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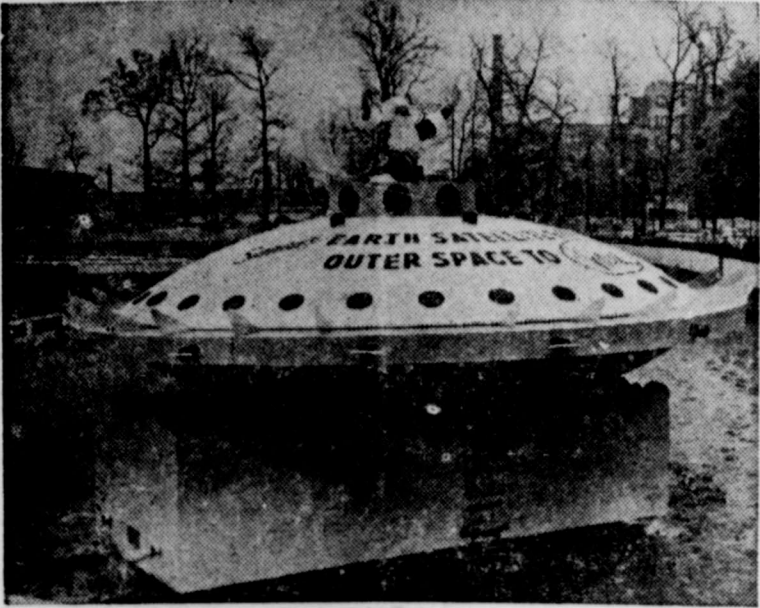
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MODERN VEHICLE . . . We don't think the reindeer and sleigh will ever be replaced, but the jolly old gent shown above appears to have dropped out of space via an earth satellite. He probably only wanted to show the modern generation that he was "on the ball." Come Christmas night, it's a safe bet he will return to his familiar and long-honored method of transportation.



LETTERS TO SANTA CLAUS

Dear Santa Claus,
Please bring me a Winchester saddle rifle and a fibre glass bowl. Bring me a football helmet. Please bring my brother the same thing and bring my mother a new coat, and my father a new suit.
That's all.

Love,
James Field

(From pupils in Mrs. King's First Grade)

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Tiny Tear Doll and a set of dishes. Please bring my brother a BB gun and a train set. That's all.

Love,
From Terry Seago

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Tiny Tear doll and some Mama Rose dishes. Please bring my brother an electric train and a single shot 22.

Love,
From Sally Mixon

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a ballerina doll and a bicycle. Please bring my sister a little piano.

Love,
Susan Terry

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a big doll, a teddy bear and a bicycle.

Love,
Carolyn Barron

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Tiny Tear doll and a bicycle. Bring my father a pair of shoes. Bring my sister a dress. Bring my mother a pair of ear rings. Bring my friend, Terry, an ironing board. I want an ice box and a stove. Bring Mrs. King a set of ear rings too.

Love Santa,
Barbara Carper

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Baby Jenny Doll and some clothes for her. Bring my little brother a little cowboy doll. Bring my mother a pair of hose and my father a pair of socks.

Love,
Janis

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a baby doll, and a buggy. Bring my brother a BB gun and a knife.

Love,
Vicki Potts

Dear Santa Claus,
Please bring me a big buggy and please bring me a big doll. Bring my sister a dress and my brother some socks, my mother a slip and my daddy a suit.

Love,
Nola Gaye Stewart

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a dump truck and a baseball glove and a baseball. That's all. Bring my mother a slip and ear rings and bring my daddy a suit. Bring Linda a baby doll and a bicycle, and a dress for the baby. Bring Denise a baby doll and roller skates.

Love dear Santa,
David Turner

Dear Santa,
Bring me a bicycle and bring James an electric train. Bring me a pellet gun and a jump truck. Bring my daddy a pair of shoes, a coat, and some pants. Bring me a train and a piggy bank. Bring John a pellet gun, a 22 rifle and a 22 pistol.

David Cooney

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a jack in the box, roller skates and a Tiny Tear doll. Please bring my mother some ear rings and a slip. Bring my father some shoes. Bring my brother a cowboy suit.

Love dear Santa,
Kathy Atkins

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SIGNS OF CHRISTMAS

The appearance of holiday decorations on streets and in windows of stores and homes is a sure sign, but there are also other ways to tell that Christmas is not too far away. You can count the days until Christmas on your fingers when:

Department store clerks are "extra" friendly and courteous. Strangers begin to smile and speak to you on the street.

Children never fail to say "Sir" and "Ma'am."

The bus driver sees you running—and waits an extra minute. The grouchy neighbor across the street smiles and waves as you go by.

Someone offers to help Mom do the dishes.

You find yourself suddenly feeling fine and looking at the world through rose colored glasses.

GOOD RAINS COVER COUNTY THIS WEEK

Slow rains have fallen over the county since last Saturday. The total here in town by Thursday morning was 2.10. Sprinkles and mist had dampened Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Some of the ranchers to the south of town reported more rain than had been received in town. When the city got a half inch Monday night, an an or more fell on places to the south.

The moisture broke a dry spell of over two months in this area, and were very welcome to the ranches.

Ainsworth Loses Cash in Break-in

Some one broke into C. C. Ainsworth's Phillips 66 Station here Monday night, getting away with 27.00 to 30.00 in silver or change. Clell said they kicked in a window and pried it up to get in.

Some teen age boys here on Monday night traded some silver for bills before taking a bus on to Midland, and they are the suspects in the case.

HOSPITAL NOTES

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

D. P. Glass
Fannie Copeland
Alva Morris
Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week include: Phoebe Owens
Luther Hallmark
Mrs. L. R. Reed

NEW ELECTION LAW DATA

By W.R. Brooks, Co. Judge
A timely warning to voters and prospective candidates alike is going out from party chairmen and election officials over the state, regarding the recent changes in the Texas Election Laws.

For all practical purposes, the dates of the primaries, which are tantamount to election in Texas, have been advanced by three months. The first thing a prospective candidate should keep in mind is that the time for filing his intention to become a candidate for office and the request to have his name appear on the ballot has been shortened also. The law now reads, "request by candidate to have name placed on ballot shall be filed not later than the first Monday in February preceding such primary." This means, literally speaking, that a candidate only has the month of January in which to file for a place on the ballot.

The date of the first primary has been advanced to the first Saturday in May, which is May 7, and the second primary is held on the first Saturday in June, which is June 4.

If you intend to attend either your precinct or county conventions, you are required to have a poll tax receipt which has been stamped by the election judge at the time you voted showing your party affiliation. All voters are reminded to take their poll tax receipt with them when they go to the polls. Voters also reminded that January 31, 1960 is the last day in which to obtain an exemption certificate or to pay poll taxes.

This is a general election year and many important state and national offices are to be filled in 1960, including both the office of governor and president. Let us make this truly a government of majority rule, renew your franchise on freedom and let the voice of the people be heard through the ballot boxes of this democracy and the whole world will listen.

PAY YOUR POLL TAX AND VOTE.



NOEL, NOEL . . . There is plenty of expression in the singing of these youngsters, members of the choir at a Washington, D. C., infant home.

Mistletoe Facts
Mistletoe traditions are said to have begun with the ancient Druids, who attributed great powers to the plant. It was supposed to keep away witches and prevent diseases, to encourage fertility and good luck. Mistletoe means "all heal."

Animals and Christmas
Possibly because animals have always been associated with the scene of the birth of the Child Jesus, children in some parts of France believe that animals are given the power to speak at midnight on Christmas Eve.

Trimming the Tree
The manner in which it is decorated can take away or add to the appearance of the most beautiful Christmas tree. Too often, the number of lights used to trim a tree is arrived at by guesswork and the results are disappointingly "spotty" or "lopsided." Professionals achieve good lighting effects by using this formula: Height of tree (in feet) x width of tree at base (in feet) x 3. If your tree is 6 feet high and 4 1/2 feet wide at the base, the formula goes like this: 6 x 4 1/2 x 3 = 81 lights for a good lighting effect.



CHRISTMAS CAROLERS . . .
In olden days, carolers were as much a part of the Christmas scene as holly and mistletoe and each year this custom of bringing the songs of the season from house to house is finding new popularity.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barbee and son Hull, of Richardson, and Mr. and Mrs. E.E. Barbee of Paris visited here last weekend. They visited the Horace Donaldsons and the E. L. Baileys.

In Case of Fire Dial 8-2121.

Football-Pep Squad Banquet Held Last Saturday

The annual football-pep squad banquet was held last Saturday night in the community center. About 135 persons attended the affair.

Football boys, pep squad girls, parents, teachers and board members and guests were present.

Jodie Green was master of ceremonies. Marion Hays gave the invocation and Mrs. O. T. Jones, president of the mothers club, welcomed the guests. Jeannine Jones responded for the pep squad and Danny Gonzales for the football boys.

A vocal selection was given by Janet Westbrook, Ann Hays, Bernetta Williams, Edna Davis and Barbara Clark. Accompanist was Willene Glass.

Miss Linda Slaughter, sponsor of the pep squad, gave a talk on 'pep squad patter.' Coach J. R. Dillard made a talk on playing field comments.

SAC Man Chief Speaker

Bill Jones of the San Angelo College made the chief talk of the evening. He reminded the youngsters that they should always regard football as a means to an end and not the end itself; that their parents were still their best friends and that one must not leave God out of his life.

Superintendent O. T. Jones introduced Mr. Jones.

Gifts were presented to Mr. Dillard by the football boys; to Mr. Jones by the students; to Miss Slaughter from the pep squad; to Danny Gonzales (football hero) from the pep squad and to Carolyn Payne (football sweetheart) from the boys.

Don McDonald, acting the part of Chester, played a role in "Ball Smoke." He got off some good cracks on the personalities present.

The menu consisted of tomato juice cocktail, turkey, dressing, gravy, fruit salad, creamed potatoes, green beans, German chocolate cake and iced tea or coffee. Members of the Epsilon Zeta club served the dinner.

The Sterling City Eagles wound up the season with a record of eight wins, one loss and no ties. Coach Dillard's boys lost only the game to the Forsan Buffaloes—the district winners.

The great use of a life is to spend it for something that outlasts it.

—William James

There is nothing more tragic in life than the utter impossibility of changing what you have done.

—John Galsworthy

City To Build New Chlorinator House

The city council met in the regular session Monday night. They voted to build a new chlorinator house near the city water well—to house the chlorinator in.

The paying of bills, the renewing of insurance and public loading zone designations made up the agenda.

It was reported that the arson reward notices had been put up over the city as required by the state insurance commission—in order to gain a reduction of fire insurance rates.

West Texas Utilities Rates Approval

Henry Batjer, area manager of the West Texas Utilities Company and Wayne Loury, local manager, met with the council and submitted for approval some rate changes.

The company proposed to reduce the rate on water heaters to a flat 1c per KWH on all regardless of the customer having a range.

Residential rates would be lowered on the block rate from 4c to 3c. The regular rates on the first 50 KWH will remain at 9c and 6c—the reduction will be only on that used over the first 50.

Commercial block rates are to be reduced from 3 1/2c to 3c. A space heater and heat pump rate would be offered at the 1c flat rate.

The company can and will put on a fuel clause adjustment of 17—1000 of a cent on each KWH in case the cost of gas to operate the turbines go up in the future.

The cost of a rise in the fuel to 16c over the present 14 1/2c (to the company) would be 2c per month to the average household bill of \$7, said Mr. Batjer.

LIONS RAISE \$250 AT XMAS AUCTION

The members of the Sterling City Lions Club held the annual Christmas auction at the Wednesday luncheon. Approximately \$250 was made at the auction, which will be used by the club for the usual Christmas boxes.

President Alvie Cole named a committee to work out the distribution. He named Dr. W. J. Swann, Earl Bailey, Horace Donaldson, Bill Brooks, Billy Crews.

Riley King acted as auctioneer for the club. The door prize went to a guest, Winn McClure.

Other guests present were Lee Reed, King, Mrs. H. A. Chapple, Mrs. Dally Nichols, Jake Martin and Bill McRee.

THE AMERICAN WAY

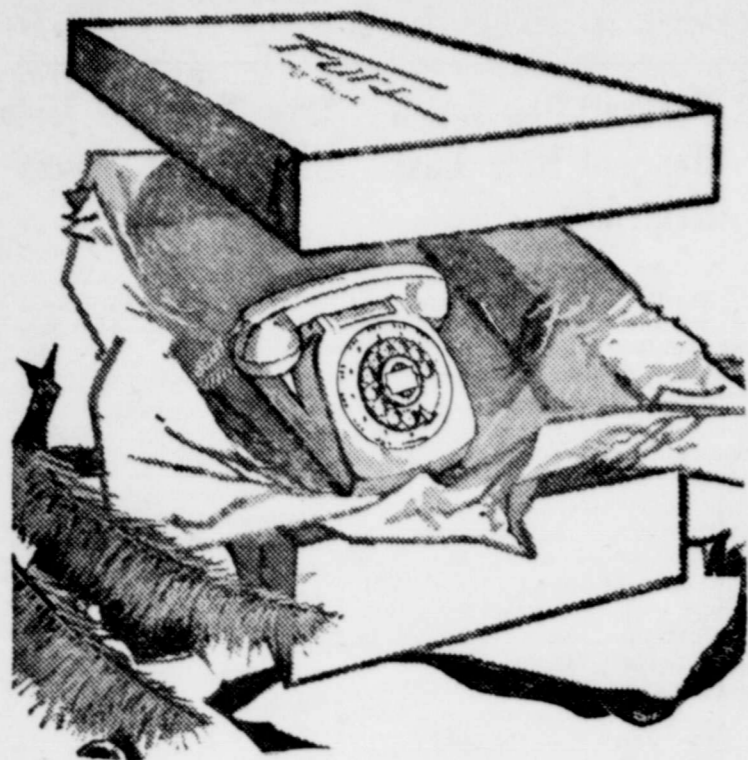


Sterling City Eagles Basketball Schedule 1959-60 EAGLES' BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Site	Boys	Girls	Time
Dec. 4	Mertzon	Th.	B&A	A	6:00
Dec. 11	Barnhart	Th.	A	A	6:30
*Dec. 15	Sands	H.	A	A	6:30
Dec. 17-18-19	Christoval Tourney				
Dec. 22	Mertzon	H.	B&A	A	6:00
Dec. 31, Jan. 1-2	Garden City Tourney	A&B	Boys, A	Girls	
Jan. 5	Barnhart	H.	A	A	6:30
*Jan. 8	Bronte	Th.	A	A	6:30
*Jan. 12	Forsan	H.	A&B	A	5:30
*Jan. 15	Robert Lee	Th.	A	A	6:30
*Jan. 19	Garden City	H.	A&B	A	5:30
*Jan. 22	Water Valley	Th.	A	A	6:30
*Jan. 29	Sands	Th.	A	A	6:30
*Feb. 2	Bronte	H.	A	A	6:30
*Feb. 5	Forsan	Th.	A&B	A	5:30
*Feb. 9	Robert Lee	H.	A	A	6:30
*Feb. 12	Garden City	Th.	A&B	A	5:30
*Feb. 16	Water Valley	H.	A	A	6:30

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CARD OF THANKS

I am so glad to be here to thank all of you for your kind thoughts, words, and prayers for my recovery. The many beautiful flowers, cards, letters, calls and visits have been sincerely appreciated.

Mac Bengé

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Mrs. Henry Merrell is in Woodsboro this week visiting a sister. Mrs. Bob Roberts. Mr. Roberts died last week and Mrs. Merrell attended the funeral services there.

The manner of giving shows the character of the giver, more than the gift itself.

—John Caspar Lavater

**What's Doing
in Churches**

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Asa Avant, Minister
Church school 10:00 a.m.
Morning worship 11:00 a.m.
MYF 6:00 p.m.
Evening worship 7:00 p.m.
Adult Choir Practice
Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Marion H. Hays, Minister
Bible school 10:00 a.m.
Morning worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Classes 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday: Ladies Bible
Class 9:00 a.m.
Wednesday Mid-Week
service 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Billy R. Crews, Pastor
Sunday school 10:00 a.m.
Morning worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
Wed. Prayer 7:30 p.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday school 10:00 a.m.
Morning worship 11:00 a.m.

Methodist Church

DR. LOWELL O. RYAN TO
PREACH SUNDAY MORN
FOR METHODISTS

Dr. Lowell O. Ryan, former pastor of the Methodist Church here, will preach at the Sunday morning service, it has been announced. Ryan is now a district superintendent south of here—the Kerrville District.

Christmas Program Sunday Night at 6:00 O'clock

The Methodist annual Christmas tree and program is to be held at the church basement Sunday night at six. No preaching service will be held that night.

Pastor Out of Hospital

The pastor, Asa Avant, who was hospitalized last week with a chest cold, was released earlier this week. He is doing as well as could be expected, said Mrs. Avant.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank everyone for the visits, cards, flowers, etc during Bramlett's long stay in the Shannon hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Allen and Stub

It is not good to refuse a gift.

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Beef Ribs lb. 29¢

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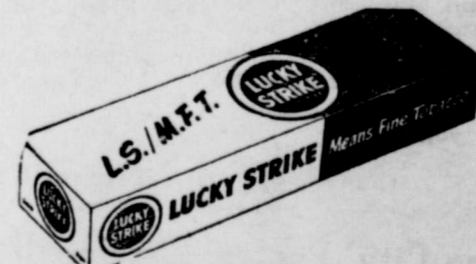
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Stub Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mud Allen is still in the Shannon Hospital in San Angelo. He underwent an operation on a hip recently and is still confined to the hospital.



LETTERS TO SANTA CLAUS

(From Mrs. Lane's 1st grade)

Dear Santa Claus:
I am Maria Arispo. I am six years old and in the first grade. Please bring me a doll, candy and some dishes.
I love you,
Maria

Dear Santa Claus:
I am Bill Bautista. I am six years old and in the first grade.
I want a red truck and some candy.
Love,
Bill

Dear Santa Claus
I am Jay Mata. I am eight years old and in the first grade.
I want a bicycle and a BB gun.
I love you
Jay Mata

Dear Sant Claus
I am Juanita Munoz. I am eight years old.
I want a bicycle. Please bring me a doll and candy.
I love you
Juanita Munoz

Dear Santa Claus
I am Johnny Rodriguez. I am seven years old and in the first grade.
Please bring me a BB gun and a bicycle.
Love
Johnny

Dear Santa Claus
I am Jessie Santos. I am eight years old and in the First grade.
Please bring me a doll and a bicycle.
I love you
Jessie

Dear Santa Claus:
I am Erlinda Arispe. I am nine years old and in the First grade.
Please bring me a doll and some dishes.
I love you
Erlinda

Dear Santa:
I am Lusilla Martinez. I am in the First grade.
When you come to see me and Sylvia Christmas bring us a play ground set with swings. We would like to have a doll too.
Love
Lusilla

Dear Santa:
I am Rachel Urista. Please bring me a doll and bicycle.
Love
Rachel

Dear Santa Claus:
I am Victor Estrado. I am six years old and in the First grade.
Please bring me a BB gun and a bicycle.
I love you,
Victor

Dear Santa Claus:
I am Roasalinda Munoz. I am ten years old and in the First grade.
I want a bicycle. Please bring me a doll and candy.
I love you
Rosalinda

Dear Santa Claus:
I am Juan Velasquez. I am eight years old and in the First grade.
I want a BB gun for Christmas.
I love you,
Juan

The D.P. Glass house and lots for sale. Inquire at the Sterling County Hospital.



AROUND THE COUNTY



ARTHUR BARLEMANN, JR. COUNTY AGENT

Forty-one 4-H Club boys and girls, their leaders, parents and Extension agents were guests of the West Texas Utilities Company at San Angelo Saturday for a luncheon. The luncheon honored the boys and girls who had won the highest county award in 4-H Club work-the Gold Star Award. Each year for the past three years, the company has been host for this luncheon in the Cotillion Room of the Town House Hotel.

Mitsy Davis and Clayton Stewart were the Sterling County winners of the award. They received the award, a gold plated pin in the form of the State of Texas with a raised gould star and the letters "AMC" for the A.M. College of Texas which sponsors the award through the Agricultural Extension Service, a part of the college, and a certificate.

Mrs. Ralph Davis, Vernon Stewart, and the county agent and Mrs. Barlemann also attended the luncheon. State Senator Louis Crump of San Saba was speaker. Sen. Crump told the boys and girls that even though only 11 percent of Texas' people lived on the farm, agriculture was still the second largest business in the state being outranked only by the oil business in income produced.

The annual meeting of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association in Austin last week was well attended by Sterling County people. Mr. and Mrs. E. F. McEntire, Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Cole, and Mr. and Mrs. Worth Durham were present for the entire three day session. Mr. McEntire and Mr. Cole are directors of the organization while Mr. Durham is an incoming director.

On Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds Foster, Reynolds Lee Foster and David Durham and the county agent went down for the Wednesday session. Reynolds Lee was one of the state winners last year in the 4-H Club range management award program sponsored by the organization while David is one of the winners this year. Reynolds Lee showed colored slides of some of the activities at range camp this year at Junction and made an excellent talk on his week's stay. David received a certificate from the group to attend the range camp next August. The scholarship to camp is the state award in the 4-H Club program sponsored.

Another interesting feature of the Wednesday morning session was the talk by Dr. R. C. Bushland of the Kerrville Experiment Station. Dr. Bushland is an entomologist at the station operated by the U.S. Department of Agriculture. He has worked on the screwworm control program for several years; this activity was the subject of his talk.

Dr. Bushland told how the screwworm control program had completely eradicated the screwworm from the island of Curacao off the coast of South America in a trial program. Then, the program was expanded and put into operation in Florida. Screwworm flies were raised in the laboratory, then subjected to irradiation which sterilized them, and then released. In this way, the population was cut down and in one year the screwworm had been eradicated from the control area in Florida. There has been one case of screwworms reported in the last six months in an area which normally has around 50,000 cases a month.

Dr. Bushland also outlined how a similiar program might be set up in Texas along the border or near the border since this is the area where screwworms prevail 12 months out of the year. He stated that such a program would cost around \$5 million and was still in the "idea" stage.

While in Austin, the group

visited the capitol and the new offices and chambers of the supreme court and attorney general. Worth Durham made arrangements for the group to see the new court building; Associate Justice Joe Greenhill showed the group the supreme court chambers, the judges' offices and the law library.

In the capitol, the group visited the House of Representatives and the Senate chambers. Chaplain Townsend of the House of Representatives showed the group around the house and made comments on the many valuable paintings in the house. The paintings concern Texas history and it's people.

In the capitol also, the group visited the governor's office. Governor Daniel was passing through his office from the conference rooms during our visit and shook hands with each of the group.

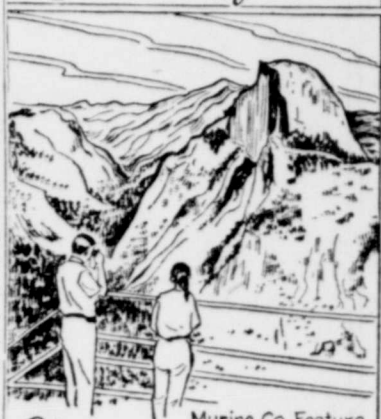
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Mrs. Jack Reeves visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Spraggins in Las Cruces, N.M. last week. Mr. Spraggins is a brother of Mrs. Reeves. While gone they went to Juarez, Mexico.

WANTED—Someone to do housework 2 mornings a week (Tues. and Fri. preferably.) Mrs. H.L. Bailey, ph. 8-2641.

SIGHT-SEEING QUIZ

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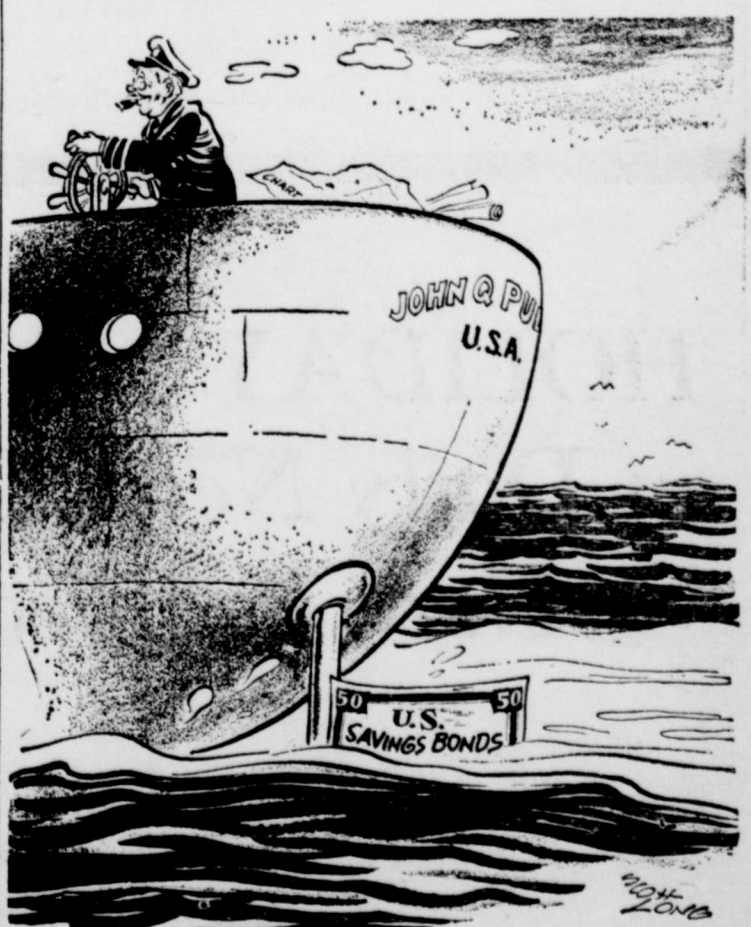
Casanova

Wait a minute, Dad. How can you forget so quickly? You're not *that* old. Remember your first date? Remember the first time you fell in love? How you suffered!

Sure, Junior ties up the phone. His conversation doesn't make sense to you. But he isn't talking to you. Don't drive him into secrecy by humiliating him.

And Junior: Have some consideration for your father. He might want to use the phone himself. Show him the same respect you expect to receive from him. Life is not a one-sided affair.

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by Scott Long Minneapolis Tribune

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Sterling City, Texas

Texas Tech Visitors

Joe Emery, Mickey Wiles and Ed Langston, students in Texas Tech, Lubbock, spent last weekend here visiting at the home of Mrs. Joe Emery. The boys went deer hunting at the Drennan ranch in Coke county and other hunting at the Foster ranch with Melvin and Marvin Foster and Wayne Drennan.

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Short and Sweet Treats

By Betty Barclay

IN fall, when days hum with added activities, turn to short-cut dessert recipes to help make the most of time spent preparing the evening meal. An easy-to-please Raisin Nut Pudding made with pudding and pie filling mix can be prepared in about fifteen minutes, and, when served as a sweet ending to the meal, will bring extra dividends of praise from the family.

Raisin Nut Pudding
1 package butterscotch pudding and pie filling mix; 2 1/2 cups milk; 1/2 cup cut raisins; 1/4 cup chopped walnuts.

Combine pudding mix and milk in saucepan. Then add raisins. Cook and stir over medium heat until mixture comes to a full boil. Remove from heat and add walnuts. Pour into sherbet glasses. Chill. Serve plain or with cream. Makes 5 or 6 servings.

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According to Ellington, if you are a working woman 62 or more or a man age 65 or older planning to retire, you should contact your social security office two or three months before your retirement.

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