

## District 1-B Basketball Tournament Postponed Until February 20

District 1-B basketball tournament scheduled to have opened here Friday morning has been postponed until Friday, February 20. The games will start at 9:00 o'clock according to the announced schedule. Most girls teams will travel such a distance that it will be necessary for them to stay at least one night in Stratford and school officials are appealing to the public for their cooperation in calling the school if they have a spare bedroom in their homes.

Gruver and Dumas girls will open the district games Friday morning at 9 o'clock.

Sunday and Stinnett boys play Friday at 10:15 A. M.

Friday afternoon session of the games open at 1:30 P. M. with Stinnett and Canadian girls playing at this time.

Morse and Textline boys play at 2:45 P. M. Friday.

Channing boys have withdrawn from district play, giving Hartley boys a bye in the preliminary games.

Stratford and Miami girls play at 4:00 P. M. Friday.

Dumas and Follett girls play the opening game Friday evening at 7:00 P. M.

Spearman and Gruver boys are scheduled to play at 8:00 P. M. Friday.

Stratford boys play the winner of the Sunray-Stinnett game at 9:00 P. M. Friday.

Saturdays games open at 9:00 A. M. with the girls winning the Stinnett-Canadian game playing the winners of Gruver-Dumas-Follett games.

Girls of the Stratford-Miami and Channing-Dalhart games play at 10:15 A. M. Saturday.

Boys of the Sunray-Stinnett-Stratford and Spearman-Gruver games play at 1:00 P. M. Saturday.

Boys of the Morse-Textline-Hartley games play at 2:15 P. M. Saturday.

The girls final games will be played at 7:00 P. M. Saturday and the boys final game will be played at 8:00 P. M.

The district tournament opens with opportunity for an open tilt as teams which showed a decided weakness during the first part of the season have shown rapid development during recent weeks. Teams originally strong have been handicapped by injured players.

## Lions Have Hilarious Program

The Lions Club met Monday night with a very good attendance. A very interesting program was provided by a group of Amarillo Lions under the leadership of Clyde Brown who started the ball rolling with a few minutes devoted to a fun program that provided some hilarious entertainment. He then introduced Wilbur Hyatt and S. G. Stockton who presented the overall plan for the Boy Scout Camp Don Harrington located eighteen miles south of Amarillo in Ceta Glenn Canyon. The Lions Clubs of this district are raising funds to build the main building for this project, and presented the plan to the local club for their approval.

Following the meeting, the Board of Directors met in the bank for their monthly conference. At this meeting it was decided to have a banquet soon, open to the general public to provide funds for this scout project. They also voted to pay for two lots and the taxes due on them as part of the block of land being secured for the proposed city park. The lots were bought in by an individual at the recent tax sale as a part of this project. They also authorized the purchase of the one remaining lot in that block. There are still a few wrinkles to be ironed out with the City Council, but the parlour appears to be a certainty. Several other subjects were brought up, strictly off the record.

## Cleaners Install New Steam Press

Donal Bomer and V. H. Garrouette of the Stratford Cleaners installed a new steam press in their place of business this week.

## Searching Parties Seek Missing Residents

Searching parties with tractors worked feverishly Thursday morning to rescue residents and motorists discovered stranded on many highways since Tuesday night.

Among the first to be brought to Stratford were W. S. Frizzell, Jack Frizzell, Bill Frizzell, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Keener, and Arlyn Halle.

W. S. Frizzell and Jack Frizzell were treated for severe frost bite. Bill Frizzell walked to Stratford Thursday morning to seek help.

A family of four are reported to have frozen to death on a road near the Pronger ranch where they are said to have been employed. At 11:00 A. M. searching parties thought it would take three hours to reach the stranded family.

A special Santa Fe train dispatched from Etter Wednesday night picked up 36 stranded motorists along U. S. 287 between Stratford and Kerrick.

The road was said to have been open from Boise City to Kerrick resulting in the large number of cars venturing over this route.

Gas lines broke at Texhoma early Thursday morning and the city was without gas from 5:00 A. M. until 8:00 A. M.

## PTA Founder's Day Observed Monday

Parent-Teacher Association members met at the school Monday afternoon for their annual founder's day program.

Elise Fuentes and Juanita Beall furnished dance numbers as recreation.

F. B. Mullins stressed the subject, "Your Government is You."

Mrs. Tommie Wakefield delivered the Founder's Day address and auctioned the cakes, raising funds amounting to \$10.45.

Plans were adopted for the Parent-Teacher Association to serve meals during the district tournament this week-end. Members are requested to donate pies and cakes, and be in readiness to help serve if weather conditions make it possible for carrying out of the district tournament plans.

## 3 Locations Made; One Well Tested

Three new drilling locations were announced for the county this week. Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 Craig "A" is located 2,252 feet from the North line and 2,589 feet from the East line of section 21, Block 1-C.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 Horton is located 2,532 feet from the North line and 2,534 feet from the East line of section 24, Block 1-C.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 Witt "D" is located 2,533 feet from the North line and 2,643 feet from the East line of section 41, Block 2.

United Producing Co. No. 2 Price, located in section 309, Block 1-T, was drilled to 3,350 feet. It produced pay from 2,760 to 3,295 feet, and after treatment with 10,000 gallons of acid, produced 10.6 million cubic feet of gas with 423 pounds of rock pressure.

## Hank Says:

Well, the experts won't give reasons for the recent market drop, can it be they don't know. It seems to me that perhaps these guys that got so all-fired rich during and since the close of hostilities have just ran out of money. Black market business is bleaching out and so is their money, wonder if they are going to enjoy working for an honestly earned dollar again.

Yours,  
Hank.

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## SHS Who's Who Students Are Selected

Kenneth Pemberton and Lorene Ritchey have been selected for the 1947-48 publication of "Who's Who Among Students In American High Schools." This is an annual publication in book form, which contains the names and biographies of the outstanding students in our nation's schools. It is a permanent nationally circulated record of individual achievement.

Each student selected for this honor automatically becomes a candidate for one of the college scholarships to be awarded by this publication in the spring of 1948.

The selection is made by the high school faculty. Stratford High School is allowed two students in this year's publication of Who's Who. Outstanding students are those who have shown a superior or above average proficiency in one or more of the following fields of endeavor: Scholarship, Athletics, Publications, (newspaper, annual, etc.), Speech, Music or Creative Writing, Leadership and service in school, church, or community activities; membership and offices held in school and school clubs; useful and successful hobbies. A student to be selected must also be of sound moral character.

## 96% Tax Collections Paid For '47

An audit of Sheriff Kidwell's records indicates 96.66 percent of all Sherman County taxes were paid on or before the January 31 deadline, one of the highest percentages since the wave of prosperity swept the plains section.

The transfer of most tax delinquent property into the hands of local residents is a major factor in the current rise of tax collections.

## La Ciencia Club Entertained Thursday

Mrs. John Kidwell was hostess to the La Ciencia Club Thursday of last week.

Those present were Mrs. C. E. Harris, Mrs. J. G. Clark, Mrs. Roy Harris, Mrs. Sam Wohlford and the hostess.

The next meeting will be February 19 in the home of Mrs. J. G. Clark.

## District Court Session Opens Monday

District Court will convene Monday for a hearing of criminal cases. A special venire of 200 men has been summoned to appear for petit jury service at 2:00 P. M.

## Wohlford Tells Tragic Story Of Blizzard

Sam Wohlford, in a dazed and exhausted condition here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Kidwell Thursday evening told a weird story of traveling in the blinding snow storm Wednesday night to give assistance to Robert O. Reynolds, his mother-in-law, and three children who were stalled in an open pick-up while attempting to travel from the Pronger Ranch to Cactus to visit Mrs. Reynolds and their baby born Sunday of last week.

Reynolds first came to the Wohlford home Tuesday afternoon about 4:30, his pick-up stuck north of Wohlford's home. Mr. and Mrs. Wohlford tried to get Reynolds and the family to spend the night with them or return to Stratford as they feared the Cactus road would be closed. After the pick-up had been pulled out of a drift with a tractor and the family warmed at the Wohlford home they continued on their way to Cactus.

At 4:00 P. M. Wednesday evening Reynolds again came to the Wohlford home asking for assistance, his pick-up having been stalled on the East road to Cactus since Tuesday night.

Wohlford improvised a platform on his tractor and started the trip to the Reynolds pick-up. He said they must have spent an hour and a half or more trying to locate the vehicle which was covered and filled with snow.

All of the family but one were alive. They were placed on the tractor and driven to the Wilbur Wilson home, about three-fourths of a mile away.

Wohlford then started with his tractor for Stratford to secure an ambulance and a doctor. Soon after he reached the highway his tractor stalled. Seeing he would be unable to walk to Stratford he turned south and started a five mile walk to the Dick Farris home at times lying on the snow and looking up in order to see highline poles to trace his way. When the poles were not in view he would feel his way to highway fences. One heavily loaded truck he met offered to get help from Stratford. Wohlford remained in the truck cab long enough to get warm and resumed his walk as he feared the trucker would not get through to Stratford and he did not. Too late Wohlford saw the Santa Fe mercy train and could not flag it down.

After what seemed hours he saw a high drift he felt certain was the Farris home. He climbed over the drift and fell into the yard of Dick Farris who drove him to Cactus where they arrived at 7:00 A. M. An ambulance and a doctor were secured, and followed by a tractor and men, returned to the Wilbur Wilson home for the stricken family.

The grandmother and two children had died from exposure. Reynolds and a baby described as between 1 1/2 and 2 years old survived the ordeal.

## District Farm Bureau Meeting February 17

Walter Hammond, president of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation, has announced that a District Farm Bureau meeting will be held in the Herring Hotel at Amarillo on Tuesday, February 17. Joe M. Hatton of Amarillo, district director, will preside. The State Farm Bureau president will be in attendance to report on agricultural trends in Washington.

As a member of the Board of Directors of the American Farm Bureau Federation, representing the Southern Region, Hammond spent the latter part of January in the Nation's capitol attending an American Farm Bureau Meeting, and contacting members of the Texas Congressional delegation in Washington on issues vital to agriculture in Texas and the Nation.

Guided by resolution adopted by voting delegates at the 29th annual convention, the Farm Bureau Board charted the organization's action on such important issues as a long range farm program, parity, support price levels, a program to control the spread of Foot and Mouth disease, and many other matters important to agriculture.

According to director Hatton other featured speakers at the district meeting will include R. G. Arnold, Auburn, Alabama, director of organization for the Southern Region, who will discuss "Prices, Soil Conservation, and Cooperatives;" also D. C. Miesher, Jackson, Miss., executive vice-president of the Southern Farm Bureau Life Insurance Company, whose subject will be "Farm Bureau, A Service Organization."

All farmers of the district are invited to attend.

## 4-H Club Fat Calf Show February 23

The Sherman County 4-H fat calf show will be held February 23 at Texhoma. Judging of calves will start at 10:30 A. M. in the sales arena and the sale of 4-H calves will start at 1:30 P. M.

The public is invited to see these calves which the 4-H club boys have had on feeding demonstrations since last spring. The top half of these calves will go to later shows in Dalhart and Amarillo. The lighter weight calves will sell at the auction sale during the afternoon. One class of fat barrows will be entered at the show. Some calves from Texhoma may be entered by Texhoma 4-H Club boys.

## WISE SHOPPER

It's a wise shopper who watches the advertisements for "specials" at her dealers counter.

## Political Announcements

Authorized Political announcements subject to the action of the Texas Democratic Primary, Saturday, July 24th

For County Judge and Ex-Officio Superintendent of Schools: L. P. HUNTER.

For County and District Clerk: Mrs. LELAH BONEY.

For County Treasurer: JOHN HANEY.

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector: JOHN KIDWELL, J. W. GAROUTTE.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: ROSCOE DYESS.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4: E. E. HAMILTON.

## Winters First Blowing Blizzard Isolated Entire Plains Region

## Accident Smashes 3 Cars

Miss Billye Ann Ellison sustained painful face lacerations and Archie Foreman was badly shaken in a traffic accident Wednesday night of last week when the car in which the couple were riding smashed into cars parked along U. S. highway 287.

The Foreman car struck the car belonging to Miss Dorothy Dixon, parked in front of the Walter Pendleton residence. The Dixon car plowed into the Walter Pendleton car causing damage to the front portion of the car. Miss Dixon's car has been appraised as a total loss. The Foreman car was also badly damaged.

This was the first near serious traffic mishap to have occurred in the county since the beginning of hazardous driving caused by sleet, snow and ice on public highways.

## Hamilton Asks For Re-Election To Office

E. E. Hamilton announces his candidacy for re-election to the office of County Commissioner of Precinct 4 subject to the action of the Democratic Primary election July 24.

Mr. Hamilton, as has been his custom, makes his announcement brief. He states that practically everyone in the precinct knows him and knows the manner in which he attempts to conduct the county's business as a representative of the precinct. He will appreciate the consideration of the voters in the coming election and if re-elected to office will continue his policy of serving the residents of this section to the best of his ability in meeting the problems which face the county each month.

## Commissioners Have Routine Session

County Commissioners' Court in session Monday disposed of matters in caring for the county's business.

Requests for additional grants for public expenditure were refused for lack of funds.

## Church News

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Howard Whatley, Pastor  
Sunday  
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.  
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.  
Training Union 6:30 P. M.  
Evening Worship Service 7:30 P. M.  
W. M. U. Wednesday 2:00 P. M.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Bible classes 10:00 A. M.  
Morning services 11:00 A. M.  
Evening services 7:30 P. M.  
Wednesday evening services 7:30 P. M.

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**  
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.  
Morning worship 11:00 A. M.  
Evangelistic service 8:00 P. M.  
Bible study and prayer meeting Thursday evening at 8:00 P. M.  
Everyone is invited to attend these services.

**CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.  
Morning Services 11:00 A. M.  
Evening Services 7:20 P. M.  
A nursery under competent supervision provides care for infants during church services.  
Rev. John W. Reaves, Pastor.

**METHODIST CHURCH**  
(Rev. H. A. Nichols, Pastor)  
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.  
Vesper services Sunday evening at 5:00 P. M.  
Junior League 6:00 P. M.  
Intermediate MYF 6:00 P. M.  
Senior MYF 6:00 P. M.  
W. S. C. S. Wednesday at 2:30 P. M.  
Choir practice Wednesday night at 7:30.  
Thursday night is Intermediate play night from 7:00 to 8:00 P. M.

Snow driven by strong north winds struck the plains Tuesday night and continued through Wednesday resulting in the closing of the schools at Stratford, Texhoma, Morse, Spearman, Dumas, and Kerrick.

Schools continued to remain open at Guymon, Oklahoma and Hereford but no attempt was made to operate school buses.

The storm predicted as a possibility for several days moved in while blizzards swept the east coast and the midwest.

Although weather reports indicate warming weather is a possibility there has been little hope given for the immediate break of the storm in the plains section.

Warnings to stockmen were issued Tuesday afternoon to prepare to care for their cattle through the winter's worst storm.

Business houses in Stratford usually open six days a week except Thanksgiving and Christmas opened late in the day for the first time Wednesday in giving in to weather conditions.

Activity in the business district was confined primarily to the display of spring merchandise which will greet the customers eye when he or she ventures out after the release of winters firm grasp.

Grocery stores were busy in aiding men unaccustomed to shopping for food get a supply for a long spell of living in the confines of their homes.

Garage wrecker service did a thriving business during the early morning as motorists defied the storm and attempted to move about. By noon most of the wreckers had ventured out a bit too far and were needing assistance to get back to their respective garages.

Athletes here for the game Tuesday night were snow bound and living in homes opened to them by local residents.

The third week of snow on the Texas plains tops 1.54 inches of moisture recorded previous to the blowing, drifting snow, which started falling Tuesday night. The records thus far are: .31, .47, .51, and .25. Although it is too early to venture an estimate on the moisture content of the present snow, the manner in which it is drifting will likely result in very little benefit to growing wheat unless winds subside.

Buses and trains ceased to run and traffic on highways was being stopped as a safety measure.

The temperature continued to hover near zero with the official reading 1 degree below Wednesday morning.

## Local Teams Win Most Of Recent Games

Stratford basketball players have piled up the winning score in most of the games played during the week.

In the games with Guymon here Thursday night of last week, Stratford's Junior boys won by the close margin of 23 to 19. Tommy Wakefield was high point man with 8 points.

The B-team boys won over Guymon with a score of 22 to 18. Robert Hurst was Stratford's high point man with 7 points.

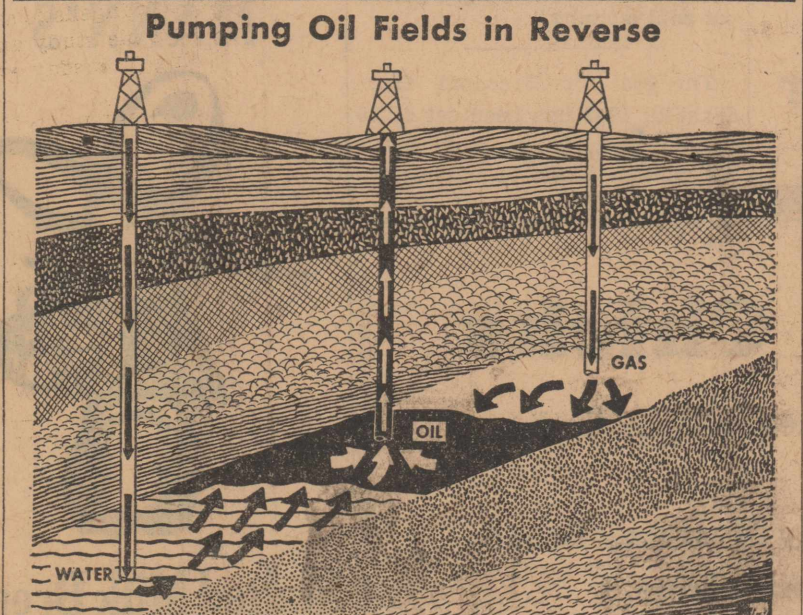
Stratford's A-team rolled the Guymon boys for a heavy loss with the score of 57 to 31. Bill Malone was high with 17 points while Walters and Pemberton followed by scoring 12 points each.

Friday night the Elks taste defeat from the Canyon High school team by a score of 38 to 2. Kenneth Pemberton was high point man with 8 points. Neel Spurlock starred in defensive play by holding Carter, Canyon high point man, to 16 points.

Stratford girls evened the odds by defeating Canyon girls 59 to 31. Malone was high with 12 points while Parker followed by scoring 22 points. Avent Canyon scored 18 points.

Monday night the Stratford girls defeated Felt by a score of 37 to 21 with Malone scoring 15 points and Parker 15 points.

The B-team boys defeated Felt 33 to 31 with Knight scoring a high point man with 21 points while Felt's Howell scored 10 points.



PITTSBURGH, PA.—By pumping water and natural gas into the depths of the oil fields, modern science is bringing 10 to 50 per cent more oil to the surface. This typical cross section shows one way it's done. Here gas is pumped in above the oil pool, and water underneath it. These artificial pressures, from above and below, force the oil to flow thru the sand or rock in which it is imbedded and up the well shaft. Sketch is based on an explanation by Gulf Oil.



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**Beginning of Iced Tea**

Iced tea was invented as an emergency by an Englishman in America at the 1904 St. Louis exposition. His name was Richard Blechynden and he dreamed up an elaborate exhibit in a costly pavilion to promote tea as the English drink it. He overlooked one important factor. It gets hot in St. Louis in the summertime and hot tea was the last thing visitors were interested in. In desperation, he experimented with ice and came up with substantially the same tempting taste-pleaser that is served as iced tea today. His iced item made an instantaneous hit. That was in 1904, but today, 43 years later, the United States is the only country in which iced tea has become popular.

**Dynamite Explosion by Five Youths Jolts Los Angeles**

LOS ANGELES.—Five youths set off 50 pounds of dynamite in San Fernando valley, causing an explosion that was felt in Los Angeles.

Police in Los Angeles and Beverly Hills said startled men and women telephoned them to complain that they had been "knocked out of bed" by the blast.

The explosion was traced to five youths, three 19-year-olds, one 20 and one 17, who climaxed a night of fun by driving out to a place near Coldwater canyon, burying a wood box filled with dynamite and igniting it. The five boys were booked for blasting without a permit.

**Reopen Albert Canal**

Reconstruction of the Albert canal across northern Belgium provides opportunity for peacetime trade on this waterway which was completed only a month before the outbreak of World War II. The 79-mile canal was heavily damaged during the German invasion of Belgium in 1940. All its bridges were destroyed and its locks were wrecked. These have been rebuilt. Connecting Belgium's teeming port of Antwerp on the Schelde river with the industrial city of Liege on the Meuse, this all-Belgium waterway puts Liege goods closer to world commerce. It provides better access to Monsin Basin coal, creates additional factory sites and supplies water for farm irrigation use, points out National Geographic society. The Albert canal has only six locks and no swing bridges. It not only speeds shipments but also accommodates 2,000-ton barges as against the 600-ton limit on the old canal. In some stretches the canal runs between 40-foot embankments above the surrounding country.

**Ancient Magic Bean**

It was several thousand years ago, so the story goes, that a party of jewel merchants was besieged by bandits in the Chinese hills. When the party's food was exhausted and their energy waning, one of the servants found some little hairy beans which he pounded into coarse meal and made into cakes. In amazement, the merchants saw how their energy came back after they ate these nourishing bean cakes. When at last the party made its way back to civilization, the soybean went along and became the staff of life in the Orient. In 2838 B. C. it was described in Chinese literature and was cultivated when the pyramids were being built in Egypt. The soybean was one of the five sacred grains in China and was sown with the blessings of emperors and the incantations of priests.

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**Army Transport Wrecked After Running Aground**

**Vessel Is Dashed to Pieces Against Rocky Island On West Coast.**

KETCHIKAN, ALASKA.—A survivor of the ill-fated Clarksdale Victory disclosed that officers and crew of the wrecked army transport believed the ship to be about 25 miles off shore when it ran aground on Hippe island along the northern British Columbia coast.

Details of the grounding were related by seaman Carlos Samebia, 23, of Honduras, first of the survivors to be taken aboard the coast guard cutter Wachusett. He was suffering from shock and exposure, a fractured right wrist and numerous bruises and lacerations.

Officers Accounted For. The other three survivors and bodies of four seamen were brought aboard the cutter. There were 45 other officers and crewmen unaccounted for.

In an interview with Lt. Cmdr. G. W. Playdon of the Wachusett, Samebia said:

"The junior third mate, the non-watch, observed that the heavy seas were striking the ship in an unusual manner and reported this to the master, who attributed it to the lightly loaded condition of the ship.

"Shortly after the vessel was lifted bodily by a roller, striking heavily, and then shuddered as she struck a rock. She heaved and struck once or twice after this.

Choose to Stay Aboard.

"Ten minutes later the vessel split in two at the No. 3 hatch. The section containing the lifeboats and the crew slowly settled as the tremendous seas crashed heavily over the boat deck.

"The boats were swept away and in groups of two or three the crew was swept overboard into a maelstrom of churning water, wreckage, oil and rocks.

"The last I saw of the master (Capt. Gerald R. Laugeson of Oakland, Calif.) he was climbing to the boat deck with about half the crew shortly before I was washed over the side.

"The cold water was paralyzing and my body took a beating from the rocks. I was nearly strangled by my lifejacket and one foot was badly cut from scraping on the razor-sharp rocks.

"After about 20 minutes, I was washed ashore on a gravelled section of beach between some boulders and crawled to a log. I passed out until morning."

The goal for "Freedom Gardens" in 1948 has been set at 20 million. Texans expect to reach the million mark in home gardens.

**Child's 'Burglar Alarm'**

**Thwarts Two Holdups**

OMAHA, NEB. — Two would-be holdup men fled from a children's goods store here without their loot when a musical toy dropped to the floor with a jangle of bells. Yale Gotsnider, store manager, told police.

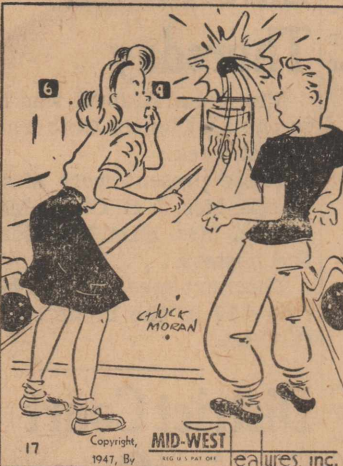
Police theorized the robbers must have mistaken the bells for a burglar alarm. Gotsnider said that as he was being forced to go to a rear room to open a safe he inadvertently touched a stack of musical toys, and one fell to the floor, its bells ringing. He said one holdup man cried "Let's get out of here," and both fled, leaving behind \$20 already taken from a cash register.

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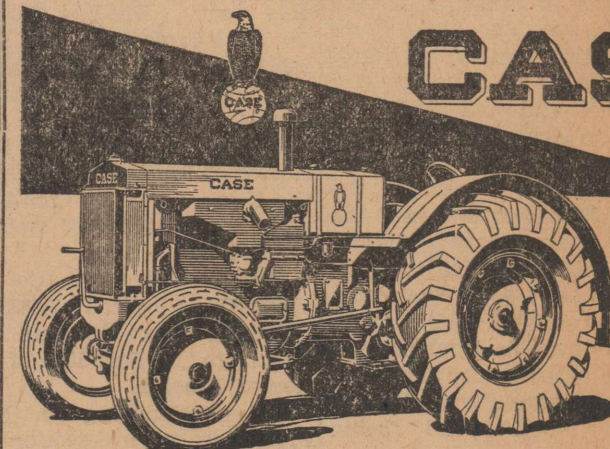
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### Legion Airs

(By Earl Bond)  
I wish I had more good news, but everything connected with Howard Norvell Green Post No. 262 seems to be bad news. Our building is practically at a standstill awaiting further developments with the steel contractor, who tried to slip us a fast ball. Last week's meeting was called off on account of the weather, we're still waiting for definite word from the city council concerning the park, and the ceremonial team has been unable to drill due to the inclement weather. Furthermore, an awful lot of old members have not paid up their dues for 1948. I'd rather take a handful of aspirin and forget this week's column. A number of legionaires have

been making news recently by getting their cars smashed up, Arlyn Halle having made two scores in that game. If any of you Legionaires have had more than two wrecks recently, let me know it so I can keep the score straight.  
From all appearances, politics may get interesting around here this summer. It seems that everyone but me is running for something, but I'm always running from something, usually a job or a bill collector. There's nothing quite like politics to lose friends and fail to influence people. Politics is undoubtedly the world's most popular free public amusement. Attend a political rally and just see all the things that you can get for free. You can get your windshield and windows plastered with stickers until you need a periscope to see

out, a good hatfull of lapel pins, a few cigars that disintegrate in your mouth, enough cards to make a good poker deck if they had spots on them, a soft lead pencil and crumbly lead, and possibly a hose darning kit for the wife. On top of the assorted hardware you can usually depend on at least one very corny hillbilly band whose whoops and groans can be heard for a mile upwind, you can renew acquaintance with a lot of old jokes, hear some tales on the other candidate that would make True Confessions read like the minutes of the last meeting of the Women's Missionary Society, plus a vivid, glowing account of how the whole government is going to be remodeled completely come election day, and the old age pension is going to be raised to three hundred dollars, the veterans are going to get a bonus, and taxes be cut seventy-five percent. If you can beat that for an evening's free entertainment, I'll listen to your plan. Bob Hope has nothing on those boys.  
At last even some of the boys in the Veteran's Administration are beginning to admit that "on the job training" was an ill-conceived plan that should have died aborning, and has been a total flop so far as benefits to the veteran are concerned, and the only tangible results are that a lot of employers have been getting a lot of cheap help with Uncle Sam footing the bill to the tune of a few billion dollars. However a few more billion will be spent before it is finally thrown out. I am all for veteran's benefits for deserving veterans, but I have nothing for the gray train hitchhikers, and I get a severe pain in the region of the hip pocket when I read reports of how reckless some of those bird-brains in Washington are with a billion dollars. I wish I could be as reckless with a five-spot as they are with a billion. It must be a part of the plot to prevent inflation, but if wheat keeps going down, we won't need any help from Washington to prevent inflation.

Milk cow numbers are now the lowest since the fall of 1940, but milk per cow in December was second highest on record.  
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Half the children die before they reach the age of five. Eighty-four per cent of the men and 92 per cent of the women are illiterate. Eighty-seven per cent of all cultivable land is owned by 2 per cent of the people.  
Ninety per cent of the population, which is frightfully undernourished, suffers from trachoma; 75 per cent from bilharzia (disease of the blood); 70 per cent from pellagra; 15 per cent from malaria.  
The death rate is higher than even that of India (27.2 per 1,000).  
The average income of farm workers (who are not permitted to organize) is from \$24.50 to \$29.50 annually. The maximum wage of factory workers is \$3.72 weekly, and of children about \$1.  
Syria, another Arab state, is equally an area of destitution, undernourishment and disease, according to the report. Agriculture workers earn 8 to 12 cents a day. There are 400,000 cases of malaria annually, out of a population of less than 3 million.

### Gives \$25,000 to Runyon Cancer Fund



CHICAGO—Sam Briskin, left, board chairman of the Revere Camera company, here presents a \$25,000 check to Roy Topner, Chicago newspaperman, for the Damon Runyon Cancer Fund, at the premiere showing of the new 16mm Revere motion picture sound projector. Two of Briskin's employees and a brother-in-law were stricken with the dread disease in the last three years, prompting Briskin's support to the national search for a cure for cancer. Walter Winchell, in a nationwide radio broadcast, said Briskin's gift is the largest single individual contribution to the fund. Employees, educators and the press attending the showing were told the new Revere sound projector is a long felt need by schools, clubs and industrial organizations for a projector within budget range.

### Hospital Harness Chokes

#### Infant; Called an Accident

CLEVELAND. — Gary Mason, 2, strangled to death in his crib at Lakeside hospital when a harness worked up and tightened about his neck, Hospital Director Robert H. Bishop reported.

The harness had been used on the child, recovering from a throat infection, to keep him from falling or climbing out of the bed, Dr. Bishop said.

The assistant coroner ruled it an accident.

### Low Social Standards

#### Noted in Arab States

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### Safety in Driving

A call to arms was issued today by W. J. Elliott, Chief of the Texas Highway Patrol.

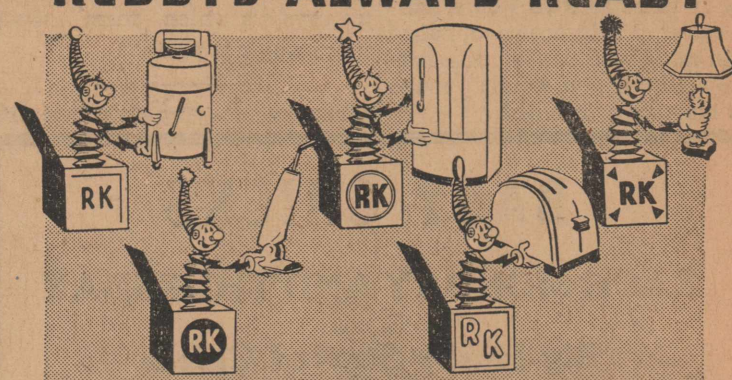
The arms referred to are the kind you stick through car windows to signal your intentions to other drivers.

"Hand signals are a means of self-preservation when you are driving an automobile, as well as a courtesy to the other fellow," Chief Elliott said.

He emphasized hand signals as one of the important laws designed to make motoring safer, and appealed for better voluntary observance of the regulation in cooperation with a nationwide "Learn and Obey Traffic Laws" program during February.

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**Midget and 'Strong Man'**

**Forgive and Forget Spat**

PITTSBURGH, PA. — Pussy De Carmo, 4-foot 1-inch midget, and Sam Mario, 185-pound circus and night club "strong man," have withdrawn their reciprocal charges of assault and battery.

De Carmo, 88-pound night club entertainer, told Ald. John Lardo that Sam beat him during an argument at the hotel where both live. Then Pussy withdrew his charges and Sam was ordered to pay the costs.

At the office of Ald. Leonard Civill, before whom Sam had filed charges of assault and battery against Pussy, the testimony was more descriptive.

"He jumped on a table, poked his cigar in my face and pulled off my suspenders," said Sam.

"He threw water on me," answered Pussy, pulling up his trouser leg to display some leg bruises. "He did that when he pushed me into the phone booth."

Ald. Civill asked Sam if Pussy's charge was correct.

"Yes, sir," admitted Sam. "I did it with one hand. I was holding up my pants with the other—remember when he broke my suspenders?"

At that point Sam withdrew his charges and Ald. Civill dismissed the case without costs. As the midget and the strong man shook hands Pussy remarked:

"Sam, you gotta learn to keep your muscles in your pockets."

Say You Saw It In The Star

**Search Reveals No Airmen Held In Lololand Wilds**

**2 U. S. Soldiers End Daring Mission in Mountains Of West China.**

NANKING, CHINA. — Disguising themselves as priests, two United States soldiers lived six months with primitive Lololandians in far west China and proved there was no truth in rumors that downed American airmen were enslaved there.

Heroes of the daring mission were Capt. Edward McCallister of Allegheny, Va., and Sgt. John Fox of Tacoma, Wash. They were chosen from army grave registration search teams because they speak Chinese.

Their task was to penetrate remote, mountainous Lololand to see if there was any basis to a report that five United States airmen, forced down while flying the hump from India, were held in captivity.

They made their way on foot into Lololand last March, entering by the Sikkang-Szechwan province border region.

Acted as Priests. They took the role of priests because the Lololandians, while nominally under Chinese rule, barely allow Chinese or other strangers to enter. They tolerate priests and missionaries, however.

McCallister told reporters they had expected to find a wild and savage people, but they found the Lolos, while suspicious at first, were kind and cooperative.

Some experts on China say the Lolos are of Caucasian blood. It is known they retreated to the wilds centuries ago to escape Chinese rule.

Both McCallister and Fox said the mountain people were slow to trust them. But the two Americans moved right into their windowless mud huts, slept on the dirt floors and ate native food.

In exchange for gifts, the Lolos gave them information. Wandering from tribe to tribe, visiting many chiefs, McCallister and Fox painstakingly tracked down the rumors.

**Slaves All Chinese.**

They found slavery, all right, but the slaves were Chinese seized in raids on lowland villages. These were forced to tend herds and grind corn while their masters fought with other tribes.

Along the Lololand grapevine came a report that one tribe was holding a big-nosed American captive. They searched out the captive and found him to be a native of North China whose size and facial characteristics had caused him to be mistaken for an American.

Another such lead took them to a former Chinese soldier who had gained the reputation of being a pilot "because he once rode in an airplane."

Of 36 United States airmen known to have landed in Lololand crashes, McCallister said 35 were rescued alive largely through the help of the Lolos themselves. The body of the 36th was recovered.

Maj. Gen. John P. Lucas, commander of the United States advisory group in China, announced the 15-month search extending over thousands of square miles of wild country now was officially over.

Scalding and airing at night is the way to prevent that "stale" odor in the lunch pail which may give an unpleasant taste to food carried in it.

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**Psychologist Thinks He Has Plan to Insure Happy Home**

NEW YORK. — David Goldman, a member of City college's psychology department, thinks he has the remedy for family tensions caused by crowded homes.

It is a rigid schedule by which various units of the family — husband, wife, in-laws and children — would avoid each other for as many hours a day as possible.

For example, the husband-wife unit should go to the movies when the mother-in-law comes in; children should play out of doors as much as possible; if junior has homework to do, the mother-in-law should go window-shopping. And so on.

**Ecuador Police Stamp Out Armed Uprising in Quito**

QUITO, ECUADOR. — A military communique announced that an attempted armed uprising in Quito had been crushed.

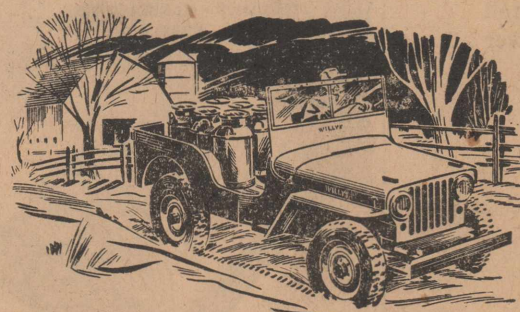
The communique said a group of unidentified armed persons had attacked the barracks of the Venecadores (victors) battalion in the center of Ecuador's capital. After several minutes of shooting, the announcement said, the attacking force fled.

Implicated as revolutionists were supporters of Col. Carlos Manchano, who seized the presidency in a coup last August 24, but was ousted by the army 10 days later, and Comdr. Antonio Alomía, defeated in a mayoral election here.

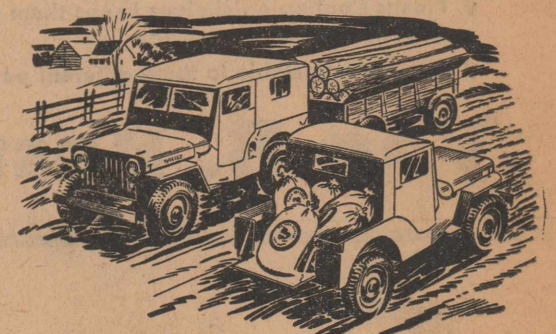
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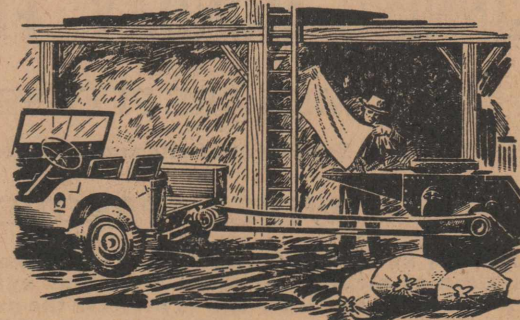
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**Trapper Saved by Helicopter; Animals Ate All His Food**  
 WASHINGTON. — An Alaskan trapper, who himself became trapped when wild animals ate up his food, was rescued by helicopter in the army air forces' first rescue mission above the Arctic circle.  
 A.A.F. said Lt. Charles O. Weir of Bloomington, Ind., picked up the stranded trapper after an 185-mile solo helicopter flight from Ladd Field, Fairbanks, northwest to a remote spot near Bettles, Alaska.  
 The trapper, George Plucinski, had been flown into the interior by a civilian airplane.  
 The pilot, according to a prearranged plan, dropped Plucinski's food 20 miles to the north when Plucinski arrived at the spot he found foraging animals had eaten the food.

**'Pal' on Train Vanishes With \$14,150 Life Savings**  
 DETROIT, MICH. — Instead of looking for a new home in Detroit, Joseph Raczkowski, 62, spent his first hours here looking over the pictures of pickpockets.  
 Raczkowski lost his life's savings of \$14,150—\$700 was in cash and \$13,450 in two cashier's checks—as he stepped off a train here.  
 He told detectives that his seat companion on the ride here from Buffalo—a young, affable man—bumped into him as they started to get off the Michigan Central train.  
 After the bump, Raczkowski felt for his wallet, discovered it was gone, and looked up to discover his affable friend was gone, too.  
 "I'd just sold my farm near Swayersville, Pa.," Raczkowski said, "Me and my wife and son and daughter were coming to Detroit to live near my oldest son, Stanley."

**SPECIAL WORKING CONDITIONS FOR 'SEEING-EYE'**



A made-to-order bed and all the free meals he can handle for working eight hours a day—that's what 8-year-old "Duke" gets as his conditions of employment at the Timken Roller Bearing Company's Columbus, Ohio plant.  
 You see "Duke" is a dog and for six and one-half years has been the eyes of his blind master, Jack English. Each working day he guides English to the time clock and thru the huge plant to the bench in the metallurgical department where his master is employed as an inspector. Until a few weeks ago Duke's working hours were spent on the hard concrete floor. Then, William Fowler, general manager of the plant, ordered the special bed for the ever faithful dog.  
 During the war, Mr. English worked for several war production plants, developing the skill that he uses now on the Timken inspection line. Super-sensitive touch, coupled with the electronic devices now in common use, enable English to hold his own in one of the world's largest roller bearing plants.

**New Friend Admits Strangling Woman**

**Unemployed Handyman Tells Police of Murder.**

GRAND RAPIDS, MICH. — The strangling of Mrs. Betty Ann Roberts was admitted orally, police reported, by an unemployed handyman who said he had known the comely 21-year-old victim only a few hours.  
 Detective Inspector Frank J. Sullivan and Assistant Prosecutor Roger C. McMahon indicated they would place charges against Dale Beauchamp, 26, after he had finished giving them a written statement.  
 Mrs. Roberts' body, a worn cotton dress wound tightly about the neck, was found stretched across the bed of her downtown Grand Rapids apartment. She was fully clothed.  
 Beauchamp, who is married, first told police he had found the woman dead when he came to the apartment to meet her after making her acquaintance three hours earlier in a bar.  
 Under questioning, the slightly built handyman admitted in his oral statement that he killed Mrs. Roberts in her home "because she called me bad names."  
 After leaving the bar, the officers said Beauchamp told them, the couple drove to a lake outside the city, parked for a time and then returned to the apartment. There, Beauchamp was quoted as saying, Mrs. Roberts began to call him names.  
 "I told her I wouldn't take those names from anyone, not even my wife," the officers said he related.  
 "But she kept yelling at me and I told her to shut up or I'd tie her up. When she kept hollering, I tied her up with the dress and left."  
 Sullivan said Beauchamp told him he then bought some coffee and returned to his home in suburban Comstock Park, but began to wonder later whether he had killed the woman, and went back to the apartment.  
 Unable to determine whether she was dead, he told the authorities he called the apartment caretaker, Mrs. Donald Kraft, who summoned police.  
 The victim's husband, Forrest, told police he had been at work all day at a bakery and had no knowledge of his wife's slaying until called by police.

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**New York Police Nab Grafter; \$10 Left of \$200,000 Loot**

NEW YORK. — William Jacobs, 47, a Detroit bartender, was arrested at a downtown Turkish bath and charged by police with grand larceny.  
 He allegedly confessed fleeing from Detroit with \$107,000 his wife was said to have embezzled to enable him to pay blackmail.  
 Jacobs further confessed, police said, to taking \$110,000 in 30 "business deals" in the last two years. He had only \$10 in his possession when arrested.  
 He told police he had used the \$107,000 his wife had admitted embezzling to pay off various persons who fell for his "deal" to prevent them from exposing him for prosecution.  
 His own racket, as described by Jacobs, had been to pretend he could obtain new cars at double their list price and to tell suckers he could fix liquor licenses.  
 Mrs. Lillian Jacobs, 42, was arrested in Detroit, when she confessed she had embezzled \$107,000 from American Express company, which employed her as a stenographer.  
 She has pleaded innocent to the charge and is free on bail.

**Bulldog Repays Benefactor; Saves Wife, Baby From Death**

MILAN, ILL. — An 18-year-old mother and her infant daughter are alive because her husband argued with his commanding officer in Italy three years ago over the fate of a mischievous bulldog.  
 Arthur Harkless intervened in behalf of "Choo-Choo," an Italian bulldog, after an officer had ordered Choo-Choo destroyed because of his capers. The officer gave Choo-Choo to Harkless and he brought the pet home with him.  
 One night, Harkless left Choo-Choo at home with Mrs. Harkless and their 10-month-old daughter. A few hours later, Mrs. Harkless was awakened by the dog's barking and his feet pawing her face.  
 Their trailer home was in flames. She seized the sleeping baby and dropped her from a window. Flames blocked the doorway, so Mrs. Harkless jumped out the window.  
 The child was uninjured, but Mrs. Harkless suffered cuts on her hands and feet. Choo-Choo's charred body was found in the trailer ruins.

**Mother Confesses Drowning Two Sons in Scalding Water**

RAVENNA, OHIO. — Sheriff George E. Shields said a 29-year-old Sunday school teacher had admitted in a verbal statement drowning her two children in a half-filled tub of scalding water.  
 The officer said the woman, Mrs. Edward McVeigh Jr., would be charged with murder in the deaths of Malcolm, five, and David, two months, at nearby Geauga-on-the-Lake.  
 He quoted Mrs. McVeigh as saying she threw David into the tub and then chased Malcolm into the basement. After beating his head against an iron post and the stairs, she placed him in the tub also and then attempted to drown herself in a shallow pool behind the house, Shields said.  
 He declared the woman gave a reason for the act, but declined to disclose it. She was held under police custody in a hospital where she was taken in hysterical condition.

**Honeymooners Found Dead, Gas Was Piped Into Car**

GREENSBURG, PA. — A young honeymoon couple, married in secret the day before their scheduled church wedding, were found dead of carbon monoxide poisoning in an automobile behind a country graveyard.  
 State police identified the couple as Bridges W. Pittard Jr., 24, a Carnegie Tech student, and his bride, the former Helen Grove Brown, 21. Both were residents of Bellevue, a Pittsburgh suburb.  
 An air hose connected to the exhaust pipe had been inserted through the window of the car. It was held in place by black tape and Pittard's overcoat had been stuffed in the window.

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### Miss Carter Is Married

Miss Louise Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Carter, former Stratford residents, was married to Douglas Boone Moreland January 28 according to announcements received

by friends here this week. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Boone Moreland of Amarillo.

### Embroidery Club Has Meeting

The Embroidery Club met with Mrs. Roberta Price January 22

for a regular meeting. An enjoyable evening was spent in conversation and needle work. Delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames Elizabeth O'Brien, June Vincent, Edith Allen, Maggie Judd, Velma Pendleton, Kitty Kelly, Mildred Pendleton, Nannie O'Brien, Inza Lee Buckles, a special guest, Mrs. H. A. Nichols, and the hostess, Mrs. Roberta Price.

### Local News

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hatch of Reed City, Michigan are visiting Mrs. Ross Keener and other relatives.

Deputy Sheriff A. L. Wilson returned to his work Monday after a three weeks illness of old style influenza.

Wright Davis attended the hardware convention in Amarillo Tuesday.

Conde Donelson and A. B. Morris were business visitors in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Boston attended the hardware convention in Amarillo Tuesday.

Bill Allen, Canyon, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allen.

William Glen Hart, Canyon, was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. McNeal over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Denney were visitors in Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. S. J. Calvird was brought home Monday from Loretta Hospital where she has been receiving treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Albert and

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"The Web"



Mrs. Lucille Kerns left Monday for a visit with relatives in Fort Worth and Dallas, Texas, and points in Oklahoma.

Mrs. D. L. Buckles went to Hot Springs, New Mexico Saturday for a visit with her son, William, and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Keener

and Jean Beth, Mrs. Sekki Lavake and Miss Imogene Luther were Dalhart visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Blake and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Chisum were Dalhart visitors Saturday.

B. A. Donelson and Shuler Donelson were visitors in Dalhart Tuesday.

### New Tests Indicate Future of Children

Infant Responses Determine Pattern of Growth.

WASHINGTON. — Whether a child will become a dullard, a normal boy or girl or a genius in older life may be detected by examination in infancy and observation in pre-school days, a Yale scientist reports.

Such tests to determine the "developmental potentials of the infant" have been developed and successfully tried at the clinic of child development, school of medicine, Yale university, Dr. Arnold Gesell told a meeting of the National Academy of Sciences.

"These studies," he said, "indicate a high degree of predictability in the sequences of mental growth."

Dr. Gesell said that a clinical crib, a test table and test objects were designed to elicit characteristic responses in the four major fields of behavior — motor, adaptive, language and personal-social.

"Selected children were observed for a period of 10 years," he said. "One pair of identical twins has been intensively followed from infancy for a period of 20 years."

The sequences in the studies, he said, follow a general ground plan with variations which are distinctive for each individual. He said that normal infants in the first three months of life, "tend to lie with head and arm directed to one side, the opposite arm being crooked at the shoulder."

"This 'tonic-neck-reflex' pattern," he said, "may be right or left or mixed. Deep-seated preference for the left is predictive of ultimate left-handedness."

"With the aid of finely graded norms of behavior growth, a clinically trained diagnostician can appraise the development potentials of the infant. By systematic methods of development diagnosis it is possible to diagnose in the first year of life nearly all cases of amnesia (mental deficiency), of cerebral injury, sensory and motor defects, and serious personality deviations," he said.

One or two examinations, in infancy usually are enough to determine whether a child is suitable for adoption and whether the developmental outlook is "favorable, highly favorable or unfavorable," Dr. Gesell pointed out.

### Marked Decrease Reported in Infant Mortality Rates

CHICAGO. — Infant mortality in the United States, which amounted to nearly 2 of every 10 babies born in 1900, has been cut by more than 75 per cent.

Modern feeding methods, stressing prescribed formulas with a base of evaporated milk, share credit with preventive medicine and better average living conditions for the fact that 96 of every 100 babies born this year will attain the age of one year, as contrasted with the 83-in-100 rate at the start of the century.

"In the days when feeding canned milk to babies was considered unthinkable by most parents, health statistics showed infant enteritis and rickets taking a heavy toll," said Lester T. Davis, general manager of White House Milk company, an A & P food stores' affiliate.

"Public records show that these diet deficiency diseases prevailed despite the fact that fresh milk was generally available, if not of consistently uniform quality. But it became evident years ago that many new-born infants are so constituted that they cannot readily digest fresh milk, while mother's milk—normally the perfect infant diet—often is adversely affected by psychological and physical factors."

For this reason, Davis said, doctors universally favor the steady, uniform diet of sterilized evaporated milk until the change to fresh milk can be made safely. Last year more than 750,000 of the three million babies born in the United States were fed on evaporated milk formula. In the early 1900s these infants might have represented a serious baby-health problem, Davis pointed out.

### Australian Scientists Claim They Get Signals From Moon

SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA. — Three Australian scientists reported they had received radar echoes from the moon on a listening device set up at Hornsby, near here.

The scientists — F. J. Kerr, C. A. Shafrin and C. S. Higgins of the Council of Industrial Research — used the Australian radio station at Shepparton, Victoria, in their attempt to send signals to the moon, some 238,857 miles distant.

The scientists said the listening post at Hornsby picked up "brittle and compact echoes" which they believe to be radar waves turned back by the moon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ross, sons Gene and Bill, Mrs. Frank Mehner, and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Ross were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lon McCrory in Dalhart. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Vester McCrory and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Steele.

Joe Everett was taken to St. Anthony's Hospital Friday for a mastoid operation. He is reported to be doing as well as could be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Chisum are now at home in the M. R. Robinson apartment, having moved Tuesday.

Mrs. Lee Johnson, Jr., has ac-

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**Local News**

Mrs. A. L. Ross left Monday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Tom Walker, in Bay City, Texas.

Ed Kraft, Chicago, Illinois, has accepted a position with the Pioneer Barber Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cowdrey attended the hardware convention in Amarillo Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Cummings and Mrs. Wayne Harding left Sunday morning for a short visit in Oklahoma City.

**East Sherman**

Mrs. Bertha Lasley, who lives

at the Amarillo Hotel took a trip south and enroute visited Mrs. A. B. Shadinger at the home of Mrs. John McTiers, in El Paso. Mrs. Shadinger is well and as charming and talkative as she was in days of old on her Saturday shopping visits to Tex-home. Bill Crabtree bought the Shadinger farm and has made many improvements, recently painting all the buildings.

It was not so long ago that you could travel the country over and find no farm place shining with paint. Within recent years practically every farm owner has improved and made modern his farm home and adorned it with paint.

An old farmer just couldn't make the outward showing of

freshly painted buildings without having the land on which the buildings stood paid for. Now the land is paid for and the old boy wants to adorn the top of his windmill with spot lights to shine on his freshly painted possessions.

But things are not the same, when once we looked out the window at night all was silent and space, except for the coyotes howl, but now half a dozen brightly lighted oil wells loom up and the noise of their operations are heard all through the night.

Betty Gorman Stevenson is using the gas from the oil well on the Gorman place. She has world's of it, the whole well full, so when it gets too hot in the house she just opens doors. They heat the stock tanks too, all free.

Most farmers are now using butane and propane. They put it in when it was six cents, the cheapest fuel available. Now it is 14 cents and a shortage threatened. Even their light plants burn butane.

In the little town where I was raised the "Spit and Argue" club held its meetings in my fathers work shop and often I took them cookies or lemonade which my mother would prepare for them. They were mostly retired farmers, thrifty, tight living, wise old cougars. Well one of their little pass times was to argue out the towns "best feeler" every year. It was nearly always a woman. Well the reason I thought of this was the remark an old cow man made the other day at the sale ring. He said "Well, there's Texhoma's No. 1 best feeler down here selling her bull." Once the old boys back home spotted 'em they usually lost some tall plomage.

Carl Craig and Norman Bridwell have been using their graders to clear the country roads of snow.

Rural electricity is slowly being wired to more and more Sherman County farms.

Jo Runyan and wife visited in the community last week. They are moving from the Miles Bivins ranch of 25 sections on the Gruver road as the Cluck Bros have purchased this ranch.

Miles Bivins is in Honolulu and Tack is there too. They are going to visit the worlds second largest cow ranch which is located there. I can't believe it. I thought the King ranch was bigger than the whole island. Something is wrong with Tack. His incentive or inspiration is low. Could it be prosperity or fame has taken its toll of this sensitive man of the press; this lovable man whose column has been soul of the Amarillo daily for a 1-4 century. I think he needs letters of appreciation, you'd be surprised how many greatly loved public characters just don't realize the fact and die lonely people.

Bud Fields, Chevrolet dealer of Harveyville, Kansas, drove to his sister's home in a new fleetline which he left there for Wallace Bridwell to use while he makes a visit to California by train.

The three new babies in the community are doing fine. They are infinitely sweet as they grow. Walter and Sam Lasley have boys and George Stevenson's a girl.

**BUBBLE GUM IS FOUND HARMFUL**



CHICAGO — Dr. Edward A. Piszczek, Cook county health director, says about this time of year many people contract colds. If your youngster is getting a cold, take away his bubble gum, the medical expert advises.

It appears that when pressure is applied such as blowing a bubble, it forces the infection into the middle ear, and may cause all sorts of complications. In one township school, the doctor found nine youngsters in one day complained of earaches. Investigation developed all had been chewing and blowing — bubble gum.

**From Ireland**



Deirdre McAuliffe, from Dublin, Ireland, says the first thing she heard when she got off the ship in New York was one woman telling another that she had to take her used fat to her meat dealer. "That made me feel right at home," Deirdre explains. "Fats and oils are so scarce, we save every drop at home, and use them over and over again."

**New Color Television**

A new color television tube has been developed by Arthur B. Bronwell, Northwestern university. The new tube differs from other color tubes in that it is the only system with a composite viewing tube and a single electron gun. Other television color systems have three tubes and two or more electron guns. By coating three screens with a different color phosphor which corresponds with the three primary colors, a composite image screen is provided which enables the viewer to see the television programs in natural color. The three screens are optically superimposed upon each other but are separated by a microscopic distance and electrically insulated from each other.

**Refinishing Surfaces**

When refinishing enameled or varnished surfaces, the old surface should be thoroughly cleaned and then rubbed lightly with fine sandpaper or steel wool to dull the old gloss and provide a "tooth" for the new finish. If the old finish is chipped or scratched, it should be removed with paint remover and the surface cleaned with turpentine, and left to dry thoroughly before refinishing. At least two coats of enamel should be used, the first coat being a flat undercoat, which usually is made by the manufacturer of the enamel, and the second coat a gloss or semi-gloss enamel, or an "egg-shell" enamel, as preferred. In any case, the manufacturer's directions on the can should be observed.

The moisture removed from foods in dehydrofreezing is restored by the water used in cooking.

**Want Ads**

FOR SALE: New John Deere Model D Tractor — Elmer Robinson, Phone 99, Springer, New Mexico. 18-3tp

FOR SALE: Used dining table, 4 chairs and a buffet for \$25. — Mrs. Ernest Lovelace. 17-tfc

FOR SALE: Wool carpeting, by the yard. — McMahan Furniture. 19-1tc

Wanted to buy: 10 foot Moline plows — Lovelace Motor & Equipment. 19-tfc

FOR SALE: One 1947 Jeep. — Slay's Furniture. 18-tfc

"If someone ruined it, our mechanics can fix it." — Lovelace Motor & Equipment. 19-tfc

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Reliable man with car wanted to call on farmers in Sherman County. Wonderful opportunity. \$15 to \$20 in a day. No experience or capital required. Permanent. Write today. McNESS COMPANY, Dept. A, Freeport, Ill. 19-2tp

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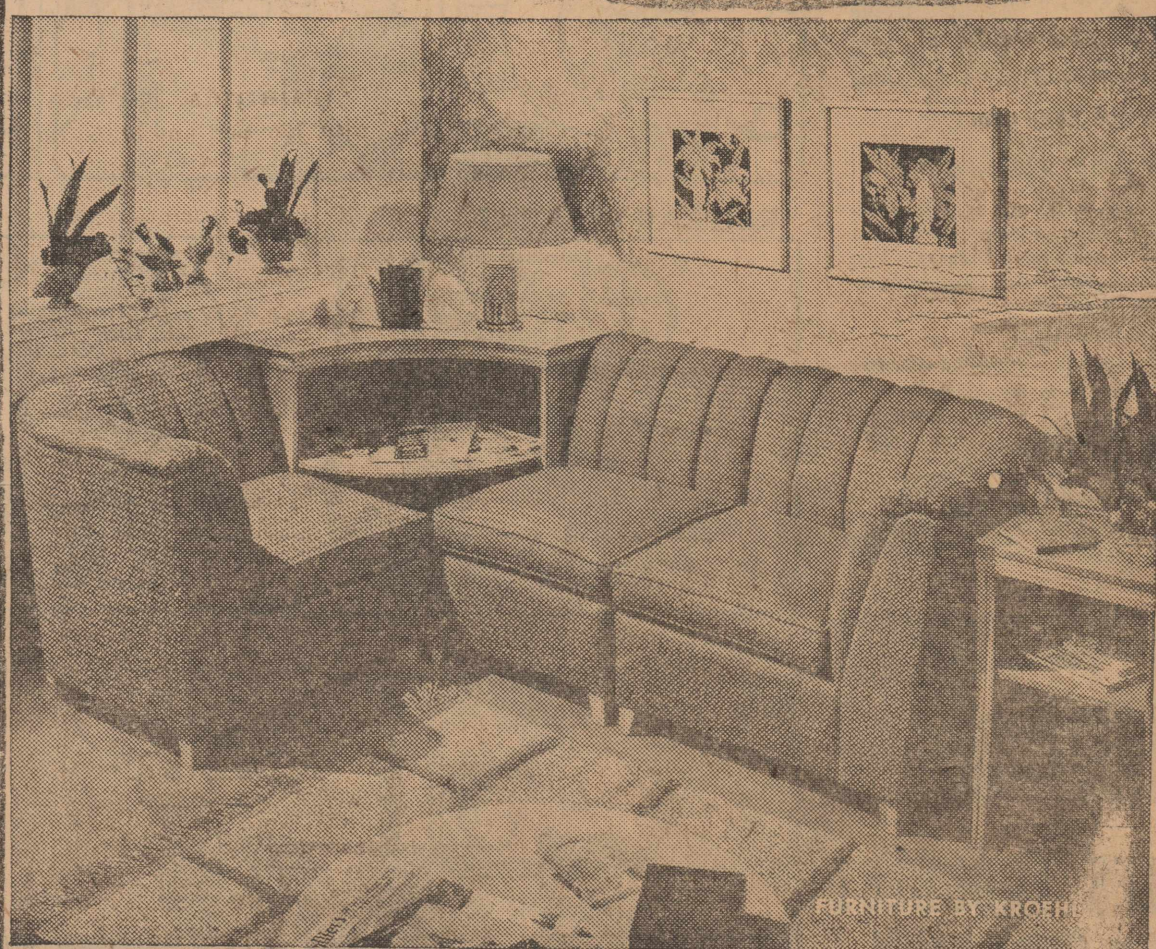
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BEEF RIBS Pound	43	GRAPEFRUIT JUICE Marco No. 2 Can 3 For	25
VEL LUX OXYDOL DUZ RINSO	39	CORN Golden Valley No. 2 Can 2 For	29
SUGAR 5 Pounds	49	PEARS Brimfull No. 2 1/2 Can	39
10 Pounds	93	CORN FLAKES Kellogg's 13 Ounce Pkg.	19
BABY FOOD Gerbers 3 Cans	21	DOG FOOD Scottie 2 Cans for	17
RED SALMON White Swan 1 Pound Can	65	Nu-Way BLEACH Quart	12
PRESERVES Pineapple 1 Pound Jar	35	BABO	11
APPLE BUTTER 2 Pound Jar	29	DICED CARROTS White Swan No. 2 Can 2 For	23
		DILL PICKLES Brimfull Quart	29

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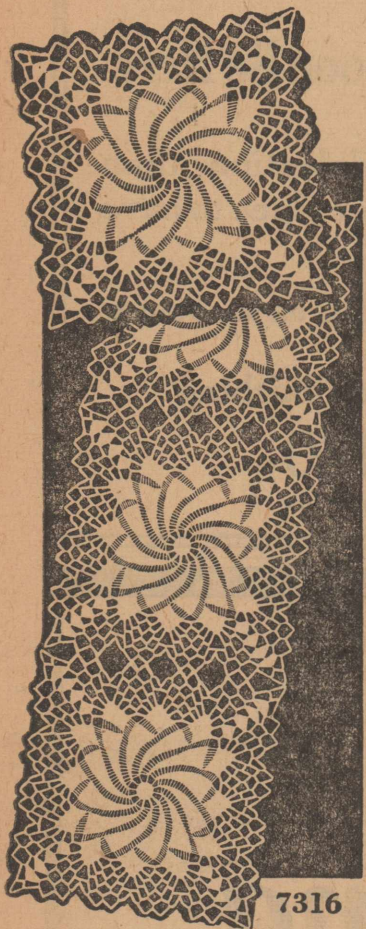
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**CROSS TOWN**  
By Roland Coe

"Couldn't you have waited till we got home, dear, to burn the paid-up mortgage papers?"



**BOBBY SOX**  
By Mary Links

"I think you're okay, miss, but I'm SURE your boyfriend is under age!"



**NANCY**

By Ernie Bushmiller

I GET OFF HERE --- WILL YOU PLEASE PHONE ME AT MAIN 7253 WHEN YOU FIND OUT WHO THE MURDERER IS?



**LITTLE REGGIE**

By Margarita

PEGINALD—YOU KNOW THE PUNISHMENT FOR BEING LATE... YOU MUST POLISH THE FLOOR!  
YES MAM I BROUGHT MY OWN POLISH.  
AND NOW CHILDREN WE'LL CONTINUE WITH CLASS...  
HMMM... IT DOESN'T LOOK TOO POLISHED!



**MUTT AND JEFF**

By Bud Fisher

TELL US SOMETHING ABOUT YOUR FLEA CIRCUS, JULIUS!  
YEH, IT MUST BE HARD WORK TO TRAIN FLEAS!  
OH, YES! SOMETIMES THEY GET MAD AND HOP ALL OVER ME!  
WHAT DO YOU KEEP YOUR FLEAS IN, JULIUS?  
I DON'T KEEP 'EM IN ANYTHING!  
I JUST CARRY THEM AROUND ON BUTCH!  
DON'T YOU EVER LOSE ANY OF YOUR FLEAS THAT WAY?  
OH NO! JUST ONCE—  
MY LEADING LADY RAN OFF WITH A POODLE!



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By Arthur Pointer

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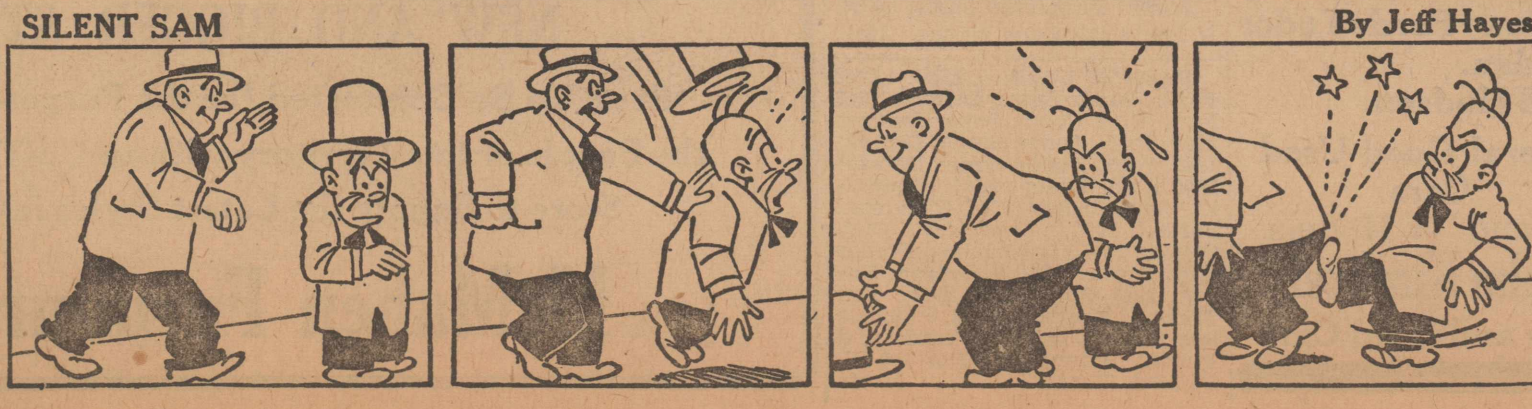
YOU WILL MARRY OFTEN AND WILL MAKE \$5,000,000.  
CONSNRN TH' LUCK.  
WHAT ARE YOU GRIPIN' ABOUT? A FORTUNE LIKE THAT AIN'T POLSON!  
I KNOW FIVE MILLYUN ISN'T BAD BUT..  
WITH ALL THIS INFLATION ITS ONEY WORTH ABOUT \$3,535,759.00  
HA! CHICKEN FEED! PRETTY NEAR!



**VIRGIL**

By Len Kleis

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NEWSPAPERS MAGAZINES  
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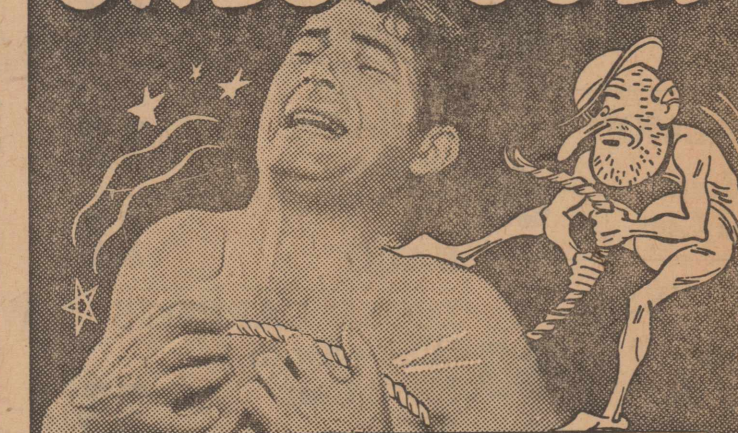
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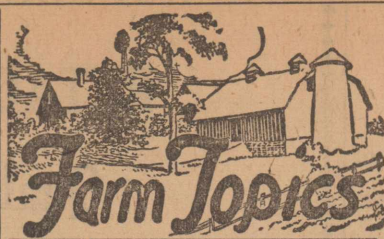
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### Young Farmer Has Chance to Start

#### Knowledge and Training Essential for Success

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Farming in the years ahead, according to Bratton, will provide a good living for the young man who is well trained, properly financed and located on good lands. Education and experience will be even more important for farming in the future than it has been in the past.

Starting farming in a period of inflated prices requires caution. Unusually high prices for livestock and machinery and high land values make it important to start without heavy indebtedness. Working as a



### Michigan Winners

Time and again 4-H club members have proved that their training well fits them to successfully operate farms of their own.

hired man in a farm partnership or share renting are ways a young man with limited capital can become established without a heavy debt load.

### Winners in the Michigan better mauling barley contest as awards were made at Michigan State college.

Left to right: Kagalt Hauck, Rosebush, fifth prize winner; Herbert Gettle, Pileon, fourth prize winner; August Kiehl, Harbor Beach, first prize winner; Foster Hickey, Fairgrove, third prize winner, and Clair Harrington, Akron, second prize winner.

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### Posthole Digger

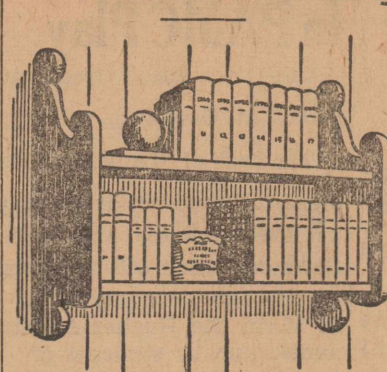


This posthole digger was built by Clyde Hall, Bradford, Ill. He says it will put a nine-inch hole down three feet in Illinois soil in three minutes. It was built of heavy materials in his farm shop and required some large welds. A car differential provides a way to use tractor power to dig postholes.

### Marketing Lighter Hogs Stretches Feed Supply

By marketing their hogs at just one pound lighter weight, hog men over the country could conserve about seven million bushels of grain, says Wisconsin College of Agriculture. Marketing hogs at lighter weights is one of the best ways to stretch the feed supply. Hogs marketed before they weigh 230-240 pounds usually require less feed to put on a pound of gain than hogs fed to heavier weight.

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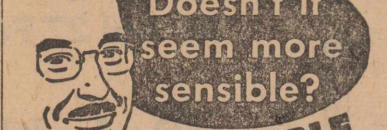
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### Power of Holy Spirit

Lesson for February 15, 1948



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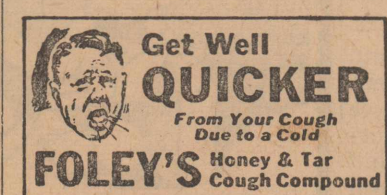
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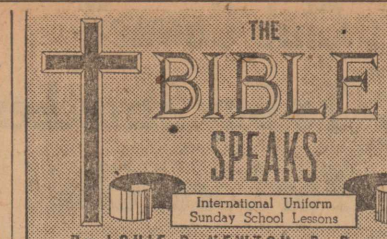
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### Power of Holy Spirit

TWO decades ago, the famous preacher, Rev. Reginald J. Campbell, declared, "The 19th Century may be characterized as the Century of the Father; the 19th Century as the Century of the Son; and we are praying that the 20th Century may be experienced as the Century of the Holy Spirit." That was a brave and hopeful prayer. May we claim the same hope.

"These things I have spoken unto you, being yet present with you. But the Comforter, which is the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, he shall teach you all things, and bring all things to your remembrance, whatsoever I have said unto you." John 14:25, 26. Go on to read Acts 2:1-4; 3:1 to 4:31; Galatians 5:22-26 and you will have the Scripture passages for Sunday's lesson, with Ephesians 6:10-20 as the devotional reading.

### PETER ACTS BRAVELY

IN the picture of Peter and John about to enter the temple on the Sabbath, when suddenly they find themselves confronted by a sick beggar. What could they do with him and for him? He was asking for money.

Peter said, "Silver and gold have I none, but such as I have give I thee, in the Name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth rise up and walk!"

The lame man stood up, leaping and walking and rejoicing, and went into the temple with Peter and John. Only the power of God can do such mighty works. Peter was not afraid to tackle the man's needs, since he relied upon God's wisdom and strength.

### WHY PETER WAS BRAVE

PETER is often pictured as a very quick-tempered person. He was usually the first to speak in every situation. He was the leader of the group—a natural leader of men. But Peter did not assume to meet the poor man's need in his strength. Only "in the Name of Jesus."

When we forget self and rely upon the Holy Spirit for direction, we are enabled to meet and master any situation. Juniors will do well to remember these words, "Not by might, nor by power, but by my Spirit, saith the Lord of hosts," Zechariah 4:6.

### SECRET OF CHRISTIAN POWER

"YOU shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you." Acts 1:8. That is the secret of the Christian's power. It does not originate elsewhere. It is God's gift to those who implicitly trust in him.

### This great truth is particularly appealing to intermediates and seniors.

Young people are keenly sensitive to the times in which they live. We live today in an hour of unprecedented power—atomic energy! But all of the marvels of modern science have not been able to give young people the sense of mastery. Rather, we are afraid. The scientists themselves tell us that this is history's most precarious age.

Only when the Holy Spirit is regnant in our hearts can we possess the power of which Paul is writing in Galatians, when he says, "But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, long suffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, meekness, temperance."

### WHEN WE HAVE THAT POWER

WHY, then, should we ever be weak, when we may always possess that power? This is the most searching question for any Christian. The answer will lead us to certain inevitable admissions. We become weak spiritually when we forget to pray, when we forget to read God's word, when we allow the interests of this world to blind our eyes and deafen our ears to the reality of God's presence.

The Holy Spirit will dwell within us, if only we will welcome him. He will not come unbidden; he will not remain unwanted. He cannot be made secondary. Either he guides or surrenders the reins to us.

Our lives are spiritually strong and healthy when the Holy Spirit governs. Our work is effective, our words are compelling. We speak not our wisdom, but the wisdom of God. We go not in our strength, but in his strength.

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### Army Maneuvers Test Flight Data In Arctic Region

#### Handling Planes in Subzero Temperatures Poses Many Problems

FAIRBANKS, ALASKA. — Still bucking the peculiar problems of handling planes in temperatures as low as 70 degrees below zero, the men who fly B-29s over the north polar areas are engaged in maneuvers for the second winter. At those temperatures, engine oil turns to something like hard rubber. Metals contract at varying rates,

gasoline leaks develop, planes won't stand still on the ice of the runways and take-offs are risky for a number of reasons, including the fact that gasoline won't always vaporize at certain temperatures. This information comes from men like First Lieut. Charles Jerman of Wilmington, Del., a veteran of European air combat and engineering officer of the 59th Reconnaissance squadron (very long range weather). That's the squadron that flies the weather run to the pole. Another is First Lieut. John D. Vanderveer of Antigo, Wis., who has written the first army technical pamphlet on maintenance of the B-29 under Arctic conditions. A former master sergeant who has achieved not only his commission but regular army status, he knows the B-29 intimately from nose to tail turret.

Lives Lost Last Winter. Men were killed last winter dur-

ing flights of the 48th Reconnaissance squadron's B-29s and other planes from Ladd field here. Information gleaned from the crashes has added to the file on cold-weather operation, but the engineering experts say the file is far from complete.

Flight itself, they have found, is not much different from anywhere else, except for some special icing difficulties. The B-29 is pressurized and heated. Its crews often are as comfortable over the pole as they would be over Chicago.

Navigation is tougher than ordinary because the magnetic poles are generally useless and only celestial navigation is positive. Radio is helpful but cannot always be relied on. Each polar flight carries at least two navigators and usually a third who is learning the ropes. The big problems are on the ground.

**Like Housewives.** Sgt. Gordon L. Runge of Merrill, Wis., flight engineer on a B-29, said that even under the best conditions: "These engines are like fickle housewives. You've gotta baby 'em all the time or they won't do a thing—they just sit there and moan." That goes double and triple, he said, with the polar planes.

They haven't yet learned all that happens, except that it's mostly bad, when a plane like the B-29 is rolled from a hangar heated to 50 degrees or so and shoved into the winter air of 50 or more below.

It sags here and buckles there as contraction of metals in the airframe, engines and controls creates numerous "bugs." The pilot who doesn't say a prayer on take-off is regarded strictly as a non-believer. Starting an engine is a long chain process starting with a blow torch and ending with heaters to pump hot oil through and hot air around the engine itself.

The glass ice is a ball-bearing slick film that sometimes makes it impossible to stop a plane on the runway, with engine turning, for any purpose such as the vital engine check before take-off. Several checking methods have been tried with small success.

#### Train Helps Stalled Car but Second Auto Causes Crash

CHICAGO. — This is a story about a locomotive which was kind enough to stop to pull an automobile out of the snow. So what happened? Another automobile came along and smacked the locomotive. Hjalmar Stalin, 50, of Rockford, was driving his wife, Elsie, 50, and Miss Rosie Berg, 27, across the Chicago and Northwestern railroad tracks when his car skidded, hit a signal post and became stuck in the snow.

George Grehn of Elmhurst, engineer of a passing locomotive, stopped to help. While Grehn and Stalin were attaching a chain from the locomotive to Stalin's car, an auto driven by Mrs. Phyllis Isenberg, 47, of Chicago, hit the rail road engine. Six occupants were shaken up.

#### Taking Care of Knives

The old fashioned way of making steel knives hollow ground was to grind them sideways, taking one side at a time. Now, however, blades are inserted between two grinding wheels and the concave edge is cut on both sides at once. Taking care of knives is the first rule of good carving, according to Steelways magazine. Hold the steel in a firm grip and place the heel of the blade against its tip. With a gentle wrist motion, bring the blade down the steel, then repeat the movement on alternate sides.

### Club Council To Buy Stretcher For Local Clinic

At their regular meeting Friday the Sherman County Home Demonstration Council voted to buy a stretcher for the Stratford Clinic.

Mrs. Tommie Wakefield gave an interesting report on the Star Home Demonstration Club achievement for January.

The following committee chairmen gave reports:

Mrs. Luther Browder, Exhibit and Expansion, and Mrs. Tommie Wakefield, Education.

Miss Dixon suggested that several club women enter the essay contest. The winning essay in Sherman County will be sent to the district vice-president to be judged with winning essays from other Texas counties.

The Candlewick training school will be held at the courthouse February 23 at 2:00 P. M.

At the close of the meeting, Miss LaJune Gorman had charge of the recreation.

Those present were: Mrs. Merrit Sweny, Mrs. Wayne Harding, Mrs. Tommie Wakefield, Mrs. Luther Browder, Mrs. Raymond Keener, Miss LaJune Gorman and Miss Dixon.

### Independents Win Game From Morse

Stratford Independents won over Morse in a cage game here Thursday night of last week by a score of 66 to 34. Rodney Ellison was high point man for Stratford with 17 points.

The score at the half was 45 to 19 in Stratford's favor and most of the local squad took part in the last half of the game which was a much better exhibition than the score indicates.

### Davis Motor Has New Truck

The Davis Motor Company announces the arrival of the 1948 Chevrolet truck now on display.

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### Julia Eaton In PAMC Play

Miss Julia Eaton, freshman of PAMC at Goodwell, will appear in the cast of "Ladies in Retirement," a three-act dramatic play by Edward Percy and Reginald Denham, which will be presented Wednesday, February 18, at 8:00 P. M. in the Hughes-Armstrong auditorium by students of the speech department.

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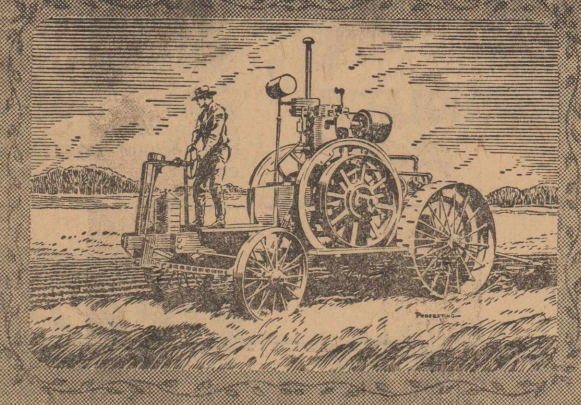
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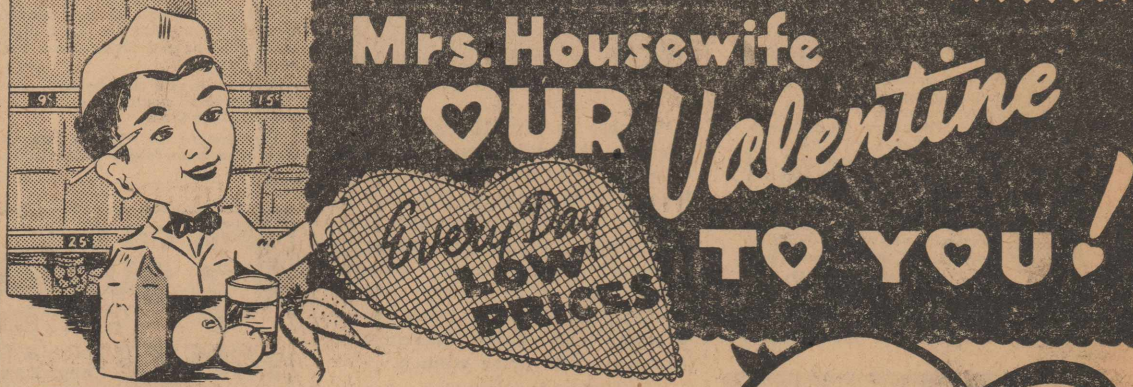
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