

## Lions Club Steak Feed In Legion Hall Monday

Faculty members of the Stratford School and their wives will be guests of the Stratford Lions club for a barbecue steak dinner Monday night in the American Legion Hall. It will be ladies night and a special program of entertainment is being arranged. The club meets at 7:30 P. M.

Hose M. Flores, Cone Donelson and W. O. Bryant compose the committee making arrangements for the feast.

R. W. Stewart and L. P. Hunter are arranging for entertainment. Announcement of committee appointments for the club was made.

R. W. Stewart, Charles Wisdom, and Carl Thomas are on the boys and girls committee.

H. L. McMahan and J. D. McDaniel were appointed to the citizenship and patriotism committee.

R. C. Buckles and Claude Sloan compose the civic improvement committee.

E. Goule and A. L. King were appointed to the community betterment committee.

Arthur Milton and H. A. Stewart are on the education committee.

Van E. Boston and Russell Beall were appointed to the health and welfare committee.

Chester Guthrie and Jack Goliday head the safety committee.

Dr. Huston Pearson was named to the sight observation committee.

Rev. John Reaves and F. L. Yates were named to the flowers committee.

Kenneth Kendrick and Hose Flores compose the attendance committee.

Keith Glasgow and Sam Wohlford were named to the constitution and by-laws committee.

J. B. Walsh and Kenneth Eller compose the convention committee.

L. H. Parker, Jim Taylor and Leo Smith were named to the finance committee.

W. O. Bryant and Alfred Pronger were named to the Lions education committee.

Walter Pendleton and Earl Riffe compose the membership committee.

Joe Doby, Rev. H. A. Nichols, and O. L. McMinn were named to the program and entertainment committee.

Brown Ross and Earl Bond were appointed as the publicity committee.

John Kidwell was appointed as assistant secretary.

1st Lieut. J. H. Slusser, U. S. Marine Corps, was introduced as a guest.

Lieut. Slusser spoke briefly of the corrupt Chinese Nationalist government which caused the Communist victory.

He related incidents of where apologies had been demanded of the U. S. government for making charges for services rendered free of charge by American military personnel.

Chinese officials in those sections had taxed the population for American services and kept the revenue for personal gain.

You would have to spend some time in some of these foreign countries to appreciate the form of government you have in the United States, he told the Lions Club.

He recommended athletic sports as a means of preventing child delinquency and the provision of a place of employment for youths finishing their education as an inducement for keeping young men and women as law abiding citizens.

Slusser further stated that many young men were reentering military service for lack of an opportunity to earn a livelihood at home.

R. W. Stewart, L. P. Hunter, E. Goule and John Kidwell were appointed to arrange programs for the next two meetings.

Kenneth Kendrick lost a neck tie for making a speech without being recognized by the chair. A few minutes later Tail Twister Cone Donelson was fined for poor table manners in spewing water over nearby Lions. Some one had salted his drinking water.

O. L. McMinn, Kenneth Kendrick and Hose Flores were named as a committee for erecting club highway signs.

When selecting vegetables for seed, gather them from the plants that appear to be free from disease.

## Precinct 1 Bond Election October 31

A road bond election which will give the residents of Precinct 1 an opportunity to qualify for 12 miles of farm-to-market road in that precinct and place them on the eligibility list for further paving programs has been ordered by the Commissioners' Court for October 31.

Precinct 1 has been established as Road District No. 3. The bond issue proposed would make necessary the issuance of bonds totaling \$105,000.00 for the construction of 12 miles of paving.

The roads approved by the State Highway Department after five years of negotiations with the Commissioners' Court include 5 1/2 miles of paving on the Pronger road and 6 1/2 miles of pavement which would connect U. S. 287 with the Spurlock road.

Road District 3, with a tax valuation of \$4,345,745.00, is in a financial condition to float the bond issue at less cost to farmers and ranchmen than any district in the county.

Oil and gas properties account for \$3,586,815.00 of the total valuation and the oil companies favor the paving project.

Farmers and ranchmen owning land in this precinct would carry but a small amount of the tax burden for retiring the bonds. The average valuation of sections of land in this district is \$3,200.00. The annual tax on this amount of property for retirement of the bonds would be \$11.20. The bonds would bear 2 1/4% interest and be retired in 10 years. Tax on real estate will be gradually reduced as the valuation of oil and gas properties increase.

The State will furnish engineers, pay 25 percent of the cost, and maintain the roads after they are completed.

Road boosters look forward to this opportunity to cash in on the last available opportunity to take advantage of the 25-75 percent road construction which will be available in the state this year.

## Mrs. Cannon Honored With Bridal Shower

Mrs. George J. Cannon, Jr., was honored with a bridal shower Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. M. R. Robinson between the hours of 3:00 to 6:00.

Assisting Mrs. Robinson with entertaining the guests were Mrs. R. G. Gillis, Miss Bonnie Lackey, Mrs. Hose Flores, Mrs. Wendell Flores, and Miss Wanda Jean Bryant.

Miss Timmie Lu Williams presided at the guest book.

Mrs. Osa Gamble and Mrs. Tim Flores assisted the bride in opening her many gifts.

Honey bees are worth 15 to 20 times more for their pollination service than for the honey and wax they produce.

# THE STRATFORD STAR

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## F.F.A. Boys Will Visit Kansas City

Carroll Reid and Joe Crabtree will represent Stratford Future Farmers of America at the Annual National F. F. A. meeting to be held in Kansas City next month.

They will leave Amarillo on a special bus October 8 and return October 15. The special bus will be made up of high school agricultural boys from the Top-O-Texas District. Either O. T. Ryann, Area 1 Supervisor, or some Ag. teacher will accompany the boys on the trip. They will spend one night in Oklahoma City each way. The National Convention has grown in the past few years, and now it could almost be classed as an international convention of F.F.A. boys. This is true because Hawaii and other possessions of the U. S. have boys representing them there. Last year, several foreign countries had boys there, just to learn how the largest farm boy organization in the world works. F.F.A. stresses Democracy, and is a democratic organization. It might be well to remember that the Future Farmers of America, are also the future leaders of the World Communism thrives where there is hunger and general discontent. Training our young farmers to be better farmers, might well have some effect on our foreign policy in the next generation.

## Royalty Owners Had Meeting Thursday

A meeting of the Sherman County Independent Producers and Royalty Owners Association was held in the American Legion hall Thursday afternoon of last week.

Upon motion made by Charles E. Harris and seconded by L. B. Halle, all applications for membership in the organization were accepted.

Sam Wohlford spoke for the royalty owners under the lease held by the Cities Service Oil Co. He pointed out as a gross injustice, the pipe line charge for transportation of the royalty owners gas by this company. He asked and received a unanimous vote for the moral support of the organization in their effort to have this practice discontinued and to secure reimbursement for past charges.

W. N. Price, Wright Davis and Sam Wohlford were appointed as a committee to collect data in connection with the pipe line charge policy with hopes of getting release from the charge.

A motion made by Charles E. Harris and seconded by L. B. Halle was approved without opposition to have a committee appointed to study and to make recommendations to the organization relative to setting up a uniform price to be paid land owners and tenants for pipe line rows through both pasture and crop land. Meritt Sweny, F. D. Brannan, Ira Oldaker, W. N. Price and Cline Gilbert were selected as a committee for this assignment.

Several out of town visitors and royalty owners were present. Some were introduced and gave informative talks on the problems and interests of the royalty owners and stressed the importance of every royalty owner being a member and standing by and supporting the organization.

The various oil companies are paying from less than 3 cents up to 6 cents or more per million cubic feet for gas and it is the hope of the organization to change these policies.

## New Legion Officers Installed Thursday Night

New officers of the American Legion were installed at a meeting held in the Legion Hall Thursday night.

Officers who will serve the organization during the coming year are: Frank Sutton, Commander; John R. Knight, First Vice Commander; T. J. Burgess, Second Vice Commander; Bob Gillis, Sergeant-at-Arms; Donald Moon, Finance Officer; Dr. J. R. Parker, Service Officer; R. W. Stewart, Athletic Officer; and Walter Pendleton, Adjutant.

A zone meeting of Posts in zone two was held in connection with the installation ceremonies.

Zone 2 is made up of American Legion Posts in Dalhart, Dumas, Cactus, Gruver, Phillips, Borger, Beuna Vista and Stratford.

## Mrs. Carter Honored On Birthday

Mrs. M. J. Carter was honored with a surprise birthday dinner Sunday by Mrs. Fate Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter and Mr. and Mrs. Morris enjoyed the meal.

## Bill Frizzell Is Manager Of Texas Station

W. S. (Bill) Frizzell will take over the management of the Texas Service Station located north of the intersection of U. S. Highways 54 and 287 Saturday.

As a way of welcoming his friends to his new place of business, he will give a quart of oil with the purchase of 5 gallons or more of gasoline Saturday.

The new firm will operate on a cash basis.

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## Precinct 2 Road Bond Election October 31

Voters of Precinct 2 are reported to be eager to jump at the chance of the road bond election ordered to be held in that Precinct October 31 to secure paving of the Spurlock road to the intersection of U. S. Highway 287 south of Stratford.

The election calls for the issuance of \$175,000.00 in road bonds for the paving project.

State funds combined with the bond issue will make possible paving of 20 miles of road.

Precinct 2 designated at Road District 2, has a tax valuation of \$1,308,000.00. To retire the bonds it will be necessary for a tax increase of .85 on the \$100.00 valuation or approximately \$27.20 on a section of land.

In Road District 2 the bonds will bear 3 1/3% interest to be retired over a period of 30 years although the contract leaves it optional with the district for retirement of the bonds within 15 years.

The proposed paving project is the road which residents of Precinct 2 offered to build and pay for if the State would accept the responsibility of maintenance.

Under the present program the State pays one-fourth of the cost of construction, furnishes its engineers, and maintains the road after it's completion.

The offer of the state to match county funds on a 75-25 percent basis for the construction of paved farm-to-market roads expires this year.

## Assembly Of God Revival Meeting Continues

Revival services at the Assembly of God Church will continue through Sunday. Evangelist and Mrs. W. E. Lane of Oklahoma City are conducting the services.

Services are held each evening except Saturday at 8:00 P. M.

## CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my friends for the cards, flowers, and visits which made my stay in the hospital seem shorter.

A. H. ELLISON.

## WARNING

With Teeth That Bite All persons who are caught following the fire truck at a distance of less than 500 feet or parking within 500 feet of the fire truck, or driving over fire hose, are subject to fines of \$1.00 to \$200.00 and costs.

Hereafter this law will be rigidly enforced in Stratford.

## Rev. Upchurch Accepts Pastorate Of Baptist Church

Rev. Edwin Upchurch has accepted the pastorate of the First Baptist Church. He accepted the call of the church which had been tendered to him Sunday at a special called meeting of the church and choir practice Wednesday night.

Rev. Upchurch will conduct services at the church Sunday. He has a wife and one child.

Rev. and Mrs. Upchurch were formerly with a pastorate at Prima, Texas.

## Local Chapter Elects FFA Sweetheart

Jean Reynolds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vern Reynolds, has been elected Sweetheart of the local F. F. A. Chapter. At a regular meeting of the Chapter held Monday night in the Agriculture room, votes were counted and a surprised group of Ag boys found that the two girls, Miss Jean Reynolds and Miss Marty McMahan, were tied.

The voting boxes were left open until the meeting was over, at which time the votes were recounted. On the re-count at the end of the meeting, Miss Reynolds won over Miss McMahan by a small margin.

A F. F. A. Sweetheart Jacket has been ordered for Miss Reynolds. It will be presented to her at a High School Party to be given by the F.F.A. Chapter. The date for the party has not been set but will be announced next month.

Miss Reynolds will represent the Stratford F.F.A. at the District Sweetheart contest. The winner of this contest will then be a contestant for the Area Sweetheart and the winner there will enter into the State Contest.

The Home Economic girls retaliated to the F.F.A. Sweetheart affair by electing a H.E. beau. He is Donald Ellison, Freshman, and first year Ag boy.

After the meeting, a joint social was held for the Home Economics girls and the F.F.A. boys.

## Precinct 3 Ready For Road Construction

County Commissioner W. T. Crabtree and the residents of Precinct 3 are all smiles over State aid paving program in which they will soon participate.

The Precinct, established as Road District 1, has voted \$100,000.00 of road bonds issued at 3 1/2% interest which are ready for acceptance of the State Highway Commission as soon as elections are held in Precincts 1 and 2. Plans of the State Highway Department are to let contracts for construction of all the roads at the same time.

## 9 New Drilling Locations; 9 Wells Tested

Nine drilling locations have been announced for Sherman County and nine completed wells have been tested by the Texas Railroad Commission.

Cities Service Oil Company Baskin "C" No. 1 is located 2,540 feet from the west and 2,490 feet from the north lines of section 406, Block 1-T.

Skelly Oil Company Ora E. Blacksten No. 1 is located 2,638 miles from the south and 2,640 feet from the west lines of section 147, Block 1-C.

Standlind Oil Company Shoup Gas Unit No. 1 is located 2,490 feet from the north and east lines of section 80, Block 1-C.

Skelly Oil Company C. A. Weatherford "B" No. B-1 is located 2,637 feet from the west and 2,638 feet from the south lines of section 140, Block 1-C.

Cities Service Oil Company Price "C" No. 1 is 2,540 feet from the north and west lines of section 380, Block 1-T.

Cities Service Oil Co. North No. 1 is 2,540 feet from the north and east lines of section 441, Block 1-T.

Kerr-McGee Industries Spur No. 1 is 1,320 feet from the north and west lines of section 30, Block 2-B.

Skelly Oil Co. No. 1 Renti Hamilton is located in the center of section 165, Block 1-C.

Skelly Oil Co. No. 1 Pugh "B" is in the center of section 189, Block 1-C.

Kerr-McGee No. 1 Hudson in section 48, Block 2-B, was completed for 5,957 million cubic feet of gas with a rock pressure of 420 pounds. The well was drilled to a depth of 3,325 feet. It produced pay from 2,995 to 3,315 feet and was treated with 12,000 gallons of acid.

United Producing Co. No. 1 William Lasley in section 172, Block 1-C, was completed for 842,000 cubic feet of gas. The well produced pay from 2,787 to 2,912 feet and was treated with 12,000 gallons of acid.

United Producing Co. No. 1 W. A. Whorton in section 137, Block 1-T, was completed for 424,000 feet of gas. The well produced pay from 2,703 to 2,805 feet and was treated with 12,000 gallons of acid.

United Producing Co. No. 2 W. A. Whorton in section 104, Block 1-T, was completed for 368,000 feet of gas. The well produced pay from 2,764 to 2,820 feet and was treated with 13,000 gallons of acid.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 Burford in section 40, Block 1-C, tested 1,842,000 cubic feet of gas from pay between 2,803 and 2,995 feet. The well was treated with 18,000 gallons of acid.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 Corry in section 7, Block 2, tested 3,218,000 cubic feet of gas from formations between 2,927 and 3,092 feet. It was treated with 17,500 gallons of acid.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 Craig "F" produced 1,069,000 cubic feet of gas from 2,740 to 2,930 feet. The well was treated with 16,000 gallons of acid.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 Walls in section 54, Block 1-C, produced 1,375,000 feet of gas with pay from 2,890 to 3,075 feet. The well was treated with 22,500 gallons of acid.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 Whorton in section 9, Block 2, produced 2,575,000 cubic feet of gas from 2,950 to 3,130 feet. The well was treated with 17,000 gallons of acid.

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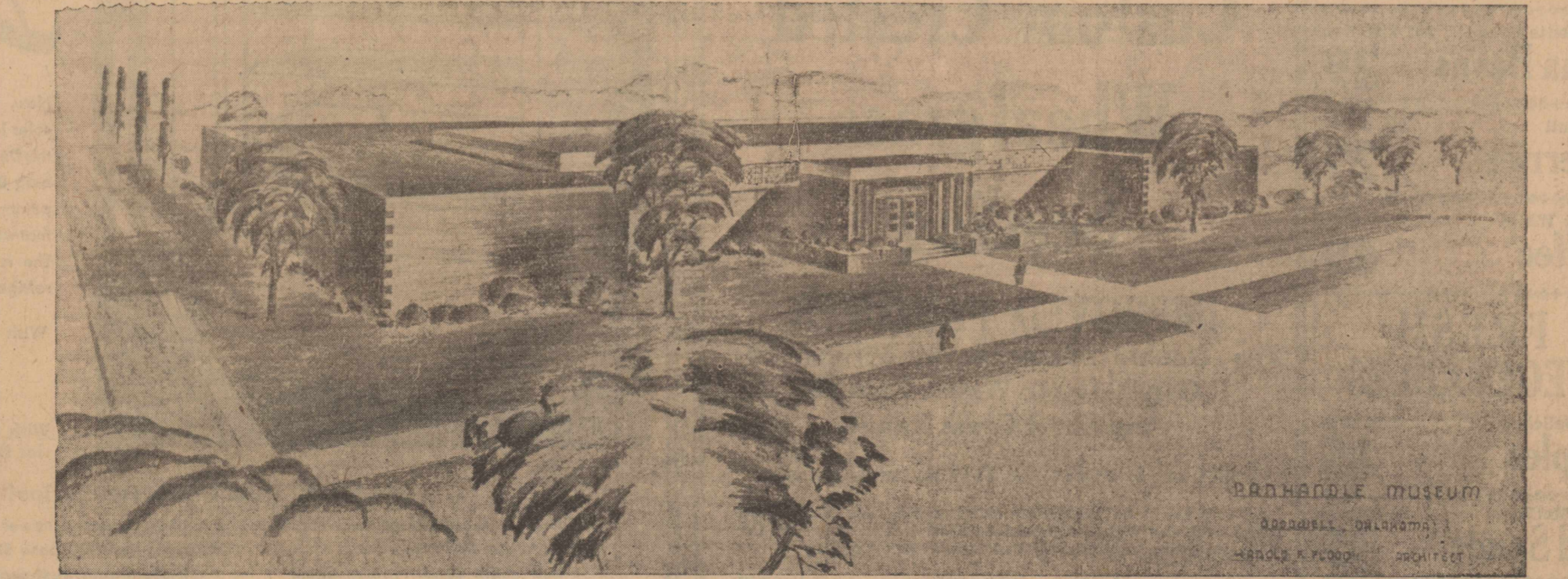
## Circle Sponsoring Bake Sale Saturday

Mary Ethel Circle of the Methodist Church is sponsoring a food sale at the Martin Hardware store Saturday. Food will go on sale at 1:00 P. M.

Donations may be made by ladies of the church by calling Mrs. W. L. Pendleton at 3611 who will arrange for the picking up of the food.

## PTA Will Meet Monday At 3:30

A meeting of the Stratford Parent-Teacher Association will be held in the school auditorium Monday at 3:30 P. M.



ARTISTS SKETCH of the Panhandle Museum. Plans are nearing completion and bids will be asked in the near future on the Panhandle's Museum building to be located on the campus of Panhandle A. & M. College at Goodwell.

The \$60,000 structure will be erected on the east edge of the A. & M. campus and will house the documents and collections matched by the Historical Society from donations received from residents of the Panhandle and others interested in the preservation of its colorful history.

The building plans call for the erection of a one-story brick building containing a total of 60,000 square feet of floor space. This will be apportioned among the museum's various departments: anthropology, art, natural history, pioneer history, museum, library, assembly room, storeroom, workshop, and offices. The museum will be open to the general public, with no admission charge.

A small amount of the Historical Societies \$30,000 pledge still remains to be raised. Donations

may be mailed to any of the following, payable to the No-Man's Land Historical Society: Marvin McKee, secretary-treasurer, Goodwell; Nolan McWhirter, curator, Goodwell; Wm. E. Baker, Boise City; Dr. I. M. Lightner, Guymon; Rev. N. A. Phillips, Hooker; Leon B. Field, Texhoma; or Elmer L. Fickel, Beaver.

### Diverted Acres May Be An Asset To Producers

Your diverted acres may be an

asset or a liability depending on their use, R. C. Buckles, chairman of the Agricultural Conservation Committee, announced to Sherman County farmers.

He explained that with surpluses accumulating in a number of major crops farmers are

faced with the problem of adjusting production to consumer needs and market demands. As a means of orderly adjustment, allotments have been provided. An allotment is the individual farmer's share of the national market.

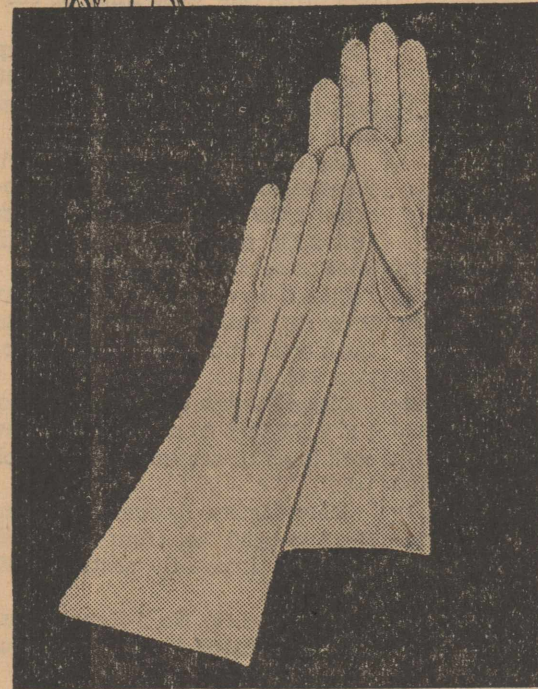
But if the land taken out of wheat is corn or other crops for which there may be allotments, and left idle and unprotected against wind and water erosion, conservation gains of the past are reduced and an opportunity to build for the future is lost.

If the poorer land is left out of production and additional attention in the form of better care and greater use of fertilizers is given to the crops on the allotted acreage, the purpose of the allotment will be defeated. Surpluses will not be reduced, and additional acreage reductions will be needed.

On the other hand, if the diverted acres are seeded to grass and legumes, either as temporary or permanent pasture, farmers will benefit from the additional income, and consumers of the country will have available more food and a better balanced diet.

But more important than the temporary gains will be the reserves for future abundant production. With population in the United States increasing at the rate of about 2 million a year, it may not be too long before these reserves will be needed to feed 170 instead of 148 million people.

What farmers do with their diverted acres may well be the turning point in national welfare. And the turn may be either in the direction of improved living standards or toward wasted land and poorer living conditions.



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### Traffic Violation Traps Vermont Car Thief

Earl Sydney Willard, giving his age as 28, is held here facing charges of passing over \$1,000.00 worth of worthless checks in Vermont and stealing a car in St. Jean, Quebec, Canada.

Willard was taken into custody by Sheriff A. L. Wilson and Chief of Police L. T. Stevens Monday night when he ran the stop sign at the intersection of U. S. Highways 54 and 287.

With Willard were three soldiers who had paid him \$26.00 each for transportation from Wyoming to a post in Texas.

Willard will be released to Vermont officers when extradition proceedings are completed.

### Home-Like Atmosphere Too Much for Burglar

BROOKLYN.—A burglar made himself so much at home in a Brooklyn house he was ransacking—sitting down to a bottle of whisky and a television show—that he could not bear to leave even to escape capture by the police.

The prisoner said he was Joseph Motyka, 46 years old, and gave his address at 115 Mott street. He told the police he had passed most of Tuesday night in his favorite Bowery taverns watching wrestling matches and other sports programs on the television screens in the bars. How he got to Brooklyn, Motyka did not rightly recall.

### RINGED EATING

For an interesting edible centerpiece pour corn bread batter into a greased ring mold. When baked fill the ring with creamed ham and serve immediately.

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### Gangland Victim's Body Left at Hospital Door

REVERE, MASS.—The emergency gong at Revere Memorial hospital changed early one day. Two nurses, who were having a cup of tea, answered the summons. As they swung open the door, the propped up body of a gangland victim slid into the reception hall at their feet.

The dead man was identified as Robert S. Holmes, 36, wanted for a Lawrence, Mass., bank robbery. Police said he had died an hour earlier from a bullet wound.

Gangland's vengeance, police believed, was the result of an alleged attempt by Holmes to withhold part of the \$10,000 loot of a recent dice game in Woburn, Mass.

Holmes, a state prison parolee, was the last of four participants in the Lawrence bank robbery in 1936 to meet a violent death.

Delivery of Holmes's body was well timed to take advantage of one of the most quiet periods at the hospital. The time was 4:45. Only one person in addition to the two nurses apparently heard the gong. She was Jean Boucher, a patient.

She looked out a window and saw two hatless men run from the hospital steps to an automobile whose motor was running, and speed away.

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### Kansas Couple Married Here Saturday

Miss Wanda Moyer and Alfred Samel Luna were married Saturday in the parsonage of the Methodist Church by Rev. H. A. Nichols.

The bride and groom were residents of Ulysses, Kansas.

### Two Cases In County Court

Two cases involving hunting out of season have been tried in County Court. E. C. Shipley and R. H. Peery, each charged with shooting a Bob White quail out of season, were each fined \$71.10.

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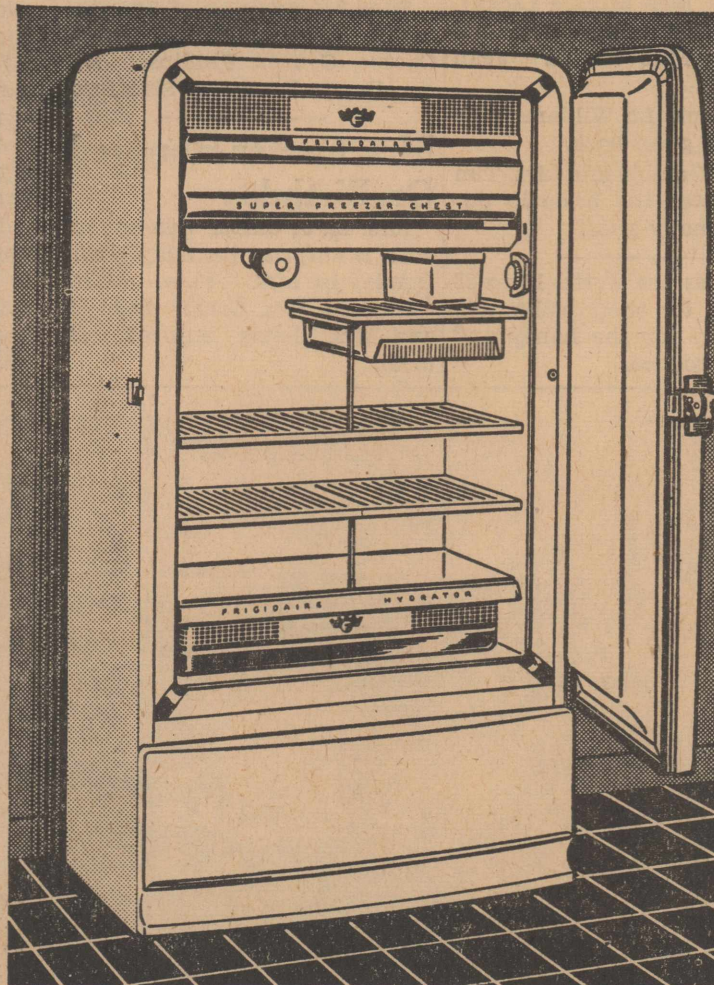


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### Hunting Party Leaves For Wyoming

Claude Sloan, Leslie Parker, Floyd Brannan, Jim Taylor, H. L. McMahan, Luther Browder, Wesley Browder, James Craig, Claude Whitaker left early this morning for Jackson, Wyoming where they plan to spend a few days hunting deer, elk, and bear.

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### Splutterfuss

(The Editor Speaking)

The waves in my hair once caused by youth and vitality have long since been replaced by the silvery pathway of the discouraged, who having lost hope in their own efforts, have sought solace at the wailing wall.

In voicing their desires this week I champion the cause of one of the city's most useful institutions, now tottering and threatened with oblivion. Founded by our City Fathers of yester-

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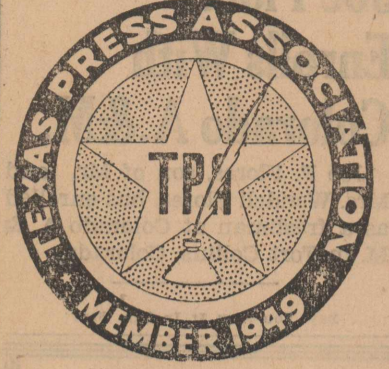


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years it has served as a place of public barter where no commission has been charged. It has been the servant of the wealthy. It has been the welcome home of the castaway. It has opened its resources to the poor and distressed in time of need and catastrophe. It has been the playground of children, the salvage place for values of the misguided. Yet like many of our beneficiary institutions it is threatened with oblivion through lack of its own power to defend itself.

In taking into consideration the past services of such a worthy institution, I make this appeal to the heads of our City government. As the time of the year is nearing when the treasury will be richest, will you please give consideration to an appropriation which will make the "City Dump Ground" again accessible to the public.

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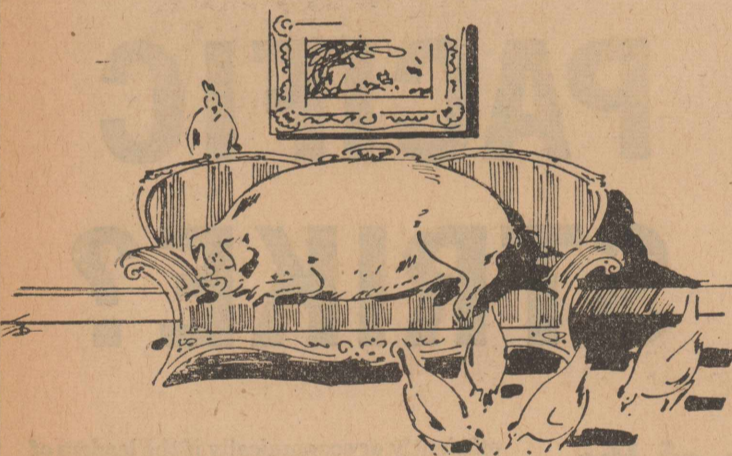
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### Radiation

Some Blood Resistant

DETROIT. — Certain blood cells have been found to be resistant to atomic radiation, it was reported by Commander John L. Tullis, who served as a navy pathologist at the Bikini bomb tests.

Commander Tullis, reporting to the federation of American societies for victims whose "primitive stem" cells had staved off immediate death had the best chance for recovery if treatment could be started within a day.

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(b) Contest limited to continental U.S. and Alaska.

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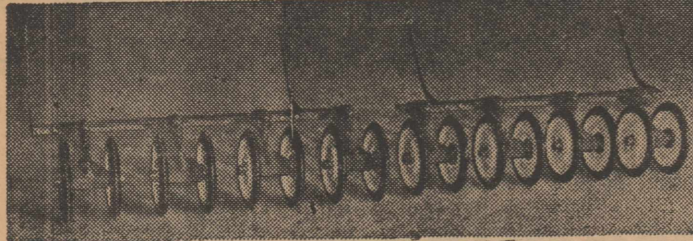
The school maintenance tax election held at Texhoma, Texas Saturday carried by a 7 to 1 vote. The election spreads the main-

tenance tax of the Texhoma Independent School District over the recently consolidated districts 6 and 13, better known as the Coldwater and Parsons districts.

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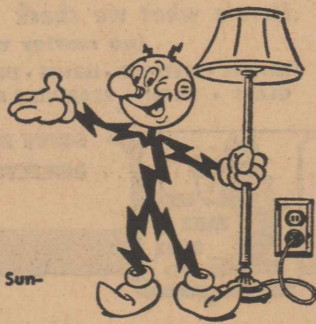
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FOR SALE: 6:00x16 wheels with tires, 1 1/2 inch axle for trailer. — R. O. Dickson. 52-tfc

FOR SALE: House with four rooms and a bath. Frame and stucco structure completed this year. — T. O. C. Motor Co. 45-tfc

SEWING MACHINES — Repairs, electrical conversions of all types, guaranteed work, parts and supplies, complete rebuilding service. — J. D. Owen, Hi-Plains Furniture Co. 52-4tp

HOUSE FOR SALE: 6 room and bath on pavement on Fulton Street. Front and back lawn (play area). Priced reasonably. — Wright Davis. 47-tfc

WE HAVE the new Tappan Gas Ranges with chrome oven and usual light oven doors. — Van B. Boston. 28-tfc

FOR SALE: Oliver-Cockssett broadcast Binder, in good condition, has cut 320 acres. — Chuck Smith. 50-2tp

FOR SALE: House and 3 lots on South Main Street. — J. R. Parker, D. C. 50-3tc

FOR RENT: New floor sander and edger, by the hour or the day. — Van B. Boston. 51-tfc

FOR SALE: King E flat Alto Saxophone, in good condition, with leather case. — Mrs. Bill Lasley.

PIANO FOR SALE: A repossessed spinet piano to be sold immediately in this community for balance due on contract. For details write Clark-Shaw Music Store, 204 N. Main, Garden City, Kansas. 50-3tc

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WANTED: A reliable firm or individual to sell Acme Custom Made Venetian Blinds, excellent opportunity to earn a high salary or profit. Write or Wire Acme Venetian Blind Co., Box 2043, Amarillo, for more particulars. 50-3tc

WANTED: Housekeeper, nice house available if satisfactory. References. — Mrs. W. N. Price, Phone 3071. 49-tfc

FOR SALE: My home and furnished rent house on corner of North 6th and Wall Street. — A. J. Gunzelman. 41-tfc

FOR SALE: Telephone office building to be moved off lot; will be available as soon as vacated. — Elmer Hudson. 28-tfc

WANTED: A Christian lady who loves children, to work in a church nursery on Sunday and Wednesday afternoons. Call 3226. 51-tfc

WANTED: House with two bed rooms for school teacher. — C. D. Holmes. 44-tfc

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LOST or misplaced: Green steel rubber tired wheelbarrow. Please return or notify Graydon Gamble. 47-tfc

Long distance household moving. Years of service your guarantee of satisfaction. — Bruce & Son Transfer & Storage Agents, North American Van Lines, Inc., Phone 192, Borger, Texas. 29-tfc

FOR SALE: 5-room house and bath, on pavement on Chestnut between 5th and 6th Streets. — Walter Lee. 37-tfc

FOR SALE: Delco and Firestone Batteries, \$4.00 for old battery on trade. — Walden Service Station. 30-tfc

WD-9 Tractor and 15-foot Krause plow for sale. See or write Walter Lusk, 3408 West 9th, Amarillo. Equipment may be seen at Texhoma. 51-4tp

FOR SALE: 1949 Lincoln cosmopolitan. Call Dr. or Mrs. Pearson at 2351 or 3351.

FOR SALE: Firestone and Mansfield tires, free tube with each tire sold. — Walden Service Station. 30-tfc

FOR SALE: 4-burner gas cook stove, kitchen cabinet and four chairs. — W. L. Hankey. 51-2tp

FOR SALE: Used 6-foot Servel Electrolux Refrigerator. — Sloan Hardware Co. 51-1tc

### Miss Ramon Is Attending TSCW At Denton

Miss Patria Ramon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Z. G. Ramon, is a student at Texas State College for Women at Denton, Texas. Miss Ramon is in her freshman year at the college.

### Joe Flores Enrolls With Colorado A.&M.

Joe P. Flores, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Flores, has enrolled as a freshman at Colorado A. & M. in Fort Collins, Colorado.

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Advertisement for the 1949 Pontiac, listing features like "The Year's Outstanding Beauty" and "Lowest Priced Car with GM Hydra-Matic Drive".

Advertisement for Stratford Motor Co. featuring a cartoon of a man at a desk and the text "U.S.A. Has A Wonderful Method For Rejuvenating Old Cars. Call - STRATFORD MOTOR CO."

# WHY THE MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILROAD STRIKE?

Over twenty years ago, the Congress of the United States passed the Railway Labor Act. It was hailed by union leaders as a model for the settlement of labor disputes.

efficiently or economically if the leaders of the unions ignore agreements or laws.

### Provisions of the Law which are Disregarded

There are five ways under the Railway Labor Act to settle disputes over the meaning of contracts:

- 1—Decision by National Railroad Adjustment Board.
- 2—Decision by System Adjustment Board for the specific railroad.
- 3—Decision by arbitration.
- 4—Decision by neutral referee.
- 5—Decision by courts.

The Missouri Pacific Railroad has been and is entirely willing to have these disputes settled in accordance with the requirements of the Railway Labor Act. Regardless of this fact, the union leaders have shut down that railroad.

### Innocent Bystanders Suffer Losses and Hardships

There are about 5,000 engineers, firemen, conductors and trainmen on the Missouri Pacific. They are known as "operating" employees, and are the most highly paid of all employees on the nation's railroads, but their strike action has resulted in the loss of work to 22,500 other employees of the Missouri Pacific. In addition, they have imposed great inconvenience and hardship upon the public and the communities served by that railroad.

The Railway Labor Act was designed to protect the public against just such interruptions of commerce.

If these men will not comply with the provisions of the law for the settlement of such disputes, then all thinking Americans must face the question, "What is the next step?"

### President Truman's Board Condemns Strike

There is an established legal method for handling disputes involving existing written contracts—just as there is such a method of settling any contract dispute which you may have in your daily life.

The President of the United States appointed a Fact Finding Board to investigate and adjust the Missouri Pacific dispute. This Board reported, in part, as follows:

"... it is with a deep sense of regret that we are obliged to report the failure of our mission. It seems inconceivable to us that a coercive strike should occur on one of the nation's major transportation systems, with all of the losses and hardships that would follow, in view of the fact that the Railway Labor Act provides an orderly, efficient and complete remedy for the fair and just settlement of the matters in dispute. Grievances of the character here under discussion are so numerous and of such frequent occurrence on all railroads that the general adoption of the policy pursued by the organization in this case would soon result in the complete nullification of the Railway Labor Act..."

Obviously the railroads cannot be run

### There is no Need for Strikes

With all of the available methods for the interpretation of contracts, there is no need for a strike or even a threat of a strike, but the leaders of these railroad unions have ignored the ordinary procedures established by law and insist upon imposing their own interpretations of their contracts by means of a strike.

The wheels have stopped rolling on the Missouri Pacific. They may stop rolling on other railroads at any time. Recently the Wabash Railroad was forced to discontinue operation for several days under similar circumstances.

### What are These Strikes About?

These strikes and strike threats are not about wage rates or hours. They result from disputes over the meaning of existing contracts. They cover claims for a full day's pay for less than a day's work, or for payments for services performed by others who were fully paid for the work done.



**Announce Birth Of Daughter**

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rogers of

Santa Ana, California, announce the arrival of their baby daughter, Robyn Thea, 7 pounds 6 ounces, born September 16.

Mrs. Rogers is the former Doris Blevins who used to reside in Stratford.

**Church News**

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
(Edwin Upchurch, Pastor)  
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.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
(C. E. Ritchie, Minister)  
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 8:00 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.  
Rev. John Reaves, Pastor.

**METHODIST CHURCH**  
(Rev. H. A. Nichols, Pastor)  
Church School 10:00 A. M.  
Morning Worship 10:55 A. M.  
Evening services at 8:00 o'clock.

Junior, Intermediate and Senior MYF at 7:00 P. M.  
W. S. C. S. Wednesday at 2:30 P. M.  
Choir practice Wednesday night at 7:30.

Thursday night is intermediate play night from 7:00 to 8:00 P. M.

**No New Ideas Presented As Jap Drama Season On**  
TOKYO.—Japan's theatrical season opened without a single new idea to disturb its hidebound tranquillity.

Conservative, older Japanese were having themselves the usual fine, fearful time at the Kabuki plays. The only things about Kabuki that have changed in the last 400 years are the cast and the audience.

Kabuki lasts from four to five hours, during which everybody has a crying good time. This is not to scoff at a highly stylized native art form which has its own peculiar beauty for the Japanese.

But it is almost like playing Shakespeare without any change in the original productions and to the exclusion of modern drama.

Among the current productions at Tokyo's 15 leading theaters, only the musicians show a touch of originality or promise. Although they follow the pattern of an American stage show rather than a musical plot, the sets and costumes are gay and ingenious if the routines are not. The music is suspiciously familiar but lively.

There is no such thing in Japan as a living modern theater, although scores of timely subjects are crying for dramatic expression. A "hit" play is unknown; there are no top-notch playwrights.

**Two Pilots Set New Mark For Endurance Flights**  
FULLERTON, CALIF.—Six weeks of droning monotonously through the skies ended for Bill Barris and Dick Riedel after they had boosted the world's endurance record to 1,008 hours.

Tired, but smiling and fresh-shaven, the two Fullerton airport employees were able to walk away from their little Aeronca monoplane, The Sunkist Lady, without help.

"We're pooped, but we'll be all right in a short time," said the 36-year-old, graying Barris. "The worst thing was the monotony of the engine. It just about drove us crazy. We'd never try it again. This is our last try."

His blond partner, Riedel, 34, was first out of the plane. He quickly embraced his wife, June, and two children, Dickie, 10, in a wheel chair with arthritis, and Barbara, 4. Barris' wife, Betty, and their two children, Patty, 2, and Steven, 1, were right there, too.

An estimated crowd of 8,000—half of Fullerton's population and then some—turned out to welcome the boys back to the field.

**Miss Davis Returns To Hardin-Simmons**  
Miss Alana Davis is among the 1,800 students enrolled this fall at Hardin-Simmons University.

Miss Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Davis, is a sophomore at the university and a

member of the Cowgirl Band.

**Carroll Parker Expected Home Next Week**

Carroll Parker, ill since June

25, is expected to be able to return home the first of next week. Of late he has been staying at the home of relatives in Cordell, Oklahoma and reporting periodically to specialists in Oklahoma City. In his last letter to relatives here, he expressed the hope that he would be released from treatment Monday.

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**Local News**

Fate Morris has been released from Dumas Memorial Hospital where he was taken Sunday

by Mrs. Morris and Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Carter for medical observation and treatment. H. L. Harrison, Midland, Texas, visited his mother, Mrs. A. L. Harrison, Saturday.

Mrs. Ernest Lovelace and her brother, Chester Plunk, attended the falling showing of merchandise in Amarillo Monday. Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Cooper of Ness City, Kansas, and Mrs. Maude Yates of Texhoma were guests of Mrs. H. J. Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates Sunday.

Mrs. Marguerite Wilson and son, John Marvin, were guests of Dr. Leta Boswell and son, Mack, in Canyon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal Pendleton returned home Sunday from Canyon where they have been visiting with Mrs. Pendleton's father.

Miss Beatrice Kalka and Mrs. Demus Eller and daughter, Charlotte, visited relatives in White

Deer Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. E. J. Massie and son have returned home from a week's visit with relatives in Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Harding and Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Denney spent the week-end at Clayton, New Mexico and Lake Weatherly.

Charles Cameron and Dick Cline of Amarillo are in Galveston where Mr. Cameron is visiting his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Etheridge were visitors at Boys Ranch Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Leonard are leaving today for a business visit in Lubbock and Wichita Falls, Texas.

C. F. Meinhardt made a business trip to Santa Fe, New Mexico this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Calvird are visitors in Temple, Texas.

M. H. Harrison was a business visitor in Amarillo Monday.

Harold Leonard and O. L. Escue were visitors in Dalhart Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Duard Lamb and Bob Ferguson spent the week-end at Toas and Red River, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McAdams, Lovington, New Mexico, spent the latter part of last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry White and children, Elizabeth and Bob, of Mangum, Oklahoma, visited in the home of Mrs. White's mother, Mrs. A. L. Harrison, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Grimes were visitors in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Donelson and Mrs. J. K. Richardson left Wednesday, Mrs. Richardson going for a visit with her son, Dr. Kenneth Richardson and family in Sweetwater, and the Donelsons going on to south Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Odie Elder, Salinas, California, visited his sisters, Mrs. Frank Ross and Mrs.



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**Q. Where do they come from and how are they identified?**  
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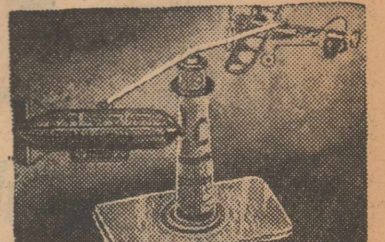
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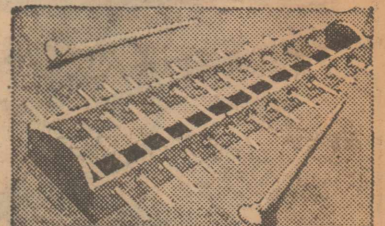
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### Methodist Ladies Met Wednesday At Church

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ident, presided at the business present. Mrs. C. W. Moon, president. Mrs. Agnes Foster arranged a beautiful and artistic worship center, carrying out the lesson theme on Japan. She used an open Bible with a teakwood salad bowl, rice bowls, a silk center piece and a lovely Japanese vase with an unusual flower arrangement.

Mrs. J. G. Cummings read a letter from Mrs. Harry Sears' sister who lives in Japan, describing a bride's wedding dress, all of which was very interesting and amusing. Mrs. W. P. Cummings reviewed the supplementary book for our study, Seven

### 5% Probe



WASHINGTON, D.C. — Herbert C. Hathorn, formerly with the sugar branch of the Agriculture Department, told the Senate "5%" probes that White House Aide Maj. Gen. Harry Vaughan threatened to "get my job" when John Maragon, central figure in the Senate investigation, was attempting to lift an order suspending the molasses quota of the Allied Molasses Co., Perth Amboy, N. J.

### Stars.

Mrs. A. L. King gave the second chapter of the study of Japan. As a capable leader, she soon, had her class all eager to study and learn more about the Christian life in Japan.

Mrs. A. L. Harrison dismissed the meeting with prayer.

### PANCAKE TIMES

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### FHA Girls Elect Officers

F.H.A. girls elected officers for the year in a meeting held in the study hall of the high school building Monday night. New officers elected are: President, Jean Reynolds; Vice-President, Jenelle Reynolds; Secretary, Kathryn Newman; Treasurer, Georgana Skillin; Parliamentarian, Thelma McDaniel; Reporter, Mary Lou Garoutte; Historian, Jean Harrison; Song leader, Mildred Bennett; Pianist, Charlotte Paris.

Jean Reynolds was elected F. F. A. sweetheart. Donald Ellison was elected F. H. A. beau. This was announced at a dance in the study hall after the meetings of the F.H.A. and F.F.A. adjourned.

Dancing was enjoyed for about an hour. Refreshments of pop and candy were served.

### Delegation Attends Association Meeting In Dumas

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Taylor, Mrs. Royal Pendleton, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Steel, Mrs. Mollie Davis, Mrs. Joe Brown, Miss Helen Pemberton and Judge L. P. Hunter attended a meeting of the Baptist Trans-Canadian Association Tuesday in Dumas.

### Mrs. Pronger Gets Old Settler's Reunion Orchid

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pronger and P. J. Pronger returned home Wednesday morning from Wichita Falls and Iowa Park, Texas where they attended an old settler's reunion. Mrs. Pronger was awarded an orchid for being the old settler who traveled farthest to the reunion.

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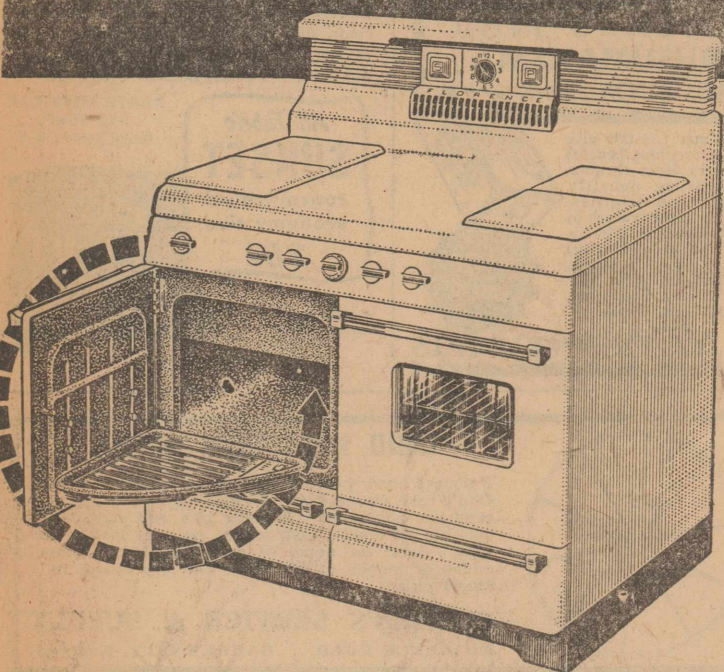
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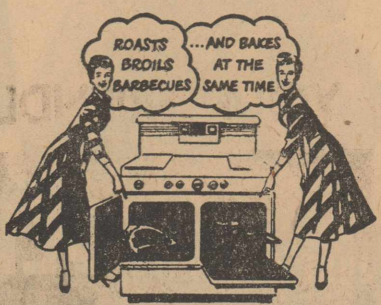
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Sanders' feat came about in the prone rapid fire matches on the 200 yard line. Seven shooters were tied with perfect scores on the initial run, and it was necessary to continue firing in the eliminations.

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- 1 teaspoon salt
- 2 tablespoons sugar
- 3 tablespoons melted shortening

- 1 Beat egg; stir in milk, All-Bran, applesauce, raisins.
- 2 Add sifted dry ingredients; stir only until combined.
- 3 Stir in melted shortening.
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**That Nagging Backache**

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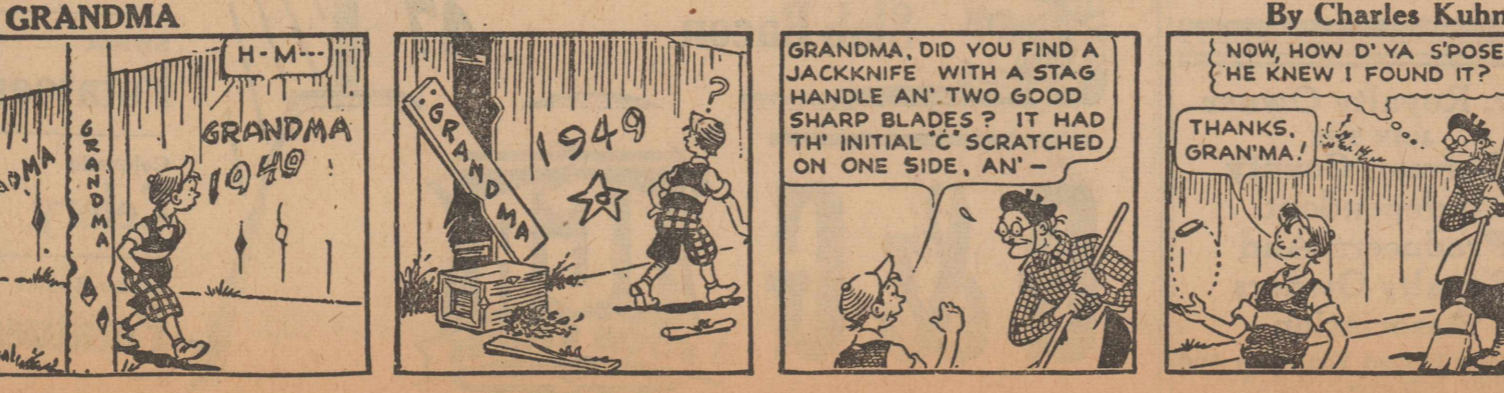
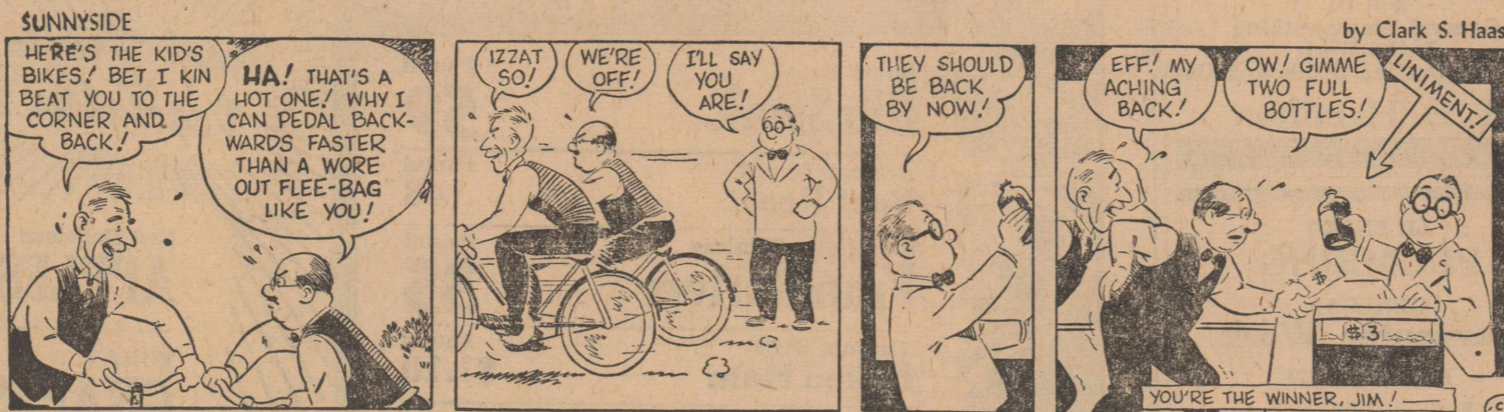
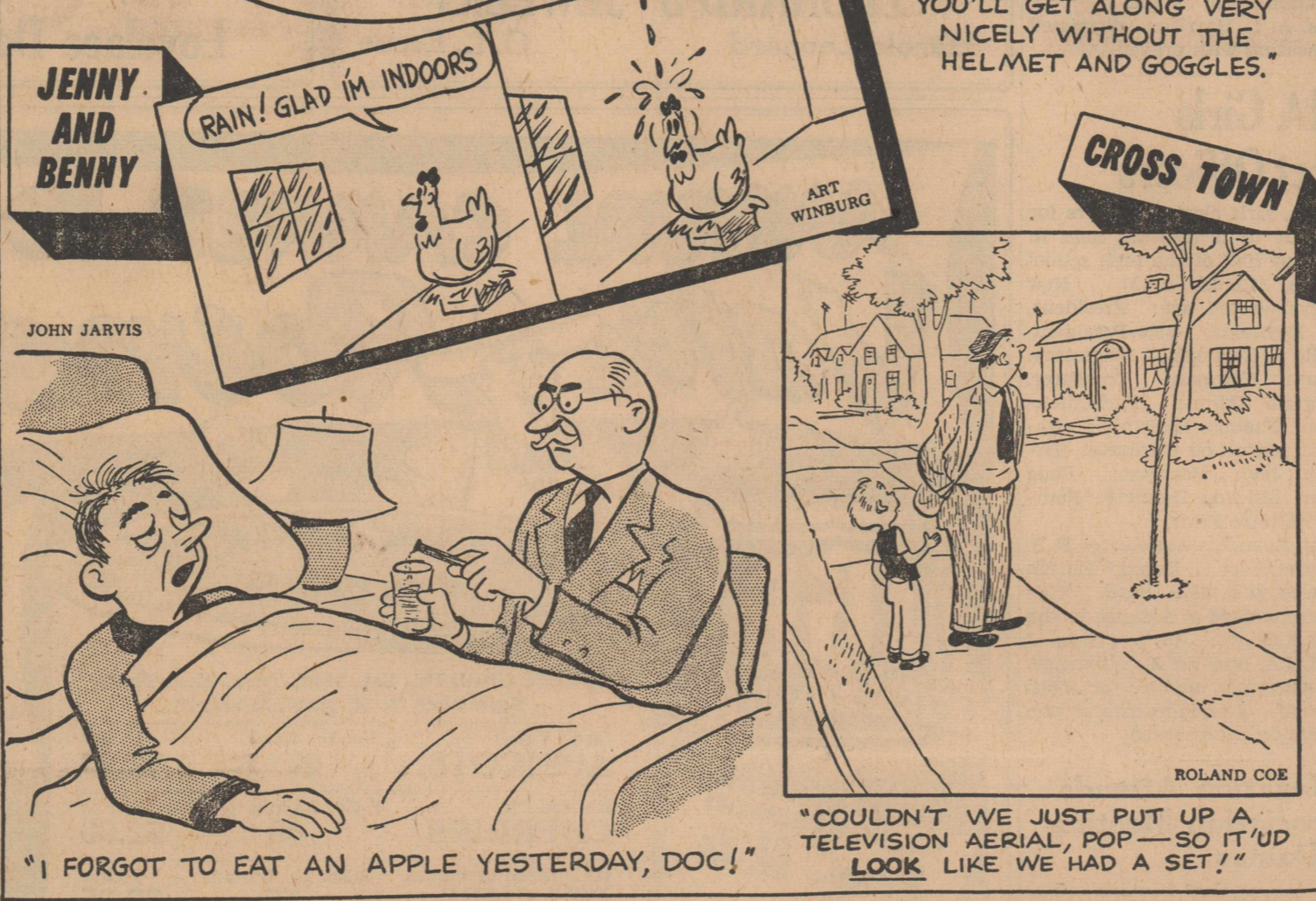
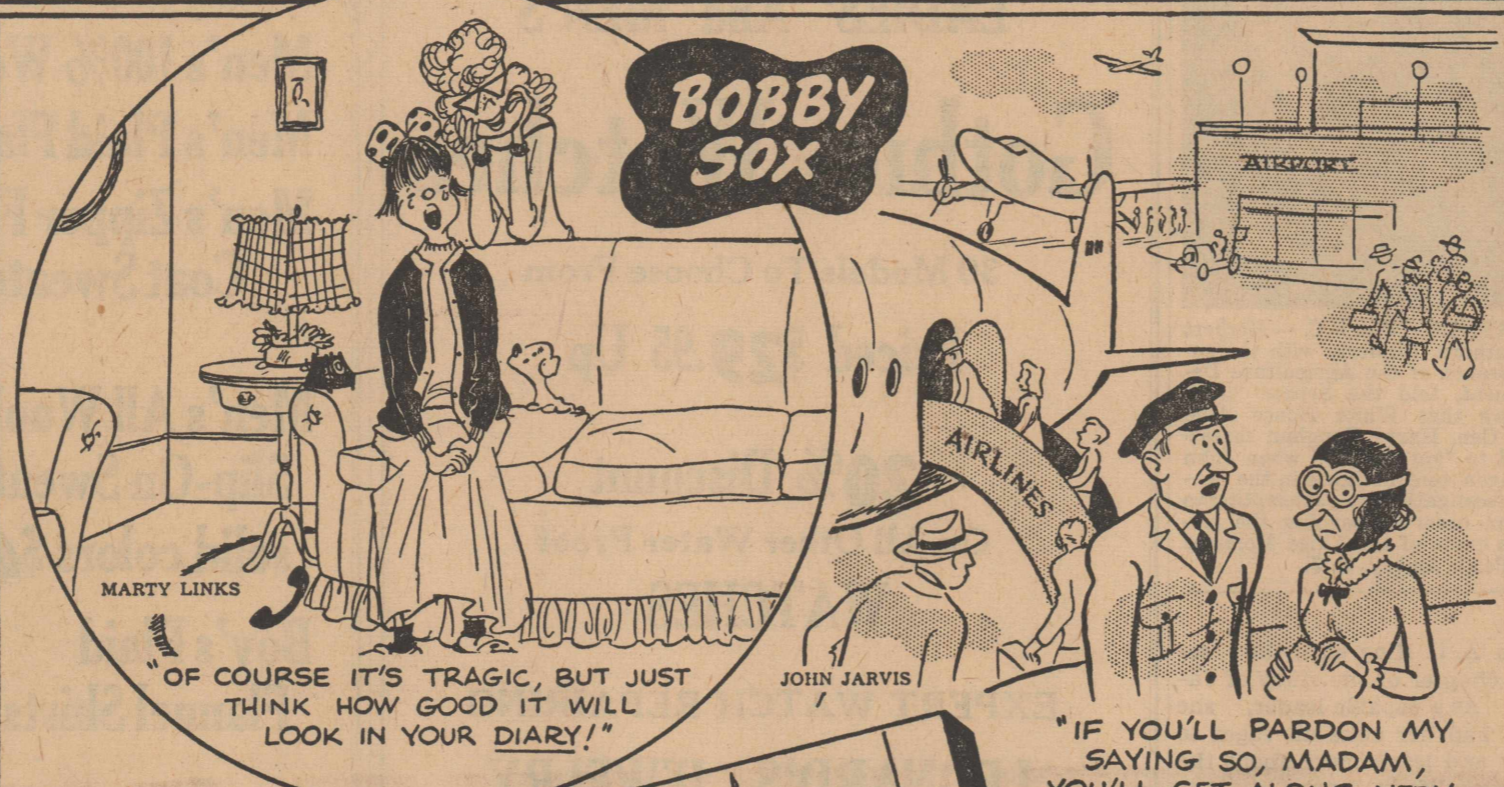
Modern life with its hurry and worry, irregular habits, improper eating and drinking—is a risk of exposure and infection—throws heavy strain on the work of the kidneys. They are apt to become over-taxed and fail to filter excess acid and other impurities from the life-giving blood.

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the store and demanded to know what a preferred creditor was. "Well, mine friend," said Rosenkrantz, "you are a preloved creditah because you know now dot you aind't goin' to get anyting but de odders won't know for toity days."

**No Deal**  
"Why don't you get a new suit," scolded his wife, "you look positively terrible in that shabby old thing."

"I went down to the tailor yesterday," explained her husband, "and told him I didn't want any cuffs on my new clothes. He told me he couldn't give me any clothes on the cuff."

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**'MUGGERS' ACTIVE**

# Terror Keeps Park Empty

**NEW YORK.**—Fear of mugging, purse snatching and terrorism by youthful gangs is keeping residents in the vicinity of Central park out

of the park after dark despite an increased detail of detectives and plainclothes men.  
Police officials said that the situation is well in hand. They cited the fact that there has been no increase of crime reported from within the park. Their reports showed a greater number of arrests of degenerates since March 1 than in the comparable period a year ago.  
Police statistics also showed a

greater number of depredations by juveniles for the same period. But on the whole, one police official said the picture is no worse than in previous years.  
E. Ross Winkler, superintendent of the Fifth avenue hospital, 106th street and Fifth avenue, said that staff doctors and members of the nursing staff had said they "would not go into the park after dark on a bet."

**Purses Snatched**

He said there had been several purse snatching cases by juveniles in the last year from hospital employees walking at night outside the park on Fifth avenue. He also reported considerable vandalism in the neighborhood with car windows being smashed and accessories stolen.  
The hospital's emergency room reported that they treated four persons stabbed in the park who had to be hospitalized.

Officials at Mount Sinai hospital, 100th street and Fifth avenue, said they believed the situation in the park was better now than it has been in a long time. However, many expressed doubts that they would walk in the park after dark.  
The latest serious incident reported occurred in the park near 18th street. John F. Elliott, 45-year-old importer of Mexican fabrics, of 993 Fifth avenue, said he was walking near the weather station when two frightened boys, about 12 years old, ran up to him. A gang of fifteen youths, between 16 and 15 years old, was on their heels.

**Gang stalks Man**

The two boys asked Mr. Elliott to escort them out of the park because they were afraid. The trio walked toward Fifth avenue with the gang trailing. A block from the avenue Mr. Elliott told the boys to go ahead; they had nothing to fear. The boys ran followed by half the gang. The rest of the gang stalked behind Mr. Elliott.

Falling to catch the two boys that part of the gang walked back towards Mr. Elliott. Suddenly he was struck on the shoulder with the limb of a tree, then tackled and thrown to the ground. He fought back and the gang fled after he had received a sharp "punch" in the back.

Elliott was treated at Fifth avenue hospital by Dr. Alphonso A. Lombardi for a stab wound in the chest, a cut lip and two black eyes. The blade of the knife, at least three inches long, pierced the covering around Mr. Elliott's right lung causing a partial collapse. He remained in the hospital for a week.

**Monument Is Being Planned For Famed Old Gun-Runner**

**JACKSONVILLE, FLA.** — Plans are being made to recondition and preserve here as a monument to Florida-Cuba friendship a historic old sea vessel which smuggled men and arms to Cuban insurgents before the outbreak of the Spanish-American War.  
The vessel is the Three Friends, built in Jacksonville in 1895. She holds the stories of many desperate adventures within her wooden hull.

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Mrs. Dorcas B. Foster, Broward's grandmother, and W. T. Coppedge, who gave her the vessel three years ago, are working to recondition the famous old ship.

## Shirley Mae France



**DOVER, ENGLAND.**—Shirley Mae France, shown receiving some of her birthday parcels from the Royal Mail van on the occasion of her 17-birthday, The American girl in England to make an attempt to swim the English Channel, trained under the supervision of her father, Mr. Walter France, and her school coach, Harry Boudiken.

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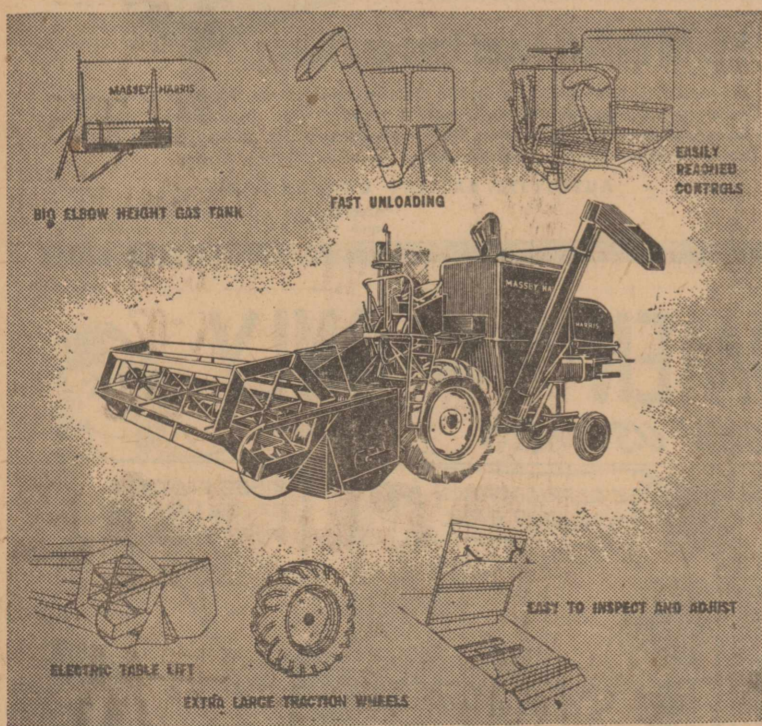
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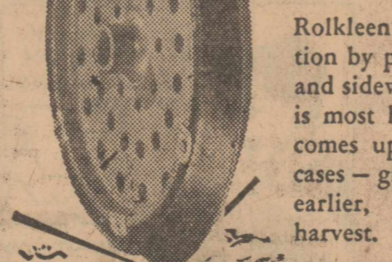
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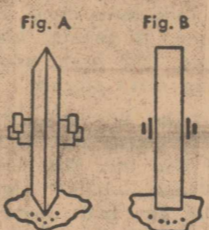
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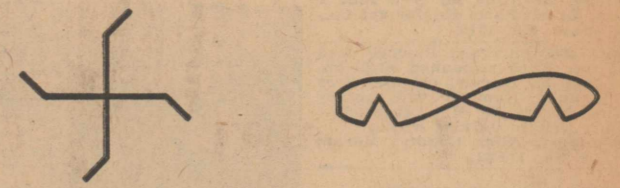
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Garden Fresh		
Concentrated Frozen	Orange Juice	27
	Fresh Frosted Fordhook	12 Oz.
	LIMAS	39
	Golden Ripe	1 Pound
	Bananas	15
	Colorado	1 Pound
	Bell Peppers	13
	New Crop White ONIONS	7
	Sunkist Grapefruit	10

Large Calif.	Lettuce	17
BABY RUTH OR	Butterfinger Chips	47
Tasty Brimfull Strawberry	Preservés	63
		2 Lb. Jar

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