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AROUND TOWN

SIGHTS, FACES SEEN

Rainfall totaled one-half inch here during the past two days, leaving many roads impassable, and bringing the total to two and one-half inches for 1949. All of which is music to the ears of wheat farmers, many of whom are already predicting bumper yields this season.

The Rotarians in Hereford have a lot in common with the Rotarians in Germany—they are both hungry! It all started Friday at noon when around 80 chop-licking Rotarians walked into the club hall for lunch, and were served only coffee and doughnuts. After the dismay subsided, although the appetites did not, the fellows voted to forego lunch once each month and donate the money, which it would cost, to feed Rotarians in other countries. Alex Thompson, Lions Club member and guest at Rotary last Friday, made a short talk endorsing the idea; "It's wonderful," he said—"for the Rotarians." Vendors of malted milks and sandwiches did a brisk business all Friday afternoon. However, the motive behind the voluntary diet justifies the results, according to Rotarians. Besides, as one wit puts it, the Old Man's Club should remember that it is "healthier to lose weight than to gain—after 40."

Francis Hardwick, one of the suffering Rotarians, came back with a reference to the Lions sight-conservation program and said: "Why don't the Lions send their glasses overseas, too?"

The firemen held another drill Friday night in a move to create a more efficient and smoother functioning Volunteer Fire Department. It was an indoor drill with 16 present. Chief topic was better acquaintance with equipment and means of handling it. Kudos to Chief Earl Phillips and all the guys who get up in the wee hours to combat fires.

Billie Ed Calloway is a mighty excited and proud young man these days. He received a letter from the White House. The letter resulted from a note of congratulations to President Truman upon the occasion of his inauguration; it was signed by the 22 children in his Central School room, and sponsored by Billy Ed. The reply follows: "My Dear Billy:

The President appreciates that friendly letter you sent him on the occasion of his inauguration. He asks me to extend to you and your classmates his very best wishes. Very sincerely yours, William D. Hassett, Sec. to the President.

Mrs. C. E. Shellhouse is new Church Secretary at the First Methodist Church, a position she assumed this month. She came to Hereford in April, 1948, and has been active in church affairs since her arrival. Mr. Shellhouse is associated with the Johnston Pump Company.

New to the R. E. A. staff is Miss Adeline Koelzer, who went to work on the new job around two weeks ago.

Veteran's Administration hospital workers are notified by Mrs. C. D. Kelton that the VA Worker's school, recently postponed due to bad weather, will be held in Amarillo Monday, Feb. 28; classes 10 to 4, daily, and 6 to 10 o'clock nights.

Second grader Larry Edwards almost got his mother, Mrs. Wayne Edwards, in trouble at the calf auction last Saturday. Larry and (Continued on Page 6)

The Weather

High and low temperatures, Thursday through Saturday readings taken at 8 o'clock each morning.
Thursday—High 72; low 35.
Friday—High 60; low 33; moisture 25.
Saturday—High 45; low 35; moisture 15.
Total Feb. Moisture—35.
Total 1949 Moisture—2.1.

On the Hoof, or in the Pan - He Loves 'Em



"MUTUAL ADMIRATION" might well fit the above shot made of Faust Collier, Rotary President, during the Rotary-sponsored Four County, 4-H Calf Show in Hereford last week-end. Or maybe they were both just plain happy when it was over. —Photo by Alex Thompson.

Volunteer Firemen Submit Plan To 'Make Hereford Safer Town'

Outlining a fire prevention program for Hereford and Deaf Smith County which included both purchase of effective fire fighting equipment and an educational program to make people "fire hazard conscious," volunteer firemen spoke to the Lions Club at their noon meeting Wednesday in the Lions-Rotary Hall.

Earl Phillips, fire chief, and Glenn Witherspoon, assistant fire chief, explained the long range program that firemen are working out. "Plans for a modern fire truck to be added to present equipment have been submitted to city officials," they said. "County officials have also been notified of new high pressure pump trucks that deliver mist rather than cool it, innovations that have proven popular in small towns with small water mains and thus little water pressure," the firemen continued.

Plan Sleeping Quarters
To speed night calls, the firemen are planning to install sleeping quarters in the city hall to have two or four men on duty all the time. All firemen will hold two drills a month to perfect their fire-fighting techniques and will hold fire drill demonstrations.

Bruce Woodruff announced plans for the educational program to help eliminate fires caused by carelessness. Firemen will check homes, or homemakers may pick up hazard lists from the firemen. The lists are not yet available but the public will be notified through the Brand when they may be obtained, Phillips said.

Firemen plan to check into the cause of each local fire, hoping thereby to eliminate similar fire hazards in other businesses or homes.

"We want to make this town as

safe from fire as possible. It will take the co-operation of everybody," Phillips declared. Volunteer firemen were special guests of the Lions Club.

No Meat Shortage With 'Gladys', She Boasts Nine Calves Past Six Years

If there is any kind of a beef shortage in Hereford, "Gladys," the 1000-pound half Jersey, half Durham cow (pictured above), hasn't heard. Gladys, who belongs to G. C. Merritt of 214 D Street, gave birth to her third set of twins on February 9, making a grand total of nine calves she has borne in her brief six years.

Besides raising her own offspring, Gladys has reared four more calves on the side, just to



keep in practice. With an eye to more production in the family, she has managed for all her calves, except one, to be helpers. One of the new twins is a bull, which should make things about perfect. Merritt bought Gladys from Erwin Willoughby when she was four months old in 1942. She had her first set of twins in February of 1944, and the second set in February of 1945, the third set in 1949.

NON-CITY RESIDENTS INVITED

Group To Discuss Annexation

A meeting of all persons living adjacent to the city limits of Hereford and concerned with possible annexation to the City will meet at 7:30 p. m. Monday evening, Feb. 28, to discuss circumstances regarding the situation, according to Ralph Smith, who said Saturday that the meeting will be held in the county courtroom of the courthouse in Hereford.

"The meeting had been called at the request of several persons—some for and some against the annexation—who approached me during the week and asked that I call the meeting," Mr. Smith said. "The object of the meeting is to gather and talk over the good and bad points of joining the City," Smith continued. "Every one is invited to express his

opinion. Some petitions for annexation are already being circulated.

"No city officials or representatives will be invited to the meeting—unless the group might desire to call them in for explanation of further details," Smith said. "This will be our meeting for the sole purpose of discussing the situation as regards the welfare of all concerned," he concluded.

Official action on the part of the group was not expected, due to the fact that the adjoining areas are acting by petition, rather than by elections. The petitions, now in circulation, can be signed only by qualified voters with paid poll tax who live within the

area designated through the petitions. Property owners, living outside the area are not eligible to sign. A majority of the qualified voting residents will be necessary before the annexation could become legal.

Possibility of annexation was foreseen by the city late in 1945, when bonds totaling \$131,000 were voted to install water, sewerage and fire plugs throughout the area—at such time as the territory might see fit to come into the City.

City officials have said that they will not force the groups inside the city limits by election, but have promised to begin construction of the proposed installations immediately in case of voluntary annexation.

AFTER THREE YEAR CAMPAIGN

Hereford Now Has 285 Markers

When the last concrete street marker was installed 10 days ago, it culminated three years of work among civic interest groups in Hereford to bring order out of chaos the maze of haphazard house numbers and unidentified streets.

There are 285 vertical pillar concrete markers and 12 metal markers in town, final steps in the campaign conducted by the city officials, Business and Professional Women's Clubs and Jaycees to map out, name and number Hereford street addresses.

Vertical markers stand at all four corners of street intersections in residential areas and metal name tabs are attached to the new light posts on Main Street corners.

Instigating actual work on the campaign, B. & P.W. clubbers appointed a street marking committee in the fall of 1945 to see what could be done about unidentified addresses over town. This committee has functioned steadily, since then working with city officials. Mrs. Jess Carter, chairman, has drawn up three different city maps to scale marking addresses and streets before a final and effective plan could be decided upon and put to work.

Postal Regulations

"The club had recognized for a long time a general need for a plan of reorganization of house and street numbering, but the thing that spurred us to action three years ago was the Post Office Department's sentiments. They had sent back a lot of local mail incorrectly addressed and it caused quite a furor in town. This project was something the town needed and the club is glad to see it finished so successfully. We, too, are benefiting besides the satisfaction of doing a job that really needs to be done," said Mrs. Carter.

Jim Lipscomb, postmaster, said his department was certainly glad to see the work completed. They are now making plans for enlarging city delivery service to include additional areas where all weather entrances are provided for the houses. New carriers are able to learn their routes much easier, now, with well marked addresses, he pointed out.

He again advised residents on city delivery lists to advise correspondents of correct addresses because the local force is planning to start March 1 returning all local mail incorrectly addressed.

Helps on Telegrams

The Western Union, who daily face the problem of delivering important messages, have welcomed the new street markings. Audie Wiley of the W. U. said "It sure does help. Before this (Continued on Page 8)

Advance Funds Give Red Cross Nice Send-Off

Advance contributions, setting a pace for the 1949 Red Cross drive, totaled \$1250 by noon Saturday, according to Cecil Guseman, chairman of the advance gifts committee.

The big drive gets underway March 1, and will be celebrated at a coffee at the city hall with reports from local volunteer Red Cross workers and discussions of Red Cross projects making up the program.

At that time a final report on advance gifts will be made by Guseman and the committee workers will receive up to the minute instructions on their jobs.

Mrs. Dyalthis Brady, dynamic Red Cross supervisor, especially urged all local people who had been contacted to serve with this year's drive to attend the coffee to be held at 10 o'clock Tuesday.



A crusade started three years ago by the Hereford Business and Professional Women's Club this week materialized with installation of the last of 285 markers similar to the one pictured above. Standing beside the concrete marker are, left to right, Mrs. Dyalthis Brady, Mrs. Jess Carter, and Mrs. Fred Williams, club members who participated in the drive. In cooperation with Hereford Jaycees, the group also assisted in placing new house numbers on most homes in the community. —Photo by W. H. Patton.

FORTY-FIVE GET BADGES, BELTS

Students Patrols Inaugurated To Control Central School Traffic

Central School authorities Friday inaugurated a school patrol manned by 45 students from third, fourth, and fifth grades in the initial step of a traffic safety campaign they plan to perpetuate each succeeding year. School patrols have been set up in other areas over the state, but this is the first time such a plan has been tried in Hereford. D. C. Martin, principal of Central School and director of the campaign there announced.

Junior High School and Catholic School plan to set up similar patrols later.

Duties of these junior patrolmen, responsible in their identifying badges and Sam Brown belts, are limited to controlling school child traffic. They are not concerned with vehicular traffic or the safety of adults. Parents jaywalk at their own risk, the school boys declare.

Duties begin at 8:15 in the morning and for 30 minutes the lads are busy giving students the go-ahead sign when the coast is clear and making students cross the street in the newly-painted safety lanes at each corner. The boys are also on duty from 2:20 until 2:45 in the afternoon, when the three primary grades are dismissed, and again from 3:45 until 4:00 when the fourth and fifth grades leave.

Officers Are Named

Heading the organization are two captains and three lieutenants. Wesley Aldridge, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Aldridge and Edward Hicks, son of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Hicks, are the two head men. Their right-hand men are Bobby Veigle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Veigle; Don Parsons, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Parsons; and Gene Waits, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Waits. After things get underway, these boys will form a roving patrol acting in a supervisory capacity.

Under the present set-up there are five boys on duty at each corner of the school yard, one stationed at each walk, two who work on the bicycle racks, overseeing bicycle placement and directing the riders.

There are nine boys assigned one to each school bus, who are the last ones on and the first ones off. They keep the children from walking in front of

traffic, help them off and on the bus and in other ways assist in safety procedure.

The idea of a school patrol was stimulated by the Hereford Jaycees organizations who presented the idea, purchased and distributed the belts and buckles. Martin said the children had been promised caps for next year.

Huge Organization

"We think this is getting to be a whole of an organization," said Martin. "Of course the children have no jurisdiction over the adults, but we just about have the school traffic in hand. Vehicles will be our big problem and we can use more official supervision than we now have. School safety is a vital factor to the town."

The boys who work as patrolmen from the fifth grade are Bob Melugin, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Melugin; Jimmie D. Auten, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim H. Auten; Tommie Weemes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Weemes; Jack Hagar, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hagar; Donald Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Brown; Charles Hardman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hardman; Jon George Fraser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Fraser; Jack Palmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Palmer; Jackie Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Les Thompson; Bobby Smith, son of Mr. (Continued on Page 8)

ESTIMATE 40 CASES HERE

Health Officer Warns Parents To Safeguard Against Whooping Cough

Dr. R. R. Willis, county health officer, Thursday announced that whooping cough, a contagion that has been raging in Hereford all winter, had not reached epidemic proportions. "I'd estimate there are about 35 or 40 cases in the area right now. The disease has gradually increased in crescendo the last two weeks," he declared.

Dr. Willis warned parents to keep their children away from crowds, away from children who have the disease and to quaran-

Schools Crack Down On 6-16 Age Attendance

Legal Actions To Follow; Curfew Law Considered

Cracking down on the problem of juvenile delinquency and in an effort to wipe out the roots of it, school and county officials met Friday afternoon to discuss plans for enforcing compulsory school attendance laws in Deaf Smith County.

The meeting was held in the office of Superintendent George Graham at the High School with 16 people present. First step in enforcement of the compulsory attendance statute will be to bring back to classrooms all scholastics in the "6-16" age group who have voluntarily dropped school.

Should the students become incorrigible or make no effort to maintain regular attendance the group agreed their names should be turned over to county officials by school personnel and hearings should be held in County Court with both parents and children in attendance.

"We have entirely too many students in the 6-16 age group who are out on the streets instead of attending school," Graham pointed out. "Something must be done about it, and it's up to us as authorities to take the necessary steps."

Leo Forrest, president of the school board, pointed out that a compulsory attendance law had been on the statute books for a long time, but had not been rigidly enforced as of late. It requires scholastics of 6-16 to attend 120 days of school each year and not to be absent without a legitimate excuse.

If during school attendance, students are guilty of insubordination, continual violation of rules, or are becoming incorrigible the law provides they be turned over to juvenile officers and tried in juvenile court, which, in Deaf Smith, is the county court.

They may then be paroled to parents, but violation of this parole by inattention, subjects the parents to a five dollar fine the first day, ten dollar fine the second day and 25 dollars for the third and succeeding days.

Mrs. Dyalthis Brady, county welfare officer, said, "We have a great many transient workers who make no real effort to keep their children in school. They skip around from town to town until their children lose interest in school and do not care about going even when they have the chance."

Forrest agreed with that problem and pointed out that migratory workers were not the only ones who did not take the responsibility for seeing that their sons and daughters attended class regularly.

The groups also discussed a city curfew law to keep minors off the streets. The hour of 11 o'clock week days—12 o'clock Saturdays, was recommended to Police Chief F. S. Buckalew as a logical time for minors, up to 18 years of age, to be kept off city streets. Any future action along this line, however, will remain for city officials to enact or enforce.

Attending the meeting were Fred Baird, A. J. Schroeter, J. C. Reese, Leonard Foster, W. T. Kelly, F. S. Buckalew, D. G. Martin, Don Martin, Mrs. Dyalthis Brady, Mrs. Elmer Patterson, Lyle Woodford, Sylvester Slagle, H. H. Miller, Robert Veigle, Forrest and Graham.

CHEER UP! THERE'S NOTHING MORE DEMOCRATIC

Brand Reporter Finds Dirty Dishes Repulsive - So What?

By PHYLLIS RADOVICH
 If there is one household chore generally looked upon with loathing and disgust it is that of washing dishes. A tragic price to pay for the love of eating is to be suddenly confronted, after coffee and dessert, with mountains of china and silver and piles of pots and pans.

The public surely knows where of we speak, for at one time or another, it must have happened to all.

Washing dishes is the great leveler. Nothing is quite so democratic as attacking a pan of soapy water and a stack of greasy plates. Age, bank book, social position count for naught. Only elbow grease and grim determination get results.

With some housewives, washing dishes becomes an automatic gesture. It's been a part of their day so long they are almost immune to the task. They've either trained themselves to concentrate on something pleasant, or trained their brain to shift into neutral until they struggle through the dishes and then shift back into active gear when they are through.

Total 791 Hours Year
 Probably it is just as well they don't concentrate on the drudgery. Look at some hypothetical

Ticklers

By George



"You asked for leg of lamb. We're sorry we have no lamb—so we brought you very delicious leg of elephant."

That's 26 dollars a year poured down the drain.

But, although cries of anguish and agony generally meet the call, "It's your turn to do the dishes," there are times when its pure delight—better than going hungry at least. Hereford's cafe operators say about once a week somebody drops in offering to work for a meal. They stay one to three hours, take off their apron, walk out the door. One man didn't even bother taking off his apron. At the end of the hour he just walked out the door, the proprietor reported.

Taking the good with the bad is all part of life, apparently, so dirty dishes must follow chicken dinners and apple pie. Vitamin capsules and food pills, with all their kitchen freedom, will

probably never replace succulent roasts or ice cream mounds.

New Fangled Aids

To help the little woman along, (and of course, the bill payer who has been persuaded to get in on the evening kitchen-sink sessions) American designers have come up with all sorts of dish washing aids from super skilled detergents and soaps practically guaranteed to take the work out of washing, scrub mits and brushes, faucet attachments and chemicals that do everything but dissolve the dishes. And always, of course, the automatic dish washer and garbage disposal.

To her who without the love of dishwashing hold communion with soap chips, warm water and dishes to be washed, there is no lovelier dream.

About 3.5 per cent of all children in the United States have divorced parents.

PROGRESSIVE NEWS

Many Children Missing School Due To Measle Epidemic In Community

MRS. IRA RICKETTS

Dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Ricketts were: Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Ferrin of Roswell, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McMurry of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Anderson, Borger; Mr. and Mrs. Archie Dougherty and family, Clovis; Mr. and Mrs. L. L. McBrayer and girls, Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson and Peggy of Dalhart, Miss Joyce McMurry and Glenn Ricketts who are students of Phillips University, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Russell and children of Hereford. All were here for the service being held at the Christian Church.

We are glad to report that little

spending a week's vacation in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Buzard and children are staying with Joe and Homer while Mr. and Mrs. Hershey are away.

Week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Ricketts were Mr. and Mrs. L. L. McBrayer and girls of Dalhart, Miss Joyce McMurry and Glenn Ricketts.

Several from the community attended the Golden Anniversary at the Christian Church.

Congratulations to C. V. Burges, Jr., and his bride, Miss Doris Willier.

An adult's skin varies in thickness from 1-25th of an inch on the eyelids to as much as half an inch on the soles of the feet.

About two-thirds of the people who obtain divorces in the United States have no children, most of the rest have only one child.



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figures which may be quite accurate. The average household of four people uses an average of 130 articles daily in getting or serving three meals. That's 47,450 every year, and at an average of one minute to wash and dry each one, (sure, spoons go fast, but think how long it takes to scrub a roaster) that's 791 hours spent each year in cleaning up dishes so the family can get them dirty again.

And if that doesn't surprise you, think of it this way. Each year such a homemaker spends 33 days and nights just washing dishes. No wonder people make such a big to-do over Golden Wedding anniversaries. The women who have been wed for 50 years have spent almost four and a half years just cleaning up dirty plates and glasses.

To the man in the family, his wife can safely flaunt a "carry your share of the dishwashing load" banner. Look at the money she's saving him. Most of Hereford's cafes start their dishwashers out at about 50 cents an hour. At those wages, Mrs.

Average Housewife could make \$385.50 a year doing dishes. By helping her out with her tasks, her husband really saves \$19,275.50 over the fifty-year period.

Supposing the wife went on a sit down strike one day and refused to do dishes. A paper plate service for one costs about 25 cents, which in a day amounts to 75 cents for one person, or \$3 dollars for four. If she kept it up for a year it would cost \$975 for paper containers that don't have to be washed. And that's the "cheap" way. What if she bought pottery dishes at \$15 for a service of eight and broke them after each meal.

The 146,000,000 people in the U. S. use, roughly speaking, three and a third billion dishes per day. If one place setting consists of plate, cup, saucer, bowl, knife, fork and spoon stretched out three feet, dishes washed daily in America would stretch out 212,121 miles.

In the average household the budgeteer figures soapflakes for dishes costs 50 cents a week.

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EDITORIALS...

"LITTLE SHAVERS" ON THE JOB

Hereford's Greatest Crop Is Its Boys and Girls

As your "Hometown"—the community which you have selected to seek your livelihood and rear your children—there are lots of nice things you can say about Hereford. In our opinion, however, the finest compliment every paid the town is the large number of "native sons," who have returned to the community to make their home.

Did you ever stop to think how many boys and girls are reared here, finish high school, perhaps go to college, or serve a few years in the armed forces—and return to their home town? Make your own survey. Relax, and let your mind drift from business house to business house—from farm to ranch—and take an inventory of the young men and women you know as "little shavers," who are now serving you in every walk of life. Some are welders, some are clerks, some are doctors and lawyers; even others are operating their own business firms.

Yes, it is amazing. It is important, too. As fathers and mothers, most people devote their lives to rearing their children properly, and to giving them every possible advantage; they hold for their children fond dreams and hopes. As a community, Hereford is composed, for the most part, of fathers and mothers like yourself—but too many towns fail to retain the same individual regard for those all important sons and daughters.

Actual statistics show that the community has thousands of dollars invested in each boy and girl who graduates from its schools. Add

to this, money spent in taxes to provide streets, to make and enforce laws for their protection, to provide water and health facilities; you will have quite a per capita sum for each child. Otherwise sound businessmen often overlook this investment. It is only just and fair that the hometown should have first choice of them, but seldom is such the case.

Hereford, we believe, is unusual in the literally hundreds of young men and women who return to live in their home town. The situation indicates not only that Hereford is one of the best places in the nation to live, but that the citizens—those same mothers and fathers—have taken their children into consideration in planning their town and community. That most other towns face exactly the opposite situation can perhaps be attributed to the attitude of parents, who after all elect and maintain the type of school leaders and city officials they want—to run the town in the fashion which best suits them.

New York City, the largest town in the world, has drawn its captains of industry and its leaders from little towns over the United States—from places like Hereford. When these youth express a preference for Hereford, we are flattered, and certainly we owe them every possible consideration as employers and as customers.

Hereford's greatest crop, any year, is its youth. The Brand is indeed proud to see this annual yield where it should be—at home.

NATIONAL BROTHERHOOD WEEK

True Brotherly Love Could Solve Most World Troubles

It's a small world and as the world shrinks, fences that used to separate races, colors and customs shrink accordingly. A World War engineered to destroy, while it propagandized to preserve, sent the boy next door to Germany; the doctor down the street to Korea. Romantic names and distant places were every day talk. We lived with and learned of our neighbors.

And technology developed for future years; communication and transportation methods so effective airplanes now go faster than sound and when peace is signed on the Isle of Rhodes, the world knows about it in three minutes.

Now that man lives closer with his neighbors, next door or around the world; he is learning that it is his business to learn to live with them successfully. There is a three fold good—for the world, the nation and for each individual. Man is learning painfully that good neighborliness and brotherhood are important.

For the good of the world: It is the same old story, but wars aren't the only kind of strife. World torn by distrust, indifference and petty suspicions can never co-ordinate efforts for the progress of all. To abolish conflict en-

tirely is to abolish instigators of progress, but to purposely create antagonism is to grow backwards toward barbarism.

For the good of the nation: The United States, a famous melting pot, has sheltered immigrants and tourists from every nation on the globe. They call America home now, because they believe in it. While the future of the United States is the future of its various citizens they must all be guaranteed not only the constitutional freedom of equal rights, equal opportunity, and equal protection under the law, but also the friendliness and welcome of a real home.

For the good of self: Medical science has come up with a new angle on this business of love thy neighbor. Says science, "Prejudices are poison; it's healthier not to hate." Distrust is a frustrating thing, generating mental ills, disintegrating personality. It breeds fears and lack of confidence which could be two strikes against anyone struggling to find his place in a confusing world. America is a land of mental ills. Perhaps the world needs Brotherhood week, because people need brotherly love.

GUEST EDITORIAL

Socialism On Its Way Out

A prominent citizen predicted the other day that in ten years America would be a Socialistic nation.

Why ten years? Why not 1949? We are traveling toward socialism at a break neck speed. We say that we are fighting the communies, but we are going the route of socialism.

Perhaps we shall never have socialism in its worst in America, but it is coming more rapidly than most of us realize.

There are millions and millions of people in the nation who believe that the government can and should do anything and everything for them.

They haven't the slightest idea about doing anything for the government. They have the idea that the government should take care of them from the cradle to the grave. And the government is darned near doing that very same thing.

Just look over the bills which are introduced in Congress; at the bills which are introduced in the Texas legislature. Socialism is sticking out of hundreds of these bills.

—Canyon News.

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the BOOTLEG philosopher

(Editor's note: The Bootleg Philosopher contends Gen. Eisenhower is endorsing his indolent way of life, but we suspect it's just the opposite.)

Dear editor:
A lot of people think there's a lot of things wrong with this country and maybe there is, maybe you could do better, but generally it suits me, although there is one or two small improvements I could make. There is too much advisin goin on, for one thing.

For example, a newspaper turned up out here the other day with a statement from another expert sayin too many people are leavin the farm and goin to the city, and he was advisin the trend to reverse itself, sayin the city folks ought to move to the country, not countin him, of course.

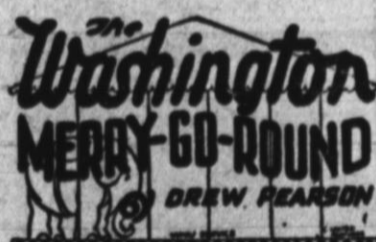
That's where I draw the line. There ain't nothin harder on the peace and quiet of country life than to have a city man move on a farm near you. Just as soon hire a agitator in a bomb factory. He ain't satisfied with the world like he finds it, the first thing he does is install a electric pump, pipe water all over the place, paint his barn, build new fences, put a attic fan in his house, gravel his road, buy a new mail box, and unsettle the whole area.

If you stick with it long enough, you can come close to convincin your wife you ain't got time to hang the front gate, that the barn roof has lasted fifteen years, it ought to last a while longer, that a well on this place won't justify no electric pump, that paint's gonna be cheaper next year, etc., but let some city man move out and start improvin, and he plays havoc with a man's peace of mind, and I was readin only this mornin where Gen. Eisenhower says this nation is endangered by paralysis of the mind.

Accordin to him, this country needs a lot of thinkin done, and I am happy to see him endorse my system. Didn't know he knew about me. Anybody, if he work hard enough and sleeps less and less can acquire all the gadgets there is, but me and Gen. Eisenhower realize it takes some contemplatin along with the hustlin to keep this country safe. Some folks attribute it to laziness when they see me lollin in the sun, but I ain't dozin, I'm thinkin. My eyes may be shut but my mind is racin.

Let the city folks stay in the city and do the hustlin. I'll stay out here and do the thinkin.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.



Predicts Grain Surplus

PORTHURST Secretary of Agriculture Charlie Brannan warned a closed-door senate session recently that the government may have to buy up 800 million bushels of grain this coming year.

Reporting to a private session of the senate agriculture committee, Brannan explained that farmers are overplanting grain and cotton, that prices may go into a tailspin. In this case the government will have to take the crops off the farmers' hands. The money to do this Brannan cautioned, is limited.

"Next year," he declared, "it is entirely possible we will have all of our working funds committed."

Though the secretary of agriculture could use more funds to protect support prices, it isn't likely that congress will add to the four and three-quarter million dollars now available. This means the government probably will be forced to lower support prices.

Sen. Milton Young, North Dakota Republican, asked whether Brannan favored support prices kept as high as 100 per cent of parity, such as demanded by the Farmers Union.

"It is desirable," replied the secretary of agriculture, "but looking at the other aspects of the price-support program, I don't believe it is at all possible."

He pointed out that the agriculture department not only couldn't stretch its money that far, but that 100 per cent of parity would encourage even more overplanting. Result would be an oversupply of commodities supported by the government and a scarcity of com-

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Modern Martyrs



LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

LIGHTS FOR PEDESTRIANS

The Hereford Brand.

The new street lamps are grand, but why waste them on Main Street? Main Street is lighted by dazzling shop windows movie marquee and neon signs. The old lamps were plenty bright and much prettier. Why not put the 'high octane' illumination on the back streets, that need them, to light the path of the unwary traveler and discourage petty thievery? What a swell town we'd have then.

People do walk in this motor driven age and more would with a little inducement. It is good to copy big towns, if they have what we need, and even to have a big city complex, maybe, but it is better to be a small town and improve on the mistakes that the big towns have already made, instead of slavishly copying them because they are bigger—but not necessarily better.

Mrs. Lee Smith
Box 852
Hereford

The following material regarding the basic science bill was submitted to The Brand by R. R. Willis, M. D. A similar release presented the other side of the highly controversial question last Sunday.

The Minimum Standards Bill, now pending in the State Legislature raises issues that merit the careful consideration of every citizen in Texas.

The bill would establish minimum standards of education for all those who practice the healing arts in the State of Texas.

Moreover, it would require that all practitioners, doctors, osteopaths, chiropractors, naturopaths and others pass an examination before a board of examiners.

Examinations would be given in the six sciences generally admitted to be basic to all branches of the healing arts. The examining board would be composed of six members, appointed by the governor from the faculties of the leading colleges in Texas.

Under the provisions of the bill no member of the board could be a doctor or a member of any branch of practice.

The purpose of the Minimum Standards bill is to insure that every person who administers to the sick shall be qualified to do so.

The fundamental issues, as we see them, are two-fold. First is the bill fair? Second, does a Democratic State have the right

to impose such requirements or any profession?

Let us examine the bill on the score of fairness. The examining board is fair by its very composition. Since no doctor of any of the healing arts can be a member of the board, we have the guarantee of impartiality. Since the board members will be those science teachers who actually teach the subjects given, we shall have competent boards. The bill requires examination by number instead of name. Thus it is impossible to tell whose paper one is grading—a further guarantee of complete impartiality. Finally, the sciences on which applicants would be examined are those which the catalogues of the various branches of the healing arts list as those offered in their curricula.

In the final analysis, the question of fairness is not so much that of fairness to a profession as it is fairness to the entire public. . . . those of us who may risk our lives on the knowledge of these practitioners. If the bill is designed to protect the public, it is an eminently fair bill.

In passing, it should be pointed out that the bill does not contemplate rooting out any one now legally practicing a healing art. It would not remove any source of livelihood from present practitioners. It concerns itself, as it should, with the future, and it makes sure that future practitioners prove themselves competent to treat before they are allowed to do so.

Has the State of Texas the right to impose these requirements on a profession? Let us examine this question briefly.

The actual fact is that the profession of healing is one of the very last in this State to arrive at a workable set of minimum standards to govern its practitioners. We find minimum standards imposed in the field of law, teaching, the trades, veterinary medicine, in fact, just about every conceivable field except perhaps the one most important to us—that field involving our health.

The State not only has the right to establish minimum standards in the field of the healing arts; it is faced with the solemn responsibility to do so now—at this session of the legislature.

We are already lagging behind eighteen other States who have put this legal guarantee of competence in the sickroom to work for their own citizens. It is time to catch up.

DID YOU KNOW

By HOMER FOX

Hereford had a first class baseball park in 1910 and 1911? A. O. Thompson Lumber Company was located where Mrs. Ward's home and the Gentry Apartments are now—across the Lake on the north side. Alex Thompson built the Ball Park. It had a grand stand of 300 or more capacity—had a solid board fence 10 feet high all the way around and the inside was covered with advertisements and there were plenty of knot holes for the kids. Alex says the hardest job they had was to keep the fence up when the high winds started around the corner—sometimes a whole section would flatten out.

The biggest worry of all, was to get competition, there weren't very many ball clubs close by and they generally played in three days series; Roswell, Childress, Quanah. The only means of travel was by rail. The crowds were good during the week days and most of the time the grand stand was loaded and running over. Plenty of peanuts and soda pop, the customer was allowed to keep the pop bottle until the game was over, in case the umpire called too many bad ones against our side. Some of those ball players were: Carl Shirley, Charlie Bennett, Walter Bennett, Earl Wilson, Otho Beeme, Herman Fowell, Jim Carter, Clyde Beach, Bill Stroud, Big Red (Dave) Alban and Lee Smith.

SUNDAY'S QUESTION

Fire Engine To Serve Rural Areas Endorsed By Farm, Town Residents

Sunday's current question: Do you think Deaf Smith County should buy a fire engine to serve rural areas?

Mrs. Ray Johnson, (Summerfield): "I am certainly in favor of a county fire engine. Of course our place here in on the corner of three counties, but Hereford is the nearest town. Out here we live in fear of a fire, and most everybody has fire extinguishers, but should a really bad fire get started, we would have to call in help from Hereford. We couldn't just stand by and watch our places burn up. So many people in the rural districts have worked hard and spent lots of money improving their places in the last several years; just the thought of a fire scares us, and particularly when we don't have excellent fire-fighting equipment to rely on."

L. B. Lookingbill (Summerfield): "It certainly would be nice if the county would buy a fire engine. One of these days there's going to be a bad fire out this way, and we are going to need help in fighting it. Every fire the county engine could get to would just be that much help."

Earl Phillips, (Fire Department Chief, Hereford): "I am in favor of the county buying a fire truck. There are just lots of fires in the county, and though we might not get out in time to save the building where the fire started, we could keep it from spreading. People in the surrounding territory should have fire protection. However, the State Fire Commission has practically laid down the law against our taking city equipment out of the city limits, leaving city tax-payers unprotected, and the insurance companies don't approve of that either. If the county would buy a fire truck, the fire department would be willing to answer any call in the surrounding territory and do whatever it could to help."

David Rogers, (Dawn): "Of course I'd favor a county fire truck, if we have the assurance that it would be well enough equipped to be effective, and if there will be someone to man it. If the Volunteer Fire Department will answer rural calls with it, it certainly would be a fine thing. Of course, here in Dawn, we have telephones so that we can call for outside help, whereas most rural communities don't even have that protection."

Mrs. Augustus Frye, (Dawn): "I'd certainly favor having county fire equipment. One of the last times we had a fire out here, we really had a time. While excitement mounted over the fire, which started in a box car someone was using for a wash-house, someone else tried to call the fire department by phone. Somehow he couldn't get Hereford, so one noble soul jumped in a car and headed for town. He managed to rouse the fire chief, who started toward Dawn in a big hurry, only to break down about where Joel Switch is. A man in a pick-up came along, so it was decided to tow the fire engine on to the fire behind the pick-up. Some time later the fire engine arrived, and a fireman heroically jumped out, chemicals in hand, to save Dawn from burning up. Cautiously they opened the door to the box-car so as not to fan the flames with the in-rushing air, holding the chemicals in readiness. "Pffft" it went. No chemicals! Dawn didn't burn up that time, but we do need adequate fire-fighting equipment."

Leo Hellman, (Hereford): "I approve of the county buying a fire truck. I think we need a better fire department, and more fighting equipment. I also think we need to pay the firemen."

Lee Benefield, (just outside city limits): "I think the entire rural population would approve of county fire-fighting equipment. From the description I heard, the new type fire engine would be very effective. I certainly favor the project."

Mrs. E. C. Eubanks, (Hereford): "I think, by all means, we should have the city fire equipment on hand in the city all the time. So many people have rental property and real estate here in town that we need fire-fighting equipment on hand whenever it's needed. City tax-payers have a right to expect it. On the other hand, people in the rural areas need fire protection too. The county spends plenty of money for salaries and various projects, so I think buying fire equipment would not be too great a strain financially."

BOOKS ON PARADE

Junior Stories So Well Written As To Attract Interest of Adults

By MARGARET BARRETT

"Choo-Choo" is an engine—a little train engine who carries passengers and freight up hill and down dale, with the help of Jim, the engineer, Oley, the fireman, and Archibald, the conductor. Choo Choo liked his work very well, but the routine of things began to get on his nerves. So one day Choo-Choo ran away—right down the track, through and out of the city—past fields and houses and barns and little towns, frightening all the people nearly to death, and no one, not even Jim or Oley or Archibald, could stop him. What happened to "The Little Engine That Ran Away" is related in a story by Virginia Lee Burton for children of pre-school age. It can be found at the county library.

"Hi-Po The Hippo" is the story of a baby hippopotamus that nobody seemed to want—at first anyway. Left in a basket on the doorstep of Mr. and Mrs. Hippo, Hi-Po was met with very cold reception from Mr. Hippo, who hated little boys. Little boys, he said, were nothing but nuisances—they were always in the way. So Mr. Hippo packed Hi-Po back in the basket, and started to the Police Station with him. Well, Mr. Hippo got to the police station all right, but he was escorted there by policemen in the police-car, because as soon as people found what Mr. Hippo had in that basket, they called him a "baby-stealer" and all sorts of bad names. Poor little Hi-Po, bounding around in that basket all the time, was very unhappy. Of course there was only one way for Hi-Po to express his feelings, so he began to cry. He cried and cried and cried, and nobody could stop him—nobody

at all—except Mr. Hippo. And so Hi-Po had a new home, complete with a horse, a football, a little red wagon, and a puppy dog! "Sugarfoot The Horse" was the children's favorite of all the horses on the Merry-go-round. At first, Sugarfoot was very proud of his popularity, but then he got to thinking: since all the children believe I'm such a fine horse, probably I could be famous doing something else. So Sugarfoot began to have dreams of being a race-horse, or singing on the radio, or even being a movie star. One day Sugarfoot ran away—right down into the great, big glittering city, where the lights flashed on and off and all the people were hurrying to and fro. But Sugarfoot got all dirty—cars and buses splashed mud on him, and just practically ruined his beautiful coat. And then, just as he had found a lovely lily-pond in which to take a bath, an officer came along and made him get right out—not paying a bit of attention to Sugarfoot's feelings. Things went from bad to worse, and Sugarfoot would have given just anything for that merry-go-round again, but he didn't know where to find it. He was totally lost in that great city. It got dark, and still Sugarfoot wandered and wandered, getting more unhappy all the time, until—ever so faintly—he heard a song. It went—"Din Danny Doo-Din Danny Dingle"—and Sugarfoot's heart leapt for joy. Racing in the direction of the music, he found the Merry-go-Round again, and took his place—the finest and happiest horse there!

Fanders the Cat "Fanders" was a cat—one of the laziest cats ever. Fanders didn't mean to be naughty—nobody could stop him—nobody

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Bouquet For Garbage Men

Perhaps the most overlooked individual in the community is that "unsung hero," your garbage man.

True enough, he is paid for his services and probably paid well. On the other hand there are millions of well-paid men and women over the country who are not doing their jobs too well. Unfortunately, we are not acquainted with Hereford's garbage department and street cleaning personnel, but The Brand does recognize the splendid job these men are doing.

All agree as regards the importance of these tasks, for upon their execution hinges the health and welfare of the entire community. Let's give these men a kind word from time to time, and express our appreciation to city officials for the town's most important job—well done.

WANT ADS

Notice to Classified Advertisers:

Effective July 1, and thereafter, the following deadlines will be maintained regarding placement of Classified Ads in The Brand and The Sunday Brand Thursday:

No ads will be accepted after 12 o'clock Wednesday immediately preceding publication date.

Sunday

No ads will be accepted after 11 o'clock Saturday immediately preceding publication date (identical rates will be maintained in both publications)

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1. FOR SALE Miscellaneous

See the new floor safe on display in the Hereford Brand window. It is the economical and safe way to protect your valuables.

B-1-30-tfx

For sale: Studio divan in good condition. Has upholstered arms. 137 B Avenue or phone 463-W.

B-1-16-5-tfx

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Any Quantity

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B-1-30-tfx

NURSERY, good assortment plant now. Mrs. J. F. Ward, north Main.

B-1-11-6-6c

For sale: Well graded extra good, dry land hegarri bundles. 11 miles north of Dawson. Jack Wright, care of West Texas Feed, Seed and Hatchery Co.

B-1-24-34-3c

For sale: House trailer, 26 feet, 1945 Roycraft. New dollies and tires. New apartment size range. Price, \$1900.00. Can be had for \$400.00 down. J. E. Dickinson. Located at Hereford Trailer Courts.

B-1-32-8-2p

For sale: Stucco house to be moved. 28 ft. by 32 ft., 4 rooms. Only \$1750.00. Located 12 miles south on highway 51 and 1/2 mile east. Lee Renfro, Rt. 3, Hereford.

B-1-30-8-2p

For sale: 22 foot house trailer and lot 50 x 190. See at 213 A St., Hereford.

B-1-15-8-2p

FOR SALE

We have some good buys in cars, Tractors and equipment, combines, and other items.

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New Shamrock Station West Hereford on Highway 60.

S-1-32-tfx

For sale or Trade: 1,000 gallon butane tank. A Chrysler six motor, one to one ratio gearhead, to trade for 50 H-P vertical electric motor. C. L. McBroom, Willadoro, Texas.

S-1-30-34-2p

For sale: 1948 Cushman motor scooter. In good condition. Eight months old. Call 837-J, 207 West 6th.

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For sale: One four and one five room house. All modern. To be moved. J. O. Lytle, Hereford, Texas.

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B-1-6-2-P

For sale: A 500 capacity electric chick brooder. Mrs. J. L. Lookingbill, 130 Avenue B.

S-1-15-35-1p

For sale: Used power take off and power lift for model UC Allis Chalmers tractor. Farmers Equipment Co. West Hiway 60.

S-1-21-35-1c

For sale: Allis Chalmers No. 3 power take off mower, good as new. Farmers Equipment Co.

S-1-15-35-1c

For sale: Practically new Allis Chalmers 2 bottom mole board plow on rubber. Farmers Equipment Co.

S-1-16-35-1c

For sale: Thriving farm implement business seventy miles from Amarillo.

B-1-10-35-4k

For her excellent co-operation in giving information in connection with the Hobby Show, Mrs. Charles Newell has two tickets to see "Wake of the Red Witch," a picture of underwater action, starring John Wayne and Gail Russell, showing at the Star Theatre next Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday. Call at Brand Office for tickets.

1-x

For sale: Building and lot planning mill equipment. Would sell all together or separate. Burdine Planting Mill on West Highway 60, see or call Mrs. Ella Burdine, 4017-J.

S-1-23-35-2c

For sale: Milch cow, D. R. Vanever. 1 mile south of Hereford.

B-1-12-35-2p

For sale: A good variety of Rose bushes to pick from. Hereford Floral Shop. J. R. Daniel.

S-1-16-35-1c

For sale: Chrysler Six Industrial motor with pump head, radiator. Good condition. J. A. Dickson, 1 1/2 miles north Hereford on Hiway 51.

B-1-22-35-4p

Strayed: Dun horse from Godwin farm, weight 900 pounds. Notify Kenneth Cook, Vega, Texas.

S-1-14-35-1k

For sale: Fresh Jersey cow with or without calf. J. C. Reese, Phone 9006-P4.

S-1-14-35-1p

2. FOR SALE Farm Equipment

FARMERS

Protect your valuables in a fireproof home safe. Minimum cost. See these safes at the Hereford Brand.

B-2-30-tfx

NEW WHITE IRRIGATION MOTORS READY TO GO. JOHN WOOD EQUIPMENT COMPANY

B-2-11-38-tfx

For sale: 1947 Oliver 80 Tractor with four row planter. In excellent condition. Priced right. See at Oliver-Miller Implement Company.

B-2-21-34-3p

For sale: New S. C. Case tractor with tool bar and attachments. Call Vera Byrnes, phone 764.

B-2-16-8-2c

FOR SALE

Allis-Chalmers WC tractor one year old and with lister, Planter, cultivator, and mower. Also MM "R" with single or regular front wheel and complete beet and row crop equipment.

T. E. SIGLER

113 B. St. Ph. 809-W

B-2-33-tfx

For sale: 8 ft. Hoeme plow with extensions, practically new. Ivan Block, Route 1, Phone 246-J.

B-2-16-33-tfx

If Mrs. Darrell Blanton will call at the Brand Office some time this week, she will get two tickets to see "Wake of the Red Witch" with John Wayne and Gail Russell, showing at the Star Theatre Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, for her timely tip on the Hereford story in the Ladies Home Journal.

1-x

3. Automobiles FOR SALE

For sale: 1940 Buick super, 4-door, 50 series, radio and heater. Good tires and good motor. John Wood Equipment Company.

B-2-21-3-3c

For sale: 1940 Studebaker Champion. See Ervin Ward at Star Theatre.

S-3-11-36-1p

D. C. Martin gets two tickets to see "Bad Boy" starring Lloyd Noland, Jane Wyatt and James Gleason at the Star Theatre Wednesday and Thursday for his news tip on the school patrol. Call at Brand office.

1-x

For sale: Clean 1941 Ambassador Nash (Six) club coupe, "48" motor, radio, heater, over-drive. Good tires. Priced to sell. 204 Ross Ave. 489-J.

B-3-23-35-2p

4. REAL ESTATE For Sale or Trade

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Phone 278

S-4-2-tfx

For sale: Large 14 room house and three baths. See Mrs. C. C. Ferguson, 514 Union or call 485.

B-4-19-6-tfx

FOR SALE

Have 2 irrigated 160 acre farms improved near Hereford make down payment and take up loan and owners will carry second loan, payable 1-7 of crop delivered at elevator.

J. M. HAMBY

New Shamrock Station on highway 60 West Hereford

B-4-8-2-C

HOUSES FOR SALE

3 bedroom brick on pavement \$8,000. 6 room bath double garage on pavement \$5,750. 5-room bath on pavement, \$5,750. \$1,500 down \$40 month on balance. 4-room house 2 lots, \$3,250. New 2 room house 1 lot, \$2,250. Have other good buy in large and small houses, see my listing before you buy.

J. M. Hamby

New Shamrock Station on Highway 60 West Hereford

B-4-8-2-C

11. BUSINESS SERVICES

ANNOUNCING

A Complete Earth Moving, Land Leveling and Plowing Service. Motor grader and bulldozer work, land leveling, and all types of plowing. Call D. W. Wallace, 831-W or George Byrd, 9015-F-3

B-11-24-tfx

FARMS FOR SALE

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J. M. HAMBY

New Shamrock Station on highway 60 West Hereford

B-4-8-2-C

5. FOR RENT

For rent: Unfurnished apartment. Call 436-J.

B-5-6-7-tfx

For rent: Tank type vacuum cleaner and attachments. Also electric floor polisher. NIPPER ELECTRIC

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B-5-13-8-2k

For rent: Nice bedroom newly decorated. Close in. 219 Lee Ave., Phone 692.

B-5-13-8-2k

For rent: Furnished apartment. Phone 749-J.

S-5-9-35-1p

For rent: Bedroom with private entrance. 113 Fuller Street, Wesley Brown.

B-5-11-35-2p

For rent: Bedroom close in and quiet. 108 8th Street.

S-5-9-35-1k

For rent: Three room house, 1028 25-Mile Avenue.

S-5-9-35-1K

For rent: 2 room furnished house. Phone 771-W. Ralph Smith.

S-5-10-35-1p

6. WANTED

WANTED

Experienced night man for service station.

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100 Main Ph. 588

B-6-35-tfx

Wanted: Ironing to do in my home by the hour or piece. Call 80-J or 114 Fuller.

B-6-16-8-2k

Wanted to rent: A hospital bed. J. L. Luck, Phone 554-W4, Hereford.

S-6-12-35-1k

Ironing wanted. Mrs. Presley 111 Bradles.

S-6-9-35-1p

8. HELP WANTED

Help Wanted: A mechanic that is capable of handling our service department. Apply at Farmers Equipment Company, West on Highway 60, Phone 426.

B-8-23-8-2c

Wanted: Housekeeper. Choice of living at home or working day-time only. Satisfactory pay. Call 543-J or inquire at 704 Jackson. Hereford.

B-8-21-35-2p

10. NOTICE

NOTICE

We buy and sell second hand furniture. We also sell on commission tractors, cars, combines and anything in the way of machinery, you can bring it in and park it on the lot, or we will try to sell it where it is.

J. M. HAMBY & FRED BELL

West Hereford at new Shamrock Station.

B-10-3-tfx

NOTICE

Will someone who borrowed our "History of the XIT Ranch" please return to Mrs. Gilliland, Phone 144-J.

S-10-3-2-C

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5-10-35-1P

Higley Awarded Bronze Star For Courageous Duty

A Bronze Star for "meritorious achievement for armed ground operations against the enemy" was received last Tuesday by Harold T. Higley, an award granted for his heroic action in Germany Sept. 20, 1944.

At that time Higley was a private serving as company scout with the 60th Regiment, 90th Infantry Division. The men were

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B-11-13-8-4p

12. LIVESTOCK Strayed—Found

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B-12-29-35-tfx

at Heurtgen, just inside the German border, when the platoon was attacked and Higley, armed with only a Garand rifle and a Browning Automatic Rifle was alone holding the platoon's left flank against enemy attack.

He was recommended for the Bronze Star award for his "courage and attendance to duty." Seven days later he lost a foot in another battle.

Higley entered the army at De-

troit, Mich., in 1943, and was discharged in 1945. For the past twelve years he has lived in and around Hereford at various times, but established his permanent residence here two years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Fuller of Bentonville, Arkansas spent Wednesday night and Thursday here with his sister, Mrs. Frank Terrell.

"42" PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Renfro entertained at a "42" Party Friday evening. Guests from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Thomas, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thomas, Jr., of Plainview. Guests from here were Mr. and Mrs. George Springer, and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Mauk.

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Childre Funeral Is Held Friday

Last rites for E. B. Childre, 80 year old retired Deaf Smith County farmer and father of Jim Childre of Hereford, were held Friday at 3 p. m. in the First Methodist Church with Dr. Francis Pritchard, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Amarillo officiating, assisted by Rev. Don Davidson.

Mr. Childre, who had farmed a quarter section of irrigated land four miles north east of

Hereford for a quarter of a century, retired about 18 months ago and moved to 809 North North Polk in Amarillo. He had been in ill health for about a year. His death occurred at his home Wednesday morning.

He was born Sept. 16, 1868 in Mississippi where he attended schools and was graduated from the University of Oklahoma. He came to Texas not long after he finished college. In 1922 he moved to Deaf Smith County from Hall County and took up farming on the land which his son still maintains.

Prior to his becoming a farm-

er, both Mr. and Mrs. Childre had taught school.

The couple had five children, Agnes and Ruth, who are now living in Lovington, Madge, a school teacher in Albuquerque; Edith, now living with the family in Amarillo and Jim, who farms the homeplace in Deaf Smith County.

Pall bearers for the funeral service were Luther Tebley, George Suggs, Troy Moore, M. O. Sowell, G. T. Higgins and A. R. Higgins.

Interment was made in West Park Cemetery with the Blackburn Shaw Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Davidson Raps Social 'Med' Law Proposal

Hereford Pastor Is Back From Chicago Gold Cross Meeting

Returning recently from the National Convention of Methodist Hospitals and Homes in Chicago, as Conference Director of the Golden Cross, Rev. Don Davidson of the First Methodist Church says he "learned some astonishing facts" about the proposed program of compulsory health insurance launched by the federal government.

According to Rev. Davidson, the Methodist Church owns and operates 70 hospitals, with over 12,000 beds and a personnel of over 16,000, including 6,000 doctors, representing a total value of nearly \$120,000,000. "The prospective program for federal health will close the doors of all these institutions, not by mandate but by competition subsidized," said the Hereford minister.

"The four hundred delegates of the convention," Rev. Davidson continued, "were not so much concerned over the loss of valuable property and thousands of jobs as they were over the social results of the long term program. Subsidy of medicine will destroy competition and thus also destroy incentive in the minds of the medical world."

Back 100 Years

Citing conclusions reached in many of the forums and lectures of the convention program, Rev. Davidson said, "... such a program would turn our nation back hundreds of years. 'England,' he added, 'is already facing the fact that without competition as an incentive she must resort to compulsion to get results from her medical personnel as well as her citizens, and the use of force is a failure in medical programs as well as in other types of services.'"

A comparison was made between a bureaucratic form of medicine, as used in the present Veterans program, and the program used in voluntary hospitals. "To build hospitals costs the government from \$25,000 to \$50,000 per bed," Rev. Davidson noted, "while voluntary hospitals do the same thing for an average cost of about \$13,000. Average stay in the veterans hospitals for an appendectomy is 14.3 days, while the same average in voluntary hospitals is 7.8 days. In addition, the proposed health program would be subject to constant disturbance by politics."

Voluntary Programs

"Much of the trend of thought in the convention," emphasized Rev. Davidson, "was that at present the Blue Cross program for health has 33,000,000 members and is gaining 4,500 each day. Recruiting memberships in voluntary health insurances, and making reports on endowed programs of philanthropy would help offset the cry for free services of subsidy from the government," it was brought out by convention delegates, many of whom were outstanding doctors and administrators from all over the nation.

Rev. Davidson left Monday of last week for the Chicago convention, returning Saturday.

Trucker Awarded \$1,700 Damages

Reid Cochran, plaintiff, was awarded \$1700 in damages from the World Fire and Marine Insurance Company, in a district court case held Monday and Tuesday. The jury returned the verdict in favor of the plaintiff after deliberating for five hours.

This case involved payment on a fire insurance policy covering damages that resulted when a 1940 two-ton truck was destroyed by fire in Deaf Smith County in December, 1947. Cochran was suing for payment of \$2500.

At the time the truck burned Cochran was living near Hereford working as a trucker in the fruit and vegetable business. He is now a resident of Bowie, Texas.

John McLean was a business visitor to Plainview on Wednesday.

JayCee Team In Amarillo Meet

Earl Stagner, manager and center for the Hereford Jaycee basketball team, announced yesterday that the Jaycees will enter the play-offs to be held in Amarillo next week. These play-offs, to be held in the Amarillo Junior College gym March 2, 3, 4, and 5, will determine a team from this area to represent the

West Texas area in the National A. A. U. tournament at Oklahoma City the following week.

Stagner said the Phillips 66 "Oilers" have the best chances of any team to win the national tournament, and that in his opinion the West Texas State freshmen team would be the team the Jaycees will have to worry about in Amarillo.

Mac Bainum of Friona was a business visitor to Hereford on Wednesday.

Cruelty is the "cause" given for about 50 per cent of all divorces in the United States, desertion and neglect coming next in order of frequency.

The location of the nesting grounds of the whooping crane, North America's rarest and tallest bird, is still a mystery despite intensive search by prominent biologists.

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Firemen Extinguish Early Morning Blaze

Fireboys were called out at 6 o'clock Thursday morning to extinguish a blaze in a house owned by Matt Gilliland at 613 East Tenth Street.

Fire Chief Earl Phillips said the fire started when the man who rented the place caught the mattress on fire with a cigarette. He estimated damage at between \$25 and \$50 for the mattress and bed clothes.

Mrs. Jack Wederbrook drove her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Laymon and son, C. L. Laymon, Jr., to Amarillo Thursday, where C. L. Jr., underwent a mastoid operation at St. Anthony's hospital. First reports received were that C. L. was doing nicely following the operation.

Mr. and Mrs. William McGehee spent several days last week with relatives in Plainview Lockney and Floydada.



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Ricketts Ordained To Ministry In 50th Anniversary Observance

Ordination services for Glenn Ricketts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Ricketts of Progressive Community, were held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the First Christian Church. This ceremony marked the final service in the Church's Golden Anniversary Celebration and highlighted the week's activities.

Rev. Roy Ford, pastor of the First Christian Church, presided at the services, assisted by Dr. Noel Keith of Texas Christian University, and Dr. Roy C. Snodgrass, pastor of the First Christian Church of Amarillo. A large crowd of church members and friends attended.

The scripture was read by Dr. Keith who also delivered the pastoral prayer opening the service.

Dr. Snodgrass delivered the ordination sermon, speaking on "I have been made a minister." He brought out the fact that a person becomes a minister because of what he is, of what the church is, of what the world is, and of what God is.

Special music was a solo by Ricketts' sister, Mrs. Inez Anderson, who sang, "My Task."

H. M. Thomas, chairman of the church board, presented the candidate for ordination and Rev. Ford delivered the charge. W. E. Dameron led the ordination prayer.

Elders Participate

Elders participating in the service were H. M. Thomas, W. E. Dameron, F. Y. Moreman, W. B. Phillips and the candidate's father, Ira Ricketts.

At the conclusion of the ceremony, Rev. Ricketts spoke on his purposes and intents as a minister and received his ordination certificate from Rev. Ford.

Rev. Ricketts has been a resident of Deaf Smith County all his life. He attended elementary school in Progressive Community and was graduated from Hereford High School. He was called into service during the war and served overseas in the Pacific with McArthur's General Headquarters.

Discharged early in 1946, he returned home and soon entered Phillips University at Enid, where he is now a junior student in the Undergraduate College of the Bible.

Following the ordination service he was honored at a tea in the church dining room. In the



Mr. and Mrs. Ira Ricketts are seen above with their son, Glenn Ricketts, who was ordained Sunday as a minister in the First Christian Church. Mr. and Mrs. Ricketts are long-time residents of Progressive Community, where their son was born and received his elementary schooling. He is now a junior student at Phillips University at Enid. —Photo by W. H. Patton.

receiving line were Rev. Ford, Rev. Ricketts, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Ricketts, his fiancée, Miss Joyce McMurray of Lubbock and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McMurray.

Mrs. Roy Ford, wife of the pastor, and Mrs. Clyde Russell, sister of the newly ordained minister, poured.

Plainview Club Hears Talk By Hereford Lion

"The American Way of Life is good; if it needs improving let us do it through democratic processes rather than communism, socialism, or some other undesirable methods," said Bob Wear in speaking to the Plainview Lions Club at their regular luncheon meeting Wednesday at the Hilton Hotel.

Wear said the practice of criticizing America without working to improve it was a dangerous one, undermining the foundations of the government. However, he said, to strengthen the weak spots required constructive thinking and action.

Building a greater America is everybody's responsibility, but only 50 per cent of the qualified

voters voted in the recent election, according to his statistics.

Wear continued his speech by showing some of the differences between other ideologies of government and the American way. Of communism, he said, "It is contrary to and destructive of the fundamental principles of our way. It promises much but actually gives nothing but misery and hardship. In America the average worker must work three hours for a dress shirt, and in Russia the average worker must work 320 hours for a dress shirt. However, the Russian doesn't need a dress shirt, because he has no place to go and no dress suit to wear."

"Socialism has been a failure in Great Britain. Under this system the individual has lost most of his freedom. The British are being taxed nearly a billion dollars a year to pay for socialized medicine, and the health condition is not improving. We are faced with the possibility of compulsory health insurance. This is a step toward socialized medicine and for that reason dangerous. We must leave the medical profession in the field of free enterprise. Socialism destroys free enterprise, and free enterprise is essential to our way of life," concluded the speaker.

Around Town

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his mother were listening to the bidding, and kept hearing the auctioneer cry, "Nineteen, Twenty... Going at Twenty..." Finally Larry whispered to his mother, "I think I'll buy the next one. I just counted and I've got 23 cents."

Just in case some stranger or new comer might get a touch-ache; Dr. Will F. Graham was busy this week end moving his offices from the Buckner Building to a new location, 224 West Fourth Street.

Emmett Milburn announces this week that he will have his new service station and used car lot, north of Hunter's, open and going Monday morning.

Workmen are in the process of enlarging and remodeling the quarters of Blanton Butane Gas Company this week. Completion date is indefinite, but the building will be approximately doubled.

The maroon of the Chamber of Commerce station wagon clashed with the red of a City of Hereford parking ticket stuck under the windshield wiper Friday; Secretary Pete Cowart, who rode behind the ticket, said it was self-preservation so the world would know he, too, hadn't been exempt.

Among the various functions which the library fulfills is that of helping men answer what is generally women's problems. Thursday, George Heard appeared in khakis and with a worried expression, asking for a book that explained what given names meant. He checked out the book, looking relieved and explained that he belonged to a group of men who got together once every two weeks to cook dinner for their wives. This time he had charge of table decorations and thought that for place cards he'd use the definition of names instead of the names themselves. His problem was to find those definitions and then hope the others knew them. He solved the first one.

Scheduled for Tuesday, March 1, Kerr Implement Company will sponsor a free feed, followed by a John Deere moving picture featuring new farm equipment. Genial Bill Kerr reports that he is expecting and preparing for a big crowd.

Repainting has been underway nights at Furr Food Store this week.

Charles Skelton is new circulation manager at the Brand. If you miss your paper, just call 30 ask for Skelton—and give him the works. Charles insists, however, that he is a "flunkie" who handles the circulation in his spare time.

C. D. Hardesty, Lions Club Chairman of the Sight Conservation Campaign now underway, reports that response by local citizens is highly satisfactory; \$302 was deposited in the special fund Tuesday evening, and 54 more returns came in on Wednesday. "More than 250 responses, altogether, have been received by mail," Hardesty added. "We wish to express appreciation to the Brand, to Francis Hardwick, Star Theater manager, and Radio Station KPAN for publicity," continued Hardesty, "and to Hereford Implement Company, the Sheriff's office, the Chamber of Commerce office and their staffs for assistance in mailing the seals." Reminder cards to citizens who have not yet responded will be mailed out this week.

Watch for an upsurge in jewelry buying. One jewelry firm has announced an auction sale, and two others retailed with prices of "Cost, plus federal tax;" all are announced in this issue of The Brand.

Former Pastor Visits Here
Rev. and Mrs. L. N. Lipscomb, former residents of Hereford when Rev. Lipscomb was pastor of the Methodist Church, visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. Wilder and others here this week. The Lipscombs, now residents of Lubbock, brought with them the manuscript giving the history of the local Methodist Church in its fifty years of existence. This was compiled by the late G. A. F. Parker.

Mrs. D. W. Crawford returned this month from an extended vacation trip to Hot Springs and other points in New Mexico.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Holman is her grandfather, Will Waggoner, 80 years old, of Anderson, Missouri. Mr. Waggoner, who arrived Wednesday to spend a few days is also visiting in the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. B. Richardson of Amarillo.

Hospital Notes

Patients discharged from hospital: Ann Rose Dziuk, med.; Mrs. W. W. Palmer, med.; Paula Sue Moore, med.; Mrs. Herman Drake, surg.; Mrs. Pauline Boone, med.; Mrs. H. F. Benson, surg.; Mrs. J. R. Johnson, med.; J. L. McGee, surg.; Mrs. W. P. Axe, surg.; Louise Axe, med.; Mrs. A. M. Hare, surg.

Patients in Hospital: Jimmie Barnhart, surg.; Mrs. J. M. Boone, accident; Ina Sue Ferguson, med.; O. C. Renfro, med.; Mrs. Don Henslee, surg.; Pearl H. Pruitt, med.; Mrs. Florence Wilkins, med.; Mrs. L. C. Chisum, O. B.; Jerry Luck, med.; Mrs. Joe A. Brown, O. B.; Mrs. James Galagher, O. B.; Jerry Fortenberry, med.

Born to: Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Chisum, a daughter, Sandra Carolyn, Feb. 24; Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Brown, a son, Larry John, Feb. 25; Mr. and Mrs. James Galagher, a son, Robert Joseph, Feb. 25.

Report For Thursday

Patients discharged from hospital: Gerald Free, med.; Mrs. Claude Weathersbee, O. B.; Olive Fox, med.; Willie J. Goff, accident; Mrs. J. H. Jackson, surg.; Mrs. L. C. Jordan, med.; Mrs. B. G. Masie, med.; Raquel Coronado, med.; Marsha Robinson, med.; Mrs. Vance Adams, O. B.; Mrs. M. C. Littlejohn, surg.; Bettye Snead, med.; Evelyn Fowler, med.; Jerry Luck, med.; Lee Kent, surg.; Mrs. E. F. Loerwald, med.

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Dramatics Class Presents Play Friday Evening

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Grover's Corners, New Hampshire, is the "our town" of the story, a metropolis of 1,642 inhabitants. During the course of action, the audience meets most of the town's characters, learns their thoughts, hopes and fears on such auspicious occasions as birthdays, weddings, and funerals. Action takes place at intervals between 1901 and 1913.

Neely Kimbrough led the cast as the stage manager, and narrator of the story, Mrs. Bobby Jane Sisk played the part of Emily Webb, and Eugene Roberson played George Gibbs, Emily's childhood sweetheart.

Dr. and Mrs. Gibbs were enacted by Ronny Durham and Miss Jane Welch; Mr. and Mrs. Webb were portrayed by L. T. Hawks and Miss Nancy Cagle.

Other members of the cast included: Pat Corbett, Joe Crowell; Bill Forbus, Howie Newsome; Miss Alma Faye Knox, Rebecca Gibbs; Bruce Bybee, Wally Webb; John Southall, Professor Willard; Miss Marilyn Henderson, Woman in the Balcony; John Sudduth, Man in the Auditorium; Miss Pat Longbottom, Lady in the Box; John Newsom, Simon Stimson; Miss Joan Hardwick, Mrs. Soames; James Henderson, Constable Warren; Louis LeGrand, Sam Craig; Danny McLallen, Joe Stoddard; Nell Witherspoon, Assistant Stage Manager; Misses Martha Thomas, Reba Dones, Kathryn Davis, and Audrey Hood, and Bob Hamilton, A. L. Williams, Jackie Luck, and Don Davison; people of the Town and Choir.

Crews for staging the play were: Danny McLallen, stage director; Miss Ruby Barclay, Make-up; Miss Mary Kathryn Carroll, Usher; Neil Witherspoon, lights; Miss Gayle Roberson, pianist; Miss Earlena Phillips, Prompter; Miss Pat Longbottom, Student Director.

Officers of the cast were Eugene Roberson, President; Miss Martha Thomas, Secretary-Treasurer; Jack Cogdill, director.

Inaugurating a new type of play presentation for Hereford High School, the "Our Town" cast charged no admission fee, specifying admission by invitation only.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Dunlap of Amarillo announce the birth of a son Saturday morning at St. Anthony's hospital. The child has been named William Dean Dunlap, Jr., and weighed six and one-half pounds. The maternal grandmother is Mrs. E. M. Scholfield of Dallas and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dunlap of Hereford.

Owners Show Champ Lambs



Elvin Yeagley, 18 left, of Elizabeth, Pa., and Jean Graybill, 11, of Manheim, Pa., both 4-H Club members, exhibit their champion Swithead lambs which won ribbons at the Pennsylvania State Farm Show in Harrisburg. Yeagley's entry won the grand championship, and Jean's lamb won the Reserve Championship.

MORE NATIONAL RECOGNITION

Hereford Cited As Ideal Health Point By 'Ladies Home Journal'

Hereford is cited as one of the ideal places in which to live, from a standpoint of health, in an article entitled "What Makes You Healthy?" appearing in the March issue of the Ladies Home Journal. Written by Winifred Raushenbush, the story states that there are two major health belts in the United States, one including the states of Washington, Oregon, Utah and Idaho, and the other including Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana, Missouri, Kansas, and Texas. Of the states in this second belt, Kansas rates first, and Texas second as producers of healthy people.

Production of healthy adult citizens the author attributes to the qualities of prosperity, intelligence and soils that range from better-than-average to the most fertile soils in the nation.

What it means to live in a region of very fertile soils, the author continues, is well-illustrated by the "Town Without a Toothache," where tooth decay is less than in most com-

munities. This lack of tooth decay, she attributes to the calcium and phosphorus in the soils, and to use of home-grown foods and meats which contain these minerals, and to the use of local drinking water, which contains much magnesium and fluorine.

Amount of sunshine, the elevation, the soil, impregnated by volcanic ash, plus home-grown foods are all contributing factors to the health of Hereford residents, according to Miss Raushenbush.

Personals

Earl Phillips spent Friday in Amarillo on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Formby returned Thursday night from a month's trip in the South. Mrs. Formby visited with her parents in Alabama, while Mr. Formby went on to New York and Washington, D. C.

Taft McGee made a business trip to Lubbock on Friday.

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ONE BLOCK EAST OF THE COURTHOUSE IN HEREFORD

Books On

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was just full of vitality and energy and fun, but it seemed as though everything she did caused trouble. First she would get on top of the table, which delighted 4-year old George, but not Mother. Then she would be discovered calmly pulling all the Kleenex out of the Kleenex box—and no sooner would that fun be squelched than she would knock over one of Mother's best yases, in a scuffle with George, and break it all to pieces. One afternoon Pandora got lost. George and his mother just looked and looked all over for her, but not a trace could they find. They began to think Pandora had run away—but as they looked they heard the meekest little sound—"Meow, Meow, Meowwwwwww"! It came from George's room. George and Mother rushed in the room, and after searching wildly, finally found Pandora—in a bureau drawer! Pandora's story is written by Clare Turlay Newberry and is among the children's books at the County Library.

Timothy the Turtle
"Timothy Turtle" lived in Took-A-Look Lake. It was very nice at Took-A-Look Lake, but Timothy was restless. He wanted thrills, excitement, adventure. So one day Timothy started out on the road to fame. The going

was very slow, because Timothy just didn't get around very fast, and besides, it was such rough country away from Took-A-Look Lake. But Timothy was a determined turtle, so he just kept going, with his eyes on the ground below him. Timothy didn't see that huge boulder sliding-sliding-sliding down the hill. When that boulder hit Timothy right on the head, Timothy didn't know about that either. But Timothy was famous—more famous than anyone at Took-A-Look Lake had ever been. Because when that boulder hit Timothy, he did something no turtle has ever done before or since—he turned a somersault—right down that hill. Written in verse the tale of Timothy is by Al Graham, with illustrations by Tony Palazzo.

Children's books are much in demand at the County Library where they are arranged according to grades. The books described above range from preschool age to fourth grade.

Hereford Now

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we sometimes received messages we were unable to deliver because we couldn't locate the addressee. The messenger boy, R. W. Griswold, said it makes his job a lot easier and it will expedite the service we can offer.
Harold Loerwald, who chaired the Jaycees street num-

bering drive, added that his club was mighty proud of the entire project and were glad they could contribute to the campaign. "Street markers and house numbers go hand in hand," he said. "One's no good without the other."
Speaking for city officials, Mayor W. E. Dameron declared that in the past three years almost everything that could be said about street markers had been said and all that was left was just the comment, "I'm glad it's done and I'm glad it's over."

Merry-Go-Round

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modities not under the price-support program.
In the end, it would be the housewives who would pay the bill, cautioned the secretary of agriculture. Abundant commodities would cost more because of the high prices paid by the government to farmers, while scarce goods would cost more because there wouldn't be enough to go around.
"The American people," Brannan shook his head, "will not stand for extreme costs."

Thomas' Elevators

Senators were amazed and amused when Chairman Elmer Thomas of Oklahoma, the speculating senator, put forward an idea for curbing speculation. The man who was once up to his neck in the commodity market urged laying aside tremendous stocks of cotton and grain in order to discourage speculation. By taking large bulks out of circulation, Thomas urged, the speculators would have less to work with.
One senator bit his tongue to keep from smiling. For it was the very same Thomas who delivered speeches on the senate floor blasting the OPA for trying to restrict speculation, together with other speeches bound to influence the commodity market, following which his friends cashed in. When colleagues started investigating Thomas, he scared off super-snooper Sen. Homer Ferguson of Michigan with a letter threatening to expose some of Ferguson's activities.
NOTE—Maybe the reason Thomas has changed his tune, now favors government purchase of warehouses and grain elevators, is that his speculating friends, Dyke Culum, has been urging this course of action.

Brannan Says 'No'

Secretary Brannan didn't think much of Senator Thomas's suggestion. He wants congress to remove the GOP-imposed restriction limiting the storage space which the government can lease, but he did not want the government to go into the business of buying or constructing elevators and warehouses. The agriculture department would rather help farm co-ops build storage, he said.
The secretary of agriculture also dropped this significant hint to the closed-door senatorial meeting:
This year's crop will not be used as a basis for figuring future acreage allotments under crop controls.
Many farmers are planting heavily in order to increase their acreage allotments, Brannan explained, just in case crop controls are ordered. But expended production won't do them any good, because this year's crop won't be taken as the yardstick.

Citrus Fruit

Florida's Sen. Spessard Holland raised the question of price supports for tree crops—such as Florida's citrus fruits, tung oil and pecans. He cited a letter from Ralph Trigg, head of production and marketing, reporting that the agriculture department contemplated no supports for tree crops at the present.
Brannan replied that these commodities are indirectly supported by heavy government purchases for school lunches and the European recovery program.

Students Patrol

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and Mrs. Robert Smith; George Drake, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Drake; and Bob Bradley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bradley.
Fourth grade patrolmen are: John David Bryant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cawthon Bryant; Gerald Free, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Free; Marvin Finley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Finley; Ray Beaver, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Beaver.
Donald Ray Shaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Botts; Billy Ed Callaway, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Callaway; Donald Crone, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crone; Billy Woodford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Woodford; Billy Paul Knox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Knox; Johnny Drye, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leta Drye; Estil Kissinger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Kissinger; Jackie Twiner, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Twiner; Jerry Malone, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Malone, and Dale Sterling, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Sterling.
From the third grade are patrolmen Rhett Plank, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Plank; Carroll Leland Whiteside, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Whiteside; Alan Neff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Neff; Rondel Davidson, son of

Rev. and Mrs. Don Davidson; David Brumley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Brumley.

son of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Houston and Jimmie Dee Cross, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Cross.
The San Francisco cable car system, which once covered 112 miles of track, now has only 17 miles left.
Switzerland has an aerial cable railway which ascends 3,600 feet in its 13,000-foot length and can carry 450 passengers an hour strapped in the twin seats hung from its cable.

Carl Zimmerman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Zimmerman; Jeff Minton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Minton; Dick Fellers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Birdie Fellers; Elson Hudson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hudson; Jerry Luck, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jason Luck; Dale Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Taylor; Jim Culpepper, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Culpepper; Gerald Houston,

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Loerwald-Howard Wedding Date Is Told At Dinner

Announcing the approaching marriage of Miss Pauline Loerwald to W. J. Howard, Mrs. Dyaltha Brady entertained with a Chinese dinner party Thursday evening at her home.

The prospective bride's chosen colors of blue and white established the color tone of the party which centered around the theme "A Little Bird Told Me." A bowl of blue iris and acacia centered the table which was lighted by white tapers in crystal holders. At each guest's place a colorful little bird held blue and white ribbon streamers which extended to place cards and small announcement cards which bore musical notes to reveal the news "Pauline and Bill—March 25, 1949."

Included in the party were the honoree, Frances Young, Mrs. Jim Terry, Ruth Loerwald, Ethel Urbanczyk, Mrs. Blue Turpin, Bess Hagar and the hostess.

Miss Loerwald is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Loerwald and Mr. Howard is the son of Mrs. Zada Howard of Denver, Colo.

Joint Meeting Masons, Eastern Star On Feb. 22

Family night was featured at the annual celebration of Washington's birthday anniversary held Tuesday night at the Masonic Hall by members of the Masonic Lodge and the Order of Eastern Star.

Tables for the buffet style supper were laid with a blue cloth and red, white and blue candles burned in star-shaped holders. Accents at the base of the candles were cutouts in the cherry and hatchet motif. Worshipful master, W. C. Hromas presided.

Following the invocation given by Mrs. A. L. Manjeot, Mrs. Berry Jacobsen led in the group singing of patriotic hymns. Mrs. Vivian Major accompanied at the piano.

Washington is Honored—Robert Thompson was the speaker for the evening and spoke on Washington as a man whom the world pronounced a success. But, Mr. Thompson said, "a check in the history of the life of Washington reveals that he had more disappointments and more losses, especially in the military field, than he had successes. Washington was known and noted as a man of prayer and was never known to admit defeat." Mr. Thompson also told of a recent visit to Mount Vernon, Washington's home.

Films of Red Cross activities, Ranch life and a comedy, were shown under the direction of W. H. Patton. Approximately 75 attended the annual celebration.

Those on the arrangement committee were Mesdames Frank Terrell, Vivian Major, John Patton and Miss Lucy Reed. Those serving on the decoration committee were Mrs. O. H. Culppepper, Mrs. Frank Terrell and Miss Lucy Reed.

PERSONALS

Miss Adeline Koelzer spent Sunday in Amarillo.

Misses Rosemary Phillips and house-guest Freeman Melton, from West Texas State College visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Phillips last week end.

Mrs. T. C. Covington drove to Dallas Thursday on a shopping trip. Her sister, Mrs. Elvis Robinson of Olton accompanied her. They returned Sunday.

Faust Collier spent Tuesday in Clovis attending the horse sales.

Mrs. Kate Dixon left Wednesday for Denver, where she will visit with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Ebeling.

Mrs. Virginia Wallace and Mrs. Odice Bulls spent last week end in Carlsbad visiting with Mrs. Bulls' mother, Mrs. Floyd Hacker; also her sisters, Mrs. Obed Pinkert and Mrs. Walter Mean, and her brother, Junior Hines.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Comer of Colorado Springs visited from Wednesday till Friday with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Neill. Mrs. Frank Neill, who has been visiting her son and family for the past two weeks, returned to Colorado Springs with the Comers.



HOBBY SHOW CREATES WIDE INTEREST

—Photos by Elmer Patterson

Outstanding Displays Are Seen By Young And Old

The Hobby Show, sponsored by the LaPlata Club, drew hundreds of visitors here Saturday and Sunday afternoon, along with thousands upon thousands of words of praise as visitors loitered among the varied displays in Cogdell Motor Company show rooms.

Winners Named
Winners of this year's show chosen by popular vote, were: adult creative, Mrs. R. C. Childers, first; textile painting and shellcraft, Mrs. Charles Newell, second; paintings and soap carving, Mrs. Lowell Sharp, third; knitted bed-spread, Mrs. B. E. Roberson, spoons, first; Joe Green, semi-precious stones and arrowheads, second; Mrs. Wayne Evans, demitasse cups and antiques, third.

In the Junior Creative division, Mary Ruth Strange won first for her market-place; Billy Joe Kelly won second for his erector-set Ferris wheel, and Nelson Pierce won third for his crayon drawings.

Junior collective division awards went to Earleen Plank, Japanese articles, first; Nancy Patterson, perfume bottles, second, and Mary Ruth Strange, dolls, third.

Review of Winners
Mrs. R. C. Childers, who won first place with her display of textile painting and shell craft in the Adult Creative Division, says, "I started making articles

in shellcraft several years ago when I became interested in helping the Camp Fire Girls. I have really paid off with my hobby for I have made Christmas gifts, birthday gifts and many other gifts in shellcraft. Recently I have been taking orders for making jewelry. Plaques are among my latest creations, and the corsages too, are made of fish scales. The little shoe is of felt, covered with plaster paris and decorated in shells."

Mrs. Charles Newell won second place in the Creative Division with her paintings and soap carvings. Her original soap carvings are her pride and joy; she also does pen and pencil sketches and water-colors. The 12 figurines done in ivory soap and with a paring knife when she wanted a different Christmas decoration, represent the Nativity scene with each little figure a work of art in itself. Mrs. Newell displays the scene with Bayberry candles on a dark background.

Mrs. Lowell Sharp placed third with a knitted bedspread. This bedspread won second place at the Tri-State Fair this year. It was begun before the war but she was unable to finish it until after the war because the thread was not available.

Mrs. B. E. Roberson placed first in the Adult Collective Division with a display of spoons. She began the collection with

one spoon in Yellowstone National Park in 1939 and since that time the collection has grown to 200 spoons, most of them in sterling. There are 38 states represented, along with 27 foreign spoons representing 15 countries. The major historical event are depicted in the spoons including one of George Washington and the cherry tree. The smallest one is a tiny salt spoon given to Mrs. Roberson by Mrs. O. G. Hill and the late Mrs. Carl Frye gave her the one, obtained at a B.F.O.E. convention, which she has owned for 35 years. One came from a jeweler in Dallas, and was owned by Mrs. Lee Curry for 37 years. Rev. R. H. Cagle contributed one from Hawaii, and another represents one of the oldest normal schools in the

Hobby Display To Be Annual Event

Due to outstanding success of the Hobby Show held last Saturday and Sunday at the Cogdell Motor Building, members of the LaPlata Study Club, sponsor of the event, decided to make it an annual affair to be held consecutively with the 4-H Club Fat Stock Show each year.

This year the show was sponsored in an effort to raise funds for the nursery at the Deaf Smith County Hospital. After members had contacted Elmer Matties, business manager at the hos-

SEEN AT THE HOBBY SHOW: Top left, Mary Ruth Strange stands beside her "Market Place" entry, which won first place in the Junior Creative Division; left center, Mrs. R. C. Childers inspects her first place ribbon before the display of textile paintings and shell craft, Adult Creative Division. Lower left, Mrs. Clyde Cave and Mrs. Homer Brumley, co-chairmen of the arrangements committee, are seen admiring a silver tea pot in the antique collection of Mrs. Wayne Evans. Top right, Earleen Plank, first place winner in the Junior Collective Division, with her Japanese Art collection; lower right finds Mrs. B. E. Roberson with her collection of 200 spoons, first place winner in the Adult Collective Division.

pital. The one from England rare Early American styles and designs was contributed by Rev. C. T. Jordan of Spring Lake.

Joe Green's semi-precious stones and arrow heads, was rated second in the Adult Collective Division. He started collecting arrowheads when a small child in East Texas and has been collecting polishing and mounting beautiful stones for 20 years. Most of the stones have been found within a 50-mile radius of Hereford. Sometimes he sells them but every spring he will be found looking for these stones and arrowheads.

Mrs. Wayne Evans won third place with her antique collection. She became interested in collecting antiques when family heirlooms came into her possession. She also collects odd and

Earleen Plank was first place winner in the Junior Collective Division with her Japanese Art collection. An aunt in Japan has been sending items to her. The doll in above pictures is the one used at the Doll Festival in Japan which is held each year on March 3. The dolls are ceremonial dolls and are displayed in the best room of the house. The hairdress is for an unmarried woman. The kites are flown by the boys during "O-Sho-gatsu" (Japanese New Year) and the various footwear is for the kimonos ensembles. The fans are used for traditional Japanese dances and the bamboo leaf is

The Sunday Brand

Section Two

Sunday, February 27, 1949

SOCIETY

Mrs. John McLean, Society Editor



'Women Composers,' Their Influence, Is Topic Of Study For Music Club

That women have always played an important part in the musical development of any nation was noted in the discussion of "Women Composers" given by Mrs. A. J. Schroeter Monday at a meeting of the Music Study Club held in the home of Mrs. C. C. Acker.

In reviewing the first chapters of the book "Women and Music" by Sophia Drinker, Mrs. Schroeter told of the music of the primitive peoples and of woman's influence on music in ancient times. She cited carvings on rock and pottery vessels in Greece and Egypt and of the Greek drama when the men took over, and in conclusion she said "Women were expected to lead, however, in music, religion and healing, and because it was expected of them, they produced. We would not have the music in Greek mythology if the women had not been active in the world of music."

Two more lessons will be given from the book; Mrs. C. C. Acker will cover the chapters on the dark ages at the next meeting and Mrs. J. R. Allison will give the concluding chapters dealing with modern times.

Musical selections presented

were Piano duet, "Rigaudon" (Chaminade) Mrs. H. A. Close and Mrs. C. C. Acker; violin solo, "Concertante in G" Mrs. A. C. Thompson with piano accompaniment by Mrs. J. D. Neill. "Frolic" piano, Mrs. Bob Lawrence; Rain Road (Dorothy Stewart) sung by Mrs. Earl Phillips with Mrs. Cliff Estes accompanying; a piano solo, "The Clown" (Chaminade) Mrs. J. C. McCracken and in a vocal trio, "Moonlight" (Mozart-Gesell), sung by Mrs. R. P. Conaway, Mrs. C. J. Mountz and Mrs. Bob Lawrence.

"Winter Echoes" (Kesselberg), a back number was played by Mrs. W. J. Stanford.

During the business session presided over by Mrs. A. J. Schroeter, president, plans were made for the club to assist with the Junior Music Festival which was held here Saturday.

Those attending were Mesdames J. R. Allison, B. F. Cain, W. T. Carmichael, H. A. Close, R. P. Conaway, W. E. Dameron, Cliff Estes, C. C. Ferguson, Jeff Glibreath, J. B. Jones, Bob Lawrence, J. C. McCracken, C. J. Mountz, J. D. Neill, Earl Phillips, T. W. Roberson, A. J. Schroeter, W. J. Stanford, A. C. Thompson, A. O. Thompson, and the hostess.

Willer-Burges Vows Are Spoken In Quiet Ceremony Wednesday Morning

Miss Doris Willier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Noble Willier, became the bride of C. V. Burges Jr., whose parents live in the Progressive Community in a quiet ceremony held Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock in the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Jackson. Rev. Don Davidson, pastor of the Methodist Church, officiated in the presence of the immediate members of both families.

The couple and their attendants stood in front of the fireplace against a mantel background of jonquills, sweet peas and fern for the exchange of vows. Attendees were his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Lundry.

The bride's attendant wore a rose crepe dress with black accessories and a white carnation corsage.

The bride wore a becoming gray gaberdine suit made with slim skirt and full jacket. She wore a pink blouse and an off-the-face pink straw hat with black velvet trim. She carried a lace handkerchief which had belonged to her great-grandmother and her shoulder bouquet was of pink rosebuds.

When the couple left for points in New Mexico on a wedding trip



MRS. C. V. BURGES

the bride wore a brown corduroy suit with Kelly green accessories.

Mrs. Burges was a member of the junior class in Hereford High School at the time of her marriage. Mr. Burges has been reared in Hereford and is a graduate of Hereford High School. He is employed in Hereford.

The couple will be at home to their friends on Lake Street.

MRS. LEE BENEFIELD

A Delectable Chicken-Mushroom Dish - As Good As It Sounds

There is no special time for serving chicken, its good for any meal and at any time of the year. Our mothers and grandmothers were skilled in the art of cooking meats and many good cooks of today learned their art by watching her mother.

Today's recipe is one of those old recipes proudly handed down from mother to daughter and is just as delectable as it sounds. Mrs. Lee Benefield, a good cook in her own right, contributes her mother's favorite dish "Chicken Ring with Mushroom Sauce." Serve with a green salad, hot rolls and a simple fruit dessert.

Chicken Ring With Mushroom Sauce

1 four pound chicken
2 cups day old bread crumbs
1 cup cooked rice
1 1/2 teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons chopped canned pimientos
3 cups chicken stock
4 well beaten eggs

Cut the four pound fowl and cover with hot water. Add the 1 1/2 teaspoon salt, one carrot, one small onion, one whole clove, two whole black peppers and several celery leaves. Simmer until chicken is tender (two or three hours).

Remove from bones and dice. Add all the remaining ingredients, including the chicken stock, and pour into buttered

used for wrapping fish at the market.

Nancy Patterson started her collection of perfume bottles with a gift six years ago and now the collection numbers 159. They represent many states and Old Mexico and some are antiques. She was given second place by popular vote.

10 inch ring mold. Bake in slow oven (325 F) about one hour. It is better to set the mold in a pan for baking as it protects the oven if the mixture bubbles over. Serve with:

Mushroom Sauce
Melt 1/4 cup butter or vitaminized margerine, add 1 cup sliced fresh or canned mushrooms and simmer five minutes. Add 1/4 cup enriched flour and blend. Gradually add 2 cups chicken stock and cook until smooth and thick, stirring constantly. Add 1/4 cup top milk, 1/2 teaspoon paprika, 1/4 tablespoon chopped parsley and 1/2 teaspoon lemon juice. Add more salt or pepper if necessary. Makes 3 to 10 servings.

This dish may come to the table just as it is when unmolded or the center may be filled with olives, parsley or Bing cherries.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pittman and Mr. and Mrs. Mark Benefield flew to Kansas City, Monday, and returned today.

DANIEL NEWS
Beneficial Moisture Improves Outlook
Of Farmers, Ranchers In Daniel Area

By MRS. W. R. MOORE

A rainfall Saturday, which continued from 11 o'clock till 5, in addition to the melting snow and sleet, has made the fields in Daniel community very muddy.

Miss Neta Jo Moore of Plainview visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. J. T. McClain Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. J. T. McClain and children made a business trip to Amarillo Saturday.

Several families of this community attended the Fat Stock Show and parade in Hereford Saturday.

Mrs. Belton Finney is visiting with friends in Ft. Worth this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McBroom are driving a new 1949 Mercury.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Shugart of

Canyon visited in the J. T. McClain home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Matthews have moved to Canyon where they will live for a few months.

Odell Finney, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Belton Finney, has returned to Pensacola, Florida, where he is serving in the U. S. Navy.

Mrs. Odell Finney, who was visiting here with her husband, left Tuesday for Columbia, Missouri to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roberts.

Lyndal McGee, of the Progressive Community, and J. W. Munda of the Fairview Community visited Billy Moore Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reynolds and children of Amarillo were visitors in the W. R. Moore home Saturday evening.

Belton Finney and boys were visitors in the Ed Sharp home in Wildorado Saturday afternoon.

Mattie Jane West of Hereford visited with Wilma Moore Friday afternoon.

Wilma and Billy Moore were visitors of Betty Jo Cretzinger of Wildorado Sunday.

Joe Stafford has returned home from Lockney, Texas where he has been visiting in the home of one of his daughters, Mrs. Floy Compton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Moore called in the home of Jack Reynolds in Amarillo Monday.

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This four-room "solar" house, built by the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, is being used to test whether New England's sunshine is warm enough to heat a house throughout the winter.

Long Time Ago

45 Years Ago

Covering the greater part of the Brand's front page for Feb. 26, 1904, and most of the back page was the story describing the meeting of local farmers and stockmen with Professors Carson and Marshall of Texas A. & M. College.

Recommended Alfalfa
Following a lengthy discussion of cotton prospects for the Panhandle area, Carson continues, "I see no reason why you cannot raise alfalfa. If you can get it started right I believe you can do it."

Lubbock Railroad
And according to the 1904 Brand, Hereford "has an excellent chance to obtain the proposed railroad to Lubbock."

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Prohibition Meeting
Another news story of 46 years ago related the regular meeting of the Local Option Club of Hereford, "a large number of prohibition sympathizers being present."

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Personal Items

Short locals included: "T. H. Beach of the firm of Beach & Kerr of Dimmitt was in Hereford Thursday and paid the Brand office an appreciated call."

In ancient days, wrestlers rubbed oil and fine sand on their bodies to prevent their opponents from getting a hold.

Woodpeckers are found in all wooded sections of the world except on the island of Madagascar and in the Australian region.

Personals

At Chicago Meetings
Rev. Don Davidson spent from Monday till Saturday of last week in Chicago, attending a conference on public health. Rev. Davidson was a delegate to the National Association of Methodist Hospitals and Homes in connection with his position as Golden Cross Director.

Visiting in the T. C. Covington home over Sunday were his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Giles Pate and four children of Dimmitt, his brother and family Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Covington of Tulla, his mother, Mrs. J. W. Covington of Turkey and her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Moses of Olton, and Annette, Rita, and Jerry Robison of Olton.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Morgan of Pueblo, Colorado, visited

briefly with their aunt, Mrs. Wallace Cox this week. The Morgans, former Hereford residents, were en route by plane to Lubbock, where they visited with her mother, Mrs. A. A. Foster. Mrs. J. W. Terry is visiting with her father, Mr. Mayfield in Corpus Christi.

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MRS. G. A. F. PARKER RETURNS FROM OREGON
 Mrs. G. A. F. Parker returned Monday night from Portland, Oregon where she spent the past two months with her daughter, Mrs. Max Wood and family. Enroute home she stopped in Pasadena, California for a brief visit with a daughter, Mrs. Richard Redfield and Mr. Redfield and with other relatives.

Kellersberger Will Report On Five-Month Inspection Of Leper Colonies In Far East



Dr. Eugene R. Kellersberger



Mrs. Julia Lake Kellersberger

Recently returned from a five-month tour of Far Eastern countries to study the postwar leprosy situation, Dr. Eugene Kellersberger, general secretary of the American Mission to Lepers, and Mrs. Julia Lake Kellersberger, Promotional Secretary for the American Mission to Lepers of New York City, will address a meeting to which the public is invited at the First Baptist Church on Wednesday, March 2 at 8:15 p. m.

Visited in East
 Dr. Kellersberger visited leprosy colonies and hospitals in the Philippines, Hawaii, China, Siam, and India, and in 1946 made a similar tour of Latin America, Africa and Europe, in behalf of the American Mission to Lepers. This inter-denominational agency, with headquarters at 156 Fifth Avenue, New York City, is an auxiliary of 39 Protestant Mission Boards, giving financial assistance to those boards in rendering physical and spiritual ministry to leprosy patients in 125 colonies in 29 countries. As a rule the regular mission boards of the Protestant Churches appropriate no money for work of this kind but rely on the Mission to Lepers, Inc.

Dr. Kellersberger will describe the need for more adequate treatment and care for people afflicted with leprosy, also briefly discussing leprosy in the United States, the need for modernization of regulations governing segregation, and treatment of leprosy patients in the light of present-day knowledge.

In addition to his position in the American Mission to Lepers, Dr. Kellersberger holds membership in the U. S. Public Health Service Commission on Leprosy, the American Society of Tropical Medicine, and the International Leprosy Association, among many others.

Has Written Books
 Mrs. Kellersberger, author of several books including "The Salt Baby," "A Life for the Congo" and "God's Ravens," will describe leprosy conditions in sev-

eral Latin American and African countries which she has visited with her husband. She will also tell human interest stories drawn from her experiences, not only on that trip but also as a missionary in the Belgian Congo, where in 1930 she joined her husband, who had been serving for several years as a medical missionary for the Presbyterian Church, U. S. Together they founded and supervised the Bibanga Agricultural Lepers Colony, until in 1940 they were called to the leadership of the American Mission to Lepers.

Before entering the missionary work in Africa, Mrs. Kellersberger was Traveling Student Secretary of the Presbyterian Church, U. S., and previous to that a Religious Education Director in prominent church schools in the South. She is a graduate of Agnes Scott College Decatur, Georgia, and of the Biblical Seminary, New York City.

Dr. Kellersberger is the brother of Mrs. R. Schroeter of Hereford, and both he and Mrs. Kellersberger will be the guests of the Schroeters at Elm Court.

Lone Star Club

Mrs. Vivian Major, newly elected president of the Lone Star Study Club and who will take over her duties after installation rites in May, named committees for next year at a meeting of the club held with Mrs. R. G. Blue Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Jack Grady was assistant hostess.

The following committees were

named; Year book, Mrs. Jim Higgins; Mrs. Robert Lingenfelter and Mrs. V. E. Dodson; social, Mrs. Coy Phillips; Mrs. C. D. Kelton; Mrs. R. G. Blue, and Mrs. Jack Grady; flowers, Mrs. Louis LeGrand and Mrs. Roger Corbett; finance, Mrs. Berry Jacobson and Mrs. G. W. Newsom; telephone, Mrs. Earl Phillips and Mrs. John Jacobsen, Jr.; reporter, Mrs. Robert Thompson; Department chairman include; Mrs. Lyle Blanton, public welfare; Mrs. Leo Forrest, international relations; Mrs. Ed Warren, education; Mrs. Joe Kendall, youth; and Mrs. W. S. Flutt, American Home.

During the business session presided over by the president Mrs. Earl Phillips, announcement was made by Mrs. Berry Jacobson that Camp Fire Girls are collecting coupons to get silverware for the Camp Fire Hut and urged members and others to assist the girls.

The program was opened with Mrs. W. S. Flutt reading a paper on "Japan's Occupation Problems" in which she gave a report of present conditions in Japan.

Mrs. C. O. Wilkins reviewed the book "How America Lives" which is the story of an average American girl who was ambitious to become a doctor, and of her struggle against prejudice.

Members answered roll call with current events.

Those attending the meeting were Mesdames Roger Corbett, W. S. Flutt, Jim Higgins, Berry Jacobsen, John Jacobsen, Jr.,

McGhee Family Holds Reunion

Thirty seven members of the family and guests attended the annual reunion of the McGhee family Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. R. McGhee as hosts. The get-together was held at the club house and a dinner at noon was the order of the day.

Those attending were Mr. and

Mrs. C. J. McGhee and son Bill, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ramsey, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith and Mrs. Alma Carlton, all of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McGhee and son George, Mr. and Mrs. Ben McGhee and daughter Hope, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Merrick, Mr. and Mrs. Wat Griffith and Mrs. Theo Griffith, all of Lockney, and Cecil Brown of San Angelo.

Those from Hereford attending were Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Owen and daughters, Nancy and Ginger, Mrs. Eleanor Hudspeth and daughters, Billie Jo and Sara Ann, Mr. and Mrs. William McGhee, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Bailey, Mrs. Essie Cardwell, Mrs. Ruth Lewis, Arch Dobbins and the hosts.

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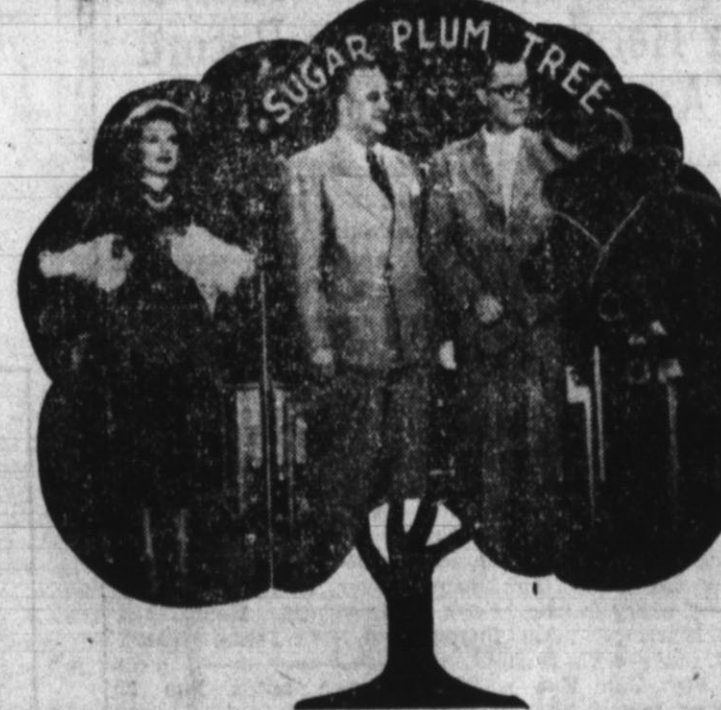
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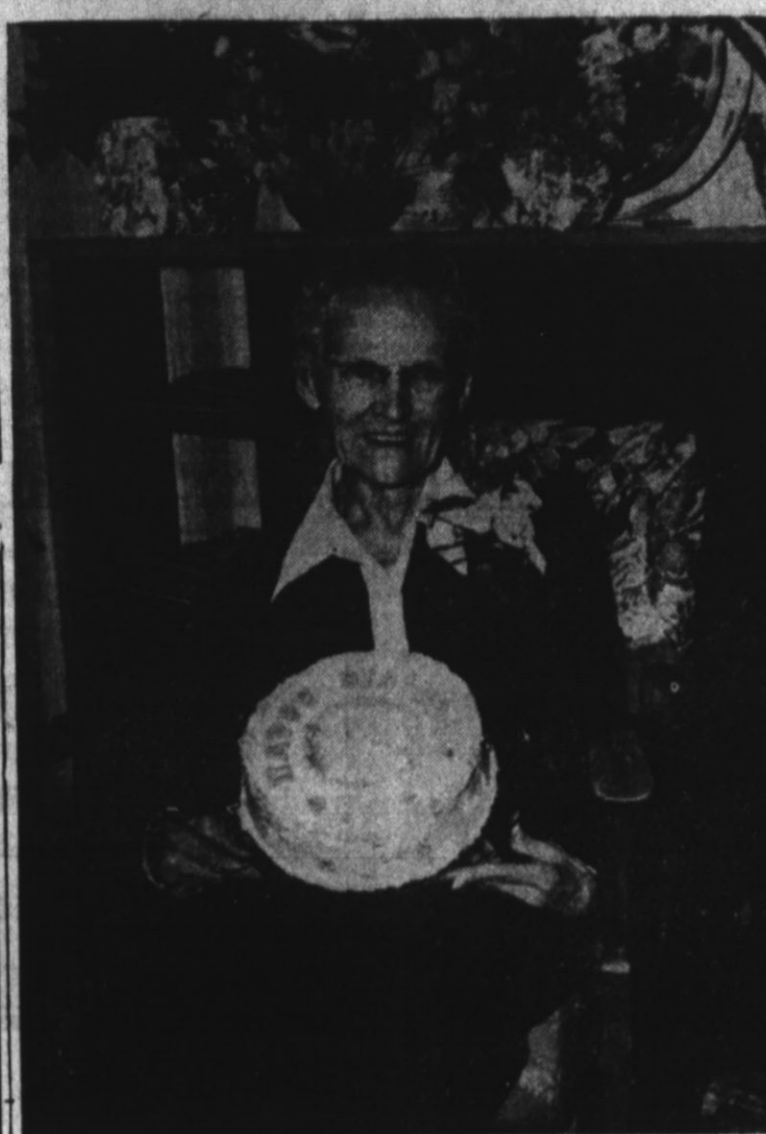
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Mrs. Carroll came to Hereford in 1899 with her husband, John Biggs, in a covered wagon. One of the men assisting in the move from Salina was R. W. Carroll, and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll were married in 1908—after Mr. Biggs' death in 1905. She has 13 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.



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World Day of Prayer Observance Will Be Held Here Friday March 4

The annual World Day of Prayer observance will be held here Friday at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, March 4. The observance, sponsored by the Women's Church Council, will be held at the Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Henry Benson will be leader.

The following program is scheduled; Hymn-Faith of Our Fathers, Call to prayer, Foreword given by the leader, Daily prayer of High Resolve by the leader, Vocal solo, "My Cathedral" sung by Mrs. M. L. Simpson, Jr. with piano accompaniment by Mrs. J. D. Neill, Worship program which includes the one hundred and first Psalm, Mrs. Ed Warren, Origin of the Council and history and purpose of the World Day of Prayer, Mrs. Roy Ford, Offering and explanation of distribution of funds, leader.

The main address of the afternoon will be given by Rev. R. A. Wingert who will talk on prayer, Doxology and benediction will conclude the service. Arrangements for the program have been made by Mrs. Colby Conkwright, vice-president, Mrs. Lee Conklin, secretary and Mrs. Robert Lingenfelter, treasurer. Mrs. Robert Veigel is president of the Council.

Six Initiated Into Rebekahs

Six candidates were initiated into the Order of the Rebekah Lodge Tuesday evening at a meeting held in the IOOF Hall. They included Mrs. Jerry Bannum, Mrs. Betty Hagans, Mrs. Mary Winkler, Robert Burns, W. J. Hacker and Sanford Smith.

Making up the team to conduct the rites were Mrs. E. E. Fridley, noble-grand; Mrs. Edna Rowe, vice-noble grand; Mrs. Ursalee Jacobsen, chaplain; Mrs. Velma Kendall, past-noble grand; Mrs. Nannie Mae Mauk, conductor; and Mrs. Katherine Russell, warden.

Serving as supporters to the officers were Virgie Lee Sparks, Mrs. Mildred Renfro, Mrs. Orpha

Nickerson, Mrs. Leta Kaul, Mrs. Louise Springer, Mrs. Betty Pendleton, Mrs. Ola Hacker and Mrs. Ruby Smith. Mrs. Lydia Hopson served as inside guardian and Mrs. Gertrude Bailey was musician.

After the initiation service a social hour was enjoyed with Mesdames Aline Lomenick, Lydia Hopson, Betty Pendleton and Julia Welty as hostesses. Cherry pie and coffee were served and George Washington favors were featured.

The location of the nesting grounds of the whooping crane, North America's rarest and tallest bird, is still a mystery despite intensive search by prominent biologists.

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NEW FACILITIES TO BE INSTALLED ON PIPE LINE SYSTEM 1948

1. Near Turkey Creek Compressor Station will be installed a 300 horsepower booster compressor. Main plant is 2,350 horsepower.
2. At McSpadden Compressor Station: three more 400 horsepower compressors, increasing capacity to 2,850 horsepower.
3. At Plainview Compressor Station: one more 300 horsepower compressor, increasing capacity to 2,400 horsepower.
4. At Littlefield Compressor Station: one 80 horsepower compressor, to increase capacity to 330 horsepower.
5. Between Littlefield Compressor Station and Whitharal: nine miles of 6 7/8-inch pipe will replace 3 1/2-inch pipe.
6. From Littlefield to point of intersection with new El Paso Natural Gas Company line: ten and one-half miles of 8 3/8-inch pipe will replace 4 1/2-inch pipe.
7. At Tahoka Compressor Station: one more 300 horsepower compressor, to increase capacity to 780 horsepower.
8. Between Tahoka and Brownfield: ten miles of 6 7/8-inch pipe will replace 4 1/2-inch pipe.

TWO NEW SOURCES OF SUPPLY ARRANGED

We have signed an agreement with El Paso Natural Gas Company to purchase from that company at two points. Barring unforeseen contingencies, this gas, which will benefit all towns on our system, will be available by November 1, 1948.

1948 PROGRAM COST 2 1/4 MILLION

Last winter we experienced an unusually heavy demand on our gas system . . . a demand which briefly exceeded the capacity of our transmission facilities. At that time we told the people we serve that we would make every effort possible to correct this situation before the next winter.

Certain definite projects were required to increase capacity. Some had already been planned . . . others were added. We reported to our customers via the newspapers what projects we planned to carry out in 1948. In the panel at left is a re-listing of those 1948 projects.

We are happy to say all of the expansion and improvement projects so reported to our customers were actually completed during 1948 . . . on schedule. West Texas Gas Company invested about \$2,280,000 during the year in these improvements and additional facilities.

In November, we began purchasing substantial quantities of gas at Amberst and at Umbarger from El Paso Natural Gas Company. These new supplies of gas will directly or indirectly benefit all towns served by us.

2 1/4 MILLION MORE IN 1949

Already our 1949 expansion program is beginning. Preliminary work is under way now for one important project. It is estimated that we will invest another \$2,250,000 or more during 1949 in additional facilities and improvements. Thus, in the two years of 1948 and 1949 we will have invested about four and one-half million dollars in order that we may provide a dependable, efficient and economical gas service to our customers.

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bration were church associates, together with close friends.

Guest List

Those attending the get-together were Mesdames Nora Vaught, Ida Bennett, W. E. Beach, Tom Garner, J. S. Orr, Frances Redder, J. D. Bourn, G. M. Suggs, W. A. Lookingbill, J. M. Gilliland, H. E. Miller, Bill Morton, Ida Mae Vaughn, Jim Carroll, F. W. Lambert, Edna Rowe, B. C. Roberson, Allen Powelson, Lula Morgan, R. A. Fullwood, Oscar Vaughn, John Draper, Julia Sowell, Lora Long, Lee Lambert, George Bippus.

Hubert O'Connor, Zona Beene, Wanda Coltharp, Paul Hoff, Jimmie Mercer, Josie Funderberg, Nedra Cr ps, H. E. Wester, Emma Clayton, Travis Caraway, Mary Bodkin, Otto Olson, Marion Rutter, J. J. Buckner, Rev. R. H. Cagle, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Manjeot, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Thompson, Miss Edith Morton, Miss Ara Lewis, three great-grandchildren, Kenneth and Derrell Carroll and Jan David Wallace, and other members of her family.

TOP BASKETBALL PLAYER

Former Hereford Girl Sets Record In San Antonio Municipal League

Mrs. Ruth Marceau, former Hereford resident and the daughter of Mrs. B. A. Atchley of 505 West 5th, is taking part this year in the San Antonio Recreation Department, where she plays the pivot spot on the Kelly Field Military Air Transport basketball squad.

Moving to San Antonio in 1942 Mrs. Marceau has played with one of the basketball teams in the San Antonio City Recreation Department every year except one, and has been chosen All-City Forward, leading the field as high-point player, every season.

This year Mrs. Marceau's team is tied for first place with the "Brookettes" of Fort Sam Houston. Three other teams have tried every "rabbit's foot" in their possession to get her, but she stays with the squad at Kelly Field, where she was employed

for 13 months before her marriage to Paul J. Marceau in 1943.

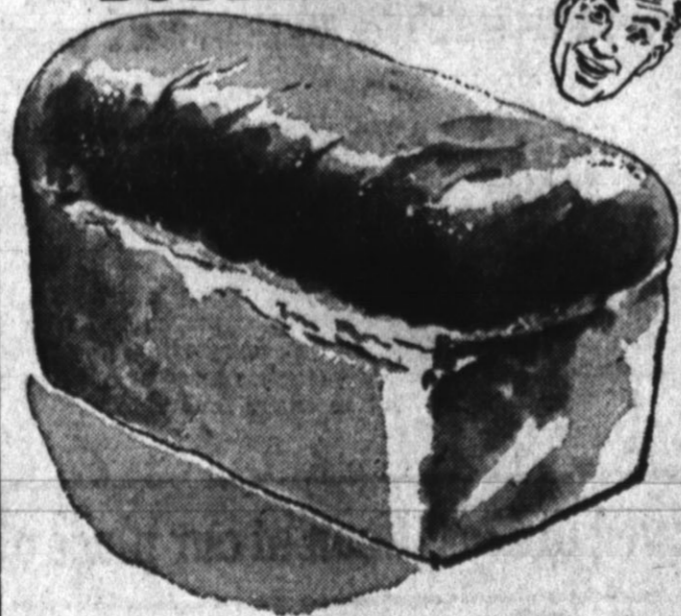
Mrs. Marceau's three-year-old son, Johnny, is one of his mother's most ardent fans. He is always on the side-lines watching the line of play.

A 1939 graduate of Hereford High School, Mrs. Marceau played on the 1937-38 girl's basketball squad, which went to Greenville to play in the State Finals. Other members of that team included Billie Whitehead, Ann Marie Cooper, Evelyn Lovelady, Faye McCawthon, Helen Ann Snyder and Nora Jean Russell.

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District Judge Harry Schultz has announced a revised schedule of trips to Deaf Smith and Oldham Counties to allow for a visit to Hereford every third Friday.

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"The purpose of establishing a regular meeting time should facilitate handling interviews," Schultz announced.

His schedule through July reads as follows: March 4, March 25, April 15, May 6, May 27, June 17, July 8.

Inspect Palo Duro

Burl Elliston of Hereford, Rex Baxter, Secretary of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce, and Gene Klein, president of the Amarillo C. of C., met with members of the Texas State Legislature at Palo Duro Park Friday. The Palo Duro Park Board is hoping for legislation which will pay off the indebtedness or the park and make possible improvements. Elliston has just returned from Austin, where he showed a movie of scenes from the Park to Governor Jester and members of the legislature.

Brothers Meet in Tucson

Mr. and Mrs. Nolie Elliston received word this week that their sons, Rocky and Robert Owen, had met in Tucson, Arizona, to attend the annual A & M Rodeo. Rocky, who has been employed on a Dude Ranch near Tucson, will return to Hereford later in the spring. Robert Owen is employed in the laboratories of Western Geophysical in Los Angeles.

The total number of children affected by divorce each year in the United States is estimated between 150,000 and 200,000.

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MRS. JULIA DEAN EVANS

Repertoire Of Famous Choir Offers Musical Variety Here Next Tuesday

Mrs. Julia Dean Evans, is organizer and director of the Amarillo High School A Cappella Choir, which will give a program at the High School Auditorium on Tuesday evening, March 1, at 8 o'clock.

Sponsored by the Hereford Lions Club, the Choir will present a varied program, including novelty numbers, negro spirituals, sacred, classical and popular music.

Many celebrities have praised the A Cappella during their state tours, and during their trip to New York City last summer. Imre Kovacs, a Rotary speaker of the Institute of International Understanding, said of them: "My wife and I were moved to tears by the almost perfect performance of the high school choir. Few of the very famous groups could surpass this choir in the quality of its tone, blend, beauty of interpretation, artistic discipline and enthusiasm. It was almost unbelievable that a high school group could rise to such heights of artistry."

Following a program before the Waco Junior Chamber of Commerce, the AHS Choir received a letter which read: "When the program was ended, the Jaycees to a man voluntarily stood and applauded. Every member who was privileged to hear the Amarillo A Cappella Choir is praising the group to our entire citizenry. Never have we had a program of any type to receive the applause and the praise that your group of young people received."

Tickets for the Choir's Hereford appearance are on sale at City Drug Store, Hereford News Stand, or Close Drug Store.

Mrs. Bob Higgins Is Club Hostess

An enjoyable meeting of the Pioneer Club was held in the home of Mrs. Bob Higgins Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Frank Terrell as co-hostess.

Mrs. Tandy Legg was leader of the program on "How To Help Europe Back on Her Feet" choosing the topic "We can Win the Battle for the Mind of Europe" for discussion. She explained the difficulty for the people of Europe to make up their minds on any given subject, because of so much propaganda everywhere. She commented that Europe has been on the listening side of controversies so long that she is unable to decide what is best for her.

Mrs. John Patton spoke on "The New World Takes Shape" which was a report on the United Nations organization and what has been done to form a new world.

Members of the club present were Mesdames Fred Barrett, A. G. Bell, Jay Boston, H. A. Close, Noah Ewton, Burl Francis, N. E. Gass, J. M. Gilliland, H. E. Miller, O. G. Hill, J. B. Jones, F. M. Kester, Tandy Legg, John Patton, Mary Seigler, F. L. Terrell, Al Werner, C. B. Williams and the hostesses.

Adultery ranks as the fourth most common ground for divorce.

Home Demonstration Club Activities

Wyche Club Luncheon

Wyche Home Demonstration Club was entertained at a Mexican luncheon in the home of Mrs. Curtis Traweek Thursday February 17. Mrs. Ira Scott conducted a business session when committee reports were heard and a club song "I Would Be True" was chosen from new song books. Mrs. Troys Carmichael was elected alternate delegate number one to replace Mrs. Lillian Wilson who is unable to serve.

Mrs. Ira Ott was named the outstanding clubwoman of the club and her name will be placed with others chosen from other clubs, one of whom will be named as the outstanding club woman by the County Federation.

Mrs. Tom Draper, CHDA, gave a demonstration on glove making and materials for 13 pairs were ordered. The glove making will begin at the March 3 meeting which will be held in the home of Mrs. A. E. Jury.

Members present were Mesdames R. W. Elliston, Jack Williams, W. T. Johnson, G. W. Newsom, W. T. Carmichael, Ira Scott, George L. Olson, V. P. Walker, W. T. Kelly, J. V. Pickens, Jim Cross, N. G. Elliston, Raymond Paetzold, A. E. Jury, Ira Ott, H. H. Caraway, Tom Draper and the hostess.

Dawn H. D. Club

Dawn Home Demonstration Club held a meeting in the home of Mrs. W. P. Caraway Friday afternoon. Roll call was answered with members giving suggestions for making leather articles. The next meeting was announced for March 4, in the home of Mrs. Ray Stewart.

Members present were Mesdames Ray Stewart, C. P. Norton, Zed Stewart, T. L. Sparkman, Jr., W. J. Stewart, W. W. Wilcox, J. B. Caraway, A. C. Hershey, J. M. Carothers, a new member and the hostess. Visitors were Mesdames Eugene Williams, Jed Miller and Miss Bertha Frye.

In the average washing, soap manufacturers estimate, the average adult lathers his hands with a solution of one drop of soap to 12 drops of water.

Soap manufacturers estimate that when women wash dishes or clothing she usually uses a solution of one drop of soap to about 100 drops of water.

Husbands Are Entertained

Jolly Workers Club entertained husbands at a Valentine Dinner party Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Suit. The buffet style dinner was served from a Valentine table centered with a red flower heart and tapers. Places were laid at tables for four. Bingo games provided entertainment.

Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames: Travis Caraway and daughters, Arthur Tinsley, M. H. Wiseman and daughter, Roy Boyd and daughters, Jimmie Mercer, Elton Brooks and son, Mr. Barney Boccock and the hosts.



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DEARBORN FARM EQUIPMENT

Male Portraits Are Discussed At Camera Club

Discussing "Making Portraits of Men," and using members of the club for models, the Hereford Camera Club met Thursday night in the Beta Eta room of the Court House for a practical demonstration of educational techniques.

Henry Stahl, president of the club, also had charge of the program. He discussed the photographic principals used by Dr. Orrin Whiteburg, famous photographer of men. Stahl pointed out that the photographers must concentrate on a two-point perfection program, the technical and psychological aspects of getting a good picture.

Feel at Ease
"Make your subject feel at ease. If he freezes in front of a camera, you've lost your best shot. Give him props with which he is familiar, a cigar, or a hobby implement. Talk to him until he forgets his self-consciousness and when you have an easy, flattering pose, catch it without startling your subject," said Stahl.

He warned against re-touching a photo, lest it lost its naturalness. Most photographs are re-touched so much they look artificial and destroy the work of a good cameraman, explained Stahl.

After the discussion, a demonstration was held with club members working out photos and trying various lighting and posing effects with members present.

Programs for March

During the business meeting the men planned their program series for March. At the first meeting, March 10, an Amarillo photographer will be invited to

attend and criticize the display of table top prints, project for the month. A faculty member from West Texas State, Dr. Roger Whealy has been invited to speak to the group March 24 on history of photography and modern innovations in the science. The public is invited to both meetings.

Present at the meeting were two new members Kenneth Coker and Thomas Sappington. Others present were Dr. Will F. Graham, Jap Dickerson, Curtis Trawack, Ben Conklin, and Henry Stahl.

Mrs. Zada Howard and Mrs. J. T. McIver spent the last of the week in Fort Worth, where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Howard's aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Owen and son, Dennis, returned Friday from Whitney where they have spent the past six weeks with his mother, Mrs. F. T. Owen, and his brother, Fred Owen.

It's Done With Mirrors



Martha Mitchell isn't skiing in the sky above Cypress Gardens, Fla. It's simply that the cloudy sky above is reflected in the clear water over which she glides. Martha, herself, is very real, though a little like a dream.

Christian Women To Study Life Of Paul

Mrs. Earl Phillips had charge of the study program on the thirteenth chapter of Corinthians when the Women's Council of Groups 1 and 2 of the First Christian Church met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. M. Lemmons.

Subject for the quarter is the Life of Paul and currently the women are studying his work with the Corinth Church. Mrs. Phillips centered her discussion around Paul's great lesson to the church on love, "Faith, hope and love, and the greatest of these is love."

During the business session Mrs. F. S. Smith read the secretary's report and Mrs. A. M. Jones read the treasurer's report. Mrs. Roy Smith gave the devotional followed by a prayer led by Mrs. R. G. Blue.

After the study program, the women repeated in unison the Missionary Prayer and the meeting was adjourned.

Patriotic decorations in keeping with Washington's Birthday were featured in plate decorations and refreshments served to the 22 women present. Mrs. Nona Jowell was co-hostess.

Attending were Mesdames Ira Ricketts, J. L. Clark, C. R. Smith, R. G. Blue, F. S. Smith, A. M. Jones, Roy Ford, Ray Suit, Roy Smith, O. H. Culpepper, F. H. Oberthier, John Robinson, Robert Veigle, B. F. Cain, J. K. Baker, W. E. Dameron, Beryl Elliston, A. H. Elliston, Earl Phillips, Miss Frances Dameron and the hostesses.

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C. of C. Group Talks Highway To New Mexico

Seven members of the Chamber of Commerce were in Santa Rosa, Thursday, to talk with officials of the Santa Rosa Chamber of Commerce on plans for an extension of the paving project along Harrison Highway, the paving would provide a through paved highway between the two towns.

This is the first time such a visit had been made or the project discussed officially between C. of C. delegates.

Attending the meeting were Henry Sears, president of the Chamber of Commerce; O. P. Covart, secretary; Guy Lawrence; Mrs. Otis Hall, Jack Brown, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Neff.

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PERSONALS

Doris Jean Hastings, student at W.T.S.C. Canyon, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hastings, Saturday. A member of the College band, she accompanied the group here for participation in the 4-H Club Fat Stock Show parade.

Mrs. Vern Witherspoon is able to be up and out again after being confined to her home for the past two weeks with a throat ailment.

Mrs. Virgil Walker and Nell were in Oklahoma City last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Thomas Rosa Lee and Carolyn, were Friday night dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith and sons, Dennis Walter and Clinton William, in Priona.

COURTHOUSE RECORDS

Warranty Deeds
Maude Wooten to P. L. Burrell: Lots No. 1 and 2 in Block No. 1 of Meacham's Subdivision of Blk. No. 10, Mabry Addition to Town of Hereford.

W. J. Frost and Artie Frost to Joyce Henson: Part of Blk. No. 32, Evans Addition, Town of Hereford.

W. J. Frost and Artie Frost to Geneva Higgins: Part of Blk. No. 32, Evans Addition, Town of Hereford.

Releases
Bertha M. Struble by agent, L. Baskin to R. L. Jackson: All of Blk. 45, Evans Add.

Federal Land Bank of Houston to H. W. Melton and Effie Melton: promissory note.

Automobile Registrations
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M. J. Koelzer, 1949 Studebaker.
G. D. Milner, 1949 Lincoln.
Guyeth Bogle, 1949 Mercury.
S. L. Walser, 1949 Buick.

Births
Linda Kay Strain, born Feb. 22, 1949.

U. S. Army Manuevers Watched By Germans

LANGEN, Germany (AP)—Winter maneuvers of America's occupation troops along the Rhine have the Germans goggle-eyed. Big dun-colored trucks, trundling artillery pieces behind them, swing through a village and everybody turns out to watch. Omnipresent small boys turn such events into a carnival and worried hausfraus yank them away from curbstone positions. Sometimes younger men watch the long columns of motorized troops with a quiet bitterness. Memories are still fresh in their minds.

Down narrow village lanes the woman hang out of windows to watch U. S. armed might roll into position and it's plain they are impressed. Watching from a tiny bridge a fraulein squealed: "Ach Himmel! The guns!" Her companion was busy smiling at a soldier who tossed a quick wink in her direction. Commanding officers of "Exercise Snowdrop" have impressed upon troops that the German population is not to be inconvenienced in any way. Troops will not trespass, dig foxholes, fire guns, or enter German houses. And so, as the trucks rumble through town, it becomes a sort of showpiece on wheels for watching Germans.



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WESTWAY NEWS

Friends And Neighbors Visit With J. B. Long On His 75th Birthday

By MRS. MERLIN KAUL
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Durstine of Friona were supper guests Saturday night of Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Kaul and oys.
The B. B. Northcutt family moved Monday to the M. S. Roe farm and the Roe family moved to the house vacated in Hereford by the Northcutts.
This community extends sympathy to the family of Wink Valentine. Mr. Valentine has had farming interests in this community for several years. For the past year he has been assisting with work on the Alton Fraser farm.
Mr. and Mrs. Wylie C. Quatlebaum of Hereford were guests last Thursday night in the Johnny Townsend home.
Wanda and Jimmie Fulkerson of Roswell, New Mexico came here Saturday afternoon on Jimmy's motorcycle. They spent the night in the Robert Boyd home and were visitors Sunday in the P. H. Luck and Earl Springer homes in Hereford.
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Combs and boys spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Combs at Plainview.
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pierce and children, Randall and Becky of Cyrene, Missouri, have moved here to make their home. At present they are staying at the A. C. Pierce home. Randall has enrolled in the first grade in Hereford.
The Joe Wagoner children, who have only recently recovered from a siege of whooping cough are now having the measles.
R. M. Gunn of Hereford is spending a few days with his grand-daughter, Mrs. W. B. Nunley and family.
A dinner which honored J. B. Little on his 75th birthday was held Sunday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Paul Rudd. A beautifully decorated birthday cake centered the dinner table. Old neighbors and friends of many years were present to extend best wishes to Mr. Little.
Those present were his daughters, Mrs. Johnny Weeks, Mrs. Curt Griffin and their husbands from Amarillo, Mrs. Rudd, Mr. Rudd, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Wilson and Norma Sue, Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Kaul and boys, Mrs. Bess Werner, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Wil-

Philly Transit Workers Strike



Pickets hold a mass meeting in the courtyard of City Hall, Philadelphia, as union leaders and transport company officials attempt to settle their strike. The walkout paralyzed service on 110 trolley, bus, subway and elevated lines, and effectively grounded 2,000,000 residents of the City of Brotherly Love.

Future's One Hope Seen In Obeying The Command 'Love Thy Neighbor'

Minister Bob Wear of the Church of Christ, was guest speaker at the B & P W Club meeting Monday night held at the home of Della Stagner, with Mary Dyer as co-hostess.
Under the theme of welfare, Wear chose the subject of "The atomic bomb, past, present and future." He stressed the importance of the individual and all people the world over to follow the principles of the Christian life and obey the second commandment, "Love thy neighbor."
Patsy and Sandia Townsend were hostesses last Friday night at a Valentine Party at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Townsend. Party games were concluded with an exchange of valentines from a valentine box.
Mrs. Townsend served refreshments of pink and white ice cream, cookies, and valentine candy to Raymond, Ralph and Mary Lynn Morrison, G. C. Merritt, Jr., Ross Joe Landers, Mabelle and Lynn Young, Larry and Walter Lynn Kaul, Eugene and Billy Don Combs, Norma Sue Wilson, Mary Kathryn and Francis Boyd, Margaret Ann Scott, and Patsy and Sandra Townsend.
The Atlantic coastal region has the lowest divorce rate in the country; the mountain division has the highest.
The reddish egret of Florida is one of the most skillful balancers in the world. He can stand on a swaying vine even in a strong wind.
The young of the opossum are born incompletely developed and live constantly in their mother's pouch for nearly two months after birth.
The original home of the honeybee was in southern Asia, probably including the eastern shores of the Mediterranean Sea.

attitudes and dealings with one another," Wear said.
"No one knows what the future holds. We must keep our spiritual, moral, and general educational development at the same level with the development of the nuclear energy," he said in conclusion.
During the business meeting following Wear's address, members of the club voted Mrs. Dyalitha Brady as their nominee for the woman's club contest being staged to find the county's outstanding woman of the year.
Mrs. Bessie Lee Wood was officially named general chairman for the annual style show to be given for the fourth year by the club. She named her committee women who will meet soon to complete plans.
Twenty-two members and guests were present.
A camel can drink 25 gallons of water in half an hour.
Forest and wood fires annually destroy enough timber to make 5,700,000 tons of newspaper.
About two-thirds of all divorces in this country are granted to women.

Wear Addresses Dumas Scouts At Annual Banquet

"The Fortieth Anniversary of the Boy Scout movement in America will be observed next year. The theme for this Fortieth Anniversary Crusade is, 'Strengthen The Arm of Liberty.' In order to strengthen the arm of liberty we must arm the heart of liberty. This we can do by emphasizing and developing the principles of life and government which serve as the foundation of liberty." Thus spoke Bob Wear as he addressed the annual dinner of scouts and scouters at the Dumas, Texas high school Tuesday night.
Wear continued his speech by saying that the Boy Scout movement has a very definite place in helping to maintain and perpetuate the American concepts of democratic living.
"Many of the other nations of the world have grown old tired and discouraged. They have lost much of the spirit which is so necessary to make a nation strong and productive. Everything we do to help in the growth

of the Boy Scout movement is work that will help keep alive the wonderful American spirit of adventurous living. The oft repeated statement, "The boy of today is the man of tomorrow", is not idle talk, it is the truth. Our boys are the hopes of our nation and probably the hope of the world. As we help them to a better appreciation of our way of life we are, indeed, making a lasting contribution to the future well being of them and the world," said Mr. Wear in concluding his speech.

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Grade Students Send Boxes To Europe's Needy

Members of Junior Red Cross at Central School, Junior High, High School and St. Anthony's Parochial School Friday afternoon sent off almost 150 gift boxes containing school, toy and health supplies for underprivileged children in European lands.

Mrs. C. R. Lady, county chairman of Junior Red Cross, said there had been a demand for more boxes to be ordered and they hoped the Deaf Smith County Schools, including the four mentioned above, with Dawn and Walcott, would be able to fill between 175 and 200 gift boxes.

The cardboard boxes are about eight inches long and four inches wide and high. Material was donated by the school children and included bars of soap tooth brushes, combs, needles buttons, crayons, pencils, rubber balls, small dolls and trucks for example.

The boxes are sent from here to St. Louis headquarters and from there distributed to needy children through the National Children's Fund. Each box includes a letter on a form, much like the V-Mail forms of wartime, with a special flap signed by all the children who donate articles in any one box.

so willing to co-operate by helping the children less fortunate than they.

In charge of the program at various schools were: Mrs. Faust Collier, Central; Sister Mellie St. Anthony's; Mrs. Caudie Brown, Junior High; and Mrs. Don Little, High School.

FRIO H D CLUB

Fairview Home Demonstration Club met Feb. 22 in the home of the president, Mrs. Byron Campbell.

Mrs. Argen Draper, County HD Agent, gave a demonstration on glove-making, and material needed and where and how to order it.

Mrs. Elmer Womble, Jack Higgins R. L. Campbell, Gayle Higgins Wayne Higgins and the hostess New members present were Mrs. Tooley and Mrs. O. C. Harriman.

Refreshments, in keeping with Washington's birthday, were served. Next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. R. L. Campbell, the State T.H.D.A. President, on March 8.

MRS. BOONE IMPROVING

Mrs. J. M. Boone who was seriously injured in a fall last week is reported recovering satisfactorily. Mrs. Boone suffered broken bones in her right arm and shoulder when she fell at her home. Her daughter, Mrs. Hugh Earthman of Plainview is at her mother's bedside.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Hendrix are this week moving back to Hereford from Lubbock, where they have resided the past two years. They have purchased the Homer Ewton duplex on West Third Street.

Celebrate Fiftieth Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. John Haberer of Antioch, California, celebrated their 56th wedding anniversary in Lubbock, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Goodwin, 1918 18th Street.

Decorations for the one o'clock dinner consisted of green and gold acacia blossoms and a beautiful wedding cake.

Enjoying the occasion were the Haberers' children and grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Haberer and Betty Joe, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Haberer and Keith of Ralt, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Haberer, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Haberer, Kay and Tony Gale, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Haberer and Davey, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Haberer, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Haberer, Jerrell Haberer, Mr. and Mrs. John Haberer, the host, hostess, and Lynn and Dub.

Child Study Club Problem Night Program is Informative-Enjoyable

One of the most enjoyable of informal programs of the year for members of the Child Study Club was held Thursday night in the home of Mrs. Maurice Tannahill.

At the previous meeting members had submitted problems of personal interest and each member drew a problem from the collection. During the interval between the two meetings members studied the problems drawn, reading articles by authoritative writers on the various subjects and consulting with Hereford people who have had experience with similar problems.

Some of the problems considered at the meeting were: "How to teach a nine year old politeness," "How to combat impudence or talking back," "How to teach children to handle

money," such as allowances and debts. "What to do with neighborhood children," "What to do with teen-agers who want to keep too-late hours," "What to do about making promises to children," and "What to do with temper tantrums."

During the business session two new members were welcomed into the club. They were Mrs. Herman Neff and Mrs. Joe Waggoner.

Those attending the meeting were Mesdames Cawthon Bryant, Frank Daniel, Ira Foster, George Heard, Clinton Jackson, Merlin Kaul, J. C. Reese, Robinson, Earl Springer, Carroll Whitecote, J. L. Woodford, Herman Neff and the hostess.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. George Heard on March 10.

Camp Fire Girls Honor Dads With Annual Banquet

Enshntina Camp Fire Girls entertained with the annual "Dad-Daughter" banquet Tuesday night at the Camp Fire Hut in keeping with the the February 22 date for the banquet, a George Washington theme was accented in appointments for the table and program. Red, white and blue colors in candles and flowers marked the tables and the menu and program were printed inside red and white cardboard liberty bells. Place cards depicted a red cherry motif.

Bobbie Jean Drury gave the invocation and Janice Craig welcomed the Dads. Bob Lewis responded for the guests.

Rosemary Young gave "Let's Take a Look" in which she reviewed the work done by the group since the last annual Dad-Daughter affair, telling of the activities of the group and their service projects. Under the title "New Recruits for Campfire Honors" members of the group competed against their dads for honors in charades, games and contests.

Members of the group and their invited guests included Ida Rae Brunson, Jim Kirby; Patsy Cates, Joe Cates; Janice Craig, Eldon Craig; Betty Culpepper, F. M. Kester; Bobbie Jean Drury, E. F. Drury; Gayle Gault, Howard Gault; Betty Jean Hamilton; Homer Hamilton; Marilyn Lewis, Bob Lewis; Jo Ann Acala, Press Dyer; Margaret Ann Sexton, J. W. Sexton; Sus Savage, Faust Collier; Doris Stanfield, B. E. Stanfield; Lucy Wegner, Chris Wegner; Marian Jo Wilson, Bob Wilson; Rosemary Young, L. C. Young; Eleanor Jo Aven, Leroy Aven; Patricia Rapstine, H. V.

Loyal Workers Meet

Loyal Workers Quilting Club of the Rebekah Lodge met for an all-day meet and covered dish luncheon at the IOCF Hall Friday February 18. After the luncheon the group quilted a quilt for Mrs. Lora Long and the next meeting was announced for March 18.

Members present were Mesdames Elizabeth Hicks, Ola Hacker, Ella Co-Krell, Verns Sowell, Lora Long, Allie Elliston, Edna Draper, Allie Fullwood, Ola Womble, Julia Welty Orpha Nickerson, and Julia Sowell. Guests present for lunch were Charles Sowell, Wynogene and Norma Sue Sowell and Joy Huff.

To Serve Barbecue

Paul Conewaja, a local Jaycee has been elected to serve as Statewide chairman of Texas Jaycees to have charge of a Texas barbecue at the Jaycees National Convention to be held in Colorado Springs, on June 1 through 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Malone went to Muleshoe Tuesday to be with her mother, Mrs. O. M Jennings, who is ill in the Muleshoe hospital. Mrs. Jennings underwent an emergency operation Sunday and her condition is reported as fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Stanford Mrs. Roberta Dyer, Miss Johnnie Estes, Mrs. Francis Dameron and her sister, Mrs. Jack Lester, will leave Tuesday on a trip to South Texas, New Orleans and Natchez. The group will travel in two automobiles, and will return in about two weeks.

Stanton; Dick Wilson and the guardian, Mrs. Bob Wilson.

Mothers who assisted in serving the banquet were Mrs. Bob Lewis, Mrs. Howard Gault and Mrs. Homer Hamilton.

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FROM THIS HEIGHT, THE WATER IS QUITE TRANSPARENT! I'M RIGHT ABOVE WHAT LOOKS LIKE A WRECKED DESTROYER!

EGAD, SIR! BY THE TOE BONES, YE'RE A SMART LAD! STAY RIGHT THERE! WE'LL CON THE SHIP... YOU DIRECT US!

NORTHEAST A FEW MORE YARDS... STEADY... HOLD IT!

CAST THE LEAD, MUNN! WHAT DOES SHE SAY?

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25! THAT'S ONLY 150 FEET! THAT'LL BE PLUM DUFF FOR YOU, LAD!

JEEZ!

GOOD LUCK AND OVER YOU GO, LAD. YOU, SMITH, UP THERE! KEEP A SHARP EYE ON OUR DRIFT AND CHECK WITH ME.

ROGER!

CALLING MOTHER HEN... MOTHER HEN... COME IN, PIPER! OVER!

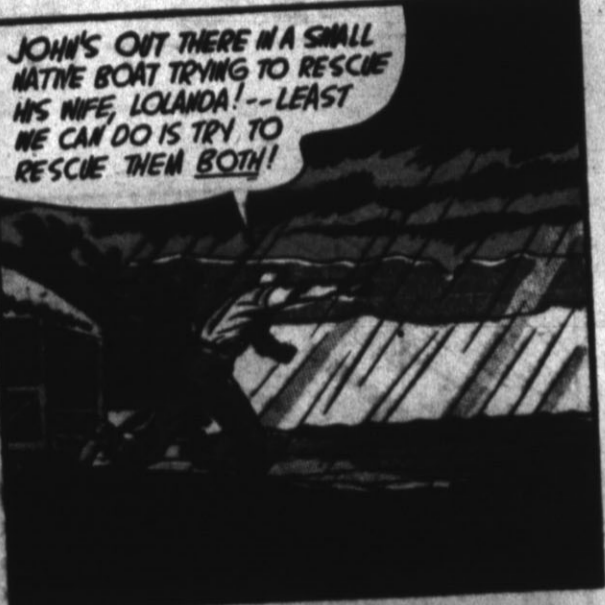
THIS IS RISKY SO IT'S BRIEF! OUR GUESS WAS RIGHT! SARDINE IS OVER SHARK NOW...

A DIVER JUST WENT DOWN... OUT!



W-MOONE COULD LIVE OUT THERE IN THIS TYPHOON!

MAYBE NOT, KID, BUT--



JOHN'S OUT THERE IN A SMALL NATIVE BOAT TRYING TO RESCUE HIS WIFE, LOLANDA!--LEAST WE CAN DO IS TRY TO RESCUE THEM BOTH!



YOU PULL ME OUT AS FAR AS YOU CAN, THEN GET BACK ON SHORE!

--NO!-- I'M COMING WITH YOU--



OH!-- LISTEN-- THAT BOMBING NOISE!-- IT'S COMING FROM THE NATIVES!-- DOWN'SPOSE?



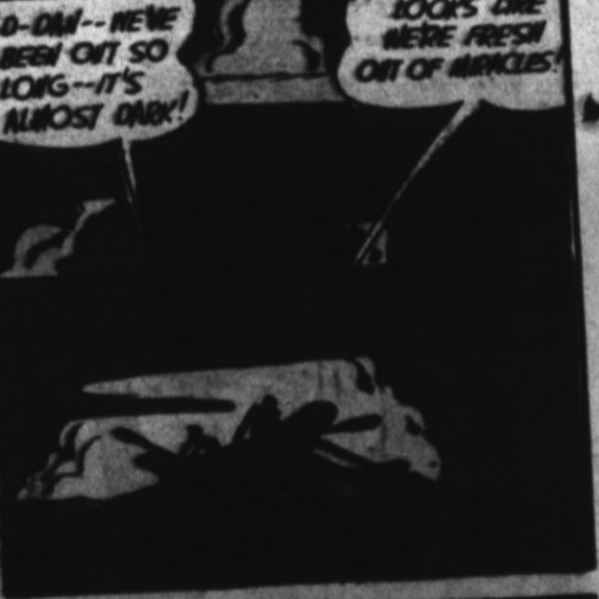
THANK GOODNESS!-- OUR FIRST BREAK-- THE WIND IS OVER!-- THAT 'BOMBING' IS THEIR 'THANK YOU' GRANT!

OKAY, KID, COME ON!



G-GEE-- WHERE DO WE START?

THE WAVES ARE STILL RUNNING HIGH-- IT WILL BE A MIRACLE IF WE FIND HIM--



D-DAM-- WE'VE BEEN OUT SO LONG-- IT'S ALMOST DARK!

LOOKS LIKE WE'RE FRESH OUT OF MIRACLES!



IF WE GO BACK, KID, WE'RE GIVING UP-- BUT-- WHAT'S THE USE? --WE BETTER GO --BACK--



TWO WAVES AWAY ON THE QUICKLY BLACKENING SEA, LIES AN EMPTY NATIVE BOAT, LIKE THE ONE JOHN WENT IN!



by
RBFULLER

UNWARE THAT COUNT GLOCKENSPIEL, AN ITINERANT KNIGHT, IS PLOTTING TO OUST HIM FROM HIS JOB, OAKY WENDS HIS WAY THROUGH ONE OF THE MANY HALLS OF KING CORNY'S CASTLE...

GOSH, I GOTTA GET OUT TO THE STABLES! I ALMOST FORGOT TO GIVE NELLIE THE EXTRA RATION OF HAY I PROMISED HER!

COUNT GLOCKENSPIEL!-- STOP!!

JOOST VON LITTLE KISS, BABY!
TAKE YOUR HANDS OFF PRINCESS POMONA!

OH! YOU ISS DOAKY OATS, YES?
NO! I'M OAKY DOAKS! AND I'M GONNA--!
OAKY, I'M SO GLAD YOU CAME!

HE VILL NOT BE GLAD!
OH, YEAH?! NEITHER WILL YOU!!

HO, HO!

OW! MY CORN!!



OAKY! THAT'S ENOUGH! DON'T MUSS HIM UP!
AW, GEE, KING CORNY--!

I'M PLANNING TO PROMOTE A PUBLIC BOUT BETWEEN YOU AND THE COUNT! IT OUGHTA BRING IN A LOT OF MONEY-- AND HOW I NEED IT!

CONTINUED

THINGS COME



A SUNLAMP, SUFFICIENTLY STRONG TO TAN ALL OF A GROUP OF PEOPLE IN A ROOM IN TWO MINUTES.

JUST WHEN I HAVE A LOT OF CALLS TO MAKE— TOO BAD I'M THE OUTDOORS TYPE.

THIS IS WHAT BURNS ME UP!

I'M DECLARING A TWO-WEEK— I MEAN TWO-MINUTE VACATION FOR EVERYBODY, AFTER WHICH YOU'LL RETURN TO YOUR DESKS TANNED AND HEALTHY.

AN-H-H— COMES OUR LITTLE RAY OF SUNSHINE.

ON-ON I FORGOT TO GET A NEW TUBE FOR THAT LAMP— IS MY FACE GONNA BE RED!

THEY TOLD ME THIS WAS A SWEATSHOP BUT I DIDN'T THINK THEY DID IT WITH LIGHTING EFFECTS

HEY, MOM, COULDN'T I SIT UNDER TH' SUNLAMP FOR FOUR OR EVEN FIVE MINUTES?

I SUPPOSE SO— DON'T FORGET TO TURN IT OFF WHEN YOU'RE DONE!

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WISH I COULD GET OUT O' THIS DAD BLAMED SECTION AND GO SOUTH FOR THE WINTER!

CONFOUNDED SNOW... IT'LL NEVER THAW OUT AROUND HERE!

HMMM...

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THE AGILE HERO OF THE SILENT MOVIES KEPT FIT ON A SPARTAN TRAINING PROGRAM THAT WOULD PUT MOST BOXERS TO SHAME.

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BUT WILLIAM, I'M SURE YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO HAVE MY DRESSES GLEANED SO WHEN THEY GET SOILED I JUST THROW THEM AWAY!!



INCINERATOR

THERE'S A NICE GIFT FOR ME AND YOU DON'T HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT SIZES--JUST REMEMBER TO GET THE LARGE SIZE IN DIAMONDS. //



IT WAS REALLY OUR GLASS ANNIVERSARY, BUT HENRY INSISTED ON GIVING ME REAL DIAMONDS! //

I DON'T CARE MUCH ABOUT FICTION. I'M INTERESTED IN BOOKS OF FACT LIKE MY HUSBAND'S BANK BOOK. //



SPECIAL FICTION

OF COURSE HE'S A FORTUNE TELLER! HE TELLS EVERYONE THAT ASKS HIM THEIR FORTUNE DOESN'T HE? //



TELLER

HIT N' RUN



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