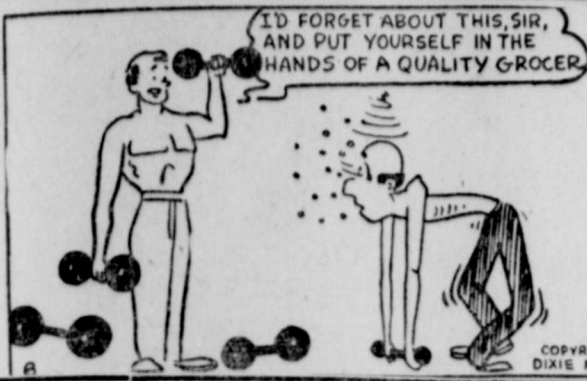


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- Syrup, Blackburn Blended, 5 pounds** **55c**
- Gum** WRIGLEY'S Carton of 20 packages **55c**
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- Salad Dressing, Miracle Whip, pint** **33c**
- Sugar** Powdered or Brown **10c**
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- Coffee** FOLGERS, Per Pound **88c**
- Irend, Giant Size** **40c**
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Home demonstration and 4-H club members in Texas last year worked at making rural living safer. Some 43,000 home demonstration club members and 26,715 4-H members received training in safety and fire prevention. They removed thousands of accident hazards

"The Owlet" School News Edited by Pupils

SENIOR NEWS

The seniors have received their "Senior Play" books. The title of the play is "Comin' Around the Mountain." This play is a bill-billy play and I am sure it is going to be very good because we are going to work very hard on this play. We intend to turn out a very good play. There will be a lot of feudin', fussin' and a fightin' in this hilarious play. The date has been set for the 21st day of March, in the high school gym, time 8:00 p. m. You are all invited to this play—one of the best of its kind. Bring your youngsters, too

CAST

Maw, the hard working mother. Joy Chitty.
Paw, the lazy father, Melvin Hamilton.
Curly, the ambitious son, Richard Tunnell.
Corney Bell, the older daughter, Bonnie Watters.
"Dizzy" May, who is slightly "tetched," Junis Mercer.
Zeke, the youngest, Glen Watters.
Ellie Lou DuFunny, a neighbor girl, Cloria Stevenson.
Sampson "Sammy" Fester, in love with Corney Bell, William Martin.
Robert Bruce, a publicity agent, Joe Monday.
Edward Small, a young radio producer, Joe Bomar.
Carol Hughes, a model, Valda Jo Estes.
Doris Dean, her girl friend and room mate, Peggy Hoyt.
Master of Ceremony, Mary Dudley.
Promoters, Danjels and Gunn. Joe Bomar, Reporter.

F. H. A. NEWS

An F. H. A. meeting was held in the homemaking room Tuesday, February 12. The chapter selected two girls to represent them at the state F. H. A. meeting in Dallas, April 24, 25, 26. The girls were Mary Dudley and Faith Smith. On March 1, the F. H. A. will have a bake sale to help pay the girls expenses to Dallas.

March 22, the area F. H. A. will be held in Plainview and all members of the chapter are invited. Anne Brown has been selected to be our voting delegate.

Friday night, February 22 we are planning a slumber party in the gym and homemaking room. The girls will furnish their own beds. Sandwiches and eats will be served during the night. We will cook our breakfast in the home-making room Saturday morning.

Since we had to postpone our sweetheart banquet we have selected March 11 as the new date for it. It will be formal.
By Millie Marshall.

SIX WEEKS TEST

Well it has come again, six weeks test. Time sure does slip by and we should really get to work. There are just two more six weeks after this one.

Most of us are midnight oil burners. That is we wait until the last minute to study. We don't think about it as the weeks go by but when the year comes to the end it is too late. There are a few careful ones who study hard during the six weeks and take a little vacation just before the test while most of us are studying hard as we can.

So take a hint and study hard all next six weeks and see what a pleasure it is to sit back and not worry about our grades.
By Janice Turner.

SPORTS NEWS

The basketball boys beat Turkey 40-38 last Monday night. The game was to decide which team got to go to the district playoff with Quitaque.

The boys played Estelline Wednesday night and were beaten by a slim margin of 57-49. This was Estelline's closest game. The boys have done fairly good in basketball this year. They have won consolation at two tournaments.

Spring training will start Monday except for the seniors and they will start on track. A track meet will be held here April 4 and Silverton has a good chance of doing good at it.
By Joe Monday.

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F. F. A. NEWS

The F. F. A. Chapter had representatives from Silverton to enter the leadership contest at Floydada, the 16 day of February.

The Va 1 entered the F. F. A. quiz and chap conducting.

The Va 2 entered the chap conducting.

The Va 3 entered the senior farm demonstration and senior F. F. A. quiz.

The teacher, Mr. Glen H. Bunch, told the freshman quiz boys if they would beat the senior quiz boys he would see to it that major got a good work out, major is a board. They tell me that there like to have not been any major after Mr. Bunch got through with the senior quiz boys.

EIGHTH GRADE NEWS

There will be no junior high ball games this week.

The eighth grade will go on a skating party in March or April, and there will be many a sore body when we return.

In English all Mr. Wilmeth can think about is themes.
By Victor Fogerson.

FRESHMAN NEWS

Valetta Weaver went to Amarillo last Tuesday. She spent the night with Sandy Ely. Sandy seems to like Amarillo very much.
By Francis Tunnell.

FIFTH GRADE NEWS

We had our Valentine party last Thursday. Everyone seemed to be thrilled about it. Our room mothers visited.

SIXTH GRADE NEWS

The sixth grade had a Valentine party last Thursday at 2.45. We had a good time.

We have a new boy in our room, Bruce Ariola from Happy, Texas.

In our spelling army we have nine privates, five corporals, six majors.

In history we have been drawing log cabins.
By Sixth Grade

THIRD GRADE NEWS

We're glad to have Dickie Vaughan with us this year. He has just come from Scotts Bluff, Nebraska.

Be my Valentine! That's what we said last week and we had a wonderful party. Thanks, room mothers.

We are working on our assembly program. We hope we'll have a lot of visitors in assembly that day.
By Mrs. Gill.

FOURTH GRADE NEWS

The fourth grade presented the assembly program this week.

Last Thursday was Valentine day. The mothers served refreshments. Everyone made a Valentine box.
By the Fourth Grade.

FIRST GRADE NEWS

We were all very excited over our Valentine party last Thursday afternoon. We are glad to have Sue Lanham here for the party.

Our best spellers for last week were John Jowell, Velma Ferguson and SeReatha Stephens.
By Mrs. Elms.

SECOND GRADE NEWS

We are having perfect attendance in the second grade once again after so much illness.

The Valentine party was enjoyed very much by all the pupils. We can not thank our room mothers enough for all the nice things they have done for us this year.
By Miss Anderson.


Small Fry's Winter Wounds




The sheen of smooth ice on pavement or path is an almost irresistible temptation to any youngster to take a running start and slide over the glistening surface. If the result is a tumble, with a skinned elbow or knee, don't be too concerned about it. Children have been surviving tumbles for countless generations. It's a good idea, though, to check the medicine cabinet and make sure you have on hand the first-aid items you will need to treat small fry's wounds. Skating, coasting and just plain running about over ice and snow are likely to take a toll of minor cuts, scrapes and scratches that won't require a doctor's attention, but that will require first-aid treatment as a safeguard against infection. Usually no more will be called for than cleansing the hurt with soap and water or a mild antiseptic, then a sterile dressing to keep it clean. The new, ready-to-use plastic strip dressings (with the gauze pad already affixed to the adhesive) are fine for children's small hurts — and your own — particularly on hard-to-bandage places like elbows, knees and knuckles. They are elastic, so they stay where they belong, stretching with the movement of the joints. Children don't ordinarily care about the appearance of a bandage. Sometimes it seems that the more conspicuous it is and the dirtier it gets, the prouder they are of it. But for your own use you'll be interested in the fact that the plastic strips are flesh-colored and blend with skin tints so well that they scarcely show. Dirt sheds easily from their smooth surface. If you have one of these dressings on a cut finger, you can wash the dressing when you wash your hands, and it won't get soggy or loose. You'll be teaching your children a lesson they'll appreciate in later life if you bring them up to understand the importance of protecting small wounds from infection. As soon as they are old enough, they should be encouraged to cleanse and bandage their own minor hurts. The plastic strips are a help here, for young fingers can apply them without touching the gauze pad that comes in contact with the wound.

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INVENTIONS that serve you



Charles P. Steinmetz

Immigration officers were dubious about admitting the weakened, deformed young man who had just arrived by steamer from Germany. They were finally persuaded to let him pass. That was in June 1889. Five years later, this same young man, Charles Proteus Steinmetz (1865-1923), had progressed from a \$12-a-week job to chief engineer for the General Electric Co. He was in the forefront in solving many of the electrical problems of his time. His inventions brought him some 200 U. S. Patents.

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A bill recently passed by Congress now makes it possible for your United States Defense Bonds to continue earning interest ten years longer than was originally planned.

For example, a Series E Bond which cost you \$18.75 in 1941 will pay you \$25 in 1951. But if you hold that bond ten extra years, until 1961, it will pay you \$33.33, an average interest of 2.9% compounded annually. You get similar increases on Series E Bonds of every denomination.

And there is nothing for you, as a bond holder, to do. You need not exchange the bonds you have. You need not sign any paper, fill out any form. You simply keep your bonds as you have been keeping them.

You may still redeem any Series E Bond at any time after you've owned it for sixty days. But unless you really need the cash you're much better off to hold your bonds. For United States Defense Bonds are as safe as America itself.

When you buy your bonds regularly and hold them, they are steadily building a sum big enough to buy something really worth while—a home, a business, a retirement fund, an education for your children.

And bonds are safer than cash! If you lose or accidentally destroy cash it's gone for good. But when you have your cash in United States Defense Bonds, the U. S. Treasury will replace lost or destroyed bonds at no cost or loss to you.

So if some of your bonds are coming due, take advantage of this new offer of your government—just sit back and let them go on making money. Meanwhile keep adding to your savings by buying more U. S. Defense Bonds regularly—through the Payroll Savings Plan where you work or the Bond-A-Month Plan where you bank.

If you want to be paid your interest as current income—

The new law also allows you to exchange your Series E Bonds, in blocks of \$500 or more, for Special Series G Bonds which pay interest semiannually at the rate of 2 1/2% per year. For full details, ask at any Federal Reserve Bank.

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Issue price.....	18.75	37.50	75.00
Period after issue date	Redemption values during each year		
11 years.....	\$25.31	\$50.62	\$101.23
12 years.....	25.94	51.87	103.75
13 years.....	26.56	53.12	106.25
14 years.....	27.19	54.37	108.75
15 years.....	27.81	55.62	111.25
16 years.....	28.44	56.87	113.75
17 years.....	29.06	58.12	116.25
18 years.....	30.00	60.00	120.00
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Physicist Sees Plants Making Power by 1955

BRACKSVILLE, O.—An atomic plant that could replace coal as a fuel in making power on a commercial scale may be in operation by 1955.

According to Dr. William L. Davidson, internationally known nuclear physicist and director of physical research at the B.F. Goodrich Research Center, an atomic power plant could open up manufacturing possibilities in remote areas of this country where the high cost of hauling in coal might prove prohibitive.

Dr. Davidson is co-author of "Applied Nuclear Physics," a book that the Soviets lifted and later reprinted in an unauthorized Russian edition, and currently is engaged in a special research project for the Atomic Energy Commission.

The rubber company scientist said that atomic power could prove a tremendous boon to Brazil, for example, which does not have a domestic coal supply, or to Israel, where it is being considered for converting salt water into potable water.

At B.F. Goodrich, he explained, radioactive tires are being used to determine tread wear. In another project, the company has been able to trace leaks in air-conditioning systems.

Doughnuts Were Loaded; Woman Goes to Jail Cell
VALDOSTA, Ga.—She didn't know the doughnuts were loaded—but it looked true enough to hand her in the same jail with her husband.

Doctor Says Atom Bombs Had Little Effect on Health
DURHAM, N.C.—Most of the Japanese who were A-bombed in 1945 are "perfectly normal except for a few scars," Dr. Paul G. Fillmore said at Duke University today.

At the present time the only effects are radiation cataracts of the eye, which are not a serious problem because they can be removed by a comparatively simple operation, he explained.

Army Regiment Contributes \$75,000 to Japan Orphanage
TOKYO—The Army's 27th "Wolfhound" Regiment has contributed \$75,000 to an orphanage in Osaka, Japan, for the support of unfortunate children.

Through voluntary donations, the soldiers of this 25th Infantry Division regiment have subsidized a new home, a playground, and a camp for the orphans. The funds also have paid for food, clothing, medical treatment, and a new X-ray machine.

Trees Die in Winter; Too, Without the Proper Care

Trees die in winter just as they do in spring and summer.

They can be killed by drought and storms, by insects and diseases, by man's indifference and neglect, says Dr. Rush P. Marshall, director of the Bartlett Tree Research Laboratories.

Death may not be sudden. Next spring the trees may try to leaf out, then collapse and die within a matter of weeks.

Deciduous trees which appear to "sleep" in winter must take up a certain amount of soil water to replenish that lost by evaporation under high drying winds.

Wind, ice and snow storms take a toll of trees in winter, toppling them over, or breaking branches and limbs. If a tree is conditioned properly by pruning out dead and dying wood, by cabling and bracing weak crotches and limbs, storm damage can be held to a minimum.

Not all insects are dormant in winter. Bark beetles often crawl from the thick bark to the cambium layer on mild winter days and girdle a tree as they feed.

It is just as harmful to disturb a tree's roots in the winter as in summer. Trees are frequently killed in winter by a careless bulldozer used in construction or by roots mangled when a water main is laid or a sidewalk and driveway put in.

Early Iron Men Served Country in Many Fields
The brothers Curtis and Peter Grubb, owners of Pennsylvania's historic Cornwall blast furnace during the Revolutionary War, not only made cannon but also test fired them and probably used them against the enemy while serving actively as colonels in the field.

The outbreak of hostilities cut off the salt supply of the United States and seriously affected the salting of meat and curing of fish for both military and civilian use.

The men were released to him immediately. Cannon manufacture was a necessary innovation in this country; so much so that Generals Washington and La Fayette visited Cornwall furnace to watch the casting of the first 24 cannons ordered for the Continental Army.

Seeing Babies
For the first four months of life an infant has no effective vision but sees the world as more or less of a blur.

Tough Case
Recognizing the fact that portable movie projectors are often carried into all sorts of climates and that they must withstand the hard knocks incident to travel, the manufacturer of one such machine has devised a special carrying case that is able to "take it."

Revealing Facts
Publication of the newest Army history book, "Washington Command Post: The Operations Division," brings to light the complicated task of the military staff that planned and directed the first worldwide military operations.

Most Life Policy Benefits Go to Widows, Children

Reflecting the basic use of life insurance in family financial planning, wives, children and other relatives appear to be the directly named beneficiaries in more than 80 percent of all life policy death claims, the Institute of Life Insurance says.

Applied to the year's probable total of death claims, the one month's distribution would indicate that this year, wives, children and relatives will be beneficiaries of some 1,200,000 life insurance policies, with total benefits about \$1,400,000,000.

Husbands were shown to be beneficiaries in 11 percent of the policies, although they received only 4 percent of aggregate benefits, reflecting the smaller average size of policies owned by women.

Preventive Measures Urged As Safeguard Against Stroke
The best way to avoid a stroke, third among leading causes of death in this country, is to recognize its possibility and make physical readjustments that may help to stave it off.

In the absence of serious systemic diseases such as diabetes and syphilis, there is not much chance of the average person having a stroke before 45 years of age, according to Dr. William Bolton, associate editor of the magazine, Today's Health.

Wrong Train Ride Causes Airman Action on Front
PHILADELPHIA—Cpl. John J. Murphy, Jr., 20, wrote his parents here about a wrong train ride that caused him to see front line action in Korea—92 days worth.

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Czech in U.S. Army Ignores Draft Notices from Overseas
KANSAS CITY—The Russian-controlled Czech Army will have to get along without the services of one of its prospective draftees. He's serving with the United States Army in Korea.

Pre-War Army
Six months before World War II began, the Army contained 29 infantry and cavalry divisions at nearly full strength, totaling more than 450,000 officers and men, plus an armored force of four divisions with a total strength of 40,000.

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Geography is Both Liability, Asset To Sugar Island

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The sugar island of Antigua—memory-haunted British colony in the Caribbean Sea—is being sweetened with hopes for a brighter future.

Blueprints are now being made detailing an extensive, low-cost housing project for the mass of Antigua's 44,000 people who were left destitute by last year's hurricanes, says the National Geographic Society.

Tropic Beaches
The island's climate appears to be ideal with year-round temperatures ranging from 70 to 82 degrees. Ideal, that is, until hurricane season when winds up to 150 miles an hour blow away everything not securely fastened down.

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Will Harness Sun's Rays for Heating Purposes

Economical heating for Southwestern homes and farm and ranch buildings is a goal of new University of Texas experiments, Burnett Forrest Treat, associate professor of mechanical engineering, has begun initial tests on the possibility of harnessing the sun's rays for heating.

If he is successful, structures can be warmed in certain ways for generations, with the only cost being the initial outlay for equipment. The theory is to gather heat from the sun during the day and use it to warm a structure at night or store it for warming during cold spells.

Mrs. L. D. Griffin and Mrs. Carl D. Bomar were business visitors in Tulia Monday.

Mrs. Austin Bailey and Mrs. Joe Brooks were business visitors in Hale Center Saturday.

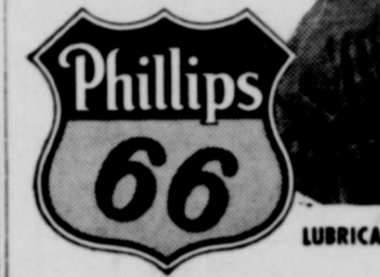
Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Word returned last Wednesday after spending the past three months on the coast. They reported a very enjoyable winter.

Mrs. H. Roy Brown and Mrs. Milton Dudley and daughter, Connie, were visitors in Plainview last Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Durward Brown.

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