

## Visiting Cagers Must Have Bedrooms

Superintendent R. W. Standefer, Jr., is seeking additional space in private homes to accommodate several basketball players who will be in Stratford next week to play in the annual invitation basketball tournament which opens next Thursday at 1:30 P. M.

Tournament tickets may be secured at the school building. To make handling of the crowd easier, those who have passes or purchase all-tournament tickets are requested to enter the building by the west entrance. The front door of the building will be used by those paying separate admissions for each session of the games they attend.

Boys teams from Estelline, Adrian, Spearman, Stinnett, Price College, White Deer, Channing, Sunray, Hartley and Stratford will play in the double elimination tournament.

Girls teams from Stratford, Spearman, St. Mary's, White Deer and Estelline will play. Girls teams have been cut short by the conflicting girls tourney being held at Sunray on the same dates.

## Cattle Poison Case Scheduled For February Court

Sam Wohlford, Sherman County rancher, and state representative for the 95th Legislative district, has indicated that a damage suit he has filed against the American Gas Production Company may be heard during the February term of federal court at Amarillo.

The suit, which seeks damages totaling \$33,750, was filed last October in connection with alleged contamination of pasture land and poisoning of 38 head of cattle in the neighborhood of a gas well on Wohlford's farm in June and July of '51.

Plaintiff's petition charges that the American Gas Production Company, a West Virginia corporation, allowed the well to discharge gas into the open air and deposit quantities of arsenic "or other poisons" on the surrounding grass and soil.

The petition alleges these deposits destroyed the value of pasture on 320 acres and contaminated the soil for a period of approximately five years. It seeks damages of \$8,000 for loss of the pasture and \$20,000 for the land.

The petition further alleges the cattle died as a result of poisoning caused by operations at the well, and seeks compensation of \$9,850 for the 38 head.

Federal Judge Joe B. Dooley has announced he will call the civil docket in federal court at Amarillo Saturday morning and set several pending cases for hearing during the term of court which begins February 2.

Wohlford is represented by the Amarillo law firm of Gibson, Ochsner, Harlan, Kinney & Morris.

Defendants are represented by Culton, Morgan, Britain & White, Amarillo, C. C. Mammack and W. B. Weaver of Fort Worth, and Joe Gentry and F. H. Bacon of Bartlesville, Oklahoma.

## Representative To Leave Sunday For Austin

State Representative and Mrs. Sam Wohlford plan to leave Sunday for Austin, Texas. He will take office Tuesday of next week as the State Representative of the 95th Legislative District. The oaths of office will be taken at noon.

The governor's inauguration has been set for the following Tuesday.

### CARD OF THANKS

Thanks a million for the cards, letters, flowers and visits while I was in the hospital. May the good Lord bless and keep you all.

Van B. Boston

### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere appreciation for the cards, letters and flowers I received while I was in the hospital.

L. F. Denney

# THE STRATFORD STAR

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## Chester Crow To Speak Sunday At Christian Church



Chester Crow, Director of Religious Education for the Christian Church of Texas, will speak at the morning and evening services at the First Christian Church Sunday. He will meet with church committees Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Crow has headquarters in Fort Worth. The Department of Religious Education seeks to serve the Christian Churches of Texas by providing a program of Leadership Training for all persons who work in the church, a summer camping program for Young People, and the placement of Directors of Religious Education to local churches.

Mr. Crow came to this job on October 1, 1949, after a pastorate of more than nine years with the Hyde Park Christian Church at Austin, Texas. He is a graduate of T. C. U. and Brite College. A native of Austin, he is widely known throughout the Brotherhood of Disciples of Christ. He is currently serving as President of the Religious Education Field Workers Association of the Disciples of Christ.

## Duard Lamb Finally Scores A Real Birthday

Until the past Christmas Eve, Duard Lamb was numbered among those born during the Christmas season, who really never had a full birthday celebration.

For a long time his wife has planned for that first birthday party for him, and last year it became a realization.

Duard was 26 on December 24. Since he is particularly fond of everyone of his agricultural students, Mrs. Lamb invited them to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Gibney in Dalhart, to join in the celebration. The invitations issued by Mrs. Lamb requested that presents be omitted.

The boys arrived at the Dalhart home at 10:30 and remained until afternoon.

The first course of the buffet menu was served from a long table covered in silver metallic paper and centered with a snow scene and holly. The lighted birthday cake and Christmas confections were on the lace-covered dining table, having a Yule centerpiece, silver appointments and lighted with green tapers. Mrs. Lloyd Loftin, the former Pat Gibney, served coffee.

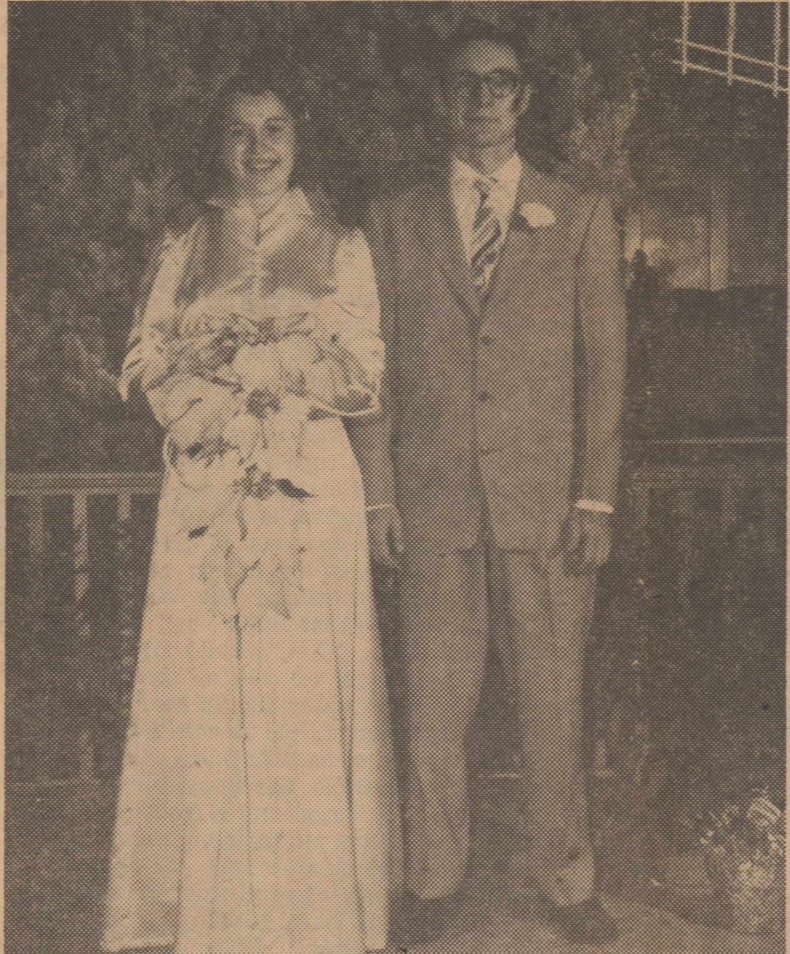
## Davis Motor Co. Has Two '53 Model Cars For Display Friday

L. J. Davis announces that two models of the 1953 Chevrolet will be on display in the Davis Motor Co. showroom Friday and Saturday.

The new models are described as startlingly new and wonderfully different.

New features of the car include: entirely new styling, entirely new power, entirely new powerglide, entirely new economy, entirely new safety, entirely new durability and entirely new power steering.

## Wed In Pretty Church Service



Miss Jean Reynolds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vern Reynolds of Conlen, and Joe Everett, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Everett, exchanged double-ring nuptial vows in the First Methodist Church on Saturday evening, December 27.

Rev. H. A. Nichols read the ceremony before an altar flanked by poinsettias and a background formed of evergreen and candelabra bearing tall white tapers.

Miss Martha Crabtree registered the guests as they entered the church. As the guests assembled, Mrs. Martha Harrison played an organ prelude. As a background for the exchange of vows, "Clair de Lune" was played softly. Mrs. Keith Green sang "Through the Years," and as a benediction she sang "The Lord's Prayer."

The traditional wedding marches were used for the professional and recessional.

Candles were lighted by Douglas Carter and Lyle Wakefield.

The bride was escorted to the altar and given in marriage by her father. She wore a white slipper satin floor length gown designed with a pointed basque, self covered buttons down the front, and a pointed wing collar held with a pearl necklace, a gift from the groom. Long sleeves tapered to points over her hands.

## Flora Foreman Circle Has Mission Study Lesson

The Flora Foreman Circle met in the parlor of the Methodist Church for their first meeting of the new year, and to begin the new study of "Home Missions and Human Rights."

The chairman, Mrs. W. P. Cummings, called the meeting to order. In the short business session it was decided to cut this study to four lessons. In order to get both of our regular studies completed by Easter.

The membership committee gave a very interesting report and it is hoped that we'll soon have a number of new members.

After the business meeting, Mrs. P. J. Pronger, Jr., the study chairman, took charge and read the call to worship and prayer. Part of this study was on the "Universal Human Right," as declared by the United Nations.

The study was closed by the singing of "America The Beautiful," and repeating "The Lord's Prayer," in unison.

Those present were: Mrs. H. A. Nichols, Mrs. M. Dortch, Mrs. Vern Reynolds, Mrs. A. L. King, Mrs. A. L. Harrison, Mrs. C. W. Moon, Mrs. W. T. Martin, Mrs. Ralph Harding, Mrs. W. P. Cummings, Mrs. J. G. Cummings, Mrs. J. W. Elliott, Mrs. Agnes Foster, Mrs. M. L. Etheridge,

Her finger-tip veil of nylon illusion fell from a Juliet cap formed with soft folds of white slipper satin. She carried a bouquet of white poinsettias festooned with white velvet streamers.

Mrs. Melvin Brock, of Albuquerque, New Mexico, attended her sister as matron of honor. She wore an emerald green taffeta floor length princess dress with a matching bolero jacket and hat. She carried a bouquet of red poinsettias.

Bridesmaids were Mrs. Donald Palmer and Mrs. Jack Durr of Cactus. They wore sage green taffeta dresses designed like that worn by the matron of honor. They wore identical hats of matching material and each carried a bouquet of red poinsettias.

The flower girl, Janis Reynolds, niece of the bride, wore a sage green taffeta dress. Johnny Summerour served the groom as best man.

Mrs. Reynolds, mother of the bride, chose to wear a teal blue suit. Mrs. Everett, mother of the bridegroom, selected a navy blue suit dress for the wedding. Both had corsages of Christmas ginger.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett are temporarily residing at the R. K. Everett country home.

## Mrs. Elmer Hudson Hostess To C.W.F. Group One

Group One of the Christian Womens Fellowship met Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Elmer Hudson.

Mrs. Arthur Judd, group leader, conducted a short business session. There were 7 members present, reporting 2 books read, 5 daily devotionals and 5 reading World Call.

Mrs. Frank Sutton, program leader, was ill but the program on Japan she had planned, was given. "Insights into Christian Living," was discussed by Mrs. A. Judd. "The Japan Nobody Knows," was given by Mrs. J. R. Pendleton. Mrs. H. E. Lowe told of "Japan Revisited," as told by Jessie Trout.

The devotional was given by Mrs. Frank Judd.

An offering of \$7.00 was presented.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Arthur Judd with Mrs. J. R. Pendleton as leader. The meeting was dismissed by the Missionary Benediction. A social hour was enjoyed by all.

Lowest balance for one day in the U. S. Treasury was \$28,239.61 on December 31, 1952.

Mrs. J. B. McWilliams, Mrs. P. J. Pronger, Jr., and Mrs. Bob Burgess.



## JOIN THE MARCH OF DIMES

THE NATIONAL FOUNDATION FOR INFANTILE PARALYSIS · FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT FOUNDER

## To Map March Of Dimes Drive Friday Night

The annual March of Dimes drive in Sherman County opens this week with attempts being made to raise a goal of \$3,050.00 to combat the menace of infantile paralysis.

Roscoe Dyess heads the drive as county campaign chairman. Don Tusha is serving as assistant campaign chairman. H. M. Flores will act as secretary and

W. N. Price will serve as treasurer for the drive.

Plans for the all out drive will be made Friday night at a meeting to be held at 7:00 P. M. at the Palace Cafe.

Those expected to be present at this meeting to complete plans for the annual drive include Roscoe Dyess, D. D. Tusha, H. M. Flores, W. N. Price, Rev. I.

L. Walker, Rev. H. A. Nichols, Rev. John Reaves, Rev. M. E. Upchurch, R. W. Standefer, Jr., R. W. Stewart, Dr. Huston Pearson, Brown Ross, Mrs. Cone Donelson, R. M. Buckles, F. M. Keener, E. W. Carter, W. T. Crabtree, Bob Ferguson, Jim Taylor, H. L. McMahan, George Riffe, Harold Quin, and Arthur Judd.

## Wheat Producers State Convention Opens Saturday

The annual convention of the Wheat Producers Association of Texas will open at 10:30 Saturday morning in the Herring Hotel in Amarillo.

The election of officers for the new year is scheduled to open the convention.

Dr. Don Ashdown of the Pan-ter Experiment Station will speak at 11:15.

Dr. Dahms, who is stationed at the College at Stillwater as Regional Director of Insect and Disease work, and is recognized as the foremost authority in the U. S. relatives to greenbugs, will speak at 1:30.

D. D. Monroe of Clayton, New Mexico, will speak at 2:30.

## New '53 Oldsmobile Goes On Display Friday Morning

Claude Sloan and Don Tusha will show the new model '53 Classic '98' Oldsmobile Friday and Saturday. They are assured of having only one car to be used as a demonstrator for the first showing of the new car.

Completely new in frontal appearance and offering other styling changes inside and out as well as many mechanical advances, the 1953 Oldsmobile models are being introduced Friday.

Among the important improvements in the new models, are further increases in efficiency of the "Rocket" engine, Frigidaire car conditioning that cools the car interior in the warmest weather, and "pedal-ease" power brakes to provide faster, safer stops.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation to our friends for their deeds of kindness and sympathy in our sorrow.

Mrs. J. W. Norvell  
Mrs. Leta N. Boswell

## Recent Bride Is Honored

Mrs. J. A. Whittenburg, Jr., and her daughter, Mrs. J. F. Thurman, entertained December 27 in the Whittenburg home, 1702 Julian in Amarillo, with a tea honoring Mrs. J. A. Whittenburg, III, the former Jeanne Price of Stratford.

Arrangements of American beauty roses and candelabra decorated the dining room and attractively appointed serving table. Throughout the receiving rooms were bouquets of seasonal cut flowers.

Assisting in greeting the guests and serving were Mrs. W. N. Price of Stratford, mother of the bride, and Mrs. A. W. Klawetter of Calvert, grandmother of the bride. Miss Lela Price, sister of the honoree; Mesdames R. C. Clime, Eugene McCart, Jr., Jack V. Liston, W. Glynn Morris, W. T. Coble; Misses Sally Taylor, Kay Farrell and Nancy Attebury.

Jeanne Whittenburg, the pretty young bride of Jimmie Whittenburg, III, is meeting her new fellow citizens at a merrie clip. Old-timers mingled with middle-agers and the young set at a brunch last Tuesday, given in her honor by Mesdames B. E. Walker, A. W. Hawks, H. L. Ratliff, W. Glynn Morris and Jack Liston, all Whittenburg aunts of Jimmie's.

The party was held in the ballroom and east porch of the Country Club. The receiving line was made of the hostesses, the honoree, her mother and grandmother. Two brunch tables, one along the east wall of the ballroom, and one on the porch, took comfortable care of the guests.

Incidentally, Jeanne is a grandniece of the late Mrs. Louis Anthony, a long time old-timer of Amarillo.

Attending from Stratford were the honoree's mother and grandmother, Mrs. W. N. Price and Mrs. A. W. Klawetter, Mesdames F. L. Yates, R. C. Buckles, Kenneth Kendrick, Walter Pen-

## Dr. McKee Is Lions Club Speaker

Dr. Marvin McKee, President of Panhandle Agricultural and Mechanical College of Goodwell, Oklahoma, was the principal speaker on the ladies night program of the Stratford Lions Club at its meeting held Monday night in the Palace Cafe.

Dr. McKee reviewed the year of 1952, placing war and tax scandals on the demerit side, and classified the good accomplished during the year on the merit side. He closed his remarks with a summary of what to look forward to in 1953.

Forty-two Lions and their guests attended the meeting.

## Officials Take Oaths Of Office

County officials made bonds with attached oaths of office which were approved at the December 31 meeting of the County Commissioners' Court.

A party was enjoyed by the group at the close of business. E. E. Hamilton, retiring commissioner, was presented with a hat, tie and shirts, by the court house group.

F. M. Keener succeeds Mr. Hamilton as County Commissioner of Precinct 4. There are no other changes in the personnel in county offices.

Miss Jennie Douglas, hired in 1862, was the first woman employed by the U. S. Government.

dleton, Keith Glasgow, Conde Donelson, Louie Green, W. L. Williams, Earl Riffe, J. E. Crabtree and Mrs. E. E. Coons of Texhoma.

Plans are being made for post nuptial courtesies for Mrs. Whittenburg in Stratford the latter part of January.





**UNSUNG HERO . . .** Here is one of chimps used in John Hopkins' lab test of new polio vaccine that later immunized six children against three forms of the disease.



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**Popular Recipe**

**TO SAVE TIME** in peeling potatoes, peel only a thin strip around the potato lengthwise. When these are cooked, the remaining peel will come off easily.

Skins will come off much more quickly from apples if you dip them in hot water just before peeling. Peeled apples will not turn brown if you sprinkle them with lemon juice or place them in cold water to which a pinch of salt has been added.

To peel sweet potatoes easily and without fuss, grease the skins with lard before you bake them.

Bothered with odor from cooking turnips, Add one teaspoon of granulated sugar to the water in which they're cooked.

Pineapple peels with little effort if you slice the pineapple into rings of fruit and then peel each one separately. A bit of lemon juice highlights the flavor of the fruit.

Chicken and other fowl are helped to tenderness if you rub inside and outside of the bird with lemon juice.

**RECIPE OF THE WEEK**

**Raisin Nut Stuffing**

(For Chicken)

- 2 cups stale bread crumbs
- 1/2 cup butter, melted
- 1/2 cup chopped seeded raisins
- 1/2 cup broken walnut meats
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon pepper

Mix all ingredients together lightly with fork. Stuff lightly into cavity of chicken, which has been salted. Roast with chicken.

Whether you boil ham or roast beef, a few whole cloves stuck into the meat will enhance its flavor greatly. If ham is boiled, leave it in the liquid in which it was cooked, until cool.

Add a pinch of baking powder to the flour in which you roll oysters before frying them. It makes them puff delightfully, and they're very delicious.

Oranges as well as grapefruit will peel easily if you pour hot water over them and let them stand for five minutes. This makes the white membrane come off easily with the peeling.

Cook your green peas with dried or fresh mint to improve their delicate flavor.

Dimes, quarters and half-dollars are legal tender up to \$10.

It costs the government about .0069 of a cent to print a dollar bill.

**Want Ads**

**WILL BABY SIT** in your home or take care of children in my home days or evenings. — Mrs. R. A. Brooks, Phone 3756. 14-2tp

**FOR RENT:** Two basement bedrooms. — Mrs. Ora Bomer, Phone 2051. 13-tfc

**FOR RENT:** Furnished Efficiency. — Mrs. Harold Gray, Phone 3531. 7-tfc

**FOR RENT:** 3 room modern house, furnished. — R. E. Minnis, 6th and Wall Streets. 7-tfc

**TWO 3-Room Apartments** for Rent, Sale or Trade. — F. A. Judd. 10-tfc

**FOR SALE:** My home in Stratford. — Art Ross. 12-tfc

**HOME For Sale:** Furnished or unfurnished. Home has 3 bedrooms, 2 bath rooms, extra large living room and kitchen, 2 room basement, carpeting, venetian blinds, draperies. Double garage and other buildings. Located 1-2 block from school. — Claude Sloan. 50-tfc

**FOR SALE:** Story and half stucco house. Nine rooms and tile bath with floor furnace, electric hot water heater. Double garage, storm cellar and storage building 20x40. Located on four lots at Chestnut and 6th. Cash or terms. Phone 2611. — Leo L. Smith. 1-tfc

**FOR SALE:** My 3-bedroom home on the corner of North Fifth and Maple Streets, paving on both streets. — Clifford Byrd. 6-tfc

**FOR SALE:** On North Maple, 2 lots in Hudson addition. East front, curb and gutter, worth the money. See Bill Martin. 4-tfc

**NEW MODELS** of the Kelvinator Refrigerators and Home Freezers now in stock. — Van B. Boston. 42-tfc

**FOR SALE:** 1949 3/4 Ton International Pick-Up, 1949 Plymouth Sedan, child's roll top desk and chair. — Hollis Harrington. 5-tfc

**FOR SALE:** Two good used Ford Tractors, several other models and makes. — Stratford Tractor Co. 3-tfc

**LOST:** Diamond engagement ring Tuesday. Liberal reward. — Mrs. Ross Wells, Phone 2471. 11-tfc

**LOST:** Brown steel tool box, disappeared Friday night. Reward. Please notify J. B. Stubblefield. 12-2tp

**IF YOU HAVE** any kind of carpenter work, cabinet or shop work, see Earl C. Garoutte. 13-tfc

**SAWS sharpened** with a power saw sharpener. See E. E. Hamilton at Hamilton Machine Shop 25-tfc

**AVON PRODUCTS** are in good demand. Customer acceptance highest in history. Stratford open now for woman over 35 who needs to earn good income. Write Box 1054, Amarillo immediately. 13-6tc

**SALESMAN WANTED:** What are your plans for 1953? A good Raleigh Business is hard to beat. Good opening in Sherman and North Moore counties. Write at once to Raleigh's, Dept. TXL-20-254, Memphis, Tenn. 9-5tp

**Long distance household moving.** Years of service your guarantee of satisfaction. — Bruce & Son Transfer and Storage, Phone 192, Borger, Texas. 29-tfc

**NEW and Used Sewing Machines** for sale. Repairs and parts for any make of machine. Also machines for rent. — Dalhart Sewing Machine Exchange, 105 West 2nd Street, Phone 70, Dalhart, Texas. 52-tfc

**\$2,329.65 Increase In Post Office Receipts For '52**

Stratford postal receipts soared \$2,329.65 in 1952 over the total receipts for 1951, it was announced this week by Mrs. Sallie V. McAdams, Postmaster. Increases in the postal receipts were noted in each quarter during the entire year. The increase in the first quarter was \$406.57, in the second quarter it was \$638.665, in the third quarter the increase was \$819.84, and at the close of the December quarter the increase was \$464.59 over the same quarter in 1951.

**Mildred Crabtree Circle Meets With Mrs. Kendrick**

The Baptist Womens Missionary Union's Mildred Crabtree Circle met in the home of Mrs. Kenneth Kendrick for Bible Study Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Kendrick offered the opening prayer and Bible Study was conducted by Mrs. Lavake. Refreshments were served to Mrs. H. B. Norris, Mrs. V. M. King, Mrs. Cone Donelson, Mrs.

Taylor, Mrs. Arlyn Halle, Mrs. E. W. Butler, Mrs. Joe Brown, Mrs. Lavake and Mrs. L. J. Davis.

The next meeting will be held January 14, at 3:00 P. M. in the home of Mrs. H. B. Norris for Mission Study.

**Chucko Robinson Celebrates 7th Birthday**

Gradene Parvin and Sharon Mullican assisted Mrs. M. R. Robinson in entertaining a number of guests in the Robinson home Saturday as Chucko Robinson and a number of his friends gathered at a party to celebrate his seventh birthday. Guests attending the party in honor of the occasion were: Roy Finch, Dwain Pittman, Richard Ross, Woodie Winchell, Lynn Allen, Judy and Gail Mitchell, Billie and Jimmie Blazier, Kenney Palmer, Johnnie and Deby Brannan, Senora Mullican, and Donnie Parvin.

**Byrd Accepts Position In St. Louis**

Clifford Byrd has accepted a position as district manager of the E. C. Robinson Lumber Co. and will have headquarters in St. Louis, Missouri. Mr. and Mrs. Byrd and their sons expect to leave for St. Louis the 24th of this month. Mr. Byrd, who has given much of his time to public service, has been manager of the local Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Co. yard for almost five years.

**Wheat Producers Discuss County Program**

At a meeting of the Directors of the Sherman County Wheat Producers Association Monday, they reviewed the past year's activities and discussed means of expanding the local program. They planned to encourage a number of local certified seed

growers to produce enough seed to meet local demand. They pointed to very definite progress in the field of wheat research on wheat insects, wheat diseases, and marketing problems. These were some of the problems that prompted the farmers to organize this association.

The past year an entomologist has been located at the Amarillo Experiment Station to study the greenbug problem in the Panhandle and a pathologist has been located at the Amarillo Experiment Station to study wheat diseases. These plots used for field check of chemicals in the control of greenbugs were laid out in Sherman County in December. These plots are north of Stratford on Kenneth Kendrick's farm.

Last fall some seventy different varieties of wheat and a few varieties of winter barley were planted on one of R. C. Buckles' farms as field check plots. The research people are interested in developing and selecting the best varieties of wheat for production in the Panhandle.

The local Wheat Producers Association plans to hold an educational meeting on marketing problems and have some of the research people give the local farmers progress reports on this work at a later date. At the same time they will tour these various check plots being carried on in the county.

The County Wheat Improvement Program included the 4-H Wheat King Contest and Wheat Marketing Contest to be carried on among the 4-H boys and girls and F.F.A. boys in the county under the supervision of the County Agent and F.F.A. Teacher in 1953. They felt that these programs had served a good purpose in stimulating interest in the wheat program and focused the attention of the adults on a number of the more important wheat problems in the county. They pointed to the educational phase of these programs in bringing to the farmer the difference in quality of varieties of wheat. The wheat marketing program, which got off to a late start in 1952, may well produce a solution to some of the more difficult problems in the sale of this farm commodity.

The directors were very much interested in as many local farmers as possible attending the State Convention to be held in the Crystal Ballroom at the Herring Hotel in Amarillo Saturday, January 10, at 10:15 A. M. They have some outstanding speakers on the problems of wheat production on their program.

**MASTER MIX FOR PIE**

Master mix for pie is one of the simplest mixes to prepare and use and one of the most popular. Miss Lucile King, County Home Demonstration Agent, says it only takes 8 cups of flour, 2 teaspoons of salt, and 2 1/2 cups of fat to make 11 cups of the pie mix.

For a very flaky crust, the agent advises working with half of the fat, cutting it into the sifted flour and salt. Cut in the remaining fat until the texture is the size of large peas. If lard is used, cut in only 2 cups. Use one cup of mix for each crust, two cups for a two-crust pie. Add enough water to hold dough together, about two tablespoons to each cup of pie mix.

The agent has a few suggestions for making the kind of pie crusts that "melt in your mouth." First, be sure all materials are as cold as possible, even the water should be iced. Remember, pie dough should be handled as little and as lightly as possible. Use a heavy cloth over the board and a cloth covered rolling pin to prevent dough from sticking, or roll between two sheets of wax paper. If pastry is hard to handle chill before rolling. Prick the crust lightly before baking.

To prevent soggy crusts in custard type pies, the agent recommends coating unbaked crusts with slightly beaten egg whites. And last, cool the pie shell on a rack before filling. If you'd like to have pies which are easy to make and the kind of crust you are proud to serve, try this master mix for pie.

The boa constrictor is not a poisonous snake.

**TAX COUNCIL IS APPOINTED**  
Formation of the Tax Conservation Council of Texas, a statewide organization dedicated to promotion of thrift and efficiency in state, county, and city government, has been announced. The Council is composed of

conservative business, professional, and farm leaders from all parts of the state. It will be the policy of the organization to make public all of their findings.

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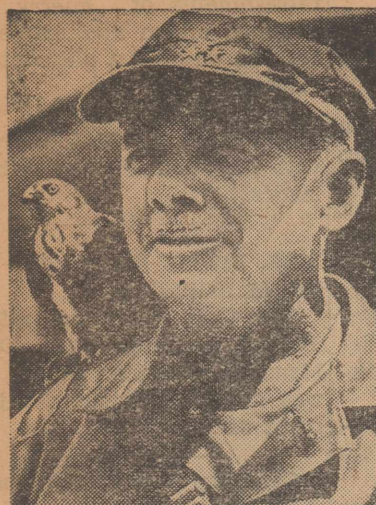
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**FAST FRIENDS . . .** Rear Admiral Lamont Pugh, surgeon general of U.S. navy in Korea and a Korean falcon, seem to have taken to each other. The bird finds the admiral's shoulder a soft perch.

**ATTENDS BAPTIST STATE CONFERENCE**

Rev. M. E. Upchurch attended the Statewide Baptist Evangelistic Conference in San Antonio, Texas the first of the week.

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Abbott And Costello In **MEET CAPTAIN KIDD**  
With Charles Laughton in Supercine Color

**SHORT STORY**

**Passing The Buck**

By Henry Charles Suter

IT HAPPENED aboard ship when the boys were coming back. Private Dale and Corporal Blake were enjoying a game of African golf—craps to you and me.

Private Dale rolled the dice and missed his point. He groaned.

**3-Minute Fiction**

"Atta boy! Pay me!" bawled Blake. Private Dale handed over, "That's my last buck, Corp, but you won it fair and square. Take it."

Corporal Blake caressed the \$1 bill. It was crisp and brand new. He hustled off down the crowded deck to look up Sergeant Mullins.

"Hey, Sarge," he yelled, "you remember on Bataan I bummed a buck off you?" "As though I'd ever forget it," the sergeant growled.

"Gosh, it's my lucky day," Corporal Brown continued, "so I'm cleanin' up my debts. Here's your buck!"

Sergeant Mullins crooned over that bill and cried: "Gosh am I glad! Long since I kissed that buck goodbye!"

The sergeant pocketed the bill and skipped over to the ship commissary. After downing sundry liquid refreshments, he gave the new \$1 bill to the commissary clerk. "There, big boy; a buck smack off the press. Keep it as a souvenir.

But the clerk didn't keep it, just put it in the till, and later slipped it to Lieutenant Hanson as part change for a five.

The Lieutenant was strolling along the top deck when he bumped into

**Sunday's Sermon**

Rev. Robert H. Harper  
*Jesus' Law of Doing Good (Temperance)*

Lesson: Matthew 12: 1-14  
Golden Text: III John 11  
The lesson, through the teaching of Jesus concerning the Sabbath, shows that conduct is to be judged by the extent that it lifts or destroys good life. This is inferred from his statement that the Sabbath was made for man. The observance of the seventh day as the Sabbath was not established to be a burden upon men but to be a blessing to them.

In the incident in the field and later the occurrence in the synagogue, Jesus exposed the narrow spirit of the Pharisees, and their extreme exactions concerning the keeping of the Sabbath, and showed that the Sabbath was not intended to be a burden to men but to bring good to them. And he refused to rebuke his disciples for plucking and eating grain on the Sabbath, and he freely ministered to the man of the withered hand.

Apply the principle that conduct is to be judged by the extent that it lifts or destroys right life to strong drink. The apologists for strong drink should show us what good there is in it. They cannot. If it does not uplift human life, it should be condemned. The economic ruin that drinking alcohol as a beverage is bad enough. But the spiritual ruin it brings is worse.

Beware of the first drink. One of the old readers of our older generation taught us that: also that he who beware of the first drink will never become a drunkard.

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**She Walked a Mile**



Grace Stockdale, 9, stepped off a mile of baton twirling during a recent parade in her home town of Ogden City, Utah. This was after four leg operations performed with March of Dimes financial assistance. Her father, William Stockdale, said the March of Dimes provides an "opportunity for handicapped people to live and behave as normal individuals." Dimes drive ends Jan. 31.

**ATTEND FUNERAL IN COLEMAN**

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Robbins, Jr., left Sunday for Coleman, Texas to attend the funeral of Mrs. Robbins' uncle.

There are more women than men employed by the U. S. Government.

**BABE IN THE WOODS**



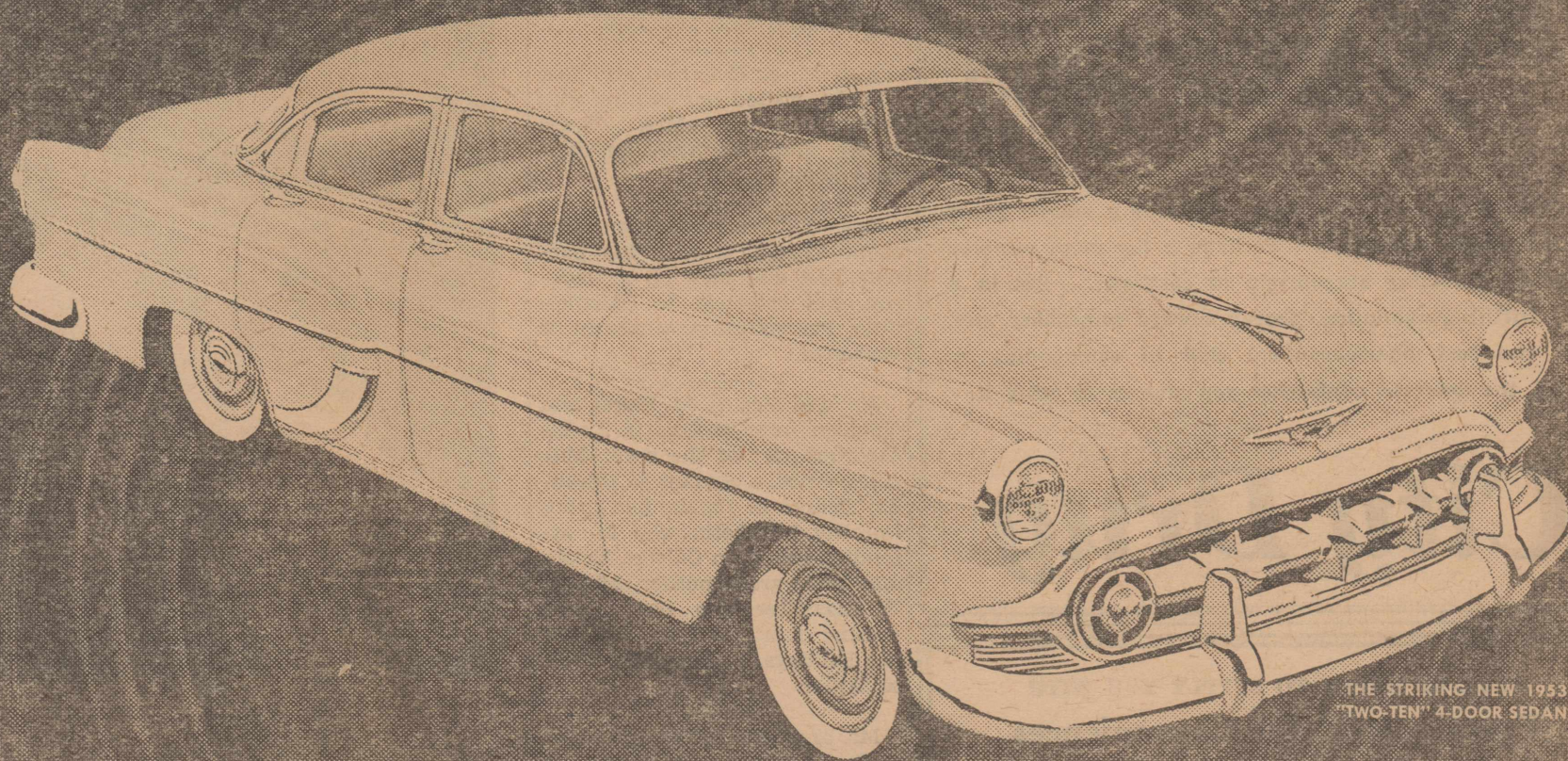
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**Local News**

Herbert Folsom took his son, Stanley, to Roswell, New Mexico Monday where he will resume his studies at New Mexico Military Institute after spending the holidays in Stratford.

Benton Brown, Guymon, and Jim Hamilton, Amarillo, were business visitors here Tuesday.

Cleo Montgomery, Felt, Oklahoma, was a visitor in Stratford Tuesday.

A/3c Donald R. McWilliams returned to Lowry Field at Denver, Colorado Sunday after a two weeks visit in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McWilliams.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jacobs were visitors in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hurst and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Welch, Dalhart, were guests of Mr. and

Mrs. L. C. Hurst Sunday afternoon.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Foreman during the past week were their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Dorothy Foreman, their granddaughter, Deobrah Paige, and Mrs. P. W. Ferguson, mother of Mrs. Dorothy Foreman, all of San Angelo, Texas.

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

Lloyd King left Sunday for Lubbock to resume his studies at Texas Tech after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. King.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Dyess and children returned Monday from a visit in Key West, Florida. They spent the Christmas holidays with his relatives in Waynesboro, Mississippi. They drove to Tampa, Florida for a visit and took Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pronger with them to Key West.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Judd returned home Monday night from Oklahoma City, Oklahoma where he reported to specialists for a physical examination.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Pendleton visited relatives here Friday. They were returning to their home in La Veta, Colorado after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wilson in Beeville, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Jackson of Cheyenne, Oklahoma spent Christmas with Mrs. Jackson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McWilliams.

Mrs. Jim Warren and children of Opelousas, Louisiana are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Ross Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bennett, Hal and Pam, plan to leave Friday for a month's vacation in Port Isabel, Texas.

F. L. Yates attended the funeral of Ben Bensom held at the First Christian Church in Texoma Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Headrick of Amarillo were guests one night recently in the home of his sister, Mrs. C. R. Foster.

L. M. Price returned home Saturday from Houston, Texas, where he and Mrs. Price have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Latimer Murfee, and Mr. Murfee.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Mayhall, Amarillo, were guests Sunday in the home of Miss Lavearn Mayhall and her father, J. A. Mayhall. Mr. Mayhall accompanied his son and wife to Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Jackson were Amarillo visitors Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Brooks and Grace visited relatives in Sunday on Monday.

Mrs. Lois Holmes and Mrs. H. T. Jackson were visitors in Dumas Monday.

Don Riffe and his cousin, Bob Riffe, of Texoma, attended the New Year Cotton Bowl football game in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Riffe took their son, Bill, back to Dallas, Texas Sunday, where he resumed his studies in S.M.U. after spending the holidays at home. Mr. and Mrs. Riffe, and Mr. and Mrs. George Riffe of Texoma, who accompanied them to Dallas, will continue on to Florida for a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Looney and daughter, Elona, of Amarillo, spent Christmas with Mrs. Looney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McWilliams.

Miss Nell Foreman returned to Abilene, Texas Sunday to resume her high school work, after a two weeks vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Foreman, relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wilson, Dumas, were guests the first of the week in the home of her sister, Mrs. T. D. Chisum and Mr. Chisum.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Diehl and Dick, Jr., were visitors in Amarillo Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. M. R. Robinson and son, Chucko, visited her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Virgel Lively and daughters in Dalhart Monday.

Sgt. William N. Jackson, who spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Jackson, has returned to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, where he is stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Flores and children were visitors in Dallas the first part of the week. Miss Lelah Price, a student in Hockaday School in Dallas, her sister, Dorothy Elizabeth, who is attending school in Calvert, Texas, and their grandmother, Mrs. A. W. Klawetter, who have been visiting relatives here during the holidays, accompanied them to Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown Ross took their daughter, Martha, to Wichita, Kansas, last week end. Martha resumed her studies in Mount Carmel Academy, after spending the holidays with her parents.

A/1c Boyd McWilliams returned to the Smoky Hill Air Force Base December 27, after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McWilliams.

Mrs. J. K. Richardson returned Monday from a holiday visit with relatives in Kentucky and Tennessee.

Miss Lavearn Mayhall was a visitor in Amarillo Saturday.

Miss Ineva Headrick, of Amarillo, was a Christmas visitor in the home of her sister, Mrs. C. R. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Fate Morris spent the last week-end in December with Mrs. Morris' sister in Morton, Texas. Mrs. Morris niece, Mrs. Billie Buzbee, and her little daughter, Mae, returned home with them and spent last week visiting in the Morris home.

Mrs. H. M. Brown is visiting

her daughter, Mrs. Richard Albert and family in Lubbock, Texas.

Pfc. Clyde Brooks left Wednesday of last week to return to the helicopter base, where he is stationed, at Santa Ana, California, after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Brooks.

Clyde Hudson returned to Austin, Texas Sunday to resume his studies at Texas University after spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Kendall, Dalhart, were visitors here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McWilliams had as dinner guests Christmas Day, Mrs. Eunice Buster, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Jackson of Cheyenne, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Looney and Elona of Amarillo, A/1c Boyd McWilliams of Smoky Hill A.F.B., Kansas, A/3c Donald R. McWilliams of Lowry A.F.B., Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kirkwood and sons, Raymond, Karl and Bill.

Miss Lelah Price underwent dental surgery in an Amarillo hospital Tuesday of last week.

**VETERAN VISITS WITH RELATIVES IN STRATFORD**

Sgt. and Mrs. Billie Windham and baby of Colorado Springs, Colorado visited in the home of Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Nichols Tuesday night of last week.

Sgt. Windham is a nephew of Rev. Nichols. He and his wife of Japanese ancestry and their baby recently returned to the states. Sgt. Windham has been in an Army Hospital for about six months since an operation to correct a back injury. He

will soon receive his discharge. Windham has served 36 months of active duty in World War II and in the Korean conflict.



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**Circle Two Meets With Mrs. Buckles**

Circle Two of the C. W. F. of the Christian Church met in the home of Mrs. D. L. Buckles for the first regular meeting of 1953, with six members present. Mrs. E. Hill, leader, presented the program.

Mrs. John Reaves led in prayer. The lesson topic, "All For Each and Each For All," was discussed with each member taking part.

Mrs. John Reaves read the devotional and the Fellowship Benediction was given. The hostess served delicious

refreshments of cherry pie, whipped cream and coffee. Every one enjoyed a pleasant time visiting.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. T. L. Wakefield with Mrs. A. L. Sutton acting as leader.

**MRS. SWENY RELEASED FROM HOSPITAL**

Mrs. Guy Sweny was released Monday evening from Dumas Memorial Hospital where she was admitted Friday for treatment of a skin infection.

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## STRATFORD GRADE SCHOOL NEWS

### First Grade

Mrs. Gardner's Room

We are studying a unit on health. We cut out orange carrots, red tomatoes, green peppers, yellow beans and pasted

them on black paper for a colorful poster. We have learned (1) fruit and vegetables are good for us, (2) to drink six glasses of water each day, (3) to exercise outdoors (in good weather), (4) to get lots of sleep.

### Mrs. Russell's Room

Several are absent from school. We hope all will be back soon.

### Second Grade

Mrs. Peterson's Room

It is nearing mid-term and we are doing a great deal of reviewing. There is a spelling list for every day, instead of the usual one list a week, with the five different ways to use it. These lists are made up of words from the weekly lists we have had this first half of the school term.

Then, there are workbooks to finish up; reading to review; silent, and "conversational oral" reading; number combinations of subtraction and addition facts to make sure we know before testing time next week. So, we are quite busy in the second grade.

There are a number of children absent due to colds, but none we know of — from our room — with any serious illness.

We believe the spraying of our rooms, with this "something" that Mr. Etheridge uses in the building is a help in keeping the air pure. It is helping relieve our colds, and we appreciate that.

### Mrs. Barker's Room

Our group is interested in reading library books. If we do good school work, we are permitted to check out two books a week for home reading.

During the holidays our teacher purchased books with the money we earned from the Hallow'een Carnival. We are enjoying them very much. One of the new books is The Birthday of Little Jesus. Mrs. Barker read this to us and many of us thought it was the best story we had ever heard.

This week we are having a review in Spelling. We will study and write twenty-five words every day. We like to do this even if we do have to study hard.

### Third Grade

Miss Ballinger's Room

Clyde McCauley moved to Lubbock, Texas.

Cleo Aduddell was absent on Monday.

### Fifth Grade

Mrs. Flowers' Room

Those making hundreds in Spelling are the following: Carolee Baskin, Linda Coffman, Molly Davis, Leon Eden, Sharon Gamble, Dixie Lee Knight, J. D. Plunk, Jessie Riggs.

Hal Bennett brought his electric football game that the boys played with during the recess periods.

We have finished our reader. Our next reader will be "Looking Forward."

We are learning to spell the names of the forty-eight states, a few at a time.

The teacher is reading another Bobsey Twins book. They go to Blueberry Island.

The librarian for this week is Linda Coffman. The weekly readers for this week tell of short cuts over the Arctic circle, by airplane. The term "around the world" may soon mean from the North pole to the South pole and back again.

The Arctic "People in the News," was also very interesting.

### Mrs. Elliott's Room

We have elected new librarians for the second semester of our school year. Karl Kirkwood and Darla Taylor replace two very efficient workers who have kept a perfect record of our library books. They were Jimmie Cameron and Linda Taylor.

In Science news we have found out something very interesting about the effect of light on sugar cane. A searchlight plays over a dark field of sugar cane in Hawaii. This extra bit of light can keep the sugar cane from blooming. "Fewer blooms mean more sugar."

We have some very meaningful material on Fire Prevention this week. And our New Year's Safety resolution contains: Observe fire safety rules; Participate in fire hazard removal; and assist adults in reporting and controlling fires.

Our English Unit is "English Courtesy". Our slogan is "Courtesy is Catching." We are trying very hard to make use of the various Good English Habits we know. "An ounce of courtesy can make a bushel of happiness for some one."

Our class is enjoying new Readers — Days And Deeds, our

supplementary reader for the next semester will be The Ocean Book.

### Sixth Grade

Miss Crockett's Room

(Mary Sue Taylor, Reporter) Everyone is really studying for mid-term tests which come next week.

We are going to drop geography and have history, drop health and have science after mid-term.

Bernard Spruell treated the class with "false teeth." Thanks, Bernard.

The English class gave some very interesting current events. Joedale Reesing contributed pictures taken from the Life magazine illustrating his report.

### Fidelis Class Has Monthly Meeting

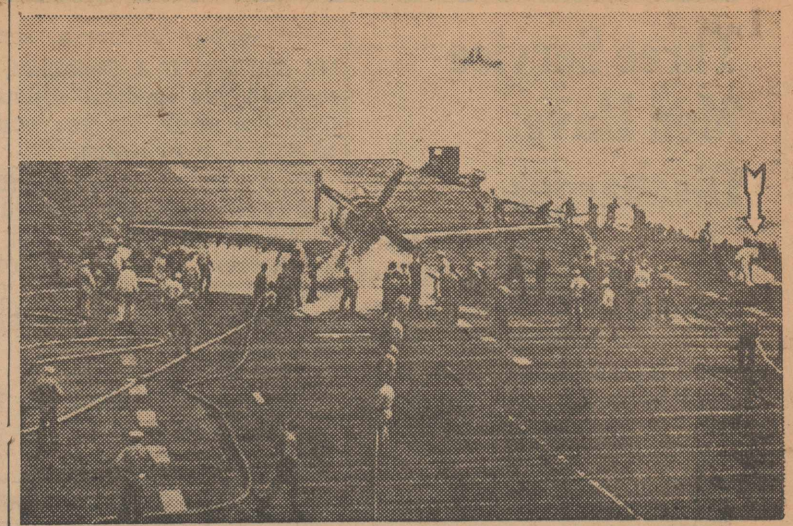
The Fidelis Class of the First Baptist Church held a monthly class meeting Tuesday at the church.

The roll was called. Those present were: Mrs. Leo Meek, Mrs. Ina Lou James, Mrs. Christine Upchurch, Mrs. Cleo Harris, Mrs. Bill Allen, Mrs. Horace Jones and Mrs. Baskin Brown.

Plans were discussed for a Valentine party on February 13. Mrs. Baskin Brown was elected reporter for the class. The next class meeting will be February 3.



BLAST U.S. . . . Former Nazi General Herbert Gille tried to tone down the criticism of the U.S. by some SS elite division officers in reunion at Verden, Germany.



PLANE BURNS ON LANDING . . . Alert firefighting crewmen aboard the "Essex," somewhere off Korea, extinguish flames which enveloped skyraider when it landed on carrier. Arrow points to airman in asbestos suit smothering ammunition he removed from plane.

### Panhandle Baby Is Named

The Cam Moores of Sunray were in a quandary. They wanted a name pertaining to this part of the country for their son, born December 30 at Dumas Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Moore explains that they could not very well name him Panhandle or Northwest Texas. His two older brothers came to the rescue — they suggested the significant name of Sherman Hartley Moore — that will be the baby's name.

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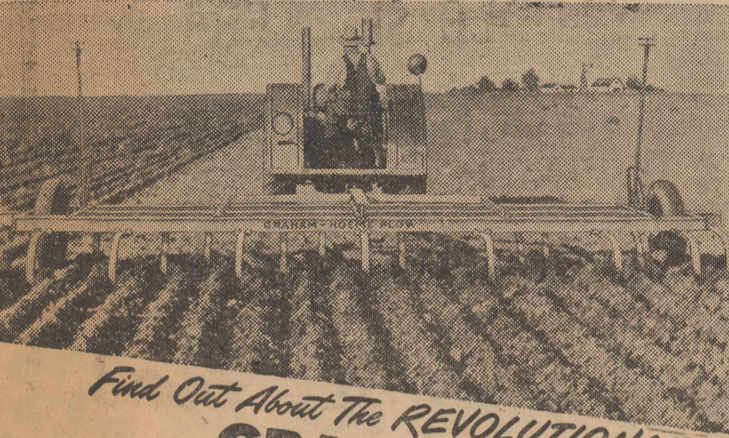
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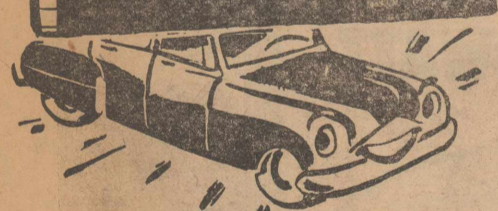
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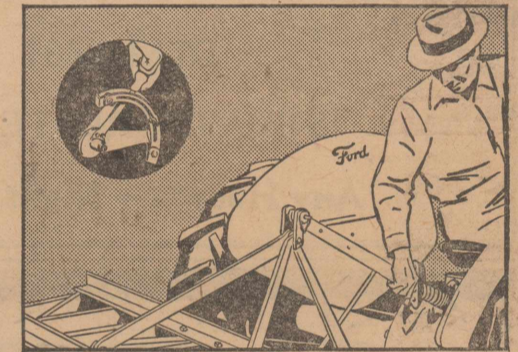
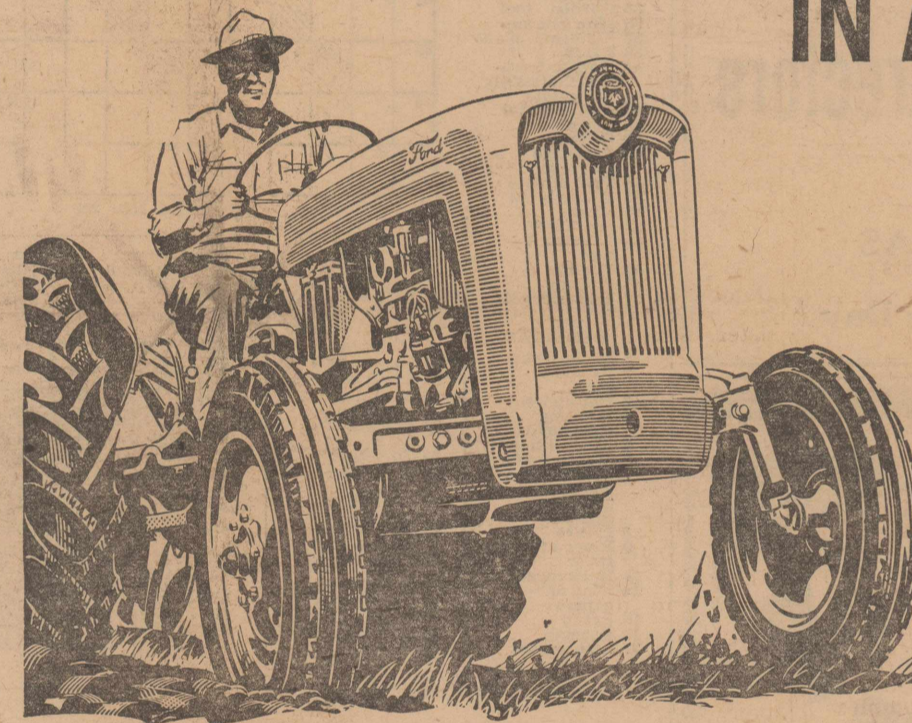
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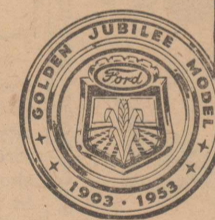
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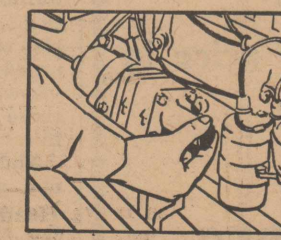
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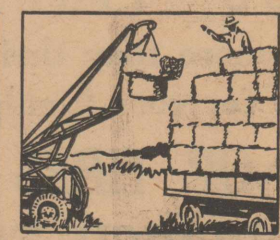
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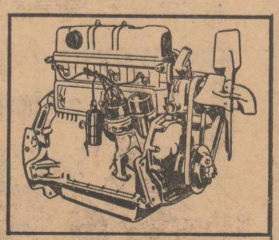
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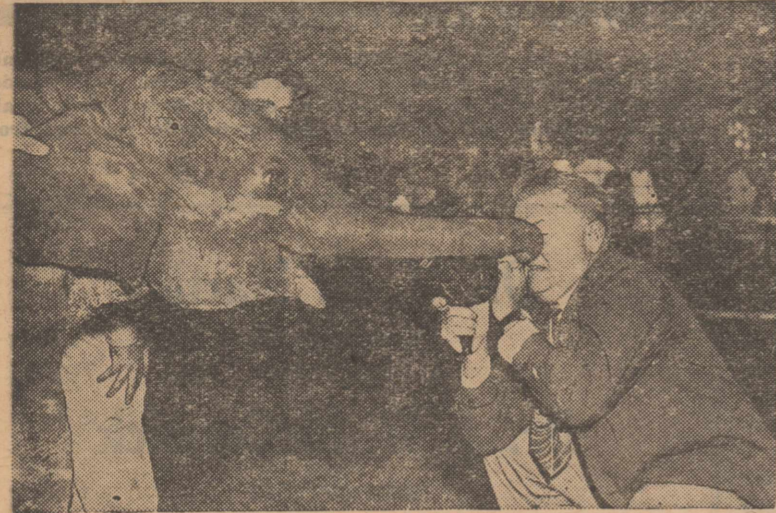
### Three Service Men Have Discharges

Cpl. Bill Reed returned home Wednesday after receiving his discharge from military service. He served 17 months in Korea and Japan with the First Cavalry Division. Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Reed, Cynthia and Jack met Bill in Amarillo.

Pvt. Bobby Bachman, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Bachman, has received his medical discharge from the army. He was wounded in action in Korea.

First Lieutenant Don Riffe is a civilian again. He received his discharge recently but kept the information from his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Riffe. They found the notice on the family Christmas tree.

The statue of Venus de Milo can be seen at the Louvre in Paris.



**JUMBO GETS NOSEY . . .** Candy, Asiatic elephant at Bronx, N.Y., zoo, pokes a nosy trunk into eye of cameraman who tries to get a closeup of the one-year-old elephant.

### MAYOR McGUP By John Jarvis



#### Crossword Puzzle

**HORIZONTAL**

- Edible seed
- To season
- Suitable
- Make mistake
- Glacial ridges
- Knowledge
- Outcast
- Lubricant
- Kind of fish
- High mountain
- To strike lightly
- As it stands (mus.)
- To decline gradually
- Rapid
- Verse
- Siamese coin
- Thing in law
- Proper
- Ambar
- Twist
- Printer's measure
- Garden tool
- Man's name
- Watering place
- Harry
- Danish territorial division
- To agitate
- Native metal
- Poem
- Distasteful
- Japanese measure
- Paid athlete
- Indian tennis
- Close
- Container
- Candlenut tree
- Declare
- Charge
- Encountered

**VERTICAL**

- Enthusiasm
- Period of time
- Out-and-out
- Washing compound
- Kind of tree
- Musical note
- Hasten with ancient Troy was capital
- Entire
- River of Italy
- Hackneyed
- Kind of cheese
- Bread
- From noun
- Amusement
- Drunkard
- Mournful
- Group of Greenland Eskimos
- Chess pieces
- Depression
- Fish eggs
- Monk's title
- Small bed
- Worthless
- leaving
- Slender
- To deface
- To hasten
- Sign of the zodiac
- Carried on person
- Sign of the zodiac
- Take as one's own
- Juice of plant
- Correlative of either
- To put down
- A lever
- The sesame
- Compass point
- Occupied a seat
- Cooled lava
- Naga Hills tribe in India

Answer to Puzzle No. 219

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PUZZLE NO. 220

### UNDERSTANDING AND SYMPATHY

Children who suddenly begin to shoot up like a weed usually experience emotional storms. And those who fail to grow have difficulties of another sort. In either event, the age calls especially for understanding and sympathy in the parents.

Miss Lucile King, County Home Demonstration Agent, says one trouble is that boys and girls develop at widely different ages yet all may be quite

normal. If a girl starts her adolescent growth at nine or ten, she becomes gawky and self-conscious. She wants your sympathy yet may seem to resent it. What she cannot stand is ridicule, the agent says.

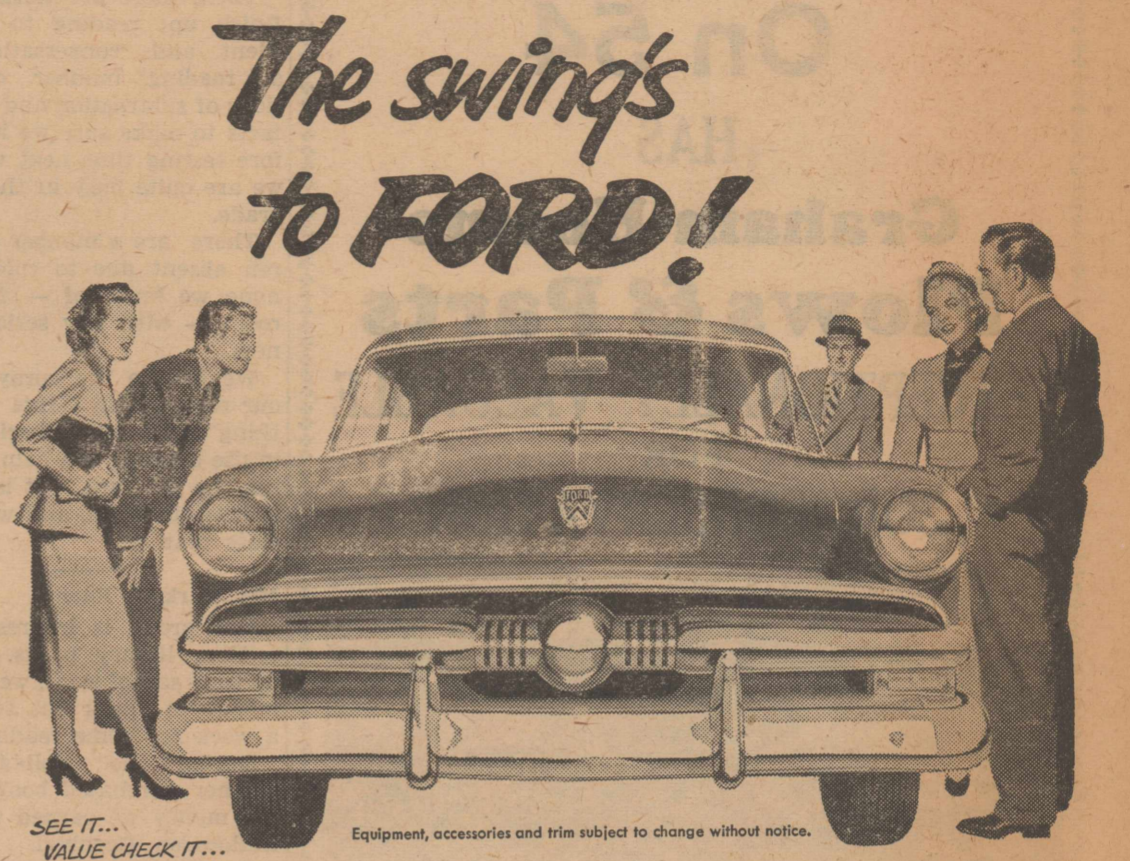
The boy of twelve who becomes all legs and arms, whose voice breaks at just the wrong moments, whose buddy shows no signs of sudden growth, needs understanding too.

Miss King says it takes parental "know-how" to see that a child grows healthy and happy

and to do what is needed without seeming always to be interfering.

**Traffic Congestion Increases**

Census figures show the marked increase in traffic congestion of the larger metropolitan areas in the U.S. Suburban growth accounted for from 65 per cent (Chicago and Detroit) to 98 per cent (Pittsburgh) of the total metropolitan areas' gain. Small wonder that traffic congestion has inundated major arteries linking suburban areas with the center of major cities since workers must make daily trips to the city for employment.



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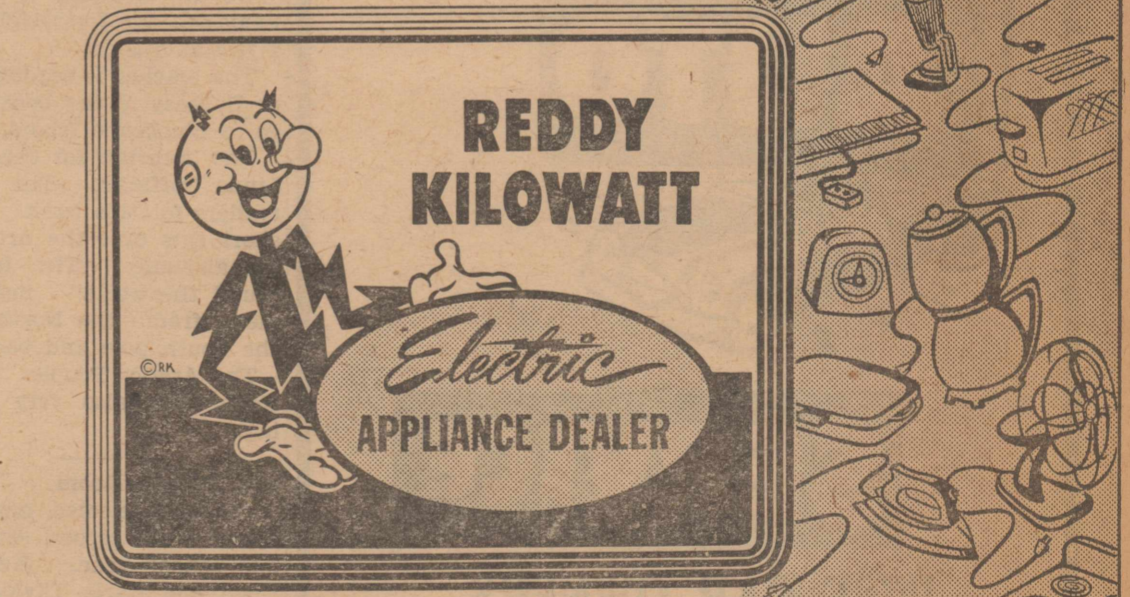
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### USED TO IT By Shirley Hurley

Nathan and Orion were friends, which, on the surface, seemed unusual, because the former was a city man, dwelling on a noisy back street near the heart of a great shopping center, and Orion abides in the country, on the banks of a cool and quiet stream.

The friendship began in early childhood, when the two lived in a small suburban town. The community, because of its proximity to a large seaport, prospered and grew rapidly. Simultaneously upon being graduated from high school, Nathan secured employment as assistant shipping clerk in the city and Orion became employed as helper to a wholesale firm that delivered products into the rural districts. Eventually, because of his many trips into the country, he had acquired a fondness for its quiet restfulness. Orion gave up his job with the wholesale house and invested his savings in a small farm. Here he settled down and lived comfortably as a truck gardener.

Nathan, visiting Orion in the country, betrayed a certain envy for his friend's contentment, and Orion, sensing this and eager for his old enemy's company again, urged the other man to quit his job with the shipping company and come out into the rural districts to live.

And Nathan would nod his head and agree. "I'm going to do it. Pretty soon now I'm going to quit the shipping company and come out."

But the two men reached middle age and still Nathan clung to his job, because it paid him good wages and the work was easy.

Orion continued to talk, conjuring in the other man's mind a picture of peace and restfulness and fun. And one night Nathan lay awake and thought of what Orion had said. Suddenly he became aware of all the noise and clatter that was going on about him. Out side a street car clanged past; from the next room there came the raucous notes of a radio; in the distance he heard sounds of riveting. The room where he lay

was stuffy and hot, filled with scents from the streets and nearby docks.

So Nathan quit his job and bought a small place next to Orion's. He was pleased with his purchase. All about him there was peace and quiet, fresh air and fresh smells. Nathan wondered why he had waited so long.

The first night he went to bed early. But he couldn't sleep. He rolled and tossed and was more conscious of the quietude than he had been of the noise. Toward midnight he dozed off. He awoke early and found that his head was aching. The day was hot and sultry and it was difficult getting himself in a pleasant frame of mind.

That evening he sat with Orion on the latter's porch and smoked his pipe and tried to convince himself that he was enjoying it. But, despite the smoke, the mosquitoes were pretty thick, and Nathan departed early to get away from them.

The day after that it rained and Nathan spent the time indoors. Orion had gone to town with a load of vegetables. Nathan wandered about the house like a caged animal. He felt restless and annoyed. The sound of rain on the roof was oppressive.

Two nights later Orion called at his friend's house and found the place locked up. There was a white envelope pinned to the door with his name written on it. The note enclosed directed Orion to sell the place for whatever he could get. He, Nathan, would be out soon to pay Orion a call, as he had been doing for years past.

Orion was not alarmed. He stuffed the note into his pocket and went home. He thought he understood.

Sitting by his window in the stuffy room that had been his home for years, Nathan drew a great breath of unsweetened air and expelled it with a sigh of relief. A street car clanged by below him. From the next room there came the raucous notes of a radio; the sound of riveting beat a steady tattoo in the distance. But Nathan heard nothing at all.



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**Confess—Follow**  
 Lesson for January 11, 1953

ANOTHER of those Bible words which are easy to misunderstand, is the word "confess." Ordinarily we connect this word in our minds with a court of law, or with some wrong that has been done. When we say the prisoner signed a confession, we mean he admitted he was guilty. When Catholics go to confession, they are expected to tell the priest all about their sins. In the English Bible the word sometimes has this meaning, as when John says that if we confess our sins, God will forgive (1 John 1:9).

**Where Do You Stand?**

But there is another meaning of these words "confess" and "confession" which is quite different. It does not always mean to admit. Sometimes it means to declare, to announce publicly and proudly, as plainly as possible. For instance, Paul tells Timothy (1 Tim. 6:13) that Jesus, before Pilate, made a "good confession." Paul is not saying for a minute that Jesus admitted that the charges against him were true. What he means is that Jesus stood up for God and his duty, he did not let down his flag, he stood out for the truth.



Dr. Foreman

The expression is often used, referring to Peter's saying to Christ, "You are the Christ," and it has come to be known as "Peter's confession." This does not mean that Peter admitted something; on the contrary he affirmed something. He was declaring his belief, he was letting it be known where he stood. The Christian church has made much use of this word, but it might be clearer if we used some other words sometimes. All churches will tell young people and new converts how important it is to "confess" Christ. We could just as well say "standing up for" him; voting for him and having one's vote put on record. When Christ asks: Are you with me? Confessing means simply saying openly: Yes!

**Christ Never Outranked**

There is something else tied up in this idea of "confessing" Christ. It includes saying something about Christ. Peter's confession, according to Matthew, was "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God." Luke reports that he said, "You are the Christ of God." Mark reports simply: "You are the Christ." All agree that Peter declared Jesus to be the Christ. To us, "Christ" is a name; to Peter it was a title, the highest title he knew. When a first-century Jew used the word "Christ" he meant there was no one else in his class. He meant God's chosen beginner of a new age. There was no higher word that Peter could have chosen than "Christ." So to this day when we say that a Christian confesses Christ, we ought to mean that he puts Christ above all others, that he knows no one can outrank Christ. We mean what the old hymn says, "All hail the power of Jesus' name, let angels prostrate fall."

**More than Mouth-Christians**

But there is still another word the church has always used, because Jesus used it: Follow. Confession alone is not enough. It may take courage to confess Christ. It takes sincerity and also stick-to-it-iveness to follow him. Confession can be done in a burst of enthusiasm; following takes the long pull. Confessing Christ means saying he comes first in your life. But does he? Who or what is really first? There are a great many—too many—church members today who have been as much of a Christian as they can possibly be—with their mouths. They have confessed Christ as Son of God, as Lord and Saviour. They have said, in effect, that they wish to be counted on his side. But when they "joined the church" or were "confirmed," that is about as far as it went. They hardly even warm a pew nowadays. What is needed is something more than mouth-Christians, voice-Christians, word-Christians, shouting Christians. What is needed is following-Christians.

It is noticeable that almost immediately after Jesus had praised Peter for his confession, he called him Satan, the very devil. For it was plain that Peter was thinking along lines quite different from Jesus. Following Christ means thinking more and more as he would think.

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 MAMA!  
 SHE'S AFRAID, TOO.



## Stratford Elks Win Claude Tournament

Stratford Elks won top honors in the recent round of basketball games by winning the annual invitation tournament played at Claude the latter part of last week.

In their first game of the Claude tournament the Elks defeated Claude 60 to 53. Lyle Wakefield was high point man for the Elks with 18 points. Brown of Claude scored 23 points.

The Elks took their second game of the tournament from Gruver, winning a close 51 to 50 game. Fin Ramon and Ben Biddy were high point men for

the Elks with 10 points each. Charley Sanders of Gruver who missed only 3 shots during the game, scored 20 points.

The Elks defeated Pampa's B-team in the finals by a score of 66 to 55. Fin Ramon was high point man with 18 points. Lyle Wakefield scored 16 points.

Lewis of Pampa scored 20 points.

### Elks Lose To Spearman

Stratford Elks were defeated by Spearman in a game here Tuesday night in an overtime period of play by the score of 55 to 52. Lyle Wakefield was high point man for the Elks with 14 points. De Admond of Spearman scored 25 points.

### Junior Teams Lose At Dalhart

Stratford Junior High Boys and Girls lost their first games in the invitation tournament played at Dalhart. Stratford

## ACROSS THE DESK

ideas from other editors

**From the Toledo Union Leader, Toledo, Ohio.**

A fascinating human-interest drama unfolded in the federal court in Toledo the other day. It appeared that one George W. Sponsler had pleaded guilty to taking \$7,500 from the bank for which he had worked and had ultimately repaid it but the judge was more angry with the accuser than the accused.

Judge Kloeb noted that Sponsler had worked for the First National Bank of North Baltimore, Ohio for 32 years. He began at \$20 a week and in 1942 his salary had increased to the magnificent sum of \$36.50. Between 1920 and 1941, Sponsler took small sums from the bank which he used to keep his family going.

Judge Frank Kloeb was so incensed at the officials of the bank who kept Sponsler "living like a pauper," that he let loose: "If I had the authority I would sentence the bank's officials to read the story of Scrooge at Christmas-time." And the judge went on to observe: "If the bank was decent, when this shortage was discovered it would have marked off the loss from its surplus funds without any publicity or embarrassment to this man." And to Sponsler, he said, "I am sorry you are here."

Judge Kloeb placed the defendant on indefinite probation. All of which means that paying

misery wages, that taking undue advantage of other human beings in financial affairs and placing corporate and personal profit ahead of the welfare of people, can be as great a crime as theft.

**From The Advertiser, Saranac, Michigan:**

Perhaps you have been one of many people interested in the thrilling Swiss mountain climbing attempt of Mt. Everest—the unconquered mountain of India.

We have learned via reports last weekend that the group, which started their climb on November 20, failed short of its goal by only 150 feet.

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We have been particularly interested in the efforts of one fellow, Raymond Lambert, who like other "Gets-in-my-blood" mountain climbers, had an obsession to reach the top of the mount.

Although others must have been saddened by their defeat at the hands of terrific adverse elements of nature, Lambert must have been especially crestfallen.

Lambert a headstrong German, who has spent his life—outside of fighting in German wars—climbing mountains, wanted to reach the top of the mount more than anything else. He failed before.

girls lost to Boise City. The boys were defeated by Phillips.

### Elkets Split Games With Groom

Stratford Elkets A and B teams played Groom here Friday night. The Elkets' A team was defeated 30 to 28. Nancy Bennett was high point forward for the local team with 12 points.

Stratford guards showed considerable strength in the game, holding the Groom team to 30 points, their lowest score this year. During the last quarter of the game Groom was held scoreless.

B-team Elkets defeated their rivals by a 37 to 31 score. Ernestine Palmer was high point forward with 16 points.

### Elkets Win Over Goodwell

Stratford Elkets defeated the undefeated Goodwell high school girls team by a score of 39 to 33 in a game played at Goodwell Monday night. Adele Cunningham was high point forward with 17 points.

Stratford boys B-team lost to Goodwell's A-team by a 38 to 33 score. Frankie Hamilton was high point man for Stratford with 11 points.

### Elkets Defeat Spearman

Stratford Elkets defeated Spearman in a game played here Tuesday night by a 46 to 29 score. Adele Cunningham was high point forward with 14 points. Rogene Seaman followed with a close 12 points.

### Stratford Ex-es Win Games

Stratford Ex-es played at Cactus December 29 and won by a 26 to 25 score. The Cactus woman's town team returned the game Friday night with the Stratford girls winning 31 to 25. Playing with the Stratford Ex-es were Kathryn Newman, Eula Faye Lowe, Georgia Lowe, Dorless Wells, Billie Ann Stewart, Millie Bennett and Lavern Garoutte.

**Dawdle Dell Correspondor**  
DAVE SCRIBBLE, editor of the Dawdle Dell Data, has given Widow Wiley a year's subscription to the paper free, because one of Widow's hens has been flying through a back window of the print shop and depositing an egg regularly once a day in Dave's hat.

**FOR SALE:** While visiting in your town recently, I stopped by an auction on the court house lawn. When I scratched a mosquito bite, I discovered I had bought a stuffed bison. Same may be seen at Knute Bellows' blacksmith shop and purchased cheap. — A City Slicker.

Squire Gladmoney Debitside suffered an inconvenient accident on his farm over near Baleful Gap. He got a thumb caught in one of the valves of his milking machine and couldn't get loose. He called his 10-year-old nephew to finish the milking, and the boy tried to do the chore with an orange juicer. Squire had to call the veterinary, but not for his thumb.

**ANNOUNCEMENT:** The Dawdle Dell Shakespeare and Fish Fry Society will have Hamlet and halibut Friday night in the school gym. Miss Frenzy Toadhopper will sing the soliloquies, which she has set to music, and Rancid Riley, local garbage dealer, will dish the fish.

Prof. Walden Hightower has been visiting his parents over at Hungry Hollow. He's been researching to show that Hungry Hollow originally was named Stomach Rumble, because the first settlers arrived in the middle of winter out of food. The pioneer name may have been more apt, but we think the present one carries more dignity and prestige.

during dry weather. Hasten decomposition with a layer of barnyard manure alternated with the vegetative matter and soil. A quart or two of nitrogen fertilizer over each layer will do the same, the agent adds.

### All in the Game:

**J**N 1932 a New York newspaper instituted a contest to see what would happen if golfers tried to hole out in one shot. Only golfers who had made aces were eligible. . . . Between 1932 and 1947, 8,305 golfers had taken part, with each entrant entitled to five shots. Of the 41,525 shots fired at the cup, only four resulted in aces. . . . That sets the odds at 10,331 to one against a player sinking a hole in one. . . . Jai alai is a game like handball. It originated in the Basque provinces of Spain during modern times. The name is pronounced "hi-ly," and it means "merry festival" . . . Bill Richmond, first American negro to gain any fistic fame, traveled to England and was knocked out by Tom Cribb in 1810. . . . In early England, men settled grudges with their fists, and some superior ones began to indulge in contests just for fun, later with side bets. So England came to be called "the cradle of pugilism" . . . The Soap Box Derby was instituted by the Dayton, O., Daily News.

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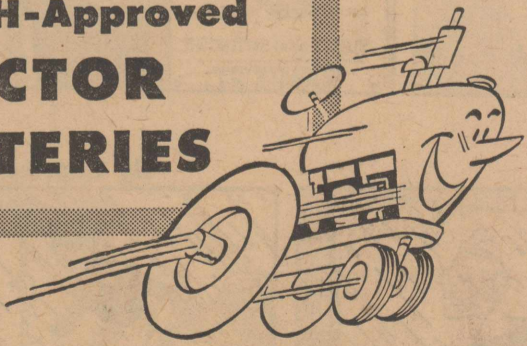
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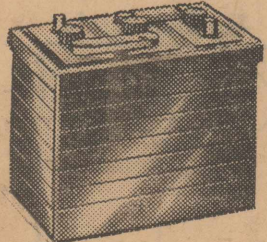
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