



THE CHILDRESS INDEX

RUSSIAN ARMY AND AIR FORCES INVADE FINLAND

BOBCATS WILL BATTLE TIGERS IN MUD TODAY FOR DISTRICT CROWN

It looks like a case of the best mudder winning in the home stretch—something of a gridiron Preakness with our bobcats and the Electra Tigers in the Challedon and Johnstown roles.

And with the local followers unanimously hoping that the Cats will be the Challedon of the race.

For two and a half months, during the start, back stretch drive, and coming into the home turn, the district 2-AA track has been bone dry, but two days of continuous drizzle has soaked the home stretch at Electra for this afternoon's decisive test.

While intermittent breaks this morning in a sky that has been overcast for two days, indicated that although the track will still be slick and slightly muddy, at least the 5,000 or so holiday stadiumians will be left high and dry, atmospherically speaking of course.

It's pretty plain that the breaks on a wet field will be about even. Childress will have its passing desire checked, but at the same time the slow going will probably be joy to such beefy boys as Brack Taylor and Albert Williams and the entire Bobcat line.

Electra's elephant gaited backfield that has stomped eight of nine opponents may find their widely heared ground deception stifled somewhat, but they will still have plenty of power either (Continued on Page 10)

Stolen Car Is Recovered; Three Held

A 1938 Pontiac coupe, reported stolen at San Antonio Monday, was recovered here and three men were arrested late yesterday afternoon by Sheriff Dick Moore, Deputy Sid Partain, Highway Patrolmen J. L. Pingenot and Sam Gardner.

Terry Keener of Medina Valley, believed by officers to have driven the car here, is being held for San Antonio officers. A Mexican, Andrew Matta, is also being held, but the third man will probably be released, officers said.

San Antonio officers told Sheriff Moore that the car, with about \$600 worth of electricians' tools in it, was reported stolen there Monday by the owner, Louis Parsons. Officers here found an electric drill and other similar equipment which had been "soaked" by the men here. Other equipment was still in the car, but it appeared that much of the equipment had been disposed of elsewhere.

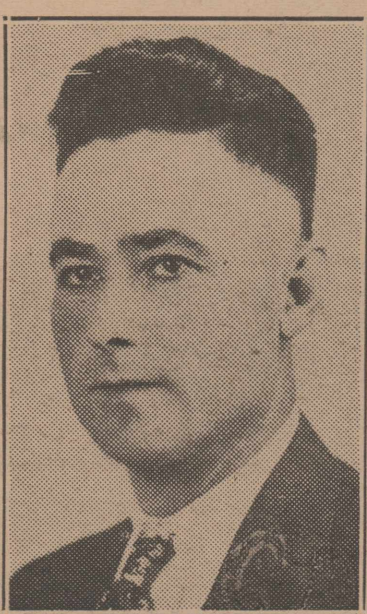
Officers here plan to investigate further on two checks given here by Keener, Sheriff Moore said.

Preslars Hurt In Collision

Dr. and Mrs. P. A. Preslar of Childress suffered minor injuries last night when their car collided with another machine on the Iowa Park highway near Wichita Falls.

Dr. Preslar suffered a cut lip and Mrs. Preslar a gash over the right eye. Both received treatment at a Wichita Falls hospital.

The Preslar car collided with a car driven by E. F. Prince of Wichita Falls.



CLARENCE HARP

MERGER OF BANKS ANNOUNCED

The First State bank of Kirkland and the First State bank of Childress are being merged and will be opened tomorrow as the First State bank in Childress.

Clarence Harp, cashier of the Kirkland First State bank, will be executive vice president of the new organization.

The old personnel of the Childress bank will remain the same and Roy Key, assistant cashier of the Kirkland bank, will join the staff, it was announced by Harp.

"The assets of the two banks are being merged and consolidated which will make a stronger banking institution for Childress county," Harp said.

Both banks were in excellent condition, according to bank examiners.

Harp has been in the banking business more than 20 years. He was with the Kirkland bank 20 years and prior to that worked at the Security National bank of Quanah and the First National bank of Iowa Park.

He has lived in Childress county for 39 years and is a member of one of the most prominent families in the county.

UNDECLARED WAR GETS UNDERWAY AS PLANES BOMB SMALL COUNTRY

WASHINGTON (UP)—The soviet government today indicated it will reject the offer of the United States "good offices" to settle the Soviet-Finnish conflict.

MOSCOW (UP)—Informed soviet sources denied for the second time today that they had any knowledge of reported soviet aerial bombings in Finland.

They declined to comment on the report.

HELSINGFORS, Finland (UP)—Russian airplanes raided a fortress outside of the city just before noon but the attack was unsuccessful.

It was the second air raid alarm of the day. Five bombs had been dropped on the airport in a raid by a squadron of six planes earlier. One of the six planes was shot down by Finnish anti-aircraft.

HELSINGFORS, Finland (UP)—Unofficial sources today estimated casualties in a mid-afternoon air raid at "hundreds," including a large number of dead.

The air attack, starting at 2:45 p. m. lasted for 15 minutes.

First unofficial surveys of the scene indicated that about half of the casualties might be dead.

Soviet Circles Deny Knowledge Of Finnish War

MOSCOW (UP)—Well informed soviet circles denied at mid-afternoon that they "had any knowledge of a reported soviet attack on Finland".

(This denial came more than five hours after Helsingfors and other Finnish cities were bombed and Russian troops had crossed the Finnish border.)

Telephone and telegraph communications between Moscow and Helsingfors had been interrupted.

The United States offer of its good office in the soviet-Finnish dispute was presented to the foreign office by Walter Thurston, American charge de affairs at 12:45 a. m. (three hours after the bombing at Helsingfors.)

Thurston saw the vice commissar of foreign affairs for 10 minutes (Continued on Page 10)

HELSINGFORS, Finland (UP)—Russia began furious undeclared war on Finland on land and sea today.

Bombing planes attacked cities, including Helsingfors, without warning; war ships opened fire on Karalien isthmus from the gulf of Finland; artillery pounded the Finnish lines, and infantry crossed the Soviet-Finnish border.

The American legation will be (Continued on page 10)

ACCIDENT IS FATAL

Clyde King, Tulia resident, died in a Childress hospital last night from injuries he received last Saturday night in an accident at Estelline. The body was taken to Tulia for burial.

King had jacked up his car to repair the motor, and the jack slipped, allowing the car to fall. He was struck on the head by the machine as it fell and suffered a fractured skull and brain injuries.



FREED OF CHARGES by a Dallas grand jury who investigated the two-gun shooting of attorney Brooks Coffman, blonde Corinne Maddox is shown here embracing her mother after her exoneration. (Acme Telephoto)

TODAY

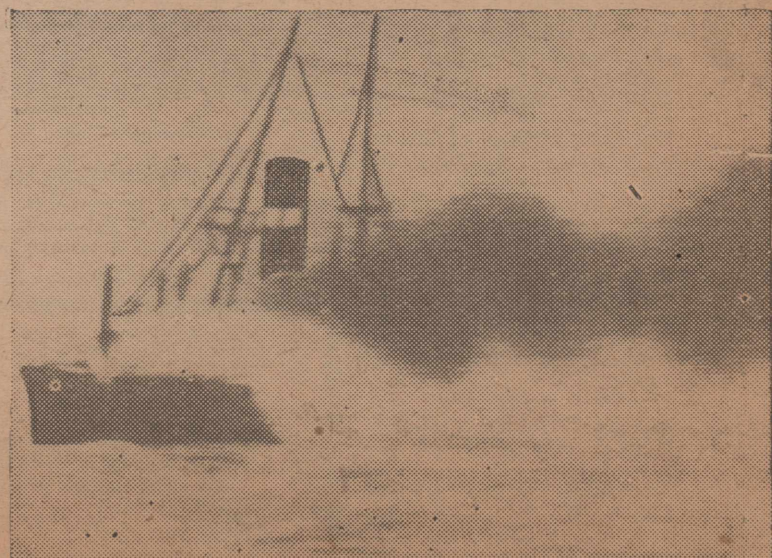
AT THE PALACE
"Dust Be My Destiny", with John Garfield, Priscilla Lane and Alan Hale.

AT THE GEM
"She Married a Cop", with Phil Regan, Jean Parker and Benny Baker.

AT THE MONOGRAM
"Death of a Champion", with Lynne Overman, Virginia Dale and Donald O'Conner.

THE WEATHER

United Press Forecast
Childress and vicinity: "Mostly cloudy with possible rain in central and eastern portions. Friday partly cloudy. Temperature same.



AFLAME AND SINKING after striking a mine in the Thames estuary, this 8,857-ton Dutch liner, Spaarndam was another victim of nazi sea warfare. Eight lives were lost. (Acme Radiophoto)

Musical Program At Girl Reserve

A musical program was presented with Miss Mildred Dudley in charge when the Girl Reserve met at the home of Miss Ruby Lowe Tuesday evening.

"Rosy" Bates tap danced with Miss Lucille Hix accompanying him on the piano; Benny Ray and Ruby Lowe sang a number; Miss Jane Hardin sang, and Miss Wanda Johnson played a piano selection.

At the close of the meeting popcorn was served to Misses Verlene Atkinson, Helen Badgett, Caroline Carroway, Betty Coffey, Aldabeth Craig, Betty Cotton, Helen Davis, Juanita Davis, Lonene Hassell, Jane Hardin, Eureka Hatley, Ima Jean Gentry, Wanda Johnson, Connie Kerr, Ruby Lowe, Fayma Lowe, Jo Evelyn Michie, Betty Jane Preston, Juanita Sartain, Kathleen Williams, Loretta Withers, Clarice Taylor, Juanell Gloar, Lolly Johnston, Mildred Dudley, Faye Sullivan, and the club sponsor, Mrs. Clyde Jones.

BPW Dance Plans Are Underway

Arrangements for the dance sponsored by the Business and Professional Women's club to be staged at the Fair park auditorium following the West Texas highway banquet Tuesday evening at high school gymnasium are going forward under the leadership of Miss Reba Curtis, club finance chairman.

J. B. Ireland's orchestra of Wichita Falls has been secured for music at both the banquet and dance.

The club's educational fund will be benefited by this dance, and the money will also aid in financing a planned NYA vocational training project.

Mrs. Parrish Host To Carey HD Club

Mrs. Carl Parrish was hostess to the Carey home demonstration club at her home Tuesday afternoon.

The program included an upholstering demonstration by Miss Reba Curtis, home demonstration agent, and Mrs. Parrish's living room was scored. Mrs. Parrish is the living room demonstrator.

Plans were made for the annual club Christmas tree to be held at Mrs. G. W. Farmer's home on Dec. 16.

Thanksgiving candies were served to Mmes. P. A. Eford, Elmer Trent, Leo Parrish, H. B. Hill, Clint Robinson, G. W. Farmer, Oliver McKee, L. H. Myers, Fred Musgrove, and Misses Lela Farmer and Curtis.

Mind Your Manners

Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below:

1. What are some wines suitable for serving at lunch?
2. Does one usually serve more than one wine at lunch?
3. Whenever you serve but one wine throughout a meal, should it be a light wine?
4. When both white and red wines are served during a meal, which is served first?
5. Are sweet wines correctly served before dry wines?

What would you do if—

You are serving wine with your dinner. Would you—

- (a) Have the wine glasses filled when dinner is announced?
- (b) Have the glasses on the table but empty when dinner is announced?

- Answers
1. Sherry, sauterne, a light claret, or a light Burgundy.
 2. No.
 3. Yes.
 4. The white.
 5. No. The other way around. Best "What Would You Do" solution—(b).

Singers To Meet

The Childress county singers convention will hold its monthly meeting at the high school auditorium Saturday night and Sunday afternoon.

Several visiting quartets and soloists are expected to appear on the program. The public is invited to attend.

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Miss Curtis Host To Readers Club

Miss Reba Curtis was hostess to the University Readers club when it met Tuesday morning.

"Sanfelice" by Vincent Sheehan was reviewed by Mrs. W. H. Lee.

Two guests were Mrs. W. H. Maxwell and Mrs. R. W. McFerran. Members present were Mmes. C. C. Broughton, Frank Decker, Rush Record, Neil Vanzant, P. R. Jeter, Lee and Miss Curtis.

Hacklers Hosts To Melodeers

ONO Melodeers met with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hackler Wednesday evening.

Members and guests were entertained in the decorated rooms with quartet selections and group singing of class songs.

Refreshments of carrot and pineapple congealed salad and smacks were served to Misses Ellene and Vanese Bruce, Annette Partain and Ruth Low, Mrs. Sid Partain, Messrs. and Mmes. Hoyt Crain, George Bruce and Ed Bryant, Messrs. Wayne Freeman, Archie Ray Wilcox, W. M. Walker and E. A. Cowley.

Social Calendar

FRIDAY
Mrs. J. B. Johnson will be hostess to Friday Art club at her ranch home.

SATURDAY
Delphian club will meet at the Department club house, 3 p. m.
Union Flat Home Demonstration club will have its Christmas party at the school building.

Two-Headed Snake Found

KYOTO, Japan (UP)—Local residents are marvelling at a two-headed snake now on exhibition near here. The unusual reptile was found slithering across a road by a schoolboy, who captured it. He put it in a glass bottle and took it to his school where it is being exhibited.

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US WOMEN

By RUTH MILLETT
Chances are you are a bit hazy about the origin of Thanksgiving as a national holiday.

You know the Pilgrims started the Thanksgiving idea. But who carried it on from there?

Well, it was a woman.
From the time of George Washington to the time of Abraham Lincoln, Thanksgiving was celebrated in a hit or miss fashion.

But along about 1846 Sara Josepha Hale, a New England widow and the most influential "lady" of her time, began a 17-year campaign in Godey's Lady's Book (she was its editor for more than 40 years) to make Thanksgiving a national holiday.

A "RADICAL" TO VICTORIANS

Mrs. Hale—who had a lot of radical notions like dropping the Female from Vassar Female College and insisting there should be such a thing as "domestic science"—fervently believed that a National Thanksgiving Day would be a step toward a better understanding between the North and the South. The war came before she had her way and in '61 her plea was that "we lay aside our enmities and strifes . . . on this day". The plea was overlooked in the bitterness of war.

But in 1863 President Lincoln proclaimed the first national celebration of Thanksgiving since Washington's time. Mrs. Hale had won her long campaign.

From 1863 until 1939 the President of the United States each year set aside the last Thursday in November as a Day of Thanksgiving. And the Governors of the various states dutifully followed the President's example by making their own proclamations.

This year, however, finds the country once again unable to agree on the date of Thanksgiving. Sara Josepha Hale, who worked 17 years to get a nation to sit down as one family to a feast of Thanksgiving, might not mind a great deal.

For her reason for a national celebration was to tie the Union more closely together. Now America is together—and will give thanks as a nation, whether those thanks are given on the last or the next to the last Thursday in November.

Rope Trick Fails

EAST LIVERPOOL, O. (UP)—Too much rope, a tin cup and a bottle of bay rum proved the downfall of an East Liverpool man. He was arrested while passing bay rum by means of a 12-foot rope to prisoners in the city jail. Eight of them had become intoxicated.

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Christmas Carols Through the Ages

GOOD CHRISTIAN MEN REJOICE

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and voice;
Give ye heed to what we say
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Legend has it that angels sang this song to Henry Suso, a 14th century mystic, who was so charmed that he danced with his celestial visitors. Originally a German carol, it was used by Bach for a chorale and was put in its present form by J. M. Neale in 1850.

20 Shopping Days Till Christmas

PERSONALITIES
TODAY'S PROFILE

By The United Press

Elliott Roosevelt exhibits in all his actions the relentless energy for which both his father and mother are famous.

His activities range from radio work to livestock breeding experiments on his large ranch home near Fort Worth, Texas.

The only member of his immediate family who did not receive a formal education at Harvard University, Elliott chose instead to begin work in New York City at the age of 17. He worked for several advertising agencies and later was partner in one firm. After Franklin D. Roosevelt was nominated to the Presidency in 1932, Elliott resigned his position in a New York business.

He moved to Texas, then went on to California as chief executive of the Gilpin Air Lines. He liquidated that business and joined the Hearst newspapers as aviation editor. His next work was in executive capacities for Hearst Radio, Inc., the presidency of which he resigned in the spring of 1939, after he was operating the Texas State Network.

Just after he had set up his network serving 23 radio stations, Roosevelt obtained a commercial sponsor and began a series of commentaries which attracted wide attention. He has centered his observations on controversial internal and international problems. He contended that his principal aim is to bring about better business and social conditions in the South and in Texas.

Roosevelt was center of a lengthy controversy when some editorial writers said that he was booming Vice President John N. Garner for the 1940 presidential nomination in defiance of his father's wishes. Some journalists claim that the younger Roosevelt is a "mouth-piece" for the New Deal, others contend that he is an "anti-New Dealer."

Roosevelt's main hobbies are horses and aviation. His favorite recreations are horseback riding and swimming. The eyeglasses he wears, his 6 feet and three inches height, and his 200 pounds weight have proved no detriment in another of his sports—acrobatics.

Estelline News

Billie Bob Holland underwent an appendectomy at a Quanah hospital last week. His condition is reported satisfactory.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Nix and family spent Sunday in Eldorado, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dodson of Fort Worth visited Mrs. Dodson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Richburg, last week. Miss Izzetta Richburg, who had been visiting in Fort Worth, accompanied them home.

Coach Cottingham took the Estelline football team to Lubbock last Saturday to see the Texas Tech-Montana game. Mmes. Cottingham, Labay, Hutchins, and Clifton made the trip with the boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Caldwell, Mmes. Ben Daniels and T. B. Brooks, and Miss Melba Faye Prince left last Sunday for Los Angeles, Cal., where they will visit relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. T. Duncan attended the UDC meeting at Memphis Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Loftin, Mr. and Mrs. Ben T. Jackson, and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Eddlemen were in Quanah last Sunday.

Miss Clematis Taylor is spending the Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Loman at Tascosa.

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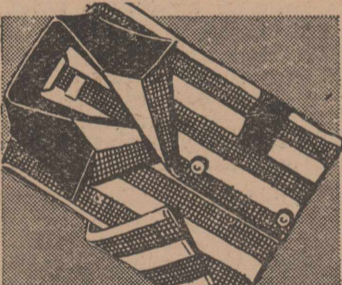
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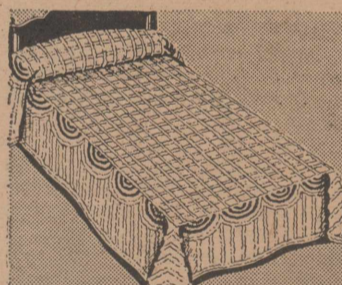
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Thanks for What We Have Not

We give thanks today for all the man-made terrors of civilization that have NOT been visited upon us—the things we cannot afford, the things we do not want:

Bombs bursting in air, fearful eyes pinned on the sky, spiritless survivors picking among the ruins of cities for all that is left of loved ones.

Hungry, scrawny little bodies, never getting used to starvation, never understanding why such things have to be.

Men in trenches, nauseated with fear, knowing they will probably die or come out crippled for life.

Men at sea waiting for death in the form of torpedoes, mines, depth bombs, aerial attack. It doesn't matter how. Death is so much alike in all its disguises.

We are grateful because we don't need to carry ration cards when we go to the grocery store and because we don't need to do without the things we're used to having at our tables.

We don't need to walk dark streets at night, picking our way dangerously along in blackness, carrying gas masks always over our shoulders.

We don't need to leave our factories, offices and fields to put on uniforms and carry guns and learn to shoot men we don't hate.

We don't need to stand along the streets and wave our little flags and cheer as soldiers strut along, when in our hearts we know it is all wrong.

We don't need to feel the deadness and hopelessness that come when fathers and sons and brothers and husbands exchange their places on earth for little white crosses.

We made a mistake once before; we don't want to make it again. We want to be left to do the things we were meant to do—to build, not to destroy. We want to enjoy all the blessings we know today and all the others we can earn. We want our children to be glad they were born into this world. We want to give them a world that is not charred and stained with needless blood.

We are thankful for having been given a chance to rebuild an earth we nearly tore apart 25 years ago. We're sorry some men again want to destroy it. We think it's big enough for everyone to live peacefully.

We hope, above all, we can repeat these words of Thanksgiving a year from now—and every year thereafter.

THE POET'S CORNER

THANKSGIVING
By Jack Mitchell.

I wandered o'er the hills today
Beneath a clouded, dreary sky.
My thoughts did wander far away,
Of gone Thanksgivings; I wonder why.

I sauntered by an old oak wheel,
A wagon wheel in days gone by.
Where bow and arrow fought the steel
And now Thanksgiving; you wonder why.

Long, long ago in the north and south,
"Divide the land," arose the cry.
Yet God laid hand upon that mouth
For one Thanksgiving; you wonder why.

I knelt upon a hill today,
Looking east across the sky,
A blood-stained sky across the way.
My own Thanksgiving: need you ask why?

The World War 25 Years Ago

Battle of Lowicz-Sanniki, Poland, opened.
Russian and Austrian armies locked in battle in the Carpathians.

THANKSGIVING By Herblock



UNDER THE DOME AT AUSTIN

By GORDON K. SHEARER
United Press Staff Correspondent

AUSTIN (UP)—Other prospective candidates for governor may be worrying about Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel's "hold" on the people, but it isn't worrying Jerry Sadler.

Sadler contemplates running for governor and apparently looks forward with pleasure to "taking the governor on."

Even the hillbilly band doesn't scare Sadler. He says his group of fiddlers drew bigger crowds than O'Daniel's in the last campaign. Sadler was elected railroad commissioner in the run-off primary despite O'Daniel's endorsement of Sadler's opponent.

Sadler dips snuff, but is neat about it. He talks the plain-folks' language, is smart as a whip and more determined than a bull-dog. Impolitic, he speaks his mind without regard for consequences. What other political aspirant in Vice-President John Garner's home state would announce: "I'm agin' him for presidential nominee?"

A picture of Sadler's early home and the school he attended at Hickory Grove hang in his office. Hickory Grove, he explains, is on a river bend 21 miles from Palestine. When Sadler was a lad he had no chance to go to Sunday school. There was no church house, one has been built since he left there but it is outgrown, and Sadler now is planning to build one for the community. It will not be for any denomination. It will be for all beliefs.

Sadler still comes to the state capitol early in the morning and checks up on employees of the railroad commission who are tardy. Offices of the commission are scattered. Some are on one floor of the capitol, some on another. Two divisions are in rented buildings away from the capitol. Sadler is likely to bob up at any one of them before 8 a. m. and check the arrival of the employees.

"They don't like it," Sadler admits, "but there have been no complaints."

Alabama's pig crop this year is the biggest in years. We're going to get our ham and eggs after all.

Each golfer in a friendly foursome in Illinois turned in an 89 on his card. Maybe they were too friendly.

Read Index Want Ads every day for fresh, interesting information.

THE FAMILY DOCTOR

V. M. REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.

(This is the sixth in a series of 14 articles by Dr. Fishbein on the nine principal causes of death in the United States.)

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEIN

Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association, and of Hygeia, the Health Magazine

A few years ago, physicians confronted with pneumonia stood in dread because there was so little medicine could do specifically to control this condition. Now there are so many methods and measures that the utmost skill is needed by the doctor to determine just what is to be used and how it should be given.

More than 30 different kinds of pneumococci—the germ that causes pneumonia—have been isolated. The majority of pneumonia cases can be grouped according to a few types. We now have specific serums for each of these types, including horse and rabbit serums. When the pneumonia germ gets into the body, the blood begins building resisting substances. Serums are made by inoculating animals with the germs so the bloods of these animals build up the resisting substances to be injected into the human body when they are needed.

In addition to the serums, however, we now have sulfapyridine and sulfanilamide. The former is particularly potent against the pneumonia germ. The studies that have been made so far indicate that sulfapyridine, when put into the body of a pneumonia patient, holds the germs in check until the body itself can develop enough of the resisting substances to destroy the germs.

In other words, the drug itself does not destroy the germs. For that reason physicians recognize the importance of giving sulfapyridine early and of continuing to give it until the body has developed the necessary resistance.

Unfortunately, sulfapyridine itself is a toxic drug and must be given under the most careful con-

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A United States attorney says 95 per cent of all lotteries in this country are fakes. It seems the first bit of luck you must have is to get a genuine ticket.

A New York state resident went squirrel hunting and bagged a monkey instead. With everything else mixed up in the world, there's nothing mysterious about that.

A truck crashed in California, and 10,000 pounds of sugar were strewn over the highway. Spectators stood around waiting for a strawberry truck to come along.

The patient must be constantly and carefully studied during the time the drug is being given to avoid any dangerous reactions.

Usually when sulfapyridine is given in a pneumonia case, the temperature drops almost immediately. The antibodies appear in the fluid matter of the blood about the time the crisis would normally occur, and it is these antibodies which eliminate the disease.

Of course, the use of oxygen, which permits the blood to continue its function during that period when the lungs are inflamed by pneumonia and when it is difficult to get enough oxygen into the blood, is often a life-saver. There are also drugs to sustain the heart and to control the digestive processes.

Experts predict that the application of these new methods will reflect a definite drop in the death rate from pneumonia within the next few years.

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SO THEY SAY

These things for keeping one's country out of war, providing for the aged and so on, are, of course, admirable, but the difficulty with the pacifistic tendency of American youth today is that it is so short-sighted.—Dr. William Allan Neilson, president emeritus of Smith College, at 50th anniversary celebration of Barnard College.

The peace of Fascist Italy is not a cowardly peace; it is an armed peace.—Premier Mussolini of Italy.

There exists in this hemisphere a large potential amount of capital available to that kind of employment which offers a sufficiently assured reward.—Sumner Welles, under-secretary of state, before Inter-American Financial and Economic Advisory Committee.

I believe that criticism, favorable or unfavorable, is good for public officials.—Gov. Luren Dickinson of Michigan.

This is a war not of man, but of materials, and that is where we will play a big part.—Frederick H. Prince, Boston financier, upon returning from Europe.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By WILLIAM E. GILROY, D. D.
Editor of Advance.

TEXT: Matthew 10:24-39.
Every great movement of religion involves great responsibilities and dangers as well as blessings—especially if the movement is new or if it represents some newness of truth or newness of its application. Discipleship in the new movement inevitably involves sacrifices and it may involve perils.

This was true in the beginnings of Christianity when Jesus sent forth His disciples to proclaim the good news concerning God's mercy and human redemption that He had come to declare. It was necessary to remind the disciples that the disciple is not above his teacher, nor the servant above his lord. Those who were willing to accept Jesus as their Master and to serve Him must live by the rule of His own life.

They must expect to be misunderstood and reviled and persecuted; and it was necessary for Jesus to warn His disciples of the dangers that were before them. The disciple must live above fear, with the realization that even the destruction of his body might mean nothing in comparison with the destruction of his soul.

Is it worthwhile for men to accept such sacrifices and to face such dangers? "Yes," Jesus said, because of the profound value of human life. God watches over the life of the sparrow, but the life of a human being is infinitely more valuable than the life of a sparrow.

In stern, strong words, Jesus emphasizes the exacting nature of Christian discipleship. The very proclamation of a gospel of love stirs up those whose lives are given over to selfishness and hate. So Jesus, the Prince of Peace, uses the strange words that He came to send on earth "not peace, but a sword." One must not interpret those words too literally, for Jesus is the Prince of Peace and His Gospel is concerning the peace that could be found among men if selfishness and hatred and the lust for power were all cast out of human life. But even peace cannot triumph in a world where hearts of men are attuned to war, and where the lives of men are given over to the disregard of interests and needs of their fellow men, without struggle and without devotion. The Christian must bear a cross, as much as the soldier in an earthly war. He must be willing to give his life for the cause of peace, and it is only in losing his life in devoted service that he can really find his life and make it worthwhile.

This lesson was selected before the outbreak of the war in which European countries are now engaged and even before the outbreak of war in the Far East, but the lesson has a particular appropriateness and intensity of interest because of the world situation. We speak of peace and we pray for peace and we hope for peace; but when have either individuals or nations been willing to make any such sacrifices for peace as they have been willing to make for war?

May it not be that in God's economy the cost of peace may be quite as high as the cost of war? It is impossible here to discuss the complex issues that war and the threat of war bring before the Christian conscience. But one thing is certain: whether men use force in a righteous way to repel and overcome unrighteous force or not, we shall never have peace in the world until, both in peace and in war, the dominant purpose of men is to achieve peace and the willingness of Christian disciples to pay the necessary price of peace.

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COACHES VOTE AND—

BOBCATS AND TIGERS DOMINATE OFFICIAL ALL-DISTRICT TEAM

Privitt, Taylor, And Williams On First Team

Every team except the oft-beaten Graham Steers provided talent for the 1939 official all-district 2AA grid eleven selected by the seven coaches of the district and announced today.

Childress and Electra, leaders throughout the season in the league race, dominated the team with three men each, while Quanah claimed two places, and Vernon, Wichita Falls, and Olney one each.

Albert Williams and Brack Taylor, hefty tackles, and Sammy Privitt, sensational guard, were the Bobcats nominated for honors. These three boys have been the backbone of the strong Childress line, and there was little consideration given other candidates for these places.

Privitt is one of the best line prospects in Northwest Texas for all-state honors, providing the Cats enter the state playoff today.

Bates On Second Team

Electra's three representatives were Joe Smith, tagged by most observers as the district's number one end; Jack Sachse, easily the district's best center, and Gayle McLaughlin, high scoring fullback.

To Quanah's Clark Wells, halfback and sparkplug of the Indian offense, and John Jolly, end, went first team awards.

Earl Botkins, Vernon guard, was named to fill the spot opposite Privitt, while Wichita Falls and Olney gained places in the backfield with Curtis Holder, halfback, and Johnny Collings, quarterback.

Victor Bates, Bobcat fullback, was spotted a second team berth and probably would have crowded in among the first eleven if he had not suffered a prolonged leg injury.

Childress players receiving honorable mention were Jimmy Willeford, back; Jim Howard and Clifford Foster, ends; Junior Brown, guard; and Max Jones, center.

Table with 2 columns: Player, team and Pos. Lists team selections for various positions like LE, LT, LG, C, RG, RT, RE, QB, LH, RH, FB.

When King James I of England was a young prince he had a boy who was paid to take his whippings for him.

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FOUR GAMES WILL FINISH DISTRICT 2AA SCHEDULES

The district 2-AA football fire, which has kindled the enthusiasm of the fans to a melting point these past dozen weekends and flared forth on more than one occasion to blister the pre-game hopes of players and predictors alike, will blaze on four fronts this afternoon as 1939 schedules are completed.

In the center ring of the district circus the Childress Bobcats will take the spotlight in their Sunday best, and armed with experience garnered from nine past conflicts attempt to do a Clyde Beatty act with George Blair's Electra Tigers.

There are many, the majority of them local followers, who believe the Bobcats will be successful in putting the Bengals through their paces, and thus embellish the home mantle with the district championship trophy once more, the first time since 1936.

And there are others, both here and elsewhere, who stand firmly convinced that when the ringmaster blows his concluding whistle the Cats will be on the outside of the cage looking in, with the Tigers licking their chops of the last remains of those patriotically colored uniforms of ours.

Childress needs a victory or a tie to sew up the league prize, while Electra's title hopes will rest content with nothing less than a clean victory. The Cats have won four and tied one in conference tries, and the Tigers are a half game behind with four wins and a single loss.

Collings vs Wells

The most interesting aerial performance of the afternoon's program will be presented in one of the three outer rings, where Johnny Collings and 10 other seldom needed Olney Cubs will walk the tight wire with the Quanah Indians.

The Cubs and Indians have scared the daylights out of their opponents all season, and its bound to be an action filled spectacle when Messrs. Collings' and Clark Wells unreel their talents in the Thanksgiving day atmosphere. A damp field will somewhat hamper Olney's passing game, but the Cubs are doped slight favorites nevertheless.

This game will be played at Quanah.

Across the tent in the final conference act of the season's concluding performances Graham's much mutilated Steers will try to shed their district horsecollar by downing Vernon.

What the Lions have to say about the matter is a horse of a different collar, and indications are that the Wilbarger boys will not only keep the neckpiece securely around the Steers shoulders but put a

bridle on their hopes of rising out of the district cellar.

Vernon is the location of this contest.

The Wichita Falls Coyotes, finished with conference worries in firm possession of third place, will clown about unmindful of the consequences in a non-league bout with Mineral Wells. This is the 11th game on the Coyotes slate, and while it has nothing to do with the games that are being "played for keeps", it will serve as an indicator of inter-district power, as the Mountaineers tumbled Breckenridge's prestige considerable last weekend with a 12-12 tie.

This game, as will all the others, be played in the afternoon. The site is Wichita Falls.

Kinnick Gets Heisman Trophy

IOWA CITY, Iowa (UP)—Nile Kinnick, University of Iowa halfback, was "certainly tickled" after he was informed that he had been awarded the Heisman trophy by the Downtown Athletic club of New York.

"It's the finest thing that can happen to a fellow in football," Kinnick said, "and I'm certainly tickled."

He was informed of the award at Adel, Iowa, where he was visiting at the home of his grandmother.

Public Forum

About the time the FW&D-C&S consolidation began to loom as fact instead of fancy, there appeared an interesting editorial in the Childress Index which was very much to the point and certainly focused attention on the real problem that Childress—as a city—now faces. It pointed out that the railroad here had been on a steady decline for many years and had now reached the stage that Childress must look for new industries and businesses.

That is indeed true. The FW&D has reached the vanishing point, insofar as its being a secure and dependable source of revenue for Childress is concerned. The sooner we realize this and begin a search for new capital and industries, the better.

A college would find this an ideal location, with liquor outlawed and plenty of clean, neat homes for students to board at. Other cities are getting airplane and munition factories which we might have, and perhaps even Mr. Henry Ford would be willing to consider Childress as a good, centrally-located spot for an assembly plant.

Speaking of airplanes, our flat terrene would be perfect for an airport, enabling landing fields to be built with a minimum of expense. The absence of hills and mountains should aid in getting us an A-1 rating for a site. And we certainly have an ample supply of adequate labor on hand.

So many of my fellow workers have expressed a desire to end this dreary piece-meal work, of waiting for the business upturn that never comes, that I was prompted to present our side of the matter. I am confident that, if put to a vote, at least 75 per cent of the men would say, "Pay us off, and let us start again!"

WALTER E. STOCKTON.

Carey News

Miss Bernice Boze of Quanah visited in the C. W. Brown home last Saturday.

Mrs. Ada Walker and Miss Joe Ann Yeagan of Fort Worth spent Sunday in the G. W. Farmer home. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Moyer of Memphis visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. E. Baker of Fort Worth visited in the Neal and Fred Musgrove homes last Sunday.

Grandpa McIlroy is ill. G. A. Johnson and Everett Arnn of Littlefield were here on business last Friday.

Fate Gresham, Harbor and Jim Middleton, and W. J. Redwine, students at East Texas State Teachers college in Commerce, are home for the Thanksgiving holidays.

COLUMN—

Sport Parade

By Henry McLemore.

NEW YORK (UP)—College football is a boy's game, but how often we completely forget the fact that it is played by boys.

We back and bet on teams as if they were composed of hardened veterans with years of experience. We pick them to win as if they were invincible units and not groups of impressionable, excitable youngsters, subject to all the peculiarities of those their age. We criticize and get mad at them (particularly us sportswriters) for making mistakes under pressure that would make a Supreme Court justice shiver a bit.

We speak of the Notre Dame team, and the Tennessee team, and the Alabama team, and the Southern California team as if they were case-hardened old fighters who had been meeting emergencies and trooping side by side for years. We forget that a new crop of undergraduates comes along each year, and that the players are just getting old enough to gain poise and confidence when they are graduated and their places taken by a fresh batch of unknowing, wide-eyed beginners.

I was reminded of this by the complete confidence with which many of us have awarded Rose Bowl, Sugar Bowl, Orange Bowl, and Cotton Bowl assignments to teams which still have games to play. Tennessee has all but had a bouquet of roses stuck in its arms, and the Vols must beat two tough teams—Kentucky and Auburn—to remain eligible. Texas A&M must get past an old rival, Texas, and Southern California has Washington and UCLA.

What terrific pressure to put on a bunch of boys! To have them going into games knowing beforehand that the way they run and pass and kick and handle the ball may mean the difference between thousands and thousands of dollars for their schools, glory for themselves, honor for their coaches, and—nothing at all.

Even the most ordinary football game arouses tremendous emotions

in the players. Only those who have been with players in the dressing room just before a game can realize the intense excitement under which they labor. The fact that the emotional strain under which these boys face an ordinary game is multiplied a hundred-fold when they come close to the end of a perfect season, with only a victory or two needed to assure them of a bowl bid, makes it almost ludicrous to say that this team or that team is going to finish undefeated.

What do you think those Tennessee boys are going to be thinking about when they line up against Kentucky and Auburn? Just this: A fumbled punt and no California; a missed block, a bad pass from center, and no sight of Hollywood stars, no trip across the country.

Texas A&M will be thinking the same things when it goes out against Texas. New Orleans is a mighty sweet place on New Year's Eve, and Miami isn't hard to take when the snow is falling.

This bowl fever won't be striking at the nerves of the beaten teams. With nothing to lose and everything to gain they figure to be at their very best.

So, all credit to the youngsters who do arrive at these bowl games. They're just boys, but they have the stuff that men are made of.

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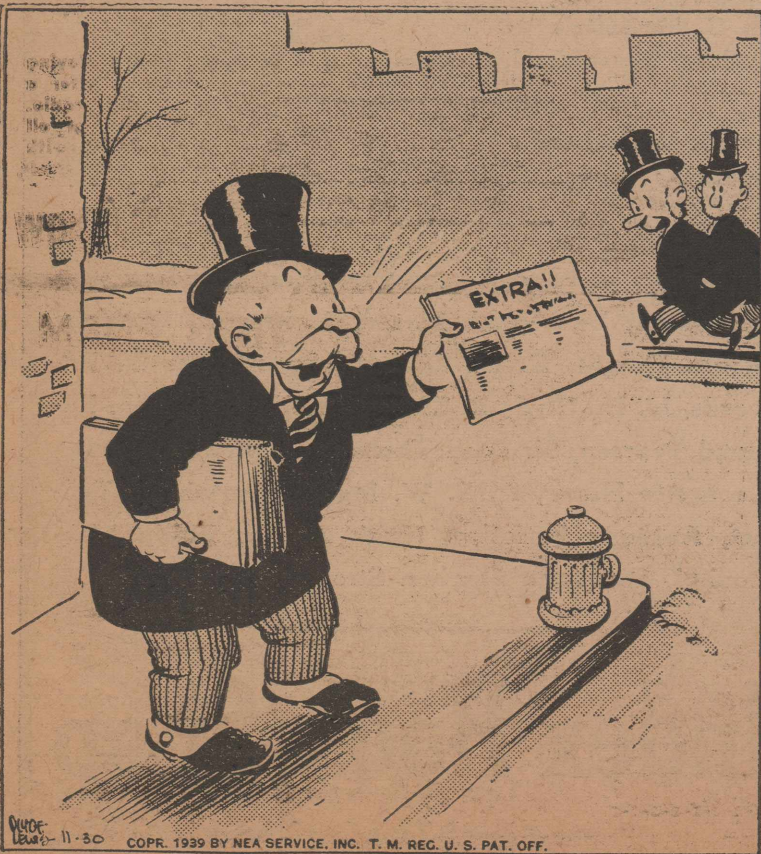
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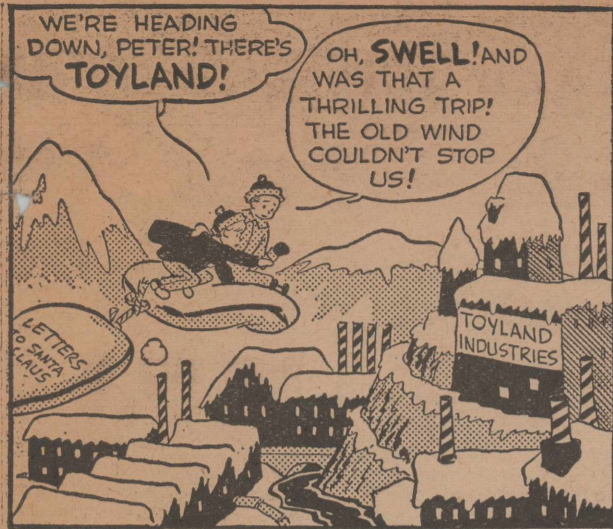
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11-30 HOWARD BOUGHNER

WISE and OTHERWISE

By Fred L. Haskett

Senator Robert A. Taft of Ohio, spoke to an audience of three hundred or more in Peacock Terrace in the Baker Hotel Wednesday noon. On the same location in 1909 his father was tendered a breakfast in the then Oriental Hotel. Mr. Taft was the president of the United States at that time, and the only president who ever became Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States. Senator Taft was introduced by a Democrat, the Honorable Mayor of Dallas, Wood-all Rodgers, who married Miss Edna Cristler of Childress, and is now in charge of the Dr. J. H. Cristler Estate in Childress, also a director of the First National Bank in Childress.

It was a beautiful tribute that Mayor Rodgers paid the Republican Senator of the Buckeye State, and the Senator delivered a wonderful forty-minute talk following the beefsteak luncheon. Senator Taft's talk was not a political talk at all, but one that gave information about the financial affairs of the nation, he being a member of the budget committee in the United States Senate.

I should say that two-thirds of the audience were Democrats, but they were Democrats who believe in John Garner, the vice president of the United States, who believes just like Senator Taft when it comes to balancing the Federal budget. I believe that John Garner can be elected president, but I don't believe he stands a ghost of a show to get the Democratic nomination.

Age is bringing America into two new political thoughts, just like most of the older countries of the world. We are finding ourselves into groups called lefts and rights, no longer Democrats and Republicans. However, one of the parties must be classed Left and the other Right. There will remain a large and substantial citizenship who will hold to the middle, they being known as Independents in their political stand.

Senator Wm. E. Borah, that grand old man of Idaho, a Republican, but liked and disliked in his own party just as he is with the ranks of the Democrats, has this to say of the Independent or Middle of the Road: "The independent voter is the real salvation of decent politics in this country." President Franklin D. Roosevelt has stated repeatedly that he has voted for Republicans when he believed the man better than the one nominated by his party.

Congressman Marvin Jones of Amarillo, one time while in the Adolphus hotel in Dallas, and following the Hoover victory in Texas, when Texas went Republican, stated to this writer: "The independent voter is a man or woman feared by strict party leaders of

either party, but a safe factor in good government".

When we accept statements from such honorable men as President Roosevelt, Congressman Marvin Jones and Senator Borah, and when we further consider that some of the greatest newspapers in the United States are independent in their politics, then why should the voter have his conscience worry him by voting a straight ticket if he feels that it is against his better judgment. We believe every man and woman should exercise his franchise in voting, in all elections, as he believes his country can best be served.

President William Howard Taft, although loved and honored by Texans, could not win their vote. The Taft family did much to develop the Gulf Coast country and a town was named Taft. Young Senator Taft is building his own career and today is the outstanding prospect for the Republican nomination next year. He will poll a tremendous vote in Texas, and, if Mr. Garner fails to get the Democratic nomination and the party falls to the left, Texas can be counted as one of the doubtful states with every likelihood of going Republican.

Wellington News

By Effie Lee Richards.

Congressman Marvin Jones of Amarillo was speaker at the assembly at Wellington high school Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Walker of Shamrock attended the funeral of Mrs. Walker's uncle, R. H. Templeton, here Wednesday.

Miss Alta Young went to Arlington Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Young.

Miss Olivia Templeton who is attending school in TSCW came in Wednesday to attend the funeral of her uncle, R. H. Templeton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Fortenberry went to Rhome Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with relatives. Louis Goodrich of Shamrock was a visitor here Wednesday.

Myra Hays and Ozette Jolley went to Childress Wednesday to meet Jessie Hays who came home from Plainview to spend the holidays with her parents.

Lowell Wells returned home Wednesday from Dallas where he has made his home for several months.

L. C. Hill who is attending school at the University of Texas came in Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with his mother.

Mrs. Reda Brickley left Wednesday for Waco to visit her daughter, Billy Voce, who is attending school in Baylor.

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Johnson and son went to Dalhart Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Johnson.

Albert Laycock of Shamrock was a visitor here Wednesday.

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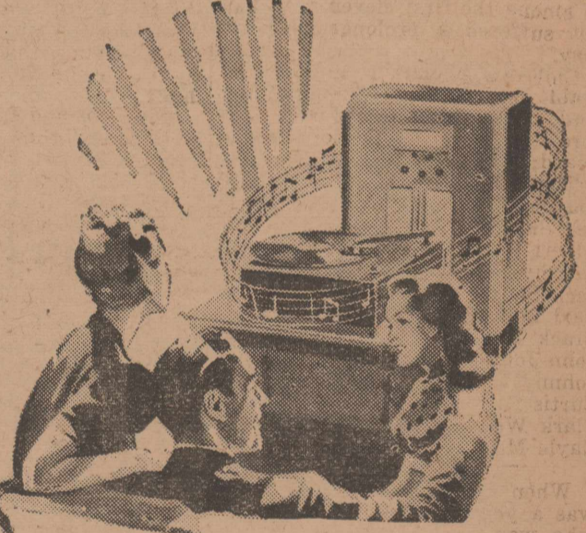
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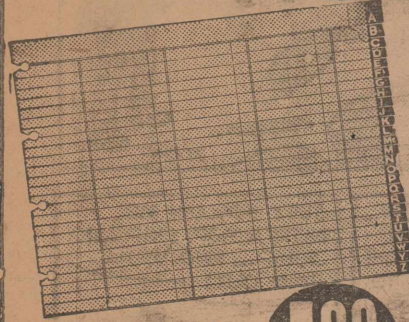
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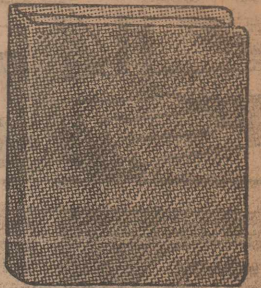
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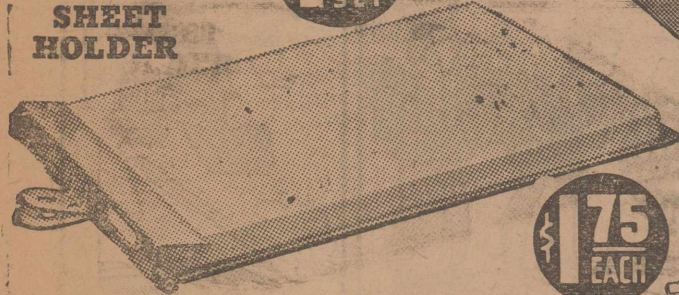
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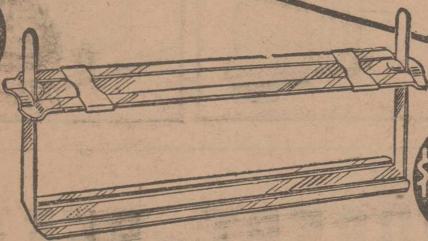


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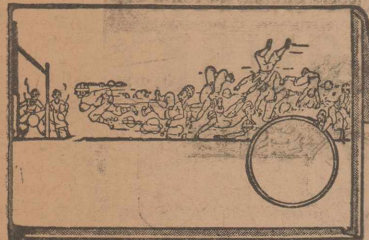
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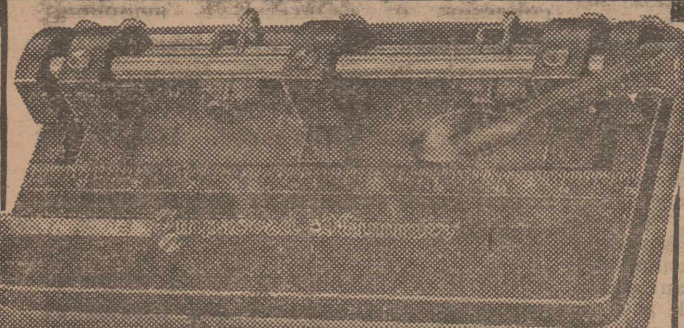
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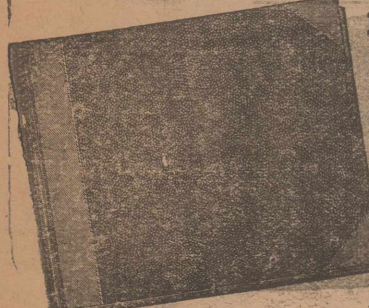
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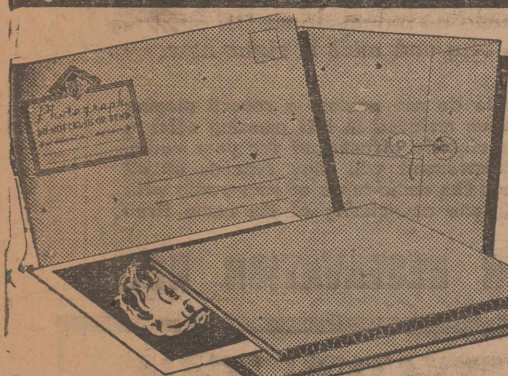
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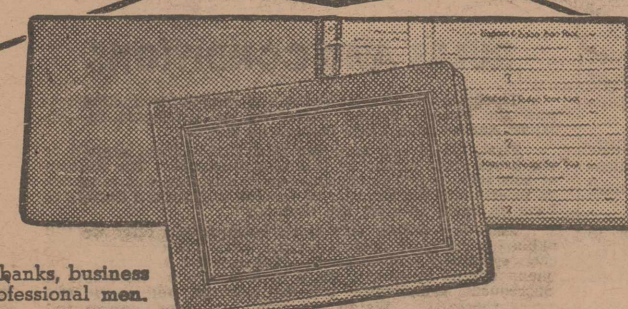
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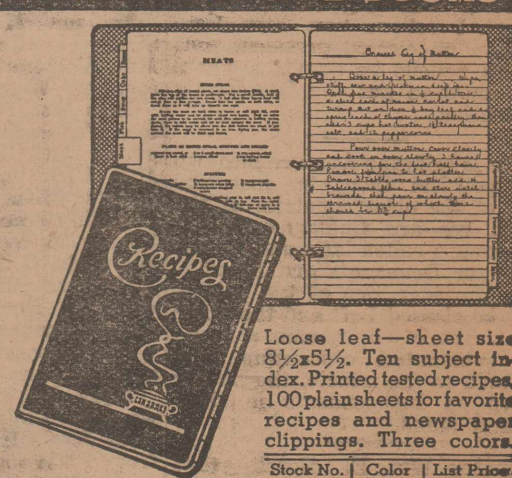
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124 MAIN STREET

PHONE 655 or 656

LITTLE BEAVER, TAKE THIS NOTE TO RED RYDER! MRS. WITHERS WANTS HIM TO MEET THE STAGE--- I'M GOING, TOO!

YOU BETCHUM, MISSY JO JEAN--AND ME THINKM EVERYBODY PLENTY HAPPY MRS. WITHERS SOON GET OPERATION WITH CATTLE MONEY SO SHE WALK AGAIN!

AND AS THE WEST-BOUND STAGE ROLLS ALONG OVER A DESOLATE STRETCH OF COUNTRY---

GLAD T'HAVE YORE COMPANY, STRANGER! IT'S A LONESOME COUNTRY!

IT SHORE IS--- WITHERS IS MY NAME--- I'M GOING HOME--- BEEN AWAY FOR QUITE A SPELL!

YORE NOT GOIN' HOME, OLD MAN! FORK OVER THAT SACHEL OF MONEY!

GOLLY, DOC-- HOW COME YOU WERE ALL TIED UP? WHO DONE IT?

IT WAS THAT DOUBLE-DASHED ULYSSES! I TRIED TO CROSS HIM UP AND IT DIDN'T WORK!

AND THEN HE SAILED OFF WITH OOLA!

HOW COME HE DARED T'DO THAT? I THOUGHT HE THOUGHT SHE WAS A GODDESS!

CLANG

SO DID OOLA-- HE EVEN OUT-SMARTED ME, A TWENTIETH CENTURY MAN OF BRAINS!

BUT IT WON'T HAPPEN AGAIN, I CAN TELL YOU!

NO, I GUESS NOT

HE'S GONE AND IT'S NOT LIKELY WE'LL SEE HIM AGAIN!

OH, YOU THINK NOT, EH? WELL, THEN, YOU DON'T KNOW DOCTOR BRONSON! I'M NOT THROUGH WITH HIM YET!

OKAY, DOC, HERE'S YOUR STICKER-- JUST IN CASE--

THIS IS MY UNCLE LINCOLN, MRS. GREY, HE'S GONNA BE AWHILE

SO GLAD TO HAVE YOU, MR. TUBBS

JUST MAKE YOURSELF AT HOME, UNCLE LINCOLN. EASY AND I WILL BE BUSY WELCOMING CAROL AND MR. MCKEE

GO RIGHT AHEAD, WASHINGTON. DON'T WORRY ABOUT ME

I'D BETTER WARN YOU, MRS. GREY, BE PREPARED FOR ANYTHING. TO PUT IT MILDLY, MR. TUBBS IS JUST A TRIFLE ECCENTRIC

HE SEEMS VERY NICE

I DON'T THINK SHE'D MIND IF I TEAR UP A FLOOR BOARD OR TWO. A FELLA HAS TO HIDE HIS MONEY SOME PLACE

SHE'S GONE, LARD!

THAT WON'T STOP ME--- I'LL FIND HER! THAT GIRL CAME INTO MY LIFE FOR A PURPOSE, DOGGONIT!

LOOK! HERE'S HER FOOTPRINT! DID YOU EVER SEE SUCH A TINY FOOT?

GEE, IT IS SMALL!

GET ME A PAIR OF SCISSORS AND A PIECE OF CARDBOARD, WILL YA, FRECK?

WHAT ARE YOU GONNA DO?

I'M GONNA MAKE A CARDBOARD CUT-- OUT TO FIT THE FOOT-PRINT AND USE IT AS A CLUE! I'LL FIND THAT GIRL!

PRINCE CHARMING--- WITH A STOMACH!

THE WORST OF IT IS, WILLIE IS RIGHT! THE WAY THINGS ARE GOING, SOMETHING IS BOUND TO HAPPEN THAT WILL HURT BOOTS--- AND GOSH! I WOULDN'T HAVE THAT HAPPEN FOR ANYTHING

BUT WHAT CAN I DO!!! THIS GAL IS CROWDING ME PLENTY--- BUT I CAN'T TELL HER OFF! I JUST CAN'T DO IT

NO, YOU CAN'T STAY--- AND I HAVEN'T TIME TO EXPLAIN! C'MON, OUT THE SIDE DOOR--- SCRAM

SAY--- WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH GID LATELY?

SHH--- SHE'S IN LOVE AGAIN! THOSE KIND OF PEOPLE ALWAYS ACT FUNNY

"MELCHIOR AND GASPARD AND BALTASAR THREE WISE MEN OUT OF THE EAST..."

BOY, I KNOW I'LL FORGET THOSE WISE GUYS' NAMES WHEN I TRY TO SING THAT BY HEART--- IF I DO I'LL JUST SAY PAT AND MIKE AND HERMAN!

"THEIR GUIDE WAS A BEAUTIFUL, WONDERFUL STAR..."

SCRAWNICH! SQUEECH!

EGAD, TIFFANY, IT ALMOST SLIPPED MY MIND, BUT THE GREAT GRIZINI IS GIVING A PRIVATE EXHIBITION OF HIS MAGIC ART AT THE OWLS CLUB TONIGHT--- SHALL WE ATTEND?

PHEW! CATS LAST NIGHT, FIDDLE TONIGHT! THIS WHOLE NEIGHBORHOOD OUGHT TO BE DECLARED LEGALLY INSANE!

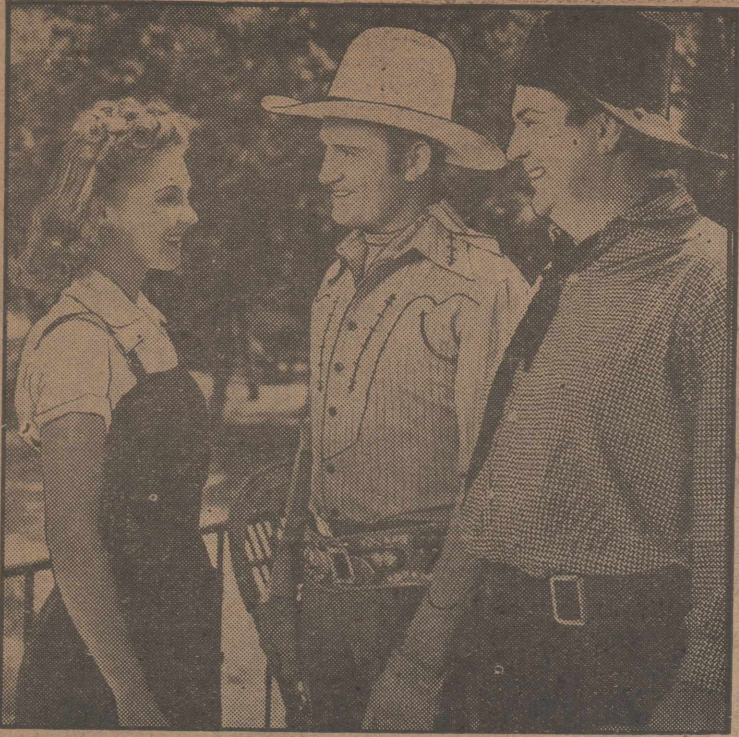
MR. TWIGGS REPLIED, "BY ALL MEANS!"

I CAN'T FIGGER HOW AN ELK GITS THRU TH' THICKETS SO FAST WITH THESE HAWNS!

WELL, IF YOU DON'T DO A LITTLE BETTER THIS MEAT WON'T BE FIT TO EAT!

THE SLOW POKE

J.R. WILLIAMS



CHILDRESS' FAVORITE movie cowboy, Gene Autry, returns to the Gem screen Friday and Saturday in "Mountain Rhythm". In this picture Autry sings the widely popular song, "It Makes No Difference Now". The cowboy star is shown here surrounded by his leading lady, June Storey, and comedian Smiley Burnette.

CORRESPONDENT TELLS OF SOVIET BOMBINGS

By Norman Duel.
HELSINGFORS, Finland (UP) (BY TELEPHONE TO COPENHAGEN)—Terrific aerial bombardment shook the center of Helsingfors today.

I saw several fires started, buildings damaged, and windows shattered as I telephoned this dispatch.

I was hurled to the floor of my room by the terrific explosions of the bombs.

I saw an automobile bus crushed and bodies thrown out into the street.

At least a dozen bombs were dropped and there were two heavy blasts among them. Windows for a dozen blocks around were broken.

Anti-aircraft guns are firing constantly as I telephone from my hotel window. I can see at least three burning buildings. There is smoke and apparently other fires in the background.

It would appear that the casualties were high because the people recovering from earlier air alarms had returned to the streets in mid-afternoon when the bombs began falling from a cloudy sky. The planes were high in the sky.

They presumably struck at the railroad station, but their aim was poor and tons of high explosives rained on the center of the city of 268,000.

As we watched more bombs fell and it appeared that 20 or 30 in all were aimed at the city.

The population was dazed by the sudden fury of the aerial attacks. People were on the streets. Some shops had reopened, and crowds were reading the news on bulletin boards.

The daughter of a member of the United Press staff had gone out to buy the latest editions of the newspapers when the bombing attack came. She was missing about an hour afterward.

The Porni hotel is three blocks from the railroad station at which the bombs apparently were aimed. The huge glass dome of the hotel fell into the lobby during the bombing.

When the raid began the people went calmly from the streets. Employees of the hotel began directing people to the cellars.

Just as the first blast struck, I was called to the telephone. The operator coolly said there was an urgent call from Copenhagen.

As soon as I started talking another bomb fell exploding so powerfully I was knocked to the floor. Then the explosions increased and the Finnish guns began blasting.

German Planes Over England

LONDON (UP)—Four German patrol planes flew off the east coast of Scotland and two Nazi bombers appeared near the Firth of Forth. Two German bombers also were sighted north of the Firth of Forth but were driven off. It was reported that a dog-fight occurred when British planes went up to engage the German bombers seen near the Firth of Forth.

Christmas Seal Sale to Start Here Tomorrow



MRS. J. M. CREWS

The annual sale of Christmas seals by the Texas and national tuberculosis associations will get underway in Childress tomorrow, it was announced by Mrs. J. M. Crews, chairman of the drive for Childress county.

It will be the 33rd annual seal campaign of the organizations and will start at the same time all over the nation.

All proceeds from the sale of the Christmas seals will go to the fund to fight tuberculosis.

"As the Christmas season approaches, my mind is drawn to the fact that it is again time for all of us to give our support to the sale of Christmas Seals," President Roosevelt said.

"This is such a well established custom in the United States that it seems hardly necessary again to call the attention of the people to its importance.

"Tuberculosis still menaces the lives of all our citizens and it leads in the cause of death of those between the ages of 15 and 45. The fine work that has been done by the National Tuberculosis association in the prevention of this dreaded disease merits the continued support of all the people of our country."

Roosevelt and Hull Confer

WASHINGTON (UP) — President Roosevelt returned to Washington today and went into an immediate conference with Secretary of State Hull on the Soviet-Finnish conflict.

Around Town

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Bradshaw of Goodlett are Thanksgiving guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bradshaw and Mrs. Emmie Griggs.

Bill Newman, state university student, will be here until Saturday visiting friends.

Ralph Bradley, WTSC student, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bradley, during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Barnett and son are here from Lubbock for the Thanksgiving holidays as guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Allen. The Allens will also have as their guests another daughter, Mrs. Junior Jones, and her husband.

Howard Preston of Amarillo will be the Thanksgiving day guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Preston.

Buford Austin of Amarillo is here for Thanksgiving day.

Birthday Greetings to:
Gladys Stone
Frank Ehrle
Ruth Williams
Mrs. C. H. Duncan
Mrs. J. H. Thorne
Oma Lucille McCain.

Mrs. W. T. Perryman of Fort Worth is visiting Mrs. A. Taylor.

Wayne Freeman attended the funeral of Judge R. H. Templeton in Wellington Wednesday afternoon.

Undeclared—

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evacuated today to Crankulla, 10 miles from here, it was announced. Troops on Island

It was reported without confirmation that Russian troops had landed at the Island of Seiskari in the Gulf of Finland.

Seiskari was one of the four islands in the Finnish gulf that Russia had demanded for the "protection" of the Russian base at Kronstoct.

Five bombs were dropped on Helsingfors airport but caused little damage. Other squadrons bombed the whole Emso valley trying to destroy the industrial district. Emso was bombed and a hospital set afire.

Five bombs were dropped on the town of Viborg, and three homes in the eastern part destroyed.

The town of Imatra was bombed, but the russians missed their mark there, electric plants.

The town of Tammelsuu was shelled by warships from the gulf of Finland.

They had beaten down Finnish resistance with an artillery barrage.

An artillery battle was raging at Kivena where Finnish territory extends to within 22 miles of Leningrad, a Russian city of 3,500,000.

Foreign ministers announced that the whole soviet Baltic fleet had left its base at the eastern end of the Finnish gulf.

Meager reports indicated that the Finns were fighting hard. Anti-aircraft batteries blasted away at six Russian planes that raided Helsingfors.

It was announced at Sveabord that 12 Russian bombers had appeared over the coast and had been driven away by ground batteries before they caused any damage.

The bombs dropped on the airport here were small ones. They exploded harmlessly in the field. The planes also dropped leaflets printed in the Finnish language "you know we have bread, don't starve".

Finnish reports indicated that the bombing damage was slight in all sections.

Fighting was occurring at various points along the wild, 600 miles stretch of soviet-Finnish border, extending up into the arctic. Artillery fire was reported at Kola in the far north, a region where the wintery nights now are 19 hours long and darkness falls at two p. m.

The attacks began on all sectors between nine and 9:30 a. m. (2 and 2:30 a. m. CST) nine hours after soviet premier Molotof announced that diplomatic relations with Finland were severed because the Finns were threatening to "attack" Russia.

Buy, Sell, Trade—Classified Ads.



ATTEMPTING to prematurely set fire to a bonfire on the campus of a rival school, John Tarleton in Stephenville, Chester Phillips, cadet at NTAC in Arlington, flew a plane over the Tarleton campus and tried to bomb the bonfire, but his bomb was a dud and he was forced to land his plane, slightly damaging the machine. (Acme Telephoto)

Soviet—

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utes. The comsasar promised to relay the message to Molotof.

Russians still had not been informed at mid-afternoon that their country was unofficially at war with Finland.

Throughout the morning workers were going to mass meetings to hear speakers denounced the "Finnish military clique" in blood curdling terms and to pass resolutions that Russia take action. The public knew the Finnish situation had taken a grave term, and thousands waited in front of newsstands for papers which were late.

Molotof had said in explaining the reasons for breaking of diplomatic relations with Finland that no peace making was not wanted.

The attack on Finland was not surprising here. It had been clearly implied last night that the only way the Finns could evade invasion was to overthrow their government.

The official Moscow radio today made no reference to Soviet-Finnish hostilities, but it discontinued reports of soviet mass meetings against the Finnish government.

The favorite theme of today's broadcast was the literature of the various soviet national groups.

A group of soviet journalists and writers who reported the soviet campaign in Poland have been on the Finnish frontier for several days it was learned.

Bobcats—

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wet or dry.

The Bobcats departed for the scene of the holiday clash this morning in about as good physical condition as they have been all season. Bill Jack Thompson is ill and out of uniform, but the starting lineup is intact and Vic Bates appears capable of full-time duty, although he will be slightly haltered by his game leg.

The fans also left this morning by the hundreds, many of them by automobile and others on a special train which pulled out at 11 o'clock.

Indications are that the game will attract one of the largest crowds of the season, despite the bad weather.

It goes without saying again that the championship of the district rests upon the result of the game today. The Bobcats can take the title by winning or battling the Tigers to a tie, while Electra must win.

Buy, Sell, Trade—Classified Ads. A Classified Will Turn the Trick. Read the Classified Ads. Get the Want Ad Habit!

Don't Sleep When Gas Presses Heart

If you can't eat or sleep because gas bloats you up try Adlerika. One dose usually relieves pressure on heart from stomach gas due to constipation. Adlerika cleans out BOTH bowels. Atkinson-Blair Drug Co.—in Kirklard by A. L. Harp Drug Co.—in Estelline by Wallace Pharmacy.

Hopkins Sees Best Christmas Since 1929

WASHINGTON (UP)—Secretary of Commerce Harry Hopkins predicted today the best Christmas trade since 1929.

He based his forecast on increased consumer purchasing power and the extended buying season resulting from the change in Thanksgiving day dates in about half of the states.

"There is no better indication of the ability of American families to buy goods than the amount of wages, salaries, interest and other types of income they are receiving," he said.

"The substantially higher payrolls disbursed in recent months mean better filled pocket books and larger purchasing power which will no doubt be reflected in Christmas sales," Hopkins said.

Index Classified Ads Get Results.

PALACE
LAST TIME TONIGHT
JOHN GARFIELD PRISCILLA LANE ★ **DUST BE MY DESTINY!**
A WARNER BROS. PICTURE

STARTS TOMORROW
LAUGHTER CHALLENGES ROMANCE... for a new high in BOTH!
Robert Green TAYLOR-GARSON Low AYRES

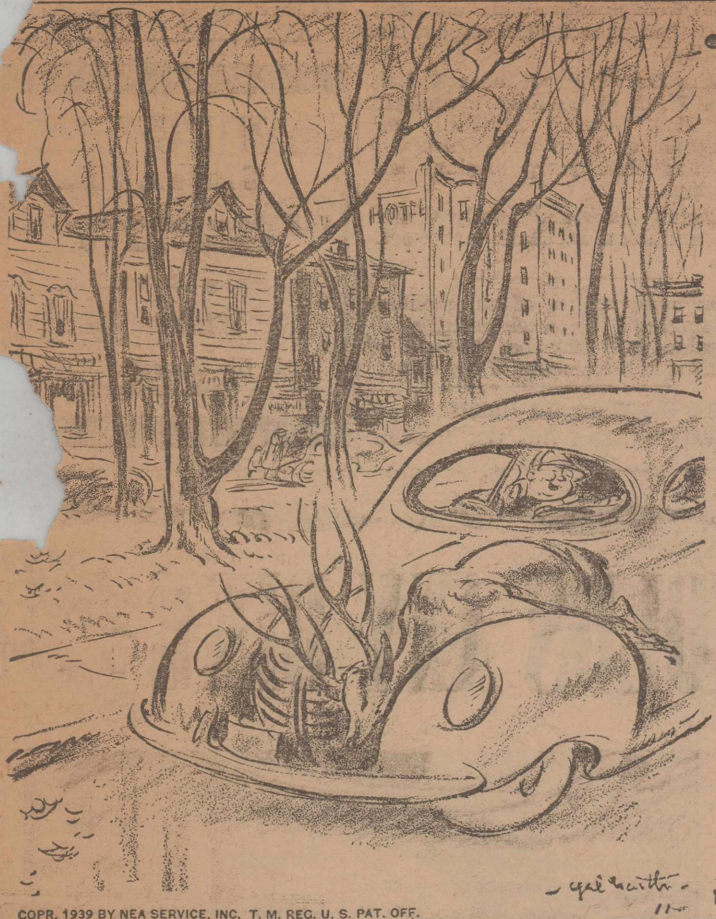
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with Billie BURKE • Reginald OWEN • George BARBER

MONOGRAM
LAST TIME TONIGHT
DEATH OF CHAMPION
LYNNE OVERMAN VIRGINIA DALE JOSEPH ALLEN, Jr. A Paramount Picture

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CHARLES STARRETT
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Pawnbroker Faces Charges At Quanah

FORT WORTH. — Sam Spigel, Fort Worth pawnbroker, was arrested today and returned to Quanah to face a Hardeman county grand jury indictment charging theft and concealing stolen property over \$50.

District Judge Charles Welch of Quanah said trial of Spigel is set for Monday and bond fixed at \$4,000.

Detectives P. T. Hoot and Joe Johnston reported silverware, luggage and clothing valued at about \$300, taken from the home of Dr. R. R. McDaniel at Quanah three months ago, was recovered.

Childress Closed For Thanksgiving

Holiday observance was almost unanimous in Childress today as practically all businesses, offices and industries closed in observance of Thanksgiving.

A large section of the population departed for Electra for the Bobcat-Electra football game, while a number of out-of-town visitors were here for Thanksgiving dinners.

Deer On Golf Course

CLEVELAND, O. (UP)—Two deer and her fawn—were seen on a golf course in suburban Parma, nine miles south of the Terminal Tower—the heart of downtown Cleveland.

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1927 Ford Model "T"	\$11
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Childress Index

(To Be Continued)

MARKETS

LOCAL

The following prices were quoted today by Childress produce houses:

Heavy Hens	8c
Light Hens	6c
Old Roosters	4c
Springs	10c and 12c
Eggs, No. 1	20c
Cream, No. 1	23c
Cream, No. 2	21c
Turkeys	12c

More Clouds, Rain Forecast

Skies cleared partially in Childress this morning, after two days of cloudy and rainy weather, but today's forecast indicates additional clouds and rain for this area in the next 24 hours.

Rainfall here was light but it was sufficient to give some aid to wheat crops, badly in need of moisture.

British Ships In Neutral Port

OSLO, Norway (UP)—Two British cruisers and one damaged British submarine have put into the port of Mostaroy, the Norwegian admiralty announced today.

The warships pleaded necessity of entering a neutral port because of "stress of weather damage."

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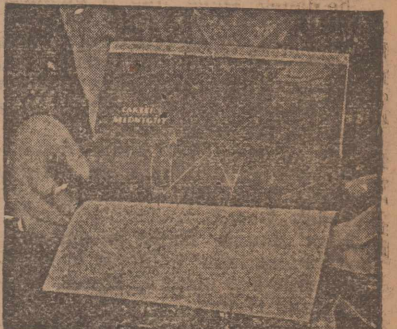
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The Childress Index

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SERIAL STORY

5 WOULD KILL

BY TOM HORNER

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Yesterday: Ara tells how a John Douglas married her mother, deserted her before Ara was born. The mother died, leaving Ara letters and photographs which may help her find her father. Ara is brought up in an orphanage, has to struggle to live. She hates her father. At last she meets a likeable young man, discovers his name is John Douglas.

CHAPTER XIV

DAWSON was not surprised as Ara related her first meeting with young John Douglas, but the young man's connection with Arnold Benthorne was still mystifying. The detective waited for Ara to continue.

"Let me go on from here, darling," Douglas put in, anxious to spare her as much as possible of the ordeal. But she refused, tenderly but firmly.

"There are some things I've never even told you, John dear," she said, taking his hand and pulling him down to the arm of her chair. "I've never let you know how much I hated my father. You've thought I wanted to find him because I loved him. And perhaps you wondered that I fell so much in love with you, almost immediately. I really didn't. I detested you, because I thought you were related to my father. That's why I ran away that first night."

John laughed at the memory. "You see, Captain Dawson," he explained, "after Ara had promised to help me search for this man, she left me standing there after I had told her my name. I couldn't figure it out. I went back to the coffee shop the next day, though, and explained that I was looking for my uncle, John Douglas."

"And I thought your uncle was my father. I saw a chance to locate him, at last, through you, possibly to hurt him, by hurting you. But I never could have, honey." Her smile revealed the love that had grown out of her hate.

ARA and John could find no trace of any John Douglas in Salt Lake City. Then one day, when they had almost given up hope, John found a picture of Arnold Benthorne in the rotogravure section of a New York newspaper. Benthorne and his wife had been guests at a costume ball, and the financier had gone dressed as a miner.

"Benthorne made only a few mistakes," Douglas said, "but that was one—a fatal one. . . ." Dawson gave no indication that he had noticed the word "fatal"—as the young man continued: "I had one picture of the man I was trailing, an old, faded print. But it showed the man with a beard. Benthorne's picture was astonish-

ingly similar. Then Ara had one of the pictures of her father copied and we sketched a beard on his face. The result was so perfect we were convinced that Benthorne was our man.

"You would have thought that dressing as a miner for a costume party was the last thing that Benthorne would ever have done. I guess he was so confident that the past could never bother him, but he overplayed his hand. Perhaps I'd better explain," he added, noting Dawson's unspoken questions.

"The real John Douglas was 'Big Red,' my uncle, as I've already told you. He was a prospector in the Yukon, went to Alaska in the first gold rush. For years he grubbed along, making a little strike, always looking for that one great mine. Then he disappeared into the unmapped interior.

"For years no one heard of him. The family, my father and the others, lost track of him, believed him dead. That opinion would have remained unchanged if I had not got a job with the Great Northern Mining Company, after graduating from college.

"In going over some data for a survey, I found that a John Douglas had sold a rich claim to the company in Seattle in 1916, long after my uncle had disappeared. I told my father about it and he sent me to Alaska to check on the sale. It took me over a year to search out old miners who had known 'Big Red' personally, and to check 20-year-old records.

"I had one piece of real luck. The old editor of one of the Juneau papers had a photograph of my uncle, taken just after he had filed on the claim which the Great Northern later bought. Pictured with 'Big Red' was a gambler, a bearded fellow named Benson.

"I never liked this fellow, Benson," the old editor told me. "Red and I were good friends and I told him that Benson was a crook. But Red seemed to like him. After Red went back to his claim, this Benson fellow disappeared."

"I reported the whole thing to my father and we agreed that Benson probably either won or stole uncle's claim. If uncle had sold his claim in Seattle, in 1916, as the records showed, he never would have gone back to Alaska without seeing his family."

FROM there the trail grew faint. A single, slim clew was a brief letter, addressed to "John Douglas, Salt Lake City," in the company files. That was the last communication the company had with Douglas, subsequent efforts to locate him having failed.

LIGHT DOCKET LOOMS FOR DISTRICT COURT

A half dozen new divorce suits and one new damage suit are listed on the district court civil docket for the winter term, which will open Jan. 1.

Five divorces cases and two or three damage suits continued from the summer term of court are also scheduled for trial next month.

A few additional cases may be filed before the term opens.

Present indications point to a light criminal docket, also. On the justice examining docket, for submission to the grand jury, are 11 drunk driving cases, one burglary, five forgery, two removal of mortgaged property, one wife desertion and two rape cases.

New divorce suits on the docket are: N. J. Mink vs Helen Mink; Stanton East vs Madie Sue East; Emogene Harrison vs Charles B. Harrison; Lucile Wyrick vs Willis Wyrick; Catherine Partain vs I. L. Partain; Arenza Martin vs Mary A. Martin.

The damage suit is Jerome John, a negro boy, against the Taff Packing company for injuries allegedly received by the youth at the packing plant.

Two damage suits against the Fort Worth and Denver railway in connection with the June, 1938, train wreck on the Salt Fork bridge, Leota Myrtle Burton and Emma Jane Griggs, vs the FW&D, are also on the docket for trial.

The court term will open Monday, Jan. 1.

Woman Slain, Husband Shot By Relative

DUNCAN, Okla. (UP) — Mrs. Earl Barclay, 25, was shot to death early today on a downtown street and her husband, 26, was critically wounded.

Officers arrested Ervin Bernell, 25, brother-in-law of Barclay. Police chief Ott Stewart took a revolver from Bernell immediately after the shooting, which occurred in front of cafe.

County Attorney Arthur Marmanduke said Bernell had admitted the shooting. Barclay is a farmer. Bernell is unemployed.

Seven persons drove in front of the cafe and parked their car. In the group were Mr. and Mrs. Barclay, Mr. and Mrs. Bernell, Tom Bailey, Flora Barclay Hill, and George Smith.

Bernell and his wife got out of the car and walked a short distance up the sidewalk. Then Mrs. Bernell said her husband slapped her. The Bernells went back to the car.

As Mrs. Bernell entered the car, Bernell walked to a trash car near the rear of the car, pulled a revolver from a car pocket, witnesses testified, and began shooting at the back of the car.

Mrs. Barclay, who was sitting in the back seat with her husband, was struck in the head. Her husband jumped from the car and was shot in the side.

Barclay staggered back toward the car. Officers directed the driver to take him to a hospital. Mrs. Barclay died within five minutes after her arrival at the hospital. An emergency operation was performed on Barclay.

The Bernells have three children who have been living with the Barclays south of Duncan. Bernell came to Duncan last July from El Reno.

Loco News

By Mrs. G. W. Hunter
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lenney visited in Wichita Falls Sunday with their daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Brown were in Childress Tuesday on business. Sammie Hunter of Wichita Falls is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hunter.

Mrs. Laverne Chaudoin visited Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Chaudoin Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith visited in the Lonie community last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hunter and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Fleming of Am-

arillo were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hattenbach of Memphis last Sunday.

Miss Dessie Heartline and Mrs. Dick Willis of Wellington, and Mr. and Mrs. George Stafford and daughter of Loco were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Adkins last Sunday.

Lucian Clark and family visited Mr. and Mrs. D. Clark last weekend.

On many makes of automobiles, the angle of the clutch pedal is adjustable and may be changed to suit the requirements of the owner.

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FOOTBALL STAR IS WOUNDED

FORT COLLINS, Colo. (UP)—Police were confronted with several puzzling circumstances today in their investigation of the shooting of Walter Lyons, 20, Star Colorado State College fullback by his fiance Lois Vannorsdel, 19, a co-ed.

Lyons himself had suggested one motive as he lay full conscious but in a critical condition at city hospital. He said his love for her had grown cold, that he had told her so, and asked for his class ring which dated the beginning of their romance eight months ago.

She got a small pistol and shot him twice, he said. When he reached the hospital he had lost so much blood that surgeons feared to operate.

Miss Vannorsdel, who had summoned Lyons to her apartment before he was to have departed yesterday for a football game with the University of Mexico, was in hysterical condition.

Union Flat News

By Mrs. H. W. Epps.

Mrs. W. I. Compton returned to her home at McLean Monday.

Carl Ray Epps was a business visitor in Paducah last Saturday.

Mrs. Bill Purcell and son, Ben Compton of Highpoint, and Mrs. Ruth McCollum and Mrs. Hallum of Childress visited Mrs. Iley Compton last Thursday.

The Union Flat home demonstration club will have an all day meeting with Mrs. H. W. Epps on Tuesday, Dec. 5.

Miss Bonnie Epps is spending the Thanksgiving holidays in Amarillo with her sisters, Mmes. Williams and Helms.

Mr. and Mrs. Iley Compton visited in McLean Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Grenslade returned home Saturday from Denison, Okla.

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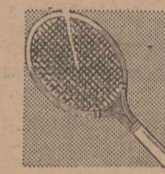
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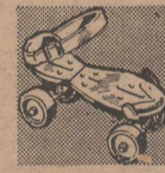
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\$1.98 Coffee Maker 1.79

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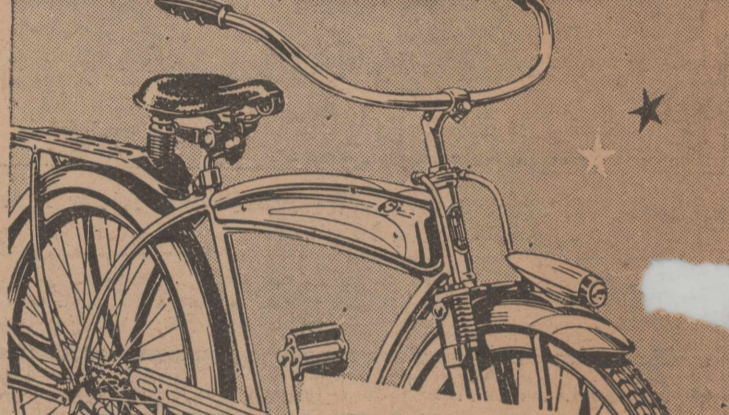
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30-shot .22 Cal. Rifle 9.95

Special for Christmas! Famous Western Field tubular repeater. Cover plate over ejection port!



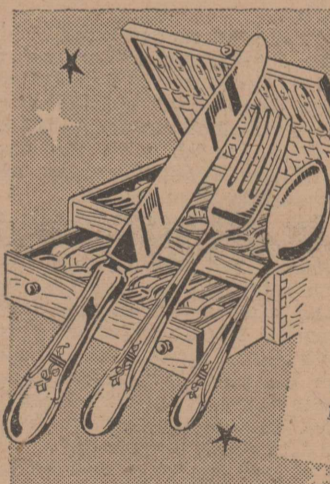
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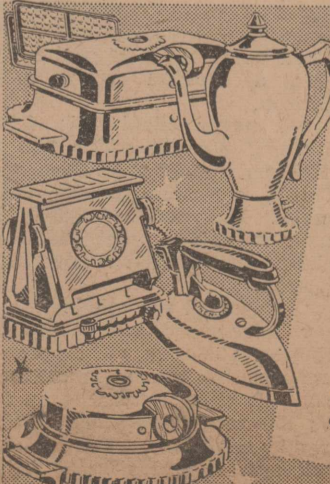
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