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Fair-Celebration Opens Friday

Stratford's tenth annual Jamboree and Junior Fair opens Friday with producers, business and professional men and women, and the youth of the county pooling their efforts to display the best which has been produced in the county, and to enjoy recreational events which have been arranged for Friday and Saturday.

The Junior Fair opens Friday morning with displays of 4-H, FFA and FHA records, poultry and rabbit exhibits, wheat and grain sorghum displays, vegetable and fruit displays, educational exhibits, culinary displays, clothing and handwork displays, arts and crafts masterpieces, flowers, and a world of popular hobbies to be viewed by the public.

An air show is planned for 2:30 p. m. Friday. A light bi-plane built for stunting will be used to thrill spectators if weather conditions permit. In the event of high winds, a brood of powerful Navy Avenger planes will roar in the sky over the fair barn.

Graceful bathing beauties will parade their lovely charms in the school auditorium at 7:30 p. m. Two divisions of damsels will favor the audience with their appearance. High school girls will compete for the title of Miss Stratford. Girls in the 6 to 8 year age, will compete for the title of Miss Stratford of —.

A square dance, sponsored by the ladies of the Home Demonstration Club Council, will be held on the large concrete slab on Main Street near Laird Equipment and Hotel Stratford. Dickie Nobles, a noted square dance caller of Boise City, will keep the dancers stepping.

The county's livestock will appear at the county fair Saturday morning, with the judging taking place in the various classes at 9:00 a. m.

The parade of "Use Your Own Initiative" will roll down Main Street at 11:00 a. m. led by the American Legion Color Guard and followed by the Stratford Elk Band. The 55-piece band will stop at Third Street and play during the remainder of the parade. They will also play while the crowd is gathering for the noon barbecue.

An Arlyn Halle cooked barbecue will be served at the noon hour. Managed by R. M. Buckles and sponsored by the Stratford Lions Club, the barbecue will be one of the top feasts of the high plains.

Music for the modern dance to be held in the American Legion Hall Saturday night will start at 9:00 o'clock.

A ducking pond to be operated by the Stratford Lions Club will likely be one of the popular gathering spots. R. W. Standefer, Jr., Pete Bateman and Roscoe Dyess are among those who will sit on the ducking board waiting for someone to hit the target.

Hills Bros. Show Is Stranded In Nebraska

The Hills Bros. show and carnival, scheduled to appear in Stratford during the fair and jamboree celebration, is stranded in Sidney, Nebraska, according to a telegram received by Chester Guthrie and Paul Chesmer Wednesday morning. The telegram stated a truck had broken down and the carnival did not have any drivers, provisions which his contract with the jamboree committee, allowed the organization the privilege of failure to appear without suit for damages.

Church Of Christ Gospel Meeting September 8-15



C. Dale Brooks

A gospel meeting will open at the Church of Christ Sunday, September 8, and will continue through the 15th. Services will be conducted at 10:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. daily except Sunday evening when the services will be held at 6:00 o'clock.

C. Dale Brooks is the evangelist. Subjects the evangelist will discuss at the respective meetings are: "I Am Ready," "Restoration of New Testament Christianity," "Give Me the Bible," "The Last Will and Testament of Christ," "The Spirit of Christ," "Where Millions Miss the Way," "E Pluribus Unum," "This is a Hard Saying," and "The High Cost of Low Living."

A cordial welcome is being extended to everyone.

Stratford Youths Leaving For College Studies

Among the Stratford young people attending colleges and universities this fall are the following: Cynthia Reed, Ann Roberts, Patricia Taylor, Yvonne Mitts, Don Gates, Lyall and Glen Wakefield, Stanley Folsom, Lynn Hudson, B. A. Donelson and Carroll Reed all will attend Texas Tech in Lubbock; Jean Spurlock, Virginia Plunk, Darla Galloway, Raymond Kirkwood, Hoy Harrison, Johnny Seaman, Teddy Oakley and Edward Summerour will attend West Texas State College at Canyon; Lance Harrington, Wayne Cummings, Ray Grimes and Jimmy Ingham are to go to PAMC, at Goodwell, Oklahoma; Carolyn Folsom, Darrell Stubblefield and Clarence Judd to Texas Christian University in Fort Worth; John Marvin Wilson to Abilene Christian College in Abilene, Texas; Rex Burgess to Texas A. & M. at College Station, Texas; Carroll Wisdom to Wichita University at Wichita, Kansas; Mike Neal will study pharmacy in Southwestern State College in Weatherford, Oklahoma; Bob Donelson will attend Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene, Texas. Edwin Seaman will again attend the Southwestern Medical School in Dallas; Dorothy Bachman and Russell Albert will attend Draughon's Business College in Amarillo.

First education of women in the U.S. was in the "Dames Schools" where they were taught to read and sew, but not always to write.

Edward VIII abdicated the British throne December 11, 1936.

Five Injured In Collision Friday Afternoon

Five occupants of a California car were hospitalized as the result of injuries received when their car rammed into the rear of a slow moving Kansas car on U. S. Highway 54 about 3 of a mile southwest of the intersection of U. S. 287 at 2:00 p. m. Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Roger Hahn and seven year old daughter, Celia Ann of Montezuma, Kansas were driving northeast, returning home from a vacation, and had the tread thrown from one front tire. They were driving slow to prevent the possibility of a blowout.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe D. Rodino, their daughter, Robin, 4, their son, Michael, 2, and two week old son, Rocco, were driving east at high speed and pulling a trailer containing many of the family possessions. Rodino apparently misjudged the speed of the car in front, and the right front half of his car rammed the left rear half of the Hahn car as he attempted to pull out to pass.

The Hahn car turned sharply to the right and ran through a barb wire fence into the adjoining pasture. Mr. and Mrs. Hahn and Cecilia Ann were not injured although their car was badly damaged.

The Rodino car swerved to the right, turned over, and the trailer followed the car, flipping on its side, and scattering its contents. Mr. Rodino was thrown into the trailer wreckage. He is still unconscious in Coon Memorial Hospital in Dalhart. Mrs. Rodino has multiple bruises and lacerations about the face. Michael Rodino, 2, was pulled from beneath the car after it was lifted by the Garrison Motor Co. wrecker. He is recovering from his injuries. Robin Rodino, 4, scampared from the wreckage, and ran to the Hahn family, suffering from fright. She has recovered. The infant son of the Rodino's is getting along nicely. The Rodino family was from Whittier, California. The Rodino car was a total wreck.

Mrs. Rodino's parents, here Monday from Indiana, said all members of the family were recovering from their injuries, although Mr. Rodino was still unconscious and in serious condition. He is showing signs of gaining consciousness at intervals.

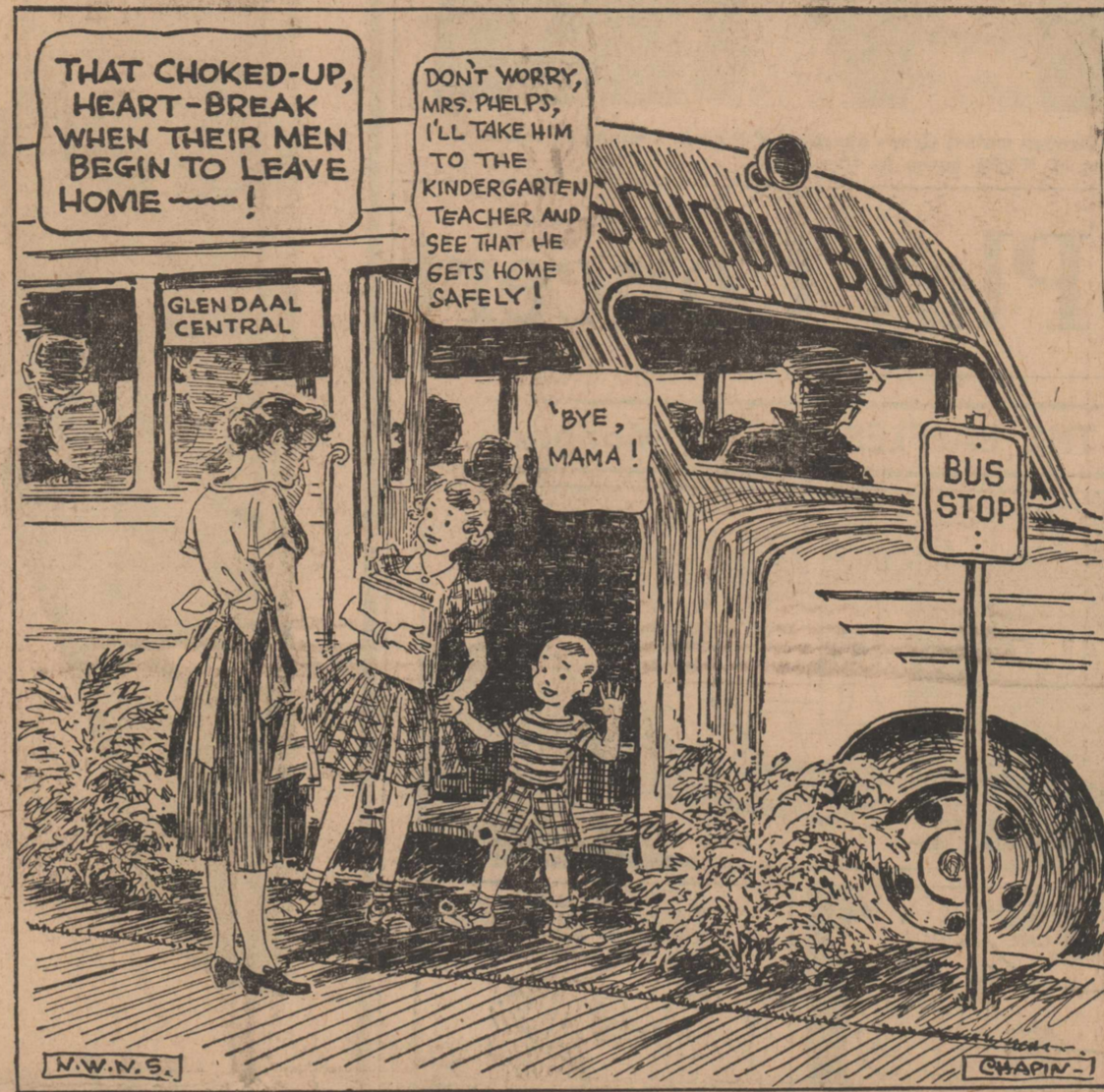
Jamboree Parade At 11:00 A. M. Saturday

The Jamboree parade, led by the American Legion Color Guard, will roll down Main Street at 11:00 a. m. Saturday. The Stratford Elk Band will follow the color guard and play a concert at Third Street during the remainder of the parade.

Every exhibitor has been allowed to use his or her own initiative in preparing entries for the parade this year. No theme will be followed and many beautiful creations are expected to appear.

Prizes of \$40, \$20 and \$10 are offered for organization floats. Prizes of \$40, \$20 and \$10 are offered for commercial floats, and prizes of \$7.50, \$5.00 and \$2.50 are offered for the kiddoes section of the parade.

WHAT EVERY MOTHER KNOWS



Soil Bank's Acreage Reserve Has Penalties

Any time a farmer harvests too large an acreage of a "basic" crop covered by a Soil Bank Acreage Reserve agreement, such as wheat or corn or cotton, he not only loses his Acreage Reserve payment but also is subject to a civil penalty, R. C. Buckles, chairman of the Sherman County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee, states.

Commenting on the recent modification of the 1958 Acreage Reserve program's penalty provisions, the chairman declared: "Farmers should be very sure that they understand the provisions of the Acreage Reserve program regarding violations. We are most anxious that there be no confusion resulting from the recent modification of the 1958 program's penalty provision regarding 'permitted acreage.'"

The chairman explained that there are two acreage limitations that any farmer must comply with if he is taking part in one or more of the Soil Bank's Acreage Reserve programs. These limitations are: (1) The "maximum" acreage of the Acreage Reserve crop, such as wheat, which is the crop allotment less the crop acreage put in the Acreage Reserve, and (2) the "permitted acreage", which is the farm's Soil Bank base less all the crop acreage put in the Acreage Reserve. If land has been included in the Conservation Reserve, this also is deducted in determining the "permitted acreage."

The Soil Bank base for a farm is in general the average acreage of Soil Bank base crops harvested on the farm during the past 2 years. Soil Bank base crops include the basics, such as wheat and corn and cotton, and generally all crops produced on the farm except hay crops.

A recent modification of program regulations provides that if a farmer exceeds the overall "permitted acreage" by harvest-

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Livestock Show Opens Friday

All livestock except cattle will be on display Friday and Saturday at the fair barn. Cattle will be on display Saturday only. Calves will be weighed in at the fair barn between 7:00 and 8:00 a. m. Saturday. Swine will not be weighed. All livestock will be in place by 8:00 a. m.

Swine and calves will be judged at 9:00 a. m. Saturday. Breeding stock will be judged at 9:30 a. m.

Livestock will be judged in classes of junior and senior club calves and as breeding stock. Swine will be classed as fat hogs, gilts and sows.

School Will Dismiss Early Friday Afternoon

School will be dismissed at 1:45 p. m. Friday, September 6, in cooperation with the Jamboree and Fair.

The schools have an enrollment of 483 this year. There are 147 students in high school and 336 in the elementary school.

Stratford Welding Constructing New Building

A 36x60 foot cinder tile building is being erected on the corner at the intersection of South Second and Grace Streets by William Glen Hart and Howard Etheridge. The new building will house a new business firm to be known as Stratford Welding Shop.

Eight-hour law, passed by Congress in 1868, provided that in all government employment eight hours should constitute a day's work.

Kiddy Rides May Arrive For Fair

Rides for the kiddies and several concession stands may be in operation on the vacant lot at the intersection of Third and Main Street during the fair, it was announced Wednesday night. Informed of the carnival cancelling its appointment, the jamboree committee appealed to Rex Baxter of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce for assistance.

Baxter promised to do everything possible to get concession stands, Shriner concessions, and rides for the kiddies. Stratford Lions and other organizations will operate concession stands on the vacant lots at Main and Third Street.

Season Football Tickets Go On Sale Friday

Season football reserve seat booklets for all five home games go on sale Friday morning at 10:00 a. m. in the office of the school superintendent. Superintendent R. W. Standefer, Jr., and Hollis Harrington, school business manager, will handle the sale of the booklets. A diagram of the reserved section will show prospective purchasers of booklets the location of the seats. These reserve seats will be in the home or south-east stands between the 40 lines. Booklets will be handled on a first come, first sale basis. These season booklets are being offered in a family package deal of two booklets for \$8.00, plus the reserve seat section. Individual booklets will sell for \$5.00.

Parents purchasing booklets may also purchase a student reserve ticket for the five games for \$1.00, the value of which is \$1.25.

Secure Judges For County Fair Entries

Personnel for judging most of the entries in the county fair had been secured Wednesday morning. Superintendents of some divisions could not be contacted.

Judges announced for the fair include Ed Latham of Dalhart, livestock judge; W. E. Clements of Dalhart who will judge rabbits and poultry; Conrad Riffe and Don Riffe, judges of small grain; Joe Hershey of Lipscomb will judge sorghum crops; Martin Fossett of Dumas will be the horticulture judge; Arthur Milton will judge 4-H and FFA records; Miss Barbara Fahn of Spearman will judge baked foods; Mrs. Charles Durr of Kerrick will judge canned foods; clothing and handwork judges are Mrs. Bill Lasley and Mrs. V. E. Reynolds; Mrs. Arlyn Halle will judge hobbies and Mrs. Leon Fields of Texhoma will judge flowers.

Cash prizes and ribbons will be presented to youth entries in the fair while only ribbons will be awarded adult prize winners.

The fair barn will be open from 9:00 a. m. until 6:00 p. m. Friday and Saturday and all exhibits will remain in their places until 6:00 p. m. Saturday.

Stratford Lions Will Resume Meetings

Stratford Lions will resume their regular meetings Monday night of next week with a ladies night program at the Palace Cafe. The meeting time has been set for 7:30 p. m.

Clothing And Handwork Grows At County Fair

Entries of clothing and handwork started arriving at the Fair Barn today in preparation for being ready for the display at 8:00 a. m. Friday. All the articles exhibited will be those which have been completed within the last two years. Exhibits will be judged at 10:00 a. m. Friday with cash prizes going to the youth divisions and ribbons being presented to the adult divisions.

Celebration Modern Dance Saturday Night

The modern dance for guests of the celebration and fair will be held in the American Legion Hall Saturday night. Music will start at 9:00 o'clock. Johnny West and his orchestra of Amarillo will play for the dance.

Fruits And Vegetables Displayed Friday

Fruits and vegetables will be placed on display in the fair barn before 8:00 a. m. Friday and will be judged at 10:00 a. m. All entries will be judged in both youth and adult divisions.



ASK SELF-RULE . . . Cypriots march through walled Greek quarters of Nicosia demanding return of Archbishop Makarios and abandonment of NATO bases in Cyprus.

Coffee, tea, cocoa and the caffeine type tablets widely used by car drivers all contain caffeine, which is found in a large number of plants that grow in many parts of the world.

The five leading commercial producers of bituminous coal mined almost 90 million tons in 1956, or nearly 18 per cent of the year's 500-million ton total.

Although commonly called a "nickel," the United States five-cent piece only contains 25 per cent nickel, the balance being made up of copper.

The greatest concentration of cherry trees in America is on Old Mission Peninsula near Traverse City, Michigan, where the trees grow 20,000 to the square mile.

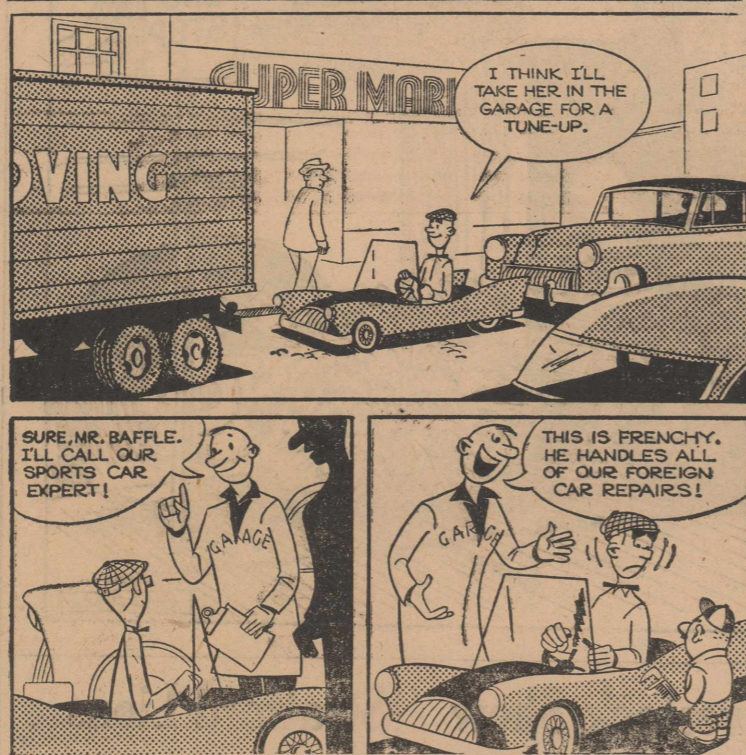
Band To Play Concert

An estimated 55 members of the Stratford Elk Band will follow the color guard in the parade Saturday morning and will march on Third Street at the intersection of Main, where they will make their first concert appearance of the season. Although the band members have not had sufficient practice for a dress rehearsal in this early part of the season, they will play their first concert during the remainder of the parade and for a short time while visitors are standing in line to be served the barbecue dinner.

Band members say they will make this first appearance in the spirit of cooperation with the citizens of the town and the county. Their music, which they have not rehearsed during the summer months, will be played for entertainment and not for criticism.

George Dick, resourceful director of the band, may be able to whip up a few drill numbers, which will be offered as an added attraction for the entertainment of the crowd.

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Celebration Calendar

Friday

- 9:00 a. m. Fair opens.
- 2:30 p. m. Air Show.
- 7:30 p. m. Bathing Beauty contest.
- 8:30 p. m. Square dance.

Saturday

- 9:00 a. m. Fair opens, judging of livestock.
- 11:00 a. m. Parade.
- 11:30 a. m. Band concert.
- 12:00 Noon Barbecue.
- 9:00 p. m. Modern dance.

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Flower Show Will Attract Many Arrangers

The increased interest in flowers and floral arrangements of the ladies of the county is expected to show an increased number of entries in the flower show this year. The entries will be placed before 8:00 a.m. Friday and will be judged at 10:00 a. m. Classifications will include all popular arrangements.

Poultry And Rabbits To Be Judged Friday

Poultry entries will be placed Friday before 9:30 a. m. in the fair barn. Judging will be at 2:00 p. m. Rabbits must be in place by 8:00 a. m. Friday and will be judged at 2:00 p. m. Poultry will be judged in layer and meat breeds, coops of 3, coops of 2, and coop of 1.



WINS BENDIX RACE . . . U. S. airforce Capt. Kenneth Chandler, 33, flew Convair F-102 Delta Wing Interceptor 620 miles from Chicago to Andrews Airforce Base, Md., in 54 min., 45 1/2 sec., — 679 mph, — a new Bendix record.



ROYAL CADET . . . Crown Prince Constant, 17, heir to Greek throne, is shown in camouflage uniform at army maneuvers near Marathon.

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Square Dance Friday

An old fashioned square dance will furnish entertainment for Stratford Jamboree guests Friday night. Music will start on the concrete slabs adjoining the Laird Equipment building at 8:30 p. m. Dickie Nobles of Boise City will call the dances.

Ladies of the Sherman County Home Demonstration Council are sponsoring the Square Dance and will serve ice cream, cake and soft drinks at the dance.

Council ladies say that all those who enjoy the recreation of square dancing will have an opportunity for a wonderful time Friday evening.

TELL US YOUR PROBLEM

AND LET US PASS IT ON TO HELP OTHERS IN SOLVING THEIRS.

BY JOHN and JANE STRICKLAND

TODAY'S PROBLEM: Which Way to Turn.

LYMAN EDGERTON, 3717 Old Fall Road, Honolulu, T. H., says he wasn't really "brought up," he just grew. His parents died when he was two years old and he was sent to live with relatives who had so many children of their own that little attention was paid to him. In due time he went to school. But no one had given thought to his personal appearance and the teacher would send him out to wash his face and hands as soon as school assembled. He didn't mind that; it gave him a chance to stay out of doors a little longer. But there were other evidences that he did not have the care at home that the other children did. He learned, by and by, to take care of many of the problems himself, but even when he had reached the age of seventeen he still was not a well groomed lad. The girls would have nothing to do with him, with the exception of one kind hearted lass. So he promptly fell in love with her. A year or so later, he told her about it. She repulsed him. "I wanted to help you," she told him, "but I am not in love

with you; there's somebody else I like better."

This hurt his pride terribly. Crushed, he answered that he supposed no girl ever would love him. Then this kindly girl told him she thought that would be the case if he didn't look after himself better. That was a surprise to him, but he knew it must be true. However, he didn't know how to improve himself. His relatives never thought much of one's appearance.

But it set him to thinking, and to acting. He went to his Sunday School teacher with his problem, and this teacher gave him just the advice he needed. Also he took an interest in Lyman in other particulars. "You'll never get anywhere," said he, "unless you make a good impression." Lyman listened, and Lyman reacted to the advice. Now, the teacher became truly interested; took Lyman in hand. Within a couple of years Lyman had so improved that the teacher recommended him to a college in the United States that had a few scholarships to give away. Lyman was awarded one, and in addition given a job that would enable him to buy the necessities.

More than half the nation's clergymen, about 100,000 have signed up for social security.

Sandra Johnson Circle Meets With Mrs. Butler

The Sandra Johnson Circle of the Baptist W.M.U. met Wednesday, August 28, at the home of Mrs. E. W. Butler for the Circle program.

Mrs. Pruett Adkins was the leader for the meeting. The opening prayer was given by Mrs. W. P. Brooks, after which the minutes were read and approved. Mrs. Elma McDaniel gave the devotional, using the scripture, Matthew 6:1-14.

During a business meeting, officers for the new year were elected. Mrs. Joe Brown discussed the

"Week of Prayer." Mrs. H. B. Norris gave a talk on "Korea," with Mrs. V. M. King talking on "Prayer and Two Oranges." Mrs. W. P. Brooks gave the "Intercession Prayer." Mrs. W. E. Pleyer's subject for discussion was "The Lord's Prayer." Mrs. V. O. Gilbert led the closing prayer.

Others present who were not on the program were Mesdames

Howard Haffey, W. O. Cook, G. L. Taylor, M. E. Ellison, W. D. Ellis and a visitor, Mrs. Ann Williams.

The circle sent a "Sunshine Box" to Mrs. Earl Hurst, who is in Dumas Memorial Hospital with a broken leg.

The hostess, Mrs. Butler, served refreshments of fruit and cake during the social hour following the meeting.



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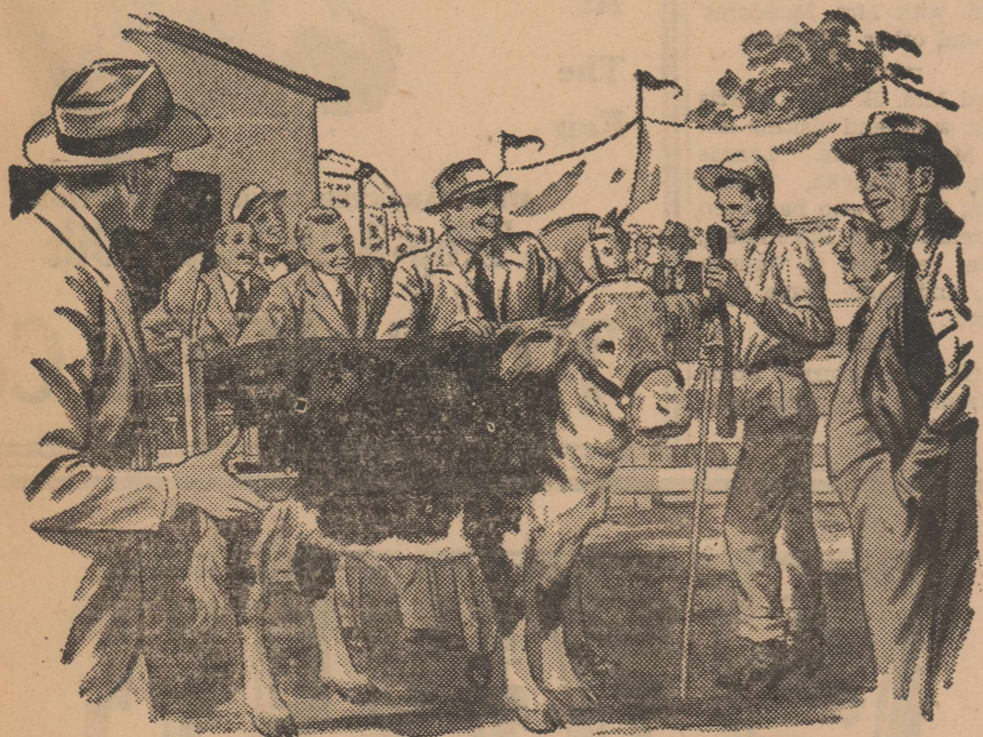
Now they say you can buy an electric wrist-watch of usual size whose battery lasts 18 months, can be replaced for \$1.75.

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Welcome

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RARE TRIO . . . Visitors to Story-Land Park near Chicago admire triplet fawns, Winkin', Blinkin' and Nod, born to Brownie, the deer.

AIR SHOW WILL BE FRIDAY

Delmer Miller, co-owner of the Plains Aero Service at Dalhart, will entertain local fair goers with an old-time county fair air show at 2:30 p. m. Friday.

Mr. Miller and his business partner, Marshall Anderson, have a fleet of 14 agriculture service equipped planes stationed at the Dalhart airport. These planes range in size from the old B-18 down.

For the air show, Miller will fly an old bi-plane belonging to his 15 year old son. This plane has been especially built for the purpose of stunt flying.

Current plans are for the air show to be staged immediately south of the county fair barn. The performance can be enjoyed from the midway or just outside the fair barn.

In the event of adverse weather conditions, Mr. Miller will make his appearance in a heavier plane, possibly an AT-6.

Miller formerly lived at Clayton, New Mexico. During World War II he served as a flight instructor with the army air corps



RETURN OF GYPSY . . . Gypsy Rose Lee, famous showgirl and novelist, gives benefit performance in New Orleans for victims of hurricane "Audrey."

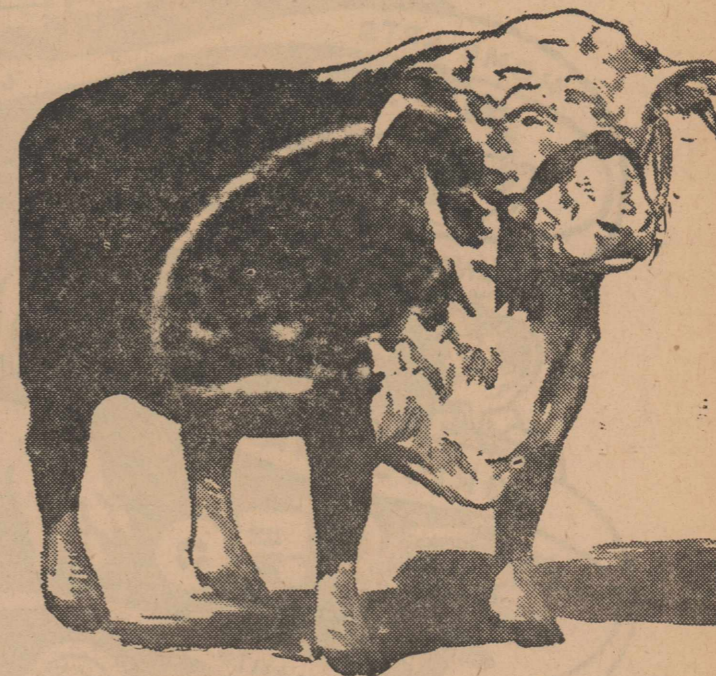
The world's largest open-air fruit and vegetable market is located at Benton Harbor, Michigan.

1. The Osage River is found in (a) Texas; (b) Oklahoma; (c) Kansas.
2. The Falkland Islands are south of (a) Alaska; (b) Japan; (c) Argentina.
3. Acadia is the original name for (a) England; (b) Ireland; (c) Nova Scotia.

ANSWERS

1. Kansas
2. Argentina
3. Nova Scotia

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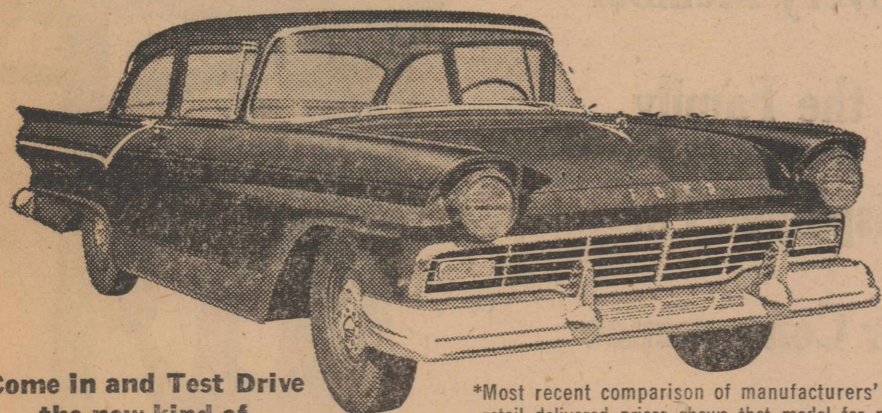


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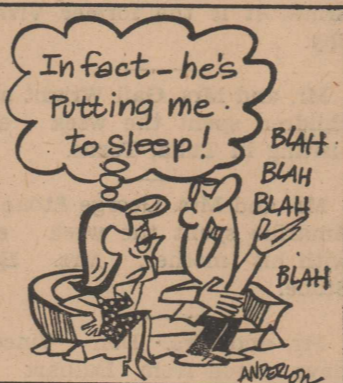
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by Brad Anderson THOUGHTS



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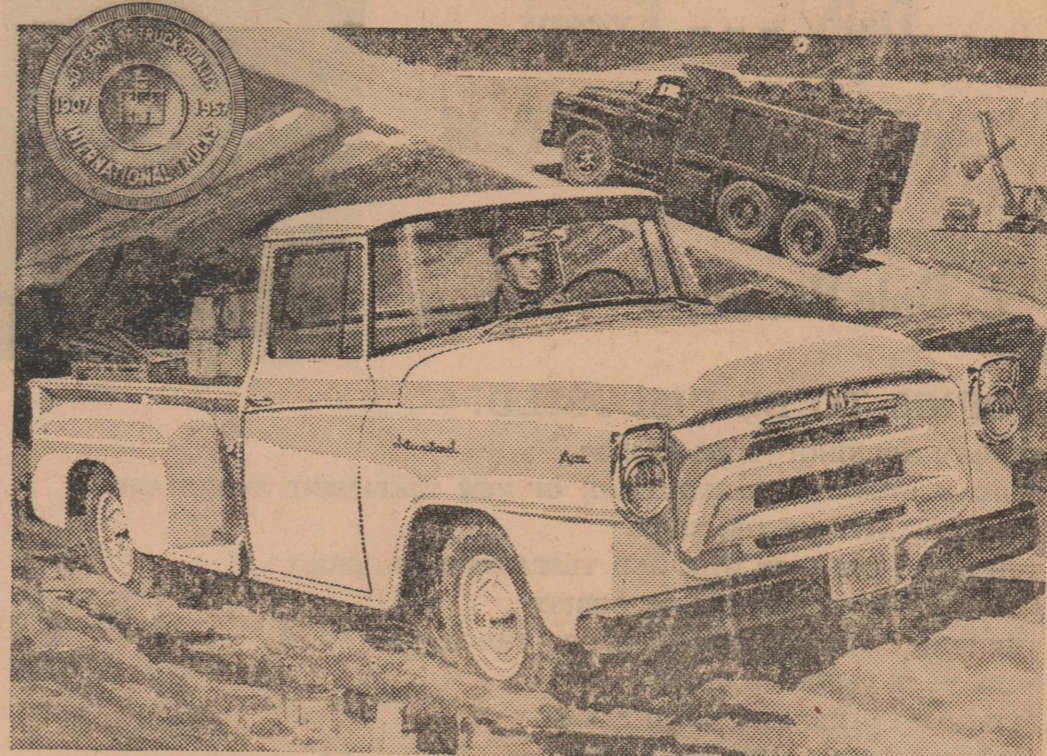


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Town Talk

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Vincent, Mr. and Mrs. Demus Eller, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin McRae spent the holiday picnicing at near to Natures Park.

Miss Pauline Jones returned home Sunday from a month's vacation in California where she visited relatives in Fresno and Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal Pendleton visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bob James at their country home near Clayton, New Mexico Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Plunk visited Miss Mae Plunk in Sayre, Oklahoma Sunday. She is suffering from fractures of both hips.

Mrs. Mertie Massie and John Marvin Wilson attended the wedding of her niece in Dodge City, Kansas Sunday.

E. R. Bell, Gene Stinson and Claude Allen spent the holidays catching fish at Creed, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Headrick of Clarendon visited his sister, Mrs. C. R. Foster, Thursday and Friday of last week.

Marcia and Butch Peden of Dumas, spent last week end with their aunt and uncle, Mrs. D. E. Malone and Mr. Malone.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray McNeal, Mr. and Mrs. Howard L. Hart and daughters, and E. W. Butler visited Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Butler, Jr., in Lamar, Colorado Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Word returned home Tuesday from Dallas where they attended the gift show over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baber spent the holiday week end in the mountains of New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pittman and son were week end guests in Clarendon, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Johnson of Macon, Missouri are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Williams. Mr. and Mrs. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Johnson spent the holiday at Red River and Taos, New Mexico.

Miss Ineva Headrick, Amarillo, spent the week end visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. C. R. Foster.

Terry Malone visited part of last week in Stinnett with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Malone.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Hudson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Hudson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hudson and Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Foreman and daughters, and Orlando Lasley enjoyed a picnic at the Brannan dam Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kidwell spent the week end in Lubbock, Texas visiting with the group they accompanied on the bus to the San Francisco Lions Club convention. The time was spent visiting and viewing pictures taken on the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sutton and Lynda and Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Snodgrass of Dumas were visitors in Palo Duro Canyon Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Armacost, Houston, Texas, are visiting her sister, Mrs. Lyall Murdock and Mr. Murdock this week. Mrs. Armacost is the former Vivian Shy.

Mr. and Mrs. Gall Wright and children spent the week end visiting in Tulsa, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stone of Amarillo spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Bess Stone.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Vincent have moved from Dalhart to Stratford to make their home.

Rev. and Mrs. M. G. Upton and children of Sunray were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Foreman Monday night.

C. C. Plunk transacted business in Austin, Texas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Malone and children, Wes and Cristie, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Malone a few days recently.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Wharton had as a guest recently, Mr. Wharton's sister, Mrs. Jessie Drumm, of Frederick, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bryan had as guests Sunday, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Adams of Dimmitt, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Adams and children.

Mrs. Charles Wisdom accompanied her son, Carroll to Wichita, Kansas Tuesday, where he enrolled in Wichita University. She will remain this week for a visit with relatives, and Mr. Wisdom and Charlene will go to Wichita after her Friday, and they will return Sunday.

Mrs. Dorothy Slay left Wednesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Slay in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Mrs. Howard Haffey and Mrs. Homer Blake were visitors in Liberal, Kansas Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Reynolds had as a guest from August 21 to the 28th, Mrs. Reynolds' 83 year old father, H. M. Fox, of Palestine, Illinois. Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds took her father on a trip to Cimarron, Taos, Santa Fe and Albuquerque, New Mexico. In Albuquerque, they visited in the home of the Reynolds' son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin H. Brock and children.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. McAdams, Jr., and family visited in Roxton, Texas, over the Labor Day week end, with Mrs. McAdams' parents and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Norris spent last week end visiting her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Craddock in Tahoka, Texas. Their son, Larry, who had been visiting relatives in Bakersfield, California, returned to Tahoka by train, and came home with his parents.

Rusty Garrison returned home Friday from a visit with relatives in California.

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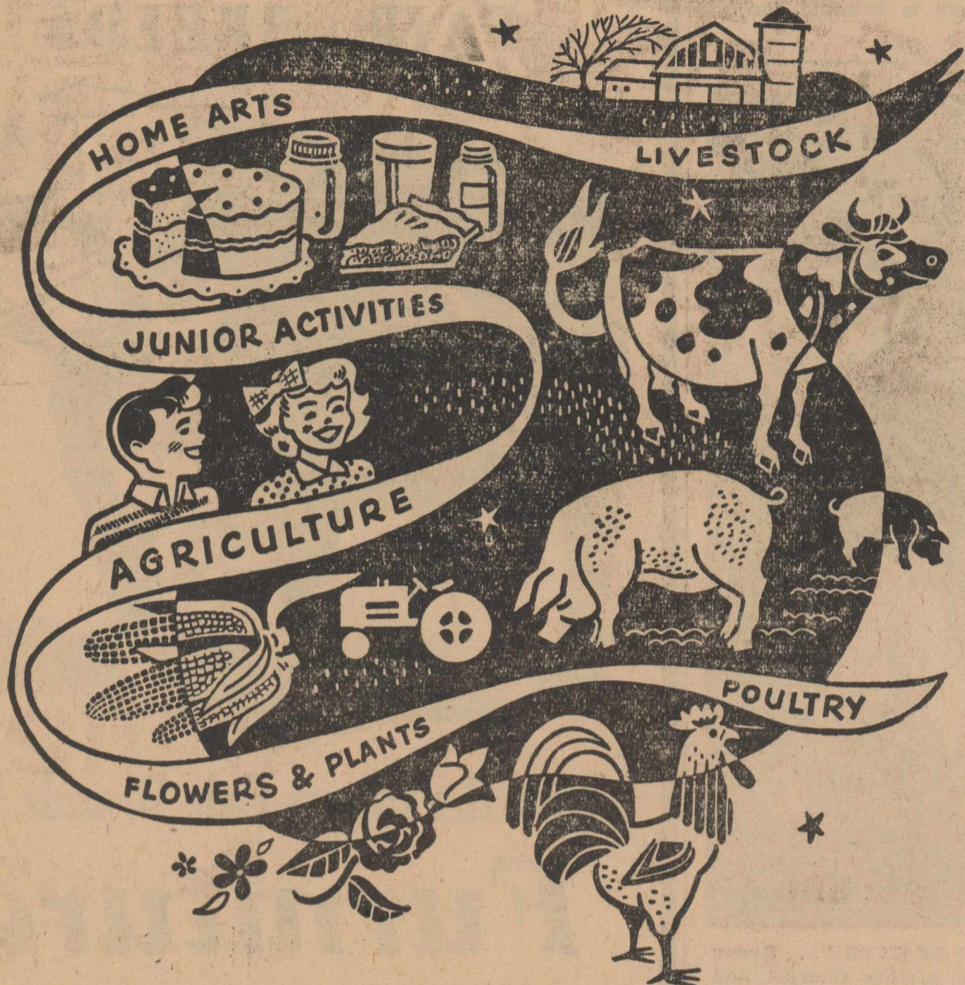
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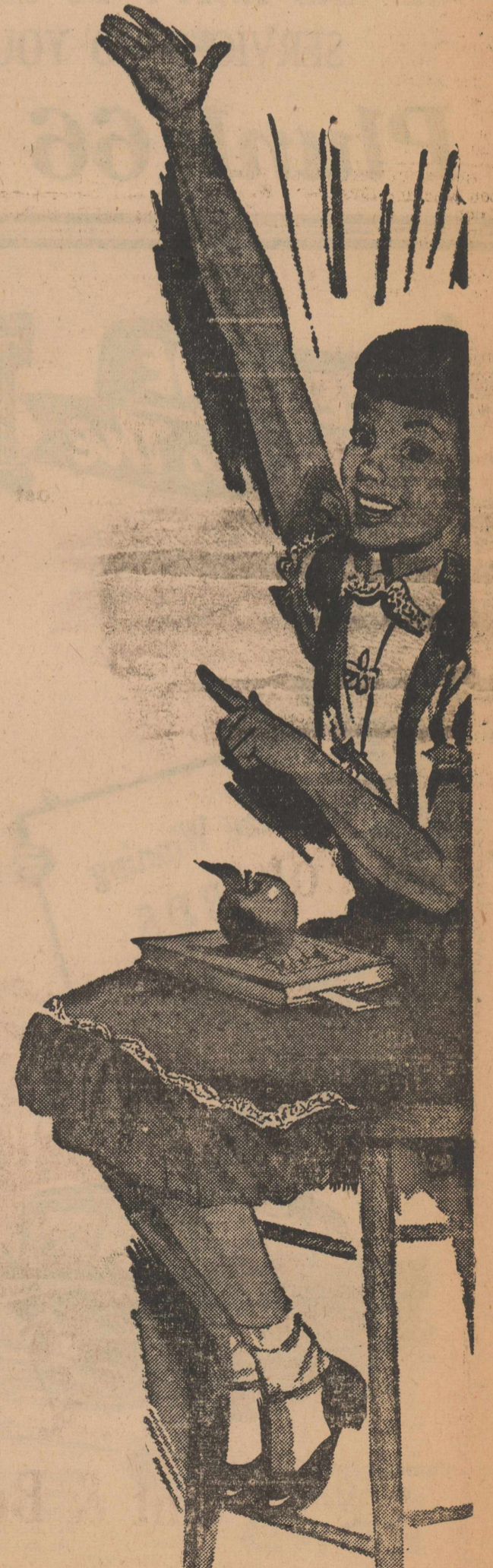
- SUNDAY MORNING: "I AM READY"
- SUNDAY EVENING: "RESTORATION OF NEW TESTAMENT CHRISTIANITY."
- MONDAY: "GIVE ME THE BIBLE."
- TUESDAY: "THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF CHRIST."
- WEDNESDAY: "THE SPIRIT OF CHRIST."
- THURSDAY: "WHERE MILLIONS MISS THE WAY."
- FRIDAY: "E PLURIBUS UNUM."
- SATURDAY: "THIS IS A HARD SAYING."
- SUNDAY EVENING: "THE HIGH COST OF LOW LIVING."

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Town Talk

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Susan Upchurch will trade a 26 inch girls bicycle for a 24 inch girls bicycle. 35-2tp

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WANTED: Custom Plowing — Wilham G. Hart, Box 761. 17-tfc

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FOR SALE: Three bedroom brick veneer home in Stratford, 2,160 feet floor space. Priced to sell. — Ralph Harding, 1112 S. Pierce, Amarillo. 32-tfc

FOR SALE: My home in Stratford. — Mrs. J. W. Garoutte, Phone 3791. 18-tfc

FOR SALE: 4-room House in good condition, recently redecorated, stucco finish, to be moved from location; priced at \$2250. — Minnie Laura Jackson. 24-tfc

FOR SALE: Modern Brick Home on pavement. — Minnie Laura Jackson. 28-tfc

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FOR SALE: Remington Rand standard typewriter, used very little. — Mrs. C. W. Moon, Phone 2956. 36-tfc

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FOR SALE: Two Puddlers for 15 foot one-ways. — E. E. Hamilton Machine Shop. 27-tfc

PRAIRIE and Alfalfa Hay. See J. I. Mooney at Garrison Motor Co. 34-tfc

WINTER BARLEY Seed for sale. — Green Ranch, southwest of Conlen. 35-2tp

FOR SALE: Balboa Rye Seed, \$2.50 a hundred. — Kenneth Borth. 33-4tp

FOR SALE: Balboa Rye Seed. — Stratford Grain Co. 34-3tc

FOR SALE: Certified Wichita and Concho Seed Wheat, \$2.25 a bushel. — R. M. Buckles. 31-tfc

FOR SALE: Concho Seed Wheat. — Claude Sloan, 4415 West 2nd, Amarillo, Phone Drake 6-9133. 31-tfc

Lost

LOANED: 18 or 20 joints of sewer rod, please return to City Hall. 36-tfc

LOST: 4 month old registered black Boston Bull Dog with white under neck. No collar. Call Tex Jeffcoat, Phone 3876. 34-tfc

LOST: Black and white part Cocker Spaniel Dog, has New Mexico vaccination tag No. 34. Disappeared about August 20. Finder please call George Lovett, Phone 3286. 35-4tc

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Peden of Dumas visited in the home of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Malone last Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates, Mrs. H. J. Cooper and Miss Evelyn Cooper returned home Tuesday night from Big Spring, Texas where they attended the wedding of Miss Laverne Cooper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cooper, and Max McCullough.

Mrs. Tom Pugh and Mrs. Johnson of Texhoma were business visitors in Stratford Tuesday.

Wayne Harding and Bruce Biddy attended the car races and the Amarillo-Albuquerque baseball game in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard L. Hart and daughters of Los Angeles, California are guests in the home of his mother, Mrs. Ray McNeal, and Mr. McNeal.

Mrs. Richard Albert and children and Mrs. H. M. Brown were visitors in Dumas Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Watson were among those going on the "Hereford Tour" near Raton, New Mexico last week. They returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Jackson and daughter visited friends in Amarillo the first of the week.

2/Lt. William L. Riffe, who has been stationed at Tyndall Air Force Base, Florida, arrived home Sunday night and is spending this week at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Riffe and sister, Linda, and other relatives. He is being transferred to Arizona, where his address will be 2/Lt. William L. Riffe, A03054735, 904th AC & W Ron, Winslow, Arizona.

Mrs. Lee E. Gillis reports that her husband recently arrived in Korea, and for any of his friends who may wish to write to him, his address is 2nd Lt. Lee E. Gillis, 04049593, "E" Company, 21st Infantry Regiment, A. P. O. 24, San Francisco, California.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Malone were Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Hunt, of Florence, Alabama and Mr. and Mrs. Isham George of Tusculumbia, Alabama. Mr. Hunt is a nephew of Mr. Malone, and Mr. George is a cousin of Mrs. Malone.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis returned home Sunday from a vacation and visit with relatives and friends in Arkansas and Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Albert and Raymond, has as guests Sunday night, Mr. Albert's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Almus Albert, of Tahoka, Texas, their son-in-law and daughter and children of Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Ritchie and Donald, who visited relatives here two weeks ago, returned Saturday, after visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Major and Mrs. D. B. Gruning and children in Boulder, Colorado, and visiting Mr. Ritchie's sister, Mrs. G. A. Webb in Fowler, Colorado Friday. They spent Saturday night visiting with relatives, and left Sunday for their return trip to their home in San Antonio, Texas, where Mrs. Ritchie is a teacher in a San Antonio school. Mrs. Ritchie is a sister of Mrs. S. V. McAdams, Mrs. D. B. Grimes and Arthur King.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Kees, of Dallas were guests in the home of his niece, Mrs. Charles Gates and family from Monday to Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Watson were business visitors in Dumas Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Reynolds and boys, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lyon and Doris Dortch attended the rodeo at Boys Ranch Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Bob Goodwin and Becky have been vacationing in Colorado the past two weeks. They also visited Rev. Goodwin's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Goodwin, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Goodwin, in Denver, Colorado.

Charles Oakley, Delta, Colorado, is visiting this week with his mother, Mrs. Woody Gay, and Mr. Gay.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ferguson and daughters, of Dallas, were guests in the home of her cousin, Meritt Green and family from Monday to Friday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Green and Waylon took their guests to Taos and Red River, New Mexico for a visit while they were here.

WORLD OUTDOORS



SEPTEMBER comes and summer is on the wane. Fall is near as nature continues her endless pattern of season following season. The mountains and hillsides, so long sheltered and cooled by spreading arms of oak and beech and elm are patchwork quilts of red and brown. Soon they will be bare for the mighty trees must shed their leaves to make room for the tiny buds which will in time sprout and grow as the cycle repeats.

Goodbye to summer sights; to the warm sunshine which nourished all the forms of new life that spring had given to each forest and glade. Summer has served her task. The young are on their own and the Dobson fly is on the wing. High above, in a sky that he calls his own, a young hawk tests his wings, soaring, gliding, climbing upward to drift in lazy circles with the wind. Here and there the noisy "caw, caw" of a crow rings against the hillsides and, one by one, these glossy blacks fly roostward across the horizon, in a most gregarious mood.

All too soon the hillsides will be faked with snow. The sun will retreat behind thin layers of gray clouds and the wind will come to sing and bite as it rattles the naked limbs and rustles through the evergreens. Winter approaches, with its rain and sleet and blankets of snow. The goose will fly down from the frozen north and the bear will seek his hole in the hill.

Nature will have performed her seasonal miracle, changing the face of the world. But how remarkable it is to consider the fact that winter, too, must run its course and then give way for the season of spring, when nature's pattern of new life begins all over again.

Celebration Calendar

Friday
9:00 a. m. Fair opens.
2:30 p. m. Air Show.

7:30 p. m. Bathing Beauty contest.
8:30 p. m. Square dance.
Saturday
9:00 a. m. Fair opens, judging of livestock.

11:00 a. m. Parade.
11:30 a. m. Band concert.
12:00 Noon Barbecue.
9:00 p. m. Modern dance.
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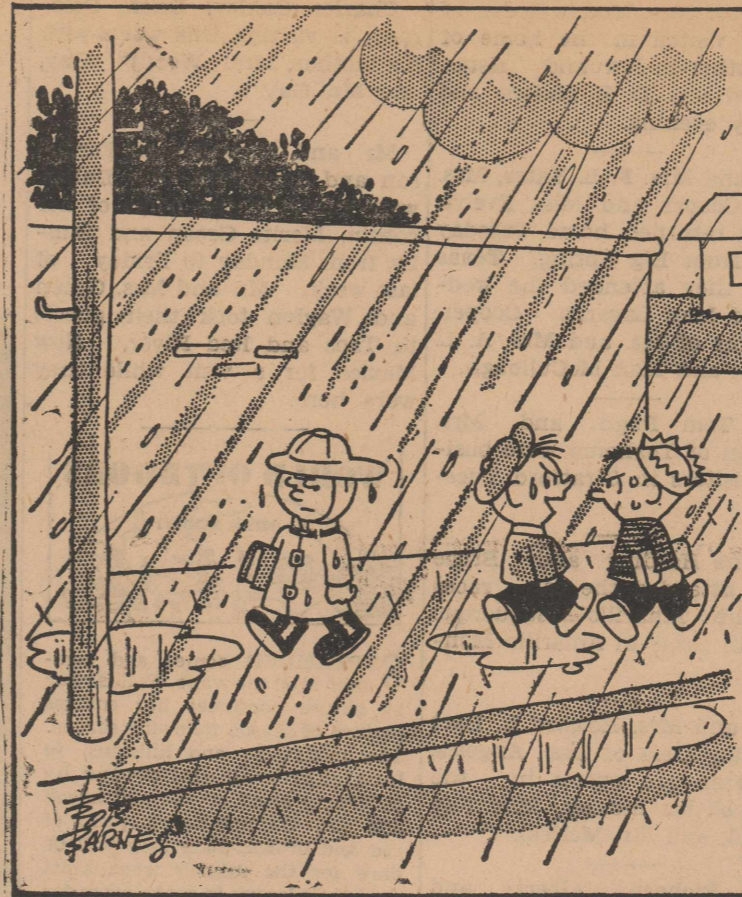
Giant sequoias, earth's largest living things, sprout from seeds so small that one ounce, in theory, would produce 6,700 trees. Full grown, the largest trees probably weigh 2,000 tons, the displacement of a small steamship.

The eyes work with much less effort when looking at distant objects and for this reason, cowboys, farmers, hunters and mountain climbers have less eye strain than accountants, bookkeepers and librarians.



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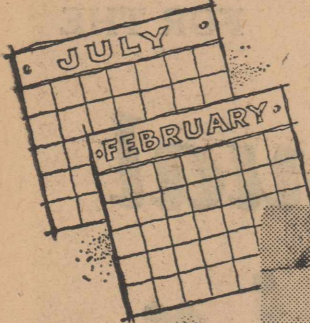
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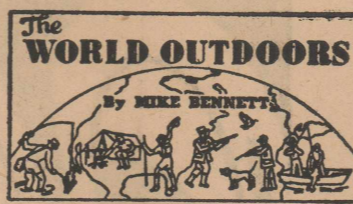
"I REMEMBER"
 BY THE OLD TIMERS

From Mary E. Osborn, Pleasant View, Ky.: I remember when my father owned oxen he made a yoke of popular wood. He made bows of hickory and dressed the wood with his drawing knife. He made holes in the yoke with an auger and bent the bows to fit around the oxen's neck. He hitched them to his farm wagon to haul corn fodder, fire wood and many other things. In the fall when the crop was gathered and put away, he would go to Pleasant View, to buy salt, flour, sugar and coffee to do us all winter. In the winter time the mud was to the wagon hubs.

Rabbits, squirrels, quail, wild turkeys were plentiful and hunting was fun. When the snow fell and the ground began to freeze, our hogs were killed and salted down on the meat bench in the smoke house with a winter's supply of apples, beans, cabbage, kraut, sweet and Irish potatoes. We youngsters popped corn, made tuff jack, ate apples and roasted potatoes. The boys set traps and would catch six or eight rabbits, racoons, opossum and other game, a pastime that made the winter-time seem more fun and appear shorter and less dreary.

We always waited for March to come blustering over the hills. Warm sunshine burst buds into April flowers and wild flowers spread rainbow colors everywhere. Wild birds would sing jubilees in every tree and apple blossom petals showered down all around. Pleasant dreams. Peace on earth, and the old blue hen singing in the farmyard. And then the fields were planted again in corn and potatoes and other things.

(Send contributions to this column to The Old Timer, Community Press Service, Box 35, Frankfort, Kentucky.)



The world outdoors is coming in for even greater popularity as more and more Americans find themselves with leisure time on their hands. Outdoor enthusiasts, accordingly, are growing by leaps and bounds as suburbanites discover the fun of following sports that put one in close communion with nature.

There is, of course, no panacea, but the world outdoors—and the wonders of nature can serve like a tonic the tired, troubled and worried heart and mind. The world outdoors is a world of miracles, big miracles and little miracles. It is a world, like mankind's, filled with sagas of life and death, of the hunter and the hunted; of the eternal struggle for salvation which must be carried on by the smallest bird or insect, and the biggest tree.

The world outdoors is a symphony of harmony in the spring, a bright, many-hued canvas in the summer and fall and a barren and bleak expanse during the long visit of winter.

Nature itself has long been man's greatest friend — and at times his worst enemy. Mankind built himself a modern and wonderful world as the result of his ability to learn from the ways of nature and to adapt the products of nature to an apparently infinite variety of uses. But just as a human friend, nature at times becomes unreasonable; the earth is parched or inundated and mankind's monuments are laid waste in tornadic destruction. But man, too, abuses nature in many ways.

Yet peace and harmony between man and nature are rightfully the rule rather than the exception. Nature itself is peaceful and offers great expanses in which there is room for a heart to be free.

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Arlyn Halle, a veteran of many years at the barbecue pit, and still young enough to put forth the effort to produce meat of the rare tasty type, will be the barbecue chef. He is being assisted in the arrangements by R. M. Buckles, who says everything has been arranged for the feature event.

The annual barbecue is sponsored by the Stratford Lions Club, and a large number of the club's members, and others will be on hand to serve the food.

A "dead glacier," one that thaws before it reaches the ocean, is as brittle as glass yet as pliant as tooth paste.

Arts And Crafts Have Role In County Fair

Arts and crafts are growing in popularity and increasing in numbers at the county fair. Many of the exhibits are being taken to the fair building today. Others will be in place before 8:00 a. m. Friday. These exhibits will be judged at 10:00 a. m.

Mary Ethel Circle Meets In Church Parlor

The Mary Ethel Circle met in the parlor of the Methodist Church at 9:30 a. m. Wednesday. Mrs. J. E. Crabtree conducted the business meeting.

As the roll was called, each member answered with a religious article she had read. The lesson, "Let Us Sing the Wondrous Story," was given by Mrs. J. W. Flores.

All members are invited to attend the Anniversary Tea to be given at the church Wednesday, September 11, at 2:30 p. m.

The meeting was closed with a prayer by Mrs. J. E. Crabtree. Those present were Mrs. Earl Riffe, Mrs. J. E. Crabtree, Mrs. J. W. Flores, Mrs. Fred McDaniel, Mrs. Arthur Lee Ross, Mrs. Max Stephenson, Mrs. Ross Turner and Mrs. Richard Albert.

Olive oil has been recognized as a beauty aid for centuries and is an ingredient of many soaps. In Spain, the women use it regularly on eyelashes to make them long and glossy.

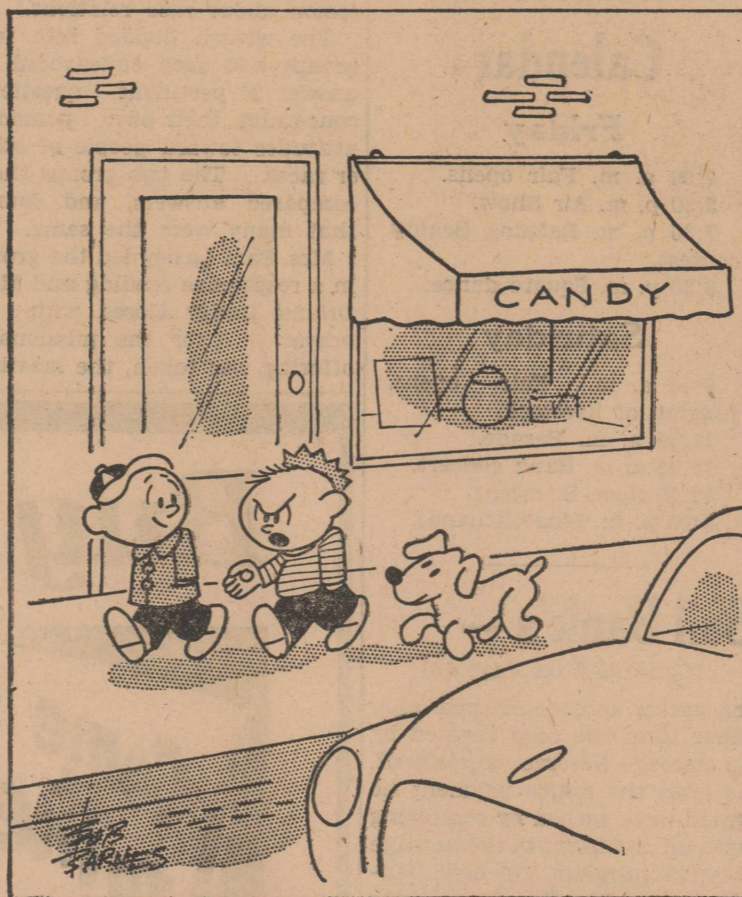
The skin of the huge blue whale is about the color and thickness of carbon paper. The covering is backed by a thick layer of insulating blubber.

About 20 miles wide, the Strait of Dover is the narrowest part of the English Channel.

Some 9½ million Chinese died from famine in the year 1877-78.

Thomas A. Edison produced his first incandescent lamp Oct. 21, 1879.

LAFF OF THE WEEK



"About the only thing you can get for a nickel nowadays is five pennies!"

Methodist Church

(Rev. Charles R. Gates, Pastor)
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
M. Y. F. 6:00 p. m.
Junior additional session 6:00 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
Wesleyan Guild meets fourth Monday night of each month at 8:00 p. m.
W. S. C. S. Circles meet Wednesday.
Official Board meeting second Tuesday of each month.

Church of Christ

(L. L. Thornton, Minister)
Sunday
Bible Classes 10:00 a. m.
Worship 10:55 a. m.
Young Peoples Classes 5:15 p. m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p. m.
Tuesday
Bible Classes 9:30 a. m.
Wednesday
Bible Classes 8:00 p. m.
You are always welcome at the services of the Church of Christ.

Assembly Of God Church

(Bob Goodwin, Pastor, Phone 4351)
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Young People 6:00 p. m.
Children's Church 6:00 p. m.
Evangelistic Service 7:00 p. m.
Wednesday night service 8:00 p. m.
The public is invited to all services.

Wednesday afternoon the Womens Missionary Council opened its meeting with prayer and two hymns. The devotional was given by Mrs. Leroy Judd on home missions, using the topic, "Answering the Call of New England," by James Story. A short business meeting was held on finishing the box of articles for the children's home in Hot Springs, Arkansas.

Wednesday afternoon the Missionettes met for a short business meeting. After the business meeting the group surprised Mrs. J. N. Foster, their sponsor, with a potholder shower for her birthday. Learning to sew is the project of the group.

Sunday night the Christ Ambassadors had a large number in attendance. They conducted a Bible quiz and a sword drill. Two visitors from Cactus, Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Downs, were present. The Junior church joined in this service.

Five Prizes Offered For Club Records

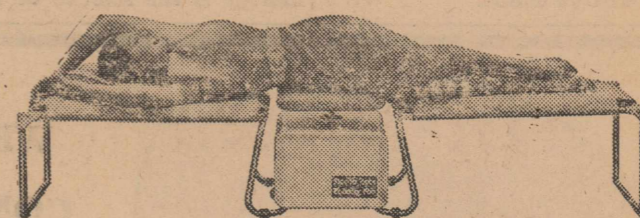
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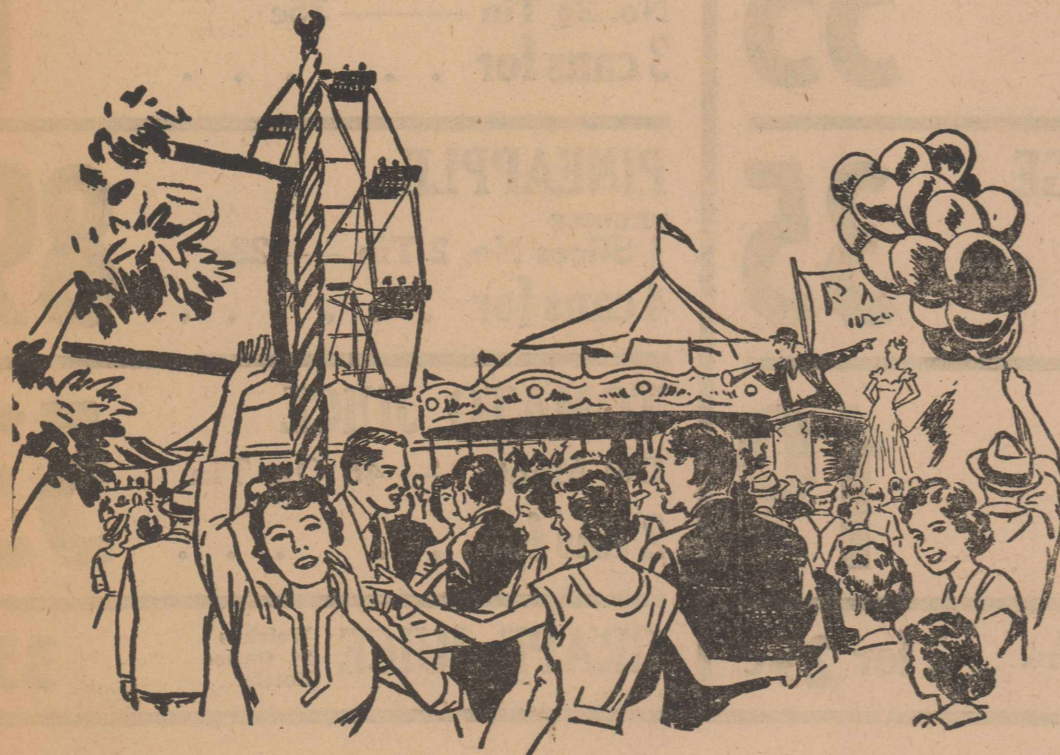
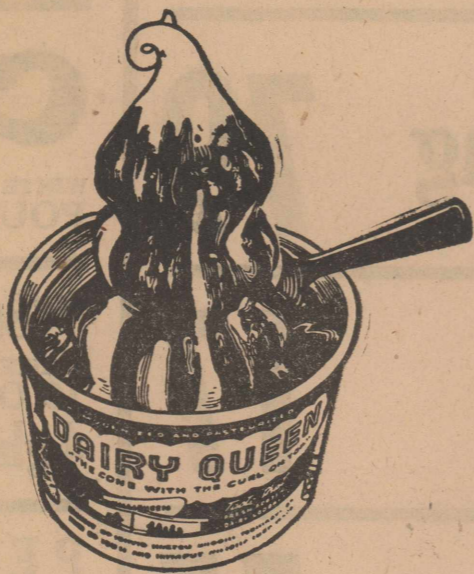
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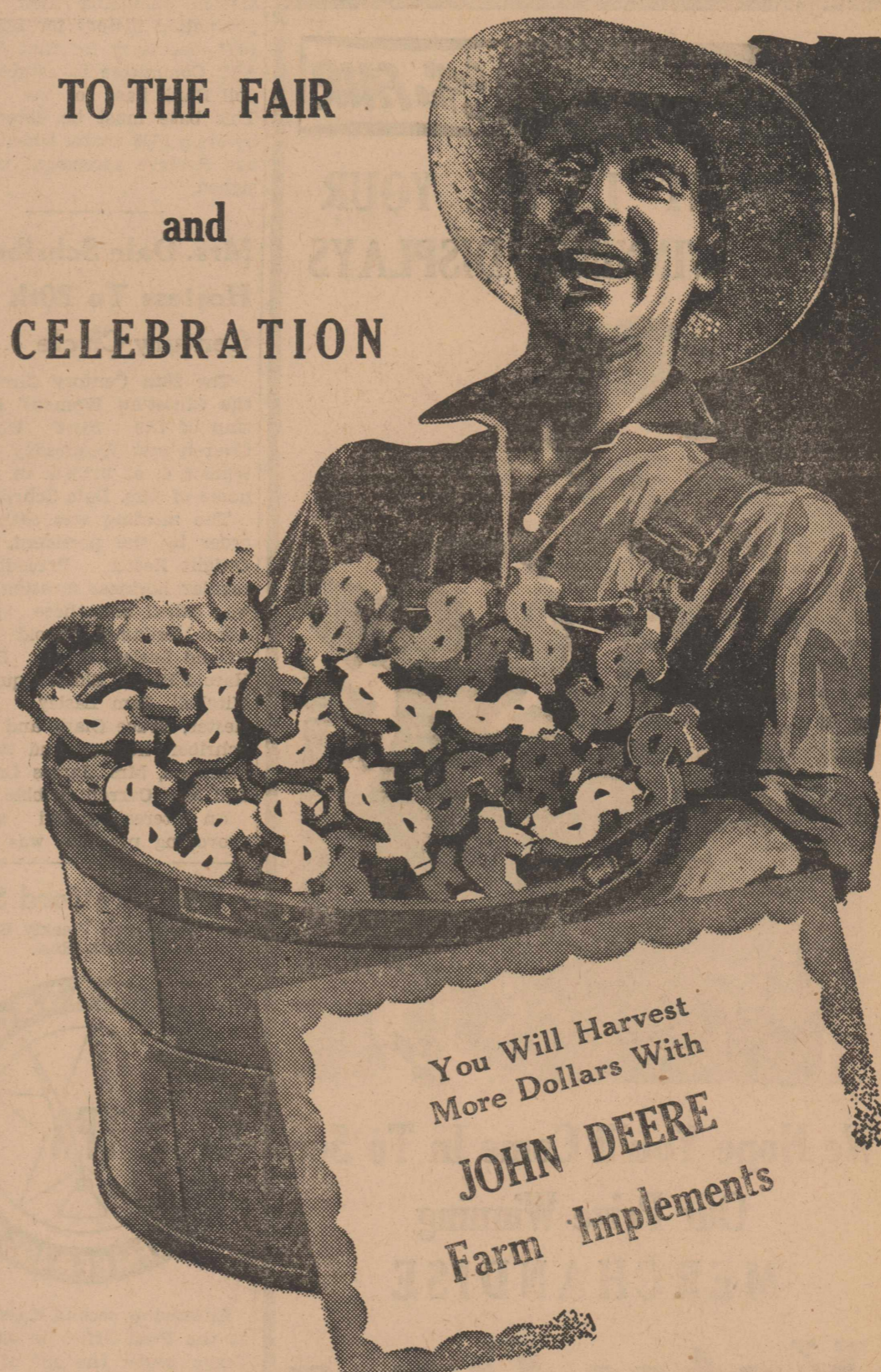


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Beauties Parade Friday Night

At least 17 beautiful girls will compete in beach costumes Friday night for the title of Miss Stratford. The beauty contest will be held in the school auditorium where the girls will have an opportunity to display their charms under soft lights without experiencing the discomfort of cool windy weather which has been a detriment to the girls in recent years on the football field.

The parade of beauty will start at 7:30 p. m., and is sponsored by the Nu Beta Chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi. Two divisions of girls will compete for honors this year. High school girls will compete for a trophy and the title of Miss Stratford. Girls in the age group of 6 to 8 years, will compete for the title of the queen's attendant.

An admission charge of 25c for school children and 50c for adults will be made.

Grain Entries Go On Display Friday Morning

Wheat and grain sorghum entries at the county fair must be placed in the fair barn by 8:00 a. m. Friday. Only products produced or harvested during the 1957 season will compete in this department.

Prizes will be awarded for youth and adult divisions.

Entomology is the science which deals with insects, etymology is the science of words.

Celebration Calendar Friday

9:00 a. m. Fair opens.
2:30 p. m. Air Show.
7:30 p. m. Bathing Beauty contest.
8:30 p. m. Square dance.

Saturday

9:00 a. m. Fair opens, judging of livestock.
11:00 a. m. Parade.
11:30 a. m. Band concert.
12:00 Noon Barbecue.
9:00 p. m. Modern dance.

Soil Bank's —

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ing excess acreage of some crop other than the crop covered by an Acreage Reserve agreement, he loses the entire payment he would have earned by complying with all provisions of the Acreage Reserve program. No civil penalty applies in this case. (As originally announced, a civil penalty would also have applied in this case.)

However, if the farmer harvests more of the Acreage Reserve crop than his crop allotment less the crop land in the Acreage Reserve, the farmer is subject to both loss of his payment and a civil penalty of 50 per cent of the payment.

The civil penalty also applies to such program violations as grazing or harvesting a crop from land designated under the Acreage Reserve agreement.

Farmers in commercial wheat states may sign agreements to take part in the 1958 winter wheat Acreage Reserve program until October 4. The program for spring wheat and other spring-seeded crops will be announced before planting time.

Wheat growers are urged to furnish without delay all information, including their farm's production history for 1956 and 1957, necessary for that County ASC Committee to establish a Soil Bank base for the farm. This base must be determined before a 1958 winter wheat Acreage Reserve agreement may be signed.

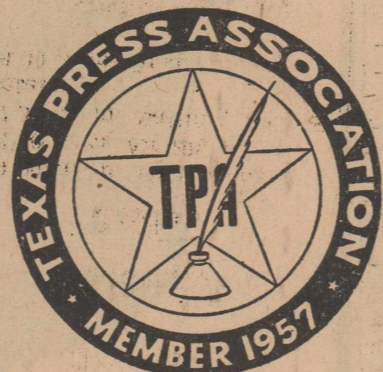
Mrs. Dale Schriber Hostess To 20th Century Circle

The 20th Century Circle of the Christian Womens' Fellowship of the First Christian Church met Wednesday, September 4, at 9:30 a. m. in the home of Mrs. Dale Schriber.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Dwight Hester. Preceding the regular business meeting, roll was called and those present were Mesdames Harold Oquin, Orland Lasley, R. M. Buckles, Harold Baker, Elmer Oquin, Roy Mitchell, Sam Lasley, Dwight Hester, Bruce Clark and Dale Schriber, hostess, and two new members, Mrs. James Crawford and Mrs. Carroll Gribble.

An interesting and thought provoking program was led by

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was closed with the Fellowship Benediction. Refreshments were then served by the hostess, Mrs. Dale Schriber.

Prospectus Study Club Postpones September Meeting

Prospectus Study Club will

postpone their scheduled September 6 meeting until September 13 to avoid conflicts with the Sherman County Fair. The club will meet September 13 in the home of Mrs. Bill Pendleton.

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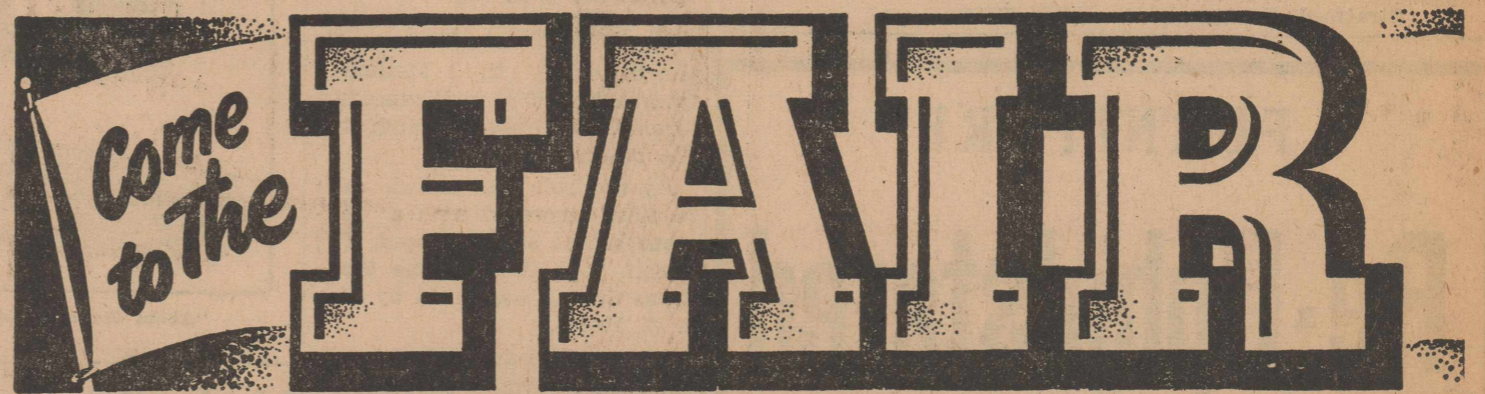
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