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Hereford Riders Performed In 10 Towns Last Year

Hereford Riders Club had a busy year during 1953 with traveling and the many events in which they participated. The Riders visited 10 towns, rode before 84,000 spectators, and traveled a distance of 1,442 miles.



JESSE M. OSBORN

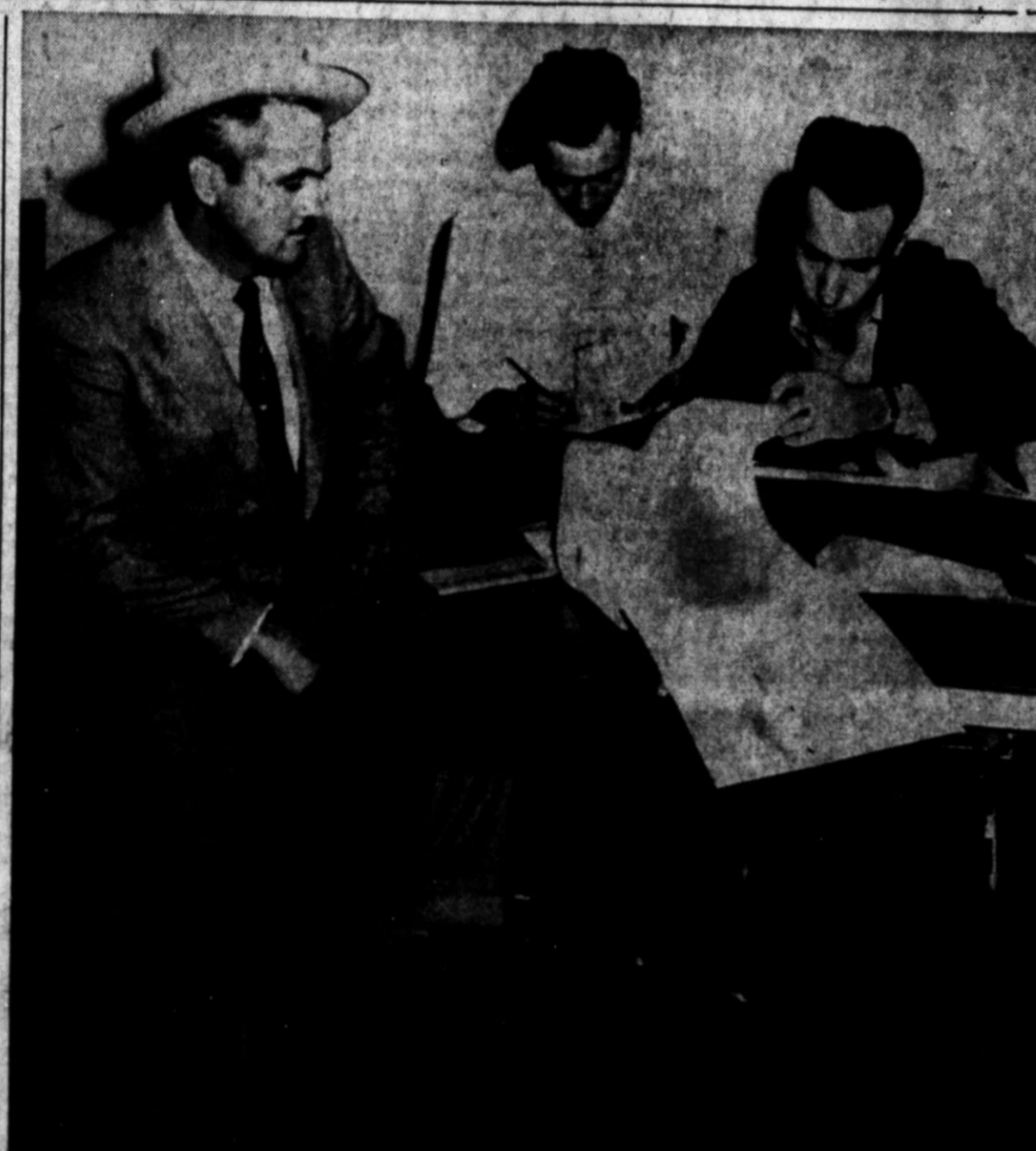
Jesse Osborn Announces For Re-Election

State Representative Jesse M. Osborn of Muleshoe this week announced that he would seek re-election to a second term in the Texas Legislature.

During his first term in the House, Mr. Osborn was active in all phases of the state Legislature, especially regarding points which concerned this district.

In making his announcement, Mr. Osborn said that he has done his best to keep his original pledge of "returning the government to the hands of the people."

Mr. Osborn, a resident of Muleshoe, came to this area in 1924 from Arkansas to become associated with the Friona State Bank.



A POLL TAX booth located in a bank is much easier to get to than the one in the Courthouse, and as many persons were taking advantage of that Saturday morning, as the deadline on paying poll taxes this year drew rapidly nearer.

March Of Dimes, Poll Tax Drive Will Close Today

Raising money for the March of Dimes, and selling poll taxes at the same time is the double-barreled program the Hereford Junior Chamber of Commerce has set up for their program this afternoon.

State Committeeman Coming

Cotton Men Meet Thurs.

A member of the state Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation committee is scheduled to be present at another meeting of cotton farmers at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon in Hotel Jim Hill ballroom.

The state ASC program for 1954 was outlined at the meeting at College Station, and Lyons will be in a position to answer any questions that cotton farmers, or others may have concerning the state program, Dodson said.

With the new cotton acreage bill through Congress, and the fact that the state ASC committee was almost overlooking some 15,000 acres of dryland which were prepared for cotton last year but never planted because of the drought, we now have hopes that the Deaf Smith County allotment may be increased even beyond the 12,854 acres, which was to be the total

Robert Russell was injured in a freak accident Wednesday afternoon about 4:35 o'clock when he was apparently thrown from the Ford tractor he was driving.

Though the rush to pay overparking and traffic tickets has slowed somewhat at City Hall, City Clerk Mabel Barnhart said Saturday morning that 72 persons paid a total of \$99 in traffic fines Wednesday through Friday, far above the 10 to 15 a day average.

Even though Hereford police have been too busy most of this week to serve warrants, Chief of Police Leo F. Box warned that 89 more warrants were being prepared Saturday for those who have failed to appear after receiving a second summons.

Files of unpaid tickets dating back to April of 1953 are being systematically cleaned up by the Police Department through the use of second notices and, where necessary, the issuance and serving of warrants.

New Parents In Community Will Be Honored At P-TA

Parents who are now in the community will be honored at Parent-Teachers meeting on Monday night.

made variety would be most welcome," Green said. Saturday noon the March of Dimes collections in the county had reached \$2,641.88, according to county campaign chairman Wayne Edwards.

On the poll tax front, the number of poll tax receipts issued for this year topped the 2,000 mark Friday night as Jaycees took in the money and issued receipts at Rogers Drug.

Only the final count after the Jaycee program today will tell whether or not the total of poll taxes paid will be near, below or above the 3,296 which were paid in 1952, last big election year.

C Of C Delegates Given Reasons For Surveys

Delegates from the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce were told that "every town should have an industrial survey" at the first annual West Texas Chamber of Commerce Industrial Conference.

An important factor in securing industry in a community is the attitude of the people of the community, they were told.

A practical industrial survey was outlined, and basic reasons why West Texas particularly was not expanding industrially were discussed.

Highlight talks were based on what industry expects out of a community.

FHA Loans Total Over Half Million

Farmers Home Administration has made 97 loans for a total of \$508,310 in this area since July 1 of last year, according to Oris E. Bruner of Amarillo, state field representative who has charge of loans in 33 Panhandle counties.

Around Town

Announcement was made this week of change of ownership of three business firms. Tommy Mathis has purchased Medkief Flower and Gift Shop in Hotel Jim Hill from Gladys Medkief.

Dudley Green and Archie Scott also announced that they are back in the automobile business, having recently secured the Mercury franchise. Operating under the firm name of "Green and Scott," they will be located in the Fullwood building.

Don Little also this week announced purchase of the interest of J. M. Thomson in the B. F. Goodrich Store on U. S. Highway 60. Don says no immediate changes are contemplated.

James H. Parker, Internal Revenue agent, will be in Hereford Thursday, February 25, to assist taxpayers in preparing their income tax returns for the year of 1953.

Joe Smith gave a history of the Canadian River Valley which brought out the fact that strange and exotic forms of life once existed in this area when he talked at the Hereford Rotary Club Monday.

The Industrial Committee of the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce will meet Monday morning at 7 o'clock in the ballroom of the Jim Hill Hotel.

There is one final way to pay your poll tax Sunday, other than through the Jaycees, county tax assessor-collector Lowell Sharp said Saturday that money or a check for the poll tax can be mailed with a self-addressed, stamped envelope to his office.

Sight of the week—a \$10 bill stuck in the March of Dimes container at the parcel post counter in the Hereford Postoffice.

Three Accidents Caused Estimated \$430 Damage

Automobile accidents, which were scarce in Hereford during the first two weeks of 1954, broke out afresh last week, and the damaging collisions continued on Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

One collision occurred Wednesday, causing total damages of about \$275, and two collisions Thursday caused an estimated \$155 worth of damage.

Approximately \$275 damage was done to a 1953 Oldsmobile driven by Charlie Holt and a 1951 Hudson driven by Anna Lou Burks in a collision at the intersection of Sampson and First Streets about 1:30 Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Burks was driving on Sampson Street when her little girl fell out of the seat. While Mrs. Burks was getting the child back into the seat, Holt made a left turn at First Street and Sampson in front of her, and the left front fender of the Hudson collided with the right rear fender of the Oldsmobile.

The first accident Thursday was a minor collision on Park Avenue in front of Hereford High School at 12:05 o'clock.

Melvin Lomenick, driving a 1948 Fleetline Chevrolet, backed away from the curb, only a few seconds before Ronald Zimmerman began backing a 1950 Chevrolet pickup away from the curb.

Three nights away from home and an empty pocketbook had done much to drive two boys who had run away from their homes in St. Joseph, Mo., last Sunday and were picked up in Hereford Wednesday night.

Just 14 and 15 years old, the lads had decided that California would be a nicer place to live than Missouri, and they had hit the road with \$5.70 between them, and but little thought of any problems they might meet along the way.

Both the 1954 farm owner and operator shall execute the application in all but a few cases, where the farm owner is a nonresident and the farm operator can answer pertinent questions correctly.

Lads Find Road Life Not As Nice As Home

Neither of the boys was living with both of his parents. The father of the younger boy came after both of them, though he almost passed Hereford by and went on south, as he had been told that Hereford was "somewhere southwest of Fort Worth."

At that time, the boys were being held in the Potter County Detention Home, under orders of Deaf Smith County Judge Horace L. Schloss.

The boys had spent two nights in train stations, and one night in a service station, during their period away from home. Changed feelings were, perhaps, best evidenced by a remark that one of the boys made to Deputy Sheriff Neal Young, who took them to the detention home in Amarillo.

When first questioned, they maintained that they lived in California, and even gave a street address in a California city, but a check with police there disclosed that they were unknown there. It was then that the boys admitted their

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EARLENA PHILLIPS, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Phillips, 121 Avenue G., is one of the January graduates of West Texas State College in Canyon. She was a charter member of Buffalo Gals, girls service organization, a member of Alpha Chi, national honorary society, and Mary E. Hudspeth. Miss Phillips was chosen by Who's Who among students in American Universities and Colleges in her Junior year. She was active in Omega Psi Phi Fellowship work at the Christian Church, serving as president, vice president and secretary. Miss Phillips will teach in Vega this spring. (Staff Photo)

ON U. S. GOVERNMENT LAND

Demonstration Wildlife Area Near San Angelo Is Approved

The Game and Fish Commission has unanimously approved an experimental demonstration wildlife area on a 6000-acre tract adjoining San Angelo Junior College which will handle the project. The undertaking will be sponsored jointly by the college, the Commission and the United States Government which owns the land. The Commission would primarily contribute wildlife management talent and general consultant services.

The Executive Secretary of the Commission said the area, which is located on the shores of the new San Angelo Lake, will be designed somewhat along the lines of the key experimental program maintained in various parts of the state to further the main restoration movement. The Commission authorized ex-

penditure of funds estimated at \$121,000 to cut a fishway across Bolivar Peninsula on the Gulf Coast, just east of Galveston. The pass to be located where State Highway Number 87 crosses the Peninsula will not be available for boat traffic since, it was explained, it is intended exclusively for fish passage and the general improvement of sports angling.

The Commission used its direct authority for the six-county regulatory area including Possum Kingdom to abandon the minnow possession limit of 100 per person. The Commission, acting on the request of fishermen from that area, said the change would be tried out temporarily.

The Commission ordered a survey to determine advisability of permitting private interests to cut a Galveston Bay Channel in the

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herd of registered Herefords. Friends of Mr. Osborn solicited his campaign over the district as a "people's choice candidate" rather than a politician.

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regular rotation on the farm in 1954 may include "sod land" to be planted to field or truck crops for harvest during the 1954 calendar year.

Around . . .

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tainers at some of the smaller cafes, particularly those along Highway 60, seemed to be the ones that have received the most coins.

Wheat and grain sorghum loans, which normally must be secured no later than January 31, may be signed and delivered by the producer and accepted by the committee not later than February 1, according to word received at the county ASC office from Washington. The loan disbursements can be made not later than 15 days after February 1, or through February 16.

The Farm Bureau chili and pie supper will be held Wednesday night at 6:30 o'clock in the American Legion Clubhouse. Everyone is invited to attend. The charge is to be 75 cents for adults and 50 cents for children under 12.

Board Looking For New Missionaries

The Methodist Board of Missions (150 Fifth Ave., New York City) is looking for 420 new missionaries to fill the 1954-55 needs for service outside the United States.

The greatest number—191—are needed for educational work in Africa, East Asia, India and Pakistan, Southeast Asia, and Latin America. Second on the list numerically are 129 religious and social workers for the same areas, with jobs ranging from hostel management in Sarawak, Borneo to pastoral work in a large city of India.

There are openings for 21 doctors, 46 nurses, and two dentists; for eight agriculturists, three building and engineering specialists, 19 business managers or secretaries. There is one call for a printer for a mission press in Africa.

vicinity of Eagle Point or San Leon. It discussed proposed surveys of shell deposits in the inland bays.

Walter W. Lechner of Fort Worth was named Chairman of the Commission to succeed V. F. Nehaus of Mission, whose term has expired temporarily.

Three new members were sworn in: Herbert J. Frenshley, Houston; Henry LeBlanc, Port Arthur; and Henry Coffield, Marfa.

\$8 Million Asked

Churches Ask Money For Overseas Relief

Major Protestant and Eastern Orthodox churches in America will be asked for more than \$8,000,000 in cash for 1954 programs of relief and reconstruction in overseas areas of need.

This was announced today by Harper Sibley, Chairman of Church World Service, in launching the 1954 United Appeal for Relief and Reconstruction, the sixth annual cooperative appeal of the denominations working together under the sponsorship of the Central Department of Church World Service of the National Council of the Churches of Christ in the U.S.A.

Korea, Germany and Austria, Yugoslavia, India, Pakistan and the Near East are major areas to be covered by the 1954 united appeal.

Emergency Relief Needed
In these areas emergency relief (food, shelter, clothing, medicine) is desperately needed to relieve suffering among the homeless and the destitute while rehabilitation and reconstruction programs are vital to restoration of spiritual and physical sufficiency.

High point in the 1954 united appeal will be the "One Great Hour of Sharing" observances with special services in thousands of American churches on Sunday, March

28, when special relief offerings will be made.

Millions of churchgoers will join in this concerted outpouring of American friendship and compassion for the desperately distressed in other lands. In 1953, the churches contributed in excess of \$7,000,000 in support of programs for overseas relief and reconstruction.

"Both as Christians and as Americans, fortunate citizens of this happiest and most abundantly blessed of nations," Sibley said, "we have a particular stewardship a God-given duty to aid to the fullest extent our resources will permit our homeless and hungry brethren in other lands who, by accident of birth, have been plunged into suffering and distress in the aftermath of war, the wake of disaster and the spread of famine and starvation."

Conditions Reviewed
Reviewing conditions in overseas areas, many of which he visited personally within the last twelve months, Mr. Sibley declared:

"In Korea alone, at least 9,000,000 people, both refugees and others—men, women and children—are desperate need. With no established means of livelihood, they exist in improvised shacks of straw and mud, discarded army tents,

waste wood and iron. At least 400,000 are widows, 100,000 are orphans, many of them roaming the countryside hungry and homeless.

"Destitute war widows and their families need special care, as do crippled and ailing Korean war veterans, and young girls and widows on the streets. All need clothing, food, shelter, medicine, and continuing programs of rehabilitation.

"In Europe, streams of hungry refugees from behind the Iron Curtain still make their way daily to the free European countries without possessions—often without clothing—hopeless unless they can be helped to find new homes locally or in other countries, including the U.S.A. These are only the latest arrivals among Europe's more than 11,000,000 uprooted people, some of whom have been in camps for over six years. The situation is most acute in Germany, Austria, Trieste and Greece.

Six Years of Drouth
"Six successive years of drouth and semi-starvation in India have left their mark on millions. They are praying for good spring rains to assure the crops they were finally able to plant last fall. Even with good crops, the ravages of the years of drouth will be hard to

repair. Food supplies, medicines, vitamins are vital in many sections of India and, likewise, in Pakistan.

"In the Near East, the desperate Arab refugee situation continues. With no basic solution thus far found to ease their condition, nearly a million people exist from day to day on meager doles, barely keeping alive in makeshift shelters.

"In Hongkong, more than 300,000 destitute refugees live in crude huts improvised on steep hillsides, with no hope of employment to provide them sufficient food or clothing. Further augmenting their desperate situation was the Christmas night fire which left 70,000 of them without even this poor shelter.

"All of these living, human, suffering people across the seas are our brethren. They are those of whom Christ said, 'Inasmuch as ye have done it unto the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me.'

Because 4 of Jupiter's 12 months revolve around the planet in a direction opposite to the others, some scientists believe they are captured asteroids.

The flesh of dolphins formerly was considered a delicacy and had the further advantage in Catholic countries of being considered fish that could be eaten on fast days.

Two out of every 10 dwellings in France, are more than 80 years old.

About 65 per cent of the total U. S. land values are urban and nonfarm.

A standard Roman cohort contained about 600 men.

Program On Cuba And Florida Given At Lone Star Club

Mrs. W. S. Fluit and Mrs. Leo Forrest were co-hostesses for the Lone Star Study Club Tuesday afternoon at a meeting held in the Fluit home. Members answered roll call by naming industries of Florida and Cuba.

The first part of the program dealt with Florida and Cuba with Mrs. R. E. Lingenfelter giving a discussion on Florida's industries, climate and natural location as one of America's playground spots, and telling of Cuba's interesting spots.

Mrs. E. W. Hobson told of Baltimore, city of monuments, and convention city.

During the business session, members contributed to the March of Dimes Campaign. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. C. D. Kelton.

Attending the meeting were Madames O. L. Click, Roger Corbett, V. E. Dodson, W. S. Fluit, Leo Forrest, Jim Higgins, E. W. Hobson, John Jacobsen Jr., C. D. Kelton, Joe Kendall, Louie LeGrand, Robert Lingenfelter, Vivian Major, Guy Newsom, Earl Phillips, Ed Warren, R. G. Blue and the hostesses, Mrs. M. F. Cherry, mother of Mrs. Forrest, was a guest.

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IT'S REALLY NOT THIS ROUGH, JOE -- Taking it on the ears from both sides is enough to discourage most boxers from entering Golden Gloves competition. But not little Joe Wo. The 136-pounder, fighting for Amarillo's Borden's Boxing Club, is expected to enter the novice competition when Amarillo stages its 18th annual regional tournament. Joe posed for the picture to increase interest in the tournament. (AP Photo)

Beauty At Home

By Lynn Carter
 Q. Please mention some "do's" and "don'ts" in hairstyling for the girl with the square type of face.
 A. Don't pull hair back tightly at temples, as it will only accentuate the squareness of the jawline. Don't slick hair back flat on head. Don't use small, tight curls. Do dress your hair softly and loosely, with fullness at sides to minimize the sharp angle of the jaw. Do create as many soft curves in your hairdress and makeup as possible to counteract the squareness of your features.
 Q. What is a good remedy for a pale and colorless complexion?
 A. A honey mask is stimulating. Pat some honey in a thin film over face and neck; leave on 15 minutes, then remove with a damp cloth.
 Q. Should eyeshadow be used on eyes that are deep-set or sunken?
 A. It is better not. Try using, instead, a little clear petroleum jelly blended from the middle of the upper lid toward the hairline.
 Q. What can I do about a ragged cuticle on my fingernails?
 A. Use cream or oil. Don't clip the cuticle! It should be trained into place. Cream should be massaged in to make the cuticle soft enough to push back from the nail. Push the cuticle back, too, each time you dry your hands after washing.
 Q. Is there any way, while shampooing, to induce more gloss in my hair?
 A. Add the beaten white of an egg to your regular shampoo.
 Q. What is a formula for a good "homemade" curling fluid?
 A. Mix together one ounce gum tragacanth, one fluid ounce glycerine, and 15 fluid ounces rose water.
 Q. What makeup procedure will perk a girl up on an evening when she is looking rather washed out and pale?
 A. Apply a dab of a lighter shade of rouge of the same tone as the rouge you use on your cheeks to the center of the upper eyelid and blend this out nearly to the eyebrow. Also, dab the same shade of rouge over the end of your nose, chin, and ear lobes. Then put some powder over the rouge, and see how much fresher you look.
 Q. Please recommend a good hand and arm bleach.
 A. Cucumber juice, mixed with equal parts of rose water and glycerine, is excellent for this purpose.
 Q. I dislike shaving off the superfluous hairs on my legs. Is there a quick and easy way I can bleach them?
 A. You can use peroxide of hydrogen, or a mixture of one part ammonia to six parts of hydrogen.
 Q. What is a good, simple abdomen-reducing exercise?
 A. Sit on floor, legs outstretched before you, and bend forward, grasping the toes while you keep your knees straight and stiff.
 Among the continents, Antarctica has the highest mean elevation, 6,000 feet; others being Europe, 980 feet; Asia, 3,000; North America, 2,000; Africa, 1,900; South America, 1,800; and Australia, 1,000; says the National Geographic Society.
 Among U. S. families with incomes of less than \$2,000 a year, about half own their own homes. The Basques hunted whales in the 12th and 13th centuries. About a third of the population of France lives in houses without running water.
 Many archaeologists think all modern alphabets were derived from one prehistoric alphabet, but at different times. Egyptians, Phoenicians, Assyrians, Cretans and Hebrews have been credited with developing the first letters.

School Census Check Nearly Completed

Work on this year's school census, as far as obtaining names, has been largely completed, according to Superintendent George Graham.
 "If you haven't been contacted, and you have a child of school age or coming of school age, please notify the person working in your district, or call 1387," Graham said.
Two Weeks Needed
 About two weeks will be required to get the lists worked out in alphabetical order and by age groups. A complete census figure will probably be ready about February 15.
 Those who have been working on the census are Progressive—Mrs. V. E. Dodson; Dawn—Mrs.

Carl Wimberley; Ward—Mrs. Bill Hutson; Westway—Mrs. W. C. Quantlebaum; Summerfield—Mrs. B. E. Roberson; Frio and Rance—Mrs. Albert Springer; Wyche—Mrs. George Heard; Hereford—Mrs. Don Martin, Mrs. George Graham and Mrs. Owen Stagner.
 The Olympic Peninsula in northwestern Washington State may get more than 200 inches of rainfall in a wet year.
 Italy's longest river is the Po—417 miles.
 Several Oriental countries name their years in 12-year cycles starting with the Year of the Rat followed by the Years of the Ox, Tiger, Rabbit, Dragon, Snake, Horse, Sheep, Monkey, Fowl, Dog and Pig.
 There are 322 islands in Great Britain's Fiji Islands, spread over 100,000 square miles of the Pacific.

Grain Sorghum Leads County Loan Values

Commodity loan total in Deaf Smith County reached \$6,286,932.62, according to the January report of the county Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation office.
 Grain sorghum accounted for more than two thirds of that amount, with \$4,965,896.75 worth of grain put under the loan program. Wheat is the second largest commodity, with \$1,310,285.83 as the total loan value; barley is third with a loan value of \$7,284.90; oats fourth with \$1,814.29; and corn last with only \$1,651.03 worth of this grain put away under the loan program.
 Maturity date on all of these loans is April 30 of this year.

About 5,800,000 square miles, or about 10.2 per cent of the earth's land area are covered with glacial ice.
 Until the end of the 17th Century, poor people in England were buried without coffins, wrapped in cloth or even merely covered with hay and flowers.
 The Danube River runs through six European countries in its 1,750-mile course.
 The Mason-Dixon line between Pennsylvania and Maryland, famed as the division between North and South was set up to end disputes over private land grants.
 Coal cinders are found in Roman ruins of Great Britain, indicating that the Romans burned coal to some extent during their occupation.

DUNKERS' HEROINE Even The Holes In Doughnuts Are Made Eatable In Austin

By Mac Roy Rasor
 AP Newsfeatures
 AUSTIN — Every time a customer of Miss Helen L. Corbitt buys a doughnut he gets the hole, too. Each hole is cooked into a little golden ball and then perched right back on top of the doughnut.
 Family Custom
 Right now the favored customers are those of the coffee shop and dining room of Austin's Driskill Hotel, where Miss Corbitt is director of food services.
 "It's the way I was brought up," she explains. "My mother always cooked the holes right along with the doughnuts."
 Mother did her cooking in northern New York, where Miss Corbitt started her dietary career. She was in charge of private food service at Cornell Medical Center before she joined the University of Texas home economics staff 13 years ago.
 Conversation Pieces
 She worked at the Houston Country Club and Joske's of Houston before coming to the Driskill.
 The biggest advantage of serving up the holes is the conversation they provoke, Miss Corbitt believes.
 There's always a lot of joking about whether the holes are cheaper than the doughnuts, what happens to the holes at other coffee shops, and bets won from doubting new customers lured in by old ones.
 Two-hole Doughnut
 One customer recently complained that the hole received was too small to have been the one that came out of his doughnut.
 He was served a second one for good measure.
 Miss Corbitt says it was the only two-hole doughnut she has ever served.

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Helen's Youth Shop

Competitive Exams Set For State Jobs

Competitive examinations will be given by the Merit System Council for the Texas State Department of Health on March 6 in as many centers throughout the State as the number of candidates may justify.
 Special recruitment will be made for stenographers, secretaries, junior sanitarians, engineer assistants and graduate nurses.
 Closing date for receipt of applications is February 24.
 Application forms and information are available upon request from the Merit System Council, 814 Littlefield Building, Austin 15, Texas.
 Silver dollars are in common use only in a few western states like Montana and Nevada.
 Cotton acreage in North Carolina decreased from 1,800,000 acres in 1926 to about 600,000 acres in 1950.
 The making of sun-dried mud bricks in Egypt has not changed since before the pharaohs.
 Although whales are mammals they have only occasional vestiges of hair in adult forms.

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THIS HOME AT 108 Star Street is owned by Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Knabe. The house, which was completed in July of 1953, is made of buff Roman brick and is trimmed in blue. It contains seven rooms, a two room apartment and three baths.

The main part of the house has two bedrooms, a den, kitchen, dining room, living room, utility room, two baths, a basement and double garage. The apartment has a bedroom, kitchen and bath. (Staff Photo.)



PVT. JOHNNY MORTON

Pvt. Johnny Morton Getting Basic Training

Pvt. Johnny J. Morton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Morton, recently began eight weeks of basic training in the Antiaircraft Artillery Replacement Training Center at Fort Bliss.

Pvt. Morton, who graduated from Hereford High School in 1949, entered the service December 8, 1953. Before entering the service he was employed at Cooper's Market.

Marilyn Sutton of Texas City, a student of Texas Tech in Lubbock, is in Hereford spending the between-semester vacation with her aunt, Mrs. Charles Newell.

Turf Grasses Use Half Of All City Water

Grass is big business. Even without the well-known Texas rangelands, grass is big business.

E. J. Urbanovsky, president of the Texas Turf Association, said at Texas A & M College that turf grass—the short, dense grasses you see in parks and cemeteries—is Texas' biggest cultivated crop.

More land is planted in it and more money is spent on it per acre, he said.

Urbanovsky, head of the Department of Park Management at Texas Tech at Lubbock, was chairman of the first session of the Eighth Annual Texas Turf Conference, held at A&M College January 18-20, and attended by more than 100 persons from all over the state.

Water Theme

As a result of the recent drought throughout Texas, the conference theme was centered around water and its uses with relation to grass. First speaker on the program after the group was welcomed to the campus by Dean C. N. Sheppardson of the School of Agriculture, was J. R. Johnson, assistant director of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, whose subject was "Water Resources and Water

Use in Texas.

Johnston told the group that of all the water which falls on Texas in the form of rain, we use approximately 14 percent for beneficial growth.

A paper by John Ruhmann, director of the Utilities Department for the city of Wichita Falls, followed Johnston's address.

Ruhmann told the group that most people never realize the amount of water used by and for grasses in the average city. Almost all water distribution systems are just twice the capacity normally required for all other uses, he said. For example, if a city's average water use for one year is 20,000,000 (M) gallons per day, you can estimate with reasonable accuracy that an average of 10,000,000 (M) gallons per day went to the turf grasses in the city.

Air Force Group Wants To Schedule Softball

The 3320 Retraining Group of Amarillo Air Force Base is planning on having a softball team this year. They are interested in scheduling games with the teams of the neighboring communities.

Area teams that are interested should write to: M-Sgt. R. K. Norquist, Box 83, 3320 Retraining Group, Amarillo Air Force Base.

More than 11,000 homes have been built and 16,000 repaired in West Berlin since World War II.

Women's College Is Back In Pusan

After three years "in exile" in makeshift buildings on a hillside in Pusan, the far-famed Ewha University, first college for women in all Korea, is now back on its original campus in Seoul.

The fighting between northern and southern forces in Korea drove the young women south of the city of Seoul, but their president, Miss Helen Kim, gathered them together and opened classes on the various tiers of a Pusan hillside, eventually adding temporary buildings for instruction and for dormitory purposes.

Despite the nearness of the war, the student body increased until there are now more than 2,000 young women enrolled. When Dr. Kim, her faculty, and the student body received government permission to return to the old Seoul campus, they found windows broken, walls riddled by shot, and all the equipment gone.

But they have managed to repair the buildings somewhat, and to make them suitable for classes.

CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to take this method of thanking Drs. Barnett, Mimms, and Nobles, the Deaf Smith County Hospital staff and all of my friends for their kind expressions during my recent illness.

J. W. Terry.

Hospital Notes

Patients In Hospital

Mrs. Jim Shirley, med.; Mrs. G. A. F. Parker, med.; L. H. Casey, Ortho.; Ralph S. Strider, med.; Mrs. Odie Moore, surg.; Mrs. J. S. McCullar, surg.; Mrs. Paul Thompson, OB; Mrs. Joe Landers, med.; Mrs. Joe Brorman, OB; Mrs. Tony Edens, surg.; Robert Russell, Ortho.; Alfred May, surg.; Mrs. E. W. Tatum, surg.; Harold Head, med.; H. V. Stanton, med.; Mrs. Eunice Crist, Neuro.; Lloyd Mingus, Neuro.; Nellie Jones, med.; Louis Gunn, inf.; Bill Darter, surg.; Mrs. George Woods, med.; Mrs. D. B. Roberson, surg.

Patients Dismissed

J. D. Story, med., 1-30; Mrs. Lannie Allen, med., 1-28; Martin Campbell, med., 1-27; William Payton, med., 1-27; Ruby Gilbert, med., 1-27; Mrs. Wayne Thomas, OB, 1-27; Mrs. Ivan Block, OB, 1-27; Mrs. Glenn L. Burrus, surg., 1-27; J. W. Terry, med., 1-27; R. L. Kerr, Neuro., 1-27; Edith Miles, OB, 1-27; Mrs. Dorothy Ohlig, surg., 1-28; Craig Bainum, tonsil, 1-28; Olivia DeLeon, surg., 1-27; A. J. Kalka, med., 1-27; Larry Pettyjohn, med., 1-29.

Political Announcements

For State Representative, 9th Legislative District:
Jesse M. Osborn

For County Judge:
Horace L. Schloss

For District Clerk:
Lucille Posey

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector:
Lowell Sharp

For County Clerk:
Ralph Smith

For County Treasurer:
Velma Hodges

For County Attorney:
J. Edward Line

For County Commissioner, Precinct 1:
M. T. (Marion) Rutter

At The Movies

Easy To Love

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday at the Star Theatre.

Starring Esther Williams, Van Johnson, Tony Martin, and John Bromfield.

Esther Williams, the water queen, has everyone in love with her except her boss, Van Johnson, who is so busy exploiting her charms that he forgets his prize beauty is human. Then she arouses his jealousy with a nightclub singer, Tony Martin, and her swimming partner, John Bromfield.

The movie takes place in Cypress Gardens, Fla., and is probably the most fascinating of Esther Williams' water spectacles.

Church Leaders Speak Out On Racial Problem

A conference of leaders of the white churches of the Union of South Africa called recently by the Federal Mission Council of the Dutch Reformed Churches there, has aroused national interest largely because of the racial tensions in which the churches have generally taken sides.

Perhaps the greatest "bombshell" was thrown into the deliberations by the Rev. Dr. B. B. Keet, of the Theological Seminary of Stellenbosch, who spoke against the current government attitude.

Says the leading Pretoria newspaper, THE TIMES, concerning the conference: "It has been shown at this conference that there is general uneasiness, to say the least, at measures tending to deprive non-European races of the normal freedoms of civilized peoples, but there is a noticeable difference in the caution with which church leaders voice their opinions."

"Dr. Keet did not mince words when he said that it was natural to try to explain the existence of separate churches as concern for the independent development of colored people, but this has deceived nobody but ourselves. The color feeling was the real reason."

He urged perseverance in prayer to bring about a change of heart to free them from the unreasonable—not to say un-Christian—color and race sentiment from which they all suffered."

Stays in Woods

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

After 30 years of camping out along the Cape Fear river here, James Williams 78, is convinced it's the best kind of life.

Williams' only home is a well-patched lean-to. For a short time about five years ago he lived in a home given to him, but "There just wasn't enough air in there for me," he drawled.

Occasionally he goes to town for staple groceries which he stores in a hollow tree.

demic disease reduced the Indians of the Northwest American coast to about a quarter of their original numbers.

The Actress

Wednesday and Thursday at the Star Theatre.

Starring Jean Simmons, Spencer Tracy and Teresa Wright.

Jean Simmons, as the only daughter of Spencer Tracy and Teresa Wright, has a burning ambition to become an actress. Her father, however, is determined to enroll his daughter in a physical culture school and train her to become a teacher.

This is an amusing, charming comedy, especially to those who recall the early 1900's.

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One Group FORMALS	
One Group JACKETS	
Wool & Corduroy Skirts	
1/2 Price KNIT SUITS \$29 ⁹⁵	
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One Beige Gabardine Short Coat \$15 ⁰⁰ Size 14	One Green Gabardine SUIT \$25 ⁰⁰ Size 16 1/2
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- Q. What are the 3 most important rules for profitable newspaper advertising?**
- A. 1.** Your advertising message should be newsy, friendly, informative, easy to read. Give facts and news about your merchandise and service.
- 2.** Advertise regularly. Make your advertising do what successful salesmen do—call on customers and prospects consistently.
- 3.** Insist on audited circulation reports that give you the FACTS about the audience that your sales messages will have when you buy newspaper advertising.
- Q. Is there a measure for the value of newspaper circulation to an advertiser such as the standards a merchant uses in buying merchandise—for example, like STERLING on silver?**
- A.** Yes—in the well known circulation standards of the AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATIONS.
- Q. What is the A.B.C.?**
- A.** The A.B.C. is a cooperative, non-profit association of 3,450 advertisers, advertising agencies and publishers in the United States and Canada. Organized in 1914. Brought order out of advertising chaos by establishing a definition for paid circulation, rules and standards for measuring, auditing and reporting the circulations of newspapers and periodicals.
- Q. What does A.B.C. do for me?**
- A.** At regular intervals one of the Bureau's large staff of experienced circulation auditors makes a thorough audit of the circulation records of each publisher member. The results of each audit are published in an easy-to-read A.B.C. report for your use and protection when you buy newspaper advertising.
- Q. What are the FACTS in A.B.C. reports?**
- A.** A.B.C. reports tell you how much circulation, where it goes, how obtained and other FACTS that help you buy advertising as you would make any sound business investment—on the basis of known values and audited information.
- Q. Are all publications eligible for A.B.C. membership?**
- A.** No. Only those with paid circulation. This is important to advertisers because it is evidence that the paper is wanted and read.
- Q. Is this newspaper a member of the Audit Bureau of Circulations?**
- A.** Yes. We are proud of our circulation. We want you to know the FACTS about the audience your selling messages will have when they appear in these pages. Ask for a copy of our latest A.B.C. report.





SHIRLEY SCHOOL SUFFERED the first defeat in its history on the Quizdown program over KGNC-TV in Amarillo recently. They lost to River Road School in Amarillo by a score of 750 to 585. However, they did receive a world atlas as a consolation prize.

Students taking part in the program were, back row from left: Jess Kirby, Lisle Patton and Ruth Powell; front row, from left: Mary Ray Downey, Joy Wiman, Lois Christman, Kay Neil, James Gentry and Sharon Flood. (W. H. Patton Photo)



AP Newsfeatures
 What's the word from Washington's sub-deb set? Are they too interested in global calisthenics to be real honest-to-goodness teen-agers. Or are the young in heart in the nation's capitol on the teen beam?
 Judging from the report of our Washington reporter, the five set has an atom-powered vocabulary and jet-propelled repartee to match any group in the land. Furthermore, they have an eye for good style.
 Here's a sample of that lingo with definitions for squares everywhere.
 Hi, winner!: Hello, stupid. (He's on the square side).
 Neat: Old fashioned, a mess.
 A square: Definitely the worst.
 A catty (similarly, catty): A real sharp boy or girl, looks good.
 Real gone: Cute, well dressed.
 Dig that crazy scooter: Look at that automobile.
 She's having a ball: She's having

a good time.
 He's a real doll: Usually a term of appreciation for teacher or boy.
 Let's live it up: Let's have a good time.
 Get that frantic shirt: Observe that stylish shirt.
 Gee, dad!: Shucks, I know that! Gibblehead: A tub who asks stupid questions.
 Blow through your helmet: Talk through your hat.
 Bread: Cash.
 This is Tiffany: There's nothing finer.
 Salad: Firm, solid.
 The trap: Your home.
 Fall fatal: New way of dropping dead.
 I've got the burns for that girl: I'm in love.
 Stop the static: Quiet, please.
 He made a knock-knock: His joke fell flat.
 Just boot the machine: Get the car going.
 Goof-ball, gourd-head, pin-head: Terms of opprobrium.
 As far as clothes go, blue jeans are outmoded, both for girls and boys. The young men prefer slacks and oxford weave shirts without ties. Girls go in for "little boy blouses," (men's shirts, specially tailored), preferably with leather collars. Knitted men's ties are worn with the shirts. The girls also adore leather jackets, and carry buck bags with them to school to powder their shoes in class. Dirty bucks are considered classier in

some schools.
 Boys wear pegged pants and red soled white buck shoes. Boys and girls wear ducktail haircuts — a crew cut, long in back, combed together in the middle. The girls' version, is perhaps a little longer, although the boys wear it long in back, too.
 Most girls wear gold initials pinned to their socks in place of the leather dog collar worn around the ankle last year. But some still prefer the dog collar.
 At one high school the boys began wearing pajamas to school but the teachers soon put a stop to it.
 The rage among teen-agers is the TV program Dragnet, just as it is in most towns. The kids have burlesqued the dragnet music and it has become the source for much teen-age talk. A "run of the mill dragon" is "a pretty good guy."
 It took 12 years to design and build the Colossus of Rhodes, one of the seven wonders of the ancient world.
 Egyptians have made mud brick houses for at least 6,000 years says the National Geographic Society.
 A robin once nested in the tail of a Navy bomber and lived through a 17,000 mile flight.
 The U. S. Capitol has 435 rooms, says the National Geographic Society.
 Your eyes have a tendency to grow nearsighted in dim light.

Veteran Can Make Extra Loan Payments
 Veterans holding GI mortgages can make extra payments to their lenders at any time or can pay off the entire loan without a penalty charge, Veterans Administration announced today in response to numerous inquiries.
 Robert W. Sisson, Manager of VA's Lubbock Regional Office, said that the minimum extra payment a veteran may make is "at least the amount of one month's payment, or a flat \$100. He added: "Veterans, who make extra payments, may have the extra principal re-applied later to regular payments, if the lender agrees, to keep his loan from going into default should the veteran later become hardpressed for money."
 More than 1,400 West Texas veterans have already repaid their GI home loans in full since the beginning of the GI loan program in 1944.
 Nationally, about 460,000 loans, or about one out of every seven loans guaranteed by VA, have been repaid in full. The original principal amount of these loans is nearly \$2.5 billion.
 In Ireland, off-course horserace betting is legal and bookies are pillars of their communities with fancy offices.
 Whales sometimes have twins.

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Girls' Knit Carter GOWNS **\$1.99**
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Infants (Carters) SLEEPERS **\$1**
 Yellow Blue 6 Mos. To 4 Years

Girls Rayon Carters PANTY **\$1**
 2 FOR Size 1 Year to 14 Year White & Pink Non-Run Tricot Reg. 79c

Girls Rayon Carters SLIPS **\$1**
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Childrens Knit POLO SHIRTS **\$1**
 2 FOR Size 6 Mo. to 3 Yrs. Reg. 1.98

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 Includes Dresses Skirts Panties Diaper Covers Many Other Items To 7.95

POPULAR STORE



CHATting WITH MEMBERS of the Hereford Jaycees after their regular meeting at the Jaycee Clubhouse recently are the state president of the Jaycees, Tommy Cook of Baytown, and state vice president K. G. Vaughn of Dallas. They were attending a flying tour of Jaycee organizations in this region before the bi-regional meeting which was held in Leveland Sunday. Several Hereford Jaycees attended the bi-regional meeting. From the left are: John D. Aikin, Tommy Cook, K. G. Vaughn and Clint Formby, Hereford Jaycee president. (Staff Photo)

Vets Planning Study Under GI Bill Should Check On Status

FORT WORTH. — Korean veterans who are planning to study under the "GI Bill" or who started work and dropped out with the thought of continuing later, should check their status under the law, Dean C. J. Firkins of the Texas Christian University Veterans Guidance Center said this week.

Under Public Law 550, Korean veterans must actually start an approved course of education or training not later than their delimiting date (Aug. 20, 1954 for veterans discharged or released on or before Aug. 20, 1952.) The delimiting date for all other Korean vets is two years after date of discharge or release from duty.

Other Provisions

Firkins pointed out that the law also provides that a program once started, must be resumed within a period of 12 months from the expiration date of the last enrollment even if this 12-month period of suspension is partly before and partly after the delimiting date.

For practical purposes, the law means: (a) a Korean veteran who has not yet started a program of education and training must do so during the spring semester or summer session of 1954 if his delimiting date falls on or before Sept. 26, 1954.

(b) Such a veteran who has previously started his program but is

not currently enrolled must resume active work during spring or summer, 1954, if the expiration date of his last enrollment in a school or course was on or before Feb. 6, 1953;

(c) A Korean veteran presently enrolled in a program has the option of re-entering the spring semester 1954 or of suspending his training for a period not to exceed 12 months.

One Change Allowed

It was further pointed out that Law 550 allows only one change of educational objective. It is desirable that vets contemplating a change initiate their requests prior to Aug. 20, 1954 or their own delimiting dates. Changes after the delimiting dates may not be approved.

World War II veterans who are eligible for further training must re-register for the spring semester

1954 classes. "We hope all veterans who are thinking of more education or training will check their status at once so there will be no slip up," Firkins said. "We would be most happy to help any of them with their questions."

TCU grants a scholarship of \$100 per year to veterans who qualify for education under Public Law 550.

A whale when first born may sometimes exceed a third the length of the mother.

A steelhead is a rainbow trout which has migrated to salt water and returned to fresh water, changing color in the process.

Charcoal at very low temperatures will absorb 10 times as much gas as charcoal at barely freezing temperature.

Americans spend about 300 million dollars a year on eye care says the Better Vision Institute.

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Everybody Has A Special Day Some Time During The Year

It looks like every Texan, his pets, products and organizations, will have a special day, or week, or month in 1954.

Time was when one could keep up with the various national observances such as St. Valentine's Day, Ground Hog Day or Huey P. Long's birthday, a legal holiday over in Louisiana.

But not any more! There are now such new and wide variances as National Bow Tie Week, Old Maid's Day and National Bird Cage Week.

For examples: Did you know that Jan. 20-27 was National Large Size Week, and that Jan. 26 National Fur Care Week opens?

Oh yes, and Honey For Breakfast Week will be April 19-24. And don't forget Save The Horse Week in October, 10-16, and May is National Pickle Month.

Be On Your Toes
You have to be on your toes about these special days, weeks, and months. You might miss National Odorless Decoration Week and National Take Tea Week.

In 1954, we have days for baby, mother, father, grandparents, daughter, son, aunt, uncle or what have you.

We have special days, weeks or months for a variety of practices, for thrift to religion, from eating cherry pie to cleaning up the barn.

Is National Brands Week sufficient? No, we have National Brands in Variety Stores Week and National Brands in Drugstores Week.

All Have Reasons
Actually, all of these designated

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special days, weeks or months, have sponsors and they list reasons for observance.

Take National Accordion Week, Nov. 18-25. It is sponsored by the American Accordionist Association. Purpose is to aid sales promotion of musical instruments, particularly accordions.

National Bird Cage Week is to increase interest in the comfort of having caged birds as pets.

How technical can we get? National Honey Week is Oct. 25-31. But before that, came National Honey For Breakfast Week, April 18-24.

National Bow Tie Week is to "encourage the wearing of bow ties for a younger look."

That guy that came up with National Leave Us Alone Week, April 1-8, had something there, and no April "foolin'."

Sure, there are conflicts, bound to be with so many specialties to observe. National Leave Us Alone Week itself conflicts with National Laugh Week.

Not far behind them come National Noise Abatement Week, April 11-17.

As if you couldn't guess it: National Expectant Father's Day is June 19. That's one day before Father's Day, June 20.

You are familiar with National Straw Hat Day and National Felt Hat Day, but did you know that National Kraut and Frankfurter Week is Feb. 4-12?

Tell your wife, if she thinks every week is it—National Beauty Salon Week is only in February. And that National Sew and Save Week is listed Feb. 20-27.

She may remind you that National Smile Week is March 8-13. That's funny, National Pack-

Talk About Trees Given At Camp Fire

Mrs. O. H. Herring gave a talk on "Trees" to members of Wahampta Camp Fire Group at the regular meeting in the hut Thursday afternoon.

After discussing products derived from trees, Mrs. Herring told the girls that the leaves change color because the sugar is transferred from the leaves to be stored in the trunk during the winter months. She led them in repeating the Junior Gardener's Pledge.

Verna Dean Brown conducted the meeting, during which members discussed the wearing of ceremonial gowns. Kay Lynn Scott and Margaret Boomer, who served as hostesses, served refreshments to the group.

Other girls attending were Sheryl Patterson, Jenny Lynn McCathern, Rosa Lee Strange, Judy Coffin, Sheila Williams, Kay Cole, Bonnie Bay Craig, and Jean Terry, members; one guest, Sharon Flood; and the guardian, Mrs. Louis Woodford.

ing Week is April not December. Los Angeles probably will go in for National Cleaner Air Week, Oct. 24-30, more so than other cities.

Many Are Serious
Many of the special weeks, days and months are serious, like Universal Week of Prayer, Gold Star Mother's Week, Bible Reading Week, Cotton Week and Hospital Day.

The ones you might miss are such as National Irish Linen Week, March 15-20, and National Be Kind to Animals Week, May 2-8.

To keep up to "date" on these special days, weeks and months, one can get a publication from the U. S. Chamber of Commerce which lists them all, including sponsors and purposes.

Skipping through the year, here are some of the other noteworthy special observances: National Table Tennis Week, National Pancake Day, Save Your Vision Week, Hearing Week, Raisin Week, National Iced Tea Time, Child Foot Health Month, National Doll Week. And remember, the day after Christmas is a legal holiday in South Carolina. In other places, it's National Exchange Day.

Housewarming Held For Mathis Family

Mr. and Mrs. Val Mathis were honored with a surprise housewarming Tuesday night, at their new home, at 305 Blevins. Each guest took part in furnishing drapes for the living room.

Coffee and cake were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Webb, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hardy, Mrs. Grant, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Beauford, Mrs. H. V. Fields, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. George Summers, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Summers, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Owen and Beekie, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Owen.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lawrence, Mrs. Ethel Layman, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Vinton, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cornelious, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Saulcy, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Combs, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Collet, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Harkins, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Shirley and Kay-John Hall, Woodrow Welty, Rose Bridges and Jack Val.

The hostesses were Mrs. Lewis Shirley, Mrs. Woodrow Welty and Mrs. John Hall.

Truck Carries Smithy
DENVER (AP) — No longer does this village smith do his blacksmithing under a spreading chestnut tree.

Gordon C. Crick, retired Army sergeant, uses the back end of a pickup truck. His mobile shop serves more than 600 horse owners within a 50-mile radius of Denver. Crick, says he does, about 1,200 shoeing jobs a year at \$5 to \$6 each.

About 54 per cent of nonfarm families in the United States own their own homes.

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		Printed & Solid Colors TWISTLINE Purple, Fushia, Navy, Green and Gray 79c yd.	COTTON PLISSE HALF SLIPS Shadow Proof, Panel Nylon Trimmed \$1	38" Avondale Woven SEERSUCKER—Red Plaid 98c yd. Blue and Brown Stripe
		36" Criskey (Cracked Ice) SOLID COLORS — White, Orchid, Blue, Gray, Turquoise and Printed Patterns 89c yd.	LADIES' & MISSES' RAYON BRIEFS 5 pair \$1	36" All-Combed Tissue CHAMBRAY 98c yd. FAST COLOR—STARCHLESS—IRRISIDENT COLOR
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FRIONA NEWS

By Mrs. E. R. Day Sr., and Mrs. E. A. Guinn

Mrs. and Mrs. Eugene Neidy of Clovis, Texas, announced the arrival of their first child, a son, on January 28. The child was born to the former Marilyn Martin, daughter of Friona High School for a few years. The maternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baxter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baxter were in Clovis Wednesday and visited their sons, Lonnie and Charlie and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Graham of Rush Springs, Okla., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hardy May and Mr. and Mrs. Newman Jerrell of Friona.

Attending Funeral

Mrs. T. A. Sherley received word of the death of her brother of Watsonville, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Sherley and son left Thursday to attend the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Brooks and family bought the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Haws in the west part of town.

Mrs. E. M. Jack and Mrs. L. D. Chiles made a trip to Portales Wednesday.

Mrs. Keith Blackburn and daughter, Gill, and Mrs. Howard Mayfield were in Clovis Wednesday.

Howard Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roberts, has accepted a job at Herring Implement Company.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Brannon went to Littlefield Thursday night to attend a gospel meeting of the Church of Christ. Alva Johnson of Turkey did the preaching.

Inspection Meeting

Hasley Reeve and Charlie Bainum of the Reeve Chevrolet, and Oscar Baxter of the Friona Motor Company were in Muleshoe Thursday night to attend a vehicle inspection meeting.

Dr. and Mrs. Paul Spring were in San Antonio last week where Dr. Spring attended a medical meeting.

The Progressive Study Club has elected new officers for the year. They are Mrs. Jack Knox, president; Mrs. D. C. Herring, vice president; Mrs. Patsy Talley, secretary; Mrs. Leonard Coffey, treasurer; Mrs. James Procter, reporter and Mrs. John Parrish, parliamentarian.

Sgt. Billy B. Sanders received his discharge recently. He has been stationed at Ft. Benning, Ga.

Underwent Surgery

Mrs. James Boyle, who underwent surgery at the Parmer County Hospital last week, returned home Friday.

Mrs. Paul Wiggins and children of Arlington arrived this week to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Collier.

Mrs. Neal Fulks and children left Friday for McKinney to visit with Mr. Fulks.

Mrs. Toni Edens, who underwent surgery in the Deaf Smith County Hospital, will return to her home today.

At a recent meeting of the Friona Women's Club, the following officers were elected: Mrs. Leo McAlison, president; Mrs. J. E. Miller, vice president; Mrs. G. L. Hough, secretary; Mrs. H. C. Kendrick, treasurer; Mrs. C. W. Dixon, parliamentarian, and Mrs. J. C. Wilkinson, reporter. The club meets twice a month on Wednesday afternoons at 2:30 o'clock. Those are the second and fourth Wednesdays.

Household Scrapbook

By Roberta Lee

Opaque Glass

To make glass opaque rub the glass with a lump of putty. Apply evenly and carefully, rubbing one way only.

Greasing Pans

An easy way to grease baking pans is to tie a piece of clean muslin around the point of a fork and using it to grease the pan. It can be burned and a fresh one used next time, so keep a supply on hand ready to tie on.

Celery Soup

To make good celery soup, take one cup of chopped celery, then boil in one quart of beef broth until tender. Season and serve with crackers.

Splinters

If there is a splinter in the hand, fill a small bottle up to the neck with hot water. Place the splinter over mouth of bottle and press the hand down tightly, so that it is held by suction. Hold it this way for a few minutes, and if the steam doesn't draw out the splinter, it can easily be removed with a needle. It will also avoid soreness.

Tangled Hair

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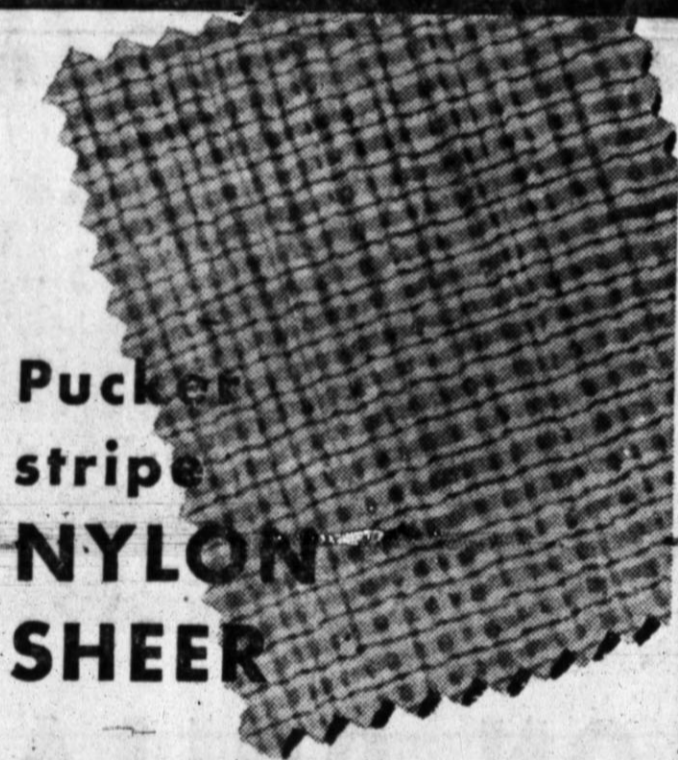
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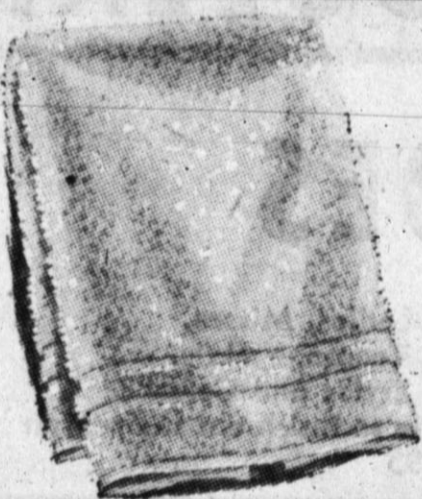
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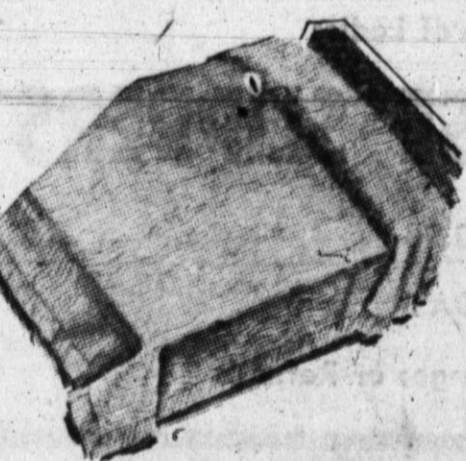
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ONE OF THE BEST BASKETBALL teams Hereford has had in years is shown here. They have won all of the 19 games that they have played but one which they lost to Amarillo, and it was not a conference game. The boys sometimes get off to a slow start but before the games are over they have pulled out in front to make Hereford that much prouder of its team. Only 757 points for a defensive average of 50 points a game.

Everett Allen is now leading Whiteface scorer and Tommy Woodford is next. From left are, back row: Joe Streun, Tommy Woodford, Terry McRight, Homer Hershey and Jackie Burrus; front row: Logan Cummings, Everett Allen, Francis Boyd, Ralph Atchley and Buddy Godfrey. The trophies were won at the Happy and Levelland tournaments. (Staff Photo)

EASTER NEWS

By Mrs. Loy Stone
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brooks attended the funeral of Brook's uncle, Clem Brooks, in Ardmore, Okla., last Tuesday.

Mrs. W. A. Epperson returned home Friday after undergoing surgery in the Amherst hospital.

Cut Foot Badly
Mrs. L. B. Worthan had the misfortune of badly cutting her right foot. It required eight stitches to close the wound.

Mrs. Beulah Smith is visiting in the W. A. Epperson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Walton visited Sunday in the Jim Ginins' home in the Bethel Community.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brooks transacted business and visited in Friona with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Taylor, Thursday.

Lonnie Schultz Married
Lonnie Schultz, well known in this community, was married at Christmas time. They are making their home in Binger, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Flood and daughter visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Flood, Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Burnett and Mrs. Ethel Farmer went to Amarillo Friday to bring Mrs. Loy D. Stone home from the hospital.

Kenneth Frye spent Friday night and Saturday with Gary Burnett.

Chill For Dimes March
There will be a chill supper at the Easter Community building Friday night, January 22, for the March of Dimes campaign. Everyone is asked to attend. The supper will begin at 7 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Flood, and Ernest Flood and children visited Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Burnett, where they saw their granddaughter on the Quizdown TV program in Amarillo.

There are several new families who have moved into this community. We wish to extend them a hearty welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Markley have gone to Savannah, Mo., where he was to have treatment in the Dr. Nicholas Sanatorium there.

Chaser Is Noisy
HANOVER, Mass. (AP)—Bartender Harvey Hemmings asked the new customer the usual question, "What'll you have?"

The man gave the unusual reply of "Everything you got."

The "everything" was \$500 and the "chaser" was a squad of police cars.

The Italian government has estimated that six million dwelling units were destroyed in the country during World War II.

Trend Noticeable
Samples of blood have now been analyzed from more than 300 animals, and a definite trend is noticeable, the researchers found.

Animals with a comparatively low amount of PBI are comparatively poor gainers, as are those with comparatively high amounts of PBI.

Detailed study of animals under special feeding conditions revealed that the top 20 per cent of gainers fell very near the center of the PBI range. This area is now called the "optimum" PBI range.

Only one animal in the optimum PBI range failed to gain as predicted after the tests—and that animal broke a horn, which would naturally affect its weight-gaining potential, Dr. Kunkel said.

Animals tested to date range, at maximum age, from 8 to 14 months, and so far no significant change in accuracy of the test has been noticed because of age. However, the test probably would be less accurate in older animals, researchers say.

Chief assistants to Dr. Kunkel in the experiments are Dr. Mary D. Fittrell, who received the Ph. D. degree from the University of Wisconsin, and D. K. Stokes, Jr., of Camden, S. C., who now is fulfilling requirements from his Ph. D.

Blood Samples Show Ability Of Beef Animals To Make Gain

COLLEGE STATION—Analysis of a blood sample from a feeder calf now can remove some of the risk in a cattlemen's spending thousands of dollars for breeding stock of the conventional type. Scientists at Texas A. & M. College can determine, through blood sampling, whether a given animal will gain well, moderately or poorly in the feed lot.

Department of Biochemistry and Nutrition has carried experiments in this field to the point where he can predict with a reasonable degree of accuracy the daily amount of weight the animal will gain under a prescribed feed ing routine.

Economic Importance
Of more economic importance to the cattlemen is the fact that rate-of-gain potential of a breeding

animal is inherited by its offspring, so that selection of a bull-calf which will show good gain in the feed-lot and will produce calves with the same potential, can easily mean thousands of dollars to the cattle breeder today.

Experiments to determine some method for predicting rate-of-gain in feeder calves were started at the college because of this apparent economic value.

"We're progressing rapidly, and we're proud of our results so far," Dr. Kunkel says, "but due to the complex nature of the test made on the blood samples, only a limited number of animals can be tested. We are making no tests on any animals except those in our experimental lots at this time."

Researchers at the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station at Balmorhea and others at Miles City, Mont., first noticed that certain family lines of cattle seemed to gain better than others—much as certain lines of race-horses produced better racers.

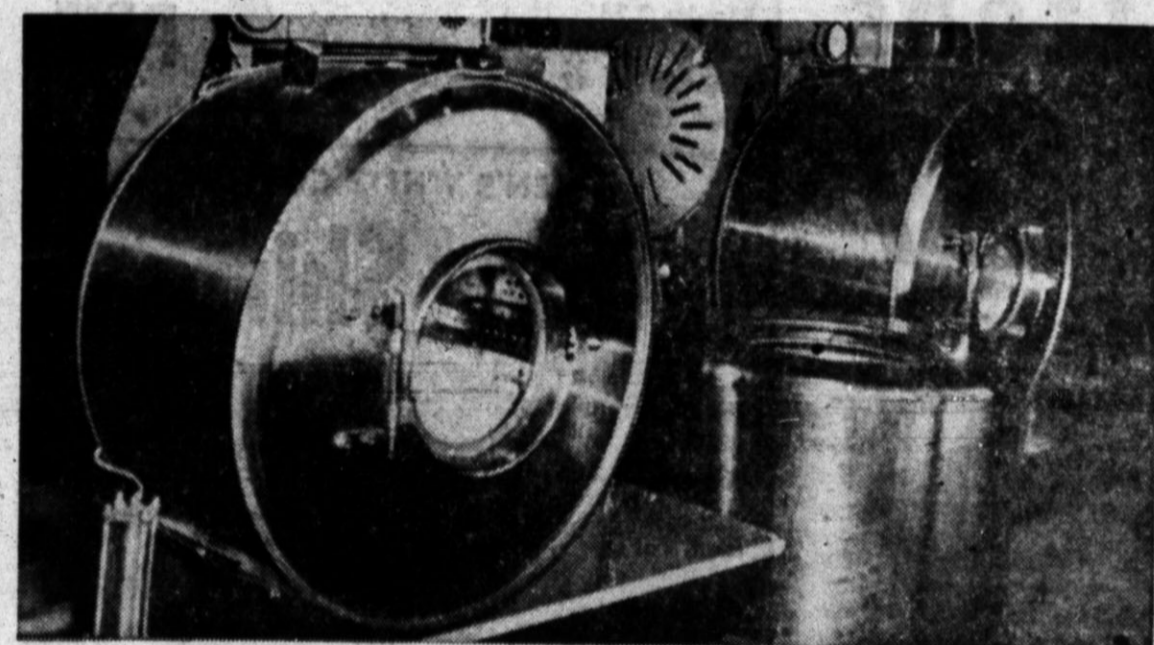
When experiments were begun, researchers had little to go on other than that. Many experiments were initiated, conducted until they proved worthless, and were abandoned.

One of the earliest of these was a comparison of efficiency in digestion among experimental animals. When digestive efficiency proved to have little correlation with the animal's ability to gain weight, it became apparent that the difference lay in how the animal used food after its absorption into the blood-stream.

Metabolism Important
Metabolism, which is the chemical process whereby the body uses food, was next considered, and it was here that researchers struck paydirt. While the B-vitamins seemed to have little significance in the problem, one amino acid—tyrosine—did.

Further analysis centered attention on what scientists call protein-bound iodine in the blood. Protein-bound iodine—or PBI as Dr. Kunkel and his associates call it—averages about 40 to 50 per cent of the total iodine in the blood. And PBI reflects directly the activity of the thyroid gland in cattle, just as it does in humans Dr. Kunkel said.

In the tests, a blood sample is allowed to clot at room temperature, then is stored under refrigeration. After this storage period, the serum is drawn off by centrifuge and protein is precipitated out of it. This protein is 'ashed' under controlled high temperatures and the amount of iodine present is measured indirectly by the rate at which it catalyzes two other chemicals.



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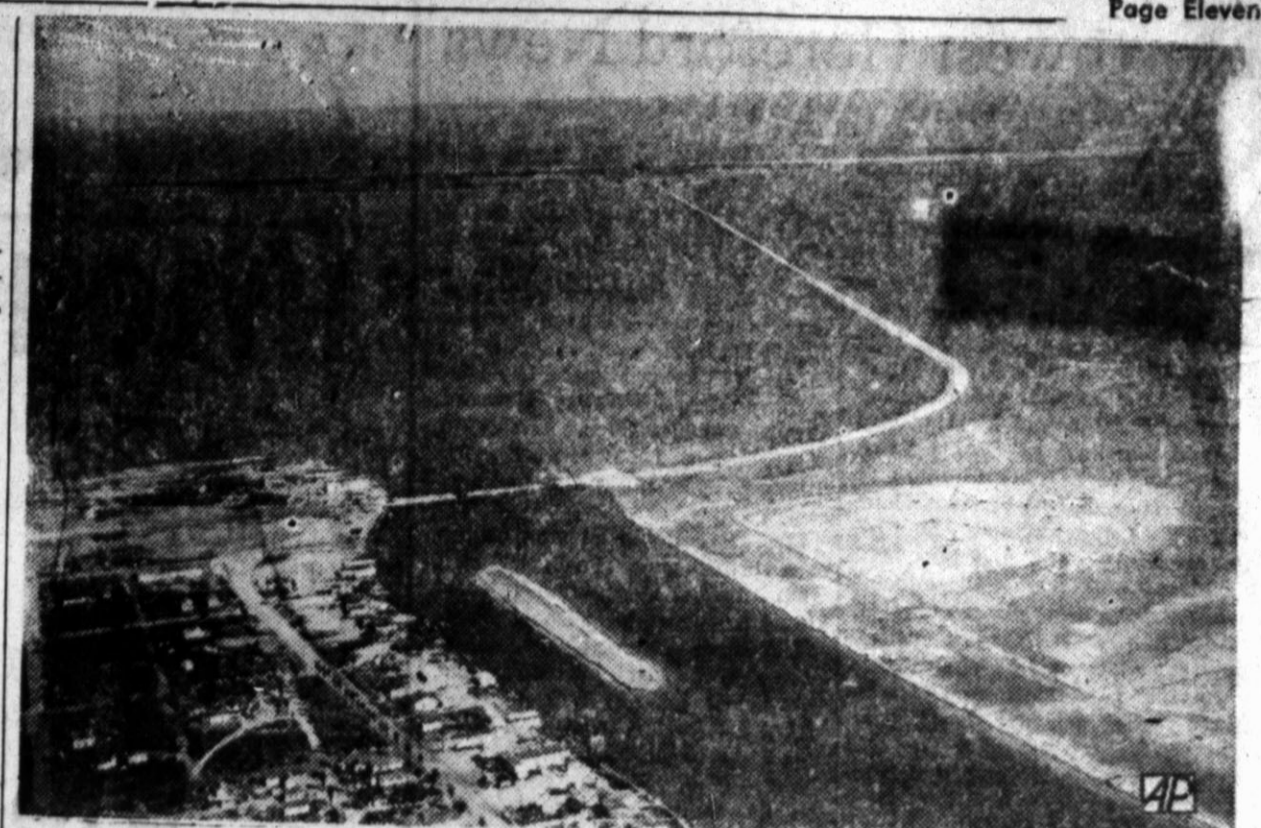
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PADRE BEACH CAUSEWAY READY—Here's an aerial view of the almost-complete Cameron County causeway connecting the Padre Beach resort area on the south tip of Padre Island with the Texas mainland at Port Isabel. The causeway, costing \$2,750,000, stretches two miles across the Laguna Madre. It is scheduled to be opened to traffic next month. (AP Photo)

Superintendent And Principal Spoke At Meeting Of Future Teachers Ass'n.

Superintendent George Graham and Don Martin, principal of Hereford High School, were guest speakers at the regular meeting of the Future Teachers Association Tuesday night at the high school.

Graham's subject was "The Role of the Superintendent," in which he related many interesting experiences he has had as superintendent.

Don Martin's subject was "The Role of the Principal." He told of amusing things that had happened to him as coach and principal.

Hooky Players
Question and answer period followed each speech. One question was what would be done to "hooky players?" Martin answered this by saying that if girls were caught their parents would be called and

Mr. Martin would talk to them personally. The boys were given their choice of the "Board of Education" or having the principal talk to their parents; Hooky players can be re-enrolled only by their parents.

J. B. Wills acted as chairman and the meeting was closed by Jo Williams, vice-president.

Holdups Called Warning
YUMA, Ariz. (AP)—Grocer Spurling Saunders is thinking seriously of closing his store on Sundays to save money. Twice a masked bandit has robbed Saunders. Each time he took \$6,000.

The holdup man warned the robberies would continue "as long as you stay open on Sundays." The holdups came on week days.

Road Wear Cited
LAS CRUCES, N. M. (AP)—The Las Cruces Sun-News has taken issue with a contention by the state highway engineer that U. S. Highway 85 has a bad roadbed.

Noting the highway is El Camino Real opened by Friar Rodriguez in 1581, the daily said, "it is possible that over a period of 382 years the continual beat of hooves, pioneer feet and the wear given by tires of all sizes" has damaged the road just a bit.

In recent years, the earliest proved date at which man is known to have existed in America has been moved back from 10,000 years ago to about 20,000 years ago.

The site of Pompeii which was destroyed by a volcanic eruption in 79 A. D. was rediscovered in 1951.

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Northwest Hereford News

By Mrs. R. C. Childers
Mrs. C. S. Barclay spent Monday evening in the Summerfield community visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mabel Barney and boys.

Larry Packard visited in the R. C. Childers home Friday afternoon. He reports that the little boy who accidentally drank poison is out of the hospital and doing just fine. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Packard of Spring Lake. Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Childers returned Thursday night from Houston where they visited Mr. Childers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Childers, and from Nacogdoches where they visited the R. N. Cooke family. The Cookes are former residents of this community.

Raymond Childers and Leaton Clask, who are attending Texas University, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Childers to Houston and Nacogdoches.

Several Are Ill
A number in the community have been ill with colds and flu. Ella Mae Childers missed several days of work this week due to illness.

Members of this community have been entertaining this month with socials, club meetings and birthday parties. Mrs. Glen Wilson entertained the Methodist Alesia Circle in her home earlier this month.

The program was opened by a devotional led by Mrs. L. B. Russell, followed by a short business session and a new study of the great prayers of the Bible was given by Mrs. S. M. Dunnam. Some of the members gave outlines of some of the great prayers of the Bible.

Those attending were: Mesdames Tommy Hulsey, Wayne Newsom, Troyce Honna, Morris Easley, S. M. Dunnam, L. B. Russell, Bill Stanford, Don Little and the hostess.

Mrs. Pat Robinson was hostess to a brush party given by Mrs. Glen Allred of Vega Monday. Those attending were: Mrs. Louie Olson, Mrs. Grady Parsons, Mrs. G. L. Olson, Mrs. Mary Bookins, Mrs. Ota Olson, Mrs. J. T. Richardson, Mrs. Earl DeHart and the hostess, Club Entertained.

Mrs. Glen Wilson entertained the La Madre Mia Club in her home recently with Mrs. Louie Beckman as co-hostess.

Roll call was answered by thirteen members. During the business session ways of making money were discussed and a social was planned.

Refreshments of coffee, sandwiches and cookies were served during the social hour to Mesdames Louie Beckman, Don Fudge Carroll Golf, Don Herring, Glen Hopson, Bradley Lookingbill, Hershel Miller, Bobbie Owens, Troyce Riddle, Eugene Sparks, Vernon Wilson, Calvin Goodin and the hostess, Mrs. Wilson.

Mrs. C. S. Barclay entertained a group of Patsy Childer's friends with a birthday supper honoring Patsy Thursday evening. Those attending were Nan Longbottom, Sue Osborn, Donna Taylor, Patsy Jackson and the hostess, Mrs. Barclay.

Texans In Washington

By Tex Easley
Washington, Jan. 29—A second Texan in President Eisenhower's cabinet is a possibility, if you can put any stock in speculation now being heard around Washington.

This speculation is that Navy Secretary Robert B. Anderson, Texas-born and reared, may be under consideration for eventual appointment as secretary of defense in Charles E. Wilson should leave the cabinet.

Anderson's recent 25,000-mile tour of defense bases throughout the Pacific apparently started the speculation. It was described officially as a trip to acquaint the previously land-locked Texan with the vast naval operations for which he is responsible.

Possible Significance
But there is talk that maybe the tour had more significance. Anderson earlier had made an inspection tour of Atlantic bases. Before he came to Washington to take the sub-cabinet job, the 6-foot plus, 43-year-old Anderson was general manager of the sprawling, 500,000-acre Waggoner ranch in north Texas.

With such a background—he smilingly acknowledged in taking over his present job that he hadn't been aboard anything much larger than a row boat in his life—it was logical Anderson embark on get-acquainted missions. His inspection of Atlantic bases was followed by the Pacific trip which included a two-day stop in Korea. The gossip has it that the thoroughness of his inspections, coupled with the record he has made here, may mean that he could be in the running for Wilson's cabinet job if the latter should resign to go back with General Motors Corp., which he formally headed.

A Natural
So favorable an impression has Anderson made on official Washington, including critical lawmakers, that he is viewed as a natural for the Defense secretaryship—except for one thing: That would make two Texans in the Cabinet. Mrs. Oveta Culp Hobby of Houston, as secretary of the Department of Health, Education and Welfare, is the only woman in the Cabinet. She and Anderson are "Eisenhower" Democrats.

Anderson was elected to the Texas legislature while a senior law student at the University of Texas in 1932; practiced law briefly in Fort Worth, then went to Austin as an assistant state attorney general, was an assistant law professor in the university and then became chairman of the Texas Unemployment Commission in 1936 for a year before becoming general counsel of the Waggoner estate.

His Pacific tour, which started Nov. 23, included a stop in Formosa. He conferred there with Gen. Chiang Kai-shek.

Here was his busy itinerary: Nov. 23—Washington, D. C. to Moffett Field, Calif., for refueling and prompt take-off for Hawaii. Nov. 24—Honolulu; Nov. 26—Kwajalein; Nov. 28—Guam; Nov. 29—Manila; Dec. 2—Hong Kong; Dec. 4—Formosa; Dec. 6—Okinawa, for brief visit, then on to Tokyo. Dec. 7—Korea; Dec. 9—Yokosuka, Japan (U. S. naval base Far East command headquarters); Dec. 11 Tokyo, Midway on Hawaii (day gained crossing international date line); Dec. 12—Honolulu; Dec. 13—arrived Washington, 12 p.m. (Mrs. Anderson, who accompanied him, is the former Ollie May Rawlings of Vernon. They have two sons, Jerry, 13, and Dick, 17.

Coffee Origin Still Unknown

You wouldn't think there was anything very mysterious in a cup of coffee, would you? Yet, the only definite fact known about its origin is its birthplace in Arabia.

The land of the Prophet abounds with legends about the discovery of the coffee drink, of course. There's the story about the exiled Shei Omar who boiled strange berries, drank the liquid, and discovered coffee.

The most famed legend tells of Kaldi, the Goatherd, whose goats grew so frisky that he appealed to a nearby monastery for help. The monk, noting berries the goats were eating, made a beverage from them—coffee!

A Word For Wine
Alas, there is no factual foundation for these romantic tales. Authorities agree, however, that Arabians were the first to discover coffee as a substitute for the wine which was forbidden them. As a matter of fact, the Arabian word for coffee, Qahwah, is also one of the words for wine.

It is possible that Qahwah was originally a wine made from the fermented pulp of coffee berries, and that only later it came to mean two other beverages—a drink made from the husks and true coffee made from roasted beans.

Even these mysteries are tame compared with other coffee disputed that have rocked the academic world from time to time. There was, for example, the theory of Pierre Della Valle (1586-1652) that the fabled nepenthe brought out of Egypt by Helen of Troy as a "surcease for sorrow" was coffee mixed with wine. And the Swiss scholar, Dmuant, believed that the "mess of pottage" for which Esau sold his birthright was also coffee.

However, there's no mystery about one thing. Whatever its origin, coffee today is the prevailing beverage over a large part of the globe. To its discoverer, we owe a vote of thanks. Perhaps, in the absence of any positive beginning, Goatherd, make as good a starting point as any.

Stingless Beehive Has Jars For Honey

Gainesville — If you use his invention, C. A. Garrett of Gainesville believes you can take the sting out of bee keeping. It's a stingless beehive.

Garrett says, furthermore, in this beehive, the bees put the honey in glass jars—ready for market or table use.

His hive, covered by a patent, is constructed to hold glass jars with standard screw lids. Each lid has a tiny hole for the bees to enter and deposit their honey. When the jars are filled, they can be removed, the lids replaced on empty jars placed in the hive. He says you can do this without getting stung or disturbing the bees.

Johnnie B. Vinson enrolled at West Texas State College Tuesday for the spring semester.

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CLARK GYKE

by RAY GOTTO



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FEATURING HIS PAL
ROSCO SWEENEY
By ROY CRANE

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MOO!

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THIS BUNCH HOUSE IS A LUSH FIFTH AVENUE PENTHOUSE.

THAT'S HIM—COOL DUMITY, THE WESTERN OIL MILLIONAIRE.

WUM?

I--AH--I TRUST IT WON'T BE ANY TROUBLE, WICKLIFF, BUT ALL I WISH FOR DINNER THIS EVENING IS SOMETHING SIMPLE. NOTHING ELABORATE, IF YOU PLEASE, POACHED EGGS ON TOAST WILL DO, WICKLIFF.

WHAT! POACHED EGGS ON TOAST, SIR?

BAH! ANYONE CAN POACH AN EGG!

BUT ALL I WISH FOR DINNER IS POACHED EGGS ON TOAST.

HOW ABSURD, MR. DUMITY! PIERRE, THE MOST RENOWNED CHEF IN ALL THE WORLD, HAS CREATED FOR YOU A SUPERB DINNER.

MAIS OUI! BREAST OF GUINEA HEN STUFFED WITH TRUFFLES UNDER GLASS, AND BAKED ALASKA A LA PIERRE!

OH, DEAR! I DON'T DARE OFFEND THEM. HERE LAUNCELOT.

MEANWHILE, LUCILLE HAS COME TO THE BIG CITY TO GET A JOB.

HAMBURGER WITH ONIONS. THIS IS THE BEST FOOD I'VE TASTED IN MONTHS.

HUMPH! I DON'T WISH TO BRAG, MISTER, BUT YOU SHOULD TASTE MY HAMBURGERS.

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YOU CAN COOK SIMPLE THINGS? REALLY? THEN, YOUNG LADY, I'LL PAY YOU \$200 A WEEK TO COOK FOR ME.

\$200 A WEEK? MERCY SAKES!

OF COURSE THERE WILL BE THE PROBLEM OF FIRING MY FANCY HELP, BUT--ER--AH--

OH--A NEW COOK, EH?

SO HE'S GOING TO FIRE US, IS HE?

THE HECK HE IS!

KING of the ROYAL MOUNTED

by
ZANE
GREY



MCCOY HAS FALLEN INTO THE HANDS OF HIS ENEMIES... JUDGING FROM THE BLOOD SPOTS SOMEONE WAS WOUNDED IN THE TUSSELE... WITH LUCK I CAN OVERTAKE THEM!

1 LOCATING THE MISSING PLANE BY THE SOUND OF SHOTS, KING FINDS THE SHIP DESERTED, AND SIGNS OF A STRUGGLE!

I TELL YOU, BULLET, WE'VE MADE A MISTAKE! WE WERE SENT TO GET A GOVERNMENT AGENT AND WHAT HAVE WE CAPTURED? A GIRL!

2 MEANWHILE, ON THE TRAIL AHEAD...

WE KNOW ONLY ONE PERSON WAS ON BOARD THE ESCAPE PLANE WHEN IT STARTED ACROSS THE PACIFIC... WE CAN'T BE WRONG! LEAVE EVERYTHING TO ME! IGOR IS WEAK FROM HIS WOUND, SO WE WILL CAMP HERE TONIGHT!

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TOMORROW AT SUGAR MOUNTAIN LODGE BORIS WILL FIND WAYS TO GET THE INFORMATION HE WANTS FROM HER! SHE'LL TALK ALL RIGHT THEN!

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HOW DO WE KNOW WE CAN TRUST THAT MAN BORIS TO PAY US?

DON'T WORRY! NOBODY DOUBLE-CROSSES BULLET! I AM NOT A MAN TO FOOL WITH. NOW TAKE THE FIRST WATCH, AND REMEMBER, I DO NOT STAND FOR FAILURE!

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JIM GARY 1-31

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Shop In Hereford
For Your Best Buys!

THE KATZENJAMMER KIDS



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WINNER 1-31



ALL BUSINESS IS LOCAL

Our feathered neighbor above "shopped" locally . . . got what she wanted quickly, without tiresome travel. Moral: Local business is smart business. For when you shop with your Hereford Merchants, you get all the top-brand merchandise at fair and honest prices . . . plus extra service without inconvenience. Shop at home and save!

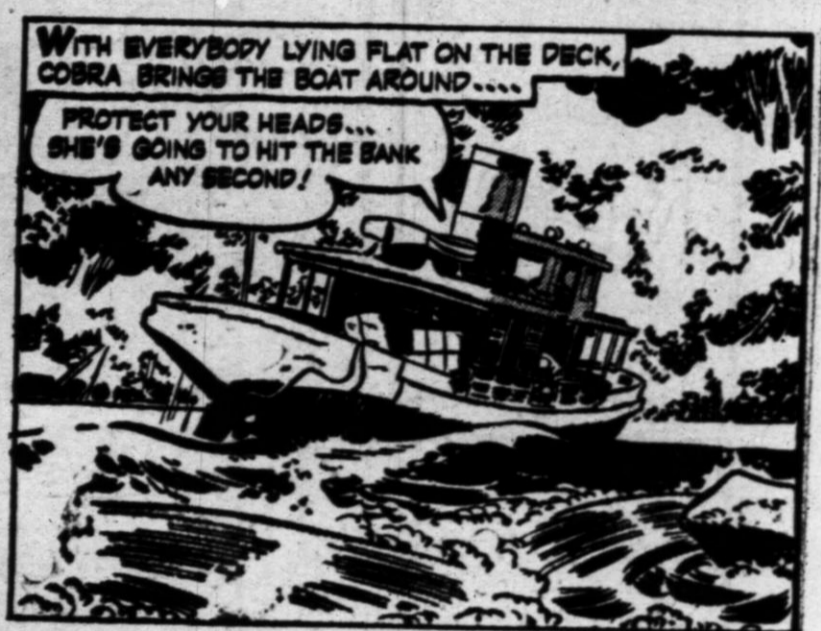


JOHNNY HAZARD

by FRANK ROSSIN



STARTING TODAY, "MONKEY SEE, MONKEY DO!" THE MUDDY WATERS OF THE IRRAWADDY RIVER HAVE CLAIMED BASIL AND SYNREE AS ITS VICTIMS! BUT THE PACKET BOAT, WITH ITS STEAM LINES SHOT UP, DRIFTS HELPLESSLY IN MIDSTREAM!



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of Hereford
SHOP
Help Keep Hereford Ahead

GRANDMA
by
CHAS. KUHN-



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SOME STUPID JASPER HAS STARTED A BRUSH FIRE, AND THE WINDS GOT IT OUT O' CONTROL!

IT'S TURNED THE YEARLINGS, TEX! THEY'RE COMING BACK!



BACK TO THE GATE, RUSTY! QUICK! WE'LL HEAD 'EM BACK INTO THE NORTHWEST FORTY... THEN WE'VE GOTTA DO SOMETHING ABOUT THAT FIRE!

JEEPERS, TEX, THE WIND'S BLOWING THE FLAMES RIGHT TOWARD MRS. CASTLE'S HOUSE!



MEANWHILE, IN MRS. CASTLE'S LIVING ROOM.

MISSION ACCOMPLISHED, MA'AM... THE KIDS FROM THE ORPHANAGE ARE HAVING A SHINDIG OVER AT MILESTONE... I LET ALL THE YEARLINGS OUT AND THE KIDS'LL GET BLAMED... THE NAGS STARTED TO COME IN HERE, BUT I SCARED 'EM BACK WITH A GRASS FIRE!

GREAT HEAVENS! WHERE ARE YOUR BRAINS? DON'T YOU REALIZE THERE'S A HIGH WIND BLOWING? WE'RE IN DANGER!



KIDS! LISTEN! THAT FIRE IS BLOWING TOWARD MRS. CASTLE'S HOUSE!... WE'LL HAVE TO HELP PUT IT OUT... FOLLOW ME!

SURE, PATTY!

HOW DO WE DO IT?



HURRY, KIDS!... WE'LL GET BROOMS AND SHOVELS AND WET BURLAP SACKS AT THE BARN!



OKAY, RUSTY... ALL THE YEARLINGS ARE BACK IN THE FIELD... NOW BACK TO MRS. CASTLE'S... THE WIND IS GETTING HIGHER BY THE MINUTE!

GIDDAP, DAWN!



THE FIRE HAS SURROUNDED THE HOUSE!... WE'RE TRAPPED!

WHY DON'T THE FIRE ENGINES GET HERE?

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MANDRAKE

THE MAGICIAN

BY LEE FALK & PHIL DAVIS

IN THE AFRICAN SWAMPLANDS -- REX, THE MONSTROUS DINOSAUR FROM A HUNDRED MILLION YEARS AGO...

AS THE EARTH SHAKES UNDER THE APPROACHING COLOSSUS, THE TERRIFIED COWS BREAK LOOSE -- AND RUN --

Uh-- BIGGER -- THAN I DREAMED!

Oh-- MANDRAKE -- THE POOR COWS --

DON'T WORRY ABOUT THEM. I LEFT THE ROPES LOOSE. WATCH--!



AND THE TRAP COVERING GIVES WAY UNDER REX'S TWENTY TONS --!



THE FURIOUS MONSTER RAGES IN THE TRAP --

WE GOT HIM!



HISSING LIKE A STEAM ENGINE, REX TRIES TO ESCAPE --

LOOK OUT! RUN!



WELL--WE'VE GOT HIM IN THE HOLE. BUT HOW DO WE GET HIM OUT--? AND THEN WHAT DO WE DO WITH HIM?

WE'D BETTER HAVE A CONFERENCE.

HE CAN'T GET OUT--THANK GOODNESS!



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**Trade In Hereford
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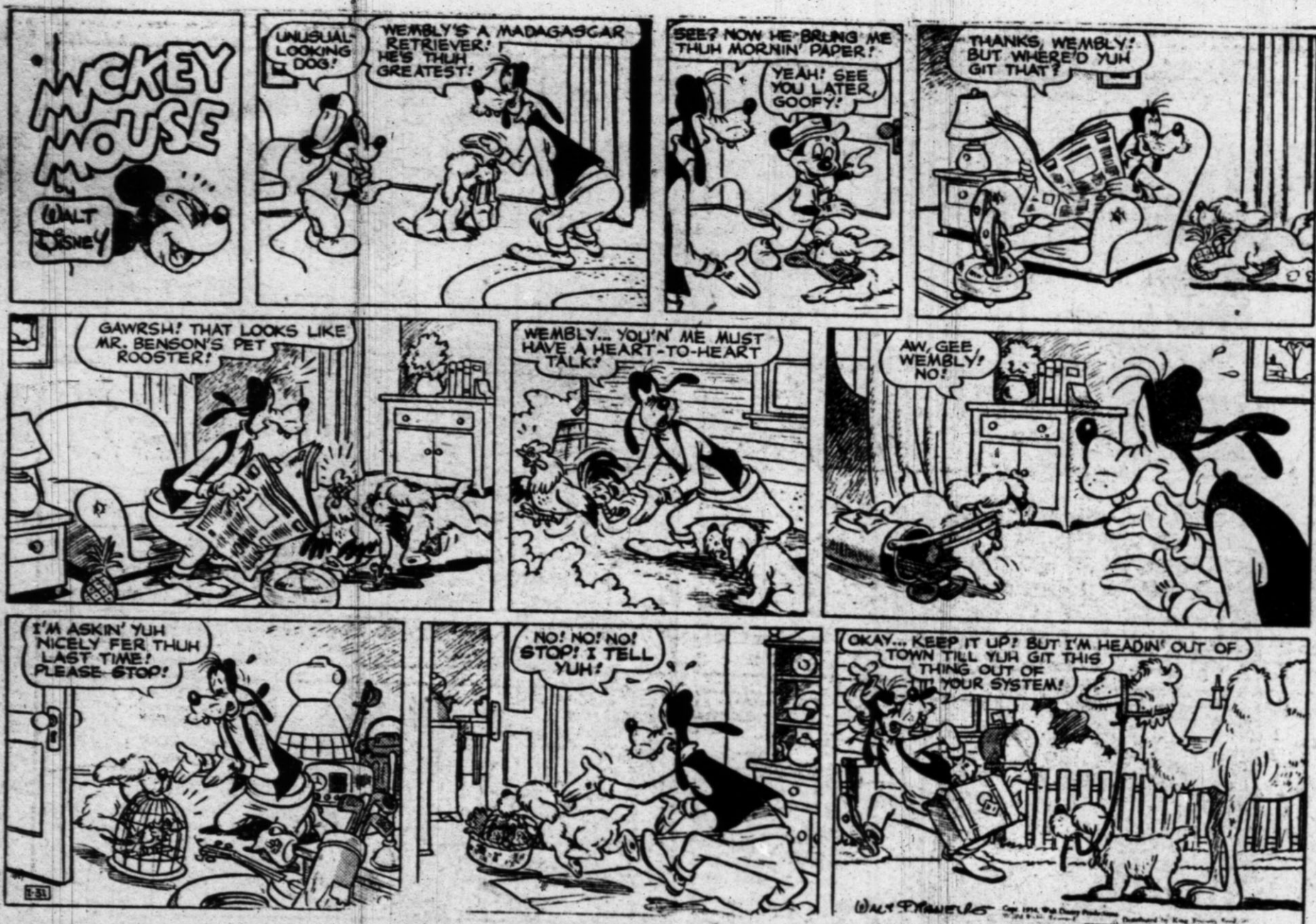
BLONDIE
by
CHIC YOUNG



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**Stop!!
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**Trade In Hereford
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LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY
by
BRANDON WALSH AND
DARRELL MCCLURE




HONEST, ZERO - I CAN'T BELIEVE IT - I JUST CAN'T BELIEVE IT! WHEN I LOOK AT THIS LOVELY BEDROOM I JUST CAN'T BELIEVE I'M ME !!



NOBODY EVER HAD A ROOM LIKE THIS EXCEPT IN A TERRIBLE SWELL DREAM OR UNLESS THEY'RE A RICH PRINCESS - BUT I AIN'T DREAMING AN' I KNOW I AIN'T A RICH PRINCESS -



IT'S GOT EVERYTHING I EVER WISHED FOR AND A LOTTA STUFF I NEVER EVEN THOUGHT OF WISHING FOR - I GUESS MRS. MODELY - I MEAN MRS. COBB - IS AWFUL RICH - LIKE IN THE MOVIES -



SORRY TO CALL SO EARLY - BUT I FEEL YOU SHOULD KNOW THERE WILL BE SOME DELAY BEFORE YOU CAN ADOPT LITTLE ANNIE -

DELAY? BUT WHY, JUDGE BRADFORD?



I'VE BEEN CHECKING THE COUNTY COURT RECORDS AND DISCOVERED THE UNHAPPY TRUTH - LITTLE ANNIE IS IN THE LEGAL CARE OF MRS. MEANY -

OH, NO!



WHAT DO WE DO NOW ??

CAN'T WE GO TO COURT AND PROVE MRS. MEANY IS A CRUEL WOMAN, UNFIT TO BE THE CHILD'S GUARDIAN?

THAT WOULD BE THE CORRECT PROCEDURE -



~ BUT ALL ORPHANS ARE WARDS OF THE STATE - SO WE MUST FIRST PLACE THE CHILD IN A STATE INSTITUTION, THEN APPLY FOR ADOPTION THROUGH THE USUAL CHANNELS -

NEVER! NEVER! NEVER!

DARRELL MCCLURE

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**Shop In Hereford
For Your Best Buys!**



LINE FOREMAN, W. C. Davis, of the Southwestern Public Service Company, received a "Safety Medallion" from W. H. Neubauer, division superintendent, at their regular safety meeting Monday. This medallion was given to the Hereford line crew in honor of their safety operations during 1953. This is the second consecutive year that the Hereford

line crew has won the medallion. Front row, from left are: Charles Laing, Earl T. Waits, W. C. Davis, W. H. Neubauer and W. C. Meharg, Hereford manager for SWPS. Back row are: M. H. Wiseman, Carroll Hagar, W. G. Drummond and Ted Higgins. (W. H. Patton Photo)

Mrs. Gerald Wilson Entertains Members Of Fidelis Matrons

Mrs. Gerald Wilson entertained members of the Fidelis Matrons Class of the First Baptist Church at a class party Tuesday night. Members brought a dish for the supper which preceded a short business session and program. Mrs. Jimmy Mercer, president, presided over the business meeting when the visitation program sponsored by the class, was discussed. Mrs. Howard Scott conducted the devotional lesson on "Christian Service and Family Altars in the Home." Those attending were Mesdames A. L. Manjeot, teacher, Otis Lee, Lloyd Sharp, L. M. Beavers, Rosa Lee Pittman, J. B. Snead, Dalton Criswell, Herman Drake, Hudson, Ray Howell, Jason Luck, Jimmy Mercer and the hostess.

Officers Chosen By Camp Fire Group

New officers were elected at the Wakita Camp Fire meeting held at the Camp Fire Hut Wednesday afternoon. Included were Dolly Paetzold, president; Virginia Witherspoon, vice president; Eugenia Alexander, secretary and Betty Paetzold, scribe. The lesson for the afternoon was on making earrings, with Dolly Paetzold, Linda Kay Noland and Melba Gay Lawrence serving as instructors. Others attending the meeting were Jane Bookout, Ann Caraway, Linda Hair, Patricia Howard, Carolyn Kirby, Mary Lynn Morrison, Carol Ann Newell, Marcelina Olguin, Dolly Jo Prowell, Nona Marie Strange, Dona Witherspoon, Linda Russell, and the leaders, Mrs. H. H. Caraway and Gracie Fotheringham. Betty Snead was a guest.

Tiny Books Prepared
MURCIA, Spain (AP) — There's a book on the way to President Eisenhower, but it may get lost in the mail. It stands three-tenths of an inch high and two-tenths of an inch wide, and contains the entire text of the Spanish-American "aid for bases" agreement. Manuel Romero, 68, a bank messenger, worked nine hours a day for 45 days on two tiny volumes. The second booklet is for Gen. Francisco Franco, Spanish Chief of State.

Courthouse Records

Deeds of Trust
Orville Groneman, et ux, to Kansas City Life Insurance Co., Kansas City, Mo., the SW 1/4 of Section 31, Block K-6 and the E 1/2 of Section 30, Block K-6.
Mrs. Jermie Metcalf to J. O. Crawford, the NW 1/4 and the SE 1/4 of Section No. 14, Block K-6.
Mattie Shults to the First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Clovis, N. M., the N 150 feet of Lot No. 5 and the N 150 feet of the W 1/2 of Lot No. 6 and the N 150 feet of the E 22.4 feet of Lot No. 5 and the N 150 feet of the W 1/2 of Lot No. 6 and the N 150 feet of the E 22.4 feet of Lot No. 4 of Lamberts Subdivision of Lots Nos. 7, 8, and 9 of Block No. 6 of Womble Addition.
Kenneth Cook, et ux, to Commodity Credit Corporation, Section 58, Block K-5; Section 63, Block K-5.

Warranty Deeds
J. G. Evans, et ux, and J. G. Weir, et ux, to Otis D. Jackson, all of the S 1/2 of Section No. 80, Block K-5.
Jessie H. Milford, et ux, to Leonard Click, being the N 80 feet of the S 528.065 feet of the E 135 feet of Block No. 44, Evans Addition.
W. F. Hardwick, et ux, to Joan E. Hardwick Streu, all of Lots Nos. 7 and 8 of Block No. 24.
W. F. Hardwick to Patricia J. Hardwick, all of Lots Nos. 7 and 8 of Block No. 24.

New Autos
F. W. Dool, 1953 Ford, 1-18; W. M. Fogus, 1953 Pontiac, 1-19; C. H. Hale, 1954 Chevrolet, 1-19; Mrs. Ursula Pittner, 1954 Chevrolet, 1-19; Lewis B. Barnett, 1953 Studebaker, 1-19; W. L. Suttie, 1954 Plymouth, 1-20; Louis Pyka, 1953 Ford, 1-20; Robert Veigel, 1953 Buick, 1-22; Roy Phillips, 1954 Oldsmobile, 1-22; Sharp-Edwards Motor Company, 1953 Oldsmobile, 1-23.

Wedding Pictures Displayed At Guild

Members of St. Anthony's Guild was entertained at the Parish Hall Wednesday evening with Mesdames Ed Loerwald, John Gallagher and Henry Kuper serving as hostesses. Mrs. Andy Kerschen presented a program on "Catholic Weddings." Entertainment features were centered around the wedding theme. Centerpiece for the refreshment table was a three-tiered wedding cake which was later served to the guests.
Wedding Pictures Shown
A display of wedding pictures of members provided interesting conversation. The pastor of St. Anthony's Catholic Church, Father Bartholomeu Paytas S. A., who was celebrating his ninth anniversary of ordination to the Priesthood, was honored with tributes and gifts. Thirty eight members attended.

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announces purchase of the interest of Morris Thompson in the B. F. Goodrich Store in Hereford - -

Due to other interests, Mr. Thompson decided to sell his interest in the B. F. Goodrich Store, effective Jan. 1, 1954. Naturally, we will miss him, but it will be my policy to operate the Goodrich Store along the same lines as in the past . . . featuring top-quality, genuine B. F. Goodrich merchandise sold not only with the impeccable name of Goodrich, but backed by our own integrity and long years of experience. Therefore, we invite your consideration and patronage on the basis of

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Dalhart, Friona, Dumas Bowled Over By Herd

By "Putt" Knox
 By winning games from Dalhart, Friona and Dumas, the Whitefaces ran their string of victories to 19 games.
 They defeated Dalhart Friday, January 22, 71-55, routed Friona Monday, 86-33, and handled Dumas Tuesday night 75-56.
 None of the teams were a match for the Herd. They scored their most lopsided victory of the year when they defeated Friona by a merciless 53 point margin.

Hereford has now won seven and lost one in conference play.
Second Time Around
 The victory over the Wolves Friday night makes the second time Hereford has defeated them this year. They defeated them 68-51 at Dalhart.
 Both teams played a very fine first quarter but the Herd managed to come out on top at this point. With Tom Woodford scoring 15 points in the first quarter, Hereford scored 24 points compared to Dalhart's 17 for a first quarter score of 24-17.
 Hereford opened up in the second quarter but they held Dalhart to 7 points. Hereford scored 22 points to bring the halftime score to 46-24.
Woodford Led
 Tom Woodford scored 20 points in the first half to lead Hereford at intermission time. Carson led Dalhart with 10 points.
 The Whitefaces scored only 17 points in the third quarter as re-

serves were inserted into the lineup. The Wolves didn't do so well on offense either. They scored 12 points to bring the score up to 63-36 at the third quarter point.
 With reserves playing the complete fourth quarter, the Wolves closed the gap greatly. In contrast to the rest of the game, Hereford scored only 8 points in the final stanza compared with a 19 point total for Dalhart. Final score was 71-55. Woodford was high scorer with 21 points.
 Reuben Shantz and Jess Cearly did a very fine job of calling the game.

Whopping Defeat
 The Whitefaces defeated the Chiefs by a whopping score of 86-33.
 The Whitefaces were completely off the ball in the first quarter and in contrast to the final score, Hereford trailed 11-8 at the end of the first quarter.
 The Whitefaces snapped out of it very quickly in the second period. They caught the Chiefs and took a lead of 28-18 at half time.
 Terry McRight lead Hereford at halftime with 6 points. Duion led Friona with 8.
 Hereford ran up a score in the third quarter. Reserves played most of this quarter but they still scored 31 points while holding Friona to a mere 6 points. 59-24 was the score at the end of the third quarter.
 With the reserves scoring 27 and holding Friona to 9 points, Hereford came out on the top end on an 86-33 squeaker. Everett Allen paced Hereford with 16 points. Duion led Friona with 14.
Third In A Row
 Hereford made it three in a row over Dumas by defeating the Demons on the Whiteface home court Tuesday night 75-56.
 The Herd set a quick pace to begin the game as they took a lopsided 32-11 lead at the end of the first quarter.
 Dumas scored 10 points while the Whitefaces were scoring 19 points in the second stanza. The Herd's lead was further lengthened to 51-21.
 The 30 point lead held by the Whitefaces at halftime was whittled away to a 29 point margin at the end of the third quarter.
 Against reserves, Dumas scored 19 points to Hereford's 9 in the final period to bring the final score to 75-56. Everett Allen led Hereford with 19 points. Joel Lumonus led the Demons with 18.
 Everett Allen now leads season scorers with 279 points. Tommy Woodford is running a close second. He has 276.
 Hereford plays Shamrock Friday night at Shamrock in a conference game.

Permanent Christmas Tree Sought
 LAS VEGAS, N. M. (AP)—To heck with this business of going out every year and trying to find a big Christmas tree for the community plaza. This city has asked a donation of a big tree to be transplanted to the square for use each year.

Drink is on House
 SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—William Kimura caters to fancy parties. One night a guest found him in the kitchen, frowning and thumbing a drink recipe book.
 "I thought I knew them all, but I'm stuck," Kimura said. "How do you make a raincheck?"

Bobcat Loses to Traffic
 SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—A big bobcat strolled in from the hills and finally reached busy Van Ness and Golden Gate Avenues where an auto hit and killed it.

Let's Cook Something



Do You Like Artichokes?
 When Mrs. Ray Johnson's sister, who lives in California, sent her a box of artichokes, she began sharing them with friends, some of whom had never tried them. The Johnson family enjoyed them for years. If you have never tried them you have quite a treat in store, and the markets are full of them. You can buy them not only fresh, but canned too.

To those who have never tried artichokes Mrs. Johnson tells how to prepare and cook them, how to serve them and how to eat them, and then gives you her mother's Hollandaise sauce recipe with which you serve them.

To Prepare Artichokes
 Wash artichokes by letting cold water run through the leaves, cut off the stalk right where the leaves come out of it. Do not throw the stalk away—it is good, but if left on the artichoke cannot stand on the plate.

To Cook
 Place in a pot of boiling water, salted to taste, and let boil uncovered until tender. (It will take 30 to 45 minutes). Test by sticking a fork in the stalk where it was cut off at the bottom of the artichoke.

To serve, place the artichoke on a separate plate and the Hollandaise sauce in another small individual dish. You may want to serve half an artichoke to a person, but you must cut it from the stalk end and cut through to the tip of the leaves.

Hot To Eat
 The artichoke is eaten by pulling off one leaf at a time. The part of the leaf where it is pulled off is then dipped into the Hollandaise sauce. You can't eat the leaf—but the inside of the leaf is soft from half way down the leaf to the bottom, where it is pulled off. The soft part is scraped off by pulling the leaf out between the teeth, which gives you the edible part of the leaf.

The leaves get smaller and smaller as you pull them off until the smaller, pale leaves are reached. These may be pulled off several together and the torn off end of the leaf eaten, always dipping the leaves in the Hollandaise sauce.

Then come the hairlike leaves that cannot be eaten. Lift these off with a knife, they will pull away in a cluster, and leave the heart free and clear. (But the tiny leaves must all be removed). Cut the heart in pieces, dip in the Hollandaise sauce, and taste for yourself just how good they are.

Hollandaise Sauce
 This sauce is one of those heirloom recipes that is handed down from mother to daughter year after year. You may think that it is difficult to make, but follow directions and it's creamy smoothness is well worth a little extra care in making.

½ cup cold water
 ½ teaspoon black pepper
 1 teaspoon salt
 1 teaspoon paprika
 3 egg yolks
 2 tablespoons lemon juice
 3 tablespoons butter
 Place the salt, pepper, paprika,

Sweden Ponders Link to West
 STOCKHOLM (AP)—Sweden and Norway have blown the dust off a blueprint plan which could give Sweden a closer link in wartime with the Western world.
 The plan — alternately studied and shelved for several years—provides for development of Norway's Trondheim docks and electrification of the railway linking the industrial region of Central Sweden with the Norwegian port on the North Sea.
 Some circles in both countries have long argued that an ice-free

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for speculation. Proof coins from 1952, for instance, are currently worth \$5 a set in some mediums of exchange.

Proof Coins Offered
PHILADELPHIA — The United States Mint here is offering 91 worth of new, freshly minted American coins—for only \$2.10. The coins are a bad bargain. The mint has received 109,700 orders for the coins. They're proof coins and most of the purchasers are collectors. And they are good

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. — Arkansas' new marriage law—which requires a pre-marital blood test—is turning up venereal disease at a rate that surprises even the head of the state's VD control program. Dr. Clifford Cole reports that 3.6 per cent of those tested are diseased. A 1 per cent positive reaction rate is "high" and 1 1/2 per cent is "very high," Cole said.

Blessed Event is Late
PITTSBURGH — After 23 years of marriage, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lobozzo had their first child, a girl. "Life has really begun at 40 for me," said Mrs. Lobozzo. "Mike is 46."

Human Touch
WINNIPEG — Teachers must know their subjects. But they should also know their pupils, says Dr. J. M. Brown, Curriculum Director of the Manitoba Education Department. "If a teacher intends

to teach John arithmetic, she must know arithmetic, but she must also know John," he said. "And John in many respects is very unlike arithmetic."

China Gets Soviet Texts
TOKYO — Peiping radio said recently "over 3,100,000 translated copies of 265 Soviet textbooks have been printed in (communist) China" in one year. One was "Collective Rearing and Education of Babies Less than 3 Years old."

Frio News

By Mrs. Owen Andrews
W. M. U. met at the church, Tuesday with the following members present: Mesdames W. H. Thompson, Carlton Dobbins, H. C. Miller, T. L. Sparkman, Jr., Ernest Harder, Lee Hall, Herb Schmidt, W. H. Andrews, Floyd Cole, H. M. Mobley, Owen Andrews, H. D. Robbins and Miss Alma Andrews. They studied the 20th chapter of Matthew. Mrs. J. H. Dobbins had charge of the Sunbeam program. The next meeting will be a missionary program, under the supervision of the program chairman, Mrs. E. H. Little, and will be at the church on February 2.

Mrs. Robert Simpson and Mrs. Sam Lindley and children were visiting their relatives, in Wellington during the weekend.

Been in Missouri
Robert Simpson and Sam Nunnally have been in Missouri on business, the past few days. Mr.

and Mrs. Delbert Thomas and sons were visiting Mr. Thomas's relatives at Claude, on Saturday. They brought Mrs. Thomas's parents, the Oscar Phillips, of Amarillo home with them for a visit and took them home, Sunday afternoon.

Remodeling Job
The Carlton Dobbins and Edgar Vinsons are remodeling the house near the one where they live, for the Vinsons to move into. Both families have been living in the one house, during the past year. They farm the Rich place.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Springer, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Springer, of Kress were visiting their brother-in-law, T. L. Sparkman Sr., at the hospital in Hereford recently. They also visited the W. A. Springers and J. E. Warricks. Mr. Sparkman is improving, but will probably be in the hospital most of this week, at least.

G. W. Sparkman, of Amarillo, visited his son, T. L. Sparkman, in the hospital last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thompson and Gail of Dimmitt, were visiting the W. H. Thompsons, Sunday.

The H. C. Millers had Sunday dinner with the U. L. Leslies.

Visitors From Seminole
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Johnson of Seminole visited Mrs. Johnson's

mother Mrs. H. M. Mobley and other relatives during last weekend. The Floyd Coles and Raymond Mobeys and La Nelle Mobley spent Sunday visiting them.

Visiting the Spicer Grippls and the Glenn Grippls last Sunday, were their parents, the Arthur Grippls, of Conway, their grandfather, Walter Gripp, of Panhandle and a cousin, Joe Gripp from Iowa who is visiting this vicinity.

The C. N. McClures called on the H. E. Lindleys last Sunday afternoon. Both Mr. and Mrs. Lindley have been ill, but were able to be out again.

Home Makers Meeting
The Frio Home Makers Club met Tuesday, in the home of Mrs. Owen Andrews. The program was a demonstration by Mrs. C. N. McClure of painting with the new ball point paints.

Several other members brought examples of hand work of their own and some work of Mrs. Arthur Brock was shown.

Those present for the meeting were Mesdames Bill Boyd, Herb Schmidt, Jack Jones, Floyd Cole, E. F. Vogler, Sam Lindley, J. E. Warrick, W. A. Springer, H. E. Lindley, McClintock, C. N. McClure, Glenn Gripp, Henry Andrews, B. M. Sudduth, Goodin, T. L. Sparkman, Sr., Ernest Harder,

Olin Parris, T. L. Sparkman Jr., E. H. Little, and Miss Alma Andrews, Miss Veradelle Andrews, and the hostess. The next meeting will be on February 9, in the home of Mrs. Floyd Cole.

Foot Trouble Explained
GRAND ISLAND, Neb. — Wayne Roberts was puzzled about a sudden cast of foot trouble until a friend happened to inspect the new pair of shoes Roberts had been wearing. On his right foot Roberts had a size 9; on his left foot, an 8 1/2.

Ike's Teacher is Proud
PALACIOS, Tex. — "There are not many teachers who can sit back and say one of their boys became President of the United States," says Mrs. A. L. Van Ostrand, 79. She had a fourth-grade pupil named Dwight Eisenhower in her four-room school house in Abilene, Kan., in 1900.

Mrs. Van Ostrand, now retired, says "Dwight was a smart lad and above average in his books. After he left my room at the end of the term," she said, "I never saw him again." She says, however, that she followed his young activities and later his career as best she could.

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Politics seem to be picking up. Especially this week. According to the gossip I get there will possibly be two candidates for County Judge Maybe three. In addition, there will probably be an opponent in Commissioner's Precinct 1 and 2, although no announcement has yet been made in Precinct 2. Deaf Smith County seldom sees any political fireworks, more especially on these "off-election" years. However, 1954 appears to be different. It looks like the fur will fly in county politics.

Remember how I've been predicting "more in '54" all this time? Well, this is more than I bargained for. I knew we were going to have

more of everything, but I didn't think about the candidates.

While we are talking about 1954, I am putting in an order for some moisture. I will settle for a six-inch snow, or for a nice drizzle—about two inches of it. I much, much prefer the snow—and the time is drawing near. I thought it was coming this week, but the Amarillo weather department seems to have diverted it into Oklahoma and Kansas. At least, that's what the man said. Since those Amarillo guys fostered off that duck on me, I don't trust them, anyway. We still have a good 30 days, though, and it will come. Possibly in February. The earlier the better. This is all part of the prosperous '54 I've been talking about. Wait and see.

Meanwhile, this predicting is already beginning to pay off. This week I got the present from Joseph Chmelik in Winter Haven, Fla. It wasn't a bale of hay, either. It was a nice package of fruit. It contained one of the biggest Ponderosa lemons in all Florida. Honest, it was so big, I believe they must have slipped over into the Rio Grande Valley of Texas and picked it. I thought it was a giant-size grapefruit until I found the note. There were also some Brazilian berries and some kumquats.

I hate to look a gift horse in the mouth, but please, Mr. Chmelik, is there any special trick to eating these kumquats? I never had any before. You work and work, then wind up with about as much peeling as you find on an orange, but no more fruit than the average cranberry. Maybe you should have sent along some directions.

Morris Thomson and Dubbs Reeves are sure fussing because The Brand said Dubbs caught a 5-pound fish. They contend that this is wrong. Dubbs insists it was a 12-pounder, but Morris says it was a 4-pounder. Who are you going to believe? Personally, I'll go along with Morris. They both agree, however, that Morris did land one that weighed more than 100 pounds. After Dubbs leaves, Morris will also admit that Dubbs did hook the 12-pounder, so be-

lieve what suits you.

People have been flocking into the City Hall to pay off delinquent parking tickets. This all happened after they started issuing warrants. Some of them get pretty mad, too. However, it seems only fair to me. Anyone who wants to protest a ticket can go into city court. I don't think it's right for one person to pay while another ignores the tickets. Naturally, some of them may be excusable—but that is why we have courts. So far as I know, nothing gets "fixed" on the ticket business around Hereford. This is definitely true concerning The Brand and Radio Station KPAN. Even in the line of duty we sometimes get tickets. We pay them and we don't fuss. That's the way it should be. Everyone should be treated the same. I talked to Clint Formy about his the other day and he agrees—except Clint definitely thinks they should give some kind of stamps. Gunn Bros. or S. and H. How about it, Mr. City Council? This would soften the blow for a lot of housewives.

Somebody got rich with the phrase "People are funny." Maybe, because it is so true. I was shocked to read about the Jaycees going into the hole on the 1953 Christmas decorations program. A lot of merchants, it seems, didn't contribute. A few scant years back we had no Christmas decorations—and of all the screaming you ever heard. The merchants protested that people were going out of town to trade, that we needed a Santa Claus. You never heard such a ruckus. "Someone", the guy we used to refer to as "George," should do something! Finally, the Jaycees did it. They got out, raised the money and by their own hard, manual labor put up the decorations on Sundays and during off hours. They did a swell job, too. This year it cost them a flat \$275 for their efforts. These boys mostly hold jobs and work hard for their money. Except for the satisfaction of doing the job, they got little in return. This burden really falls on the merchants. How about mailing them a check—if you haven't already kicked in. It's nothing but right.

How Can I?

By Anne Ashley

Q. How can I mend kid gloves without tearing the leather?
A. Always be sure, when mending kid gloves, to use cotton thread as it hasn't the tendency to tear the leather when you are sewing, and makes the gloves wear better.

Q. How can I prevent rust on the frame of an umbrella?
A. It will not rust if rubbed with Vaseline jelly. If the color of the cloth is a dingy black, renew it by sponging with strong black tea.

Q. How can I repair tears in

furs?
A. Use adhesive tape on the wrong side, heating the tape with an iron to make it adhere.

Q. How can I cause the leaves of a head of lettuce to part in perfect condition without tearing?
A. Cut the core of the head of lettuce off with a sharp knife, and then hold the lettuce under the cold-water faucet, allowing the water to run into the hole made by the knife.

Q. How can I remove the flat taste in boiled water?
A. If one is compelled to boil water for drinking purposes, pour it from one pitcher to another three or four times before using. This will remove the flat taste from the water.

Q. How can I clean photographs?
A. Sponge very lightly with a bit of absorbent cotton wet with alcohol, and allow to dry by evaporation.

Q. How can I avoid the possibility of burning the hands with steam if the tea-kettle already has some hot water in it?
A. Hold the spout under the faucet to fill it to the top, and there will be no danger of burning the hands.

Q. How can I remove a bit of egg yolk that has accidentally gotten into the white when separating the two?
A. Use a small piece of wet cloth to remove the yolk; it will cling readily to the cloth.

Q. How can I remove rust from steel?
A. Rub with emery paper dipped in turpentine. Follow this by polishing with a dry piece of emery paper.

Q. How can I dampen clothes more evenly?
A. When clothes are being dampened for ironing, use a whisk broom and have the water hot. Hot water will dampen the clothes more evenly.

Q. How can I make French-fried potatoes more crisp?
A. Stand the potatoes in cold water for at least a half-hour before frying.

SOME JOKES

He: "Well, I suppose you're plenty angry because I came home with this black eye last night."
She: "Not at all, dear. You may not remember it, but when you came home, you didn't have that black eye."
—Lions Bulletin.

Six housewives living in the same apartment building became involved in such a bitter argument that they were haled into court. When the case was called, they all broke into bitter complaints at the same moment.

"The judge, momentarily stunned, as charges and countercharges filled the air, suddenly rapped for order. Then he said patiently, "Now, I'll hear the oldest lady first."

That closed the case.

A government crop inspector visited a southern farm and began asking questions. "Do you people around here ever have trouble with insects getting in your corn?" he inquired.

"Balls o'fire, shore," said the farmer. "But we jest fishes 'em out and drinks it anyhow."
—Khiva Caravan.

Overshoes
The children's overshoes will be kept in their proper places if heavy paper shopping bags are used. Writing the name of each child on each bag. The bags can be hung on closet hooks and it will also keep much sand and mud off the floor.

Kid Gloves
If the kid gloves are too small in the wrist they can be stretched by dampening on the inside with water, then stretching them on a glove stretcher until thoroughly dry.

A Dry Skin
To remedy a dry skin use a mixture of one-half ounce each glycerin, cocoa butter, rosewater, elderflower water, and lanolin.

Nose-Bleed
Applications of cold compresses will often stop nose-bleed. Or wrap a piece of ice on a cloth and place it at the back of the neck.

Beets
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NOT THE FIRST shovel full for the ground breaking Monday where the new educational building for the First Methodist Church will be, but the second, was turned by Mrs. Wayne Edwards, left, and Mrs. Earl Plank, both of whom had worked hard on the drive to raise funds for the building. The first shovel full was brought out by Rev. S. M. Dunnam, pastor of the church, and Carl Perrin, chair-

man of the building committee. When completed, the building will be 40x109 feet, two stories high, and will have 16 classrooms and a bed nursery. Total cost has been estimated at \$70,000. West Texas Construction Company of Borger has the contract for the building, which is supposed to be finished in 100 days or less. (Staff Photo)

Cranberries
To lessen the quantity of sugar required to sweeten them, add a half teaspoonful of baking soda to stewed cranberries or any other tart or sour fruits, when they are almost done.

Icy Streets
To prevent slipping on icy streets, attach a two-inch strip of adhesive tape lengthwise to the sole of each shoe.

Lamb
Try adding several quarters of apples when roasting lamb. It will give the roast a delicious flavor.

Pipe Line is Plastic
POPLAR, Mont. — The first cross-country pipe line entirely of plastic is delivering crude oil from a producing field in the Williston Basin to a shipping point on the Great Northern Railway in Montana. Reported to be longest of its kind, the 9-mile line, 3 inches in diameter has a capacity of 4,000 barrels a day.

Sober Store Peaceful
BALTIMORE — When the Board of Liquor License Commissioners granted permission to Ken's Liquor Store to move its premises, the record of the owners

was looked up.
The store had been in business 8 years without a single violation.
The name of the owners—Sidney Sober, Norman Sober, Kenneth Sober and Harold Sober.

Indians to Use Freezer
PRINCE ALBERT — Indians of Saskatchewan's Far North have discarded storage methods used by their forefathers in favor of the white man's freezers.
At the end of the caribou hunting season this winter the tribes will store their meat supplies free of charge in a gigantic deep freezer, installed at Stony Rapids by the

Department of Indian Affairs.
The time-honored practice of the Indians was to shoot as many caribou as they could, store them by piling the carcasses and cover them with layers of snow and brush. Indian affairs officials say far more animals were killed than could be eaten and wolves and other animals destroyed many piles.

Houses Are Wells
SAN BERNARDINO, Calif. — A salesman walked up to the door of a pleasant looking house. He noticed the fresh, green lawn and the brightly colored window shutters. He rang the doorbell. Nobody

answered.
At this house nobody ever answers.
Inside the freshly painted stucco walls is a water well which the city operates. There are several "houses" in the city which conceal wells. They conform to residential standards.
Water department officials get an extra chuckle when handbills are dropped on the porch or when salesmen leave free samples. One woman even stopped by to buy the "house."
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Household Scrapbook

By Robert Lee

Winter Washing
To keep clothes from freezing in the winter, add a handful of salt to the last rinsing water. A teaspoon of borax added to the starch will help keep the starch from freezing out of clothes.

Upholstered Furniture
Place a wet cloth over the furniture to be cleaned and beat it. Change the cloth frequently. This beats out the dust which clings to the cloth.

Icy Steps
To thaw ice on cement steps throw several handfuls of saltpeter on them. The ice will not form on the steps, if they are washed with hot water in which a handful of salt is dissolved.

Hot Water Bottle
To make a substitute for a hot water bottle, and one that will hold the heat, take an electric light bulb with cord attached, turn on the light and wrap a piece of flannel around it.

The Coffee Pot
If the coffee pot is defective in any way, rub a little butter around the tip of the spout and the liquid will pour properly, without running down the side of the pot.

Sticking Doors
If all the hinge screws are tightened, it will frequently take the sag out of doors that develop the annoying habit of sticking.

Wet Compresses
To wring scalding hot compresses without burning the hands, lay them lengthwise in the center of a towel and the ends of the towel twisted in opposite directions.

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County To Observe Texas School Anniversary

History Of Area Schools Dates Back For More Than 50 Years

By Fred Baird

One hundred years ago, on the 31st day of January 1854, Governor Elisha M. Pease signed into law the bill establishing the system of public free schools in Texas. Throughout this year of 1954, and especially on January 31st of this year, this important milestone in the history and progress of our great State will receive special recognition.

The history of the ups and downs of the public free school system in Texas, and its emergence in recent years from its backward state toward top place among the Nation's public schools, has recently been rather ably chronicled by Dr. Frederick Eby of Texas University, and no doubt by many other writers and historians.

It seems fitting therefore, that we here in Hereford, might at this time pause to review briefly the growth and development of our own public free school system in Hereford and Deaf Smith County during the last half of this one

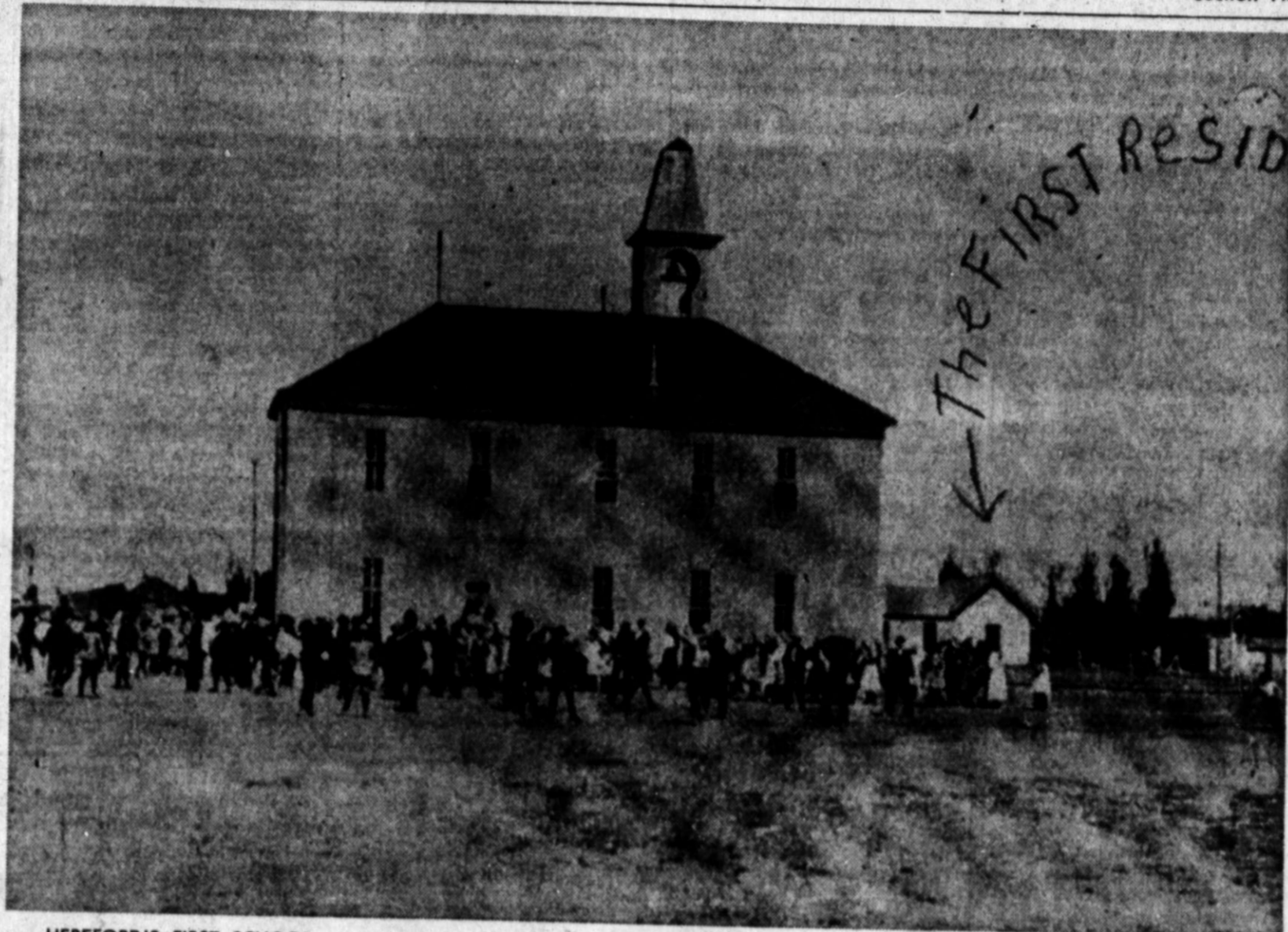
hundred years. Deaf Smith County was organized in the year 1890. The first General Election was held on November 4, 1890, at which time, along with other county and precinct officers, Mr. J. R. Dean was elected county judge and ex-officio county superintendent of public schools.

Also Mr. W. D. Witherspoon was elected county treasurer. The first official mention of public schools is in the minutes of the Commissioners Court, convened at Granada, later changed to LaPlata, when on December 1, 1890, the official bond of County Treasurer W. D. Witherspoon was approved as custodian of the County Public School Funds. No mention is made as to the amount of the Fund then on hand.

Early in the history of the newly organized county however, namely on March 31, 1891, a petition, signed by 22 resident citizens and tax payers of Deaf Smith County, was presented to the Commissioner's Court, praying for an order for a

The Hereford Brand

Hereford, Texas, Sunday, January 31, 1954



HEREFORD'S FIRST SCHOOL was this two-story, four room structure which was built where Central School now stands. At 9 o'clock each school morning, there was one final tap of the bell which sounded good to the students, but was a dread-

note for those who were late for their classes. A well was put down at the school in 1903 or 1904. Several tin cups were chained to the pump, and were used by all the students.

Special Election to decide whether a special tax of 10 cents on the \$100.00 valuation of taxable property should be levied for school purposes.

The Court decided to order the election but reduced the amount from 10 cents to 6 cents. The election was held on Wednesday, April 22, 1891. The returns canvassed on April 27th showed 21 votes for the 6 cent levy and one vote against. Then on May 13, 1891, at the time of setting county tax levies, the Commissioners Court ordered a tax levy of 6 cents on the \$100.00 valuation of all real and personal property within the county—"for the purpose of supporting and maintaining public free schools in Deaf Smith County."

This six cent limit for school tax continued till 1899 when it was raised to 12 cents. However at least one election was held in the mean time—on June 6, 1896, to vote on the proposition of raising the school tax rate to 12 cents. The voting places for this election were at La Plata, Dawn and Union school houses.

The county lines were also the School District lines, by order of the Commissioners Court, February 10, 1891. The election finally increasing the school tax rate from six cents to 12 cents was held on June 13, 1899, with voting places at the Court House in Hereford, Union School House, J. R. Morris residence and Escarbada Ranch. This was increased to 20 cents on June 24, 1902.

It might be of interest here to note that the Commissioners Court of Deaf Smith County, sitting as a Board of Equalization for the county, on June 30, 1891, established the following taxable values for the 1891 tax roll:—Dry Land \$2.50 per acre; Watered Land \$3.50 per acre; Cows \$7.50 per head; Horses \$27.50 per head; Fences \$50.00 per mile; Windmills \$250.00 each and the Improvements at Escarbada Ranch—\$2,500.00.

Texas, after nearly a half century, still had very little money for the support of her public free school system, but, despite her

lavish land grants to railroads and others rendering various services to the State, she still had more land than anything else and each county in the State was given four leagues or 17,712 acres of the public domain.

The income from this land was to be used for the support of the public free schools of the county but the proceeds from the sale of the land had to be kept intact and placed in the County Permanent School Fund. The Deaf Smith County School Land was located in Lamb County about the year 1891.

The Commissioner's Court and the county surveyor assisting in the selection of the land from a block of several leagues set apart for county school land in Lamb and Bailey Counties. It was sold for \$1.00 per acre on November 24, 1898. Terms \$4.00 cash, the balance in 40 years at 5 percent interest with option to pay all or any part after seven years.

This \$17,712.00 now constitutes Deaf Smith County's Permanent School Fund. It may be invested only in municipal and state bonds or U. S. Government securities.

I believe the birth date of the town of Hereford has been pretty well established as September 1, 1898. The town was first called Bluewater, and Main Street was for several years known as Dewey Avenue. They are so called in Commissioner's Court Minutes of 1898.

On October 5, 1898 a petition signed by 100 freeholders of the county was presented to the Commissioner's Court praying for an election to determine whether or not the county seat should be moved from La Plata. The election was ordered for November 8, 1898, and presumably it carried in favor of moving to Hereford, for we find on record under date of March 27, 1899, an Order of the Commissioner's Court rejecting all bids for moving the courthouse from La Plata to Hereford, and another on the same date accepting the bid of one Joe Service of Randall County, to build a new courthouse in

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Resolution

In regular session of the Board of Trustees of the Hereford Rural High School District, held on January 12, 1954, with a quorum thereof present and voting, the following resolution was unanimously adopted and passed:

Whereas, January 31, 1954 marks the 100th anniversary of public education in Texas, and

Whereas, from its meager beginning in 1854, it has become the main vehicle for the continuation of the democratic principles of the American way of life through the education and training of the youth of Texas, the leaders and followers of tomorrow.

Now, therefore, the Hereford

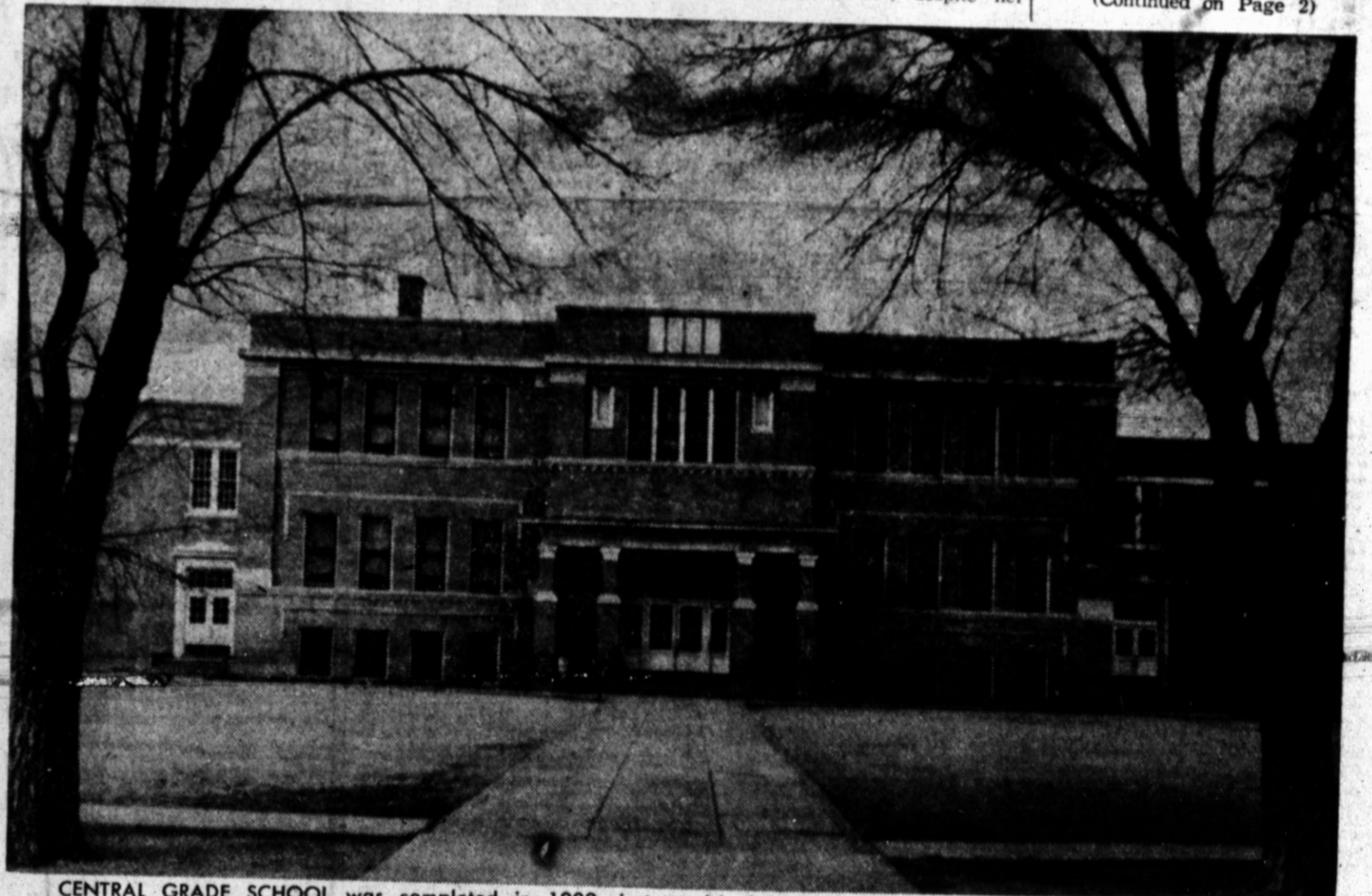
School Board on this occasion, rededicates itself, and asks all other citizens to join them in doing so, toward the continuation and improvement of public free school education in Texas and these United States of America. It being apparent to this Board that eternal vigilance is necessary to maintain our system, and that apathy on the part of the school patron toward his child's school can have no part in the furtherance of public education. Together we join to make even a greater educational system in Texas.

THE BOARD
Hereford Rural High School District



HEREFORD HIGH SCHOOL was built during 1926-27, and has had occasional modernizing work done on it through the years. When the new High School is completed, this school will be used for Junior High. Rewiring of the school, which was begun before Christmas, was scheduled to be completed Saturday. Superintendent George Graham says

that even the completion of the new high school building will not allow the school system to discontinue the use of the barracks buildings, however. At the present time, the Sixth Grade is using the section of the new building which has been designated as the school shops. (Staff Photo)



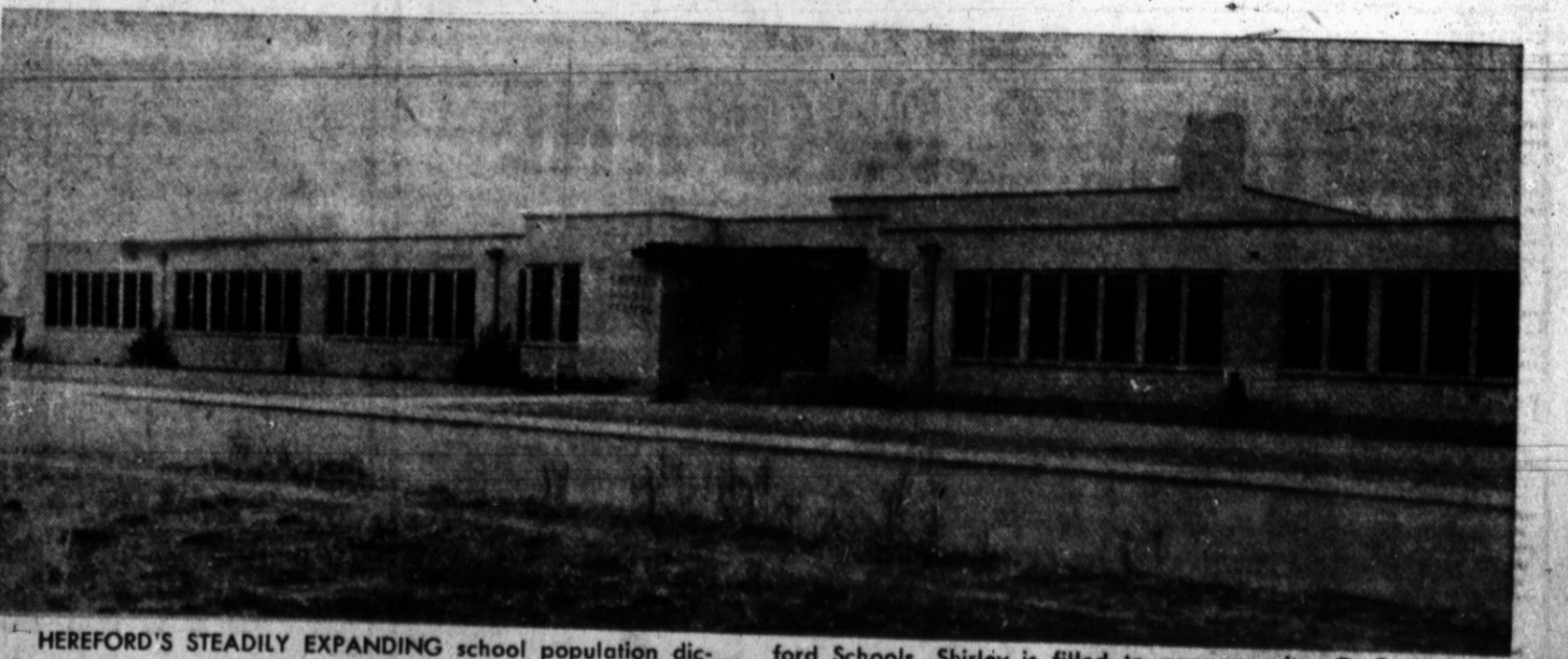
CENTRAL GRADE SCHOOL was completed in 1909, just two years after the first "graduating class" finished the 10th grade in Hereford and went on to higher education or other work. Wings were added to the building in 1936. Many people believed that the school board was wrong, and only the east wing was completed that year. The west wing was finished

the following year, when it was clearly indicated that the additional space was needed. In 1948, the gymnasium was built on the back of the school, and an auditorium was taken off the top. D. C. Martin is the present principal at Central School. (Staff Photo.)



DAWN SCHOOL, the present building, that is, was erected in 1928. Before that, the school had had quite a history, having been moved several times. In 1922, a two-room school house was built, and the schools of Askren, Rice and Dawn were consolidated as the Dawn School. When the Hereford Rural High School District was formed, the Daniel

School was also consolidated with Dawn, and high school students, who had been going to Canyon, to school, began coming to Hereford instead. There are six grades with a total of 54 pupils at Dawn now. H. F. Trimmer is principal. The other two teachers are Mrs. Ray Wells and Mrs. A. T. Frye. (Staff Photo)



HEREFORD'S STEADILY EXPANDING school population dictated the building of Shirley Grade School in 1949, with 12 rooms. A year later six additional rooms and a combination gymnasium and auditorium were added. Like all other Here-

ford Schools, Shirley is filled to near-capacity. O. D. Lowry is principal. Because of the building's extreme length compared to its height, only part of the front is shown here. (Staff Photo)

January 31, 1954, is an important date
in each of our lives... because
it commemorates - - -

100 YEARS of PROGRESS IN OUR Texas Public Schools

Too often taken for granted . . . frequently criticised . . . but seldom praised, the Public Schools of Texas have advanced a long way from their humble beginning on January 31, 1854.

As citizens of Texas and the United States, we realize without question that this country is the undisputed leader in the world today. When you stop to wonder why, you cannot possibly overlook our modern system of public schools. This one phase of our lives literally sets our country apart from all others.

Even within the past 25 years a high school education has become the exception rather than the rule.

When we pause to consider these things, we naturally think of transition from the "Little Red School House" to the modern, highly specialized school plants of 1954. Most of us, after all, live for the hopes and dreams of our children and primary in these hopes stand the one word, "Education." We are proud of the fact that our Texas Public Schools offer this possibility of our own children—and to every other boy and girl in Texas, regardless of race, color or creed.

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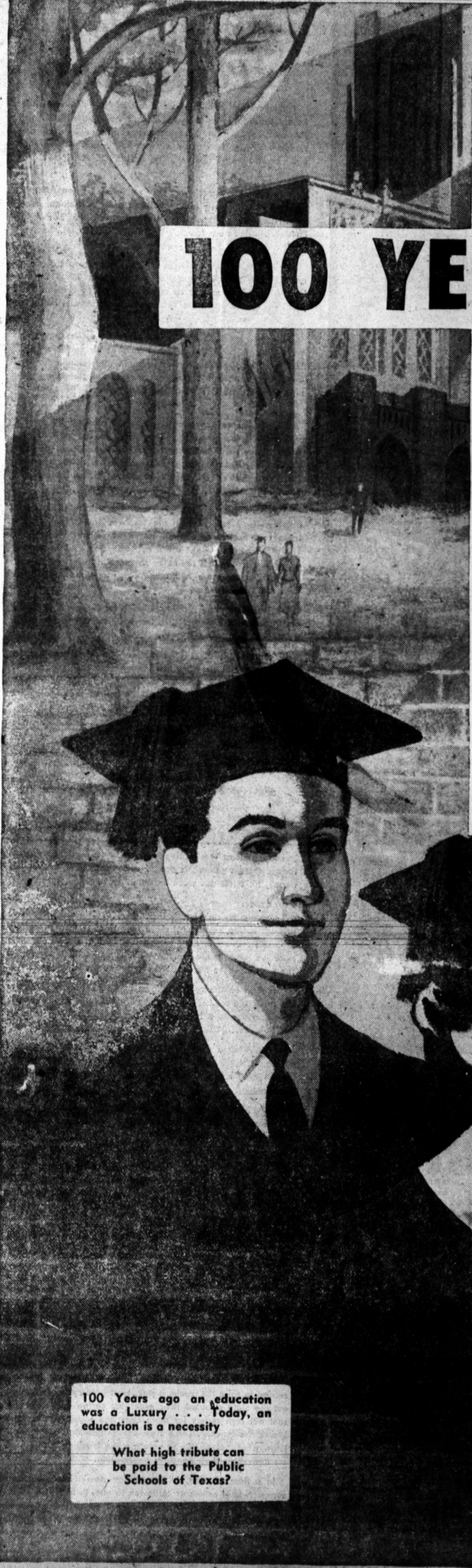
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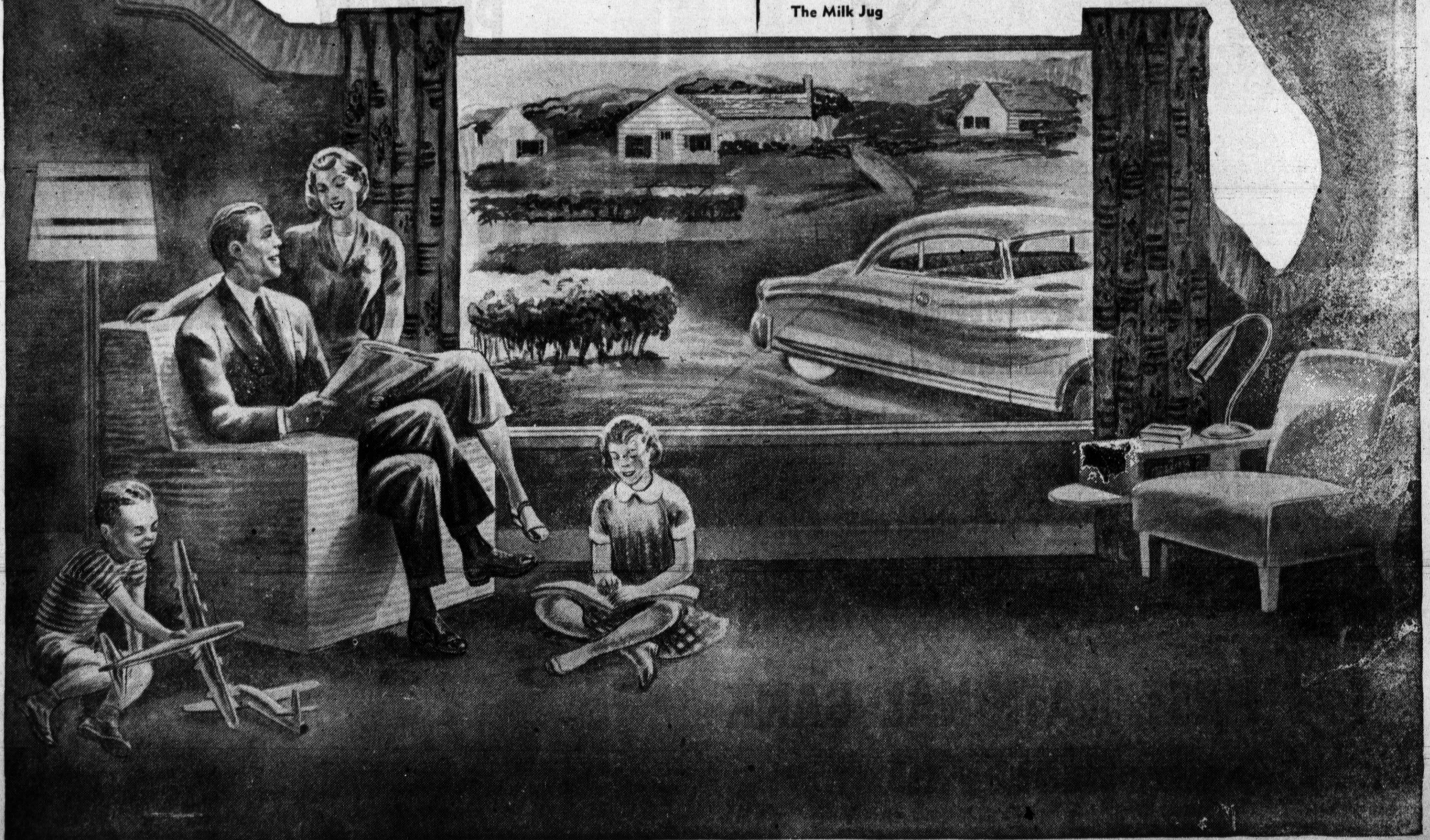
FREE EDUCATION

IN THE STATE OF TEXAS

From its humble beginning one hundred years ago, the Texas Public School System has grown to be one of the finest in the world today. One hundred years of Free Education must be universal and compulsory, because in a democracy, all children must be trained for Citizenship. This means that we must build enough schools and find enough qualified teachers to take care of the whole society. Let's all resolve, that in the years ahead, we'll honor our farsighted forefathers, by working closer with our schools, helping them to grow, so that all may have an equal opportunity to learn.

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WALCOTT SCHOOL, which serves the Walcott Common School district in the western part of the county, is some 24 miles west and 7 1/2 miles north of Hereford. Classes have been held in the new building for the last three years. E. F. Baker is principal, and Mrs. Kyle Oliver Baker and Miss Lillian Fisher are teachers. There are 55 students

enrolled in the eight grades. The school has two teacherages, and operates four school buses. Taxes from 466 sections support the school. This year, 12 students from Walcott are attending Rosedale High School in Bellview, N. M. (Staff Photo)

County School Trustees Set Week To Commemorate Event

January 31st, 1954, having been designated as — The 100th Anniversary of the establishment of the Texas Public School System: — and as a part of this motion, County Judge and County Superintendent Horace L. Schloss, was requested to and did prepare the following:—and the same is here incorporated and made a part of these minutes of the meeting at Hereford, Texas, of the County Board of School Trustees, on Saturday afternoon, December the 19th, 1953.

WHEREAS, throughout TEXAS, January the 31st, 1954, is and should be recognized as a day of tremendous historical significance in the development of our provision of "free education for all"; and WHEREAS, our Public School System has contributed continuously and substantially to the progressive, social, economic and moral development of the State of Texas and to the public interest of all Texans.

day and time culminated in the establishment of the common school law in 1854;—and WHEREAS, on January the 31st, 1854, the school law which provided for the first establishment of the State School System of TEXAS was passed; and WHEREAS, the people of TEXAS declared, by the expressed terms of the State constitution, "a general diffusion of knowledge being essential to the preservation of the liberties and rights of the people, it shall be the duty of the Legislature of the State to establish and make suitable provision for the support and maintenance of an efficient system of public free schools"; and WHEREAS, the year 1954 is the Centennial Year of the founding of the Texas Public School System and has been so designated by the Fifty Third Legislature, through the adoption of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 45, and by the Governor of Texas, and the State Board of Education; and

Shivers Set March 1-7 For Public School Week

By Allan Shivers
Governor of Texas
AUSTIN, TEXAS

GREETINGS: The Public School System in Texas goes back literally to the very beginning of our State. Texas' first Constitution made provisions for a system of public education. President Mirabeau Buonaparte Lamar, in his message to the Texas Congress in 1838 stated, "It is admitted by all that cultivated mind is the guardian genius of Democracy, and while guided and controlled by virtue, the noblest attribute of man. It is the only dictator that freemen acknowledge and the only security which freemen desire."

public support is a definite effort on the part of each citizen to become familiar with the public school system and to keep in touch with it. THEREFORE, I, Allan Shivers, Governor of Texas, do hereby designate the period March 1-7, 1954, as PUBLIC SCHOOLS WEEK IN TEXAS and urge every citizen to visit one of the public schools during this period and become acquainted with the programs and accomplishments of our educational system. In official recognition whereof, I hereby affix my signature this 15th day of August, 1953. Allan Shivers, Governor of Texas

Torpedoes Pay Off PASADENA, Calif. (AP) — Two fishermen went driving for abalone recently and came up with a couple of tin fish (torpedoes). They netted George E. Troester, and Murray Black \$100 apiece. Black spotted his "fish" 135 feet down at San Clemente and, after notifying the Navy, dived down with a tow line and snagged it. Troester found his in a bed of kelp near Long Beach. Capt. Robert F. Sellers, officer in charge of the Naval Ordnance Test Station in Pasadena said: "The catch not only meant a jackpot for them but for the taxpayers—torpedoes are expensive." Purse Is Preserved JAL. N. M. (AP) — C. H. Strickland has solved the mystery of the pilfered purse. He found his dog playing with it recently after it had been missing 6 months. It showed signs of being buried—along with Fido's favorite bones.

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"In 1845 the School Law provided for the first State Public School System of Texas. The State Constitution declares, "A general diffusion of knowledge being essential to the preservation of the liberties and rights of the people, it shall be the duty of the Legislature of the State to establish and make suitable provision for the support and maintenance of an efficient system of public free schools."

From this grew the public school system of Texas. Historians say:

"Education of the masses through these schools which are public schools has been the bulwark of the liberties of the people and the national freedom of the country."

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