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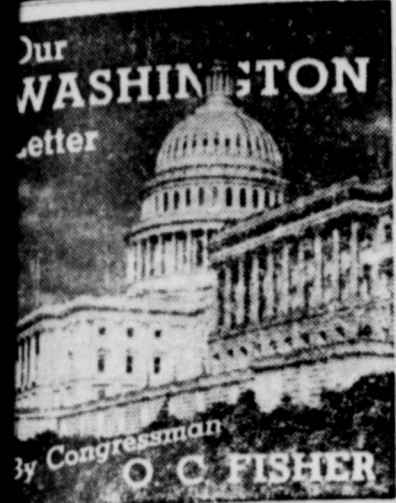
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Starting out as a move to relieve housing shortage, the sponsors of the federalized housing program finally abandoned the claim that more houses will be built as a result of the legislation. They attempt to justify the underwriting on a basis of providing subsidized low rentals for so-called income people. Most of this, of course, be in the big cities. Building during the past two years has been at capacity and no claims now it can be stepped by the new program. In fact, the cost of construction is expected to go up as a result. It was pointed out that despite the high cost of labor and material, in 1947 and 1948 private builders constructed 85,000 new homes, the greatest number of housing units in two years ever built in the history of the nation.

Another fact stands out regarding the housing program. That is the virtual certainty that this will be only the beginning. Mr. Foley, Housing Administrator, testified that there are around six million people in need of the proposed low rentals. And since the present measure will take care of only a million of them, it is generally admitted privately that more costly demands will be forth-

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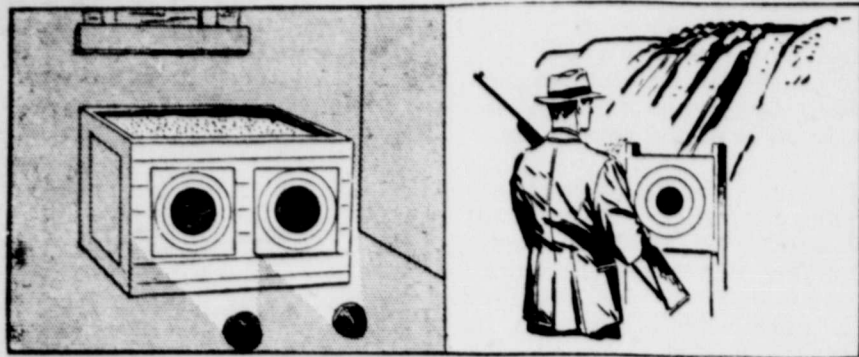
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You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday, the 1st day of August, A.D., 1949, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Sterling County, at the Court House in Sterling City, Texas.

Said plaintiffs' petition was filed on the 15th day of June, 1949. The file number of said suit being No. 510.

The names of the parties in said suit are: H.K. Ray, LaVone Jones Childress and husband, William Harold Childress, and Willie Louise Boone Brewster and husband, W. E. Brewster, as plaintiffs, and those named above to whom this citation is directed, together with William Harold Childress, Jr., who is sued individually and as representative of all said others, named above, as Defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: petition contains two counts; the first alleging ordinary trespass to try title, plaintiffs claiming defendants wrongfully ousted them from possession of SE ¼ Section 26, Block 14, S.P. Ry. Co., Abstract No. 835, Sterling County, Texas, and seeking judgment for title, possession and damages against defendants; the second count setting out verbatim deed by J. R. Ray to H. K. Ray and wife, Maggie Ray, LaVone Jones, "her legal descendants and their heirs and assigns", and Willie Louise Boone, all of Sterling County, Texas, conveying said land, dated July 10, 1933, recorded in Volume 29, page 130 et seq., Deed Records of Sterling County, Texas and alleging grantor therein to be common source of title, and seeking judgment construing whether said defendants have any interest in said land by virtue of said deed, and declaring the rights of plaintiffs; and further that plaintiffs herein brought similar suit against same defendants seeking same relief involving said land in Cause No. 507, District Court of Sterling County, Texas, and error was made in entering judgment, and plaintiffs seek hereby to correct said judgment:

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this the 15th day of June, A.D., 1949.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Sterling City, Texas, this the 15th day of June, A.D., 1949.

(Signed) W. W. DURHAM
(Seal) Clerk, District Court, Sterling County, Texas.

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Southern Hospitality



By BETTY BARCLAY

One of the things bespeaking the tradition of the South is a good dessert. Not just a store-bought dessert, Ma'am, but something homemade, such as a fluffy cake or a luscious pie.

Strictly southern is this recipe for Grape-Nuts Pie, made rich with eggs and corn syrup, with Grape-Nuts added to give it a nut-like flavor.

Serve it in small wedges with whipped cream; then count the hands of those who want a second helping!

Southern Grape-Nuts Pie

- 1 cup Grape-Nuts
- 1 cup boiling water
- 3 tablespoons butter
- ½ cup sugar
- 3 eggs, well beaten
- 1 cup dark corn syrup
- ½ teaspoon salt
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 1 unbaked 9-inch pie shell

Combine Grape-Nuts and boiling water. Let stand a few minutes. Cream butter; add sugar gradually, creaming well. Add Grape-Nuts and eggs and beat well. Add syrup, salt, and vanilla. Pour into pie shell. Bake in moderate oven (350° F.) about 50 minutes. Cut in small wedges and serve plain or with whipped cream.

Note: If desired, 1 teaspoon grated orange rind may be substituted for the vanilla in the above recipe.

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Atomic Director Testifies



WASHINGTON, D. C.—Dr. Walter H. Zinn (left), of the Argonne National Laboratory in Chicago from which a small quantity of uranium disappeared in February, spent most of the day before the Joint Congressional Atomic Energy Committee. He is shown here with Sen. Brien McMahon (D., Conn.), committee chairman, and Sen. Bourke Hickenlooper (R., Iowa), right, ranking GOP member of the committee. The committee announced that it will make a complete study of Sen. Hickenlooper's demand for the resignation of AEC Chairman David E. Lilienthal.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Now I'm Going Back To High School!

When I saw lights burning in the High School auditorium last night, I looked in to see what went on. About twenty people were listening to Buzz Ellis, the electrician, talk about television.

I slipped into a back seat and asked Hap Thomas what was up. Hap told me it was the new Self-Improvement Club. I stayed to listen—and learned a lot. Buzz really knows his stuff.

Turns out this club meets every Friday night. Each member gives a talk on the subject he knows most about. I joined on the spot because

learning new things is one of my favorite hobbies.

From where I sit, it's willingness to learn from the other person that makes Americans tolerant towards so many different viewpoints and tastes in things. Just because Buzz Ellis goes for chocolate malteds, while I prefer a mellow glass of beer, doesn't mean I'm right and he's wrong. Incidentally, next week I'm going to talk on how to run a newspaper.

Joe Marsh

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COVERING THE COUNTY
(Continued from Front Page)

Now if you will become accident conscious, and just start looking about you, you will likely find a dozen hazards that can be remedied right around your place. But first, I wish you would re-read this column. I don't think it is any masterpiece, but I want you to become aware of accident hazards around YOU, and be aroused to the point of eliminating some of them.

Mrs. Joseph Blank underwent a major operation in a Big Spring hospital last week. She is reported doing very well.

Clauda Collins went home with the Elliot Mendenhalls last Sun- to visit for a time in their home in Dallas.

FOR RENT—2 room apartment with private bath. Mrs. W. L. Emery, phone 173.

Visitors in the Lee Augustine home are Mrs. Augustine's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Smith of Nogales, Arizona; also her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Murtishaw of Kingsville, Texas. The Augustines will go to Paducah this week with them to visit another brother there.

Shirley Ann Cole is in Pasadena, Texas, visiting her sister, Mrs. Raymond Vinson.

Mrs. Orrie Deal and son, Bobbie, went to Odessa Wednesday for a visit with relatives.

Daughter to Bliznaks
A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Bliznak in the Shan non hospital in San Angelo last Saturday morning. This is the first child of the Bliznaks.
The father is employed on Clyde Reynolds' ranch.

HENS for sale. Mrs. John Purvis.

Behind
The
8 Ball



At the Lions ladies night program Tuesday night, new president Roland Lowe was about the last person to introduce his guest, which happened to be his wife, Dorothy. Roland got up and said, "I have as my wife, Mrs. Lowe." The crowd roared.

Dr. Guinn told of two ladies who were discussing their husbands. One asked the other how she could tell when her husband was lying. The lad ysaid, "When his lips are moving, he is lying."

Among the Garden City guests at the affair were former Sterling citizen, Gene and Mrs. Carr. Gene is now County Judge over in Glasscock County.

Lion B. B. Hestir, who has installed the new Lions Club officers through the years, said he was going to get short as an Indian preacher who had a reputation for quick marriage ceremonies. The Indian's ceremony went something

like this—
"Have'r?"
"Ugh!"
"Have'm?"
"Ugh!"
"Gottem!"
Hestir said he imagined that the club would appreciate such a short installation of officers from him. However, he did the job according to Hoyle. I mean Lions International.

Little Vicki Johnson, daughter of the Tommie Johnsons, has been on the ailing list this week.

The life of a newspaperman is not always peaches and cream. We worked and got several pages of this week's paper ready to go to press and those pages were filled with the legal notices—State Constitutional Amendments that started publication last week. On Wednesday morning of this week, we had a telegram from Ben Ramsey, Secretary of State in Austin saying to hold up the printing of them, as the Legislature was changing the date of the election from September 29 to the second Tuesday in November. AND, we understand there will be another amendment or so added to the group.

The hot weather and all that surplus in the treasury at Austin must be "getting the boys."

Frierson, talking of skunks and things last week, reminds me of a negro that went to church one time.

The negro told a friend that people just turned around and looked at him—just stared!

His friend said, "Maybe you got into the wrong pew."
Said the ducky, "I guess I did. Some of the ones looking at me so hard said, 'PHEW!'"

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Want to keep the flies on the run for the rest of the summer? Just keep on doing like the old skunk did, "KEEP SPRAYING."

Cack Cole must be training for to become a roving announcer—or something.

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Fort Worth is having a hundred-years' observance celebration this month, with a big affair more like the Cavalcade of Texas deal back in 1936 in Dallas. The affair will be staged in Farrington Field the middle of the month.

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