

School Term Opens Monday Morning With General Assembly Program

A general assembly program in the school auditorium at 9:00 o'clock Monday, August 31, will open the current school term. Immediately following the program all students will report to their class rooms for enrollment. School buses will operate on established routes and adjustments, if necessary, will be made in a short time. The cafeteria will open Monday and class schedules will be established.

Most of the high school class schedule work has already been completed by Superintendent R. W. Standefer, Jr., and T. J. McCaughey, Principal.

High School faculty members are: Billy J. Chancey, Science; Mrs. Lucille A. Belvin, Commerce; Haskell Bilbrey, shop and boy's coach; Miss Orpah Cayton, Mathematics; Baker E. Duggins, physical education and girl's coach; Duard Lamb, vocational agriculture; Miss Mary Sue Smith, school cafeteria and homemaking; and W. Wayne Stevens, band director.

Elementary and Junior High School faculty members are: Hugh A. Stewart, Principal; James Coble, social studies and coach; Miss Virginia Patterson, mathematics and science; Mrs. Hazel M. Cameron, language arts; Miss Wederah M. Watkins, music; Mrs. Martha Harrison, art; Mrs. Anna S. Elliott, Fifth grade; Mrs. Frankie K. Warden, Fifth grade; Mrs. Margaret N. Duggins, Fourth grade; Miss Lavonne Riley, Fourth grade; Mrs. Ruby L. Hammons, Third grade; Miss Doris Ballinger, Third grade; Mrs. Jewel L. Peterson, Second grade; Mrs. Mae Minkey, Second grade; Mrs. Alma M. Gates, First grade; and Miss Margaret A. Staten, First grade.

Change School Hours
Beginning with Tuesday, the second day of school, school will open at 8:30 A. M. and dismiss at 3:30 P. M.

Birth Certificates Necessary
School children entering the first grade should have their birth certificates and smallpox vaccinations.

Students in the first five grades may register in either of the two class rooms for their grade. The following day they will be assigned to their regular class rooms.

The school cafeteria will continue to serve meals for 25 cents.

Announce Approaching Marriage

The marriage of Miss Ruth Ann Kennedy to Joe P. Flores will be solemnized September 5, at nine o'clock in the morning, at the Saint Rose of Lima Church in St. Louis, Missouri. Rev. A. A. Kennedy, an uncle of the bride, will perform the ceremony.

Miss Kennedy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Thomas Kennedy of St. Louis, Missouri. She attended school at Colorado A. & M. College at Fort Collins, Colorado, where she majored in veterinary medicine.

Joe Flores is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Flores of Stratford. He graduated in June from Colorado A. & M. with a degree in Animal Production.

Embroidery Club Entertained In Taylor Home

The Embroidery Club met Thursday in the home of Mrs. G. L. Taylor. Mrs. Roy Allen, who had planned to entertain the club was ill.

An enjoyable afternoon was spent in visiting and doing hand work.

Those present were: Mrs. S. J. Calvird, Mrs. A. E. Pronger, Sr., Mrs. J. C. O'Brien, Mrs. W. G. O'Brien, Mrs. M. Dortch, Mrs. G. N. Batterson, Mrs. F. A. Judd, Mrs. D. L. Buckles, Mrs. R. C. Buckles, Mrs. C. W. Moon, Mrs. V. O. Gilbert, Mrs. G. L. Taylor, Mrs. H. L. Vincent, and Mrs. Winnie Simons, Mrs. Roy Allen's daughter, who served as hostess.

Mrs. Mollie Davis Receives Friends On 86th Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. Van B. Boston, assisted by Mrs. Cone Donelson and Mrs. Lois Sanders, entertained Sunday afternoon with open house in honor of Mrs. Mollie Davis, who was celebrating her 86th birthday.

Mrs. Davis has been a resident of Sherman County since 1907. Sunday afternoon she sat in the living room of the Boston home surrounded by mums and other flowers in varied fall colors which were presented to her by her friends. Numerous other gifts were placed nearby. She has two living children, Mrs. Van B. Boston and W. W. Davis of Stratford.

A beautifully decorated pink birthday cake and punch, nuts, and mints were served from a lace covered table. The centerpiece of white chrysanthemums and elephant ears were flanked with burning white tapers.

Calling during the afternoon for short visits with Mrs. Davis were: Mr. and Mrs. Wright Davis, Ealon, James and Donna May, Mr. and Mrs. Cone Donelson and Pat, Mrs. Lois Sanders, Shirley and Mackey, Mrs. Belle Davis and Mollie Ann, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pronger, Miss Helen Pemberton, Mrs. J. G. Cummings, Mrs. Ray McNeal, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. McQueen, Mrs. L. J. Davis and Jeff, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mullins, Mrs. Mollie Ellison, Jack Davis, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Strother, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pendleton, Mrs. W. D. Ellis, Mrs. Nannie Collins, Mrs. E. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ross, Mrs. Lorraine Mehner and Dollie, Mrs. George Elder, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. King, Mrs. Elma McDaniel, Mr. and Mrs. Royal Pendleton, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Brown Ross and Martha, Mrs. Joe Brown, Mrs. Jessie Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Taylor, Mrs. V. O. Gilbert, Mrs. W. L. Hankey, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Allen, Miss Mary Lou Wells and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Aduddell.

Scouts Return Home From Summer Camp
Chuck Oakley, Teddy Oakley, Bill Gamble, Joe Dell Reusing, Cagle Kendrick, Dwayne Plunk, J. D. Plunk, Donny Jacobs, Mike Neal, Sonny Judd, Lynn Hudson, Paul Aduddell, Larry Goule, Neal Harris, Hoy Harrison, Lance Harrington, Robert Ragsdale, Darrell Stublefield, and Bob Euper, local boy scouts, returned home Thursday of last week from their annual summer mountain camp at Red River, New Mexico. They were accompanied on the trip by Arthur Judd, W. D. Brannan, Leonard Plunk, Roy Harris, F. A. Judd, and Paul Aduddell.

Mrs. Pronger Is Star Club Hostess

Star Home Demonstration Club members met Tuesday of last week in the home of Mrs. Alfred Pronger. After the business meeting a demonstration was given by Mrs. Earl Kirkwood and Mrs. Roscoe Dyess on "fall corsages."

Special guests attending were Mesdames Homer Ted Coffman, Arthur Judd, P. J. Pronger, Ernest Cummings, and E. G. Dyess. Members present were Mesdames Ralph Keener, Raymond Keener, T. L. Wakefield, Roscoe Dyess, Shuler Donelson, Arlyn Haile, Archie Arnold, Roy Mitchell, J. B. McWilliams, Earl Kirkwood, and the hostess, Mrs. Alfred Pronger.

The club will meet September 1 in the home of Mrs. Arlyn Haile.

Treason is the only crime defined by the U. S. Constitution.

THE STRATFORD STAR

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My First German Family

(By Mildred Bennett)

Last month, July, I had my first experience of living on a German farm. The time went fast, but now I have time to catch my breath and think of all the wonderful people I met, and all the wonderful things I saw. I'm now on one of the fast trains, going from Hannover to Munich, which is a twelve hour ride. There were four of us, IFYE's, who met at the train station, but only Bonnie and I caught the train. Dick and Pat were getting a suitcase out of the checking-room, guess they will catch the next train. On the first of July I arrived at a small village an hours drive South from Hannover. Elsie was my home for two weeks, where I lived with the family Nagel. I had a "brother" 15 years old and a "sister" 19 years old, who had been to the U. S. a year, so could speak rather good English. Mr. and Mrs. Nagel had the largest farm of the village, which was 160 acres.

My speaking ability of German, up to this point had not been used for speaking purposes, only a word now and then for practice. There wasn't much I could say at this first meeting. The daughter and I spoke a lot of English together and she taught me a lot of German during my stay. It was a great help to have her to translate for me.

The Nagel family had a car, two tractors and several plows, cultivators, and drills. Also horses were still used quite a lot. They had 25 Holstein milk cows which were kept in the barn the year round, for the dung. This natural fertilizer had to be used on all the fields. There were numerous pigs, chickens, turkeys and ducks which were raised for meat.

There were three girls who worked in the kitchen with Frau Nagel, so I didn't get to help very much. The daughter and I did a part of the shopping most every day. Most things to eat were raised in the garden, but the tomatoes were not ripe yet. We also would take ice cream mixture to the store and there it would be frozen by a machine. We had this home made ice cream often. It was delicious.

Some mornings I rode with Herr (Mr.) Nagel to the numerous fields he had, totaling 160 acres. All the farmers live in similar small villages and have to travel to their fields every morning. They may go in a dozen different directions, for the potato patch may be north of the village, and the wheat or sugar beets south. Most of the time we rode a buggy to the field. When in the car we went too fast to see anything. We both agreed that the horse and buggy was better.

I shall never forget my first attempt at baking a cherry pie for the family. I started out making one little pie. That wouldn't start to feed the 14 people that ate there, therefore I ended up making a cherry pie, two cherry cobbler, an apple pie, and an apply cobbler. The cherries were very sour and I didn't quite get enough sugar, but the family insisted that it was good. We had an electric stove to cook on.

We went to Hannover one afternoon and shopped, and I got to see part of the town. Also the Nagels took me to a huge park where there were a lot of animals, including wild pigs and buffalo.

I went many places around the countryside, and got a good glimpse of the farming in this district. The main crop is sugar beets as one can see from the many sugar factories in this area. The harvest comes later in the year, in November.

My time to leave came too soon. On Saturday, the 18th, of July I went to my next farm. I enjoyed going to their Luth-

First Meeting Stratford PTA September 10

The first regular meeting of the Stratford Parent-Teacher Association for the current year will be held Thursday, September 10, at 7:30 P. M. in the school auditorium. P.T.A. officers look forward to having every parent present for the first meeting in order that they may become acquainted with the program planned for the coming year. September 10 is a "must date" with the Stratford Parent-Teacher Association if the organization is to accomplish work planned for the school year.

An executive meeting of the P. T. A. was held Tuesday in the home of the organization president, Mrs. Ben Biddy. Plans were made for the coming year. Regular meetings will be held the second Thursday in each month at 7:30 P. M. in the school auditorium.

eran Church with them. The first half of this month of July was very interesting. I have left out many things, but maybe this will give you an idea of my first home in Germany.

Scouts Become Order Of The Arrow Members

Stanley Folsom, Lynn Hudson, Sonny Judd, Lance Harrington, Paul Aduddell and Cagle Kendrick accompanied Scoutmaster Arthur Judd to Camp Don Harrington Friday to become members of the National Boy Scout "Order of the Arrow."

Arthur Judd, Stanley Folsom, Lynn Hudson, and Sonny Judd were Black Arrow members, which automatically qualified them for membership in the national organization. Lance Harrington, Paul Aduddell, and Cagle Kendrick were nominated by members of their troop for outstanding work in camping. All of the Stratford boys were initiated but will return next year to take the "ordeal," which is the final step in becoming a member. Other activities made it impossible for them to remain at the camp for the ritual this year.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Oquin are the parents of a son born Sunday in Dumas Memorial Hospital.



POLITICAL analysts have been spending their time since congress adjourned in trying to sum up and evaluate the first months of the Republican administration. Perhaps the best way to express the general conclusion is in the words of one observer, who said, that neither party (Republican or Democrats) was "keenly happy or keenly unhappy."

Seven achievements can be listed on the Administration's side. These are:
1. An extension of the excess profits tax on corporations until January 1. This tax will yield \$800 million.
2. A limited cut in expenditures—\$1.4 billion from the defense budget, \$6 of a billion from foreign aid, and \$1.4 billion from all other expenditures.
3. Redeemed the President's pledge to give the states title to oil and mineral deposits on their off-shore lands.
4. Congress granted the President's request for a year's extension of the Reciprocal Trade Act. A study of the whole tariff problem is scheduled when congress convenes again.
5. Congress approved admission of 214,000 immigrants in the next two years, somewhat less than what the President had requested.
6. Congress authorized \$100 million in surplus food for needy na-

tions between now and March. 7. The Defense, Agriculture and Justice departments were reorganized and a new cabinet department—Health, Education and Welfare—was created. There is also the other side of the picture. A number of measures which had been on the President's "must" list got nowhere. Generally they were killed in committee. They were:
1. Hawaiian statehood which the President recommended.
2. Extension of social security to groups not now covered.
3. Increase in postal rates to get the department out of the red.
4. A delay in the revision of the Taft-Hartley labor law and the McCarran-Walter immigration act.

SENATOR Robert Taft's death has left the Republican party and the administration with a bridge that cannot be replaced easily, wise Washington observers are saying. It was Taft, they point out, that bridged the gap between the conservative and "wilder" groups within the G.O.P. And it was he who set the tone of the present administration even if Eisenhower is President of the United States. This bridge will not be a distressing problem until congress reconvenes again. It is then, the observers are predicting, that the fireworks will begin.



From The Webster Times, Webster, Massachusetts: The Korean Armistice has been signed. The attitude of the man in the street is a far cry from the frenzied joy of such news after World War I and World War II. Perhaps we have learned the great lesson of preparedness.

Radio and television broadcasts immediately after the signing brought into full focus the change in the thinking of the customarily unwary Americans. Announcers questioning passersby asked "How do you feel about the Armistice?" And while the answers were invariably "Thank God," many persons added sage remarks that the United States should be careful now and keep up defense measures.

It was of especial note that mothers of Korean veterans were frequently quoted as believing this. After the last war, mothers were blamed for wanting their boys home from Europe and Asia, thus bringing about demobilization too soon.

As in all wars, the permanent scars will be borne by those who have lost their loved ones, and by the thousands of Korean veterans who will spend much of their future in hospitals. For that group who must go on forever wondering about the fate of their "missing" sons and husbands, our sympathy is especially deep. We have an Armistice. There

will be no true peace until more momentous events take place—until peoples all over the world learn to share the God-given resources of their different spheres, until they learn to live without envy of other nations, until the peoples of the earth return to Faith in God and their fellowmen.

From the Harvard Herald, Harvard, Illinois: People who play the races have nothing on the farmer. Even the most avid of them are pikers by comparison. Horses are predictable; the elements . . . and insects . . . and plant diseases . . . and farm market prices are not.

Quietly, without fanfare the farmer places his bets. Day in and day out, year after year he does so every time he seeds a crop or puts in a batch of broilers. The market may be fine when they mature; or the bottom may have dropped out. The boll weevil or the army worm or blight may hit him, or it may not. There may be a flood, a drought, or a windstorm. Excessive rain may ruin his plantings. Disease may hit his hogs; excessive heat may endanger his chickens. He never knows the odds. City folks often look upon the farmer's life as an easy one; as something to retire to some day. Yes, who else would run the risks, would do as much for as little?

Football Boys Start Practice September 1

Stratford football boys will begin practice Tuesday, September 1, in compliance with interscholastic league rules. Coaches B. A. Duggins and Haskell Bilbrey will work with the high school boys. Coach James Coble will train the junior high boys.

Stratford will compete in District 1-B 11-man football this year. It will be the first time in several years that the school has offered this sport for the boys in the school.

A schedule of games for the season has been completed. **Games Scheduled**

- September 11 — Night game at Texline.
- September 18 — Open.
- September 25 — Gruver plays an afternoon game here.
- October 2 — Night game at Vega.
- October 9 — Boys' Ranch plays an afternoon game here.
- October 16 — Night game at Spearman.
- October 23 — Groom plays an afternoon game here.
- October 30 — Stinnett plays an afternoon game here.
- November 6 — Night game at Claude.
- November 13 — Night game at Texhoma.

Officials to Meet At Stinnett

R. W. Standefer, Jr., T. J. McCaughey, Hugh Stewart, Haskell Bilbrey, B. A. Duggins and James Coble will attend a meeting of District 1-B school officials at Stinnett September 2 to complete unfinished business for the season.

Miss Schafer Wins County Bake Show

Lora Ann Schafer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Schafer of Texhoma, was overall winner of the Sherman County Bake Show which was held Friday in the court room.

Lora Ann will represent Sherman County in the District Bake Show which will be held at Amarillo September 19. She will enter a true sponge cake, a two crust cherry pie and her records.

Elaine Spurlock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Spurlock of the Spurlock Community, was the second place overall winner. Jean Spurlock, also a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Spurlock, was third place winner and Donna Fedric, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Fedric of the Spurlock Community, was fourth place winner.

Ginger Brooks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Brooks, placed first on her sponge cake. Elaine Spurlock placed first on her pie and Lora Ann Schafer placed first on her records.

There were fifty-two entries in the show, twenty-eight cherry pies and twenty-four sponge cakes. Those making a score of 90 to 100 were placed in the Blue Ribbon Class and are classed excellent. They were as follows: Lora Ann Schafer, Donna Fedric, Carolyn Folsom, Sharon Hampton, Ann Burgess, Patricia Newman, Elaine Spurlock, Gay Plunk, Jean Spurlock, Carolyn Reaves, and Donna Fedric.

Those making a score of 85 to 89 were in the Red Ribbon Class and are classed as good. They were as follows: Delma Dee Schafer, Mary Sue Taylor, Kay Spurlock, Ann Bradley, and Jessie Jean Riggs.

Those making a score of 80 to 84 were placed in the White ribbon Class and are classed as fair. They were as follows: Lela Hampton, Ginger Brooks and Carolee Baskin.

The cakes were wrapped and placed in a home freezer to be frozen for the Sherman County Fair. The girls took their pies home and will bake another for the fair.

Lora Ann and Delma Dee Schafer served on the Registration Committee. Donna Fedric and Carolyn Folsom served on the packaging committee.

Judges for the show were Miss Pauline Rudy, Hartley County Home Demonstration Agent, and Miss June Gibbs, Hansford County Home Demonstration Agent.

Sixth Annual Jamboree Starts September 11th

Stratford's sixth annual Jamboree celebration will feature two modern dances, bingo tournaments, a bathing beauty revue, an old fiddlers contest, band concerts, three top flight roping exhibitions, a grand parade and a famous Les' Parker barbecue.

Bingo games open Friday, September 11, at 8:00 P. M. on the barbecue lots adjoining the American Legion building. The games will be open to the public on Friday and Saturday nights.

Gene Clay and his Arkansas Valley Ramblers, a modern string band with a talented soprano vocalist, will start playing for the first modern dance in the American Legion Hall at 9:00 P. M. Friday night. Saturday night the same orchestra will be on hand for another big dance.

The Sherman County Fair will be the first attraction on Saturday mornings program. The Fair opens Saturday at 8:30 A. M. and exhibits will remain on display until 6:00 P. M.

All exhibits shown at the fair must be in place by 8:00 A. M. Saturday, September 12.

Parade 11 A. M. Saturday

The Jamboree's grand parade will move down Main Street at 11:00 A. M. Saturday, September 12.

George Jeffcoat, parade chairman, has already received promises of 12 floats for the parade with 8 others considering the building of a float. Eight firms have made donations for prize money.

Stratford High School and Amarillo Air Force Bands are expected to appear in the parade this year. American Legion members are arranging for a color-guard to lead the parade.

The parade will form on Fifth Street between U. S. Highway 287 and Main Street.

Barbecue Saturday

A famous Les' Parker barbecue will be served at noon Saturday, September 12. A free-will offering will be accepted to help defray expenses.

Roping Contests Start Saturday

Three top flight calf roping contests will provide entertainment for those who enjoy western activities. The first roping match will be staged at 2:00 P. M. Saturday, the second performance at 8:00 P. M. Saturday, and the final performance at 2:00 P. M. Sunday.

Contestants will compete for \$500.00 in prizes plus the entrance fees in a two go-round contest.

Retired Ropers May Compete

Plans are being studied for staging a roping contest for retired ropers. This contest, if staged will include men over 45 years of age.

Ramon-Matherly Wedding Is Solemnized

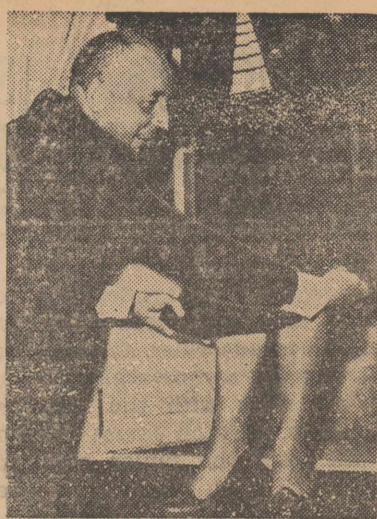
Mr. and Mrs. Z. G. Ramon of Stratford announce the marriage of their daughter, Patricia S/Sgt. Ted R. Matherly of Amarillo Air Force Base, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Matherly of Johnson City, Tennessee. Rev. William Everheart, pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian Church, read the double-ring service in his study on Wednesday evening of last week. Sergeant and Mrs. Matherly are living at 1607 South Travis in Amarillo.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Whittenburg, III, of Amarillo, announce the birth of a four pound daughter, Jeanne Price Whittenburg, who was born in St. Anthony Hospital in Amarillo Tuesday. The tiny baby was placed in an "Air-Lock," which is similar to an iron lung, until Wednesday, when it was placed in an incubator. Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Price and Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Price are grandparents and great grandparents of the little newcomer.

The Unknown Soldier was buried in Washington on November 11, 1921.

The garnet sometimes is green instead of the familiar red.



DIOR: "SHORT SKIRTS" . . . Paris couturier Christian Dior adjusts hemline on model to meet his new edict of knee-length skirts. But Norman Hartnell, British designer, replies: "Shorter skirts are uglier."

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TIMELY TIPS

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2. To have crisp fried chicken remove cover from frying pan 10 or 15 minutes before it is done.
3. Brown or whole grain rice has more food value than white rice. If brown rice is not available buy enriched white rice.

THREE FOR THE MONEY

By John Connolly

JED Tyler was tied, gagged and sporting a lump on his head the size of my fist when we found him the next morning. When we got him loose he was mad and ready to cut loose at everybody in sight. It was my fault, really I did recollect seeing three strangers ride into town just after sundown. Tough looking hombies they were, too; especially one with a thick black mustache and a jagged scar over his cheekbone.

I should have left a younger deputy to guard the bank that night, one who would have stayed awake. As it was, Jed hadn't even seen the robbers. They'd dropped him while the rest of us were at the dance in Town Hall, blown the door off the iron safe and galloped out of town with a whole week's dust from the Watkin's gold mine that was due to leave on Monday's Stage.

It didn't seem much use, since they had a full night's start on us, but I rounded up a posse and headed South toward Graystone forty miles away. I checked with Gabby, the stable man, on the three strangers I'd seen ride in. He told me they were traveling awful light for just passing through, no grub. I knew they hadn't bought anything in Watkin so they'd probably have to stop at Graystone and stock up. It was their closest chance in any direction.

At Graystone we picked up the trail. Yes, they told us, a stranger had come into town at dawn, feller with a mustache. He ate a double portion of chow and stocked up. Well, that put 'em about five hours ahead of us, and no telling which direction they took.

While we were resting up the horses and talking it over, Brad Owen, who operated the general store in Graystone, came running over to me, all excited. "I almost forgot to tell you, sheriff," he said. "That critter did a funny thing when he come in this morning. He bought enough p'ison to kill every rat in the territory. So help me, he near bought out my supply."

I looked at Brad pretty hard then. He's quite a kiddier most of the time, and us losing our gold is no joke. "What you figger he wanted with all that p'ison, Brad?" I asked him. "These fellers ain't exactly the domestic type. Don't reckon they'll set up farmin' around here by plantin' our dust and growin' gold, do you?"

"It's the gospel, Sheriff," he said seriously. "Jest thought I'd let you know."

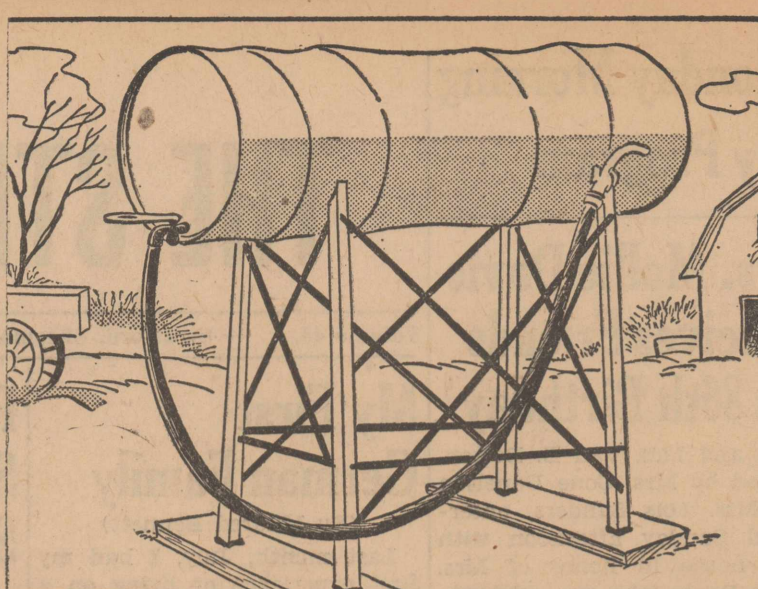
I split the posse into three parts this time, heading East, West and South. We mounted and started out again, still feeling it was mostly futile. It's real tough to give a man five hours start in the cattle country, 'specially when his horse is rested and yours ain't and when there's a couple creeks and streams he can follow without leaving tracks if he's smart.

We hadn't ridden but three, four miles when we came on the dangdest sight you ever saw. There was these three horses, all saddled and ready, a campfire still smoldering, saddlebags chuck full of our hard worked gold dust; and there was the three bank robbers. One, the one with the mustache and the scar, was lying on his back with a bullet hole between the eyes; and the other two were so ugly you wouldn't want to look at 'em twice lessen you had a powerful stomach.

Some will tell you there's honor among thieves. I never hold any store by it, 'specially after seein' this. Two of these critters must've sent the one with the mustache after supplies after they pitched camp. While he was gone they just decided two sharing the gold were better than three. They murdered him when he came back.

What they didn't figger on, I guess, was that Scarface was a greedy cuss himself and had the same idea. He'd doped the food he brought back with enough p'ison to kill a regiment of soldiers.

I figger I'd stop by Brad Owen's on the way back; and let him know that p'ison of his was good for all kinds of rats.



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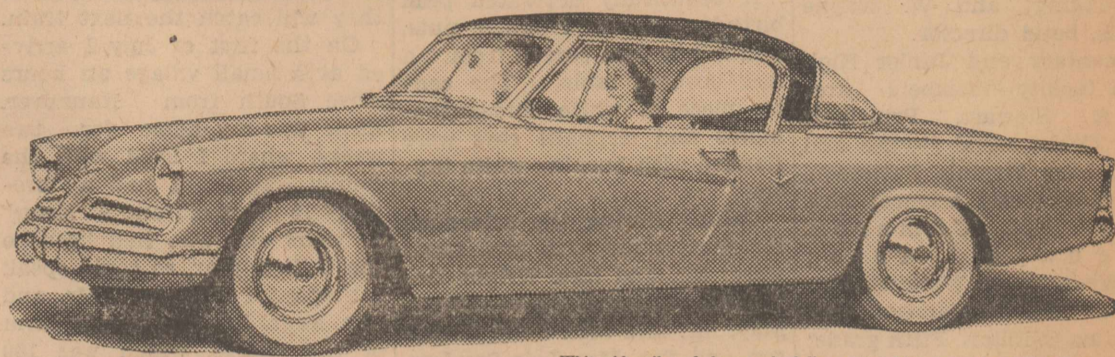
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Three Cases In County Court

Judgments have been entered of three cases tried in County Court.

Kenneth Leroy Gates, charged with driving while intoxicated, was given a fine including court costs of \$71.10, and his drivers license was suspended.

C. A. Massey and C. D. Davis, charged with drunkenness in a public place, were each fined \$15.55.

Dan F. Dodson, charged with theft of less than \$50.00 in value, was given a fine including court costs of \$75.00.

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LOST: Two white face yearling heifers, weigh about 350 pounds, branded with connected lazy JT on left hip. — Jack Pugh. 44-3tc



MARGARET SMILES . . . Princess Margaret, subject of speculation and controversy over rumored romance with Capt. Peter Townsend, was poised and silent at friend's wedding in Hambleton.

"I REMEMBER" BY THE OLD TIMERS

From Mrs. Chas. Squible, Hamlingford, Nebraska: I remember when my folks lived on their homestead in the early 1890's. The only sounds to be heard were the wind, the song of blackbirds, and meadow larks. In the evening we would hear the call of the owl, bark of the prairie dog or the lonesome wail of a coyote as he howled at the moon. How different from our modern times: the tractors, cars, trucks, airplanes. What a noisy world it has become!

From Jessamine S. Burgum, Arthur, N. D.: I remember when the first chore after breakfast was to gather all the kerosene lamps, polish the smoked lamp chimneys and fill the lamps with kerosene. Too many tales were told of careless housekeepers, filling lamps after dark, with resulting explosions and fires.

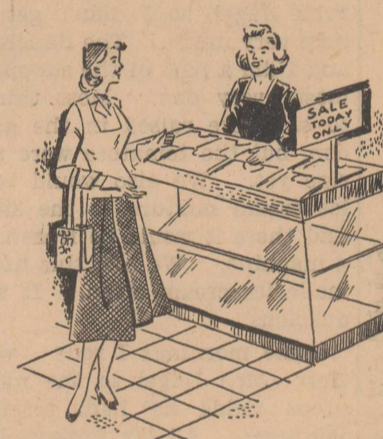
Also the first sound in the morning was the sound of grinding coffee berries in the little hand mill that hung on the wall—the ground coffee fell into a tiny drawer which was emptied into the coffee pot, filled with cold water and brought to a boil. And I remember when breakfast was a hearty meal with fried meat and eggs, cornmeal or oatmeal mush fried and eaten with syrup or jelly, fried potatoes, and pancakes with plenty of butter and syrup.

A new "remote control" coal mining machine under test in West Virginia digs 700 feet into the mountainside without requiring a single person to enter the tunnel.

An Ohio man got 10 years in jail for putting an obstruction on a railroad track. Obstruction was his installment-due automobile. Train hit it.

The average Italian traveled less than 325 miles last year.

Sweden boasts she has more telephones and radio sets in proportion to population than any other nation except the United States.



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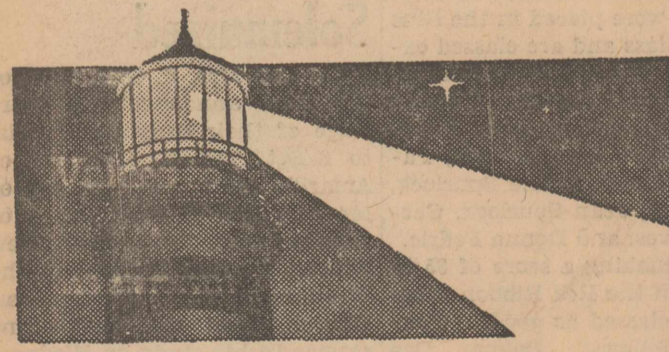


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MAYOR McGUP By John Jarvis

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POW EXCHANGE . . . Wearing new uniforms issued by UN, North Korean communist POW's march to compound to await exchange operation with allied prisoners gathered near Panmunjom.



TRUCE DEADLOCK . . . South Korean president Syngman Rhee holds another conference with Walter S. Robertson, asst. secretary of state (left) on Korean armistice terms, with which Rhee violently disagrees.



VISITS BIRTHPLACE . . . Theodore Lee Berg, 14, of Eugene, Oregon, saved \$850 by raising pigs, picking beans and selling newspapers for trip to Sweden where Lee was born while parents were on tour.

DON'T HURRY YOUR LOVE
By Elizabeth Hall

JOEY Blake stepped out onto the front porch and let the screen door swing listlessly shut behind him. Aunt Em's worried blue eyes studied his dark face, tight lines ringing his mouth. No nineteen-year-old should have such unhappy lines, such dull eyes.

"Joey, what's wrong?" she asked. "Wouldn't it help to talk about it?"

"I don't know exactly what is wrong," Joey's young voice was low and troubled, more as if he were talking to himself. "I haven't seen Sue alone for three weeks. She seems glad to see me when I go over but there's always a gang around. I never really get a chance to be with her."

"Sue is still in high school, Joey," she said. You graduated last spring and have worked ever since. You know you will soon have to enter the army. You have an adult's outlook now. But Sue's viewpoint is still that of a child. You shouldn't want it any other way. She shouldn't be robbed of her last happy year of school, care-free and untroubled."

Aunt Em held Joey with a wise compassionate gaze and continued, "You've grown so intense, so full of urgency to get to the business of loving and living that subconsciously she is frightened. I think Sue loves you but she is not ready for the adult love you feel. Keeping a crowd of her friends around makes her feel safer."

"But, Aunt Em, you know I would never do anything to hurt Sue. She ought to know that too."

"Yes Joey," Aunt Em said gently. "But you would hurt her if you forced her to grow up too fast. If you could make her feel all tied up in knots like you have been the last few weeks, you would be hurting her."

"But, Aunt Em, what can I do?" he asked desperately. "I'm afraid I'll lose her. I turn cold all over when I think of it."

"Go back, if you can, to the friendly gay relationship you two have had for four years," Aunt Em advised. "Sue won't avoid you when the tension relaxes. Then when the time comes, when she gets out of school next year she'll be ready to return to the deeper feeling you want from her. Keep it light, Joey, keep it easy. She loves you I'm sure. Just stop rushing her."

"I'll try. I'm going over to Sue's now. I won't be late." Joey spoke happily, and leaped down the steps to the walk.

At the Traynor house Joey heard the record-player going full blast as usual. Conviction that Aunt Em was possessed of unusual wisdom grew in him. Fastening a wide carefree grin on his face, Joey tapped on the door. One of the gang let him in but he saw Sue across the room, wide alert gray eyes meeting his warily. Sue was golden-haired, peach-skinned, with a tiny slender figure curved just right for the school-girl skirts and sweaters she usually wore. Joey's heart turned over as it always did at the sight of her. Determinedly he kept the grin in place and flipped a careless hand in her direction. His assumed ease became real as he saw the tension relax in her face.

During two records, to which some of the gang jitter-bugged, Joey carried his share of the speculative argument about the chances of this season's football team and never let his gay expression slip.

Smiling, Sue firmly turned off the record-player.

"That's all for tonight, kids," she said. "I've a date with Joey."

"Hello, Joey," Sue said softly when they were alone. "You've been a stranger lately. I'm glad to have you back."

Joey struggled desperately for a light remark but came up with nothing better than a lame invitation. "Want to walk down to the drugstore for a malt?"

"Yes," Sue answered and Joey's heart stood still for a long moment as briefly her hand nestled against his cheek as lightly as a butterfly.

Then turning swiftly toward the door, swinging their hands like children, they went out.

The columns in the Lincoln Memorial in Washington tilt inward.

The state of California is ten miles longer than the state of Texas.

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HONOR DEAD LEADER . . . William George Adams, chairman of memorial committee of National Republican Club in New York City, adjusts crepe around portrait of late Senate majority leader Robert A. Taft.

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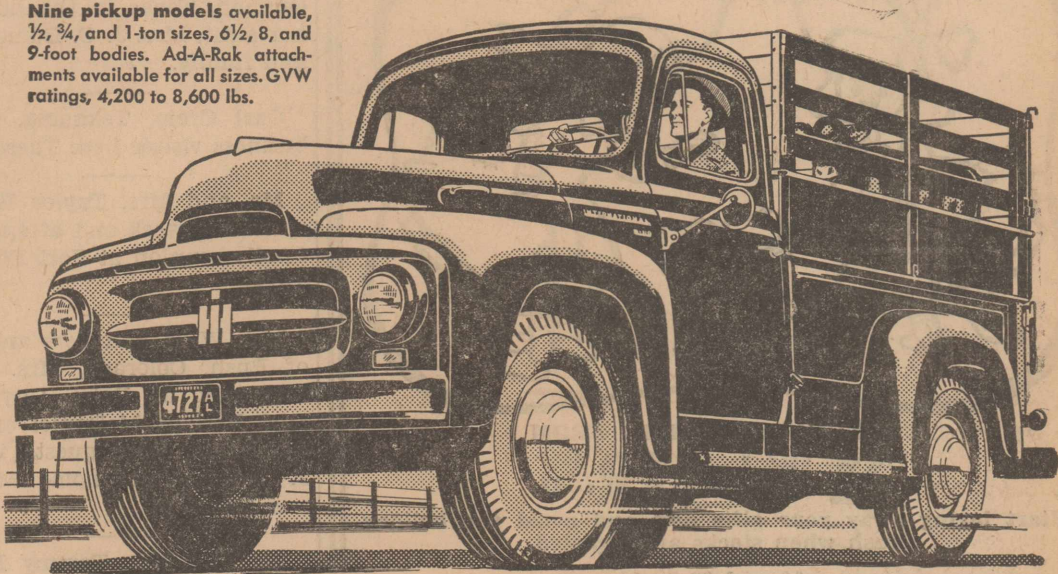
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MOTHER OF 18 . . . Mrs. John Samz, 36, of Argonne, Wis., cuddles her eighteenth child, all single births, while husband, 44-year-old logger and farmer, gazes at little Nicholas.

Local News

Mr. and Mrs. G. Ross Turner and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Turner visited relatives in Liberal, Kansas Sunday.

A note to The Stratford Star from Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stur-

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geon, who taught in the Stratford schools last year, states that they are teaching in the schools in Kennett, Missouri. Mr. Sturgeon is teaching junior high school math, and Mrs. Sturgeon is teaching high school English and French.

Mr. and Mrs. Will B. Green and daughters of Storm Lake, Iowa have returned home after a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burk Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Scribner returned to their home in Lawton, Oklahoma, Saturday, after visiting in the G. L. Taylor home and accompanying Mr. and Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. V. O. Gilbert to the Taylor Ranch at La Veta, Colorado for an outing Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Lucy Kelp and Mrs. Jim Oquin were visitors in Dumas Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McDaniel and John are in Denver, Colorado where they plan to re-

main for three months or more, while Mr. McDaniel receives treatment in Fitzsimons Army Hospital. Mr. McDaniel, who is feeling some better, is reported to be working in pleasant surroundings and not so many hours as when in Stratford. Mrs. McDaniel reports that John will start to school in Denver, and will miss his classmates in Stratford very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Duard Lamb and son, and Mrs. Lamb's mother, Mrs. Eugene Gibney of Dalhart, returned home Wednesday of last week from a short vacation in and around Colorado Springs, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shirk, who were recently vacationing in Ojo Caliente, New Mexico, came home for a short time, and continued to Temple, Texas, returning home Sunday.

Chucko Robinson is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lively in Dalhart.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Chisum and Tommy Blake visited Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wilson in Dumas last week end.

W. W. Davis, Van B. Boston and Pete Ellison left Monday morning to attend the Salmon Derby at Astoria, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Burk Green, and Mrs. Ruth Green and Fred had as guests from Sunday to Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pohlemann and daughter, Suzanne, of Anadarko, Oklahoma and Mrs. Agnes Packwood of Brazil, Indiana. Mrs. Pohlemann and Mrs. Packwood are cousins of Mrs. Burk Green, Mrs. Ruth Green and Mrs. Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Golladay spent the week end visiting relatives in Chillicothe, Texas.

Mrs. C. R. Bonar returned home last week from a visit with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Skillman, Sherry Gail and the new baby, Stephanie Claire, in Wichita, Kansas. Sherry Gail returned home with her grandmother for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates returned home Monday from a weeks visit with relatives in Brownfield and Big Spring, Texas.

L. J. Davis attended a car dealers meeting in Oklahoma City Monday.

Miss Letha Slawson, who teaches at Turkey, Texas, left Monday morning for her home after a two weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Hodges.

Miss Maxine Senna and Lloyd King spent the week end in Quanah, Texas in the home of her aunt, Mrs. J. C. Bumgarner, and family.

Carl Craig, Texhoma, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Holland spent the week end attending a family reunion at Fort Belknap, Texas.

Mrs. W. E. Summers and sons of Rush, Colorado, Mrs. F. M. McDaniel of Boise City, and Miss Verlene McDaniel of Felt, Oklahoma, were guests in the J. D. McDaniel home Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Reeves and children left Saturday for Florida where they plan to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Corley had as week end guests, her mother, Mrs. R. Vanetta, her sister, Miss Letha Vanetta and her brother, Guy Vanetta, of Bucklin, Kansas.

Mrs. R. D. Jones, Brownfield, Texas, is visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. H. J. Cooper.

Bill Bagley, Abilene, Texas, was a dinner guest in the G. L. Taylor home Monday. He was enroute to La Veta, Colorado to visit Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Taylor and children.

Jim and George McCall, twin sons of Mrs. Louise Steel McCall, have returned to their home in Weatherford, Texas after a visit with the Steel families.

Overnight visitors in the H. B. Norris home Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith, Karen and Linda, of Brownfield, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. O'Brien left Wednesday morning for their home in McKinney, Texas after a ten day visit with relatives in Stratford and Gruver. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. O'Brien accompanied them to Red River, New Mexico for a two day visit last week.

Mrs. John T. Doyle and children and her mother, Mrs. Emma Wilcox, of Barnsdall, Oklahoma, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Foster and children Monday.

Miss Beatrice Kalka, McLean, Texas, was a guest of Mrs. Marguerite Wilson last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Price and

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Watson had as guests this week, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Anchicks of Calvert, Texas. Mrs. Price and Mrs. Watson are Mr. Anchicks' sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Ballengee, Berger, spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Harrison.

Mrs. H. B. Norris is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Kathryn Kates of Mt. Pleasant, Texas is visiting relatives in Stratford.

Bill Woodard, Plainview, Texas, preached at the First Baptist Church at the morning and evening hour Sunday, in the absence of the pastor, Rev. M. E. Upchurch, who left Saturday for Hutchinson, Kansas, where he is conducting a revival for Rev. H. H. Whatley, a former pastor of the Baptist Church here. Mr.

and Mrs. Woodrad and little daughter are visiting relatives here this week, and will remain over next Sunday, when Mr. Woodard will again preach at the Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. King Fike and

children of Dalhart were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. M. King Sunday.

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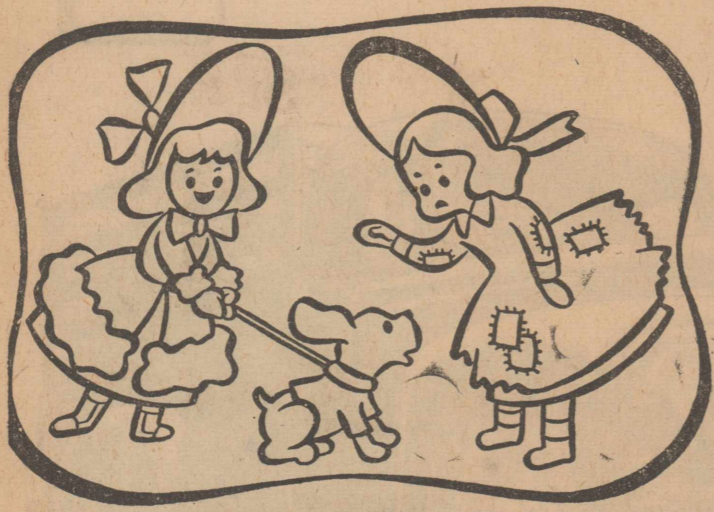
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Tuna Fish	Star Kist Green Label Chunk Style	33c	Tomato Juice	Libbys Big 46 Ounce Tin	33c
Crackers	Salad Wafers 1 Pound Box	24c	BEETS	Kimbell's Whole No. 2 Tin	15c
PICKLES	Concho Dill Quart Jar	29c	TOMATOES	Diamond No. 303 Tin 2 For	29c
SAUCE	Worchestershire Heinz Regular Size Bottle	28c	CORN	Saracen Cream Style No. 303 Tin	15c
Steak Sauce	Heinz 57 Regular 5 Ounce Bottle	28c	OR 6 CANS FOR 84c		
NAPKINS	Diamond Regular 80 Count Box	15c	Green Beans	Clear Sailing, Cut No. 303 Tin 2 For	29c
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Local News

Bobby Bachman, who was injured in service in Korea, returned Thursday of last week from McKinney, Texas, where he received treatment at the Veterans Hospital the past month. He was told to report back to the hospital in three months.

Miss Hazel Harris is visiting in the home of her brother, Calvin Harris, in Raton, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hill, Amarillo, were guests of Mrs. W. D. Ellis Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Peterson and Mike returned home Saturday from a two weeks visit with Mr. Peterson's relatives in his old home town, Stillwater, Minnesota, and in Minneapolis and St. Paul. Enroute home they visited Mrs. Peterson's relatives in Lyons and Independence, Kansas.

Miss Jean Dickson, San Angelo, Texas, is a guest in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Allen.

Brother Released From Red POW Camp

Sgt. Thomas J. Howell, a brother of Mrs. E. E. Riggs, was released Saturday night in Operation Big Switch. Sgt. Howell was reported missing in action in July, and word that he was a P.O.W. was received Monday night of last week.

Happy Hour Club Meets In Crabtree Home

The Happy Hour Home Demonstration Club met Thursday of last week in the home of Mrs. Newton Crabtree with nine members present. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. E. E. Riggs, and the meeting was opened with the club prayer.

Roll call was answered by each member telling of "My First Corsage."

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. A report was given by the council delegate, Mrs. J. D. Billington.

A short business session was conducted and several business matters discussed. Plans were

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The demonstration for the day was given by Mrs. B. E. Dovel and Mrs. Newton Crabtree on making fall and winter corsages. Each member made a corsage and the group judged them.

A short period of recreation was enjoyed after which the hostess served delicious refreshments to the club.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. B. E. Dovel.

Love To Tell The Story." Mrs. John Reaves sang "The Noble Life." The meeting was dismissed with the Missionary benediction.

Group Two served frosted drinks to the members present and an hour of fellowship was enjoyed by all.

Baptist Circles Have Joint Meeting

Ladies of the Baptist W. M. U. met at the church Wednesday afternoon for a Royal Service program.

Mrs. L. J. Davis led the program on the "American Indian and the Jesus Way." Opening hymns were "Christ for the Whole Wide World" and "He Keeps Me Singing," followed by prayer by Mrs. Joe Brown. Mrs. M. E. Upchurch gave the devotional, using the 23 Psalm as "The Rope of Love."

Miss Jeanne Wells sang "Why Should He Love Me So."

Recordings made previous to the meeting were played. The subjects recorded were: "In Mississippi" by Mrs. Baskin Brown, "In Florida" by Mrs. Joe Brown, "In New Mexico," by Mrs. W. W. Davis, "In Kansas" by Mrs. W. D. Green, "In North Carolina" by Mrs. Arlyn Halle, "In Arizona" by Mrs. H. B. Norris, "In Oklahoma" by Mrs. O. H. Ingham, and "Indian Missionaries" by Mrs. M. E. Upchurch.

Fellowship hall was decorated with Indian motifs including a number of relics. Refreshments of laughing water, (punch) squaw bread, (cookies) and arrow head sandwiches and mints were served by Mrs. L. J. Davis and Mrs. Arthur Milton.

Plans were made for caring for Sandra Johnson, the W. M. U.'s adopted daughter in Texas Baptist Childrens Home at Round Rock, Texas who will be 14 years old on October 6.

Ladies present for the meeting were: Mrs. Roy Strother, Mrs. Joe Brown, Mrs. W. D. Green, Mrs. L. L. Grimes, Mrs. O. H. Ingham, Mrs. Arlyn Halle, Mrs. Leon Guthrie, Mrs. M. E. Upchurch, Mrs. W. D. Ellis, Miss Jeanne Wells, Mrs. L. J. Davis, Mrs. Arthur Milton, Mrs. J. S. Johnson and Mrs. Ivan Bammes.

Girls Pack Boxes For Indians

Y. W. A. and Intermediate G. A. girls met at the First Baptist Church Monday night and packed missionary boxes to be distributed among Indians in the United States.

The Y.W.A. will meet at 6:00 P. M. Monday of next week in the home of Mrs. Horace Jones for a buffet supper and book review.

New York City has a waterfront of 578 miles.

Gary Lee Pratt Released From Hospital

Gary Lee Pratt, 8-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pratt, was released Monday from Guymon Municipal Hospital where he has been under treatment for polio. Young Pratt is able to walk but physicians fear he may have to go to Plainview for physiotherapy treatments.



SUB PILOT . . . Lt. Commander David Scott guided British sub "Andrew" on 2,500 mile trip from Bermuda to Portsmouth, England. Snorkel-breathing apparatus enabled vessel to make the voyage totally submerged.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION OF ADMINISTRATOR FOR AUTHORITY TO MAKE OIL AND GAS LEASES

THE STATE OF TEXAS. TO ANY SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE WITHIN THE STATE OF TEXAS - Greeting: You are hereby commanded, by publication of a copy hereof in one issue of a newspaper published in the County where the property is situated, which notice shall appear subsequent to filing of such application and not less than ten days prior to hearing thereon, to cite all persons interested in the Estate of Erza Elliott, deceased, that W. F. Harkrader, Administrator of the Estate of Erza Elliott, deceased, has filed an application with the County Court of Sherman County, Texas, for authority to make, execute and acknowledge oil, gas and mineral leases covering the following described real estate, situated in Sherman County, Texas, to-wit: Sections Numbers 195, 196, 197, Block 1-C, G. H. & H. Ry. Company Survey, and Section Number 16, Block Number 1, Public Free School Land, such leases to be made for the purpose of drilling, mining and operating for oil, gas and other minerals, and each of such parties are hereby cited to appear in the County Court of Sherman County in the Courthouse thereof on the first Monday after such service is perfected, which is the 7th day of September, 1953, and contest, or answer by filing a written answer therein, should they desire to do so, the application of W. F. Harkrader, Administrator, filed in said court on August 27, 1953.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said court on the 7th day of September, 1953, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Witness LELAH BONEY, Clerk of the County Court of Sherman County, Texas, Given under my hand and the seal of said court and issued at office in Stratford, Texas, this the 27th day of August, 1953.

(Seal) LELAH BONEY Clerk, County Court, Sherman County, Texas.

(Pub. (8-27-53))



INFORMATION HEAD . . . Theodore C. Strelbert, former chairman of Mutual Broadcasting System, was named director of the new U. S. Information Agency by Pres. Eisenhower. He succeeds Dr. Robert L. Johnson, who resigned.

Forty years ago Casablanca was only a fishing village in a swamp. Today it is a city of parks and beaches and one of the fastest growing cities in North Africa.

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To Consider Bids On Surplus Property

Stratford School Trustees will consider bids on the frame barracks buildings at the school house at a meeting to be held Friday night. On September 3 they will meet to consider bids on surplus trucks to be sold by the school.

Woodard To Speak Sunday At Baptist Church

Bill Woodard, a ministerial student in Wayland College at Plainview, Texas, will preach at the morning and evening services at the First Baptist Church Sunday. Woodard, a former Stratford youth, is visiting relatives here this week.

Rev. M. E. Upchurch, local pastor, is assisting Rev. H. H. Whatley in a two weeks revival meeting in Hutchison, Kansas.

C.W.F. Ladies Have Meeting

C. W. F. ladies of the First Christian Church met Wednesday of last week in Fellowship Hall at 2:30 P. M. with seventeen members present.

The meeting was opened with the song, "What A Friend We Have In Jesus," sung by the group, followed by prayer by Mrs. Herbert Folsom.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved, and a short business meeting followed. Plans were made for the Teachers Training Course.

Plans were discussed for the Church Dedication which will be the first Sunday in November, coming on November 1.

Mrs. Elmer Hudson had charge of the program on the subject, "It Happened at Mexican Christian Institute," and gave an introductory talk.

Other subjects included: "Mr. Luna" by Mrs. Joe Billington, "Interview With Mr. Luna," by Mrs. Joe Billington and Mrs. Hudson.

Mrs. J. W. Hodges, who gave the devotional, read and discussed the scripture Matthew 9:29-38, following the song "I



Rev. Robert H. Harper
Standards for Christian Leaders.
Lesson for August 30: 1 Timothy
4: 7-16.

Golden Text: 1 Timothy 4:12.
Paul was writing to Timothy to give him wholesome advice on the duties and privileges of the Christian ministry. The young man had become a popular city pastor and Paul was concerned that he follow a wise course as such.

Timothy was advised to steer clear of profane and old wives' tales, that is, of the false doctrines that might be met with. The Greek athletes were interesting, but their exercise was small compared to the exercise of godliness, to which Timothy was urged. For the end of godliness is not a crown of laurel in the Olympic games, but the promise of everlasting life.

"Let no man despise thy youth." Young men in the ministry may not be handicapped by their youth if they will study and profit by Paul's counsel to Timothy regarding the duties of the Christian ministry. Timothy was exhorted not to neglect the gift that was in him, to be a worthy example to those that believed, to give heed to reading, exhortation, and teaching.

He was to give heed to his teaching. And everyone who undertakes to instruct others in the way of life should do the same. There is no need at the present for some new truth, but a faithful proclamation of the old truth that has blessed men for nearly 2,000 years. In declaring the old truth men can save both themselves and those that hear them.



CAPTAIN JUMPS SHIP . . .
Jan Cwiklinski, captain of Polish liner Batory, tells how he deserted his ship and sought political asylum in England. His wife and two children are still in Poland.

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There are approximately 2,500,000 Boy Scouts in America.

The Nobel prizes were first distributed in 1901.

It may not be a gag when a friend says his black eye resulted from walking into a door. Figures compiled from a study of 10,000 industrial accidents by safety engineers who say that 6.5 per cent of the mishaps occurred when persons bumped into doors, walls and other fixed objects.

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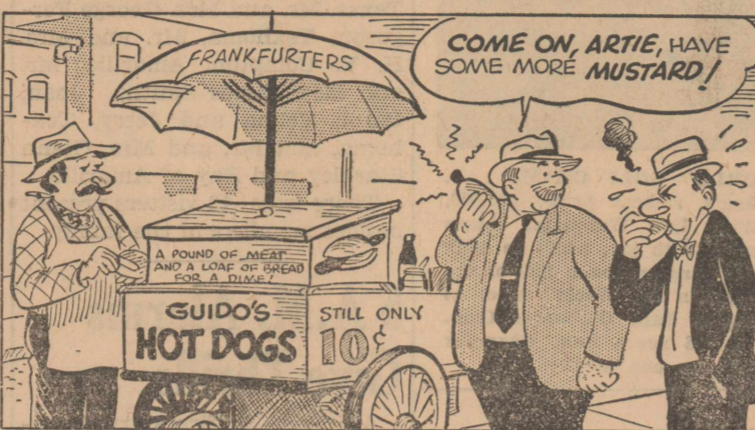
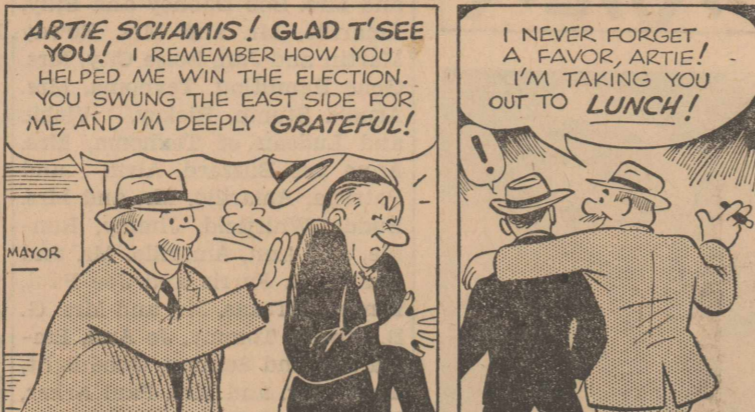
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THE MEMORY LINGERS

Remember Buster Brown, with the big collar and the Russian-blouse suit he made famous, and his wise-cracking dog, Tige?

Buster was born in 1902 and swiftly became the foremost comic-strip character in the

world. He was the creature of Richard F. Outcault, inventor of the world's first comic strip, "The Yellow Kid," which, incidentally gave rise to the term "yellow journalism" to describe a cavalier attitude toward conscientious reporting and the un-

varnished truth.

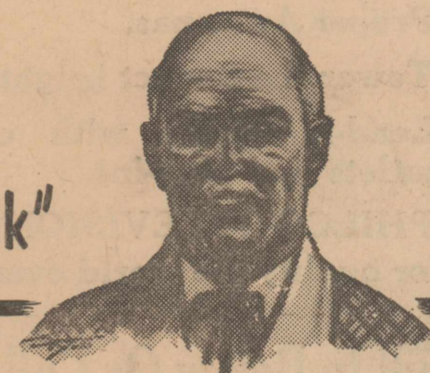
Pilau is a rice dish, stewed with meat and spices.

The model for the Statue of Liberty was the sculptor Bartholdi's mother.



PARATROOPS HIT INDO-CHINA . . . French paratroopers surprised Viet Minh forces when they raided supply base at Langson and destroyed 5,000 tons of arms and ammunition found in caves.

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peek at THE STARS

By LYN CONNELLY

SOMETHING new has been added to fireworks, and it's another "I Love Lucy" first. . . On the 4th of July this year, the piece de resistance of the festivities on the Schuylkill River in Philadelphia was a 20-foot set piece which, when exploded, showed Ricky Jr., the infant son of the Ricardos on the TV series, rocking in a cradle. . . Lucille Ball and Desi Arnaz were heard on the public address system and Desi sang "There's a Brand New Baby at Our House". . . Here's a couple that's really bent on making their baby pay for itself in this life.

One of life's mysteries to men is the sight of his wife's bulging clothes closet and the familiar anguished cry, "But I haven't a thing to wear". . . One woman in the world who can't possibly resort to this expletive is Gale Storm, star of "My Little Margie". . . Gale averages five changes per episode and has made some fifty half-hour films for the comedy series. . . Her wardrobe has reached such proportions now that Gale is quite serious in saying, "I need a home just to hold all my clothes". . . which is an enviable position to say the least.

PLATTER CHATTER
CAPITOL: — The Four Knights' latest is a cutie called "Baby Doll". . . It's backed by "Tennessee Train". . . For something unusual you may like Harry Kari's recording of that oldie "The Love Bug Will Bite You". . . "Nishimoto at the Bat" on the back, shows influence of GI Joe in Japan. . . "The Gang That Sang Heart of My Heart" is revived with excellent results by Jerry Sherd. . . He gives us an instrumental, "Sing High, Sing Low," on the reverse. . . Jackie Gleason continues to conduct with success in "White House Serenade" and "The President's Lady". . . and on still another disc, he does "Fog O' My Heart" backed by "Limelight."

The population of Shanghai has decreased from 5,000,000 to around 3,500,000 because Far Eastern unrest has decreased its importance as a trading and manufacturing center.



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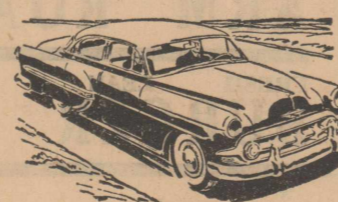
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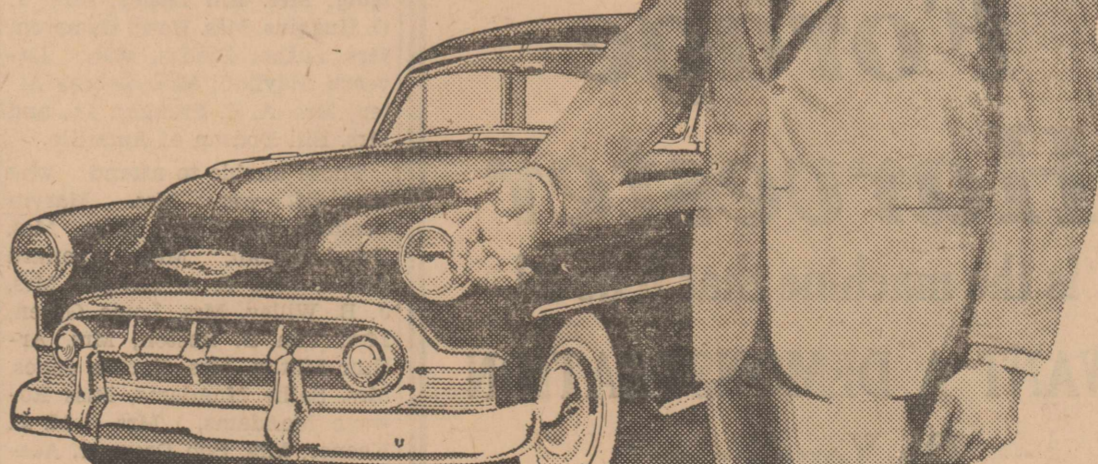
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During other hours and on other days the pool will be used by regular classes in the school.

Junior High Football Boys Meet Friday

Boys of the Sixth, Seventh and Eighth grades who are in-

terested in playing Junior High football, are invited to meet with Coach J. L. Coble in the high school building Friday night at 7:30.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all my friends and neighbors for the cards, flowers, and all kindnesses extended me while I was in the hospital and since I came home. I wish, especially, to thank the blood donors.

Mrs. Owen Palmer

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I wish to take this means of thanking my friends and neighbors for all the visits, cards, letters and floral gifts while I was in the hospital and after my return home.

Roy Allen

Mrs. J. T. Gibbons Is Seriously Ill

Mrs. Dick Diehl and her brother, Howard Gibbons, are in Amarillo with their mother, Mrs. J. T. Gibbons, who is seriously

SPORTS CORNER

Is It Envy?

Although no one has taken the trouble to explain, it has been widely known in golf circles for some time that Lloyd Mangrum does not like Ben Hogan. This fact was more than evident in Mangrum's latest statement regarding Hogan. Said Mangrum: It makes me "a little ill" to read all the publicity on Hogan. "Sure he's a good player but all that stuff about him being the greatest golfer that ever lifted a club is a lot of bunk. Why, if he played the tour with the rest of us he wouldn't do any better than a half dozen men." Could it be envy on Mangrum's part? . . . Tom Fool's eight length breeze in the Wilson Mile added \$16,350 to his winnings and makes him the tenth on the list of the world's money winning horses. He has now earned \$485,515 to displace Battlefield, retired last spring, who earned \$474,727 in his racing career.



"WORLD" GOLF CHAMP . . . Golfing's richest prize, \$25,000, went to Lew Worsham, shown grinning with joy, when he sank his 130 yard approach shot on the final green in "World" meet at Chicago's Tam O'Shanter Club. Lew's 278 score beat Chandler Harper by one stroke.

ill in Northwest Texas Hospital. Mrs. Gibbons was moved from Dumas Memorial Hospital to Amarillo several days ago.

Mrs. Palmer Has Throat Operation

Mrs. Owen Palmer who underwent a throat operation Wednesday of last week in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo, was brought home Sunday.

Mrs. Cearley Is Shower Honoree

Mrs. J. L. Cearley was honored with a bridal shower Saturday afternoon by Miss Mary Lee Green, assisted by Mrs. Raymond Keener, Mrs. Earl Kirkwood, Mrs. Wright Davis, Mrs. Jerry Sherrod, and Mrs. Dick Diehl as co-hostesses.

Mrs. Bill Keener registered the guests and Mrs. Richard Williams poured.

A lace cloth over green graced the serving table from which green punch and green and white cake were served. The centerpiece was formed of white chrysanthemums and calladium leaves.

Mrs. Cearley and Mrs. George Skillin, mother of the recent bride, were presented with corsages of white pom poms.

Guests calling during the afternoon included Mrs. Bill Salisbury, Mrs. J. W. Flores, Mrs. Harold Gray, Mrs. Arthur Ross, Mrs. A. E. Summers, Mrs. J. B. McWilliams, Mrs. Burk Green, Mrs. Ivy Prater, Mrs. Peach Smith, Mrs. H. C. Bennett, Mrs. A. E. Pronger, Mrs. Leon Guthrie, Mrs. Martha Harrison, Mrs. W. S. Wharton, Mrs. I. D. Wall, Sheryl Ragsdale, Mrs. V. M. King, Mrs. Bill Lasley, Mrs. J. D. Huggins, Mrs. Hazel Cameron, Mrs. Luther Blades, Miss Lavearn Mayhall, Mrs. George Allen, Mrs. A. E. Pronger, Jr. and Mrs. Bill Dodson of Amarillo.

Those unable to attend who sent gifts were: Mrs. Marvin Seaman, Mrs. Earl Riffe, Mrs. Bob Marshall, Mrs. Leonard Plunk, Mrs. S. J. Lavake, Mrs. J. B. Willey, Mrs. Louie Green, Mrs. Van B. Boston, Mrs. Arthur Milton, Mrs. Horace Jones, Mrs. Sallie McAdams, Miss Rowena McAdams, Mrs. M. L. Keener, Mrs. Bob Drenner, Austin, Texas, Mrs. Cone Donelson, Mrs. Bill Skillman, Mrs. H. E. Harrington, Mrs. L. E. Bonar, Mrs. W. N. Price, Mrs. Conde Donelson, Mrs. George Jeffcoat, Mrs. Leo Smith, Mrs. Hose Flores, Mrs. E. R. McNeal, Mrs. Lois Holmes, Mrs. Earl Bond, Mrs. C. W. Moon, Mrs. Dick Woolsey, Mrs. Ernest Cummings, Mrs. L. J. Davis, Mrs. Lucy Kelp, Mrs. Emil Blanck, Mrs. Ozell Robinson, Mrs. Lorraine Mehner, Mrs. I. D. Divine, Mrs. Homer Smith, Mrs. Harry Sears, Mrs. J. R. Pendleton, Mrs. Meritt Green, Mrs. L. F. Denny, Mrs. Royal Pendleton, Mrs. L. M. Price, Mrs. Eunice Buster, Mrs. M. E. Rogers, Mrs. Harold Oquin, Mrs. Demus Eller, Mrs. Darrell Cotney, Mrs. W. D. Brannan, Mrs. Chas. T. Watson, Mrs. Baker Duggins, Mrs. A. W. Allen, Mrs. A. E. Lowe and daughters, Georgia, Helen and Opal, Mrs. Arlyn Hailie, Mrs. Roscoe Dyess, Miss Lucile King, Mrs. R. C. Buckles and Mrs. H. F. McIn-

tosh.

Wright Family Reunion In Thompson Park

The annual Wright Family reunion was held in Thompson Park in Amarillo Sunday of last week with four states being represented.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wright, Denison, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wright, Paradise, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wright and Gene, Logan, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Wright, Reba and James, Wichita Falls, Texas, Mrs. W. D. Ellis, Stratford, Mrs. Callie Ferguson, Texhoma, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Verner and Helen, Lawton, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. John Compton, Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Ferguson, Karen and Jean, Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Verner and Richard, Springfield, Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wells, La Rue and

Roger, Lawton, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Verner, Lawton, Oklahoma, Mrs. Ernest Wright, Daryl and Linda, Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dabney and Billy, Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Rowdy Martin and Jan, Boise City, Mrs. Gene Hamilton, Texhoma, Mrs. Arnold Stump, Rickey, Vickie and Ludean of Texhoma, Mrs. Anna Lee Buzzard, Alvin and Patricia, Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Whitfield, Jimmy, Ronnie, and Ann, Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Farris and Joe Paul, Dimmitt, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Silvers, Tommy, Jo Ann, Emma Lee and Sammy, Goodnight, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Acker, Darrell and Danny, Dimmitt, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. George Ferguson, Texhoma, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Compton, Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. James Smith, Joan, Carol, Velma and Jerry, Texhoma, and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Starkey and Ray of Amarillo.

There were 13 visitors present besides members of the family.

switch to close and sound the alarm. Fireman turned off the false alarm as soon as they arrived at the City Hall.

Thursday morning the fire alarm system did a repeat performance.

Miss Palmer Is Patient In Oklahoma City

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Palmer left Wednesday with their daughter, Joyce for the McBride Clinic in Oklahoma City. Miss Palmer sustained three fractures below the knee and a fractured knee cap in a car accident near Flagstaff, Arizona last week. Miss Palmer's right leg which was injured, was formerly affected by an attack of polio.

George Lovett brought Mr. and Mrs. Palmer and their daughter home Tuesday night

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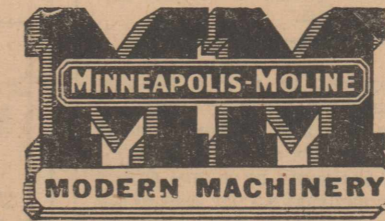
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