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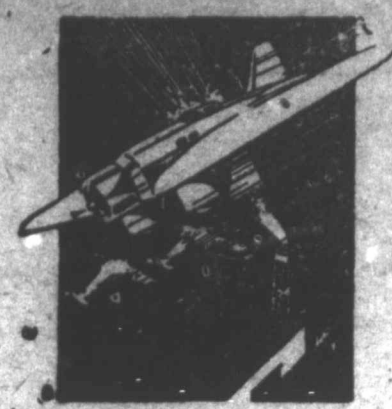
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By J. W. King, Sr.

Some people forget that when they write a letter to the editor for publication they must sign their name.

This week we received an unsigned letter which we regret we cannot publish.

Farmers have been busy this week planting, the first week it has really been dry enough to work for a long time. Some fields grew up in weeds but most of them can be cleaned as they are planted.

Total rainfall from January 1 to June 1 was 15.70 inches.

REV. WAYLAND BOYD GETS HSU DEGREE

Rev. Wayland Boyd, pastor of the local Baptist Church, was among the 276 who received degrees from Hardin-Simmons University Tuesday morning, May 31.

Rev. and Mrs. Boyd and children, accompanied by their guests Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Garrett of Vega, and Mrs. J. A. Garrett, were in Abilene for the Baccalaureate sermon Sunday and at the commencement exercises Monday.

REV. SALLEY RETURNED AS LORRAINE PASTOR

The Northwest Texas Conference held in Amarillo last week returned Rev. S. H. Salley to Lorraine as pastor of the Methodist Church for another year.

SINGING AT CUTHBERT

There will be an all day singing at Cuthbert Sunday, June 5, starting at 11 o'clock. Everyone come and enjoy a day of good singing from the new books, Beacon Light.

A. L. Solomon, President
Mrs. Geo. Sweatt, Secretary

BOBBIE STAHL WINS TSCW GOLF TROPHY

Denton-Special-Miss Bobbie Jean Stahl, Route 1, has been awarded the annual Leman Golf Trophy at Texas State College for Women as winner of the college golf tournament.

Her name will be engraved on the silver cup which was presented to the college by Brooks W. Leman of Chicago in honor of his wife, the late Pauline Bishop Leman, a former student at TSCW.

Miss Stahl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stahl, is a sophomore physical education student at the college.

SENIORS ON TRIP

The Lorraine high school seniors and their sponsors and room mothers left Monday morning on their annual trip. They plan to make stops at Austin, San Antonio, and Galveston and will return home the latter part of this week.

Superintendent G. W. Parish, sponsors Mrs. Witt Hines and Mrs. Fred Ison, and room mothers Mrs. Nellie Yarbrough and Mrs. T. G. Jean and the school secretary Mrs. Robert Montgomery all made the trip.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Rankin over the week end, coming Friday to attend the graduation exercises of Bonnie Rankin, were Mrs. J. W. Overton and children of Forsan, Willie Mae Rankin and friend, Thomas Kennedy of HSU; Mrs. T. C. Rankin and family of Pennwell, and Mrs. Freddie Rankin and baby of Big Spring. Willie Mae remained until Tuesday when she returned to Abilene to register for the first six weeks summer school at HSU.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sherrill over the week end and this week are Mrs. Janie Hines and daughter, Chisler of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Frank of Pyote.

Miss Daley Brown left Saturday for Abilene where she will visit her sister before going to her home town in Grand Saline for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Parks Bryant and children, Jimmy and Parka Ruth left Saturday for Toyah where they will make their home. Mr. Bryant is roadmaster for the T. & P. Mrs. Bryant taught in the Lorraine school several years. She was to have received her degree from Howard Payne with the graduating class Friday night but was unable to attend because of floods in that area.

Veterans School May Get Another Class

The Veterans Vocational School, started here only a short time ago, is being held in the building next to the telephone office. The building has been divided into class room, tool storage room and shop. More equipment for the shop is being added gradually and will soon be well equipped. Here the veterans can repair their car, truck, tractor or other farm equipment.

Another class is ready to start as soon as a teacher can be secured.

BUSBEE-HONEA

Helen Busbee and Jimmy Honea, both of Colorado City, were married at the Baptist parsonage Monday evening, the Rev. Boyd performing the single ring ceremony. Two couples from Colorado City accompanied the couple.

Jimmy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Honea, formerly of Lorraine.

HOSTS CLUB

Mrs. G. A. Hutchins entertained the Play Club Wednesday afternoon. Four tables of 42 were played.

A sandwich plate with fruit punch was served. Guests were Mrs. Matt Johnson of San Angelo, Mrs. Minnie Fairbairn and Mrs. Stanton Hutchins. Members present were Mmes. F. H. Baumann, S. E. Brown, Percy Bond, Clyde Smith, Frank Johnson, Doyle Hester, Wiley Walker, J. H. Boone, Alonzo Phillips, Glen Coon, Tom Bennett, K. L. Taylor, Wade Preston, Thomas Riden, Tom Ray and T. F. Finley.

Billie Jean McCollum of Abilene attended the graduation exercises Friday night and remained over the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lane McCollum.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hart of Artesia, N. M., are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roberts and other relatives.

Mrs. R. W. Hall and son Roy spent Friday night with Mrs. Fred Hall and daughter in Lubbock and on to Dalhart where they spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Spencer and family.

Lorraine Baptists To Build Camp Cabin

Funds are being raised by the Lorraine Baptist Church to build a cabin at the District 8 Baptist encampment grounds in Big Spring.

Young people from our church enjoy the encampment there each summer. The problem has been sufficient rooms to take care of the groups attending. Churches from over the District are building individual cabins to take care of their young people who attend.

To date there has been \$300.00 raised for this purpose. The cost of the cabin is estimated at \$400.00. Some material is already on the grounds and it is hoped that we can complete our cabin so that it will be ready at the opening of the camp on June 21.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Barnmore visited relatives in Coleman Thursday. Mrs. Floyd Richey accompanied them and visited her sister, Mrs. V. L. Smith.

Mrs. P. W. Saunders and daughter Thelma Jean returned this week from Dallas, where they visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Truelove and Grandmother Truelove and Thelma Jean had a check-up in a Dallas hospital for polio treatment.

Guests of Mrs. John Coon and Ruth over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hackett of Lordsburg, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hackett and daughters of El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crownover spent Sunday in San Angelo visiting Miss Meek Jarratt and in the Hilman Crownover home. Miss Jarratt returned with them for a visit in their home and with Mrs. Marion Mahon and Miss Annie Jarratt.

Sam Stovall of ACC Elected Coach Here

Sam Stovall, four year letterman in basketball and three-year man in football at Abilene Christian College, has accepted the position of head coach of football, basketball and track in Lorraine High School, he announced Monday. He will report August 1.

Stovall succeeds Hank Brown, who has been head coach here the past two years.

Mr. Brown resigned after being re-elected. He has not announced his plans for the coming year.

Stovall was an outstanding athlete at Abilene High, where he earned three basketball letters and two in golf. He was one of the Eagle cagers who advanced to the state basketball final in 1941 and to the regional playoffs in 1942.

Following 44 months in the Army where he played basketball for the 7th Air Force, he enrolled in ACC in time to play the second half of the 1946-47 basketball season.

In the succeeding three seasons Stovall was a stalwart of Coach A. B. Morris' basketball team, which was the Texas Conference champion, the past two seasons. He was an all-conference forward each year.

For a boy who never put on a football uniform in high school, Stovall established quite a record in that sport. He was selected second team all-conference tackle for three years.

Sam is a younger brother of Dick Stovall, who went from Coach Tonto Coleman's ACC football squad directly to professional Detroit Lions and became a star center. Dick was sold to the Washington Redskins last winter.

Dick and Sam are two of the nine sons of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stovall, 1929 South 13th.

Elaine James from ACC came in Wednesday and will spend a week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. James, before going back to Abilene for the summer session at ACC.

Guests of A. E. Jarratt Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. John Jarratt of Anson, Marie Jarratt of Roscoe, and Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Jarratt and daughters of Colorado City.

FHA in First Summer Meeting

The Home Economics girls met in the H. E. cottage Monday, May 30, for their first meeting of the summer, and also for the first meeting with our new sponsor, Mrs. L. D. Crawford.

Club officers were elected as follows: President, Patsy Beatty; vice president, Patsy Green; secretary, Loretta Stewart; reporter, Marie Beights; treasurer, Shirley Preston; social chairman, Jo Ann McAdams.

Discussion of our summer work and time for class meetings was set. After discussion it was planned to carry on the following type of work: working in groups; improvement and beautification of the cottage; a bed, table and chair will be redone for the bed room; the bed room floor will be refinished; shelves will be built and painted for the storage room; other storage space will be built; the girls will work on the grounds surrounding the cottage; and plan to paint the walls and floor of the music room and make drapes for it; one hour a week will be spent in making linens for the department.

Classes will begin June 7, at 9 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Dickenson and daughter Lanell of Matherston, Colorado, were visitors in the C. W. Morris home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Britz and daughters of Moab, Utah, are visiting in the W. E. Stribling home this week.

Mrs. M. M. Page of Lubbock and Mrs. J. D. Faulkner and son of Fort Stockton spent Monday and Monday night with their mother, Mrs. Sallie Clement, and sister Mrs. G. K. Baker. Mrs. Clement is in the Johnson Hospital for medical treatment.

Square Dance Festival Friday Nite

Do-si-do your lady; chicken in the bread pan pickin out dough; one more charge and home you go. The spirit and color of the old west will come to life again Friday night at the Dairy Barn as the square dance festival gets under way.

High boots and yards of calico will dominate the costumes as the members of the Lorraine Foot and Fiddle Club welcome out of town dancers. Approximately twenty West Texas callers are to be here to call the dances. Music will be furnished by Chuck Rogers' Playboys, a very colorful old time western string band. This band is heard regularly over station KXOX in Sweetwater.

Members of the Foot and Fiddle Club are preparing the dairy barn and decorating it in true western fashion. A large crowd of dancers and spectators are expected for the gala affair. The barn will accommodate about 15 squares.

The feature of the evening will be the teen age callers. Four high schoolers who have mastered the art of calling square dances, are to be on the program.

Jack Linam, president of the Foot and Fiddle Club, heads the arrangement committee. Other officers of the club are Loyd Brame, vice president, and Mrs. Willie Taylor, secretary-treasurer.

The festival will be free of charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Leggett, Mrs. George Wemken and Doyle of Hermleigh and Jack Mahoney of Sweetwater spent Sunday in the Ed Mahoney home in Ackerville. Mr. Mahoney returned with them and spent the first of the week.

Mrs. Eva Dillon and son J. R. of El Paso are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Parker of Lubbock attended graduation exercises for her brother, James Stewart, Friday night and remained for the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stewart and James.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bowlin and children of Abilene spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bowlin.

4-H Youth Build Nation's Dairy Herds

Production of milk for human consumption is one of the oldest farm enterprises. Yet today—because of modern scientific research and invention—it is one of the newest and biggest of all agricultural activities. There are some 27 million dairy cows in the nation. One of the objectives of the National 4-H Dairy Production program is the building of a successful dairy herd from an original investment in a 4-H Club calf.

Guided by county agents and local 4-H Club leaders, more than 1,899 boys and girls are participating in this "learn by doing" 1949 project. They acquire knowledge to grow fine pastures, build healthy herds and produce good, clean, wholesome milk. Not content to stop there, these future dairymen pass along their knowledge to the community by demonstrating at clubs and meeting procedures such as "Dairy Problems on the Farm," "Dairy Cattle Management," and Care and Handling of Milk.

To further encourage 4-H'ers in this endeavor, the Kraft Foods company for well over a decade has donated awards for outstanding records. This year there will be a gold-filled medal for first place county winner, and a sterling silver medal for second place. Eight \$25 U. S. saving bonds will be presented to state winners, while all-expense trips to the national 4-H Club Congress in Chicago will be arranged for 10 sectional champions.

State winners in 1948 were: Doyle Davis, Hart, Billy Popham, More; Billy Fowler, Lakeview.

Stinson Brothers Win At Dairy Show

Officials of the Lorraine Dairy Show were agreeably surprised at the fine quality of animals in the show last Thursday though disappointed at the number on exhibition.

Tom and Elvin Stinson of Colorado City carried away a large share of the honors.

The Stinson boys showed grand champion cow and the reserve champion bull, among many other winners. Grand champion bull was shown by Mrs. Pearl Victor, and the reserve champion cow was shown by Raymond Hackfeld of Lorraine.

Contest results follow: Registered bull—Tom Stinson, first and second; Dennis Bassinger of Colorado City, third. Grade calves—Richard Blair, Lorraine, first; Billy Blair, Lorraine, second; Hubert Bassinger, Colorado City, third; and T. J. Boyd, Lorraine, fourth.

Heifers 16 to 24 months—Raymond Hackfeld, first and Clay Graham, Lorraine, second.

Cows 1 to 3 1/2 years old—Harold Johnson, Lorraine, first; O. D. Peterson, Lorraine, second.

Cows over 3 1/2 years—Lowell Richardson, Lorraine, first; Raymond Hackfeld, second; Richard Blair, third.

Grade cow—Raymond Hackfeld grand champion.

Registered calves—Elvin Stinson, first.

Registered heifers 8 to 16 months—Ancl Armstrong, Trent, grand junior champion.

Registered cows 2 to 3 1/2 years old—J. W. Graham, Lorraine, first.

Registered cows 3 years old—Elvin Stinson, first.

T. C. Blankenship, vocational agriculture teacher at Hamlin served as judge. Other officials of the show were L. D. Crawford, vocational agriculture at Lorraine; Tom Ray, manager of the cheese plant at Lorraine; August Hackfeld of Lorraine; Joe Cowan, Mitchell County agent, Colorado City.

ENJOY FISHING TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Hank Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Martin accompanied Mr. Brown's Sunday School class of boys on a fishing trip to Sweetwater Lake Tuesday. They gathered at the church and left at 10 a. m. At noon a picnic lunch was enjoyed and after fishing until about three o'clock the group enjoyed swimming.

Those enjoying the trip were Jimmy Hall, Roy Johnson, Kenneth Harris, Johnnie Miles, Elmer Miles, and Mr. T. J. Newton.

Charters Granted New Corporations

Austin, Texas, May—Charters with a capitalization of \$7,627, 000 were issued to 370 businesses in Texas during April, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

This figure compares with 343 new corporations formed in March at 387 in April 1948.

Merchandising firms received 76 charters in April; real estate, 49; manufacturing, 33; and construction, 25. A total of 47 foreign corporations were granted charters during April, as compared to 36 in March and 37 in April 1948.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Hamilton have moved here from Garden City and are at home in one of the new duplex units of Mrs. Birdie McArthur. Mr. and Mrs. Tony Snyder have moved to the other unit, moving here from Coahoma last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Parks Bryant and children spent last Tuesday and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bristow in San Angelo.

Mrs. Mae Bridges and children of Temple, Okla., and Homer Brown and son Jimmie of Los Angeles, California, spent Monday with Mrs. Bridges' parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Hart.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Miles were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cooley and children, Mrs. J. C. Miles, Mrs. Terrell Miles, all of Big Spring, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jones and baby of Colorado City.

Awards Presented At Commencement

Commencement exercises for the Lorraine High School graduates were held Friday night at 8 o'clock at the high school auditorium.

Mrs. K. L. Taylor played the professional and recessional and the invocation and benediction were said by the Rev. Roy Grote.

Don Mathis opened the program with the salutatory; Bryan Mahon sang How Lovely Are Thy Dwellings; Lora Nell Jean gave the class prophecy, Evening Edition of The Mitchell County News, 1960; and Willard Pratt gave Meeting the Challenge as the valedictorian. Eldon Mahon, district attorney, gave the commencement address.

Superintendent G. W. Parish presented the diplomas and the following awards: Scholarship award to Willard Pratt as valedictorian; scholarship to high girl, Lora Nell Jean; scholarship good only at Baylor College at Belton, to second high girl, Joyce Salling.

Scholarship awards for being on honor roll each six weeks of school year in high school: Marie Beights, Patsy Beatty, Shirley Taylor, Joy Ann Graham, Vonelle Faulkenberry, Lora Nell Jean, Faye Narrell, Mary Rose Templeton, Lila Linder.

Grade school: Paton Graham, David Hamblen, Wesley Woods, Charlene Ross, Gaylene Taylor, Connie Liles, Shirley Wells, Richey Cary, Joyce Coldewey, Jimmy Hall, Erma Hays, Jacqueline Richey, Bobby Reddin, Barbara Small, Maxine Peterson, Dixie Templeton.

American Legion Award in grade school, Bobbie Price and Georgia Miles.

Honor award based on points earned in scholarship and extra curricular activities given to highest 20 percent in each class of high school: Lora Nell Jean, Lila Linder, Willard Pratt, Jack Carroll, Shirley Taylor, Patsy Beatty, Faye Narrell, Vonelle Faulkenberry, Patsy Green, Betty Horton, Mary Templeton, Peggy Beatty, Marie Beights, LaJoyce Beatty, Don Martin, Ronald Bruce.

SCOUTS SWIMMING PARTY

Claude Woods, Scoutmaster, took the Scouts and his little sons to the Colorado swimming pool Tuesday evening. Those going were Wesley Woods, Kenneth Harris, Roy Johnson, Joe Templeton, Doyle Combs, Laddie Woods and Billie Preston.

Dairy Products Manufacture Up

Austin, Texas, May—Manufacture of Texas dairy products jumped 57 per cent from March to April, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

Except for a 6-per cent decline in ice cream, all types of dairy products tallied increase over the previous month. April production of American cheese climbed 140 per cent, and creamery butter, 84 per cent.

The Bureau's seasonal adjusted index of dairy manufacture gained 16 per cent from March to 74 per cent of the 1935-39 base period.

Totaling 68,021,000 pounds milk equivalent, April output of Texas dairy products bettered a year earlier by 17 per cent. Manufacture of creamery butter rose 53 per cent during the 12-month period, but ice cream and American cheese slid 4 and 25 per cent respectively.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Cofer of Bell, California, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Combs last Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Battle and son of Austin were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Mahoney and sons of Big Spring spent Sunday with Mrs. W. M. Mahoney.

In accordance with general Motors price reduction statement, Pontiac Motor Division announces a \$15.00 reduction on the list prices of all Pontiac models effective Monday, May 23.

Shower Honors The Garland Lands

At the home of Mrs. Dee McCollum Tuesday afternoon, May 31, a bridal shower was given for Mr. and Mrs. Garland Land, whose home burned Saturday night.

Mrs. McCollum met the guests at the door and invited them into the dining and living rooms where they were registered by Mrs. Cletus Beights.

Maxie Sheppard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Sheppard, sang, Help Somebody Today. Mrs. Rex McDaniel contributed to the program by playing several songs on the accordion, and Mrs. Dewey Compton read a poem which she had composed especially for the occasion.

Punch was served by Mrs. Homer Wilson and Mrs. Garland Cary to twenty-nine guests.

After refreshments were served, more than one hundred gifts were presented to Mr. and Mrs. Land.

Mrs. Land is the former Ruth Morrow of Roscoe.

Those present included Mmes. Garland Cary, Homer Wilson, Ona Spurger of Silver City, N. M., Burdette Lee, A. R. Miles, Carl Stanley, Price Hall, Bert Shepard, Charlie Land, Joe Bennett, T. J. Riden, B. W. Tarrt and Rex McDaniel.

J. C. Payne, Henry Doss of Colorado City, Jay McCollum of Colorado City, Lloyd Wiggins, D. E. Jackson, Cletus Beights, Roscoe Hudgins, Henry Riden, Jabus Hall, Dewey Compton, C. Hamilton, Luke Finley, Miss Joy Graham, the hostess and the honorees.

BEAUTY OPERATORS TO HAIR STYLE SHOW

Mrs. Fay McCollum, Mrs. Troy Jones and Mrs. Hammond Padgett were in Lubbock Sunday to attend a hair styling show held at the Hilton Hotel Saturday night through Monday.

Lee Self, noted hair stylist of the southwest, and Vernon Isabel of Fort Worth demonstrated hair styles and cuts and other new features in the Beauty Salon business.

Raymond Lee of Kermit underwent appendectomy at a Kermit hospital on May 23. He is here this week visiting his mother, Mrs. Jim Lee. Other guests of Mrs. Lee this week are her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Davidson of Lubbock.

Wheeler Family In Reunion Sunday

The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wheeler was the scene for a family reunion when members of the family began to arrive on Friday and Saturday for the big day Sunday when the family and friends gathered at the Lions building for the noon dinner and also the six o'clock supper. Mr. Wheeler was confined to his bed and unable to attend but was able to enjoy those visiting in their home.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Wheeler and sons, George, Joe and Jimmie of Morton; Mrs. A. A. Harrison and son Johnnie, Mrs. Wiley Wheeler and Buster Wheeler of Clovis, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Love, Lucille, Helen and Sammy of Ft. Worth; Mrs. Vivian Jarnagan of Richardson; Mrs. Jewel Anders and Hazel Joyce of Dallas; J. D. Witcher of Abilene; Mrs. Jim Witchee, Dewey, Audry and Earl of Merkel; Mrs. Eva Dillon and J. R. of El Paso; Jimmie Wheeler of Colorado City; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wheeler, Joe Faris, Peggy and Patsy and Woody of Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wheeler and Gloria and Wanda Montgomery of Lorraine; Mr. and Mrs. Mason Richburg and Sylvia of Sweetwater; Don Narrell of TCU, Ft. Worth; Ben Wheeler of Wellington; Dolores Pace of Colorado City; Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bollinger of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Narrell, Fay and Beth, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Narrell, Billy, Sue, Garland and Jackie, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stewart and James, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hallman, all of Lorraine; and Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Narrell and family of Stamford.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

New Roosevelt Political Dynasty Seen in FDR, Jr.'s Vote Triumph; Clay Urges Accord With Germany

EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysts and not necessarily of this newspaper.

ROOSEVELT: Old Tradition

The old tradition was running true to form: you can't beat a Roosevelt. Young Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., most like his father in looks, charm and smile, won the New York congressional seat left vacant by the death of Sol Bloom. And he won it with the national administration and Tammany allied against him.

FDR worshippers were jubilant. Those who had fought the "champ" throughout his years in the White House professed to see in the election result the creation of a new Rooseveltian political dynasty.

Already the cry of the exultant victors was "on to Albany." New York capital which Franklin D. Roosevelt, four-time President of the United States, used as a springboard to the White House.

Denied the Democratic nomination, young Roosevelt ran on the Liberal and Four Freedoms parties' tickets in a contest which kept Manhattan's west side in an uproar for months. A surprise to many Americans, who did not know such procedure was permissible, Roosevelt does not reside in the district he will represent in congress. It seems that all the while there has been no bar in the law to prevent a candidate from living in one district and representing another.

DESPITE his victory as a standard bearer for two other parties, Roosevelt declared he is still a 100 per cent Democrat.

Campaigning, he visited thousands of voters, turned on the old Roosevelt charm, mingled with the masses in their homes, attended nouse parties as honor guest, made street corner speeches.

One defeated candidate sounded a familiar note heard so frequently during other Rooseveltian campaigns:

"The formula in this election was a glamorous name and a quarter of a million dollars, and neither of these did we have."

BARKLEY: No Guards

"I'm a big boy now. And besides, who would want to harm a young man like me anyway?"

Thus did Kentucky's Alben W. Barkley, Vice-President of the United States, dismiss the idea of personal guards.

BARKLEY, who will be 72 in November, goes where he wants, when he wants and flatly refuses protection of any sort.

He told newsmen that President Truman had "tried to get me to accept a few secret service men," but was turned down.

Secretary of the Treasury Snyder and top G-man J. Edgar Hoover also offered to provide bodyguards. But Barkley wanted his freedom. "I like it better that way," he said.

Barkley claims he's just a "common man, nothing fancy." In fact, he gets a kick out of people trying to figure out how to address him. "I STILL call myself senator," he says, "a habit after 22 years in congress, but the kids call me 'veep.' I like that."

He could also be called Mr. President, since that's how he's referred to in the senate over which he now presides.

RADIO: Godfrey Tops

Carrot-thatched, gravel-throated Arthur Godfrey, radio's chief exponent of the "be yourself" type of entertainer-announcer, led the CBS network in earnings during 1948. He was paid \$440,514.18 last year by the broadcasting system for which he labors.

Newscasters didn't fare so badly, however. Lowell Thomas was a close second with \$420,300. Oddly enough, the network boss, Frank Stanton garnered only a measly \$109,798.80. All these figures covered income before Uncle Sam took his cut, so there was some difficulty in trying to ascertain just how much "take home" pay these gentlemen received.

For the ABC network, Don McNeill, emcee of the Breakfast Club, was tops with earnings of \$180,229.40.

Paul Whitehead, ABC's musical director and vice-president, received \$145,316.56. Again the network president ranked lower. ABC's president Mark Woods got only \$75,000.

TROOPERS CATCH TARTAR

Many a man has had a tanking to do just what Col. Zach Miller did when he ran about of state police on a speeding and driving without a license charge. It happened in Georgia where the colonel and his driver, James Colbert, were riding the range at 75 miles per hour. The limit is 55. Colbert, it seems had no license.

Last Man Over



Lt. Joe Russo, U.S. army air force, is shown holding a bouquet of flowers presented to him after he landed his airplane at Tempelhof airdrome to complete the last airlift flight before the lifting of the Berlin blockade.

GERMANY: Clay Speaks Up

If Gen. Lucius D. Clay, retiring United States military governor in Germany, had his way, America's ex-foes would be permitted back into the company of democratic nations as soon as possible.

BACK in Washington where he was feted and decorated by President Truman, Clay warned that unless Germany is restored to the community of western nations, an alliance with Russia by our former enemies is inevitable.

Speaking to the house of representatives, the general declared that the German people, in spite of their recent history of aggressive war and "extreme cruelty," now had shown their preference for a government standing for the "dignity of man as an individual."

In the spirit of the residents of Berlin who survived through the airlift, Clay declared, there is a spark for German freedom that "may grow with the years." He told the senate how the people of western Germany had adopted through their parliamentary council a constitution which guarantees free elections and is "devoted to reestablishing in Germany the dignity of man."

WITHOUT referring to the Soviets by name, he charged, nevertheless, that the Russians have two objectives that were irreconcilable with the efforts made by the United States, England and France to create a four-power government in Germany based on international co-operation.

He defined these objectives of what he termed "the fourth power" as intent to exact the maximum in reparations from Germany and to set up a government that could be controlled or exploited by a police state.

COMMUNISTS: Losing Ground

Whatever was responsible—the American airlift, a conviction that American democracy had more to offer or a general revulsion to all police states—the Communists weren't doing so well in the eastern Berlin elections.

THIS was in contrast with the confident predictions of Communist politicians in the Soviet zone of occupation of an overwhelming majority.

The vote was being taken on a "people's congress" of 2,000 members, all hand-picked by Communist-controlled organizations and put on a single ticket. However, the Communists were picking up only about a third of the votes expected.

Some voters wrote on their ballots "we won't vote for a police state and we reject Communism." Early returns from Berlin showed a majority of "no" votes—the only way the congress could be rejected since only one list of candidates was submitted.

THE "PEOPLES' congress," if it were to be set up, would be the Soviet answer to the western state being set up in the western zone.

Observing observers couldn't fail to see in the initial trend of the voting an indication that in any case where American system and ideologies may be contrasted with that of the Soviets, the latter can not command support.

Wild West Showman Defies Georgia Law

Two troopers hauled in Colonel Miller, 71-year old Texan and boss of the 101 Ranch Wild West Show, for permitting use of his panel truck by an unlicensed operator.

Colonel Miller refused to stand trial. In lurid language he declared he'd "rot in jail," before he paid a dime.

The sheriff explained further "Miller refused to stand trial."

ACCIDENTS: Three Reasons

Plain stupidity, bad manners, and liquor are the top three causes of automobile accidents, accounting for three-fourths of all fatalities, or over 24,000 deaths per year, according to a case analysis by Northwestern National Life Insurance company.

By far the top killers are the "stupid" group of driver offenses—excessive speed, ignoring traffic signs or traffic officers, passing on hills or curves, and other miscellaneous "dimwit" violations; the study finds that one or more of these offenses is involved in 40 per cent of all fatal accidents, and is the principal cause of 32 per cent.

FOOLISH ACTIONS by adult pedestrians—crossing against traffic signals, crossing intersections diagonally, crossing between intersections, coming from behind parked cars, and walking in the roadway in the same direction as traffic cause another 12 per cent of fatalities, based on experience records of 1946, 1947 and 1948, the study finds. Thus 44 per cent of our annual traffic death toll results from failures by drivers or pedestrians to use common sense.

Bad manners, such as road hogging—driving over the center line or actually on the wrong side of the road, and "barging through" when the other fellow has the right-of-way cause another 15 per cent of traffic fatalities, the records reveal.

TRAFFIC DEATHS due to alcohol are estimated by the insurance statisticians at a minimum of 15 per cent—12 per cent due to drinking by drivers and 3 per cent due to drinking by pedestrians. This is the most difficult group of cases to measure accurately, the study points out, because: Many drinking drivers try to conceal such facts in case of an accident, and an unknown number succeed; second, a considerable proportion of other violations such as reckless driving, which are directly blamed for certain accidents, would not be committed if the driver were fully sober and his judgment clear.

Summary: Of our annual traffic toll of 32,000 to 33,000 deaths, 44 per cent result from acts of folly by motorists or pedestrians, 15 per cent result from bad driving manners, and at least 15 per cent from liquor. Total: 74 per cent.

SNEEZER: 150,000 Times

Michael Hippisley had sneezed 150,000 times and was still sneezing. London doctors sought frantically to bring some relief to the 14-year old schoolboy who had sneezed once every three seconds for nine days.

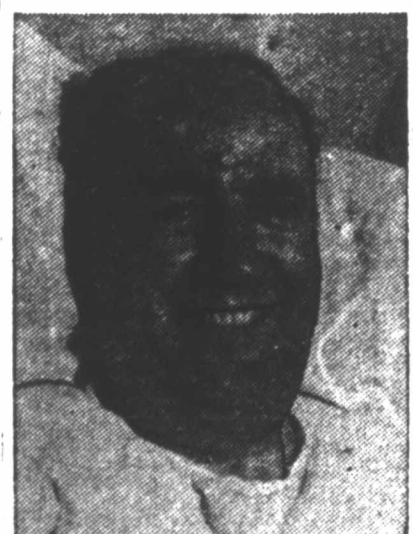
THE only time the boy hadn't sneezed in the nine days was when he was knocked out by drugs or sleeping.

"I've had kerosene up my nose, drops down my ears and hundreds of tablets," Michael told reporters. "Then they cauterized me. I couldn't feel anything more, but I kept on sneezing."

When news of Michael's plight got about, some 50 callers offered sympathy and advice. One suggested hypnosis. Another said sneeze in a paper sack. Unfortunately, all remedies had been tried.

SCIENCE, making great strides with allergy controls and remedies seemed stymied on this case. To the Hippisley family doctor said that's what he thought it was—the constant "aa-chooing" was due to Michael's "abnormal sensitivity to pollen dust."

Cheats Death



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PARKING: No, Thanks

In a nation where parking space is at a premium, parkers were shunning a Great Bend, Kas., parking lot in great numbers.

Joseph Nolan, a short-time parking lot operator is authority for the reason. Nolan opened his lot in the heart of the downtown district. In eight days his gross income was only and exactly \$1.20. He tried every device he knew, even "free parking." Still they stayed away.

GOOD OR BAD, TELEVISION . . .

Video—the Great, Irresistible Force

. . . HAS FASCINATION FOR MILLIONS

By H. I. PHILLIPS

LIVING-ROOM SQUAT

Television is developing a race of sitters—a vast, immovable population of living-room squatters, as it were. In all areas of the country where video has come into play, great masses of people are "settling" glued around the set, absorbed and silent, neglecting small talks,

books, papers and even the racing results.

The decline in conversation at house parties in television belts has become alarming. Guests hardly speak to one another or to the hostess. Whole evenings are spent in which "come in" and "good

night" sum up the total exchange of words.

The old man doesn't go down to the store for the papers or a cigar. Mom cuts the cinema. It isn't because television is all sheer entertainment. In fact, it has been rather trying, often downright annoying. Video is still in the baby stage. It doesn't look like an extra smart kid. But there is such a diversity of attractions on so many channels that there is a fascination for millions in it, good or bad.

So many more thrillers, playlets, vaudeville sketches, hockey games, fights, wrestling bouts, debates, concerts, newsreels, soap operas, comedians, tragedians, actors, dancers, scientists, clowns and puppets come zooming into the old homestead that the audience at least gets action. The reactions are curious. We know one addict who says, "It's so bad that it's absorbing." Another demands, with more enthusiasm, "Show me another medium through which I can get a hockey game, a ski tournament, a forum, a circus, a Broadway show, a couple of westerns, a book review and a carload of miscellaneous entertainers and celebrities without getting out of my chair!"

We have even discovered a fellow who finds some commercials attractive on television. He hated commercials on the radio, but a close-up photograph of a mince pie, a layer cake, a stack of wheaties, a bubbling glass of beer or a gal whipping up a dinner on a cooking program intrigues him. He gets sore if a plate of frankfurters and beans doesn't screen well or if a display of gelatins is out of focus. His chief interest in all products seems to be their degree of screen clarity.

Men and women who could

take their regular radio or let it alone have been known to go nuts over television. The business of operating the various dials to bring in the entertainment gives them the feeling of being producers, stage directors, dramatic coaches, vaudeville kithers and movie promoters. They are never satisfied. They are always monkeying with the dials, trying to achieve the perfect show.

The American public is getting more and more amusement-mad and it looks as if books, magazines and newspapers may have to go all out for showmanship. Man's house used to be his castle; it is now his fight arena, his ball park, his theater, his concert hall, his information bureau and his personal clambake.

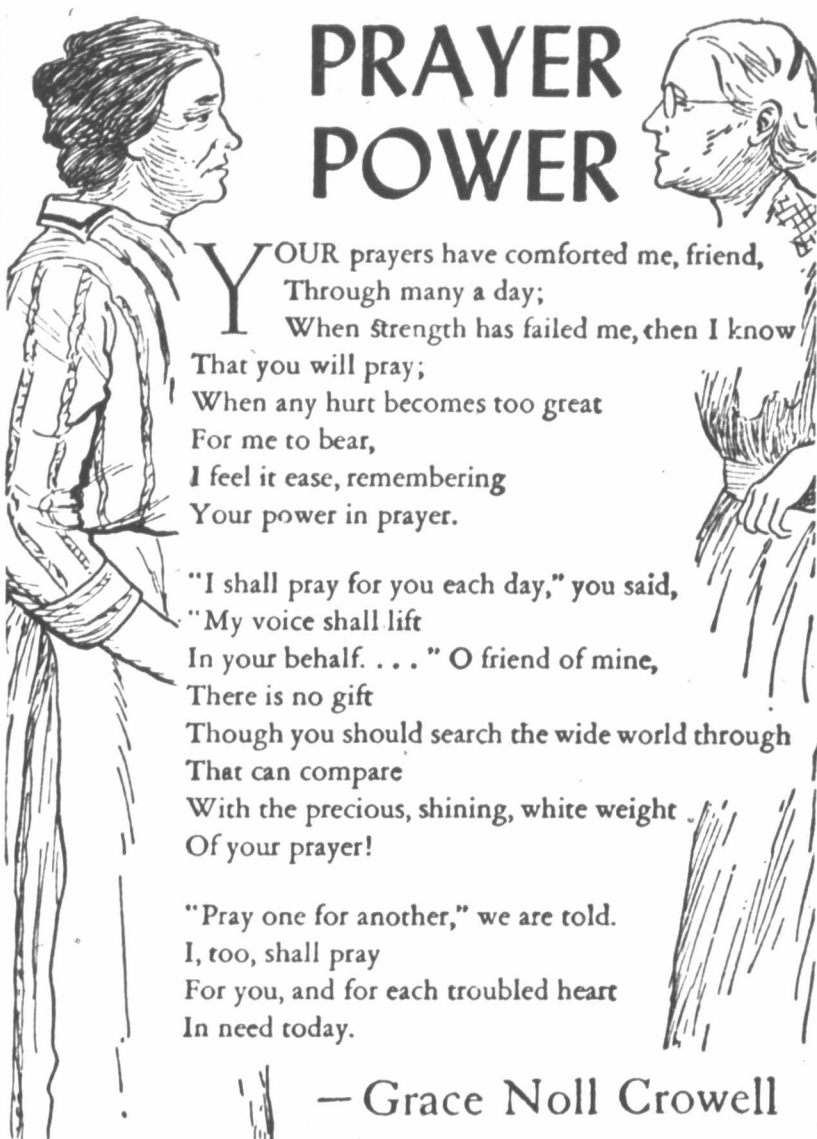
The answer to "Shall we go out somewhere tonight?" is "Why?" People used to leave the apartment to kill boredom and seek some diversion. They now accomplish the same objectives with an "aerial stack" and a "booster."

Hurry up with the dinner, mom! There's a prize fight, a wrestling show, six musical revues, a tour of the nighties, four westerns, a travelogue, a newsreel, four mystery dramas, 18 newscasts, a rodeo, a mardi gras and a salafish tournament on the video tonight!

This 'n' That

Armour and Co. omitted its preferred dividend, saying meat prices have fallen 20 to 30 per cent. Steaks and chops are now worth little more, in fact, than their weight in gold.

Those Ford cars are of new design, but the strike comes in the same old shape at both ends and in any color so long as it's dark blue.



—Grace Noll Crowell

Star Dust

STAGE-SCREEN-RADIO

BY INEZ GERHARD

VANESSA BROWN typifies everything that a young actress ought to be. Very pretty, with chestnut hair and blue eyes, she has managed, at 20, to complete her college course and make pictures at the same time. Asked how it happened that she was chosen for the maid of the all-star cast of Paramount's "The Heiress," she laughed and said she'd been



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The Fiction Corner

VALERIA'S AFFAIR with Elliot Harvey had proved extremely gratifying. After all, Elliot was the most handsome and the most glamorous man at Newfane Lake, and the confession of his love had rather flattered her vanity. But the duration had been brief. Two months, to be exact. She had smiled a little wistfully the night she handed back his ring.

"It's been swell fun, Elliot, but it can't last. The feeling's all on the surface. It isn't real."

"Not real?" He stared at her, unbelieving. "Good Lord, Val—" But she interrupted him with a gesture of finality.

"It's no use, Elliot. You're far too glamorous and handsome to fall in love. I tried hard, but it didn't work." She patted his hand maternally. "Summer romances are fun, and this has been the best ever. No regrets."

A hurt look came into his eyes, to be replaced an instant later by exaggerated indifference. He tossed the ring, caught it, pocketed it. "O. K., sister. I guess I can stand it." His eyes held that smug, "it's your funeral" look that so fitted his role.

She felt released, free again. When Doug Metcalf asked her to attend the Country Club ball with him she accepted without qualms of conscience. Doug was big and homely. "Thought there was no harm in asking," he grinned. "You won't find me as spectacular as Elliot."

He looked at her curiously, seemed on the point of asking a question and thought better of it. She knew that he, like everyone else, was wondering if her heart was broken. Well, let them find out for themselves. Their pity annoyed her. Who was this Elliot Harvey, a god or something?

The night of the ball, dancing with Doug Metcalf, she saw Elliot floating by with Sheelah Jackson. He was looking down into her upturned face, oblivious to everything else. Valeria felt a little pang, and impatient at Doug, gave her attention to Doug. Doug was watching her and there was worship in his eyes.

SHE WAS DANCING a dreamy waltz with Doug when Elliot cut in. Surprised, she found herself in his arms scarcely before his familiar features became recognizable.

"Well, well, well. Look who's here! How's the Don Juan of Newfane?"

"Val, let's go out and get a punch." His tone was almost harsh. Valeria hesitated. "All right," she said. "I could use something like that. It's been a destructive evening. I'm worn out."

They moved into the alcove

NO REGRETS

By Richard H. Wilkinson

where the drinks were being served. He led her beyond and through French doors that opened onto the terrace. The place was crowded, but they found a vacant bench behind some shrubbery, and Valeria sat down. It was good to sit. Elliot bent over her.

"Listen, Val, I can't stand it! I've been crazy ever since you gave me back the ring. I'm going mad! You've got to come back to me!"

Amazed, she stared up at him. His eyes were burning coals. He stood there stripped of his pride and dignity, no longer the confident Don Juan, the breaker of women's hearts.

"Elliot, you're drunk!"

"I'm not! Val, don't you see I'm not! Don't you see how much I love you! He dropped down beside her, and suddenly his head was against her breast. He wept. Val was frightened and bewildered. So all his indifference, his

casual acceptance of her decision to break their engagement, his interest in Sheelah Jackson—it had all been, pretexts! A sham! A mask! An attempt to maintain his Don Juan standing, to nourish his pride and vanity and conceit.

She stood up, suddenly contemptuous, ashamed of her own doubts, disgusted with his weakness. She looked down at him, without pity or compassion or regret, turned away and went eagerly back to find dependable Doug.

Discovery of Iron

Iron—according to legend—was discovered by primitive man in campfire embers or in meteorites. Iron tools were used in constructing the Pyramids about 3000 B. C. The ancients produced iron in fires built on the windward side of banks, or in pits or rock furnaces, using bellows.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

ACROSS

- Part of a check
- An aromatic spice
- Irish Free State
- A king of Norway
- Seaweed
- Habit
- Furnished temporarily
- Negative reply
- Spawn of ash
- Propose tentatively
- River (Spain)
- Board of Ordnance (abbr.)
- Biblical city
- Plaster of Paris
- Kind of dance
- Roman pound
- Perform
- Make hot
- Native of Nevada
- Bitter vetch
- Jewish month
- Renovated
- Like a wing
- A brown, bitter nut (var.)
- Attractive (colloq.)
- Back of the foot
- Note

DOWN

- Body of water
- Levers used for turning rudders
- Knide-shaped, edible seeds
- Cut, as grass
- Together
- Light boat
- Newt
- A slow-moving boat
- Otherwise
- One of King Lear's daughters
- Fat
- Obtained for turning
- Jogs
- Bone (anatom.)
- Strange
- Exclamation
- Sewing instruments
- Tree
- Price
- Subside
- Wall recess
- Christmas song
- Tree
- Color
- Malt beverage

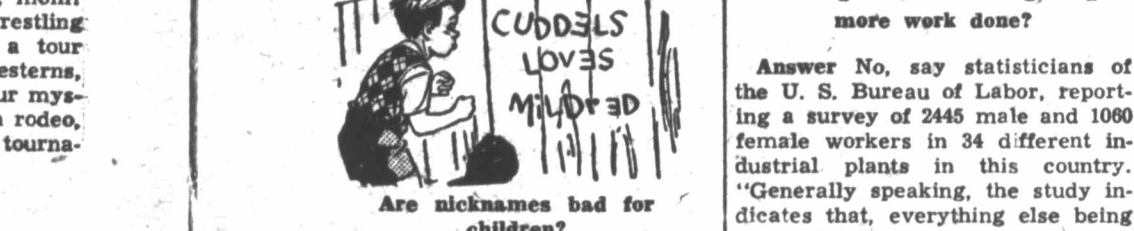
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MIRROR Of Your MIND Mother Can't Replace Father By Lawrence Gould



Can mother take father's place?

Answer: No, however hard she may try, and however relieved father may be by the thought of dumping his responsibilities onto her shoulders, says Dr. Edward A. Strecker, author of "The Mothers' Sons." For the fact remains that mother is a female, and a child must learn to grow up in a world that's male AND female. "Your son needs a man around whom he can imitate. You want him to glory in physical strength, learn to be aggressively fearless, resourceful, protective—in short, masculine. He will not learn that from his mother."



Are nicknames bad for children?

Answer: There is no essential difference between a nickname and a "real" one if it is the name which the child comes to recognize as meaning himself. I know two or three men who would scarcely know whom you were speaking to if you addressed them by the names that are recorded on

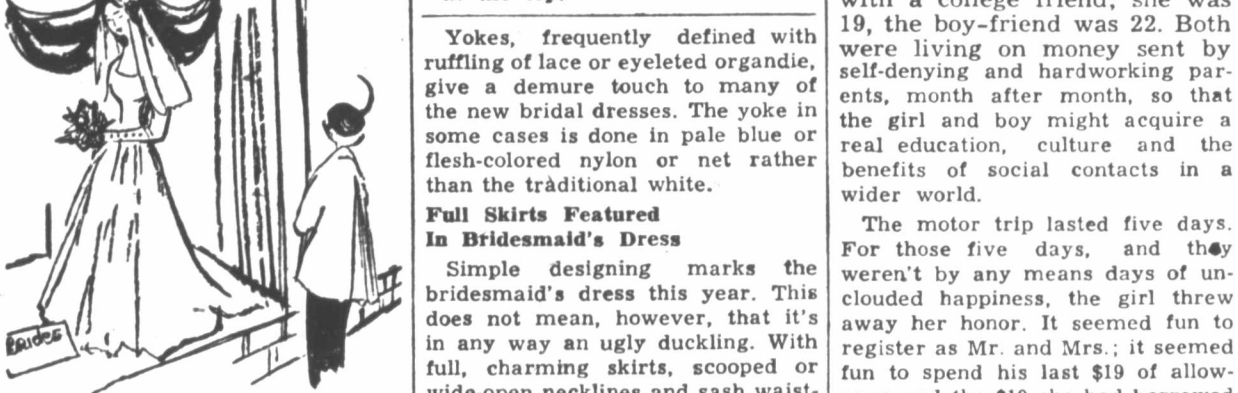
WOMAN'S WORLD Pastels Vie With Whites in Bridal Finery

By Ertia Haley

LUCKY is the girl who is being married this season, for more than one reason! Gowns combine all the lovely, sentimental and romantic trends which have been making fashion history during the last few months. Another reason is that you may have a dream dress at a price that is far, far from being a nightmare. Naturally if you intend to choose a gown using 25 yards of the finest organdie or 80 yards of nylon tulle, the price of the wedding dress will be understandably high. However, if you choose a somewhat simpler gown, there are a number of enchanting dresses from New York designers at a "something new" in cost.

For under \$60 there's a particularly heart-melting white imported organza dress designed with an off-shoulder ruffle of eyelet cotton, snug waistline and a full skirt lengthened into a generous train. It comes with its own taffeta slip. For a little more you may have an adorably young, puff-sleeved white satin dress, high waisted and frilled with Swiss organdie below a flesh-toned yoke of nylon tulle. It, too, has a wide train.

Choose "Something Blue" in Wedding Gown This year's bride may want to choose as "something blue" her own gown. Pearly white satin has



This season's bride...

lost none of its appeal for brides, but for those who prefer a pastel, the girl may choose an ice blue or a blush pink, both of which are very attractive. Both of these colors have been recently introduced in a lightweight but highly lustrous summer satin. Lace combined with satin, all cotton lace in a Chantilly-like pattern, marquisette and organdie are other fabrics of importance throughout New York collections.

Crisp, rather than frothy or ethereal is a dress of snowy pique, the gathered skirt fully trained and the bodice sleeved to points over the wrist. Framing the wide-spreading V-neckline is a deep bertha-like collar echoing the decor on the skirt.

Interest Shown in Sleeves, Yokes Many designers sponsor cap and puffed sleeves in their bridal fashions. In most instances, however, matching mitts or gauntlets go along, leaving little of the arm bare. An exception to this is the beautiful hoop-skirted white satin dress with bell-puffed sleeves, meant to be worn with short, white gloves.

Perfect for a garden wedding is a hoop-skirted, floor length dress in green and lavender plaid cotton with a matching cartwheel.

Snug bodices, very wide skirts with wide sashes, appliqued flowers, all are features on the new bridesmaid's dresses.

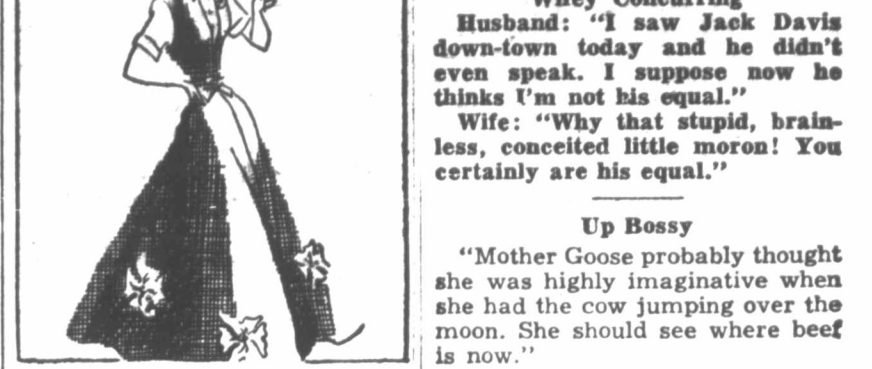
Brides Should Plan Beauty Routine Since the girl who is a bride should look her loveliest at the wedding, it's the wise bride who goes on a beauty ritual before the wedding. She may be perfectly lovely, but a few beauty routines followed faithfully for a week or 10 days before the wedding when her days are hectic, will give her good grooming as well as confidence.

Properly chosen food, rest and cleanliness will assure her of a healthy, wholesome look for her wedding day. These will be beneficial for all-over beauty, especially for preventing the skin from breaking out all of a sudden from too much rich food during bridal showers!

No matter how busy her program, the bride-to-be should plan to get her full quota of eight hours sleep. If she can't manage this every night, she should take an hour or two for a nap during the day. No bride should appear at her own wedding with dark circles under shining eyes!

A daily tubbing will take care of cleanliness, but special attention should be directed to the face, arms and legs, especially if the skin is dry. Use a cleansing lubricating cream if the skin is dry, and do this treatment faithfully.

Be Smart! JUST KISS WIFE



Wife Concurring Husband: "I saw Jack Davis down-town today and he didn't even speak to me. I suppose now he thinks I'm not his equal."

Wife: "Why that stupid, brainless, conceited little moron! You certainly are his equal."

Up Bossy "Mother Goose probably thought she was highly imaginative when she had the cow jumping over the moon. She should see where beef is now."

WHOA NOW Boy: Give me some medicine that's good for man or beast. Druggist: Here. But what for? Boy: A mule ran away with our hired man. Somebody telephoned that one of 'em was hurt, but we couldn't hear which one he said.

After the war "walkie talkie" enabled a man to keep in constant touch with the homefolks. But if "Hubbie fails" to "answue quickie" he will have to "explainis mommie" or "walkie plankie."

KATHLEEN NORRIS Youthful Errors Leave Scars

TWENTY YEARS ago a certain girl went off on a motor trip with a college friend; she was 19, the boy-friend was 22. Both were living on money sent by self-denying and hardworking parents, month after month, so that the girl and boy might acquire a real education, culture and the benefits of social contacts in a wider world.

The motor trip lasted five days. For these five days, and they weren't by any means days of unclouded happiness, the girl threw away her honor. It seemed fun to register as Mr. and Mrs.; it seemed fun to spend his last \$19 of allowance and the \$10 she had borrowed from a sorority sister on the delights of little wayside meals and overnights at the picturesque motels of Southern California. A "motel" is an informal one-story hotel, not too closely questioned as to age or relationship.

This girl was a sensitive, well-bred, proud young thing, who came to me a few months after this brief interval ended, half-mad with self-contempt and shame. "No, she was not going to have a baby; the escapade hadn't left that scar."

Tortured with Remorse But she was writhing under the burning misery of knowledge far too old for her 19 years. Knowledge that the boy hadn't taken the affair seriously at all. Knowledge that what she had thought a generous sunder had only been a cheap yielding to his casual impetuosity. Knowledge that many of her college associates suspected what had occurred, and the nicest of them couldn't help showing that they didn't like it—or her.

When a telegram came from a sick mother this girl returned gladly to her Iowa home. The boy had long since shown his complete indifference and was taking another girl about. Her girl—call her Anne—felt a deepened shame when she realized that he was the sort of boy who might under certain circumstances boast of his conquests.

Well, she went home and became a domestic angel. She saw her mother through a long illness, kept house for an adoring father and two small brothers, filled to the brim her obligations as daughter, sister, friend, and eventually wife and mother. She married with dignity, with position and modest wealth, and with true love. Her husband never has had a suspicion of her early mistake.

Can't Escape Self? So what? What's the moral? The moral lies in Anne's own heart. Every cheap, dishonest, vulgar, careless thing we do in youth is stored away in our consciousness and in our characters. We can't escape ourselves, even though we escape everyone else. Probably the arrogant boy who made love to her 20 years ago hasn't suffered; he was made of coarser clay. All colleges have scores of boys of this type; unscrupulous, attractive, sure of themselves and neither knowing or caring what results from their love affairs.

But Anne is finely constructed; she is sensitive to her fingertips. Her daughters are 18 and 9 now, and there is a son in between, and

all their lives their mother has been building their characters with talk of self-control and purity and goodness. And in all these years, back in her own consciousness, has been the knowledge that somewhere in the world there lives a man who knows just how weak and glib she was when she was a girl.

No man, in the honorable and conscientious beginnings of his business life, likes to remember that when he was in high school, he used to slip his hand into the pockets of coats hanging up in the schoolhouse hall, and take what he found. No man likes to remember the time he lied flatly—and successfully!—about cheating in the finals in his Freshman year.

The chance that got him out of a disgraceful night-club raid, while the other fellows had to face the publicity and scandal of it, isn't anything to be proud of, in later life. These ghosts of past follies and young sins rise to haunt us and to jar our self-respect and sense of security in later years.

This is so of all school-day mistakes. Untruths that got someone else into trouble. Small thefts and forgeries. The abandoning of friends when one might make a safe escape from trouble and leave them behind. Cruelty to a devoted mother. And more than all these—these little foxes that gnaw and gnaw through our memories is the knowledge in a girl's heart that in her unthinking girlhood, she threw away something that meant nothing to her casual lover, but so much more to herself than she ever dreamed.

For that particular relationship, to a girl, is the very key to her whole life. It is the key to honor, dignity, wifehood, position, home, children. It means these things to her, whether she quite knows it or not at 18.

The market, which is stuffed with goods obtained mainly through questionable channels, is made up of hundreds of wooden stalls on a muddy, twisting side alley almost a mile long. The American influence on this little community of "hot" goods is plainly evident. The three years of American military government combined with the large civilian personnel still here has been the market's best source of supply.

The market, whose merchants operate on the basis of "you name it; we have it," or "if not, we can get it," is glutted with medicines, shoes, toilet articles, civilian and GI clothes, plaster pin-up girls, and almost anything else you can think of. The market has grown into quite a little industry with its own drying and tailoring concerns. It is only a matter of hours until a "hot" man's suit can be tailored over into a woman's garment and dyed a different color. Another favorite pastime of the local slippery finger men is the lifting of automobile headlights, provided they can't make off with the vehicle. But those thieves specializing in the automobile trade apparently are imbued with a certain amount of community consciousness and need for safety on the roads at night. They invariably remove only one headlight.

LOOKING AT RELIGION By DON MOORE

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KEEPING HEALTHY Causes and Treatment of Hives

By Dr. James W. Barton

WHEN HIVES (urticaria) occurs, the first thought naturally is to relieve the itching and burning, but there are so many substances that can cause hives that we must try to find the cause as soon as possible.

Thus, as certain foods are often to blame, the first method of treatment is to give an emetic to induce vomiting, such as a teaspoon of mustard in half a glass of water. If the food has been in the body for some time, then a dose of castor oil or Epsom salts should be taken. The drug most commonly used to relieve symptoms is the injection of 10 to 15 minims (drops) of adrenalin under the skin.

While cleansing out the stomach and intestine and the injection of adrenalin (epinephrine) give almost immediate relief from the itching and burning, it should be remembered that the system has received a shock and needs rest in bed, with liquid food for a day or two.

When hives are over the entire body, baking soda, which is always soothing to the inflamed skin, is effective—a cupful in the regular bath or half a cup in the wash tub. After drying, touching the hives with baking soda talcum or flour prolongs the relief.

While the above treatment gives considerable relief in all cases, the cause of the hives should be sought so that chronic hives or frequent attacks of hives can be prevented by avoiding the foods, drugs and other substances found to be the cause or causes.

In addition to these causes, it is now known that just as emotional disturbances can increase the heart rate, raise the blood pressure, cause stomach upsets and diarrhoea, so can they cause hives and other eruptions of the skin.

One of the substances manufactured by the body tissues is histamine, a factor associated with allergic symptoms including hives. For this reason what are known as antihistamine drugs, such as benadryl, are used to treat hives.

THE READER'S COURTROOM Can't Collect Bargain Damages

By Will Bernard, LL.B.

May a Shopper Collect Damages if Knocked Down At a Bargain Sale?

A dry goods store ran a month-end sale on bed linen, and got results far exceeding its fondest hopes. A huge crowd gathered and began milling around. Women screamed, fainted and even climbed up onto the counter! During the excitement, one housewife was knocked down a stairway.

Is a Beekeeper Responsible If His Bees Attack a Mule?

A farmer set up a beehive alongside his back fence, right close to the favorite grazing spot of his neighbor's mule. One hot day the bees lit out after the mule and stung him so badly that he died. When the neighbor sued for the value of the beast, the farmer protested that he was not to blame.

May a Child Collect Damages If Hurt in a Revolving Door?

A young boy suffered a sprained wrist when he caught it in the revolving door of a hotel. His parents sued the management on the boy's behalf, claiming that such a door was dangerous because it was so tempting to children. They insisted that the hotel ought to have a guard posted by the door—and to have it locked when the guard wasn't there. However, the court rejected their claim. The judge said it wasn't fair to the hotel.

for what his bees had done. However, when he admitted that the same bees had once attacked his own mule too, the court decided to hold him responsible. The judge said that, since the farmer knew his bees were vicious, he should not have stationed them so close to the neighbor's animal.

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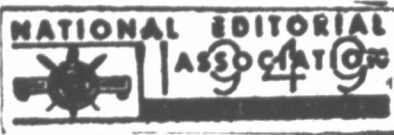
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Baptist Church Notes

Sunday School 10 a. m.
Morning Worship 11 a. m.
Training Union 6:30
Evening Service 7:30
Monday
W. M. U. 3 p. m.
R. A's and G. A's 4 p. m.
Wednesday
Midweek Service 7:30

Methodist Church

Sunday School 10 a. m.
Morning Worship 11 a. m.
Young People 6:30 p. m.
Evening Worship 7 p. m.
Mid Week Service
Wednesday 7 p. m.

Mid-week Service
Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

Church of Christ

WELCOMES YOU!
Bible School 10 a. m.

LOCAL CIRCLE

Mrs. K. L. Taylor entertained in the regular monthly meeting of the Local Circle Monday afternoon.
Mrs. Percy Bond brought the devotional, reading scripture from Matthew 25, following a piano prelude played by Mrs. Taylor.
Mrs. J. D. McDonald had charge of the program on the Voice of the Nations. Those taking parts on the program were Mmes. Jim Johnson, Bennett

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The song, "We've a Story to Tell to the Nations," was sung by the group. Mrs. Jim Johnson led in prayer.

In behalf of the good work of the retiring president, Mrs. C. H. Martin, who has so faithfully served the society for several years, Mrs. Jim Johnson presented Mrs. Martin with a beautiful table lamp. Mrs. Martin expressed her appreciation to the society in accepting the gift.

A business meeting was held with Mrs. Martin presiding. All new officers will be in charge at the next meeting. Mrs. Bennett Blair as president in the new year. We are looking forward to a good year's work. God has blessed us individually and as a society in so many ways in the past year.

A refreshment plate of pineapple cake squares and orange punch was served to Mmes. C. H. Martin, Frank Crowover, Bennett Blair, Percy Bond, F. M. Richey, J. D. McDonald, J. B. Mahon, T. R. Bennett, Jim Johnson, G. W. Parish, Miss Annie Jarratt and the hostess.

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W. S. C. S.
The WSCS met Monday afternoon in their regular study meeting with Mrs. Percy Bond.

Mrs. J. M. Templeton brought the devotional, reading from the first and third chapters of James.

Mrs. Bond gave the chapter, When I'm Weak I'm Strong, in the study book, China, Twilight or Dawn. Mrs. C. H. Martin gave the chapter, By Faith. They and Mrs. Jim Johnson gave the final chapter in the book, With In Four Seas.

We will not meet in study meetings during the summer months, but will continue with our regular monthly Local Circle meetings.

An offering of \$10.75 was given to send to the Bible Training School at Nanking, China. There were 8 present.

Mrs. W. C. Farrar left last Tuesday for Stephenville after receiving the message of the illness of her brother, I. N. Jones she arrived there and was buried on Friday. Mrs. Farrar returned home Friday night with her son Nick Farrar and wife of Colorado City who also attended the funeral.

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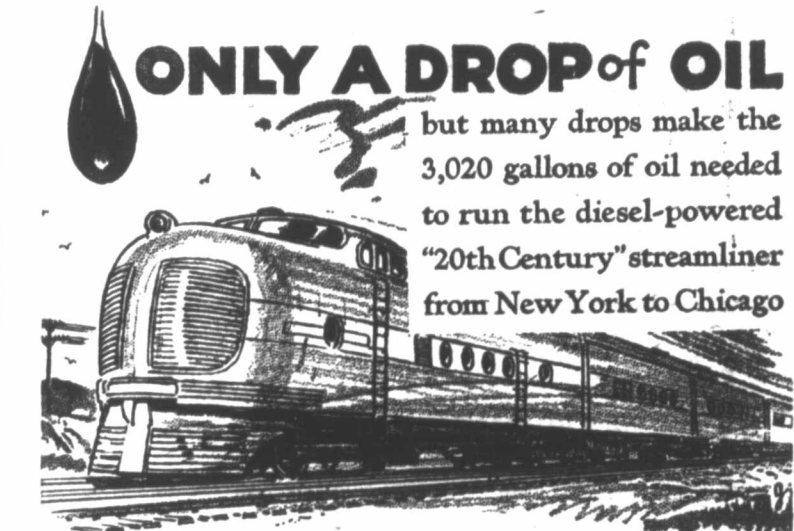
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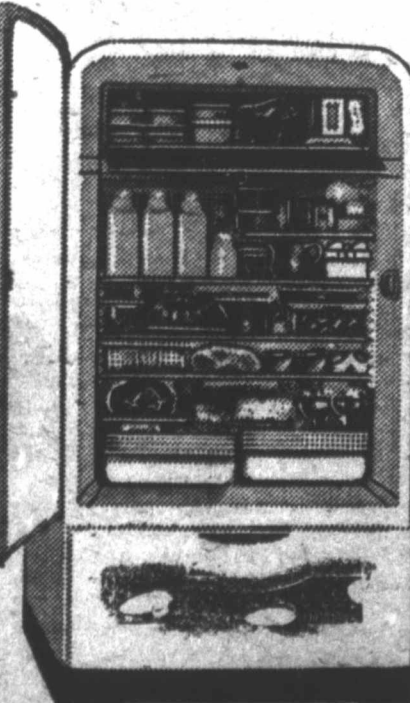
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Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Shultz of Odessa visited in the C. E. Elliott home over the week end.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Brians this week are their son, Lewis from St. Mary's law school in San Antonio, and daughter, Mrs. F. N. Kenly and children of McCamey. Lewis will return to San Antonio on June 10 to enter school for the summer term.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gunnel and baby returned to their home in McCamey Monday after spending the week end with their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gunnel and Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Walker visited her mother, Mrs. Willie Roloff and other relations in Dawson from Thursday until Saturday. Mrs. Roloff returned with them for a visit in their home. While here she will also visit in the Erwin Roloff home.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Lankford and children Dols and Darlene of Minton were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lankford, over the week end.

Mrs. W. H. Glaze returned to her home in Waco today after spending three weeks in the homes of her sisters, Mrs. Bee Wilkerson and Mrs. J. M. Comp-ton, and with her brothers, C. W. and J. T. Hock. Mrs. Wilkerson returned home with her for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Taylor spent Sunday with her father, Rev. C. E. Leslie and Mrs. Leslie in Hermleigh.

Miss Mildred Coffee left Monday for Vidor, where she will be supervisor of summer recreational work in the Vidor consolidated school district.

Visitors in the Raymond Wheeler home Saturday and Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Wheeler, George, Joe and Jimmie of Morton; Mrs. Vivian Jarnigan of Richardson; Mrs. Jewel Anders and Hazel Joyce of Dallas; Mrs. Wiley Wheeler, Buster Wheeler and Mrs. Susie Harrison and Johnnie of Clovis, N. M.

Leon Johnson of Odessa spent the week end here with his family and left Monday for Wilcox, Arizona, where the oil company for which he works has transferred him.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Martin, Mrs. Emma Land, Miss Ollie Mae Martin and Billie Martin left Sunday for Carlsbad, N. M., where they are visiting this week in the John Martin home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Grigsby and children Jerry, Jane and Judy of McCamey spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. L. E. Crutcher, and Mr. Crutcher. Jerry remained to spend this week.

Mrs. J. M. Bruce is visiting in the John Clark home in Bronte this week and also attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Little and daughter of Oklahoma City, were here over the week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Rhodes.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Williams and family spent Saturday night and Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Murphrey in the W. C. Jacobs home. Sunday guests of the Jacobs and Murphreys were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Renfro and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Renfro of Roscoe.

Mrs. Frank Stewart and sister, Mrs. Joe Williams of Inadale, spent Monday and Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Parker in Lubbock and attended the commencement exercises of the senior class at Texas Tech of which Douglas was a member.

Mr. and Mrs. Orman Duke and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Duke spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Duke.

Johnnie Chlemsky of Houston spent the week end with Mrs. Lois Caswell.

Classes started Wednesday morning for the Vacation Bible School to be held at the Baptist Church from June 1 through June 10.

The enrolment for the opening day was 107. We had set our goal at 110, but since our opening days enrolment it was so large we are very optimistic and have raised our goal to 125. All ages of young people up to 16 years of age in town are given a special invitation to come and take part and enjoy these days of study, play and work with us. Harvey Leach is Superintendent and Mrs. R. P. Adams, Principal.

Mr. and Mrs. Parvin Scarborough and children of Odessa spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Scarborough, and sister Mrs. J. C. Payne and family. Wanda Jean and Barbara Ann remained for a few weeks visit.



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As a cop passed a store he heard a noisy argument going on, so he stepped inside to investigate.

"What's going on in here? What's all the noise about?" he called.

"Everything's okay, Officer," said the store owner. "There's nobody here but me."

"Listen," insisted the cop. "I heard an argument going on and that's why I came in."

"You see, Officer, I'm alone in the store," explained the man. "Business is very slack. So what do I do to pass the time away? I talk to myself. And when I talk to myself there's an argument."

"Just a minute," said the cop. "There's nothing wrong with talking to yourself, but when you talk to yourself why do you have to fight and argue?"

"I hate a liar!"

APPEAL GRANTED



Father: "Wasn't that young Jones I saw down stairs last night?"

Daughter: "Yes, Dad."

Father: "I thought I issued an injunction against his seeing you any more."

Daughter: "Yes, Dad. But he appealed to a higher court and Mother said 'yes.'"

Tactical Maneuver

Little Willie had been extremely naughty in class, and, anticipating the punishment which would shortly descend upon him, craftily slipped a book in the seat of his pants.

"Now," said the teacher, producing a sturdy well-worn cane, "you and I are going to participate in a little performance together."

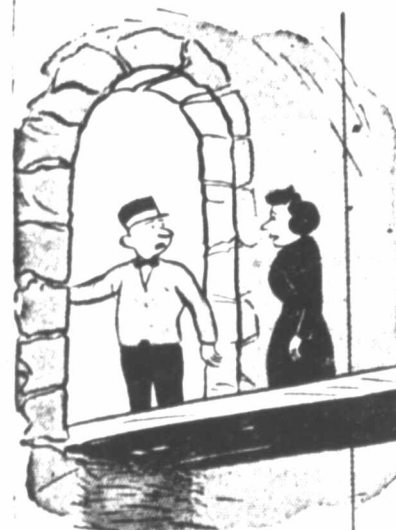
"Okay, Miss Jones," was the surprising retort. "I have already booked my seat!"

Cheer Up!

"I suppose you think I'm a perfect idiot."

"Oh, none of us is perfect."

INDUBITABLY



A group of American tourists was going through an ancient castle in Scotland.

"This castle," the guide told them, "has stood for 700 years. Not a stone has been touched, nothing altered, nothing replaced."

"Hmmm," observed one woman, "they must have the same landlord we have."

He Fooled 'Em

Screwball Jake was standing in a crowd, waiting for the parade to come along. When the vanguard arrived, he started pointing like he was counting something. A fellow in loud clothes, a typical confidence man, sided up to him.

"What are you doing, bud?" he asked.

"I'm counting the policemen," replied Jake.

"Don't you know it's illegal to count policemen in New York? How many did you count?"

"Ten," said Jake.

"All right, I'll fine you a dollar apiece. Give me ten dollars and I'll see that you don't get hauled in to court for this."

So Jake gave the con man ten dollars and he left.

"I certainly put one over on that guy," chuckled Jake. "I counted fourteen cops."

ALL QUIET

Mr. Smith: Well, at last I stopped the storm windows from rattling.

Mrs. Smith: Wonderful, dear. How did you do it?

Mr. Smith: Took 'em off and put 'em down in the cellar.

Every Time.

A goof was watching a house painter at work.

"Gee," he said, "you mixed the paints. Why did you do that?"

"I wanted green paint. If you mix yellow and blue together you get green," explained the painter.

"That's nothing," exclaimed the goof. "If you mix milk and pickles you get green, too."

STILL WANTED TO KNOW



Englishman: "What's that bloomin' noise I hear this time of night?"

American: "Why, that's an owl."

Englishman: "Of course it is, but 'o's 'owling'?"

IMAGINE!

Dear old lady: My grandson is in the navy, too. Do you know him? His name is Joe Smith.

Sailor: What ship is he on, lady?

Dear old lady: What ship? Oh, do you mean there are two ships?

Much Too Busy

Three girls went into a restaurant.

"I'd like a chicken sandwich on white bread," said one girl.

"Why do you take a chicken sandwich?" asked the waiter. "Take corned beef. It's more tasty. And besides, why do you want white bread? Take rye bread. It's got more vitamins."

"All right," said the girl. "Corned beef sandwich on rye bread."

"I'd like some Danish pastry toasted," said the second girl.

"Why do you want Danish pastry toasted?" asked the waiter. "It just came from the oven. Hot pastry ain't good for you!"

"All right," said the second girl. "Danish pastry plain with a cup of coffee."

"What do you want to take coffee for? It will only keep you awake. Take milk."

"All right," she said. "I'll take Danish pastry plain and a glass of milk."

With that the third girl asked, "What would you suggest for me?"

"Suggest?" said the waiter. "Who's got time for suggestions?"

Late Arrival

A woman consulted a medium.

"I'd like to talk to my husband," the medium tried to get the ghost of the husband, but nothing happened.

"I don't seem to get him," she said.

"What time is it?"

"Eight o'clock."

"Eight o'clock? Oh, he never comes in till four."

Really A Bargain

The family had returned from church and was seated around the dinner table. Discussing the morning service, Father commented, "Frankly, I don't believe the sermon this morning was as good as usual."

Mother added, "The choir didn't sing as well as they might have. The anthem wasn't very good."

Sis said, "The church needs new hymnals. I wish they would get some."

The youngest member of the family pondered a bit, then observed, "Well, I thought it was pretty good for only a nickel apiece."

BLUFFING



"Pa," said the subscriber's little daughter, "I know why the editors call themselves 'we.'"

"Why?"

"So the fellow who doesn't like what's printed will think that there are too many for him to lick."

Send A Boat

A bath was running over in a hotel room and the water was coming down into the room below.

"Hey up there! Hey up there!" called the occupant of the downstairs room. "Cut off that water!"

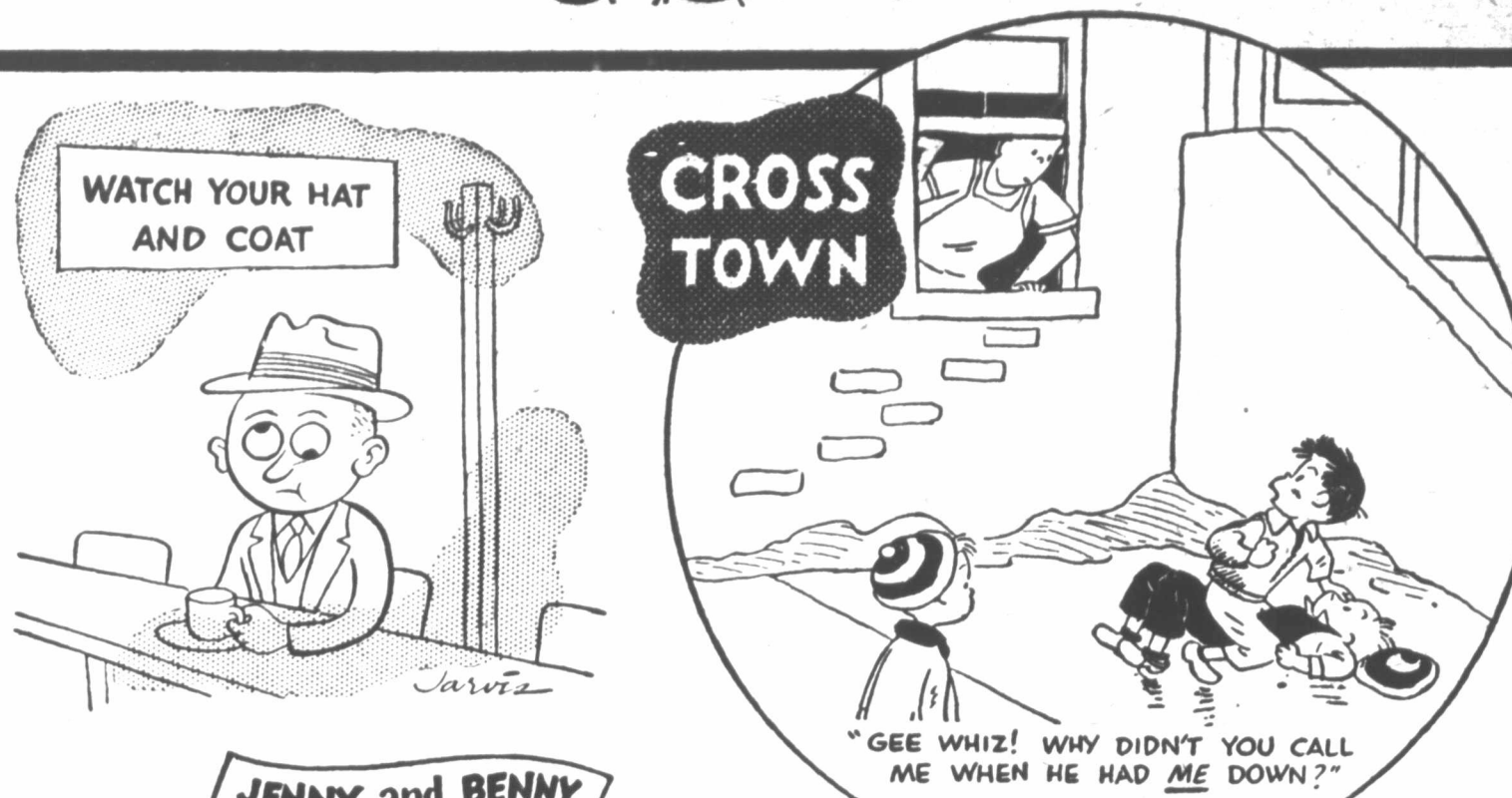
"What's the matter?"

"The water is running into my room, you idiot! And with that he started to call the man upstairs all kinds of names."

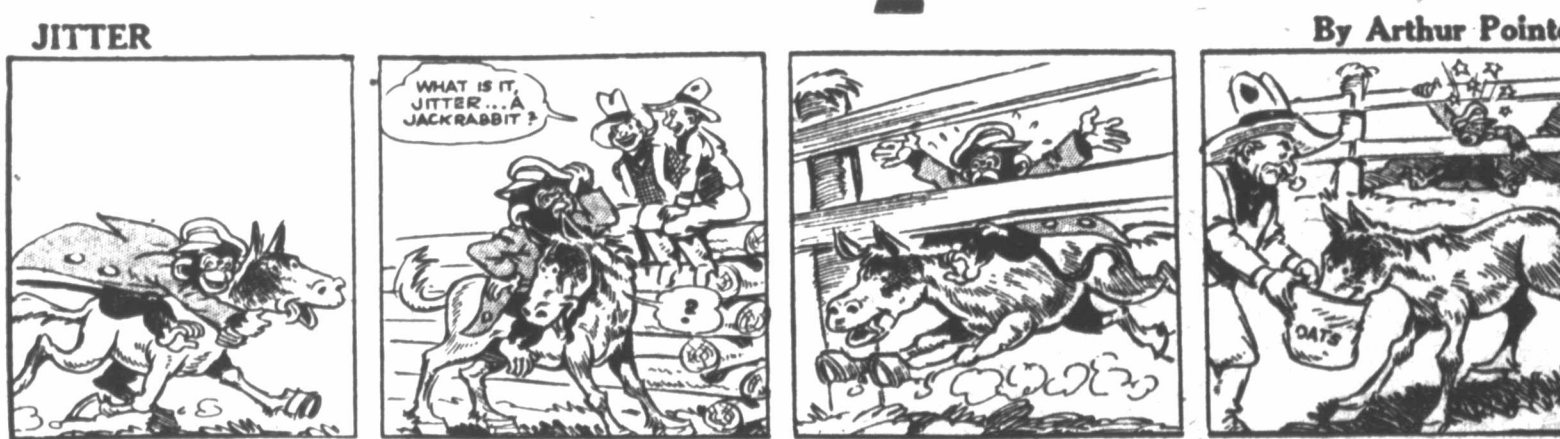
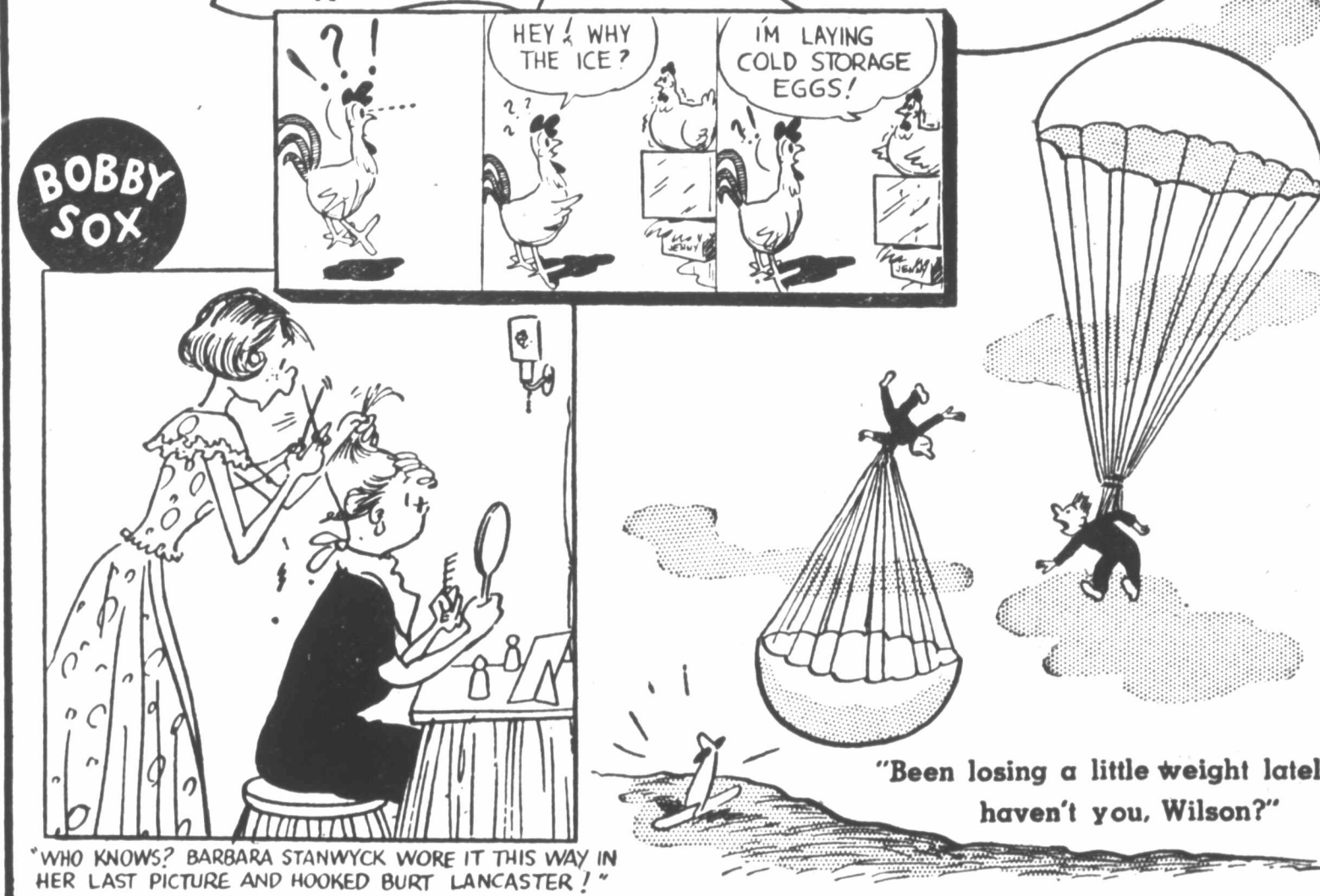
"Wait a minute. Don't talk like that. I've got a lady up here."

"What do you think I've got down here—a duck?"

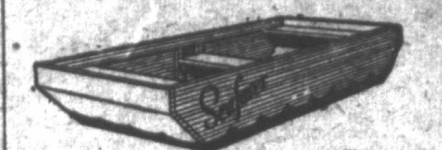
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Harley Owens, Billie Don Green, R. D. White and Max Hallman left last week to work in the wheat harvest in North Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Crawford left Tuesday for Alpine, where Mr. Crawford is attending an area agriculture teachers meeting held there this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Dale Johnson and Dr. and Mrs. John Hamblen spent Sunday and Monday in Pecos attending a zone meeting of Lions Clubs.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Chamness came in Friday from Odessa and Mr. Chamness entered the Johnson Hospital for treatment for an infected tooth.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright Hock and daughter Susan of the Spade Ranch spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hock.

Mrs. Clifton Henderson is in the Shannon Hospital in San Angelo for medical treatment.

Guests of Mrs. W. C. Farrar Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Cramer and sons of Coahoma, and Mr. and Mrs. Nick Farrar and daughter Linda Lee of Colorado City.

Wayne and Marsha Day of Abilene are here visiting their grandmother, Mrs. John Marshall.

Mrs. Shepp Sloan of Dodge City visited Mrs. Horace Miles Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cook visited Sunday with his brother H. A. Cook, who is ill at his home in Colorado City.

Sgt. Billy Andrews of Maryland spent the week end and first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Rannefeld.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Stewart this week are their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Brown of Acierley. Other guests Sunday were Mrs. Harley Owens, Mrs. Billie Don Green, Mrs. J. C. Green and Ed Brown.

For Sale—File Chest for safe and convenient filing of home or personal records, made of metal, fire resistant. The Mitchell County News.

Mrs. Harry Hallmark and Dorothy and Mrs. Alfred Richey spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Marth, Jr. in Lubbock. Mrs. Marth returned with them and remained over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett, Merlin and Deryl attended the commencement exercises at Texas Tech Monday night. Wayland Bennett was among those who received degrees.

Dorothy Hallmark of HSU spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hallmark. She returned to Abilene Tuesday to enroll for the summer term.

Mrs. N. L. Crownover and children Norris and Mary of Crane came in Monday and visited Monday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ray. Mrs. Ray and Billie accompanied them to Wichita Falls Tuesday where they are visiting Mrs. Ray's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Perry McDonnell. Norris remained here to spend the week with Mr. Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Costin and children of McCamey are spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Meadows. Mrs. Roger Crippliver of Fort Worth spent the week end in their home.

Mrs. J. C. Yarbrough and Mrs. Jim Reed of Lubbock were visitors in the Al Peterson and Claude Woods homes over the week end.

Poultry and Egg Shipments... Austin, Texas, May—Egg shipments from Texas stations totaled 185 carloads, as compared with 62 in March and 322 in April 1948, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

Interstate receipts of eggs at Texas stations numbered 18 carloads in April, 13 in March, and 44 in April 1948.

Abilene, Texas—Jeannie Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Martin, was given the freshman award by the women's Athletic Association of McMurry college, Abilene, where he is a student. The award is given on the basis of effort, ability and participation in both classes and intramural athletic events.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roberts for the week end were Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hart of Artesia, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Roberts and daughter, Jo Nell of Artesia, N. M., Mrs. L. L. Comer and children of Spur, and Sunday afternoon guests were Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hale of Valley View.

W. L. Morris of Tuscola spent Saturday night and Sunday in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sheffield. Miss Lucy Morris, who spent last week with her sister, returned to Tuscola with him Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. B. D. Smith of Colorado City spent Friday with Mrs. S. H. Hart.

Electric Power Consumption Gains

Austin, Texas, May—April electric power consumption in Texas gained 1 per cent from March and rose 8 per cent from a year earlier, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

With the exception of a 2 per cent reduction from March in residential power, all type of power users showed gains over both the previous month and a year earlier.

Residential consumption rose 13 per cent during the 12-month period; commercial, 10 per cent; and industrial, 2 per cent.

After adjustment for seasonal variation, the Bureau's index of total power consumption increased fractionally to 338 per cent of the 1935-39 level in April. The Bureau's seasonal adjusted index of industrial consumption slid 1 per cent from March to 295 per cent in April 1949.

Guests in the home of Mrs. G. H. Richardson over the week end were her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Barron of Killeen. Other guests Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Troy Welch and daughter of Sweetwater, and Mrs. C. K. Madows and daughters of Baird.

Louise Cooley of Big Spring and Nadiah Bomer of Windham spent last week in the Horace Miles home.

Mr. and Mrs. K. P. Looney and Gloria of Crane spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Lee Kidd.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tillison Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Linam and Tommy, Mrs. H. H. Kirkpatrick and grandson Mike, and Mrs. Wesley Chamness and children of Odessa.

Guests in the H. E. Patterson home last week were Mrs. Felix Cunningham of Wichita Falls, Mrs. E. T. Patterson and son of Winters, Mr. and Mrs. Jim St. John and sons of Carlsbad, N. M., and Mrs. S. I. Reese of Lovington, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Olan Griffith of Hobbs, N. M., spent Sunday night and Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Wilson and son of Abilene came in Sunday night and are spending their vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Wilson, and other relatives.

Miss Mary Kent of Crane came in Monday and is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. L. Leach.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Tubbs of Dallas spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Adams and Ann spent the week end and first of the week with relatives in Abilene.

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