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GASS DIES

Funeral services for Theodore Henry Gass, age 41, resident of Draw, were held in the Home chapel at 2:30 p. m. Saturday with Rev. D. W. Reed of the Garnolia church officiating. Mr. Gass died at 9:15 a. m. Friday in a hospital. He has been in poor health for two years but came to the hospital only about a week before he died. He was buried in the cemetery at Knox County and was a member at Draw.

Survivors include his wife Mrs. Gass; two daughters, Gwytha and Jo Beth; a son, Leon Gwyn; a sister, Mrs. Jewell Hut Draw; a sister, Mrs. O. G. Gass of Kiefer, Okla.; Will of Draw, Okla.; a sister, Mrs. Marshall Goree and Fred of New Home. Burial was at Tahoka.

Ms. Scott Weds

Mrs. Minnie Scott of near O'Donnell and B. B. Wise of Demmett, Castro County, were united in marriage May 4th at Tahoka. Mr. and Mrs. Wise are in the city for congratulations.

THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. C. R. Burleson Jr. was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. G. Singleton, Jr. last Thursday. High score was won by Mrs. O. G. Gass, 2nd high by Mrs. L. L. Turner and bingo by Mrs. L. L. Turner. Cake, ice cream and refreshments were served to Mesdames M. G. Singleton, L. L. Birdwell, Bobbie Turner, O. G. Smith Jr., Mack C. Gass, Louis Hochman, Paul Manly, John Stephens, L. G. Schuessler, J. W. Gardenhire, J. T. Middleton and Johnny Billingsley. The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. Budett, Jr.

Baptist Missionary Moves Here This Week

Eld. L. B. Culbertson and family have recently moved to O'Donnell. His family consists of his wife and two children of school age. Eld. Culbertson is District Missionary of the Plains Baptist Association.

Wayne Carroll and Bob Clark were guests for the Cow Girls banquet at Hardin Simmons University at Abilene Saturday evening and returned over Sunday for the special church service.

Mrs. John Spears left Monday morning for Dallas to spend the summer with her daughter Mary Frances Fowler.

ATTENDS GRADUATION

Eld. J. A. Branaman attended the graduating exercises of the Jacksville Baptist College at Jacksville last week when 35 graduates from the school. He also attended the Ex Students Association and banquet held last Tuesday night at the college.

MISSIONARY TO SPEAK

J. A. Branaman, pastor of the Olney Baptist Church, announced this week that L. B. Culbertson, Missionary of the Plains Baptist Association will be the speaker for both morning and evening services at the church next Sunday. You are cordially invited to hear him.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Jolly and daughter visited Mrs. Lois Coston at Big Spring Sunday.

Pelix Jones and son and others whose names we missed, enjoyed a fishing trip at Tulla last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Edwards visited relatives in Lamesa Sunday. Mrs. J. E. McWhorter and son of Lubbock visited her parents Eld. and Mrs. J. A. Branaman over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gillespie of Abilene visited relatives and friends in O'Donnell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cathey and daughter spent the week end in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hargis and Mrs. C. W. Hargis and son Charles visited in Gatesville; Charles is spending the summer there with his grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McMillian visited Mrs. R. A. Webb at Wells Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Lambert and daughter spent Sunday with her mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Moore at Tahoka.

Mrs. Joe Carlisle of Berry Flat spent Sunday with her sister and family Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Evans.

Willis Vaughn recently took an examination for the position of engineer on the Santa Fe; he made grade of 97 and will be assigned soon.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this opportunity of expressing our heartfelt appreciation to our friends and neighbors for their thoughtful kindness in the time of the passing of our loved husband and father, J. J. Pugh. Also for the thoughtful floral offering. May God bless you. Mrs. J. J. Pugh and children.

Mrs. J. M. Edwards of Fort Worth is visiting her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson and other relatives.

Mrs. Lydia Hancock recently returned from a visit to Ft. Worth.

C. A. Doss was called to Oklahoma City last week on account of the illness of his father, D. A. Doss who now much better.

PROCTOR REUNION SET FOR THIS WEEK

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Harris will entertain about 55 guests for the Proctor Reunion at their ranch home Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. There will be 9 children, 29 grandchildren and 9 great grand children present with one grand daughter and family from Virginia and another grand daughter and family from St. Paul. Barbecue and all the trimmings will be served. A guest list will appear next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Swinney of Gail visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Swinney over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Avin McMillan received word Saturday of the death of Jack Ellis, son in law of W. E. Hickerson. Mr. Ellis died in the Veterans Hospital at Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren G. Waldrip and Sharon Lynn visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Shoemaker Jr. over the week end.

Mrs. C. C. Strasner is visiting her daughter and several sisters at Eldorado, Ark.

Mrs. E. H. Tredway has her grandson, Truman Isaacs of Anton here for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertis Askew and family visited relatives in New Mexico over the week end.

Mrs. Willene Thompson and daughter of Artesia, N. M. spent the week end with their parents Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Royce.

Mrs. J. T. Middleton Sr. left for Ruidoso Wednesday for a week or 10 days.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Lumpkin visited relatives in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davis of Oakland, Calif. spent a short while here Saturday with his sister Mrs. Blocker.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Noble and family visited Mr. Noble's father at Brownfield Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hunt of Stanley, Wis. are the proud parents of a fine boy born Monday.

FOR SALE: 2nd year Hi Bred Half and Half Cotton Seed. See W. J. Jordan, 2 miles west of Wells Store. 1tp

Wells News

Miss Helen Askew of California is visiting her parents in our community for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gardenhire and family, and Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Barrett spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Simpson and family.

Our preacher to be is Rev. Stonechips of Dickens. He will be here together with his wife from now on. Everyone is invited to come out for church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Durard and son enjoyed a birthday dinner with his mother and father, the Will Franks.

Ronny White spent Sunday with Tommy Franklin.

The Wells H. D. ladies enjoyed the tour of modern homes last Tuesday in Lubbock County.

BERRY FLAT NEWS

Everyone is very busy fighting weeds and sand around Berry Flat.

Mrs. R. I. Rains is visiting her daughter in Pirtales, N. M.

Mrs. Betty Romine and children of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Simpson and children of Amarillo visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. Dick Simpson, also attending the graduation exercises Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Ledbetter visited in the Bill Stagg home Sunday evening.

Otis Parr was back at Berry Flat Friday on business; the Parris are in Lubbock for the summer.

Fern Simpson is spending a week in Amarillo with her brother.

NEWMORE NEWS

Mrs. Burk and daughter and grand daughter of Abilene visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Scoggin the past week. Mrs. Burk is Mrs. Scoggin's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Bradshaw visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. Y. Conrad and family last Tuesday.

The school children, with Mrs. J. F. Rogers, Jr., Mrs. Virgil Adams and Bill Neilson as hostesses gave Mrs. Ingram a surprise farewell party and also for Mrs. Dempsey. Cold pop and ice cream were served to 63 guests.

El Wanda Dotson is the only senior graduate from this community at Dawson; we are proud of her and wish her luck as she goes on.

Mrs. Jack Wilson of Brownfield was a visitor here Wednesday. The high winds and showers are keeping the farmers worried; many are replanting, some for the third time.

Centenny Rogers, Bobby New and Harold Wilson were the grammar school graduates from here.

The teachers both moved over the week end; Mrs. Ingram to Lamesa and Mrs. Dempsey to Harmony. The Otti Zedlits family of Harmony, formerly here, were over for the school play and visiting relatives.

Miss Tidwell Weds

Miss Johnnie Faye Tidwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Tidwell of here, and R. R. "Rusty" Burke, Jr. son of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Burke, Sr., now of O'Donnell, were united in marriage in a double ring ceremony at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Odie Burge in Odessa at 8 p. m. Saturday May 21st with Rev. J. B. Dolan of the Immanuel Baptist Church of Odessa performing the ceremony.

Miss Tidwell was dressed in gray with black accessories and the bridesmaid, Miss Betty Burke, and sister of the groom, was dressed in lavender blue with white accessories. The best man was Seabourm Popejoy of Odessa.

Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Burke, Sr. and family, Mrs. John Tidwell, Mrs. Bill Taylor and children, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Burke of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Marshall and family of Odessa, Mrs. Ida Connor, grandmother of the groom, of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Jarman and daughter of Odessa and Wayne Curtis of Andrews.

Mrs. Burke graduated this spring and Mr. Burke is an employee of the Eastland Oil Co.

After the wedding trip the couple will be at home here. Our congratulations.

Citizen of the Year

The Index this week nominates Uncle Wiley "114 miles to the Next" for selection as O'Donnell's Citizen of the Year.

He finally laid a cement sidewalk in front of his business, and lo, there will be no more of this wading thru the mud or balancing yourself as a tight wire artist to walk across the boards to keep out of the mud. Verily Uncle Wiley has done more in the way of civic improvements than our 38 blocks of pavement, or street markers, etc.

The Country Editor

The die is cast; the City is now laboring on the water problem and the community hopes that ere long we will have an ample supply.

This week an engineer has been on the field surveying the probable cost of bringing in the new water field on the Doc Beach farm or vicinity, 3 and 1-2 miles east of town. The Council met in an extra session to consider the water problem Monday night. The subject was explored from all angles but not public announcement is expected for the present.

An apparent good supply of water is thought to be available in the vicinity of the natural lake some 3 and half miles east of town. Production on the Beach farm has been tested at over 2,000 gal per minute. However it has not been tested over an extended period of 6 months or more.

Pipe line costs will be from \$7500 to \$10,000 per mile depending on the size of the pipe to be used and other unforeseen items. Also a new ground level storage will likely be built if a new source of water is found. Again this new storage tank will run from \$10,000 up depending on capacity.

Cost of water? There are possibly two options. One is the purchase by meter at so much a 1,000 gallons. One unofficial price heard is 5c a 1,000. The peak daily load of the town for the four summer months is estimated at 300,000 ft available or \$15 a day water rent. The off season rate is figured at 100,000 a day or \$5 a day rent.

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Leon Edwards Hits The Headline News

Leon Edwards, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Edwards of O'Donnell made the front page of most state daily papers when he was the kidnap victim of two hijackers at Lamesa late Friday night. Leon was working late at a filling station when he was held up at gunpoint, the station robbed, and Leon was taken for a 7 mile ride toward Seminole. He was released unharmed. Two suspected men from Oklahoma were nabbed at Lubbock within a few hours of the crime and are held on \$10,000 bond at Lamesa.

The other option is purchase of water right outright at so much an acre; Lubbock did this.

At any rate the answer to O'Donnell water problem will involve from \$35,000 at the minimum to a possible outlay of \$100,000. Two ways are open for financing. One would be the issuance of revenue bonds with the revenue of the city water department pledged; the other option would be a general bond issue. Revenue bonds are usually hard to sell, carry a greater risk and higher interest.

A regular bond issue would have a ceiling depending on our valuation but would draw an estimated interest rate of 3 1-2.

Outstanding is an old bond issue of around \$24,000 unpaid drawing 5 per cent up interest; about \$10,000 in paving warrants.

If financially possible all of the city debts should be consolidated. More facts on the above will be furnished when, or if, any plan matures. The public in general will commend the City Dads in trying to bring water to town — if any plan proposed seems sound.

AIR CONDITIONERS "Clearview" brand, all sizes see H and S, auto and Home Supply Store

Mrs. Bill David attended the funeral of her cousin, James Doyle Howard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Q. S. Howard of Lubbock Saturday at 3 p. m. He was in an auto accident at Columbus, Miss. and was 21.

AIR CONDITIONERS PADS: fit any air conditioner. See H. and S. today.

Mr. Barton recently underwent surgery for removal of appendix; they are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Shoemaker this week.

USED bicycles \$15 and up see H. and S. Auto and Home Supply

Jarrett's Radiator and Air Conditioning Shop is now open across the street from James Feed Store. Recently from Lamesa; 17 years experience in this area; all work must meet your satisfaction.

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J. J. Pugh, Pioneer, Dies Here Friday; Funeral Is Sunday Afternoon

Funeral services for Joseph J. Pugh, age 67, retired farmer and businessman, who died at his home here Friday morning at 11 a. m. of a heart attack, were held Sunday afternoon at 4 p. m. in the Methodist Church with Rev. Alby Cockrell reading the last rites. Burial was in the local cemetery.

Mr. Pugh was born Oct. 10th 1882 at Denton, Texas. On March 10th, 1901 he was wed to Miss Christianna Hart at Denton. They lived in Denton until 1905 when they moved to the vicinity of O'Donnell. He ranches 5 miles south of town moving to O'Donnell in 1912 when the town was little more than a cross road settlement. In 1917 he sold his cattle devoting his time to various enterprises. He had the first garage in O'Donnell, hauling gasoline from Lamesa and Tahoka with a team. He also had a drey line, ran a cafe, and was a substitute postmaster here for a short time. The post office was then near the old Doak hotel where the old bank building now stands. His children attended school at O. K. and 5-Mile School. He was a real pioneer being one of the first settlers here when the South Plains was a sea of grass and this was a cattle empire.

In 1940 he moved to Devine, returning here in 1948.

Survivors are his wife, a daughter, Mrs. Lois Loudermilk of Ft. Worth, four sons, Lyle, of Devine, Lloyd of here, Lowell of Englewood, Calif., Joseph, Jr. of Devine and near relatives are: Charley Hart, Mrs. Hattie Brooks, Mrs. Ollie Hart, Mrs. Lou Plunkett and Calvin Pugh of Dallas.

Pallbearers were John Earles, Naymon Everett, W. E. Vermillion, Bob Middleton, C. J. Beach and Roy Miles. Honorary pallbearers were T. A. Winerley, Claude Thompson, Wiley Phillips, Clyde Frost, Chas. Cathey Warren Smith.

Mr. Pugh numbered his friends by the scores, especially among the early day settlers. Our sympathy to the loved ones.

Mrs. H. L. Cathey and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cathey at Lamesa for a birthday dinner honoring Mrs. Dan Burkett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Pearce, and family are vacationing at Somerville, Houston and Galveston this week.

Bryan McLaurin and Miss Wanda Jean Huffines, students at John Arleton College, spent the week end at home with their parents.

Miss Bobbie Wilson of Lubbock was the guest of Miss Sis Schooler Sunday.

Edwin Jolly, Herbert Chapman, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cantrell of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Jolly of Tahoka spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Harley Jolly.

Mrs. Jess Lane and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Schooler visited relatives in Odessa Sunday.

Mrs. E. Clemage is visiting relatives in Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman spent Sunday in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Jones spent Sunday in Apton.

WATCH for the Lion's Club AUCTION SALE and AMATEUR SHOW FRIDAY JUNE 3rd

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon McCullough and Sue of Lubbock visited friends here Sunday.

Hudson Tech McLaurin observed his 6th birthday with a party at the home of his parents south of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gibson visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Terrell in Hamlin over the week end.

There will be no preaching at the Methodist Church Sunday as the preacher has gone to Conference. But come to Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Doodle Bug Motor Scooters for immediate delivery, \$142.50 at H. and S. Auto and Home Supply

The Old Timer Writes . . .

Our Sunday's hop to our old stomping grounds some 15 miles to the northeast brought back memories of the days when we simply took a straight course over the prairie when making such a trip. Few fences were in evidence and gates were not too well liked. "Letdowns" were more popular. Fence wires were simply hung upon nails driven into a couple of posts. The wires were quickly dropped to the bottom of the to posts and hooked under other nails which held the wires quite safely. Sometimes a sluggish horse might inadvertently knock the wires from these nails in crossing. On such occasions, business picked up, some times winding up with a badly injured horse, or maybe a badly scared rider who might easily become muzzed up in the struggle.

There were no graded roads; not so much as a lane in the country. But folks were taught the importance of a straight life; hence their ability to keep a straight course across the prairie, even on the darkest night.

Rev. John Johns, New Baptist Pastor, Moves Here This Week



This week Rev. John Johns, his wife, and four year old son are moving here where Rev. Johns will assume his duties as the pastor of the First Baptist Church. He is 28 years of age and has been preaching since 17.

Bro. Johns is a veteran of World War II serving 2 years as chaplain in the Philippines and in Japan.

His home town is Lubbock and he attended school at Smyer and Abilene, attending college at Wayland and graduating at Tech. He took his Bible training at the Southwestern Baptist College at Ft. Worth and for the past two months he has been teaching at Sudan. He is a Missionary.

The parsonage has been remodeled and refurnished to date. Bro. Johns has been preaching here for the past few Sundays prior to moving here and has made a very favorable impression with his congregation. He has a pleasing personality and a ready and friendly greeting. Welcome to our community, folks.

Flowers for the yard: Asters, Carnations, Dahlias, Chrysanthemums, Stocks, Verbenas, Geraniums, Salvia, Petunias, Snapdragons, etc. Swinney's Flower and Gift Shop; Phone 33

Hi Bred Cottonseed for Sale. J. P. BOWLIN GIN

Relatives visiting Mrs. Jewell Seely over the week end were Mrs. J. D. Jean of Hillsboro, Mrs. Bishop Clifton of Ranger and Mrs. H. A. Smith of Tahoka.

Mrs. Herbert Royce and niece, Kathy Wilson of Seagraves visited Jewell and Norma Seely last Sunday.

Cpl. Carroll Jones of San Angelo visited his parents, the F. M. Jones over the week end.

Mrs. Gene Fronterhouse of Roswell, N. M. visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Harris over the week end.

Mrs. J. R. Williams, of Lamesa, daughter of Mrs. G. A. Haney is visiting her son J. H. Williams in Philadelphia, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jackson and son visited in Lubbock Sunday.

Rev. Jimmy Bolton of Lubbock preached at the 11 a. m. service at the First Baptist church Sunday; he and his family are leaving June 2nd for Alaska where he will be a Missionary.

Mrs. Alby Cockrell and daughters visited in Abilene over the week end.

Ardes Hampton Pace had a blood transfusion Monday at a Lamesa hospital; he has lost considerable blood over a period of time from a probable stomach ailment.

McKinley Hopper of Mentone visited his aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bart Burke; Mr. Hopper is the youngest County Judge in Texas. He is 26.

FOR SALE: Modern 3 room house, 2 lots; on pavement. See William Jackson

Mr. and Mrs. Paul G. Morris of Houston are the proud parents of a fine baby boy born May 20th and weighing 6 lbs.; Mrs. Morris was the former Miss Alice Joy Bowlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Slaughter are the proud parents of a fine baby boy born last Thursday weighing 7 lbs. 5 oz.; Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Slaughter and Mr. and Mrs. Edgerton. Mrs. Weems is the great grand mother.

Mrs. Slim Edgerton spent several days last week in Lamesa hospital taking treatment.

Mrs. Tom Brewer visited at Wichita Falls and Tom visited at Christoval over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ratliff and Carol visited Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bradshaw Sunday.

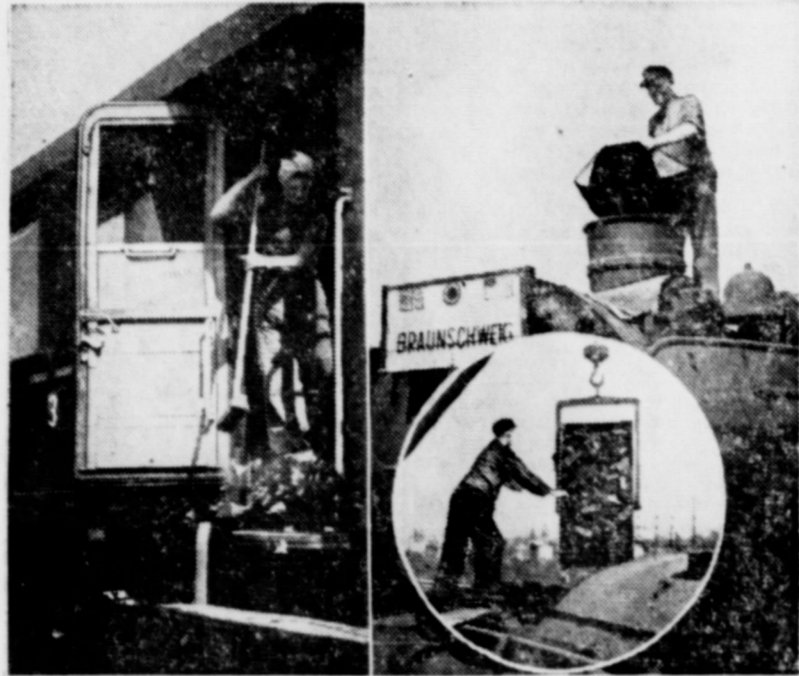
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gieson spent the week end in Lubbock as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hale. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Forbes had as their guests for the week end her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Howard of Smyer.

Bob Gary was called to Rusk Co. last week on account of the death of his brother, Lum Gary, age 70. Our sympathy.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Russian Motives Puzzle Diplomats As Berlin Blockade Comes to End; U. S. Spending Widely Criticized

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysis and not necessarily of this newspaper.)



BLOCKADE LIFT PREPARATIONS . . . Preparations to get things ready for the Russian lift of the Berlin blockade went busily ahead as agreements between the occupation powers fixed the time. Photos above show workers getting trains ready to operate under regulations fixed by the Soviets—rules which will permit 16 freight trains to operate daily into the city. Efficacy of the U.S. airlift in supplying Berlin with needed supplies despite the blockade was given major credit for the Reds' decision to end the road block.

BERLIN:

Up The Barriers

What had really impelled the Russians to lift the Berlin blockade, and how would the action affect world peace?

Those were two top questions actuating western power diplomats as a semblance of peace was restored to the troubled Berlin sector of Germany and the U.S. airlift eased off.

MANY OBSERVERS professed to see in the Russian action proof that the U.S. airlift operations had shown the Soviets so decisively the futility of maintaining the blockade, that even the obtuse easterners finally had seen the light.

There were others who insisted the blockade lift decision was motivated by a hope within the Kremlin that such an action would delay formation of a German people's government. However, this did not seem a tenable theory, inasmuch as the western powers already had declared plans to go ahead with such a project.

Seekers of peace attempted to see in the decision evidence that Russia really did not mean to make war now and that some as-yet-obscure motive looking toward continuation of Red expansion without recourse to arms was really behind the move.

SINCE MOSCOW'S original announcement concerning the end to the blockade, the order was broadened. Restoration of "transport, trade and communications" services was directed.

The order permitted 16 freight trains a day to move into Berlin, restored highway traffic, waived previous Soviet claims to search Allied baggage, and demanded Soviet travel permits at certain check points. Mail service was also to be restored. Actually, the Soviet order restored the Berlin situation to what it was on March 1, 1948.

Both British and Americans moved in reinforcements for the small units at border points to check papers of travelers and hotels and rooming houses had filled with persons waiting for the barriers to be raised.

PARROT:

Pretty Smart

Lorchen the parrot is a pretty smart bird.

HE LIVES in the Stamp & Coin Shop on Times Square in New York.

A customer tried to enter the store, but found the door locked.

However, as he turned away he heard Lorchen's insistent screams: "Let me out! Goodbye, goodbye."

Intrigued, the customer listened closer, heard muffled moans from inside the shop.

He SUMMONED a building superintendent who opened the door and found Gustave Moerz, 50, the parrot's owner and shop proprietor, bound in a chair by tape and wire. His mouth was taped.

Moerz told police two men broke into the shop, tied him and took \$644 from a safe and \$100 from his pockets.

PEEK INTO FUTURE

Scientist Sees Eggless, Meatless World

A meatless, eggless world . . . earthenware houses . . . pyjamas that may be eaten . . . atom-powered trains . . . food from lumber. All that and more is one man's prediction for the future.

He is Prof. Eugene C. Rochow of Harvard, who has been awarded a \$1,000 prize for research on sand derivatives.

Professor Rochow indicated his

Nuclear Scientist Gives Definition of His Kind

In Baltimore, nuclear scientist Robert D. Fowler, of Johns Hopkins University, gave this definition of a nuclear scientist to a group of government officials at a symposium:

A man standing in a field in absolute darkness with thousands of baseballs on the ground around him. Somewhere in the field, invisible to him, is a barn with but one window and some kind of animals inside.

The man picks up a ball and throws it in any direction. If, by some chance, it goes through the barn window and hits the animal, then bounces out again so that the man can catch it in the darkness—he attempts to identify the animal by smelling the ball.

That is something like a nuclear scientist practicing nuclear science.

SPENDING:

Slush Urged

Suggestions that U.S. spending might be curtailed somewhat were coming from several quarters. Latest source was President Truman's economic advisers who held the idea that some existing tax burdens might be lightened and that the administration might scale down its call for four billion dollars in new levies.

THE COUNCIL of economic advisers, whose function is to counsel with the President on fiscal matters as they affect finance and economics, was reported to feel that current business trends justify an early check on federal spending—that is, if the budget is to be brought anywhere near to a balance.

It was the council's opinion that such levies as taxes on the transportation of goods add to the business costs and consumer prices and impede an orderly withdrawal from the postwar business boom.

The council was more than cool to any extended public works program—indicating its opinion by refraining from making any such recommendations in its report. The advisers have consistently urged that local governments prepare "shelves" of public-works blueprints for use when needed to bolster employment and public purchasing power.

BUT THE PRESENT trend of the national economy—which council chairman Edwin G. Nourse called a "healthy disinflation"—does not warrant large-scale works spending now, the council said. Such outlays would make it harder to reach the goal of lower government costs.

After a White House visit, Nourse informed newsmen that the council expects "some further easing of living costs." Prices, he said, are continuing downward, but "not on a demoralizing basis and there is no need to dig into the storm cellars."

WOMAN'S WORLD

Summer Fashions Offer Style Diversity

By Erta Haley

SUMMER FASHIONS are universally appealing. They have the crisp and fresh look, and there's something for everybody's taste and budget.

If you like the fragile and feminine clothes, there's a wealth of sheer materials such as nylons and tissue cottons and rayons from which to choose.

For those who prefer trim and tailored lines, there are the beloved classics with just enough of the new fashion details to make them look interesting. The silky gabardines in wool and rayon as well as the sheer woollens all vie for honors in this class.

Fabric Choice Is Unlimited

Most of the new collections of summer clothes offer a wonderful wealth of fabrics. There are the always popular cottons, but you'll hardly recognize them from their intricate weaves, color combinations and treatments. In place of the usual prints, which are still available, if you want them, you'll find a beautiful array of plaids, checks and colorful stripes.

In the print line, be it cotton or rayon, the print which seems to be holding sway is the border print. Linens are extremely popular and well used. You'll have no dif-

Three-Piece Ensemble



Among the fashion scoops of the season is this three-piece ensemble. Made up on companion color chambray, this grey blouse features the latest rolled dressmaker collar and dolman sleeves. Companioned to the blouse is the blue, grey and shrimp-toned chambray skirt. A shrimp-tone cummerbund accents a tiny waist. A black, cartwheel straw hat and shortie black gloves add to the costume to make it a delightful ensemble.

Slightly high priced ones come with a brief jacket. These have a small Peter Pan collar and three-quarter



Full skirts come in for honors. fitted sleeves. If you purchase one of these in a lovely pure silk print, it will serve two occasions beautifully.

Full Skirts Are Popular Many of the warm weather fashions sport full skirts. These are not

THE GARDEN SPOT

What's Home Without a Lawn?

By Eldred E. Green

WHAT WOULD your home look like without a lawn? It would be a pretty dismal looking place. Because lawns are so common we pay little attention to them. Nature has provided many kinds of grass and some will grow in most any spot. With little thought and care the grass can be encouraged to provide a fine, green, living setting for home and garden.

A new lawn should be treated exactly like a garden. The soil should be deeply turned and finely pulver-



ized on top. Fertilizer and humus should be added if the soil is clay or sandy. The grass should be sown evenly and the surface kept moist until the plants are well started.

Grass grows only in cool weather, so the lawn should be taken care of early. Use seed that is good for your situation. Kentucky Blue grass is the best over most of the country and under most conditions. However, it will not grow in heavy shade. Here some other grass is necessary, such as Canada Blue grass or Chewings Fescue.

In all grass seed mixtures there will be other grasses that come up rapidly and form a protection while the slower kinds get started. Red

top and rye grass are the ones chiefly used.

State laws require the analysis of grass seed to be printed on the package. The greater the percentage of Kentucky Blue, Canada Blue or Chewings Fescue the better the seed. Cheap mixtures will have less of these desirable grasses and more of the less expensive.

Lawns are composed of plants and need the same care that you would give to plants in the garden. Weeds must be kept out. This is easy now with the new kinds of sprays containing 2,4-D that kills weeds but does not bother grass. Use these exactly as directed. Plant food will be needed. This is best given in the same way that you feed your garden. Use a good balanced fertilizer. Chemicals containing only one element may stimulate the grass but the growth will not be balanced and the plant may suffer later.

Cutting the lawn is not a hard task. Set the mower so that an inch and a half of grass is left. The clippings should be left to fall on the ground. Keep the mower sharp and well oiled. A light cutting every week or two is far better than a heavy cutting once in a great while. Occasionally grass will become too long and then the clippings should be removed if they are matting and causing a smothering of the grass.

Rolling may be necessary if your soil is subjected to thawing and freezing in the spring. The roller should be heavy enough to press the surface of the soil smooth without packing it down. Generally the steel water-weight ones are more easily adapted to the soil conditions. The rolling pushes the grass back into contact with the soil so that the roots can take hold. Frost action loosens the plants from the soil.

Good lawns are necessary. Rolling, fertilizing and cutting are little trouble. Weeds are gone with a spray. Select the right grass and you will have a good lawn with little effort.

only flared as they were last year, but they are also gored, flowing neatly from a snug hip line. Some have unpressed pleats; others have a flounce, a rather deep one, to give them more fullness; and still others are elaborately draped.

There is little change in skirt length from spring fashions. The approved length re-mains at 12 inches from the floor.

Even the tailored types of dresses show a gentle flare or a suggestion of fullness. It's only in the suits that you have what can be called a really slim skirt line.

Trend Toward Femininity Still Making Strides

The feminine influences which have been observed during winter and spring are bound to show up even more for summer fashions and there's nothing in the fashion spotlight which would contradict this trend.

The camisole effect is new and very womanly looking. It's featured in vestees and on the tops of backless dresses. Equally feminine is the use of embroidery trim on pastel dresses of cotton and linen, or the tiny tie belts or the high-busted Empire silhouette.

KATHLEEN NORRIS

Don't Mix Love, Money too Well

EVA CARPENTER of Syracuse is going to be married in June, and she writes to ask me what financial adjustment a wife has a right to demand, because, as she says, she has always hated being imposed upon, and she wants things understood.

Barry, her young man, appears to be casual and cheerful about these matters, and assures her that with his good steady salary, prospect of promotion, with his comfortable house free of encumbrances and with the small but sure income both he and Eva derive from wartime investments, "everything will be fine." Barry's motherless small daughter, Meg, will live with them, but her school and clothing expenses are paid by her mother's mother.

"I made out a budget," says Eva's letter. "Barry laughs at this, but I have been a financial manager of a small sanitarium for some years and know how to handle such affairs. My idea is that just so much shall be allocated to table, telephone, cleaner and so on; just so much to go to Barry for taxes, car maintenance, lunches, club and so on, and the residue be divided on an equal basis. Unless a wife is to be an unpaid servant, as my mother was for 25 years, she surely has a right to her share. Knowing your opinion of the importance of a money agreement in marriage I want to ask you two questions. What, out of an income of about \$600 a month, should be my share, and should I ask Barry to put our agreement into writing?"

Serious Question

Eva, I say in reply, you are quite right in quoting me as saying that



"... I have made out a budget . . ."

the money question is a most serious one, in marriage, and that if it is settled to the satisfaction of both parties, other problems are apt to fall into line.

But that is not to say that I believe a woman of 31, marrying a man 10 years her senior, should enter upon matrimony in this brisk businesslike mood. No wonder it amuses Barry, who has already had some experiences of the way domestic expenses go.

Your staid, miserly budget will be blown sky-high when the guest-room bathroom overflows onto the dining-room ceiling; when the dentist's bill comes in just double your expectations; when your brother Tom needs another loan; when your cleaner-by-the-hour slips on the cake of soap Meg didn't pick up and sues you for \$600; when your mother is taken suddenly ill and you have to fly to Santa Barbara.

Have All Advantages

You are a responsible person; Barry is successful, industrious, thrifty, reliable. What more do you want. Certainly not budgets, before you are even married, and a bombardment of such words as allocation, residue and basis. Barry wants confidence from you, and unless you feel an affectionate trust in him, don't marry him at all. With the assets you mention, you are having much more than an average start, and your difficulty, as I see it, is going to be the loosening of all your pre-arranged lists, budgets, restrictions, rather than the tightening of your rules for Barry's improvement.

No wife is more annoying than the watching, suspicious woman who questions every move and eyes the spending of every penny. The old phrase "an unpaid servant in

Be Smart!



Choose your handbag to match or contrast your footwear, according to your costume's demands. The polished leathers are very popular in the tailored type of handbag. They're handsome indeed for many of the season's favorite fabrics. Thinner, smooth leathers and suede finishes are enjoying great popularity, the latter being particularly popular in light gray shades. Patents, perennial spring and summer favorites, are much in demand, especially if the footwear is glistening patent.

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America Named By German Professor

The western hemisphere was named "America" by a German professor—Martin Waldseemüller—who wrote the introduction to a sixteenth century edition of Ptolemy's Geography which was prepared by a small french college in the Vosges mountains. Only the small part of the new world which Americus Vesputius had seen from his ship was originally named in his honor: but when exploration revealed the geography of the hemisphere—linking the discoveries of Lief, Columbus, Henry Cabot, Vesputius, etc.—the word "America" was well on its way to becoming the by-word applied to the entire mainland from Labrador to Patagonia.

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IF MEN CAN FIGHT AND DIE AS ALLIES . . .

All Races to Have One Place to Pray for Peace

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By H. I. PHILLIPS

PRAYER FOR U.N. CHAPEL

"The United Nations is to provide a non-denominational chapel in its new home where men of all nations may pray."—News Item

In this small room will be the cathedral, the mosque, the synagogue, the temple and the parish chapel.

Within these four walls will be the prayer-room of the world. It may be that we marked Him out as Jesus, for behold the old, old pain is gone, and, lo! a miracle, no less than that upon the road to Jericho! The joy His healing fingers hold, Than he who caught the glad sweet fight Across Judea's hills of old.

THE MIRACLE

The pain has ceased! O heart, somewhere we met the Master on the way.

Amid the multitude today, But it was Jesus, for behold The old, old pain is gone, and, lo! A miracle, no less than that Upon the road to Jericho! No less, my heart, we leapt to meet The joy His healing fingers hold, Than he who caught the glad sweet fight Across Judea's hills of old.

Ah, Master, Thou whose love still keeps Me faithful, I bow to Thee, My wistful, tired heart is filled With this strange, wondrous ecstasy. I thank Thee that we still can find These close along the old earth-way; That risen, yet somehow, somewhere, We met Thee on the road today.

Grace Noll Crowell

ever God they worship. Here the representatives of all peoples shall come humbly and devoutly in their separate faiths and reach understandings that will save a stricken world.

Here let them kneel separately and at a time of their own choosing and ask their God or gods that their words and actions may never make a mockery of the precepts of whatever religion they observe and cherish.

Guide them as they invoke You, Keep their minds clear and make their decisions just; rid them of suspicions, fears and hatreds. Let them never lose sight of the belief that the Supreme Being of their own faith and of all faiths loathes war and holds peace and the brotherhood of man foremost.

Seldom have the representatives of peoples from the four corners of the earth been in a more difficult spot; rarely have human beings faced tasks more colossal; never have their decisions meant life or death, joy or misery, laughter or tears to so many millions.

Grant that they may not quibble over the details of this room, its appointments or its mood. Help them realize that if men can fight and die as allies; that men who serve together in the same armies and navies and in the same cause can worship in the same cloister and in the same hope!

Here let all men find that if there is to be one world there must be one brotherhood, one depth of devotion, one abiding confidence in a Supreme Being.

Make them understand that if a man is not contaminated in the use of another man's council chambers, routines and customs in daily considerations, he can never be contaminated

by the use of a common meeting place for meditation and prayer.

Here may no man forget that in every faith a man of any other faith may find the essence of his own faith: The belief in divine guidance. Prayer is universal. How strange that until now those who have come together from all parts of the earth to face the most complicated problems of recorded time have failed to provide a common meeting place in which to seek guidance!

Of all moments in history when men of every race, color and creed needed divine council, this is the most desperate. How barren and hopeless have been these edifices of world peace without recognition of a God above! How futile these proceedings in council chambers of 100 rooms without one room for a Creator!

May this quiet room be hallowed! Here there is no publicity; here no photographers, no newsreels, no microphones, no tensors. Here he may sit not as an important statesman, harassed diplomat or instructed agent, worried over the reactions at home, but rather as a child reaching for the hand in which he has confidence, pleading for the light, believing that nothing matters more than a cause be just.

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STAGE SCREEN RADIO

By INEZ GERHARD

A LITTLE over two years ago two young men, a singer and a comedian, decided to form the team of Dean Martin and Jerry Lewis. Today they are considered top entertainers, switching from night clubs to radio to movies with the greatest of ease. There is no definite format for their NBC program on Sunday nights, except that they can be expected to show up on



MARTIN AND LEWIS

time. They have just completed a Paramount picture, "My Friend Irma"; Martin is Jane's romantic interest in the movie version of the radio show, and Jerry, an orange-juice salesman is his side-kick. Give them another two years and there's no telling what they'll be doing!

Kirk Douglas is back in Hollywood after a New York visit that was strictly business; he covered the swing cafes, getting background material for his first starring role, in Warner Bros.' "Young Man With a Horn."

The famous coach in which King George V made his ceremonial drive at the Royal Ascot race meeting will be used in a sequence in Alfred Hitchcock's "Under Capricorn." Ingrid Bergman, Joseph Cotton and Michael Wilding star.

Lucille Ball, of the movies and CBS' "My Favorite Husband," may be a glamorous star to other people, but to her bandleader husband, Desi Arnaz, she's "Johnny." He gave her the nickname because, around their ranch, she looks like a tomboy. Her favorite "at home" togs are dungarees and an old sweater and straw hat.

Barbara Stanwyck, whose auburn hair is now mostly a beautiful gray, refuses to dye it for films. She feels that would be dishonest! Anyway, she thinks dyed hair looks artificial and gray hair is usually becoming.

The Fiction CORNER

CORDIALLY DISLIKED

By Richard H. Wilkinson

I HAVE NEVER known a man to be more wholeheartedly disliked than Henry Spafford. The reason for it is his braggartly qualities, his overseeing sense of importance.

We tolerate him because we like his wife, Madge, but even so our toleration is a chore. The other night I was over to the Spafford's and sat through an hour of Henry's bragging. It seems that the big boss in New York—Henry is employed by the Jason Reid Steamship Company—called up the Philadelphia office where Henry works and Henry answered the phone.

"Jay's a great guy," Henry told me, referring to the incident. "He's asked me to run up to New York to see him a couple of times. I must remember to do that."

"Who's Jay?" I asked.

"Jay?" Why, Jason Reid, who owns the line, of course."

"Oh," I said.

"The way to get along in any business," Henry went on, "is to let the boss know right off he can depend on you. That's the way I am with Jay."

I left the Spafford home an hour later, furious that I had stayed so long, pitying Madge and disliking Henry with a renewed sense of disgust. "Something," I told Betty, my wife, "ought to be done about that punk. Now he's calling Old Man Reid, Jay."

"The thing to do, Betty smiled, "is to be amused at his ravings, not annoyed. He doesn't hurt any one, and there's always Madge to think of."

"Even Madge," I replied, "won't keep me from hitting that guy one of these days. Something," I repeated, "ought to be done about him."

Whether or not my thinking about it had anything to do with what happened a couple of days later I will never know. Henry was fired. Without warning or explanation he was given a couple of weeks' pay and was bounced out on his ear.

My first reaction when Betty told me about it was one of exuberance, a fiendish desire to rush over there and gloat, to sneer: "I told you so! Why don't you call up your friend, Jay, wise guy?" But this feeling passed immediately. Curiously it was followed by one of pity. The more I thought about it the deeper became my sympathy. What greater humiliation, I thought, could a man endure than this that confronted Henry Spafford?

NEXT DAY I called Hal Wheaton and asked him to have lunch with me.

"Have you heard about Henry?" I asked when we were seated.

Hal nodded, avoiding my eyes. "I met the poor devil on the street this morning. I don't mind saying that it was an ordeal."

I thoughtfully lighted a cigaret. "Hal," I said, "think of Madge. Isn't there something we can do?"

"Well," said H-I. "I've been wondering, too. Poor Madge." He coughed. "I called Bob Taylor of the Taylor Lines this morning. Bob says that he might be able to do something for

Henry on our recommendation."

"I guess," I grinned, "that's the answer."

And it was. Henry and Madge were over three days later. "I understand you've got a new job?" I remarked to Henry.

"Yes," he said with a bored look on his face. "Bob Taylor called up as soon as he heard that I was free, and asked if I'd consider a position with him. Well, you know when a man offers you more money—"

I glanced at Betty. There was a faint smile on her face. I suppose she was amused. I hope so. Because an hour later, with Henry still blowing, I was mad enough to choke him, and almost did.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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- Plant ovule
- S-shaped molding
- Long-eared rodent
- A diacritical mark (Sp.)
- Rub out
- Employ
- A skin tumor
- Chromium (sym.)
- Deck with vulgar finery
- Marsh
- Part of a locomotive
- Narrow roadway
- Flower
- Wades across stream
- Shower
- Tease (colloq.)
- Strange city
- Canadian city
- Officer of the Day (abbr.)
- Portion of a curved line
- Breeze
- A smithy
- Think
- Chef
- Fuel picture (Russ. ch.)
- Casks
- Concludes

DOWN

- Capital (Idaho)
- Eyed
- Marry
- Side away from wind
- Gloss
- Merit
- Epoch
- To go down
- Slow, clumsy boat (colloq.)
- Sea eagles
- Network
- Sacred picture (Russ. ch.)
- Slate-ax
- Distant
- Timber wolf
- Fish
- Cover
- Coniferous tree
- Fabulous bird
- Migrates
- River
- Nymph (Class. myth.)
- Colors slightly
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 This public housing will cost
 more than Americans paid to buy
 the over two million, two hundred
 thousand homes constructed by the
 private building industry during
 the last 3 1/2 years. The average
 sales price of homes produced by
 private industry was about \$8,000,
 or less than half the amount being
 spent to produce each public hous-
 ing unit.

Pelting rains may be a soil de-
 stroyer rather than a farm blessing
 unless your land has a protective
 "umbrella" over cover crops.
 Beating rains on bare land break
 the surface soil into small particles.
 These particles quickly fill the
 pores of the surface soil. The sur-
 face forms a hard crust. Water
 cannot soak in. Instead, it runs
 over the surface. The farm land
 then suffers a double loss. It loses
 needed moisture for crops and it
 loses valuable top-soil.
 The Middle West soil improve-
 ment committee suggests these
 steps for protecting your soil and
 giving your crops better use of
 the rains you get:

1. Use a cropping system that
 gives your soil as continuous cover
 as possible throughout the year.
2. Thick - growing grasses and
 deep-rooted legumes give the best
 cover.
3. Small grains following corn
 help keep the land protected.
4. If winter wheat or rye is not
 feasible, a good covering can be
 had by mashing down corn stalks
 or soybean tops.

Legumes like alfalfa and sweet
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 soil so rain soaks in and is held
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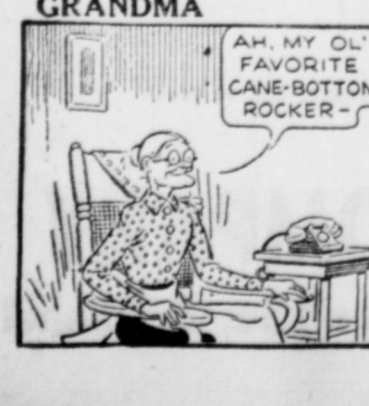
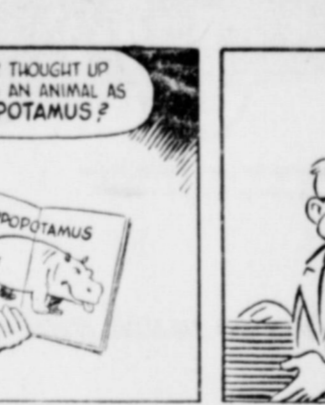
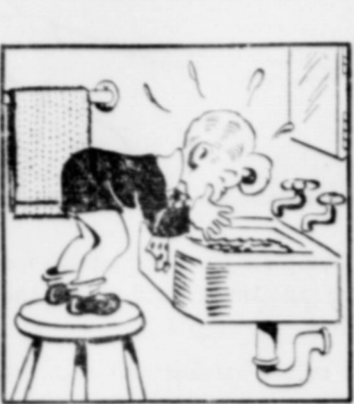
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Use a soft brush to keep the cloth covering on the turntable of your record player free from dust, which might scratch your favorite records.

If you are in the process of learning to sew on a sewing machine, practice on smooth brown paper which has been "lined" with a pencil and a ruler. When you have learned to follow the lines, outline squares, etc., and practice turning corners.

Rayon garments often absorb water in blotches no matter how carefully they are sprinkled; for easier ironing, remove such garments from line while still damp, roll in a towel or waxed paper and iron as soon as possible.

Bathroom tiles gleam when polished with a cloth which has been soaked in turpentine or lemon juice.

Covering eggs while they are frying will cause the yolks to be coated with a white film (some folks don't like that "wide-eyed" look of a fried egg) and prevent eggs from hardening or frizzling.

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A General Quiz

- The Questions
1. What are homonyms?
 2. What is meant by a Letter of Credit?
 3. Who is known as the "Grand Old Man of Baseball"?
 4. Where is the Mammoth Cave?
 5. Name the ship scheduled to be destroyed by the U.S. Government that was saved by a poem.

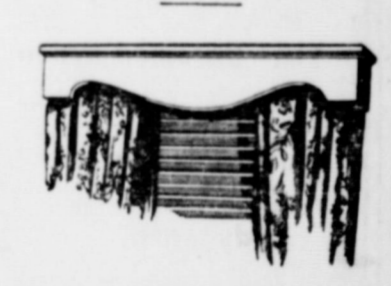
- The Answers
1. Words with the same pronunciation but different spelling and meaning.
 2. A letter, usually addressed to a foreign banking house, authorizing the bearer to receive a certain sum of money.
 3. Connie Mack.
 4. In Kentucky.
 5. "The Constitution."

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