

Queenly Farm Girls To Be Recognized

Queenly Farmerettes of Texas will be given recognition this year through the Texas Farm Bureau Federation, according to R. C. Buckles, president of the Sherman County Farm Bureau. Earl county in this district will select a queen, Mr. Buckles said, and from this group a district queen will be chosen at the district meeting next fall.

Thirteen district winners will attend the annual state meeting next November, where the State queen of Farmerettes will be selected.

Senior Play Announced For April 22nd

The Senior Class will present a three-act play, "The Daffy Dills" in the school auditorium Thursday, April 22, at 8:00 P. M.

The cast includes: Clyde Hudson, as Richard Dill, "Papa," a handsome widower; Majorie Grimes, as Carol Dill, his seventeen-year-old daughter; Bill Penrose as Rodney Dill, his sixteen-year-old son; Freda Malone and Jack Vincent, as the thirteen-year-old twins; Joyce Baskin as Grandmother Dill, Richard's neurotic mother; Billie Ann Ellison, as Cousin Maude Maddox, who comes for a visit; Laverne Smith, as Elaine Escott, Papa's bride; Alana Davis, as Aimee Lovewell, sweet sixteen and "thimply crazy" over Rod; Kenneth Pemberton, as Pete Norton, Carol's heart-throb; Lorene Ritchey, as the Widow Woggles, a nosy neighbor; and Katherine Woodard, as Arnica Jukes, the negro cook.

Admission will be 35 cents for students and 50 cents for adults. Reserved seats will not be sold.

Miss Lasley On Baptist U. Honor Roll

Miss Sammie Louisa Lasley, Oklahoma Baptist University student, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lasley, was one of the 161 students who qualified for the Dean's Honor Roll for the first semester.

To qualify for the Dean's Honor Roll, a student must have been enrolled in not less than 12 hours of academic work and have made an average of "B" on all work, with no grade below "C".

Miss Lasley, now Mrs. Claude A. Davidson, Jr., established the scholastic record at Shawnee before her recent marriage.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank our many friends for the beautiful flowers, all the nice cards and letters, and all the other many kindnesses shown during my recent illness. Mrs. Bob Burgess.

Political Announcements

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

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

County and District Clerk: M. LELAH BONEY.

County Treasurer: JOHN HANEY. Mrs. T. N. (Violet) BEARD. C. F. (Shorty) MEINHARDT. MRS. LENA B. KEENAN.

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

County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: ROSCOE DYESS.

County Commissioner, Precinct No. 2: JOHN BONEY. E. W. CARTER.

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

State Representative, 124th Legislative District: M. J. CRAIG.

New Mayor Has Fireman's Experience

The Stratford Volunteer Fire Department met Tuesday night for regular business session and drill. Mayor Van B. Boston was a guest at the meeting, and acquainted himself with the facilities and some of the difficulties of the local department. He was permitted to ride the truck on a practice run. On this run it was noted that a car driven by a high school youth drove persistently close on the tail of the fire truck. As has been published before, this is a strict violation of the law, and such practice will not be tolerated. No vehicle unless driven by a volunteer fireman is permitted to follow closer than one hundred yards behind the truck.

The main discussion of the evening centered around the need for another fire truck, principally to fight rural fires. A committee was appointed at the last meeting to investigate joint action of city and county commissioners for the purchase of such a truck, but the committee found that the county commissioners could not do this without an election for the purpose, and that the county had no funds for such a purchase. It has been the practice of the local department on consent of the mayor to take the truck out of town to fight grass fires, but this is dangerous practice, and the truck is inadequate for that purpose. According to state regulations the truck may not be removed from the city limits, leaving the city unprotected. If loss occurred in the city while the truck was out of town, the insurance company covering the loss would refuse to pay, and the city would lose the excellent fire rating we now have, which would mean an increase in fire insurance rates.

Besides the risk involved, the truck is not equipped for fighting such fires, the water tank holding only 250 gallons which does not last long when fighting a grass or wheat fire. Not less than twice this capacity is needed for that type of work. It was proposed to present this problem to the farmers of the county for consideration, and possibly means could be provided for the purchase of such a truck. The fire hazard in rural areas is many times greater than in town. Dry grass and dry wheat is a veritable tinderbox just awaiting a spark to set it off. Every farmer knows how easily and quickly fire could wipe out a section or more of wheat at harvest time, and such a loss would buy several fire trucks of the type proposed. It is very easy for such a fire to start from the exhaust of a car or truck, or from a spark from a train or a carelessly thrown cigarette, and gets out of control quickly. The cost per farmer would not be high, but the protection it provided would be great. It is not necessary to have an expensive special built truck like the city truck, but simply a light truck with a large tank and a few sections of hose. The city now has a good pump off the old truck which could be installed at little expense, and the complete outfit would probably not cost more than four thousand dollars, which figures about four dollars and fifty cents per section in the county. That is mighty cheap protection when figured on that basis. Would you take four dollars and fifty cents for the grass or wheat on a section of your land?

Miss Freda Malone and James Ledbetter were recently elected Personality Princess and Prince by the student body to represent the Stratford High School at the crowning of the West Texas State College Personality King and Queen at Canyon Friday.

Representatives from most of the high schools in the Panhandle will be represented at this event. A tea will be given in the representatives honor at 3:00 o'clock. Following the crowning ceremony a formal dance will be given for them at Cousins Hall. Miss Malone is a senior and James Ledbetter is a sophomore. It is considered quite an honor for high school students to be invited to attend a college event of this nature.

Personality Students Selected

Members present were Mesdames Baskin Brown, Lorel Haille, Ben Biddy, Leon Guthrie, Jim Taylor, Wayne Harding, Charles Wisdom, N. W. Hudson, Walter Pendleton, Verne Foreman, Miss Dorothy Dixon, and one guest, Mrs. Demus Eller. The next meeting will be April 28 at 11:30 A. M. in the home of Mrs. Leon Guthrie.

At a recent meeting of the club in the home of Mrs. Baskin Brown, Mrs. Leon Guthrie and Mrs. Wayne Harding gave demonstrations on making candlewick bedspreads. Members present were Mesdames Lorel Haille, Earl Bond, Ben Biddy, Verne Foreman, Leon Guthrie, Wayne Harding, Charles Wisdom, N. W. Hudson, Jim Taylor, Walter Pendleton, Baskin Brown, and Miss Dorothy Dixon. Mrs. Joe Brown was a guest.

Commissioners Have Routine Business Meeting

Sherman County Commissioners met in regular session Monday to care for routine business of the county. Business consisted generally of approving the payment of county expenses.

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Reaves Speaks At Lions Club Meeting

Twenty-six Lions were present Monday night to hear Rev. John Reaves deliver a very excellent address entitled, "What Kind of Peace do we Want?" It will stand as one of the outstanding programs of the year, and was heartily endorsed by many of those present.

Following the program, the Board of Directors met in their regular monthly meeting, and quite a full program of business was taken care of. A report of the meeting will be given at the next meeting.

It is planned to have a dinner at the High School gymnasium on the night of May 10 to raise funds for the club's contribution to the Boy Scout camp being built near Amarillo. This camp will have excellent facilities for the camping activities of the scouts of this area, and Lions Clubs are building the club house for the project. The meal will be served by the ladies of the PTA, and the tickets will be \$5.00 per plate. A fine program of entertainment is being planned for the evening.

The Lions are also going to honor the boys and girls of the basketball teams. A banquet is being given for them in the near future in recognition of the fine work they have done this year.

C. F. Meinhardt Is Candidate For County Treasurer

C. F. (Shorty) Meinhardt is a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Sherman County. Meinhardt, a former county official, announced his intention of making the race this week and will appreciate the consideration of the voters in the Democratic Primary election July 24.

Meinhardt came to Sherman County in 1926 and was employed as a telegraph operator with the Rock Island Railroad. He remained with this job until 1934 when he was elected to the office of County and District Clerk, an office he held for two terms.

He returned to his old trade as a telegraph operator which he has followed until recently, when he was stricken with a heart ailment. In August of last year he bid in the job as third trick operator with the Rock Island at Stratford but after taking a physical examination was given a disability retirement before he was able to check-in on his new assignment.

Mr. Meinhardt plans to make an active campaign and will visit a large majority of the voters before the coming election.

Plant Feeding Discussed By Best Yet Club

"Even plants are anemic and turn yellow," Miss Dorothy Dixon explained to the Best Yet Home Demonstration Club at their meeting Friday in the home of Mrs. Verne Foreman. The best way to remedy this is to mix iron sulphide with water and pour it around the plant.

She then took the members to the yard and demonstrated this treatment, and how to spray weeds with 2-4-D weed killer.

Mrs. Lorel Haille and Mrs. N. W. Hudson, yard demonstrators, give progress reports on their yard improvements.

The club voted to donate ten dollars to CARE for European Children's Relief. Members present were Mesdames Baskin Brown, Lorel Haille, Ben Biddy, Leon Guthrie, Jim Taylor, Wayne Harding, Charles Wisdom, N. W. Hudson, Walter Pendleton, Verne Foreman, Miss Dorothy Dixon, and one guest, Mrs. Demus Eller.

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\$250,000 School Bond Election Saturday, May 1

A \$250,000 bond election for erecting a 10-room grade school building, auditorium and cafeteria has been set for Saturday, May 1. It will not be necessary to raise the tax valuation. A 25 cent increase on the present tax rate will be required to pay off the bonded indebtedness.

Carter In Race For Re-Election As Commissioner

E. W. Carter is a candidate for re-election to the office as County Commissioner for Precinct No. 2.

Friends have placed his name before the voters of Precinct 2 for consideration in the Democratic Primary which will be held Saturday, July 24. In accepting the nomination for re-election to office, Mr. Carter stated that he would not make an active campaign for the office, but if chosen by his friends he would continue to serve the taxpayers of that section to the best of his ability.

Mr. Carter's friends who are supporting him in the race, will appreciate the consideration of the voters in his behalf at the coming election.

Legion Airs

(By Earl Bond) Those who failed to hear James F. O'Neal in Amarillo Saturday night missed a real treat. Mr. O'Neil is just as Irish as his name, and his speech was both inspiring and inspired. He spoke as a man who deeply felt and believed what he was saying, and I trust that many of you heard him over the radio. However you got no insight into the real man until his radio address was over, and he spoke extemporaneously in an open forum session. Without benefit of prepared text or notes he answered a number of questions from the audience, and displayed an amazing knowledge of what was going on in the world. He presented a four-point peace program that he felt was our best bet for world peace, but assured the audience that there was no sure plan. His plan called for Universal Military Training, prompt acceptance of the Marshall plan, temporary revival of the Selective Service Act, and the abolition of the Communist Party as a legal political party. At the present, there is no law against the Communist Party in the United States. He pointed out that we could never whip Communism so long as it was legal. Communists point out that political freedom is guaranteed in the Constitution, and that the party cannot be legally bothered, but the Communist Party cannot be justified on that ground, because the Communist Party is more than a political party, it is a direct enemy of the American way of life, and ready to use force to gain its objectives.

He delivered a blistering attack on Stalin's friend, Henry Wallace, declaring that under the guise of a "peace party" Wallace was attempting to deliver the country to the Communists. The plan was almost identical with the plan being followed in Europe to deliver whole nations to the Soviet without the firing of a gun. In his address Mr. O'Neil declared that he would do something that no other National Commander has ever done, he would publish the record of every Presidential Candidate in regards to national security before election time. In that connection he declared that Senator Taft had opposed every proposal for national security from the fortification of Guam to the present. He criticized Congressmen for failure to take a definite stand, one way or another, on Universal Military Training until after election time for fear of agitating a minority group, and thus losing a few votes.

It looks as if work will begin again soon on the Legion Hall. Last week the contractor and the engineer got together on what to do to bring the construction up to specifications, and the contractor has promised to get to work on it as soon as materials can be found. This is more encouragement than we have had in some time. Thursday night we are going to have another social meeting, and we want a good crowd out for this meeting. The ladies are going to bring some chow, so everyone bring a bridge table, some dominoes, cards, or whatever you want to play, and let's have a good time.

I thought once I might razz the new City Dads a little this week, but they will catch enough in the next two years without me starting anything now.

Those attending Commander O'Neil's address in Amarillo Saturday night were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pendleton, Chester Guthrie, Conde Donelson, and I. As usual we were better represented than most posts.

I can't help wondering what sort of axe Milt Robinson has over John Pemberton. I just saw John out sweeping off Milt's sidewalk. I'd sure like to have his formula.

VFW Charter Presentation Tuesday Night

Veterans of Foreign Wars of the local post will receive their charter at a meeting which will be held in the district courtroom at the courthouse Tuesday evening of next week at 7:30 o'clock.

An election of officers for the coming year has been planned. All servicemen who are eligible for membership in the organization are invited to be present.

Mrs. Lena Keenan Enters Race For County Treasurer

Mrs. Lena B. Keenan is entering the race for the office of County Treasurer of Sherman County. A resident of Sherman County since 1928, it is Mrs. Keenan's first experience in asking for public office.

She was born, reared and received her education in Cooke County before she married and moved to this region. Following the death of her husband, Mrs. Keenan spent 12 years associated with the late Dr. J. W. Norvell as a practical nurse. In recent years she has been associated periodically in the cafe business.

Mrs. Keenan believes that she is qualified to hold the office for which she is asking, and states that if elected she will serve the people of the county to the best of her ability in carrying out the duties of the office.

Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Rollo Newman announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Nettie Lou, to Tommie Frank Baskin, III, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Baskin, Jr. The wedding is planned for the close of the school term but the exact date has not been decided.

Local Couple Married In Tucumcari

Mrs. Zada Arnold and Neil Andrews were married in the parsonage of the First Christian Church in Tucumcari, New Mexico Saturday by Rev. G. M. Eastman.

Mrs. Cooper Honored At Dinner

Mrs. H. J. Cooper was honored with a surprise birthday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates Friday night.

Guests included Mrs. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Kendall, Dalhart, Ben Kendall, Dalhart, A. L. Cooper, Big Spring, Texas, and the host and hostess.

Hayden Cooper, Ness City, Kansas, unable to attend the dinner, called his mother by long distance for a short visit.

Mrs. Yates had told her mother-in-law that she wanted her to be dressed for having a picture made. Instead she was taken to the Yates home where to her surprise the children had gathered in her honor.

Kansas Couple Married Here

Miss Hildred Maureen Halvert, and John Raymond Clements, Liberal, Kansas, secured their marriage license here and were married by County Judge L. P. Hunter Tuesday afternoon.

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County Gets 6 New Drilling Locations

Six new drilling locations have been announced for Sherman County, and the Railroad Commission has reported tests on two completed wells.

Magnolia Petroleum Co. No. 1 Bradley "A," is located 2,310 feet from the south line and 990 feet from the west line of section 4, Block 2, P. S. L.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 Bivins "D," is located 2,434 feet from the north line and 2,449 feet from the east line of section 58, Block 1-C.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 Bivins "E," is located 2,548 feet from the east line and 2,534 feet from the south line of section 60, Block 1-C.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. "F," Bivins is located 2,533 feet from the north line and 2,590 feet from the west line of section 57, Block 3-B.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 Hussman is located 2,533 feet from the south and west lines of section 6, Block 1-C.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 'F' Robat is located 2,533 feet from the north line and 2,642 feet from the east line of section 8, Block 2. Two Wells Tested

The Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 Louise, in section 280, Block 1-T, tested 38 million cubic feet of gas with a rock pressure of 424 pounds.

Magnolia Petroleum Co. No. 1 Mattie Crowe in section 373, Block 1-T, drilled to a depth of 3,296 feet, was plugged back to 3,286 feet. It produced pay from 2,750 to 3,280 feet. After treatment with 74,000 gallons of acid, the well produced 20 million cubic feet of gas, with a rock pressure of 415 pounds.

Announce Approaching Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Aduddell announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Neta, to Bob Walters, son of Mrs. Blanche Walters. The wedding will take place in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Judd April 25.

Baptist WMS Royal Service Wednesday

The ladies of the W. M. S. of the Baptist Church met Wednesday morning in the Fellowship room of the Baptist Church for the Royal Service program. Mrs. Lee Grimes was in charge of the program.

Members present were: Mrs. Lee Grimes, Mrs. Roy Allen, Mrs. Shuler Donelson, Mrs. Howard Whately, Mrs. Betty Brown, Mrs. Vern Foreman, Mrs. E. W. Butler, Mrs. V. M. King, Mrs. W. D. Ellis, Mrs. Mollie Davis, Mrs. Marijo Haille, Mrs. Joe Brown, and Mrs. G. L. Taylor.

The meeting adjourned at 11:00 A. M. to meet Wednesday, April 21, in the home of Mrs. E. W. Butler for a mission study program.

NSL Insurance Officer To Be Here Tuesday

A veterans insurance officer will be at the courthouse in Stratford from 2:00 to 4:00 P. M. Tuesday, April 20, to assist local men who wish to re-instate policies, or have them converted.

The purpose of this visit is to discuss the government life insurance program with veteran service organizations, and all ex-service men are invited to be present.

Bond Photos On Display At Convention

Earl Bond placed with the Southwestern Photographers Convention in Fort Worth last week with two photos on exhibition. Of the entries of the 800 photographers attending, only 150 pictures were used for exhibition.

One picture making the display was the picture of the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Gammill. The other picture selected was the portrait of "Wimpy," the pet dog belonging to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Harding.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my friends for their many kind deeds which made the hours during my sickness more pleasant for me. Byron Fedric.

Farm Bureau Secures Local Labor Office

The Texas Employment Commission will open a Farm Labor office in the Garrison Motor Co. building during wheat harvest to serve local farmers it was announced at a meeting of the directors of the Farm Bureau Monday. Fourteen directors were present for the meeting.

Sponsoring of Sherman County farm girls in the national Queenly Farmerettes contest was adopted.

Farm Bureau directors also decided to sponsor a 4-H club boy for the state round-up to be held in College Station in August. The trip and all expenses will be awarded to some 4-H club boy for outstanding work he has completed this year.

Mrs. Bill Lowe announced that 63 farm families had joined the "Blue Cross" hospitalization plan sponsored by the National Farm Bureau. Farm families interested in this program may contact Mrs. Lowe for further details.

Spearman Boosters Plan Stratford Visit

Approximately 50 carloads of boosters, together with their 5-piece Hill Billy band, and a troop of "Square Dancers" will be in Stratford at 1:15 P. M. Saturday, announcing their sixth annual Spearman celebration.

This year the celebration will see the dedication of Spearman's new \$50,000 Memorial Building and the new \$8,000 permanent rodeo arena.

Seniors Select Commencement Program Speaker

Johnnie Lynn, better known by his radio announcer's name as "Uncle Jay," has been secured by the senior class to deliver the commencement address. The commencement day program has been set for May 20.

Although the senior calendar is not complete, the class plans their annual trip to Ruidoso, New Mexico. They will enjoy this outing from May 24 until the 29th.

News of the Sick

G. L. Taylor and his granddaughter, Patricia Taylor, who recently underwent appendectomies in Neblett Hospital, Canyon, are now at home and doing nicely.

Mrs. Charles Cameron is in Amarillo for a few days to be with her sister, Mrs. Russell Kelp, who is a patient at St. Anthony Hospital. Last reports were that Mrs. Kelp was doing nicely.

Deputy Sheriff A. L. Wilson is in Oklahoma City with a son who is undergoing a series of operations.

Mrs. Bob Burgess was brought home from an Amarillo hospital last week. She is recovering from a recent operation.

Mrs. Delbert Cummings is recovering from a second operation in St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo.

The baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pendleton has been ill this week.

J. W. Elliott was rushed to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo Monday evening in the Wilson ambulance. Mr. Elliott had been suffering from a severe heart attack but his condition is reported to be improved.

W. G. O'Brien underwent a major operation in Scott and White Hospital at Temple Friday morning. Mrs. O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Alexander, and Mrs. Verne Vincent are in Temple with him.

Late reports indicate his condition is serious.

Mrs. T. D. Chisum is a surgical patient in a Halstead, Kansas hospital. Mrs. T. N. Beard and Mrs. Virgil Chisum accompanied Mrs. Chisum to Halstead Wednesday.

Louie Green, III at his home in Stratford with influenza and pneumonia, is reported to be in an improved condition.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our gratitude to those who have so generously contributed to the paving fund of the Assembly of God Church.

I. L. Walker, Pastor.

Weed Control Demonstration

An audience of business men,

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lawn were sprayed with 2,4-D and an educational film was shown at the school auditorium.

Low pressure spraying with a plane was demonstrated at the local airport.

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The low pressure system is said to cut the cost of chemical weed control about 4/5ths of the original cost.

Spraying costs in the county last year ranged from \$5.00 to \$6.00 an acre with high pressure spraying equipment.

Agent Wants Weed Samples County Agent Goule asks that farmers bring him samples of the weeds which are causing trouble in their fields that he may either identify them or have them identified and be in a position to advise as to whether it is possible for them to be brought under control through use of chemicals.

2,4-D kills most broad leaf weeds and may be used in a control program for other field

weeds. Identification of the weed is necessary before weed control through use of chemicals can be advised.

Holland of Tampa, Florida, and Williams and De Hart of Amarillo conducted the demonstration Tuesday afternoon.

Service Officers School Planned In Borger

The Veterans Affairs Commission of Texas announced today that it will hold a Service Officers School in Borger Saturday and Sunday, May 1 and 2, in the American Legion Hall.

This school will be for County and Veteran Organization Chapter and Post Service Officers within a radius of approximately seventy-five to one hundred miles of Borger. All persons interested in veterans' affairs are cordially invited to attend.

This is one of a series of schools being held by the Veterans Affairs Commission throughout

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Texas. The purpose is to stress instruction on insurance, education, deceased and living veteran benefits, hospitalization, out-patient treatment, compensation and pensions, etc.

Harry E. Rafter, Educational Officer of the Commission, will conduct the school and will be assisted by representatives from the Disabled American Veterans, The American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars and Federal and State Agencies and the Veterans Administration.

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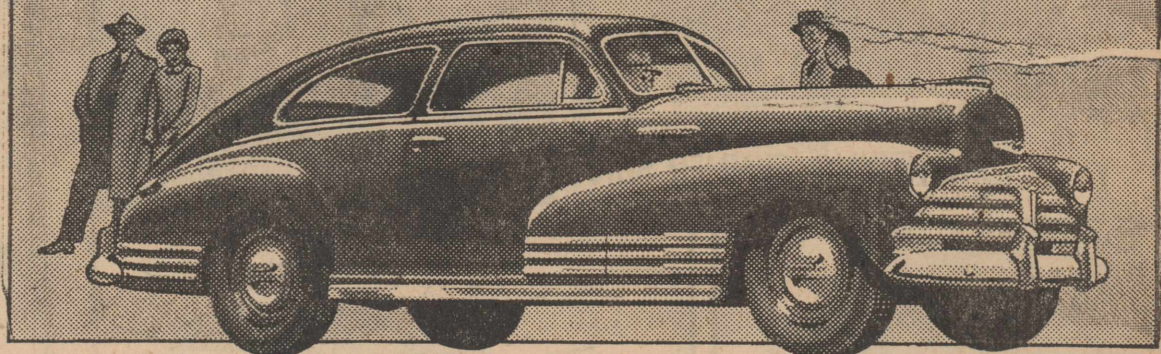
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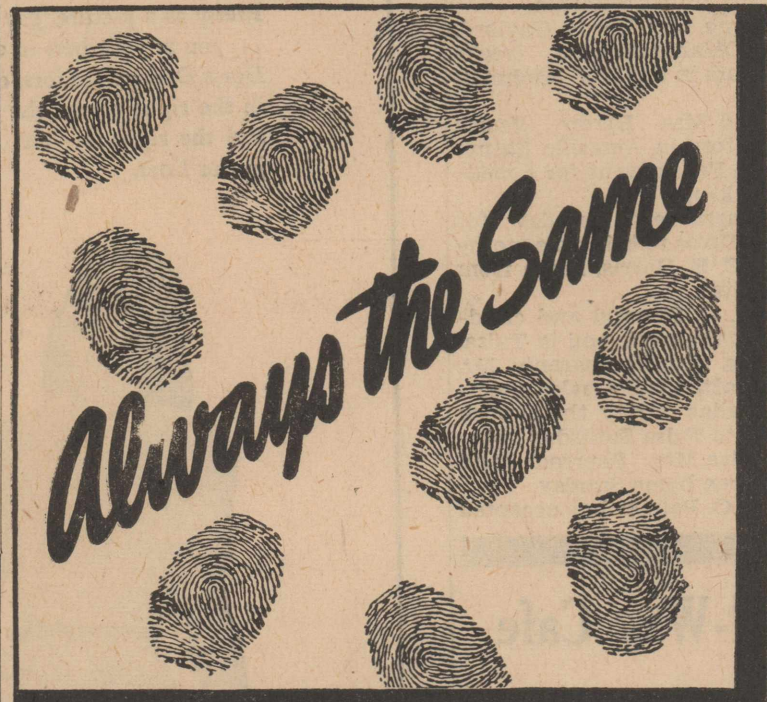
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Mrs. George Kridner and daughter, Carol Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gibbins and children, Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gibbins and children, Mr. and

Mrs. W. R. Fisk and daughter, Fanna Sue, were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gibbins. Dick Diehl attended the livestock auction at Texhoma Monday. Mrs. Leo Ledbetter and daughter,

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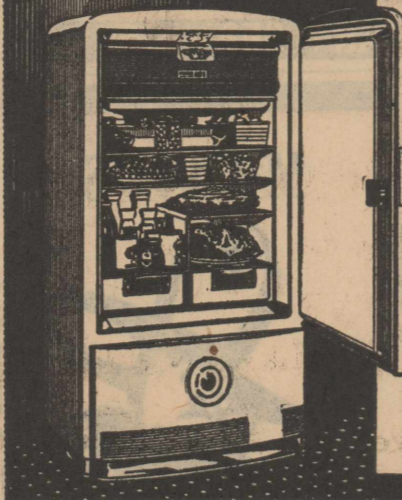
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ter, Willa Jean, have returned to their home in Stillwater, Oklahoma after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Burgess and family. Mr. Burgess took them to Stillwater Saturday, returning home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gibbins and children, Texhoma, visited their mother, Mrs. J. T. Gibbins, Sunday.

L. P. Hunter is driving a new Studebaker this week.

The home of Mrs. C. V. Collins was the scene of a surprise family reunion Sunday afternoon. Other than local relatives, those who called during the day were Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Reeder of Bushland, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown and Marlene of Conway, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Mason of Copeland, Kansas, Mrs. Hilma Cleveland and Miss Catherine Hester of Canyon.

O. E. Cobb left Monday for Mississippi. Friends state he is to be married April 24 and plans

a honeymoon at Niagara Falls. J. L. Turner is having dental work done in Dalhart this week.

Mrs. H. L. McMahan was a dental patient in Dumas Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jones and daughter, Dalhart, Mrs. J. H. Matthews and son, Dalhart, and Mrs. J. B. Jones, Ardmore, Oklahoma, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Brown Ross Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gunzleman had as guests over the week-end, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Murrell Haas, of Wichita, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown and daughter, Marlene, Conway, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Reeder, Bushland, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Mason, Copeland, Kansas, Mrs. Hilma Cleveland and Miss Catherine Hester, Canyon, Texas, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Plunk Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvoid Massie, Tyrone, Oklahoma, and Dennis Massie, Bell Flower, California, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wilson and Mrs. E. J. Massie Monday. They were enroute to Oklahoma from California.

La Verne and Hardy Gaylord, Selling, Oklahoma, were weekend visitors in the H. J. Bachman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Fedric were visitors in Amarillo Saturday. Mr. Fedric went for a medical check-up.

Roy Harris left Tuesday for Temple, Texas to bring his mother, Mrs. C. E. Harris, home from the hospital.

Mrs. H. C. Sherrod and children spent the week-end in Tulsa, Oklahoma with her parents. Mr. Sherrod attended a sales meeting in Dallas during the week and flew to Tulsa Saturday evening to drive Mrs. Sherrod and the children home Sunday.

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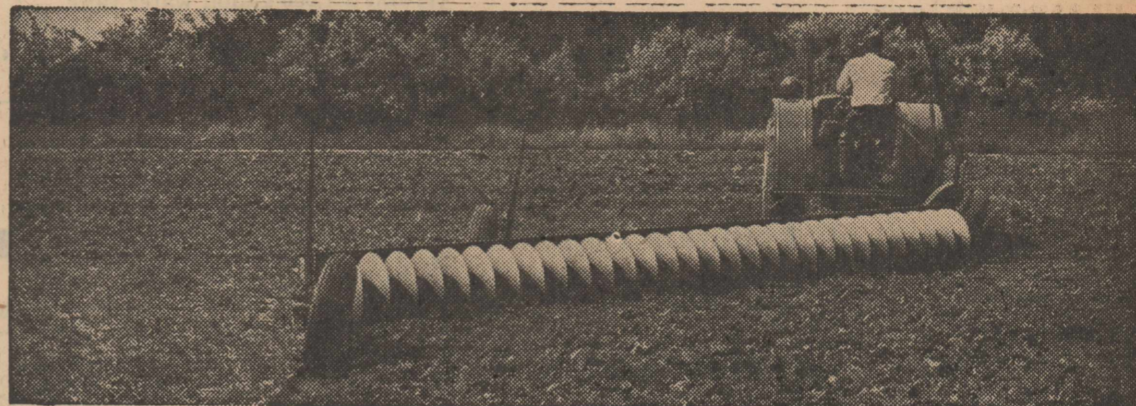
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Local News

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Denney were visitors in Amarillo Monday. Lester Plunk was a business visitor in Perryton Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Doby visited with relatives in Amarillo Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith will spend the week-end with relatives in Kingfisher, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pendleton had as guests last week-end her niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Gilmer, Amarillo. Mrs. Dick Diehl and son, Dick, Jr., and Mrs. Mary Spruell were Amarillo visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Conde Donelson and Mrs. W. E. Thrallkill were visitors in Colorado City, Texas over last week-end. Gene G. and Carl Foster, Dalhart, spent the week-end with their grandmother, Mrs. S. V. McAdams.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Steele, Dalhart, were visitors in the Arthur Ross home Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Earl E. Shirk were business visitors in Amarillo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Watson have returned home from a month's vacation in Mineral Wells and San Antonio, Texas. Their daughter, Charlotte, a student in John Tarleton, spent a week during the Easter holidays with them in San Antonio.

Mrs. Mattie Burrows, Texhoma, and Mrs. Mansel Roach and daughter, Dalhart, were dinner guests in the Dick Diehl home Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Cone Donelson visited in Amarillo Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kimbrel have returned home from a business trip in California. Mrs. M. R. Robinson had as dinner guests Tuesday, her sister-in-law, Mrs. Virgil Lively, Ware, and friend, Mrs. Myrtle Duggan, Dalhart.

Mrs. S. V. McAdams, Miss Rowena McAdams and Randolph, Miss Bertha King and Mrs. D. B. Grimes were visitors in Amarillo Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Vern Courter, Texhoma, visited in the H. J. Bachman home Sunday.

Mrs. W. R. Fisk and daughter, and Mrs. Joe Gibbins were visitors in the home of Mrs. Loyd Pillans at Dalhart Friday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Newton Foster and family, Dalhart, and Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Cates and family, Amarillo, were dinner guests in the home of Mrs. Agnes Foster Sunday.

Mrs. Osa Gamble and her sister, Mrs. H. G. Taylor left today for a visit in Chillicothe. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Clark, Amarillo, were Stratford visitors Saturday.

Mrs. P. J. Pronger, Jr., and her mother, Mrs. A. L. Harrison returned Tuesday from Mangum, Oklahoma, where they have visited since last week-end. Mrs. E. R. McNeal was a visitor in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bammes were visitors in Amarillo Monday. Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Garrison were business visitors in Dalhart Tuesday afternoon.

Earl Bar and his son, Raymond, of Plainview were visitors in Stratford Tuesday. Henry Yates, Guymon, was a visitor here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Fate Morris spent the week-end visiting friends in Vernon, Texas.

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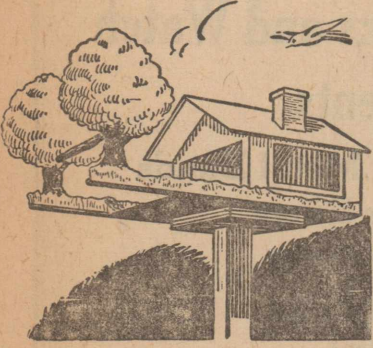
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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS Lewis Battles Taft-Hartley Law; Baruch Sees 'Total Mobilization'; Eisenhower Repeats His Refusal

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LABOR: Lewis Fight

John L. Lewis and the Taft-Hartley law were locked in a mortal struggle. His United Mine Workers were still out of the pits in a "voluntary" objection to the companies' alleged refusal to provide them with a \$100-a-month pension plan. Most of the 400,000 miners were out fighting. Lewis himself was out gunning for the Taft-Hartley law, enactment of which was largely the result of his activities in the first place.

After the miners had gone out, President Truman, acting under the Taft-Hartley law, had appointed a fact-finding board to investigate the difficulties. But when the board asked John L. Lewis to testify, he refused.

Then the board issued a subpoena requesting that he appear. Again Lewis refused, stating that the board had no right to demand his presence before it.

He said he based his disinclination to testify on the facts that:

- 1. Neither he nor the UMW had done anything covered by the Taft-Hartley law, thereby nullifying the President's invocation of the law, and
2. Two of the three board members were "biased and prejudiced and in honor should not serve."
Finally, minutes before the deadline, the burly, bushy-eyed member appeared.
It was obvious, of course, that the UMW chief was out to break the Taft-Hartley enactment. Apparently he was determined to drag the pension dispute all the way through the courts—preferably as high as the supreme court to get a final verdict.
And any way it turned out, the process would react for the miners' immediate benefit. While the courts were mulling over the matter the date for the annual renewal of the mine workers' contract in June would be approaching. The longer the present dispute remained unsettled, the worse the nation's coal situation would grow, thus putting Lewis in a good bargaining position to extract a favorable contract for next year.

MOBILIZE: Controls?

Bernard M. Baruch approves of selective service and universal military training for the present crisis, but he does not think that is enough to meet all the implications of the world situation holds. The financier and presidential adviser called also for an "economic mobilization plan" and said that America's failure to muster all its resources now for peace would leave "no alternative but to mobilize for war" in the future.

Baruch told the senate armed services committee that he was afraid that if the nation suddenly and without preparation were called upon to mobilize and prepare for a big war, such forces of domestic inflation would be set in motion as could blow the country wide open and leave it defenseless.

He suggested the appointment of someone to "watch the impact upon our economy of the partial mobilization we are entering upon and to maintain a constant inventory, balancing all our growing commitments against our resources."

It had not been a hidden threat, but Baruch's statement had focused attention on the possible danger that a sudden spate of military spending could bring about ruinous inflation.

As a result, talk of reviving the defunct OPA was being heard in Washington. Baruch's warning touched off informal discussions in congress about the possibility of reviving wage-price controls, rationing and other curbs on the domestic economy.

This, of course, had been an integral part of President Truman's famous 10-point program against inflation which he proposed last year, but most congressmen virtually had gagged at the thought of reimposing price and wage controls, and the President was accused of trying to set up something like a "police state."

Now, however, congressmen were not so sure. They were beginning to wonder if the military spending necessary to contain Russia might not have to be buttressed by controls at home.

BUNDLE FROM HEAVEN

New Minor Planet 'Swims Into Ken'

U. S. astronomers have revealed the discovery of a bundle from heaven—a strange new minor planet which moves around the sun at high speed. The planetoid is only about two miles in diameter. Although there are about 1,600 of these minor chunks of matter, all circling around the earth like the sun, most of them

THE BIBLE TODAY International Union Sunday School Lesson BY LOUIS S. NEWTON, D.D. SCRIPTURE: Ezra 1-6; Haggai. DEVOTIONAL READING: Psalms 126: 1-6.

The Return From Exile Lesson for April 18, 1948

COWPER'S lines come to mind as we study the dramatic return of the Jews from their exile in Babylon to Jerusalem in the first year of the reign of Cyrus, king of Persia, 536 B. C.: "God moves in a mysterious way His wonders to perform; He plants his footsteps in the sea And rides upon the storm."

And yet it is not altogether strange, for if you will turn to Jeremiah 29:4-14, you will find a prophecy given 50 years before the event that this very thing would occur. There were two other deportations of the Jews from Babylon, prior to the incident in our lesson—the return led by Daniel, 606 B. C., and the one led by Ezekiel, 597 B. C.

PROCLAMATION OF CYRUS

THE proclamation of Cyrus, Ezra 1:1-5, records the happy return to the Jews that they would not only return, but that the temple would be rebuilt. Cyrus called upon all the people who would to make offerings by which the temple might be restored. Cyrus was acting under divine impulse in this gracious and generous proclamation.

"The Lord God of heaven hath given me all the kingdoms of the earth; and he hath charged me to build him an house at Jerusalem, which is in Judah," said Cyrus, Ezra 1:2.

Fifty thousand Jews, their hearts rejoicing at the thought of returning to the land of their fathers, set out on the trek of 600 miles, laden with gifts from the Persians for the restoration of the temple in Jerusalem. They could now sing the song of the Lord, and no longer did their harps hang silently on the willow trees.

THE DECREE OF ARTAXERXES

THE fourth chapter of Ezra brings us to the halting of the work on the temple, after they had raised the magnificent sum of approximately \$400,000, and had laid the foundation for the temple, with imposing ceremonies.

This delay was occasioned by the jealousy of the Samaritans, who went to Artaxerxes, through employed counsel, and convinced him that it would be dangerous to allow these Jews to rebuild Jerusalem. At first, the Samaritans proposed that the Jews let them use the temple in joint worship, but the Jews feared the Samaritans and refused their offer. It was then that the Samaritans effected the delay in the building of the temple by the space of 14 years. Meanwhile, the Jews went forward with the building of their homes and re-establishing themselves and their civilization in Jerusalem.

STICKING TO ONE'S PURPOSE

WE come now to the part Haggai played in summoning the Jews to their duty and obligation to God to restore the temple. It was in the second year of the reign of Darius that Haggai received the word of the Lord. "Is it time for you, O ye, to dwell in your ceiled houses, and this house lie waste? Now therefore thus saith the Lord of hosts, Consider your ways."

It was enough. The people rallied to the call of Haggai, and the temple was completed. Men can always do what they ought to do, if they will to do it.

GOD'S PURPOSE FULFILLED

THE message of Haggai was heeded. The temple was completed, Ezra 6:13-18, and God's purpose was fulfilled. Read Psalm 126.

This brings us to the golden text: "No man, having put his hand to the plow, and looking back, is fit for the Kingdom of God." Luke 9:62. When once the returned exiles felt the iron of God's purpose surging through their veins, they quitted themselves like men, and God's power was everywhere manifest. So may it ever be with us!

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LUCIUS CLOBB On War Nerves

"Pharone," said Lucius Clobb to his helpmate as he arranged a quizzical wrinkle in his brow, "if you think we're thunderin' toward another war?"

"Soon as you open your mouth I figure we're in for at least a skirmish," retorted Pharone. "If you spent half as much time cultivating my peace of mind as you do your arguments we wouldn't have near the argument we do." She impaled the elder statesman of Pawhooley county on a spearlike glance.

"Dang it, Pharone, why do you have to drag your rockin' chair militarism into everything I set out to do a little talkin' on? One of the reasons you married me in the first place was to get security. Now you got security but you still want to fight."

The light of creative achievement gleamed briskly in Lucius Clobb's eye. "Say, by gosh, that there gives me a right smart idea for an aphorism. Nothing I like better than an aphorism. What'd you think of this Pharone: Between 1941 and 1945 we were united with Russia in the bonds of holy warlock, but now the honeymoon's over, the lock is busted and there ain't nothin' left of the original idea except war."

"Mister Clobb, you can put that out in the corn crib with the rest of your aphorisms," commented the critical Pharone.

"Mebbe so," sighed the elder statesman, "but it worries me—not knowin' how to feel about this here world situation. I'm gettin' on toward 69, so I could afford to think that in order to have peace and a secure foreign policy we first got to rig up a strong backbone at home. And a strong backbone right now means a strong army and navy and air force."

REPEAT: Ike's 'No'

Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, fair-haired boy of both political parties, said it once more: He would not be a presidential candidate on anybody's ticket.

There had been a lull following his unequivocal refusal of Republican overtures, and then the pro-Eisenhower sentiment was resurrected in the hearts of no fewer than four widely divergent groups.

Probably the most unique approach was being made by Torrey Stearns, a New York public relations man, who harbors the opinion that Eisenhower is a Republican. He conceived a "People for Eisenhower" movement. The method is a nationwide solicitation of voting citizens to send in postcards bearing this signed testimony: "I want to vote for General Eisenhower for president in November. I am a citizen of voting age."

"On June 21," Stearns announced, "all of the statements will be presented to the Republican national convention as indisputable evidence that the people of the United States demand the nomination of Dwight D. Eisenhower for president."

But Eisenhower was having none of it. Speaking through a statement by Maj. Gen. Floyd L. Parks, army press chief, he indicated that "his no politics statement of some weeks ago" should "apply to all parties and groups of voters."



Glenn L. Martin, pioneer aircraft builder, revealed that the U. S. has developed an offensive weapon superior to the atomic bomb. He called it a "radioactive cloud—the greatest killer of human beings ever devised." Martin said also, "I'd be in favor of using it before I'd become a slave to another nation."

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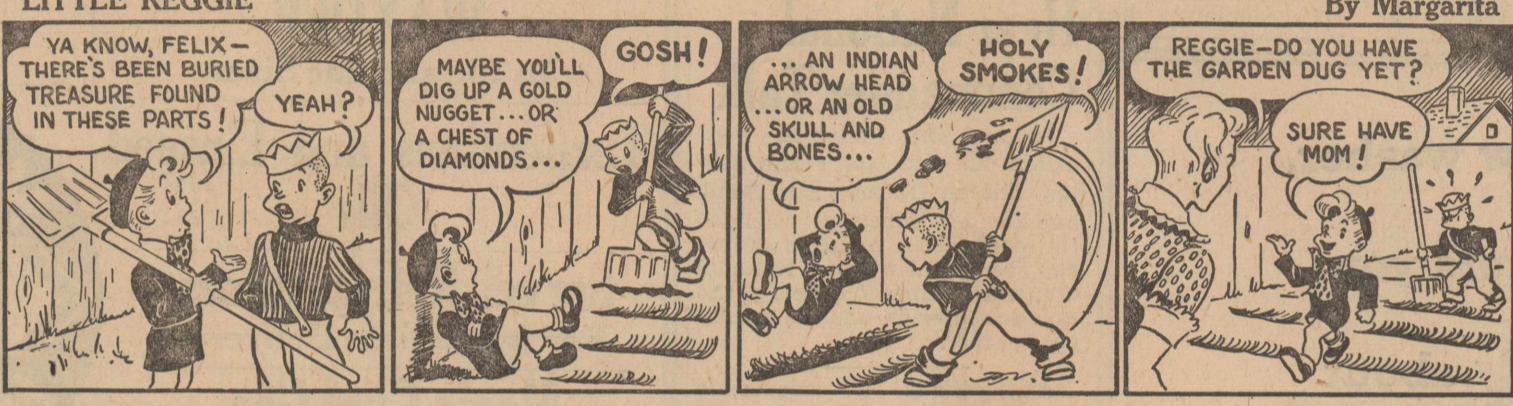


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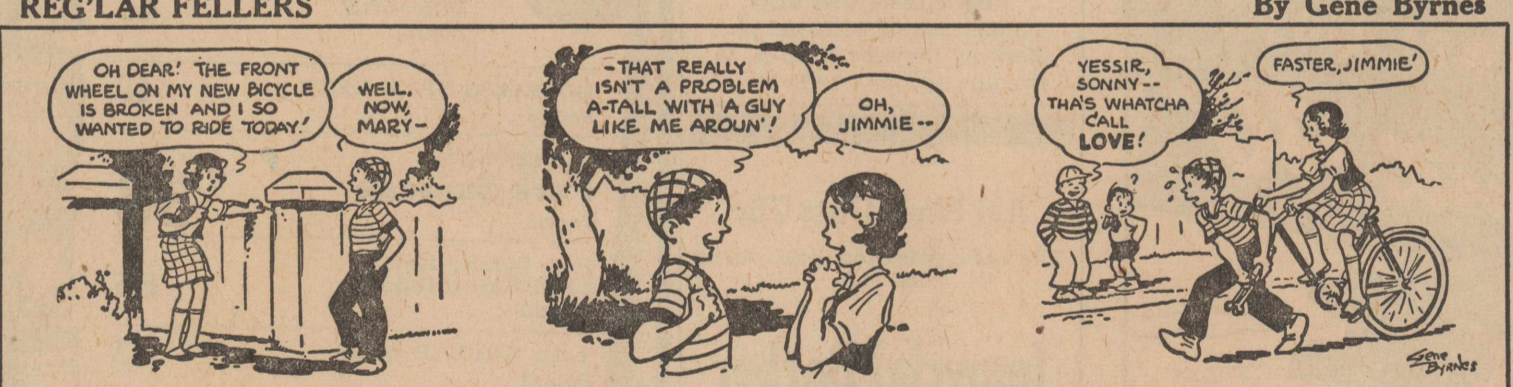
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2. By what name was Australia once known?
3. How many prescriptions do drug stores fill each year?
4. What's the smallest bird?
5. Who is the supreme god of the Hindus?

THE ANSWERS

1. In Smith County, Kansas, latitude 39 degrees 50 minutes; longitude 98 degrees 35 minutes.
2. New Holland.
3. All drugstores in the United States fill about 250 million prescriptions a year.
4. A species of humming bird called Mellisuga Minima. It's about two inches long. It weighs less than 1/200 of an ounce and stripped of all feathers is no larger than an ordinary bumblebee.
5. Brahma. Hindus believe he has four heads.

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Legionaires Hear National Commander Talk

Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Pendleton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sutton, Chester Guthrie, Earl Bond, and Conde Donelson attended the banquet in Amarillo Saturday evening at which National Commander James F. O'Neal of the American Legion was the principal speaker.

An abacus is a calculating frame utilizing sliding balls on wires.

Church News

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Howard Whatley, Pastor
Sunday
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Training Union 7:00 P. M.
Evening Worship Services 8:00 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.

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Junior League 6:30 P. M.
Intermediate MYF 6:30 P. M.
Senior MYF 6:30 P. M.
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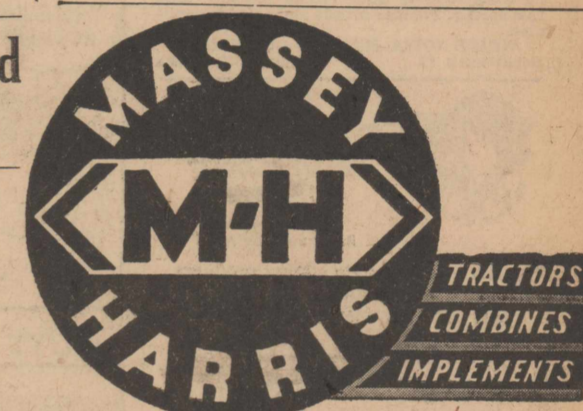
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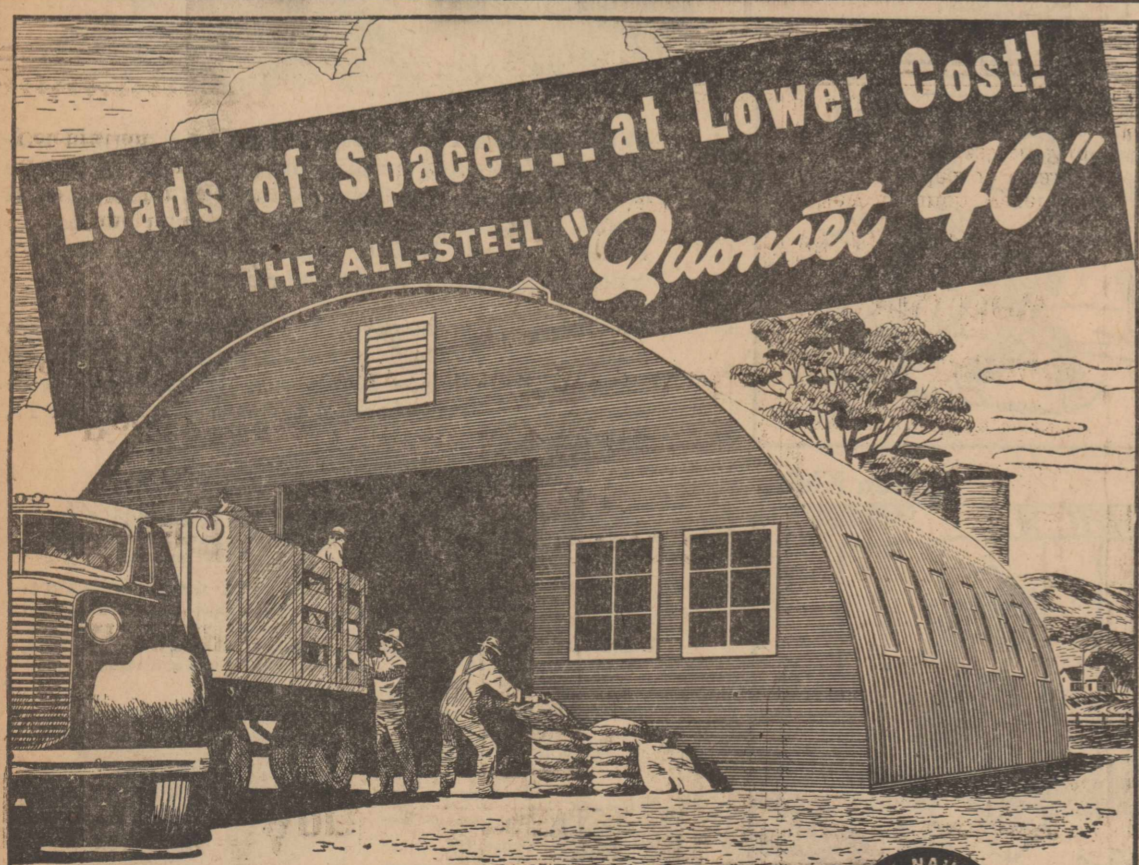
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