

# THE STRATFORD STAR

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## Local Boys See Southwest Exposition

GOODWELL — Twenty-seven members of the Aggie Club, Panhandle A. & M. College student organization for agricultural majors, made a six day trip to the Southwest Livestock Exposition at Fort Worth, Texas. The group left January 29 and returned February 3.

In addition to visiting the livestock exposition the club members visited the Swift Packing House, Burris Feed Mills, and a number of ranches and dairies in the Fort Worth area. They were accompanied by R. A. Peck, agronomist, Estes Firestone, animal husbandryman, and Milton England, animal husbandryman, all of the Panhandle staff.

Students making the trip were Walter Vincent and Jack Vincent, Stratford; Melvin Ridley, Cordell, A. R. Brown, Chickasha, Eli Powers, Wewoka, Robert Sheets, El Reno, Bob Alexander, Gruver, R. J. Hill, Felt, Marvin Best, Jefferson, J. R. Hininger, Fargo, Clyde Gaylord, Selling, John A. Devine, Gray, Dale Novinger, Springfield, Colorado, Keith Harner, Wayne, Jack Flynt, Hammon, Ulys Hawkins, Gotebo, Bill Smith, Elk City, Bob Smith, Richfield, Kansas, Troy Chisum, Dalhart, Janun Thompson, Tallhina, Charles Brooks, Marietta, Merle Thurman, Reardon, Joe White, Catesby, B. E. Mikles, Elk City, Bill Forgey, Booker, Texas, Harold Warthoe, El Reno, and Clarence D. Hoeme, Hooker.

## Winter Fans Are Valuable

"Many families do not realize that portable electric fans can be used in the winter as well as the summer," Mrs. Bernice Claytor, extension home management specialist of Texas A. & M. College, points out. "Usually at the end of summer, the fans are put away until the next warm season. But actually they can be put to use in several ways during the winter months."

For instance, a house that is improperly insulated is usually unevenly heated, cooler at the floor than near the ceiling. A fan placed near the heater or heating unit, aimed at an adjacent wall toward the ceiling and set at a slow speed, will circulate the warm air around the room.

Another winter use for an electric fan is for drying clothes indoors. Winter weather sometimes makes it difficult to dry clothing even in the house. "Set a fan at one end of the line of clothes," Mrs. Claytor says, "and it will speed the drying process. Or use it to dry coats and over-shoes soaked by rain or snow."

Portable electric fans can be used at any season of the year to carry off cooking odors from the kitchen. "If your home does not have a large ventilating fan in the wall or window, you may face a portable fan toward a slightly open window and allow it to run while foods with strong odors are cooking. The odors will go out the window," Mrs. Claytor concludes.

## Charles Hooley Stationed In Virginia

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hooley are making their home in Fort Belvoir, Virginia. Hooley has completed his course of training in the army engineering school at Fort Belvoir. He was one of three of the company chosen as instructors and stationed at Fort Belvoir. Other members of the company were shipped over seas.

Mr. and Mrs. Hooley expect to make their home in Virginia for at least a year.

## Co-Op Delegates Leave Friday For Dallas

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Buckles and Mr. and Mrs. W. Arthur Milton will leave Friday for Dallas to attend the Consumer's Cooperative Associated annual meeting, to be held in the Baker Hotel February 14 and 15. Jeanne Huggins, who is attending Texas University will spend the week-end in Dallas with her parents.

## Silly Hat Box Supper Will Be Given Feb. 18

A box supper with events which promise to be highly entertaining will be sponsored at the high school building by the Stratford Parent-Teacher Association Friday, February 18.

Each lady who attends the supper will be requested to bring an old discarded hat in a paper sack. These hats will be sold for fifty cents and all ladies will be required to wear the hat they purchase unseen during the evening.

Auction of the boxes will begin at 7:30 P. M. Boxes prepared by girls and ladies will be auctioned separately.

During recreation hour Mrs. Arden Dawson, Jr., will direct the playing of a number of folk games.

Free coffee will be served during the evening. It is the ambition of the Stratford Parent-Teacher Association to raise enough funds from the box supper to place them in a financial condition to supply what ever may be needed to equip the new grade school building when it is completed.

## Interscholastic Spring Meet At Gruver

District 1-B, composed of the schools at Stratford, Channing, Gruver, Hartley, Morse, Spearman, Stinnett, Sunray, and Texline has completed organization plans for the University Interscholastic League Spring Meet to be held in April at Gruver, according to R. J. Kidd, director of the League.

H. R. Hartman of Spearman have been named Director General of the Meet. Contest Directors are: Director of Athletics, L. H. Brotherton of Gruver, Director of Declamation, O. D. Brown of Stinnett; Director of Debate, O. D. Brown; Director of One-Act Plays, Mrs. J. K. Highsmith of Stinnett; Director of Extemporaneous Speech, O. D. Brown of Stinnett; Director of Slide Rule and Number Sense, G. H. Ellison of Morse; Director of Shorthand and Typewriting, Mrs. Icie B. Walker of Stinnett; Director of Story-Telling, Mrs. Jim Frazier of Morse; Director of Ready Writers, Mrs. Jack Jagers of Spearman; Director of Spelling and Plain Writing, Mrs. Hazel Brooks of Gruver.

## King Listed On Dean's Honor Roll

LEXINGTON — Cadet Lloyd King, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. King, has qualified for the dean's honor roll for the first semester at Wentworth Military Academy, Major Dallas C. Buck, dean of instruction, announces.

Academic honors for the semester at Wentworth are conferred on those cadets who do superior work in their classes consistently throughout the term. This recognition makes the cadet eligible for additional privileges and entitles him to wear the scholastic bar on his uniform.

## 4-H Boys Fit Calves For Annual Show

Sherman County 4-H Club boys are busy fitting their calves for the County Show which will be held in the Augustine ring at Texhoma Monday.

County Agent Goule states that the boys hope to have some of the best conditioned calves that have been fed in the county.

Alfred Pronger, Sherman county rancher, will judge the show. Judging of the 4-H calves will commence at 11:00 A. M.

Ten calves will be offered for sale at 1:00 P. M. with the Augustine Livestock Commission handling the sale.

The general public, especially boys and girls, is being encouraged to attend the show and view the calves produced by 4-H boys during the current year.

## Dog-patch Style

Serve buttered turnips with pork chops, an old but forgotten treat.

## Pastry Shop Will Open Friday

Grady Mullican will open his new place of business, "Grady's Pastry Shop", in the building at the intersection of Main Street and U. S. Highway 54 Friday morning.

Mr. Mullican plans to operate his business as a bake what you order pastry shop. All orders placed at a reasonable length of time in advance will be out of the oven for delivery at 11:30 A. M. daily.

Mr. Mullican states that he had hopes of having a telephone installed in his place of business the latter part of this week.

## Elected Officers At Annual REA Meet Wednesday

Approximately 450 members of the Rita Blanca Electric Cooperative, Inc., of Sherman, Dalham, Hartley, and Moore counties attended the annual membership meeting in Dalhart Wednesday of last week in the XIT Rangers Club house.

Several representatives from the Rural Electrification Administration in Washington, D. C. were present. They included Richard Dunham, B. W. Chesser, T. L. Evans, and W. A. Ricketts.

Mr. Dunham and Mr. Ricketts were the principal speakers on the program. Brief talks were made by Fred Finch, Asa Willis, and Glynn W. Scott.

During a business session directors were elected for the Cooperative Board. Named were R. C. Buckles and Sam Wohlford, Sherman County; Fred Finch and Clyde Lathem, Dallam County; W. J. Morton, Jr., and R. B. Davidson, Moore County. All were reelected except Davidson, who takes the place of Fred S. Makeig. Willis is the board president, Buckles is vice-president, and Finch is secretary-treasurer.

## Miss Smith To Assist In Staging Play

DENVER — Miss Beverly Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Smith, a student of Colorado Woman's College, heads the committee in charge of properties for presenting "The Will - O - the - Wisp", a one-act play sponsored by the Delta Psi Omega which will be presented in Pulliam auditorium February 24.

Homer Grout, associate professor of speech and drama, is assisting the group with staging while Miss Helen Nelson, head of the speech and drama department, is supervising the acting.

An honorary dramatic fraternity, Delta Psi Omega is using the play as its yearly money-making project.

## Wickstrum Enlists With U. S. Navy

Leland Wickstrum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wickstrum, left Tuesday for Albuquerque, New Mexico to begin his enlistment with the U. S. Navy. Two weeks ago Wickstrum passed a naval electronics examination which according to statistics only one out of one hundred applicants have been able to pass.

Wickstrum will receive his boot camp training at San Diego, California. After boot leave with his parents in Stratford, he will be transferred to San Francisco, California for a 44-week period of schooling in electronics.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this opportunity to express our gratitude for the contributions you have so freely given to help build the parsonage. May the Lord richly bless each one of you.

The Assembly of God Church.

## Christianity Curtails Red Achievements

Thirty-five Lions and Lionesses were present at the Ladies Night program Monday night. D. D. Monroe of Clayton, N. M., the principal speaker, was very enthusiastically received. Mr. Monroe proved to be a very entertaining as well as an inspiring speaker. His address hinged upon the idea that in abandoning the principles of Christianity in human relationships we were opening the door to Communism in the United States. Mr. Monroe reported that this speaking is more or less a hobby with him, but actually considers it of more importance than his business. He has traveled half a million miles in the United States speaking before service clubs and civic organizations, his latest trip covering an arc from Baltimore, Maryland to New Orleans.

## B. M. Kendall Burial Saturday In Dalhart

Last rites for B. M. Kendall were conducted in Dalhart Saturday at the Blackburn-Shaw Funeral chapel with Rev. J. O. Quattlebaum, pastor of the Central Methodist Church officiating.

The aged druggist, a registered pharmacist since 1901, had recently been employed with the Yates Drug. He was found dead in his hotel room in Stratford Thursday morning. A victim of a heart disease for several years, Kendall is thought to have passed away in his sleep.

In younger years Kendall had served Dalhart as Mayor. Survivors include two sons, D. B. of Dalhart, and Henry of Amarillo; two brothers, Henry E. of Balboa Island, California, and Herman G. Kendall of Beloit, Kansas.

## P. M. Smith Gets Degree In Agriculture

P. M. Smith III received his B. S. degree in agriculture from the University of Missouri at Columbia, Missouri January 30, according to a letter Mrs. Bob Burgess received from their daughter and son-in-law this week. There were 700 in Smith's graduating class.

Mrs. Smith, the former Florene Burgess, writes her parents, that it is possible she and her husband may return to Texas to make their home.

## Abstract Co. Moves Office To Legion Hall

Miss Minnie Laura Jackson and H. T. Jackson have moved the office of the Stratford Abstract Co. to its new location in the American Legion Hall. The firm is now located in the west office of the Legion building on the ground floor.

## Tardy Juror Fined \$35 And Day In Jail

C. E. Kundert, summoned to appear here Tuesday of last week for jury service in the case of Lloyd E. Howard, was fined \$35.00 and a day in jail by District Judge Harry Schultz when he reported Friday.

## Mrs. Burgess Recovering From Surgery

Mrs. T. J. Burgess, brought home from an Amarillo hospital last week, is getting along nicely at their home in Stratford. She recently underwent a major operation.

## Steel Has Hand Crushed In Well Accident

W. W. Steel sustained multiple fractures of the left hand and narrowly escaped death Monday while working on a water well. Steel and his son, John, were pulling casing or rods from the well. John was driving a tractor to which the cable to the block and tackle was attached.

As the tractor pulled against the cable the hook to which it was attached to the tractor came loose, allowing the loose end of the cable to strike Steel. It grazed the side of his head and the left hand was crushed either by the cable or tools which fell from the top of the tower.

Mr. Steel is in the Dumas Memorial hospital receiving treatment which physicians hope will prevent the need of amputation of one finger.

## Miss Baskin Is New Science Club Member

DENVER — Miss Joyce Baskin, daughter of R. L. Baskin, a student of Colorado Woman's College, was one of the twenty-eight girls initiated into the Alchemists, club of science majors at college. The recent ceremony was held in Pulliam lounge and was followed by a dinner for the initiates.

The organization is planning a field-trip to the Chamberlain observatory in the near future.

## Scouts Take Training In Boxing

Seventeen scouts attended the meeting in the Legion hall Monday night. Jack Thomas was in charge of the program. Several games were played and a few boxing bouts were staged for recreation.

The scouts collected material for decorating a window in the McIntosh building to impress the public of their activities during National Boy Scout week.

The scouts plan to go to Canyon on a swimming party February 22.

A certificate of appreciation was presented to Clifford Byrd, neighborhood scout commissioner, by the Boy Scout Council.

The Boy Scout Charter was presented to Earl Bond in the meeting Thursday night of last week when the scouts and their parents met in joint session with the American Legion.

Sixteen scouts and twelve Cubs were presented the official membership cards.

## Stratford Elks Win Over Opponents

Stratford Elks have won all of the six basketball games played with Stinnett, Phillips and Dumas during the last few days.

In the games with Stinnett here Friday night Stratford boys defeated the Stinnett team 63 to 30. Johnny Lyons and Keith Green tied as high point men for Stratford with 11 points each.

Kathryn Newman scored high for the girls in their games with Stinnett which they won by a score of 28 to 23.

Saturday night Stratford A and B boys teams defeated Phillips with the B-boys playing to a thrilling finish.

The Stratford B-team defeated Phillips 44 to 43. Donal Ellison was high point man with 17 points.

The A-team won an easy game from Phillips by a score of 54 to 32. Bill Malone was high point man for the Elks with 16 points while Dale Knight trailed with 13 points.

Tuesday night at Dumas the Elks won over the Demons with safe margins.

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## Elks Play In District Meet At Sunray

Stratford Elks will play their first game in the district tournament at Sunray Friday at 1:00 P. M. with Hartley. At 7:00 P. M. they will play Texline.

Saturday they face two hard games to win the district title. At 10:00 A. M. Saturday they will play Spearman in the semi-finals. The final game will be played at 8:00 P. M. and it is expected that the Elks will be pitted against the fast Gruver team that has played them thrilling games during the season.

The Elks are picked as favorites to win the district title if they play the type of basketball they are capable of playing and do not take too many chances by loafing during the early part of the games.

## Carol Reeder Celebrates 3rd Birthday

Little Miss Carol Reeder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Reeder, was entertained with a party Friday afternoon from 4:00 to 5:00 P. M. A very enjoyable time was had playing "Ring around a Rosy."

Refreshments were served to the following little guests and their mothers, Roy Finch, Sue Plunk, Barbara Jo Stubblefield, Eloise Adkins, Judy Mitchell, Jess Smith, Charlie Lavake, Judy Gray, Donna Jean Moon and the honoree, Carol Reeder. Carol received many nice gifts and presented each of her little guests with a balloon and a story book.

## Attorneys Appeal For New Trial In Howard Case

Attorneys for Lloyd E. Howard, given a life sentence in District Court Friday afternoon, have expressed their intention to file a motion for new trial. No papers showing such an appeal has been made have been placed on record in the district clerk's office.

Howard was convicted of criminally attacking and seriously injuring a 75-year old semi-invalid woman in her Texhoma home the morning of November 20. Howard, a mechanic, lived with his wife and two children in an adjoining apartment.

Howard's defense was loss of memory attributed to a head injury the defendant said occurred while he was working with a harvest crew in Nebraska in 1947.

The case opened the morning of January 24 and ended Friday afternoon at 1:25 when the jury returned its verdict after 55 minutes deliberation.

Howard was defended by Col. E. A. Simpson and R. A. DeFee of Amarillo. District Attorney Floyd M. Richards was assisted by his father, E. N. Richards, a former district attorney, and County Attorney E. E. Coons.

## Three Attended Scout Banquet In Dalhart

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Byrd and Carl Thomas attended the scouters banquet held in the Pine Street Methodist Church in Dalhart Monday night.

The theme, "It's Fun To Live In America," was stressed in the principal address.

Representatives of Boys Ranch and a Dalhart girls trio furnished entertainment for the capacity crowd which attended the meeting.

## Two Cases In J. P. Court

Two cases have been tried in Justice of the Peace Court.

John D. Lash, charged with operating a trailer and truck more than 45 feet in length, was fined \$14.00.

Davidson Henry Atchley, charged with drunkenness, was fined \$23.00.

Livestock grazing utilizes 93½ million acres in Texas, or over 60 percent of total area of the state.

## 1 New Drilling Location; 1 Well Tested

One new drilling location was announced for Sherman County this week and the Texas Railroad Commission revealed the results of tests of one completed well.

Bayou Oil Company No. 1 Steel is located 2,310 feet from the south and east lines of section 16, Block 2-T.

Hagy, Harrington & Marsh No. 1 D. L. Buckles, located in section 440, Block 1-T, was drilled to a total depth of 3,281 feet. It produced pay from 2,750 feet to 3,281. After treatment with 20,000 gallons of acid it produced 5.88 million cubic feet of gas with a rock pressure of 405 pounds.

\$248,396.25

## Invested In Savings Bonds

Sherman County residents invested \$248,396.25 in savings bonds during 1948 according to information released to County Judge L. P. Hunter this week.

During December local citizens bought \$5,808.75 of government E bonds.

An intensive drive for the 1949 sale of bonds is being planned which is expected to open in May. This year if plans are carried out dollar quotas will be used in the drive for the sale of more bonds than in 1948.

## Field Officer Approves ACP Cooperation

W. H. Sears, district ACP field officer of Amarillo, complimented the cooperation of Sherman County producers for their participation in agricultural conservation practices during the 1948 program. An audit of the local ACP office records while he was here Tuesday indicated that 43 more farmers participated in the ACP program in 1948 than had taken part in the program the previous year.

## CARD OF THANKS

I wish to take this means of expressing my appreciation to my friends for the flowers, cards, letters and gifts I received during my stay in the hospital.

Mrs. Joe Walsh.

## 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 Services 7:30 P. M.  
W. M. U. Wednesday 3:30 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**  
(I. L. Walker, Pastor)  
Sunday  
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.  
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.  
Evangelistic Service 7:30 P. M.

**CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.  
Morning Services 11:00 A. M.  
Evening Service 8:00 P. M.  
A nursery under competent supervision provides care for infants during church services.  
Rev. John Reaves, Pastor.

**METHODIST CHURCH**  
(Rev. H. A. Nichols, Pastor)  
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.  
Morning services 11:00 A. M.  
Forty-five minute vesper services Sunday evening at 5:00 o'clock will continue through the cold winter season.  
Junior, Intermediate, and Senior M.Y.F. will meet at 5:45 at the close of the vesper service.  
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.

### Missionary Tells Of Conditions In China

George W. Hollister, missionary to China, describes the economic conditions there in a letter to Rev. H. A. Nichols. His de-

scription of continuous problems facing the people of that nation follows:

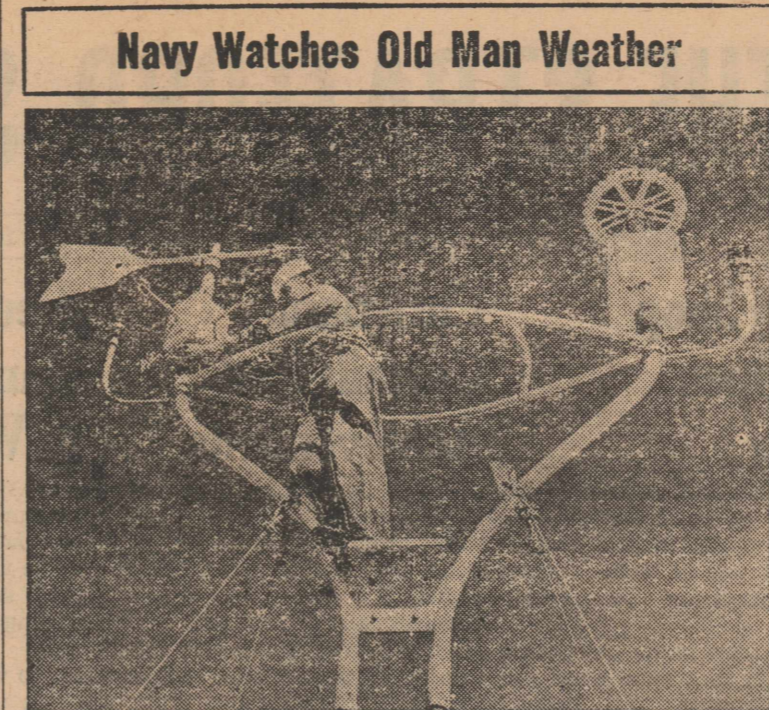
Hingwa, Fukien, China December 22, 1948. Dear Partners at the Home Base: It's so short a time since I wrote, that it is a little early for another letter. But since reports are appearing in the American newspapers about the

evacuation of missionaries from stations in China, you may be wondering about us and the work in which you are sharing.

All Americans here have been warned by the Consul that if they are not willing to stay under increased difficulties, it is wise to go while exits are open and facilities available. Some missionaries in Northern and Central China, where the danger is more acute, are leaving. So far no missionaries have left Fukien, and a few other parts of China are coming to this province.

Although there is an ominous feeling in the air of far-reaching and imminent political changes, which might possibly necessitate adjustments in our plans, at present my wife and I do not share in the alarm or despair that some people feel. As I said so frequently while speaking in America, when people are cold and hungry, when they have no opportunity to earn a living, they will turn to any political party that promises to change these conditions. The Chinese themselves say the Nationalist armies have no will to fight. Nearly every important Communist victory follows the defection of important Nationalist officers and their troops. Political corruption and inefficiency, and almost a total disregard for the welfare of the common people by many of the present officials, are driving the people toward those who promise to better their conditions. For most of the people there is no alternative; for this is not yet a land of free speech and free enterprise, where problems are solved through democratic processes. I do not believe the group that is rapidly gaining power will be able to solve China's problems; but I can understand why the people are turning to them.

If a person sees the present situation is almost inevitable, that understanding removes a measure of the alarm and pessimism that might otherwise prevail. Obviously it does not remove danger; for mass movements accompanied by violence give op-



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portunity for fear, cruelty and revenge. Feeling the inevitable of a change, we do not believe our work will be lost. Nor do we believe it impossible to continue some work under the new regime if it comes into our area. In North China some who have tried to work under such a regime are now withdrawing. In our area we believe the chances are better, because the only foreigners here are missionaries, not business people or military personnel.

Both the church program and membership may be purged with fire. We, ourselves, may not see the end. But we are not yet convinced a political night is coming when all Christian work must "go underground" or be carried on by Chinese only. Beyond and through the darkness that may lie ahead, it is possible to see the dawn of a new day. We still believe in the power of sacrificial service to win hearts and lives to the Christ of the Cross, and to the Father who loves us as His children. We have faith that Christ's way is still Good News in seeking a solution for human needs.

Looking at the situation this way, as long as our presence does not endanger the lives of our Chinese co-workers, my wife and I plan to stay and continue our work. This is not suggesting the slightest criticism of anyone who interprets the situation differently, and thinks it wise to withdraw now. Some are with-

drawing because their Chinese colleagues have told them the presence of foreign missionaries would complicate the problems of the Church, and make it more difficult for Chinese Christians. Since our purpose is to help, not hinder, in such a case obviously the missionaries should go. With schools for missionary children closing, some parents feel forced to go for the sake of their children. We have no one dependent on us. Conditions may arise which will make it seem wise for us to go later. If and when we find it necessary to leave Hingwa, we will let you know our changed address as soon as possible. Until then you may assume we are at our usual post, carrying on as best we can.

Economic conditions are rapidly becoming worse. The new currency, the Gold Yuan, is depreciating with startling speed. Last month banks outlawed the old currency, refusing to exchange what people still held for the new. In Hingwa almost no one-dollar bills and no change were available at the banks. At once prices soared almost as if five dollars was the lowest possible unit. When the government refuses to redeem its own currency, such action naturally does not increase the people's confidence in the government's financial stability. The fundamental causes for the depreciation of the new currency are the same ones responsible for the de-

preciation of the old: Communist victories, and the fact that government income is only about one-fifth the total expenditures. No currency can remain stable under such conditions. Interest rates "on the street"

reached 270% a month. (No, there is no error in that figure.) Interest rates at government banks rose to 90% a month. The price of rice has risen to heights the Chinese never dreamed of. (Continued on Page 3)

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SPINACH Del Monte No. 2 Can 33 2 For

TOMATOES Concho No. 2 Can 33 2 For

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### Navy Watches Old Man Weather

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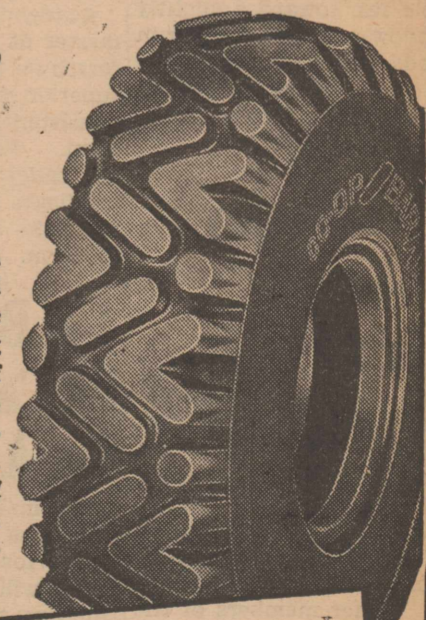
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### Missionary --

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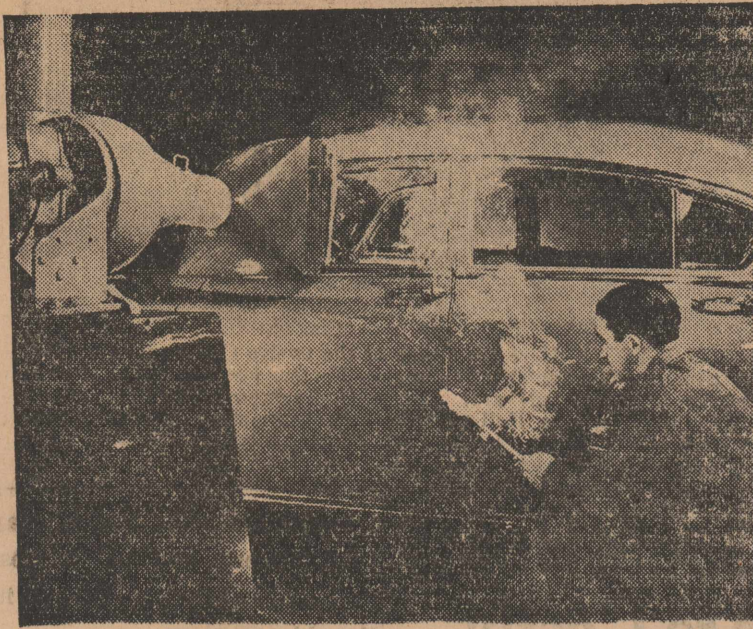
hundred fifty pounds to the sack, from each of our two counties. To draw off that amount will not leave enough for the people themselves. As the Nationalists lose armies and areas of supply elsewhere, they will demand more men and supplies from this. Even in the war with Japan this

### Awarded \$290,000



ST. LOUIS, MO. — One of the heroines of a famous book about the war in the Pacific, Mrs. Beulah Greenwalt Walcher, above, of Denver, Colorado, has been awarded \$290,000 damages in her suit for \$400,000 against Loew's, Inc. Mrs. Walcher sued on the grounds that her privacy was invaded by the motion picture based on the book "They Were Expendable". Mrs. Walcher was the "Peggy" of the story.

### The Body With No Smoking Habits



The man above isn't a firebug trying to burn a car. He's an engineer applying a smoke test to a new 1949 model automobile in the Fisher Body laboratories in Detroit. The machine at the upper left creates a vacuum inside the car and the engineer, by passing the smoke torch around door and window openings can quickly determine if there is an air leak. Details of this and numerous similar ingenious automotive experiments are featured at the General Motors "Transportation Unlimited" show in New York this month.

danger of going out. The dimness is not in the light, itself, but in our reflection of it. The light itself never has gone out. In the conviction that through us the light can continue to pierce the darkness, guiding men to abundant life, let us hold fast our faith and our courage. Your loyalty

al cooperation helps to give us the strength and courage we need. Never cease to pray for us, for we surely need your prayers. Your partner in China, George W. Hollister. Say You Saw It In The Star

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area never faced such serious economic conditions.

In Foochow I met Allen Jernigan, the young man who has just come from America for work in Guthrie High School. You know how strategic I consider the work in our high schools. If we don't win the students of this generation, we will lose the leaders of the next generation.

In my last letter I mentioned my invitation to speak twice at the regular assembly for the senior high. It was the first time I ever had such an opportunity. While meeting Jernigan in Foochow, one of our Hingwa students arranged for me to speak at the Provincial Agricultural College, a government college. A hundred fifty students listened for an hour, part of them standing all the time. With opportunities such as these opening up, do you wonder that I want to stay as long as possible?

I am still trying to devise some plan for the isolation ward at the Angtau hospital. The worse economic conditions become the harder it is to purchase property. Harold Brewster, my brother-in-law, of the Foochow Conference, is now the medical adviser for the Hingwa Conference. He looked over the hospital with me a few days ago, and I hope we can work out some plan soon.

Last spring I made arrangements to pay the rice fees for all the children of our preachers in our three mission high schools. This fall, it took about a hundred eighty loads of paddy, and several hundred of million dollars CNC, for such fees. (Paddy) is unhulled rice. Schools insist that fees must be paid in paddy because that will keep several months.) At prices prevailing a month ago, it would take over \$2,000 U. S. to buy enough paddy for next semester. Paddy is hard to get. After trying for several weeks I have been able to get only about half enough. I brought some kodak films back with me, and some time hope to take pictures of these preachers' children, so you who send money for scholarship aid can see whom you are helping. Many of the parents have thanked me for this help saying they didn't know how they could possibly have managed without it. I have told them their thanks belong to you friends in America who made the help possible.

The gratitude of the people for the clothing that has come, also belongs to you. A preacher came from one of the fishing villages of the Heoh-bing District, where winter winds are specially raw. He said his wife was so good she even gave away their own children's clothing to poor in the village who had none. Now, in the cold weather, they themselves did not have enough. Another preacher had no overcoat. One of our doctors had no overcoat. I managed to find a garment for each of the children in the orphanage and blind school. It is amazing how much clothing it takes to give a hundred thirty-five people a garment each. That is the number in the orphanage and blind school. Their gratitude is yours.

These are difficult days in

which to serve as missionaries in China. Old missionaries are leaving. New ones are just arriving. The future is all a light shining in the darkness, and the darkness never has succeeded in putting it out. When we, who call ourselves Christians, reflect that light but dimly, it may look as if the light is flickering and in

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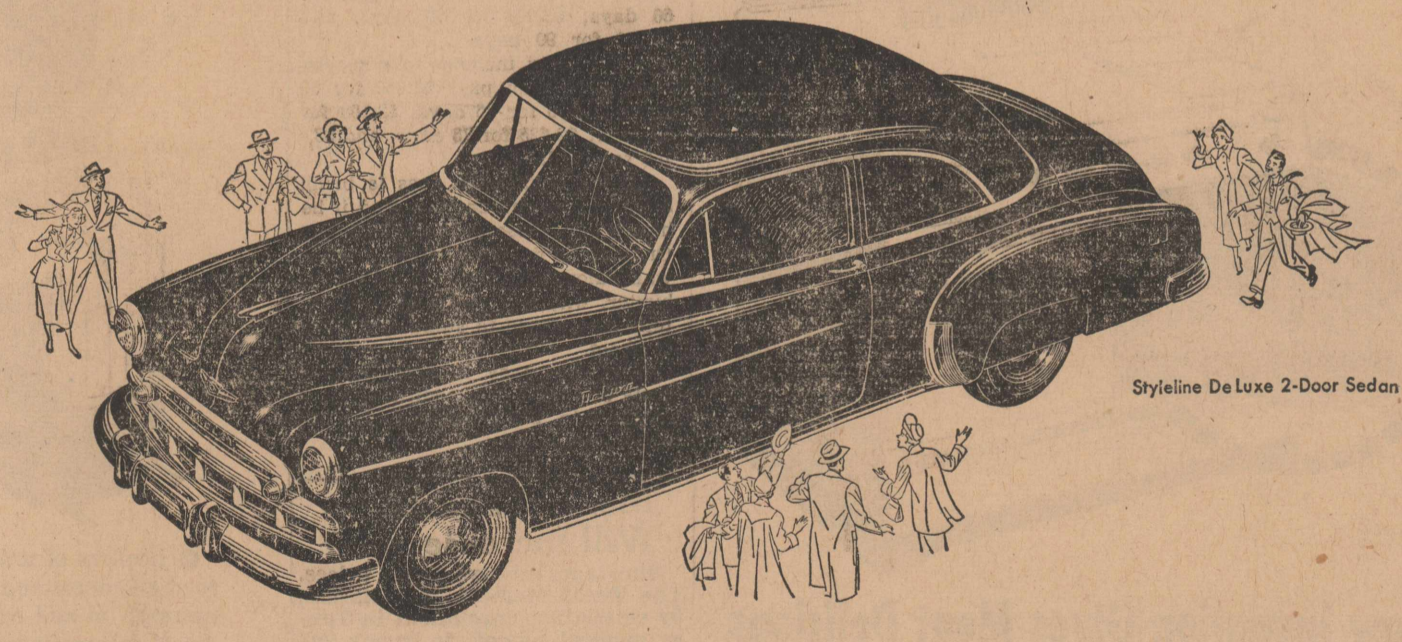
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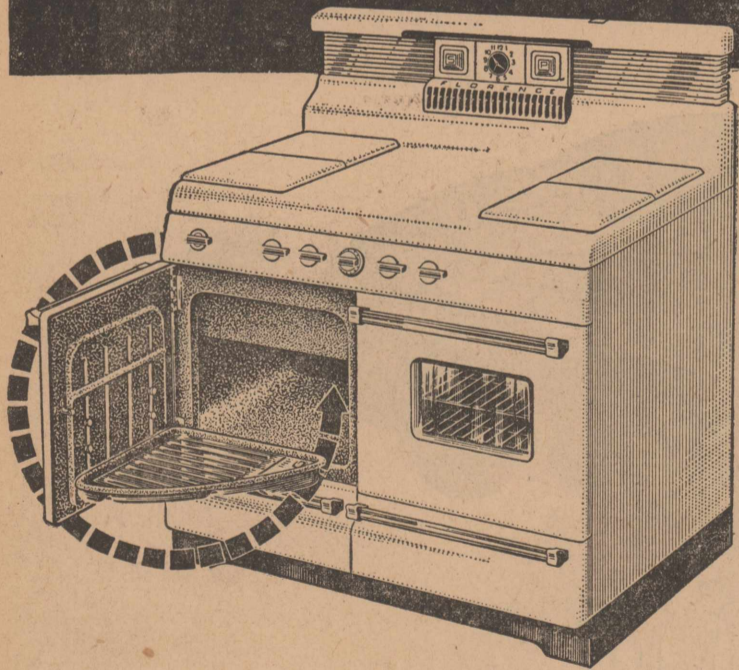
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**Communists on Trial**



NEW YORK—Here are eleven of the twelve Communists on trial for treason. The twelfth, William Z. Foster, was too ill to appear. Left to right (seated) are: Robert G. Thompson, Henry Winston, Eugene Dennis, Gus Hall and John B. Williamson. Standing are: Jacob Stachel, Irving Potash, Carl Winter, Benjamin F. Davis, Jr., John Gates and Gilbert Green.

**Game Hunts  
Are Costly**

NEW YORK.—Though the cost has doubled, hunters and scientists are shooting elephants in Uganda and inquiring into the fossilized riddles of the earth's inaccessible places in increasing numbers.

Professional organizers of big game safaris say they are booking hunting trips as far ahead as 1950. Some of these hunters want elephants and lions. Others want gorillas, white rhinos, pythons, kudu, zebra or buffalo.

It may be taken for granted that Kenya, Tanganyika, Uganda and other provinces will receive them warmly, for they will spend considerable sums of money which help Africa's hunt for hard currency.

The urgency of the need for dollar exchange has alerted officials all over Africa to the advisability of streamlined safaris for hurried American hunters. A busy man can fly to any part of the continent, bag a generous number of trophies, and be back in domestic harness in less than a month.

**Professional Safari Men**  
But for those who have a little time, there are professional safari men who organize a hunt for a blanket price. This takes care of all details, including transportation, the full time services of a professional white hunter with not less than 10 years' experience, all food and accommodations, all tentage and camp equipment, native trackers, gun bearers, skimmers, cooks and personal servants. If more than one sportsman is along, another professional hunter is provided without extra cost.

Some hunters prefer to go it alone, but this is inadvisable unless with previous experience. For one thing, the licenses needed cost upward of \$700. The services of a free lance professional white hunter are between \$500 and \$1,000 a month. There are vehicles to be tended, and in parts of Africa gasoline costs \$2.50 a gallon.

**Licenses Are Expensive**  
In Tanganyika, a general hunting license costs \$375. But this is not good for elephants, ostrich and certain other animals. A license to shoot a single elephant costs \$100. If a hunter wishes to shoot another, the second license is \$150. These sums vary in the different provinces.

As for the professionally arranged safari, these figures give you an idea:

One person—\$2,000 for a 30 day hunt; \$3,000 for 45 days; \$4,000 for 60 days; \$5,000 for 75 days, and \$6,000 for 90 days.

If the party includes four sportsmen, each man pays \$1,050 for 30 days; \$1,575 for 45 days; \$2,100 for 60 days; \$2,625 for 75 days, and \$3,150 for 90 days.

All the sportsman does is bring his own gun and camera, and if he hasn't any, these are provided, too. Once in the field, all he has to do is walk along with the professional hunter, who selects the best heads, tells him where to stand and when to shoot.

It is less easy to estimate the costs of scientific expeditions. They range into the hundreds of thousands of dollars.

**Medical Prices  
Will Increase**

Shortages always raise prices. The Texas Medical Association, by restricting enrollment in Texas medical schools to barely enough to replace deaths and retirement has cut down our supply of doctors, especially in our rural areas, thereby causing a shortage and higher fees for services, while 3,000 pre-med students find the gates barred against them.

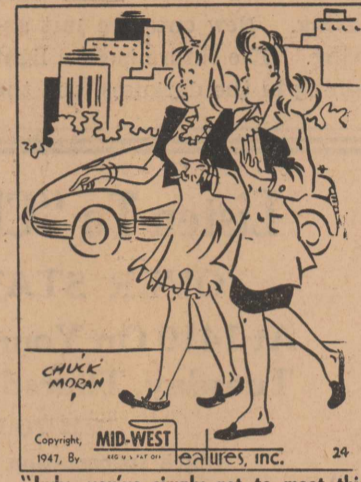
This same medical association now plans to get control of the supply of all competitive healing professions, so they can cut off replacements in these healing professions and make the shortage even more acute and thus raise the prices higher than today.

The Basic Science Bill (S.B. 63) is designed to give the Medical Association complete control of all branches of the healing arts and it is being pushed by unlimited funds and a high-priced lobby. If we, the people, do not write, phone or visit our senators and representatives, we will have this infamous legislation forced upon us.

This is a call for action. If you want to know the names of your legislators, phone this newspaper. Address letters to them at Capitol Station, Austin. Stop that Basic Science bill. Write, wire or phone today.  
(Paid Adv.)

People are living longer today than formerly, and the biggest percentage of the population is in the old age group.

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**Local News**

Mrs. W. D. Sherman and baby, Fresno, California, a sister-in-law of Mrs. J. R. Parker, and Mrs. Sherman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd of Mississippi, have returned to their homes after an extended visit in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Parker.

ended the basketball game in Canyon Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Buckles, Mrs. D. L. Buckles, Rev. and Mrs. John Reaves and Mr. and Mrs. W. Arthur Milton attended the Rubloff concert in Amarillo Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lef Lewis, Red River, New Mexico, are staying in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Dyess while the Dyess family is vacationing in New Mexico and Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Jackson and Miss Minnie Laura Jackson at-

ended the basketball game in Canyon Monday night.

Mrs. Chester Guthrie left Wednesday for a visit with her brother and family in Odessa, Texas. Little Terry Ray Wall is ill with measles.

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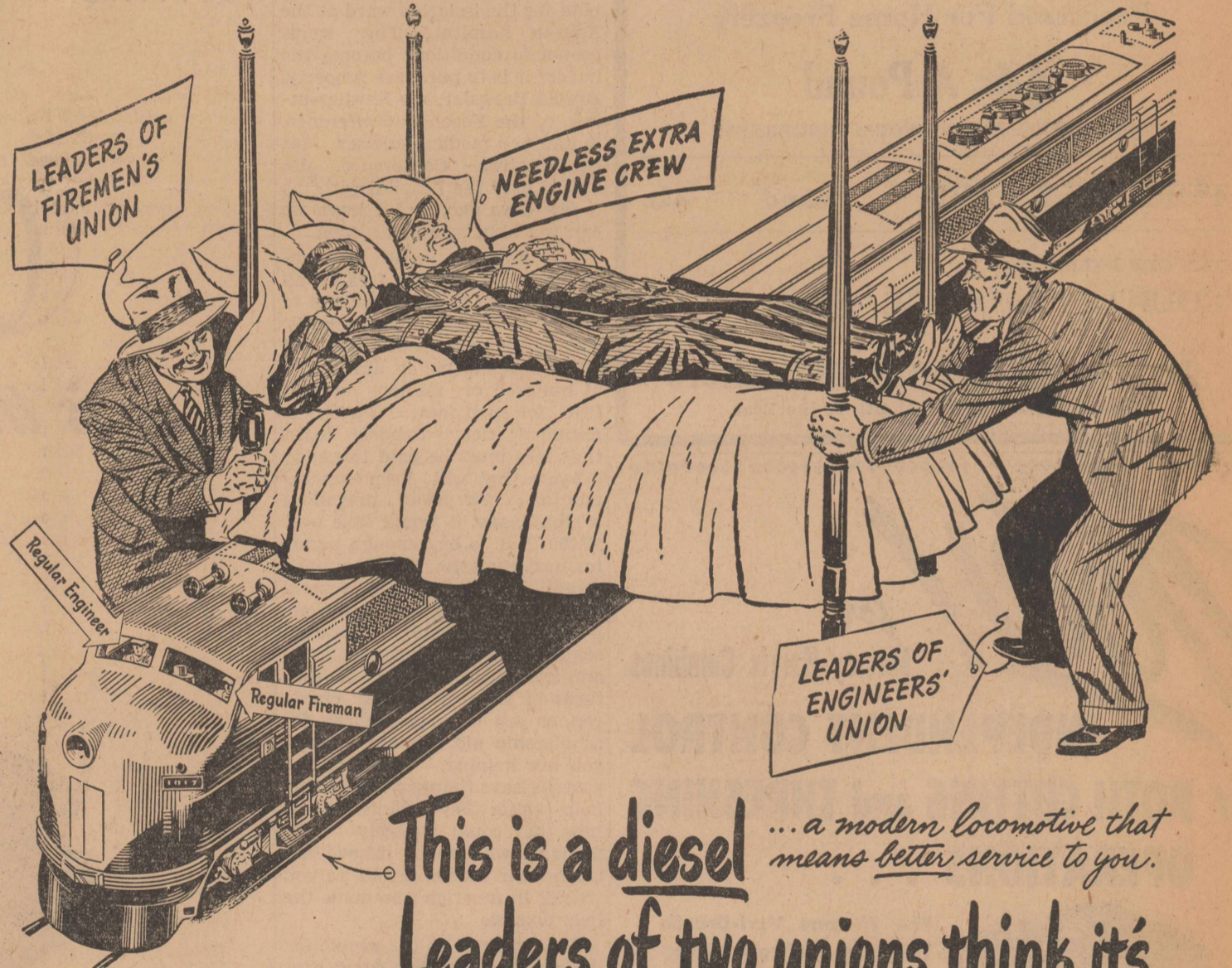
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**Leaders of two unions think it's a feather-bed** ... a "make work" grab that means less service to you.

● Leaders of unions representing railroad engineers and firemen seek to force railroads to add extra, needless men on diesel locomotives. This is sheer waste—a "make-work" program which would mean fewer improvements and higher costs—for YOU!

Railroads use modern diesel locomotives because they are one of the means of giving faster, better service to you.

Two men compose the crew of a diesel. They occupy a clean, comfortable cab at the front. The engineer handles the throttle. The fireman sits and watches the track ahead. With no coal to shovel, he has practically nothing else to do.

**No Benefit To You**  
Now the leaders of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen want to use the diesel locomotive as a means of forcing a feather-bedding scheme on the railroads. The extra men they propose to add to the diesel crews are not needed. There is no work for them.

The union leaders are fighting among themselves about which union should furnish these extra, needless men. The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers have even threatened a strike. You may not be interested in this dispute of these two unions, but you would be vitally concerned if these groups succeed in putting through this feather-bedding scheme, because it would mean a slowing up of the improvement program of the railroads—of which the diesel is the outstanding symbol. Diesel crews are among the highest paid

tracks and stations, on new passenger and freight cars, as well as on diesel locomotives, and on the many other less conspicuous details of railroading that contribute to improved service.

**We'd Like To Spend This Money On You**  
You know how much the diesel has meant to you in increased speed, comfort and convenience. The railroads have many more of them on order for even greater improvement in service to you. But needless drains of money, such as this present demand of the unions for needless men on diesels, reduce the ability of the railroads to spend money on better service for you.

• Proud as the railroads are of the diesel, it is only a small part of their improvement program. Since the War, literally billions of dollars have been spent on improvement of

**Feather-Bedding Means Less Service To You**  
But brazen feather-bedding schemes like the one now proposed would, if successful, divert large sums of money from our present improvement programs. Even worse, they make improvements like the diesel worthless, by making the cost of their operation prohibitive. These demands are against YOUR interests—as well as those of the railroads. They are schemes to "make work". Neither you nor the railroads should be forced to pay such a penalty for progress.

That's why the railroads are resisting these "make work" demands to the last ditch—and why they are telling you about them.



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### "Bunghole Circuit" Lives On

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and Throat  
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McKeown, secretary of the Department of Public Relations in the Methodist Division of Educational Institutions, is author of an article in the February issue of THE PASTOR, a specialized magazine for ministers of every faith.

The story entitled "Bunghole Circuit" is the first of four articles by Dr. McKeown on "How the Church Came to the North Panhandle." The central figure in this story is the Rev. W. B. McKeown, father of the author, who at the age of 93, lives in Nashville with his son.

After serving as president of Clarendon College, a frontier

educational institution in the Texas Panhandle, "Brother Mac" as he was widely known, asked to be allowed to return to the pastorate. Shortly after commencement at the college the pastor at Channing had been compelled to give up his work on account of ill health and "Brother Mac" had been asked to take over the remainder of the conference year.

While serving in Channing, Texas the most northwesterly outpost of The Methodist Church in Texas, he had been called upon to make a survey of the sparsely settled territory between Channing and the New Mexico and Oklahoma lines and to determine whether the time had come for the church to begin work in that area. As a result of the survey he recommended that a pastor be sent to that territory, provided a suitable man could be found for such an exacting and sacrificial task. A few days after the report of the survey had been forwarded to the bishop, there came a letter that caused long hours of serious deliberation in the Channing parsonage. "Brother Mac" was being asked to undertake the difficult work of organizing the church and pastoring the people in a 6,000 square mile frontier area. He was in a difficult spot and his final decision, which was fully concurred in by his wife,

### Speaker Rayburn Meets a Texan



© Linda Brown of San Antonio, March of Dimes Poster Girl, makes herself at home on the desk of Speaker of the House Sam Rayburn in the Capitol at Washington. She greeted the Speaker after opening the 1949 Fight Infantile Paralysis drive during a call on President Truman in the White House. Linda is holding the Speaker's pipe and his pencil.

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was that he could not afford to refuse to go where he had recommended that someone be sent.

Mr. McKeown was not new to the frontier. He had been rearred in the mountains of Tennessee where rugged living had been a good preparation for life as a pioneer and having moved to Texas 12 years before, he was well acquainted with the Texas plains.

"I'll have six whole counties and parts of four others in my pastoral charge," he mused, "and not a church building or a parsonage of any denomination in all that vast expanse, not a church organization or a Sunday School or even a Woman's Missionary Society."

But as he sat in the church that night while the remaining appointments were read, and thought of the tremendous distances he would have to travel across trackless plains and the terrific blizzards for which that section was noted, he could not know that he was to become one of the most expert and best-known plainmen of all the Panhandle country. He did not know and would have been amazed if he had been told that night that before many months had passed he would enter the field of practical journalism in a small way, serving as correspondent for many church papers and for certain dailies in some cities south in Texas and striving by the stories he released about the Panhandle and its possibilities to interest increasing numbers of high-type people in settling there.

When the service was over his

appointment was a subject of frequent comment from the preachers. Some advised him to get a good six-shooter before leaving town, others felt he had received a "dirty deal." A more jovial friend slapped him on the back and said, "Mac, the bishop has given you a bunghole and he expects you to build a barrel around it."

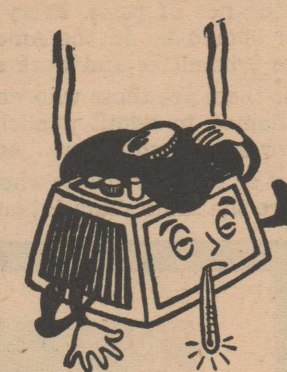
However, it remained for one of his grandchildren many years later to characterize the situation in a paraphrase of a popular song, "Grandpapa had plenty of nuthin' but nuthin' was plenty for him."

Twenty-five years later Mr. McKeown received an honorary degree from McMurry College at Abilene, Texas, in recognition of his services in organizing the church in the North Panhandle.

Rev. McKeown was the founder of the Methodist Church in Stratford.

Texas flax production increased from a ten-year average yield of 287 thousand bushels to 864 thousand bushels last year and 960 thousand bushels this year. Last year's flax acreage was 91 thousand, and this year it came to 160 thousand acres.

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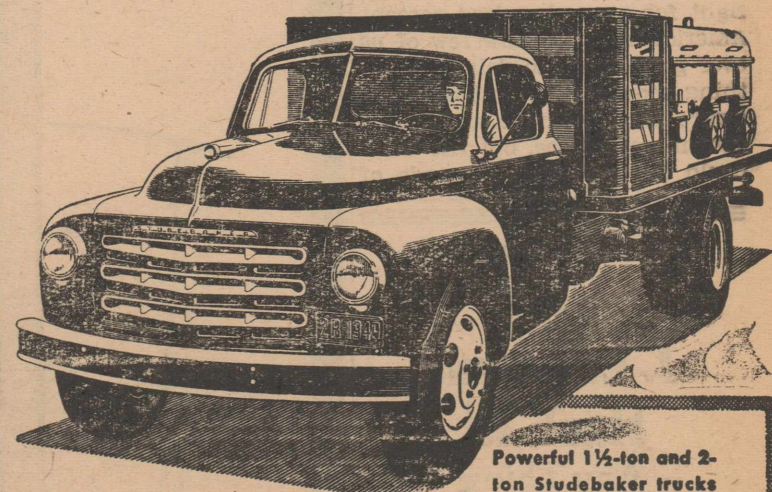
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### Legion Airs

(By Earl Bond)

The biggest crowd I have ever seen at a Legion meeting was last Thursday night. Unfortunately, most of those present were Boy Scouts. The scouts met with us and we were presented with the charters and the boys were presented their cards.

Work on the hall is progressing nicely. Front and back are getting in pretty good shape, and we are ready to begin plastering on the main hall. We have been stringing along with this job for a long time now, and we would like to see it come to an end some time soon. The work at present is possible through the generosity of John Knight, who is advancing the funds as well as doing a lot of the work himself. This should not be necessary, as most of the members of the post have not contributed as much as they should, many have contributed nothing. Now is the time for each member of the post to give what he can. It is a hard matter for one man or two to get around and collar all you fellows, so drop in and give your contribution without us having to hunt each of you down individually. That is a man-size job and should not be necessary. We have contacted a few members and got their contribution, so why not beat us to the draw and drop around to see Henry or me.

I wish that everyone in Stratford could have heard D. D. Monroe speak at the Lions Club Monday night. What a valuable man he would be on our Americanism Committee. He was a man with a message, and knew how to put it over. His business is not speaking, but he has traveled half a million miles, giving of his time and money in an effort to restore a rugged, individualistic Americanism that would withstand the threat of Communism. We Legionaires are pledged to fight for a one hundred percent Americanism, but how few of us ever get around to doing anything about it. Our post is hardly aware that we have an Americanism committee, but the same could be said for thousands of

posts. Every member should be on the Americanism Committee and work at it, but there are thousands of posts. Every member should be on the Americanism Committee and work at it, but there are those who would be ashamed to admit publicly that they are proud of our country, just as there are those who would have the same shame about pub-

licly admitting that God had any part in their lives. I think the man is pretty small potatoes who is hesitant to admit that God or country is greater than himself. Have you noticed the terrible condition of some of our new paving after this bit of winter we have been having. Car wheels are going right through it in many places, and I have found

places where you could work work yourself down in it ankle deep if you would only stand there and work your feet for a few minutes. Could it be that we got took for a taking on it? I still hear some occasional demands for a Chamber of Commerce and am going to contact a few more business men, and perhaps a meeting can be arranged

to discuss it openly and collectively. I think that is the only way we can ever decide whether we do or don't want one.

#### NOTICE FOR BIDS

Notice is hereby given that at its regular meeting to be held the 14th day of February, A. D. 1949, the Commissioners' Court of Sherman County, will receive applications by persons and corpor-

ations qualified by law, to be designated as a depository, for the ensuing two years, of the following funds:

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Depository for County and District Clerk, trust funds of Sherman County, Texas.

Such applications will be re-

ceived until 10:00 o'clock A. M., on said date, when they will be opened and contract awarded.

All applications should be accompanied with certified check in payment provided by law, and be delivered to the County Clerk of Sherman County, Texas.

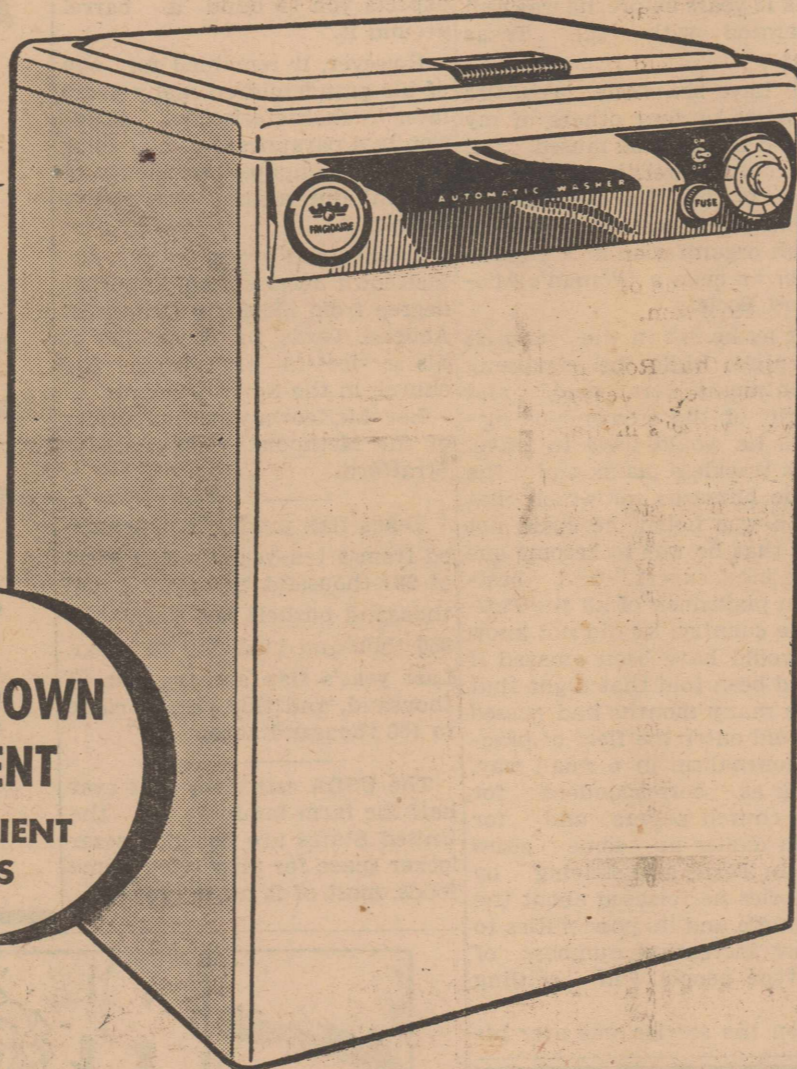
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L. F. HUNTER, County Judge, Sherman County, Texas.



# Biggest Washer News You've Had For Years!

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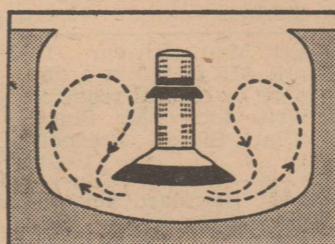
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## FRIGIDAIRE AUTOMATIC WASHER

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A brand-new—and truly remarkable—washing development. Live-Water Action is so thorough it gets grimeiest work clothes clean—so gentle that daintiest things are safe, through washing after washing. You'll say no other washer does such a beautiful job as this new Frigidaire Automatic Washer. And this same action that washes clothes whiter also rinses them brighter! Come in—see how!



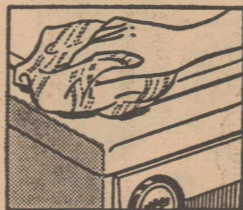
### LOOK! FASTER DRYING, TOO!

Frigidaire's Rapidry - Spin spins clothes 2 to 3 times faster than other washers, and so spins them drier. Clothes come out as much as 50% lighter in weight, easier to lift and to carry. And many garments will be dry enough for immediate ironing.



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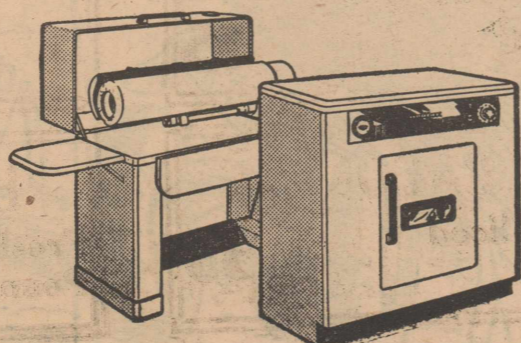
Frigidaire Automatic Washer is almost totally vibration-free. Can be installed anywhere in kitchen or laundry room—there's no need to bolt it to the floor. Quiet in operation. Safety features include an automatic "spin cutoff" if cover is raised while tub is spinning.



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**Local News**

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Ross and

baby have returned from a visit with her mother in Bay City, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lovelace were business visitors in Dalhart Tuesday.

Mrs. John Palco has returned to her home in Whitney, Pennsylvania after visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Walsh, since mid-November.

Frederick Mason, Texhoma, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

A. N. Slay was a visitor in Seminole and Lubbock, Texas Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kelp and Serena were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Baber of Texhoma Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Parker and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. McMahan left Wednesday for Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. James I. McConnell, Tulsa, were week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. McMinn.

Mrs. Arthur Ross and sons, Bill and Gene, were visitors in Amarillo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wiginton had as guests last week-end, his sons.

Mrs. M. R. Robinson and her cousin, Mrs. Roberta Owen, and Chucko visited with Mrs. Robinson's sister, Mrs. Earl Bohrer in Raton, New Mexico last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Albert returned to their home in Lubbock Sunday after spending the latter part of last week with relatives here.

Walter M. Pendleton was a business visitor in Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Jackson and Mrs. J. R. Pendleton were Amarillo visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Ralph Harding, Mrs. Denny and Mrs. McIntyre visited in Dalhart Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Ross, Miss Velma Jean Walthall and Conrad Riffe attended the Bob Hope show in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cummings and Mr. and Mrs. Edd Garoutte visited in Amarillo Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Guthrie were in Fort Worth last week-end visiting his parents and attending the Livestock Exposition.

Miss Beatrice Kalka spent the week-end with friends in Hollis, Oklahoma.

E. E. Kersey, Amarillo, was a

**Texas 4-H'ers Win Special Recognition**

SUPERIOR records in 1948 National 4-H Soil Conservation, Recreation and Rural Arts, and Dairy Production programs won three Texas club members special recognition. The winners and brief outlines of their records follow:



Edwin Hanz, Jr.

Gene Massey, Jr.

Doyle Davis

Edwin Hanz, Jr., 21, of New Braunfels received the State winner's award for outstanding achievement in the 1948 National 4-H Soil Conservation awards program. Edwin put into practice such soil saving and building operations as constructing terraces, contouring, using phosphate and fertilizer, making drainage ditches, building dams and rotating crops. During three years of club work he has completed 18 projects and has served as assistant leader and president of his local club. In recognition of his achievements, Edwin has been given a \$50.00 U. S. Savings Bond, provided by Firestone.

Promoting recreational and handicraft work has brought State recognition to Gene Massey, Jr., 16, of Moore. His record will be judged to determine the eight national winners in the 1948 National 4-H Recreation and Rural Arts program.

Objectives of the program are to assist 4-H members in de-

veloping cultural and recreational opportunities in their homes and communities; help 4-H members develop a higher appreciation of rural arts; make 4-H programs more attractive and self-satisfying and teach members to lead recreational activities. Each of the counties having an outstanding recreational program received a \$25.00 cash award, provided by United States Rubber Company. Doyle Davis, 18, of Hart, was the top State winner whose record was considered for sectional and national honors in the National 4-H Dairy Production awards program. During seven years in club work, Doyle completed 6 dairy projects and developed a herd of Jersey dairy cattle. He served his club as junior leader, president, vice-president and secretary. As a recognition of his achievements in dairy production, Doyle was awarded a \$25.00 U. S. Savings Bond, provided by Kraft Foods Company.

business visitor here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Blake and son, Tommy, were Guymon visitors Sunday.

Charles Wisdom returned home Wednesday from a business trip to Brownwood, Texas.

Wilma Kay Crutchfield has returned to her home in Amarillo after spending last week in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Crutchfield.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Robinson and family, Boise City, were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ross and little granddaughter, Jeanne Anne Ross, were visitors in Dalhart Sunday.

Mrs. Toney and her sister, Mrs. Harpole, Amarillo, were guests of Mrs. E. J. Massie Saturday. Mrs. Massie and Mrs. Marguerite Wilson took them to Liberal, Kansas Sunday.

Mrs. Royal Pendleton visited her mother in Canyon Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Blake and baby visited in the home of her

in the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Guthrie and Charlotte.

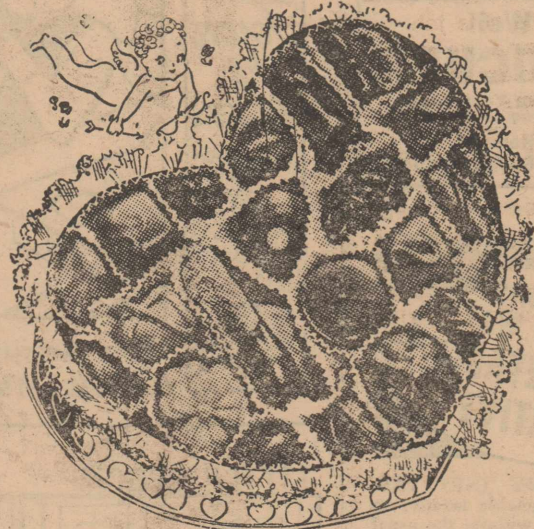
O. L. McMinn and Charles Wisdom were business visitors in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nate Miller and

daughter, La June, of San Angelo, Texas, were guests in the home of Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lyon, over the week-end.

Mrs. Arthur Ross and Gene were visitors in Dalhart Saturday.

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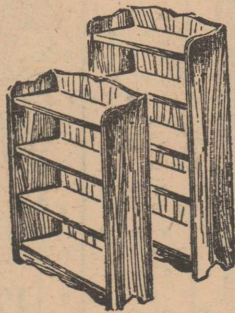
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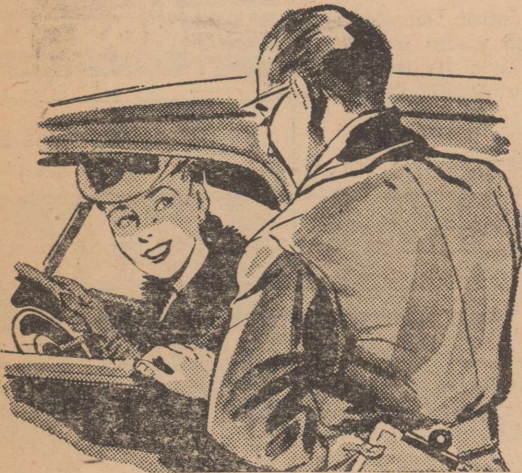
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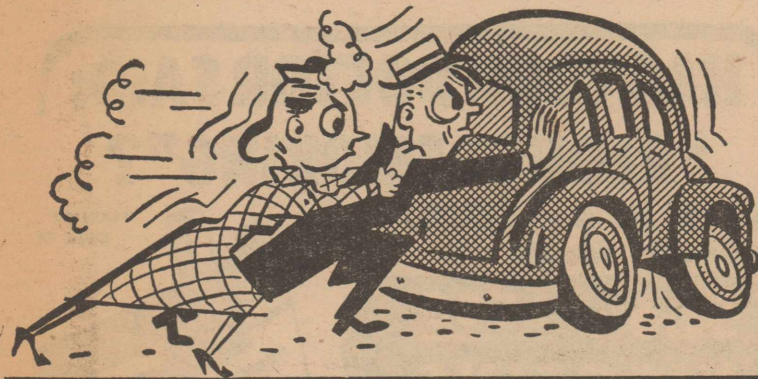
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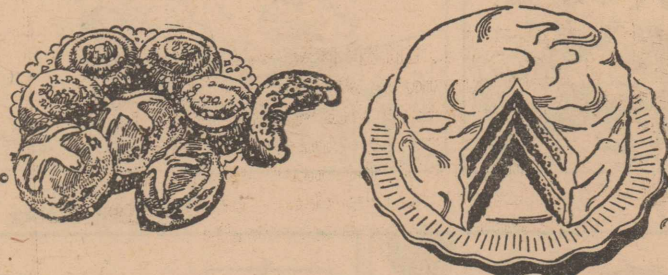
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**EVERYTIME I GOT WORK FOR HIM TO DO I CAN'T FIND HIM! HEY, JEFF!**  
**I GIVE UP! LOOKS LIKE I'LL HAVE TO DO THE WORK MYSELF! MAYBE HE'S HIDING IN THE CELLAR!**  
**HEY, JEFF! ARE YOU DOWN THERE?**  
**NO, I AIN'T. MUTT! HAVE YOU TRIED THE ATTIC YET?**

**REG'LAR FELLERS** By Gene Byrnes  
  
**COOMLAUF'S BAKERY REAR ENTRANCE**  
**MIND DER STORE WHILE I GO TO DER BANK AND IT GIFFS TWO BITS EACH BOYS**  
**SURE, MISTER COOMLAUF**  
**ACH! MINE DOUGHNUTS!**  
**ANOTHER RINGER! YOU OWE ME A PENNY!**

**JITTER** By Arthur Pointer  
  
**DID IT EVER OCCUR TO YOU THAT THERE ARE SOME THINGS IN LIFE MORE IMPORTANT THAN THROWING THAT BALL AROUND?**  
**LET'S PLAY HIDE AND SEEK INSTEAD..... I'LL COUNT AND YOU HIDE.**  
**FIFTEEN... SIXTEEN... SEVENTEEN....**  
**WHAT'D YOU MEAN, I'M NOT FAIR? DID I PROMISE TO HUNT FOR HIM?**

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**IT'S A WHOPPER. CAN YOU HANDLE IT?**  
**OH BOY! JUST WATCH ME! WHAT A BEAUT!**  
**YUM! WOW! WHEW!**  
**WOULD YOU LOOK AND SEE IF I'M ABOUT THROUGH, MR. DEE!!**

**VIRGIL** By Len Kleis  
  
**PLACING THIS FRESH GINGER BREAD IN TH' WINDOW T' COOL, SHOULD DO TH' TRICK—**  
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 New towels should be laundered before use for better absorbency and sanitation.  
 It is not necessary to iron Turkish towels. Ironing may mat the loops and make the towel less absorbent.  
 In removing stains from sheets and pillowcases, special methods should be used for the various types of stains. Lipstick usually comes out when bleached in hot, sudsy water. If it refuses to come out, the stained part should be bleached with hydrogen peroxide or Javelle water. If breakfast-in-bedders have spilled coffee or chocolate, the spots will usually wash out in hot sudsy water. To remove fruit stains, pour boiling water through the stain. If it is stubborn, bleach with hydrogen peroxide or Javelle water. To remove iron rust, apply a solution of oxalic acid and rinse thoroughly.

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#### A General Quiz

1. How "near" is the nearest star?
2. According to Biblical weights and measures, how much was a farthing worth in American money?
3. What man was both father and son of a President of the United States?
4. What is a chambrel?
5. Which state was the 48th admitted to the Union?
6. Where would you find a swing-wheel?
7. Who was the only child of a president to be born in the White House?
8. Approximately how many veterans of World War II had had surgical amputations as of VJ Day, 1945?

#### The Answers

1. 25,000,000,000,000 miles away (the constellation Centaurus).
2. Approximately three cents.
3. John Scott Harrison, father of Benjamin and son of William Henry Harrison.
4. A joint in a horse's leg.
5. Arizona, admitted February 14, 1912.
6. In a timepiece—it is the wheel that drives the pendulum.
7. Esther Cleveland—born September 19, 1893.
8. 17,000.

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SCRIPTURE: Mark 2:1-3:6. DEVOTIONAL READING: Luke 11:37-46.

### Inevitable Critics

Lesson for February 13, 1949

ONCE UPON a time, so the old story goes, there was a chameleon, a lizard that can change its color to match whatever it stands on. They put him on a black cloth and he turned black; on a red tablecloth and he turned red; on a green billiard table and he turned green. Then some mean person set him down on a Christmas necktie and the poor little thing exploded. This is a parable of the person who tries to please everybody. It can't be done—and it ought not to be tried. "Woe unto you," said Jesus, "when all men speak well of you."

Jesus Christ himself did not please every one. Not even a perfect personality can be 100 per cent popular. Not that Jesus enjoyed rubbing people the wrong way. There was nothing perverse about him. He was deeply, sincerely friendly, and to lose any friendships must have been more painful for him than for us who are so selfish. Nevertheless he did make enemies. He had his critics; and his followers may expect no better.

### Misunderstanding Motives

ONE POINT on which Jesus met terrific opposition was his attitude toward the Sabbath. Repeatedly he or his disciples would do things on the Sabbath which (as Jews then understood the law) were quite wrong.

It was just that sort of thing that Jesus ran into, more than once. His enemies misunderstood, or at least misrepresented, his motives.

They claimed that he was "blasphemous," that is, that he was deliberately making light of God's law. The truth was that he was acting by God's highest law—the law of love. Helping people in need was more important than keeping the letter of the Sabbath law. Jesus' example may help us here. If our best motives are misunderstood, as Jesus did; but we are not obliged to change our ways to please those who persist in misunderstanding us.

### Stepping Out of Bounds

WHEN Jesus healed the man with the palsy, it was not the cure his critics found fault with, it was his first saying "Your sins are forgiven." "Who can forgive sins but God alone?" they said. In short, the Pharisees thought—some of them perhaps sincerely—that Jesus was stepping out of bounds, pretending to do something that he had no right to attempt and no power to accomplish.

Now Jesus did have both the right and the power to say what he said to that sick and sinful man. And he made no apologies for going beyond the limits his critics set for him.

So too may sometimes be accused of "biting off too much," of going beyond our powers or capacities. Our critics may be right, you know, though Jesus' critics never were. But how often they were wrong! If Lincoln had listened to his critics he never would have left his backwoods law office; he did not think him fit to be president. If the Wright boys had listened to their neighbors, they never would have flown an airplane, for who would have thought a couple of bicycle mechanics could do what so many scientists said was impossible?

Are you sure you are right? Then go ahead, in God's name!

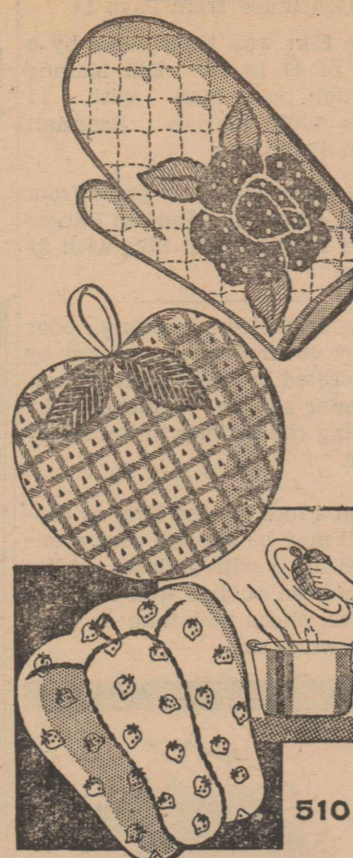
### The Company You Keep

JESUS' friends got him into trouble, as Mark shows us. For one thing, some were the "wrong sort" like Matthew the tax-collector. Their friends had an unconventional kind of religion, they actually seemed happy about it instead of gloomy like some of John's disciples. And to make matters worse his friends "broke" the Sabbath laws much as Jesus did. All in all Jesus' critics complained that Jesus' friends were a bad lot, and he judged him by the company he kept. But Jesus knew his friend better than his enemies did.

He never gave up or loosened a single friendship on his critics' account. Some of his friends gave him up, but he never gave them up.

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### Yanks Well Equipped

CASEY STENGEL, the Professor, was caught in what looked to be deep thought. Naturally, he was thinking about the Yankees, since Casey and the Yankees will be all rolled up together this season.

"Our outfield," he remarked, "is well set. The best, DiMaggio, Henrich, Lindell, Keller and others. We have a chance for good pitching with Raschi, Porterfield, Reynolds, Shea, Page and a few more.

"Catching—uncertain. Infield—can't hit. We've got to find greater infield offense—more runs batted in. We were far in back of the Indians and Red Sox in that department last year. Far back, as far as the infields are compared."

This led to a comparison of the five leading teams. It figured up like this: Cleveland Indians—Fine outfield; better infield; best pitching in baseball plus good catching. Stars such as Boudreau, Gordon, Doby, Mitchell, Bearden, Lemon and Feller. Plenty of power.

"The Indians shape up as a very tough club to handle," we said. "Is this about right, Professor?"

"That is entirely right," Casey said. "A very tough outfit to handle, offensively or defensively. The team to beat—if you can."

This took us to the Red Sox. High-class outfield headed by Williams and Dom DiMaggio. Even better infield with Goodman, Doerr, Stephens and Pesky. Ragged, uncertain pitching. Below Indians, Yankees and Athletics in this respect.

What about the Athletics? Fair outfield—fair infield. Both below Indians and Red Sox. Pitching high class. Might be better than last year—with catching, close to Yankees.

What is the Tigers' ranking? Red Rolfe has a good outfield, terrible infield and first-class pitching. He must improve the infield, just as the Yankees must. Kell is a fine ballplayer. Should be better than he was last year. Red Rolfe is due to become a smart, hustling leader and will get more life and fire into his squad which has been a dead outfit.

Professor Stengel looked over this report. "I guess it's about right," he said. "From what I've read and heard, we've got a job ahead in handling the Indians and Red Sox. Especially the Indians. They are strong everywhere.

"If Bob Feller should happen to have one of his big years—one of his 20-game years—it might be discouraging. It will be a tough league this summer. Can you imagine a world-series winner being strengthened—improved? And quite a bit?"

### Help from Bill Dickey

"We've got plenty to do," Stengel continued. "We may need two or three infield improvements. This has been a good infield, defensively, but a poor one offensively.

"I'm counting a lot on Bill Dickey. Bill can help our catching a lot. He is a fine teacher—a very patient type. He can also help our pitching. Our pitching will need a lot of thought and work. Vic Raschi can be a 20-game winner. He has the makings of a star. So has young Bob Porterfield."

"Now about Shea. I know a lot about him. I had him in Portland. He did a great job for us—and a big job for New York in 1947. I think he'll do a big job again this season.

"Dickey will be a big help to all our pitchers. In his old days with the Yankees he was a marvel with young pitchers. He knew how to keep them calm and cool. Pitchers like Atley Donald who could win 10 or 12 straight.

"We'll have to get the best from every pitcher we've got. If we do, it will make a killing difference. I know they've got plenty."

Dickey should be able to bring quick aid to a valuable piece of baseball property known as Yogi Berra. Yogi is a natural hitter—better than .300, and long range to boot. He has a good arm but doesn't know how to throw to second. He can be made into a better outfielder than he is. The Yogi is a fine competitor, more than willing to learn.

Stengel has another badly underrated ballplayer in Johnny Lindell. He is better than a .300 hitter who can also hit the big one—the long one. He is a good outfielder with a good arm. He can play first. And he could be a useful pitcher, which he once was.

Lindell is one of the best all-around athletes in the game. He is also one of the best all-around ballplayers—a ballplayer the Yankees, for some reason, have never given his full due.

## You Build It Children Will Love This Wagon



HERE is a gift idea that appeals to everyone. It's a circus wagon plant holder that makes a delightful center piece for the table. Ivy and other small potted plants thrive in this gaily decorated circus wagon. If there is a child in the family, forget its use as a center piece and make several wagons to form a circus. Youngsters love to cage their wild animals and move them about.

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### Plentiful Foods For February

It's cheaper to make up the family grocery list from the list of plentiful foods advises Miss Dorothy Dixon, Sherman County Home Demonstration Agent. Scarce items are generally more expensive.

Homemakers can keep the grocery bill lower by shopping from the monthly food list issued by

the Production and Marketing Administration, USDA. They have just released a new list of plentiful foods for February.

Fresh foods featured for this month are citrus, fruits, winter pears, cabbage, carrots, spinach, potatoes and onion. The high quality protein foods on this list include cheese, eggs, and fresh frozen fish.

The dried prunes and raisins offer excellent variety of uses with oat and corn products, which are also abundant. Reasonably priced canned foods include corn, lower grade peas, cranberries, and citrus juices

### Global Timekeeper



Many and varied are the functions of the century-old U. S. Naval Observatory in Washington, D. C., but principal among them is that of timekeeper for the nation and its ships at sea. The WAVE in the photo needn't be more than a few thousandths of a second off after setting her watch with the observatory's super-accurate transmitting clock. (Official Navy Photograph)

and segments, says PMA. Other foods nearly always found on the monthly plentiful list are pecans, honey and peanut butter.

### Hunters Shoot Cattle by Mistake

BOISE, IDAHO.—An open season on cattle is suggested by an Idaho livestock grower as a means of reducing the killing of cattle during big game hunting seasons.

"Every year," says John J. Highgate, "scores of cattle—to say nothing of horses, mules, sheep and other animals—are shot by hunters who mistake them for game animals. Deer and elk are thereby saved, and continue to roam our hills in unabated numbers.

"All we have to do is to declare an open season on cattle and close the season on deer and elk," he said.

### Strangest People on Earth Live in Hidden Mountains of China

LANCHOW, CHINA — Some of the strangest people on earth live in the little-known mountains that tower a day's journey from here.

They are the Goloks, or "shaggy heads," whose name comes from their long, unkempt hair. Their home is in the Amne Machin range. Few white men ever have seen these curious aborigines. Those who have tell odd stories of their life.

There are said to be 12 tribes, the most prominent being the Kanggen and Kangsar. The former keeps south of the Yellow river headwaters, while the Kangsars roam both sides of the great waterway. They number little more than 2,000.

The land is a bitter one, 15,000 feet above sea level. The sturdy but stunted people know only 20 days in midsummer when there is no frost.

Every 24 hours they must withstand temperature changes up to 60 degrees. At noon it often is 90 degrees in the shade, while at dawn finds frost on the tentopes.

To prevent chapping and sunburn, the people have a custom of smearing butter on their faces and hands. Before meals a guest is served a bowl of yak butter for this purpose, just as water is provided for washing in western lands.

Nobody ever bathes. Milk and meat products are the main foods. In spring, when the struggle for life is grimmest, the Goloks tap blood from living yaks.

### American Legion Train Runs Dry in Alabama

ATTALLA, ALA.—A miniature locomotive seen at all American Legion conventions, and its entire crew were taken into custody by police here.

Police said the locomotive's tender carried 20 cases of beer and a quart of whisky.

The crew, on the way to a convention from Indianapolis, had stopped off to take a nap at a tourist court near here. Some members of the local constabulary in this dry country went peeping and found the contraband.

The engine was left at the tourist court and its crew haled into court. The court assessed a total of \$100 in fines and confiscated the beer and whisky.

Dr. H. E. Moss of Indianapolis, one of those arrested, got in touch with national legion headquarters at his home town, and said the headquarters had wired all delegations to Miami to bypass Attalla "now and forever more."

### Owner of Talking Dog Looks for Radio Sponsor

KELLEYS ISLAND, OHIO.—Ray Tacikowski is looking for a radio sponsor for Tarzan, his Boston bull terrier, which he says speaks.

According to Tacikowski, Tarzan can say very plainly: "I like hamburger." "I like liver." "Ice cream." "Milk."

Tarzan repeats them after his master, Tacikowski claims. He also asserted that the dog dances a spirited polka, humming to himself as he whirls, and when Trixie, a female Boston terrier living in Cleveland, is mentioned, he says "I love her."

Tacikowski says the four year old dog never had a word to say until six months or so ago. One day in the kitchen of the Tacikowski tavern, Tarzan was watching Mrs. Tacikowski cook hamburgers and said "hamburger," Tacikowski said.

Tarzan has already filled speaking engagements in Cleveland, Toledo, Ohio, and Detroit, he said.

### Woman Reports 'Body' in Car Trunk; Cops Find It Is Alive

NEW HAVEN, CONN. — Albert Reopell and Mervin Bundy, fellow mechanics at a New Haven garage, read with especial interest an item in the New Haven Register which told how the police were looking for an automobile with a body in the luggage trunk. Mrs. Barne H. Friedley had reported seeing a man close the trunk cover, lock a body inside and drive away.

"That," said Bundy to Reopell, "is us." They went to the police, explaining that they had been trying to find a squeak in a customer's car. Reopell rode in the trunk for about a block and a half while Bundy drove the car.

Police called off the nine state alarm they had issued for the car, but congratulated Mrs. Friedley on her alertness.

### Stratford Elks -- (Continued from Page 1)

The Elks won their game by a score of 41 to 35. Bill Malone was high point man with 11 points while Marian Brannan scored 8 points.

The girls won their game from Dumas 48 to 32. Dorless Parker scored high for the Elks with 21 points.

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