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The Briscoe County News brings your friends and acquaintances near you every week. When you have visitors or know news inform us, we will be glad to have it.



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BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS

THE CIRCLE AROUND
YOUR NAME MEANS
YOUR SUBSCRIPTION
HAS EXPIRED

Silverton Owls To Play Flomot This Afternoon

General Services Held Sunday for T. Brooks, Sr.

General services were held Sunday at 2:00 p. m., at the First Methodist Church for A. T. Brooks, with Rev. G. A. Elrod, local minister officiating, assisted by Earl Howell. Burial was delayed until 11 o'clock Monday morning pending the arrival of relatives. The service was held at the home.

Brooks was born October 17, 1875, in Bell County, Texas, and died March 31, 1949. He was married to Miss Mary Eva Askey, daughter of J. H. Askey, on March 3, 1896. To this union were born nine children, two of whom preceded him in death, Jack in 1930 and Helen Louise, in 1938.

He is survived by his wife, he has survived five sons, Jim, Joe and A. T. Brooks, Jr.; A. N. Brooks, Jr.; and California; H. H. Brooks, Jr.; two daughters, T. McCutchen, of Borger, Texas; Glen Lindsey, Levelland, Texas; four brothers, C. S. Brooks, Borger, Texas; Bryant L. Brooks, Melrose, New Mexico; and D. P. Brooks. Two sons, John Poe, and Mrs. J. Patton, National City, California.

Brooks is also survived by one grandchild, four of whom he reared, they are: Brooks, Fort Riley, Kansas; Robert Brooks, Oakland, California; Mrs. Floyd Whitney, California; and Don Brooks, Silverton. He also had great-grandchildren, and relatives and many friends.

The out of town relatives and friends who attended the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sue Lindsey, and Mrs. Lindsey, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lindsey, Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Whitney and A. N. Lindsey, California; Mr. and Mrs. Ikey Cowell, Mr. and Mrs. Overley and Janice, Mr. and Mrs. Mac Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Tipton and Ray Dean, Mr. Waller, all of Borger.

Mr. and Mrs. Deane Donnell, Mrs. Lee Dunn and Orlin Quintaque; Mrs. Frank Falgout; Tom Brooks, W. and family, Mr. and Mrs. McCutchen, all of Silverton. Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Lindsey, Levelland; Thomas, San Antonio; Mrs. Bill Bingham, of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hoyt Hill, of Childress; N. M. Lawler, Goodland; Mr. and Mrs. Melrose, New Mexico; Mrs. K. Brooks, Borger; Mrs. Clarence Redding, Sgt. and Mrs. LeRoy Fort Riley, Kansas.

DISTURBED RECEIVED DAY AND NIGHT

A snow which fell Friday and Saturday amounted to an inch of moisture, according to a report of the county report as a quarter of an inch of snow and rain was reported.

Mrs. Travis McMinn and Fayree McMinn, of Amarillo, spent the week end with Mrs. Bud McMinn.

The undefeated Silverton Owl "9" will go west to play the Flomot Longhorns Thursday afternoon at 2:30.

The Owls took the count of Lockney and Floydada two class A team neighbors, in their last outings.

The local boys outlasted Lockney 19-9 in a game that went two and one-half hours. Errors and long distant hitting was the cause of the marathon. Haskell "Five-ball" Harmon went the route for the locals showing traces of excellent mound duty, allowing the opponents only five hits. Batting honors for the Owls were evenly distributed, Bingham getting three base knocks, and Robert McPherson, Harmon and Graham gaining two apiece.

The Floydada fracas was a mite different from the Lockney game. One point lead, which looked mighty big at the time. The Owls came up for their last three outs still undaunted and still confident that the game would end in victory for Silverton. Up came McPherson who quickly drove a single to the field. He stole second on the next pitch then Haskell Harmon drove in the tying run with a single to right field. Graham broke up the game with a terrific bunt that rolled in front of the home plate. The catcher threw to first and Harmon scored winning the game. Bingham was outstanding at shortstop for the Owls.

The Owls play Flomot Thursday at Flomot.

Monday, April 11, the Owls play Floydada and Tuesday, April 12, they play Lockney. Both games will be played here.

Mrs. Fay Dunn Takes Vows With Perry Whittemore

Rev. Grady Adecock was officiant at the marriage ceremony of Mrs. Fay Dunn and Perry Whittemore Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The double-ring service, which was attended by members of the immediate family and close friends was read at the Silverton Methodist Church.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Walter Allard, of Silverton. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Whittemore, of Formby, Texas. Mrs. Gatewood Lusk attended the bride as matron of honor. Jack Vennor, of Dallas, Texas served the bridegroom as best man. The bride wore a wedding dress of blue with grey accessories.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Whittemore are associated with the First State Bank of Silverton. Mr. Whittemore is vice-president and cashier, and Mrs. Whittemore is assistant cashier, which position they each have held since opening of the Silverton bank.

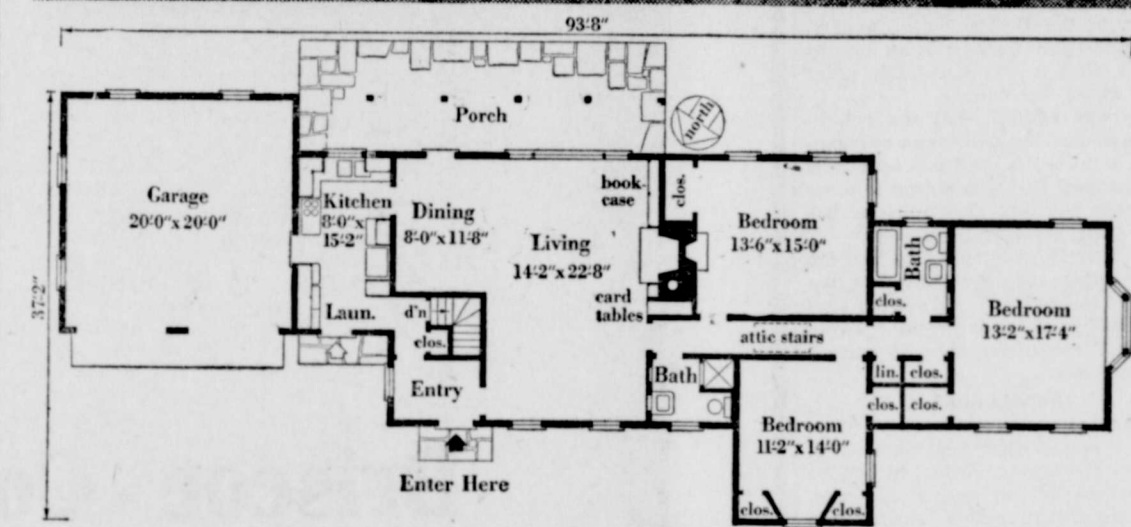
For their wedding trip the couple are spending ten days at New Orleans, Louisiana, after which they will return to their newly completed home in North Silverton.

Those attending the ceremony were: Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Hensley, of Memphis, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Gatewood Lusk, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Allard, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Dickerson, Mr. and Mrs. Norlan Dudley, and Mr. Jack Vennor, of Dallas, Texas.

Mrs. Bill Tension is visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Dennison in Anton, Texas.

Mrs. M. M. Edwards spent from Thursday until Monday in Tulsa visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Jackson.

CONSOLIDATION OF THE SILVERTON SCHOOL DISTRICT SHOULD PROMPT CONSTRUCTION OF 25 NEW HOMES IN THIS CLASS BY OPENING OF THE NEXT SCHOOL TERM



Five rooms abreast share the view of trees and rolling hills in this New England contemporary house. The architect has given a 94-foot wide plan a centrally placed entry, only a few steps from the driveway. The master bedroom has windows in three walls—one an enchanting bay, while the 14 by 22 foot living room has a large picture window, a pine-paneled fireplace and bookcase wall and is easily accessible to the garden porch through the adjoining dining alcove.

Palace Showing Greatest Show of the Year April 10-11

The Palace Theatre will show of the greatest pictures of the year Sunday and Monday April 10 and 11.

"The Return of October" is showing Sunday and Monday, April 10 and 11. The stars are Glenn Ford and Terry Moore. Everybody remembers Glenn Ford in "Texas" and "Man From Colorado". Well now he is in "Return of October" the best picture made this year.

It is in beautiful technicolor.

Plainview District Methodist Youth Meeting April 16

The Plainview District Methodist Youth Fellowship is having its fourth quarterly meeting April 16 at Plainview First Methodist Church.

Following registration at 6:00 P. M., there will be recreation, a banquet, an important business meeting, which includes the election of officers for the following year, and an inspiring worship program. The theme of the meeting is "Christ is Risen."

VERNE BEARDON TAKES OVER CAFE

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Beardon this week have taken over the cafe located on the Floydada-Tulsa highway known as "Plumelly" Cafe, this week and will operate it giving the same service they have always given in the past. They invite all their friends and customers to stop with them, and enjoy their good food.

Mr. and Mrs. George Seaneay visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lightsey and Spence Long Sunday night. Spence entered the West Texas Hospital at Amarillo Monday for treatment.

Cons Massie, of Plainview, spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clemmer. Mr. Massie is an old friend of the Clemmers.

Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Bomar, Sr., went to Amarillo Monday on business.

Three Councilmen Elected Tuesday

Little interest was shown in Tuesday's City Election. Three councilmen were elected, they are: George Seaneay, Hugh Nance and Roy S. Brown. The hold-over councilmen are Watson Douglas and Virgil Ballard and Henry Price is Mayor.

Briscoe County Goes Over Top on Red Cross Drive

A final check on funds received during the Red Cross drive show that Briscoe County received more than the publicized goal of \$800. The amount received was \$1,025.35, according to a report turned by Rev. G. A. Elrod, county chairman of the drive.

AN APPRECIATION

I want to express my appreciation to everyone who had a part in any way in this Red Cross drive we have just completed.

Rev. G. A. ELROD.

SILVERTON BOND "42" PARTY TO BE HELD APRIL 15

The Silverton High School Band will give a "42" party Friday night, April 15, at the high school auditorium beginning at 8 o'clock. The purpose of the party is to raise funds to buy new band uniforms for the band. There will be an admission charge, and the public is urged to keep the date in mind and plan to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgel Baldwin and children of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Willis, of Amarillo, visited relatives in Silverton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Arnold and Mrs. J. H. Burson made a business trip to Lubbock Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee D. Bomar were business visitors in Plainview Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Yancey of Lubbock, spent the week end with relatives in Silverton.

1,400 ATTEND ANNUAL MEET OF SWISHER CO-OP

Attendance at the annual membership meeting of the Swisher County Electric Co-operative was 1,400 persons Thursday and Friday in the Legion Hall there, according to A. K. Woodall, co-op manager.

Three new directors were elected Friday. They were J. A. Glenn, Kress; Clarence Todd, Tulsa and Hall Wrenn, Tulsa. These three men and the holdover directors, Wyatt Heisler, Wayside, New Redmon, Tulsa, D. T. Northcutt, Silverton, O. Milner, Kress, J. W. Miller, Tulsa, and Clayton Lewellen, Plainview, then elected officers.

New officers for the coming year chosen were J. W. Miller, president; Clarence Todd, vice president, and Clayton Lewellen, secretary-treasurer.

The meeting began Thursday morning with Woodall presiding. The welcome address was made by Rev. Joe Aldridge, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Tulsa, followed by the showing of educational films on electrical appliances.

A. B. Tarwater, Hale county, talked on water bills now before the Texas Legislature at Thursday's session.

Friday morning more films were shown and the report of officers and the manager were heard. Selection of directors and officers followed.

McMINN AND ARNOLD ARE BUILDING RESIDENCE FOR DR. SHY

Bud McMinn and A. D. Arnold have started construction this week on a six-room and bath residence for Dr. J. M. Shy. The building will be located on the lots just west of the Methodist parsonage. When complete it will be modern in every way.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ledbetter and sons, took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn.

Francis Ann and Azalia Ely spent the week end with their grandmother, Mrs. H. P. Wilkins at Tulsa.

Weed Control Meeting April 21 At Amarillo

Mr. and Mrs. Bomar Observe Anniversary With Open House

About 200 persons attended open house Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Bomar, 3213 Twentieth, in observance of the couple's 25th wedding anniversary.

Assisting the honored couple in receiving were Mrs. W. A. Colston of Sudan, a daughter, and Mrs. J. B. Carmichael of Fort Worth, the only person present who knew the couple before their marriage.

Another daughter, Mrs. Jack Billingsley of Silverton, registered guests. Mrs. Tom Bomar and Mrs. J. N. Smithee of Ropesville poured tea. Also in the house party were Mrs. Taylor Williamson and Mrs. Emmitt Hazelwood.

The table was laid with a satin damask cloth, a wedding gift from Mrs. Bomars mother, Mrs. A. F. Jones of Gainesville. The centerpiece was white Dutch iris in a silver bowl. The house was decorated throughout with white flowers in silver containers.

Music was offered during the tea hours by Mrs. Darcel Young, Mrs. Raymond Shook and Miss Sandra Shook.

Guests attended from Silverton, Ropesville, Sudan, Floydada, Fort Worth, Muleshoe and Lubbock—Lubbock Avalanche.

Among those attending from Silverton were: Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bomar and daughter, Mary Tom; Mr. and Mrs. Lee D. Bomar and Patsy; Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Northcutt and Pat; Mr. and Mrs. True Burson, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Redin. Mr. and Mrs. Harley Redin, of Plainview, also attended.

7 School Trustees Elected Here Saturday

Seven trustees were elected Saturday for Silverton Independent School District. Thirteen names appeared on the ballot. The successful candidates, with votes polled, were: Gordon Montague, 106; Edwin Crass, 71; John Lee Francis, 87; Fred Mercer, 119; Roy Mayfield, 79; Johnnie Burson, 74; Lee Deavenport, 98.

County Trustee at large, H. Roy Brown, 130.

SEVENTEEN FRESHMEN OF SILVERTON SCHOOL ENJOY CAVERN TRIP

Mrs. Jim McNeese, freshman's class sponsor and Mrs. Annie Stevenson, accompanied seventeen freshman students to Carlsbad, New Mexico, over the week end. Dell McKenney and Mr. Shelton drove the truck and the group left early Friday morning "April Fools Day" and spent Friday night at a tourist court at Carlsbad. They had a good supper that night and went to the picture show. Saturday they saw the caverns. At noon they had lunch in the cavern lunchroom, and finished their tour in the afternoon.

Mrs. McNeese said the entire group including Mr. McKenney and Shelton enjoyed the trip through the cavern very much.

On their return trip they spent the night at Carlsbad, and left early Sunday morning reaching Silverton in the afternoon.

The entire trip was made without any accident, and everyone declared that it was a very educational trip and thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Elrod visited this week in Abilene with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey.

The interest among farmers and organized groups to control noxious weeds is growing rapidly, according to Alton Steele, Briscoe County director for the Texas Weed Control Association. The Association has an interesting program shaping up for April 21 at the Municipal Auditorium in Amarillo. The general public is invited to attend this meeting and Mr. Steele said that he would like to see Briscoe County well represented.

Mr. Steele also stated that a bill will soon be presented in the Texas Legislature to donate funds to 23 counties to aid in controlling noxious weeds. Briscoe is one of the counties on the list. The bill was written and will be introduced by I. B. Holt, the representative from this district. Steele has written Mr. Holt asking him to be present at the Amarillo meeting. The people should contact Mr. Holt at the meeting or by letter and offer their support to House Bill No. 672. If this bill is passed, Briscoe County will receive several thousand dollars to be used by the Commissioners Court to fight noxious weeds.

The noxious weeds which should get immediate attention in this county are Johnson grass and field bindweed. Weeds are always a problem, concluded Steele, but where irrigation water is available, the control of weeds is a very important problem.

Womans Society of Christian Service Met Monday

The Womans Society of Christian Service met in the home of Mrs. S. R. Turner, Monday afternoon. The following program was rendered:

Behold I Show You a Mystery; we shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed. 1 Cor. 15:51.

Hymn—Lead Kindly Light; Devotional, Mrs. R. M. Hill; Prayer, Mrs. Arnold Turner.

Topics—Jesus the light of the world, discussed by Mrs. Dickerson, Mrs. Adecock and Mrs. Louty.

Closing prayer, Mrs. Joe H. Smith.

Pampa Meeting Highlights

Highlights of the ninth annual meeting of the Northwest Texas Conference Womans Society of Christian Service First Methodist Church, Pampa, Texas, March 30 and April 31.

Program personalities were: Miss Ruby Van Hooser, secretary of childrens work from the womans division, New York; Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Hillard, Missionaries to Puerto Rico, now working for the board of missions in the States Methodist in Puerto Rico. Miss Sunshine Berggreen, of Norway, student in Scarritt College, Nashville, Tennessee, Faith of Youth Today.

Bishop William C. Martin, Dallas, Texas, Christian Faith. The Northwest Texas conference consist of nine districts, Amarillo, Clarendon, Sweetwater, Perryton, Stamford, Abilene, Vernon, Lubbock, and Plainview.

The Womans Society of Christian Service paid to the conference \$60,430.10. The Plainview district pledge for the year 1949 and 1950, \$3,500.00, all other districts same amount each. Number registering 469.

Among those attending the conference from Silverton were: Mrs. Arnold Turner, delegate; Mrs. Adecock and Mrs. Smith, visitors.

Abilene was chosen for the annual conference to be held in October, 1950.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Riddlehuber made a trip to Itasca Monday.

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Be Sure Your Social Security Number is Down Correctly

"Be sure the boss gets that social security number down, and that he gets it down correctly," is the suggestion to all workers by John R. Sanderson, manager of the Amarillo office of the Social Security Administration. The best way to make sure that the record is correct is to see that you have your official social security card with you when you apply for a job and when you report for work the first day.

The Social Security Administration must rely upon the number in keeping a record of your individual account because there are literally thousands of identical

names. The only way your employer can make complete reports to the government (Employers will make their next report due during January, February and March), and thus make sure that your account is properly kept, is to have the information as to your name and number. If you fail to do your part by taking your card with you, you may lose part or all of the benefits that are rightfully yours; worse, you may be depriving your family of the insurance protection that the social security program provides.

Frigidaire at Simpson Chevrolet Company. 10tc

Mrs. Eva Lou Self, of Plainview, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mart Self.



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Then he can sit back and watch his Savings Bonds pile up, like pennies in a kid's bank. Only there's none of the temptation of a piggy bank. No pain, when you save this automatic way.

It's just like getting extra money from yourself, except that you never know it's happening—you hardly miss it when it comes around to paying the bills or balancing the budget, because it's worked out so well. And you get every cent of it back, with a handsome interest—\$4 on every \$3 you put in.

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Mystery Shrub, Sick Cow Lead To Big Nursery

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.—A Tennessee farmer's conception of what constitutes an economic "fair deal" in man's eternal struggle to wrest a livelihood from nature has resulted in the establishment of one of the major businesses of this region.

The farmer, a cow with an indiscriminate appetite and a fragrant, maroon colored shrub with mysterious properties were the principals in a farmland "tragedy" some 60 years ago that eventually brought about the founding of the huge plant nursery business of this state.

Today large acreages and scores of concerns are engaged in the nursery business in this area. Several thousand persons are employed in the business and its monetary value is estimated in millions of dollars.

People Help

In Warren county alone some 500 people help put approximately 1,500 acres of land to the growing and development of fruit trees, flowers, ornamental shrubs and other plants for sale throughout the nation.

It was in rich Sequatchie valley in the early 1880's that a cow belonging to J. H. H. Boyd did some nibbling in a patch of "sweet shrub," known to every country boy and girl for its bright petaled, sweet smelling bloom.

In a few hours farmer Boyd had the sickest cow in the valley. Local "cow doctors" tried all their remedies for "holler horn" and "holler tail," but the cow died.

Farmer Boyd gathered some specimens of "sweet shrub" and mailed them to the United States department of agriculture, with an inquiry as to what it was about this plant that killed his cow.

He was notified that the botanical name of the plant was calycanthus and that its seed pod contained a substance that was poison to some animals but was also much in demand for medicinal purposes.

Farmer Boyd determined that the calycanthus should pay him for the loss of his cow. So he started harvesting seed pods from "sweet shrubs" and selling them to various laboratories.

Methods Studied

This led to an interest in other plants and a study of methods of growing and propagation. In 1887 he opened a regular nursery business, offering native plants, shrubs and seedlings to the public. He called the concern the Forest Nursery co.

Farmer Boyd's son, J. R. Boyd, still operates the company as a wholesale business. Another son, F. C. Boyd, has a wholesale and retail nursery, and a grandson, J. Austin Boyd, is in the nursery business also.

In J. R. Boyd's newest catalog there is listed as available, and priced by the dozen or by the hundred, the following item: "calycanthus ('sweet shrub')."

Meat Industry Derides Scientific Substitutes

CHICAGO.—The American meat institute has characterized as "ridiculous" and "just plain nonsense" many of the statements attributed to a group of allied and German scientists in a dispatch from Frankfurt, Germany, in which the scientists disclosed that they had produced and were ready to distribute "two food substitutes that are said to taste and have the same nutritive qualities as milk and meat."

The institution, an organization of the country's meat packers, voiced its criticism in a bulletin titled "Ersatz Meat Crop Up Again," which, along with a photostatic copy of the dispatch, was distributed to its members.

Signed by Wesley Hardenbergh, the bulletin said:

"This is another of the long series of 'discoveries' as to how people can get the nutrition of meat from a pill, a capsule, the end result of some chemical process, field crops grown for farm animals, minute animal life that swims in the sea, protein derived from sawdust, a combination of powdered vegetables, and so on.

"For example, the flavor of meat does not come from monosodium glutamate. This product is supposed to enhance the flavor of various foods.

"For another example, the statement is made that all protein is alike. This emphatically is not true. There are two kinds of protein—complete and incomplete. Meat is a complete protein food."

French Family Files Suit Against Grasping Medium

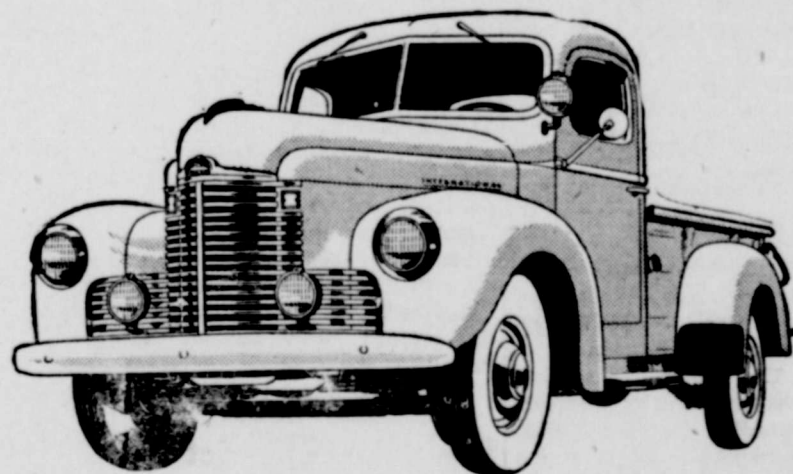
TOULOUSE.—A French farmer family near Toulouse is suing a woman clairvoyant.

Their cattle were dying of a strange malady. She advised them not to go out after dark, prescribed a "magic" brew, went around the house with an olive branch to dispel the "curse" told them to move—and charged them a fee of 190,000 francs (\$880).

For a boy in the family who had stomach trouble, she prescribed a "magic" powder, took 12 dozen eggs, 12 pounds of sausages—and a "refresher" fee of 140,000 francs (\$652).

Adding Machine Paper and Typewriter Ribbons In Stock

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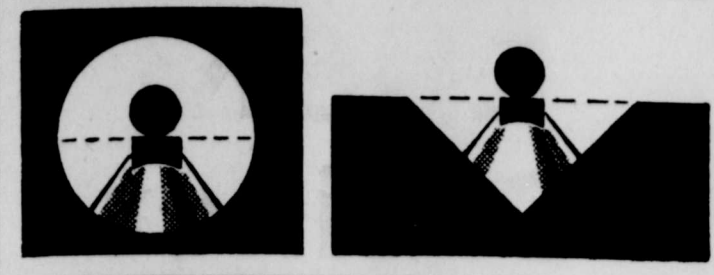
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HOW TO SHOOT A RIFLE

By ARTHUR E. COOK

National and Olympic Rifle Champion

Sighting



Gun sights are used to point the rifle at the target and it is important to learn to sight perfectly. An error of 1/10 inch in sight alignment will place the bullet two inches from the center of a target only 50 feet away—a bad miss.

If you have the rear peep and front post sight combination on your rifle, aim as shown at top left, centering the top of the post in the peep hole. With an open rear sight (right above) center the top of the post on a level with the top of the rear sight before directing the aim on the target. Notice that when shooting at bullseye targets you aim at the bottom of the bull rather than at the center. That is because you are likely to lose sight of the black post within the black bullseye.

Aiming and shooting at bullseye targets is not only a great sport with many thousands of adherents throughout the world, but it is also the finest training for any kind of shooting. If you can't hit a bullseye that is standing still how can you expect to hit a live target that is moving?

(This instruction based on the booklet, "HOW TO SHOOT A RIFLE," published by The National Rifle Association, Washington, D. C.)

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Bachelors

Know More About Women

ST. LOUIS.—A St. Louis judge has ruled that a bachelor knows more about women than a married man.

Kenneth Donzelot, one of 42 veniremen for the trial of Clifford Cross, charged with killing his wife with an icepick, asked to be excused from the jury.

"I'm single and I don't know much about marriage or women."

Circuit Judge James E. McLaughlin listened quietly, then addressed Donzelot:

"The court didn't marry until he was 39. He now has three children. The court thought he knew something about women before he got married, but has learned he knows less about women since he got married than he did before. So you don't have to let that worry you."

Donzelot was not excused.

Radioactive Gold Provides Weapons Against Leukemia

MEMPHIS.—Radioactive gold has armed the medical profession with a potent new weapon for the treatment of leukemia and several other forms of cancer according to Dr. Paul F. Hahn, director of the cancer research laboratories, Meharry medical college, Nashville.

Gold "does not offer any promise of a cure," Dr. Hahn emphasized, but it "represents a very satisfactory means of obtaining remissions" in cases of leukemia, a malady characterized by destruction of red corpuscles; Hodgkin's disease, which produces enlargement of lymphoid tissue, spleen, liver, and sometimes kidneys; and lymphomas, which are lymphoid tissue tumors.

The gold, which is non-toxic and relatively inexpensive, can be administered by physicians to ambulatory patients at home, thus saving the hospitalization required for X-ray treatment, in which only limited amounts must be given daily to avert injury to the skin, Dr. Hahn said.

Radioactive gold is produced easily and economically in the uranium pile, and its cost has been estimated recently at only 13 cents a millicurie, or unit of radioactivity, he reported.

White House so Worn New Inside Is Needed

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The White House is so dilapidated that an entire new house will be built inside the hollow outer shell of the historic executive mansion.

And none too soon, Lorenzo S. Wilson, White House architect, said as he conducted reporters through the empty house. He said it was a "miracle" that its central walls had not collapsed and killed someone.

Only the outside brick walls, still scarred by the fire of 1814, will be left standing. When congress gives the go ahead on repairs, the whole inside will come down.

The 149 year old presidential home is in far worse shape than anyone suspected. What started as "extensive repairs" will be complete new construction from cellar to roof.

The White House was closed in November and President Truman and his family moved across the street to the Blair House, where they will remain until the reconstruction is completed. Once work has started, it will take 15 to 18 months to finish the job.

Estimates of the cost of repairs now range from five to eight million dollars. It would cost only two million dollars to build the house new, but that would involve scrapping historic trimmings.

Gangland Victim's Body Left at Hospital Door

REVERE, MASS.—The emergency gong at Revere Memorial hospital clang early one day. Two nurses, who were having a cup of tea, answered the summons. As they swung open the door, the propped up body of a gangland victim slid into the reception hall at their feet.

The dead man was identified as Robert S. Holmes, 36, wanted for a Lawrence, Mass., bank robbery. Police said he had died an hour earlier from a bullet wound.

Gangland's vengeance, police believed, was the result of an alleged attempt by Holmes to withhold part of the \$10,000 loot of a recent dice game in Woburn, Mass.

Holmes, a state prison parolee, was the last of four participants in the Lawrence bank robbery in 1936 to meet a violent death.

Delivery of Holmes's body was well timed to take advantage of one of the most quiet periods at the hospital. The time was 4:45. Only one person in addition to the two nurses apparently heard the gong. She was Jean Boucher, a patient.

She looked out a window and saw two hatless men run from the hospital steps to an automobile whose motor was running, and speed away.

Paducah Banker Faces A \$100,000 Swindle Charge

John Frederick Becker, 42, civic leader, dairyman, and teller and cashier for the First National Bank of Paducah, was charged in Wichita Falls Friday with the embezzlement of \$100,132.23 from the bank in which he has been employed since 1927.

Announcement of the loss, apparently detected March 25 by banking auditors, came shortly after noon Friday when six-foot-tall, husky Becker voluntarily accompanied two FBI men from Paducah to Wichita Falls where he was placed under arrest and charged.

Becker has now returned to Paducah after \$10,000 bond was paid by E. N. Jones, Paducah re-

tired farmer and current director of the bank. Evidence in the embezzlement charges will be presented to the next United States grand jury, officials have announced.

The money, lost over a period of eight years, will cause neither the bank nor its depositors a loss, according to Clive Templeton, informant and auditor for the National Surety Corporation of Dallas which holds fidelity bonds on the Paducah bank employees.

One of Paducah's best-known residents, Becker now lives with his wife and two sons, both students at Texas Technological College, on a farm three miles west of Paducah. He was employed by the bank as a bookkeeper after graduating from Paducah High School in 1927.—The Childress Daily Index.

FRESHMAN CLASS MAKES TRIP TO CARLSBAD

The Silverton High School Freshman Class made a trip over the week end to Carlsbad Cavern. They were accompanied by their sponsor, Mrs. Jim McNeese and Mrs. Annie Stevenson.

BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Alexander are the parents of a baby girl born Thursday, March 31, 1949 at the Tulia hospital, named Marcia Joan. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Alexander, of Silverton, and Mr. and Mrs. Rumpy of Clarendon, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Fort of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Halcomb and son, of Tulia, were visitors in the home of Mrs. Jeff Simpson Sunday afternoon.

GUESTS IN HOME OF MR. AND MRS. SAM BROWN

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brown Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Heard and son, of Fort Worth; Miss Doris June Brown, of Denton; Doc Brown, of Tulia; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brown and Sam, Mrs. Floyd McClendon, Hico; Mr. and Mrs. Willie Williams, Oklaunion, and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Webster. Calling in the afternoon were: Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Brown and Howard.

Frigidaire at Simpson Chevrolet Company.

Jack Murry, of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, arrived Wednesday to spend his vacation with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bomar.

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Because of the rapid growth of our territory it has become necessary for us to make changes in our billing system. The new system is one that is generally used in the larger centers and is more adaptable to cities of this size.

A Brief Summary

In the past everyone has been receiving their electric bill on the first of each month. Under the new system, this territory has been divided into eight districts. This month and succeeding months, statements will be mailed at different periods of the month, each group of statements having its due date. For example, the meters in District One will be read on the 4th of each month, statements will be made and mailed on or about the 6th with ten days in which to make payment. Meters in District Two and Three will be read about the 7th and 10th respectively and the billing will follow at like intervals as in District One.

To Initiate This New System

a number of our customers will receive two electric bills in April. This is not duplicate billing but is billing for two separate periods.

After This System Has Been Installed

you will receive only the one bill per month, the time of its receipt being dependent upon the district in which you live or have your place of business. There has been no change in our credit policy, you will still have ten days after mailing in which to pay your statement. We ask your tolerance and understanding of these changes which we are undertaking after careful study and after having assured ourselves that they will lend themselves to added convenience to our customers after these initial adjustments have been made. If you do not fully understand this change, please call our nearest office.

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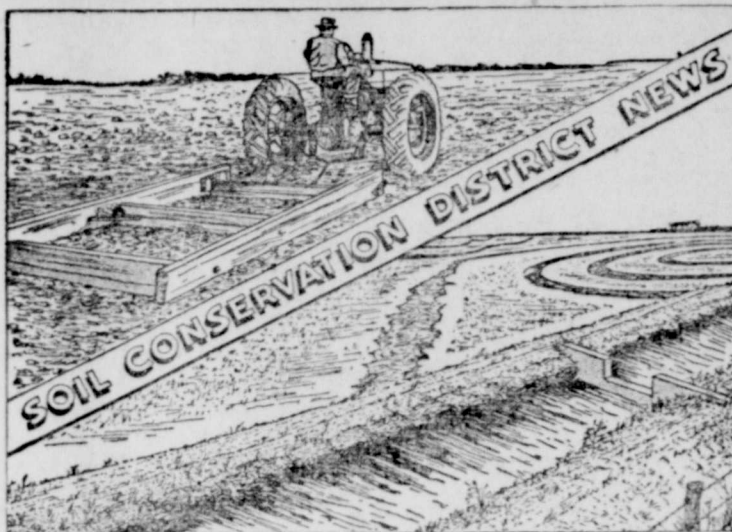
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A high point was located for Raymond Teeple, April 5, 1949 by Soil Conservation technicians. Mr. Teeple's farm is located twelve miles southwest of Silverton.

Topographic maps were recently made by technicians of the local soil conservation district for Paul Reid, E. J. Duncan and Earl I. Cantwell, cooperators in the Cap Rock Soil Conservation District. The maps will be used to lay out a level irrigation system.

PERSONALS

Charles Cowart made a business trip to Lockney Monday.

Alga Turner, of Turkey, visited his aunt, Mrs. Jeff Simpson Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. R. E. Brookshier was a business visitor in Floydada Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Via and children, of Kress, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Harrison.

Curtis Cherry, of Vigo Park, was a business visitor in Silverton Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mann, of Lubbock, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rowell.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Rowell, of Tulsa, visited his brother, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rowell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Rowell and family of the Francis community visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rowell Friday.

Mrs. W. E. Redin was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rowell Sunday.

Mrs. Roy McMurtry and Mrs. Carl Dean Bomar were business visitors in Tulsa Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hammonds, of Flomot, visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cowart.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cowart visited Tuesday in Amarillo with Mrs. Cowart's sister, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Pendley.

What's Doing in the Churches

THE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Grady Adcock, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00
Morning Service 11:00
Childrens and Young People's
Meeting 7:00
Evening Service 7:30
WCS every other Monday at 3:00

THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

J. B. Jones, Minister
Bible Study 10:00
Worship Service 11:00
Ladies Bible Class, Monday 3:00
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday 6:45

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. G. A. Elrod, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45
Morning Preaching 11:00
Preaching 8:00
Training Union 7:00
Prayer Meeting 7:30
W. M. S. 2:30
Brotherhood 7:30

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday School 10:00
PREACHING
Each Second Sunday 11:00
Each Fourth Sunday 3:00
Auxiliary every 1st and 3rd Monday in the homes of the members.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Farris Martin, Mrs. J. R. Steele and Mrs. Robert McJimsey were business visitors in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Francis and Dale left Friday for South Texas to visit Mr. and Mrs. Stone. They accompanied them home.

Frigidaire at Simpson Chevrolet Company. 10tc

Mr. and Mrs. Rayburn Burgess visited relatives in Quitaque Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Smith and Joy were in Plainview Monday on business.

Howard Lynch, of Beloit, Kansas, had supper with the Hermon Elys Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin McJimsey were in Plainview Tuesday on business.

Stapling Machines and staples at the News office.

CARBON PAPER at the NEWS

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FOR SALE—At bargain, Baby bed and mattress, also stroller. See Roy Coffee. 13-tfc

OPPORTUNITY
 Practical Shop training in plumbing, electricity, auto mechanics, drafting and shoe repair. Veterans can earn up to \$210 \$290 per month while training. See R. N. McDaniel, Jr., at home Saturday and Sunday. 13-2tp

LOST—White Wolf Hound with red spots on sides, with scar on left flank. \$15.00 reward. G. Selmon, Brice, Texas, Star Route. 12-2tp

FOR SALE—120 acre irrigated farm, 100 acres in cultivation, 30 acres in alfalfa, 8 inch well. One-half mile from pavement. \$125.00 per acre, 29% cash, 20% in one year; balance good terms, 5% interest. H. Roy Brown, Phone 46, es. 85. 10-tfc

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FOR SALE—6 Rooms and bath on pavement, \$6,000. Terms on part. See H. Roy Brown, Phone 7-tfc

If you want to sell a farm, see Teeter. Phone 87-R.
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FOR SALE—3 Room and bath garage, on pavement. \$4,200. H. Roy Brown, Phone 46. 7-tfc

WATCH — Blackboard at office bargains. H. Roy Brown. 5-tfc

FOR SALE—1 Anharbor Pick-up car; 1 Army Dodge Truck, 1 1/2 ton four wheel drive. L. W. Francis. 13-2tp

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B. DEWEY BEAVERS FORGOT ON BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Dewey Beavers was surprised with a covered dish luncheon on her birthday, Saturday, March 26. She was presented a gift by those attending were: Mrs. R. M. Hill, Mrs. Le Hill, Mrs. L. E. Paige, Mrs. L. Fisher, Mrs. Tom Autry, Pete Chitty, Joy and Laeta, Mrs. Dick Bomar, Gay, Mrs. Freeman Tate.

Mrs. Richard Hill, Mrs. Sey Brannon, Mrs. J. W. Brannon, Sr., were business visitors in Silo Monday.

and Mrs. Hamilton trans-business in Amarillo Monday.

W. Brannon, Sr., and Walter Brannon carried Fred Brannon to Rock Monday for a checkup at hospital.

J. H. May is visiting relatives in Louisiana this week.

R.F. McCasland

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SCHOOL SALE

Tuesday, April 12, 1949 at 1:30 P. M. the following school property is for sale by the Edgin C. S. D. No. 29 of Floyd County. The Edgin School is located in the North East part of Floyd County, 5 miles south and 2 miles west of Quitaque, Texas.

1 4-room Brick and Tile school building, 45'x70' with 16 inch outside walls. The brick and tile are held together with lime mortar. Flooring is 3 inch edge grain pine.

1 Flat top stucco teacherage, 24'x24'.

40 Students school desks.

2 Teacher's desks.

2 Teacher's chairs.

1 8-foot steel air motor windmill with steel tower and the pipe in well.

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FOR SALE—International Wheat Drill. 16-10. Fred Craig, Quitaque, Texas. 14-tp

FOR SALE—New 6 foot and 12 foot Gleaner Baldwin Combines at list price. Phone 102; Night 182, Box 533, Erick, Oklahoma. 14-1tp.

FOR SALE—4-Room house with bath, on pavement. Also Wholesale and Retail filling station.—See Mrs. Geo. Jones. 12-2tp

FOR SALE—F-20 Tractor, in good shape, new rubber. Willie Bomar. 12-2tp

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WOMANS 1925 STUDY CLUB MET WEDNESDAY

The Womens 1925 Study Club met April 6, at three o'clock in the club room with nine members present.

The president, Mrs. R. G. Alexander presided over the business meeting. Mrs. Roy Coffee acted as program chairman.

Mrs. Tom Bomar gave a paper on "Children of the Bible."

Mrs. Alton Steele gave "Woman of the Bible," and Mrs. Bob Dickerson "The Bible as Literature." The next meeting will be April 20th.

Mrs. Nora Dunagon, of Hobart, Oklahoma, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Dunagon this week.

Frigidaire at Simpson Chevrolet Company. 10tfc

The T. E. L. S. S. Class of the Baptist Church met at the church Friday in an all day gathering. One quilt was finished. The class will meet Thursday, April 7, to finish another quilt and some other work. All members are urged to be present.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank each and everyone for their kindness during our recent sorrow. Also for the floral offerings and cards of sympathy. Your kindness will not be forgotten.

Mrs. A. T. Brooks, Sr., and children; Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brooks.

Irma Lee May returned from Galveston Friday where she had been finishing her nurses training, after which she took the state board examination at Houston. She will receive her diploma May 24, from the Lubbock Memorial Hospital. Miss May spent the week end here with relatives. Mr. Bill Buchard of Pecos, accompanied her home.

Mrs. Emma Holt, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edwards were Amarillo visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hall, of Abernathy, spent the week end in Silverton with relatives.

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Registered Physical Ther-
apist

H. M. Simmons
Business Manager

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Hospital Administrator

PERSONALS

Mona Brock and Mary Tom Bomar spent Friday night with Teresa Crass.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Jasper have moved to their home recently purchased from Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hill in North Silverton.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar McGavock, of Tulsa, spent the week end in Silverton with relatives.

Mrs. N. M. Lawler, of Goodnight, visited in Silverton Sunday with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brock, Mona and Bobby, of Dimmitt, attended the Junior play at the High School Friday night. Mona remained until Sunday and visited with friends.

Frigitaire at Simpson Chevrolet Company. 10tfc

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Lyde and daughters, of Lubbock, visited relatives in Silverton over the week end.

Frigitaire at Simpson Chevrolet Company. 10tfc

R. C. Hutsell and son, Joe Dell, went to Odessa Thursday for Mrs. Jimmie Tidwell and little son, who will visit with her parents here several days.

Mrs. Ruth Calvary, of Amarillo, was a business visitor in Silverton Wednesday.

Mrs. C. C. Garrison spent the week end in Vernon visiting her daughter, Mrs. Orville Richardson. Mr. and Mrs. Coleman went after Mrs. Garrison Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Oner Cornett spent Wednesday in Amarillo visiting Mrs. Miner Myers.

STRIKE SLOWS

India Nears Gandhi Goal

NEW DELHI.—Mohandas K. Gandhi, a kindly little man of peace, has attained in violent death goals he missed with his preaching of love.

He was slain more than a year ago.

His India and Pakistan are learning to dwell as peaceful neighbors. The fanatical religious warring between Hindu and Moslem in the two dominions has largely subsided. And India, as he desired, is building patiently as a democratic secular state instead of the rightist religious government his assassins wanted.

People Want Justice

What Gandhi would have said about any effort to punish his slayers will be debated in India for a long time. But the people have raised no question that justice should take its course.

Bloody rioting between the Hindu and Moslem populations of India and Pakistan had become common-place when Gandhi was shot down. He was walking to his prayer meeting place here to continue his crusade for communal peace, when three shots were fired into his body.

The crime occurred as India faced critical times and issues.

There was talk of war between the two new dominions, created when British crown rule of India ended and the country was divided in August, 1947. Refugees crammed the cities, calling for the blood of people of the opposite religion. Hindus had fled Pakistan, and Moslems from India—12 million of them.

Economy Shaken

The economy was shaken on both sides of the border.

Not all of the headway in the past months came about as Gandhi would have done it. There was more rioting, but it ebbed steadily. The police and military crushed it with their guns, bayonets and clubs. Organizations preaching religious hatred were outlawed and harried out of existence.

Under leadership of two staunch friends, Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru and Governor-General C. Rajagopalachari, India has come far to give Gandhi in death a peaceful land.

A cease-fire agreement arranged with United Nations assistance, stopped the fighting of Indian and Pakistan troops in the neighboring state of Kashmir. In conference, leaders of the two countries agreed to strive for amicable settlement of this and other issues.

Mathematician Declares

That Gamblers Can't Win

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Your wife cashes in on a horse because she likes the color of the jockey's jacket. You collect nonnegotiable tickets because you follow breeding lines.

Ever wonder why? A man who has been studying gambling for 15 years says he's found out it's because "you just can't win."

Feeding slugs into his own slot machine, Dr. Ernest E. Blanche said: "It's mine and it's honest, but it pays me only 70 per cent."

Dr. Blanche, a 36 year old mathematician, once wanted to be a physician. Instead, he has been diagnosing the probabilities of gambling success.

He aims his preaching against gambling from the practical rather than the moral viewpoint.

"People don't want to be told they can't win," he says. "My theory is that they'll always lose if they stay at it. The ones who can't be convinced are the ones I'm trying to reach."

Some of his conclusions: You've got one chance in 17 of making four straight passes with the dice, shooting for 7, 11 or your point.

If it's eight straight winning throws, the chances are one in 287. If it is 10, you have one chance in 1,181—unless the dice are crooked.

From the mathematical standpoint, he says he has tried all the angles—from roulette to hunting the red centered piece of candy that would entitle him to a free peppermint stick.

His own home is a cache of gambling equipment—all experimental and some of it phoney. He says he has been kicked out of some places merely for taking notes.

Burma Rebels See Glamour

In Fame of Bandit Maid

RANGOON.—Burma rebels are cashing in on the popularity of a "beautiful young maiden" who rides through the tropic nights on a white horse at the head of a bandit column.

To the government, she is just Ma Khin Nyunt, unglamorous leader of 300 bloodthirsty rebels. They are part of the guerrilla forces attacking police posts, railway stations, and bridges in the interior.

The Lady of the White Horse started banditry before the present civil war, and is still a thorn in the government's side after 18 months. Two other female Robin Hoods—one time school-teachers—are reported leading bands of women who give and ask no quarter.

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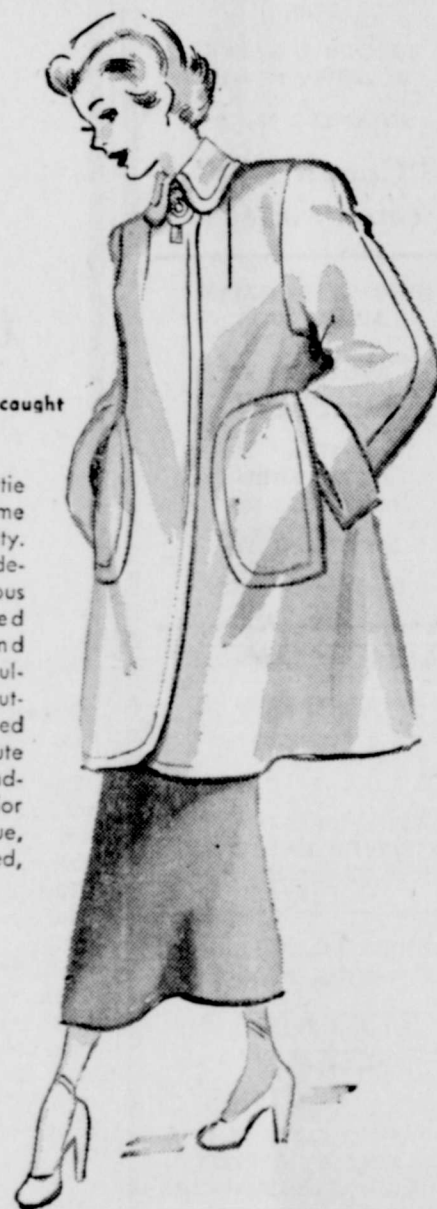
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A dash of spice to jaded wardrobes with this clever gabardine suit. (100% wool.) Crescent shaped pockets, trapunto-trimmed, add the elegant touch to this well-tailored Maurice original. Self-covered buttons and graceful, ladylike collar. Willow-slim skirt. Junior sizes 7-17. Colors: skipper, black, red, grey, kelly, aqua, blue, pink, neon.



Announcement!

We have this week taken over the operation of the cafe and will strive to give the same service we did when we operated it before leasing it out January 1.

We will appreciate all our old customers coming back and invite new ones to call on us.

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Widows' Widows Under Aimless Search Throughout Europe

LONDON.—The widows, mistresses and daughters of Europe's top criminals wander aimlessly through the countries where they were queens.

Some of them have nothing left of their infamous names.

A United Press survey of the continent showed that most of yesterday's "royalty" have lost their homes, jewels, furs and servants once enjoyed. Nor has been kind to their charms and

Yvonne, notable exception is Edda Ciano, daughter of slain dictator Benito Mussolini and widow of executed Count Galeazzo Ciano.

She is resourceful Edda, who made her memoirs, still lives in her accustomed high style, travels widely in Italy, and has many wealthy friends.

Pierre Laval, widow of the collaborationist, is also well financially. But she is ridden by the fear for France that ordered her to "murder" her husband and obsessed by the dream she may someday clear his name of the stain of war guilt.

She lives surrounded by pictures of her husband, whether at home in Chateau at Chateldon or in the apartment of her wealthy sister-in-law, Countess Jose de Sbrun.

There were no candidates on ticket for the no-fee-no-office So there were 61 write-ins.

Tinglepaugh's four votes surprised Tinklepaugh, there was some satisfaction.

Now I can put a red light siren on my car," he grinned.

age Man Works Less, More Wages for It

LONDON.—A boilermaker in Kansas City smacks home a half-dozen in two minutes. It earns a loaf of bread.

A black-haired little Italian comes around to mend the ceiling in a Rome apartment nearly half an hour for his

In London, where government subsidies pay a large part of the cost, the boilermaker has to wait as long for a loaf as his Kansas City counterpart.

Average American works 40 hours and gets a whale of more for his labor than most people he's helping in Europe.

find the facts about the cost of living in the western world. Tech workers in 21 major cities, including Washington and Kansas, investigated living conditions in typical families.

For comparative purposes, each had a bookkeeper, a ditchdigger and a boilermaker, all married the fathers of two children.

Cost of living was translated into minutes and hours of work needed to obtain life's necessities.

Researchers found that earning power in terms of groceries approaches United States standards in Oslo, Copenhagen and Stockholm—but other ordinary items, especially clothes, are considerably more.

People Required to Make Sleeping Boy

BROOKLYN.—It took 27 persons, including 10 policemen, to waken old Louis Gossman by taking him out of his bedroom at 1370 42nd street, Brooklyn.

Sluggish of the modern Rip Van Winkle began at 7:15 a.m. and lasted nearly an hour later.

At 8 a.m. his mother, Mrs. Gussman, served breakfast for her husband, William, 50, a drink dealer, and their son, Lawrence, 19. With pair packed off to work, she went a little more sleep and up at 7. Then she called to get up for school. He obliged something and she went out, did a little shopping, came and found Louis' door locked and unopenable.

knocked. No answer. She went on the door. She screamed. Neighbors began to yell. They too yelled and

At length seventeen men were getting hysterical. Two radio cars and a police agency squad, mustering 10 men, arrived.

They were about to break the door when Louis opened it. He yawned, but yawning.

Woman Finds Husband Gone For Two Years

NEW YORK.—Mrs. Elsie Lanning, 38, of Chicago, who spent two years and \$5,000 searching for her husband, found him and said his whiskers scratched.

Mrs. Lanning, tall, sandy haired and well groomed, was reunited with Harry Lanning, 42, who married her 10 years ago. He disappeared on Valentine's day, 1947.

"I'm sorry, I don't know why I did it," he told her. "I left home with \$30, but I've managed to save up \$400."

Walked Out on Job

Lanning walked out on his job as a supervisor in a Chicago container factory. He was found washing dishes in a New York restaurant under the alias of Harry Manders. He was recognized by a fellow employee as the man pictured on one of the thousands of circulars sent out by Mrs. Lanning.

Lanning was tall and gaunt. His clothing was almost rags. His eyes were dark and his cheeks sunken. He wore no tie.

He was whisked by police into the room where his wife waited after she arrived by plane from Chicago. When she came out she said:

"He told me he was very sorry for what he had done. He said he loved me and gave me a very big kiss. I can still feel the kiss—his whiskers, you know. He is going back to Chicago with me."

"I knew I would find him," Mrs. Lanning said earlier Thursday. Police had given up a long time ago, but she continued.

Was Poster Plaster

"I plastered posters in restaurants, saloons and all kinds of gathering places all over the country," she said. "I just sent 30,000 circulars to New York last week. He was recognized from one of those. I was getting some more circulars ready when I was called Wednesday and was told that police had found him."

"I don't want to cause any embarrassment to my husband. He's always been shy and nervous. I think he has been ill."

Police had taken Lanning into custody on a technical charge of forgery growing out of his use of the name Manders to obtain a cabaret workers' license. The count was dismissed Thursday and as the couple walked arm in arm from the courtroom, the magistrate called after them:

"I hope you have good luck for the rest of your lives."

Worrying Found to Be Indicator of Normalcy

EVANSTON, ILL.—Don't fret about being worried, because if you didn't worry you'd really have something to worry about! That's the advice of a Northwestern university psychologist.

Said Associate Prof. Irwin A. Berg: "We think of worry and how unhappy we are, but have you ever thought that if we lacked such concern, houses probably would burn down because we failed to extinguish the gas or a smoldering cigarette butt, bills probably wouldn't be paid, and we wouldn't even ask for a raise in pay because we weren't worried about the cost of living? Many things that should get done would not be accomplished without constructive worry."

The core of Professor Berg's analysis of worry is that while it hinders us, when carried to extremes, it also helps us physically, mentally and socially. Sincere worry, not just fretting and stewing, assists a person in achieving purposeful activity, he believes.

"A better name for constructive worry is 'concern,'" explained Professor Berg. "It serves as a safety valve. It is a sort of protection, an insurance policy that certain things will be done."

Emphasizing that worry is a normal reaction which requires learning and experience to control, the psychologist said: "We learn to worry about other things and not about others. It's bad for a person not to worry at all—that is, to insulate himself from problems—as it is to worry so much that that's all he does."

Fingerprint of Lincoln Reported Found on Note

SPRINGFIELD, ILL.—The Illinois state historical library has what it believes is a fingerprint of Abraham Lincoln.

The print, made in ink, was found on a brief note written by Lincoln shortly before the end of the Civil War. The note was bought by the library from a New York autograph dealer.

Jay Monaghan, state historian, feels sure the print is that of Lincoln. But there is no way to check it, since no one has a Lincoln fingerprint known to be authentic.

The note was written in ink on a small piece of paper, about 2½ by 4 inches. It said:

"Let this man be discharged. A Lincoln, Feb. 17, 1865."

What the note referred to is not known, but Mr. Monaghan assumed that it had to do with the granting of a pardon.

Rebuilding of Homes Damaged by Storms Already Underway

A letter from the National Red Cross states that "The rebuilding of homes damaged or destroyed by week-end tornadoes in Oklahoma, Arkansas, and Texas is already under way as 16 American Red Cross chapters and 16 national Red Cross staff members begin interviews with 300 families whose homes were demolished or damaged, according to John C. Wilson of St. Louis, manager of the 16-state Midwestern Red Cross Area.

Rebuilding, in which the Red Cross will replace or repair homes whose owners are unable financially to do the work themselves, is being preceded by registrations for aid and interviews in which disaster and building experts plan the work on the basis of dwellings needed to restore the families to normal living, Wilson said.

The rehabilitation work already under way in two Oklahoma, ten Arkansas, and four Texas communities includes paying the cost of medical care for the injured who lack the resources to meet their own bills and the replacing of household furnishings under the same conditions, Wilson added."

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Miss 'June Brown Is Member of A Capella Choir

Denton, Texas April 6—June Brown, daughter of S. P. Brown of Silverton, is a member of the North Texas State College A Capella Choir which will launch a two-week tour April 14.

A senior majoring in music education, Miss Brown is also a member of the Future Teachers of America. She is a member of the alto section.

Highlighting the tour will be a presentation at the Music Educators National Convention in Colorado Springs, Colorado, April 21.

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PERSONALS

Mrs. Kenneth Bain, of Floydada, visited relatives in Silverton Tuesday.

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Mrs. Bob McDaniels, of Amarillo, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill McGavock this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Long, of Clovis, New Mexico, visited relatives in Silverton Tuesday.

Mrs. Avis Cowart visited her daughter and family at Loveland, Colorado, over the week end.

Bride-Elect Honored With Miscellaneous Shower

Miss Betty Ruth Arnold bride-elect of Melvin Yancey, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Arnold was honored recently with a tea and shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stodghill.

The home was beautifully decorated with pot plants, with soft lights, and music was furnished by Shelby Haynes, Mrs. John Arnold and Mrs. Jord Hollingsworth.

Mrs. Marion Arnold, mother of the bride, and Mrs. W. W. Yancey of Lubbock and the bride made up the receiving line, with Miss Janita Edwards at the brides book, and Miss Syble Watters receiving in the gift room, with many colorful gifts on display.

The refreshment table was covered with cut work linen cover, centered with crystal punch bowl, with crystal vases of beautiful peach blossoms and greenery, with tall taper in crystal holder. Miss Patsy Baird presided at the punch bowl, and cake squares topped with pink rosebuds was served with the lime punch.

The house hostesses were: Mesdames Paige, Bill Messimer, Bobbie Edwards, Geo. Seane and C. O. Allard. Approximately fifty guests attended and 150 gifts were sent. The couple received many beautiful and useful gifts.

Dependable Sunday School Class Entertained

Mrs. C. O. Allard was hostess to the Dependable Sunday School Class Tuesday evening at her home, with a marshmallow and weiner roast. Music and singing was enjoyed during the evening.

The next social of the class they plan a hay-ride for entertainment.

Those attending were: Mary Frances Dudley, Pat Patton, Helen Vaughan, Gay Merrell, Bonnie Waters, Estelle Bradley, Gloria Stevenson, Junis Mercer, Millie Marshall, Beth Mason, Eudean Baird, and Joe Lee Bomar.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitney Honored With Supper

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Whitney, of Oakland, California, were honored with a supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wood Tuesday evening. Mrs. Whitney is the former Lillie B. Brooks, of Silverton. Other guests besides the honorees were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dudley.

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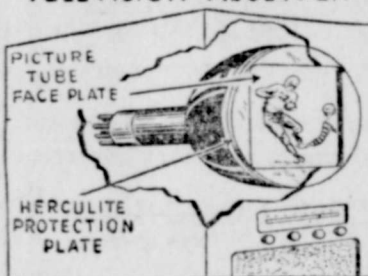


LONDON, ENGLAND — (Soundphoto) — According to a broadcast heard here, Moscow Radio announced that Soviet Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov (left) has been "released from his duties." Andrei Y. Vishinsky (right), Soviet delegate to the United Nations and former deputy foreign minister was named to succeed Molotov. The two men are shown above as they toasted each other aboard the liner Queen Elizabeth in 1946, as they sailed for New York to attend the U.N. Assembly.

New Glass Ends Television Bottleneck



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PITTSBURGH, PA. — The halo-like object in pretty Caroline Tufts' left hand is one of the ultra new television tube face plates. It covers the end of the cathode ray tube (see inset) through which the televised images are reproduced. Developed after nearly three years' research, the new bent face plate, made of a glass especially developed for television, has broken one of the major bottlenecks in producing television sets, according to R. B. Tucker, executive vice-president, Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company. Bent television face plates must be perfect to give undistorted reception. Formerly, plates were first molded into shape and then put through painstaking optical grinding and polishing operations. With the new finishing and bending operations devised by Pittsburgh, the face plates of special type glass are ground and polished while flat and then bent into perfect sphericity. The new face plates were first used in the five-inch tube and will eventually be used in the 10-inch, 12-inch and even larger size tube faces.

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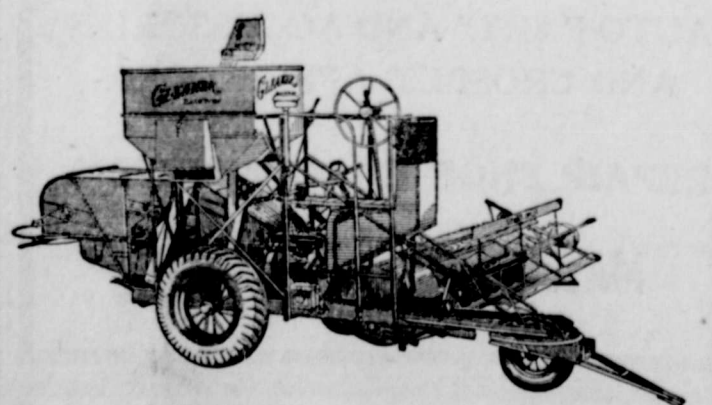
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Mr. and Mrs. Printz Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hardin, were Amarillo visitors Tuesday. Alton Steele made a trip to Austin, Texas last week on business.

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