

2 Enterprising 11-Year Old Girls Puzzle Elevator Crew

Sharon Wilson and Barbara Flores, 11-year old daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Flores, called the Stratford Grain Co. and turned in their guess on the arrival of the first dry load of 14% moisture content wheat. They placed the time of arrival of the wheat for 3:30 p. m. Tuesday of last week.

At 3:30 p. m. Tuesday, the girls hoping to collect a \$100.00 prize for setting the time for the arrival of the first dry load of wheat, pulled onto the scales at the elevator a toy dump truck load of 1961 wheat (approximately two quarts) which had been taken from a combine that had been working in fields south of Stratford.

Earl Riffe was not at the elevator and his employees not knowing what to do about the matter, informed the girls they would have to wait until Mr. Riffe returned home Wednesday night.

Wednesday night Barbara Flores left for camp.

About noon Thursday, Sharon Wilson talked to Earl Riffe at

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Kendrick Named To Agricultural Post

Kenneth Kendrick has been appointed by President John F. Kennedy to the National Agricultural Advisory Committee for a term ending December 31, 1964, it was announced Monday evening by Congressman Walter Rogers.

Kendrick is the vice-president of the National Wheat Growers Association and formerly served as president of the organization.

Kendrick isn't positive of the committee's organization under Kennedy but assumes it will maintain the 18-member body composed of nine Republicans and nine Democrats. It was formed during Eisenhower's administration.

The duties of the committee (Continued on Page 2)

Miss Sweny To Marry In August

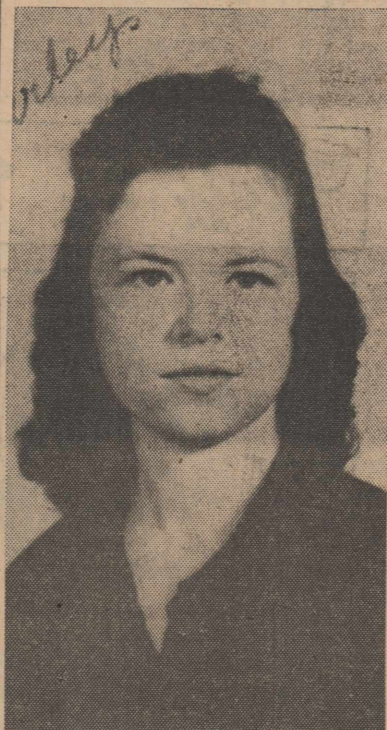


Carol Sweny

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sweny of Sunray announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Carol Sweny of Lubbock, to Larry F. Kyle, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Kyle of

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Miss Manning's Engagement Is Announced



Shirley Manning

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Manning announce the engagement of their daughter, Shirley Manning, to Teddy Reynolds, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Reynolds.

Shirley moved to Stratford with her parents from Kansas City, Missouri.

The wedding date has not been set.

In the ancient world China was known as Cathay.

Miss Campbell Plans July Wedding



Patsy Joyce Campbell

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Campbell of Dalhart are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Patsy Joyce, to Bobby Ray Reynolds, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Reynolds of Stratford.

Miss Campbell was born and reared in Dalhart and has attended the Dalhart schools. The prospective bridegroom is employed with the Kerrick Elevator Co. at Kerrick.

A July 23 wedding in the Lincoln Street Baptist Church of Dalhart is being planned.

Produce Truck Falls Short Wave Tower

Call For Top Wheat Displays

County Agent E. Goule made a request this week for wheat samples to be entered in the County Fair and other displays. This is a good wheat year, Goule said, and the county should have a wonderful display of the grain.

A gallon of cleaned wheat is required for a display to be entered in a fair. Normally it requires two gallons of wheat to prepare a display.

Display wheat samples may be left at the County Agents office and proper exhibits will be prepared.

A J&J Truck Leasing, Inc., truck of Kansas City, Missouri struck a guy-wire cable at the Stratford Butane Co. at 4:45 p. m. Wednesday. The steel cable broke under the strain, allowing the short wave tower to buckle and knock a hole in the roof extending out over the east edge near the rear of the building. The jar caused the 150 tower to buckle a second time and fall to the west. It struck the roof near the front of the building, tearing a hole over the office above the desk at which Mrs. Paul Chesmer was sitting.

"She came out of there looking like a ghost", said Pete Green, service attendant who was on duty at the time. Mrs. Chesmer said that from the

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Mrs. Cone Donelson Is Named Sorority "Woman Of The Year"



Mrs. Cone Donelson

Many friends and members of the family witnessed the presentation of the "Woman of the Year" award to Mrs. Cone Donelson at a tea given recently in Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church.

Last year's "Woman of the Year", Mrs. Arthur King, made the presentation after an impressive program leading up to Mrs. Donelson's identity as this year's award winner. Taking part on the program were Mrs. C. W. Moon, mistress of ceremonies; Mrs. Lorraine Mehner and Mrs. Hose Flores.

Mrs. Donelson was given a bronze plaque appropriately inscribed.

The award, given annually by the chapters of Beta Sigma Phi of this city, is bestowed upon the woman of the community who is considered exceptionally outstanding. Mrs. Donelson has long been such a citizen as she is a life-long resident of this area, and received this special recognition for her unflinching fulfillment of duties to her fellow citizens.

Mrs. Donelson is a devoted wife, mother and grandmother. She is a devout christian and a member of the Baptist Church, holds the office of president of the WMU, and is an active member of the Prospectus Study Club.

Her every endeavor is undertaken with diligence, efficiency, perseverance and good humor.

She has been an inspiration to those who know and love her and her unselfish devotion to home, church, and community has endeared her to the hearts

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PARDONABLE CURIOSITY

Mr. Brown read the erroneous report of his death in the paper. Excitedly he called the office and asked to talk to his boss. "Did you see this morning's paper?" he shouted into the phone.

"Yes", replied the boss, "Where are you calling from?"

Showers Slow Wheat Harvest

Wheat harvest has been moving slow by jerks this week as local showers and heavy dews forming at night have restricted operations almost entirely to afternoon work.

Wheat started rolling into both the Stratford Grain Co. and the North Plains Grain Co. elevators in Stratford Monday afternoon. Showers falling over the territory and the heavy dew forming at night prohibited combines from working until Tuesday afternoon. The same pattern was being followed Wednesday.

Early reports indicate that yields from dry land fields are ranging from 20 to 50 bushels to an acre. Should the harvest continue to produce such yields, the 1961 wheat crop produced in this area, will be the best crop which has been grown for many years.

Wheat and small grain harvest is practically complete throughout the Texas wheat belt except in the Panhandle and South Plains area. Harvest is progressing rapidly on the South Plains and equipment is moving into the Texas Panhandle, Oklahoma and Kansas. Labor and equipment have been adequate in all areas of operation in Texas.

Harvest has been virtually completed in the San Angelo area. Yields were above expectations with wheat averaging 20 bushels per acre.

Harvest is 70% complete in the Crosbyton area. Yields up to 20 bushels per acre on dryland acreage were reported, and up to 40 bushels per acre were harvested from irrigated fields.

Dickens and Jayton reported the harvest was 85% complete. Yields were averaging from 15

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Justice for Needy People

"The spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath anointed me to preach the gospel to the poor." Luke 4:18

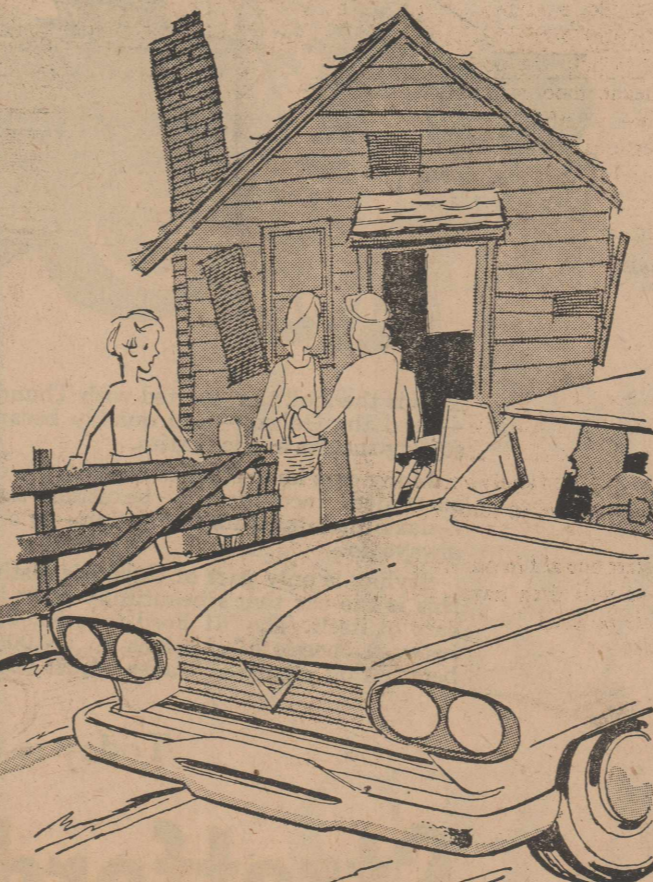
JESUS was speaking in the synagogue, and, like so many times during His ministry, was explaining that He came to help the poor. By "poor" He meant, modern scholars say, all men—whether poor in worldly possessions, blind, crippled or so hardhearted they could not see the misery of others.

Jesus was so concerned about the poor that He warned, "Ye have the poor with you always."

Our desire as a nation to help and feed the poor of the world has been called a step toward peace. That is a matter of opinion.

However, we cannot deny it is our Christian obligation to aid the poor, whether it is the family across the tracks or the native in some remote jungle.

When we start our aid in our own community we will then have justice for people in need.



Read your BIBLE daily and GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Religion... ITS LESSONS FOR MODERN LIVING

Mrs. Albert Zimmer Honored As Sorority "Girl Of The Year"



Mrs. Albert Zimmer

Mrs. Albert (Elizabeth) Zimmer was the recipient of the highest honor that can come to a member of Beta Sigma Phi when she was named the "Girl of the Year" of the Nu Beta Chapter.

The award was made at the Beta Sigma Phi Founder's Day banquet served at the Dumas Country Club.

Mrs. Zimmer was also presented a full jeweled sorority pin by last year's "Girl of the Year", Mrs. E. R. Bell.

Mrs. Zimmer has been dependable, conscientious, and efficient during her three years as a member of Beta Sigma Phi. She has served her chapter as treasurer, vice-president, and has been elected extension officer for the coming year. She has served as membership chairman as well as on the service ways and means and social committees.

Mrs. Zimmer has an excellent attendance record at regular and committee meetings and social functions, and has had an active part in the local service and charity projects sponsored by Nu Beta.

She is faithful to her ideals and her duties and is truly an outstanding sorority sister.

Mrs. Zimmer is the mother of three children and is a member of the Baptist Church.

Funeral Rites Pending For Mrs. Vasquez

Mrs. Gracie Vasquez of Dalhart was found dead in a cell in the women's side of the Sherman County jail in the court house in Stratford at 7:30 a. m. Wednesday by Sheriff A. L. Wilson when he went to the jail to feed the prisoners. She was about 33 years of age.

A coroner's inquest, based on the findings of the examining physician, attributed death to a heart attack.

Tommy Casus, a brother of the deceased, in custody on the men's side of the jail, told officers that he had talked with his sister through the partitioning wall periodically during the night. He said his sister had been unable to sleep. Their last conversation was at about daybreak, Casus said, and he supposed that she had gone to sleep when she stopped talking with him.

Casus confirmed the statement of officers that she was in a cell by herself. He further stated that it would have been impossible for anyone to have gone into the cell without the other prisoners hearing them, and that there was no possibility of foul play.

Mrs. Vasquez, Tommy Casus, Mrs. Vasquez' brother-in-law and two other men were taken into custody at 11:15 a. m. Tuesday by Sheriff A. L. Wilson on charges of being drunk on a public street.

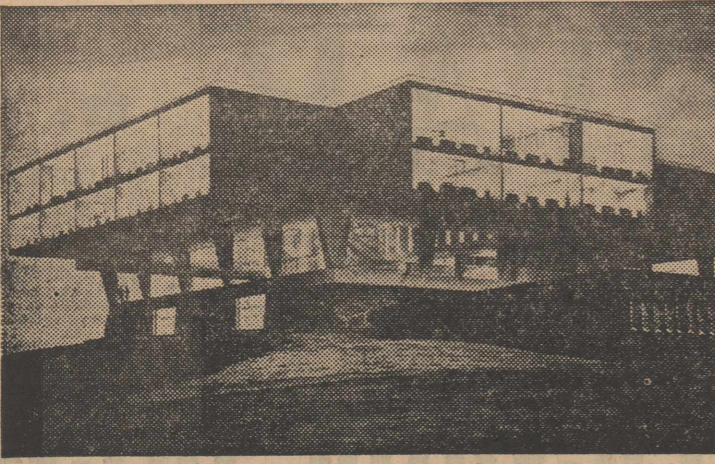
At 6:00 p. m. when the prisoners were fed, Sheriff Wilson said that he could not see anything unusual about the condition of the prisoners except they still showed signs of intoxication.

When the sheriff went to the cells to feed the prisoners Wednesday morning he was unable to arouse Mrs. Vasquez. He knew she was dead when he felt for her pulse and failed to find a heart beat. He called the doctor and the coroner, and obtained statements from other prisoners in the jail.

The remains of the deceased have been taken to Dalhart where funeral arrangements are

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Snapshots: A Monument to Heroes



Framed against the sky, the architectural masterpiece in Milwaukee, Wisconsin stands at the start of picturesque Lincoln Memorial Drive. Built entirely by funds donated by citizens of Milwaukee, it is an imposing monument to Milwaukeeans killed in World War II and the Korean conflict. Completed in 1957, the beautiful building contains a community art center and has assembly facilities for veteran and civic groups.



ACROSS the DESK

IDEAS FROM OTHER EDITORS

From the Lincoln Times, Lincoln, N. C.:

Why is it that some people are usually happy and others usually depressed? Why is a certain individual, though relatively lacking in material wealth, perhaps also lacking in nature's physical endowments, nevertheless cheerful and merry, and able to enjoy every day, or most of it?

The experts tell us the happy individual is one who has developed a sound philosophy of life. That means, as we see it, a philosophy which takes into consideration all that we have to be thankful for.

This is the field which so many of us—especially the sour-faced—overlook. And certainly all of us in America have more to be thankful for than the average person in a far away country. We have freedom. We have opportunity. We have great material wealth. We have peace. We have freedom of worship. And we have a strong country.

Then, too, we have the miracle of nature, the beauty of nature to observe every day, and those of

us who enjoy good health have still another reason to be thankful.

It's true that we have our troubles. It's also true that many of us worry and fret because we can't make as much money as we would like to, or because we don't get ahead in the world as fast as we'd like to. And then there are many things which come along to irritate us.

And trivia—if not kept in perspective—can crowd out of one's personality the thankfulness and humble appreciation for the many blessings we enjoy. The key to contentment and happiness, then, is found in the state of mind—not the state of the bank account.

The lesson of life, then, is to develop a philosophy, a state of mind, which concentrates on positive thinking, faith and thankfulness and service to others. Going this way will bring rich rewards and contentment through the years. For happiness is truly a state of mind and if you can master that, you have mastered life, and—as Kipling wrote—you are man, my son.

Minister Encourages Citizens To Emphasize The Positive

Richard B. Clayborne, minister of the First Christian Church of Midland, encourage citizens to "emphasize the positive".

The year 1961 may go down in history as "The Year We Lost Faith in One Another". In my lifetime, I have never witnessed so much suspicion and distrust and outright criticism of one another in America. I have never seen such flagrant abuse of people's character or the expectation of finding evil in our fellowman.

I had always thought that one of the great strengths of America lay in our confidence and trust in one another. Other societies, I believed, had been weakened by their suspicions, distrust and unfounded criticism. I believe Jesus had faith in the inherent goodness of man. He also believed that good was stronger than evil, and admonished us to "overcome evil with good". He didn't say "overcome evil with criticism and suspicion".

With one-fourth of 1961 gone, I have heard the following organizations and persons discredited and criticized: public school boards, public school teachers, public school superintendents, public school text books, the Supreme Court, Chief Justice Earl Warren, "the government" (whatever that is), President Kennedy, ex-presidents Eisenhower, Truman and Roosevelt, the National Council of Churches, the Texas Council of Churches, the staffs of the Christian Churches, the Jews, the Roman Catholic Church, the Revised Standard Version of the Bible, the City Councils, Dr. Edwin T. Dahlberg, the United Nations, the World Council of Churches, and so on into the night.

Perhaps someone should start a new organization, and call it: "Society to Help Us Regain Confidence in One-Another".

As individual christians, let us stand up and be counted on the side of faith, goodwill and confidence. Let's look for the good in everyone.

Let's emphasize the positive.

When ma says that pa hammers nails like lightning it does not necessarily mean that he's fast; could be that he just never hits twice in the same spot.

Kendrick

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was to inform the president and the secretary of agriculture directly on possible farm programs.

During the Eisenhower administration Kendrick served on a grain research advisory committee for Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Taft Benson.

Kenneth Kendrick helped organize the Texas Wheat Growers Association, and has been active in the Farm Bureau.

Foundation seed for Caldwell, a new cold-hardy, high-yielding winter flax, have been released to Texas seed producers. This new variety is the highest yielding winter-type flax that can be grown in Texas and may eventually replace much of the spring-type grown in the State. A limited amount of certified seed will be available for farm planting this fall.

Showers Slow

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to 20 bushels to the acre. Rains stopped harvest last week in the Littlefield, Muleshoe, Dimmitt, Farwell and Hereford area. They expected to resume operations Monday. Yields are reported to be average and above in this area.

Harvest is 40% complete in the Plainview, Tulia, Lockney, Floydada and Silverton areas. Observers believed that they could complete the harvest in this area this week if the weather remained fair. Yields were ranging from 25 bushels an acre on dryland fields up to 50 bushels an acre on irrigated acreage.

Harvest was estimated to be 50% complete in the Amarillo, Vega, Canyon, Claude, Panhandle, Groom and Conway district. In this area operations were shut down for three days last week due to rain. Yields of from 15 to 20 bushels an acre are being reported from dryland farms.

Harvest is said to be 25% complete in the Pampa, Wheeler, Canadian, Lipscomb and Miami territory. Yields were

Miss Sweny

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Lubbock. Wedding vows will be exchanged August 19 in Bowman Chapel of the First Methodist Church in Lubbock.

Miss Sweny is a teacher in the Lubbock Public School system. Mr. Kyle is employed with the Post Office in Lubbock.

averaging about 20 bushels to the acre.

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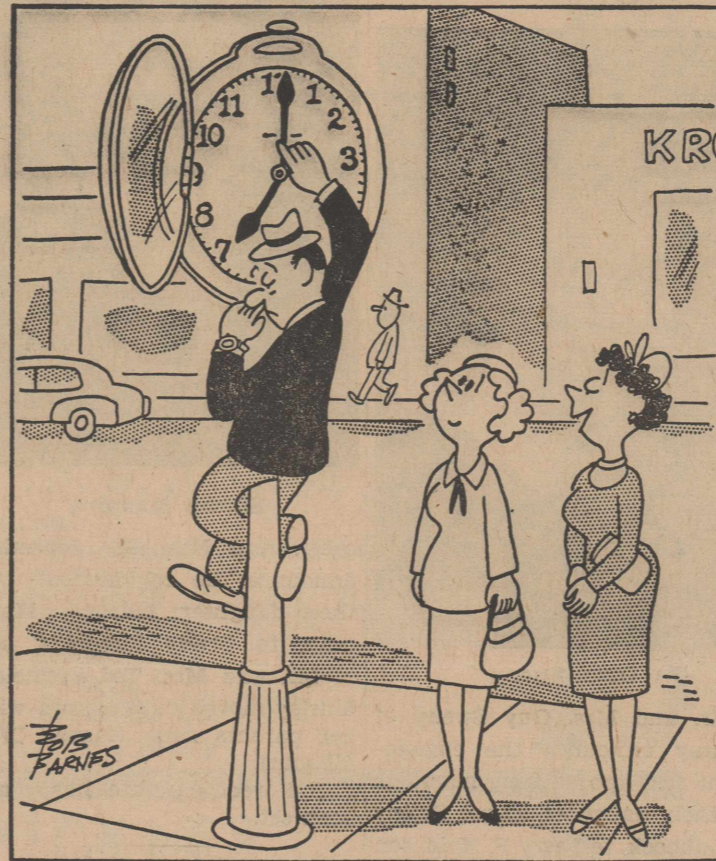
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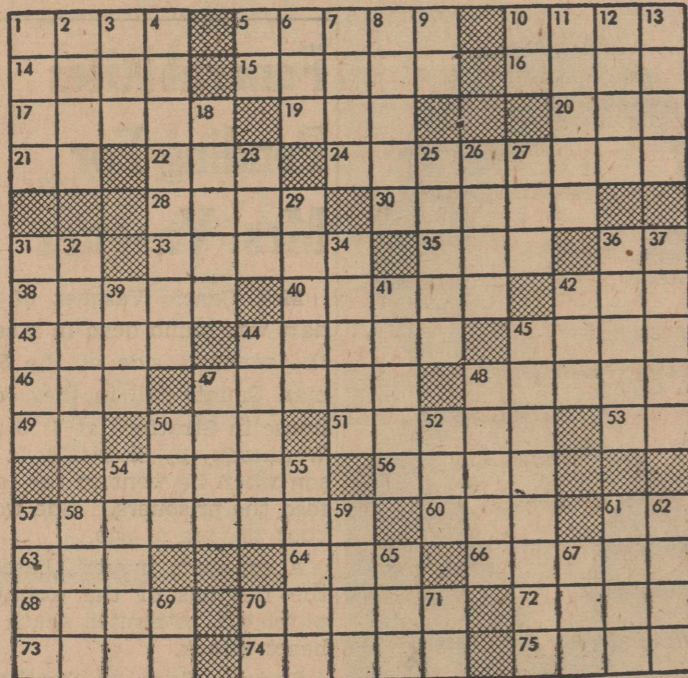
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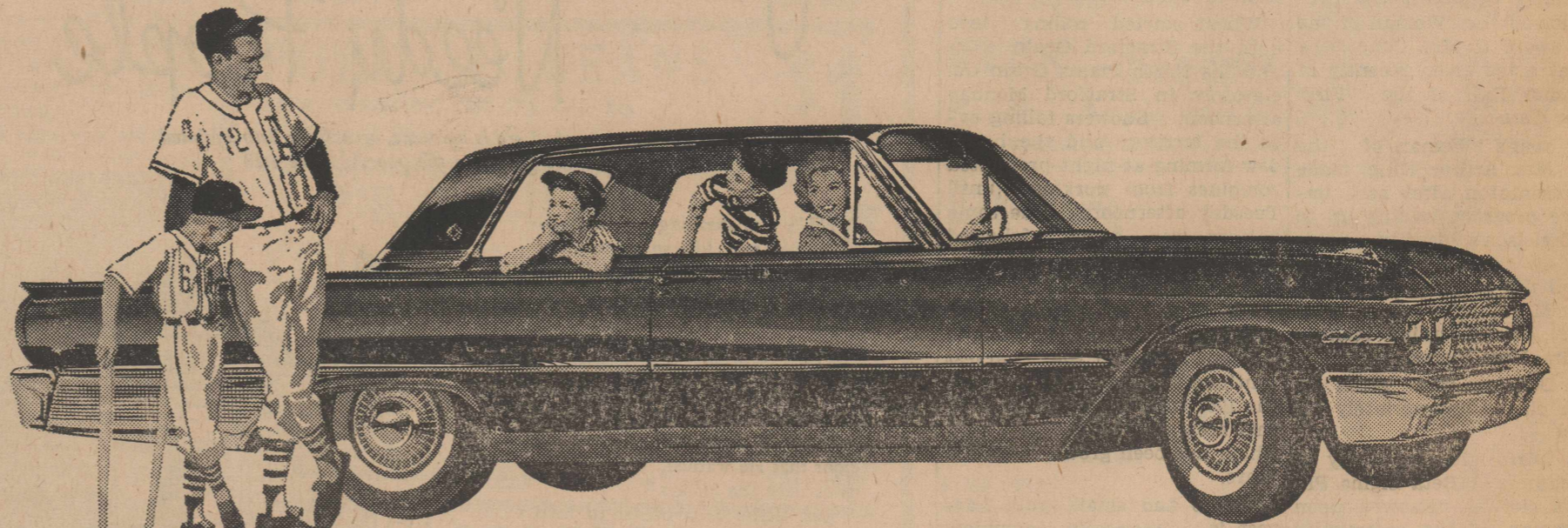
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Castro's Iron For Flesh Attempted Blackmailing Scheme Backfires

(By Walter Rogers)

Castro's sordid attempt to blackmail this country has gone far enough, and should be branded before the entire world for what it is and what he stands for. His "iron for flesh" deal was recognized by all decent human beings as nothing more than an act of international piracy and a perfect example of the philosophy that constitutes the difference be-

tween our way of life and that to which he subscribes. This pronouncement, above all others, clearly demonstrates the basic principle upon which Castro and his cohorts operate. The dignity of the individual has no place in his ideology, except as regards his own person, which is usually the case with dictators.

At the time Castro proposed this unconscionable and inhuman trade, everyone should have recognized that the author of such devilry must be wholly devoid of character and integrity. Nevertheless, many people in this country took the position that the humanitarian thing to do was to accept the offer and thereby show to the world that this country, in pursuit of its Christian principles, considered human life as the property of God, and would do whatever was necessary to prevent its destruction. Others took the position that this was not the issue, but that the whole matter was a question of pure and simple blackmail in which no individual in this country should have a part. This controversy has raged during all of the negotiations, and will probably not be settled regardless of what is done.

Looking at the matter objectively as it presently stands, it would seem to me that the recent statements and demands of Castro prove beyond any question of doubt that he had no intention of ever releasing the prisoners. His sole intention was the same as that which

usually prompts the pirate, the extortionist, and the blackmailer. That is, to get hold of the material wealth demanded and then destroy the victim. In my further opinion, his greed has caused him to overplay his hand. When he was able to have a visit from negotiators, he probably felt that he may as well ask for more, so long as people were willing to deal with a scoundrel. This, in my opinion, is where his greed completely condemned him. He has now proven beyond any question of doubt that his Communistic beliefs underwrite the proposition that material is superior to human life, and that he is completely devoid of any character or integrity.

Assuming that there was some justification in the first instance to try to meet the requirements of the "iron for flesh" offer, it should now be clearly evident that the chances for the salvation of these prisoners will not depend upon whether or not tractors or bulldozers are delivered to the Bearded Wonder. If ten thousand bulldozers were delivered to Castro tomorrow, the lives of

the prisoners in Cuba wouldn't be worth a plugged nickel. If these prisoners, or any of them, are saved, it is going to be because the world recognizes what has happened. The world should be told now in unmistakable terms that Castro has not only made the offer but has openly admitted it, and has now reneged on it and is trying to extort more and more. Under the circumstances he has convicted himself completely under any system of law ever employed by mankind. Hence, it would seem to me that the time is ripe to tell Mr. Castro that there will be no tractors and there will be no bulldozers, but that if he harms even one of the prisoners he has attempted to use as pawns, he must stand condemned before the bar of world opinion and every judicial system in existence as an international murderer, and that he should expect to pay the same penalty as has been paid by other international murderers — to-wit: Hitler, Mussolini, and company.

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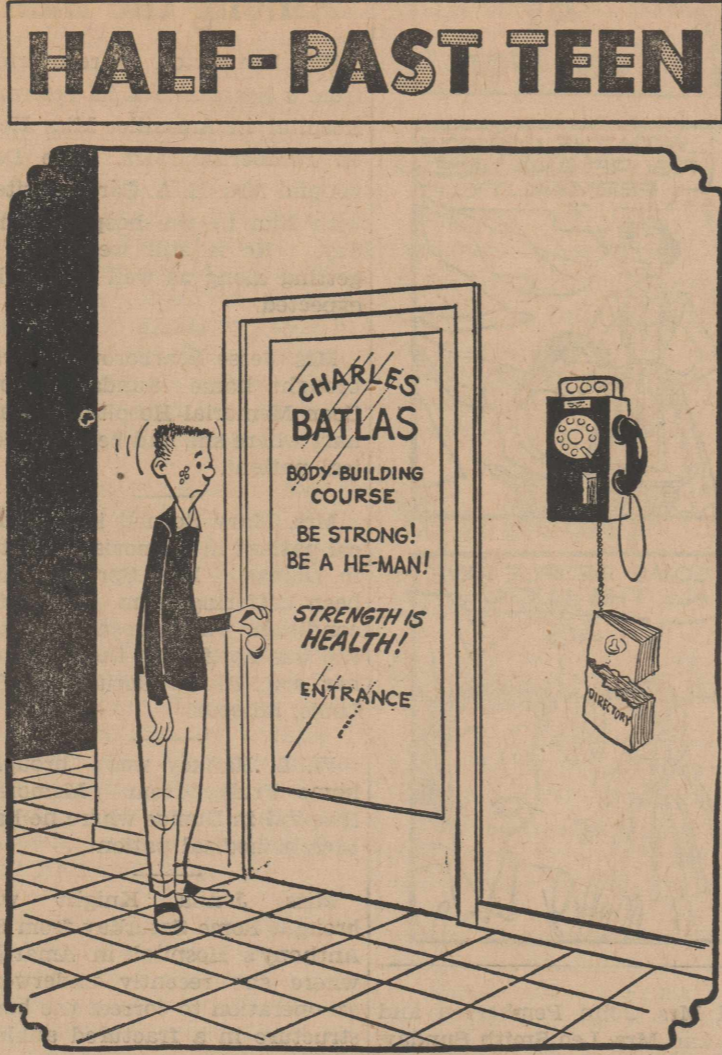


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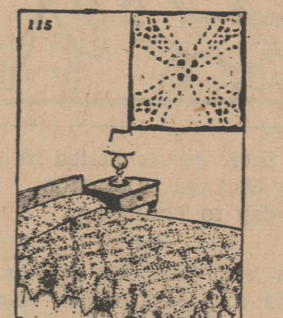
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Just Think What Would Happen

Just think what would happen if editors all over the country would insert the words "US taxpayers" after every reference in every story to the Federal Government.

Or, as in our case, every mention of the word "state" or "state government" would be followed by Texas taxpayers.

A disturbing condition today is that so many people who cry "Get it from the Federal Government" never stop to realize that they themselves are the Federal Government, and that the so-called government has no money as such.

Most editors agree that the idea should help drive home the painful fact that the government can only get a dollar by lifting it from a taxpayer. They suggest however, the added words be enclosed in parentheses so as not to disrupt reading too much.

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Mrs. C. W. Wells
Is Happy Hour Club Hostess

The Happy Hour Home Demonstration Club met Thursday night of last week in the home of Mrs. C. W. Wells. A demonstration was given on making delicious cookies from dry bread. Guests attending were Mrs. Oma Ellison, Mrs. Nellie Blanck, Mrs. Lela Moon, Mrs. Claude Allen and Mrs. Joe Billington.

Expect Heavy Holiday Traffic On Highways

The official "operation Death-watch" will be conducted by the Texas Department of Public Safety for the one-day holiday period, Tuesday, July 4, from 12:01 a. m. to 11:59 p. m. During that 24-hour period, the Department of Public Safety will officially record all traffic deaths, homicides, suicides and accidental deaths in Texas.

The one-day holiday period is similar to that of 1956 and 1957, when the Fourth fell in the middle of the week. Doubtless, there will be more drivers on the highways on Monday, July 3, than on a normal Monday, and local drivers are urged to be super-careful if they are fortunate enough to arrange for a four-day holiday.

During 1960, 2,254 persons were killed in 1,842 fatal crashes. Despite improved gains in general traffic safety the statistics mean that one person died every three hours and 53 minutes, and one person was injured during every four minutes, and one crash took place every minute and forty seconds. This took place while Texas motorists were driving 127 million miles a day. Every minute they drove, the economic loss was \$644.00.

Chi-Rho Group Returns From Summer Camp

Linda Mitts, Debra Brannan, Orland Lasley, Myrna Hester, Lynda Sutton, Barbara Stublefield, Julia Gray and Nancy Ogden returned Saturday from attending a week of summer Chi-Rho Camp at Ceta Glen. Mrs. W. J. Lowe attended as a sponsor from the Stratford Christian Church and served as the camp secretary. Clinton Belcher and Frank Sutton took the group to camp. Mr. Belcher and Mrs. Dwight Hester drove cars to bring them home.

Moore 4-H Team Wins Contest In Management

Mike Burnett and Jerry Harbert, Moore County 4-H Club members, won second place in District One competition with a farm and ranch method demonstration, a feature contest of the annual Texas 4-H Club Roundup, held last week at Texas A. & M. College. Burnett is 14 years of age, and Harbert is 17 years old.



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Town Talk

Mrs. Ed Smith and Mrs. Marvin Kimball were business visitors in Dumas Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Malone and sons, Kim and Kevin, of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Malone and children, Wes, Cris and Lori of Albuquerque, New Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Malone and Connie Sue visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Malone Sunday.

Mrs. Hubert Monroe and children of Ft. Worth are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Willmon and son, R. F., arrived June 10 for a visit in the home of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Willmon. The Willmon family, whose home is in Paris, Texas, plan to remain here until about July 1. Other guests in the Willmon home Sunday, were their daughter, Mrs. Dewey Taylor and children of Gruver.

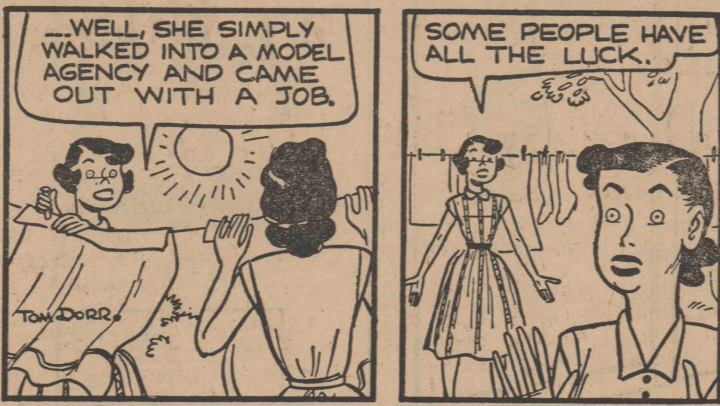
Mrs. W. P. Cummings had as guests last week, her niece, Mrs.

Charlie Mitchell and two daughters, Bethann and Kathi, of Portland, Oregon, and two granddaughters, Cynthia and Carrie Dee Cummings of Borger. Cynthia and Carrie Dee are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Cummings, who were on a vacation in Estes Park, Colorado, returning Thursday of last week. Mrs. Mitchell and daughters went to Bovina Sunday for a visit with her brother, Earl Derrick, and plan to return for a longer visit with Mrs. Cummings and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Cummings, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Cummings and daughters in Borger.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Allen of Dalhart were guest Sunday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Taylor and Bobby has as guests this week, Mrs. Taylor's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Winn and daughter, Lou Jean, and a friend, Eddie Miles, all of Pleasanton. Mrs. Taylor and Bobby

CANDY by Tom Dorr



and their guests visited in Colorado Springs, Colorado from Tuesday to Thursday.

and Mrs. John Pemberton and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Smith Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Peters and Linda and Mr. Peters' mother, Mrs. W. P. Brooks returned last week from a visit with relatives in Tennessee and Indiana. They visited Mrs. Brooks' son and family in Lawrenceburg, Tennessee, her brother and two sisters-in-law, nieces and nephews in Armathwaite, Tennessee, a son and family in Westport, Indiana, two daughters and their families in Newcastle, Indiana, a daughter and family in Moreland, Indiana, and another daughter in Selma, Indiana and two sons, her brother and sister in Muncie, Indiana and a sister in Milan, Indiana. On June 11 they attended the wedding of a granddaughter in Newcastle. They stopped at a reunion which was being held in a park in Milan, and Mrs. Brooks enjoyed visiting with a number of friends whom she had not seen for a long time. Danny and Jerry Huston of Selma, Indiana, grandsons of Mrs. Brooks returned with them to spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Malone and children of Albuquerque, New Mexico are visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Malone, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kay Dunlap of Boise City visited his mother, Mrs. Zeldia Dunlap Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Beall visited relatives in Amarillo Tuesday. They also visited C. W. Cowdrey, who has been a patient in St. Anthony's Hospital there.

Miss Linda Riffe returned home Sunday from Denver, Colorado, where she spent last week visiting a college friend, Miss Roberta Cornelius.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Woolsey and children for Father's Day were Mr. and Mrs. Edd Garoutte, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Steinberger, Bill and Judy, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Cotney, Kim and Kay, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Garoutte, Wayne and Len, Mrs. Wayne Cummings, Cal Minkley and son, Bill, Ellen Dyess and Rusty Garrison.

Mrs. N. S. Lawler of Brady, her granddaughter, Elayne Lee of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Gladish of Oklahoma City are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Kelley. Mr. and Mrs. Gladish arrived Saturday. Mrs. Lawler and her granddaughter came Monday. Neither knew the other had planned a visit to the Texas Panhandle.

Miss Minnie Laura Jackson spent the week end visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Kessie and Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Headrick in Amarillo.

Mrs. Lenna Vickers of Amarillo is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Mullican.

Mrs. Raymond Kirkwood and children of Amarillo spent the week end visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kirkwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pemberton and children of Dumas were guests in the homes of Mr.

Among the Sick

Bill Pemberton is recovering from a heart attack in Veterans Hospital in Amarillo. Miss Helen Pemberton, Mrs. Belle Davis and Mrs. H. A. Carter visited with him in the hospital Sunday. He is still weak but is getting along as well as can be expected.

Mrs. Jesse Scarborough was brought home Sunday from Coon Memorial Hospital in Dalhart where she had been a medical patient.

Mrs. Mary Spruell is a medical patient in Memorial Hospital in Dumas. Mrs. Spruell has been suffering from a heart condition which resulted after she was notified of the death of her son, Albert Spruell, in St. Louis, Missouri.

W. L. Hankey was brought home Friday from Memorial Hospital in Dumas where he had been a medical patient.

Miss Jonna Knight was brought home Saturday from St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo where she recently underwent an operation to correct the bone structure in a fractured ankle.

Mrs. Tim Flores, who spent last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Boney, near Gruver, was brought home Sunday. Mrs. Flores, who says she feels fine,

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was confined to her bed two weeks with an injured leg, which seems to be healing now, and her doctor has told her she need not stay in bed any longer, but to not be on it but very little.

Mrs. Jim Manning was a medical patient in the Dumas Hospital from Thursday to Saturday.

C. W. Cowdrey, who has been a medical patient in St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo, was taken to his home in Tulia Wednesday. Mr. Cowdrey and

CARD OF THANKS
I'd like to thank all the people who were so wonderful to me before, during and after I was in the hospital. Your calls, cards and visits helped to shorten the time.

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Jonna Knight
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W. P. Brooks continues to be in very poor health in the Texhoma Nursing Home.

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Town Talk

Mr. and Mrs. Barnett Corley, Mrs. E. W. Butler and Mrs. G. L. Taylor were visitors in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Riffe expect Mrs. Riffe's sister, Miss Charman Burke to arrive Tuesday for a weeks visit with them.

Miss Burke recently received her Masters Degree at the University of California at Berkeley, California. She will go to her home in South Bend, Indiana after her visit here.

Four Stratford girls are at-

tending the M.Y.F. Officers Training Camp of the Methodist Church at Ceta Glen this week. They are Judy Standerfer, Teri Wilson, Charlene Wisdom and Janet Foreman.

Mrs. A. W. Allen of Gruver spent Tuesday of last week visiting Mrs. Tim Flores in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Boney. Mrs. Allen's daughter, Mrs. Harley Alexander, took her mother to the Boney home in the morning and Miss Royce Faye Boney took her back to Gruver in the evening.

Mrs. Robert Bolster, Beverly Rae and Miss Edna Bolster visited Jonna Knight in the hospital in Amarillo Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Burleigh Payne and daughters of Springfield, Colorado moved their trailer house here and are working in the harvest. They are also enjoying visits with her father, Charles Cameron and Mrs. Cameron, and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kelp and Billy.

Walton Wilson of Bellflower, California arrived Monday for a visit with his brother, Gene Wilson and family. Mr. Wilson's son, Richard, accompanied him to Albuquerque, New Mexico where he is visiting an aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Riffe had as guests recently, Mrs. Riffe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Burke of South Bend, Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Carman G. Rhode and children, Robert and Sandra, and Jackie Durham of Silverton, Texas spent Father's Day week end in the home of Mrs. Rhode's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Huff.

Mrs. B. G. Borth, Mrs. Robert Bolster and Beverly Rae went to Springfield, Colorado Friday to take home Miss Edna Bolster, who had been a guest in the Bolster home. They also visited the John Martin Dam and other places before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Reed and children of Los Alamos, New Mexico are visiting their par-

Sunday School Class Has Luncheon

Members of the King's Daughters Sunday School Class of the Baptist Church enjoyed a luncheon in Fellowship Hall of the church Tuesday at noon, with 12 members present. A business meeting was also conducted.

Mrs. Dunlap Entertains Embroidery Club

The Embroidery Club met at 2:30 p. m. Thursday, June 8, in the home of Mrs. Zelta Dunlap. Fourteen members and one guest were present. Refreshments of ice cream, cake and coffee were served by the hostess to Mesdames Sam Wohlford, D. D. Woodall, A. E. Pronger, Bessie Mitchell, Frank Judd, H. M. Williams, E. W. Butler, Earl Shirk, G. L. Taylor, S. J. Calvird, Grover Keown, Roy Allen and the guest, Mrs. J. W. Elliott.

The next meeting will be a covered dish luncheon in the home of Mrs. J. P. Cameron on Thursday, July 13.

Mrs. Bolster Is Friendship Club Hostess

Mrs. Robert Bolster was hostess to the Friendship Club in her home Thursday, June 15.

Mrs. Frankie J. Byrd of Fort Sumner, New Mexico, Miss Edna Bolster of Springfield, Colorado, Mrs. Eldon Falis and Mrs. Lee O. Cook were welcomed as guests.

Members present were Mesdames P. J. Pronger Jr., Cecil Borth, Roscoe Dyess, Ed Oquin, Ed Smith, B. G. Borth, Rollo Newman and the hostess, Mrs. Bolster.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. W. R. Taylor on June 29.

Willing Workers View Pictures Of Holy Land

The Willing Workers Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church were shown pictures of the Holy Land by Mrs. Nellie Blanck in the fellowship hall of the church Friday night. Refreshments were served to about 50 who attended.

New Arrival

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Eden became parents of a 6 pound 15½ ounce son, Shane Leon, who was born in the Moore County Memorial Hospital Monday at 8:10 a. m. Mrs. Eden and Shane Leon were brought home from Dumas Wednesday by Mr. Eden and his sister-in-law, Ethel Preston. Grandparents of the little new arrival are Mr. and Mrs. Pete Eden of Kerrick and Mr. and Mrs. Granvil Preston. Mrs. Preston is staying with the Leon Eden family a few days in their home in Kerrick.

ents, Mr. and Mrs. Graydon Gamble and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown Ross visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harryman in Keyes, Oklahoma Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Taylor and Bobby, and Mrs. G. L. Taylor visited from Wednesday to Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Johnson and baby, Taylor, and Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Adams in Lubbock.

Mrs. Ted Mitchell and six daughters returned to their home in San Antonio, after a two weeks visit with Mrs. Mitchell's grandmother, Mrs. S. J. Calvird and other relatives here and in Dalhart.

Kidwells At Convention In New Jersey

Mr. and Mrs. John Kidwell left Saturday to attend the national convention of Lions Clubs which is being held in Atlantic City, New Jersey.

Baptist Circle Meets With Mrs. McQueen

The Marjorie Stevens Circle of the Baptist W. M. U. met Wednesday, June 14, in the home of Mrs. E. B. McQueen.

Mrs. Butler had charge of the program. The opening prayer was given by Mrs. McQueen. During the bible study session on "Phillip, the Soul Winner". All members present participated, the teacher being absent.

After the meeting, a social hour followed. The hostess served refreshments to Mesdames E. W. Butler, Mollie Ellison, W. D. Ellis and Elma McDaniel.

Mrs. Morris Is Hostess To Priscilla Club

(Mrs. Sidney Park, Reporter)

Secret Pal gifts were exchanged at a meeting of the Priscilla Club June 13 in the home of Mrs. J. R. Morris.

Mrs. Roy Browder, president, called the meeting to order.

A fruit plate was served by the hostess to Mrs. Wanda Ferguson, Carry Lynn and Jim,

Mrs. Sidney Park, Mrs. Roy Browder, Mrs. Vance Morris, Sherry, Dee Bee, Joe and Lynn, Mrs. John Boney, Mrs. Luther Browder, Mrs. Ben Cowley, Mary Model, Benny, Billy and Bobby, Mrs. Melvin Ross and Sandra, Mrs. Wood Burton, Craig, Deanne, Frank, Danny, Jimmy and Tammy, Mrs. Henry Wyatt, Mrs. Deana Williams, Cheryl, Lynn and Laurie Beth. The next meeting will be held June 27 in the home of Mrs. Vance Morris.



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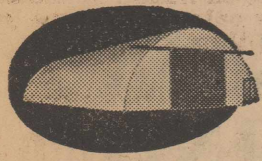
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(By Vern Sanford)

Texas' tax debate continues! Not as lively now as during the legislature session — but many voices are being heard. It's sort of a "speak now or forever hold your peace" period. Some type of tax bill, undoubtedly the biggest in Texas history, will have to be passed in July or August, and those with something to say are rushing to get in their licks. Legislators report that the small-scale "great debate" is proving very helpful in stirring up opinions from previously silent constituents. They're hoping to discover enough home district reaction to guide them to a swift, sure solution when they return for the special session July 10. Eight Central Texas lawmakers, in reply to Gov. Price Daniel's report to the people, say that raising \$341,000,000 in new revenue a "broad coverage tax". Although five of the eight voted with the governor during the session, several objected to a "hit and miss" tax approach. Some say that people in their

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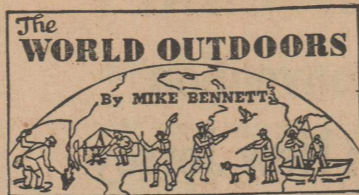
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The WORLD OUTDOORS
By MIKE BENNETT

A FRIEND recently asked this question: "I'm trying to interest my son in fishing. What equipment would you recommend I get for him?" I think he was somewhat surprised when I suggested he start out with a cane pole and some live bait. "But, I'm not that kind of a fisherman. I want him to learn to use a fly rod, or a bait casting outfit. I'm no still fisherman and I don't see any reason to teach my son to be one."

Well, we stuck to our original recommendation. After all, the idea is to first get the lad interested in fishing. Expensive rods and reels don't mean a thing to a lad of six or seven years. He's just as happy with a cane pole, a can of worms and a piece of twine or rope on which to string his catch.

Of course, as he grows a bit older, the time comes when he should be introduced to fishing with artificial lures. Most youngsters, with a little practice, can learn to handle closed face spinning reels adequately. Reels which backlash easily, on the other hand, quickly dampen enthusiasm and make the task of learning to be proficient with a casting rod seem more difficult than it actually is.

In fishing, as in anything else, the place to start is at the beginning. The father who tries to start his son out with fancy and complicated equipment—before the boy is ready to use such equipment—might find that he has wasted both his time and money.

This writer will use a fly rod, bait casting outfit, spinning rig, as the time and place may demand—but is still not above sitting quietly on the bank to dunk a worm or a minnow. And, if the friend mentioned above takes the advice he asked for, I think he will enjoy it too.

resulting from the Legislature's failure to pass a tax plan during the regular session. Here is the way they see it:

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Circles meet the first Wednesday of each month; Mary Ethel Circle at 9:30 a. m., Flora Foreman Circle at 2:30 p. m., Florence Mullins Circle at 9:30 a. m.
Methodist Men meet the fourth Wednesday night of each month at 7:00 p. m.
MYF council meetings: First Sunday of every third month at 5:00 p. m.

Arthur Lewis Is Released From Hospital

Arthur Lewis has returned home after being in Memorial Hospital in Dumas for two weeks where he underwent major surgery. While he was in the hospital, his neighbors, Don Gurdley, Don Deitrich, Merle Ford, Bob Burgess and Rex Burgess, planted his maize crop.

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of about \$14,000,000 a month. But between September 1 and November 10, nothing would come in from the new bill. This waiting period of two months, would mean the loss of some \$35,000,000 in state revenue which would have been raised if the same bill had been passed earlier.

Question that immediately arises is: Can the Legislature pass a tax bill by a two-thirds vote of both houses so that it will go into effect immediately? (As done in 1959).

Today legislators are dubious. As the new tax bill is expected to affect more items, many

Legislators feel that it would be unfair to expect businessmen and store keepers to get ready overnight to charge all sorts of new taxes.

New Worlds To Conquer

With the election of John Tower as U. S. Senator, exultant leaders of the Texas Republican Party feel they have a foot solidly in the door.

Beyond the door, that they pass to swing wide, is a two-party Texas with the GOP sharing political power in Texas on a roughly equal basis.

New goals are being carefully considered. All but one (Continued on Page 7)

districts object to selective taxes on grounds that "it's not fair to tax my product and not my neighbor's".

In The Wind

A number of new approaches to tax plans already battered around during the regular session are being worked on by lawmakers during this interim. Among plans being considered are these:

1. By Rep. Charles N. Wilson of Trinity (sponsor of the 2 per cent sales tax passed by the House last session) — a new sales tax that would be linked, Siamese-twin fashion, with a corporation income tax.
2. By Rep. George T. Hinson of Mineola (a frequent sponsor of legislation favored by the governor) — a 2 per cent tax on everything selling for \$5.00 or more, with the usual food and drug exemptions.
3. By Rep. Ben Atwell of Dallas — selective excise taxes of 2 per cent on a long list of items, but generally exempting the bed rock necessities of life.

New Committee At Work

Governor Daniel's new tax study committee, made up mostly of the board chairmen for various state agencies, got off to a diplomatic, soft-voiced start.

Several lawmakers took a dim view of having "another study group," recalling that the last one had come up with a payroll tax plan that never caught fire. Texas voters, they pointed out, selected their legislators to write the tax laws and will hold the legislators responsible for the outcome.

Members of the committee made it clear, that they don't intend to dictate to the Legislature. But they do hope to be able to indicate some possible paths of compromise among the various plans for which the legislators have shown favor.

The committee is to meet July 6 to write its report for the special session.

Down The Drain?

Some legislators are fretting over the loss in state revenue

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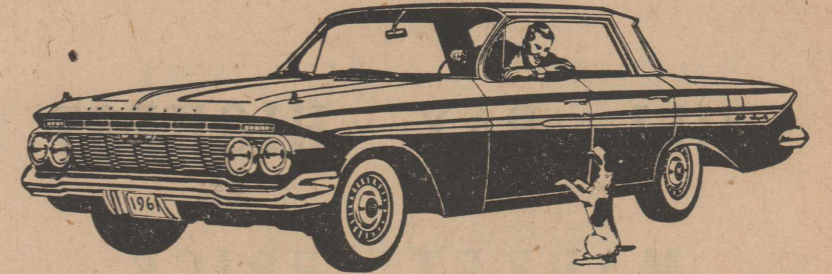
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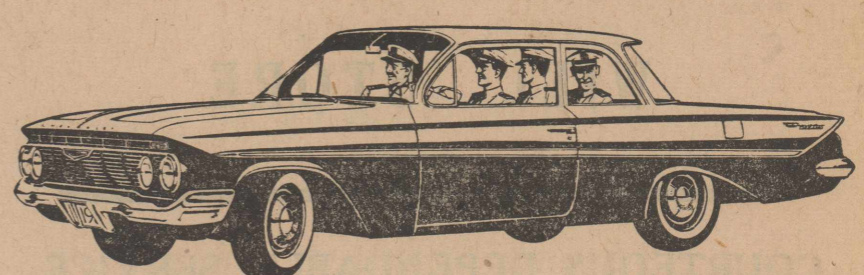
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E. Williams Promoted To Specialist Five

McGregor Guided Missile Range, N. M. — Earl Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mack F. Williams of Sunray, recently was promoted to specialist five at McGregor Guided Missile Range, N. M.

Specialist Williams, assigned to Range Support Battery, entered the Army in August 1958 and completed basic training at Fort Carson, Colorado.

The 22-year old soldier is a 1957 graduate of Dumas High School.

Don't be as uncertain as the weather — use Star ads.

Nuptial Vows Exchanged In Sunray Church

Mrs. Mary Albert and Arthur Harryman of Keyes were married Thursday evening of last week in the Methodist Church in Sunray. Rev. Leroy Baker, pastor, read the marriage service.

Mr. and Mrs. Harryman are at home near Keyes where he is engaged in farming.



How's your Know-How?

Ever wondered how to get gelatin molds out easily? Metal molds are better than glass or crockery, and oiling the mold makes it easier. Loosen first with a knife and give the mold a shake. Apply hot water or cloths to outside of mold, very quickly, in stubborn cases.

How to keep the freezer filled? With little effort you can make double batches of most foods that are cooked like soups, chili, cakes, rolls. Serve half, reserve the remainder for the freezer.

HELEN'S FAVORITE:

Strawberry Tapioca
(Serves 4-5)
1 pint strawberries, hulled, halved and sugared
2 tablespoons instant tapioca
2 teaspoons lemon juice
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 cup whipped cream
Add enough water to strawberry juice to make 1 1/4 cups liquid. Combine this liquid with salt and tapioca. Let stand 5 minutes. Cook and stir over medium heat until mixture comes to a full boil. Remove from heat, add lemon juice and strawberries. Stir after 20 minutes. Chill. Before serving, fold in whipped cream.

Save yourself scouring by soaking pots and pans which have become crusted with overcooked food. Either automatic dishwashing or hand washing will be easier if you soak these utensils immediately after they're empty.

Wrap a roast in foil to prevent spattering in the oven. This is especially true of pork roasts which have more fat than others.

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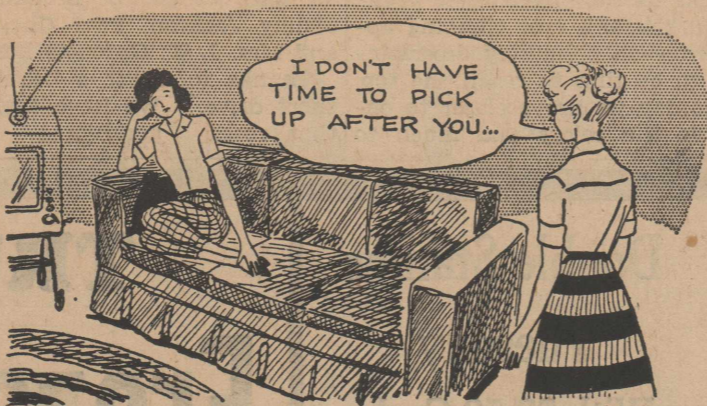
Add spices and herbs to foods toward the ending of cooking time so they won't lose their pungency.

Man-made situations can cause shade tree troubles. Soil added or moved by bulldozers or graders may be responsible for the death of many shade trees. Too much fill soil around new homes may cause trees to die after three to five years or even longer, says Harlan Smith, extension plant pathologist.

FOR AND ABOUT TEENAGERS

When Part of House is "Off Limits"

By C. D. Smith



THE WEEK'S LETTER: "I am 13 years old and the only child. Both of my parents work and neither is at home when I come in from school. Yet, certain parts of the house are "off limits" for me, as mother says she doesn't have time to work and pick up after me each night. If I am old enough to take care of myself for an hour or two, shouldn't I be old enough to sit in the living room if I feel like it? If a friend comes home with me, it hurts to have to say, "Mother won't let us go in there..."

OUR ANSWER: It is the belief of this writer that a home was meant to be lived in—by the entire family. There should be some privacy, even in the largest of families, however, if such is possible. If three children share the same room, each should have his own "private" drawer in the bureau, or his own corner in the closet. But, on the other hand, one can't put the kitchen or the bathroom off limits, or the parlor, or a hallway. As to the specific problem of

our letter writer, we don't think that parts of the house should be off limits—unless there is a good reason. Certainly, if the teenager (and friends) clutter up the place and create a "mess" that mother has to straighten up after she comes home, cooks the family meal and finishes up in the kitchen—then mother is right in putting the area out-of-bounds.

Sometimes, we can best understand our own problems when we consider the problems of others. In this instance, what is the mother's reason for putting up the "off-limits" sign?

Too, it isn't necessary to feel embarrassed or to attempt to explain too much to our friends. All our young friend needs to say to a schoolmate is something like this, "I don't spend time in the living room while the folks are not here. Mother has plenty to do, working and keeping house too, so I just try to help by keeping things straight."

If you have a teenage problem you want to discuss, or an observation to make, address your letter to FOR AND ABOUT TEENAGERS, NATIONAL WEEKLY NEWSPAPER SERVICE, FRANKFORT, KY.

ty went for Tower last month.

Under the present law, Kilday's successor will be determined in a one-shot, high-man wins special election, probably next fall. There is some talk of trying to get the Legislature, during its special session, to pass a law which would require a run-off in special congressional elections. This would reduce Republican chances.

Elevators To Accept CROP Wheat Donations

Elevators in Stratford and Texhoma will accept wheat designated as donations to CROP from individual farmers, it was announced this week.

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County Buys Third Of 1961 Bond Quota

Savings Bond sales through May totaled \$37,046 in Sherman County, according to County Judge M. F. Keener. The county has reached 33.7% of its 1961 goal of \$110,000. May sales in the county totaled \$2,400.00.

Dallam County has reached 22.3% of its 1961 goal, having bought \$53,508.00 in bonds during the year. May sales were \$14,125.00. C. W. Steel is the Dallam County bond chairman and the county quota is \$240,000.00.

Hansford County has bought 43.3% of its quota of \$200,000.00. The investment represents a purchase of \$86,536.00 in bonds. May sales were \$3,993.00. C. A. Gibner is the county bond chairman.

Hartley County residents have invested \$277.00 in savings bonds during the year. This represents 1.4% of their quota of \$20,000.00. J. R. Brown is the county bond chairman.

Moore County citizens have invested \$85,639.00 in savings bonds during the year. This represents 32.9% of the county quota for the year. May sales were \$17,654.00. H. S. Gaskill is the Moore County bond chairman.

Palmers Lease 287 Truck Stop Cafe

Mr. and Mrs. Lamoine Palmer have leased the 287 Truck Stop Cafe from Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Adams. They will operate the business under the name of "Fern's 287 Truck Stop Cafe" and plan to be open from 5:00 a. m. until 9:00 p. m. except Sundays when the cafe will be closed.

Highlights

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(Travis) of Texas' big metropolitan counties went for Tower, as well as large sections of West Texas. In these areas, except where a very popular Democrat is entrenched, the Republicans can be expected to bid for places in Congress, the Legislature and even county jobs.

First test is due in Bexar County where Congressman Paul Kilday is due to resign to become judge of the Court of Military Appeals. Bexar Coun-

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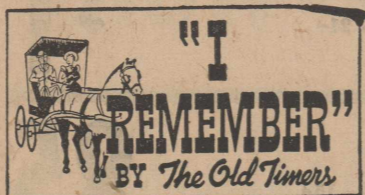
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From G. M. Wright, New Albany, Indiana: I remember when I began teaching accounting south of Griffin, Indiana, some fifty years ago. I would be taken each Friday afternoon to the train for the ride to Stewartsville, where it would be "Change cars for New Harmony."

One afternoon while waiting for the train I was talking with a young man teacher who asked me if I was going to the Institute the next day. "I think I smell chocolates," he added.

I had some in my pockets, so I gave him three. I then asked, "Did you ever carry worms in your pockets?"

Before we could talk further, it was "All Aboard," so I renewed my conversation with Bill Chaffin, the conductor.

"Never carried worms in my pocket," Bill said "mostly on top of my head—to keep folks from knowing I was going fishing. First time I tried it, one worm slid beneath my collar and right down my back. We used bent pins for hooks and it didn't make any difference if we failed to catch fish. We had fun just spotting them."

He continued: "That night the mother of three boys who were with us wanted to know how they got their hair so dirty, so we had to come up with a new idea. The next time we met to go fishing one boy had a salt sack. We didn't have one, so we pondered the question at length and finally someone said 'we could spread a rag on the ground and put the fishing worms on it and bring the sides up and tie them.' So we all went home for rags.

"We had many thrills walking across the stubble fields with those balls of fishing worms under our hats."

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Mrs. Riffe will also appreciate being informed of any new ideas which might improve the parade.

Float Prizes

Awards of \$50, \$40, \$30, \$25 and \$20 will be awarded to the first five place winners with organizational floats.

Prizes of \$40, \$30 and \$20 will be awarded to the first three place winners with commercial floats.

Six prizes will be paid to the Kiddy entries in the parade. They will be \$7.50, \$6, \$4, \$2.50, \$2.50 and \$2.50.

Prizes of \$5.00 will be awarded to the best cowgirl and best junior cowgirl riding in the parade. Prizes of \$5.00 will also be presented to the best cowboy and best junior cowboy riding in the parade.

Produce Truck

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noise, "I thought we were being attacked and we had been hit".

Maurice H. McLees of Independence, Missouri was the driver of the truck. His assistant driver was Gaylord Hurdle.

The drivers were taking a load of meat from Kansas City to Los Angeles, California and had driven to the Stratford Butane Co. to fill the tanks of the truck with butane.

After telephone conversations with the trucking company's attorney in Kansas City and the liability insurance adjuster in Amarillo, a tower man was sent to Stratford Wednesday night to set up a new tower.

Chesmer said that he hoped to soon have the short wave station back in operation to handle his trucks during the rush season.

Dress up white cotton frocks this summer with pastel colored belts and matching shoes. Add a bright string of beads, too.

Kathy Sneed, C. Ellison Win Wheat Guessing

Kathy Sneed and Clifford Ellison have each been given \$100 for guessing the time of the arrival of the first load of wheat at the Stratford Grain Co. elevators with a moisture content of 14% or less.

Kathy Sneed had guessed the time as 2:58 p. m. Sunday and Clifford Ellison had guessed the time at 3:00 p. m. Sunday. Grain company personnel being unable to determine which might be the winner, issued duplicate checks to each, considering the guessing contest a tie.

2 Enterprising

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his home. He told her that he did not take care of business at his home, and that the matter would have to be taken care of at the elevator.

Thursday evening Earl Riffe stopped at the Wilson home and informed Sharon that a meeting of the board of directors had been held and that they had agreed to pay each of the girls \$2.50. Sharon happily accepted the \$2.50 as her share, and also accepted the \$2.50 which she will give to Barbara when she returns home from summer camp.

Funeral Rites

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pending. Mrs. Vasquez had been making her home in Dalhart with her brother, Tommy Casus, since she filed for a divorce in December.

Mrs. Cone

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of all. Following the "Woman of the Year" ceremony, those attending were served punch and cookies, nuts and mints. The serving table was covered with a white imported cutwork cloth and featured an arrangement of mock orange blossoms in a silver candelabra.

Beauty Spot Of The Week

None are so blind as those who will not see. As we have driven around in Stratford looking for a beauty spot and really seeing things, the city has grown more beautiful week by week. A few more vacant lots have been mowed, trees trimmed, beautiful new homes are being built, and new flowers are coming into bloom each week. Even the cactus on some of the vacant lots are blooming.

For several days now we have



INSTANT SHADE . . . Pretty Wendy Wagner carries her parasol with her at Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., beach so that anytime the sun gets too hot, she can protect herself.

They say he would have lived to a ripe old age if he hadn't eaten so many cherries — from the bottom of his cocktail glass.

driven by Mrs. J. W. Garoutte's home and admired her hollyhocks as they open their beautiful blossoms ever climbing upward each seemingly determined to be first to reach the top. One day we drove closer to observe the colors and much to

our amazement we found hollyhocks the full length of the alley back of the D. B. Grimes, Jimmy Jackson, Paul Chesmer and Mrs. J. W. Garoutte homes. Thanks folks for a beautiful short drive. We have decided that roses, geraniums and

alysium at the Cone Donelson home compose the "Beauty Spot" of the week.

The members of the Garden Club would like to thank each and every one who has helped in any way with the Rock Island Park along highway 287.

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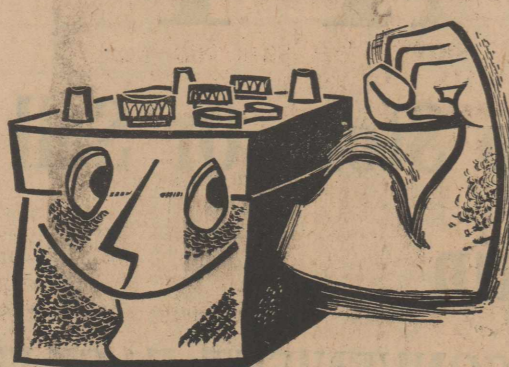
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