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All Around the Town



by Mary Ann Sarchet

Our thanks to Uncle Zeb (Carl C. Wood) for the autographed copy of "Along the Trails with Uncle Zeb" which he recently sent us. This is a new book which has just come off the press, and is delightfully interesting to our family as we share Uncle Zeb's love of the mountain scenery of Red River, New Mexico, about which the book is written.

In his foreword he says: "After spending our vacation among the legends of Red River, and enjoying the kindness of its people for five consecutive years we became convinced that the story should be shared with others."

"In this book we would like to give you a picture of the inspiring moments and relaxing hours which we have found in this peaceful and inspiring valley. To share with you the heart warming enjoyment we find each year as we meet old friends and make new ones as each of us come again to our favorite vacation land."

"We hope that in sharing our wonderful experiences with you we can not only add another friend but that we can make your vacation more enjoyable. As you read this book and at the same time enjoy the unbelievable beauty and indescribable inspiration of Red River we are thrilled to be part of the trail."

You can obtain a copy of the book by sending one dollar to Carl C. Wood, Box 703, Claude, Texas. You will enjoy reading about the legends of interest in and around Red River and the pictures which illustrate every page of the book. Thanks, Uncle Zeb, and thanks for everything else you've done for us, too.

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We have had a number of requests for the census report from our city and county. The reason we have not given such a report is that we have never received a release on the exact figures. The official figures will not be released until sometime this fall.

We have seen reports in other newspapers, but in two of them there were typographical errors on our county figure, and we just don't know who to believe yet. It is our belief that Briscoe County gained 86 persons in the ten year period from 1950 to 1960. That places the current county population between 3,500 and 3,550, we think. The current figure for Silvertown is 1,099, having risen from 1,000, according to our city limits population signs. The city of Quitaque decreased in population by some fifty or sixty, we understand. Maybe the official figures will be released before too long, and we will know this information for certain.

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A thought occurred to me recently which I would like to get into print even though it is a little delayed. We have had extremely unstable weather conditions prevalent this year, which has had many of us doing some cloud-watching. Folks in Quitaque were sent scurrying to their cellars one night recently by an alert. I'd just like for Claude Loudermilk to know that I know he's out watching the skies and listening to the weather-net reports on his two-way radio. The week before last, he did little else but watch the skies for us. Thinking for my family, a great THANKS, Claude.

All Around the Town
Another item that should have appeared last week—**SEARCHING FOR THE MEN WHO** for the Highway Department in Silvertown. Many may not know during the recent heavy rains men spent several consecutive nights out on roads that had washed out. They did not place their warning signs and
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Many Veteran's Widows and Children Will Be Eligible For Benefits July 1

Several thousand widows and children of deceased veterans of World War II and the Korean Conflict will become eligible to receive pension benefits on July 1. These dependents will be entitled to these benefits as the result of a new pension law enacted by Congress last year, according to Paul Miller, Veterans County Service Officer.

Prior to passage of the new law, known as the Veterans Pension Act of 1959, dependents of deceased World War II and Korean Conflict

veterans were entitled to pension only if the veteran had a disability which resulted from his active military service. The new law provides benefits to the dependents of deceased veterans of World War II and the Korean Conflict if the dependents meet certain limitations with regard to income and the size of their estate.

Miller said that a very small percentage of the widows and children in Texas who could benefit from this new law have applied to the Veterans Administration for the benefits to which they are entitled. He pointed out that the children of deceased World War II and Korean War veterans are eligible to receive pension, even though their mother may have remarried since the death of her veteran husband, and even though the children may have been adopted by the mother's new husband. These children are eligible to receive pension while they are unmarried and under the age of 18 years. They may continue to receive pension until age 21 if they remain unmarried and are attending an approved school, and may receive pension indefinitely if they became physically or mentally incapable of self-support before their eighteenth birthday.

Unmarried widows and the custodians of dependent children may receive further information and assistance in obtaining these benefits by contacting Miller at his office located in the County Courthouse in Silvertown each Friday.

Cagle Participates In Gunnery Program

BERGEN-HOHNE, GERMANY—(AHTNC)—Specialist Four Joe G. Cagle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie V. Cagle, Route 1, Quitaque, recently participated with other personnel from the 8th Infantry Division's 68th Armor in the Seventh Army tank gunnery qualifications program in Bergen-Hohne, Germany.

The nine-week qualification program was designed to test the efficiency of all Army tank gunners in Europe.

A tank driver in the armor's Company E in Baumholder, Specialist Cagle entered the Army in August 1958, completed basic training at Fort Carson, Colorado, and arrived overseas in January, 1959.

The 18-year-old soldier attended Flomot High School.

IMPROVED MAIL FACILITIES OFFERED

According to an announcement made by Postmaster Grady Martin this week, vastly improved mail facilities are available to Silvertown postal patrons who will take advantage of them.

A new out-of-town deposit box has been installed in front of the local post office for the use by patrons after hours, on holidays and Sundays. Anytime the post office windows are closed, your out-of-town mail should be deposited in the box out front in order that it may be picked up at 9:00 p.m. each night when the mail truck comes through. The mail will be taken directly to Childress, where mail clerks work all night sorting, post-marking and sending out the incoming mail.

Your out-of-town mail, when deposited in the box in front of the post office after hours, on holidays and Sundays, will arrive at its destination approximately one day earlier than it would if you deposit it in the slot inside.

Postal patrons are urged to take advantage of this new service.

Toni Rhode planned to leave by bus Tuesday evening a group of 40 girls from District 9 for a ten day Baptist Camp in Ridge Crest, North Carolina. The group expected to go through Arkadelphia, Arkansas, and Memphis, Tennessee, enroute to Ridge Crest.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wheelock spent last Tuesday visiting with old friends in Tulia. They attended the funeral of Mrs. S. H. Braly. The Bralys and Wheelocks are friends of long standing.



An oddity which occurred recently in neighboring Hall County was the birth of triplet heifer calves of Aberdeen Angus stock on the Harry Zearing farm on April 22. The cow is a seven year old heifer raised on the Zearing farm. The sire of the triplets is "Diamond Man," a registered bull purchased by Zearing from Norman and Sons Farms, breeders or registered Angus Cattle at Dougherty, Texas, in the fall of 1958 for \$750. Mr. Zearing reported another unusual birth more recently, the birth of a red registered Angus heifer. (Turkey News Photo)

QUITAQUE HAS A NEW PUBLICATION

On Thursday, June 16, 1960, the Quitaque Tribune was born to serve Quitaque and the surrounding area. The Tribune is the result of many long days of work and many weary miles of travel in search of equipment by the publishers, Gaston and Lottie Owens.

Gaston and Lottie are no strangers to most of the people of the area. Gaston has lived in Quitaque for many years and was associated with the W. R. Scotts who operated the Quitaque Post several years ago. Lottie lived in Quitaque for a number of years and spent most of her life in Silvertown.

The publishers of the Tribune will endeavor to publish the news which will be of interest to its readers and which will be to the best interests of Quitaque and surrounding communities.

We of the NEWS wholeheartedly welcome the Tribune as our neighbor to the East, and extend our congratulations on their first publication and best wishes for future success.

Silvertown Semi-Pros Fall To Nazareth

In a hard fought duel to the eleventh inning, Silvertown finally went down to Nazareth, 10-8. Both ball clubs used a trio of pitchers during the contest. For Nazareth, Jodie, V. Gerber and J. Albracht handled the job on the mound with Albracht being credited with the win. Throwing for Silvertown were Jones, Satterfield and Breedlove, with Breedlove receiving credit for the loss.

Silvertown got 13 hits, 8 runs and had 7 errors, while Nazareth got 14 hits, 10 runs and had 5 errors.

This game was hosted in the local ball park to a very slim crowd. Next Sunday the club travels to Umbarger.

Players are reminded to come out for practice Friday afternoon.

FATHER OF MRS. ROBERT BECK PASSES AWAY

Mr. A. P. Schroeder of Henrietta passed away Friday in the hospital at Nacona. The funeral was held Monday afternoon in the First Baptist Church of Henrietta.

Those attending from Quitaque were Mrs. Leon McCracken, Mrs. Glen Ramsey, and Mrs. O. V. Johnson.

Rev. and Mrs. Beck were attending assembly at Giletta, New Mexico, and flew from there when they received word of his passing. He had suffered a heart attack.

Dale Set For Annual Swim Meet

Arrangements for the Tulia Literary Arts Club annual Swim Meet to be held at the Tulia Pool, Friday July 8, got under way this week when the club had a called meeting at Mrs. E. N. Howell's home to outline events. Swimmers throughout this area are invited to participate.

Thirty swimming and diving events will be open to boys and girls, men and women, with a gold cup being awarded to the first place winners. Entries are now being accepted by Mrs. E. N. Howell at 44 Travis Road or at the Pool. Deadline for entries is noon, July 8.

Again the club will conduct the Kiddie Revue for children one through five years of age. Parents who wish to enter their children may contact Mrs. Robert G. Holt, 222 NW Fourth (WY 5-3672) or Mrs. H. L. Byars, 64 Fannin Dr. (WY 5-3662).

Entrance fee for one, two or three swimming and diving events and for the Revue will be 50c. Admission fee for spectators is also 50c.

Local merchants will sponsor representatives in the Miss Tulia contest for high school girls.

Separate judges from out-of-town will be present for the kiddie revue, the Miss Tulia contest and the swimming events.

Soda pops, candy, hot dogs and snow cones will be sold at the concession stand.

There will be six divisions in the swim meet, for the Pee Wees (aged 1 - 7); Juniors (aged 8-10); Intermediates (aged 11-13); Seniors (aged 14-18); Adults (over 18); and diving events for men and women.

No more than three swimming or diving events can be entered by one person. All relay teams will consist of three members, each individual to swim 50 yards. Diving will be judged by AAU rules, with three required dives (front, front jack-knife, and half-twist) and two optional.

The time is 7:00 p.m. at the Tulia Swimming Pool.

JOHN DEERE BOYS BEAT TORNADOES, 20-19

The Ray Thompson John Deere boys put out a final burst of steam to take the Morris Pharmacy-Nance Food Tornadoes in a Pony League game held here last week.

This was the first game of the season for these boys, and Taylor Webb was the winning pitcher.

All All-Star team selected from the two local teams will meet Quitaque here next Monday at 7:30 p.m.

BASEBALL SCOREBOARD

Tuesday, June 21

Indians 15—White Sox 11
Comer, winning pitcher
Rodriquez, losing pitcher

Blue Sox 12—Red Sox 9
Baker, winning pitcher
Garza, losing pitcher

Thursday, June 16
Blue Sox 13 — Gold Sox 9
Long, winning pitcher
Edwards, losing pitcher

Red Sox 14 — Indians 13
Ivory, winning pitcher
Comer, losing pitcher

QUITAQUE SCHOOL BOND ELECTION PASSES

STUDENTS FIND SUMMER EMPLOYMENT IN SILVERTOWN

A number of students have taken employment in Silvertown this summer. Many are working in the harvest and on farms, and a number are working in town.

Robert Hughes has been helping out at Morris Pharmacy, dishing up those 3c to 33c banana splits, while Susan Anderson and Wanda Sue McDaniel have been serving customers at Ted's Restaurant. James Clemmer has also been employed at Ted's.

If you haul grain to Silvertown Elevator, it is very likely that you will be waited on by Bobby Stafford, while his brother, Freddy, is holding down his old job at Stafford Grocery and Market.

Elaine McDaniel has been working at Silvertown Cafe this summer. Jay Towe and David House are on the job at House Food.

Stanley Fogerson and Kenny Thornton are sacking and carrying groceries at Nance's Food Store.

Becky Thomas has been helping out at the NEWS office.

The Bond Election held in the Quitaque School District last Saturday was passed by a vote of more than two to one.

These bonds are voted for the purpose of modernizing Quitaque School buildings inside and out, and on completion of the \$150,000 improvements it will be difficult to distinguish them from new buildings.

An increase will be made in school taxes which will amount to about 25% more than is now being paid. Improvements will be made to auditorium, lunchroom, bookroom, elementary building, office and rest rooms, as well as the construction of eight new classrooms and the improvement of colored school facilities.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Marshall spent the week end in Lubbock with their daughters and sons and their families. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mooney, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lewis and children and Mr. and Mrs. Sid Marshall and Patti.

Mart Norris left Amarillo by Train Sunday afternoon for Savannah, Missouri.



THERE REALLY WAS A 'BRIDGE OVER THE RIVER KWAI'

by L. B. Loudermilk

A short time ago I crossed the "Bridge Over the River Kwai" and later sailed up the river to the site of the second of the two cemeteries where lie the remains of those who were immortalized in the movie production. They have also been immortalized by the Thai Government and their own in lovely kept cemetery plots.

The trip to the River Kwai is a most interesting one. The excursion started out after several of us inquired as to the location and possibility of reaching the Kwai. Many who were asked or spoken to did not know that the river and bridge had been in Thailand. We discovered that it was some 130 kilometers northwest of Bangkok and has its source in the mountain range that separates Burma from Thailand. Most of the road was supposed to be good, especially since this was the dry season, so the trip was planned. The modest start grew into three motor cars in the cavalcade and some fifteen people.

The road took us through Nakorn Pathom where we stopped to see Thailand's largest and oldest chedi. A chedi is a temple with odd

shaped spiral dome looking much like an upside down ice cream cone. The temple is a tremendous structure. It includes relics of an older temple and also has one of the Buddha relics. Worshipers were honoring their deity and we had an opportunity to take some pictures of the structure and its odd colored tile roof shining in the early morning sun.

From Nakorn Pathom we proceeded to a little town with its quaint clock tower which reminded me of some of the clock towers I have seen in New England. We asked directions and, for once in our stay here, found an English-speaking person on our first attempt. He directed us on our last lap of this journey back into history.

Kanchana Buri was our next goal and from there the going would be a little tougher. The roads were surprisingly good. There were many dips and rises caused by flooding during the rainy season. It was necessary to exercise greater care in driving since the vegetation had become more dense and you never knew what was around the next corner. It might be a work elephant in

the middle of the road, a herd of water buffalo, a flock of geese, or even a Chinese funeral where everyone is walking down the middle of the road.

In the last town we were directed after our interpreter showed us a cross with his fingers. We knew then that he knew of the Christian cemetery at the River Kwai. We started on the last lap and found that we had approached the cemetery from the opposite direction. After a country block or so we saw what is probably the only sign in Thailand giving directions to the Bridge Over the River Kwai.

Off in the opposite direction we went with enough distance between cars so as not to be asphalted by the clouds of dust now powdery from the long dry season. Soon we approached the river and there spanning the Kwai was a bridge. True it was a new structure but the remains of the old bridge could be clearly seen to our left. There were the grim reminders in the form of pilings raising their heads above the water of the Kwai and a twisted railroad rail. I walked out on the
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BRIDGE —

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bridge and took a good look at the Kwai, took some pictures, then wended my way back to get down to the river level and out to get a close shot of the historic spot of the real "Bridge Over the River Kwai."

The rising peaks of the mountain range that separates Burma from Thailand were on the not too distant horizon. I worked my way around the piers that were the supports of the original bridge. They now bear in several languages the story of the "Bridge." I photographed the tablets and then

got down to the river's edge. As I started back up to see if the others were coming, I heard the familiar "Colonel Bogey March" which now all who saw the picture call "The March of the River Kwai." The entire safari was coming down the bank and some were whistling and humming the march. It is a shame that the Hollywood production could not have been photographed at this lovely spot. (It was filmed in Ceylon, I believe.)

Some of our group took off their shoes and waded in the Kwai. It looked cool and refreshing but I'm shy about oriental waters since my fungus experience during World War II. The scene here today was peaceful and presented a contrast to what must have been the life of those who lived, built the bridge and perished here in this historic spot.

After walking through the small village at the bridge site, we returned to the cemetery. The ground was donated by the Thai government in honor of those who fought for freedom. The cemetery is kept by the Australian government. It is a beautiful spot. The green grass, even in this dry season, the well-trimmed plots around the headstones, the mimosa, frangipani, locust and other trees and the beautiful shrubs of varying shades of reds, pinks and orange took away all the grimness. There were nice small shrub plantings between the graves. I know that the visitors who were on a pilgrimage to the cemetery to find the graves of loved ones were impressed by the care of the Thai women who dusted off the bronze headstones daily.

Two common graves hold the remains of many who perished in captivity. The cemetery has a registry to assist the families in finding the graves of their loved ones.

The caretaker arranged for us to picnic within easy sight of the graves and under a large locust tree we ate our lunch. After lunch we took a boat trip up the river

to the site of another cemetery. Our boats were powered by one cylinder gasoline engines, the vintage of which has long since been forgotten. Parts of the engine were held on by wire, rags, and even split bamboo. Since this was the dry season and the river was at its lowest, we ran aground many times, and one boat sprung a leak in its bow and had to back up the river.

The trip was most interesting since we saw things of a more primitive nature than in Bangkok. House boats, houses on rafts floating downstream, people fishing from boats hewn out of a single log and, of course the friendly Thai people bathing in the river were among the interesting sights.

There is a River Kwai. There was a bridge on the River Kwai for I was there and saw both.

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lanterns out and go home to their warm, dry beds—they stayed in person to check on further washing and to warn any passing motorist who might otherwise have found himself in serious trouble in a washout.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR:
"Enclosed you will find a check for \$3.00 for one year subscription. Also would like you to know the paper is getting better all the time, but have enjoyed "Thinking Back" so very much and missed it the last few times. Yours truly, Mrs. Wood (Jettie) Harcastle."

Note to Mrs. Harcastle: We are working to correct this situation. We just have been so busy that we weren't able to get around to all the jobs that needed to be done. We are about back to normal now, and hope you will not be missing "Thinking Back" too often from now on.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR:

Take time TO THINK . . . It is Man's greatest power.

Take time TO READ . . . It is the Fountain of Wisdom.

Take time TO RELAX . . . It is the secret of a long and contented life.

Take time TO LAUGH . . . It is the Music of the Soul.

Take time TO BE FRIENDLY . . . It is the Road to Happiness.

THINKING BACK

June 23, 1955 —
Fred Mercer, District Deputy Governor of Lions International, pays a visit to regular noon meeting of local Lions. . . Pfc. Delbert Matthews is soldier of the week. . . F. C. Benson brings in first load of new wheat. . . Jerry Reynolds receives \$25 at "You All Come" program. . . Milton Thornton and Joe Ned Vardell report for military duty. . . Mrs. Wade Steele is hostess to Helping Hand Club. . . T. J. Hodges and J. J. Vardell were in Tulia on business this week. . . Mrs. Nash Blasengame of the JA Ranch took a group of children on a field trip to celebrate the twelfth birthday of Freddie Durham.

June 22, 1950 —
Troy Burson, G. W. Lee and Jimmy Webb are building all steel farm utility buildings. . . Third irrigation well brought in on Orlin Stark farm which is operated by Nuke and Loyd May. . . Winnie Wimberly is installed as Worthy Matron of the Eastern Star. . . Mrs. Eula Shelton is hostess to the Rock Creek Club.

June 19, 1925 —
Bland and Tony Burson buy D. J. Northcutt's interest in Burson Motor Company. . . Haylake votes to build modern new school house at a cost of \$7,500. . . Front Page News Story — "Silvertown has decided that she has no use for a

THE CHANGING SCENE



fire station. There hasn't been but one fire here in thirty-three years, so what's the use. If there should be another one, it would probably burn up everything in town, whether or not, and some people say it would be the best thing that ever happened to the town, so he City Dads had the chance and rented the fire station.

It is understood that a citizen of Silvertown offered to buy the fire station and fire fighting equipment a short time ago but as he only offered \$2.50 and the council decided that the entire plant was worth \$25, the deal fell through. As it is the city is deriving the munificent sum of one dollar per month from the rental of same to Ira Nix who will conduct a popcorn and peanut stand. Ira is a success as a peanut vendor and the building is more suitable for a peanut stand than it ever was for a fire station anyway! . . . Mrs. Clyde Hutsell and girls of Lockney have been visiting home folks this week.

Quilique News

(Delayed from Last Week)

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Barham and son of Tulia visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Kaizer of Amarillo spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Finney.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bedwell and Gerald and Myra Setliff of Plainview spent Thursday with Mrs. W. E. Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Connie Gafford

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of Lubbock visited with Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Ramsey and boys on Saturday. Mrs. Gafford and Mrs. Ramsey are sisters.

Mr. Ray Persons and Mrs. Lela Mae Hutcherson returned Ray Gene and Dellis Monk to Camp Post Sunday. The boys are instructors at the Boy Scout Camp this summer.

Mrs. Buddy Mayfield, Claudine, a grandson of Lubbock, visited her sister, Mrs. Lee Driver last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack McNabb and baby of Amarillo spent Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Barrett. They left Friday to go to Midland to visit a brother.

Mrs. Norma Hewett of Lubbock spent the week end with her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. . . sons. Mrs. George Kaither . . . girls of Fort Worth returned . . . Sunday after spending the . . . here with her parents. Mrs. . . Persons accompanied Mrs. . . home Sunday afternoon to spend . . . few days.

Mrs. Jack Chandler visited . . . urday with Mrs. E. P. . . is in a rest home in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Corky Morris . . . Hereford spent Sunday with . . . parents, Mr. and Mrs. . . ris, and returned their daughter . . . Celia home who had been . . . ing them.

Mrs. Lockett Payne went . . . Crosbyton Sunday afternoon . . . will enter the hospital . . . morning for a check up.

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THE STRAIT AND NARROW WAY

"Enter ye in at the strait gate: for wide is the gate, and broad is the way, that leadeth to destruction, and many there be which go in thereat: Because strait is the gate, and narrow is the way which leadeth unto life, and few there be that find it." Matt. 7:13-14.

In reading the gospel, one is struck with what, for lack of a better term, we call Christ's frankness. Luke says a disciple asked Him, "Lord, are there few that be saved?" His answer is, perhaps, the hardest truth of his religion. The world speaks of many ways, but Jesus declares, with a touch of severity in his tone, there is no middle way; two gates, two foundations; two destinies. He makes no secret of the conditions of discipleship, nor pains in gay colors the Christian life; instead, he emphasizes its hardships and difficulties. He wants no man to come to Him believing he is to walk in ease, and so, at the very beginning, he confronts him with an exacting demand, "If any man would be my disciple, let him take up his cross and follow me." Repentance, self-denial and the cross stand at the entrance to the service of God.

The gate is too narrow to admit any worldliness or selfishness or pride; too narrow for any word or doctrine not taught in God's holy Book, as the Lord declares in the verses following:

The way is narrow; not because God willed it so, but because of sin by which man is always surrounded. But for sin all the world might walk abreast in the Way. God wills that all come to repentance. The sinner may come and the poorest of earth may come in, without money and without price. Christ "giveth grace to the lowly" stands at the door and bids all to enter into the way of salvation, which, like a ruggedly beautiful mountain trail, winds always upward to the summit of our habitation, whose builder and maker is God.

The Silvertown Church of Christ extends to all a hearty welcome to all the services of the church.

L. L. Thornton, Minister

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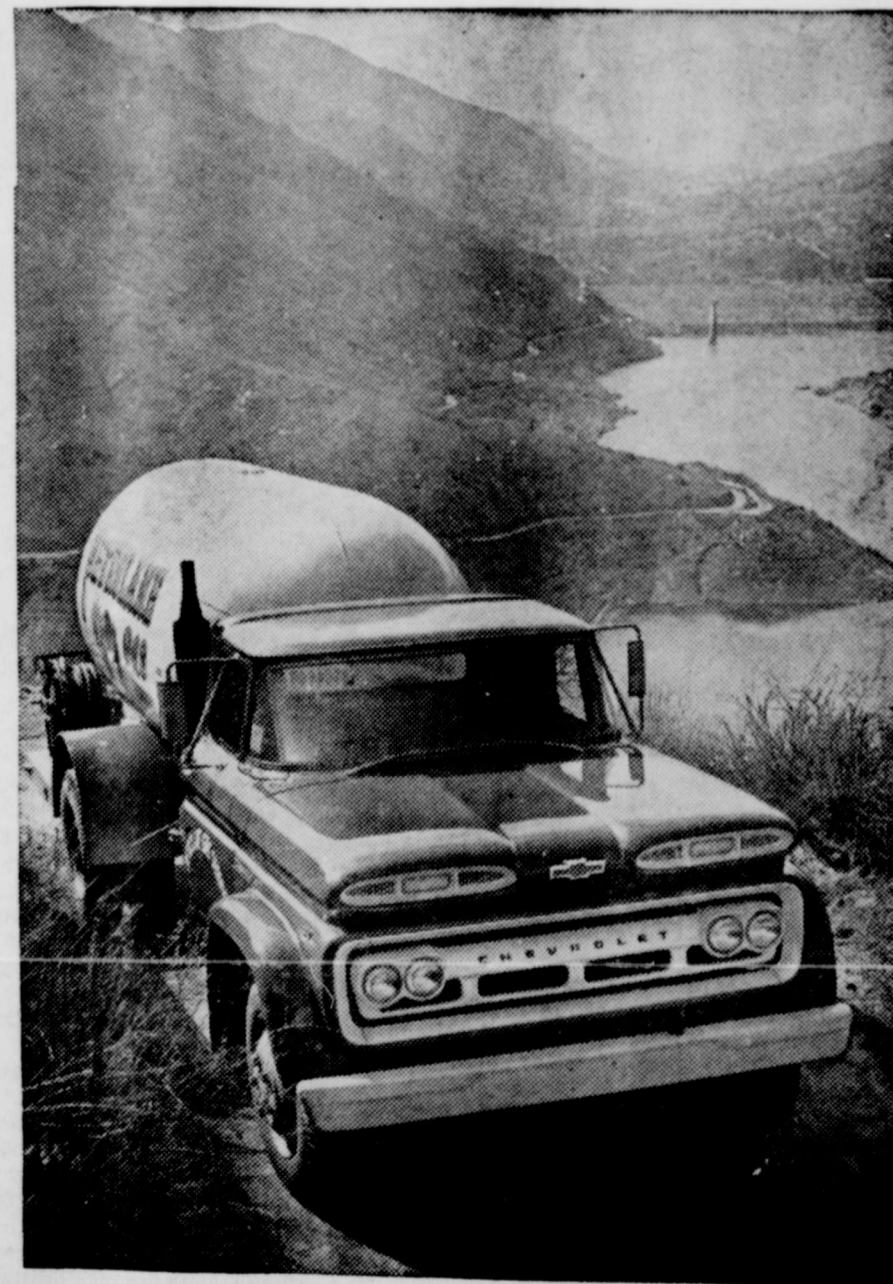
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Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jones, Susan... and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ver... and Debbie were in Wichita Saturday where they visited Freda Jones in the Wichita General Hospital.

PLOWIN' Out the CORNERS

Some of the greatest experiences of our life have been to know either in person or through letters, many wonderful people who even though they carried some handicap through the years, their life radiated with inspiration and courage that sort of spilled over into our own heart.

"Without physical sight one has a deeper sense of beauty. A group of children were, entertaining and one young girl was so friendly and cooperative the blind lady being entertained remarked, 'She is the most beautiful of all.' Later it was learned that the little girl's face was disfigured. The blind lady had seen her beautiful personality. The joy of living does not come from what one sees but from what one comprehends. People spend countless hours trying to decide which handicap they would choose. What a waste of time for God in his wisdom

Local News

reported by MRS. CARL CROW

Miss Emma Force, who recently underwent surgery in a Cleburne hospital, is recuperating satisfactorily and is now at her home there on Route 2. She will go to Fort Worth for X-ray treatments in the near future. She wants local friends to know that their cards and letters are deeply ap-

preciated. P. B. Force, her brother, is feeling some better. They recently moved to Cleburne after having made their home here for a number of years.

Mrs. Iris Graham of Amarillo, spent the week end with Mrs. Dean Allard.

Mrs. J. Fisher visited a few days last week with Mrs. W. R. Humphreys in Tulia. Mrs. N. S. Kilgore of Benjamin, was also a guest in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Humphreys. Mrs. Kilgore and Mrs. Fisher are sisters-in-law.

Mrs. Sallie Williams of Rule, and her daughter, Mrs. Sam Johnson, of Albuquerque and Mrs. W. A. Stokes of Lubbock, were dinner guests of Mrs. John Vaughan on Thursday of last week. In the afternoon the entire group and Mmes. J. E. Vaughan and M. L. Welch visited Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Kitchens. Mmes. Williams, Stokes, and John Vaughan are sisters to Mr. Kitchens.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Kitchens spent the week end in Amarillo with their nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cox.



PENTOMIC PUNCH—The ground soldier's new Sunday punch is the "Honest John" rocket. An artillery weapon in the Army Guard's 21 infantry and six armored divisions, this gives ground forces immense firepower increase.

School Training Program

Last year, for example, more than 8000 Guardsmen took active duty courses at U.S. Army service schools. Courses range from one week refreshers to fullscale resident courses of ten months duration. More than 3000 Guardsmen were enrolled in Army extension course programs.

Guardsmen who would become second lieutenants must attend an accredited Officer Candidate School. Active Army OCS is open to Guardsmen and, in addition, 42 States now operate officer candidate programs based upon Fort Benning Infantry School standards.

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HISTORY

In The Fore In Peace and War

The National Guard tradition of service to country and community is an unbroken line which links the missile age of today with the era of the Minute Man.

Although the heroic figure of the Minute Man and the "Spirit of '76" have come to symbolize the 20th Century concept of the civilian-soldier, the fact is that the National Guard tradition is even more deeply-rooted in the American past.

It began, in a sense, when the first settlers patrolled the perimeters of Jamestown and Plymouth. It flourished in the courageous "trained bands" who protected settlements and opened roads through primeval forest.

The colonists' philosophy was that an able-bodied man would "join the avocation of a soldier" to whatever business or trade happened to be livelihood. This was the philosophy which led to the reliance that was to be placed in the militia over the years. An American phenomenon, it defied the European tradition that arms were to be borne only by "professionals" led by noblemen.

Nevertheless, Colonial militia forces fought shoulder to shoulder with the British in the French and Indian Wars. They helped win the siege of Louisbourg with skill which startled the professionals. British noblemen were inclined to look down their noses at "a regiment of New England farmers and fish-

ermen — led by a lumber merchant!" Britain's professionals and noblemen would meet these provincials again.

It began, the history books tell us, at Lexington, Massachusetts. This is where the tradition of the Minute Man got its impetus.

What is now known as the "National Guard" was first the Organized Militia. The term National Guard was first associated with the militia in 1824 when the 2nd Battalion, 11th New York Artillery (later, the famous 7th Regiment) was selected to serve as guard of honor for the visiting Marquis de Lafayette. The New Yorkers promptly re-named their outfit the "National Guard" in deference to his "Garde Nationale."

Of great importance to the military structure of the U. S. was the passage of, first, the Dick Act of 1903 which set the stage for modernizing the Guard along the same lines as the Regular Army. The National Defense Act of 1916 officially bestowed the title "National Guard" upon the elements of the old Organized Militia, or dered the organization of the Army itself. This established the Guard firmly as a part of the Nation's organized peacetime establishment as well as an integral part of the Army of the United States when in active service.

In 1916 some 159,000 Guardsmen were mobilized for duty along the Mexican Border. In World War I the National Guard furnished 17 divisions. Eleven of them saw service under General Pershing in the AEF. Of eight U. S. divisions

rated "excellent" or "superior" by the German High Command, six were National Guard divisions.

In August 1940, the President of the United States ordered the National Guard into active military service. This brought into service more than 300,000 men in 18 combat divisions as well as numerous non-divisional units and 29 air observation squadrons. This at one stroke doubled the strength of our traditionally meager peacetime Regular Army.

Guard units and individual Guardsmen served with great distinction on every World War II battlefield from Bataan to Okinawa, from North Africa to D-Day and the Battle of the Bulge.

In July of 1950 the U. S. engaged communist forces in Korea and a "partial mobilization" of our forces took place. During 1950-53, 183,000 members of the National Guard saw active service. Eight infantry divisions, 22 air wings, and hundreds of other units of both the Army and the Air National Guard were ordered to duty. Two divisions were hurried to bolster our forces in Europe; two divisions and two air wings were rushed to Korea.

Battle-tested and time-tested, the National Guard up-to-the Minute Men are ready today just as they have always been ready, willing and able in over 300 years of service to country and community.



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Mrs. J. E. Vaughan spent the week end in Amarillo with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Deniz Vaughan. She also visited Mr. and Mrs. Dick Cowart and Mrs. P. E. C. Cowart. Mrs. P. E. C. Cowart and Dick Cowart lived in Silverton many years.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lytle and Judy of Lafayette, California, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Stephens. On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Stephens, Kenneth, Bill, Don, Mrs. Doug Forbes, and the Lytle family attended the Lytle family reunion in MacKenzie Park in Lubbock. About 60 relatives from points in Texas and Arizona attended.

Mrs. T. L. Anderson and Anna Lee were in Tulia Thursday morning for Mrs. Anderson's checkup with her doctor. They went on to Kress where they visited Mrs. Emma Waller, 91, in the home of

Mrs. Marvin Morton. Mrs. Waller, sister to Mrs. Anderson, returned home with the Anderson for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barnhill and Todd, of San Diego, California, spent last week here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Redin.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cowart and Chyrel returned home Monday night of last week after having visited Mrs. Cowart's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gresham and sons, in Roswell, New Mexico, over the weekend.

Rocky Curby has recently spent two weeks in Frederick, Oklahoma, with his aunt and family, Dr. and Mrs. W. O. Walls. J. C. Hill went to Frederick and spent a few days bringing Rocky home Tuesday of last week. Mr. Hill is the father of Mrs. Walls and Rocky's grandfather.

Mr. and Mrs. Berton Hughes were in Amarillo on Wednesday of last week for a checkup with his doctor. Berton's father, W. B. Hughes, accompanied them to Amarillo and caught a bus to Lamar, Colorado, where he will visit his daughter, Mrs. Nadine Hohensee.

Claude Higginbotham and Mrs. W. P. Lamar of Crosbyton, visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. H.L.O. Riddell and Mrs. Jim Brooks visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brooks and Stephen in Borger from Wednesday through Friday of last week. They returned via Happy and brought home Jane Brooks who had been with Delores Mullens of Happy, for a visit with relatives in Los Angeles, California.

Mrs. J. A. Petty of Somerton, Arizona, is visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Arnold, Susie, Doug and Lydia Ann.

Gary Goodin of Wichita Falls is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Shellie Tomlin. He is their nephew.

Mrs. Shirley Ann Nutt and Gary Lynn of Clovis, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Morrison of Dimmitt, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs.

E. W. Yancey. Mrs. Lola Standifer of Plainview, sister of Mrs. Bill Watters and Mrs. Claude Loudermilk, has been a patient in the Plainview hospital since suffering a heart attack Saturday. She is a former resident of Silverton and Quitaque.

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ETA CHI ROLLS BANDAGES FOR EMERGENCY USE

Mrs. L. G. Klemm, the Silverton School Nurse, met Monday night with the Eta Chi Chapter to instruct them on how to roll and bandage.

The bandages will be packed in plastic bags. Mrs. Klemm will take them to Tulsa where they will be sterilized and returned to Silverton. Jack Strange will be in charge of placing them in places designated for emergency use.

Anyone having old sheets, T-shirts, diapers, or soft rags of any kind which are lint free, that you can give for these bandages, please leave them at the In and Out Drive In or call any one of the following people and they will pick them up. They will roll pack the bandages and have them ready for Mrs. Klemm, Lula B. Linder, Willetta Edwards, Lill Lindsey, Jackie Stafford, Roschitty, Eunice Yates, Lawanna McKinsey, Ruby Brannon, Bonnie or Lillie Patton.

4-H Garden Contest To Be Held Saturday

The annual 4-H Garden Contest will be held Saturday, June 25, from 8:00 until 10:00 a.m. Garden exhibitors, Jim and Dick Reid and Jimmy Smith, Joe Bob Watson, Tommy Edwards, and Carolyn Garrison will meet with the judge and the County Agent Robert Ledbetter at the Agent's office at 8:00 Saturday morning to begin the vegetable tour. This is the first year for the exhibitors to go on the tour. It will give each member a chance to see what the others have done.

The superintendent of the Garden Contest this year is Carolyn Garrison. Carolyn has been one of the County Garden winners four years and has been the District Garden Winner two years. As the District winner her records are sent to College Station for State competition. Although she has not been a state winner yet, Carolyn is still trying for that trip to Chicago to the National 4-H Congress

Silverton Garden Club Enjoys Tour of Yards

Silverton Garden Club met in the club room Tuesday morning with Mrs. Carroll Garrison as hostess. The program for the day was a yard pilgrimage.

Yards visited on the tour were those of Mrs. Lula Bellinger, Mrs. Jeff Davis, Mrs. D. Oneal and Mrs. J. W. McCracken.

It was very interesting to see and discuss the different kinds of plants and see the beautiful flowers in bloom.

Those making the tour were Mrs. Posey, Mrs. Gabe Garrison, held in November. The eight National winners receive \$400 scholarships. Carolyn, one of the most well rounded county 4-H members, has carried several different projects during her six years in 4-H Club Work. This year she is the garden subject matter Jr. Leader for the county 4-H clubs.

Anyone who would like to join the tour is invited to do so.

Helping Hand Club Meets

The Francis Helping Hand Club met June 9, with Mrs. J. E. Jowell as hostess. A demonstration on covering Shoes was given by the co-hostess, Mrs. J. D. McGavock.

Members present were Mmes. Virgil Baldwin, Alva Jasper, Aubrey Rowell, Lenton Lanham, Wade Steele, Scott Smithee, J. D. McGavock and the hostess, Mrs. Jowell. One guest was present, Mrs. Sherman Fields.

Mrs. Lenton Lanham will be club hostess June 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Carman G. Rhode Toni and Sandi were in Clarendon on Friday to see the dentist. While there they visited Mrs. James Gouddy at the hospital.

Mrs. R. M. Hill, Mrs. Charlie Holt, Mrs. Milton Dudley and the hostess, Mrs. Garrison.

Refreshments were served the group at Ted's 66 Restaurant at the close of the meeting.

Housewarming Held For Mrs. J. E. Jamison

Mrs. Ralph Carter, Mrs. Bill Helms and Mrs. Odell Johnston hosted a party for Mrs. J. E. Jamison. She has bought and moved into the Earl Patrick home.

Mrs. Jamison was recipient of a number of lovely gifts. About fifteen called and several sent gifts who could not attend the gathering. Refreshments of iced cakes and punch were served those calling.

Mrs. Jamison has been making her home with her daughter, Mrs. Grady Starkey.

Mr. Hubert Hutchins and children of Portales, spent Friday night here with Mr. Hutchins who had been here several days with a combine crew helping with the wheat harvest. Mr. Hutchins and his crew have now returned to Portales where they will harvest oats here before going on to Kansas to help with the wheat. They expect to follow the wheat harvest into Canada as has been their custom in prior years.

Miss Betty Lu Ballard To Wed In July

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Virgil Ballard of Mission, Texas, announce the engagement of their daughter, Betty Lu, to Mr. George Howard Flowers III, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Howard Flowers, Jr., of Covington.

The bride-to-be is the granddaughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. Orvil Taylor Bundy of Silverton. Mr. and Mrs. Ballard formerly lived in Silverton, where Betty Lu attended Silverton Elementary School.

Miss Ballard attended Pan American College at Edinburg, and received her fine arts degree from the University of Texas. She belongs to Gamma Phi Beta Sorority the Cap and Gown Society and Hidalgo County Cotillion Club. She is teaching art in Dallas.

The wedding is being planned for July 2, at First Presbyterian Church in Mission.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCEMENT



GLENDRA RAE McWILLIAMS

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McWilliams announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Glenda Rae McWilliams, to Mr. W. L. (Bud) Couch, the son of Mrs. J. A. Wellman of Gruver, Texas.

The ceremony will take place on June 29, 1960, in the home of the parents of the bride-to-be.

Jack Newsom visited his mother Mrs. John Newsom, in Paducah on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Rampley, Dwight and Wayne and Mrs. H. P. Rampley have recently visited a few days with Mr. and Mrs. George Wayne Rampley and children in Roswell, New Mexico. Doug Rampley returned home with them for a visit.

To Wed Soon



OMA LEE PARRISH Mrs. C. W. Mick of Lazbuddie, Texas, announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Oma Lee Parrish, to Mr. Tommy Strange, the son of Mr. Bryan Strange and the late Mr. Strange. The wedding vows will be exchanged in the home of the bridegroom's parents on June 23, 1960, at 7:00 p.m.

WHO'S NEW



Mr. and Mrs. Gene Arnold of Union, South Carolina, are parents of a baby girl, Sally Foster, born there Friday, May 27. They have one other daughter, Lydia Rebecca, age 5. A. D. Arnold is the grandfather.

LITTLE LEAGUE GAME SCHEDULE

- Thursday, June 23 — Red Sox vs Gold Sox and White Sox vs Blue Sox
- Tuesday, June 28 — Indians vs Gold Sox and White Sox vs Red Sox
- Thursday, June 30 — White Sox vs Gold Sox and Indians vs Blue Sox
- Tuesday, July 5 — Gold Sox vs Blue Sox and Indians vs Red Sox
- Thursday, July 7 — Red Sox vs Blue Sox and Indians vs White Sox
- Tuesday, July 12 — White Sox vs Blue Sox and Red Sox vs Gold Sox
- Thursday, July 14 — White Sox vs Red Sox and Indians vs Gold Sox
- Tuesday, July 19 — Indians vs Blue Sox and White Sox vs Gold Sox
- Thursday, July 21 — Indians vs Red Sox and Gold Sox vs Blue Sox
- Tuesday, July 26 — Indians vs White Sox and Red Sox vs Blue Sox
- Thursday, July 28 — Red Sox vs Gold Sox and White Sox vs Blue Sox
- Tuesday, August 2 — Indians vs Gold Sox and White Sox vs Red Sox
- Thursday, August 4 — White Sox vs Gold Sox and Indians vs Blue Sox
- Tuesday, August 9 — Gold Sox vs Blue Sox and Indians vs Red Sox
- Thursday, August 11 — Red Sox vs Blue Sox and Indians vs White Sox
- Tuesday, August 16 — White Sox vs Blue Sox and Red Sox vs Gold Sox
- Thursday, August 18 — White Sox vs Red Sox and Indians vs Gold Sox

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OH, FOR ANOTHER LINCOLN!

by George Peck

Honorary Chairman of the Laymen's National Committee and Sponsor of National Sunday School and Bible Weeks

May 18, 1960, marked the 100th Anniversary of an outstanding event in the history of the United States of America. On May 18, 1860, the Second Republican Convention, assembled at Chicago, nominated 51-year-old Abraham Lincoln to be its candidate for the Presidency. It is, of course, known to all that the following November, the American people elected him.

While Lincoln was a member of the Republican Party and was elected to the Presidency running on that ticket, he was first of all an American, and in the opinion of this scribe, the greatest man that America has produced to date. If Lincoln had done naught but deliver his Gettysburg Address, he would have firmly established an exalted place for himself in American history.

At this particular time, a century after Lincoln's nomination and when the conventions of our two major political parties shortly are scheduled to meet, it might serve a good purpose to delve a bit into the philosophy of Abraham Lincoln.

Lincoln was a conservative. In a speech delivered shortly before his nomination he asked a question and then proceeded to answer it with another question:

"What is conservatism? Is it not adherence to the old and tried, against the new and untried?"

But the Great Emancipator was not a moss-back reactionary. He realized the inevitability of change; he believed in progress; he knew that even the best could be bettered. He expressed this philosophy on two different occasions as follows:

"I hope to stand firm enough to not go backward and yet not to go forward fast enough to wreck the country's cause," and "... I shall try to correct errors; and I shall adopt NEW views so fast as they shall appear to be TRUE views."

As to the role government should play in the lives of its citizens, Lincoln left no doubt that were he alive today, he would be horrified at what our Federal Government under the guise of doing FOR the American people is doing TO them. He said:

"In all that the people can individually do as well as for themselves, government ought not to interfere." and

"The legitimate object of government is to do for a community of people, whatever they need to have done, but can not do, at all, or can not so well do, for themselves — in their separate or individual capacities."

Lincoln did not believe in the use of force to accomplish worthwhile objectives. He most certainly would have vigorously opposed any and all of today's legislation which foolishly purports to legislate decency and tolerance into the hearts of men. On this score Lincoln remarked:

"Let us have faith that right makes might; and in that faith let us to the end, dare to do our duty as we understand it."

As to liberty he had much to say. Here are a few of Lincoln's comments on that subject:

"I... wish that all men everywhere could be free." and

"Those who deny freedom to others, deserve it not for themselves; and, under a just God, can not long retain it." and

"... and government, not too strong for the liberties of its people, can not be strong enough to maintain its own existence in great emergencies." and

"In giving freedom to the slave, we assure freedom to the free..."

Regarding peace and war, Abraham Lincoln made this pungent comment:

"The ballot is stronger than the bullet."

But this was not a policy of peace at any price for here is what he avowed:

"The man does not live who is more devoted to peace than I am; none who would do more to preserve it. But it may be necessary to put the foot down firmly."

Were Lincoln our president today, it would be interesting to see how he would deal with the belligerent Mr. K.

And perhaps Mr. Lincoln's most sage remarks were made regarding "The American Way." How he would have fought to the last ditch the graduated income-tax, the governmental attacks on legitimate business and the many other things that are destroying initiative and initiative for the individual American. We quote the great Lincoln's comment on this theme:

"I don't believe in a law to prevent a man from becoming rich; it would do more harm than good. So while we do not propose war on capital, we do wish to allow the humblest man an equal chance

to get rich with everybody else. When one starts poor, as most do, in the face of life, our free society is such that he knows he can better his condition.

We surely could put another Abraham Lincoln to work today. He'd find a heap of things to get his teeth into. (We feel certain he'd even forgive the preposition on the end of that sentence.)



Claude is no longer a two-horse town. This week the last vintage of a passed era will be rooted up and there will be no place left for a man to tie his cowpony. In the construction of a new sidewalk on the block north of the courthouse, the two remaining hitching rings of the town will go the way of progress. The rings are located in front of the Claude Pharmacy.

These rings go back to a time when Claude boasted of hitching rails, water troughs and even a well stocked and tromped livery stable. Bill Dunn plans to save the rings for posterity.

—Claude News

It is customary at this time of the year to offer congratulations and advice to the graduating class.

We extend congratulations aplenty but little advice. The latter we have found to be entirely gratuitous and largely useless. These are, however, a few points which should be of help to those about to leave the sheltered groves of Academe. (Excuse the fruity language, but graduations and weddings just affect us that way.)

First, when traveling always carry a toothbrush. Though you may have been reassured that there is always someone ready to lending a helping hand, you will find that this is a very difficult item to borrow. Also it is hard to brush your teeth with a hand, even a helping one.

Second, if you should enroll in college, learn to sleep with your mouth shut. Snoring annoys most professors and disturbs your classmates who are light sleepers. This is the First Law of Thermodynamics. You may feel that it is a violation of the academic freedom you have heard so much about, but just grin and bear it. You will soon find that many things in this world are not what they are crack-

ed up to be.

Third, if you should enter the army, remember to address all sergeants as "Sir". Although they may pretend to treat this as sarcasm on your part, it will actually get you all the choice details and you can spend your spare time loafing around the barracks polishing up the lavatories in the line while your comrades are on 20-mile hikes — also while they are off on week end passes or whooping it up over at the PX. (Unfortunately our limited experience does not allow us to advise girls who plan to enlist in the WAC. We suppose you could be addressing the lady sergeants as "Madam" and see what that gets you.)

Fourth, those who plan any other career should remember that the first requisite of success is a rich father-in-law. This may be a bitter pill to swallow, but remember "love conquers all" and money is very loveable. In due time you may even come to love the old man. This concludes our advice. Naturally we cannot advise you on minor difficulties that may arise, but just keep these points in mind and you should have no trouble.

—Lorenzo Tribune

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hawkins and daughters of Lubbock, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray C. Bomar.

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HELPING HANDS — National Guardsmen are usually among the first volunteers at the scene of a disaster. Training programs under tough Army standards help keep Guardsmen ready for any sort of emergency. These National Guard troops are en route from scene of an air crash.

Army National Guard "Most Ready" Militia Forces in U. S. History

"Training is the measure of a unit's ability to carry out a given mission," says Major General Clayton P. Kerr, a Texan who is currently assigned as the Assistant Chief for Army, National Guard Bureau. General Kerr, who commanded an armored division prior to his Pentagon assignment, points out that training is the pay-off that has enabled the National Guard to earn its reputation as a ready reserve force in every sense of the word.



Gen. Kerr

General Kerr, who supervises administration and training of the Army National Guard's 4,500 company-size units and 400,000 officers and men, emphasizes the current mobilization readiness of the present-day Guard. "The National Guard," he says, "has attained the highest degree of mobilization readiness ever reached in peacetime by a reserve force of the United States."

This advanced training status stems largely from the fact that, since October, 1958, all of the elements of the Army National Guard have been fully engaged in unit training, learning to function as an effective military team

through application of platoon and company tactics. "Good platoons and good companies" General Kerr remarks, "make up the backbone of good up-to-the-minute armies."

At the same time that it got Guardsmen the best trained out of the "basic training business" and moved into unit training, the Army Guard took two additional steps designed to keep Guardsmen abreast of their counterparts in the Active Army.

First, there was a reorganization of the Army National Guard along the so-called "pentomic" lines. This involved revamping of the Guard's 21 infantry divisions and six armored divisions as well as hundreds of nondivisional units to conform to the "new look" of the Army.

Combat support and service units were also reorganized to make them better able to carry out their assigned missions in an atmosphere of conventional or nuclear warfare.

During the reorganization of the National Guard a full year ahead of schedule — the infantry, artillery, and armor elements of the Guard came under the Army's new Combat Arms Regimental System which provides the means for maintaining the historic continuity of traditional regiments.

General George Washington whom we traditionally honor on Muster Day," says General Kerr,

would most certainly be astounded at the modern missile-age equipment, the morale and professional training level of our up-to-the-minute men."

There are reasons why today's Guardsman is the best trained man in history. All members of the Guard are either veterans or graduates of the Army 6-months training program, or men who have obtained equivalent experience through extensive association with the Guard.

As of this time all new National Guard recruits without prior military experience are required to spend six months of active duty training. Following six months of Army training these men return to their hometown units. It is estimated that at least 60,000 National Guardsmen will undergo six months of training this year.

Much has been said of the mobilization readiness factor. What is mobilization readiness? "Each phase of unit training which we accomplish in peacetime is a month less required to qualify a division for combat duty after it has been ordered to active duty," General Kerr points out.

The Assistant Chief for the Army National Guard also noted some of the other factors which enter into the mobilization readiness of the Guard.

HOW WOULD YOU EXPLAIN IT TO A CHILD?

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SECOND—Insist on strict enforcement of all traffic laws. Traffic regulations work for you, not against you.

Where traffic laws are strictly enforced, deaths go DOWN!

THIRD—Work through your church, PTA or civic group for extra policing where needed, better street lights and signals, and a school safety program.

Where people work actively for safety, deaths go DOWN!

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News From Quitaque

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reported by Mrs. Charles Gowin

Mr. Norman Hamilton of Carlsbad, New Mexico, spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. J. N. Hamilton and other relatives.

Mrs. J. R. Self of Portales, New Mexico, visited her sister, Mrs. J. Hamilton and other relatives and friends the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gowin, James and Douglas, visited Sunday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jeffress of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hamilton and Carolyn of Amarillo spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norvelle Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark McDonald and family of Borger spent the week end with Mrs. McDonald's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Von Tiffin and with his brother, the Horace McDonalds.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Reed and family of Denver City spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Reed and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Hill and girls of Amarillo spent Thursday and Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Barrett.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Harvey spent the week end in Amarillo visiting their children, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Harvey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Harvey and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Harvey and family. They attended church at the Forrest Hills Baptist church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Barrett and family of Amarillo visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Duck and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Barrett, Friday evening and Saturday.

Mr. Jim Hamner of Childress, Mrs. Lela Mae Hutcherson went

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Imel of Silverton, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Morris and family of Tulia, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hamner.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Gilbert and baby daughter, Mrs. George Harwood and son, all of Big Spring, visited with friends and relatives from Saturday until Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Seaney and family of Masterson spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Barrett.

Mrs. J. M. Cates of Spearman, Mrs. Lou Baggerly and Mrs. ohn Cates visited their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. oe Bedwell and Donna, and other relatives and friends from Wednesday through Saturday.

Those visiting Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Persons were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Persons and family of Farmington, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Persons and son of Plainview, and Mrs. Lela Mae Hutcherson and family. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Schott and family of Silverton, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Bogan and Mrs. Gladys Wise.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hooks visited Mr. and Mrs. Gene Clary at Tulia and attended church there.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart McCracken, Jo Beth and Ronnie, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brown and Becky of Borger, and Mr. Boone McCracken were dinner guests Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Carter.

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Mr. and Mrs. George McAlavey of Flomot spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wes Harvey.

Mr. Herman Harris of Lubbock spent Friday with his nephew, Mr. and Mrs. John King.

Mr. Levi Bedwell is spending the week with his daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Jean Grundy and Mr. and Mrs. Reed Bethel, at Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sanders and family of Hedley, spent Sunday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerald Rice.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Rice left Friday for Truth or Consequences, New Mexico, for a two week vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Yancy, Carolyn, Linda, Dorothy and Marsha spent last week in Quanah with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ragland, Jr., who returned home with them for a week end visit with the Yancey's and other relatives.

to Amarillo Monday to attend Insurance School. She was accompanied by Deanna, Susanna and Trudie Drake, granddaughters of Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Drake, who had been visiting a few days with their grandparents.

Mrs. Bobbie Webb and Dean Clark of Bakersfield, California, is visiting a few days with her mother, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. Mort Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Payne, Mrs. Bobbie Webb, Dean Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Yarborough of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Young and Gregg of Hobbs, New Mexico, visited in the Frank Hawkins home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Austin of Memphis spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carter and Melvin spent Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hedrick, at Hale Center.

Miss Mary Ellen McCracken spent last week with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Richmond, at Turkey.

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Central States News Views

FIRST TEST run of experimental "magnetic pinch plasma" space engine is watched by Republic Aviation Corp. scientist through portholes of unit simulating outer space conditions. Test success came much earlier than expected, Republic said, and shows plasma engine can use more readily available fuels than earlier system, the ion engine.



DOLLING UP history is fun for Pat Glenn, 7 of Dallas who admires rare George and Martha Washington figurines owned by her aunt.



Silverton News

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McCain, Cecilia and Tommy, of Fort Sumner, were week end guests of Mrs. McCain's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Runt Swinney. They came to return home Darrell and Debby who have spent a month in their grandparents' home. The McCain family returned home via Tulia for a visit with his mother, Mrs. N. C. McCain.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Rhoderick and John Scott of Plainview, came Sunday for a few days' visit with Mr. Rhoderick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James C. Rhoderick, Sr.

Mrs. T. W. Ziegler, of Jacksboro, a former Silverton resident, and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Long have recently spent several days at South Bend.

Guy Roland of Amarillo, visited Mrs. J. H. Burson and other relatives Sunday. He was here making plans for the annual Burson reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Berton Hughes, Robert and Randy, spent a recent week end in Memphis with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hall and daughters. While there they attended the wedding of Miss Lezeta Calene Teel and Mr. Charles Ray Guthrie, and the reception which followed. Mrs. Hughes was soloist at the wedding.

Mrs. Berton Hughes and Randy and W. B. Hughes were in Vernon on Friday and Saturday of last week. Randy remained for a longer visit with his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Renfro, and an uncle and family Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Renfro. W. B. Hughes is the father of Berton Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Thornton and Lynn returned Friday of last week from a two week vacation visit with relatives and friends. They visited his mother, Mrs. Bettie Thornton, and other relatives in Stonewall, Oklahoma; in Oklahoma City they visited Mr. and Mrs. Archie Barnes, parents of Mrs. Thornton, other relatives and friends; the highlights of their trip was a visit with their daughter and family, 1st Lt. and Mrs. Bill Kennedy, Greg and Shawnda Jo, in Manhattan, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Thornton and Lynn transacted business in Lubbock on Monday; they also visited friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Long, Kit and Mike of Alanreed, and Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Tate and Jackie Carol were Sunday guests of the ladies parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bomar.

Recent week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Kellum and family were her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Mixson, of Hutto; and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Goodwin, of Lubbock. Mrs. Goodwin is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kellum.

Rev. O'Sullivan, man Catholic Church in St. Anthony's arillo a few days an infected elbow was painful.

Mrs. R. E. Stephens came home Sunday after having been a patient in the Medical Center in Plainview since Monday of last week. She is not feeling too well but thinks she is improving some.

Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Baxter, of Lone Star, visited Mrs. H. P. Rampley Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mallow and Becky went to Roswell, New Mexico over the week end to visit relatives and to return home Doug Rampley who had visited them and other relatives here for several days.

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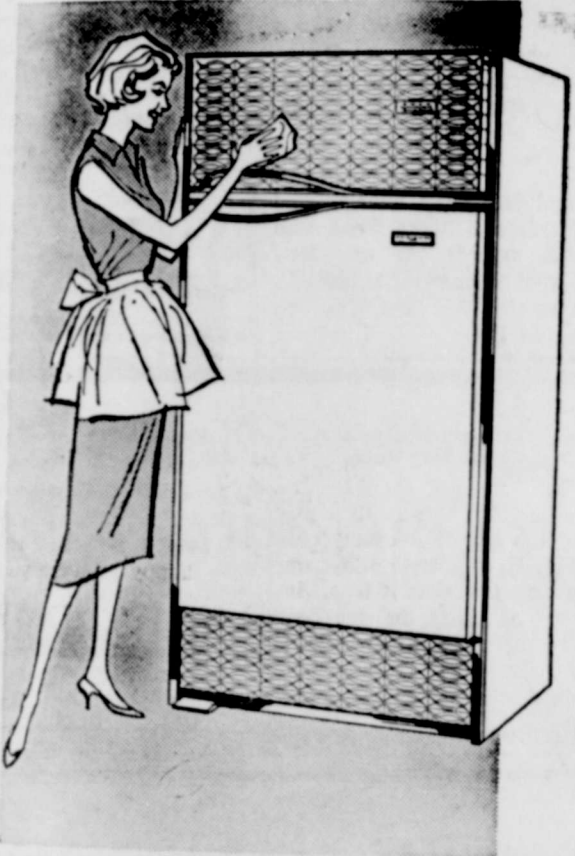
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Mrs. G. H. Wagnon

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Our heartfelt thanks to all who
extended comforting sympathy and
help in our recent bereavement.
For the beautiful service, floral of-
ferings and other kindnesses, we
are deeply grateful. Our apprecia-
tion cannot be adequately expres-
sed.

Mrs. Oliver Savage
Mrs. Samuel E. McClung
Mrs. H. D. Walters

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank all who help-
ed us in any way in the loss of
our beloved one.

The family of
J. C. (Calhoun) Turner.

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Mrs. Farris Martin and Ginger
spent Monday night of last week
with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Watson
and family at Springlake. The la-
dies are sisters. Debbie and Donna
Watson returned home with their
aunt who took them to Tulia for
a swimming party Saturday after-
noon. Mrs. Watson met the party
in Tulia and took her girls home.

Charles Quillen and sons, Mike
and Pat, of Portland, visited his
mother and family, Mr. and Mrs.
H. E. Fowler, from Wednesday
through Saturday of last week.

Mrs. E. C. Newman and Mrs.
Floyd Woods took Mrs. Olive and
Bettie to Plainview where Mrs.
Olive had a checkup with her doc-
tor. They then traveled to Peters-
burg, where Mrs. Olive and Bettie
stayed with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ol-
ive until Sunday.

Ann Wingo, Sue Lanham and
Marcalyn Lee left Lubbock at 10
p.m. Saturday with a group of six
girls and the Mother Advisor, Mrs.
Marie Harris, of Tulia, for Corpus
Christi, where they attended the
Grand Assembly of the Order of
Rainbow for Girls. The group went
by bus.

Ray Allard, Mrs. Birdie Joiner,
her daughter, Mrs. Don Walker,
Donna, Linda and Dwindia of Fort
Worth, visited relatives here last
week. Ray Allard visited his cou-
sins, the Messrs. O. C. and Dean
Allard, Mrs. Perry Whittemore,
and their families. The ladies were
houseguests of Mrs. Clyde Lightsey
and also visited Mrs. W. Allard,
their aunt. On Thursday, Mrs. W.
Allard and the visiting ladies
spent the day with Mrs. Virgie
Tucker and other relatives in Can-
yon. Mmes. Allard and Tucker are
sisters.

Mrs. Grace Irion and son, Wel-
don Irion, of Amarillo, were week
end guests of Mrs. Clyde Lightsey.

Mrs. W. J. Hyatt, Sr. returned
home Monday after a week's visit
with her daughter and family, Mr.
and Mrs. W. A. McLeod and chil-
dren, in Midland.

Mrs. Carver Monroe, Marsha and
Mary were in Canyon last Saturday
where Marsha took entrance ex-
ams at W.T.S.C. In the afternoon
they visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert
Haley Hill, the daughter of Mrs.
Monroe.

Out of town relatives and
friends here to attend the funeral
of J. C. (Calhoun) Turner on Wed-
nesday of last week were Mr. and
Mrs. J. C. Turner, Jr. and Bill Pad-

gett, Jr. of Memphis, Tennessee;
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tiner, Roy Dean
and Charlotte Debra, of Roswell,
New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. L. T.
Milby and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard
Milby of Terrell; Mrs. Elmer Gil-
keyson and Ernest Milby of Dallas;
R. A. Guthrie of Sundown; Claude
R. Higginbotham and Mrs. W. P.
Lamar of Crosbyton; Mr. and Mrs.
Archie Turner and family of Tuc-
son, Arizona; Mrs. Audra Price
and daughters of Quanah; Mrs.
Fred Browning of LeFors; John
Turner of Childress; Mrs. Loraine
Minatre and children, Mrs. Nancy
Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Turner,
Mr. and Mrs. Doc Turner and fam-
ily of Wellington.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tur-
ner and son, Mr. and Mrs. Luther
Bivens, Mr. and Mrs. Kemp Thomp-
son, Mrs. Bob Turner and Rita,
of Tulia; Amos Turner of McIn-
tosh, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs.
Charles Nickelson and children of
Blenn, New Mexico. Mr. and Mrs.
O'Neal Watson and James, Mrs. Al-
vin White and Mrs. Ruby Turner
of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Albert
Poole, Lula, Debra and Tommy
Nance, of Lockney.

Mrs. Lloyd Meeker left for her
home in Los Angeles on Wednes-
day of last week after a two month
visit here with relatives. She is a
sister to Will Smith and Mmes.
W. A. Sedgwick, Cora Donnell, Bob
Dickerson and Ed McMurtry.

Mrs. W. R. Ellison, 88, of Okla-
homa City, died there on Saturday
morning. Funeral services were
held at Piedmont at 2:30 p.m. Mon-
day, with interment at a nearby
cemetery. Mrs. Ellison, sister of T.
J. Hodges, has been confined to
her room for two years and had
been seriously ill for some time.
Mrs. Ellison had lived in and near
Oklahoma City since 1890—the
year after the land run in Okla-
homa. She is survived by her hus-
band, a son and a daughter and
several grand- and great grand-
children. She raised four children
and seven grandchildren. Mr.
Hodges was unable to attend the
funeral.

Mrs. Cliff Hodges, her daughter,
Mrs. Lee Gallagher and daughters,
and Barbara McInnis, of Corpus
Christi, visited Mr. and Mrs. T. J.
Hodges and other local relatives
here early last week. They were
overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs.
Arnold Turner and family on Mon-
day and of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon
Garrison and sons, of Tulia, Tues-
day. They were enroute to Colora-
do on vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Montague
and Jene of Plainview, and Mr.
and Mrs. Will Smithee visited Mr.
and Mrs. R. C. Green and family in
Turkey Sunday afternoon.

Ted Hancock, son of Mrs. Gor-
don Montague, of Plainview, and
grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Will
Smithee, is recuperating satisfac-
torily from a broken ankle. A
horse fell on him about a month
ago. The cast is scheduled to be
removed this week. Ted, a recent
graduate of Plainview High School,
is attending Business College in
Plainview this summer, and plans
to enter college in the fall. Ted
formerly attended the Silverton
Schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Lightsey, of
Maywood, California, visited his
aunt, Mrs. Clyde Lightsey, on Fri-
day of last week. They were en-
route to Flint, Michigan, where
he will graduate from General
Motors training school in August.
Gerald is the son of Mr. and Mrs.
Horace Lightsey.



Shown are a group from Silverton
enjoying the fun on the senior
trip taken recently to points of
interest in Texas and Louisiana.
Among those pictured are James
Clemmer, Jimmy Smith, Gretchen
Morris, Bill Verden, Evelyn Ver-
den and the bus driver as they dis-
play the string of fish they have
just caught.

Mrs. M. L. Welch and Mrs. Bill
Long and Diane returned home on
Wednesday of last week after a
ten day visit with Mr. and Mrs.
D. McMurry and family of Taft,
California. Mrs. Welch is the mo-
ther of the other ladies.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Savage and
sons of Odessa, were week end
guests her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Olas Chitty, Norman and her sis-
ter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe
Grabbe and Pat.

Mrs. J. A. Petty, of Somerton,
Arizona, planned to leave Wednes-
day for her home after an exten-
ded visit here with her daughter
and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. S-
nold and children. Doug and Stan
Arnold planned to return home
with their grandmother for a visit.

Mrs. Hallie Johnson of Florida,
a former Silverton resident, spent
last week with her daughter and
husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur
Merrell. They visited several of
Mrs. Johnson's former neighbors,
including Mrs. E. C. Newman.

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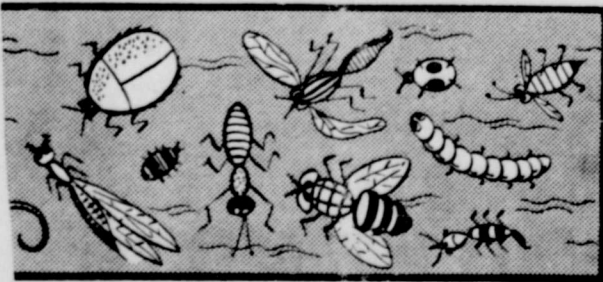
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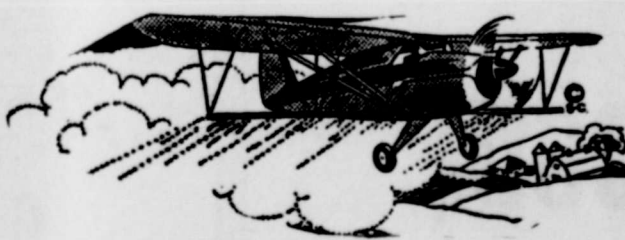


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