

THE STRATFORD STAR

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School District Approves New Building Project

Stratford Independent School District voters approved the proposed \$150,000.00 building project for the school by a vote of 142 to 43 in an election Saturday.

The new building project will add six additional classrooms to the elementary school building and will include construction of a modern swimming pool.

Addition of the six new rooms to the elementary school building will provide space for dividing the elementary grades into two class rooms. It will also allow space for housing the eighth grade students in the grammar school. This will allow sufficient space in the high school building for high school students.

As the tax valuation of property in the school district has increased from less than four million to nine million dollars, it will be possible to pay off the proposed bond issue without increasing the tax valuation in the school district.

Mrs. Sears Is Candidate For Treasurer

Mrs. Harry Sears is a candidate for re-election to the office of County Treasurer. She has been a resident of the County for 13 years and was elected to the office she holds for her first term in 1950.

Mrs. Sears gives the work in the County Treasurer's office her first consideration and works in the office for at least two hours every day in order to keep all records of the gradually growing county up to date.

She submits her candidacy for a second term in office subject to the action of the Democratic Primary July 26. She states that she will greatly appreciate the consideration and support of the voters in the coming election.

Tommy Reeves Returns To Stratford

Thomas J. Reeves, an air force veteran of World War II, who has been on active duty since the first of March 1951, has been released from service and has returned to Stratford to make his home.

Mrs. Reeves and their daughters will arrive here in a few days. Mr. Reeves has accepted a position with the Seaman Grocery.

U. S. Needs Civil Defense

A-Bomb Would Kill All Persons Unprotected in One-Half Mile

(This is the third of a series of articles on civil defense, based on the booklet "This Is Civil Defense" prepared by the Federal Civil Defense Administration. It may be obtained from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C., for ten cents.)

By MILLARD CALDWELL
Federal Civil Defense Administrator

Don't be surprised if you hear a siren blowing and learn that your community is being alerted for an imaginary atom bomb raid. If it is organized, within minutes, air raid wardens, first-aid teams, doctors, nurses, emergency rescue squads, and other civil defense units will spring into action.

Hundreds of cities, towns, and small communities in the United States today are making sure that they will be ready to do their part if, and when, the real atom bomb hits them or cities near them. These imaginary raids have shown what well-trained and coordinated civil defense personnel and equipment can do against enemy attack.

However, don't act as if the alert signal you hear is just an imaginary air raid. Act as you have been trained to act. Do whatever you have been told to do. Civil defense prepares you for that split-second decision of knowing how to act—what to do.

Within one-half mile of the center of an A-bomb explosion almost everyone without proper protection will be killed. Within the next half-mile fifty per cent of the population will not survive. From one to one-and-a-half miles away eighty-five per cent will live. Beyond two miles from the center of the explosion you will survive—but there will be work for you to do. Civil defense prepares you for that too.

With the proper protection YOU may live, but thousands will be killed instantly and many others will be wounded and in need of immediate care. Every street within the major damage area will be completely blocked with rubble, and hundreds of persons trapped or buried in the wreckage. Fires will start within a matter of minutes—in many places at once.

Food Supply Destroyed

These are the main things which will happen, but there are others. For instance, a large part of the city's food supply might be de-

Will Vaccinate All Pet Dogs January 8

Tuesday, January 8, from 2:00 until 5:00 P. M., Dr. C. A. Thompson, a licensed veterinarian, will be at the City Hall and will vaccinate all dogs brought to him at that time.

The City will pay Dr. Thompson for this service. The dog owner must furnish the dog tag collar for attaching the vaccination tag. The City Council has had many favorable comments on this program and will appreciate the cooperation of all dog owners and citizens that do not have dogs in order that the job may be complete and prevent future painful and dangerous incidents of children and others being bitten by dogs.

The Council will immediately after the above date, proceed to pick up all dogs not vaccinated and not claimed, and impound them. After 48 hours all dogs not claimed will be put away. There will be a fee charged on all dogs that have to be picked up before they will be released to the owner.

Red Cross Class Will Begin January 7

The Red Cross Class in Home Care of the Sick will be started in the Home Demonstration Club Council Room on the third floor of the courthouse at 2:00 P. M. Monday, January 7. The course will consist of six 2-hour classes. Future dates of succeeding classes will be arranged at this meeting.

A nursery will be provided if necessary so that mothers of small children will be able to attend classes. The course is open to all women in Sherman County. If there are more than 15 wanting this course, arrangements will be made for two classes.

Those who complete this course satisfactorily will be given certificates.

Injured Girls Casts Removed

Shirley Everett, injured in a car accident several weeks ago, had the casts removed from her body this week, according to word received by her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Willey. Shirley walks on crutches as the result of a stiff hip and leg. Shera Resley is out of her cast and doing nicely.

Cotton can be grown in different colors so that it doesn't have to be dyed.

Dixon-Haile Wedding Solemnized

The First Baptist Church was the scene Friday evening for the marriage of Dorothy Anne Dixon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Dixon of Booker, to Arlyn Haile, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Haile of Stratford.

Rev. M. E. Upchurch, pastor, read the double-ring service before an altar of greenery, flanked by candelabra. Mrs. Walter M. Pendleton, organist, played a prelude of nuptial selections and accompanied Mrs. Lorraine Mehner, who sang "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer" and Walter M. Pendleton, who sang "Wedding Prayer." "Clair de Lune" was played during the exchange of vows and the traditional wedding marches were used for the processional and recessional.

Miss Kathleen Dixon of Los Angeles, sister of the bride, was maid-of-honor. She wore a gown of green nylon net over taffeta, styled with a cameo lace yoke, fitted bodice and gathered skirt. Her bouquet was of red roses.

Flower girls were Marilyn Coker, niece of the bride, and Lorelyn Haile, niece of the groom, who wore identical long length dresses of green nylon net over taffeta. They carried miniature crescent bouquets of garnet red roses.

Lorel Haile was his brother's best man. Bobbie Coker of Earth, nephew of the bride, was ring bearer.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attired in a gown of Chantilly type, blush pink lace over taffeta, fashioned with a cameo scalloped yoke of net, fitted bodice, tapered long sleeves and softly gathered skirt. Her tiered veil of blush pink illusion cascaded from a Juliet Cap incrustured with seed pearls. She carried a crescent bouquet of white orchids and gladioli.

Mrs. Dixon, mother of the bride, wore a plum colored gardenia suit, with pink accessories. Mrs. Haile, mother of the groom, wore a navy dress with black accessories. Both had corsages of white gardenias.

Following the ceremony, a reception in the church parlor honored the bridal party. Laid with a linen cloth, the serving table was centered with a tiered wedding cake surrounded by garnet roses and flanked by tapers. Miss Elinor Dixon registered the guests and assisting in the house party were Mrs. J. J. Coker, Miss Hazel Harris, Miss Kathleen Dixon, Mrs. Shuler Donelson, Mrs. J. R. Pendleton, Mrs. Roscoe Dyess and Mrs. Lee Grimes.

Mrs. Haile was graduated from West Texas State College, Canyon, and for the past 5 years has served as Sherman County Home Demonstration Agent.

The groom attended Texas Technological College at Lubbock and served in the army during World War II. He has ranching and farming interests in Sherman County.

After an extended wedding trip the couple will be at home in Stratford. For traveling, the bride chose a gray flannel suit with black and American beauty accessories and a corsage of white orchids and gladioli.

Bob Ferguson Announces For Re-Election

Bob Ferguson wishes to take this means of announcing his candidacy for nomination and re-election to a second term as County Judge and Ex-Officio School Superintendent of Sherman County.

Judge Ferguson feels that his legal education and experience have contributed materially to an efficient administration of duties imposed upon him. He submits his record in office for your consideration.

Having already gained practical experience in the procedures of county government he has no hesitancy in promising to the people the same honest and efficient administration if returned to the office for a second term.

Postage Rates Increased

Postage rate increases went into effect January 1. Post cards and drop letters now require two cents postage. First class mail remains 3 cents and air mail postage remains 6 cents.

Flora Foreman Retires From African Service

Miss Flora Foreman arrived in Amarillo by plane Wednesday from Belgian Congo Africa where she has served as a Methodist Missionary for 30 years. Miss Foreman will devote her time to caring for her sister, Miss Grace Foreman, who is crippled by arthritis.

Mrs. Boney Announces For County Clerk

Mrs. Lelah Boney announces her candidacy for re-election to the office of County and District Clerk. She requests the consideration of the voters subject to the action of the Democratic Primary election to be held July 26.

Mrs. Boney expresses her appreciation of the support which has been given her by her friends and states that if she is elected she will do her utmost to conduct the office to the best interests of the public.

Garrison Motor Has New 1952 Plymouths

Garrison Motor Co. announces the arrival of the new 1952 Plymouth now on display in their show room.

Luxury and color harmony are the keynotes of the beautiful upholstery and trim selected for the new Plymouth. A fine selection of long-wearing, quality fabrics is available in shades which blend beautifully with the car's exterior colors. An attractive "Lustro-Tone" instrument panel features controls which are conveniently grouped and instruments which are colored and lettered for easy reference while driving.

Solex tinted safety glass is available throughout the Plymouth line as optional equipment at small extra cost. The glass reduces interior temperatures on hot summer days, minimizes fading of upholstery or seat cover fabrics, and reduces sun glare.

There are ten body types in the new Plymouth line.

Burk Green Announces For Re-Election

Burk Green is a candidate for re-election to a second term of office as Justice of the Peace in Precinct 4. His announcement as a candidate is made subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Election Saturday, July 26.

He will appreciate the consideration and support of the voters of the precinct in the coming election.

Mr. Green states that he has tried to do his duty as a Justice of the Peace, and treat every one alike. If elected he promises to continue to fulfill the duties of the office to the best of his ability.

Mr. Green moved to Sherman County in 1901. He was engaged in farming and ranching with his father for several years. He served as a deputy for 10 years and later served as City Marshal for a little more than 17 years.

C. E. Woods Will Show New Plymouth Friday

C. E. Woods Co. announces the new 1952 models of the Plymouth car will be on display in their show room Friday.

The new Plymouth for 1952 has a long list of improvements, 46 in all, which has been incorporated in the engine, the brakes, the electrical system, the chassis, and to the inside and outside of the body.

The new car, according to D. S. Eddins, president of Plymouth, has been improved and refined to provide "the most gentle ride, the smoothest engine performance and the greatest safety ever built into a car for the lowest price field."

C.W.F. Ladies Held Study Wednesday

C.W.F. ladies of the Christian Church met Wednesday in the church to start a mission study on "The Church Has A Mission To America," with Mrs. Bernard Dovel in charge of the study course.

Mrs. Herbert Folsom gave a talk on "The American Way in the Church." Mrs. H. H. Lowe gave the "Church's Position in America." "Forces that Retard the Church Progress" was presented by Mrs. J. D. Billington. For the closing talk, Mrs. Herbert Folsom discussed "The Church's Influence in the Life and Activities of the Community." The group sang the "Church's One Foundation."

Mrs. L. L. Lyon gave the devotional on the 23rd Psalm. The study was dismissed by prayer and the missionary benediction. The next study will be held at 2:00 P. M. Wednesday, January 9, in the First Christian Church.

A. L. Wilson Announces For Re-Election

A. L. (Doc) Wilson announces his candidacy for re-election to the office of Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector of Sherman County. Sheriff Wilson states that he appreciates the support given him in recent elections and the cooperation of the citizens during his term in office.

His request for re-election to office is submitted to the voters subject to the action of the Democratic Primary election which will be held July 26.

If elected, Sheriff Wilson states that he hopes to use his experience during his term in office to better serve the interests of the citizens of Sherman County. He will appreciate the consideration and support of every voter in the county.

Mary Ethel Circle To Meet January 9 With Mrs. Plunk

The Mary Ethel Circle will meet at 2:30 P. M. December 9 with Mrs. Virgil Plunk.

January 20 Is Deadline For Blue Cross

Farm Bureau Blue Cross Insurance policy holders who desire to convert their policies from standard to comprehensive insurance must do so prior to January 20. Mrs. W. J. Lowe announced this week.

Assembly Of God Revival In Progress

Rev. Nolan Sluder, Owensboro, Kentucky evangelist, is conducting a revival meeting at the Assembly of God Church. Services are held each evening at 7:30. Youth services are held on Friday nights.

Mrs. Sluder is assisting her husband in the song services. The meeting will continue through January 13th.

Rev. I. L. Walker announces the meetings are open to the general public and extends a cordial invitation to the residents of this section to attend the services.

Honors Grandson On His Third Birthday

Mrs. Mike Burgess was hostess to a birthday party Sunday afternoon, honoring her grandson, Rusty Kidder, on his third birthday.

After the opening of many lovely gifts, games were played. Refreshments of cake, ice cream, and Kool-Aid were served to the following guests: Eloise Adkins, Terryllie and Vicky Ellison, Billy and Jimmy Blazier, Mrs. Clifford Ellison and baby, Mrs. Fruett Adkins and Mrs. Bill Kidder.

Mrs. Joy Smith Brought Home Friday

Mrs. Joy Smith was brought home from Dumas Memorial Hospital Friday. She was admitted to the hospital as a medical patient Saturday of the previous week.

Eastern Star Will Meet January 8th

The Stratford Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, will hold a special initiation degree Tuesday, January 8.

Mrs. Richardson Home From Sweetwater

Mrs. J. K. Richardson was brought home Saturday from Sweetwater, Texas where she recently underwent an eye operation. Dr. Kenneth Richardson and his daughter, Margaret, accompanied her to Stratford.

New Arrival

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Hudson are the parents of a six pound six ounce daughter, Lisa Kate, born Saturday night in Dumas Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lavake and Mary Lou spent the weekend at the home of Mrs. Lavake's niece, Mr. and Mrs. James Gambrel, in Roy, New Mexico.

Pfc. and Mrs. Randolph McAdams left Saturday for San Antonio, Texas after spending the holidays in Stratford. McAdams will report for duty at Brooks Air Force Base.

Most of us spend one-third of our lives in bed and asleep.

Southside Club Will Meet On January 10

The Southside Home Demonstration Club will meet with Mrs. Oma Ellison Thursday, January 10, at 2:00 P. M.

Edgar Spurlock Is Surgical Patient

Edgar Spurlock underwent a major operation at the Scott & White Clinic in Temple, Texas this morning. Mrs. Spurlock, Mrs. Dave Holmes and Mrs. Eldon Plunk are in Temple with him.

Post Office Sold 60,100 Stamps In December

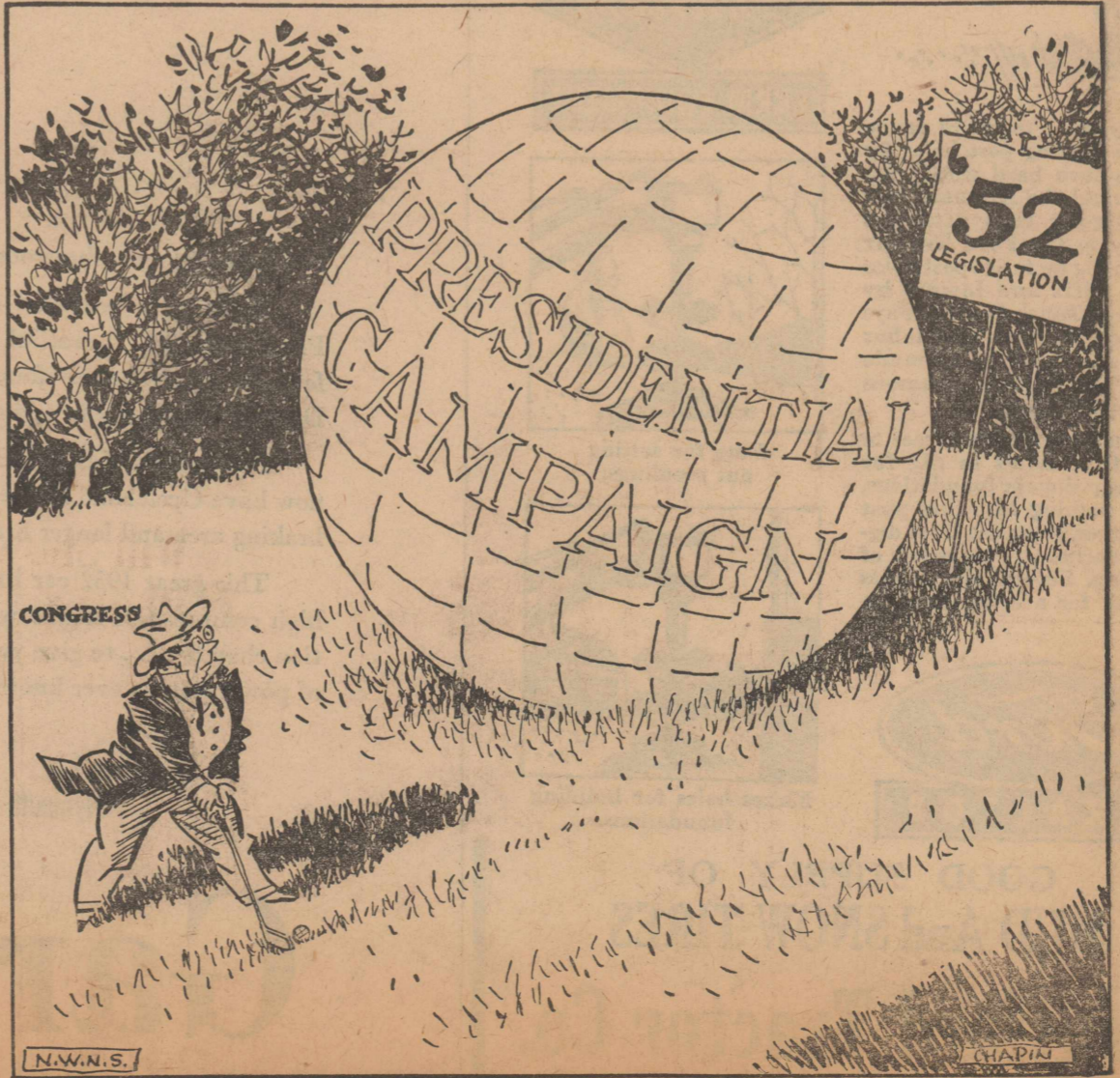
The local Post Office reports the sale of 60,100 stamps during the month of December. These stamps were of the 1, 2, and 3 cent denomination. An estimated 57,000 stamps were used to mail greeting cards. This represents an increase of 1,000 stamps over all previous records. The gross receipts of the Post Office are higher than in 1950. In December the gross receipts totaled \$3,202.91 as compared to \$2,753.73 the previous year.

Devotional Gems

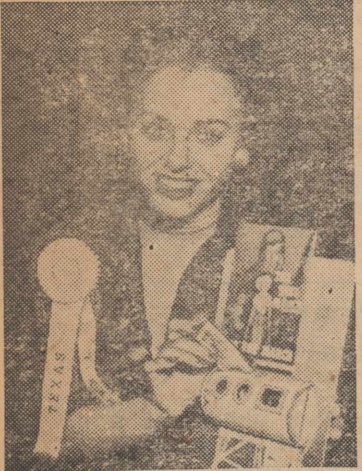
(By N. D. Carter)
The Apostle Peter has written "The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness; but is long suffering to usward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance." Found in II Peter 3:9. When men make a promise they will make exceptions for friends, and their friends will often make exceptions with the man that has promised, so that the promised may be escaped through slackness. But this is not so with God because he is no respecter of persons and Peter said that he is not slack concerning his promise. It matters not how lowly and sinful a man is, God can and will save when the man comes to him; and it matters not how great and mighty a man is, the man must still come to God to be saved. "For God is not slack concerning his promise."

Jesus said that as many as believed shall live and again that unless we repent we shall all perish. His promise is that we shall live when we repent and believe. Peter said in the above quoted verse that God is not willing that any should perish. It is God's will that all should come to him that they might live. There are many that try to live good enough to get by that day of wrath, there are many that follow the commandments of men to escape that day, and there are many that just plain deny God or at least refuse to have any thing to do with his way. Jesus said that they would not come to him that they might live. God is not slack with his promise, but it is the same to all mankind. He has made only one promise whereby we might live and all we have to do is accept that promise which was made to all Humanity.

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Helps Dimes Drive



Miss Texas — Glenda Jane Holcomb of Odessa — a Miss America contestant in the annual Atlantic City Pageant, makes one of the first contributions to the 1952 March of Dimes. The March of Dimes period has been doubled to include all January because of the record polio toll of the last four years.

**J. P. Powell
M. D.**

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and Throat
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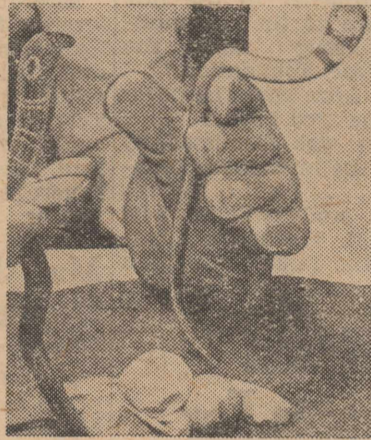
**LUCY KELP
CLEANERS**
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THE BAFFLES

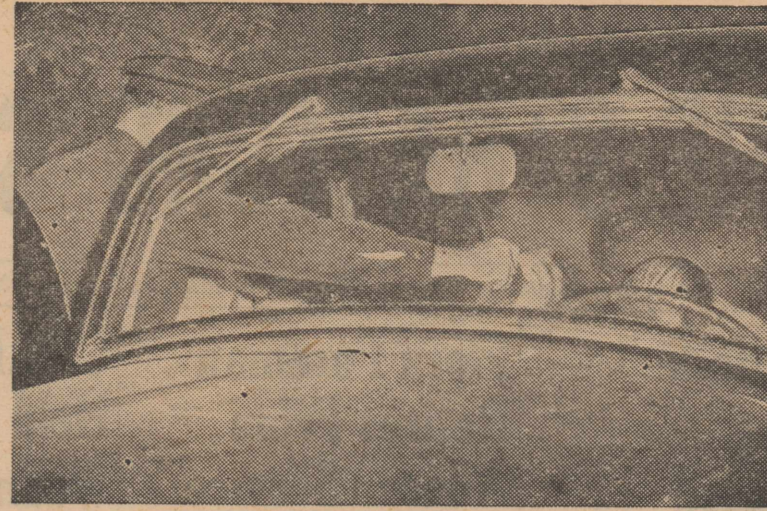
By Mahoney



PRETTIEST RACQUETEER . . . Andrcina Pietra is one of the big attractions of the tennis department of the Bolivarian games (little olympics) at Caracas, Venezuela.



NEW ARRIVALS . . . Mother Cobra thinks they're cute, but Lincoln Park (Chicago) keeper handles newborn Asiatic cobras with horsehide gloves.



MOTHER, SON SUICIDE . . . Patrolman gives oxygen in vain to Mrs. Clara Manz, 80, who with son, 49, committed suicide in car in New York City.



FOR HERO DAD . . . Linda Lee Hill, 8-months, holds out chubby hand for Bronze Star, symbol of heroism of father she never saw, Cpl. Carl Hill, missing in Korea.

A complete pasture and forage plan for Texas' farms and ranches to overcome conditions such as exist at the present is needed. The plan should include provisions for a carryover ofilage and hay.

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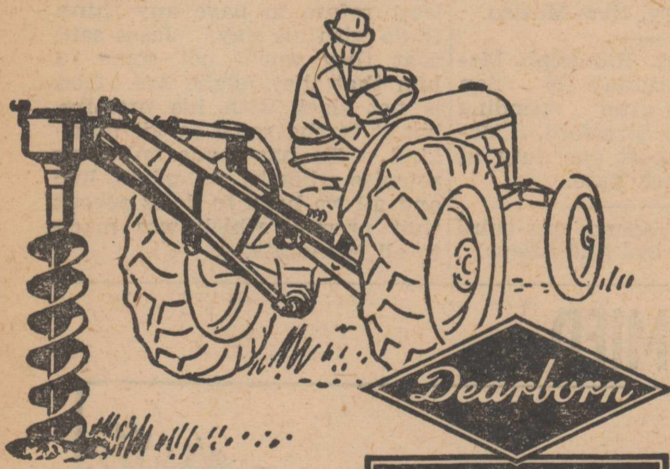
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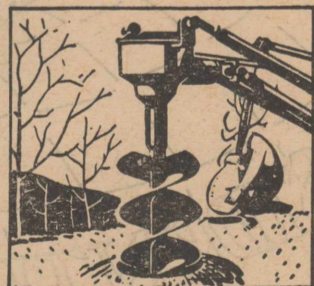
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MUCH FASTER**
with this post hole digger



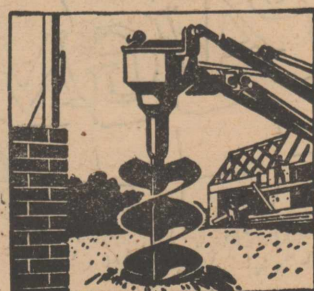
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If you have seedling trees to set out, or holes to dig for building pilings or foundations, there's nothing like this post hole digger. Even use it for digging trenches . . . saves lots of shoveling. Several size augers . . . Ask for a demonstration.



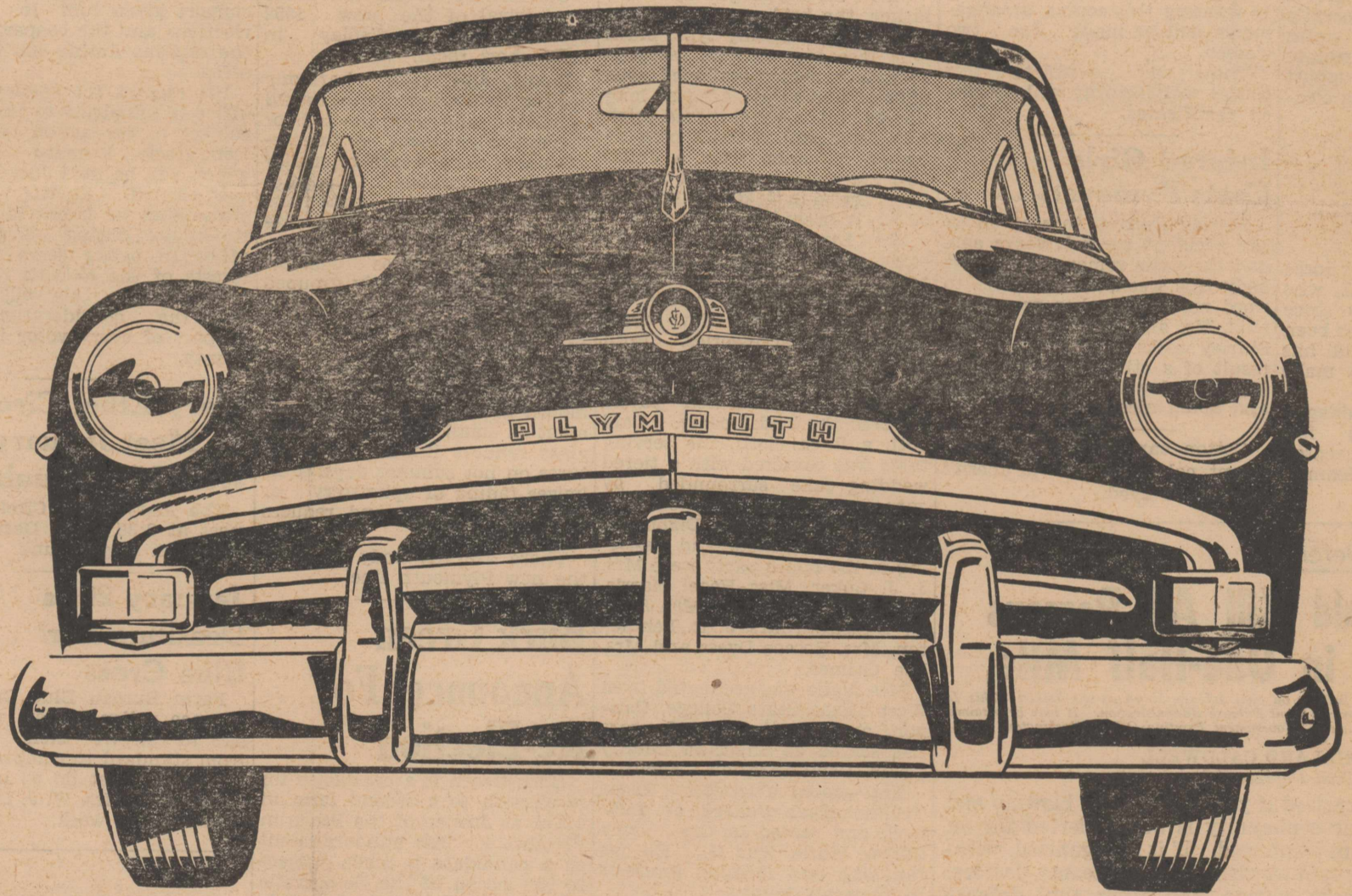
Fine for setting out seedlings.



Makes holes for building foundations.



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MUD And SNOW TIRES**
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**1952
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LAFF OF THE WEEK



"... And we could start a completely new nation without women... we could call it 'STAG-NATION'!"



RECORD HEREFORD... In Denver, Dandy Domino I, grand champ female at national western polled hereford show, sold for \$13,000, new record for the class.

Popular Recipe

IT'S OPEN SEASON for wool socks! Are you laundering them so they remain soft and fluffy? Are they still fitting properly? If not, brush up your technique on laundering.

Before socks are used, make cardboard or heavy brown paper impressions of them by tracing on paper; or, buy forms to the correct size.

Socks should be washed after each wearing so body salts and acids as well as perspiration stains do not dry in the wool fibers and cause them to rot and weaken.

Use warm, tepid water. Flick some on your wrist and if you can't feel it, this is the temperature to use for your woollens. Make nice fluffy suds for the washing.

RECIPE OF THE WEEK

- Ginger Cookies**
(Makes 5 dozen)
- 1/2 cup soft shortening
 - 1/2 cup brown sugar
 - 2 eggs
 - 3/4 cup molasses
 - 3 cups sifted flour
 - 1 teaspoon soda
 - 3/4 teaspoon salt
 - 2 teaspoons ground ginger
 - 1 teaspoon cinnamon

Cream together shortening and sugar; add molasses and eggs and beat with rotary beater until smooth. Sift together dry ingredients and work into first mixture. Chill dough several hours. Remove from refrigerator and roll on lightly floured board 1/4" thick. Cut with floured cutters. Bake on lightly greased baking sheets in a moderately hot (375°F.) oven, or, when lightly touched, no imprint remains.

Socks or other woollens should never be soaked. Keep the socks under the water and squeeze the suds in and out of them, never wringing or twisting them.

Wash the socks on the wrong side first, then turn to the right side and wash again. Rinse thoroughly so there are no suds left in the socks. When the rinse water at last turns clear, they're free of suds.

The more extra moisture you can get out of the socks before actual drying, the more quickly they will dry. A good way to do this is to place the socks in a Turkish towel, roll, and then knead out the moisture.

Calcium Supply

Milk in its many forms—whole, skimmed, evaporated, concentrated, condensed, and dry—furnishes a great deal of calcium for the diet, and in addition provides generous amounts of protein.



MISS T.V. . . . Phyllis Maygers, Baltimore, was chosen Miss U.S. Television in a Chicago contest sponsored by the television industry.

Theodore Roosevelt was the first American hero to have ticker tape dumped on him as he rode in a parade.

Special Filipino Meat Dishes Are Served

On the eve of the departure of Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Lagmay for their next revival, a dinner consisting of a special Filipino meat dish prepared by Rev. Lagmay, was served at the Assembly of God Parsonage to: Rev. and Mrs. I. L. Walker and sons, Mrs. Thomas D. Doyle and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Foster and children.

After dinner was served Rev. Lagmay entertained the guests with many humorous exper-

ces and incidents in his evangelistic tours of Canada and America.

The Hour-Glass

The hour-glass, whose sands have told time for centuries, has come in for a change. It's the same hour-glass, same sand running from one compartment to the other and measuring the minutes, but German craftsmen have added something new. You can measure three, four or five minutes with this gadget, depending on the angle at which it's set. But what makes this timer unique is that when the lower compartment is full of sand, it swings against a trigger than in turn rings a small bell in the base.



Mother Gets Her Just Desserts

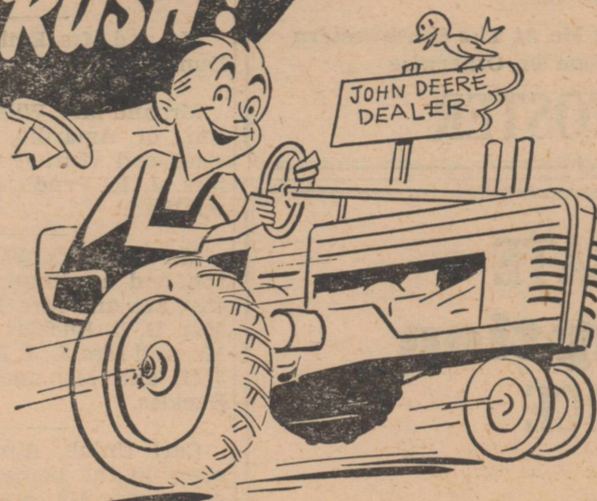
Mother deserves a treat! Thrill her with a dinner or evening meal at our Cafe. It's the best way to show your appreciation.

Palace Cafe

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BEAT THE RUSH!

ARRANGE A DATE NOW FOR US TO SERVICE YOUR JOHN DEERE EQUIPMENT



There's one thing we like best to do—satisfy our customers. But sometimes it's mighty difficult to do so . . . especially when all our customers want their John Deere Tractors and Equipment serviced at the same time.

Right now we're scheduling John Deere reconditioning jobs for the next several months. If service is needed on your equipment, arrange a date with us now for the kind of service your John Deere Equipment deserves. We'll set aside the time for our skilled mechanics to handle your work. They'll do only the necessary work . . . do it quickly, efficiently, and economically. See us soon.

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- FACT No. 2—Saves Money on the Job
- FACT No. 3—Right Truck for Every Load
- FACT No. 4—Keeps Its Value Longer

AMERICA'S truck users buy on down-to-earth facts, not fancy phrases.

That's why more of them buy Chevrolet trucks than any other make . . . nearly as many as the next two makes combined!

What they get for their money is a rugged, sturdy, dependable truck that's factory-matched to their jobs and payloads—right power, right capacity, right price—with savings in purchase over other trucks of comparable specifications, and a record of savings on the job that can't be topped.

Come in and let's get down to cases on how a Chevrolet truck can cut your hauling or delivery costs. You can't make a better buy—to save your money!



MORE CHEVROLET TRUCKS IN USE THAN ANY OTHER MAKE!

Davis Motor Co.

Local News

home of Mrs. Bessie Hodges were Mr. and Mrs. Don Kirkpatrick of Liberal, Kansas, Mr. and Christmas Day guests in the

Mrs. W. L. Hankey, Miss Marjorie Boney, Amarillo, Mrs. Leah Boney, Billy, Donna Jean and Jimmy Blazier.

Mr. and Mrs. Alphonso Trigg, Mrs. Edna Vigil and daughters, Sophie and Rose, of Western Colorado, were guests in the home of Mrs. Sadie Willmon and children during the New Year holidays.

DePue and Kay of Hugo, Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Willey and children of Hugo, Colorado, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Joe Willey and children.

Kansas, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hankey, Donna Jean, Billy, and Jimmy Blazier. Refreshments of pie and coffee were served after the exchange and opening

of gifts. John Lyons has been absent from school because of a bad case of the flu.

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Mrs. Leleh Boney is visiting in Corpus Christi, Texas with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Boney. Mr. and Mrs. Boney were here Wednesday of last week but were called back to Corpus Christi by the death of her father.

Miss Dolores Pleyer returned to Edinburg, Texas Monday to resume her teaching duties after spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pleyer.

Pvt. Dale Knight, Fort Hood, Texas, was a guest in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Knight Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Brad Beedy, who are Texas Tech students, left Christmas day, after a visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Smith. They visited Mr. Beedy's parents, before returning to their school work this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Blake were visitors in Dalhart Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Pendleton and Rob spent last week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Pendleton and Bobby in La Veta, Colorado, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pendleton and children in Ordway, Colorado.

Charles Jacobs left Saturday for a visit with his daughter, Marian in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Whittington and children, of Amarillo, visited in the Leslie Parker home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Blanck were Dumas visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Gilmer and son, of Amarillo, spent last week-end visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pendleton and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Arthur Milton had as dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Buckles, Mrs. D. L. Buckles and William, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Davis and son, Jeff, and Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Buckles.

Carl Unlub, Amarillo, was a guest in the home of his Uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Parker, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Wall moved to their country home southwest of Stratford Wednesday.

Mrs. Bill French and daughter Sandy, of Calhoun, Missouri, arrived Tuesday night, for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lee.

Cpl. Richard Albert and his brother, Russell Albert came Monday for a short visit. Mrs. Albert and children, Sandra and Lane, returned with them to their home in Lubbock, after after having spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. H. M. Brown.

Mrs. Goldia Hankins of San Diego, California, was the week-end guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Arthur Milton. Mrs. Hankins is a cousin of Mrs. Milton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie B. Sauer and children of Sterling, Kansas, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Corum Dortch Friday of last week. Mr. Sauer is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Sauer, former residents of the Spurlock Community.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Denney and daughter, Diana, of Roswell, New Mexico were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Denney and Mrs. E. C. McIntyre during the New Year holidays.

Marion Sears, Amarillo, spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sears.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lyon, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Reynolds, Teddy Ray and Lynn, Mrs. Corum Dortch and Doris, and Frank Reynolds of Dalhart visited C. W. Reynolds and Walter Reynolds in Amarillo Sunday.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Cora Coffman over the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Moore of Wayside, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Priest and family of Viago, Texas, Rev. and Mrs. Roland Moore and boys of Abilene, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Littlefield and family of Jericho, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Destry Trainham of Maxwell, New Mexico, and friends and relatives of Stratford were: Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Brannan, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Tillery and boys, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Halle, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Coffman, R. J. Trainham and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Pounds.

Mrs. Guy Drennon, Boise City, is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Lavake.

Arthur Ellis returned to Denton, Texas Tuesday after a visit with his mother, Mrs. W. D. Ellis, and with relatives and friends in Dalhart and Texhoma.

Christmas dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McDaniel were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Willey, Mr. and Mrs. C. W.

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Local News

Mrs. E. R. McNeal returned to her work at the Consumers Co. this week after being ill for several weeks.
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gray and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Webb in Fowler, Colorado Monday and brought Earl Smith home.

Miss Jennelle Reynolds, Miss Georgana Skillin, Claude Sloan, Jr., Johnny Lyons, and Gene Marshall are returning to Texas Tech at Lubbock this week after spending the holidays in Stratford.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. McMahan and Jeanette and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Boxwell attended the Cotton Bowl game in Dallas Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Sloan attended the Cotton Bowl game in Dallas and will attend the dealers preview of the new 1952 Oldsmobile before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Tusha returned home Sunday from Silver City, New Mexico where they spent the holidays with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hill spent Christmas with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Cooper and son, in Canyon, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wells and two children have returned to their home in Chickasha, Oklahoma after spending the holidays in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Verner.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates were visitors in Texhoma Friday night.

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to thank my friends for all the letters and cards I received while I was at Sweetwater.
Mrs. J. K. Richardson.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our thanks to our many friends who were so kind to us during the loss of our baby son and grandson, and for the cards and flowers.
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kidder And Rusty.
Mr. and Mrs. Mike Burgess

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank every one who helped with gift boxes which were sent to the Veteran's Hospital in Amarillo.
The American Legion Auxiliary.

CARD OF THANKS
I want to express my sincere thanks to all those that sent flowers, cards, and other gifts, and especially to the blood donors, during my stay in the hospital and since I have been home.
Mrs. Joy D. Smith.

THANKS
We wish to express our gratitude to all those thoughtful citizens who showed us kindness and consideration during our rush of the holiday season. The candy, cake and cookies were greatly appreciated.
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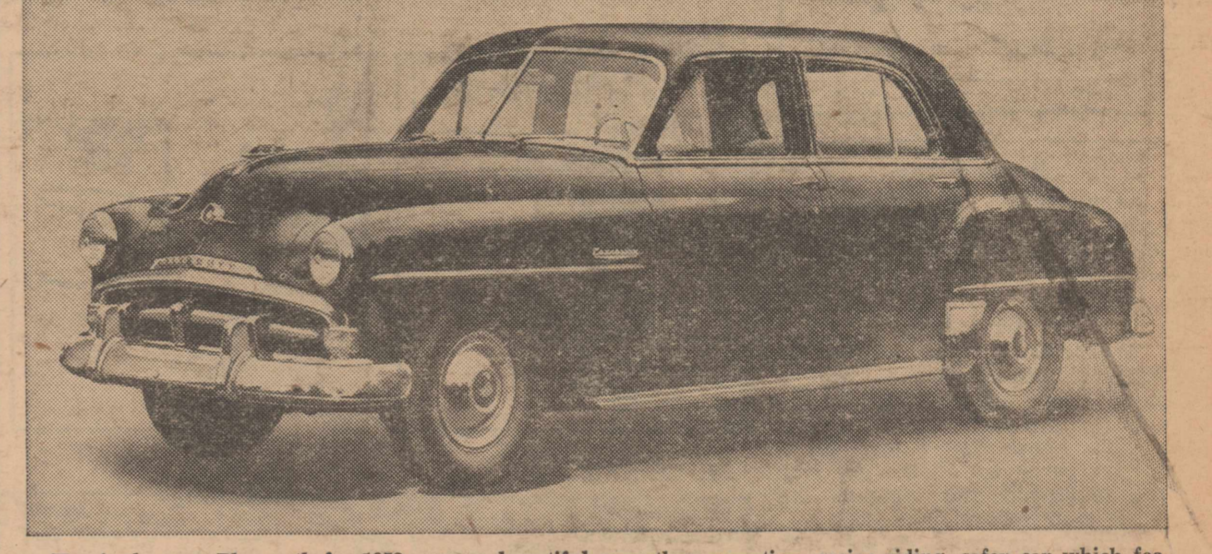


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Here's the new Plymouth for 1952, a more beautiful, smoother operating, easier riding, safer car which features 46 important improvements. There is new beauty in the car's road-hugging, sweeping appearance, and color harmony perfection in the new interiors, which are Tone-Tailored with quality fabrics. The luxurious interiors blend beautifully with the exterior colors. The car has all the features for comfort, economy, safety and durability which have become traditional with Plymouth. Shown above is the new four-door Cranbrook sedan.

Smooth, Easy Performance Featured in New Plymouth

The new Plymouth for 1952 will go on display in dealer showrooms throughout the United States, Friday, January 4.
A long list of improvements—46 in all—has been incorporated in the engine, the brakes, the electrical system, the chassis, and to the inside and outside of the body.
The new car, according to D. S. Eddins, president of Plymouth, has been improved and refined to provide "the most gentle ride, the smoothest engine performance and the greatest safety ever built into a car for the lowest price field."

Exceptional engine smoothness is produced through a newly designed combustion chamber; brakes are stronger and longer-lasting; Plymouth's famous Safety-Flow ride has been made even more comfortable by improvements in the springing and to the Oriflow shock absorbers; and the car's beauty is enhanced by numerous styling refinements.
The Plymouth has a road-hugging, sweeping appearance, accented by changes in the external adornment. A new luxurious standard for interiors is attained with the high quality upholstery fabrics in harmonious colors which blend beautifully with the instrument and door panels.

The smart hardtop club coupe, the Belvedere, is the pace-setter in the lowest price field with its new concepts in styling and beauty. The car has glistening, lively two-tone colors which set it apart and give it the continental look. The color used on the roof follows the Belvedere's streamlined contours around the spacious rear window and down over the rear deck. Sparkling chrome molding outlines the top and carries back to separate the two colors at their junction at the rear quarter-panel. Interior of the Belvedere is luxurious, with colorful quality fabrics and vinyl blended in perfect harmony with the shades used on the exterior. Long-wearing carpeting—also in complementary colors—rounds out the ensemble. The following color combinations are available for the Belvedere: Suede Tan with Sable Bronze top; Belmont Blue Polychromatic with Sterling Grey top; Mint Green with Black top.

There are ten body types in the new Plymouth line, available in an array of eight regular, and two special sparkling new colors. The traditional interior roominess and the many "high-priced car" features for which Plymouth has been distinctive have been retained throughout the new line.
SMOOTH PERFORMANCE
A new, smoother flow of power results from the newly designed combustion chamber in Plymouth's famous floating power engine. The six-cylinder, 97 horsepower engine has a 7 to 1 compression ratio. Longer life for both the main and rod bearings is achieved through an improved type of base metal.
To further insure smoothness of performance and faster getaway, several refinements in the new Synchro-Silent transmission permit faster, easier shifting, and more rapid and positive engagement of gears. The rear axle is improved, and there are provisions which permit more accurate gear and bearing adjustments.
Operating temperatures up to an additional eight degrees without the hazard of losing water or anti-freeze result from further improvements in the pressure-vent radiator cap, which provides a pressurized cooling system.

STURDY BRAKES
The traditionally sturdy Safe-Guard Hydraulic brakes have been given greater ease of operation, and much longer life. New Cyclebond brake linings provide greater braking area and longer braking life. There are heavier backing plates on both the front and rear brakes; an improved drum design on the front brakes for smoother operation and better cooling; an easier operating brake pedal return spring; and a redesigned steering knuckle to provide more positive protection from road splash.
Passenger and driver comfort has been increased with improvements to Plymouth's "Safety-Flow ride." New cushioning-type ports in the Oriflow shock absorbers, increased travel in the front springs and a new interliner for the rear springs provide quieter operation, reduced

steering wheel shock, less friction and an improved ride.
Quicker starting in hot or cold weather with less drain on the battery is assured by the new "Follow-Thru" anti-kickout feature of the starter, the foremost among numerous changes in the electrical system. Greater visibility under adverse driving conditions is provided by a ten per cent increase in the speed of the electrically-operated windshield wipers.
BEAUTIFUL STYLING
Luxury and color harmony are the keynotes of the beautiful upholstery and trim selected for the new Plymouth. A fine selection of long-wearing, quality fabrics is available in shades which blend beautifully with the car's exterior colors. An attractive "Lustre-Tone" instrument panel features controls which are conveniently grouped and instruments which are colored and lettered for easy reference while driving. Newly designed to further beautify the Plymouth are the ornament, the top molding, and the medallion on the hood, and the license light and name plate on the rear deck lid. The sweeping, low appearance of the car is further accented by the lowering of the rear fender molding.
Solex tinted safety glass is available throughout the Plymouth line as optional equipment at small extra cost. The glass reduces interior temperatures on hot summer days, minimizes fading of upholstery or seat cover fabrics, and reduces sun glare.
Among the many features which have been retained in the new Plymouth are the wide, deep chair-height seats, the ease of entrance and exit, the combination ignition and starter switch, automatic electric choke, super-cushion tires, and safety-rim wheels.
There are ten body types in the new Plymouth line: the Concord series includes a two-door sedan, a three-passenger coupe, and the popular all-metal Suburban, and its country club cousin, the Savoy; the Cambridge series has a four-door sedan and a club coupe; and the Cranbrook series includes a four-door sedan, a club coupe, a convertible club coupe, and the pace-setting Belvedere.

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"You know what a foreman is—Joe shrugged,—"the one who stands around and watches the other men work."

"What's that got to do with it?" his friend wanted to know.
"Well, he just got jealous of me," Joe explained. "People thought I was the foreman."

Sad

Many a man thinks he's being cultivated when he's only being trimmed.

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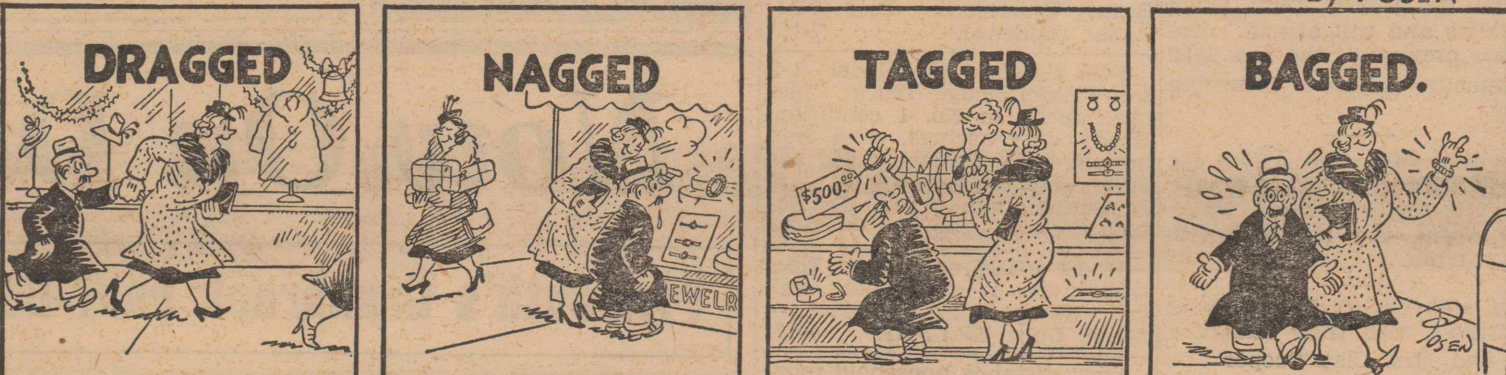
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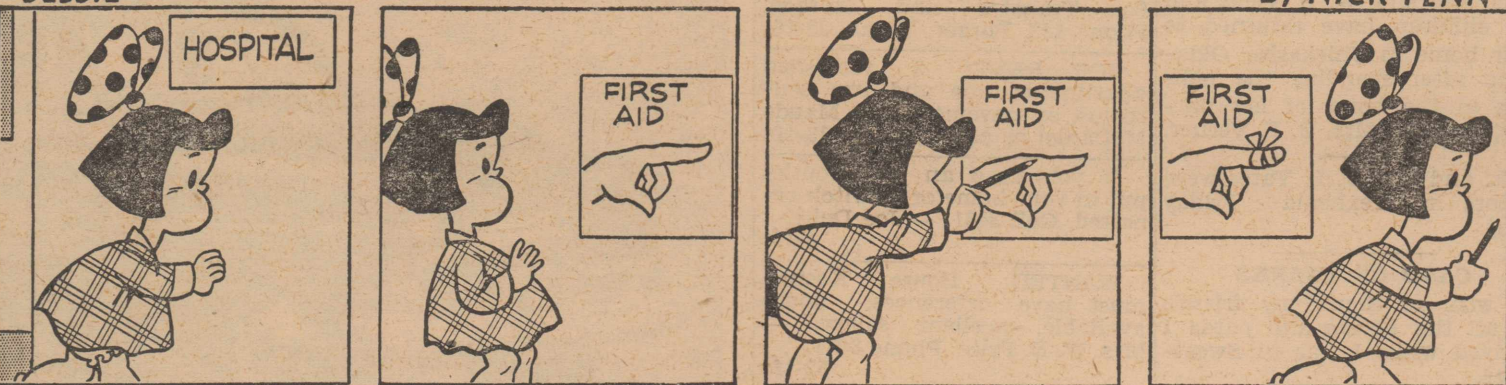
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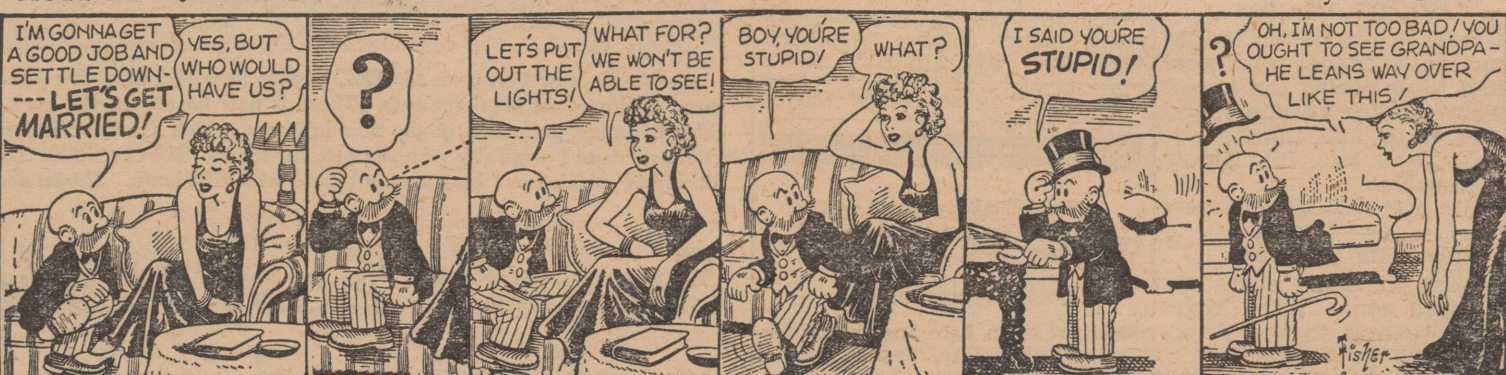
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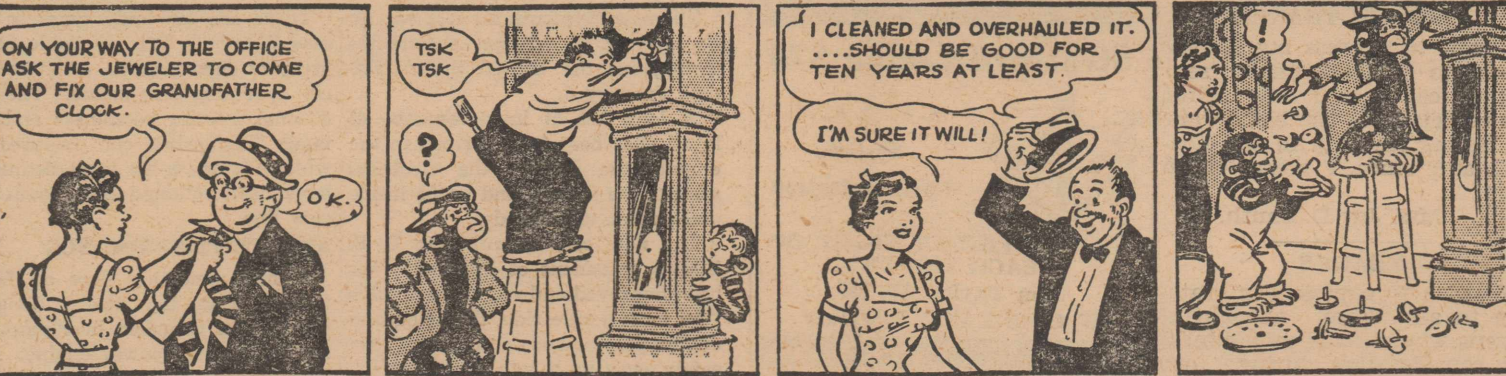
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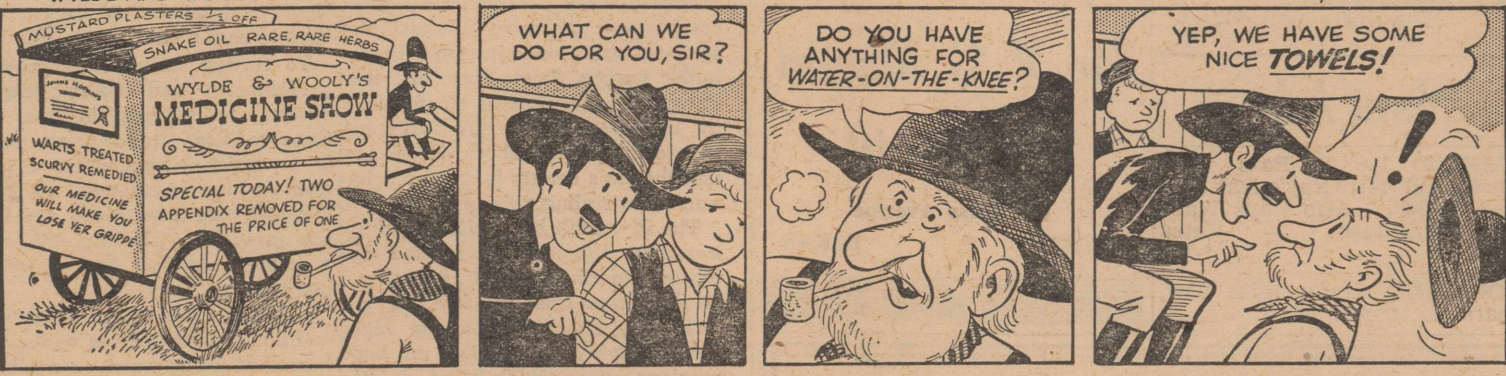
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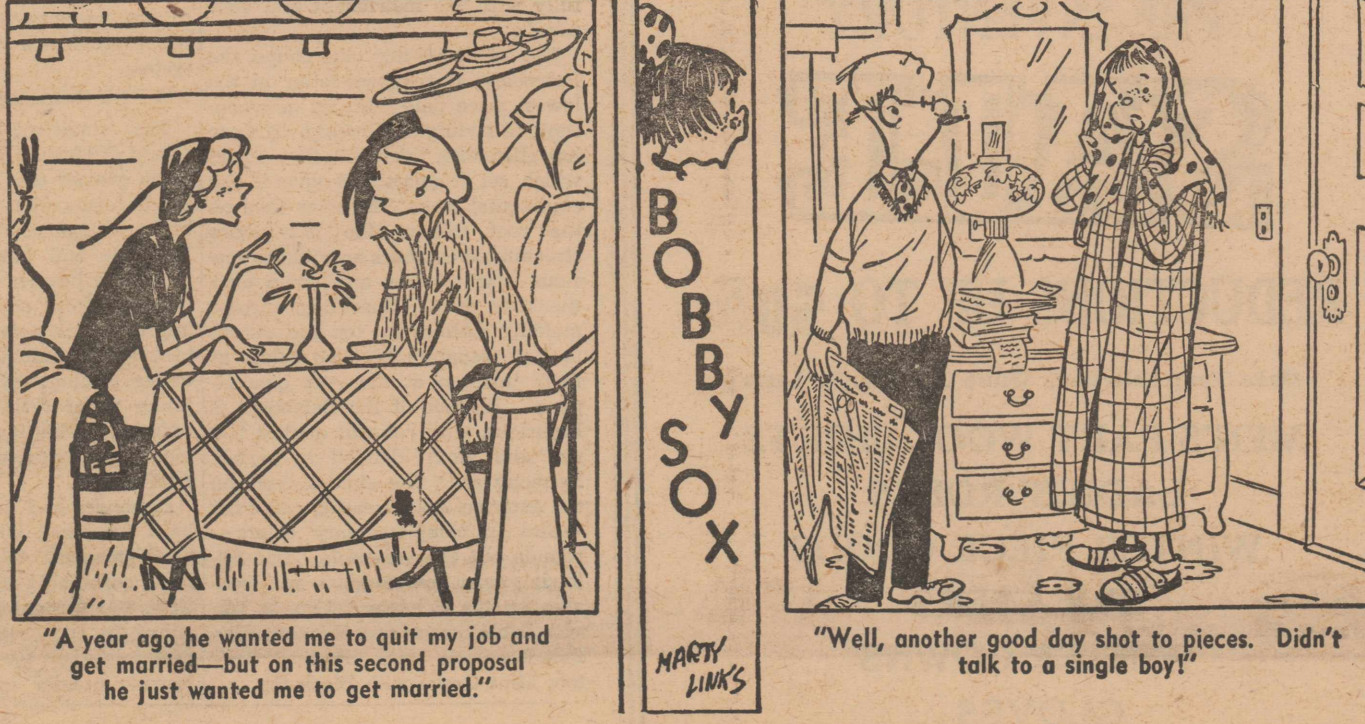
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THE BIBLE SPEAKS

International Union Sunday School Lessons
BY DR. KENNETH J. FOREMAN

SCRIPTURE: John 1:19-51.
DEVOTIONAL READING: Isaiah 55: 1-7.

How to Find Christ

Lesson for January 6, 1952

NOT every one finds Christ in just the same way. This was true at the beginning and it is still true. A very interesting recent book is, "These Found the Way," edited by David W. Soper. (Westminster Press, Philadelphia, \$2.50.) It contains the stories of a dozen modern persons who have become Christians. No two of them have the same story to tell, yet there is something in common among all of them.

Each of them in some way has "found" Christ. It is a mistake to think that all Christians must be cast in the same mold, or that each of us must plant his feet exactly in the footprints (for example) of St. Paul.



Dr. Foreman

At the beginning of John's gospel we find the story of one person after another who followed Christ. There is only one of these who believed in Jesus on the basis of what could be called a "supernatural" experience. This was John the Baptist. He testified that he had "seen the Spirit" (that is, God's Spirit) coming upon Jesus.

Now you cannot "see" the Spirit in the same way you can see a fence-post. Even if you take the story in the most literal way, and take it to mean that the Spirit had taken the visible form of a dove, the question, still is there: How would John know that this particular dove was not a dove, but the Holy Spirit?

Sensational Conversions

Whatever you make of it, John was an exception. All the others in the story became followers of Jesus through some one's word, suggestion, invitation; some one introduced them to Christ. That still is true.

Very few people who are Christians today started out with some vision in the sky, some vision of a dove or an angel or of Christ himself (like Paul, later on).

Just as likely, it was not spectacular at all. (Most of the conversions recorded in the New Testament were not in the least spectacular.)

It was some one saying, "Let's go to church," or it was a Sunday school teacher saying, "Bill, isn't it time you accepted Christ for yourself?" or a girl saying, "How can I marry a fellow that isn't even a Christian?" It may be reading a tract or it may be listening to some one's testimony in a prayer meeting, it might be reading that book about how some in our time have "found the way"—or it might even be reading this column.

However it comes about, two things are always true. First, some one introduces you to Jesus. Then, you make the decision for yourself. You are not likely to come to Christ unless some one else suggests it and helps you; but no other person however good, and no church however great and true, can do for you what you alone can do for yourself: make up your own mind to say "Yes" to Jesus Christ.

Nowadays much is said about "Fellowship Evangelism". There is nothing mysterious about it. For instance, a man who has never thought about becoming a Christian and perhaps no intention of being one, joins (say) a men's club at some church... and one thing leads to another, and he gets acquainted in this way with the minister or with some one else who has had a real and happy experience with Christ... and presently his heart is stirred and he too becomes a Christian—because he has made Christian friends.

Saying a Good Word
YET it is a strange thing: many people will talk about anything else they believe in, before they will talk about Jesus Christ.

Suppose that from the beginning every one had been as close-mouthed about Him as most church members are? Simon Peter, for one, would never have become a Christian. If it had not been for his brother Andrew, who knows what would have become of Simon Peter?

In commercial lingo, Jesus "sells" himself. First-rate things, ideas or persons always sell themselves. But even the finest articles in the world need to have their story told, they have to be introduced, people have to know about them. Every church, every Christian, ought to be (in the best sense) advertising Christ. Is yours? Are you?

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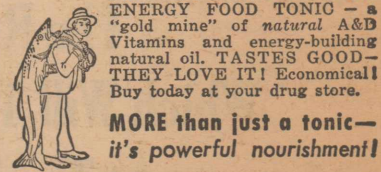


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HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers



Enhance Breakfast Appeal with Hot Breads
(See Recipes Below)

Hot Breakfast Breads

WHEN THE FAMILY gathers for breakfast in the morning, there's nothing like a batch of freshly-baked hot breads to help start the day with a genuine smile.

Grandmother knew that the best way to get those late risers out of bed on time to speed them off to school, was to wave a wand of fragrant from her oven. That irresistible odor of something baking is the best alarm anyone can have.

What's the homemaker's reward for getting out of bed just a bit earlier to bake in the morning? Why, those lusty, wonderful appetites and the pleasure of seeing her family off to a good and cheerful start in the morning!

To save time in the morning, have all ingredients measured the night before, ready to combine and bake. While baking, you can set the table in a gay cloth with cheery dishes, and start the other things for breakfast: fruit, cereal, beverage, meat and eggs.

*Spicy Oatmeal Muffins (Makes 8-10 large muffins)
1 cup quick rolled oats, uncooked

1/2 cup buttermilk or sour milk
1/2 cup applesauce
1 egg, beaten

1/2 cup brown sugar
1 cup sifted enriched flour
2 teaspoons baking powder

1/2 teaspoon soda
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon allspice

1/2 cup melted shortening
Combine rolled oats and buttermilk; mix well. Add applesauce, egg and sugar. Sift together dry ingredients and add to mixture, stirring only enough to combine. Fold in melted shortening. Fill greased muffin pans 3/4 full. Bake in a hot oven (425° F.) 20 to 25 minutes.

*Apricot Coffee Cake (Makes an 8-inch square)
1/2 cup shortening
1/2 cup sugar
2 eggs

1 1/2 cups sifted enriched flour
4 teaspoons baking powder
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup milk

1/2 cup quick rolled oats, uncooked
1/2 cup cooked, dried apricots (well drained)

TOPPING:
1 tablespoon melted butter
1/2 cup brown sugar
1/2 cup chopped nuts

Cream shortening; add sugar gradually and cream well. Add eggs, one at a time, beating well after each addition. Sift together flour, baking powder and salt. Add to creamed mixture alternately with milk. Fold in rolled oats and apricots. Pour into greased 8-inch square pan. Combine ingredients for topping and sprinkle over batter. Bake in a hot oven (400° F.) for 20 to 25 minutes.

*Butterscotch Pecan Biscuits (Makes 16 to 20 medium biscuits)
2 cups sifted flour
3 teaspoons baking powder

1 cup sifted flour
1 teaspoon salt
3 teaspoons baking powder
3 tablespoons sugar
1 cup yellow corn meal
1/2 cup grated sharp cheese
1 egg
1 cup milk
2 tablespoons melted shortening

Sift flour, salt, baking powder and sugar into a bowl. Add cornmeal and cheese; mix. Beat egg slightly; combine with milk and melted shortening. Add liquid mixture to dry ingredients and stir until just mixed. Place in muffin tins which have been rubbed with shortening. Bake in a moderately hot oven (400° F.) 25 minutes.

LYNN SAYS:
Plan a Sensible Reducing Diet

Any meat may be eaten with the exception of pork which is high in fat. Use only cuts, however, that can be broiled, baked or roasted.

If extra interest is desired in vegetables, cook them in bouillon or season with celery or onion salt or herbs.

A good dressing for vegetable salads includes tomato juice seasoned with salt, pepper, dry mustard and a clove of garlic.

Dessert for weight losers should include fresh or unsweetened cooked fruit, plain or fruited gelatin.

Cut down your bread to one or at the most, two slices daily. These should be thin and unbuttered. Avoid the sweet spreads, too, like jelly, jam, sugar, honey or marmalade.

Salad dressings are to be avoided in reducing programs because most of them contain highly caloric oils or fats. Make a dressing with lemon juice or vinegar with salt and pepper.

LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU

- Pan-Fried Liver with Onions
- Parsleyed Potatoes
- Creamed Spinach
- Apple, Celery, Nut Salad
- *Spicy Oatmeal Muffins
- Butter
- Peach Crisp
- Beverage
- *Recipe Given

- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 cup shortening
- 3/4 cup milk

Sift flour, baking powder and salt into bowl. Cut in shortening (with knives, fork, or a blender) until the mixture looks like coarse cornmeal. Remove 1 cup of this mixture to a small bowl; blend with milk to form a paste (do not try to smooth).

Add paste to shortening mixture and mix just enough to hold dough together. Transfer dough to board or pastry cloth which has been dusted with flour. Knead lightly. Roll dough slightly more than 1/2 inch thick; cut with floured cutter. Place biscuit in muffin pan which has been rubbed with shortening, in which 1 teaspoon butter, 1 teaspoon brown sugar and chopped pecans have been placed. Bake in hot oven (425° F.) 15 to 20 minutes.

Cinnamon Pinwheels

- (Makes 16 medium pinwheels)
- 2 cups sifted flour
- 3 teaspoons baking powder
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 3/4 cup shortening
- 1/2 cup milk

FILLING:
2 teaspoons cinnamon
1/2 cup sugar
2 tablespoons butter

Sift flour, baking powder and salt into bowl. Cut in shortening (with knives, fork, or a blender) until the mixture looks like coarse cornmeal.

Remove 1 cup of this mixture to a small bowl; blend with milk to form a paste (do not try to smooth). Add paste to shortening and mix just enough to hold dough together.

Transfer dough to board or pastry cloth which has been dusted with flour. Knead lightly. Roll dough to oblong shape, about 10" x 18". Sprinkle with cinnamon and sugar and dot with butter. Roll lengthwise in same manner as jelly roll and seal edge tightly. Cut slices; place on cookie sheet or in muffin tins which have been rubbed with shortening. Bake in hot oven (425° F.) 12 to 15 minutes.

The Brownie Case

There are no sure things in sport, or anywhere else. But one of the surer things is that Bill Veck and Rogers Hornsby will start churning things up in St. Louis. Both are smart baseball men. Hornsby not only knows good and bad baseball players, but he knows how to handle them. He is

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Sigh for Saigh—He's on the Spot

By GRANTLAND RICE

NEW YORK—Before Bill Veck landed in St. Louis, Cardinals' owner Fred Saigh was in a soft spot. By that I mean he could make mistakes and the cost was light.

It will be different now. He happens to be up against one of the smartest showmen, one of the most aggressive club owners since Larry MacPhail left for Maryland.

Owner Saigh got rid of Eddie Dyer and Marty Marion, two popular and also two able managers, who happened to have an unusually large number of friends and supporters.

The Cardinals belong to Fred Saigh and he had this right. The Cardinals belong to Fred Saigh and he had this right.

But the great majority of experts do not believe any manager could have done better than these two. I know last spring at St. Petersburg, where the Cardinals were in training, fifth place was the spot assigned to the club by those who traveled with the various teams that came along.

Marty Marion wound up in the third spot, so he couldn't have been too bad.

The National League race was a two-club race last summer. It should be a two-club affair this next summer. And there's a good chance that someone else, or maybe more than one, will beat out the Cardinals and edge them further down the list than third place. A manager could do a fine job and this could still happen.

Fred Saigh has always been overenthusiastic over his squad, which is OK for everybody except his manager. A manager doesn't care to be picked as a second-place finisher with a second-division ball club. The Cardinals have been working with too many men who were around nine or ten years ago.

Even Stan Musial, the best ballplayer in the game, is no kid. Stan is 31 years old and this will be his 11th season with the Cardinals.

Country Slaughter, another fine ballplayer, has been around even longer. The Cardinals are no kid outfit.

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In 1927, Cobb was 41 years old. This was his 23rd season under the Big Tent. Yet that season, far beyond the age of veterans staggering around today, Cobb played 134 games, batted .357 and stole 22 bases. He finished a great career in 1928 with 3,033 games, 4,191 base-hits, 892 stolen bases and a grand all-time 24-year batting mark of .367.

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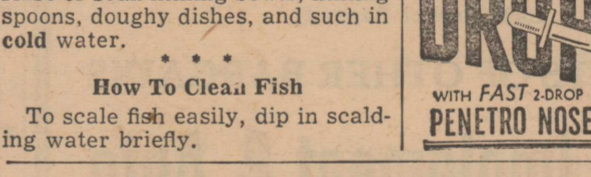
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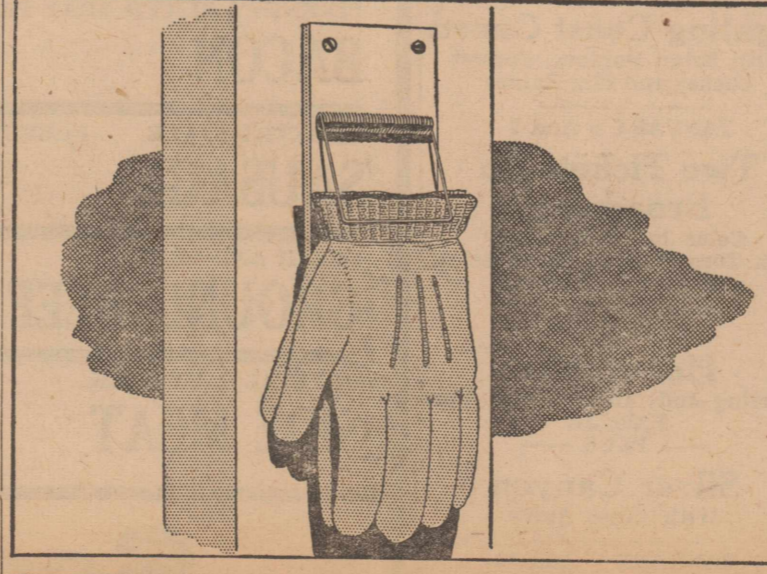
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Local News

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Moss returned to Stillwater, Oklahoma Wednesday after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Duby.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Willey spent the holidays in Stratford visit-

ing relatives and friends, returning to Hugo, Colorado December 27. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Willey are ill with the flu this week. Their granddaughter, Ivelle Willey, has been ill with a bad spell of croup.

Lloyd King, Bill Riffe, and Don Ray Knight will leave Saturday for Lexington, Missouri after spending the holidays with their parents in Stratford.

Pfc. Travis C. Wallace of Camp Wolters, Texas visited in the C. E. Verner home during the holidays.

A. L. Cooper and daughter, Lavern, and Miss Leah Patterson of Big Spring, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Cooper, Ness City, Kansas, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Jones, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Jones, Jr., and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jones and children, all of Brownfield, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Kendall, Dalhart, were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates and Mrs. H. J. Cooper and Evelyn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wiginton, Spokane, Washington, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wiginton and children, Texhoma, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ullom, Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wiginton and children, Borger, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wiginton during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Pruitt Adkins, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bob Adkins, Mary Lou Lavake and Junior Hancock visited in Clayton, New Mexico during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Buckles attended the football game in Dallas Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Springfield spent the holidays visiting in Snyder, Texas.

Mrs. C. F. Verner and Helen and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wells and children visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Verner in Springfield, Colorado over the past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Keown of Pratt, Kansas spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Wall. Mrs. Keown returned home Friday and Mr. Keown remained for an extended visit.

Homer Blake was a business visitor in Amarillo Saturday.

Political Announcements

(The following authorized Political Announcements are subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Election to be held Saturday, July 26.)

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector: A. L. (Doc) WILSON.

For County Judge and Ex-Officio Superintendent of Schools: BOB FERGUSON.

For County and District Clerk: MRS. LELAH BONEY.

For County Treasurer: MRS. HARRY SEARS.

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 4: BURK GREEN.

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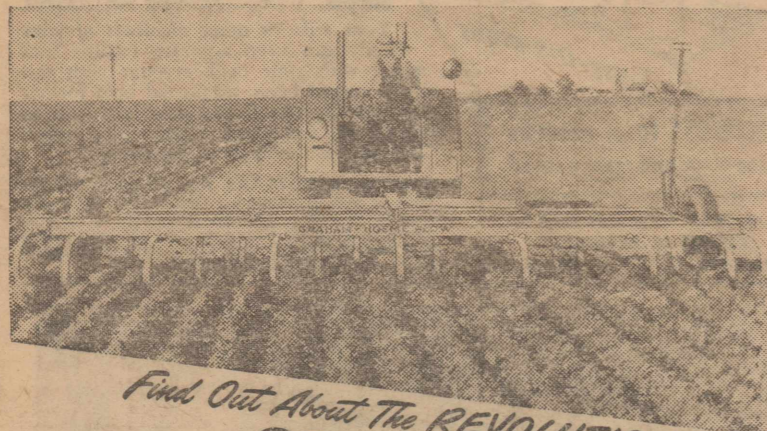
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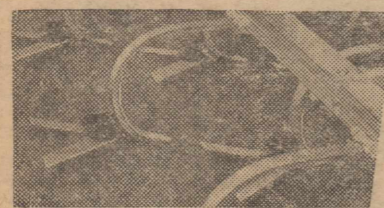
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