

GIE BRIEFS

Ray S. McEntire
Briscoe Co. Committee

men and farmers alike
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cotton program.

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discussed how to use cot-
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that can be bought with
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sheets, pants, overalls,
and infants' clothes; un-
mattresses, blankets, work
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cotton products.

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mattresses?

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customers using stamps?

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anyone other than the
from the cotton stamps
use them?

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whom the stamps are
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BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS

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Popular Pioneer Ranch Owner Is Victim Of Pneumonia Attack

THIRTEEN BOYS HAVE BEEN SELECTED FROM BRISCOE COUNTY

When Mickey Pitts of north of Silverton, and Paul Claxton of Quitaque leave for service Friday morning, thirteen boys from Briscoe County will have been inducted into training through the Selective Service Act.

The next call is for one man on April 4, and at that time, Bruce Blankenship of Quitaque will start his year's army training.

Due to the large number of draftees who have volunteered, it has been necessary for the draft board to send out only 101 questionnaires thus far, according to R. E. Brookshier. Eleven boys have volunteered to date.

FFA CHAPTER AND 4-H CLUB SAY "THANKS"

The boys of the FFA Chapter and the 4-H Club of Silverton wish to express their gratitude for contributions and support given the boys by the merchants and business men of Silverton and Tulsa for the Junior Stock Show here last Friday, March 14th.

In addition to the contributors listed in last week's paper the following men have given the following amounts:

Jimmy Webb \$3.00
Paul S. Rogers 1.00
Consumers Oil Co. 1.00

HELEN KELLER TO APPEAR IN PLAINVIEW MONDAY

Helen Keller, accompanied by her friend and secretary, Miss Polly Thomson, will come to Plainview, under the auspices of Plainview Kiwanis Club and Junior Welfare League, on Monday, March 24, according to an announcement made by C. H. Hancock, who is arranging the preliminary plans for her appearance. Dr. Keller will appear in a program at 8 p. m. at the city auditorium.

Miss Keller is one of the outstanding inspirational figures of this generation. Blind and deaf from infancy, her tongue mute, she seemed destined to be set apart in a world of darkness and of silence. But novel and persistent educational methods pursued by her teacher, the late Anne Sullivan Macy, crumbled the barriers which hedged her pupil, and permitted the flowering of a mind that has been singularly useful to humanity. Helen Keller has presented a philosophy of optimism for which the world is better.

Never having heard a voice, she presents with eloquipping, the duty of mankind in equipping the blind for useful, self-supporting lives.

We want to thank friends and neighbors for the many words and kind deeds that we received through the long sickness and passing of our father.

Mrs. Auther Gregg
J. L. Morris
Bill Morris
Mrs. J. T. Witcher
Mrs. Rufan Fagans
Charlie Morris
Howard Morris
Brothers Jeff Morris &
George Morris

CARD OF THANKS

Friends this is another time we have come to a place where words are inadequate to express our appreciation of the kindness, friendly help and the beautiful floral offerings during the illness and death of our husband and father. We want you to remember that it is appreciated as from one friend to another.

Mrs. W. E. Schott
Elizabeth, Carolyn, & Geraldine
Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Schott, Jr.

Doris Lee Freeman who is working Fort Worth was called home Tuesday due to her father's illness.

W. E. Schott Had Made His Home On Same Ranch Since 1891

W. E. Schott, Sr., pioneer ranchman of Briscoe County, passed away Monday morning at the Sanitarium in Plainview, after an attack of pneumonia. He was 71 years of age.

Mr. Schott, one of the best-known and influential ranchers of this county, was born in Ohio in 1870. He came to Texas 55 years ago and settled in Grayson county. In 1891 he moved to Briscoe County and homesteaded in the "big ranch" country northeast of what is now Silverton. He added to his holdings until his ranch was a large one.

W. E. Schott was really a pioneer of Briscoe County. He helped to organize the county in March, 1891 and voted in the first county election. In 1907 he was married to Miss Tina Kitchens of Silverton and they have since lived on the "home" place, and together built it into the ranch that was so well known over the Panhandle of Texas.

Funeral services were held from the Lindsey Funeral Home, in Plainview Tuesday afternoon at one-thirty o'clock. Father W. F. Bosen conducted requiem rites at 7:30 that morning and burial was made in the Silverton cemetery in the afternoon. Pall bearers were Harry Jackson, Harold Hamilton, Perrin Rumph, Don Grady, Jake Honea, A. J. Folly, Arch Keys, Charles Vincent, Tom Blasingame, J. H. Burson, Dan Montague and Gid Mayfield.

Mr. Schott is survived by his wife; three daughters, Elizabeth, Carolyn, Geraldine, and one son, W. E. Jr. and several other close relatives, including one brother and a sister.

The large crowd of Briscoe County friends who attended the last rites in Plainview, shows in a small way, the high regard in which this man was held. The entire community joins in offering sincere sympathy to the family in their distress.

BROODER HOUSES SHOULD BE SANITARY

In establishing a poultry flock, sanitation starts before the chicks arrive.

George P. McCarthy, Extension poultry husbandman for A. and M. College, says the brooder house should be thoroughly cleaned by sweeping walls and ceiling, removing all dirt, and thoroughly disinfecting it with a good commercial disinfectant. A suitable disinfectant can be improvised from one can of concentrated lye in 20 gallons of water--the nearer boiling the better.

The floor and walls of the brooderhouse should be thoroughly scrubbed up to about two feet above the floor and, if space is available, skid it at least 20 yards to clean ground. Similar practices of sanitation should continue throughout the entire brooding period.

"There is no place that efforts expanded in keeping things clean will pay a larger dividend than in raising chicks."

McCarthy offers chicken raisers these bits of advice and caution: Put the brooder in the house and operate it two days before the chicks arrive. Make sure it holds an even temperature of 95 to 98 degrees two inches from the floor at the edge of the hover.

Round off the corners of the house to prevent chicks from piling in corners.

Have a fresh supply of chick starter on hand so chicks can be fed as soon as they arrive. A good commercial buttermilk starting mash is recommended. Don't economize on chick starter mash.

Don't buy more chicks than your house will take care of.

Don't allow chicks to become chilled in transporting from hatchery to brooder house.

Don't forget that the brooder house should have an abundance of fresh air without drafts.

Miss Edna Morton of Goree, arrived here Friday to spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. Donnell Alexander and family.

CANDIDATES ARE NAMED

A small crowd met at the court house Monday night in a mass meeting for forming school and city tickets for the coming elections. The city election will be held Tuesday, April 1st, and the ticket, as formed Monday night, will contain the following names:

For Councilmen:
H. Roy Brown
T. R. Whiteside
H. S. Sanders
Maurice Foust
Fred Lemons
Alvin Redin

These are the candidates for the regular two year term. This year there will be three terms expire, those of Brown, Whiteside, and Lemons.

Another councilman must be elected to fill out the unexpired term of Keith Pearce. For the unexpired term, there are two candidates, L. K. Gilkeyson and M. C. Tull.

A. G. Stevenson is asking for re-election as City Marshal. The School Trustee election will be held Saturday, April 5th. The ticket will contain the following:

Dan Montague
Arnold Turner
D. O. Bomar
R. E. Brookshier
Brookshier and Bomar are out for re-election.

DEADLINE FOR PAYMENT APPLICATIONS

All applications for payment under the 1940 Agricultural Conservation Program must be signed and in the county offices by March 31, Fred Rennels, assistant administrative officer in charge of the AA in Texas, has announced.

The deadline applies to payments for soil-building and range improvement work as well as regular payments under the conservation program, the AA official said. The closing date is applicable all over the United States.

To date, 361,628 applications for a total of \$43,314,700 have been certified for payment in the state office out of an anticipated 405,000 applications for \$50,000,000 in payment under the conservation program, Rennels said.

These payments brought to \$71,508,054 the amount received by farmers and ranchmen for cooperating with the 1940 AA program, Rennels said. Estimates are that the total will reach \$78,775,000.

Status of price adjustment payments on the major commodities follows:

Wheat--48,064 applications for \$3,683,285 out of an anticipated 48,100 for \$3,485,000;
Cotton--337,523 applications for \$24,469,982 out of an anticipated 350,000 for \$25,000,000;
Rice--647 application for \$240,087 out of an anticipated 800 for \$290,000.

Absolutely no extension will be made on the closing date. Rennels declared, and applicants who fail to meet the deadline will not receive payment.

DAVIS -- BROOKS

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse A. Davis of San Bernardino, wish to announce the marriage of their niece, Miss Mary Alice Davis to P. M. Brooks, of San Bernardino. The marriage took place at Yuma, Arizona. The bride was dressed in delphinium blue with accessories of saddle tan, with corsage of gardenias.

The couple will make their home in San Bernardino.

SHELLNUT - NEWMAN

Miss Doris Shellnut, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Shellnut, was united in marriage to Mr. Kelton Newman of this city, on Sunday afternoon, March 16. The marriage rites were spoken at Canyon at six o'clock.

Rev. Jesse B. Leverett left on Monday for Dallas. He is taking a sister from Lorenzo to the hospital there for treatment. He is planning to return the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Brookshier and Dan, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brookshier and son and Mr. H. C. Doak were visitors in the V. R. Gardner home in Tulsa.

PROJECT SHOW IS SUCCESS

The Junior Livestock Show went off Friday just as per schedule and was undoubtedly the best ever held here. Bennie Gardner was the proud winner of the grand championship with his Hereford calf. The Briscoe County News will try to give you a picture of he and his calf next week. The winners and their winnings are listed below.

| Baby Beef Calves | |
|--|--------|
| Bennie Gardner | \$7.50 |
| W. C. Donnell | 6.50 |
| Jack Reeves | 6.00 |
| Robert Reeves | 5.50 |
| Fred Arnold | 5.00 |
| Troy W. Vaughan | 4.50 |
| Garland Francis | 4.00 |
| Curtis Wimberly | 3.50 |
| Garland Francis | 3.00 |
| Carol Reeves | 1.00 |
| Den Vaughan | 1.00 |
| Buck Hardin | 1.00 |
| Alvy Gardner | 1.00 |
| John Arnold | 1.00 |
| Carol Brown | 1.00 |
| Billie Gregg | 1.00 |
| Raymond Reeves | 1.00 |
| Total | 53.00 |
| Dairy Cows | |
| Willie A. Smith | \$4.50 |
| George W. Rampley | 3.50 |
| Joe Frank Hill | 2.50 |
| Loyd Jackson | 2.00 |
| Milton Clemmer | 1.50 |
| Floyd Jackson | 1.00 |
| Travis McMinn | 1.00 |
| Total | 16.00 |
| Fat Barrows | |
| Travis McMinn | \$2.50 |
| Travis McMinn | 2.00 |
| J. C. Fowler | 1.50 |
| Fred Brannon | 1.00 |
| Travis McMinn | .25 |
| Bud Nance | .25 |
| Fred Brannon | .25 |
| Troy Hill | .25 |
| Total | 8.00 |
| Gilts | |
| Conrad Henderson | \$2.00 |
| Freeman Stephens | 1.50 |
| Conrad Henderson | 1.00 |
| Freddie Garrison | .25 |
| Travis McMinn | .25 |
| Travis McMinn | .25 |
| Total | 5.25 |
| Fat Lambs | |
| Ben Garvin | \$2.50 |
| Curtis King | 1.75 |
| Ben Garvin | 1.25 |
| Clenton Spilman | .75 |
| Clenton Spilman | .75 |
| Clenton Spilman | .25 |
| Total | 7.00 |
| Dairy Heifers | |
| Fred Brannon | \$3.50 |
| W. C. Donnell | 3.00 |
| Lawrence McCain | 2.50 |
| Billie Gregg | 2.00 |
| Bobbie McDaniel | 1.00 |
| Total | 12.00 |
| Jersey Cows (Outside Class) | |
| Claude Carpenter | |
| Jake Spenser | |
| Walter Brannon | |
| Jersey Bulls (Outside Class) | |
| (all blue ribbon bulls) | |
| C. C. Garrison | |
| W. C. Donnell | |
| Sam Turner | |
| Hereford Bulls (Outside Class) | |
| Alvin Redin | |
| Sim Reeves | |
| Fat Lambs (Outside Class) | |
| D. O. Bomar | |
| D. O. Bomar | |
| Heavy Hens (Outside Class) | |
| Tom Bomar | |
| Heavy Laying Hens | |
| Cecil Seane | \$1.75 |
| Willie A. Smith | 1.50 |
| Floyd Jackson | 1.00 |
| Loyd Jackson | .75 |
| Alvy Gardner | .25 |
| Total | 5.25 |
| Light Laying Hens | |
| Alvy Gardner | \$1.75 |
| J. C. Fowler | 1.50 |
| Travis McMinn | 1.00 |
| Loyd Jackson | .75 |
| Lawrence McCain | .25 |
| Total | 5.25 |
| Sows (Outside Class) | |
| Tom Bomar | |
| C. C. Garrison | |
| Killed By Wheat Drill | |
| Leland McMunkin, 11, of Spearman, was killed last Tuesday when he fell into the packers of a wheat drill he was riding. His father was driving the tractor and did not know that the boy had fallen into the drill's way until he stopped for the day's work. Leland, a fine looking boy was pictured with his champion lamb in last week's Spearman Reporter. | |

Paving Project Is Under Way Here

TRAINING SCHOOL FOR SCOUT FATHERS

Local Scout leaders, fathers of Scouts and various other men in Silverton are attending a three-day training school being conducted here at the Lions Den Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights by J. C. Grimes, field Scout executive, Paul S. Rogers, chairman, announced this week.

The course includes all types of Scout activities and an explanation of what Scouting is and how it works. The reason for the course is to give everyone a better understanding of Scouting.

Grimes commented Tuesday night that Scouting in Silverton is one of the most active programs in the South Plains Council and warrants much more support from the men of the community than it is receiving.

J. T. Luke, Scoutmaster, presented a Troop meeting to those attending the session Tuesday night and a Quarterly inspection of the Troop was conducted by R. E. Douglas, neighborhood Commissioner here.

All those attending two of the three sessions will receive certificates of training presented by the National Council of the Boy Scouts of America.

AUXILIARY MEETS

Mrs. Dan F. Wulfman was a cordial hostess Monday afternoon to the Women of the Presbyterian Auxiliary, as she welcomed them into her pleasant new home, the Looie Miller place.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman, Mrs. R. G. Alexander, and Mrs. O. T. Bundy gave the secretary and treasurer's closing reports for the church year.

Mrs. Dean Allard led the devotional, and Mrs. Alexander was program leader, for the following interesting program: Mrs. Clyde Wright spoke on "Buddha and his Religion." Mrs. Fred Lemons read a number of beautiful selections from the sainted writer, Tegore, as representative "Gems of Hindu Literature." Mrs. D. T. Northcutt gave an interesting and instructive paper on "Mohammed and the Koran."

During the social hour everyone enjoyed two delightful visitors, Mrs. Hugh McDaniel of Milford, Texas, and Mrs. Emma Jackson of Vigo Park, also Mrs. Jackson's great grandchild little Loretta Lowry. Mrs. Wulfman served dainty refreshments with sherry and paddy pipe favors. Besides the visitors there were present Mesdames: R. G. Alexander, Allard, Bundy, Daniel, Dickerson, Richards, Thompson, Lemons, Watson, Lowry, Northcutt, and Wright.

On the night of March 26th, a free educational film will be shown at the High School Gym. There will be more than one type of film shown. This will be educational and a help to all of us--all government agents that work with the farm people are represented in the pictures--Lem W.

FSA WATER FACILITIES PROGRAM

Claude C. Carpenter, rehabilitation supervisor, and Jessie Mae Watson, Home management supervisor for the Farm Security Administration in Briscoe County, have returned from Lubbock where they attended a district meeting to discuss the FSA's Water Facilities program.

Mr. Carpenter said that he had received additional authority to recommend for approval Water Facilities applications from farm families in all parts of the county. "Funds in the farm loans to farm families are available," Mr. Carpenter said, "for the installation of facilities for farmstead and livestock water developments."

"Facilities which may be installed, repaired or developed," he continued, "are cisterns, wells, ponds, tanks, springs, or seeps."

"Appurtenances for the use of water, such as windmills, stock troughs, storage tanks, bathroom fixtures (including minor house repairs), sinks, pipe, towers, necessary labor, garden fences, wind-break tree plantings, milk troughs, and so forth are also included," he said.

It was emphasized, however, that no irrigation systems, other than the one acre maximum per farm unit, are authorized, except in the Rita Blanca Drainage, Coldwater Palo Verde Watershed, and Mustang - McCombs - Seminole Area.

Mr. Carpenter said he expects scores of farm families in Briscoe County will improve their water facilities as a result of this program.

Oscar Reimer, 62, was found shot to death at his home in north Donley County last week. A .410 gauge shotgun was found by his side and the coroner's verdict was suicide, according to the Clarendon News.

Shoots Self

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS By Edward C. Wayne

U. S. Maps New Ways to Aid British As Senate Passes Lease-Lend Bill; Nazi Spring Offensive Gains Speed With Balkans as Center of Activity

(EDITOR'S NOTE:—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)
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Following Senate passage of the Lease-Lend bill, providing a method of extensive aid to Britain, these senators get together for a united hand-clasp. They are: (Left to right) Senator Barkley of Kentucky, majority leader; Senator Wheeler of Montana, opposition leader and bitter foe of the bill, and Senator George of Georgia, foreign affairs committee chairman. The vote was 60 to 31.

(See Below: Lease-Lend, Finally.)

LEASE-LEND Finally

The passage of the lease-lend bill, called many names by its opponents, including the lend-spend bill and the lend-give bill, suddenly was passed by the U. S. senate by 60-31.

The action seemed sudden after the long and vituperative debate which found Democrats leading the opposition and many Republicans finally in the favoring fold.

As the vote neared on the final day, almost exactly two months to a day from the time when it was jointly introduced in both houses, leading opponent Wheeler (Mont.) declared angrily:

"I have been told by New Dealers who get their information direct from the feed-trough that the United States will be at war by April 1."

Within the hour, however, the bill had passed, and the same Senator Wheeler grinningly was posing for pictures amicably patting the joined hands of Democratic Leader Barkley of Kentucky and George of Georgia, the bill's leading proponents.

Many amendments were added in the senate, but those which were passed did not arouse as much comment as those which went down to defeat.

Chief among these were three, the Ellender amendment which would have kept the President's hands tied on the movement of U. S. troops, the anti-convoys measure, and the Taft substitute for the entire bill, which would have made two billions available immediately for Britain, but which would have nullified most of the general intent of the British aid measure as originally framed.

The seven amendments added in the house, which limit the size of the aid to \$1,300,000,000 without further authorization by congress, and which limit the life of contractual obligations, and which make it mandatory for the President to advise congress of steps taken, and which make it possible for congress to terminate the arrangement under certain circumstances, seemed generally acceptable to the senate, at least to the majority of senators, and materially shortened the fight against it in the upper house.

The solid Democratic South was strongly in favor of the bill and chief opposition generally was more marked from the Middle and Far West. The eastern senators were generally in favor, and of the 10 Republicans who voted "Aye," six were from New England and New Jersey, while only Aiken of Vermont, Danaher of Connecticut and Tobey of New Hampshire made the three out of seventeen Republicans who voted "Nay." Of the thirteen Democrats who voted against the bill, only one, Reynolds (N. C.) was from the South, and only one, Walsh (Mass.) was from the East.

The issue was clear-cut, the opposition saying in effect two things:

(a) the measure was frankly a war measure;

(b) it would give the President dictatorial powers.

The proponents took two positions:

(a) the bill was our best protection against active entry into the war because it would aid Britain in holding the Nazi menace away from our shores;

(b) amendments adopted in both houses provided sufficient safeguards against dictatorial powers, and strong single and central power in the President's hands was needed in order to make the aid swift certain and considerable.

What Next?

Aside from Senator Wheeler's daring prediction of "War by April 1," Washington observers began to ask themselves what would be the natural aftermath of the passage of the bill.

The bill frankly created one huge arsenal out of this country, and it was anticipated that the first act of our government would be to begin the transfer of huge stocks of war material already on hand across the Atlantic to England.

Much of it, too, could be expected to be transferred to Mediterranean ports, where many of the American-built airplanes are now in service.

Another step certain to be taken, it was said, would be the awarding of certain proportions of American defense contracts now being executed to Britain, and making arrangements for delivery. Some more American freighters, it was felt, would be given to Britain, and probably some more destroyers, of which Willkie stressed the British need.

SPRING: Offensive

The Nazi spring offensive was gaining momentum, and the chief early activity was in the Balkans where, on the face of reports, if they could be believed, Germany was making a determined bid to pull Italy's Albanian chestnuts out of the Greek fire.

The reports of activity were volatile and confusing, as might be expected from activities that were at least 50 per cent diplomatic and the other 50 per cent actual motion of troops and materials.

First step was the German infiltration into Rumania, with its terrific and chaotic aftermath; then came the "multi-invasion" of Bulgaria, closely followed by an actual taking over of that country and the massing of troops and munitions in force on the Greek-Bulgarian frontier.

The number of these troops was variously estimated, the highest figure being about 600,000.

The throwing of 600,000 men of German blitz caliber against Greece, most military men agreed, would be fatal to the Hellenes if they had at the same time to continue to defend against a counter-attack of Italians bolstered by Nazi officers in Albania.

That is, it would be fatal unless Greece had substantial help. This, on the other hand, if reports again could be believed, England was about to send. On the face of things, Britain had already given Greece considerable and substantial aid in the Albanian battle, had vigorously engaged and whipped the Italians in Africa, and was strong in her promises to aid Greece on the northern front when, as and if the German attack materialized.

This aid was going to come, it seemed obvious that it would have to involve Turkey, which would have to get in the war on the side of England and Greece.

Visits by Eden and General Sir John Dill were followed by their moving over to Athens; the landing of British troops at Salonika, reputedly a full motorized division, and the formal request, a few days later, by the Greek authorities, for a formal assurance by Turkey that her treaty commitments would be met.

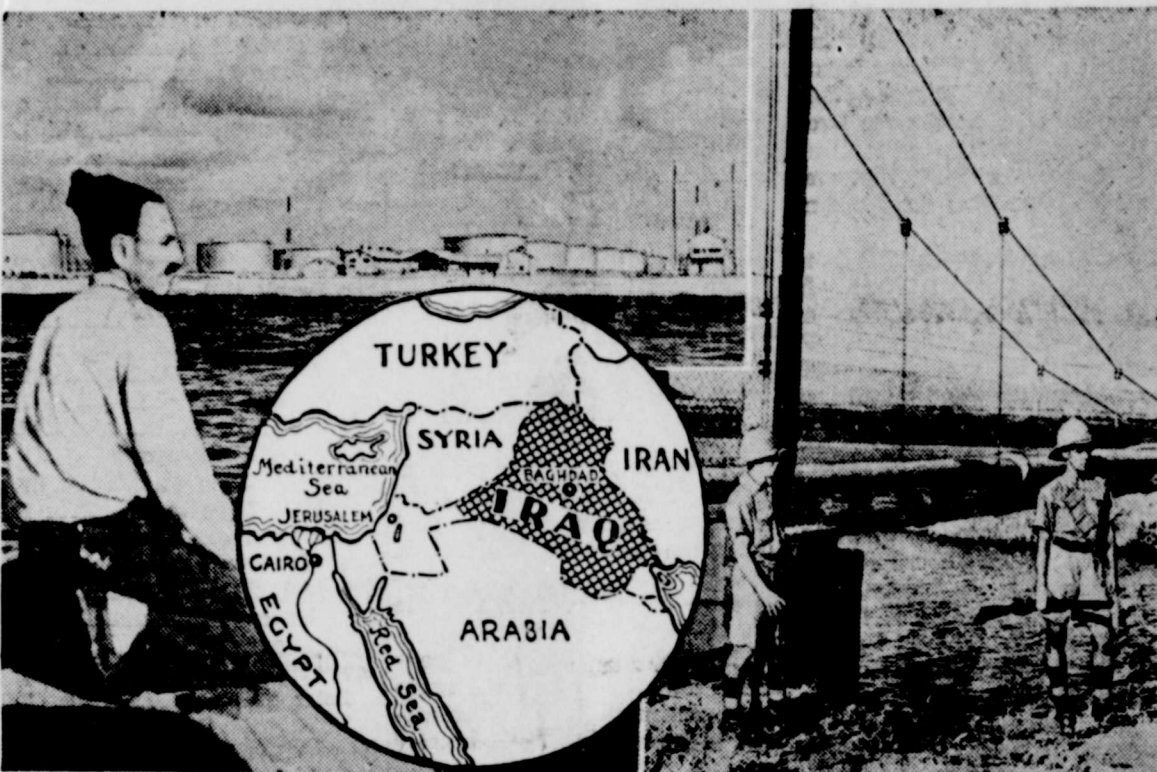
The stand of Russia at the moment was dubious enough, but most observers believed she would act in the same manner she did in the case of the invasion of Poland, namely, hold off until German success was sure.

Making Gas Masks for Our Fighting Forces



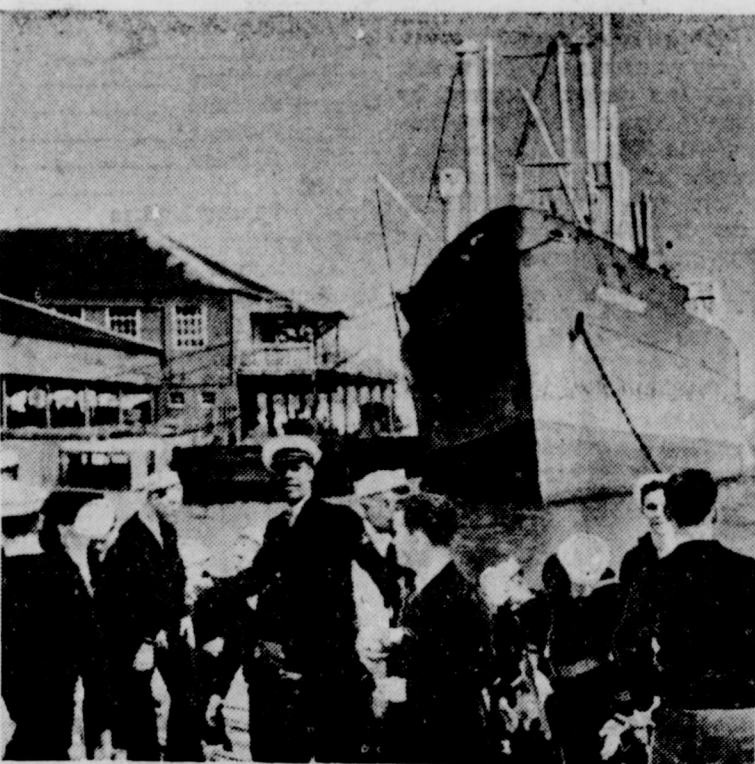
Although poison gas has not yet been used in the war, government officials are assuming that some day we may be called upon to defend ourselves against gas. So, down at the Edgewood, Md., arsenal men and women are working swiftly to outfit our armed forces with protection against gas. These photos show gas masks in various stages of completion, and a soldier wearing a finished mask.

Iraq Oil—Goal of Nazi Spring Drive?



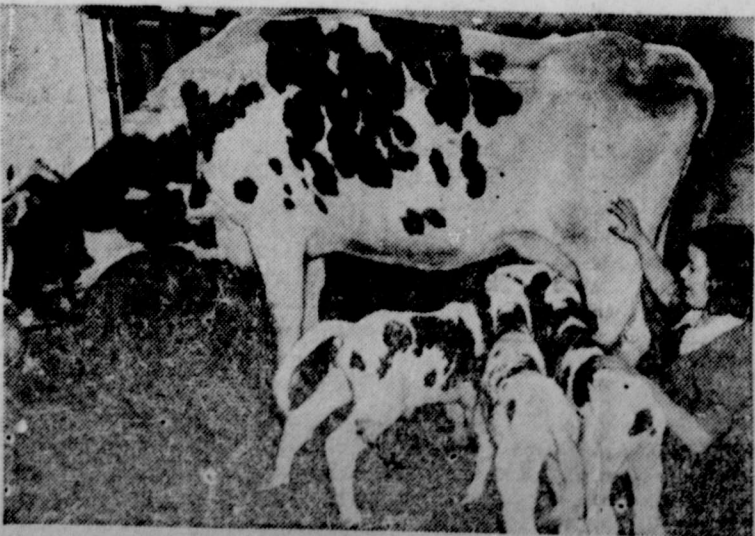
Left: An Iraq native gazes across at the Mosul wells of British-controlled Iraq, which some experts say will be one of three goals Adolf Hitler will attempt to reach this spring. Right: British troops guarding oil lines which pipe oil from the Mosul wells. Insert: Iraq's position on the map.

Yankee Sailors Take Over in Bermuda



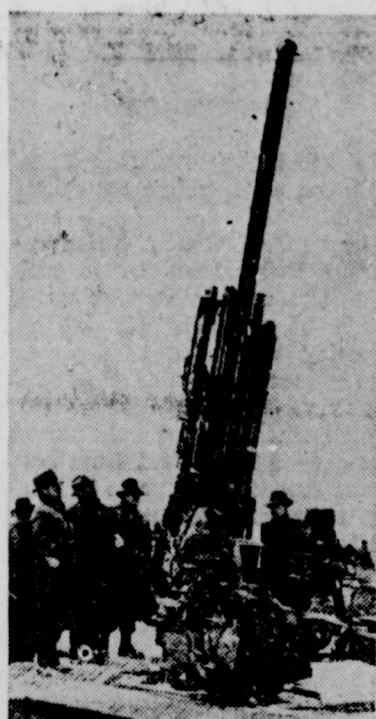
Yankee sailors arrive ashore at Hamilton, Bermuda, landing from the U. S. Destroyer Belknap. This scene reflects the nautical atmosphere of the land for new air and naval bases. An American cargo-passenger ship is in the background.

300% Production at This Cow Foundry



Since everybody seems to be stepping up production these days, Maisie gave birth to triplet calves at the Lindenhurst, L. I., milk foundry, where she works. This is believed to be the first time bovine triplets have survived in the East. Maisie is shown satiating the hunger of her brood while she nonchalantly tongues some food.

Inspect Defenses



Members of the house military affairs committee have been inspecting Uncle Sam's new war weapons at the Aberdeen, Md., proving grounds. Here they are, with war department officials, inspecting a 90 mm. anti-aircraft gun.

Channel Watch



A stormy sky over the English channel forms the background for this German sentry on the French channel coast, where another "Siegfried line" is building.

Washington Digest
U. S. Official Denies Plan For Censorship of Press

Presidential Assistant Mellett Opposed to Any Type of Central News Bureau Or Propaganda Drive.

By BAUKHAGE

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WASHINGTON.—If you want to start a heated argument among the members of that Washington institution which is often called "the third house of congress," but whose official name is the National Press club, just mention "government censorship."

Those are fighting words to the men of press and radio—and well, did you ever try to put a muzzle on a real healthy airhead?

Just to keep the fun going, I dropped in the other day to have a chat with the man whose name has been more closely associated with censorship of late than any other in the capital—and how he hates it!

He is soft-spoken, gray-haired Lowell Mellett, a keen-minded, middle-aged newspaper acquaintance of mine over many years and one of the best-liked and most highly respected of all of those who have now deserted the fourth estate to work for the New Deal.

Mellett left the Washington Daily News to become head of the National Emergency council in 1938. (The "emergency" in this sense refers to the 1933 variety and not the "limited" one we are enjoying at present.) The NEC, as the council appeared in the New Deal "alphabet" in those days, has since become the office of Government Reports, a less pretentious institution. Mr. Mellett is its head and is also one of the President's administrative assistants. These latter are the men who, according to official pronouncement, must have a "passion for anonymity." The functions of these assistants differ widely as does the degree of their intimacy with the President, but of all his advisers, Lowell Mellett is one of those in whom the President places his deepest confidence.

There is a reason why this former newspaper man's name has been associated with a possible censorship of news. When the President asked congress recently for funds to make the office of government reports permanent, the house of representatives committee on appropriations called Mellett before it to ask him, among other things, what, if any, plans the administration has for curtailing or regulating what should and should not be printed about defense or other matters, according to the government's way of thinking.

Mellett told the congressmen that the administration has no such plan at all. The word "plan" is used in the concrete sense for it is well known that several specific programs for regulating what would or would not be permitted to be made public by press and radio have been drawn up by various officials, who would like to tie a muzzle on the news hounds in case of war or even in case a full emergency is officially proclaimed, or perhaps even before.

Mellett's answer satisfied the committee and the lower house agreed to the measure. Nevertheless, the rumor lingers on that a man with scissors is lurking behind the White House hedge ready to clip the reporters' wings the moment they spread them too widely.

I called upon Mr. Mellett in his businesslike office in a building in "downtown" Washington. Although he had no official statement for me (which I didn't want anyhow) we had a frank, friendly, informal chat. As a result, I can confirm what he has told me before concerning his sentiments on censorship, sentiments which I believe it is safe to say are those of the President, too, at this writing. This is the way Mr. Mellett expresses himself on the subject:

"Even in case of war I don't believe in a propaganda drive," he said to me, referring to any artificial effort to mold public opinion in favor of government policy. "I have constantly opposed a central press bureau when I have heard it discussed, because it is impractical. It is impossible to get the news of government through one bottleneck. My idea," he went on, "is simply to see to it that the press information bureau of the army and the navy and possibly the defense agencies, which now exist, are made as efficient as possible."

To the newsmen, this means that these bureaus would have at their fingertips information which press ordinarily obtains from individual officials. In an emergency war and navy chiefs feel that individuals might inadvertently reveal information which should be kept confidential.

"If this method doesn't work," Mellett declared, "my idea is to have representatives of the press and radio come here to Washington and offer their own plan of dealing emergency news. They offer a plan which the government could refuse. They want to and the government wants out."

He explained that what he was that he believed the government would agree on what was a sense and patriotism to protect facts would be given out and not injure national defense and comfort to the enemy. The papers would be left free, as he put it, to raise with the way things were and to criticize the government.

Finally, I reminded Mr. Mellett that in the last war there was a censorship of the press. He replied that the information because it withheld much news that the public had a right to have, gave out information that was propaganda. Therefore, it wasn't natural to expect restriction on government might be looked upon with by the press, radio and public.

Mr. Mellett came back original thesis. He reiterated he did not believe in a propaganda drive—such a drive as the committee indulged in. He said, if the information the various government agencies were efficient, the facts were available. It was because the committee was a central bureau (which he opposed) that came a bottleneck, holding facts that could have been available to the press and even in war time.

Statue Troubles In Nation's Capital

It is easier to revise a Washington than to move a statue. That is why Sixteenth street avenue that runs almost a front door of the White House is taking place at Scott circle.

Washington is full of circles of them with their histories. They make for beauty and traffic jams. Recently came the city's suggestion of moving the statues instead of the million dollar underground as the one now being constructed under the proud figure of Winfield Scott. But these men just didn't know the tradition.

One man who tried to break tradition got into a terrible tangle. It was John Russell Young, newspaper reporter, now Commissioner of the city, one of three "mayors" of the city in Harding's administration, public buildings and grounds in charge of the engineer and President, Colonel Sherrill.

Mr. Young conceived the idea of the statue of George Washington located in a somewhat neighborhood several blocks from the White House, ought to be of it where General Jackson astride his famous rearing horse in Lafayette park. He proposed to switch the statue and proceeded to write of what was to happen.

Then came the deluge. Harding was almost drowned in an avalanche of angry telegrams and Jacksonians all over the country. The state of Tennessee only legislated its fury over the statue's removal. It was reported that Old Hickory Marching down the capital, was to be brought down to the capital with their old long rifles more than bear.

Only a speedy denial of the trade places with General Jackson saved Mr. Harding's reputation. No, we don't disturb the statue great in Washington can't get around them we don't.

BRIEFS . . . By Baukhage

For weeks Washington reporters tried to find out the total airplane production of the United States. But somehow the figures were not available in national defense offices. It was not that the information was considered exactly confidential, but like much of the defense news, assembling the details involved the work of different government agencies, different divisions of the agency. Officials fearing to pass another division or department have become close-mouthed.

But one reporter did get the figures. He got them at a party, along with a detailed down. He published the figures, with the details that embarrassed his source.

Briscoe County News

Official City and County News

ROY W. HAHN
Editor and Publisher



WANTED: a bank in Silverton by harvest time. (signed) **SILVERTON COMMUNITY**

OF ALL THINGS! I am trying to buy ten copies of last week's paper. I ran short myself this week and so I will pay 10 cents per copy for the first ten copies brought in. Really this will be a big service for me.

A BUNCH of you birds are always wanting me to guarantee the Want ads to get results. Well next week you will have the chance you have been wanting. Look around today and see what you have that you would like to sell. Or what you want to buy, or trade. Bring your ad in and I'll run it for you a week—if to your notion it does not bring satisfactory results, no pay. If it does, you can catch me and force 10c a line in my hand. It's all up to you. . . . No, I'm not foolish. I just know that those want ads pay and my double or nothing spirit has moved me.

MRS. PORTER brought in a little chunk of that sulphur she saw at Velasco. The piece she brought in is about the size of your fist—but down there she saw a block of it that was said to be worth several million dollars.

ANOTHER PIONEER has gone. The Schott family's sorrow will be lessened because they know that their father was a strong man in life—morally and mentally. He lived a good clean life—and Briscoe County is better because W. E. Schott chose it for his homestead.

DON'T FORGET THAT there will be a benefit show at the Palace Theatre next Thursday night at midnight. All proceeds will go for Greek relief. It's a good cause.

DON'T FORGET either that the Band Parents are staging a "42" party at the school house Friday night of this week.

I SURE NEED THOSE copies of last week's paper. Help me out will you?

OH, YES, I almost forgot that I was supposed to give the platform that T. R. and H. Roy are running on for councilmen. They are: "T. R. More paving, higher taxes and more clothes in the closet." H. Roy: "For a heavier tax, and a John Deere tractor in every shed." I don't know what Fred Lemons is running on but I hope it's for a crossing of some kind a block east of his home.

NOTE TO DUG MEADOR of the Matador Tribune: I have admired your ability as at Trail Duster, and now I wish to congratulate you on your tonorial accomplishments. That mustachero you put on the count last week was a honey. I shall ask for your chair the next time I am in a Matador shop . . . or could it be that the Count caught a bad cold on his Clipper voyage?

WORDS OF WISDOM that Barbara and I are beginning to believe in: "A pat on the back develops character --- if administered young enough, often enough, and low enough."

Mrs. Bob Roberts and daughter of Amarillo is visiting Mrs. R. L. McKinney this week.

Mrs. W. R. Davis, Rev. and Mrs. B. P. Harrison spent Tuesday in Tulia with their son Raymond Harrison.

Silverton's Hollywood

by
ODELL (Theatre) WALLS

With Walter Smock busy booking us a batch of good pictures I, Odell Walls (the super popcorn popper and manager well . . . anyway the guy that welcomes you into the theatre each night) Will try to substitute this high powered Silverton's Hollywood this week—

We are proud to announce the winner of the movie star contest. There were three out of the group of contestants that had all of the movie stars names correct. So as we announced, when more than one person had all the names right that we would pick the one that had the best slogan, we found that person to be Jo Webb, with the slogan "Palace of Dreams". Jo was present at the show Monday night and received the prize. We have told you many times to come to the Palace and visit far and near in a "Palace of Dreams".

I think we can hit everyone likes on this weeks program, if you like fun we have it Friday and Saturday, with W. C. Fields in "The Bank Dick" which gives you plenty of fun and laughs, with that the exceptional picture "Lad-die" which needs no comment, but speaks for itself, I am sure that everyone of you read the book when you were kids.

For our free-view, Sunday and Monday we have plenty of laughs for you, the shootem up Max Brothers in "GO WEST", a comedy with plenty of action.

We really offer a bargain when we show the "Trail of the Vigilantes" for only 10 and 15 cents Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, our Bargain Days.

Be seeing you at the Palace.

RADIO STATIONS WBP AND KGKO TO CHANGE TO 820 The Fort Worth Star Telegram Stations will change their position on the radio dial from 800 to 820, after March 29th.

Your home paper, is featured quite frequently with local items on the Suburban Editors program on Sunday mornings at 10:15. Tune in—you may hear something interesting concerning yourself—on the dial now at 800; after Mar. 29 at 820.

THAT MEANS ALL OF US



Francis Locals

Visitors in the F. A. Fisch home Sunday were Mr and Mrs. P. D. Jasper. Mr. and Mrs. Bood Myers, Gordon Fore and Hollie Francis.

Miss Juanita Baird spent Wednesday night with Ava Nell Brown.

Mrs. A. L. Hickman visited Mr. U. D. Brown Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. O. B. Fore and children of Lockney spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. C. A. Simmons.

Alva C. Jasper of Canyon spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Jasper and Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Calloway.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Click of Lubbock spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Fitzgerald, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Rowell visited Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Strange.

Mrs. U. D. Brown and girls spent

Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Warner Ried and Mike.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Strange of Amarillo spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Crass.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Grimland and children were visitors in Silverton the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed McMurry of Vigo Park yere here Tuesday on business.

Mrs. S. P. Brown Mrs. Roy Brown and Mrs. Luther Gilkeyson were in Amarillo on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leverett and daughter went to Lamesa Monday night to visit friends and relatives.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

I wish to announce that I am a candidate for re-election to the office of City Marshal of Silverton and will appreciate your vote and support very much in the coming Election.

A. G. (Ab) STEVENSON

Mrs. Walton Butler of Plainview was here Tuesday on business.

Miss Othell Bomar, Mrs. Jim Bomar were in Amarillo on business Tuesday.

Blanche and Alma Ruth Thompson were home over the week end visiting their parents.



Now for Now!

We have some very beautiful materials for your Spring Dresses. You can save money here and not sacrifice a thing in quality. Our merchandise is **REALLY NEW!**

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| DRESS LENGTHS, silk | \$1.98 |
| PRINTS, Dewberry | 18c |
| New SLACKS | \$1.00 |
| New BLOUSES | \$1.00 |
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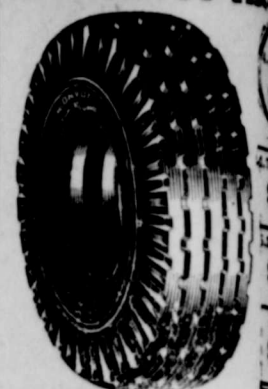
A NEW AND COMPLETE LINE OF LADIES UNDIES AND ACCESSORIES

This week, too, we can show you a new line of pottery, vases and enamel wear. If you haven't visited our store in the past two weeks you'll be surprised.

Our plan of business is to make a **LITTLE** ourselves and save a **LOT** for you.

Finley's Store
5c to \$1.00
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Firestone CONVOY TIRE



1941's big tire value—100% rugged, long mileage, tread. Patented Gum-Dipped extra strong cord body.

NEW TUBES INCREASE TIRE MILEAGE

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Let's Play Tag

We've been playing that old game of "tag" now for three weeks at the Sheriff's Office and there are just **NINE MORE DAYS** left in March, and

MARCH

Is the Month
TO

Buy Your
Car Tag

You will buy your tag for your car or truck some time this month, of course. Why not do it early and avoid that last minute rush.



Your Hired Hand



The Whole Family goes on dress parade after the Wardrobe has been cleaned . . .

With "CLEARTONE" Dry Cleaning!!

Let Us Make Your Nice Things Nicer!!

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Big, Juicy HAMBURGERS, They're practically a meal for -- 10c
KIRK'S CAFE

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PROTECTION FOR AVERAGE FAMILY . . .

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Silverton Undertaking Company - Silverton

HOME TOWN
NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Cogdill of Eric, Oklahoma were here visiting their daughter Mrs. Arnold Brown.

J. W. Foust of Canyon came home this week end to visit relatives and friends.

Miss Edna Morton of Gorge was here the past week visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Hugh McDaniel of Milford, Texas has been visiting Mrs. Bundy the past two weeks.

Mrs. Minor Crawford of Lamesa was here visiting friends and relatives this week end.

Don Burson had a birthday party Saturday he entertained several young friends.

Mr. D. H. Davis went to Amarillo Saturday evening on business.

Mrs. Bill Freeman left Saturday evening for Amarillo to visit her husband who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Foust and Lola Fern and J. R. Foust were in Lubbock Friday.

Vera Davis of Dickens came home Saturday to visit her parents over the week end.

Bailey Childress and Buel Hill were in Amarillo Saturday evening to see Mr. Bill Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Davis were in Canyon Sunday.

Mr. Orlee Mills and Brubs Bomar were in Amarillo Sunday.

Mrs. George Lee and girls were Tullia visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Dickerson and daughter moved to Floydada this week where he has employment at the Chevrolet house.

Howard Brown and Othell Bomar were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bomar and Mrs. Freeman Bates Sunday.

James Davis and Marlin Jarman were in Lone Star Saturday evening on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brookshier and son visited over the week end in the R. E. Brookshier home.

Mrs. Florence Forgeron left Friday for Clovis where she will visit Mr. and Mrs. Ware Forgeron and family.

Miss Anna Lee Anderson and Mrs. Walling attended the Teachers meeting in Canyon Friday.

Mrs. W. R. Davis, from Lubbock is visiting her daughter Mrs. E. P. Harrison this week.

Mrs. Pearl Simpson returned home Thursday from Tullia where she has been having dental work done.

News was received here Friday of the serious illness of Mrs. Bud Fogerson.

Mr. Amos Persons of Quitaque was here Monday on business.

The Jolly Stitches met in the home of Mrs. Donald Alexander Wednesday.

Mr. F. M. Sasche of Quitaque was here on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Jarrett's son has been reported seriously ill. He is in the Hospital at Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Luke and Mr. and Mrs. Billie Joe Womack spent Saturday in Amarillo, and Palo Duro Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Martin have moved to the country.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfa Walthan and Mr. and Mrs. George Neice left Saturday for California for a visit.

Marvin Tull is reported to be doing better this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Northcutt are giving Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gilkeyson an anniversary supper Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Smith and Mr. W. C. Smith were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Green and family Sunday.

Mrs. L. E. Davis and Peggy returned Friday from Amherst where she has been visiting her father Scott Smith.

Mrs. Deen McWilliams and Mrs. Paul Webb were in Tullia on business Monday.

Roy Bomar of Lubbock, spent Tuesday and Thursday night with his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Bomar.

Minyard Long of W. T. was home over the week end.

Misses Blanche Thompson and Alma Ruth of Canyon spent the week end with their parents.

John Earl Simpson of Brownfield was here visiting friends Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cash and family were in Lubbock Sunday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Havran were visitors in Brownfield Sunday.

The Boy Scouts had a meeting at the John Haynes Camp Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Jackson is visiting in the Mrs. Jo Ed Burleson home this week.

The Missionary Study met at the Calvary Baptist church Monday, 17 were present.

Mrs. Dave Cary and daughter are visiting her relatives in Mamlin Texas this week.

Mrs. Willie Smith and daughter are visiting her mother in Hamlin this week.

Mrs. Kate Fowler was in Amarillo Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Nash Blasingame is visiting in Amarillo this week.

Mrs. J. B. Porter has returned home this week after an extended visit near Port Neches.

Mrs. A. E. Freeze visited friends and relatives in Amarillo last week end.

Mrs. Curtis King and Mrs. W. T. Davis were in Amarillo Thursday. Mrs. Davis remained for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sherman and children were visitors in the home of the Fred Lemons this week end.

Mr. E. E. Reynolds of Lubbock was here on business Friday.

San Jacinto News
Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Franklin and children, Lois Clivenia and Harold, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Monroe in Plainview Sunday.

Miss Peggy May spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben May and returned to Canyon Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilsey Barclay and Nancy visited their parents at Brice last week end. Miss Birdie Gibson came home with them for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Moore visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Culwell Friday.

Mr. Merle McMurtry moved with her family from Plainview to Abilene the first of this week.

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TRAIL OF THE VIGILANTES

We Are Moving! Need Your Help

This week end, for the first time in history, we will probably be operating two stores in Silverton. We are moving to the south block and we need your help... the more groceries you buy the less we'll have to move.

We aren't going to let this moving interfere with our business one bit. Come in as usual for your week's groceries. No matter which block we're in, you know you'll get your money's worth in this store.

We'll be looking for you!!

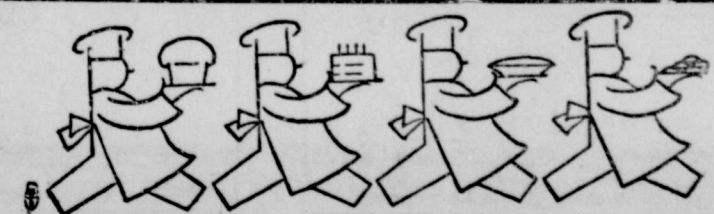
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WE'LL SWAP !!

Will give you 1c over market price on hens if you wish to trade for chicks.

In Trade — Hens, for Chicks, 11c and 14c
(This week only)

JUDD'S — SILVERTON HATCHERY —



They're Carrying Off Our Bakery!!!
Why don't YOU come in and get a pie, cake, or loaf of Golden Krust?
CITY BAKERY

We Wouldn't Think Of Handing
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— HOT AIR —

We would, though, like to show you how our water filter Vacuum Cleaner works. How long has it been since you had the inside of your car cleaned? Let us vacuum your car. If we don't please you with about the slickest job you ever saw, we don't want your money!

Our vacuum cleaner is also available for cleaning home furniture.

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'Here's an Electric Mixer that

Someone Wants to Sell Cheap . . ."

Here's Your
Chance To Find
If Want Ads Pay

Have you ever thought of the Briscoe County News Want-Ads as a sort of clearing house for the messages of Briscoe County families? Well, in a way, that's just what they are. Because they tell everybody what everybody else wants to buy or sell or trade or lost or found.

Next week is our Want Ad Week and for that one week, we are going to guarantee that you get results.

HERE'S THE DEAL:

Mail or bring in your want-ad, we'll run it for you FREE! If you do not get results, why forget about it! If you do get results, then you pay us 10c per line. You will be the absolute judge as to whether your ad got the job done—no questions will be asked as to whether or not you are satisfied.

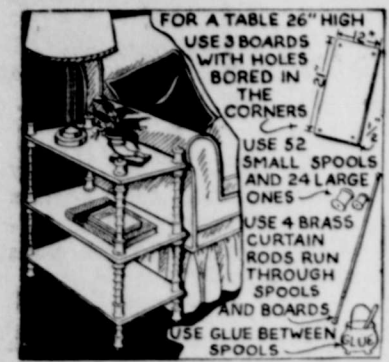
IS IT A DEAL?? This offer is open to everyone — business men and all.

Briscoe County News

NEW IDEAS

for Home-makers
By RUTH WYETH SPEARS

"DEAR MRS. SPEARS: I have made a pair of spool shelves like those you give directions for in your Sewing Book No. 3. They are painted watermelon pink to match the flowers in my bedroom curtains, and they are very pretty hung at each side of the windows. I would like to make some end tables of spools for the living



room, but I can't think of a way to make them rigid. Have you any suggestions as to how this may be done? B. P.

Curtain rods are used through the spools to make the legs. Better take along a spool to try when you shop for the rods; and get the type that has one piece fitting inside the other. If the spools are a little loose on the rod, it won't make any difference for they must be glued between each spool, and also between the spools and the table shelves. I have shown in the sketch everything else you need to know to make this table. Good luck to you!

NOTE: If you have an iron bed or a rocking chair you would like to modernize, be sure to send for my Book No. 3. It contains 32 fascinating ideas of things to make for your home. Send your order to:

MRS. RUTH WYETH SPEARS
Drawer 10
Bedford Hills New York
Enclose 10 cents for Book No. 3.
Name
Address

There's the Rub—Pete Had Lived Within That Distance

A traveler was wandering across the Rockies in search of a man to whom he had been given a letter of introduction.

After a long and tedious journey he hailed a wild-looking fellow who was smoking outside a shack.

"Does Hard Pete live near here?" asked the traveler.

"No," said the man.

"Then can you tell me where I can find his friend and neighbor, Rough-House Joe?"

"I'm Rough-House Joe!"

"Well, they told me Hard Pete lived within gunshot of you."

"He did."

INDIGESTION

may affect the Heart
Gas trapped in the stomach or gullet may act like a half-train on the heart. At the first sign of indigestion, use Penetro Nose Drops. They are made of pure, natural, and safe ingredients. No laxative but made of the finest medicinal herbs known for relief of indigestion. If the first Penetro doesn't give relief, take a second bottle to see and receive DOUBLE MONEY BACK, 25c.

Few Accomplishments
He that leaveth nothing to chance will do few things ill, but he will do very few things.—Hali-fax.

GIVE YOUR COLD THE AIR

When cold clogs your nose with breathing misery, use Penetro Nose Drops. Often colds may actually be prevented from developing by early use of this famous Penetro Nose Drops 2-drop method.

PENETRO NOSE DROPS

Step by Step
Knowledge advances by steps, and not by leaps.—Macaulay.

Watch Your Kidneys!

Help Them Cleanse the Blood of Harmful Body Waste
Your kidneys are constantly filtering waste matter from the blood stream. But kidneys sometimes lag in their work—do not act as Nature intended—fail to remove impurities that, if retained, may poison the system and upset the whole body machinery.

Symptoms may be nagging headache, persistent headache, attacks of dizziness, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes—a feeling of nervous anxiety and loss of pep and strength. Other signs of kidney or bladder disorder are sometimes burning, scanty or too frequent urination.

There should be no doubt that prompt treatment is wiser than neglect. Use Doan's Pills. Doan's have been winning new friends for more than forty years. They have a nation-wide reputation. Are recommended by grateful people the country over. Ask your neighbor.

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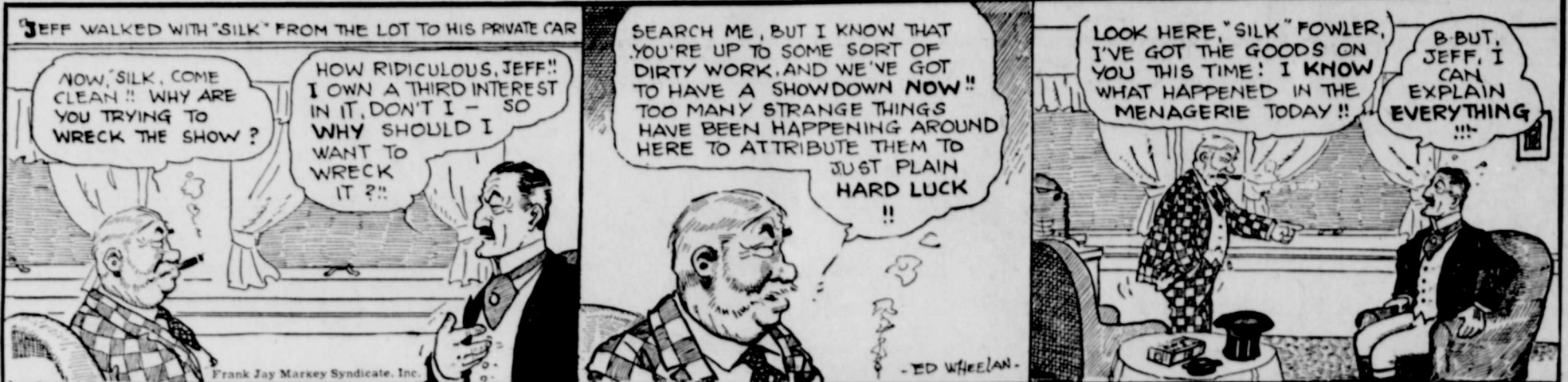
Make a habit of reading the advertisements in this paper every week. They can save you time, energy and money.

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Clean Comics That Will Amuse Both Old and Young

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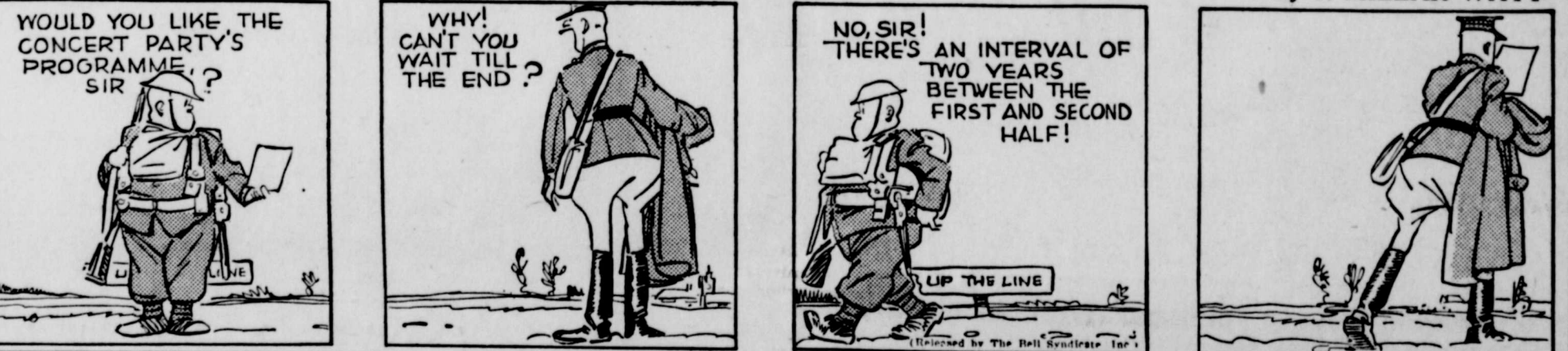
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As Usual



POP—Long Intermission

By J. MILLAR WATT



THE MANTEL CLOCK

By GUYAS WILLIAMS

By GUYAS WILLIAMS

By GUYAS WILLIAMS

By GUYAS WILLIAMS

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CLASSIFIED DEPARTMENT

Turkey Poults, Etc.

Broad Breasted Bronze (1905 type). Now looking for orders for poults from our prize winners worth Turkey Farm, Chicago.

BABY CHICKS

It pays to buy chicks from the Texas Baby Chick Association, a free directory containing information. Box 800-A, Stephenville.

Blooded AAA Quality Chicks. Barred & White Rocks, Orpingtons, 16; buff, white, black Minorcas, 16; English white Leghorns, heavy, 16. 100. Prepaid del. Clyde Mackey.

HOUSEHOLD QUESTIONS

Plants breathe through leaves. It is, therefore, best to keep house plants in dust.

To make celery curls, stalks into three or four lengths. With a sharp knife, cut each piece down into the middle. Drop into ice water. Strips will curl up as they are chilled.

When ironing dresses, or jackets, have coat hangers in the kitchen and slip the iron on as it is ironed. This prevents any unnecessary folds or wrinkles after airing they are for the closet with no further dling.

Never trust to memory doses of medicine. Read the directions at least three times and if not sure the dose is correct, diluted, throw it away, and get a new one. You may be over again. You may be life by being careful when using medicines.

Use shallow boxes (cigar boxes are excellent) for flats to plant seeds. Firm soil to make surface level. If the depressions in soil, water will gather in them.

Pull the Trigger Lazy Bowels, Ease for Stomach

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Lacking Essentials
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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

L. LUNDQUIST, D. D.
The Moody Bible Institute
of Chicago.
Western Newspaper Union.

for March 23

CONDEMNED AND CRUCIFIED

stand out in the story of Christ, and therefore in the history of the world. The first night on earth—that night, holy night!—of which Christmas, when He was born of Bethlehem. The last night on earth, the precious hour of fellowship with the Father in the upper room and His death on the cross. It was a night of denial, and betrayal.

There were six trials—mock trials, three religious ones and three civil ones. Before the Sanhedrin, before Pilate, and before Herod. At the last trial before Pilate, he stood on the basis of his faith that Jesus was "Not guilty." Herod, to whom He was sent, had only played with Him. He had only played with Him, and He was sent away, a man of no man of any fault in the life of any man. You may be sure that He was a man of no fault.

Pilate's first step in the direction. An accused man should be released. But the Jews who had had trouble for him with Pilate, John Morely was said. "Under some compromise in the law of the English," he gained Pilate nothing; he gained his next step down.

Condemned Through Coward-

ness. A disturbance and to keep from complaining to Pilate, he gave Jesus into their hands. "The sentence that they required" (v. 24) was "Crucify Him!"

It is in a difficult place, but not excuse him. It is in and trying place that a man stand for the right. Many. Too many of those who follow Christ are afraid of Him. Some are fearful of declaration of Him, because of the opposition of men.

our courage, our man-

ner lost the moral stamp-
pioneer forefathers, the
conviction of our Christian
mothers? Pilate was a
and we are ashamed of
and not be cowardly and
ashamed of us (read
2:33).

ified with Malefactors

of and circumstances
of the crucifixion are of
test to every Christian.
With Luther and weep at
his unspeakable agony.
body, but of spirit, and
did Luther, "For me,
how can any believer con-
ce cross and withhold self,
or service from Christ?

earnest and heart-search-
message of the cross to
ever. He knows he is a
sin. 3:23), he knows that
of sin is death" (Rom.
he knows that "neither
salvation in any other, for
one other name under
heaven among men whereby
be saved" (Acts 4:12).
the cross he meets that one
own self bare our sins in
body on the tree, that we,
to sins, should live unto
ess; by whose stripes we
are saved" (1 Pet. 2:24).

ere two malefactors who
led with Him (v. 32), and
at Him. The other said,
member me when thou
thy kingdom"; and Je-
him, "Today thou shalt
in paradise" (Luke 23:39-
believer, will you not just
the eternal life which Je-
make possible for you?
His enemies to the last,
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thus despitely used
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ow many of them by re-
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that door of redemption
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Household News
By Eleanor Howe

PUDDING FAVORITE AS MEAL TOPPER-OFFER
(See Recipes Below)

DESERVING DESSERTS

Once upon a time a friendly neighbor living close to our house in a small friendly town used to say over and over, "But a dinner just isn't a dinner unless you top it off with a 'deserving dessert.' And when I pressed him to explain to me just what he meant by a 'deserving dessert' he explained that it was a dessert which was so good that even at the end of a man's meal it still deserved to be eaten.

After all, men, bless them, do like their desserts and so in this column today—I am giving to you a number of brand new, easy-to-make recipes for deserving desserts.

All but one, and that's a recipe for a deserving salad. And the reason I am featuring this lone salad recipe with all the dessert recipes are these: First, it makes one of the best-to-eat salads I have ever tasted. And second, I have a theory that while men like desserts a good many of them simply do not eat as many salads as they should.

So, some time, serve this salad in your dinner menu; then top it off with any one of these desserts and not alone will the man of the family have had his favorite meal topper-offer, but he will have had a health giving, vitamin containing dish as well.

Tomato and Ham Salad.
(Makes 10 servings)

1 1/2 cups water
2 10 1/4-ounce cans condensed tomato soup
4 tablespoons unflavored gelatin
1 cup cold water
1 3-ounce package cream cheese
4 teaspoons prepared mustard
1 tablespoon prepared horseradish
1/2 teaspoon salt
4 tablespoons lemon juice
1 cup salad dressing
1 pound boiled ham (3 1/2 cups chopped)
3 hard-cooked eggs
Lettuce
Heat water and soup together in 1 1/2-quart saucepan until boiling. Remove from heat. Soak gelatin in cold water for 5 minutes, then dissolve in hot soup. Blend together cream cheese, mustard, salt, lemon juice and horseradish. Add a little soup to mixture, stirring constantly; then return to remainder of hot soup, mixing well. Cool. When mixture begins to thicken, fold in salad dressing and ham. Rub a 2-quart heat-resistant glass baking dish with oil. Arrange slices of hard-cooked egg around the sides, reserving some for the top. Pour in tomato-ham mixture. Allow to gel. Garnish top with slices of hard-cooked egg and serve with lettuce.



Chocolate Fluff.

2 squares baking chocolate
1 cup milk
3 tablespoons butter
3 tablespoons general purpose flour
1/4 cup sugar
1/4 teaspoon salt
3 egg yolks
1 teaspoon vanilla extract
3 egg whites
Put chocolate and milk in top of a double boiler and heat until chocolate has melted; beat with rotary egg beater until mixture is well blended. Place butter in a saucepan and melt. Stir in the flour, sugar and salt. Then immediately add the chocolate milk and cook mixture over direct heat until it thickens, stirring constantly. Cool, stir in the unbeaten egg yolks, and add vanilla extract. Beat egg whites until stiff and fold the cooled chocolate mixture into them. Pour into a late mixture into dish; set baking buttered baking dish in a pan of hot water, and bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) approximately 1 hour and 15 minutes, or until mixture will not adhere to knife blade. Serve at once with whipped cream.

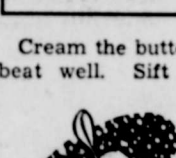
Red Raspberry Snow Balls.

(Makes 6 snow balls)
1/4 cup butter
1/4 cup sugar
1 cup general purpose flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
1/4 teaspoon salt
1/4 cup milk
2 egg whites (beaten)
Cream the butter. Add sugar and beat well. Sift the flour, baking powder, and salt together. Add alternately with the milk and then fold in the beaten egg whites. Steam in small buttered molds for 30 to 35 minutes. Serve with red raspberry sauce.

More About Deserving Desserts.

Speaking of Deserving Desserts—I want to tell you about my small 10c cook book entitled "Easy Entertaining." From cover to cover, it is packed not only with new and unusual recipes, but also with menu suggestions and ideas for entertaining easily and happily—for making guests feel they are truly welcome while the hostess has ample time left to enjoy these same guests when they arrive.

To secure your copy just send 10 cents in coin to Eleanor Howe, 919 North Michigan Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.



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Red Raspberry Sauce.

1/2 cup butter
1 cup Confectioner's sugar
1 cup crushed raspberries
Cream the butter and add sugar slowly while beating thoroughly. Add raspberries. To serve, pour over hot steamed snow balls and serve at once.

Orange Dessert Squares.

(Makes 15 servings)
1/2 cup shortening
1/2 cup sugar
2 eggs (separated)
2 cups flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
1/4 teaspoon salt
3/4 cup milk
2 tablespoons orange rind (grated)
Cream the shortening and add sugar gradually. Blend in the egg yolks. Sift together the flour, baking powder and salt and add to the creamed mixture, alternately with the milk. Beat the egg whites until stiff but not dry, and fold into the batter with the orange rind. Bake in a greased 9-inch by 16-inch pan in a moderately hot oven (375 degrees) for about 30 minutes. Cut in squares and serve hot with orange sauce.

Orange Sauce.

1/2 cup sugar
2 teaspoons cornstarch
1/4 teaspoon salt
1 cup boiling water
1 teaspoon butter
1/2 cup orange juice
2 tablespoons orange rind (grated)
Combine sugar, cornstarch and salt. Add boiling water, stirring constantly. Cook, stirring frequently, until the mixture is clear and thick (about 15 minutes). Add butter, and the orange juice and rind.

Surprise Dessert.

(Serves 10)
1/2 cup butter
1 cup sugar
2 eggs
1 1/4 cups graham cracker crumbs
1 cup milk
1/2 cup walnut meats
2 teaspoons baking powder
1 cup crushed pineapple (with juice)
1 cup sugar
Cream the butter, add the sugar and blend well. Add the well-beaten egg yolks. Combine the ground graham cracker crumbs with baking powder and add alternately with the milk. Add the walnut meats and then carefully fold in the egg whites which have been beaten until stiff but not dry. Pour into a greased 8-inch by 8-inch pan and bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) for 35 minutes. To make the topping, boil pineapple and sugar together about 8 minutes or until syrup-like in appearance. Chill and pour over top of cool cake. Let stand in refrigerator until ready to serve. Cut in squares and garnish with whipping cream.

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Star Dust
STAGE-SCREEN-RADIO
By VIRGINIA VALE
(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

PARAMOUNT'S "The Lady Eve" is certainly one of the best pictures that has come out of Hollywood in years and years; it's the third excellent picture in a row for Preston Sturges, who wrote and directed it. Henry Fonda acquires new laurels as a comedian, Barbara Stanwyck is completely delightful, the rest of the cast (which includes Charles Coburn, Eric Blore and William Demarest) couldn't be improved on.

The company launched the picture in New York with something different in the way of a cocktail party. A night club was turned—more or less—into a Garden of Eden, and five pretty girls were engaged to act as Eves. Since there's a snake that plays a prominent part in the picture, one was provided. Dr. Raymond L. Dittmars, curator of reptiles at the Bronx zoo, was present; he felt that the party would do much to dissipate the popular phobia against snakes. A consultant psychologist theorized on perfect women in general and the five Eves in particular. Then Emma, the snake, departed for the zoo, and the women guests breathed easier.

Whether you're an "Andy Hardy" fan or not you mustn't miss "Andy Hardy's Private Secretary," if you want to see the debut of one of film-dom's best bets. She's Kathryn



Kathryn Grayson Mickey Rooney
in "Andy Hardy's Private Secretary."

Grayson, who's not quite eighteen, and is being hailed as a real discovery. Eighteen months ago, when she sang at a Los Angeles musical, she attracted the attention of Metro executives. Before the afternoon was over she had an appointment with Louis B. Mayer—the next day she had a contract. After that she checked in at the studio school—took a regular high school course, had lessons in music, diction, make-up, dramatic training.

She has a magnificent coloratura voice, can sing C above high C, and it is predicted that she may become one of the greatest coloraturas the world has ever known. She's delighted over being in pictures—but in another two years she's going to tackle the Metropolitan opera.

Hortense Monath, who recently appeared as soloist with the NBC Symphony orchestra, has made a name for herself as a concert pianist in both Europe and America, playing with many of the most famous orchestras.

She really has a second career; she browses in the musical literature of the ages and brings forth each year a series of programs for the New Friends of Music, one of New York's more important musical organizations. She thinks there's too much sameness about most musical programs—she also disapproves of intermissions, encores, stage seats and prima donna-dom.

There's no telling how many of our future radio stars will succeed because Fritz Blocki, producer of "Your Dream Has Come True," gave them a start. Auditioning for the program is no ordinary affair. The entire week preceding a broadcast is spent in listening to the many people who want to appear on the program; when it's difficult to make a choice between actors, a recording of the voice in question is made and the radio department makes a decision.

As big name actors and actresses have no meaning on this program, the unknowns have a wonderful opportunity—and under Blocki's skillful tutelage they are sure of getting excellent training.

ODDS AND ENDS—Frank Capra paid \$4,000 for an opinion during production of "Meet John Doe"—hired 350 extras to secure their reactions to two versions of a speech by Gary Cooper. . . . When radio's "Henry Aldrich" reached the screen Jackie Cooper played "Henry" in the first two episodes; now that he's outgrown the role, Jimmy Lydon takes over. . . . Moonlight Ezra Stone goes right on being "Henry" on the air. . . . "This Is England," a short, is being released by Columbia Pictures. . . . Lana Turner tried eight different coiffures before she found the right one for her role in "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde."

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Patron—I was christened by a minister who stuttered.

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It was father's birthday and mother had bought him a new tie.
"I wonder what would go best with it?" she cried coyly as she held it up.
Father eyed the many-colored horror and replied briefly: "A beard!"

Modernizing
"Have you any scythes?" inquired the man of the storekeeper.
"I want to borrow one for Father Time in a revue we're getting up."
"Sorry, sir," said the shopkeeper, "we're out of scythes. How about a nice lawn mower?"

Ask Me Another
A General Quiz

The Questions

1. How far back has the existence of cheese been traced?
2. What animal in that kingdom has the largest brain in proportion to its size?
3. Who is known as the father and liberator of six countries?
4. What two major religions absolutely forbid the use of wine or other intoxicating liquors?
5. What language was spoken by Jesus?
6. What is the Quirinal in Rome?
7. How old is the Dominion of Canada?
8. A person having strabismus is afflicted with what?

The Answers

1. To the year 2000 B. C.
2. The ant.
3. Bolivar (known as the father and liberator of Panama, Peru, Colombia, Venezuela, Ecuador and Bolivia).
4. Mohammedanism and Buddhism, whose adherents constitute one-fourth of the human race.
5. Aramaic.
6. The royal palace (also the name of the hill upon which the palace is situated).
7. In 1763 the Treaty of Paris ceded French Canada to England; on July 1, 1867, the British North America act created the Dominion of Canada.
8. Crossed eyes or walleyes.

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Glowing borders of flowers that beautify the yard, and at the same time provide ample cut flowers for the housewife, may be enjoyed the first summer. The fastest-growing and most dependable annuals for cutting include the Zinnias, Marigolds, Bachelor Buttons and Petunias. There are tall, medium, and dwarf varieties of each. Most widely used of fast-growing annual vines is Heavenly Blue Morning Glory, whose giant, soft-blue flowers are in a class by themselves. It is well to scratch the coat of Heavenly Blue seeds before planting them to speed their otherwise slow germination.



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Life is a garment; when it is ragged, it must be patched; but when it is dirty, we must brush it; when it is worn, it must be replaced.—Balzac.

AGGIE BRIEFS CONTINUED

(continued from front page)

quired to have the person identify himself.

Q. May cotton stamps be sold or traded?

A. No. They can be used only to buy cotton or cotton products and only by the person or families to whom they are issued. Any person or retail merchant who misuses the cotton order stamps will be

subject to penalties imposed by Federal law.

Q. May cotton stamps be used to pay outstanding bills or accounts? Or may the stamps be used in connection with a "lay away plan" or other installment buying?

A. No.

Q. May cotton stamp books be left with the retail merchant, or signed over to a merchant or landlord?

A. No. Stamp books must be kept by the person to whom they are issued for his use as he sees fit in connection with the exchange of stamps for cotton goods.

Q. Can cotton stamps be used to repay advances made against the crop, the landlord's share of the crop, or other indebtedness?

A. No.

Q. Must the entire amount of stamps be used at any one time?

A. One stamp or all stamps may be used at any one time.

A. No. One stamp or all stamps may be used at any one time, or over a period of time, until the total amount of stamps has been exchanged for cotton goods.

Q. How can retail stores be designated to receive cotton stamps farmers in exchange for cotton goods?

A. Retailers handling cotton goods who wish to share in this business should file with the nearest Surplus Marketing Administration office a statement of intention to take part in the program and to observe the regulations under which it operates.

Q. How does the retailer receive payment for the face value of the stamps he accepts in exchange for merchandise?

A. Retailers may file proper claims for payment, supported by cards on each of which are pasted \$10 worth of cotton order stamps, direct with office of the Surplus Marketing Administration.

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|---------------------------------|--|
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| Mechanic | 8.00 |
| Distributor Operator | 5.20 |
| Asphalt Raker | 4.00 |
| Roller Operator | 4.00 |
| Distributor Driver | 4.00 |
| Tractor Operator | 4.00 |
| Blade Operator | 4.00 |
| Trucker (over 1½ tons) | 4.00 |
| Blacksmith | 4.00 |
| Fireman (Asphalt Plant) | 4.00 |
| Oiler | 4.00 |
| Broom Operator | 4.00 |
| Truck Driver (1½ Tons and less) | 4.00 |

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Unskilled Laborer 3.20
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Water Boy 2.40

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

THE COMMISSIONERS' Court of Briscoe County, Texas, will receive competitive bids to ten o'clock, A. M., on the 14th day of April, 1941, at the Court House in Silverton, Texas, on the following described road machinery; one or more:

Motor graders with diesel motors of 66 H. P., equipped with 12-ft. moldboard and two foot extensions, enclosed cab, hydraulic controls and tandem driven.

and at said time and place said Court will proceed to let a contract if any bid be accepted. Certified check in five per cent of amount of bid required, and the Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

If any contract is made the Court intends to issue interest bearing time warrants for all or part payment thereof, in an amount not to exceed \$6,800.00 each, said warrants to bear interest at the rate not to exceed 5% per annum and the full amount of said warrants to mature at a date not later than April 15, 1946.

W. COFFEE, JR.
County Judge
Briscoe County
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Mrs. R. E. Stephen and Mrs. Bud McMinn were visitors in Turkey at Mrs. Roger Arnolds home.

Mr. and Mrs. Camille Tatem, New Mexico Sunday visiting her parents and Mrs. J. R. Foust.

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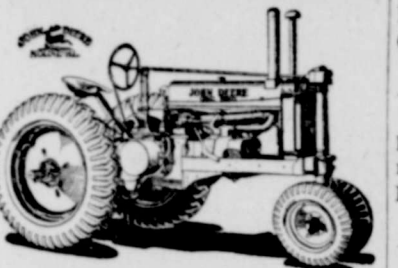
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