



Saturday night ended the first half of play for the Rotan Little League. The teams are taking a rest this week and will resume regular scheduled games Monday.

Last Thursday the Vets and the Pigs had a high scoring game with the Vets on top by a 23-6 score. Rogers and Lear sared the pitching honors for the Vets.

Friday night saw the Rebels whitewash the Prune Peddlers to the tune of 13-0. Underhill chalking up another no-hitter to his credit.

Saturday night's game was the closest of the week between the Vets and the Peddlers. The game went extra innings with the vets squeezing through another win in the seventh and winning 5 to 4. Lopez was credited with a win for the Vets.

Batting averages for the league, with batters over .200 are: A. Lopez, Vets, .518; Underhill, Rebels, .440; Sparks, Pigs, .391; Taylor, Vets, .375; Carter, Rebels, .333; Hamlin, Vets, .322; Patton, Rebels, .316; D. Rodriguez, Peddlers, .307; Stephenson, Rebels, .304; Snapp, Robes, .277; Lear, Vets, .277; H. DeLeon, Peddlers, .275; Newman, Pigs, .273; Graham, Pigs, .250; Rogers, Vets, .241; C. Lopez, Rebels, .238; Goodrum, Vets, .231; T. Morton, Vets, .227; Morrow, Pigs, .217; Ramon, Peddlers, .217; R. Rodriguez, Rebels, .217; L. Carrillo, Rebels, .217; V. Thorne, Pigs, .207 and R. Morton, Vets, .200.

League standings:

	Won	Lost
Vets	8	1
Rebels	6	3
Peddlers	4	5
Pigs	0	9

Next Weeks schedule:

Monday, Farm Club, 7:15.

Rebels vs. Vets, 8:30.

Tuesday, Peddlers vs. Pigs, 8:00.

Thursday, Vets vs. Peddlers, 8:00 p. m.

Friday night of this week the Sweetwater Tigers come here for a gam with the Vets.

Doyle McSpadden Wins \$300 A&M Scholarship

James Doyle McSpadden has been announced the winner of a \$300 freshman scholarship to Texas A & M College, given annually by the Nolan-Fisher County Texas A & M Club.

Club president Ed Schwarz of Sweetwater, announced that Don A. Waddell of Roby was named alternate. A club outing was held at the Billy Wharton cabin at Lake Sweetwater Saturday, June 19. All club members, their families, A&M students, and A&M ex-students not members of the club were invited.

New officers of the A&M Club are: Schwarz, president; Frank Crowder, Roby, vice-president; Bud Aldredge, Sweetwater, secretary-treasurer; Claude Carpenter, reporter; Fred Stevenson, chairman of Christmas dance committee, and John Pepper, chairman of the singing cadets committee.

Bennie R. Allen In AF Officer Training

Williams Air Base, Ariz., June 21-Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps Cadet Bennie R. Allen son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Holcomb who reside at Rotan, arrived here today to begin four weeks of active duty training.

During his stay here Cadet Allen will undergo training to fit him for his future role as an officer in the United States Air Force, following his graduation from college.

Williams AFB, located in the heart of Arizona's Valley of the Sun, is the nation's first jet fighter school training aviation cadet and student officers in the intricacies of jet flight.

Cadet Allen will actually be looking into his own future during his stay here, since he already has volunteered for flight training following his call to active duty.

He will be given familiarization rides in both T - 28 trainer and the T - 33 twin - seated jet training aircraft.

The operation of a modern Air Force base will be covered thoroughly during the four weeks, with a look into all support activities as well as those functions directly connected with keeping planes in the air.

The encampment will conclude with graduation ceremonies on July 17.

Celia Deane Reese visited her grandfather, R. M. McLeod, in Leuders several days last week.

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Lions 'Ladies Night' Friday Of This Week

County Jr. Rodeo At Roby July 9-10

The Fifth Annual 4-H Fisher County Junior Rodeo will be held in Roby July 9 and 10 at the Fair grounds.

All boys and girls in school in the county are eligible. Of the scheduled events are, calf roping, bull riding, barrel races, girls goat tie-down, ribbon roping, soda pop races and three man tie down. An exhibition matched roping is also planned.

Full details will be carried later.

Ladies Auxiliary to VFW Plans Activities

Ten members were present at the regular business meeting Monday night held at the Post Home of the Ladies Auxiliary to V. F. W.

Plans were discussed on the July 4th picnic for all Auxiliary and V. F. W. members and their families.

Plans were also made for the "Platter Party" for teenagers which is to be Friday night, June 25 at 8 o'clock in the Post Home. All teenagers are urged to attend, so bring your date and come enjoy yourself. The parents are always welcome.

Refreshments were served by Vernie Coan and Sara Gray.

Members present were Hazel Oker, Jessie Morrow, Lucille Gabel, Doris Pettit, Mary Edwards, Jr. Jo Mills, Drudie Oden, Maebelle Oden, Vernie Coan and Sara Gray.

Entertained For Tennessee Visitors

Mrs. Willard Tillotson entertained with a coffee at her home Tuesday morning from 9 to 11, honoring Mrs. Thay Martin of Dixon, Tenn., who is visiting her mother, Mrs. Annie Tillotson, and the Willard Tillotsons.

Ann, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Tillotson, opened the door for arriving guests.

Mrs. Judson Thompson and Mrs. Vernon Frazier served coffee, orange juice and individual cakes. Garden flowers were used for decorating the entertaining rooms.

Church of Christ

Otta Johnson, Minister

Sunday:

9:45 a.m., Bible study class period.

10:45 a.m., Worship service. Sermon, "Christianity in the Home."

7:00 p.m., Young Peoples Choral meeting.

8:00 p.m., Worship service. Sermon, "The King's Highway."

Monday:

3:00 p. m., Ladies Bible class.

Wednesday, 8:00 p.m., Audience participation program and singing.

Hobbs 4-H News

The Hobbs 4 - H girls met with Miss S. C. Kinsey in the Recreation Building of the Hobbs Baptist Church June 16, 1954.

The program was based on the subjects of buying patterns and putting zippers in dresses, skirts, etc.

Reta Burnett and Becky Hargrove attended the County Council meeting at Roby June 15. Plans were discussed for the Fisher County Jr. 4 - H Rodeo and County Camp.

All members are urged to attend the club meetings this summer. The next meeting will be held July 1 at the Hobbs School.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. (Doc) Carey are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Lola Faye to Mr. John Wesley Blythe, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Blythe of Snyder. Rev. Carl Underhill will read the single ring ceremony Friday evening, July 2, at 8:00 o'clock in the Weathersbee Chapel. The public is invited.

Mrs. G. E. McSpadden and Elizabeth visited Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McSpadden of Dallas in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Allred Sunday afternoon.

Rotan Lions Club will hold their annual Ladies Night, Friday, June 25 at 7:30 at Ritz Cafe.

(Highlight of the event will be installation of the new officers for the organization.)

Dr. Lawrence Hayes will be master of ceremonies. O. L. Stanley, idst. governor of Lions International will be main speaker.

In chage of decoration for the affair are, Mrs. Ragsdale, Mrs. Lance Davis and Mrs. H. L. Davis.

Mrs. R. R. Gray is in charge of food arrangements and Rev. Dan Jones will give the invocation. Roy Kingsfield will handle the seating arrangement. Dinner music will be given by Betty Jane Clark and Sue Morrow.

Special entertainment will be by the Cisco Kids, a vocal trio from Cisco Junior College.

All Lions and their guests are welcome.

Youth Night at First Baptist Church Sunday

The First Baptist Church in keeping in the regular church service in will have Youth Night Sunday evening in the regular church service in which the young people will have charge of the program.

The pastor will preach on "Why I Am A Christian," a message of special interest to both youth and adults.

Training Union meets at 7:00 with Missionary programs on China. Sunday school meets at 9:45 and the pastor will preach on "Walking With God," or the story of Enoch.

Visiting friends and visitors are invited by the church to worship in its services. The nursery is open for all services.

Insect Control Specialist At Roby June 29

According to County Agent Frank Crowder arrangements have been made for Mr. Neal Randolph, Extension Service Entomologist, to be in the county for a one afternoon meeting on cotton insects.

Mr. Randolph will be in the court house in Roby for a meeting on June 29th at 1:30 p. m. The latest controls developed by the Experiment Stations will be discussed and various methods of their application will be outlined.

Mr. Randolph has had a number of years experience working with cotton insects and will answer any questions that you may have. This is a county wide meeting that each cotton farmer should attend.

After the meeting in the court house a short tour will be made to some fields where insect counts will be made.

J. A. Wells of Stephenville, died June 10 after a long illness. Mr. Wells and his family formerly lived west of Rotan before moving to Stephenville several years ago. Those attending the funeral from here were Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Lear, Tilford Lear and Mrs. Bill Wicker.

Please tie your papers in bundles and place them on the porch or in front of the house Friday morning, July 2, and they will be picked up by the members of the Senior class.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Whitfield and his mother, Mrs. Carl Whitfield of Seymour, spent Saturday night and Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Whitfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Holman of Seymour, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kennedy and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Norvelle Kennedy and son were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kennedy and Warren Kennedy Sunday.

David and Rusty Hicks of Lubbock, spent several days here last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parker.

Carole Byerly of Colorado City, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Byerly, Sunday night.

Dee Reeses Having 5th Anniversary Sale

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Reese are observing their fifth year of business in Rotan with an anniversary sale.

They have purchased special merchandise for this event in addition to their large stocks.

This popular store has grown from a small shoe repair and leather shop to one of the best such establishments in West Texas. The store name has been changed to Dee's Shoe Shop and Western Store, which is fitting, as the most complete stock of western clothes and equipment is carried here.

Their full line of merchandise is specially priced for this big event, and they state they are offering these special savings to show their customers appreciation for patronage.

This store is a direct asset to Rotan as it draws many patrons to town that normally would trade in towns nearer their home.

Summer Band School Continues Thru July 16

Summer band got under way this week and will continue through July 16.

Classes are held in sections most of the time in order that more attention can be given to individual problems. Following is the practice schedule for 6th and 7th graders next year.

Woodwinds, 10:30 - 11:30, Monday, Wednesday, Friday.

Brass, 10:30 - 11:30 Tuesday, Thursday, Friday.

Drums, 8-9, Tuesday-Thursday, 10:30 - 11:30 Friday.

High School Band, Woodwinds, 9-10:30, Monday, Wednesday, Tuesday.

Brass, 10:30 - 11:30 Tuesday, Thursday, Friday.

Drums, 8-9, Tuesday, Thursday; 10:30 - 11:30 Friday.

All those who are seventh graders or over who have not made arrangements about band but want to begin should contact the director as soon as possible. Beginners classes for those students are from 8 to 9 on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Class Meets In Denton Home

The Matron Fidelis Class of the First Baptist Church met June 17 in the home of Mrs. Willard Denton.

The coffee and dining table was centered with a lovely arrangement of pink roses.

Mrs. Fern Benson gave the opening prayer.

Mrs. Joe Little, program chairman gave final exams to the graduating class of Punkinville-Centerville School. Mrs. Clyde Green was valedictorian and Mrs. Vernon Frazier salutatorian. There was a number of honor students.

Mrs. Jimmie Irwin gave the commencement address, using Four A's as her subject - Achievement, Affection and Attitude.

Mrs. Denton was assisted by Mrs. Tom Nash's group in serving a delicious refreshment plate with tiny diplomas tied with pink ribbon as favors to: Mrs. H. E. Aldridge, Mrs. Fern Benson, Mrs. Vernon Frazier, Mrs. Clyde Green, Mrs. Lawrence Hays, Mrs. Obed Hughes, Mrs. Jimmie Irwin, Mrs. J. B. Kindricks, Mrs. Joe Little, Mrs. J. H. Stanford, Mrs. Judson Thompson and Mrs. Luther Terrell.

Highland Home Baptist Church News

Our Vacation Bible School was one of the best our church has ever had. We had an enrollment of 87, with an average attendance of 79. We are especially thankful to every worker for their untiring efforts that made our school what it was. We are grateful to Betty Jane Clark and Barbara Aldridge who came out and helped us.

We will be looking for you in our services Sunday. Give the Lord a part of your time. "Only one life t'will soon be past, only what's done for Christ will last."

ORDER OF SERVICES

10:00 a. m.—Sunday School

11:00 a. m.—Worship.

7:00 p. m.—Training Union.

8:00 p. m.—Preaching Hour

Wednesday, Prayer Meeting.

R. W. Campbell, pastor.

Co. Red Cross Meeting Held--Officials Elected

Swimming Meet Here Monday July 5

Plans are underway for the swimming meet to be held Monday night, July 5. There will be the Junior and Senior division for both boys and girls. Plans call for a well rounded program.

Swimmers of all ages are asked to check the program of events and enter all possible.

Some interest has been shown in a diving class and the management states that if enough persons are interested in such the class will be opened.

The beginners class has shown remarkable progress and will go thru next week.

The pool will be open tonight, (Thursday) and next week will be open from Monday night through Friday night.

The management invites all citizens who are spending the Fourth week-end at home, to come out and enjoy a swim or just watch the others.

A special stunt is planned for each day next week. An alarm clock will sound during the session, and the person getting their basket as the alarm sounds will be refunded basket fee and given a free swim.

Condition of Maurice Callan Is Improving

Dr. C. U. Cilan, Mrs. Callan and Charlotte returned Sunday afternoon from Galveston. Mrs. Callan and Charlotte had been there several weeks, and Dr. Callan had spent several weeks there with their son, Maurice, who was stricken with polio about a month ago. Dr. Callan and Jack went to Galveston Friday night and Jack stayed to assist in caring for his brother. Maurice is improving in at home, but goes to the hospital twice a day for treatment.

Davis and D & H Stores Having Sales

H. L. Davis and Co., and D. & H Dept. Store are staging a pre-inventory sale this week.

These stores are having the event to lower their large stock of merchandise and have many bargains for your approval.

See their ad in this issue of the Advance.

Most Of Town Closing July 5th

A survey of a majority of the business houses of Rotan this week showed they would close Monday July 5, since the fourth falls on Sunday.

Cafes and service stations will probably keep usual hours, while the drug stores will likely keep their regular holiday hours.

Mrs. Dick Edwards and son, Glenn Strickland, Janell Little visited in Corpus Christi the past week. While there they attended the wedding of Patsy Noles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Noles, formerly of Rotan. The bride is a niece of Mrs. Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wright of Fort Worth, visited Mr. and Mrs. Porter Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Arrington last week end.

Church of The Nazarene

Summer is here, but will soon be gone, just as your life and mine will soon pass. Let's make the most of the days we have.

Our spiritual nature is the more important. We should be faithful to the church; to prayer and Bible study in summer as well as in winter.

We welcome you all to all of our services.

Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.

Morning worship, 11:00 a.m.

Evening service, 8:00 p.m.

Midweek service, 8:00 p.m.

Come worship with us.

Dan D. Jones, Pastor.

The annual meeting of the Fisher County Chapter of the American Red Cross was held in the court house at Roby Tuesday afternoon and the following officials were re-elected:

County Chairman, W. D. Neves, Roby.

Vice-chairman, C. R. Shelton, Roby.

Secretary, Johnnie Ammons, Roby.

Roby Home Service Chairman, B. C. Drinkard, Roby.

Treasurer, J. M. Jackson, Rotan.

Roll Call Chairman, C. J. Dalton, Rotan.

Fund Chairman, Lance Davis, Rotan.

Rotan Home Service Chairmn, H. C. Shelton, Rotan.

Home Service Case Worker, Sam Denton, Rotan.

County Blood Chairman, Buddy Edwards, Rotan.

First Aid and Water Safety, Mrs. Robert Gray, Rotan.

Other officials elected were:

Disaster Chairman, County Judge Bruce McCain, Roby.

Home Service Chairman for Sardis Community, Mrs. Cecil Parks, Rotan.

The following board of directors were re-elected: H. L. Davis, Rotan; Herbert G. Bennett, Roby; Floyd Clifton, Rotan.

County Chairman W. D. Neves presided at the meeting, and various matters pertaining to Red Cross operation and matters of general interest to the county were discussed.

It was decided unanimously that a report of Red Cross activities of the county be given newspaper publicity each month, so people would know for what purposes the money contributed to Red Cross has been spent. There has been a lack of publicity and much of the good work that the local chapter has been doing is not generally known, hence it appears there is a loss of interest in the Red Cross.

Leuders Boys Camp For Baptist District 17

Rotan boys will be joining others of Baptist District 17 for the Junior Royal Ambassador camp at Leuders Baptist Encampment grounds June 28 - July 1. Camp fee is \$5.35, which includes registration, insurance and meals.

Rev. S. S. Stover, missionary from Brazil, will be camp missionary for this camp and for the Intermediate RA camp for boys 13 - 16 which will be held July 6 - 9.

James McKee of Hardin Simmons University will direct recreation for both camps, which include swimming, table tennis, softball, volleyball and other activities.

Rev. James N. Easterwood of Anson will be camp pastor for the Juniors and Rev. A. H. Williams of Lawn for the intermediates. Rev. Huron Polnac of Munday and Rev. Cecil Meadows of Rochester will direct the camp. Helping them will be Mrs. O. B. Woodrum of Abilene, district WMU president.

A number of denominational leaders of the district will conduct mission study classes.

The Sunbeam camp for younger children will be Thursday and Friday, June 24 - 25. The Junior Girls Auxiliary camp was concluded Thursday (June 24).

Robt. Campbell to Leave On Northern Visit

Rev. and Mrs. Robert W. Campbell and boys plan to leave June 28 to visit Mrs. Campbells mother, Mrs. Violet Smith, who lives in Cedar Falls, Iowa. The Campbells have not visited in Cedar Falls since Mrs. Campbells father died of leukemia in September 1952.

They plan to visit friends and relatives in Texas, Missouri, Iowa and Kansas enroute.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Nash, Chuck Vinsky of Sweetwater, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nash, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Nash and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nash and Joe Sunday.

Four Rotan Youths At Methodist YF at Abilene

Abilene, June 23 - Four Rotan students were among the 441 young people who attended the 38th annual Methodist Youth Fellowship assembly of the Northwest Texas Conference last week at McMurry College.

The Rev. Frank Perry, pastor of Trinity Methodist Church, Amarillo served as dean of the MYF assembly. His staff included some 50 Methodist ministers, youth workers and laymen.

Dr. Marvin Boyd, pastor of the Midland First Methodist Church, was the main speaker. Theme of the assembly was "Finding Life in the Will of God."

Rev. Charles Lutrick, executive secretary of the Northwest Texas Conference, Board of Education, assisted the MYF officers in directing the meeting.

Rotan delegates included Jerry Thomas, Max Garland, David Williams, Jr. and Sarah Cardwell.

Miss Thomas is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Thomas. She is publicity chairman of her MYF and alternating recreation chairman. She is a junior in Rotan High School.

Garland is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Garland, and is a high school senior. He takes an outstanding and active part in MYF activities.

Williams, is a senior in high school at Hobbs, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Williams, Sr.

Mrs. Cardwell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Booth, and is secretary of the Rotan MYF.

Yvonne Allen visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Allen, here and Laveta Allen visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Allen, in Roby last week end. The girls are cousins and are working in Midland.

Many Cowboys Attend Stamford Reunion

Stamford, June 24 - You can see more real cowboys in Stamford than in any other place on earth - if you are there, July 1, 2, 3, and 5 when the famous Texas Cowboy Reunion will be in progress.

The coming together of the oldtimers is the feature usually thought of in connection with the celebration. At the occasion is a reunion of the younger cowboys, too.

In fact, there are more of the young cowboys than of the oldsters and that's saying a lot for there are from 400 to 500 oldtimers on hand. But there will be two or three times that number of the present - day riders of the range. In fact, something like 500 of them will take part in the rodeo (which is strictly for genuine cowboys) and many more cowboys will be in the stands.

The younger cowpokes do not observe the formal features of a reunion such as the older ones do but there are many greetings by friends who haven't met since a year ago.

So - old timers, young folks and waddies whose age is in between, combine to give Stamford the biggest gathering of real cowboys in the world. There is a rodeo every night and also, on the final day, an afternoon performance.



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<p>Weiners 3 lbs 89c</p>	<p>White Swan MILK 2 tall cans 23c</p>	
<p>Pork Steak lb 49c</p>	<p>Heinz Baby Food 3 reg. cans 19c</p>	
<p>BOLOGNA 1b 25c</p>	<p>Domino SUGAR 10 lbs 87c</p>	
<p>Mid-West Tra-Pak BACON lb 63c</p>	<p>Shedd's Salad Dressing pt. 27c</p>	
<p>Ballard BISCUITS 2 cans 19c</p>	<p>Libby Tomato Juice 3 300 size cans 29c</p>	
<p>Velveeta Cheese 2 lb box 89c</p>	<p>Tuxedo Tuna 23c</p>	
<p>Vanilla Wafers 25c bag 19c</p>	<p>Swift PREM 49c</p>	
<p>Kim Dog Food 303 can 5c</p>	<p>Vel reg. box 19c</p>	
<p>Libby Spinach 2 303 cans 29c</p>	<p>DREFT reg. box 19c</p>	
<p>Campfire Potatoes 303 can 9c</p>	<p>White Swan 9 oz. Sale PORK & BEANS BLACK EYE PEAS PINTO BEANS KIDNEY BEANS NAVY BEANS BROWN BEANS 5c EACH</p>	



CORN ear 5c
Squash lb 5c
Yellow Onions lb 5c
Cucumbers lb 10c
California Red Potatoes lb 6c
Bananas 1b 14c

White Swan Crushed Pineapple No. 2 can 25c
Nabisco Cookies 49c cello asst'd 39c
Van Camp Pork & Beans No. 1 tall 10c
Hunt's Hearts Delight and White Swan Peaches 3 No. 2 1-2 cans 89c
White Karo pt. 19c
Wapco Whole Green Beans 303 can 21c
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**Walter Brennan
30 Years in Hollywood**

A three time Academy Award winner, Walter Brennan rounds out 30 years in Hollywood with his role in Universal - International's Technicolor adventure "Drums Across the River," opening Thursday at the Lance Theatre, with Audie Murphy, Lisa Gaye and Lyle Bettger co star-

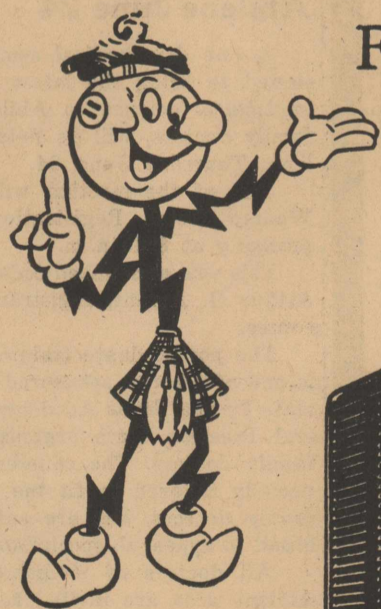
red with Brennan.

His three "Oscars" were earned for "best supporting actor" awards in "Come and Get It" in 1936 and "Kentucky" in 1937 and in "The Westerner" in 1940.

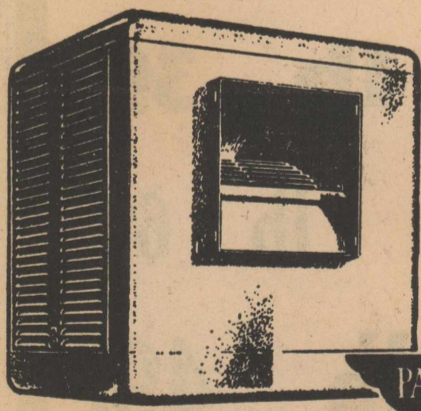
However, Brennan's Hollywood career started with 'extra' roles and 'bits' but between those days and his present starring status were many of the screen's most unforget-

table characterizations. Among them were the mountaineer parson in "Sargent York" a jungle wise scout in "Stanley and Livingston" and a grimfaced river rat in "Banjo On My Knees."

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hill and son of Irving, and Mrs. T. E. Whitson of Dallas, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Vittitow last week end.



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I served two years on the state Democratic Executive Committee, and I was chosen as a delegate to the 1944 National Democratic Convention.

At present, I am serving as Mayor of Rotan, my home town, am a married man with one wife and three children. All graduated from Rotan High School, my two sons are now in college and my daughter is a graduate of TSW.

I was co-author of the Texas Welfare Legislation which provides aid to the blind, aid to crippled children, and aid to destitute mothers of Texas.

I favor continued efforts by the State to stamp out contagious diseases and to care for the unfortunate blind, deaf, mute and mentally defective persons who have properly become wards of the state, and for whose protection and well being we,

as a Christian Democracy, are responsible to the Higher Power.

No vote will be cast by men on any legislation until I have carefully considered its effect upon the youth who will take our places in conducting the destiny of our State in the future. Practical instruction in good citizenship in the public schools.

I am for fair and equitable legislation affecting the petroleum industry throughout the state, and against federal control.

I favor laws to forever stop the ability of a few men to control the will of the people's legislature, such laws requiring all persons appearing before the legislature to disclose exactly in whose interest they appear and how much money spent and to whom it was paid. Likewise, members of Legislature to disclose their income from retainers and otherwise under oath.

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For decent pay pension for our elder citizens, sufficient to meet high costs of living, and likewise for teachers in our public schools.

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fied by law. By following this principle, I shall owe my election to the voters of this District, and upon election, shall be responsible only to them.

I will appreciate your vote and influence and if elected your State Representative I will at all times respect your wishes, and faithfully represent the interests of my constituents.

Respectfully,
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**Donald Lewis
At Tarleton**

Stephenville, Tex. -- Donald Lewis of Rotan made the 'B' honor roll at Tarleton State College which has just been released by the registrar's office for the spring semester.

Donald, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lewis, made a grade of 'B' or better in every subject while taking a full college load. His major is pre-med.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Perry visited with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Perry of Austin, and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Smith in Abilene Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Perry are attending Texas University and spent the week end with her parents in Abilene.

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SOAP 3 reg. bars **25c**

Kentucky Cut

Green Beans lb **19c**

Cello

Carrots 2 bags **29c**

Seedless

GRAPES lb **25c**

Florida

Oranges Pound **10c**

Fresh

Pineapple Each **29c**

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Fresh

Tomatoes ctn. **15c**

Fresh

Corn Ear **5c**

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Pork

Sausage lb **49c**

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Brother of Mrs. Claude Carriker Honored

Dale Moore of Jayton, brother of Mrs. Claud Carriker of Rotan, received the National Red Cross Certificate of Merit in elaborate ceremonies at Jayton Friday night, following a day of preparations when the Jayton mayor had proclaimed Friday, "Dale Moore Day" in Jayton. Moore was awarded the certificate after the Red Cross National Awards Committee investigated the act of Moore when he saved the life of A-2 Larry E. Flye who was injured in an auto accident near Moore's home March 21, 1954.

Moore, a Texas Highway worker, also received from the Texas Dept. a four year certificate for truck driving without an accident.

Moore's account of the accident and help he gave the airman was:

"I heard what sounded like a tin building falling. Larry Don, my 13 year old boy hollered, 'Daddy they've had a wreck.'

"The dust hadn't settled when we got there. One man was running down the highway. He was about 150 yards from the wreck so I didn't stop. There was a lady standing in the middle of the road waving a white handkerchief.

"I saw this boy on the shoulder of the road. His hands and feet were in the air. He was quivering. He gurgled when he breathed. Blood was spurting from his neck. There was a big white rag across his chest. I grabbed it, made a bandage and applied direct pressure and raised his head.

"In about 30 seconds after I did that he relaxed. Then he began working his hands and legs. I knew what he was going to do so I asked one of the fellows to hold his hands. Sure enough, he reached up and grabbed the bandage before anyone could stop him and pulled it away. They (the spectators) helped me then.

"Fire Chief Clyde Jackson had run up during all this and I told him to go for an ambulance. But it seemed like it was never coming. I could see he wasn't broken up inside so I told Sheriff Jimmie Montgomery to help me put him in a car and we took him to a hospital.

"That's about all I know. Except the next day the Air Force officers came around. And then I was recommended for this award. I didn't know it was such a great thing and that only 73 other Texans have received it until the newspapers said so."

To qualify for the certificate a person must have had Red Cross training in first aid or water safety and must have used this training in saving or attempting to save the life of another."

Moore received his Red Cross training as a portion of the Texas Highway Dept.'s safety program. He has taken five basic, instructor and refresher first aid courses.

Medical Seminar at Abilene June 24

A one day medical seminar, designed to bring the latest advances in medical science to Abilene area family doctors, will be held in Abilene, Thursday June 24.

Site of the meeting will be the Wooten Hotel. Registration begins promptly at 8:30 a. m.

This was announced today by Dr. Arthur G. Arrant, registrar for the course.

The postgraduate training course is one of a series sponsored over the state by the Texas Academy of General Practice, state organization of family doctors. The courses are especially tailored to fit the needs of family doctors, but are sufficiently broad to appeal to specialists as well.

All doctors of medicine in the Abilene area are invited to register for the course, whether members of the Academy or not, Dr. Arrant states.

Guest lectures, all faculty members of Southwestern Medical School of the University of Texas, Dallas, will be, Drs. Julius Melver, Arvel E. Haley and Dean C. Kipp.

Mrs. Mattie Key, Mrs. A. W. Canfil and son David are expected to return the last of the week from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Canfil and children in Cleveland, Ohio.

Mrs. W. H. Nowlin and Mrs. J. P. Cyphers and Janice visited Mrs. L. E. Shaw in Strawn Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Worth Smith spent last week end with Dr. and Mrs. Wilkerson at their cabin on Ft. Phantom Hill Lake.

Maurice Dry and family and Mr. and Mrs. Blair and family of Big Spring, visited Mr. and Mrs. Porter Wright last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dee Reese and Cecilia Deane visited in Lubbock Sunday.

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Grandson of Whitfields Married at Haskell

Haskell.—The First Baptist Church was the scene of the marriage of Coleta Fay Worrell and Don Carlton Whitfield, Seymour, June 11 at 7:30 p.m.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Worrell. Mrs. Carl Whitfield, Seymour, is the mother of the bridegroom.

Fred Custis, minister of the Haskell Church of Christ, performed the double ring ceremony. Decorations were a greenery-covered arch set off by baskets of white gladioli with white flowers and candles in the background.

Matron of honor, Geraldine Burke of Gonzales, is a sister of the bride. A cousin of the bridegroom, Buddy Reed of Wichita Falls, was best man.

Bridesmaids were Glenna Reeves, cousin of the bride of Seymour, and Mae Belle Piland. Ushers were Joe Worrell, Jr., brother of the bride, and Mac Upshaw, Waxahachie.

Organist was Mrs. Wilda Medford. Mrs. Bill Lawson played a piano accompaniment for Mrs. Byron Frabier when she sang "Because" and "O, Promise Me."

The bride's brother-in-law, James H. Burke, gave her in marriage. She wore a waltz length gown of nylon net over white satin fashioned with full skirt and long, fitted bodice. Her elbow-length gloves were net. The bride's rhinestone jewelry was a gift from the bridegroom. A fingertip veil of net was fastened to a shaped cap covered with seed pearls and rhinestones. She carried an orchid-topped white Bible showered with white satin ribbons and carnations.

The reception was held at the Magazine Club.

Sue Reeves of Seymour, cousin of the bride, presided at the bride's book. Jo Iva Johnson, Barbara Worrell, sisters of the bride; Peggy Sonnamaker and Margaret Roberts served the cake and punch.

Out of town guests were present from Midland, San Angelo, Rotan, Wichita Falls, Seymour and Waxahachie.

As a traveling outfit, the bride wore a navy linen dress and jacket with white accessories.

The bride is a graduate of Haskell high school and the bridegroom graduated from Seymour high school in 1951. He also attended Midwestern University for two years where he was affiliated with the honorary band fraternity, Kappa Kappa Psi. He is now employed with the General Telephone Co. of the Southwest. The couple will live in Memphis, Texas.

The bridegroom is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Whitfield of Rotan.

Airman 3-C E. L. Graham and Mrs. Graham arrived here from Tucson, Ariz. Friday. She will visit her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Atwell, several weeks. He left Sunday to return to his base.

Mrs. J. Frank Johnson visited in Colorado City Tuesday.

Jimmy Bigham of Andrews, visited here Saturday and Sunday.

Rural Minister of Year Alabama Preacher

Birmingham, Ala. — An 82 year old Presbyterian minister has been named as 'Texas' Rural Minister of the Year' by the Progressive Farmer, a southwide farm magazine, and the Town and Country School of Emory (Ga.) University.

He is Dr. E. C. Cargill, pastor of the Park Presbyterian Church in Italy for more than 21 years.

Enthusiastic letters to the Progressive Farmer from people in Italy were detreming factors in choosing Dr. Cargill to receive the award for outstanding service to his church and community. This is an annual presentation by the magazine.

One letter says, "He is the most respected and loved man in the community. The whole community takes pride in claiming him so long. He is one of those unusual men that no one ever gets around to criticizing."

The story of Dr. Cargill appears in the current (July) issue of the magazine.

"Dr. Cargill was born on a farm in Red River Parish, La., in 1872," the story tells, "and his father was a Congregational Missionary in the state."

"A product of the rural church he has given his life in service to rural and small town churches."

"He came to Texas in 1916, serving as pastor in Italy and Forreton churches from 1916 until 1923. In 1940 he came back to Italy and since then has been pastor of the Italy and Avalon churches. He also served the Forreton church from 1940 to 1949."

"Called 'The Community Pastor' by Italy folks, he rarely misses a school program or activity, is active in the Lions Club, and is past president of the Italy Club. School children are delighted when he plays the harp for them."

"Dr. Cargill has married many a couple, and often hears from couples he married years before. One couple sends him a gift equal in dollars to the number of years they have been married on each anniversary."

"While pastor at Clarendon, Ark., he was sent by his congregation to the World Sunday School Convention in Washington, D. C. he has served as Synod Chairman of Foreign Missions for 3 consecutive years, beginning in 1926, and was elected moderator of Texas Synod of the Presbyterian Church USA in 1933."

"In November 1949, Italy community held an E. C. Cargill Day to pay tribute to Dr. Cargill and his wife. Sparked by the Lions Club, the occasion was a historic one. Almost all the town's churches dismissed to take part -- over 700 persons attended."

"He was in ill health then -- and eligible for retirement. But then and now he refused to cease work as long as he is physically able to carry on."

"Busy as he is, he finds time for hobbies -- writing letters, writing to magazines and newspapers, and playing golf. He boasts of once having made a hole-in-one!"

"He gives credit to his achieve-

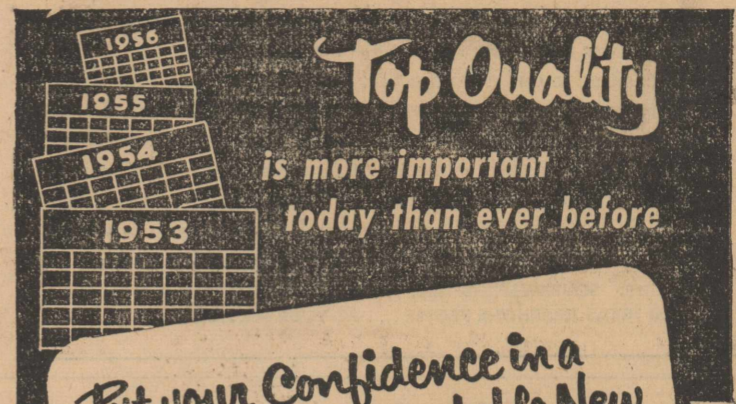
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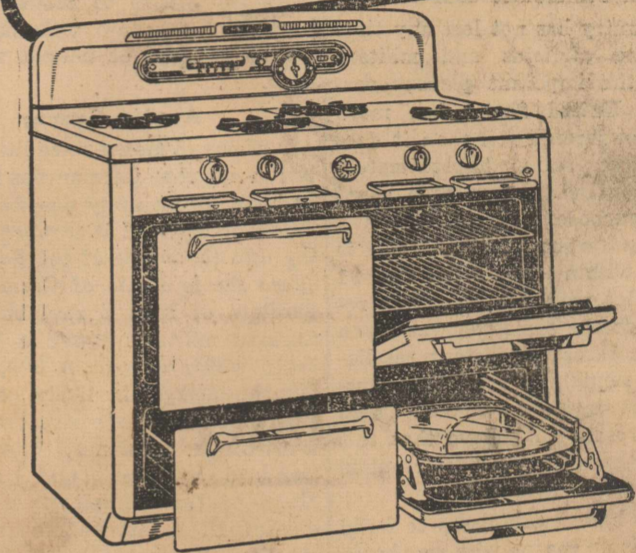
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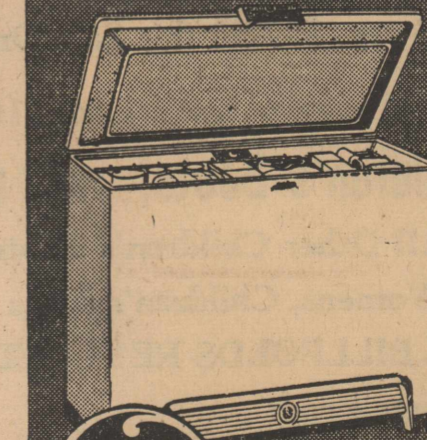
In 1953, The Progressive Farmer named Rev. Father G. Schmidtzyk St. Andrews Church, Pleasanton, Texas Rural Minister of the Year.

Rural Ministers have been recognized in 14 southern states this year by the Progressive Farmer and the Emory's Town and Country School.

Who steals my purse steals trash; but he that filches from me my good name, robs me of that which not enriches him, and makes me poor indeed. Shakespeare.

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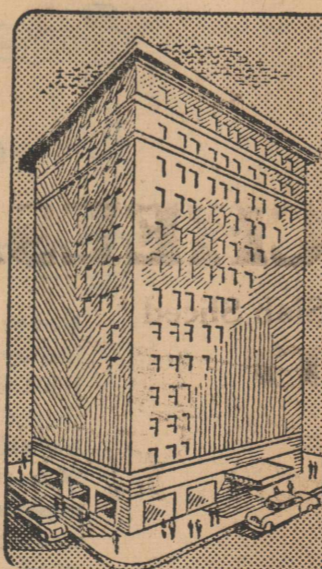
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'As It Looks From Here'

by Cong. Omar Burleson

Washington, D. C.—The Congress is coming near to completing legislation to use farm surplus commodities for building military strength in the non-Communist countries.

This country has not lost any time in building airfields and military bases in the important places overseas. The United States has more airfields on foreign soil than it does on American soil. Approximately three billion dollars has been spent for this purpose since 1948. As a result, any target within Russia is reachable within three hours and 21 minutes. Before Korea, the time required to do the same job was seven hours. The threat of instant retaliation must remain so great that Russia will not dare start a war. There are good reasons to believe that this action has been the real deterrent in the last several years.

We still have more bases to build and there is no reason why we should not be using these billions of dollars of surplus commodities which have already been purchased under the price support program or obli-

gated, instead of appropriating new dollars.

We are also greatly in need of certain strategic materials found in countries where people are hungry. I shall introduce an amendment to legislation coming up within the next two weeks to trade this surplus food for raw materials which otherwise must be bought with cold cash.

Arming Germany

It seems to me we have little choice but to see that Germany has the right to build up an army despite Russian moves to prevent it. France is playing into the hands of the Soviets because she is afraid of Germany. Regardless of this, a real buildup of German military power is likely to begin within a year. A 500,000-man German army will likely come into existence as a defensive force with short-range airplanes, interceptors, standard weapons and artillery. Much of this equipment will come out of U. S. stockpiles already in Western Europe. In time U. S. troops will probably be withdrawn from Germany and pulled back to France, presuming that we continue to have a working relationship with

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France.

During the past several weeks I have participated in several meetings with top Administration officials regarding the world situation, and particularly Indochina. What is said cannot always be discussed. Each time, however, I come away with a greater feeling of uneasiness, mainly because there are seemingly no definite answers to many of the big questions. There is always a set of "ifs and "ands." Plans are set forth to be used under various conditions which may occur, but the trouble appears to be that none of the top-ranking officials are in full agreement on any of them. The Joint Chiefs of Staff have come to no unanimous decision. There are, however, certain choices in case of a full scale war, which is not now in sight; direct involvement, which would mean fighting forces on a limited scale; or indirect involvement, which would require the furnishing of supplies and arms, but no forces. It is not probable that President Eisenhower would want the Congress to leave Washington under present conditions.

Another threat is right at our back door in Guatemala. A dictatorship in the Red Russian style is evidently in operation. This is in addition to Indochina, and our actions will depend upon a joint agreement with other Latin American countries. A meeting of these countries, in which the United States will participate, is scheduled right away.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wright returned Sunday from a two weeks vacation in Long Beach and Lawndale, Cal. where they visited Mrs. Whight's sons, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Bolling and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bolling. They also visited Mr. Wright's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Pierce and children in Alamogordo, N. M. Kathleen Bolling, seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Bolling, came home with them to visit until about the middle of July.

Mrs. Forrest Hunsaker and sons, Morrow and Perry, returned Sunday from a few days visit with Mr. Hunsaker's parents in Cushing, Okla. Her mother, Mrs. M. E. Morrow, and Mrs. C. C. Carter went with them and visited Mrs. Dr. Harris, sister-in-law of Mrs. Morrow, in Okmulgee, Okla.

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Three weeks after her return from battle scarred Korea, the USS Princeton was taken over by MGM for use in filming a motion picture.

For "Men of the Fighting Lady" showing at Lance Theatre Sunday and Monday June 27th and 28th a film unit of 78 persons, headed by Van Johnson, Walter Pidgeon, Louis Calhern, Dewey Martin, Keenan Wynn and Frank Lovejoy, moved abroad the carrier, operating off the coast of San Diego at the time

but desisted to further overseas duty after being refitted and modernized following the motion picture's completion.

Four caravans operating out of Hollywood 125 miles away, serviced the movie personnel and equipment from the studio, which had fullest Navy co-operation throughout filming by Director Andrew Marton and Producer Henry Berman.

In strict adherence to Navy routine, the shooting schedule was arranged to cover all activities abroad a jet carrier from dawn to dusk. Scenes filmed in Ansco Color on the

Princeton involved the parking of the planes, the procedures followed prior to catapult take-off's and the precautions taken after landings, as well as sequences on the hangar deck, in ward room officers' quarters and other on- and -below decks scenes.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Moore and daughter Frances of Frost, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Fillingim and Ouida last Friday. The girls were classmates at Baylor University last year.

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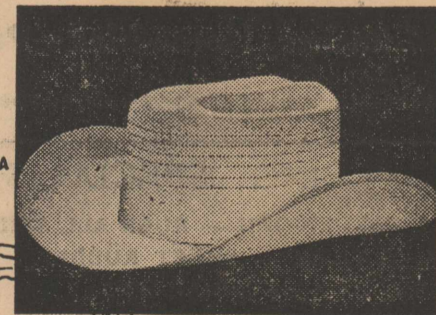
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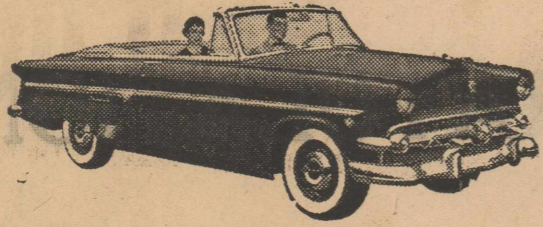
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Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Robinson of Snyder, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Combs and other relatives here at week end.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Gilliland returned Wednesday of last week from Houston, where they attended the Cottonseed Crushers convention.

Diana and Donna Cade of Slaton, who are attending McMurry College this summer, spent the week end here visiting Patsy Newton.

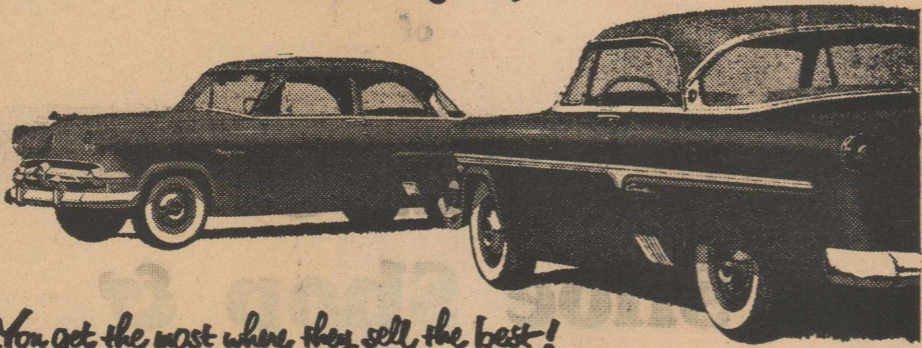
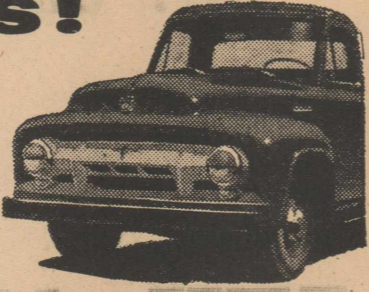


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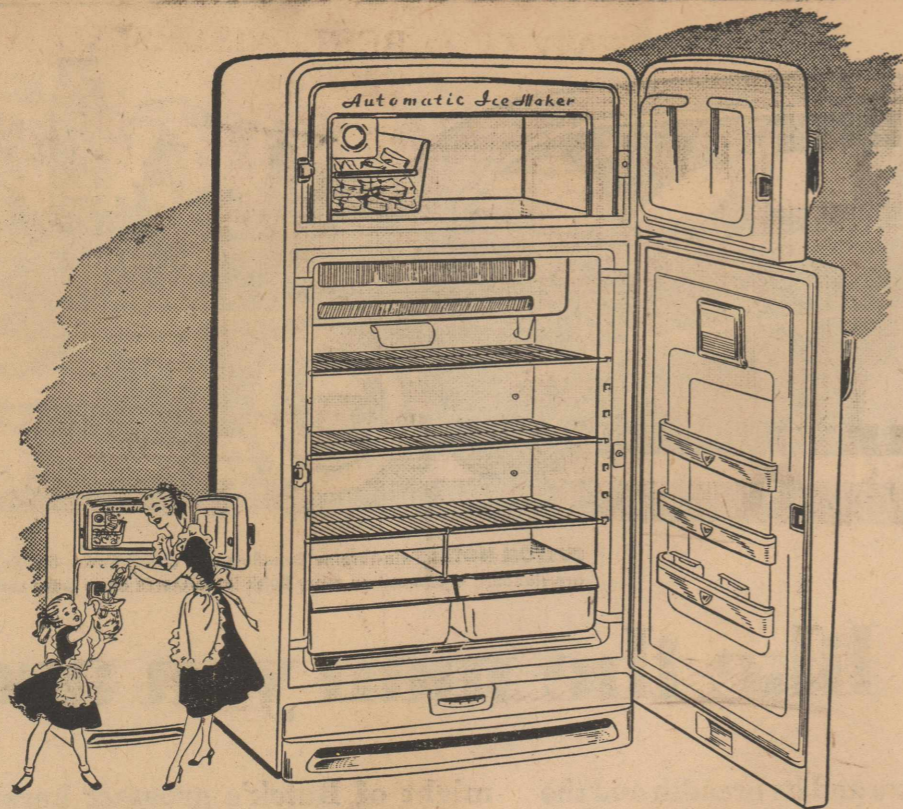


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Speeding is An Expensive Practice

"When you speed, you're burning up more than the road. You're also burning a good sized hole in your pocketbook."

This reminder from Col. E. B. Tilly of Houston, President of the Texas Safety Association, spotlights an aspect of speed that is not generally given much attention. It was pointed out by Col. Tilly today in a discussion of the current speed control program of the Texas Safety Association, the Texas Department of Public Safety and the National Safety Council.

"Excessive speed is pretty rough on a car," he said. "The speed demon usually finds this out when he trades his car in on a new model. He can't get as good an allowance as the fellow who's driven his car at a more sensible rate of speed. Accelerated speed accelerates depreciation."

"The car that's driven at an excessive rate of speed will also cost its owner a good deal more in upkeep," Col. Tilly said. When speed is increased from 40 miles per hour to 65 miles per hour gasoline consumption increases 30 per cent. Oil consumption increases even more, and tire wear is two and a half times as great as it is at the lower speed.

"But," he said, "the greatest cost of unsafe speed is its cost in human lives. According to the National Safety Council, unsafe speed contributes to more than 10,000 traffic accidents annually."

He advised motorists to avoid the unnecessary expense and danger of unsafe speed by always driving at sensible speeds.

"The only safe speed is a speed that's determined by conditions," he said, "and the only intelligent speed is a safe speed."

Mrs. H. D. Dennis, Ginger and Karren of Albany, visited relatives here Sunday.

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O. B. Cave visited Mrs. Cave and Jane at Belen, N. M. last week end.

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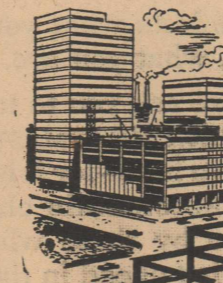


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Today's new products and new industries...

In 1939, most of us knew electronics only as tubes in our radio, and the entire industry sold 230 million dollars' worth of equipment. Electronics is now a 4½-billion-dollar business, and some experts predict it will grow to 20 billions in the 1960's. General Electric, just one producer, now has electronic equip-

ment factories in 13 different parts of the country and has stepped up its payroll in this field to 27,000 in just 15 years.

This trend of expansion is not slowing down. It's rapidly accelerating.

Many exciting new industries are predictable as we learn how to make full use of atomic energy. Another important new field will be electronic machinery that will make work easier, production swifter. Our scientists are experimenting with metal crystals 50 times stronger than any metals we now know. New and better home appliances are on the way. More uses for the gas turbine are coming out of jet-engine experiments.

These are only a few of the things General Electric is interested in, and other companies, of course, are hard at work on equally promising projects.



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Our belief in a long-term period of industrial growth is not wishful speculation. It's being backed by the greatest building program America has ever seen. Last year, the nation's industries spent 28 billion, 400 million dollars for new plant and equipment; this year, they will spend only slightly less. Our own investment since 1946 has already reached more than a billion dollars. In 1954, a record 175 million dollars will be invested in new plant facilities by G.E., 24% more than last year.

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Scripture: II Kings 17
 Devotional Reading: Psalm 85:1-7.

Here Lies Israel

Lesson for June 27, 1954

IN THE graveyard of nations there lie many whose very names are strange to us. But among all the unfamiliar names—Plus, Lydia, Elam and many another—there is one we all know: Israel. It was a going nation for about 200 years. Seen through the eyes of other nations it was "small potatoes" as we know from inscriptions which have been dug up in recent years by the archaeologists' spades; it covered no more of the earth's surface than New Jersey does. But in its own eyes it was important; what nation is not? When Israel was just a little older than the United States is now, it crashed to nothing, and since that time has been only an unfragrant memory, a dead nation. The writer of II Kings 17 wrote its obituary.



The Nation Forgot God
 What killed Israel? The nation did not die of old age, for 200 years is not a very long time for a nation to exist and prosper. Something killed that country. It might be said that it committed suicide—but what was the name of the poison which it swallowed? In one word, it was sin. But that does not tell us much. It is like giving "disease" on a death certificate as the cause of death. What disease? What sins? Looking over the record as II Kings 17 sums it up, we can see that serious sin which was the root of most others: forgetting God. The nation forgot what God had done for them in times past; they forgot that he is a God of righteousness, they supposed he did not specially care what they did so long as their tithes were paid up and they had a good record of attendance at public worship. They had reminders of "God" all over the place, but these were idols, images of beasts. They used the word "God" without realizing either the goodness, the greatness or the holiness of the only true God.

Can God Be Despised?
 Highlighted in the sad obituary of a dead-and-gone nation is the fact that as a nation they despised the law of God. How is it possible to despise the Almighty? Nations and individuals show their real contempt for God by paying no attention to what he has said. Millions of people in America today act just as if the Ten Commandments (for example) were only a set of by-laws for fanatical churchmen, or—worse still—as if they were an out-dated set of rules from a primitive civilization. To judge from what you may read in any newspaper, would the Man from Mars suppose that Americans, as a people, are living by any Law of Love? If all the church members in our country were practicing Christians, would this country be what it is? A nation's sins both by the actual sins of the sinful and by the consent of those who know better but do nothing about it. Now you can despise God and his laws for a while; but his laws are not arbitrary, they are not like basketball rules that can be changed every season. The roads that lead away from God and his laws may be wide, but they are short. They come to a very dead end. It is possible to despise God; but it is not safe.

Paradox and Parallel
 A nation can be simply peppered with religion and yet lose the salt of morality. In ancient Israel the name of God was everywhere; religious observances were going on "under every green tree" as the prophets said. But the more religion they had, the less morality. Israel died of a kind of moral dry-rot, in the midst of shrines without number. Dr. H. P. Van Dusen has recently made thinking Christians sit up and take startled notice with these two sets of facts. On the one hand, since World War II church membership has increased till today it is at an all-time high. Church attendance is also at an all-time high. Religious reading is popular. Young people are interested in religion more than for years past. But on the other hand; alcoholism has increased enormously; divorce has shot up; juvenile delinquency has multiplied; drug addiction has increased; sexual morality is sinking to a lower level. Can it be that in America as in Israel we fail to gear our religion into our behavior? Can it be that perhaps for all our "religion" we really have made an idol of the Dollar?

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Can We Police The World?

Vice President Nixon has said, apparently with Administration approval, that if the French quit in Indo-China it may be necessary for us to send our soldiers in and take on the war by ourselves. He didn't say we would have to help the French he didn't say we would have to have the assistance of other nations; he didn't say it would be a United Nations war—he just said we would have to take over.

The fact that Mr. Nixon made this statement 'off the record'; the fact that he said he didn't think this step would become necessary; and the fact that his statement may have been made as a trial balloon to get public reaction do not lessen the seriousness of the problem. In fact, the statement simply emphasizes the necessity of our facing realistically a problem we have needed to face up to for a long time.

Have we learned nothing from the 'police action' in Korea—the third largest foreign war in which the U S has engaged...where we suffered more than 140,000 casualties, with more than 30,000 dead.

The Korean War was a United war...gotten into by presidential direction...and nothing more. We went through the farce of labeling it a United Nations war...but that's where we made a big mistake. If we had kept it as a United States war, we would have won it...at least we could have won it and it is our tradition to win wars. But while we furnished the men and money for the war, we let its outcome be decided by a body of nations none of whom except the US had a mayor part in the War and most of whom had no part at all.

We did finally wangle a truce. But we were supposed to be fighting Communism...and the truce was all to the benefit of the Communists. It gave them a chance to divert their men and materials elsewhere...while we must keep our own troops tied down in Korea. In this manner, Russia, the throne of Communism... and a member of the UN...could eventually bleed us white without using up any of her resources at all.

Maybe we did learn from this experience that the UN is a useless agency to ward off aggression. Certainly the effort of the Communists in Indo-China, masterminded by Russia and cooperated in by Communist

China, is aggression, and the aggression is against France, a member of the UN as is Russia but where is the UN in this war.

But this doesn't mean that the United States must act as the world's policeman; it doesn't mean that the US is the United Nations; it doesn't mean that it is the responsibility of the US to stop Communism throughout the world all by itself.

Communism must be stopped all right...but let's be realistic about it. Can the United States, with 6 per cent of the world's population, police the whole world. Can the US, with all its great productive capacity, continue to pour out its resources all over the face of the earth. We well know we cannot.

Are there no others in the world who want to stop Communism. We know there are others...so let's ally ourselves with them! If the UN is not interested in stopping Communism, if the UN is to be a completely ineffective in warding off aggression then let's recognize that fact.

Let's form an alliance with all nations that want to stop Communism and want to defend themselves from aggression...and face the realistic fact that this is the way to handle the problem and not through the illusory situation of aligning ourselves with a group that talk one way and act another, that are divided rather than united.

It is hard to be believed that the great majority of the nations of the world would not be interested in such a mutual alliance...certainly the nations of the western hemisphere, and Great Britain and Turkey and most all the nations of western Europe and by all means Nationalist China and South Korea and no doubt Japan and many other nations of the far East. In this way, Communism could be contained.

We can either be realistic...and live; or we can be unrealistic...and die!

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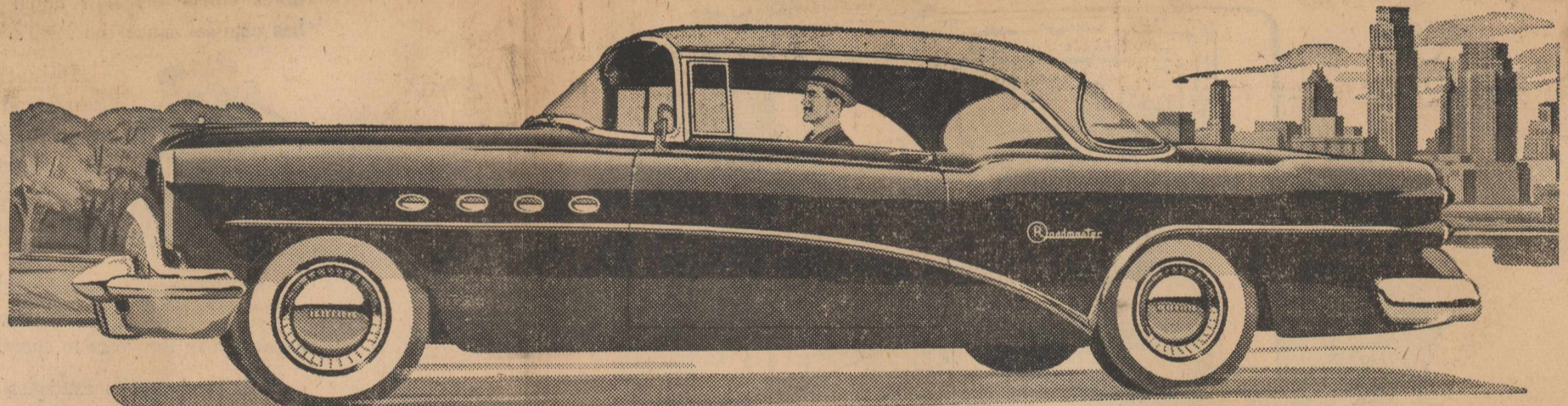
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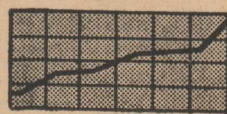
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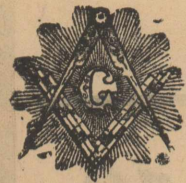
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Mrs. Betty Ebert and son Pat of El Paso, Carol Lee and Edwina Keller of Dublin, and Neal McCombs of Fort Worth, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McCombs this week. Others visiting in the McCombs home last week were Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCombs of Fort Worth, and Mrs. Edwin Keller and Laura of Dublin.

Mrs. A. C. Lear is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Perry, in Johnson City. Her father is critically ill and she is there to assist in caring for him.

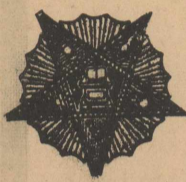
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Texas Highway Patrol News

The Texas Highway Patrol of the Abilene District in their duties of traffic supervision on the rural highways of the 13 county district investigated 87 motor vehicle traffic accidents during the month of May.

Captain G. L. Morahan, Commanding Officer of the District, reported that 2 persons died in the two fatal accidents in May, 35 persons were injured in 23 personal injury accidents and there were 62 property damage accidents. Damage in the 87 accidents amounted to \$50,038.50.

In comparing May of 1953 with May of 1954, nine fatalities were recorded in May 1953, while only 2 were recorded in May 1954.

The first 5 months of 1953 - 22 persons were killed while during the 5 months of 1954 - 31 have died in traffic accidents in the 13 county area. Taylor and Jones County each have recorded 6 deaths, Stephens 5, Callahan 4, Mitchell 3, Scurry 2 and Fisher, Haskell, Nolan, Shackelford and Stonewall have had one traffic death each, while none have been recorded in Throckmorton.

Partolmen stopped 1,487 traffic violators of which 1,096 were warned and 391 were cited to court. 183 were charged with excessive speed, 20 with DWI, 20 stop sign violators, 19 for improper passing and 15 were charged with defective headlight or tail light violation.

Patrolmen in the Abilene District traveled 48,550 miles and worked 3,158 day hours and 1,605 night hours for an average of 264 hours each for the month.

Fines were paid by traffic violators to the following counties as follows: Callahan \$815.35, Eastland \$252.00, Fisher \$223.00, Haskell, \$305.50, Jones, \$411.00, Mitchell, \$488, Nolan \$295.65, Scurry \$562, Shackelford, \$258, Stephens \$506, Stonewall \$58.50, Taylor, \$1,567.20 and Throckmorton, none.

Boy Scout News

The Buffalo Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America Adopted a budget of \$102,538.87 for the fiscal year Oct. 1, 1954 to Oct. 1, 1955, it was announced today by P. V. Thorson, Scout executive. The budget was approved by the executive board at its regular quarterly meeting on June 10th. Included in the budget is provision for one additional worker who will serve the council as director of camping and training as well as serving one district.

The budget was developed by some 50 volunteers composing the 7 operating committees, the commissioner staff and the sub-committee of the executive board and then submitted to the finance committee with representatives from each district of the council. The last step adoption by the executive board on recommendation of the finance committee.

The budget is increased by \$13,831.07 over the past fiscal year. The increase is due to a greatly expanding boy population, intensified program, increased membership and a record breaking growth anticipated for the next year.

Members of the council finance committee are: E. M. Schur, chairman, Odessa; J. T. Rhoads, vice chairman, Odessa; Dan Krausse, Big Spring; Daryl Davis, Midland; H. Lman Wren

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"Yankee Pasha" Book Was Best Seller

Adapted from the best selling novel by Edison Marshall, the Universal International Technicolor production of "Yankee Pasha" has been scheduled to open Tuesday at the Lance Theatre, with Jeff Chandler and Rhonda Fleming in co-starring roles.

The story of "Yankee Pasha" deals with the efforts of a New England fur trapper to find and rescue his sweetheart who has been captured on the high seas by Moroccan pirates and sold into a Moorish harem. The backwoodsman ingratiates himself into the Islamic court and eventually the escape provides the picture's action.

Mrs. Felix Brown of Borger, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. B. McKimmey, and Mr. McKimmey and others here, and her grandson, Robert Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. F.W. Brown, also of Borger, is visiting his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Shela Taggart.

Mrs. Thay Martin and children, Thayer, Bill and Burna Lou, of Dixon, Tenn., arrived Sunday afternoon to visit her mother, Mrs. Annie Tillotson, and brother, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Tillotson.

Quida Fillingim is recovering from an illness of several days.

Snyder; Fred Parson, Kermit; Duane Mitchell, Pecos; Sid Scarbrough, Monahans; and Hal Hawley, Sweetwater. Roy E. Carter of Kermit is council president.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Worrell, Jr. and Patricia of Dallas, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Patter-

son last week end. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cashen and Mrs. Bill Bacot returned Monday from Temple, where Mr. Cashen had a check-up.

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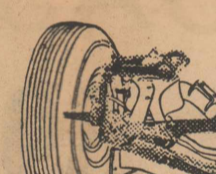
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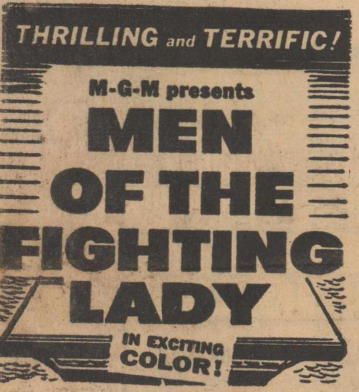
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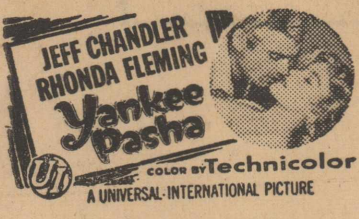
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I am still in lawn mower business, ready to go. Bring your mowers to my home, 30 North Cleveland.—J. R. Phillips. 18-4tp

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NOTICE—Fishing, swimming and picnic parties strictly forbidden on my place hereafter. Please do not ask for permission. A. D. Sumerlin.

WANTED—Farm hand, with family to move on farm. Plenty work the year around. Good pay. J. O. Roberts. 21-tf

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CARD OF THANKS

Our sincere thanks to each and everyone for their kindness during the illness and death of my dad in Phoenix, Ariz. We ask God's blessing for each of you.—Kenneth Kreutzer and family.

CARD OF THANKS

I, and my family wish to take this opportunity to thank all our friends for their kindness and generosity they have shown me since my accident. I also want to thank the nurses and Drs. who waited on me while I was in the hospital here. May God bless each and every one of you.
Pat Carter

Fly Populations Can Be Held Down

College Station, June 23 - Only continuous sanitation and proper use of chemicals can hold fly populations to small numbers this season.

Neal M. Randolph, extension entomologist, says this is a critical time in fly control. The pests now are becoming established for the season. And this is the usual time for manure hauling and general clean up around the farm.

Sanitation - the removal of mat-

The party who took plastic sprinkler hose from my yard, please return it.—Clint Carter.

Mrs. J. Frank Johnson attended a tea Monday of last week honoring a friend, Alicia Aita Bounds, in Abilene at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hayter.

Miss Emily Garrett returned Saturday from a visit in Miami, Ariz.

Truman Dennis and sons of Aspermont, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. Dennis Sunday.

erials in which flies breed and develop - holds the relay key to the control of these disease transmitting, and annoying insects.

The Entomologists advice to farmers who are willing to work at fly control includes these points; haul manure, trash and rotting plant refuse to the fields and spread it out to dry. Clean up around livestock feed bunks. Scrape feed lots to the concrete in paved lots and to the fresh earth if unpaved.

Keep a clean up campaign going the year - around, Randolph advises. Many farmers do a good job of removing the obvious breeding places but they miss other important hot spots. Some of these are the corners of barn gutters, spilled feeds and other small accumulations of organic matter that may begin to decay.

This, together with insecticides, properly applied, will pave the way toward a neater, better appearing farmstead and relief from the annoyance and health hazard of flies.

A new name for an ailment affects people like a Parisian name for a novel garment. Everyone hastens to get it. Mary Baker Eddy

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