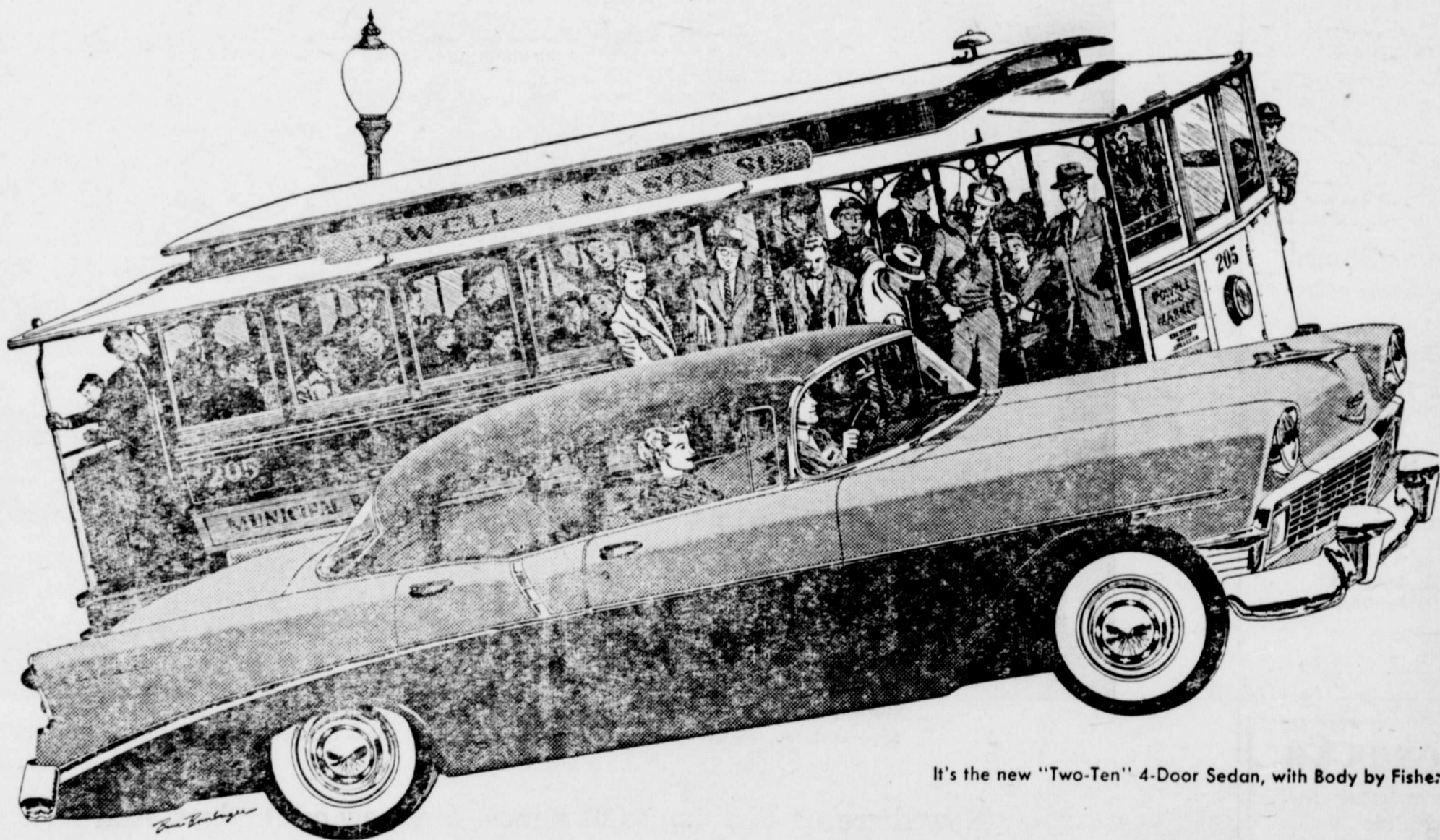
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STERLING CITY, TEXAS



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Several days passed. A second letter arrived — enclosing fragments of the Treasury's letter and bits of the enclosed form. You guessed it. The shaggy dog had done it again. Could the Treasury please send along another application form?

The Treasury could — and did — and eventually the chewed up Bond was replaced.

Nothing further has been heard from the man — or from the shaggy dog. (The Treasury is hoping that no news is good news.)

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What's Doing in the Churches

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
L. S. Dubberly, Pastor
Church School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Wayne Zuck, Minister
Bible School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Young People's Class 6:15 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, Ladies Bible Class 9:30 a.m.
Wednesday, Mid-Week Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Claude B. Stovall, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
T. U. 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Baxter D. D. Greer, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening worship 7:30 p.m.

METHODIST YOUTH FELLOW SHIP MEETING

The MYF met at the Methodist Church basement last Sunday evening at six o'clock with R.T. Caperton substituting for Mrs. Finis Westbrook for the evening.

Present were Jodie Green, Jackie and Elizabeth Cole, Janet Westbrook, Lynda Allen, Nathan Weeks, Jeannine Jones and Jacque Caperton.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE TELEVISION SERIES BEGINS

A television series recording documented cases of how prayer has healed sickness and how it solves other problems has been released by the Christian Science Church. The local church is sponsoring broadcasts of the series over KTXL-TV each Sunday at 2:15 p.m.

Two guests talk of their religious experiences on each 15 minute program. A moderator gives brief comments. The program is running on eleven TV stations over Texas.

SCHOOL LUNCHROOM MENUS FOR NEXT WEEK

MONDAY, MARCH 12
Meat Balls, Buttered Rice
Candied Sweet Potatoes
Green Salad, Rolls
Sliced Pineapple, Cookies

TUESDAY, MARCH 13
Steak and Gravy
String Beans and New Potatoes
Buttered Corn, Sliced Apple
Biscuits, Marble Cake

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14
Hot Dogs, Pinto Beans
Buttered Spinach
Combination Salad
Apricot Rolls

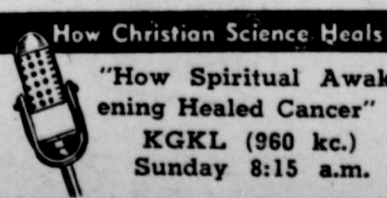
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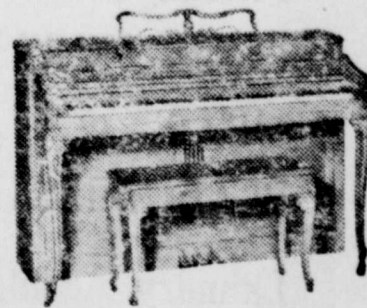
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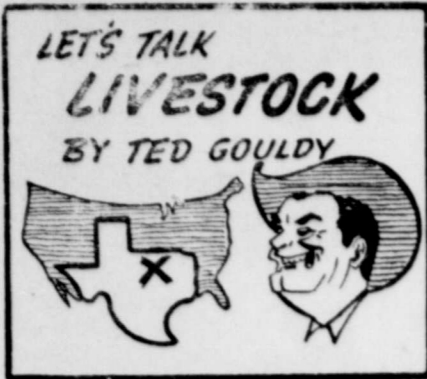
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NEW MEAT PRODUCTION RECORD SEEN FOR 1956

FORT WORTH—The Livestock and Meat situation, a review prepared and bearing approval of the Outlook and Situation Board, USDA had some figures in their end-of-February sizeup of the livestock business that served to dampen the hopes of any tremendous price improvements in 1956.

Inventory of meat animals, the report said, is up two per cent from a year ago. Based on this inventory total livestock slaughter and meat production in 1956 are expected to advance to another new high.

Significant items are two per cent more beef calves on farms and 14 per cent more steers! Estimated number of steers on January 1, 1956 was 9,644,000 against 8,444,000 a year ago.

Hogs on farms are 9 per cent above a year ago. Most of the increase due to the big Fall pig crop of 1955, which means these hogs will be marketed during 1956.

CATTLE RUNS TAPER, BUT HOGS RUSH TO MARKET!

When the Monday estimates were received in Fort Worth the 12 major markets had 10,000 fewer cattle than a week earlier, but the market circle reported over 108,000 hogs. This big hog run was a surprise and tilted prices lower at most points.

At Fort Worth cows, bulls, slaughter calves and feeder classes of cattle and calves were fully steady. Some stockers were unevenly higher, quality considered. However, beef steers, yearlings and heifers were steady to weak.

Comparative prices: Good and choice beef steers and yearlings \$14.50—18.00, some club cattle to \$19.50. Common and medium sorts \$11.00—14.50. Fat cows \$7.00—11.00. Canners and cutters \$7.00—11.00. Bulls \$10.00—14.50. Good and choice fat calves \$16.00—18.50; medium and lower grades \$11.00—15.50. Stocker steer calves \$14.00—19.00; steer yearlings \$18.00 down; stocker cows \$10.00—13.00. Some stocker

heifer calves \$17.00 down. HOGS WEAKER TO 25c LOWER; SOWS STEADY TO WEAK

Choice butcher hogs cashed at \$12.25 to \$12.75 at Fort Worth Monday. Less desirable butcher weights and grades drew \$10 to \$12. Sows cashed at \$8.50 to \$10. SHORT PELT LAMBS WEAKER; EWES SELL 50c HIGHER

Opening day's trade Monday at Fort Worth saw shorn slaughter lambs sold on a slow and weaker basis. This reaction was not surprising, following the series of rising markets of the past ten days. Lambs of fresh shorn or No. 3 pelts were around 50 cents lower, and those with better skins were steady to 25 cents lower. Old ewes selling up to \$8.50 for slaughter were strong to 50 cents higher. Feeders were about steady.

Comparative prices: Good and choice No. 1 and Fall shorn pelt lambs, and a few full woolled fat lambs cashed at \$18 to \$18.50. No. 2 pelts sold around \$17 to \$17.50, and fresh or recently shorn pelts cashed at \$16 to \$16.50. Cull, common and medium slaughter lambs drew \$13 to \$16. Woolled feeder lambs topped at \$19, those at that figure being practically fat. Shorn feeders drew \$16 to \$17, longer pelts at the higher figure.

MANY PLAIN COWS DUE APRIL 13 IN SALE

Indications are that there will be sizeable numbers of plain stocker cows and pairs in the special distributional cow sale at Fort Worth April 13 Henry Elder, secretary of the Texas Hereford Association, reports that at recent sales and shows he has been contacted by several men who reported they planned to have some of that quality in the sale.

Glen Tole, secretary of the Texas Aberdeen-Angus Association reported interest among some Oklahoma and Louisiana stockmen with blacks and asked that out-of-state people be reminded they are welcome to enter any of the special stocker and feeder sales at the market.

All breeds are eligible to enter the special sale, and some crossbreeds featuring Brahman blood will be entered from East and South Texas, according to word from there.

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