

# Commissioners And Farm Bureau Oppose Natural Resource Tax Collected At Well Head

Sherman County Farm Bureau and County Commissioners' Court members condemned the proposed collection of a State natural resource tax collected at the well-head as an unfair and confiscatory tax in a joint meeting held Tuesday afternoon at the court house.

R. C. Buckles, chairman, and Sam Wohlford, a director of the Sherman County Farm Bureau, were outspoken against the tax and expressed their intention of pressing the objection of the Sherman County organization through the state organization.

The Commissioners' Court also condemned the natural resource tax at the well-head as a misleading and unjust tax which undermines the intention of the majority of Texans favoring a natural resource tax for the purpose of collecting the tax from the consumer, a large portion of which would be paid by out-of-state consumers.

Plans are being formulated for organization of a Sherman County Royalty Owners Association which will function in cooperation with associations throughout the state.

If present plans are carried out large delegations of royalty owners from the Panhandle section will attend the hearing of the natural resource tax to be held in Austin February 28 and March 7.

Present bills before the Texas Legislature would tax property owners 2½ cents per 1,000 cubic feet of gas at the well-head. Many royalty owners only receive 3½ cents a 1,000 cubic feet for their royalty on the gas produced by the well. Passage of such a tax would automatically make such wells a liability to the property owners.

The natural resource tax legislation is of special interest to the property owners of Sherman County as within a few years producing gas wells will have been completed on practically every section of land in the county. Under proper taxation, the wells will provide a profitable payroll for the county. If present proposed tax legislation is passed, the value of the wells to the property owners will be practically worthless.

## Girls To Show Best Outfits In 4-H Dress Revue

Texas 4-H Club girls won't be all dressed up in "buttons and bows" when they model a costume of their own making in the forthcoming 1949 annual 4-H Dress Revue, but they will be wearing the most becoming styles in work, school and party clothes. Texas' acceptance of the program has been announced by the National Committee on boys and girls club work. This activity is conducted under the direction of the extension service.

All the fun, excitement and accomplishment afforded by the Dress Revue, to say nothing of the economy, has made it one of the most popular contests among 4-H girls, according to reports of State Club leaders and the girls themselves. Based on a five-point plan, objectives of the 1949 program are, namely: (1) find out just what sort of clothes are needed; (2) acquire the know-how to plan, assemble and care of clothes; (3) learn what to wear and when, all within the family budget; (4) select costumes with an eye to individuality; (5) last, but not least, develop poise and habits of good grooming.

Last year more than 7,300 4-H girls throughout the state participated in the Dress Revue contest.

## Elks Split Games With Price College

Stratford Elks won over Price College in a game at Amarillo Saturday night by a score of 50 to 41. Dale Knight was high point man with 16 points while Neal Spurlock scored 13 points.

Stratford's B-team lost to the Price College squad with a score of 27 to 43. Donald Ellison was high point man for Stratford with 11 points.

## Vincent Listed On PAMC Honor Roll

GOODWELL — Fifty-nine students were listed on the Panhandle A. & M. college honor roll for the fall semester of 1948-49, according to information released by the registrar's office.

The honor roll includes all students who carry 12 hours or more during that semester and who have an average of 90 or above and have no I's or F's on their record.

Twelve seniors were among the fifty-nine honor students. Walter Vincent, PAMC senior of Stratford, was one of this group.

## Stratford Motor Gets 4-Letter Ford Plaque

Stratford Motor Company was presented a four-letter plaque by D. P. Young, parts and accessories department manager of the Oklahoma City branch of the Ford Motor Company Wednesday morning.

The plaque was presented to O. L. McMinn by the Ford Motor Co. for the firm's aggressive achievement program. The Stratford Motor Company is one of the 65 of the 173 Ford firms in the Oklahoma City district to receive such an award.

J. A. Pipkin, district representative of the Ford Motor Co. attended the presentation.

Young made a short talk in the presence of the firm's personnel and a few guests who gathered for the occasion. He stated that the 4-Letter Plaque program was introduced in June of 1947 by Ford executives to encourage dealers to lead the field in facilities to serve the motoring public. Henry Ford II has an ambition to win first place in the production and sales of cars in the low price field. He hopes to attain this ambition through progressive engineering, top flight dealers in civic improvement, and top flight facilities for serving the public.

In accepting the plaque O. L. McMinn expressed his appreciation of the loyalty of his employees and of the patronage of the people of Stratford and the surrounding territory who made it possible for the firm to follow its policy of progressive achievements.

The inscription of the plaque reads, "This is to certify that the year 1948 Stratford Motor Co. has qualified as a Four letter Dealer of the Ford Motor Co., Finances—Sound, Management—Efficient, Spirit—always competitive, Facilities—completely modern. Ford must come first.— Ford Motor Co."

## Michigan Man Killed In Wreck Sunday

Alfred George Bowse, 70 years of age, of Sault St. Marie, Michigan, was killed Sunday morning when the car driven by his daughter, Mrs. Opal L. Niemi, also of Sault St. Marie, overturned on U. S. 287 south of Stratford.

Mrs. Niemi was released from Dumas Memorial Hospital Sunday afternoon after treatment for minor injuries.

Highway Patrolmen investigating the accident were of the opinion the accident may have been caused either by wet pavement or a mechanical defect of the car.

## Two Cases In County Court

Two cases have been brought before Judge L. P. Hunter in County Court.

Floyd R. Skillin, charged with aggravated assault, was fined \$71.10.

James M. Nelson, charged with driving while intoxicated, was fined \$71.10.

Wampum was a shell used by North American Indians for money.

# THE STRATFORD STAR

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## 1949 Dodge Will Appear Friday

Ernest Lovelace of the Lovelace-Woods Company announces the 1949 Dodge will go on display at their place of business Friday.

The primary considerations that influence the design of the new Dodge were army statistics which showed that the G. I.'s of World War II were taller, bigger, and more active than their predecessors of World War I. As a result, it was apparent that more passenger room, not less, was required in the modern automobile to comfortably accommodate a physically larger generation.

How Dodge met this challenge and at the same time produced a car with an entirely new styling will be shown Friday.

## Get License At Dumas

A marriage license was granted to Norman Forest Kerns and Mrs. Lucille Kerns in the office of County Clerk Robert H. Mills of Dumas Monday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerns were here the first of the week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Mullican.

## John Kidwell Is Deputy At Tulia

John Kidwell has accepted a position with the Sheriff's office at Tulia. Unable to secure a residence in Tulia Friday, Mrs. Kidwell returned to Stratford until her husband is able to get housing facilities. Mr. Kidwell began his work in Tulia Monday morning.

## Best Yet Club Meets With Mrs. Harding

The Best Yet Home Demonstration Club met February 11 at 11:30 A. M. in the home of Mrs. Wayne Harding. After a delicious dinner Miss Dorothy Dixon gave an interesting demonstration on "wall personality."

Those present were Mrs. Baskin Brown, Mrs. Delbert Cummings, Mrs. Charles Wisdom, Mrs. Leon Guthrie, Mrs. Ben Bid- dy, Mrs. Walter Pendleton, Mrs. Vera Foreman, Mrs. N. W. Hudson, Mrs. R. O. Dickson, Mrs. Lorel Halle, Miss Dixon, two visitors, Mrs. Ray Morgan of Dallas and Mrs. Tommy Wakefield, and the hostess, Mrs. Harding.

## Watson Judging Three County Stock Show

C. T. Watson is the judge of the Sherman-Dallam-Hartley 4-H Club stock show held in Dalhart yesterday and today.

The calves were judged by counties beginning at 1:30 Wednesday afternoon.

Sherman County calves shown at the stock show will be entered at the Amarillo Fat Stock show if current plans are carried out.

## Three Cases In City Court

Three cases are of record in City Court.

R. H. Stewart, charged with a traffic violation, was fined \$11.00.

Norvell Hiner, charged with a traffic violation, was fined \$11.00.

C. E. Noran, charged with a traffic violation, was fined \$11.00.

## Honored With Birthday Dinner

Mrs. D. L. Buckles honored her son, William, with a birthday dinner Sunday. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Buckles and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Milton.

## Street Light Crew Begins Construction

A crew of ten men of the Southwestern Public Service Company commenced construction of the new street lighting system in Stratford this week. When completed the city will have three times as many lights giving five times as much light.

Through modern engineering and reductions granted by the utilities company the city will be able to enjoy the new lighting system for approximately the same amount of money which has been necessary for the present street lighting system.

If calculations are correct there will be few if any residence houses not within a block of a street light.

## Miss Ramon Is Student Teacher

DENTON—Miss Amelia Ramon leaves her role of student for that of teacher at Texas State College for Women several classes a week.

She is one of 80 senior students at the college who are practicing teaching at the Denton Public Schools and at the TSCW Demonstration School.

Miss Ramon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Z. G. Ramon, is teaching "Business".

## Early Anglers Catch No Fish

W. L. Pendleton, F. B. Mullins, W. P. Foreman, and Jack Zeazy of Childress, spent the week-end attempting to catch the wily fish in Conchas Lake. They failed to bring home fish and only commented "the fish weren't biting."

## Fate Morris Honored With Birthday Supper

Fate Morris was honored with a birthday supper given in their home by his wife Wednesday night of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Harding, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Robinson, Mrs. Roberta Owen and Chucko were guests.

## In J.P. Court

Seven cases have been disposed of in Justice of the Peace Court.

James Lee Nelson, charged with speeding, was fined \$38.00.

Jim Brownfield, charged with driving without an operator's license, was fined \$23.00.

Orval Thomas Kabel, charged with speeding, was fined \$23.00.

Edd O'Neal, charged with drunkenness, was fined \$43.00.

T. J. O'Neal, charged with drunkenness, was fined \$43.00.

Donald Carl Palmer, charged with driving without an operator's license, was fined \$14.00.

Norman P. Johnson, charged with driving without an operator's license, was fined \$23.00.

Willis Charles Jullian, charged with operating a truck over 45 feet in length, was fined \$20.00 and costs.

Henry Alvin Bonwiz, charged with operating a truck more than 45 feet in length, was fined \$20.00 and costs.

Billy Franklin McCastney, charged with operating a truck more than 45 feet in length, was fined \$20.00 and costs.

John D. Lash, charged with driving a motor vehicle without having a drivers license in his possession, was fined \$1.00 and costs.

## Burns Weeds And Thaws Pipes

A new multi-purpose apparatus which will burn weeds along drainage ditches and railroad tracks can also be used for ice removal and thawing frozen pipes or earth to be excavated.

The patent on the light, compact apparatus was granted to heirs after the death of its inventor.

## County Red Cross Drive Opens March 1

The annual Sherman County Red Cross drive will open March 1 County fund chairman Chester Guthrie announced this week. It is his plan to turn the canvass of Precincts 1, 2 and 3 over to the County Commissioners of those precincts.

The canvass of precinct 4 will be handled in a similar manner except that additional assistance will be secured to conduct the annual drive.

Sherman County has been assessed a quota of approximately \$300.00 to be raised this year.

If plans are carried out the canvass of the entire county will be completed within a few days after the drive is launched.

## Resume Folk Dancing Tuesday

Folk dancing classes will resume their regular sessions Tuesday at 7:30 P. M. in the American Legion Hall. Beginners as well as former members of the class may attend.

A charge of \$1.00 a couple is paid to Mrs. A. H. Dawson Jr. for conducting the classes.

## Lions Club Entertains School Faculty

Teachers of the Stratford Schools were guests of the Lions Club Monday night. Introductions of teachers and Lions club members were made. Rev. Lawrence, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Dalhart, spoke to the Lions and their guests following the meal, using the subject, "Balanced Life." He exhorted both the faculty members and Lions to attend the church of their choice, if they had a choice, and not just drift around from church to church, as teachers are taught to do in some colleges.

## Stratford Girls Defeat Dalhart

Stratford basketball girls defeated Dalhart girls in a game on their own court Saturday night by a score of 41 to 36. Dorless Parker scored high for the Stratford team with 23 points while Kathryn Newman piled up a score of 18 points.

## Honored On Birthday

Mrs. Wayne Harding entertained with a party honoring her little daughter, Lorelei, in her home on her fourth birthday Monday. The hostess prepared a cake for Elaine Cummings, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cummings. She was also celebrating a birthday.

Other guests were Duane Pittman, Karen Woolsey, Pat Donelson, Chucko Robinson, and Charlene Wisdom, and several ladies who were also sent invitations. Mrs. Ben Biddy, Mrs. T. L. Wakefield, Mrs. Jim Faris, Mrs. Charles Wisdom and Mrs. Cone Donelson.

## Attended Funeral In Paducah

Sheriff A. L. Wilson attended the funeral of a brother-in-law in Paducah Saturday.

## Spray Repells Deer

Hungry deer shun a field of beans or other vegetables sprayed with a newly created chemical compound.

Consisting of two chemicals, the repellent has no bad effects on the vegetables and causes only a temporary palate irritation to the deer. Tested in a wild life refuge, it was found to be effective for as long as six months. One to three pounds mixed with water will spray an acre of crops.

Commodore Matthew Perry opened Japan to foreign trade in 1854.

## J. E. Cashion Succumbs To Illness

Joe Edward Cashion, 28, succumbed Friday morning in Loretto Hospital following a stomach hemorrhage. He had been troubled with stomach ulcers for about two years and was hospitalized at Dalhart February 5. He returned to Stratford a week later in an improved condition. His condition became worse and he returned to the hospital Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cashion and their son had lived in Stratford since January. He was employed with the Cactus plant at Etter.

Cashion's body was taken to his home town of Eddy, Texas where funeral services were conducted and burial was made.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Ruby Cashion, their son, Larry Joe, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Cashion of Eddy, a brother, Joe Russell Cashion of Stratford, a sister, Mrs. Willis Wilcox of Eddy, and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Cashion of Cleburne, Texas.

## Chrysler Prevue In Kansas City

G. R. Garrison returned home Wednesday from Kansas City, Missouri where he attended the dealers prevue of the 1949 Chrysler cars. The new models will make their appearance in March.

## Mrs. Price Honored With Bridge Luncheon

Mrs. C. T. Watson entertained with a bridge luncheon in her home Tuesday afternoon honoring her sister, Mrs. W. N. Price, on her birthday.

The entertaining rooms were decorated with Pussy Willow, Dutch Iris and Jonquils.

Guests present were the honoree, Mrs. W. N. Price, Mrs. W. F. Wington, Mrs. Earl Riffe, Mrs. Leslie Parker, Mrs. Claude Sloan, Mrs. Joe Doby, and Mrs. Tommy Taylor.

Gifts were sent by Mrs. Ruth Green and Mrs. E. E. Coons who were unable to attend.

## Dr. Smith To Lecture At WTSC

CANYON — Dr. Huston Smith will be on the West Texas State College campus March 1, 2 and 3 for the annual religion and life series of lectures which he conducted last year.

The teacher of philosophy and religion at Washington University, St. Louis, Mo., will speak on "Three Ways of Life and the Questions They Raise." His topics will be "The Path of Perversity" discussing the question: Do you know how to get what you want? With "The Path of Prosperity" Dr. Smith will ask: "Do you know what you want?" Lastly he will discuss "The Path of Perfection" which asks "What is too good to be true?"

During the three days he is on the campus, Dr. Smith will be available for personal conferences. He will meet with students at 9:00 P. M. March 1 in Cousins Hall. Another informal gathering will be in Stafford Hall Wednesday night at 7:30 P. M. During his three-day visit he will be available in the Dean's office for private conferences.

Ministers of this region are being invited to visit young people from their churches who are attending West Texas State during his stay.

The son of missionary parents, he was born in China and came to the states at the age of 17 to further his education. He was given the Ph.D. in religion and philosophy from the University of Chicago.

## Honor Guests With Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Moon gave a dinner in their home Monday honoring Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Moon, and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Townsend and sons of Birmingham, Alabama.

## Miss Malone On Reception Committee

CANYON — Plans to bring a name band to West Texas State College for the Personality King and Queen Coronation Ball are in a formative state, according to George Black, president of the Student Senate.

The dance and pageant will be held March 4 in Burton Gymnasium with Princes and Princesses from regional high schools as members of the royal court. Fifty schools have been invited to send a Personality boy and girl to take part in the annual affair.

Several of the 1948 representatives are attending WTSC now and will be on hand to greet the honored guests. They are Jerry Bollen, Wellington; Austell Burrus, Canyon; Max Hukill, Pampa; Mitchell Jones, West Texas High; Freda Malone, Stratford; Joe Ogden, Lefors and Louise Vaden, Phillips.

Selection of WT's Personality King and Queen will be made in a student election on March 3. Results will be kept secret until midway of the Pageant presentation.

High school participants in the Personality Pageant will be housed at the college dormitories overnight. A one-act play is scheduled for entertainment during the Pageant.

## Elks Feted With Steak Dinner Friday

J. G. Cummings honored members of the Elks basketball team with a steak dinner at the Palace Cafe Friday night.

## 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. Thursday: Evangelistic Service 7:30 P. M. The public is urged to attend these services and will find a warm welcome.

**CHRISTIAN CHURCH** Sunday School 10:00 A. M. Morning Services 11:00 A. M. Evening Service 7:30 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. Evening Service 7:30 P. M. Forty-five minute vesper services Sunday evening at 5:00 o'clock will continue through the cold winter season. Laymen's Day Service

Sunday is Laymen's Day throughout all Methodism. The men will have charge at the morning hour and the women at the Vesper Services at 5:00 P. M. Both services will be informative and inspirational. You will be greatly helped if you attend. Laymen have played a big part in all of Methodism's history. Wesley used lay preachers most effectively. Laymen and laywomen are being used far more numerous and extensively now than ever before.

The four year program, "The Advance for Christ and His Church," will be discussed thoroughly by the women at the Vesper Services at 5:00 P. M. Members and friends and everybody are invited to attend all of those services this Sunday.

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.



**Local News**

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kelp and Serena visited in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pronger and P. J. Pronger who have been spending the winter in Tampa, Florida are expected home this

week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Beard and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Blake and baby were Amarillo visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Price visited in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mrs. Caroline Slusser and

daughter, Sally, Mrs. M. R. Robinson, Chocko and Mrs. Roberta Owen were visitors in Canyon Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bowling, Dalhart, were Stratford visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Carroll Wisdom and Mrs. John Kidwell were Dalhart visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Diehl visited with Mr. and Mrs. Peach Smith by telephone at the Crazy Hotel, Mineral Wells, Texas Friday of last week. They were feeling fine and will be home March 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Clay and children visited relatives in Shamrock over the week-end.

Mrs. Ben Biddy and Mrs. Wayne Harding were visitors in Dalhart Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parker, Amarillo visited relatives here last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lavake took their daughter, Mary Lou, to Planview Saturday for a check-up at the Polio Clinic. Physicians stated she was progressing satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Sewell, Oklahoma City, and Mrs. Maude



**HERO of the Month**  
AS SELECTED BY THE DAV

S. Lyle Graham of Louisville, Ky., who used to play professional football with the Philadelphia Eagles, can button a shirt sleeve with his teeth and tie his shoe laces with one hand.



LYLE GRAHAM

Graham lost his left arm in the crash of a PBY Catalina bomber near the Admiralty Islands in 1944 during World War II service. If the fact that he couldn't play professional football again depressed him, Graham didn't show any lack of enthusiasm to overcome his handicap and succeed.

Today he is personnel manager for the Phillip Morris Co., Ltd's Louisville plant which employs 700 men.

Because he refused to let a serious handicap keep him from being a useful citizen, Graham has been selected as the "Hero of the Month" by the Disabled American Veterans.

The selection is part of a national program to honor each month a seriously disabled veteran who has successfully rehabilitated himself.

Born in Kenbridge, Va., October 28, 1915, Graham attended Farmville, Va. High School and the University of Richmond, where he played center on the football team.

Leaving college during the depression, he started work in the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Co. leaf department, and continued until he entered the Navy in 1941. During these years he also played profes-

sional football each fall, first for Virginia teams, later for the Philadelphia Eagles.

He completed Navy flight training and was commissioned in August, 1942, going overseas then as a PBY command pilot.

After months of combat, the nature of the incident which ended his military career and almost his life was "somewhat ironical," Graham recounts. The crash occurred not in combat, but while he was checking a new pilot out for combat duty.

His other injuries included a broken foot, four broken ribs, various deep cuts and a slash on his face which required 15 stitches. Only permanent injury was the loss of his left arm. He swam 50 yards before a crash boat picked him up.

Returned to Philadelphia for hospitalization, Graham felt "pretty disappointed" at the prospect of never playing football again. The Louisville opportunity came through a friend of prewar days who was personnel manager at the Richmond, Va., plant.

"It's taught me ingenuity, anyhow," Graham commented cheerfully. "I'll bet you can't button a sleeve with your teeth, or tie your shoe laces with one hand."

Among other decorations, Graham holds the Air Medal. He has a permit to fly single-engine planes, and does so every now and then at Louisville's Bowman Field.

While overseas he met his present wife, the former Miss Mavis Behrens, when she was a Navy nurse in Australia. They were married during his 10 months' stay in the Naval Hospital at Philadelphia. They have twin boys 3 years old and a girl, 1 year.

Graham is a member of the Louisville DAV Chapter No. 43.

Yates, Texhoma, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Burgess were visitors in Amarillo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Henderson are moving to Ordway, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cowdrey, Amarillo, were visitors here this week.

F. A. Judd was a business visitor in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Golladay and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Parker spent the week-end with relatives in Chillicothe.

Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Crutchfield Jr., and son, Stuart, were guests of her father in Wellington Sunday.

Mrs. H. J. Cooper, Miss Evelyn Cooper, and Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates attended the style show in Texhoma Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Malone, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates, Miss Minnie Laura Jackson, Miss Hazel Harris, Mrs. Sallie V. McAdams, Miss Dorothy Dixon, Arlyn Halle, Pete Ellison and Ernest Ellison were among those attending the basketball game at Canyon Saturday night.

Albert Mayhall visited relatives in Amarillo over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Townsend spent the week-end in Lubbock, guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Townsend.

Hugh White, Tulia, and Fuqua Younger, Dumas, visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Kidwell Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pugh and Mr. and Mrs. Don Sangster and baby, Texhoma, were breakfast guests in the Dick Diehl home Tuesday morning. They were enroute to New Mexico and California for a two months vacation.

Ira Wall, Amarillo, was a guest in the home of his sister, Mrs. Chester Guthrie and Mr. Guthrie Sunday.

A group from the Southwestern Public Service Company attended a safety meeting in Dalhart Monday night.

Dick Diehl was in Plainview and Turkey, Texas Wednesday buying cattle.

Howard Gibbons and Dick Diehl loaded out 100 head of heifers Saturday, sold to Charley Ford, Amarillo.

Mrs. E. B. McQueen left Tuesday to attend the funeral of her brother in Hollis, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Steel, Dalhart, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Steel over the week-end.

Mrs. Henry Luther and Mrs. Mary Stacey were Amarillo visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Martin are in Phoenix, Arizona attending the horse races.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brown are vacationing in Phoenix, Arizona.

Kenneth Pemberton and Bill Reed, Tyler college students, spent the week-end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Pemberton and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Reed.

Marjorie Boney, Dorothy Johnson, Patricia Naugle, Leona Austin, Mann Bingham, Gail McDaniel, Eddie Lyons, and Gene Austin attended Tyler, Maddox Bros. and Rose program in Amarillo Wednesday night of last week.

Viscountess Astor, formerly Nancy Langhorne of Virginia, became England's first woman member of Parliament.

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**Pilotless Plane Makes Bad Landing**  
KITTTITAS, Wash. — A light plane that flew off without a pilot was a mass of wreckage an hour later, 114 miles from its base at Fort Lewis, Washington.

ed over Tacoma for an hour before flying east over the Cascade mountains and crashing only a mile and a half from an air port at Kittitas.

A bewildered pilot pushed the throttle of the plane open as he climbed from the plane.

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### Road Bill Hearing March 7

AUSTIN — Delegations of farmers, ranchers, county officials,

and business men are expected to converge on Austin, Monday, March 7, to attend a public hearing before the House Revenue and Taxation Committee on Representative C. S. McLellan's bill No. 59. This bill proposes an occupation tax on the production of

natural gas for the purpose of building a system of local county rural roads of a type not now included in the State Farm-to-Market road program. "The future of the small town business man is as vitally affected by this measure as that of the farmers themselves," according to Jim Cantrell, Princeton banker and president of the Texas Rural Roads Association, sponsors of a plan calling for a 10-year program to build 10,000 miles of rural farm roads each year, to be paid for, in part, by using a portion of the tax proceeds from natural gas.

"Our natural resources are a capital asset and it is only prudent that the State adopt a policy of placing some of this tax yield into permanent improvements which will remain long after the natural resources that have meant so much to us, no longer remain to be taxed. It is highly important that every citizen in Texas interested in rural roads attend this meeting," Cantrell said.

"It is of vital importance to the future of Texas that our school systems be served by busses traveling over all-weather roads and that the farmers have the benefits derived from such uninterrupted transportation. I urge each public official in this State to bring a delegation to this hearing," said Judge John S. Simmang, Giddings, president of the State Association of County Judges and Commissioners.

According to C. H. Davis, Austin, Rural Letter Carriers of Texas Road Chairman, the rural people of Texas are not interested in super-duper highways, all they want is a road over which the mail carrier can travel every day in the year.

Mr. Davis estimated that less than 30 percent of the 82,000 miles of rural mail routes in Texas are of all-weather construction.

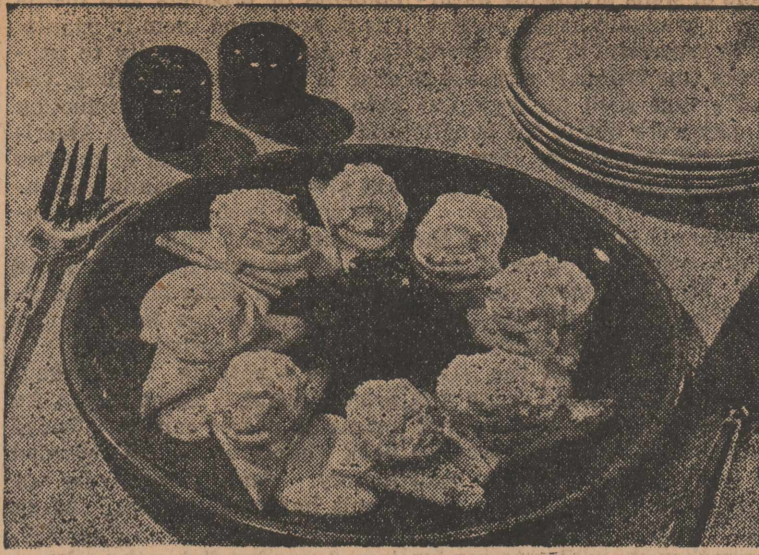
"As Texas' basic economy is agriculture, the farmers who are interested in a program that will build the type and miles necessary to bring them out of the mud, should appear before this committee hearing," urged Loyd D. Barbour, Wichita county farmer and Chairman of the Texas Farm Bureau Rural Roads Committee.

It is Mr. Barbour's opinion that the bill is designed to place the administration on a local basis, in the hands of local authorities, who know best the type of road and location necessary. "Such a plan," he said, "is practical, as there is nothing wrong with local administration that an election every two years can not cure."

The Texas Farm Bureau has for many years been very active in their support of a system of all-weather roads to serve the rural people of Texas.

"Statements are frequently made," Rep. C. S. McLellan, Eagle Lake, author of House Bill 59, said, "that when the present so-called Farm-to-Market road program is completed, 90 per cent of our farmers will be within one mile of a highway. It is this last mile we seek to improve and make all-weather."

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| Salt and pepper          |                 | Parsley                              |
| Toast                    |                 |                                      |

Cut eggs in half lengthwise. Remove the yolks, mash and combine with mayonnaise. Season to taste with the salt and pepper. Fill the whites. Cut squares of toast cornerwise and arrange on a chop plate. Place a stuffed egg half on each toast point. Melt the cheese in the top of a double boiler. Gradually add the milk, stirring until the sauce is smooth. Pour the sauce over the eggs. Garnish with parsley.

more than a third are caused directly by the pulmonary form. And the remaining deaths are due to two kinds of tuberculosis that are usually complications of the pulmonary form, tuberculosis meningitis, an infection of the covering of the brain by tuberculosis germs, and military tuberculosis, which is the result of scattering tuberculosis germs throughout all organs of the body through the bloodstream.

A few decades ago, many young children suffered from tuberculosis of the joints and bones, a form of the disease that wasn't always fatal, but that disfigured and crippled its victims, often for life. Children usually got this kind of tuberculosis from drinking raw milk from diseased cows. Now that every state requires the tuberculin testing of cows whose milk is offered for sale, relatively few children suffer from tuberculosis of the bovine type.

Until very recently, when military tuberculosis or tuberculosis meningitis struck, it was almost invariably fatal. Today, the drug streptomycin is being used with some success in treating these two types of tuberculosis. Streptomycin cannot be considered a cure-all for tuberculosis, but is often an aid in treating TB, particularly these types. It is always used in conjunction with other forms of treatment.

Babies are not born with tuberculosis, and the small child who gets it contracts it from his par-

ents or from others with whom he comes in contact.

We all want to protect our children from illness and disease. Any adult would be horrified at the suggestion that he might be giving some child tuberculosis germs. But people can be spreading the disease without even knowing that they are doing so. Tuberculosis has no outward, obvious symptoms when it first strikes, but it is communicable even in the early stage. However, there is a way to detect tuberculosis, even in an early stage, that is, by a chest X-ray which can show damage done to the lungs by tuberculosis.

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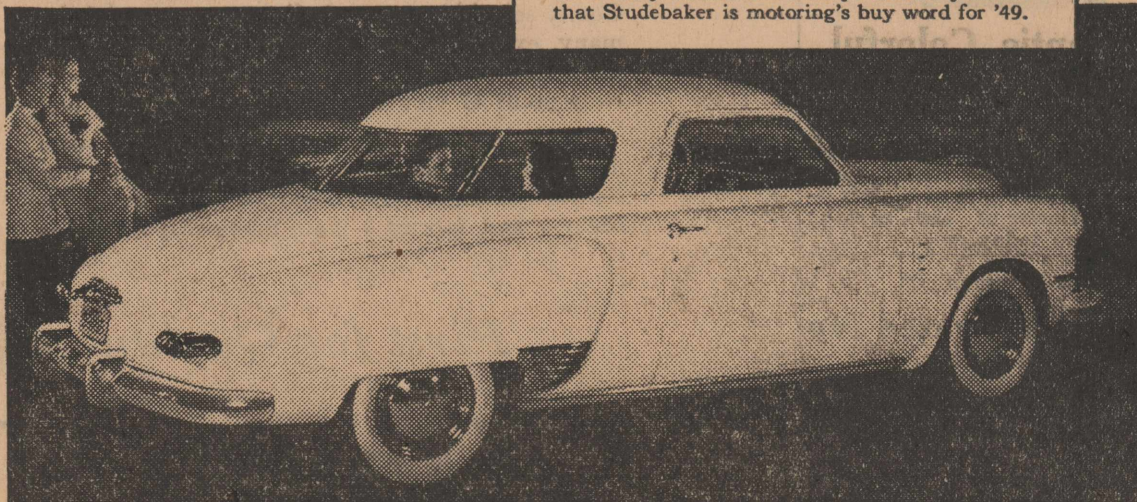
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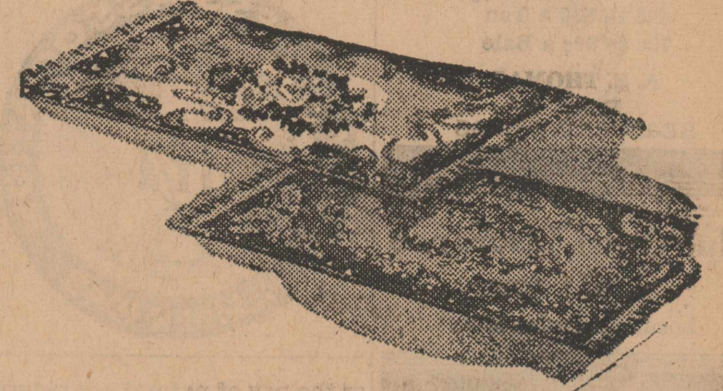
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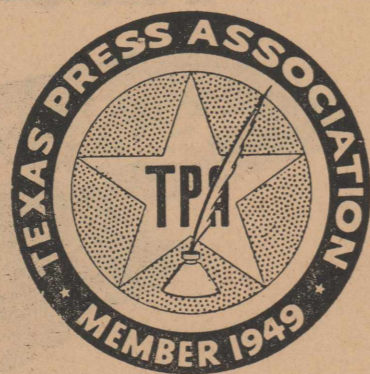


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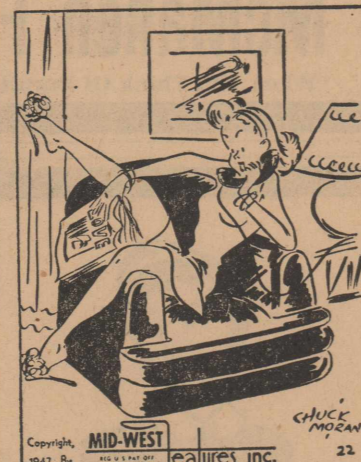
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or the pay of natural gas reduced 2 1/2 cents at the well-head. At the present rate of royalty, ranging from 3 1/2 cents to 6 cents, this would practically make many small producing wells in the county a liability to the land

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owner. Organization of the royalty owners of wells producing natural gas is gradually being perfected. If successful in their efforts to block this unfair taxation it is possible that such an organization may work out to the benefit of the land owner in securing marketing agreements they have not enjoyed in recent years.

Arguments for and against the current road improvement program throughout Sherman County continue with the added deal as additional rural residents desire the benefits of the paved segments of improved roads if it is possible for them to be secured. Arguments of many of those who now comprise the proposed road districts are to the effect that they want the roads and if necessary they are willing to pay for them.

Roads of any type of designation are not paved in a short time. Even though the extensive proposed rural road paving program may not be carried out within the next few years, it has served its purpose in bringing residents together in the study of how paved roads are financed over the state.

In all but a few fields, the buyers' market is back and shortages are a thing of the past. The "easy money" spending spree has lost most of its momentum, and people want full value for what they spend. This has led to more aggressive competition among stores of all sizes and types, and to an even greater realization on the part of the merchants that their future depends on how well consumers are served.

Practically everyone will agree on the necessity for a continuing program to improve the quality and scope of medical service in this country, writes Dr. Howard A. Rusk in the New York Times. "The extent and method by which the Federal government should participate, however, will be one of the most controversial domestic issues facing the new Congress." The basic conflict lies in whether health insurance is a necessary or desirable function of the government, and whether government domination, to an ever-increasing degree, of the practice of the healing arts would have a salutary effect on the health of the people. And deciding this need not be a matter of pure guess work. There is a wealth of factual evidence available.

A Swiss economic journal recently published a study of how much working time the average man in various nations has to put in to earn enough to buy certain basic commodities. Russia was at one end of the scale and the United States at the other. It was found that a Soviet worker had to labor over an hour for the purchase price of 2 1/2 pounds of bread, while the U. S. worker could earn enough in 15 minutes. That same Soviet worker required 580 hours for a suit of clothes. In this country, 28 hours was sufficient.

Few intelligent citizens will disagree with General Eisenhower's statement that the strongest weapon we have against foreign aggression is our ability and capacity for production, says W. Alton Jones, President of Cities Service Company. The capacity to produce is due

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There is nothing new about price control. Attempts to fix prices by decree can be traced back almost as far as recorded history. And in every case the result has been failure. As an example, the emperor Liocletian issued an edict fixing the price at which food and other commodities could be sold. He went whole

hog in an effort to make the scheme work. In the words of the Chicago News, "The death penalty was prescribed for black marketers, and a vast bureaucracy employed to enforce the decree. The breakdown of economic order followed in due course; prices rose as production fell. The emperor's remedy was exorbitant taxation. This accelerated the economic breakdown, and helped to pave the way for easy conquest by the barbarians."

This has been the usual story of price control, in both ancient and modern times. And to believe that it would be any different in the future is to embrace a dangerous illusion. Under the competitive system, the price charged for anything in common use honestly reflects the cost of producing and selling it, plus a small profit.

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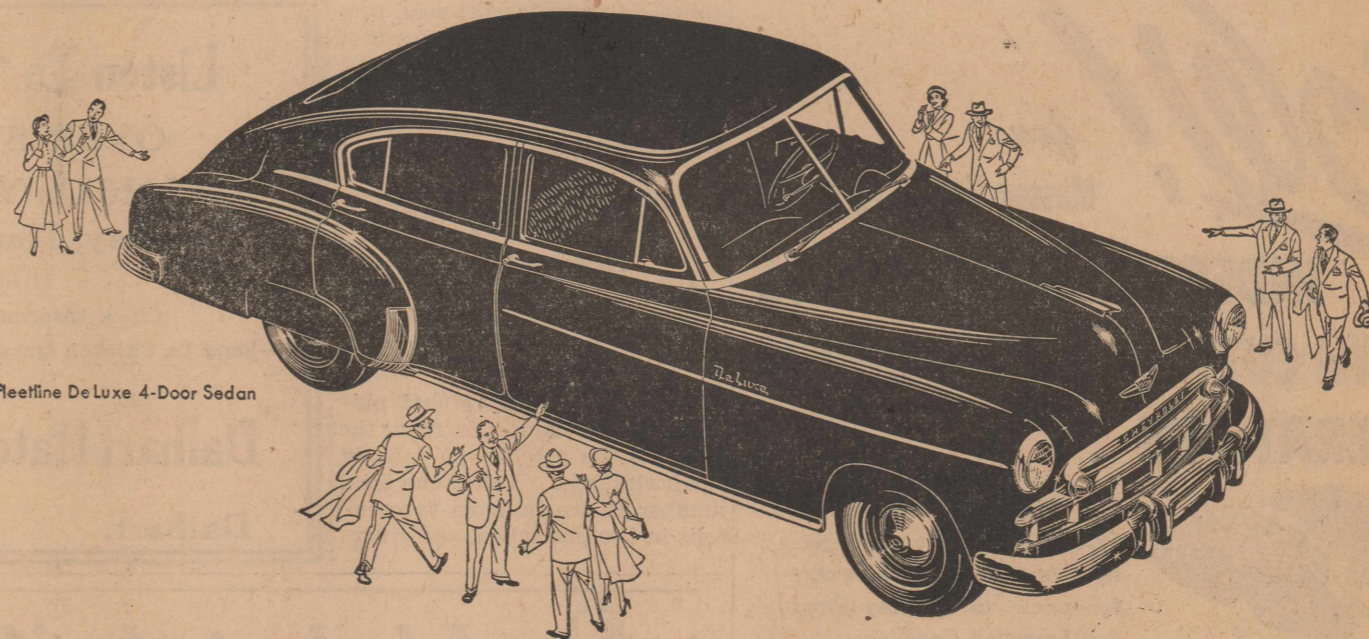
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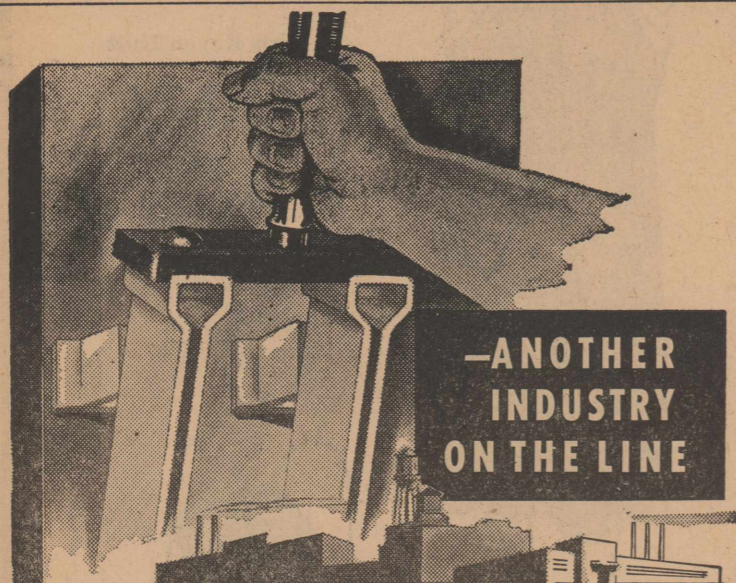
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Immediately after the election, when it was known that the Democrats had not only elected a President but had substantial working majorities in both House and Senate, it was felt by some that Mr. Truman could have anything he wanted. But there were

those whose knowledge of the workings of politics went deeper, who were not so certain. Even Franklin Roosevelt had plenty of trouble with Congresses which were overwhelmingly Democratic. Mr. Truman is in the same boat.

The Taft-Hartley Bill is a conspicuous example. If the labor groups really thought that outright repeal of this act and a return to the Wagner Act was likely, they were badly misinformed. The temper of Congress certainly is not for giving labor a free hand. The Republican minority is solidly in favor of many Taft-Hartley provisions, and so are a considerable number of Democrats. The fight against unqualified repeal has been ably led by two young Republican senators, Ives of New York and Morse of Oregon, and they have developed a large following on both sides of the aisle. The day has long been over when party members voted as a group, and statistical majorities do not necessarily mean much when some particular piece of legislation is involved.

Other parts of the Truman program will also, in all probability, be extensively modified. Sentiment against heavy taxes on business is strong, this, it is feared in some quarters, might produce a dangerous drop in business activity and employment. Large elements in Congress, and these are also bipartisan, think the first step should be to cut the cost of government, and that new or higher taxes should only be levied if there is no other way out.

The Hoover reorganization plan, which, it is estimated, would save \$3,000,000,000 a year, largely in administrative expense, is providing the ammunition for those who think that.

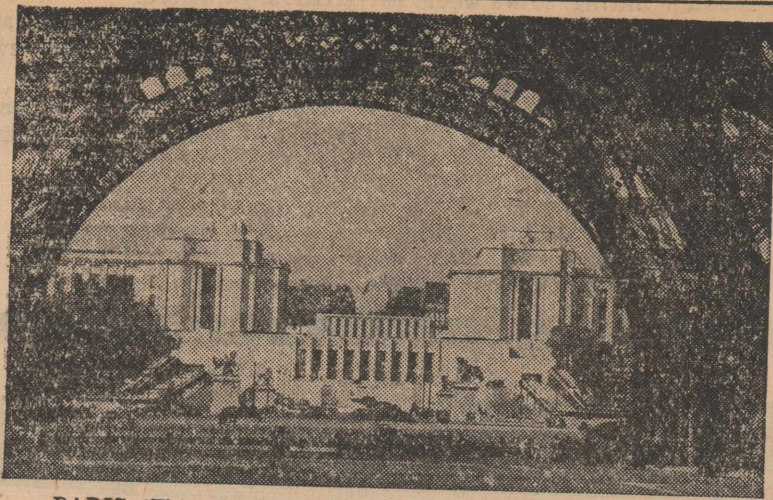
The middle-of-the-road elements are also laying plans for extending social security on a less costly basis than that proposed by the President. The Administration's concept of the welfare state has aroused fears in its own ranks no less than those of the opposition. Such matters as compulsory medical insurance for everyone face tough going. Here Senator Taft, who is one of the best strategists in Congress, has met fire with fire, and come up with a modified program of medical aid to the needy, housing, etc., which has strong backing.

"Modern politics," wrote Henry Adams, "is a struggle not of men but of forces." This Congress is affirming that truth.

### Discover Gold Mine

RIO DE JANEIRO — Discovery of a new gold mine, supposedly the richest in the world, has been reported in the Jacobina mountain range about 1,000 miles north of Rio. Preliminary assays are said to show a minimum of 20 grams of gold per ton.

After his death in 1783, the name of Joe Miller, an English comedian, was attached to a jest book, and is today still associated with stale jokes.



PARIS—This picture was taken from the Champs de Mars and shows the Palais de Chaillot as one sees it through the Eiffel Tower. At the Palais, UN "Neutrals" turned down a Russian plea for resumption of Big Power talks on Berlin.

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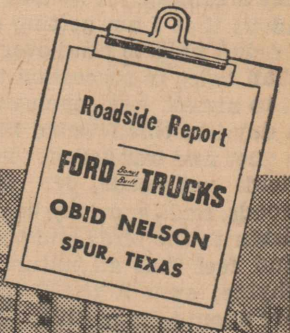
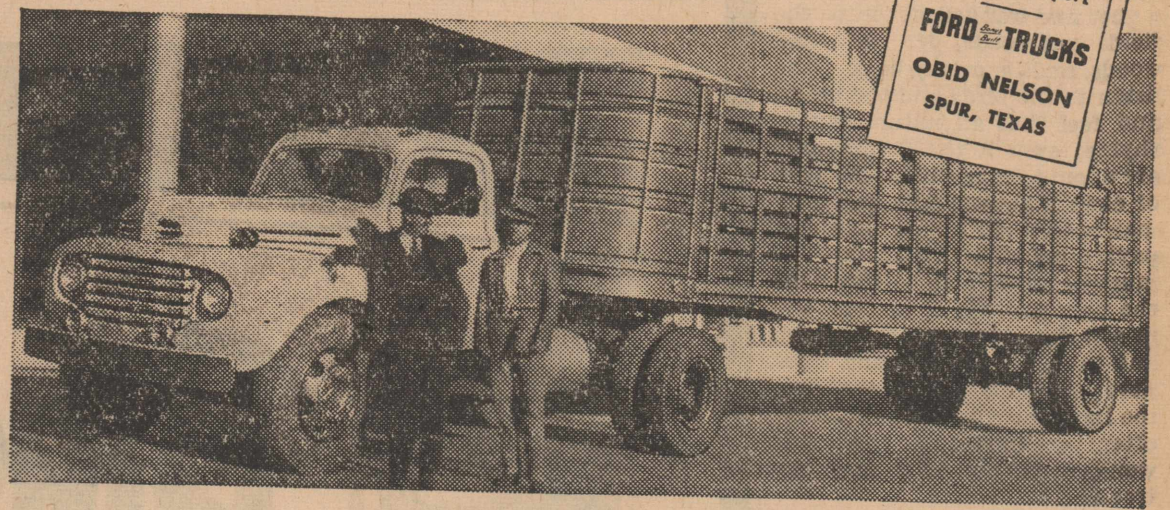
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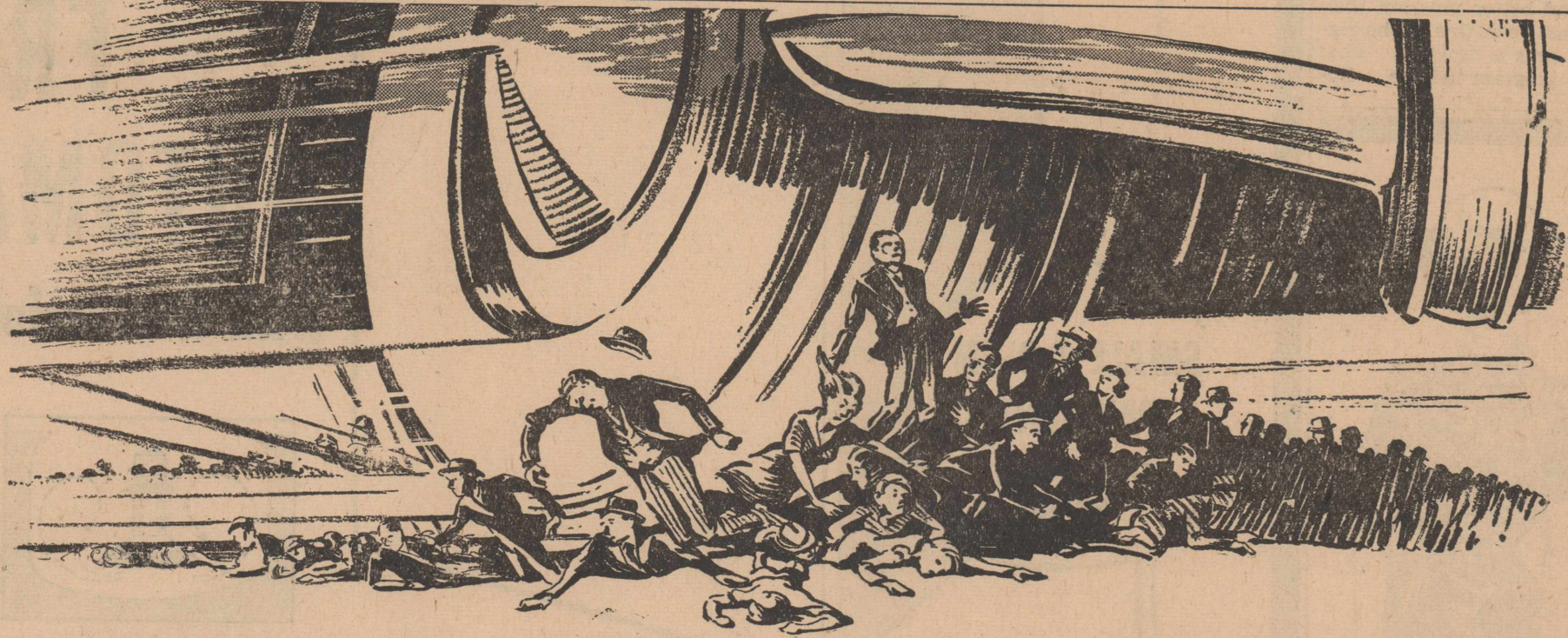
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'49 FORD F-7	19,000 lbs.	35,000 lbs.
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## Stratford Motor Co.



# WHERE THOUSANDS DIE!

91 killed—3,150 injured! If that were the report of an explosion, wreck or other disaster, it would be front page news. People would be horrified! But worse—it's just one day's automobile casualty list in the United States. It happens every day, week in, week out. Four deaths, 131 injured—every hour. At year's end 33,500 lives snuffed out, over a million injured or maimed for life. That's what happened last year. This year's record threatens to be even higher.

Speed—reckless, wanton speed—drunken driving—defiance of safety rules and regulations—and careless, jaywalking pedestrians, top the list of causes for this grim toll.

What can you do about it? Will the speeding wheels of your car add one death to this mass murder of the highways? Not if you, the driver—and you, the pedestrian—take your individual responsibilities seriously. Drive carefully at all times, under all conditions, and be alert when walking.

Don't be one of the thousands to kill, or be killed. Drive safely—and live!



This advertisement is presented in the public interest by the President's Highway Safety Conference and the daily and weekly newspapers of the nation through their Press and Publisher Associations.

# The Stratford Star



### Legion Airs

(By Earl Bond)

Springtime does funny things to a person, even an old one. Just one day of false Spring set in the middle of Winter, starts me to day dreaming. I wouldn't like to admit that I am getting old, but I didn't have to bend over more than twice in succession to prove it to myself very conclusively. On a day like this I would like to be a poet and wander off into the fields and woods, if we had woods, and lie on my back and listen to the birds and the brook, and feel that all nature was in rhyme; even if the Communists are about to take China, the price of cows is shot to hell, and Truman wants six billion more tax payers dollars. What fun it must be to be able to forget all the ugly realities of life and live in a world apart with the birds and bees, and flowers and trees, never stopping to think that they too have their problems. I have often wondered how the poet would feel if he had to sleep in a tree and eat worms.

Years ago, I would have been dreaming of going barefoot on a day like this, I might even have tried it if my grandmother wasn't looking. She always had a foolish notion that a boy was certain to take pneumonia if he went barefoot before the first of June, regardless of how hot it was in May. So I was always still a tenderfoot when the other boys had calouses half an inch thick. You don't see many boys going barefoot anymore, but I think they are missing the greatest joy of childhood. It isn't considered civilized now, but what boy wants to be civilized. There is no proof that civilization ever made anyone happier, in fact increasing civilization has greatly increased the amount of unhappiness. Perhaps this is the reason that a man's mind reverts longingly to the more primitive things in Springtime.

At the last meeting a committee was appointed to begin work on the Stratford Jamboree for this year. I think that most people wanted this to be an annual affair, and by getting an early start on it, we can have an even bigger and better program than we had last year. One of the biggest problems is deciding what sort of a program to have. Ro-

deos are expensive and more often lose money than not. The local Chamber of Commerce usually has to make up the loss. Horse races are hard to arrange where pari-mutual betting is not allowed, because they won't pay. Last year's air show was good, but air shows are slow moving affairs, and some people get tired of waiting thirty minutes for an

event that only takes five. It will be impossible to arrange a program that will please everyone, but we are going to try our best to arrange a program that will please most of the people most of the time. We will appreciate your suggestions. We would like, if possible, to have a program that isn't exactly the same thing every other community a-

round is having, so we would especially appreciate some original suggestions. The wheels have started rolling again on our city park, and the Lions Club is going to begin work soon laying the pipe so that trees can be set out. Maybe by the end of the summer it will begin to look like a park. This will definitely be a milestone of pro-

gress for Stratford. Our membership is now 99, and I am going to make it an even hundred today. We are within two thousand dollars of finishing our building. Let's finish it now.

### Local News

Miss Laverne Smith was in

Dalhart Saturday and Tuesday for dental treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorel Halle were visitors in Amarillo Monday.

Chester Plunk was a visitor in Amarillo over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gib Matthews visited their son, Jack Matthews

and family in Sunray Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Walsh visited relatives in Amarillo over the week-end.

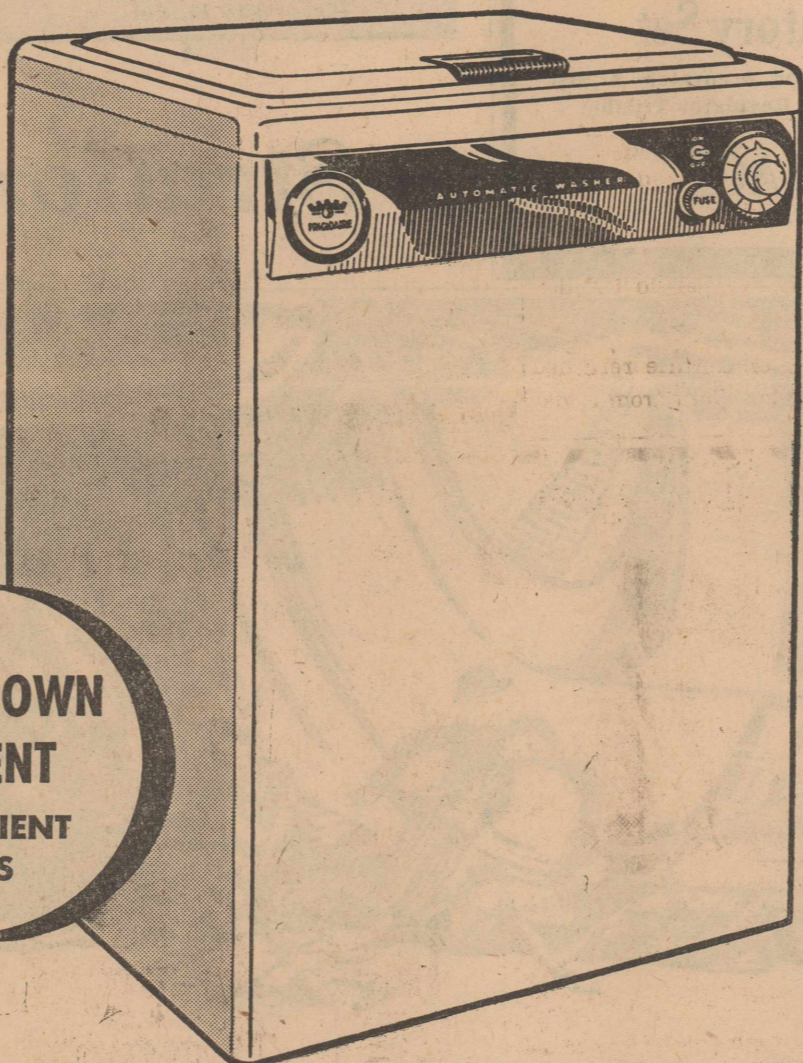
Billy Spruell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Spruell, has been on the sick list this week.

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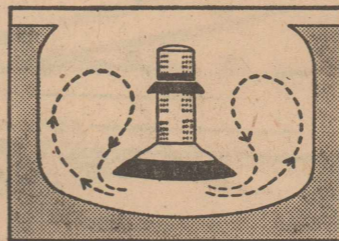


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### LOOK! CLEANER CLOTHES—WITH SAFETY!

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!



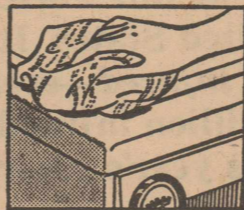
### LOOK! FASTER DRYING, TOO!

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.



### LOOK! NO BOLTING DOWN!

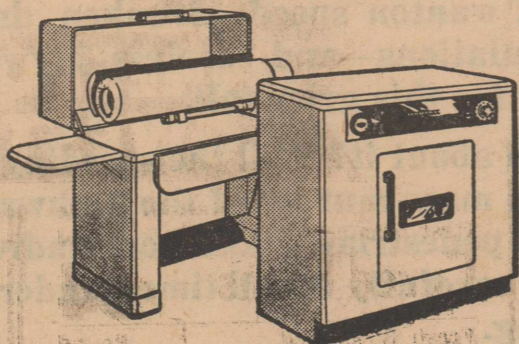
Frigidaire Automatic Washer is almost totally vibration-free. Can be installed anywhere in kitchen or laundry room—there's no need to bolt it to the floor. Quiet in operation. Safety features include an automatic "spin cutoff" if cover is raised while tub is spinning.



### LOOK! LIFETIME PORCELAIN FINISH!

Frigidaire Automatic Washers stay gleaming and lustrous-looking with very little care. Inside and out, they are finished in Lifetime Porcelain—one of the most durable substances known. To keep clean—merely wipe surface with damp cloth occasionally.

You're twice as sure with two great names—FRIGIDAIRE made only by GENERAL MOTORS



### LOOK! NEW AUTOMATIC ELECTRIC CLOTHES DRYER AND ELECTRIC IRONER, TOO!

DRYER eliminates all work of hanging clothes, all worries about weather, smoke, dust or dirt. Dries clothes completely automatically in 15-25 minutes. IRONER is amazingly simple, easy to operate. Its many operating advantages include Prestoe-Matic Foot Control.



### LOOK

at all this washer does —at the touch of a dial

- 1 Fills with hot or warm wash water—automatically.
- 2 Washes clothes clean with amazing Live-Water Action—automatically.
- 3 Spins out the used water—automatically.
- 4 Fills itself with clean, warm rinse water—automatically.
- 5 Rinses clothes thoroughly with Live-Water Action—automatically.
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- 7 Rinses clothes a second time—automatically.
- 8 Gives clothes final Rapidry-Spin—automatically.
- 9 Cleans itself and shuts off—automatically.

NOTE: Dial may be set to lengthen, shorten, repeat or omit any operation in the above cycle. Thus, "special" things may be washed as you wish.



Wherever she goes, "She Shall Have Music" in a Doris Dodson music print of rayon denier crepe. Blouse has rayon taffeta trim matching background of print for two part harmony.

Green, Wine, Navy

\$14.95

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# JOE DUBBY

Stratford,

FRIGIDAIRE

Texas



**Local News**

Alfred Bammes was a business

visitor in Perryton Thursday of last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Lowe re-

turned home Saturday from Amarillo where he has been under medical observation.

Van B. Boston transacted business in Amarillo Tuesday.

A. L. Wilson attended the Sheriff's convention in Amarillo Tuesday.

Eugene Wilson and C. F. Meinhardt were business visitors in Lubbock Tuesday.

Mr. Rexford, Dalhart, and Ty Ford, Amarillo, were guests in the Dick Diehl home Friday.

Mrs. Carl Odom, Lubbock, is a guest in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. John Lavake and Mr. and Mrs. Pruitt Adkins.

Miss Minnie Lewis and grandson, John Douglas Crider, Dodge City, Kansas, were week-end guests in the home of Mrs. E. J. Massie.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Pendleton visited relatives in Texhoma Saturday evening.

Charles Wisdom and Carroll Wisdom left Saturday on a business trip to Jefferson City, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Kendall, Dalhart, and Henry Kendall, Amarillo, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates Sunday.

Joe DUBY attended the Frigid-aire sales meeting in Lubbock Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. J. T. Gibbons, Mrs. Mary Stacey, Mrs. Dick Diehl and Dick, Jr., visited in Dalhart Wednesday.

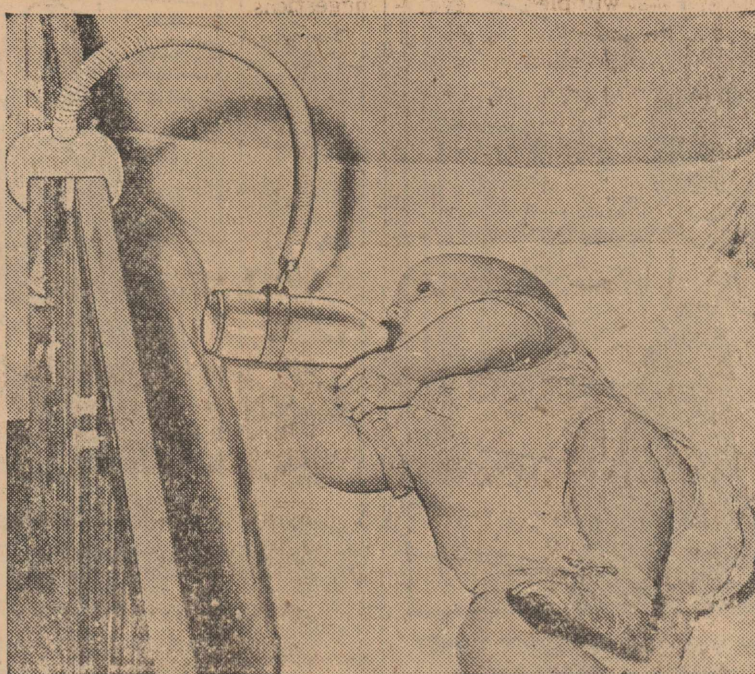
Mr. and Mrs. Luther Arnold and children, Bushland, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fate Morris over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal Pendleton were called to Canyon Sunday by the illness of Mrs. Pendleton's mother.

Jack Johnson, Morse, was a business visitor here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Veazey and daughters, Childress, are guests in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. F. B.

**Arm That Never Grows Tired**



Invented by a young mother who got her idea while feeding her own two youngsters, this handy new patented gadget gives housewives more time for other duties when Baby is having its milk. Known as the "ther-nor" bottle holder, the device has a flexible arm which can be fastened to crib, play pen, high chair or carriage for the convenience of the ultimate consumer. Rigid enough to hold the bottle firmly in any position, it is said to be an aid in teaching Baby independence and coordination. The stainless steel bottle clamp fits all standard baby bottles. The crib clamp is padded to protect furniture—National Patent Council.

Mullins and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. it in Odessa, Texas, with her Pendleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Conde Donelson have returned to Stratford to make their home after being associated with a business in Lampasas, Texas for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. McIntosh and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bond attended ladies night of the Amarillo Voiture 689 last Thursday night.

Dick Diehl was in Amarillo Monday attending the livestock auction.

Dinner guests in the home of Rev. and Mrs. John Reaves Tuesday night were Mrs. D. L. Buckles and William Buckles, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Buckles, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kidwell were visitors in Amarillo Tuesday of last week.

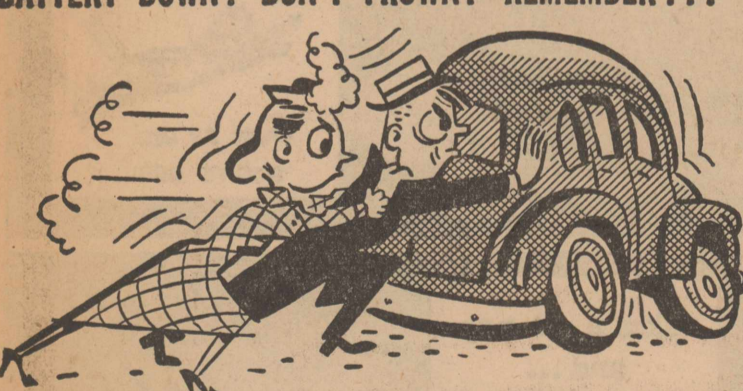
Mrs. Chester Guthrie returned home Saturday night from a vis-

brother, Melvin Wall and children. Her son, Ira, brought her home and remained for a short visit. Mrs. Leon Guthrie and Charlotte returned to Lubbock with him Sunday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Greg Van Beber.

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**Power Line Batteries** Remember, too, that we can keep your present battery in good condition. When you're in our neighborhood, drive in for a check-up. No charge!  
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Gerber's or Heinz Baby Food	3 for 25	Ranch Style BEANS	2 for 25
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Hearts Delight Pineapple Juice	2 for 25		

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SLICED Strawberries	PACKAGE 49	Green Onions	2 FOR 19
Corn on Cob	PACKAGE 29	MARSH SEEDLESS Grapefruit	6 FOR 33
PURE CONCENTRATED Orange Juice	CAN 29	JUMBO Yellow Onions	POUND 6
		EXTRA Fancy Carrots	2 FOR 17

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First Grade Small Cured Hams	Half Or Whole Pound 54	Fresh Ground Sausage	Pound 36
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 Nice going hay business, complete with grinder, warehouse and trucks. Very little money will handle. **J. E. HORTON, Niwot, Colo.** Phone Longmont 07731.

**OPERATION**, coal mine, 2 miles south of Streeter mine on highway 13 in Moffat Co. Approx. 50 acres patented land. 8 1/2-foot vein. Priced to sell.  
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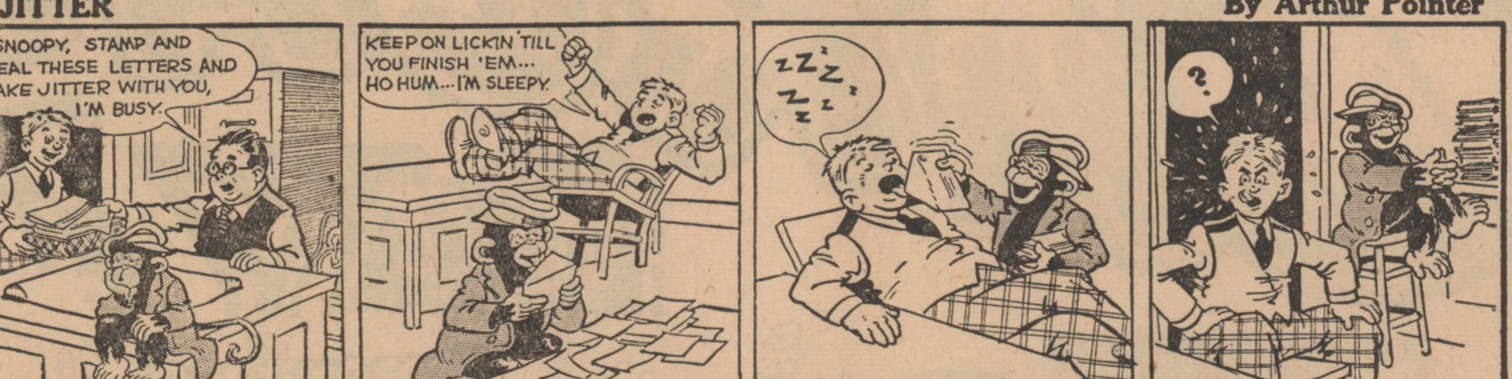
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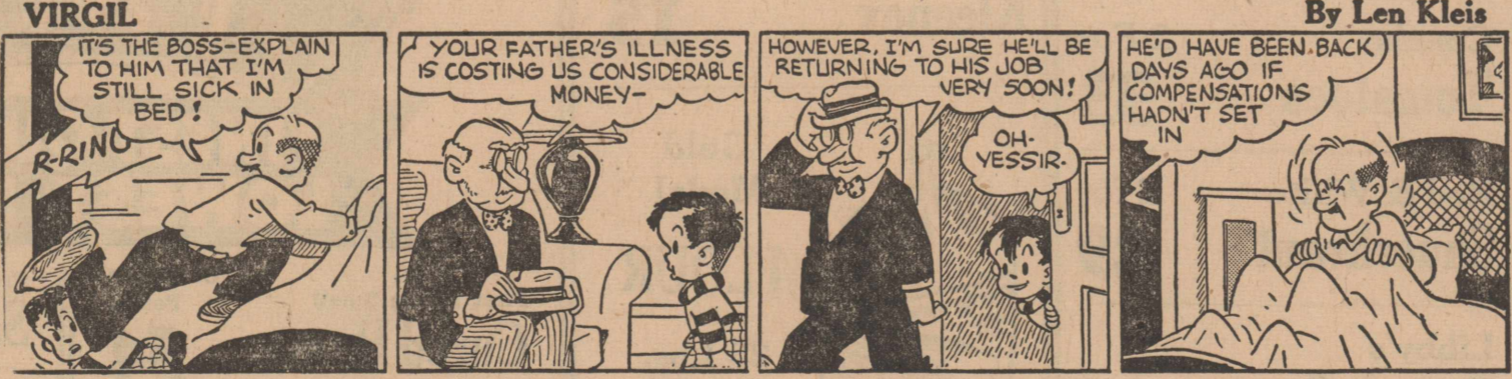
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Communist Paradox

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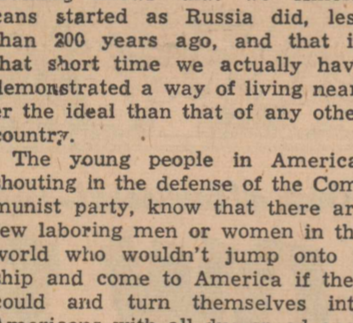
AMONG THE YOUNG persons I love—and perhaps among those you love, too—there are a few who have given their hearts, minds and bodily services to the promotion of communism. They live along pleasantly and comfortably enough, blessings and advantages of being Americans, but they feel small admiration for their own country and quiet but passionate confidences in the Russian ideology.

When I suggested to two of these young crusaders that they go, at my expense, to spend a year or two in Russia and study communism in its workings, they regarded me with that kindly superior amusement that is so characteristic of their attitude toward those who differ with them. "Take the children to Russia," they exclaimed incredulously. Of course, they couldn't and wouldn't. Take small babies over to the restrictions, shortages and discomforts of a great country in the throes of getting itself born! Deep snow, unheated houses, transportation difficulties, complicated and ramified laws in every direction and both Mother and Dad working. They knew too well how bitter a contrast this would be to the freedom they know today.

What is the answer? But despite the shock that this suggestion gave them, they went right on addressing envelopes, addressing meetings, quoting the Red propagandists with pride, citing our American ways with scorn. Why? Does any bewildered parent of deluded children know the answer? Any educated person—and almost all our American children



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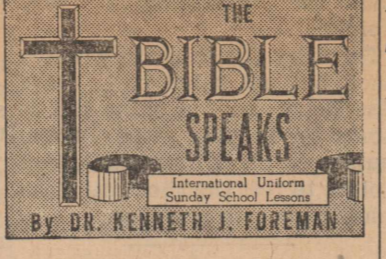
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SCRIPTURE: Matthew 5:5-7.  
DEVOTIONAL READING: Matthew 13:44-53.

Ideal World  
Lesson for February 27, 1949

ANY MAN with a revolutionary new idea has to try to explain it. Jesus was no exception. As a young teacher of religion, he had to answer the question which older teachers were bound to put to him: If your teaching is new, how can it be true? And if it is true, what can be new about it? This was a fair question. The Sermon on the Mount is Jesus' answer to it. The main theme of that sermon is the kingdom of God, an ancient phrase but with new meanings as Jesus used it. We can say "The Ideal World" and mean just the same thing.

The Right People  
JESUS EMPHASIZES, above all, the kind of people who belong to God's Ideal World. This would be surprising to some modern planners. Communists think that if you can once get a world in which every one has enough to eat and drink and wear, a world where nobody is poor (or everybody is as poor as everybody else, which is all the same thing), you will have the perfect world. Jesus would know this is nonsense.

But the fact is that even after you got your perfect social system, with perfect politics and perfect distribution of wealth, even a perfect climate and soil, you would still be nowhere near the Ideal World unless you improved your people.

The wrong kind of people will spoil the best kind of system. So we find Jesus talking not about systems but about people.

Is This You?  
WHAT WE call the "beatitudes" (Matt. 5:7-12) is Jesus' eight point program for the citizens of the Ideal World. The right people are happy people, to begin with. (The word translated "Blessed" is a regular Greek word for "happy.") But the main difference between different kinds of people is not that some want to be happy while others do not; rather it is that they are made happy by different kinds of things.

Jesus' ideal people are humble, not proud; they see their sins and are sorry for them; they are "meek"—that is, they are not in a hurry to demand their own rights; they do not merely admire goodness, they are positively hungry for it; they are merciful, not careless or cruel; they are pure in heart and not only in speech and act; they are not mere peace-wishers or peace-lovers (who isn't?) but peace-makers; they are people who are brave enough to do what is right not only when it is comfortable and popular but even when it brings them slander and suffering.

Salt  
DO YOU really want an ideal world? The best way to begin is to learn how to be a citizen of such a world. Jesus used two interesting simple words to describe the kind of people he means. You are salt, he said, — you are light. Salt and light are old-fashioned things but they have never gone out of date. No one has invented a good substitute for either one.

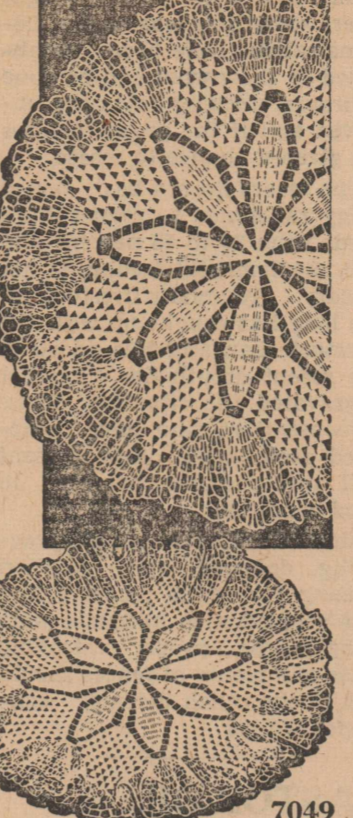
So there is no substitute for a really good Christian. Living, here and now, like citizens of the ideal world to come, Christians are both salt and light.

Salt because they give a taste to otherwise flat or bitter life. Salt because they keep human society from going rotten. This world is in a bad enough mess as it is; but what, it would be if all the Christians were removed from it at once, one hates to think.

Light  
AND LIGHT! Like salt, light ought not to be too noticeable. A glaring light is bad on the eyes, as too much salt is bad on the tongue. So a Christian is not supposed to rub his goodness in on other people, so to speak. He is as indispensable as salt in bread—and should be as inconspicuous. But light, like salt, if it is any good has to be applied directly. A strong light concealed in a steel tube does no good. Swishing the glass end of the salt-cellar around in the soup gives it no flavor. The salt must get into the soup, the light must touch what we see.

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## Grass Range Management Profitable

About 40 percent of the Texas agricultural income is derived from livestock and livestock products. Some 93.5 million acres or about 60 percent of the total area of the state is devoted to

the grazing of livestock, says A. H. Walker, extension range specialist of Texas A. & M. College. Range demonstrations have shown that livestock live longer and produce bigger offspring when plenty of good grass is available for them. Programs are now underway that have as their objective a sound and practical approach to the problems of range management. Two range management

schools for county agents were held by the A. & M. department of range and forestry the past two summers, and the class rooms used were the ranges where something was wrong. Demonstrations have been established to show what can be done if proper stocking rates are observed and if the good grasses are given a chance to reseed.

The record drought has forced many ranchmen to reduce their herds from 25 to 75 percent and still supplemental feeding is necessary. Too many livestock for too long has caught up with the livestock man and this added to the recent drought has further aggravated the situation. Those demonstrators who have practiced good range management still have pastures that are in good condition.

More ranch operators are practicing deferred and rotation grazing for range recovery and this coupled with adequate watering places, proper stocking rates and plenty of fences should add to the ranch income, concludes Walker.

## CASTOR OIL FOR BOOTS

Here's some good news for the youngsters. Castor oil is one of the best oils to use for keeping boots in shape. The kids will agree that boots make a better use for castor oil than stomachs.

Castor oil as well as neat's foot oil and cod liver oil, helps keep the water out of leather. And that's just what folks are looking for this time of year during the damp weather.

Nena Roberson, associate extension clothing specialist of Texas A. & M. College, says if you put the oil on with a soft cloth very lightly and evenly and rub it in well, the shoes will take a good shine when dry. However, if too much oil is applied, the shoes will not take a good polish. Let the shoes stand from 12 to 24 hours after putting on the oil before you put the polish on. That's time enough for letting them absorb all the oil.

For water proofing work shoes and boots, you'll need neat's foot oil. Be sure the shoes are clean and dry before you start. Put the neat's foot oil on with a soft cloth and rub the shoes thoroughly with the palm of your hand. Make sure the grease soaks in well where the sole joins

the upper. This is one place where the water soaks in very rapidly.

Then dry the shoes in a warm place, but not a hot one, says Miss Roberson. A shine box is handy for keeping the shine equipment all in one place, and a place to rest the shoe while the shining job is in progress.

Headrick and the defendants are those above named or otherwise identified.

Such suit is the usual action in trespass to try title as heretofore prescribed by state and now prescribed by the Rules of Civil Procedure, alleging the ownership in fee simple and seeking the recovery by the plaintiff, Sallie Jackson Headrick, in her own separate right and for her own separate estate of the title to and the possession of the following described tract of land in Sherman County, Texas, to-wit:

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TO T. B. Woodriddle, his wife, Mrs. T. B. Woodriddle, whose first or given name is unknown, T. B. Woodriddle, his wife, Mrs. T. B. Woodriddle, whose first or given name is unknown, Oren E. O'Neal, his wife, Mrs. Dora A. O'Neal, Oren E. O'Neal, his wife, Mrs. Dora A. O'Neal, Edward M. Nolen, his wife, Mrs. Sue G. Nolen, E. C. Howe, his wife, Mrs. E. C. Howe, whose first or given name is unknown, Tom Moy, his wife, Mrs. Tom Moy, whose first or given name is unknown, C. R. Roush, his wife, Mrs. C. R. Roush, whose first or given name is unknown, G. R. Housh, his wife, Mrs. G. R. Housh, whose first or given name is unknown, and all persons claiming any title or interest in the land hereinafter described under the deed from E. E. Allen and wife, Sarah S. Allen, to Edward M. Nolen, Trustee, of Cook County, Illinois, dated February 25, 1908, and recorded in the Sherman County Deed Records, Vol. 11, page 552, and all persons claiming any title or interest in the land hereinafter described under the deed from Edward M. Nolen, Trustee, and wife, Sue G. Nolen, to Oren E. O'Neal, Trustee, of Cook County, Illinois, dated October 29, 1908, and recorded in the Sherman County Deed Records, Vol. 12, page 607, and all of the heirs and legal representatives of each and all of the defendants above named or otherwise identified, if deceased, and their heirs, GREETING:

YOU ARE COMMANDED to appear and answer the plaintiffs' petition at or before 10:00 o'clock a. m. the Monday next after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance hereof, same being Monday the 4th day of April, 1949, before the Honorable District Court of Sherman County for the 69th Judicial District of Texas, at the Courthouse in Stratford, Texas.

Said suit was filed the 18th day of February 1949.

The file number of said suit is No. 1165.

The style of the suit is SALLIE JACKSON HEADRICK ET VIR V. T. B. WOOLDRIDGE ET AL, the plaintiffs are Sallie Jackson Headrick and husband, C. N.

court and general relief.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND and the seal of said court at office in Stratford, Texas, this the 18th day of February, 1949, and issued this same date.

(Seal) LELAH BONEY, District Clerk, Sherman County, Texas. 2-24; 3-3, 10, 17.

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