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## BEAM

By J. W. King, Sr.

Loraine Masons will be highly honored Friday night of this week when the Grand Master, Horace K. Jackson of Gatesville will be here to set the Loraine Lodge to work.

Besides the Grand Master visitors will be here from Lodges throughout this area.

Masonry will again be felt in Loraine after a lapse of 14 years since the former Lodge demised.

Reports are that crops are needing rain again since the extreme hot weather of the past week or more. Some crops are reported as burning while others are standing up fairly well. Young feed is suffering more than cotton.

### PETITION ASKS BOARD TO RAISE SCHOOL TAX RATE

A petition is being circulated among the people of the Loraine Independent School District to call a tax election for the purpose of adjusting the tax rate of the district. If this petition receives the proper reception a tax election will be called to set the rate at "not more than \$1.15."

This will not be an increase to the local tax pavers as may be assumed, according to Supt. G. W. Parish, as the Board of Trustees will make adjustments in the assessed valuations which will reduce the renditions approximately 10% and will offset any increase in the tax rate. Such an action will enable the school to make a more profitable use of State Equalization money and will mean an additional income to the school of approximately \$700.00 without costing a local taxpayer one cent.

As an illustration, Mr. Parish explains that a person that has rendered their property for \$1,000 in the past would pay \$10 in taxes but under the proposed plan their property would be assessed for \$900 and the new tax rate would be approximately \$1.11 which would mean that the tax payer would pay \$9.99 instead of the \$10. Under this plan the school would report only 50% of the assessed value to the state as provided by law and would receive an additional advantage in state money.

It is urged that all patrons of the school consider this plan carefully and support the school in this very important matter for the continued rise in the cost of operation of the school is making it more difficult for the school to operate on the same tax rate that it has operated on for the past years. This support of this tax adjustment will enable the school to offset the increased cost of operation without putting any extra load on the local tax payers.

### HOSPITAL NOTES

Accident: Don Wemken and Magdalene Grinsie.

Medical patients: Mrs. Leroy Adrian, Frank Kubala's baby, L. W. Eilers, Mrs. Presley Powell, Betty Jo Zmeskal, S. H. Garrett. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brewer, a girl, August 18.

Surgery: Billy Braswell and D. K. Mason.

### HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Butler and Sue complimented Mrs. Dan Butler on her birthday Friday with a lawn supper.

Others present for the occasion were Dan Butler and Doris, Mrs. H. B. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hallmark, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Martin and Janie, and Diana Edgar of Sweetwater.

### BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Mrs. Ida Dickenson surprised Miss Lillie Nelson Sunday afternoon, August 15, with open house honoring her on her birthday. Thirty friends called during the afternoon and an enjoyable time was spent by everyone, each wishing Miss Lillie a happy birthday.

Punch and cake and iced watermelon were served.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Crawford are in Alpine this week, where Mr. Crawford is attending a vocational agriculture teachers meeting.

Mrs. Cora McKee of Sweetwater was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bennett Saturday night.

## School Opens September 6th

Opening date for the Loraine schools has been set for Monday, September 6, according to Supt. G. W. Parish. All students will report for registration Monday at 9 a. m. and class assignment and regular class work will begin the following day. All buses will run the same route the first day as they ran the last of school last year.

The faculty has been completed for the coming year with the election of R. P. Adams to serve as high school principal and teacher of mathematics but grade and class assignments have not been completed as yet, Mr. Parish said.

Many improvements have been made in the physical plant during the summer which includes reglazing of all windows, exterior painting, refinishing of floors, piping of gas to rest rooms, and cleaning and repairing the central heating system. Some of the proposed work, including curbing and walks for the grounds, will not be completed by the time school opens due to the shortage of cement but will be completed as soon as possible.

The Board of Trustees authorized the school to cooperate with the PTA in its program of health improvement that was voted as a project of that organization last year. This project will include a physical examination of all students in school and an immunization program. The school administration is urging all students to be vaccinated for smallpox prior to enrollment in school with the idea that eventually this will be required in accordance with the program of the State Health Department. Other services in this program will be examination for TB and control of all communicable diseases.

## Shower Honors Jean Walker

A bridal shower honoring Miss Jean Walker was given at the home of Mrs. W. R. Martin last Thursday afternoon with Mmes. Clyde Smith, Kenneth Butler, K. L. Taylor, B. W. Tartt, J. C. Hall, Jr., Frank Stewart, Virgil Walker, Lester Webb, Jack Walker, Russell Cope and Bruce Johnson co-hostesses.

Guests were met at the door by Mrs. Martin and registered by Mrs. Taylor. Mrs. Jack Walker invited them into the dining room where punch and cake squares were served from a lace table decorated with sweet peas in a crystal bowl, and a miniature bride and groom under and archway. Mrs. Truman Nix poured punch and was assisted by Miss Laverne Henderson.

Mrs. Tartt had charge of the program and presented the subjects she taught Jean when they were teacher and pupil in Loraine High School. Miss Melba Mahon sang two songs, "If you were the only girl in the world," and "Day after forever." Mrs. Taylor read an original poem written by Mrs. Tartt and the gifts were then presented in a ribbon decorated flower basket. 173 gifts were registered.

Misses Jeannine Martin, Patsy Green and Patsy Beatty furnished piano music during the afternoon.

The bride-to-be wore an afternoon dress of gunmetal satin and her corsage was of white pastel flowers arranged in the shape of a fan. The honoree's mother, Mrs. Wiley Walker, wore black and white printed crepe. Her flowers were miniature, yellow lillies, and the prospective groom's mother, Mrs. H. J. Kegans, wore black and white flower print crepe with a corsage of white gamella.

Mrs. Frank Johnson, accompanied by Mrs. Spurgeon of Abilene, left Saturday night for Fort Davis, where they will spend their vacation and attend the old cowboys camp meeting.

Mrs. J. M. Meek and Mrs. Roy Bald returned Monday night from Whitesboro, where they spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Meek.

## First Bale Early This Year

The first bale of cotton of the 1948 season was ginned in Loraine Saturday, August 14, 12 days earlier than the first bale last year.

The bale was brought in by E. L. Nelson and was raised on the H. W. Hallmark farm north of town. Mr. Nelson received \$130 in cash and trade as a premium.

The second bale was brought in Tuesday of this week by a Mexican.

### MAIL SERVICE

In order that patrons of the local post office may know the time of arrival and departure of mail to and from the post office Postmaster Jack Coffee gave us the following information:

First class mail arrives here at 10:37 a. m. and 2:28 p. m. This is the schedule since the TP changed schedules for the new Eagle trains.

Mail leaves from the local post office at 10:10 a. m. going west; 2:00 p. m. going east, and 4:30 p. m. going west.

### FAMILY REUNION

The Mahoney family reunion was held at Cobb Park in Abilene on August 14, 15.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Leggett, Mrs. Emma Leggett, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Leggett, and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Mahoney, all of Loraine; Mr. and Mrs. George Mahoney of Big Spring; Doris Mahoney and a friend of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wemken and son Doyle of Hermleigh; Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Mahoney and daughters of Ackery; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smalligan and daughter Diana of Abilene; A. J. Mahoney and E. R. and daughter Mrs. Joe Rice, of Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Olan Mahoney of Moran; Mr. and Mrs. Newt Tabor, Bessie Lee and Sonny Boy, Oscar Norman, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Balliew, Aliver and Carl Wayne of Albany; Mrs. Mary Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wilkerson and son Russell, and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Taylor of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Stephens and sons Jackie and Mike, and Ernest Kidd of Fort Worth; Joe Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Price and two daughters of Roscoe; Mrs. Elvis Hunter and children of Abilene; and Mrs. Lola Mahoney and daughter Glenda of Clyde; and other visitors on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Elliott of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Williams and son James of Tahoka visited in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Elliott, and visited Mrs. Elliott who was a patient in the Sweetwater hospital a few days. Other visitors in their home were Mrs. Ella Canterbury of Odessa and Mrs. Elliott's sister-in-law, Mrs. A. W. Caffee of Honey Grove.

Guests of Rev. and Mrs. E. T. Barton Friday were Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Sanford and Betty of Ellasville, and Sue Collier of Odessa. Their guests on Wednesday of this week were Mrs. Barton's mother, Mrs. F. F. Clack of Peacock, and sister, Mrs. Jack Roney and children of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Henly of Greenville visited his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. George Henly, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Henley accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Caswell of Odessa to Lubbock Sunday to attend the funeral of a nephew of Mr. Henley's who had been killed in service in Germany.

Mrs. Doris Martin visited Mrs. J. W. Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. David Hunt and Reagan in Abilene Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. David Hunt have moved to Dallas, where Mrs. Hunt, the former Gloria Martin, will teach in the Dallas school system and Mr. Hunt will enter S. M. U.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hart Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McCarty and Grace of Andrews, Mrs. John Deery, and children of Houston, and Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Deery and Mrs. Young of Buffalo Gap.

## Youth Register At Schools

The schools of Loraine, Colorado City, and Westbrook will handle the registration of the young men of Mitchell County, according to C. C. Hamilton, Mitchell County member of the three-county draft board. Other members are T. A. Thigpin of Big Spring, chairman, and E. A. Pittman of Stanton.

Youth men will register at the place nearest their home beginning August 30, and continuing through September 18. Persons born in 1922 after August 30, shall register on Monday, August 30.

Persons born in 1923 will register Tuesday, August 31, or Wednesday, September 1.

Persons born in 1924 will register Thursday, September 2, or Friday, September 3.

Persons born in 1925 will register on Saturday, September 4, or Tuesday, September 7.

Persons born in 1926 will register on Wednesday, September 8, or Thursday, September 9.

Persons born in 1927 will register Friday, September 10, or Saturday, September 11.

Persons born in 1928 will register Monday, September 13, or Tuesday, September 14.

Persons born in 1929 will register Wednesday, September 15, or Thursday, September 16.

Persons born in 1930 before September 19, will register on Friday, September 17, or Saturday, September 18.

Persons born on or after September 19, 1930, shall register on the day they attain the 18th anniversary of the day of their birth, or within 5 days thereafter.

### FFA HOLDS MEETING

The local F. F. A. chapter held its first meeting for the year at the FFA building Friday night, August 13. In the business meeting officers for the year were elected as follows: President, Weldon McAdams, Vice President, Don Mathis, Secretary, Don Bennett, Treasurer, Lowell Richardson, Reporter, Weldon McCollum, Farm Watchdog, Truman Boyd, Publicist, Johnnie Orsak, 2nd Vice President, Melvin Baumann, 3rd Vice President, Delmas Bowlin, Historian, James Stewart.

Plans were discussed for a cold drink stand at the Dairy Show to be held August 20.

Lone Star Farmer Keys were presented to Truman Boyd, Don Mathis, Weldon McAdams, Weldon McCollum, and Willie Pass. These applications were filled out last year and the keys arrived during the summer.

After the meeting a watermelon feast was enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Woods and Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Carpenter left Monday for San Antonio, and other points in Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas, and Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Horton and Betty Jane, Bobbie and Margaret Ann spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Horton at Ackery. Betty Jane remained for this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cope carried her mother, Mrs. J. M. Meador, to Rawlins, Wyoming, last week and Mrs. Meador left from there for Portland, Oregon, to visit her daughter and family. The Copes returned Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Barrow spent Sunday and Monday with relatives in Carbon and Gorman, and Monday night with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Wood, at Abilene. Mr. Barrow and L. J. attended the Abilene-Borger baseball game Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mahon had as their guests Sunday Congressman and Mrs. George Mahon and Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Holt of Washington, D. C., Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Mahon and baby and Mrs. Eldon Mahon and Mrs. S. E. Meadows and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Martin and family, and J. K. Mahon.

Mrs. D. W. Harrison and Ken spent from Sunday until Wednesday with her mother and sister, Mrs. R. R. Barber and Mrs. J. W. Ware, in Abilene.

## Masonic Lodge To Start Work Friday

The Loraine Masonic Lodge, which was organized a short time ago, will be set to work by Grand Master Horace K. Jackson of Gatesville in a special ceremony at the lodge hall Friday night, August 20, at 8 o'clock.

Lodge members from surrounding towns have been invited to witness the ceremony and partake of the refreshments of ice cream and cake. Visitors are expected from 13 towns.

Before the general meeting local Masons will honor the Grand Master with a supper at the Lions Club building.

Howard Combs will be Worshipful Master, Butsie Hall Senior Warden, Woodrow Pratt, Junior Warden, K. L. Taylor, Treasurer, J. W. King, Secretary, Ted Lefevre, Senior Deacon, A. G. Furlow, Jr., Junior Deacon, and J. M. Templeton, Tiler.

## FARM NEWS

Two approved agricultural conservation program practices are now in effect for 1949. They concern winter cover crops to be seeded this fall. The main purposes of the fall seeded winter cover crops are to protect the land from washing and blowing. Also, these crops help to maintain and increase the productivity of the soil. Lots of good grazing can also be expected if the crops are seeded early and the season is right.

The practices and their specifications are as follows:

(1) Turning under or leaving on the land a satisfactory stand and growth of rye seeded in the fall of 1948—\$1.50 per acre. (This practice is applicable only to sandy land that is subject to wind erosion.) Specifications: Rye should be seeded at the rate of not less than 40 pounds per acre. A stand and growth that would justify harvesting as a feed crop must be obtained. The crop must be left on the land or turned under. A volunteer crop will not qualify.

The rye practice is a new practice which should be of considerable value to the sandy areas of the county.

(2) Establishing a satisfactory cover of winter legumes seeded in the fall of 1948. (This practice must be carried out in accordance with the specifications set forth below or a good stand and growth must be obtained and not harvested for hay.)

Kind of Seed Payment rate (a) Austrian Winter Peas .055 and Dixie Wonder Peas .138 (b) Hairy Vetch (c) Common or Willamette Vetch .969

Specifications: Winter legume seed must be properly inoculated with fresh inoculants and seeded not later than December 1, 1948. Phosphate must be applied at a rate of not less than the equivalent of 200 pounds of 20 percent superphosphate to the acre, except on land where there has been an application of phosphate to some prior crop.

The following minimum seeding rates per acre are required: (a) Austrian Winter and Dixie Wonder Peas—40 pounds broadcast by hand; 30 pounds planted with grain drill; 15 pounds regular width rows.

(b) Hairy Vetch—20 pounds broadcast by hand; 15 pounds planted with grain drill; 10 pounds drilled with small grain; 8 pounds regular width rows.

(c) Common or Willamette Vetch—25 pounds planted with grain drill; 10 pounds regular width rows.

The crop must not be harvested for hay. The crop must not be grazed to an extent that will prevent the maintenance of a root protective cover at all times. Seed may be harvested.

For both the cover crop practices written approval of the county committee should be secured before the rye or the winter legumes are seeded.

Phosphate is now available. Written approval should be secured before using this material also.

## Football Practice Is Under Way

Coach Hank Brown is having a hard time getting enough boys out for football practice to do the best work, he says. Some of the lettermen from last year are coming out and are showing up good in practice but after a few more days will need to scrimmage and that is where the number is lacking.

The Bulldogs this year will face a hard schedule though the conference competition will not be as tough as in former years. They will be pitted this year in conference competition with one old conference foe, Roby, and four others that are new though the Bulldogs have included some of them on their schedule. Robert Lee and Hermleigh are two that have furnished tough competition in the past and will probably not be any easier since entering the conference.

The season schedule follows:

At Home Oct. 1—Abilene B Oct. 15—Cohoma\* Oct. 22—Robert Lee\* Nov. 25—Roby\*

Away Sept. 10—Roscoe Sept. 17—Colorado City Sept. 24—Merkel Oct. 8—Stanton Nov. 5—Bronte\*

Nov. 12—Hermleigh\* \* denotes conference games.

## Weekly Swing of Southwest Farm Markets

Scattered spots of strength contrasted with largely steady to weaker trends at southwest farm markets during the past week, the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration reports.

Hog prices advanced anywhere from 50 cents to \$2.50 a hundred pounds for the different classes at the various markets. Top butcher hogs sold Monday at \$29 at Fort Worth.

Texas cattle markets showed gains up to \$1 for the week, but other terminals netted mainly losses of 50 cents to \$1. Medium steers, yearlings and heifers changed hands at \$25 to \$30 at Fort Worth, where good yearlings reached \$31.50.

Sheep values sustained further losses during the week at most markets, though Fort Worth paid steady to higher prices. Medium to good spring lambs brought \$25 to \$26.50 at Fort Worth.

Texas grain markets began quoting new crop corn last week at prices about 20 cents a bushel under recent midwest offerings. Wheat and sorghums netted slight gains while oats and barley eased a little.

After minor fluctuations during the week, cotton closed Monday 50 to 75 cents a bale lower. Spot middling 1516 inch sold at 31 cents a pound at most southwest markets and 31.05 at New Orleans.

Strong demand for live poultry and the better grades of eggs kept prices steady to firm during the week. Most markets took frvers at 35 to 40 cents a pound. Egg prices on best candled whites ranged from 45 to 50 cents a dozen at Dallas and Ft. Worth.

J. W. King, Jr. and Grant Sharman of Big Spring were week end visitors in the J. W. King home.

Mrs. Bob Poole and children of Post are here this week visiting her sister, Mrs. Varnell Templeton and family.

Miss Isla Bruce arrived Tuesday from Washington, D. C., and is visiting her father, J. M. Bruce, and other relatives.

### HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Mrs. W. L. Hester honored Dr. Hester Saturday evening with a birthday dinner. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Young Hester, Mr. and Mrs. Dove Hester, Mrs. Lura Hester of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Coon, Mrs. S. E. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Richardson and sons Eddy and Joe of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hutchins, and Mrs. Peter Martin of Colorado City.

## Lois Finley Weds Kenneth Jackson

Wedding vows were repeated by Lois Finley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luke Finley, and Kenneth Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Jackson, in a double ring ceremony read by the Rev. Lee Hollis in the Bethel Baptist Church at 6:30 Saturday evening.

The altar was decorated with bouquets of spring flowers.

The bride wore an aqua blue suit with brown accessories. She carried a white Bible topped with her wedding flowers.

The bride is a 1946 graduate of Loraine High School and attended Hardin-Simmons University one year. The groom is a 1944 graduate of Loraine High School. He served 18 months in the army during World War 2 and is now employed with the Texas Electric Service Co. at Andrews.

Geraldine Jackson, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid. She wore a ballerina dress of pink linen with white accessories. Forrest Faulkenberry served as best man.

Attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Luke Finley and Nelda, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Jackson and Billy Ray, Mrs. H. E. Clifton, Mary Laverne, Jean and Don, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Jackson, and Mrs. Hollis.

After a short wedding trip the couple will be at home in Andrews, Texas.

## Mrs. Templeton Buried Friday

Funeral services were held in a funeral home chapel at 4 p. m. Friday in Dublin for Mrs. J. M. Templeton. A. M. Lemmons, elder of the Dublin Church of Christ, officiated. Burial was in the Stephenville cemetery.

Mrs. Templeton, whose home was at Dublin, was a long time resident of Loraine, died at 6:30 Thursday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. O. I. Griffith, 520 Vine Street, Colorado City, following a two weeks illness.

She was visiting here with her son, J. M. Templeton, when she suffered a stroke and was taken to the Johnson Hospital. She was transferred to the home of her daughter Saturday.

Mrs. Templeton was born Rosa Belle McGee March 18, 1877, in Massy, Hill County, Texas. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jasper McGee, formerly of the China Grove community. She married Johnny M. Templeton March 23, 1893 in Sterling City, where they lived until 1907 when they moved to Loraine where he was a veterinarian. They made their home in Loraine until 1923 when they moved to Dublin, where he was a rancher. To this union 11 children were born, 10 of whom survive.

Survivors include a brother, T. A. McGee of Loraine, a sister, Mrs. Zora Dean, of El Centro, California; four daughters, Mrs. Wiley Thompson, Stephenville, Mrs. O. I. Griffith, Colorado City, Mrs. J. W. Pendergrass, Sweetwater, and Mrs. C. L. McConnell, Dublin; six sons, B. L. Templeton, Abilene, J. K. Templeton, R. F. Templeton, Dublin, M. B. Templeton, Sweetwater, and J. M. and Varnell Templeton of Loraine; 25 grand children and 10 great grandchildren.

Mrs. D. E. Smith, Mrs. Henry Yarbrough, and Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Lee and children attended the Smith family reunion held at Post Sunday. Mrs. Smith went from there to Oklahoma to spend this week with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Henderson and L. P. Henderson spent Sunday with relatives in Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moore of Crane spent the week end with relatives here. Myrtle Jo and Winona Moore returned with them after spending last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Carpenter and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Moore.

S. G. Glavin returned from the Boot Hospital in Colorado City, where he had been for the past week for medical treatment.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Moscow Talks Provide Peace Hope; Congress Eyes Inflation, Housing; Red Spy Scare Startles Country

By Bill Schoentgen, WNU Staff Writer

EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the writer and not necessarily those of the newspaper.

MOSCOW: Conference

Practically all that anyone knew during the initial stages of the Moscow conference between Josef Stalin and the ambassadors of three western nations was that there was a conference.

The opacity of a thick censorship ban overlaid any details of what was happening. Nevertheless, the impression was that the talks, fathered by the desperation inherent in the Berlin crisis, might be the first step in easing off the strain between Russia and the western powers.

Some information that slipped through the secrecy wall indicated that both sides might be willing to make some concessions in order to further negotiations between Russia and the U. S., Great Britain and France.

The talks with Stalin and Molotov were reported to have produced at least one new suggestion—that prior to another Big Four conference there should be a meeting of the U. S., Russian, British and French deputy foreign ministers.

Such a conference would, theoretically, be accompanied by a gradual relaxation of the restrictions which the Soviets have clamped on the western areas of Berlin and which brought the East-West relations to their present boiling point.

Although it might be the height of optimism, Communist Russia being what it is, there was some faint hope that such a piecemeal lifting of the Berlin blockade might bring about a provisional meeting of minds on the subject of German currency and other irritating issues.

At the worst, such a discussion at least would tend to act as a brake against a drift to war and provide a breathing space for talks with Moscow on more basic controversies.

There was, however, still another interpretation of the discussions between Stalin and the three western ambassadors: Russia, having carried its Berlin blockade virtually to the ultimate point short of war, might be thinking that it had brought the western powers to a position where they would have to accede to Soviet demands if they wished to avoid conflict.

CONGRESS: Unwilling

Probably the only accomplishment of the special summer session of congress called by President Truman was to provide both parties with a bigger and better supply of political ammunition for the election campaign.

Democrats would be able to say that the GOP congress simply sat back on its haunches and did nothing about the pressing problems of inflation, housing and other national issues.

Republicans could counter with the assertion that, within the bounds of their political beliefs and judgment of what is best for the nation, they did all they could under the circumstances. To that they probably would add the stock argument that the whole thing is the fault of the 16-year Democratic regime and that the ultimate solution must lie in the election of a Republican administration this November.

One result of the special session that might be classed as favorable was that it served to sharpen the rough edges of the wide cleavage between the two parties over domestic problems and give the voters a more clear-cut, definitive idea of what they will be deciding on November 2.

Despite President Truman's laborious diatribes against congress and his repeated warnings that controls alone will curb the now dangerous inflation, in the final analysis it remained foolish to believe that the GOP congress ever would take the action he recommended. Republicans simply do not approve of that method of handling the nation's economy.

Republican congressmen agreed only to string along with legislation serving to reimpose consumer credit controls, with some limitation on bank credits, and to speed action on a watered-down housing program which does little except ease credit terms for home builders.

TAXATION: 125 Billion

By the end of this year individual taxpayers in the U. S. will have paid nearly 125 billion dollars in direct personal taxes, according to a survey entitled "Domestic Consumer Markets," prepared by the National Industrial Conference Board.

Last year, the report says, Americans paid more in personal taxes than they spent for new homes, cars, furniture and medical care.

RELIGION

World Council

"To justify the ways of God to man" was John Milton's expressed purpose for writing his monolithic epic poem of the Reformation, "Paradise Lost."

Academically Milton succeeded in providing that justification for his own and an unknowable number of future generations of Christians. But since the 16th century days of Milton human society has turned an increasingly cold cheek to the spiritual values preached by every great Christian since Paul.

Particularly since the outset of the 20th century man's attention has been claimed more and more by the dramatic power of materialism which has been brought into full play as a result of this technological economy with its assembly lines, power politics and repetitive wars.

Thus, the problem now is not so much how to justify God's ways to man as it is how to justify man's society in the eyes of God. And if, as many churchmen believe, no such justification is possible, then how to work a reasonable and beneficial change in the society which men have wrought.

It is that problem which the World Council of Churches, composed of 148 Protestant and Orthodox churches from 40 nations, will endeavor to meet squarely at its first world assembly in Amsterdam August 22 to September 4.

Four hundred and fifty church leaders — laymen and clergymen alike — are determined, among other things, "to assess the strengths and weaknesses of present-day Christendom" and "to define a basis of common principle upon which Christians can cooperate for world order."

Under the conference theme, "Man's Disorder and God's Design," the delegates will attack such questions as: How to infuse more spirituality into our mechanized society without advocating the destruction of all mechanism? What action can the church take among its members to aid in establishment of world order and what is the church's answer to the moral power politics of the present day?

If these are tough questions, the World Council of Churches is likely to prove itself spiritually tough and realistic enough to go a long way toward providing some of the answers.

Heave Ho

Despite the impression you might have received from reading newspaper accounts of the Olympics, American athletes were not the only ones who took part in the games.

This straining gentleman, for instance, is Imry Nemeth of Hungary, who won the hammer throw with a heave of 182 feet, 11 1/2 inches.

Whether or not the President's program would indeed lower the living costs, of course, is a debatable question but it at least is a positive program of action. Apparently the Republican leadership has decided that inaction is the answer.

Changing Senate Rule

Just for the sake of the record and to correct a widespread belief in a fallacy, any rule of the senate may be changed by a simple majority vote. The Republicans have a majority in the senate.

So the Republicans could by a simple majority vote of their membership change the two-thirds rule to establish a cloture and limit debate.

Thus, instead of using it as a strategic move to prevent action on anything, had the GOP wished to pass the civil rights program they could have killed off a filibuster at any time they wished. This reporter verified this fact with the parliamentary of the senate.

HOLY LAND: Optimism

Although the July 18 truce in Palestine put at least a temporary end to the military bloodshed between Jews and Arabs, the struggle for rights and power continues behind the diplomatic scenes in the Near East.

However, there is some reason to believe now that many of the troubles in the troubled spot may be smoothed out when Count Folke Bernadotte, U. N. mediator, proposes his next peace plan, in September.

One of the reasons for such optimism is the attitude of King Abdullah of Trans-Jordan, most powerful of the Arab league states.

Abdullah has asked for full and careful consideration of any future proposal for permanent peace in Palestine.

And, he said, his "Arab nation does not exclude any possible compromise that secures justice and prevents unnecessary bloodshed."

"We would like that the efforts of Count Bernadotte in the refugee problem be successful, and afterwards that any new proposals which he will make should not be rejected outright, but be fully discussed before they are put in final form."

That Old Oil

Oil is being consumed in the U. S. today at a rate exceeding the total world consumption of only 10 years ago, according to an article in a recent issue of "Business Comment," bulletin of the Northern Trust company in Chicago.



WALTER SHEED, WNU Correspondent

High Costs Hit All

This reporter believes that the most rabid Republican or the most partisan Democrat will admit that the high cost of living is hurting the American people and is the most dominant domestic issue in this campaign.

There is no family, rich or poor, that is not feeling the impact of the unreasonable or unconscionable prices the people must pay for whatever they buy, necessities or luxuries. There is no denying the fact that millions in the lower income brackets are exhausting their savings and cashing in their war bonds to pay for the daily cost of living.

There also is the undeniable fact that insofar as the American people are concerned the time has gone by for recriminations, for "who



done it" investigations or for casting about for who is to blame for the inflationary spiral in which the people are enmeshed.

The unescapable conclusion is that those most vitally affected either by action or inaction of the special session of the 80th congress are the large masses of the people in the home towns, on the farms, in the factories and offices and particularly those with fixed incomes.

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Washington Digest

Czech Refugee Confirms Crack in Iron Curtain

By BAUKHAGE

WASHINGTON.—Is the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics cracking? That's an idea which is being toyed with by some wishful thinkers in Washington while others consider it one of the most dangerous playthings that ever got into the hands of unwary diplomats.

In any case, the theory is worth examining. It appears to have been encouraged by some members of the little group of highly intelligent but also highly prejudiced people who form a constantly growing segment of Washington society—the political refugees from the countries on the Soviet borders. One can, however, trust this group for certain basic facts.

Recently, I learned one of these facts which may surprise you. Of course, you recall that Soviet diplomacy always has explained what we call its aggression as simply a desire to surround itself with what it describes as "friendly" countries. The refugees of whom I spoke are living proof that not all of the inhabitants of Russia's satellites are friendly.

However, most of us have been led to assume that at least the government and the controlling Communist minorities which support them have been able to produce a degree of mutual affection which satisfies the Kremlin. After Tito's action we wondered.

What about the frontiers between these countries and Russia?

The answer came from an anti-Communist recently arrived from Czechoslovakia—one of the many persons who are seeping out of that and other satellite countries every day. He was asked in my presence if the frontier between his country and Russia was open, in the sense that travel was permitted under the same conditions that obtain between normally friendly nations.

The Czech laughed. He said: "The border between my country and Russia is no tighter than a dam would have to be to keep a drop of water from getting through."

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SALESMANSHIP IS DEAD

Speakers at a national convention of salesmanship executives declared that the sellers' market is over and that salesmanship, now at its lowest ebb, must devise new techniques. Lowest ebb is an understatement. Salesmanship, in the eyes of the customer, has become not only dead but mummified. In the period of shortages and wide customer demand the average salesman has ceased to function, except in the manner of a deep-freeze unit.

It has become an exploit similar to a polar dash to approach the fellow who was supposed to be interested in selling something.

The customer's greatest need in contacting a salesman has been proper defrosting equipment.

It has been years since we saw a clerk or salesman in many fields smile, register interest or show half of 1 per cent politeness toward the buyer. We have frequently had our lower extremities frozen on the trip from the store or agency entrance to the salesman's desk.

The old-fashioned American salesman who used to spring to his feet when a customer appeared, extend the glad hand, show a keen desire to be of service, and cultivate goodwill or bust has largely disappeared.

We can remember away back when, even if the staff had no stock on hand, it never greeted a customer with that "less than the dust beneath my chariot wheels" manner, and when every salesman or clerk realized that there was no percentage in making a customer feel that a visit to a salesroom or store was like a trip through the icepack.

Too many salesmen today don't even bother to show routine civility. They have developed complete indifference to a high art. They give you the old "This is all so unnecessary and annoying" look if you ask more than two questions of 10 words each. They give you a definite feeling that you are indulging in a futile dialogue in an Eskimo igloo.

The other day we went to an auto salesroom back home and found even the head of the company giving an over-all demonstration of how to freeze the prospective buyer in three simple lessons. He was on the floor supposedly assisting, and at the moment talking listlessly with a prospect. We drew near and awaited our turn. The gent walked off to a far corner without as much as an "Excuse me, I'll be with you in a moment."

Up to this time we had assumed that at least the boss knew the fundamental rules of holding customer goodwill.

TRANSFER OF DUROCHER

It was obvious that Mel Ott couldn't stand up against Leo Durocher: He was using catchers for catchers.

Many good gags have followed the Durocher incident but we liked Walker Cooper's "All catchers out for infield practice, boys!" when his team got the news.

How to score the Durocher play puzzles us, but we would be inclined to say that he slid from first in Brooklyn to second in New York but was called out by Rickey for falling to touch Brooklyn bridge.

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The FICTION Corner

LIFE WITH JEAN

By HELEN LANGWORTHY

DORIS WALTERS ran a clean, white sheet of paper into her typewriter. Very determinedly she began, "Susy Cow was out in the meadow, eating the green grass when—"

That was it "when"—what? In her mind's eye she tried to total all the stories she had written about Susy Cow, Timothy Piggie and Horatious Horse. The stories would reach to the moon, of that she was sure. But they did keep a roof over the heads of she and her daughter, Jean.

Doris went to the window for inspiration. The same dull yard, the same dull neighborhood of the town of East Branch was there. She wished desperately that she might write something altogether different but according to the publishers the youngest generation had not had their fill of Susy, Timothy and Horatious. They wanted more. Sometime, she reflected, she would burst out and write something but those too-familiar epics, publishers or no.

Doris smiled then, for from the window she saw 17-year-old Jean standing on the corner with Pety. They were talking with intense interest. Doris went to the kitchen and fixed a thick sandwich in readiness for Jean. She reflected that for one so dreamy looking, so ethereal, Jean had no loss of appetite.

She practically marched to the typewriter then, determined that Susy Cow would be doing something before Jean breezed in. As it happened, an idea hit Doris, an idea so overwhelming that she sat and whistled like Jean. Could she? She would! She was whizzing away at her typewriter when Jean came in.

"Hello, Mov," Jean called loudly. "I'm starved!"

"There's a sandwich," Doris answered shortly and went on typing. Jean munched the sandwich and asked, "Got an idea for dear, dear Horatious at last?"

"Yes, Brand new," Doris answered absently, clicking away. Jean was in the mood for conversation and also she might have noticed that her mother had a far-away look she had to tell her the school gossip. "Alfie had a new dress on; called it a rag, but she was careful to let the label show. Pety liked me in bangs, but Chuck says it puts me in the kiddie car class— Mov, you're not listening!"

"You'd be surprised what a good listener I am," Doris answered, but Jean turned on the radio full blast then and Doris resumed typing. Days passed. Jean talked this day of Pety, that day of Chuck and forever worried whether she looked kiddie car young or hideously old, even twenty!

"Can't you forget the seven-year-olds and concentrate on the 17-year-old?" she asked plaintively after finding Doris typing for many days.

"This story is—different. Maybe I ought to tell you—" Doris began. But Jean clapped her hands over her ears and ran from the room. "Spare me the details, I've positively heard my last Horatious yarn." She grinned wickedly. "Just let me help with the check!"

"There was a reward for Doris' tired fingers the day the publishers wired her that the synopsis had been altogether satisfactory and to rush the completed manuscript. They sent an advance that left Doris dizzy.

"I'm made, Jean," she crowed. "It's easy street for us from now on."

Jean picked up the check, unbelievably. "Did Timothy and Horatious do this? Oh, I love 'em to pieces. What will we buy first, Mov?"

"That evening there was no typing for Doris and Jean mentally spent thousands, maybe millions. "We ought to move to New York," Doris told Jean. "I'm sick of this town. An apartment—with someone else to shovel snow all winter and weed all summer!"

"It will be just too-too wonderful," Jean relaxed in dreams of their future. One minute she appeared as still as the Sleeping Beauty.

It wasn't as much fun as in the books."

A few pages further Jean read of the time she had caught the front of her dress on a porch railing at a dance and had torn a strip completely off without noticing. On the dance floor she became aware that two inches of her slip showed. But several dances later three other girls had "suffered" similar accidents. Next day 10 girls tried the new style.

Jean sniffed and flipped more pages. There was the account of the time the new life guard began duty. He was wonderfully hand-



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Beauty, the next she went tearing over the phone. "Gotta tell Pety," she called.

"Wait! Something could go wrong—" Doris cautioned.

But Jean was already saying, "Guess what? Horatious came thru in a big way!"

FROM then on things were even more hectic than they usually were around Jean. The crowd dropped in often, thrilling with Jean over the move or mourning that they'd perish if she dared leave.

It seemed to Doris in those frantic weeks that life was a round of typing and cleaning up the kitchen after the raids of Jean's gang. The publishers were getting impatient and already sending a few sample ideas of their promotion plans for the book.

The day it was finished Doris felt vaguely uneasy and went for a long walk. On the path by the river she told herself she wouldn't dare sit down or after all those nights of work she would do a Rip Van Winkle.

Back home Jean came in with her usual, "Mov, I'm starved!" Munching an apple she sat down at her mother's desk and picked up the top page of the new story. She was curious about the excitement her mother had uncorked for the seven-year-old gang.

The title appalled her. It was "Life With Jean." She began reading; she skipped pages. It was all there. Her story. It began with her first date with Pety. They were 12. At a kid's party Jean had thought Pety "hers" but afterwards he had gotten on his bike, waved casually and rode away leaving Jean to walk home alone.

Jean gasped. Skipping a few pages, she read: "—she was washing her face—washing?—practically scrubbing. When asked why, Jean answered calmly, 'Pety kissed me."

Star Dust

STAGE-SCREEN-RADIO

Released by WNU Features.

By INEZ GERHARD

WITH "Juvenile Jury" returning to its regular Sunday afternoon stint on Mutual, emcee Jack Barry is gearing himself for the psychological switch from its summer replacement, "Life Begins at Eighty," to the youngsters' amusing performance. Their newest member, 4-year-old Johnny McBride, charmed audiences last season by his obliviousness to the fact that he was on the air. If he felt



JOHNNY MCBRIDE

like sleeping, he closed his eyes. He spoke up only when he had something to say. At one point he startled Barry by redirecting a question to him. He is probably the most uninhibited young man on the air.

Jeff Donnell was having a fine vacation in Maine, after playing a leading role in a summer stock theater, when she was summoned back to Hollywood to appear in RKO's "Interference" opposite Victor Mature. Jeff, cast as the wife of a gridiron hero, will be in good company—Lucille Ball, Elizabeth Scott, Sonny Tufts and Lloyd Nolan work with her.

Back in the 1920's, Walter Catlett played an important role in "Sally" during its 4-year run on the New York stage. Marilyn Miller starred. Now, Catlett has been signed for the musical based on her life.

A new version of "The Better Half" will return to the Mutual network August 19, with several new comedy routines added. "Tiny Ruffner" will be master of ceremonies and "The Three Jesters" will provide a musical background.

Brian Foy goes in for good casting rather than big names in his pictures, which is one reason Scott Brady got a wonderful break in "Canon City." Hal Wallis spotted Scott soon after he arrived in Hollywood, told him he could make good in pictures and to do something about it. Scott spent ten months working hard in a little theater company learning to act. Good looking, fine company, very modest about his own achievements, he needs only a few more good roles to land at the top in Hollywood.

Producer Edward Small has arranged to film "Lorna Doone" in England so that he can take advantage of the huge castles in Exmoor, the locale of the classic novel laid in 17th century England. He will do it in technicolor.

Ingrid Bergman has always wanted to see the places where Joan Arc lived, fought and died, so now that she is in Europe making a film she is taking advantage of all free time to visit those historic scenes.

Jean Heather was a sophomore at the University of Washington when a Paramount talent scout saw her. The result was a part in "Going My Way" and a long-term contract. She worked up to top roles, then decided to go back to college. She's back in Hollywood now with a degree. Eagle-Lion promptly came up with a leading role for her in "Red Stallion in the Rockies."

Jack Berch, who sings for millions of NBC listeners each week-day morning, has taken another step in his drive to promote the Golden Rule. He has formed a "Good Neighbor club." Admission is gained by submitting a clipping from a local newspaper in which a good deed or act of kindness is described. Jack reads the most unusual ones on the air.

ODDS AND ENDS—Billie Burke will have one of her usual feather-brained roles in Metro's technicolor musical, "The Barkleys of Broadway." Ginger Rogers and Fred Astaire head the cast. Lucrezia Tuttle has established herself so firmly as "Eliza Farnham," secretary of "Sam Spade," that she had to be written out of the script while on vacation. . . . William Snyder, "Truth or Consequences" contestant who is out to put Hollywood on the map in ten weeks by getting 1,000,000 people to sign his petition, has been collecting signatures at the rate of from 5,000 to 10,000 a day since June 9.

Kathleen Norris Says: Love Is a Panacea for Boredom

Bel Syndicate.—WNU Features.



"Pam is always interested, always laughing, always happy and I can't help being bored, wondering whether it's all worth while. . . ."

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

"WHAT does it matter what else you have or know or do," demands Marigold Wilson disconsolately, "if you haven't a good disposition? What gives one woman a good disposition anyway and gives another a horrible one like mine? I'm better looking than my sister, Pam; my husband makes more money than hers; my two children are pretty well grown, her four are still very small. Yet Pam is always interested, always laughing, always happy and I can't help being bored, wondering whether it's all worth while, fighting a dreadful sense of being left out of things, missing things."

"Pam looks at me as if she couldn't understand a word I say, when I try to express the way I feel. Yet thousands of other women experience the same feeling of futility, of frustration, of failure. In a word, to my sister life is one continual adventure and to me, it's one continual flop."

Well, of course, we all know that mood as a mood. But when it becomes chronic, it is dangerous. It is unfair to the children of the family, destructive to the wife and mother who indulges it and supremely cruel to the man who is tugging along at a dull job and vaguely aware that whatever he does, Marigold isn't going to be happy. Consequently, the atmosphere of home is one of gloom and failure.

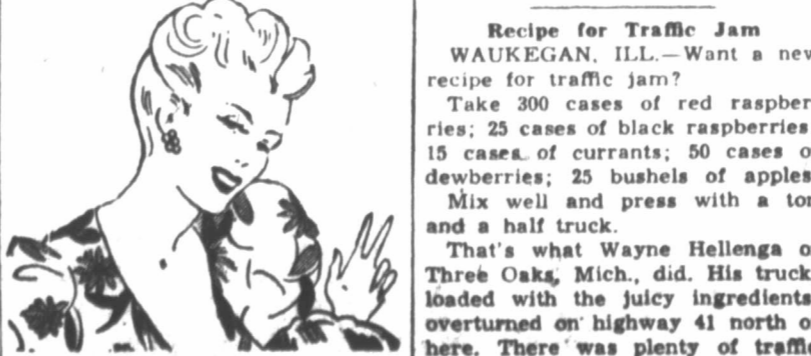
Several times, during the many years when I have been writing these articles, I have been accused of undue optimism. Only this week I received an angry letter from a young woman in a Pennsylvania suburb, who said among other things:

"I wish you would get tired of telling us all that we can be successful, we can be rich and famous. All we have to do, according to you, is put \$10 in the bank every week and serve our men appetizing dinners made of cuts of beef neck and tompis. Don't you know that 99 women out of a 100 never are rich, famous or successful? You make other women bitter when you talk that way."

Many Are Unsatisfied Well, it never would occur to me to make these statements, as quoted here, so Minnie Forster is misquoting. But I know what she means. She means that a great many lives, like that of Marigold in the opening questions, are defeated and unsatisfied and that it is nothing short of maddening to be told by older and more fortunate women that their failure is not unavoidable.

What I have said repeatedly and what I say again now is that there is no life that may not be dignified, useful and fulfilled. And when you meet these conditions, you cannot escape happiness.

All success is not what it seems. Sometimes it is the bitterest sort of dead sea fruit. All wealth is subject now to so many taxes and obligations, so many irresistible appeals for charity and general help, as not to be wealth any longer in the old sense. As for fame, it is a fruit with a poisoned core. For every moment



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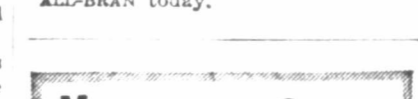
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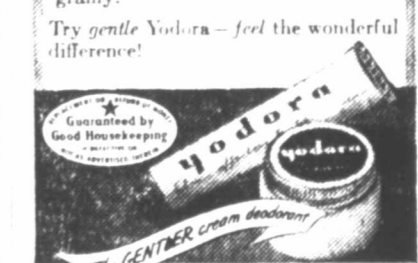
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**Church**

**Baptist Church Notes**

Monday  
 W. M. U. 3 p. m.  
 R. A's. and G. A's. 4 p. m.

Wednesday  
 Mid-week Service 8:00 p. m.

Sunday  
 Sunday School 10 a. m.  
 Morning Worship 11 a. m.  
 Training Union 7:15 p. m.  
 Evening Worship 8 p. m.

**Church of Christ**  
 Loraine, Texas  
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 K. E. Freeland, Minister  
 Regular Services each Lord's Day as follows:  
 Bible School 10 a. m.  
 Preaching 11 a. m.  
 Communion 11:45 a. m.  
 Young People's Class 7 p. m.  
 Preaching 8 p. m.  
 Mid-week Service  
 Wednesday 8 p. m.  
 Morning "Stewardship"  
 Evening, "Some good characteristics of the Devil."

**Methodist Church**

Sunday School 10 a. m.  
 Morning Worship 11 a. m.  
 Youth Fellowship 7:15  
 Evening Worship 8:00  
 Mid Week Service  
 Wednesday 8:00

**BAPTIST W. M. U.**  
 Both Circles of the Baptist W. M. U. met at the church Monday night with Mrs. Dan Butler of the Lottie Moon Circle directing a program on Missions. The opening song, "Send the

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**KITCHEN MEMO**  
 by JEAN CLARKE  
 Thrifty-minded cooks are turning to poultry for main dishes instead of higher-priced meats and they are especially proud of Roast Duck stuffed with Orange Sweet Potato Stuffing. Combine 3 cups hot mashed sweet potatoes with 1 tsp. salt, 1 cup lightly packed bread crumbs (corn bread if possible), 1 cup peeled diced oranges, 1 tsp. grated orange rind, 3 tbsp. melted fat. This is enough stuffing for a 4-5 lb. duck. Lightly stuff neck, fold skin over back, fasten with skewers. Body cavity should be lightly stuffed, closed with skewers, then laced with string or thread. Fold wing tips under and tie ends of legs together. After placing on back in shallow roasting pan, let excess fat escape by pricking skin across back, around legs, wings and tail. Roast uncovered in slow gas oven held at 325° for 2 hrs. Serves 4-6.

Housewives who want leisure, yet must serve tasty meals on time, have learned to plan entire oven meals cooked by clock control. All they do is set the clock which automatically lights the oven burner, then automatically turns off the gas when the meal is done. The clock can be set hours ahead of time so that the cook can walk out of the kitchen and let this mechanical servant do the cooking for her.

The removable drip trays underneath the top burners of your gas range are as easily cleaned as a dish. Just wipe with warm soapy water, dry thoroughly on bottom and top before replacing.

If two tsp. starch are added to the last rinse water for tea towels, there'll be no lint left on glassware or dishes to mar their gleam.

Light, was sung by the group. Rev. Barton led in prayer. Mrs. Dee McCollum gave the devotional, reading from the first chapter of Luke and commenting on the Great Commission. Mrs. Woodrow Pratt and Mrs. Hubert Thomas sang as a duet, Help Somebody Today.

Dorothy Hallmark gave a report on her work at the Baptist Assembly in Hedgesport, N. C., this summer and Willie Mae Rankin spoke on the Home Mission work in New Mexico, where she has been during the summer months.

In the business meeting plans were made and committees appointed to entertain the Baptist Association to be held here in September.

Rev. R. T. Barton and the R. A. boys were visitors. Closing prayer was led by Mrs. Dee McCollum.

Ottis Muns is in Dallas this week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brown spent the week end in Christoval.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Ison of Fred B. Ison Dry Goods attended the Heart of Texas Market Festival at San Antonio last week. San Antonio chamber of commerce were host to hundreds of buyers from the southwest. Special events were daily luncheon and entertainment at the Gunter Hotel. Tuesday evening a buffet luncheon and style show were held at the Alamo Club.

Mrs. Lily Bennett and her mother, Mrs. W. H. Finley, returned home Saturday from Hico and Fort Worth, where they had been visiting relatives.

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Mrs. Freedom Taylor and baby Monahans spent Monday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Faulkenberry.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wilmon Tartt and Loretta visited Mrs. Tartt's parents in Clyde Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Tartt and son visited relatives in Abilene Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Walker and daughter, Mrs. Ben Supprer, returned to their home in Silver City, New Mexico, Thursday and Mrs. Minnie Fairbairn returned with them for a visit.

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Les'or Baumann left Saturday for Grand Prairie, where he has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Combs and children visited in Sweetwater Sunday night.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Epperson and family last week were his mother, Mrs. L. L. Epperson, and his brother, Alton Epperson and family, and Junior Dry, all of Tyler, Texas.

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### DOUBLE STRENGTH METHOD

1. Make coffee double strength by using half the amount of water to the usual amount of coffee.
2. Pour hot over ice cubes in tall glasses. The extra strong coffee allows for the dilution caused by the melting of the ice.
3. Serve with cream and sugar.

### PRE-COOLED REGULAR STRENGTH METHOD

1. Make coffee regular strength.
2. Cool in a non-metallic container for not more than 3 hours. Or, if the container is tightly covered, chill in refrigerator.
3. Serve in tall glasses with ice, adding sugar and cream to taste.

Vary your iced coffee service by adding a big scoop of ice cream to each glass. Or serve it with whipped cream flavored with a few drops of vanilla, cinnamon or nutmeg.

## New Weapons For Farmers in Bout Against Weevil

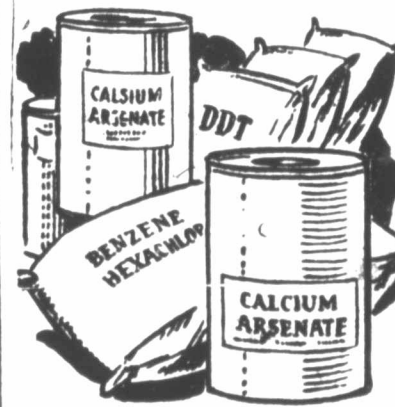
Farmers have available in 1948 more weapons to fight the boll weevil and other cotton insects than ever before.

Long and careful studies by state experiments and the federal government have now proved conclusively the values of benzene hexachloride, chlorinated camphene, and DDT. Chlordane is in the final experimental stages. Calcium arsenate continues to be recommended in most areas.

Unquestionably the cotton farmer has poisons available which will help him cut to a new low the portion of his crop eaten by the boll weevil and his buddies.

The National Cotton Council recommends that farmers in areas where severe infestation seems likely keep on hand sufficient poison for at least one application.

The proper poison for local use will vary with the different sections of the Belt and with the particular insect damaging the crop. Complete information on recommended insecticides is available from every county agent and vocational agriculture teacher in the cotton states.



C. H. Hackfeld and sons went to Fort Worth Sunday.

Miss Ruth Ann Hall visited in Dallas last week.

Mrs. C. W. Palmer of Abilene visited friends in Loraine Saturday.

Mrs. J. L. Ashon and daughter of Rotan visited Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Combs Sunday.

Dorothy Hallmark returned home Saturday from Ridgecrest, North Carolina, where she has been attending the Baptist Assembly.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Marth, Jr. of Lubbock spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hallmark.

Louella and Juanice Bruce accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Grady Carothers and sons of Goldthwaite on a two weeks tour of the northwestern states, visiting the Royal Gorge in Colorado, the Yellowstone National Park in Wyoming, Coulee Dam in Washington, Golden Gate Bridge and the Yosemite National Park in California, the Boulder Dam in Nevada, and the Grand Canyon in Arizona.

**SELL IT Through the CLASSIFIED**

THE MITCHELL COUNTY NEWS

Rev. S. H. Salley and family left Monday for Casper, Oklahoma, to visit with Mrs. Salley's sister.

Grady Furlow left Sunday for Marlin for medical treatment.

Mrs. Floyd Richey went to San Angelo Thursday to visit her brother, and from there to Ballinger to visit her mother and sister for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Presley Powell of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Linam, last week and while here Mrs. Powell had dental work done.

Mrs. Trae' Butler left Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Glass of Sweetwater, vacationing in Austin, Galveston, Corpus Christi, and Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Chastain went to Christoval Thursday for Mrs. Lee Kidd, who has been there several weeks for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Bennett of Lubbock visited his mother and grandmother, Mrs. Lily Bennett and Mrs. W. H. Finley, over the week end.

Mrs. Willie Mae Rankin returned home last week from Espanola, New Mexico, where she spent the summer doing Baptist home mission work.

Jeff Parker returned home Saturday from Stovall Wells, where he had been for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Thomas and daughter Annabell of Dublin visited here last week in the homes of their sons Hubert and Irvin Thomas.

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### VISITORS HONORED

A watermelon feast was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Bruce on Monday evening, honoring Miss Isla Bruce of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. John Mulroy and daughters of California. Others present were J. M. Bruce, Robert Bruce of Kermit, Mr. and Mrs. Worth Bruce and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Bruce, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hlilman of Colorado City.

### HAVE YOU READ THE STATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS YET?

The Mitchell County News the past four weeks has been publishing four amendments to the Texas Constitution to be voted on at the general election in November. This issue is the last for them to be run, so if you have not read them you had better do so in order to become familiar with them.

Mrs. Ida Dickenson and Miss Lillie Nelson visited in the A. J. Scarborough home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy G. Harvey of Colorado City visited Mrs. Harvey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Payne, Wednesday night.

Mrs. Garland Cary and children are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Allbright at Grand Prairie.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Payne and Wanda were guests in the T. A. Baird home at Rotan over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Vaneliav and Don of Wichita Falls spent Tuesday and Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Scarborough, and her sister, Mrs. Cullen Payne and family.

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FIRST AID to the AILING HOUSE

by Roger C. Whitman

QUESTION: What can I use to wash my furniture?

ANSWER: Clear turpentine is often used to clean the woodwork of furniture followed by polishing with a coat of paste wax applied thinly and well rubbed, when dry.

QUESTION: We have to put a new floor down in our basement. Which is better, plank or concrete?

ANSWER: Do not use boards because they will rot in time. Have a good waterproof, concrete floor laid by a mason contractor.

QUESTION: Please tell me how to remove old paint from "white limed oak" finish on a dining set.

ANSWER: Soften the old paint with paint remover, then take it off with a hand scraper and steel wool. Carefully avoid scratching or gouging the wood. Follow by cleaning off every trace of remover with benzene or turpentine. If the color of the wood is what you wish, you can refinish with quick-drying varnish or in some other way.

QUESTION: What can I do in the way of refinishing a brass bed?

ANSWER: If you wish to paint the bed, go all over the metal with sandpaper to roughen it slightly, wipe it with turpentine and then apply one or two coats of enamel undercoat. Finish with a coat of enamel.

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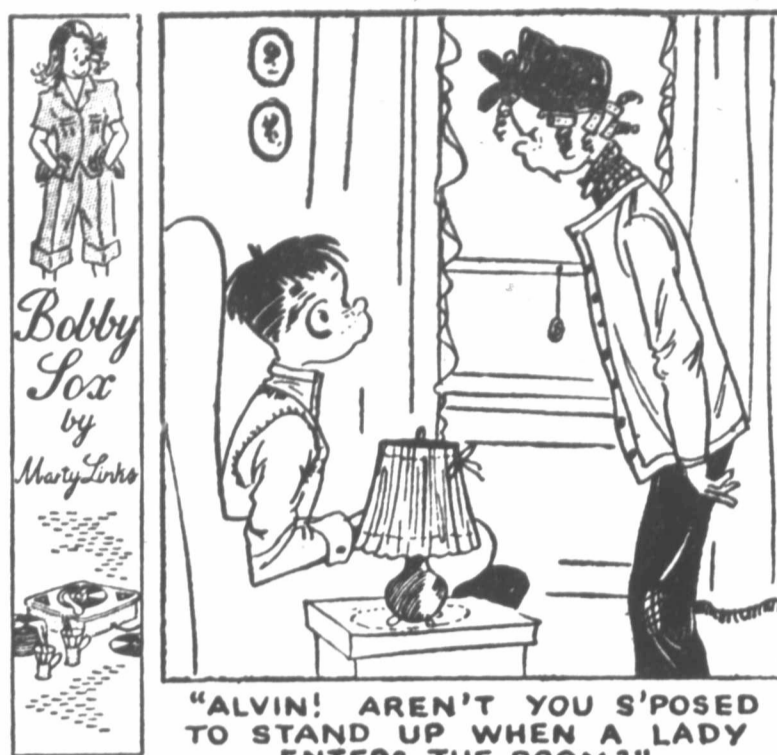
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"I'M NOT WORRIED ABOUT THE FUTURE. WHO CARES WHAT HAPPENS NEXT WEEK?"



Bobby Sox by Mary Lovio

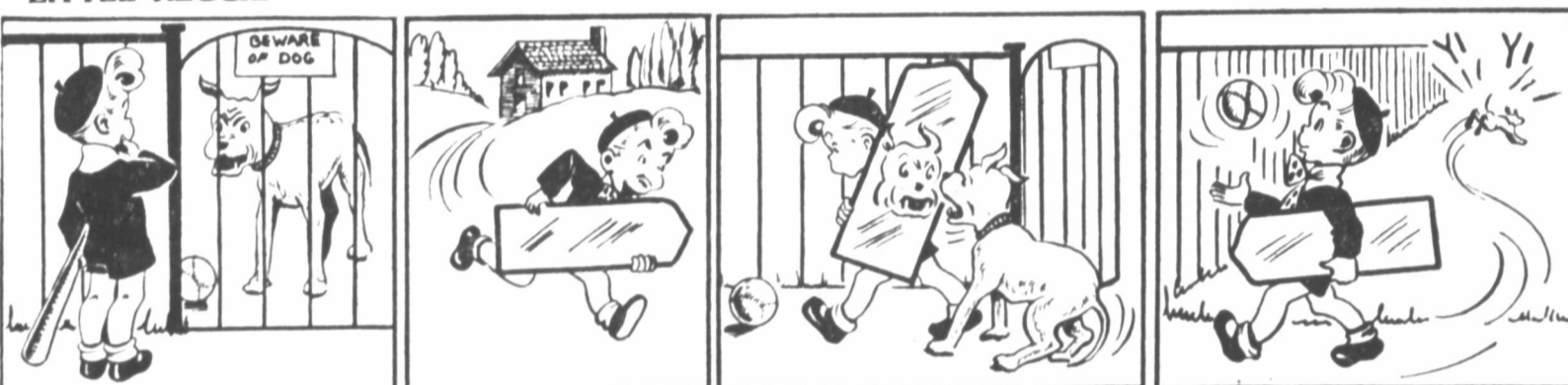
"ALVIN! AREN'T YOU S'POSED TO STAND UP WHEN A LADY ENTERS THE ROOM?"

NANCY



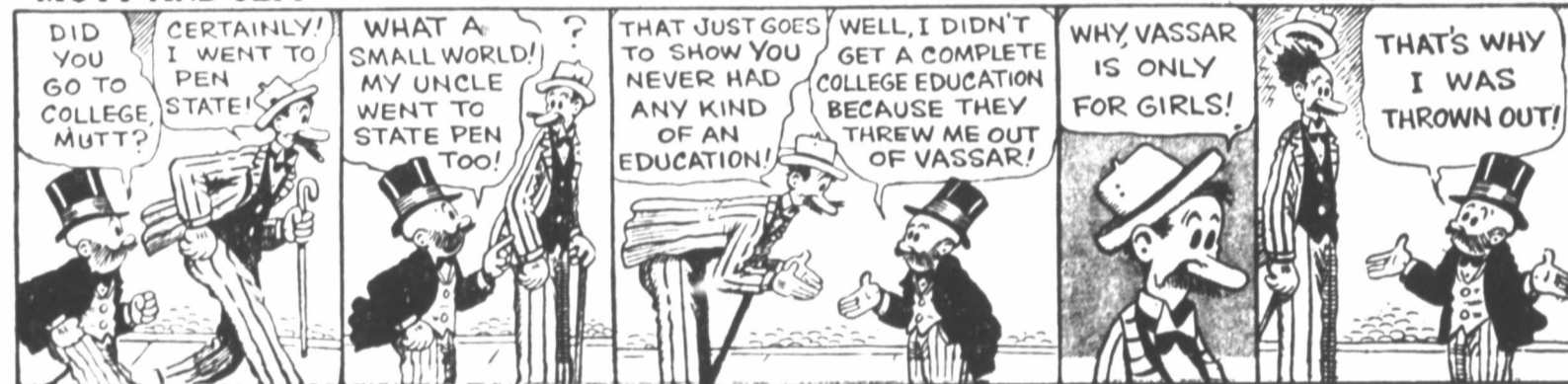
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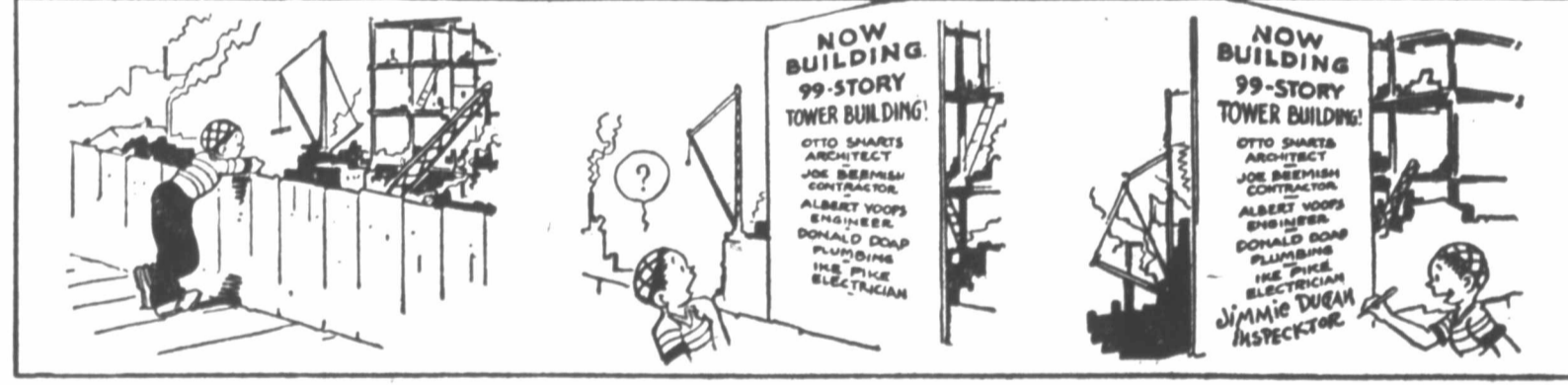
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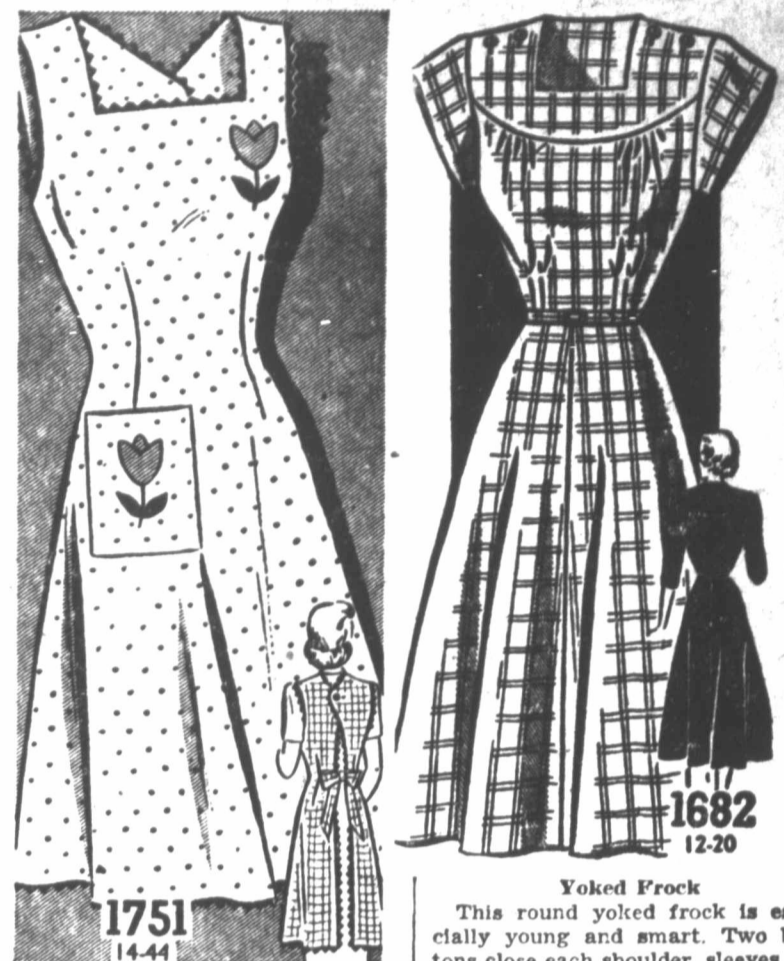
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COVER-UP APRON IS EASY SEWING SMART, WELL STYLED YOKE DRESS



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Onions are probably the most dangerous vegetable to slice thin because they have a way of slipping out of the knife's way...

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Try making dish towels out of worn-out bedsheets. Run an embroidered hem around the edges of the pieces of sheet.

Baking soda will clean the glass door on the oven when it starts to get black.

Put a few drops of oil of wintergreen in the back corner of your refrigerator to absorb food odors.

Dropping a few dried prunes into the jar in which you keep brown sugar is a good idea. The prunes keep the sugar from turning hard.

Rub your breadbox gently with emery cloth if it gets rusty. Use a coat of lard to keep it clean.

Scientific tests have shown that four times a year is an adequate number of times to turn an inner-spring mattress.

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# JUST

### Green Old Age

"Did your grandfather live to a green old age?"  
"I should say so! He was swindled three times after he was 70."

### Nature Study

Teacher—Do you know why the little chickens come out of the eggs?  
Pupil—They know they'd get cooked if they stayed inside.

### Dry Cleaning

"I'm all upset. The doctor said the only way to cure my rheumatism was to keep away from all dampness."  
"What's so tough about that?"  
"You don't know how silly it makes me feel to sit in an empty bathtub and go over myself with a vacuum cleaner."

### Subtle Difference

Bill—Is your cousin looking for work?  
Jim—No, not at all. He only wants a job.

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### Religion: Hand-Sewn

Lesson for August 22, 1948

#### THE NEIGHBORS

didn't know what Tabitha's ideas were. She never went down in history as a great thinker. What church she attended, whether she ever took part in a prayer-meeting, what her spiritual life was like, the neighbors did not say. But they cried when she was dead.

She was a good woman, they knew. When Simon Peter came that way, they did not tell him about Tabitha's prayers or her peace of conscience. No doubt she had these. But what the neighbors brought in to show how good their friend had been, was—"coats and garments." All made by hand, her hands; made for her poorer neighbors, widows. In those days widows were not protected by life insurance, social security or annuity plans. They could not go out and earn big money in factories. To be a widow, as a rule, meant to be in need of help. Too many of them starved. So Tabitha spent her time making clothes for the widows of her city.

#### Full of Good Works

THE BIBLE says she was "full of good works." It does not say she was "full of faith or full of love. Just full of good works. We can be pretty sure the faith and love, the religion, was there, but it was the good works that people noticed.

Religion in Tabitha's house was translated into the language of coats and skirts. Religion always has to be translated into something we can understand. Religion uses words, of course; books full of them. We cannot get along without them. They stand for something. But where the Christian religion is concerned, we cannot stop with words.

### Would They Want You Back?

THERE MUST have been a number of deceased Christians in Joppa, but the only one who seems to have been worth a miracle to bring back to life was this woman, Tabitha, or Dorcas. Her life was over, yet it was a life worth living again.

How many people would be worth bringing back to life again? How many funerals would the neighbors want done in reverse? Not many, maybe, but if the neighbors voted at each funeral, as they did at Tabitha's, on the question, "Do we want this person back again?" they would usually vote for people like Tabitha, whose religion was all hand-sewn.

### What Is Service?

SERVICE is a word much used in Christian circles. We even have the world around us using the word. Department stores, government agencies, radio manufacturers, filling stations, all offer service. The trouble is that much of this is something for which you have to pay. And much so-called service is simply mending something that was not done right in the first place. Tabitha's service was of a different kind. It was genuine doing for people who couldn't do much for themselves and who certainly could not do anything in return.

Even among Christians, when we think of service we set our sights sometimes too high. We think of Telemachus, who stopped the brutal sport of gladiators murdering one another on Roman holidays. We think of great missionaries or settlement workers, or Christian statesmen like Gladstone or Kuyper. All honor to such men and women; they inspire us all. Yet they discourage us, too. For these great Christians are "special" people; they had outstanding talent, some of them even genius. They had opportunities given only to a few, opportunities that do not come in every one's lifetime.

### Religion in the Hands

WE SHOULD REMEMBER this Tabitha or Dorcas. All she had was her hands and some pieces of cloth. Her only opportunity was a poor city filled with poor people. Her only talent was one most women have: Plain sewing.

Yet the Tabithas, the Dorcas, make the backbone of Christianity. They are the salt of the church, the salt of the earth. In your own town, in your own community, if the Christian religion is loved and respected, it is not because of the famous preachers; it is because of the humble deers, the people whose Christian religion goes to their hands.

## HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers

### Cook in Cool Morning To Avoid Sweating Over Stove at Dinner

ARE YOU the homemaker who's sweltering over a hot stove preparing the evening meal, somewhat on the grumpy side, short with the family and generally discontented? Or are you the cool and neat homemaker who simply opens her refrigerator door and swishes food on the table with neat flourishes?

If you aren't the latter, then do something about it now. Plan several menus for each week that have most of the food prepared early in the morning so they may be served chilled for dinner.

Some women always will object to this plan because, they say, the food is so light that husbands are not fully satisfied. The dishes I'm giving you today are on the hearty side even though they are served cold.

It's a good idea to serve some hot food with a cool meal, but this hot

Egg and cheese loaf is an ideal supper dish because it has a high protein content. It can be made on the cool morning of a hot day and served for supper because of its welcome coolness.

may take the form of things that really cook within a short time. Good hot foods to serve are vegetables, soups, biscuits or fruit or berry cobbler or other puddings.

IF YOU LIKE good solid meat on the table, as most men do, it can be served cold with just as much relish as a sizzling roast. Why not try one of these?

#### Swiss Salad (Serves 4)

2 cups cubed cold lamb or pork roast  
1 cup cooked peas  
1/2 cup walnut meats, broken  
2 hard-cooked eggs  
6 stuffed olives  
Lettuce  
French dressing  
Mayonnaise  
Paprika

Marinate meat and peas in French dressing and chill. Add nuts and arrange on lettuce leaves. Sprinkle with paprika and dot with mayonnaise. Cut eggs into slices and arrange yolks. Arrange the white rings around the salad. Cut olives into rings and place one inside each egg white. Press egg yolks through a sieve and sprinkle over salad.

#### Beef-Cheese Plate (Serves 6)

6 slices cold roast beef or corned beef  
6 slices Swiss cheese  
6 deviled eggs  
6 tomatoes  
1 cup cole slaw  
Green and ripe olives  
Potato chips

Place tomatoes stuffed with cole slaw in center of platter. Bank with green and ripe olives. Alternate slices of cold meat with cheese and place around platter. Garnish with potato chips.

#### Egg and Cheese Salad Loaf (Serves 6 to 8)

2 tablespoons gelatin  
1/4 cup cold water  
1 1/2 cups real mayonnaise  
8 hard-cooked eggs  
4 cups grated Cheddar cheese  
1 cup chopped celery  
1 1/2 teaspoons salt  
4 tablespoons chopped green pepper  
3 tablespoons chopped pimiento  
2 tablespoons lemon juice  
Radish roses  
Carrot curls

Soak gelatin in cold water; dissolve over hot water. Cool and add real mayonnaise; mix well. Dice hard-cooked eggs, reserving a few slices for garnish. Add chopped eggs with cheese, celery, salt, green pepper, pimiento and lemon juice to mayonnaise mixture; mix well. Pack firmly into a loaf pan which has been rinsed with cold water. Chill until firm or chill overnight. Unmold on serving plate and garnish with radish roses, carrot curls and watercress. Decorate top with green pepper rings and egg slices.

#### Chilled Tomato Juice (Serves 6)

\*Salmon Supper Salad  
Toasted Rolls  
Cherry Cobbler  
Beverage  
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Softened gelatin in cold water and dissolve over hot water. Cool and add real mayonnaise; mix well. Dice hard-cooked eggs, reserving a few slices for garnish. Add chopped eggs with cheese, celery, salt, green pepper, pimiento and lemon juice to mayonnaise mixture; mix well. Pack firmly into a loaf pan which has been rinsed with cold water. Chill until firm or chill overnight. Unmold on serving plate and garnish with radish roses, carrot curls and watercress. Decorate top with green pepper rings and egg slices.

#### Aspic (Serves 12)

4 to 5 pound rump roast of beef  
1 large chopped onion  
1 clove garlic, grated  
2 tablespoons butter  
Salt, pepper and paprika  
1 1/2 pints boiling water  
2 bay leaves  
1/2 cup tomato pulp  
1 tablespoon flour

Brown onion and garlic in butter; add well seasoned meat and sear quickly on all sides. Add boiling water and bay leaves. Cover and simmer for two and one-half hours.

If you're one of those people who likes salmon in its natural state, serve it in nice chunks with these delightful accompaniments such as lettuce wedges, sliced eggs, canned peas and tomatoes. This makes a pretty and welcome cool platter for Sunday night supper or lunch.

Add tomato and more water if necessary; continue cooking meat until tender. Thicken gravy with flour mixed with a tablespoon of cold water.

Soak gelatin in cold water; dissolve with the beef cubes in boiling water and add to pot roast gravy. Fill a mold with a layer of aspic and place in refrigerator to congeal. Put the cooked meat in the center and place small cooked carrots and onions around it. Cover with remaining gelatin mixture. Place in refrigerator to set.

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## Sportlight by GRANTLAND RICE

IS THERE a limit to speed for a man or a horse? Can the human or the equine frame carry just so much drive before it starts to crack? We put this query to Hirsch Jacobs, one of the finest conditioners in any sport, one of the best horse trainers of any given decade. "To set a record," Jacobs said, "one must have a fast track. That means a hard track.

Setting records on a fast track is dangerous. It has wrecked many fine horses. I would say there is a limit to how fast a horse can run before he cracks up. Especially if he is after records over a hard, fast track.

This reminded me of a story that Charley Paddock once told.

"Just at the time," the World's Fastest Human said, "I was at my peak. I had just tied the world's record at 9 3/5. I knew I could do better. I was set that day at Los Angeles in a Southern California meet. I broke in front. I was flying at the 50."

"Around the 90-yard mark I knew I was headed for at least a 9.1 for the 100 yards. I knew the record was mine. Then the calves of both legs began to shiver. I felt all my leg muscles pulling apart. The thought suddenly hit me that I was on my way to being a cripple. I felt my legs were breaking up over this hard, fast track. I pulled up—and still finished in 9 3/5.

"I couldn't run again for weeks. The calves of both legs were extremely sore and strained." And don't forget that Paddock had two of the strongest looking legs anyone ever saw on a track star.

### Limit on Speed

"I realized then," Paddock told me, "that as we are developed today, we are capable of handling only so much speed. I mean our muscles and our ligaments. In the course of evolution and development someone will run the 100 yards in 9 flat. But not now."

This was proved when Mel Patton ran 100 yards in 9.3 and wound up later with cramps. Patton was moving into the danger zone, due entirely to excessive speed over a hard, fast track. He was finding out what Paddock had discovered years before.

"How does this sound?" I asked Jacobs. "It sounds 100 per cent sensible," Jacobs said. "You can't drive either horses or humans over fast, hard tracks into records without paying the penalty. Which is a breakdown. What do the owners want—a record or a sound horse?"

Jacobs claimed Stymie for something like \$1,500 and turned him into a million-dollar probability.

The racing game is packed with fine trainers. We could start with Ben and Jimmy Jones. We could bring you Maxie Hirsch, certainly one of the greatest.

We could call on Sunny Jim Fitzsimmons who knows horses better than horses know themselves. A great trainer. There is Honest John Partridge, who has been a fine trainer for 50 years. Most of these are veterans. Ben Jones, Fitzsimmons, Hirsch, John Partridge—able, smart, can take you back more years than you can remember.

### Young Trainers Are Good

There are any number of younger trainers on the job—Johnny Gaver of Greentree; S. E. Veitch of C. V. Whitney, one of the best, and several more. But I also like the training methods of Jacobs, who wins his share of races without any \$50,000 or \$60,000 investments in young talent.

Jacobs is a condition man. Condition to me means so much more than anything else. A champion must have many things. But above all he must have condition. Joe Louis had little condition in either his first or second Joe Walcott fight. Walcott kept in condition. But he was a second-rate fighter.

As a result, Louis, rated one of the best of all the heavyweights, was far behind Walcott after 25 consecutive rounds.

When Louis' legs began to put on weight you knew what happened. He was far over the top.

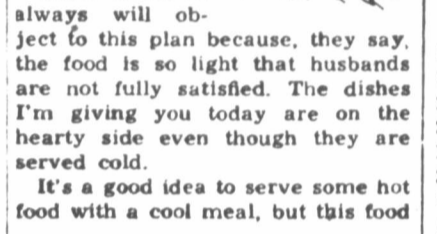
"Condition," Jacobs tells me, "isn't a matter of pigeons, horses or human beings. I've trained pigeons and horses. Human beings would be just the same."

"What are the main qualities?" I asked. "Too many things," Jacobs said. "The amount of work they need. Food. Rest. I'll take up horses. You watch a horse. You watch the way he runs. He may be overworked. He may need more work. These are the things to look for. "No one is ever quite alike," Jacobs said. "I mean a human being, pigeon or horse. Each case must be accorded individual attention."



### LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU

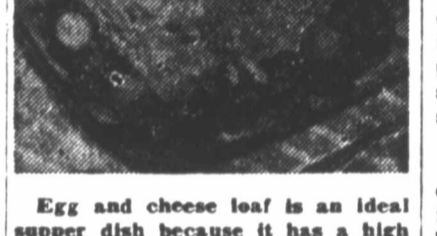
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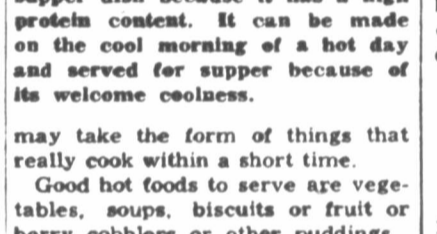
1 head iceberg lettuce  
3 green onions, diced  
2 cups canned peas  
2 tomatoes, cut in wedges  
1 tall can salmon  
3 hard-cooked eggs, sliced  
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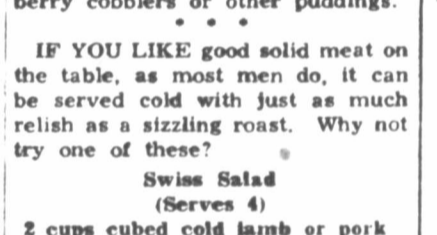
Cut lettuce into cubes and place in salad bowl or platter. Sprinkle with diced onion and canned peas. Arrange tomato sections on lettuce. Place large pieces of salmon in center and surround with slices of egg. Blend French dressing and real mayonnaise, add green pepper, pimiento and garlic. Just before serving, remove garlic. Serve with salad.



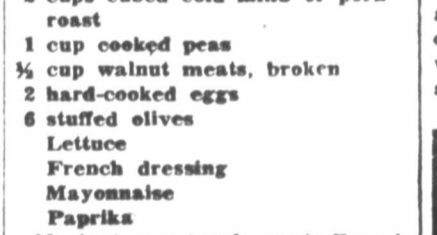
COOK THE MEAT in this recipe on a cool day, then make an aspic for it and you'll have an excellent dinner, fit for company:



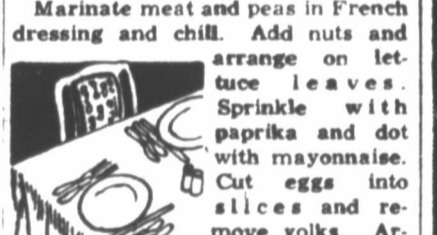
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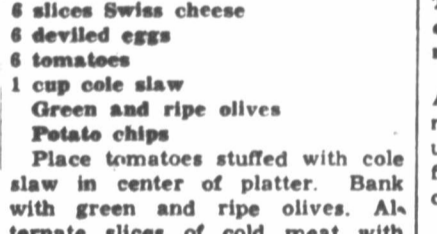
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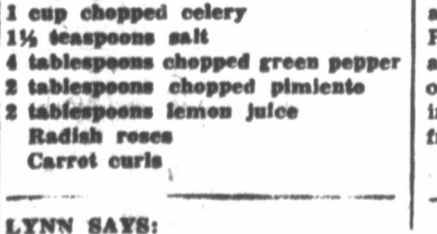
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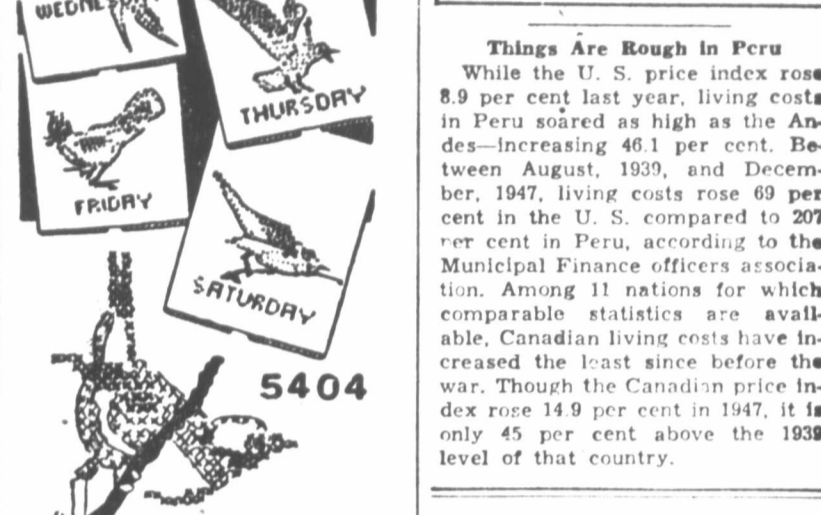


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Thomas Kimble and daughter of Miami, Arizona, former residents of Loraine, visited friends here Saturday. Thomas is manager of the J. C. Penny store.

Mrs. Willie Mae Thompson of Midland was here over the week end visiting her mother, Mrs. A. B. Smith, and other relatives.

S. O. Givens has returned from the Root Hospital in Colorado City, where he spent the past week for treatment.

Betty Ann Shewbert of Colorado City visited Ruby Faye Beights over the week end.

**H. L. R. No. 21**  
**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION** proposing an Amendment of Section 1-a of Article VIII of the Constitution of Texas to provide that no ad valorem tax shall be levied for State general revenue purposes after January 1, 1951, and authorizing the several counties to levy additional ad valorem taxes for certain purposes, providing for a Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) residential homestead exemption, and providing for tax levies in counties having tax donations; providing for submission to the qualified electors and for the necessary proclamation by the Governor.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:**  
Section 1. That Section 1-a of Article VIII of the Constitution be amended so as to be read as follows:  
"Section 1-a. From and after January 1, 1951, no State ad valorem tax shall be levied upon any property within the State for general revenue purposes. From and after January 1, 1951, the several counties of the State are authorized to levy ad valorem taxes upon all property within their respective boundaries for county purposes, except the first Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) value of residential homesteads, not to exceed thirty cents (30c) on each One Hundred Dollars (\$100) of value, from shall be used for construction and maintenance of farm to market roads or for flood control, except as hereinafter otherwise provided.  
Provided that in those counties or political subdivisions of the State in which tax donations have heretofore been granted, the State Automatic Tax Board shall continue to levy the full amount of the State ad valorem tax for the duration of such donation, or until all legal obligations heretofore authorized by the law granting such donation or donations shall have been fully discharged, whichever shall first occur; provided that if such donation to any such county or political subdivision is for less than the full amount of State ad valorem taxes so levied, the portion of such taxes remaining over and above such donation shall be retained by said county or subdivision."  
Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the date fixed by the Governor, to be held throughout the State on or after the first Monday of November, A. D. 1948, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon "FOR the Constitutional Amendment of Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide that no ad valorem tax shall be levied for State general revenue purposes after January 1, 1951, and authorizing the several counties to levy additional ad valorem taxes, providing for a Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) residential homestead exemption, and providing for tax levies in counties having tax donations." Each ballot shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment. The above provision for voting for and against this Constitutional Amendment shall be placed on said machine in such a manner that each voter shall vote on such machine for or against the Constitutional Amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

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**B. J. E. No. 2**  
**A JOINT RESOLUTION** proposing an amendment to Section 25 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to provide for a Board for apportioning the state into senatorial districts and representative districts in the event the Legislature fails to make such apportionment; providing for the issuance of the necessary proclamation by the Governor; and making an appropriation.  
**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:**  
Section 1. That Section 25 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as hereafter to read as follows:  
Section 25. The Legislature shall, at its first regular session after the publication of each United States decennial census, apportion the state into senatorial and representative districts, according to the provisions of Sections 25, 26, and 28-a of this Article. In the event the Legislature shall at any such first regular session following the publication of a United States decennial census, fail to make such apportionment, the same shall be made by the Legislative Redistricting Board of Texas, which is hereby created, and shall be composed of five (5) members, as follows: The Lieutenant Governor, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the Attorney General, the Comptroller of Public Accounts and the Commissioner of the General Land Office, a majority of whom shall reside in the State. Said Board shall assemble in the City of Austin within ninety (90) days after the final adjournment of such regular session. The Board shall, within sixty (60) days after assembling, apportion the state into senatorial and representative districts, or into senatorial or representative districts, as the failure of action of such Legislature may make necessary. The apportionment shall be in writing and signed by three (3) or more of the members of the Board duly acknowledged as the act and deed of such Board, and when so executed and filed with the Secretary of State, shall have force and effect of law. Such apportionment shall become effective at the next succeeding statewide general election. The Supreme Court of Texas shall have jurisdiction to compel such Commission to perform its duties in accordance with the provisions of this section by writ of mandamus or other extraordinary writs conformable to the usage of law. The Legislature shall provide necessary funds for clerical and technical aid and for other expenses incidental to the work of the Board, and the Lieutenant Governor and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall be entitled to receive a special session of the Legislature. This amendment shall become effective January 1, 1951.

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Against the amendment to Section 25, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide for a Board for apportioning the state into senatorial districts and representative districts in the event the Legislature fails to make such apportionment."  
Each voter at such election shall mark out one of such clauses on the ballot, leaving the clause expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

**H. J. R. No. 15**  
**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION** amending Section 15 of Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto the proviso that the husband and wife from time to time may in writing partition between themselves in severally or into undivided interests all or any part of their community property, whereupon without prejudice to the rights of the creditors, the community property set aside to each spouse shall be and constitute a part of the separate property of the respective spouses.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:**  
Section 15. All property, both real and personal, of the wife, owned or claimed by her before marriage, and that afterward acquired by gift, devise or descent, shall be the separate property of the wife, in relation to her separate property, as well as to her community property, provided that husband and wife, without prejudice to pre-existing creditors, may by written instrument, as if the wife were a feme sole partition between themselves in severally or into undivided interests all or any part of their community property, or exchange between themselves the community property of either of them for the community property of the other spouse in other community property, whereupon the community property set aside to each spouse shall be and constitute a part of the separate property of the respective spouses.  
This Amendment is self-operative, but laws may be passed prescribing requirements as to the form and manner of such instruments, and providing for their recording, and for such other reasonable requirements not inconsistent herewith as the Legislature may from time to time consider proper with relation to the subject of this Amendment and prescribing the requirements as to the form and manner of the execution of such instruments and providing for their recording and other reasonable requirements not inconsistent herewith and anticipatory hereto, such Act shall not be invalid by reason of its anticipatory character and shall take effect just as though this Constitutional Amendment was in effect when the Act was passed.

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State of Texas at an election to be held throughout the State on the second day of November, 1948 at which election all voters favoring said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words "FOR the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing that husband and wife from time to time may in writing partition between themselves in severally or into undivided interests all or any part of their community property, whereupon without prejudice to the rights of pre-existing creditors."  
Those opposing said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:  
"AGAINST the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing that husband and wife from time to time may in writing partition between themselves in severally or into undivided interests all or any part of their community property existing at the time of partition so as to convert same into separate property of the respective spouses without prejudice to the rights of pre-existing creditors."  
Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution for amendments thereto.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Franks of Mound, Texas, are here visiting Mrs. Frank's brothers, Almer and Albert Hiser.

Clyde Wilson of Fort Stockton visited his mother, Mrs. H. B. Wilson, and other relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Wilson of Sweetwater, Clyde and Dennis Wilson and Mrs. H. B. Wilson visited relatives in Lubbock Thursday.

Mr. J. V. Dickson and son J. V. Jr. of Lynwood, California, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Bruce Thursday.

Sarah and Irene Noftman of Colorado City are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crowover and Miss Annie Jarratt and Mrs. Lucille Mahon this week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Nix and children of Detroit, Michigan, visited Mrs. Walter Nix Thursday and Friday. They were on their way to Odessa to make their home.

**H. J. R. No. 1**  
**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION** proposing an Amendment to Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding a new Section 11 to the Constitution, so as to provide for succession to the office of Governor in the event the Governor dies, or becomes disabled, or falls to qualify, before taking his oath of office, the State of Texas shall be and the same is hereby amended, by adding another Section to follow Section 3, and by designating Section 3, to read as follows:

"Section 3. In the event the Governor shall die, or become disabled, or fall to qualify, before taking his oath of office, the person receiving the highest number of votes for the office of Governor, as determined by the speaker, shall be and the person having the highest number of votes for the office of Lieutenant Governor shall act as Governor until the next general election. In the event the Governor shall die, or become disabled, or fall to qualify, before taking his oath of office, the person receiving the highest number of votes for the office of Governor, as determined by the speaker, shall be and the person having the highest number of votes for the office of Lieutenant Governor shall act as Governor until a person is qualified for the office of Governor, or until after the next general election. Any person succeeding to the office of Governor shall be and shall, during the entire term to which he may succeed, be under all the restrictions and limitations provided in this Constitution on the Governor."  
Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State at a General Election to be held throughout the State on the date provided for by the month of November, A. D. 1948, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon:  
"FOR the Constitutional Amendment providing for gubernatorial succession in the event the Governor dies, or becomes disabled, before qualifying and for such succession in other contingencies."  
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Each voter at such election shall mark out one of such clauses on the ballot, leaving the clause expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

**H. J. R. No. 12**  
**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION** amending Section 15 of Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto the proviso that the husband and wife from time to time may in writing partition between themselves in severally or into undivided interests all or any part of their community property, whereupon without prejudice to the rights of the creditors, the community property set aside to each spouse shall be and constitute a part of the separate property of the respective spouses.

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This Amendment is self-operative, but laws may be passed prescribing requirements as to the form and manner of such instruments, and providing for their recording, and for such other reasonable requirements not inconsistent herewith as the Legislature may from time to time consider proper with relation to the subject of this Amendment and prescribing the requirements as to the form and manner of the execution of such instruments and providing for their recording and other reasonable requirements not inconsistent herewith and anticipatory hereto, such Act shall not be invalid by reason of its anticipatory character and shall take effect just as though this Constitutional Amendment was in effect when the Act was passed.

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Those opposing said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:  
"AGAINST the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing that husband and wife from time to time may in writing partition between themselves in severally or into undivided interests all or any part of their community property existing at the time of partition so as to convert same into separate property of the respective spouses without prejudice to the rights of pre-existing creditors."  
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**H. J. R. No. 14**  
**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION** amending Section 15 of Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto the proviso that the husband and wife from time to time may in writing partition between themselves in severally or into undivided interests all or any part of their community property, whereupon without prejudice to the rights of the creditors, the community property set aside to each spouse shall be and constitute a part of the separate property of the respective spouses.

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## Veterans' News

### Questions and Answers

Q. May I go to a private hospital in my home town and have Veterans Administration pay the bill?

A. If you have a service-connected disability and have received prior approval from VA to do so, you may go to a private hospital in your home town at VA expense.

Q. Can I transfer my National Service Life Insurance policy to any of the private companies?

A. No. Your NSLI is convertible to one or more of the six permanent plans issued only by Veterans Administration. These are Ordinary Life, 30-Payment Life, 20-Payment Life, Endowment at Age 60, and Endowment at Age 65.

Q. Just which veterans are entitled to hospitalization in a Veterans Administration hospital?

A. Veterans with service-connected disabilities have a top priority for VA hospital care. Veterans with non-service-connected ailments may be hospitalized under existing law if beds are available and if they say they cannot afford treatment elsewhere. Peace-time veterans, members of the Regular Establishment, retired officers and enlisted men, under certain conditions, also are eligible for hospitalization.

Q. If I apply for hospitalization, how long will I have to wait before I am admitted to a VA hospital?

A. If you have a service-connected disability you do not have to wait to receive hospitalization. If your disability is non-service-connected but is an emergency, you are admitted immediately. Non-service-connected ailments that do not require emergency treatment have to wait until a bed is available, and the time varies at each hospital. Non-service-connected veterans also must sign statements that they cannot afford to pay for treatment elsewhere.

Q. May I go to my own doctor for treatment of my disability and have Veterans Administration pay the bill?

A. Only if you receive prior VA approval for such treatment or care. Approval is based on the following conditions: (1) you must have a service-connected disability; (2) VA must not be able to provide the treatment in its own hospitals or clinics; (3) travel to a VA station would work a hardship on you. In emergency cases, a veteran may apply to the nearest physician and have the physician notify the VA regional office having jurisdiction over the area.

### NORTH LORAIN CLUB

The North Loraine Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday, August 11, in the home of Mrs. Wilmon Tart.

Miss Alma Lee, teacher in the local schools and a member of the Bauman-Looney Home Demonstration Club, gave an interesting demonstration on textile painting. She showed the correct type of paint and brush to use, sizes and types of stencils and painted a cherry design. She concluded her demonstration by showing samples of her work which included an apron that had been washed a number of times. Following Miss Lee's demonstration Mrs. J. L. Jones of the Landers Club showed boxes of cards and folders her club is selling to raise funds.

Mrs. H. C. "Buck" Taylor presided at the business meeting in which the club voted to donate \$10 to the Mitchell County Home Demonstration Council funds and several members voted in favor of chartering a bus to the Dallas Fair in October. This bus would be used by all club members in the county.

A 42 party will be held in the home of Mrs. Loyd Brame on Monday night, August 23, and a "White Elephant Sale" will be held.

Refreshments of frozen lemon pie and ice tea were served to the following visitors: Miss Alma Lee, Mrs. L. D. Crawford, Mrs. J. L. Jones, and Mrs. Howard Tartt, and the following members: Mmes. H. C. Taylor, Roy Little, Roy Wells, Willie Taylor, Lanthus Brame, Harold Hammark, Alva Bennett, Loyd Brame and the hostess.

The next club meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Alva Bennett the first Wednesday in September.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Thilson returned to their home in Monahan Saturday after visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Chamness and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Linam and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Butler and Mr. and Mrs. Tharon Henderson visited Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hall in Kermit Sunday.

Doyce Nix spent the week end in Abilene visiting his brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Nix and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Nix.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. House spent last week in Odessa visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carl House, who recently moved there.

Mrs. Jeff Davis was called to Sundown last week to be at the bedside of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Vernon Davis, who is seriously ill.

Diana Edgar of Sweetwater visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Martin, and Janie over the week end.

Mrs. Doris Martin had as her house guest over the week end Miss Princess Martin of Dallas, who has been at home with her parents in Colorado City this summer. She is counsellor in Highland Park schools.

Billy Joe Martin visited his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Edgar and family, in Sweetwater over the week end.

Mrs. Homer Wilson spent Sunday in Sweetwater with Mrs. W. W. McCarley.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Dobbs and children visited relatives in Terarkana and Louisiana last week.

Mrs. Ruby Robertson and Mrs. Josephine Marshall and little granddaughter spent last week in Big Spring with Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Marshall and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Jackson of Odessa spent from Friday until Monday visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Jackson.

Mrs. W. L. Hester and daughter, Mrs. Peter Martin of Colorado City, left Monday for Albuquerque, New Mexico, on a vacation trip.

J. W. Pool of Abilene visited his aunt, Mrs. G. A. Hutchins, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Blair and children of Buford and Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Martin of Robert Lee visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Reddin Sunday.

Janice Stuart of Sweetwater visited Barbara Small last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Reddin visited in Midland Monday.

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