



Prices never soar but what some people make a cleaning and they never plunge but what some people take a beating.

Well, this time they plunged, and practically every livestock raiser in the community is wishing he had sold a little earlier and snatched up that extra 4 or 5 cents a pound.

People are disappointed, naturally, and some are wearing long faces. But there are lots and lots of fellows who are taking this loss in the same spirit that they took the earlier gains. Excepting the comparatively few big gains and big losses resulting from market ups and downs, people, on the average aren't terrifically hurt or healed by the changes, and the only matter of real importance is the new set of conditions.

Apparently the inflation trend has been stopped. Right now it seems as though we can begin looking for a gradual return to our former set of values, unless we're crossed up by abnormal causes such as strikes, higher wages, support prices or crop failures.

The law of supply and demand is asserting itself. Suddenly the public learned that there is plenty of grain and it isn't really worth an exorbitant price. So commodity markets started dropping and staple food prices started moving into line for corresponding drops. The whole price system is now in a wonderful position for a gradual unwinding of that inflation spiral we have been winding up these past few years. It looks as if there's a chance to restore some value to people's savings.

And, thank goodness, this practically eliminates for keeps any chance of another price control nightmare. Even though President Truman keeps insisting on emergency control power, the big moguls in congress have indicated that we will have no more of it, at least not while there's a chance that regular economic forces will handle the job for us.

By that they mean they are not going to commission a gestapo to keep the price lid down. But apparently they are not going to do anything either about knocking the artificial prop out from under prices.

There hasn't been much talk about the loan value of wheat, hence it isn't generally known that our government today is operating a system which keeps prices from going down.

Radio Commentator Fulton Lewis, Jr., had some interesting remarks on that subject last Monday. He explained that a person can borrow \$2.05 per bushel on wheat. For all practical purposes it amounts to a government guarantee of that figure, and since the price of grain controls the price of flour, bread, feed, meat, butter, milk and eggs, it becomes plain that we are already operating under a minimum price control.

That situation puts a somewhat smelly smell on the whole control scheme. The administration demands special powers to control a situation for which its own policy is principally responsible. Perhaps the simpler solution would be to change the original policy.

Until a better case comes along we'll give the following top spot on our list of silly red-tape incidents. A child 16 months old is officially an alien because he was born abroad of a Danish mother... even though his father is an American citizen. The child's parents live here, his home is here, but his visiting time here is past due, so he has to return to Denmark and await the number which will allow him to enter this country under the official immigration quota.

The minds of officials sometimes move in mysterious ways. Imagine separating a child from his parents, causing that expense and inconvenience, when it would have been so simple to let the child wait at home for the quota number.

There's a reason behind that cheery, satisfied atmosphere that yours truly found so much in evidence this week at the Commerce Street Store. The business is 21 years old and its employees feel just as proud as a youngster does in reaching the legal status of manhood.

As a matter of fact they have even more reason to be satisfied. It's kinda special when a business concern reaches that age whereas it's ordinary every day stuff when a person does it.

But perhaps the really significant fact is that the mere mention of attaining that age is

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## GI Vocational Group Invites Community To Special Meeting

What was originally intended as just another special session for the veterans agriculture class has reached the proportion of a community wide farm meeting open to everybody and featuring well known specialists on the subjects of dairying, poultry and AAA crop programs.

The meeting will be held Wednesday, Feb. 25, in the parish hall beginning at 8 o'clock.

George McCarthy and E.R. Eudaly, poultry and dairy specialists for Universal Mills of Fort Worth will lead discussions on their subjects and H.B. Newberry of the Cooke County AAA office will discuss this year's AAA program.

The event will also serve as a class for at least 3 more GI vocational agriculture groups of the county. Lindsay, Gainesville and Era classes have indicated that they will be here and other classes, also notified of the meeting, are still expected to respond.

A general invitation to the meeting has been issued jointly by Hugh Barnhart, instructor of the GI course and by the H & H Feed Store which cooperated in securing the services of the three speakers. At the same time the FMA reminds its members that the program is down their line and urges them to attend.

## 205 COWS IN 11 HERDS AVERAGE 30.9 POUNDS IN BUTTERFAT TESTS

Eleven dairy herds comprising 205 cows were tested through the Cooke County Dairy Herd Improvement association program in January, members were advised in a report given at the regular meeting last Thursday. The cows averaged 686 pounds of milk and 30.9 pounds of butterfat per cow, with 22 producing 40 pounds or more of butterfat.

High herds for the month were Peter Prescher's and W.L. Myers' with an average of 39.8 and 36.2 pounds of butterfat per cow, respectively.

Cows producing over 40 pounds individually belonged to Al Fleitman, Charlie Fisher, Joe Fisher, Martin Hacker (2), Tony Nehib, Peter Prescher (7), W.L. Myers (5), David Smith and John Knabe (3).

## Notes On Soil Conservation

"Most cooperators of the district realize the advantage of a firm clean seed bed", states J.W. Hess, chairman of the board of supervisors of the Upper Elm-Red Soil Conservation District. One hundred and eighty acres of land has been prepared to plant bermuda grass and 68 acres of land has been prepared to plant buffalo grass by district cooperators of the Muenster Work Unit.

Best results on planting bermuda grass and love grass have been obtained by planting with row equipment, using an 18 or 20 inch solid sweep as an opening plow and dragging a sack of soil in the row to cover and firm soil. By planting in three foot rows grass can be cultivated to keep down competition, until grass covers. The Soil Conservation District has planter plates drilled and small seed attachments available for handling bermuda and love grass seed.

Buffalo grass has made fastest cover where planted in three foot rows and cultivated to keep down competition. A three hole corn plate can be used for this purpose. Opening plows should be used but a roller or sack of soil is best for covering according to Soil Conservation Service technicians. Care must be used in not covering small grass seed too deep as it is unable to break through soil crust when planted deep.

With favorable weather conditions most district cooperators plan to have buffalo planted this month and a seed bed prepared for bermuda and love grass in March.

Hand broadcasting of grass seed showed poor results in the Muenster Work Unit last year according to R. S. Mitchell, Work Unit Conservationist, of the Soil Conservation Service.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Pagel spent Monday in Dallas on business.

## BEE MAN WANTS TO SET OUT 1200 HIVES IN MUENSTER CLOVER

Come Spring and there's lots of blooms on the clover, the countryside around Muenster may literally be buzzing like a beehive.

E.E. Salge of Weslaco, who now has about 1,200 hives of bees scattered among fruit groves of the Rio Grande Valley, was here Wednesday to look over prospects for setting up his bee business in this area. From what he has been able to learn, he said, this community has plenty of blossom acreage to justify his moving in... provided the acreage is available to him.

Salge's method is to get permission from landowners to move his bees to their clover fields during blooming time. It's a two way bargain, he explained. He gets free honey and the landowner gets free service in expert pollination, his real pay-off coming in the form of greater yields in seed.

On the average, Salge said, pollination by bees will increase a clover field's seed production by about 35 per cent.

For the past two years he has been operating in South Texas. Prior to that he spent 8 years in Minnesota, leaving there to take advantage of better weather and longer growing seasons in the South. He is interested in this area because, with clover apparently growing in popularity he expects possibilities for the honey business to grow proportionately.

## DISCUSSION ON ROSES FEATURES MEETING OF LEAGUE-GARDEN CLUB

With Rose Culture as the topic and Mrs. Joe Luke as the speaker, members of the Civic League and Garden Club enjoyed an interesting meeting Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Urban Endres. Mrs. Luke's informal discussion of roses was followed by a short reading on spraying hints for insect control. Another feature of the program hour was Mrs. Henry Fette's display of three shrubby specimens for members to identify.

Mrs. T.S. Myrick, president, was in charge of the business session during which committee reports were given. The park chairman advised that iron guards have been placed around each memorial tree at the city square, and members decided to hold the annual flower show in the fall this year.

It was announced that at the March meeting a talk on soil conservation will be featured with Robert Mitchell, soil conservation technician in charge of the Muenster work unit, as speaker.

After the meeting adjourned the hostess served attractive refreshment plates, carrying out the Valentine motif, to 16 members. Mrs. Laurence Baumhardt was admitted as a new member at this meeting.

## County 4H Boy's Cotton Crop Wins \$200 Scholarship

College Station — Three years of 4-H Club work have paid off in a big way for Weldon Davis, Cooke county 4-H Club boy of Valley View. Weldon was announced as one of the seven state-wide Anderson-Clayton Company Scholarship Award winners, J.W. Potts, state boys' 4-H Club leader of Texas A. & M. College, announces.

Because he had the most outstanding 4-H cotton demonstration report submitted in his area, Weldon will receive a \$200 scholarship which he can use for courses in agriculture at one of the six state agricultural schools of Texas.

Weldon was chosen as one of the state winners of the Anderson-Clayton cotton contest on the basis of results shown in his 4-H cotton program last year, his leadership activities, especially in cotton work, high school scholarship, participation in local 4-H Club and community activities, and a short theme on the story of his contributions to the 4-H cotton program, Potts said.

## PARISH TO START 40 HOURS SERVICE SUNDAY

The annual Forty Hours Adoration services for Sacred Heart parish will begin next Sunday during the 8 o'clock high mass, Father Herman Laux, pastor, has announced, adding that the schedule of services for the three days will be announced at all the masses Sunday.

He stated that Father Andrew Wewer of Subiaco, Ark., will arrive this Friday to assist with the services.

## Mower Plant Ready To Start New Model And 2 New Products

Stockholders of the Muenster Manufacturing Company, in their annual meeting Friday night, Feb. 13, learned that production on two new products and a new model of their regular product are all due to be underway in less than a month.

L.H. Baumhardt, plant manager, explained that the plant is ready to start on a mowing attachment for garden tractors, a regular gasoline powered mower and a streamlined version of its original push type mower.

The attachment is the result of a special order from a distributor. Several months ago Baumhardt was asked to design a mower for the tractor and quote his price. It resulted in an initial order for 100 units.

The power mower is a late attempt to meet an unexpected demand. Company salesmen are finding that although regular mowers are plentiful the power mowers are scarce. Dealers have been asking for them and the company, after finding 125 motors, is ready to meet at least that much of the demand.

Competition has forced the company to streamline its model. Experience has shown that appearance is the first selling asset and quality is second. Ruggedness and precision were not enough and the company changed to big tires, streamlined castings, pastel shades, bright hub caps, etc. The new model will become the company's leader and the older model will be built in limited quantities to meet lower bracket competition.

In line with its expanding endeavors the corporation is preparing to expand its facilities and capitalization. The low original capitalization of \$30,000 falls short of meeting the scope of the company's business possibilities.

Directors elected at the meeting are F.E. Schmitz, Rudy Hellman, R.N. Fette, J.M. Weinzapfel, J.W. Fisher, Adolph Fuhrmann and Omer Baumhardt.

## YOUTHFUL GERMAN ALIEN ARRESTED HERE IN '38 SENDS LETTER

Ten years ago when immigration officials picked up two German lads here lots of people in the community were wondering if they were Hitler's spies, if not, what happened to them after they got back to their country.

An answer to that question was received this week by Mr. and Mrs. Barney Voth in a letter from Karl Mundt, one of the boys.

He tells that on his arrival in Germany he was taken under guard to the Labor Service and in 1940 got into the German navy fighting the Russians. He lost his home in the Hamburg bombing but is grateful that the lives and health of all his family were spared. The rest of the letter is taken up mostly with recalling incidents and names and wishing for a chance to come back for another visit... which, he adds, is not very likely since he has a wife and two children.

Mundt and his companion, Anton Motzuch, left a German ship in Galveston in 1938 and started working their way across the country. Arriving here they got a job at the Voth farm but lasted only a few weeks until immigration officials caught up with them. The youngsters were separated shortly after being sent back to Germany and Mundt has not heard of Motzuch since.

## WIMPY KATHMAN AND CHARLIE MORRIS BUY HUMBLE GAS STATION

Since Monday of this week Frank "Wimpy" Kathman and Charlie Morris are the owners of the Humble Service Station. They replace R.P. Cain who gave up the business to start working as a salesman for Kaiser-Meurer Motor company at Gainesville.

Morris has taken over as full time operator of the station and Kathman assists him in the afternoons after returning from his bread delivery route. Rufus Henschel and Gilbert "Nickie" Yosten continue their former jobs at the station.

John DeGeorge of Bulcher has replaced Morris as a school bus driver.

Mrs. Darrell Trotter and baby returned to Fort Worth Sunday after spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Fletcher.

## GI GROUP TO LEARN HANDY-MAN METHODS IN CLASS WORKSHOP

Along with better farming methods, members of the Veterans Agriculture course are due, within a few days, to start learning also about better care of farm tools and equipment.

A workshop now being installed in the school bus shed will be the veterans' classroom for carpentry, welding, tractor repair work and other subjects intended to help a farmer take better care of his place.

Equipment already installed includes a bench saw, jointer, arc welder, acetylene generator and welder, forge, chain hoist and other smaller pieces and tools. It represents about half of the \$2,500 outlay for the veterans' shop, the additional equipment to follow within the next few weeks.

Arrangements for the shop were made through the cooperation of Muenster school trustees who agreed to furnish a 30 x 40 foot space in the bus shed. The county headquarters of the vocational agriculture school installed the equipment and will provide instructors for the several shop courses.

In discussing the course, Instructor Hugh Barnhart stated that the veterans will need a considerable amount of scrap iron for their practice work. Persons who have some of the scrap to spare are urged to tell one of the class members, after which the class will arrange to do the hauling.

Though the course is open to members of the Veterans Agriculture class only, the shop is open to anyone for visits and inspections, Barnhart said.

## CITY OFFICER FAVORS GRADUAL APPROACH IN TRAFFIC IMPROVEMENT

Little by little City Marshal Andy Harrison expects to coax Muenster away from its careless traffic habits. For the present, he said, he is giving tickets sparingly, but he intends to start cracking down after people have had a reasonable time to become familiar with the regulations.

The most frequent offenses, Harrison stated, are double parking, improper parking, crossing the street between intersections and parking in streets or driveways.

A few of the rules he emphasized are to park diagonally with the right front tire against the curb. Any other position of the car as well as center or double parking makes the driver a good prospect for a ticket.

U-turns are allowed at all intersections except at Main and Highway but not between intersections. Crossing over to the left of the street is also prohibited. The speed limit is 30 miles an hour.

Most of the tickets given to date have been for speeding, especially on the highway. Other violations that drew tickets are improper parking, running a red light and driving without license.

## News Of Sick And Injured

John Tempel was around town Tuesday afternoon for the first time in more than a week, arthritis having confined him to his home.

Mrs. O.J. Robinson is back at her home here following medical treatment at Gainesville Sanitarium.

Miss Marian Gremminger is recovering nicely from a tonsillectomy performed at the local clinic Monday morning. She has finished here beauty culture course in Dallas and is now waiting to take her state board examination in Austin.

Mrs. Frank Seyler is recovering this week from an illness that afflicted her Sunday night.

Little Melvin Wilde returned to classes Monday after being absent a week on account of an illness of flu. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wilde.

J.R. Hammer, young son of Mr. and Mrs. George Hammer, is recovering satisfactorily from an operation for acute appendicitis performed Monday at Gainesville Sanitarium.

Tony Klement and Tony Hacker of the Muenster veteran's agriculture class will be on the air at 1 o'clock next Wednesday February 25, over station KGAF. Their subjects for the program are rat control and hog raising.

## Mrs. J.F. Brown, 47, Of Gainesville Dies After Long Illness

Mrs. J.F. Brown, 47, of Gainesville, mother of Mrs. Herman Fette of this city, and well known to local residents, passed away in a Gainesville hospital Sunday at 2:30 p.m. following an extended illness.

Funeral services were held at Grand Avenue Baptist church Monday at 3 p.m. with the Rev. Fred Stumpp, pastor, officiating, with burial in Fairview cemetery under direction of George J. Carroll and Son Funeral home. Bearers were Truman Booher, Walter Miller, Ernest Bragg, Aris Helm, J.L. Munn and J. Frank Cunningham.

Mrs. Brown was born in Beckham county, Oklahoma, on Sept. 10, 1900. She was Miss Julia Isabella Poarch before her marriage to Mr. Brown on February 9, 1919, at Tom Bean, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown moved to Cooke county 31 years ago, settling west of Gainesville where they resided until about six years ago when they moved to the city to make their home. Mrs. Brown was associated with the Ladies Shop as a saleslady for several years.

Mrs. Brown is survived by her husband; two daughters, Mrs. Herman Fette, Muenster, and Mrs. J.Q. Stewart, Jr., of Gainesville; four grandchildren of Muenster; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R.E. Poarch, Carter, Okla.; a sister, Mrs. Blanche Sponholtz, Weatherford, Okla.; and a brother, W.E. Poarch of Watonga, Okla.

## MUENSTER CDA COURT LEARNS IDENTITY OF ADOPTED CARE FAMILY

The European family adopted by the local court Catholic Daughters of America is a Polish widow with three children, members have learned through a letter from CARE. The letter was read at the court's regular meeting Friday night. It also revealed that the first shipment of food for the family has left New York and members hope to hear directly from the war widow after the package is delivered.

All courts, in cooperation with the national court, are sponsoring a Catholic Book Review contest among high school students and pupils of Sacred Heart school are participating. It was announced. In addition to prizes of five, three and two dollars to winners here, the best papers will compete for prizes in the national contest.

Members discussed plans for a benefit social to be held after Easter and agreed to dispense with the monthly social during the Lenten season.

It was announced that the Mission Circle will meet this Friday afternoon from 2 to 5 in the home of Mrs. J.M. Weinzapfel and clothing to be remodeled or mended and materials to make into small garments are solicited.

## WEDNESDAY CHECK-UP SHOWS ONLY 124 ON CHEST X-RAY LISTS

Indications Wednesday were that Muenster's response to the free chest X-ray program will be somewhat discouraging. A total of the lists in the bank, post office and Enterprise at that time had reached 124. The figure however does not include all who are participating in the program. Some people are known to have made their appointments at Gainesville.

In general the community is in line with the county's showing, which amounted to only 324 for the opening day.

Started Monday the program will continue through Friday. It is sponsored by the Cooke county Tuberculosis Association using the state association's mobile X-ray unit.

## Muenster Assembly Sends 12 Candidates To Ft. Worth Initiation

Muenster's Fourth Degree general assembly of the Knights of Columbus, which includes the sixth and twelfth districts, will send about twelve candidates to an initiation at the Blackstone Hotel in Fort Worth next Sunday.

Rev. Thomas Weinzapfel of Dallas, who will carry his fourth degree membership in Muenster, is the only local candidate, the others being from Wichita Falls, Sherman and Denison.



# LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

Scoutmaster Nick Miller, Ben Seyler and Frank Bayer attended a scouters meeting in Gainesville Monday night.

Mrs. Richard Yosten spent several days of this week in Hendrix, Oklahoma, with her parents and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Smyrel Owens had as dinner guests Sunday her mother, Mrs. J.A. Wheeler and little grandson, Pat Wheeler, of Gainesville.

Mr. and Mrs. E.P. Buckley had as weekend guests her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. L.G. Chasteen and two daughters of Grapevine.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Endres and children of Fort Worth were here Sunday for a visit with his mother, Mrs. M.J. Endres, and grandmother, Mrs. J.P. Fisch.

Miss Dolly Lehnertz, a student nurse at Fort Worth, arrived here Tuesday to spend several days

with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lehnertz and family.

Mr. and Mrs. T.P. Frost had as guests last week his sisters, Mrs. Jack Henery of Ottawa, Kansas, and Miss Myrtle Frost of Los Angeles, Calif.

Miss Marie Prescher joined the staff at Frank's Cafe Saturday. She came here from Windthorst and is making her home with her aunt, Mrs. Joe Luttmier, at Mrs. Maggie Schumachers.

Dr. and Mrs. C.W. Yetter of Saint Jo, accompanied by their daughter-in-law and her small daughter of Fort Worth, visited here Monday afternoon with friends.

Grandmother Shiflet is back here at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Fletcher, for an extended visit after spending a few months in Pilot Point with her son and family.

M.Sgt. Walter Huchtons of Barksdale Field, La., is spending a leave here and at Lindsay with relatives. His wife, the former Miss Jenny Bengfort of Lindsay, underwent an operation at Gainesville sanitarium Monday and is making a normal recovery.

Honoring Frank Martin on his birthday Sunday, his son, Richard and Martin wife, entertained guests with a dinner in their home. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ed



A made-to-order bed and all the free meals he can handle for working eight hours a day—that's what 8-year-old "Duke" gets as his conditions of employment at the Timken Roller Bearing Company's Columbus, Ohio plant.

You see "Duke" is a dog and for six and one-half years has been the eyes of his blind master, Jack English. Each working day he guides English to the time clock and thru the huge plant to the bench in the metallurgical department where his master is employed as an inspector. Until a few weeks ago Duke's working hours were spent on the hard concrete floor. Then, William Fowler, general manager of the plant, ordered the special bed for the ever faithful dog.

During the war, Mr. English worked for several war production plants, developing the skill that he uses now on the Timken inspection line. Super-sensitive touch, coupled with the electronic devices now in common use, enable English to hold his own in one of the world's largest roller bearing plants.

Martin and baby of Howzeville, Misses Frieda and Irene Martin of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lehnertz announce the birth of a 6-pound 10-ounce daughter at the local clinic on Wednesday, Feb. 18. The baby is Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lehnertz's first grandchild. Mrs. Lehnertz is the former Miss Theresa Hirsy and the maternal grandmother is Mrs. Joe Hirsy.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wilde and children of Raymondville have moved to Muenster to make their home. They will build on the John Wilde farm, southwest of town, and until their new home is completed are staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bergman. Mrs. Wilde is the former Miss Margaret Bergman.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Fletcher during the weekend were Cpl. and Mrs. D.L. Trotter and baby, Janyth, and Mr. and Mrs. Mylus Sharp, all of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Brown and daughter, Jo Ann of Saint Jo; Mr. and Mrs. Andy Reeves and three sons of Weatherford.

M.Sgt. Jack Needham, formerly with the army recruiting office in Fort Worth, recently assumed new duties as officer in charge of the Wichita Falls army recruiting office and he and his wife are now making their home in that city. Sgt. Needham is the son of Mrs. Ruth Needham of Myra.

In a deal closed Tuesday morning Jimmy Lehnertz purchased Ralph Richards' house and lots in the city. Richards is making arrangements to move to Tennessee and plans to be on his way by the first of March. After that date Mr. and Mrs. Lehnertz will move to their new location. They now occupy an apartment at Mrs. M.J. Endres'.

Monica Louise is the name of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Werner Becker who arrived on Friday the 13th, to help her daddy celebrate his birthday. The Beckers have one other child, Werner Junior. Mrs. Becker is the former Miss Rita Rohmer and the grandparents are Messrs. and Mmes. Leo Rohmer and Wm. Becker. Father John officiated at Monica's christening Saturday morning. He was assisted by the grandparents, Mrs. Rohmer and Mr. Becker as sponsors.

A famous psychologist had finished his lecture and was answering questions from the floor. A meek little man asked: "Did you say that a good poker player could hold down any kind of executive job?" "That's right," answered the lecturer. "Does that raise a question in your mind?" "Yes," was the reply. "What would a good poker player want with a job?"

## HEAT EXPERTS FAVOR HEAT COILS IN FLOORS

New York. — Radiant heating for homes and factories received much attention today at the meeting here of the American Society of Heating and Ventilating Engineers. Experts reported on scientific investigations of the efficiency of this heating method as compared with conventional systems.

Radiant heating systems are relatively new. In them, steam or hot water pipes are embedded in floors, sidewalls or even ceilings. The heated floor or wall radiates heat throughout the room. One advantage is that there are no visible space-taking radiators; another is greater efficiency, according to J.M. Ayres and B.W. Levy, of Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind.

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**VINITA, OKLA.**—Two men who know what it is to be hungry unexpectedly joined forces here during the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad's Soil Improvement Tour which visited Oklahoma points recently. Jack Woodson (left) and R. D. Evans were U. S. Army officers in the Philippines. Taken prisoners on Bataan, they made the famous "Death March" together and spent more than three years in Japanese prison camps.  
 Now Evans, as agricultural agent for the Katy, is lending every possible aid to the furtherance of farm and soil improvement in order to insure adequate food and agricultural production for posterity. Woodson is a consulting engineer at Vinita.  
 The railroad, together with the Second National Bank of Houston, Texas, and the Oklahoma Bankers Association, sponsored the Soil Improvement Tour, which traveled in a six-car special train. The tour visited Durant, Atoka, McAlester, Muskogee and Vinita, where local farm organizations, state and federal conservation agencies and business men cooperated in holding mass meetings and soil inspection tours. The purpose of these meetings and tours was to study conservation and improvement methods already in use and preach the gospel of improvement to farmers throughout the territory.

**PAROCHIAL 8TH GRADE  
 PLAYERS PRESENTED  
 IN COMEDY TUESDAY**

"Ye Village Skewl of Long Ago", a riotous comedy, was presented by pupils of the 8th grade of Sacred Heart school Tuesday Feb. 10, for the faculty, student body and friends of the pupils in the school auditorium. The play was directed by Sister Carmelita, 8th grade instructor.

Roger Wolf took the role of school master, and the school committee consisted of Gerald Walterscheid, Lawrence Dankesreiter, David Owen, Marcella Haverkamp, Angeline Grewing, Florence Henscheid, Marcellene Wimmer and Herbert Fleitman. Randolph Bayer was the dean, and Stella Streng was the dean's wife. The other 24 pupils of the grade enacted student parts.

A play within the play in which the school master attempted to show the talents of his charges resulted in the comedy. Further amusement was contributed by costumes of yester-year rigged up by the actors.

A small admission fee was charged, part of which was donated to the new church fund and the other part retained for the class treasury.

He— "I see by he paper that a woman in Omaha just cremated her fourth husband."  
 She— "Isn't that always the way? Some of us can't get a man while others have husbands to burn."

**Then He Retired**  
 A familiar "man-about-the-courthouse" was being discussed. "He used to be powerfully energetic," one old observer said. "For years he chased around like mad trying to get a political job." "What does he do now?" someone asked.  
 "Nothing. He got the job."

**KAREN ENDRES OBSERVES  
 5TH BIRTHDAY SUNDAY**

Little Miss Karen Endres was honor-guest at a party given by her mother, Mrs. Paul Endres, Sunday in the family home to observe her birthday. She was five years old.

Eighteen young guests presented the honoree with gifts and the group enjoyed games, contests and refreshments. The refreshment table was centered with a heart-shaped birthday cake and the Valentine motif was carried out in decorations and favors.

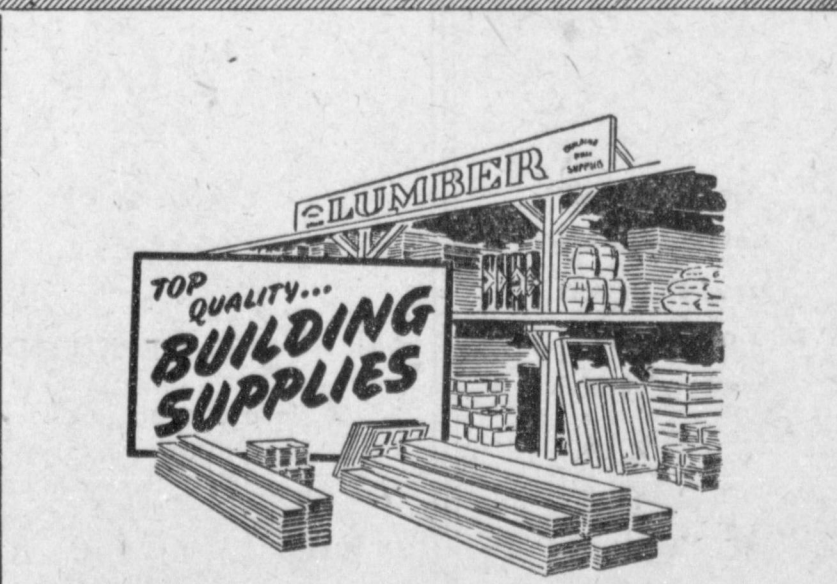
In addition to the youngsters the honoree's grandmothers, Mrs. John Walter and Mrs. W. H. Endres were present as special guests. The hostess was assisted in directing games and serving by Misses Terese Walter and Marian Gremminger.

**THERE'S MADNESS IN  
 THE OLE GAL'S METHOD**

Boston — State Rep. Clarence A. Wood of Hopkinton said today a Cambridge woman admitted she purposely feeds whisky to her husband, and turns him over to police each time he is released from periodic drunkenness sentences.

The explanation: Sober and free he earns \$30 a week; drunk and locked up, he makes her and her children eligible for welfare checks totaling about \$60 a week.

**Cool Statement**  
 One of the boys just back from a southern trip tells how he heard a couple of colored fellows talking about a divorce one of them had just received.  
 "An' what about dat house you an' your woman got?" asked the friend of the lately liberated chap. "What you do wid dat, huh?"  
 "We splits it up — fifty-fifty."  
 "Divides yo' house? How you do dat?"  
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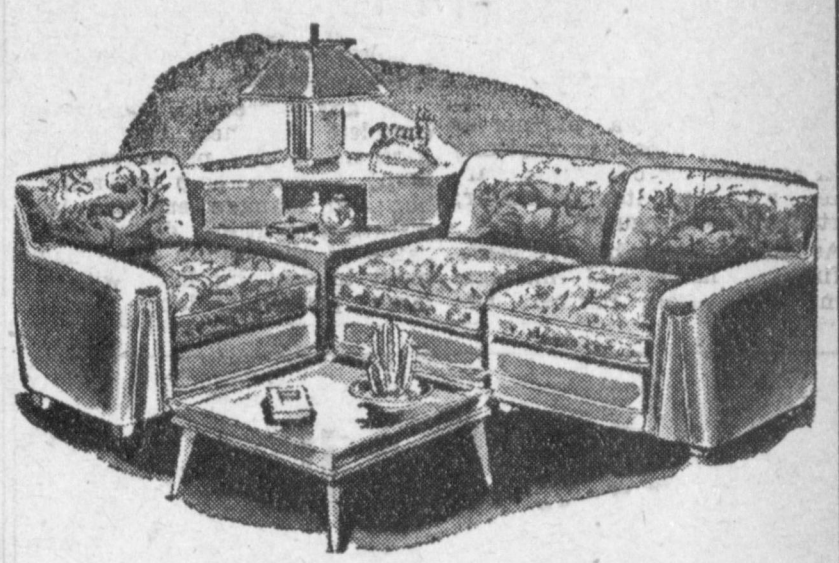
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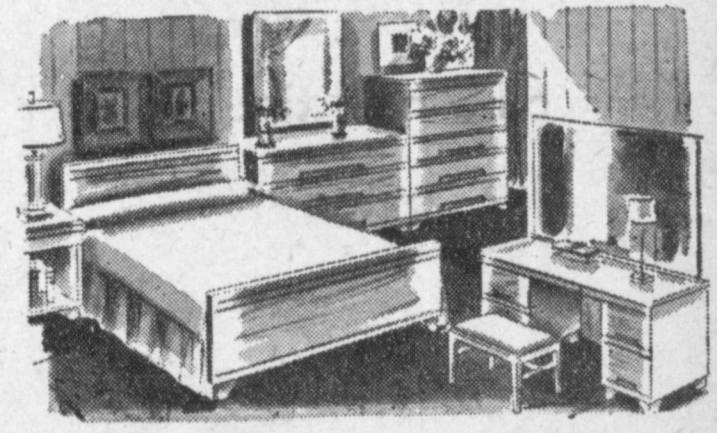
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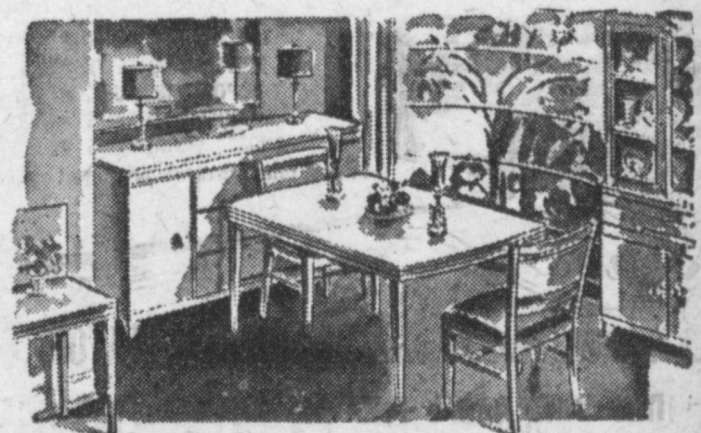


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## The American Way

By George Peck



### No Need For Secrecy

Webster defines a partner as "one who has a part in anything with another or others; a partner; an associate; a sharer; participant; colleague."

As thus joined by Webster's definition, labor and management are surely partners. De-

cidely they have a common part in something; they partake together of the fruits of industry; they are associated; they share both the work and the profits derived therefrom; they participate in the game of production; and when each takes the trouble to investigate and understand the problems of the other, they are in truth colleagues.

In any successful partnership, complete frankness between the partners is the prime requisite. Many a partnership between labor and management has been disturbed or utterly destroyed because of the failure of management to acquaint labor with the large percentage labor receives

for its share in what it helps to produce.

The sad thing about this reticence is that, in many instances, there is positively no reason for management's failure to divulge the facts.

Government statistics show that 86 cents of every dollar of income produced and paid out by the combined manufacturing industries in the United States go into the pay envelopes of their employees.

Yet, from opinion polls taken, the impression quite general among workers is that they do not receive their fair share of what they produce with the plant, equipment and tools provided them by investors and supervised by management. Many workers are apparently convinced that more money is paid to stockholders in dividends than is paid to workers in wages.

Management is largely responsible for this mistaken idea, through having failed in most instances to make known to the employees — in dollars and cents and percentagewise — the exact extent to which the workers participate in the earnings of industry.

If it is true that there are some companies (all too few, unfortunately) which have departed from the archaic and outmoded method of limiting annual reports to the presentation of mere arithmetical facts for the information of stockholders only, many of whom, incidentally cannot even understand them. The more progressive and forwardlooking companies are now addressing to employees and customers, as well as to stockholders, reports which offer in narrative form full statistical information as to the employees participation in earnings.

Wherever this wise procedure has been instituted it has borne fruit. It is therefore difficult to understand why more companies — why all companies, in fact — do not follow this common-sense method of taking employees and customers fully into their confidence. Failure to do so has been responsible for much of the industrial unrest in recent years, the one partner, labor, having become increasingly suspicious of the integrity and honesty of purpose of the other partner, management. Even though in the majority of cases there has been

no valid cause for it, management itself is responsible for this suspicion because of its failure to acquaint employees with the true facts in simple form.

Lack of knowledge in respect to the foregoing on the part of employees — and of those who bargain for them — has led to unreasonable and fantastic demands upon employers; it has engendered resentment and ill feeling between the two partners of industry where the promotion of essential harmony, contentment and equitable conclusions were needed, and has thus contributed to inflation.

When all corporations will have seen the light and begun shedding it through the medium of annual statements published in such form as can be easily understood by all, a new and brighter era in labor-management relations will have dawned — an era of industrial contentment such as no Taft-Hartley law, nor any other legislation, can hope to bring about. The two partners of industry will then be welded into a coordinated combination, hitting on all six, there will be higher real wages for employees, increased dividends for stockholders and more and better goods at less money for you and me.

### NEW VACCINE HAILED AS 100 PERCENT CURE FOR BANGS DISEASE

Berkeley, Calif. — Bang disease in cattle, which is the same as undulant fever in humans, has been completely wiped out of some dairy herds by vaccination, two University of California agricultural college veterinarians have reported.

This 100 percent control of an infection, which for years has been a public health hazard, was achieved with a vaccine called brucella abortus strain 19. Dr. W. E. Maderious and Dr. C.M. Haring, the veterinarians, said.

In some cases where complete eradication was not attended there was a substantial reduction of infected animals, the experimenters said. As an example, they reported, the number of diseased cows in Del Norte county was reduced from 37 percent in 1940 to only 5 percent in 1947.

The report was made in connection with the operation of a new state law requiring the vaccination of all heifer calves between 6 and 12 months old. The service is furnished by the State Department of Agriculture and is free to dairymen.

Undulant fever can be contracted by humans from the milk of an infected animal.

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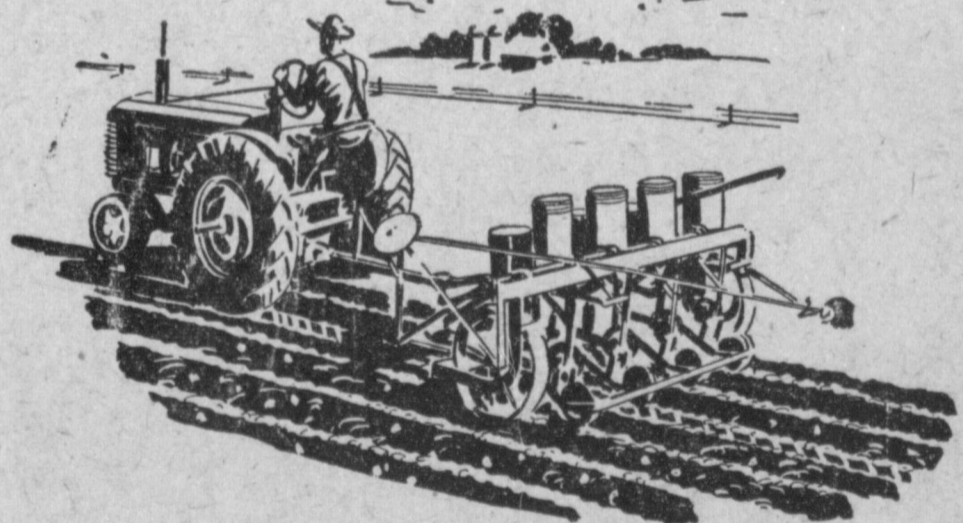
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**HEART DISEASE KILLS A PERSON A MINUTE**

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Heart disease is no respecter of age. It is the leading fatal disease among children between the ages of 5 and 19. Rheumatic fever and rheumatic heart disease cause almost five times as many deaths as infantile paralysis, whooping cough, diphtheria, scarlet fever, measles and cerebrospinal meningitic fever combined. Rheumatic fever causes 40% of all heart disease at all ages and 90% of all heart disease in children.

Employer to beautiful blonde who has filled in job application — "Miss Jones, under 'Experience' could you be a little more specific than just 'Oh Boy!'"

Two little girls were discussing their families. "Why does your grandmother read the bible so much?" asked one.

"I think," said the other little girl, "that she is cramming for her finals."



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**VACCINE FOR POLIO MAY BE DEVELOPED**

Minneapolis, Minn. — A former victim of infantile paralysis has pushed science's battle against the disease one step further ahead.

Dr. Frank Gollan, physiologist at University of Minnesota, announced that he had isolated a 99.94 percent pure strain of MM virus, which causes polio in small rodents.

He said the discovery might open the way for development of a vaccine to immunize humans against the disease.

Pat invited Mike for a ride on the back of his new motorcycle. After they had gone a few miles, Pat asked Mike how he liked it.

"Shure, an' it's fine," said Mike, "but the wind is catching me chest."

Pat stopped by the side of the road and said, "Turn your coat around, and I'll bottom you up the back. That should protect your chest."

They went on at a good 90 miles an hour when they hit a truck.

A constable was called to the scene. "Both dead," he said to the coroner, who came later. "This man here was dead when I arrived and the other was breathing till we twisted his neck around right."

The fellow who is fired with enthusiasm for his work is seldom fired by the boss.

**SANDPAPER TREAD**

A new "sandpaper" tread, especially for winter driving, can now be installed by a method of recapping tires, says National Patent Council. The "sandpaper" tread grips on ice and snow, and is made possible by mixing coarse abrasive particles throughout the tread rubber, so that the gripping action continues even as the tread is worn down in service.

**Mosquito Eliminator**

New "hydrophobic" DDT, which covers a water surface with a persistent, poisonous film, has recently been patented. Mosquito "Wigglers" coming to the surface to breathe and mosquito mothers coming down to lay eggs are expected to find sudden death instead.

**No Ceiling**

Son: "Pop, what is a buccaneer?"  
Pop (engrossed in newspaper): "A buccaneer is an awful price to pay for corn."

**Consolation Prize**

They had been away from the inn only a few minutes, when the guide paused, mopped the perspiration from his brow and, turning to the tourist, said, "See that gorge over there. There's a wonderful echo comes from those rocks. Now you just yell 'Two bottles of beer!'"

The tourist yelled as loudly as he could, and waited.

"I don't hear any acho," he protested.

"Strange," replied the guide. Then, glancing down the mountain side, he added, "Well, it doesn't really make any difference. Here comes the innkeeper with the beer anyhow!"

**Words of Wisdom**

Do more than exist, live.  
Do more than touch, feel.  
Do more than look, observe.  
Do more than hear, listen.  
Do more than listen, understand.  
Do more than think, ponder.  
Do more than talk, say something.

Three men and a dog were sitting very serious around a table playing poker. The dog held its hand just as the men did, and played with no indication from the other players that there was anything in the least unusual about a dog playing poker.

As the evening wore on, the woman of the household came in. Seeing the dog playing, she said to the men: "Why that's the most amazing thing I've ever seen."

"What's so wonderful?" barked the dog. "I haven't won a hand yet."

He: "Say, whatever became of those old-fashioned gals who fainted when a boy kissed them?"

She: "Huh! Whatever became of the old-fashioned boy who made them faint?"

He: "I've got an awful lot of electricity in my hair."

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But he adds that the protection against insects is a year-round job, just as the control of rats means year-round work. And here are some of his suggestions:

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Only thing is—we've got to prove ourselves worthy of the ride . . . by guarding zealously against whatever forces of intolerance encroach upon our American concepts of live-and-let-live, in a free and strong Democracy!

Joe Marsh

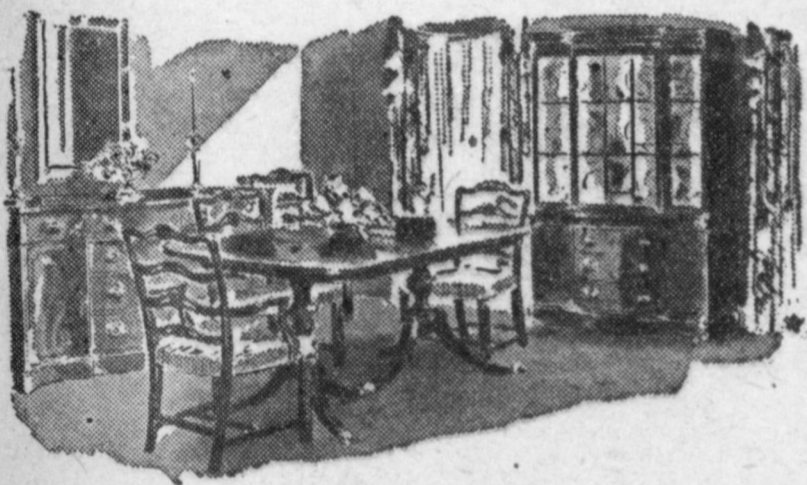
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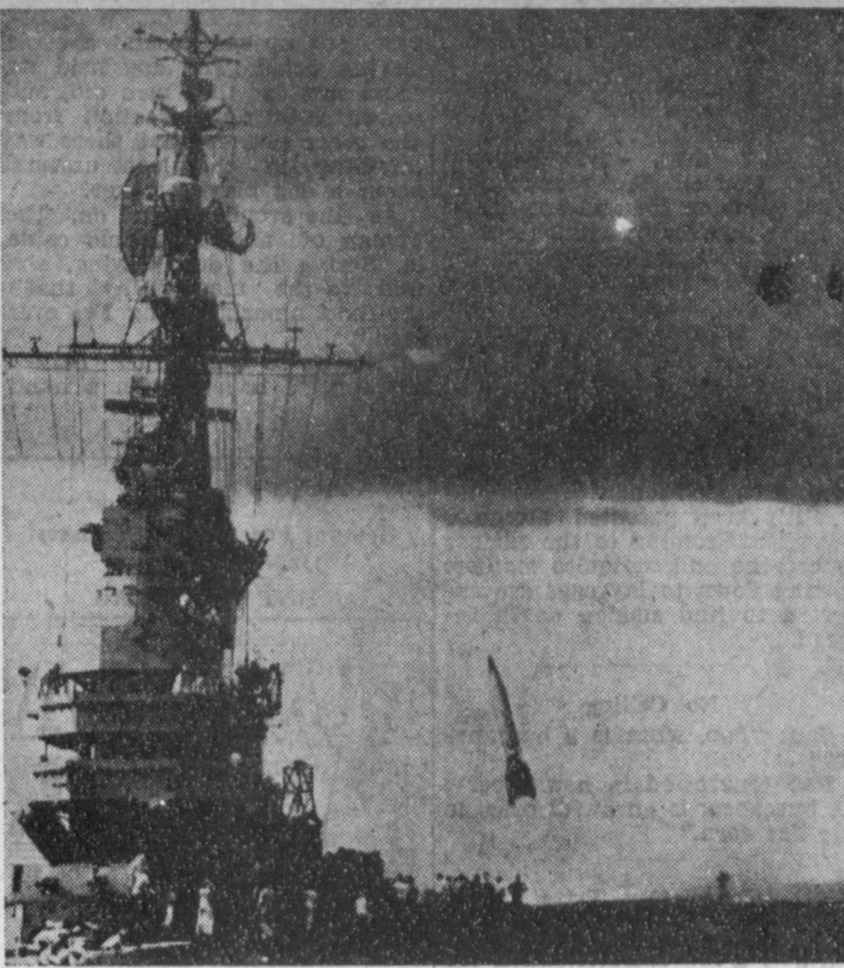
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**Up In The Air with KGAF**

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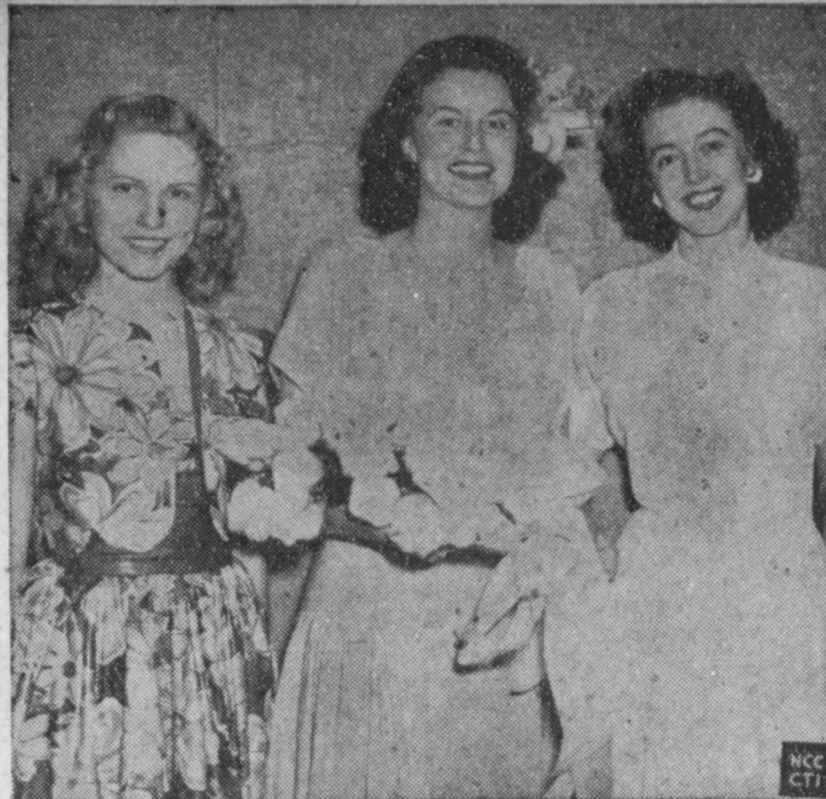
**WORRY, INFECTION AND  
DIET AFFECT ARTERIES  
— AND SPAN OF LIFE**

Austin, Texas — Some folks are old at sixty; others are mentally and physically alert at eighty. The number of years one has lived may not be a true index to one's physical condition. Actually, the length of a person's life span is influenced by the condition of his arteries. Premature hardening of the arteries, often due to avoidable infections, improper diet, and possibly worry and strain is to a certain extent, preventable said Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

Many of the problems connected with the hygiene of old age are due to lowered mental power. Therefore, a cheerful and optimistic attitude toward the aged, especially during sickness, is essential to their well-being. Old people regard their condition as far less serious when they can be fully dressed and out of bed. When they can be up, the excretory organs function more satisfactorily too. However when an elderly person complains of being overtired, or otherwise not physically fit, a day of rest in bed is advisable. By providing light and easily digested food and applying warmth to the body of an aged patient, he is often tided over a mild or threatened illness.

Special attention should be paid also to proper clothing, diet, and exercise of the elderly. With reasonable attention to certain well-defined and easily followed principles of personal hygiene, it is possible to grow old gracefully. Furthermore it is also possible, in many instances, to retain one's faculties to such an extent as to make old age a pleasure rather than a burden.

There is no stadium in the world today capable of holding the number of spectators that frequented the Circus Maximus in Rome two thousand years ago, namely 385,000 people.



Cream of the 1948 crop of cottonland beauties are the three gorgeous girls who came out on top in the Maid of Cotton contest held in Memphis recently. In the center is the 1948 Maid, vivacious Matilda Nail, of Fort Worth, whose blonde loveliness and gracious manner captivated judges and spectators. On either side are the beauties who ran a close race for the coveted title: left, second alternate, Elizabeth Ann Stollenwerk of Waxahachie, Texas; right, first alternate, Catherine Hamrick of Gaffney, S. C. Matilda, the first Texan to make the international tour as cotton's fashion and good-will ambassador, is 19 years old, 5 feet 8 1/2 inches tall, and was a sophomore at the University of Texas when she was selected Maid of Cotton.

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**Political  
Announcements**

The following persons have authorized the Enterprise to announce their candidacies for public offices, subject to the Democratic primary election, July 1948.

**Commissioner Precinct 3**  
J.E. (Earl) TAYLOR  
H.H. (Herman) AGEE

**Commissioner Precinct 4**  
J.E. (Earl) ROBISON  
(Re-election)

**State Representative**  
CLIFF GARDNER  
(Re-election)

**County Judge**  
JOHN ATCHISON

**County Attorney**  
SHELBY FLETCHER

**8-Year-Old Boy Drives 12  
Miles Over Desert Waste  
On Blinded Father's Lap**

Burley, Idaho, Feb. 17 — Eight year-old Roy Grindrod grinned bashfully as they took his picture here Tuesday and muttered "shucks, it wasn't anything."

Others held a different opinion of his feat. He drove twelve miles over rough, sagebrush-covered lava rock wastes, through snowdrifts and over slippery trailways to gain medical assistance for his father, brother and another man nearly blinded in an explosion.

It was the first time young Grindrod had driven an automobile.

His father, Louis, and his 13-year-old brother, Kenneth, and Paul Chesley, a friend of the family, were drilling a well twelve miles out in the sage and lava flats. Gasoline exploded, burning and blinding the trio.

Little Roy, playing nearby, sped to their rescue. He led each of them to the car, and then sat in his father's lap and drove twelve miles to medical aid over a rough, almost impassable trail. His father shifted gears and stepped on the accelerator and brakes.

"Yo sho does look worried."  
"Boy, I've booked up solid on worrying. I've got so many worries on mah mind that if sompin' happens to me today, Ah won't get time to worry about it for two weeks."

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**WHAT! NO COWBOYS?**

Austin, Texas — Where are the cowboys? This was the first inquiry of a University of Texas student from Iraq when he arrived in Austin. U.S. cowboy movies which he had seen at home had led him to believe that rustlers and bullets would be thick in Texas.

Meow Department: The only thing that ever whistled at her is a teakettle!



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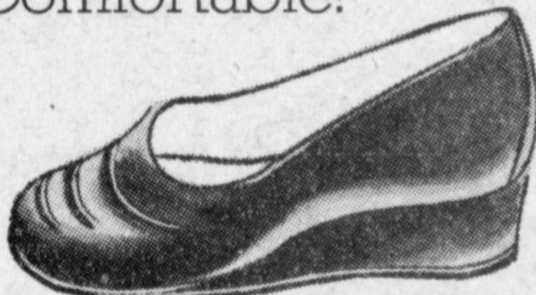


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**It Happened  
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February 18, 1938  
 REA committee begins plans to extend project over all Cooke county; former project thought too small for efficient maintenance. . . . Rev. Bonaventure Koelzer, former local young man, has First Mass at Hereford. . . . Funeral services are held at Lindsay for Mrs. Elizabeth Beyer. . . . Officers recover J.T. Barker's car; one bandit is killed, the other captured at Pilot Point. . . . Local men take steps to organize softball circuit. . . . J.M. Weinzapfel and Mrs. Tony Gremminger attend funeral of their brother-in-law, Hans Rasch, in Houston. . . . Johnny Schmitt of Lindsay marries Miss Margaret Morrow in Sherman ceremony. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Wolf announce the arrival of Virginia Rose.

**5 YEARS AGO**  
 February 19, 1943  
 Registration for War Ration Book II is set for Feb. 25-27. . . . Civic League and Garden Club hears Red Cross needs at meeting Friday when Gainesville women are guest speakers. . . . Garden Club plans to send shrubbery to Camp Howze for beautifica-



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**Buyer Thought Dime Was Too Cheap for This Purse**

Oakland, Calif. — A shabby purse on a Ninth Street rummage sale table took the eye of Buyer R.D. Bridges, 68, and he looked it over carefully.  
 "How much?" he asked, holding it up for the appraising eye of clerk-for-the-day Viola O'Neil.  
 "A dime," she announced.  
 "Not enough," said Bridges, smiling at her surprised look. "— not for what's in it."  
 He pulled out \$214.77 in bills and silver. Police took over the purse and contents, while Bridges was unofficially acclaimed most honest rummage sale customer on record. If the owner doesn't turn up, he's to get the money — minus 10¢ for the purse.

**Average Texan Drank 15.8 Gallons of Beer in 1947**

Austin — Beer consumption in Texas last year averaged 15.80 gallons per person, the Liquor Control Board's 1947 report showed.  
 Per capita consumption of hard liquor was one gallon plus, wine a little more than a third of a gallon.  
 The board's annual report also showed that dries had a slight edge in the number of local option elections won.  
 There were 30 such elections, in counties or precincts. Dries won 16 of them, wets won 14. These figures make no distinction between countywide and precinct elections.

**Better Crush Tablets When Giving Them to Children**

Chicago — When you give a medicine tablet to a young child, be sure the tablet is crushed and moistened with water, warns Dr. C.L. Heald of Sigourney, Ia., in the Journal of the American Medical Assn. here.  
 The death of a two and one-half year old child prompted his warning. The child died of suffocation caused by half a sulfadiazine tablet prescribed by a physician. The tablet had stuck in her larynx when she tried to swallow it and although Dr. Heald rapidly cut an opening into her throat through her neck, removed the pieces of tablet and gave artificial respiration, it was too late.  
 Physicians should, Dr. Heald states, instruct parents on how to give these tablets safely or else prescribe one of the sugar lozenges or pleasant-tasting liquid sulfa drug preparations now available.



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**CRASH VICTIM FINISHES FIRST YEAR OF SLEEP THAT WILL NEVER END**

Framingham, Mass., Feb. 17 — The long sleep that began for Ralph C. Abbott, 32, a year ago continued Tuesday night and doctors said he never would waken again.

On Feb. 17, 1947, his automobile struck a tree in early-morning darkness and he was hurled against a stone wall. Surgeons did their best to mend his injured brain. But damage to the portion governing voluntary motion, consciousness and the emotions was past repair.

So now, one year later, he lies as one curled up in sleep at the Cushing Veterans Hospital here. Fed concentrated liquid food hourly through a nose tube, turned by attendants every two hours, he shows no blemish from

his year's hospitalization and has gained weight.

Tuesday, as on every other day for the past year, Isaac Abbott, 61, visited his bachelor son's bedside, and then returned the fifteen miles to his Norwood home to tell Ralph's mother that their son sleeps on.

**Play or Fight**

"May I go outside and play with Johnny Brown?" Robert asked his mother. "Please," answered mother, "don't play with that child. I don't like him." Robert considered this for a moment, then said: "Well, in that case, mom, may I go outside and fight him?"

Annoyed movie-goer (to man in next row). "Excuse me, but we can't hear a word."

Man: "And is it any business of yours what I'm telling my wife?"

You must see danger to avoid it! Keep windshield and windows clean of snow and ice outside, and fog and frost inside, so you can see what you're missing.

**WANT ADS**

PLEASE stop in and render real estate and personal property now, for 1948, so that the tax rolls are in order when the equalization board meets. Adeline Miller, city tax assessor-collector. -1

FOR SALE: John Deere 8-blade one-way. Norbert Zimmerman, 3 1/2 miles north of Lindsay. 13-3p

BALED OATS for sale. Also Windmill complete with good tower and good storage tank. Roy Atteberry, Freemound. 13-1p

TREATED BUFFALO GRASS SEED. Treated to increase the germination. We can save you money on this seed. Write for price quotations. Miller Seed Co. 3737 J. Street, Lincoln, Nebraska. 13-6p

FOR SALE: Sudan and Prairie Hay. See Anton Fleitman, Muenster. 13-1p.

WANTED: Appliance salesman for Muenster territory. See Guy Kenyon, 213 N. Commerce, Gainesville. 13-1p

FOR SALE: 328 bales of oats straw. B.C. (Ted) Redman, 7 miles northwest of Muenster. 13-2p

FOR SALE: Upright piano, a good buy. Mrs. John Schmitz, Lindsay. 13-1

FOR SALE: Used Kelvinator refrigerator. 6-foot model with new motor. A-1 condition. H & H Feed Store, Muenster. 13-1.

FOR SALE: '39 Ford deluxe tudor with spot light, radio and heater. See Ray Temple at J.B. Wilde Motor Co. 13-1

FOR SALE: Baby bed, large size, complete, in good condition. Mrs. Richard Wilde, Muenster. 13-1p

1938 FORD TRUCK for sale. 1 1/2 ton. In good condition. J.J. Wieler, Muenster. 13-2

FOR SALE: Started and baby chicks. Custom hatching. Feeds and supplies. Muenster Hatchery. 13-1f.

FOR SALE: Madrid sweet clover seed, re-cleaned. See or telephone Walter Klement, Muenster. 12-2p.

HOUSE FOR RENT in Lindsay. See H.S. Fuhrmann, Rt. 2, Gainesville. 12-2p.

GOOD Number 1 Johnson grass hay for sale. Ed Eberhart, Muenster. 12-2

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**Lindsay News**

Mrs. Tony Voth submitted to major surgery at M & S hospital Tuesday.

Clarence, two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Fleitman, was admitted to Gainesville Sanitarium Monday for observation and treatment.

Mrs. Frank Sandmann is back at her home recovering nicely.

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following minor surgery performed at M & S Hospital in Gainesville last week.

Virgil S. Mosser, son of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Mosser, has been promoted to the rank of sergeant in the U.S. army air force, stationed at Fairfield-Suisun air base, California.

Al Moosberger who is employed in Austin spent the weekend here and when he returned was accompanied by his wife and daughter, Rose Marie. They will make their home in Austin.

Hugo Bezner was admitted to M & S Hospital in Gainesville for treatment Friday. He was accidentally injured several years ago and apparently his recovery has not been complete. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bezner.

Mrs. Walter Huchtons submitted to surgery at Gainesville Sanitarium Monday. She is the former Miss Jenny Bengfort and since her marriage to M.Sgt. Huchtons has been living in Louisiana. He is stationed at Barksdale Field. Sgt. Huchtons is here now on leave.

The full pleated skirt is a charming revival, but it must always be expertly pressed for a best appearance. To get a tailor's fine results, pin pleats at skirt's edge to ironing board. Place a dampened cloth over fabric and press—do not iron. That is, lift the iron up and down from one area to another.



**HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCES ISSUE OF NEW TEXAS ROAD MAP**

Austin. — The Spring Edition of the Texas Highway Department's official travel maps is being released for public distribution, State Highway Engineer D.C. Greer has announced.

The new four color map incorporates all changes in the state road system through December occasioned by the Department's vast postwar road building program. Except for revisions in the road system and the new pictures, the edition is similar to others issued since the war which have been acclaimed among the best of the state road maps published throughout the nation.

Standard highway warning and directional signs are reproduced on the map to familiarize drivers with road markers.

Size of the Lone Star State is again graphically told by a table of comparative distances. The 868 miles from El Paso to Orange is greater than the 815 miles from El Paso to Los Angeles. It is also further than the 760 miles from Laredo to Mexico City.

Included also is a small scale map of the United States showing all state capitals and major federal highways.

Copies of the new Spring Edition are available to the traveling public at the Highway Department's main office in Austin, its twenty-five district offices throughout the State, and at its nine information bureaus operated at ports of entry into Texas.

Then there was the egotistical nurse who always deducted two degrees from her patient's temperature reading to allow for her personality.

**Confetti---**

equivalent to a fine compliment. To reach 21 a business has to have lots of friends, and to have friends it has to give lots of value, service and courtesy.

To "Pete" who's going a swell job of carrying on the work his father started in 1927, and to all the rest of the boys, Con is happy to extend congratulations and best wishes for many happy returns.

Anyone who is interested in political developments nowadays got a good eye-full Tuesday when the Wallace supported candidate in New York whipped the socks off of President Truman's favorite. If that election is any indication of what will happen in the Wallace-Truman contest in November, the Democrats have more than a little cause to worry about the state's electoral votes. After losing some very vital support to Hank, Harry may lose to the GOP candidate. And if that should happen in a few other big states he could easily lose in spite of the Solid South support, which incidentally, is beginning to seem as certain as it ever did.

The hullabaloo of a week ago not only simmered down, but the South has had another slap — this one from the Republicans. One party abuses us because it figures us as in the bag anyway, the other party because it apparently has nothing to gain by being nice.

Carroll Reece shouts "Amen" to Truman's civil rights program. Very likely he's also making his bid for Northern race conscious votes on the theory that a few supporters up there are worth more than all the South. Looks like nobody loves us Southerners. It also looks like we're not going to do much about it.

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February 19 through 27

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The relatives of Mrs. J. F. Brown thank their friends and neighbors for the kindness and thoughtfulness shown during the illness and at the death of their loved one.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Knabe are the parents of a son, born last Thursday at M & S Hospital. The Knabes lived here before moving to Gainesville, and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Knabe are the grandparents.

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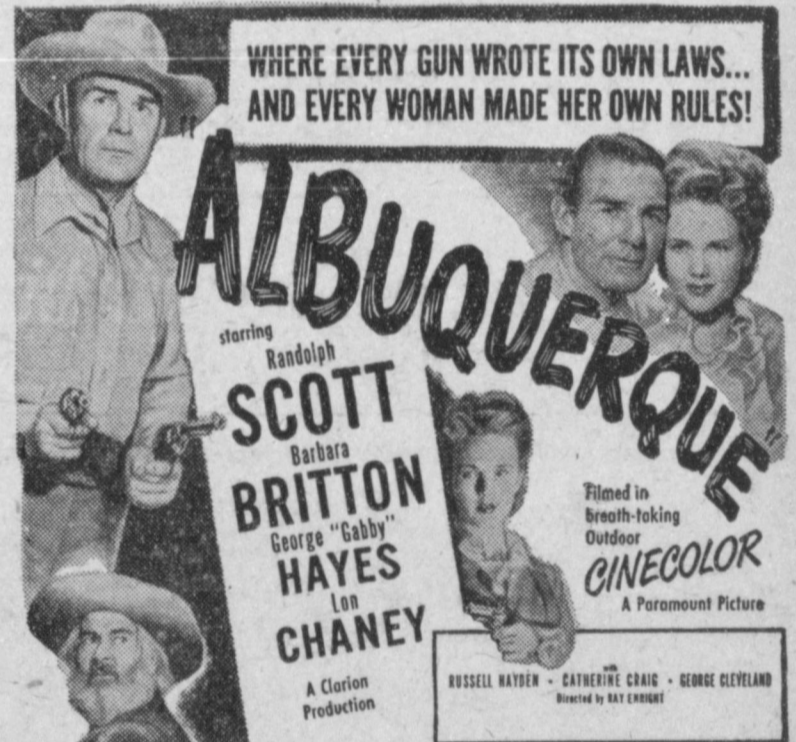
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