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Behind The 8 Ball



DUST STORM HITS MONDAY

One of the worst dust storms hit here Monday. That is, it was the worst from the point of obscuring just about everything from view. Travelling with winds of about 50 miles an hour the dust rolled in and turned day into night immediately. Visibility was cut to a matter of a few feet at times. From the obscuring angle, it was probably the worst in the memory of local residents. Others have been accompanied by higher winds, and some have lasted longer, but this one was the worst to turn night into day or cut visibility the most.

Mrs. R. P. Brown, long-time resident said it was the worst one she could remember. She said one in 1918 was almost as bad, but not quite.

We were coming in from a trip to Fort Worth and along after we left Abilene, the wind was kicking up dust, especially around where there were plowed fields. The dust was kinda bad, and the head wind made driving a chore, but nothing to get worked up about. We turned on the car radio on KGKL, San Angelo, and they were talking about the terrible dust storm then in West Texas. We couldn't see anything to get excited about. We stopped at a station at Happy Valley. The station attendant said a man from Midland had just passed through there and said if anyone headed through there going to Midland, "Tell 'em don't"

We came on and somewhere between Coke Co. and here it hit. The day turned into night and our little girl, who was lying down in the back seat jumped up and the little boy said it looked like we were under water. All traffic had lights on bright—not to help see with—but let the other motorists see you. We slowly got home and felt right at home—back to the good old dusty West Texas—and away from the greenness of Northeast Texas.

It's high and dry—and dusty—and drouthy—out here—but it's home.

Nowhere else can a person get as much sand in his craw as out here.

CUB SCOUT PACK MEETING NEXT MONDAY

There will be a Cub Scout Pack meeting at the school Monday, the 9th, at 7:30 p.m. All boys between the ages of 8 and 11 and their parents are urged to be present. Mr. McKee from Big Spring will be present to show a film on Cubbing if as many as 20 adults are present.

Hal Knight, Jr., Texas Tech student, visited his parents here last week-end.

School Trustee Election Here Saturday

There will be an election to elect two trustees for the Sterling Independent School District here Saturday, April 7. Three names appear on the ballot as candidates.

Appearing on the ballot list are Foster S. Price, John Copeland, Jr., and Reynolds W. Foster. Price and Foster are already serving on the board—their terms are expiring. Copeland is a new candidate.

Voting will be held in the court house, with Mrs. Sterling Foster as election judge.

Harry Tweedle, 72, Buried Here Tuesday Afternoon

Funeral services for Harry Tweedle, 72, who lived in Sterling County for 67 years before he retired from ranching in 1953, was buried here Tuesday afternoon. He had died in a San Angelo hospital at 4:30 a.m. last Saturday.

Methodist pastor Rev. L. S. Dubberly officiated at the service that was held in the First Methodist Church. Burial was in the City Cemetery with Lowe Funeral Home and Johnson's Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Henton Emery and Pink Wilson of San Angelo, Foster Conger, Virgil Brownfield, Pink Russell, C. J. Copeland, Bill Green and Herbert Cope.

Survivors include the wife of San Angelo; two sons, Harry Tweedle, Jr. and Jack Tweedle, both of San Angelo; three daughters, Mrs. Warren C. Albert, living with her husband stationed near Tokyo; Mrs. Roy V. Hibbard of San Angelo and Mrs. Fred Nibling of Bryan; six grandchildren and one great grand child.

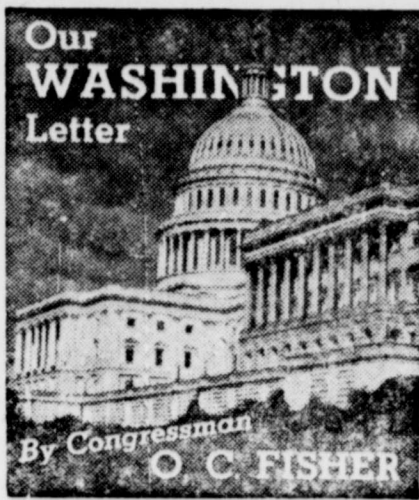
Born in Brown County Dec. 2, 1883, Mr. Tweedle accompanied his family to Sterling County when he was two years old.

A rancher here, and in Coke and Glasscock Counties for decades, Mr. Tweedle sold most of his interests when a combination of the drouth and heart trouble limited his operations. He and Mrs. Tweedle retired to a stock farm at Iredell in Bosque County but an attack of pneumonia and complications brought a return to West Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Tweedle moved to their Angelo home in October 1955.

He was the oldest living member of the Methodist church here.

Harry had been hospitalized following another heart attack three weeks ago.

Harry served as sheriff here for awhile in 1908. He never failed to have a good joke ready to tell and was known as about the earliest riser in Sterling. He would go to bed early and get up between midnight and dawn.



NIKITA KRUSHCHEV, Russia's No. 1 leader, has taken on quite an order in attempting to squash the Stalin-hero myth. Anyone who has traveled in Russia can testify to that fact. Dicator Joe was anything but modest about carving his name and likeness in those many-splendored ways to remind the comrades of his place in the Communist sun.

It has been well known for years that Stalin, in his later years, was the most hated man in Russia—by those in the upper echelon in particular. And he was feared and dreaded by the masses. I asked Ambassador Bohlen in 1914 about the Party Chief's efforts then to play down Joe's alleged greatness. "It can be likened to Ecuadorian head-shrinkers", he replied. "They are not ready to destroy the head yet, but they're busy reducing the size of it."

Now that Stalin has become a monster in the new Red line, it is only logical to assume all reminders of his alleged greatness will be purged. And that's where the big order comes in. There are literally thousands of huge statues of Joe in every public building and park in the USSR, and in many of the satellites. Even more massive paintings of his likeness.

Will they pull down the largest statue of Stalin, larger than the Statue of Liberty, which towers more than a hundred feet high at the entrance of the Volgodon River canal above Stalingrad?

And while they're at it, will they change the name of Stalingrad? And, speaking of Stalinized landmarks, what about Stalinski, Stalinsk, Stalinsko, Stalinabadski, Stalinski, and Stalinova?

Will they move the body of the Soviet man of steel from the side of Lenin in the common tomb in Red Square?

Other historic mementoes that Krushchev must worry about include Stalin Peak, Stalin Dam, Stalin Gulf. And so, on and on and on. I wonder what they'll do with those smaller statues of Stalin you see in the nurseries, depicting the tyrant looking affectionately into the face of a small child perched on his knee?

It'll be no small task—that of removing the reminders. If old Joe had been a bit more modest about perpetuating his place in the Communist solar system he would have saved his co-worker in crime—Nikita—a lot of trouble today.

A good question being asked is: why this sudden switch? My own guess is that it's prompted by a scheme, to be fully exploited, to make the world think the new rulers have good intentions. And it's probably a popular line at home. There were millions who have never been sold on that hero stuff.

The thing to remember is: These men who now denounce Stalin as a monster a very few years ago were his willing hatchet men and loyal agents in an era of murder and tyranny unmatched (except perhaps for a time by Hitler) in modern world history. The blood still drips from the fingers of these Johnny-come-lately harbingers of alleged good will and crusaders against crime. They will do to watch.

Mrs. William Foster, Mrs. Lester Foster, Mrs. Lee Augustine and Bill, Mike and Wayland Lee Foster spent last Thursday and Friday in Ft. Worth. They took in the Ice-capers, the zoo and the children's museum while there.

Marine Sergeant Reenlists

Marine Sgt. Tommie Cole, son of Mrs. Agnes Cole, has reenlisted in the U. S. Marines. He and his family are here on a leave visiting his mother. They got here Thursday morning of this week.

Mrs. Martin C. Reed and Jodie Emery visited Mims Carl Reed at N.M.I. at Roswell, New Mexico last week-end.

Good Rains Thursday

HOSPITAL NOTES

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

Mrs. John Brock
Neill Munn
Mrs. Neal Reed
Mrs. G. C. Murrell
Graydon Neal Murrell
Nancy Bengé
Mrs. J. W. Lydia
Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Glass
Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week include—
Mrs. Travis McCarty
Mrs. L. H. Johnson
Vicki McCabe
Mrs. Bill Brown and infant daughter Sherri Beth
Chris Bengé
John Balderaz
Mrs. Herbert Cope
Kathy Cope

Wimodausis Club Has Conservation Program

The Wimodausis Club had a program on conservation at its meeting Wednesday in the community center. In a panel discussion Mrs. N. H. Reed discussed "God Left the Challenge in the Earth." Mrs. H. L. Hildebrand spoke on "The Romance of Gems and Precious Stones." She had a display of birthstones for each month of the year. Mrs. Ralph Bynum discussed "Petroleum in Your Life or What Oil Means to You."

Mrs. Harvey Glass reported on the recent district convention in San Angelo. Mrs. Hildebrand and Miss Ethel Foster were elected delegates to the general convention in Kansas City, Mo. in May.

The next meeting will be held in the school auditorium on April 18 at 2:45 p.m. at which time Dr. Eugene Harris will speak on "Footprints of God in Body, Mind and Soul." This is a mental health program. The public is invited to attend.

Hostesses during the tea hour Wednesday were Mrs. Foster Conger and Mrs. O. M. Cole.

Others besides those already named above included Mrs. R.P. Brown, Mrs. Frank Cole, Mrs. Lester Foster, Mrs. R. T. Foster, Mrs. T. F. Foster, Mrs. E. F. McEntire, Mrs. J. C. Reed and Mrs. Roy Morgan.

P.T.A. Next Thursday

The Sterling City Parent Teacher Association meets next Thursday evening in the school auditorium at 7:30 o'clock.

Chief speaker for the evening will be Dr. C. L. Yarborough, superintendent of the Snyder Schools. He will talk on "The Family Builds Sound Bodies."

The Rev. C. B. Stovall, Baptist pastor, will give the invocation. The entertainment will be by the 1st, 2nd and 3rd grade Latin-Americans.

President Wayne Zuck urges that a good crowd attend to hear the visiting speaker.

School Lunchroom Menus

- MONDAY, APRIL 9
Fried Ham, Baked Potatoes
Mixed Vegetables, Cabbage and Apple Salad
French Rolls, Butter Cake
- TUESDAY, APRIL 10
Hamburger Patties, Pinto Beans
Buttered Spinach, Onion Rings
Rolls, Strawberry Shortcake
- WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11
Salmon Croquettes
Baked Sweet Potatoes
Blackeyed Peas
Vegetable Salad
Cornbread
Cocoanut Pie
- THURSDAY, APRIL 12
Fried Chicken and Gravy
Creamed Potatoes
Buttered Peas, Mixed Salad
Rolls
Cherry Tarts with Whipped Cream
- FRIDAY, APRIL 13
Barbecued Pork
American Fried Potatoes
String Beans
Vegetable Salad
Cornbread Rolls
Apple Pie

Bill Swann and Kent Jones, both students at Texas University, were visiting in Sterling with their parents last week-end.

April, true to its tradition, delivered the first decent rain of the year here Thursday. Rain began falling at 6 o'clock Thursday morning and over an inch fell here in town before eleven o'clock. The overcast skies and dripping drizzles promise more fall before quitting.

With the low rainfall of the last several years, much will be needed to bring out grazing and ground cover over this part of West Texas. Normally spring and fall rains are the ones that West Texans can count on, and the rain Thursday offered a ray of hope for somewhat a normal year—as regards rainfall.

The wind was from the east as the rain began, but quickly shifted to the north west. Fall was intermittent throughout the morning.

Some hail was reported down on the March Bros. ranch near Water Valley and good rains were reported in all directions from Sterling.

Lions Club Luncheon

The Lions Club met at the community center Wednesday noon for the regular weekly luncheon.

Harry C. Lawson was a new member and Rev. C. B. Stovall was a guest.

Secretary L. S. Dubberly reported that the sale of the Blind Caravan products last week totaled \$437, and the club netted \$136 from the sales.

Henry Bauer, Roll Call chairman for the Red Cross drive, reported that \$200 had been turned in by the workers so far. The county's quota is \$600 he said.

R. T. Caperton told of the Cancer Crusade that was coming up right away. The drive for funds will be under the direction of Caperton and Mrs. J. Q. Foster.

Horace Donaldson said he had information that the trains would be on the twice-a-week schedule next week on. He said the trains would leave Sterling City each Tuesday and Saturday mornings.

A letter from the Soil Conservation District supervisors thanking the club for making possible the award for the outstanding conservationist in this district was read by the secretary. The letter was from Bob Mims, and the other supervisors.

President Rufus W. Foster named the nominating committee to work up the new slate of officers for next year. He named H. A. Chapple, Bill Green and Boots Williams.

G. C. MURRELL AWARDED TREASURY MEDALLION

Mr. Nathan Adams and Mr. Ed Gossett, State Savings Bonds Co-Chairmen, announced today that G. C. Murrell of Sterling City, County Savings Bond Chairman for Sterling County has received the Treasury's 100% Club Medallion in recognition of his outstanding patriotic service to the Savings Bond Program. During 1955 Sterling County achieved 139.0% of its quota.

The Medallion is made of silver and was designed by a master engraver and struck at the Treasury's Philadelphia Mint. The front bears the figure of the Minute Man, the Treasury seal and the wording "U. S. Treasury Award." The reverse side carries the inscription "For Patriotic Service—U. S. Savings Bond Program." Also engraved on it are Mr. Murrell's name and the year.

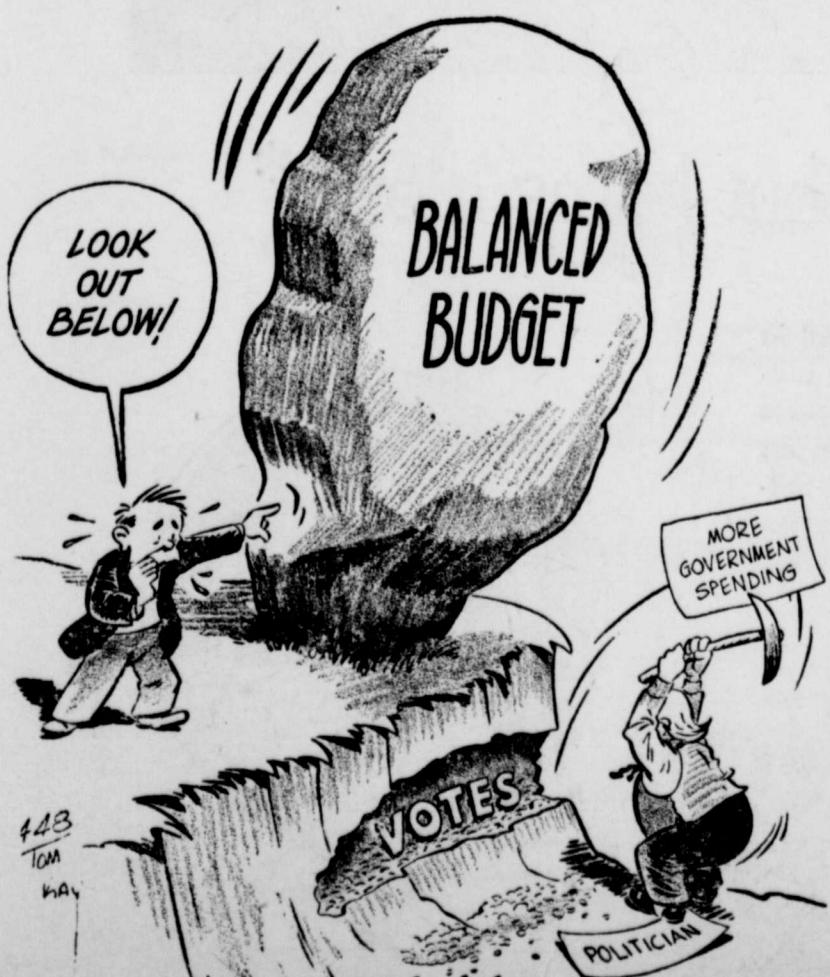
"The people of Sterling County are to be congratulated," said Mr. Adams, "for their joint contribution to personal thrift and to a sound national economy. Where people have good thrift habits, there is a progressive community with a sound economy."

Mr. Gossett said "The Medallion is but a small token of the Treasury Department's appreciation to Mr. Murrell, a person who has put service above self to further a program that is vital to his fellow citizens, his community and his nation."

Jenny Ruth Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Davis and student in T.C.U. at Fort Worth, was home last week-end for the Easter holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Duecker of San Antonio, parents of Mrs. Harry Lawson, visited the Lawsons, and Mrs. Duecker stayed for a week's visit. Mr. Duecker left for home on Monday.

THE AMERICAN WAY



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The main reason a dollar won't do as much for people as it once did is because people won't do as much for a dollar as they once did.
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**CHOICE MEAT TYPE HOGS
SCARCE, PRICES STEADY**

FORT WORTH—Very few of the top type meat hogs were included in Monday's offering at Ft. Worth, making it difficult for salesmen to press for a higher market despite the smaller runs around the market circle.

Prices were fully steady to strong and top meat type butchers scored \$15.00—15.25; with less desirable

weights and grades \$12.00—14.50; and butcher pigs \$10.00—11.50. Cows drew \$9.00—12.00. Stags sold at \$5.00—6.00.

**CURRENT REPORTS INDICATE
CORN BELT PIGS MORE SCARCE**

Farmers in Corn Belt states are reported cutting back pig production more than earlier intentions. This helps the price outlook for the year ahead. A special USDA March 1 survey indicates a spring pig crop seven percent under a year ago. This compares with the December estimate of a drop of 4% in spring pigs.

**SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES
FIRM; STOCKERS UNEASY**

Fat steers and yearlings were steady to strong at Fort Worth, some yearlings and heifers selling better again. Seasonal improvement in fat cattle is being helped by continuance of tapering off of supplies in the North. Cows ruled steady. Fat calves were steady to stronger.

Stockers are feeling the pinch of the dry weather, thin kinds with quality are steady. Others are tending lower. Corn Belt outlets are still bearish in view of the losses during the past feeding season.

Comparative prices included: Fed steers and yearlings, good to choice \$16.00-19.00; heifers \$17.50 down. Plain to medium yearlings \$12.00—15.50. Fat cows \$11.50—13.00, some heiferish kinds higher. Canners and cutters \$7.50—11.50. Bulls \$10.00—14.50, few higher. Good and choice slaughter calves \$16.00—20.50; cull to medium sorts \$11.00—15.50. Stocker steer calves \$20.00 down; light yearlings \$18.50 down; heavier yearlings \$17.00 down; stocker cows \$9.00—13.00.

**STOCKER COW EVENT SALES
BY DOLLARS, OR BY POUNDS**

Glen Tole, secretary of the Texas Aberdeen-Angus Association and Henry Elder, secretary of the Texas Hereford Association, report considerable interest in the April 13 stocker cows and pairs distribution sale slated for the Fort Worth Stockyards. They say buying and selling interest are about equally divided.

Salesmen at the market will price or sell the animals either by the dollars per head, or sell them by the pound. Whichever way the seller or the buyer wants it done. In the event they are sold by the head or by the dollars, the cattle will cross the scales for purposes of making a verified count and no weight will be stamped on the scale ticket.

**STOCKYARDS MAN HEADS
MARKET INSTITUTE**

W. L. (Bill) Joyce, assistant manager of Fort Worth Stockyards, was elected president of the Ft. Worth Market Institute at the annual meeting March 29 in Fort Worth. New directors chosen were W. L. Pier; R. M. Noble; M. Z. Thompson; Carl Engleman; Homer Andrew and Roy Boswell.

The new special stocker and feeder sale committee of the Texas Hereford Association attended the meeting. This group includes Ferd Slocum, Cresson; D. G. Talbot, Ft. Worth; Herman Carr, Weatherford; Charles Scaling, Ft. Worth and Clay County; Jack Idol, Benjamin, and Henry Elder.

Scaling reported the buyer of the pen of 20 steers his son, George Scaling, had as champions in one of the shows held at the Stockyards last year had written him that

he is coming back to Texas for more good one and bringing some friends. This buyer was Sam Tupper, of Mississippi, and he paid \$24 for the load. He swept all classes at the Hinds County Stock Show in Mississippi and some of the group were one-two in the various classes. He likes Texas cattle sure enough now!

**BEEF FOR FATHER'S DAY
DAY IS COWBELLE'S AIM**

The Cowbelle's, the ladies auxiliary of the American National Cattlemen's Association is alerting the country again this season to the Beef for Father's Day program. Father's Day is June 17, and the Cowbelle's maintain that the guy who foots the bills around the house is entitled to BEEF on HIS special day! Tell 'em how you want it, Pop

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STRICTLY FRESH

MESS hall at Fort Belvoir, Va., has been equipped with hi-fi radio units "to enhance meal-time atmosphere." Translation: to drown out the sound of chomping by hundreds of molars.

District of Columbia board of education recently declared a holiday which will be observed when the circus hits town. The theory is that children won't have to cut classes to attend the matinee. Someone's always taking the fun out of things.

Radio Moscow announces that Russia will play host to 4,500,000 tourists in 1956, many of whom



will visit Siberia. Nothing was said about a round-trip ticket.

Lady called up Internal Revenue office in Knoxville, Tenn., and asked, "Do you figure sales tax on the dollar or on the gallon?" Hung up. Agents are wondering: whisky or gasoline?

Thieves in Grand Rapids, Mich., are going to get a big bang out of their latest batch of booty. They stole five good-looking tires which were returned to a tire firm because of internal defects.

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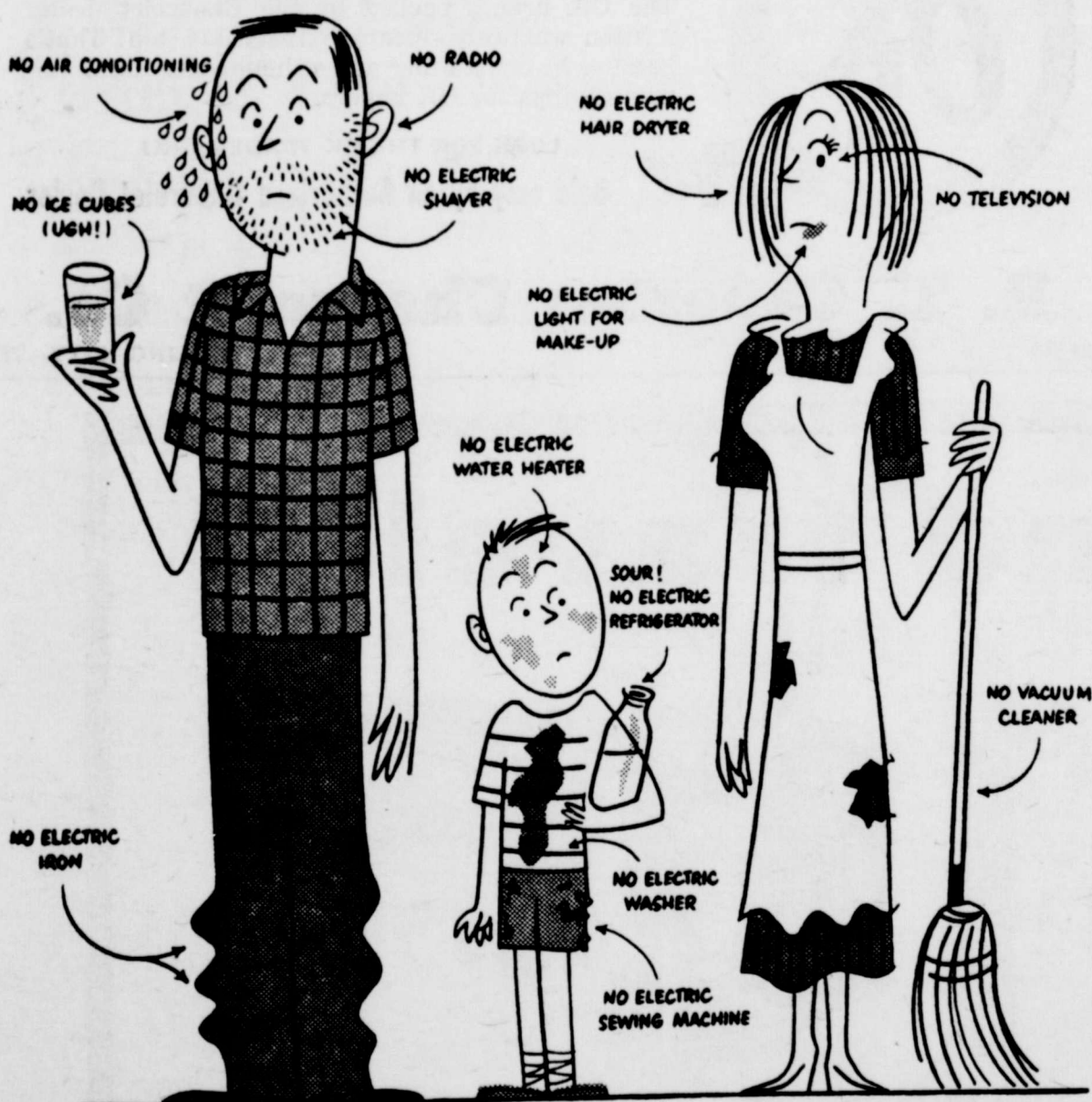


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Britain's Royal Aero Club has announced that test pilot Peter Twiss has captured the world speed record, flying a delta-wing jet, the Fairey Delta 2, over a measured course at an average 1,132 miles per hour.

"Conservative" is the word for Meredith, N.H. Only recently did town fathers order removal of the last two hitching posts in the business district.

Sen. Alben W. Barkley (D-Ky) has been named to head the Democratic Senatorial Campaign Committee during this election year.

USS Forrestal, world's mightiest aircraft carrier, is slated to take her place with the fleet by the end of November. Her first assignment will be with the U.S. Sixth Fleet in Mediterranean waters, according to her skipper, Capt. Roy L. Johnson.

Farmer near Rock Hill, Conn., owns a Guernsey named "Hairy-ette," which recently gave birth to two hairless heifers. Only one in some 100,000,000 cows is born hairless, according to veterinarians' estimates.

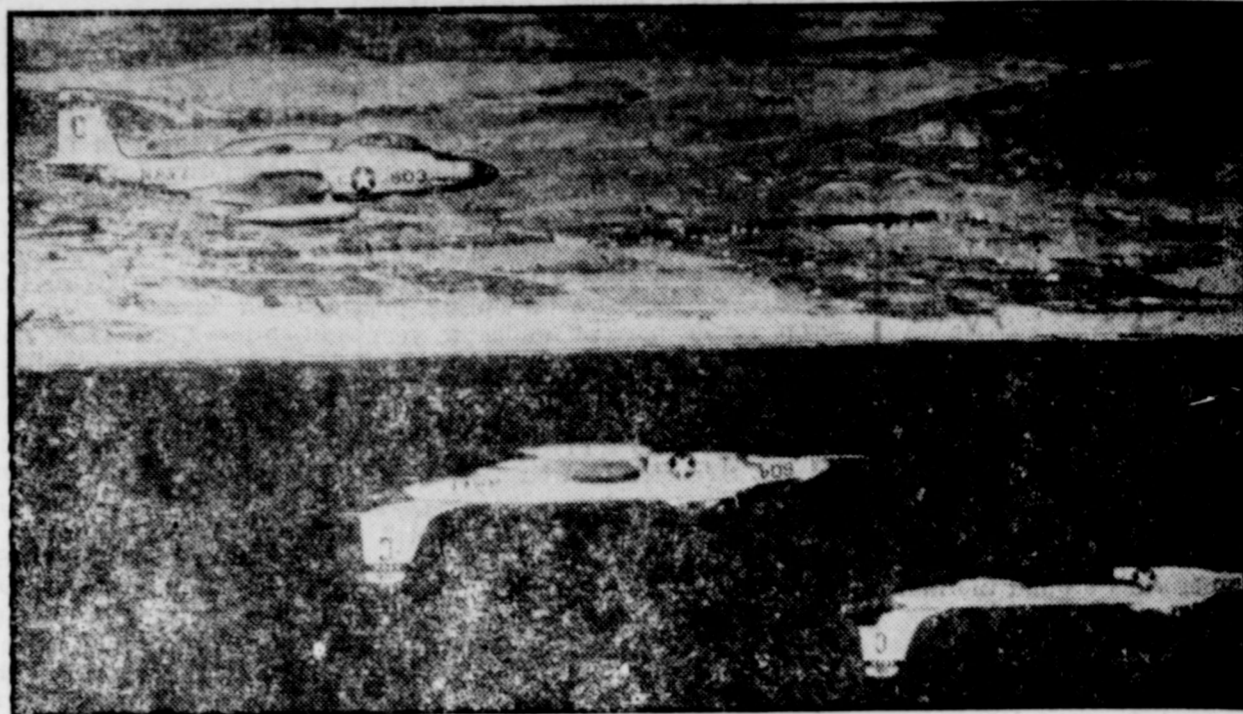


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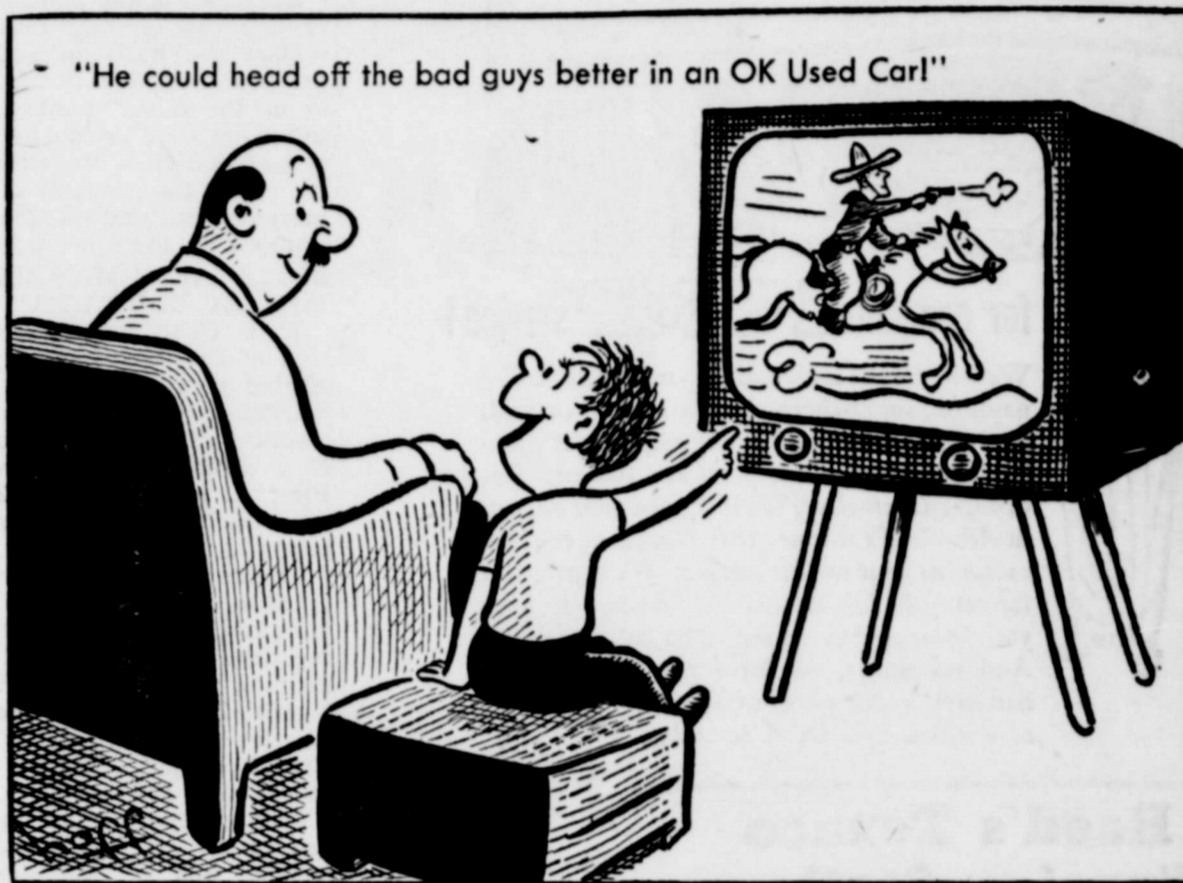
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DOUBLE TAKE—That's what officers took when viewing this picture showing a highly unusual formation of US Navy Banshee jets as it skirted the coast of Spain during Mediterranean maneuvers. Picture resulted when a double exposure was made inadvertently by crew of a Navy photo plane after camera position had been changed from left to right oblique position.



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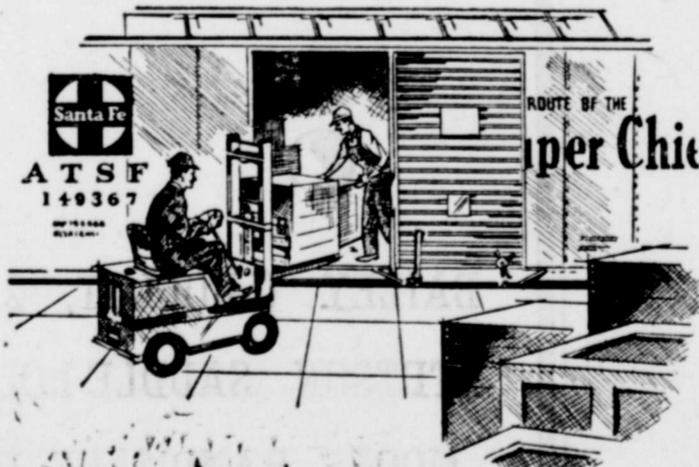
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The 3,000 year old city of Damascus, generally accepted as the oldest continuously inhabited community in the world, welcomes the foreign tourist with a curious blending of the ancient as typified by its skyline of minarets and the modern as exemplified by its network of broad boulevards.


As the gateway to the vast Syrian desert and a terminal for the caravan trade from the East for centuries, the Oasis of Damascus was created and is sustained by the Barada River, known to history as the "River of Gold." So lush is its vegetation that some Arabs regard it as the site of the Garden of Eden, and Mohammed the Prophet, viewing its flowing waters from afar, is reputed to have refused to visit it for fear it would spoil him for Paradise.

Damascus has been the capital city of many a dynasty and is at present the capital of the Syrian Republic with a population of about 400,000. Old as it is and preserving the ancient touch in certain quarters, new Damascus enjoys some modern construction which is equal in beauty, architecture and sanitation to any city in the world.

The foremost attraction in Damascus is the Omayyad Mosque which, at one time, was the Temple of Hadad, "an Aramean God." Later transformed into the Temple of Jupiter, in the 4th Century it was turned into a church of St. John the Baptist and four centuries later Caliph Walid first converted it to the present Mosque.

This typical oriental Mosque is stilling for its vast pillars and beautiful byzantine mosaic decorations. The Tomb of Saladin, Saracen conqueror of the Christian Crusaders, is perhaps the most compelling sight in the neighborhood of the Mosque.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

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Finally, Buck hit on the obvious solution. He just made a deal with the hotel switchboard operator that whenever she called them she'd use two

long rings and a short—their party-line signal back home. From where I sit, our own familiar routines tend to make other ways of doing things seem strange. That's natural. For instance, if you've always had ice water with your meals, you might think it's odd that lots of us prefer a bottle of beer at dinner-time. I say you've a right to your own customs . . . but don't call mine wrong.

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METHODIST CHURCH

The Commission on Education will meet Sunday evening at 6 o'clock to plan the work of the Sunday School and elect officers and teachers for the Vacation Church School that will be held this summer.

The pastor will preach on the subject "Who Are We" at the morning worship service next Sunday. The time for the evening service has been moved up to 7:30 instead of the usual 7:00 p.m.

The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet Sunday evening at 6:45.

Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church will begin a new study entitled "The Christian Mission in a Revolutionary World" on Monday, April 9 at 2:45 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Roy Foster with Mrs. Harvey Glass as associate hostess. All women who are interested in this study are invited to attend. This will be the first of four sessions.

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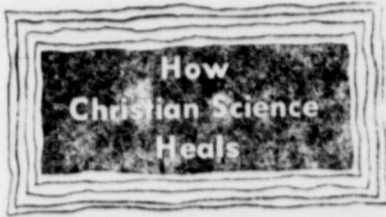
The Methodist Youth Fellowship met last Sunday evening in the basement of the church for the regular meeting and program. A covered dish supper was held before the program.

Present were Jacque Caperton, Lynda Allen, Janet Westbrook, Jodie Green, Jackie and Elizabeth Cole, Jim Davis, and Willene Glass. Mrs. Finis Westbrook is sponsor.

NOTICE—Demolition work will start Monday April 9th on the Owens-Bagwell Furniture Store and YWCA buildings, 415-421 W. Texas Ave., Midland, Texas. Building materials and fixtures will be sold on the job site at bargain prices. Flooring, sheathing, 2x4's, 2x6's, 2x8's, 2x12's, pipe, plumbing, plate glass, doors, brick and brick fill. Ask for our foreman at the furniture store starting Monday April 9. TED HALL WRECKING CO.

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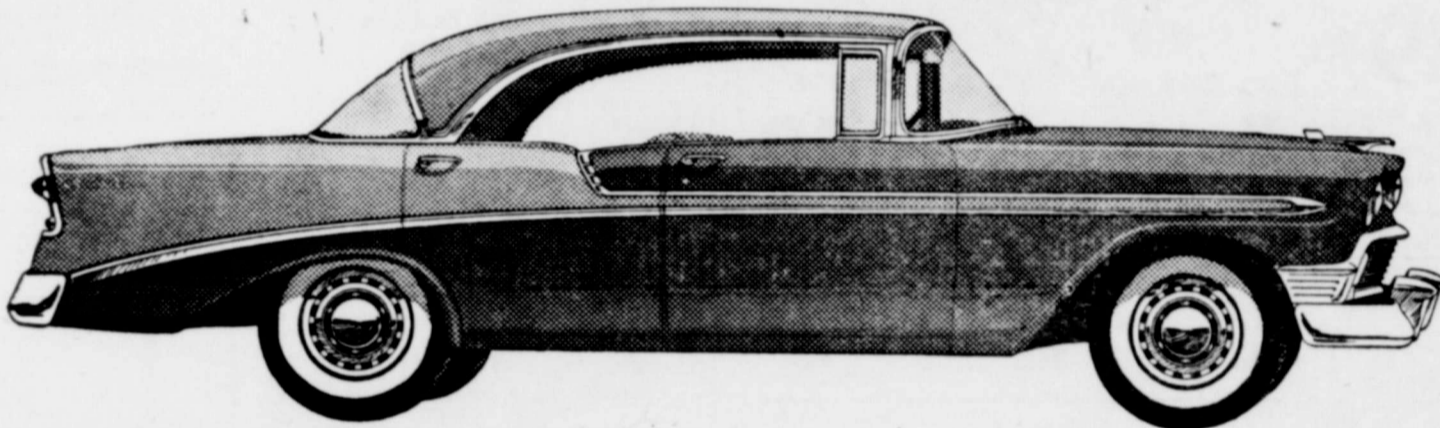
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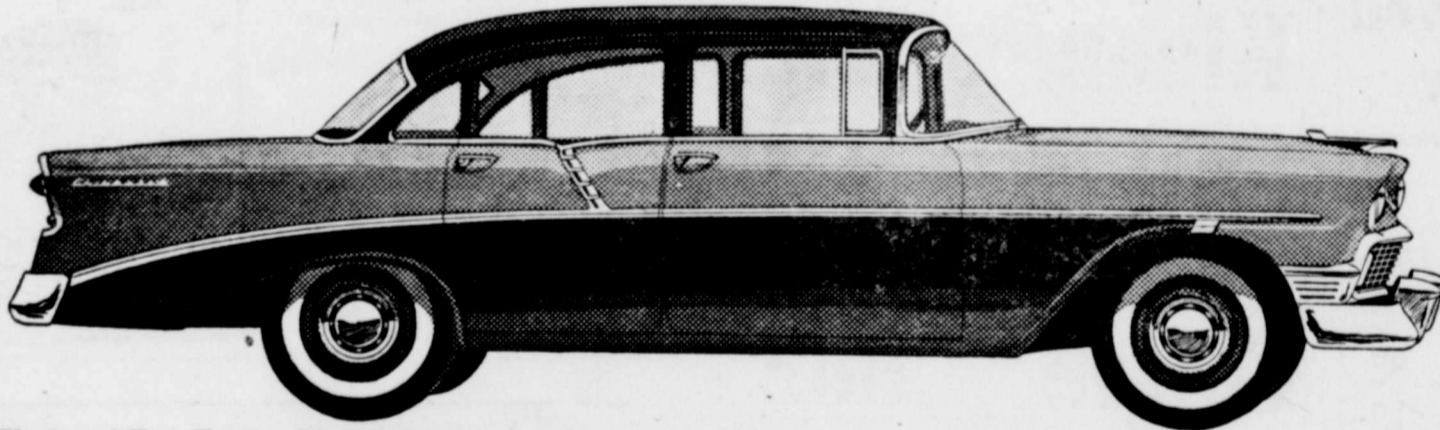
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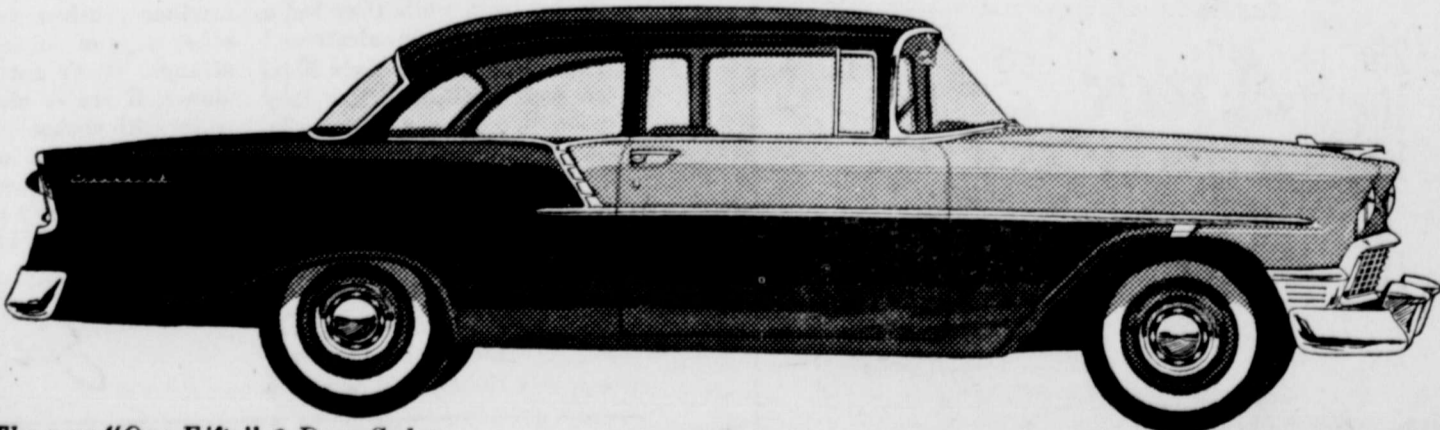
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