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By Bob Moore

IN THE MAIL

"Dear Mr. Moore:
What a disappointment it is when I pick up my Eastland Telegram and your picture and article are missing. That is the first place I look and the first article I read. I am sure that I am not the only disappointed one when your article is missing.
I know you are a busy man but please don't miss too often.
Sincerely,
Mrs. Clifford Nelson,
Olden, Texas.

Thanks Mrs. Nelson for your nice letter. It's always good for a scribe to know that his efforts are appreciated. It gets to be a problem, sometimes, to find suitable material to write about. And, too, readers have not been overly cooperative in contributing material to go in the column. But we'll struggle along the best we can, as your letter and expressions of pleasure in reading the stuff we put in from time to time, is an inspiration.

John Dorsett tells this one about a slip that got by an editor. "Decorative of a fair young bride, the editor wrote: her dainty feet were encased in shoes that might be taken for fairy boots. It appeared in print, her dirty feet were encased in shoes that might have been taken for fairy boots."

Tuesday was a Red Letter Day in the life of this scribe as the new typewriter that Boss Onous Dick ordered sometime ago, finally came in. The R. C. Allen Business Machines, Inc., has just recently added typewriters to their line of products and the machine is really a "honey." In addition, a new typewriter stand has been received, so the Telegram should be just crammed with news from now on. At least, won't be able to blame it on not having suitable facilities to work with. So, it looks like this scribe had better get to work.

You'll never get warm with the cash you burn.

Eminent foreign psychiatrists were being taken around a French insane asylum. In the corridor they met one of the patients. "Why," one of the specialists asked him, "do you remain huddled up in this corner all alone, scratching yourself?" "Because," replied the madman, "I am the only person in all the world who knows where I itch."

2 Scouts Pass Tenderfoot Requirements

Two Scouts passed their tenderfoot requirements before Scoutmaster Bob Moore at a regular meeting of Eastland Boy Scout Troop 66 Tuesday night at the First Methodist Church. They were: Larry Graham and Charles Cook, both of Morton Valley. Larry Miller, head of the Apache patrol, gave a report on the troop's overnight camp Saturday to Possum Kingdom.

Following the report, the camp was discussed with a view to profiting by the experience at the District Jamboree to be held at Ringling Lake March 25-26. Present were: Acting Scribe Hill Gaeta, Miller, Graham, Cook, Hue Paul Reed, members of the Apache patrol; Leader Donald Roff of the Flying Arrow Patrol, and James Allison, prospective member of the latter patrol.

For Good Used Cars
(Trade-ins on the new Olds)
Osborne Motor Company, Eastland

Young Movie Actress Leaves Home



Lora Lee Michel, nine-year-old, \$100-a-day child movie actress, leans on the knee of Rev. Elford Sundstorm, pastor of Burbank, Calif., United Brethren Church. The young actress sought refuge with the pastor after she ran away from the home of her foster parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Michel of Los Angeles. (NEA Telephoto)

Meeting Set To Plan Chest X-Ray Survey

A meeting of representatives of all civic organizations, women's clubs, press, schools and churches will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the office of the Court of Civil Appeals, fourth floor of the Eastland County Courthouse to make plans for a free mass chest x-ray of local citizens.

Judge M. S. Long of the Court of Civil Appeals and Mrs. Marlene Johnson are co-chairmen of the campaign. The Beta Sigma Phi Sorority are sponsoring the activity with Mrs. Oscar Averna and Mrs. Marshall Fox as chairmen.

The free chest x-ray will be conducted by a mobile unit of the State Department of Public Health in the Texas Electric Service Company building for four days, beginning March 24. Every citizen more than 15 years of age are being urged to have their chest x-rayed on the program designed to uncover any cases of tuberculosis or other chest diseases.

Purpose of the meeting is to make detailed plans to assure the co-operation of all in making the program a success. The mobile unit will also visit in other Eastland County communities, making the program a county wide affair.

Only a few seconds time will be necessary for a person to have their chest x-rayed and disrobing will not be required.

Dust Storms, Dry Weather Hurting Plains Wheat

AUSTIN, Tex., March 15 (UP)—Dust storms and continued dry weather in the high plains were blamed today by the United States Department of Agriculture for further deterioration of wheat in that area.

The USDA, in a weekly crop and weather bulletin, warned that "high winds were drying soils rapidly in all areas."

The bulletin also called attention to green bug infestations, reported spreading to additional points over more high plains counties.

In upper coastal counties, wet soils held field work to a standstill.

No reports, the USDA said, had been received on possible damage to small grain and fruit resulting from freezing temperatures on Monday and Tuesday.

Control Crew Still Unable To Cap Wild Well

TYLER, Tex., March 15 (UP)—A runaway oil well spewed a black geyser 50 feet in the air today two miles south of Tyler as a six-man crew made a second attempt to cap it.

The well, the No. 1 John Campbell blew in at 8 a. m. CST yesterday and immediately became uncontrollable. A control crew was called in by Bobby Manziel, independent Tyler oilman who owns the well, but made no headway during the day.

John Jobe of Houston, an expert in controlling wild wells, told the crew to get away from the immediate vicinity of the derrick last night. They began machining special tools to use in their new attempt to control the well today.

Highway patrol officers blocked off a mile-square area to prevent onlookers from smoking or striking matches, because the ground had become soaked with the highly inflammable flow.

Jobe said oil and gas was spewing 40 to 50 feet above the top of the derrick.

The Rice rural school, located two miles to the south of the well was closed for the day, and two farm families living 500 feet away from the danger area were evacuated.

Police said the fire hazard was great because gas began pocketing along the ground last night and a small spark could cause an explosion.

Manziel said the well blew in with a "mighty roar." It got out of control as the crew was pulling a perforating gun from the 8,000 foot hole after the "test" had been shot with nitroglycerin. The cable buckled and the oil surged into the air.

Legion Post To Initiate New Members Tonight

Initiation of new members will be only one of the highlights of a regular meeting of the Dulin Daniel Post of the Eastland American Legion tonight at 7:30 o'clock. Commander Matt Wallace stated.

Charles L. Cofer, Cisco Legionnaire and former vice commander of District 17, will be guest speaker.

A chili supper and refreshments will be served. All members, as well as prospective members, are urged to be present.

Rep. Collie Speaks To Local Lions

State Representative Turner Collie of Eastland spoke on the recent emergency session of the Texas Legislature in an address to the Eastland Lions Club Tuesday noon.

Collie, who served as chairman of the Revenue and Taxation committee, told of the critical need to improve and expand facilities of the state's eleemosynary institutions. He declared the people realized the necessity for something to be done about the situation and that it was a matter of either raising taxes or closing the institutions. To raise the necessary funds—\$20,000,000 for improvements—a one cent tax on cigarettes and a 10 per cent increase of the omnibus tax bill were assessed.

The speaker said it was much better for the state to take care of its own problem, rather than seeking federal aid, because of federal government encroachment on state's rights.

Other work of the Legislature as outlined by Rep. Collie included passing of sex crime bill and one regarding the Rural Telephone Association.

Rep. Collie sounded a warning that oil production is decreasing in the state and more revenue will have to be asked at the next regular session of the Legislature.

Program chairman for the day was L. E. McGraw, who introduced the speaker.

President Wes Harris presided for the business session and appointed the following nominating committee for the election of new officer: Parks Poe, chairman; Bom Moore, Everett Plowman, Herb Weaver, Judge M. S. Long and Oscar Averna.

James Reid, members of the entertainment committee, gave a report on plans for the ladies night meeting to be held Friday night, March 24, at 7:30 o'clock in the American Legion Hall. A square dance and box supper will be given.

Bob Moore, who will have charge of the program for next Tuesday, announced that Mrs. Faucett, Society Editor of the Abilene Reporter-News, had been secured as speaker and urged a large turnout of members as well as visitors from neighboring clubs.

Ft. Bliss Gets Guided Missile Training Group

WASHINGTON, March 15 (UP)—Establishment of a guided missile training group at Ft. Bliss, Tex., composed of three battalions, was announced yesterday by the army.

The first battalion, made up of highly trained personnel already available, will train other troops to assist in the service-testing of guided missile weapons and conduct unit training in tactical operations.

According to army officials, the program is designed to assure a high standard of training among individuals and units in the guided missile field.

State Fair To Seek Manager

DALLAS, Tex., March 15 (UP)—Directors of the State Fair of Texas will meet Friday to start looking for a successor to W. H. Hitzelberger as general manager. Hitzelberger has announced his resignation, to become effective April 15, and will assume his new post as vice-president of the Republic National Bank.

Fair directors have indicated they will do considerable investigation before their final choice is made. Several names have come up as possible choices but Fair officials have not indicated any special interest in any certain one. Hitzelberger has been general manager of the Fair since 1946. In 1949 the show had more than 2,000,000 attendance.

Farm Census Covers More Than 50 Crops

The 1950 census of agriculture questionnaire, to which farmers of Eastland County will supply answers in April, 1950, will list more than 50 field, truck and orchard crops. However, no one farmer will be required to answer inquiries for all of the crops listed. Usually, an individual farmer will need to report only four or five different crops.

It is pointed out by Mr. J. M. Cooper, county agricultural agent, that while the Census Bureau's questionnaire provides for reporting each kind of crop produced in this section of the country in 1949, only a small proportion of the crop section of the questionnaire will apply to any one farm. The same is true for inquiries on livestock, livestock production, poultry and poultry production, and dairy products.

Under a new procedure adopted by the Bureau of the Census, the 1950 Agriculture questionnaire varies for each state or group of states. Inquiries on crops and on classes of livestock and other farm products are limited to those crops common to each state or group of states. Thus the questionnaire used in a northern state would not include inquiries about cotton or citrus fruit production, nor will a form used in a Southern state have questions about Maple syrup.

Blackwell To Head Eastland Farm Bureau

E. E. Blackwell of Ranger has been elected president of the Eastland County Farm Bureau.

Other officers named were: A. Z. Myrick of Cisco, Vice-President; Mrs. John Love of Ranger, Secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. M. W. Grieger of Eastland, reporter. The following directors were named: John Love, Alameda; Luke Palmer, Gorman; Howard Ingram, Nimrod; B. B. Freeman, Ranger; Herman Schaefer, Nimrod; Fred Brezidine, Rising Star; George Bennett, Eastland; and J. F. Moseley, Ranger.

The election was held at a meeting March 9 in the recreation room of the Texas Electric Building in Eastland.

The next meeting of the farm bureau will be in the Flat Wood community April 13.

Remodeled Gulf Station Reopens With New Owners

Newly remodeled and renovated, the Gulf station at the corner of East Main and Bassett Streets, formerly operated by Frank Hernandez, has been reopened by J. F. Holloway and L. O. Laigltz, both of Eastland. Complete new equipment has been installed and the owners solicit your patronage.

Holloway is a native of Eastland and has had 12 years experience in the service station business. Mr. and Mrs. Holloway and daughter, Linda Jean, five, are living at 109 North Dixie Street.

Laigltz is single and is living at 607 West Commerce Street, with his mother, Mrs. L. O. Laigltz. He was born and raised at Morton Valley and has had two years service station experience.

Mrs. Rosie Steele Now Employed By Grimes Bros. Here

Mrs. Rosie Steele, former Eastland County Home Demonstration Agent, is now employed by Grimes Bros. International Harvester dealer, as saleslady in the refrigerator and home freezer department.

Mrs. Steele, the former Miss Rosie McCoy, recently resigned her position as HD agent, to marry Ed Steele, Jr., Assistant County Agent. Her friends are invited to drop by and visit the Grimes Bros. firm.

Attorney Says Russian Ready To Accept Verdict

NEW YORK, March 15 (UP)—Valentin Gubitchev will leave the United States for Russia next Monday as originally planned, his attorney announced today.

Attorney Abraham L. Pomerantz told federal judge Sylvester Ryan that the 33 year old Russian has agreed to the government's stipulation that he renounce all right of appeal from his espionage conspiracy conviction when he leaves the country under a suspended 15 year sentence.

It was the second abrupt reversal of plans in less than 24 hours. Pomerantz announced late yesterday that Gubitchev would stay in the U. S. and fight for a reversal of his conviction.

The attorney was accompanied in court today by Yuri Novikov, third secretary of the Soviet Embassy at Washington, who sat through the trial as Gubitchev's official interpreter.

Pomerantz told the court that when he refused yesterday to accept the government's condition to the Russian's departure he was without authority to accept or reject for his client.

"I have since received authorization from Gubitchev to accept this further condition," he said, "and I hereby communicate to your honor that Mr. Gubitchev has not changed his mind; that he proposes to accept this new condition and to sail for the Soviet Union, March 20, 1950."

He had told reporters last night Saypol's demand that Gubitchev that he spoke for his client when he rejected U. S. Attorney Laigltz's offer to let him go home under suspended sentence.

However, he told reporters this morning that he had not spoken with Gubitchev until just before this morning's announcement.

Mrs. E. A. White Of Morton Valley Dies In Ranger

Mrs. E. A. White of Morton Valley died this morning at the West Texas Hospital in Ranger, following a seven months illness.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Thomas Funeral Home in Cisco with Dr. Claude P. Jones pastor of the First Methodist Church officiating. Interment will be in Oakwood cemetery in Cisco.

Mrs. White was born in Coryell County, September 10, 1901, and had resided in or near Cisco most of her life. She was the former Lucinda Manning of Cisco. She was married June 10, 1926 to Mr. White in an Eastland ceremony.

Survivors are her husband of Morton Valley, her father, W. W. Manning of Cisco; a brother, Clyde E. Manning of Eastland and two sisters, Ethel Manning of Cisco, and Mrs. Charles P. Brockman of Eastland.

Polio Hitting Valley Fast

EDINBURG, Tex., March 10 (UP)—Polio was on the march at a record rate today in the lower Rio Grande Valley and a call for a general clean-up was issued.

The Valley Chamber of Commerce asked state, county and local health groups to back an organized campaign to eliminate disease breeding conditions.

Maurice Acres of Mission, a Chamber director, said: "We need to clean house in the valley. With open sewage in the streets and files all over the place, it's no wonder we have polio."

Thirty-five cases of infantile paralysis have been recorded this year and seven of the victims have died.

In 1948, a record year for polio in the valley, only three cases were reported in a similar period.

The National Foundation for infantile paralysis in its latest report shows Texas with more new cases of polio than any other state. The Texas total was 189.

Judge Kenyon Denies Senator's Charges



Former Judge Dorothy Kenyon accused by Senator Joseph McCarthy of being pro-Communist, confers with her attorney Theodore Kiendl in Washington as they prepared to face a Senate Foreign Relations subcommittee. The committee is investigating numerous charges made by the Senator against members of the State Department. (NEA Telephoto)

SPURNED LOVER SHOTS 15-YEAR OLD SWEETHEART

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 15 (UP)—A 23 year-old habitual criminal shot his 15 year-old sweetheart to death while she was baby-sitting with eight children because she returned his ring and refused to go to a movie with him, police said today.

Detective Chief V. V. Starmer said that Clarence Speer shot pretty Caryl Johnson of Bea, Mo., five times in the neck and head last night after beating off one of the children who tried to restrain him.

"He actually fired his pistol

at her six times, but one shot went wild," Starmer said.

The murder took place at the home of the youth's uncle, Ed Frank Speer, who had engaged Caryl as a baby-sitter so he and his wife could visit with another child seriously ill at a Kansas City hospital.

The slightly built youth arrived at his uncle's home about 6 p. m. and asked Caryl to "take in a movie." She told Speer she could not leave the children unattended, Starmer said.

Speer went to his home and returned with a .32 caliber pistol and again asked Caryl to go to a movie.

During the argument that followed, Starmer said, nine-year-old Patsy Speer, eldest of the children, tried to knock the pistol from her cousin's hand.

Speer shoved Patsy aside, scratching her face, and then killed Caryl, Starmer said.

"Caryl threw her rings at Speer and told him she was 'tough with him' and didn't want to go out with him again," Starmer said.

The young girl died in an ambulance.

"Caryl was bleeding all over," Patsy, who called police, said. "I know she was alive because she was moaning. She looked awful. Blood all over her."

Speer went to the Union Railroad station about an hour later and gave his pistol to ticket agent Burt E. Miller.

"I just killed a girl," he said. Miller summoned police, who arrested Speer.

"I don't know why I did it. I just got mad because she wouldn't go with me," Speer told police.

Starmer said Speer had a long police record which included nine jail escapes.

Ticket Sales Continue For Annual Banquet

Tickets for the annual Father and Son Banquet to be held Thursday night at 7 o'clock in the basement of the First Methodist church are now available only at Earl Bender's Abstract Office on the South Side of the Courthouse Square.

Red McClain, assistant coach of Southern Methodist University, will be featured speaker and a movie of the Notre Dame-SMU football game will be shown.

The annual affair sponsored by the 949 Bible Class of the Methodist Church is designed to bring fathers and sons of the community together in an evening of food, fun and fellowship.

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FINGERPRINTS Don't Lie

By Rupert Hughes
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THE STORY: At the behest of Martin Queripel, private detective, Paul Moody, a young sculptor, of murder charges in the slaying of Wendell Palmer, the father of Moody's fiancée, Azalea Palmer. Police detective James Stivers claims fingerprints on the base of the telephone used to bludgeon Palmer to death are Moody's. At the police Crime Laboratory, Queripel examines these prints, and then re-examines the crime, using another phone. Then he asks Stivers to compare prints he left with those found on the instrument used in the murder. Stivers does this and points out that "they ought to tell the story."

MARTIN QUERIPHEL picked up the tapes carrying the eight fingerprints labeled "telephone base." He studied these prints of Paul Moody's hands, then held them close to the cellophane telephone and examined them with intensity.

Finally he looked up at Stivers and said:

"Could you have these two tapes blown up for me?"

"As a matter of fact, I've already done just that," said Stivers. "I had the job done to show in court."

With a crafty smile, Queripel asked:

"Could you let me put my eight fingers on the bottom of that telephone and take the prints of them and lift them?"

Stivers laughed: "You know I can't."

"Not even if I said 'Please!'" Queripel wheedled.

"Not even if you said 'Pretty please!'" he said. "I hate it to phone till it reaches court."

Queripel looked like a child denied something terribly desired. Suddenly he moved to Stivers' desk, lifted his telephone and studied the base. It was covered with

a kind of thick felt to soften any shock and any vibration.

He compared Stivers' instrument with the base of the Palmer telephone, and said:

"These phones are exactly alike, aren't they?"

Stivers nodded.

Queripel wheedled again. "Will you let me press my fingers underneath your telephone, and take the prints?"

Stivers nodded with a patient smile.

Queripel added: "And blow them up to the size of these blown-up Moody prints?"

Stivers again nodded his head and took from his kit the necessary powders, brushes, and tapes.

WHEN he was ready, Queripel said: "First, let's reconstruct the crime as I see it. It seems to me that Wendell Palmer suddenly realized the murderous intentions of a visitor. He made a dash for the telephone. The unknown visitor tried to take it from him."

"That seems to be the way it was," said Stivers. "The handset was covered with fingerprints, but they were all smudged up so that I couldn't distinguish them. Here are my photographs. You see there's only one clear mark, that thumbprint up close to the mouthpiece."

"Whose thumb is that?" Queripel asked, pointing.

"I don't know. It isn't Moody's. It isn't Palmer's. It isn't his daughter's or her friend Miss Fennell's. It might be the butler's or the gardener's. But both were away from the house. I was going to verify it later. There's no knowing yet whose it is."

"It might even be—" Queripel caught the word "Kelso's" before it clicked at his lips. Stivers did not notice the suppression. Queripel

kicked him out.

"Why?" Queripel restrained his eagerness.

"Oh, he was too damned—helpful. If there's anything I hate it's one of those helpful people."

"Whom was he really trying to help?"

"What do you mean by that?"

"He may be more helpful than he meant to be," was Queripel's cryptic evasion. "Tomorrow at 3. Thanks a million, and good day!"

And he was gone, leaving the name of Kelso sticking in Stivers' mind—sticking out of his memory—and sticking into his thoughts.

The first thing he did was to send for Kelso's fingerprint card in the police files.

AS Queripel hurried to his car, he was so aspen with excitement that one or two passers-by thought he had the palsy.

He reached his office in a state of thwarted frenzy. O'Hea was out and Queripel could hardly fit his key to the door. As soon as he was in his desk chair, he buried his brow in his clenched fingers as if to hold his aching skull together.

He was thinking so hard that when he recognized Timothy O'Hea's heavy step, he waved the man away. It was like waving away a wasp. When O'Hea's mighty hand fell on his shoulder, he pleaded: "Go away and let me think."

O'Hea said: "You wouldn't be thinking of Kelso now?"

"Of course. Who else?"

"You wouldn't care to know what I'm just learning about him and the info I'm gettin' off his ladybird, Nelda Croft?"

Stivers gasped: "Kelso! What do you know about Kelso?—or care?"

"He was at the Palmer house, wasn't he?"

"I'll say he was! I came near

TEXAS NEWS BRIEFS

By United Press

DALLAS, March 15 (UP)—An additional point of entry, via New Orleans, was sought from the Civil Aeronautics board today by Braniff International Airways.

John B. Walker, Braniff vice-president, said if the application was approved by the CAB, New Orleans would be a co-terminal for the airline with Houston, its present and only entry port.

AUSTIN, March 15 (UP)—American Legion state headquarters today announced the five finalists selected from 1,000 contestants in some 100 Texas high schools, who will take part in the legion oratorical contest at Fort Worth Friday.

They were Oliver Halley, Berger; Caroline Barsh, Milby High; Houston; Barbara Strange, Adamson High, Dallas; Dana Hieronymus, Temple High; and Pat Whipple, Corpus Christi High School.

AUSTIN, March 15 (UP) —

pel said: "Let's get on with the reconstruction of the crime. You're the dead man."

"Thanks."

"That's better. Nice of you to confess."

"You're Wendell Palmer. You grab the handset off the telephone base. I seize the base. You twist it out of my hand by turning your body—so. Now you dial 'O' for the operator. You are going to yell 'Police!' and give your address when she answers. I find myself

back of you with no weapon handy. I either have no gun or no time or perhaps no desire to draw my gun and fire. I see the telephone base. I pick it up, lift it high in air with both hands and bring it down with all my might on your head before you can contact the operator. You fall on the floor and die."

"Can't we have that to the imagination?" Stivers pleaded.

"Yes, but it leaves me, the murderer, with the telephone base like this. I put it down and quickly replace the handset while the operator's voice calls in vain. I am too excited to think of the fingerprints I've left on the base of the phone and my thumbs make no prints you see because only their sides touch the curve of the top of the base. See?"

"I see. I guess that was just about the way it was. You're some playwright and a real actor."

"Now," said Queripel, "I'll ask you to lift the eight fingerprints I've left on this telephone."

THIS was a matter of only a few minutes, then Queripel studied the convoluted dust sticking to the tape. He compared it with the blown-up prints of Paul Moody's eight fingers.

"Not much alike, eh?" Stivers asked.

"Not much," said Queripel. "Now could I have another look at those Moody prints you took in his studio?"

Stivers fetched them out.

Stivers had to gloat a little: "They seem to tell the story, don't they?"

Martin Queripel nodded his head and smiled.

(To Be Continued)

Gov. Allan Shivers left here this morning for Beaumont, where he will attend a banquet honoring Rabbi Samuel Rosinger.

After a short stop-over at his farm home near Woodville, the governor will travel from Beaumont to Galveston to participate in a "tidelands protective association" meeting tomorrow.

DALLAS, March 15 (UP)—Dr. Arthur A. Smith, Southern Methodist University economics professor, was elected vice president of the First National Bank of Dallas yesterday to head a new industrial and economic research department.

Bank President Ben H. Wooten said Smith's services will be available without charge to any firm requesting industrial and economic data on the Southwest.

Smith was a former labor department official in the Hawaiian Island and regional director of the U. S. Bureau of Labor Statistics in World War II.

BONHAM, March 15 (UP)—Damages to the Bonham Iron Foundry, destroyed by fire yesterday, were estimated at \$100,000.

John Dickey, president of the firm, said the loss was partially covered by insurance.

He added that origin of the fire which leaped swiftly through the oil, oxygen and acetylene gas used in the plant, was as yet undetermined. The foundry manufactured metal casting for southwestern industry.

New Coiffure for Square-Shape Face



An appearance of height on top is desirable for the girl with a square face. In this hair-do, short locks on top form a high, softly waved bang. The rest of the hair is medium-long, brought up at the sides, fastened with combs, and then let fall into a cascade of curls from high on the head in back. This coiffure is from the Master Handbook of 50 New Hairdos, a feature of the March issue of Good Housekeeping magazine.



Kelso sure packs as lovely a wallop as ever broke the bridge of a sweetheart's nose."

Queripel's curiosity was engaged. He forgot his fingerprint problem for one almost greater: if Paul Moody did not kill Wendell Palmer, who did? Somebody must have done the deed, and done it almost immediately after Paul left Palmer's house.

He fixed his eyes eagerly on O'Hea and asked:

"Are you trying to tell me that Kelso beat up Nelda Croft with his fists?"

"Well, she never got him grand black eyes from his big beautiful lips. Some women love to be handled rough; but, as Nelda says to me, 'Enough's enough and too much is a plenty.'"

"It was like this. You know that little crook Snubby Nimms that vibrates in and out of the jail house. I've been able to do him a few favors and he's been acting as a stool pigeon for me off and on. I don't know how we'd ever 'a' solved that Brannigan case but only for Snubby's inside info. Well, it so happens that Kelso has been using him too; for there's nothin' more useful to a cop or a detective than a stoolie."

"But Kelso's been so tough and stingy with Snubby, the little fellow is scared and sore. He thinks Kelso is goin' off his nut or something. Snubby says he's been acting like a laughing hyena of late, only he don't laugh any more."

"It's my opinion that Kelso knows the police force is in for one of the grandest explosions that ever exploded and he wants to get out of the county before he's caught in it. So he needs no end of money in a hurry."

"Well, Snubby told me Kelso been sellin' Nelda Croft down the river for anything he can sell her for. That didn't interest me much till Kelso's name came into this picture we're workin' on right now. So I look up Snubby this afternoon and he tells me that Kelso and Nelda have lately had the wildest row they've ever had. She was threatenin' to kill him or herself or the both of them."

(To Be Continued)

Bone Operation Appears Success

HOUSTON, Tex., March 15 (UP)—Seven-year-old Linda Louise Hay was in "splendid condition" at St. Joseph's infirmary today after a skilled bone surgeon transferred a portion of her mother's pelvis to her leg.

Little Linda Louise has been

MERCEDES, March 15 (UP)—His neighbors today awarded Eldon D. Smith the title of "the man who brought his chickens home to roost."

Smith had been walking around the fair grounds here when he found two capons running loose and figured they were prize birds someone had purchased at the auction.

So they were Smith's. He had neglected to close the door of the prize capons' pen the night before.

suffering with a bone tumor, technically known as osteoma.

Mrs. Robert C. Hay, Pasadena, Tex., the child's mother, also was feeling well following the operation, which took two hours.

Mrs. Hay was hospitalized in a room two blocks away from Linda Louise, who is in the large hospital's pediatric section.

Linda Louise started feeling pain only two weeks ago. Bone specialists quickly diagnosed her trouble and suggested the operation.

Legislator Looks Ahead

JACKSON, Miss. (UP)—Although there are no television stations in Mississippi, and none contemplated right now, a bill introduced in the state legislature would prohibit television sets in automobiles. Rep. Paul Measell, explaining his bill, said he was looking forward to the future. "I want drivers in Mississippi to keep their eyes on the road," he said.



MULE-HEADED STRIKER—Though not a union miner, Pete, a 12-year-old mule at the Bosack coal mine near Pottsville, Pa., is engaged in a one-mule strike. Pete and two miners were trapped for eight hours in the Bosack mine before being rescued, accounting for the mule's reluctance to re-enter the pit.

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Be it so ordered by the City Commission of the City of Eastland, Texas that an election be held on the 4th day of April, 1950, at which election there is to be elected two (2) commissioners to succeed Commissioners W. W. Linkenhogger and J. H. Rushing, whose term of office expires at that time.

Said election shall be held at the City Hall, City of Eastland, Texas.

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Political Announcements

The following have announced their candidacy for the various offices in the coming elections of 1950.

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COUNTY TREASURER
JOE COLLINS
(Re-election.)
H. A. (Hiram) McCANLIES

FOR SHERIFF
J. B. WILLIAMS
(Re-election.)
JOHN C. BARBER
J. F. (Frank) TUCKER

COUNTY COMMISSIONER Precinct No. 1
T. E. (Ed) CASTLEBERRY
(Re-election.)
HENRY V. DAVENPORT

COUNTY ATTORNEY
ELZO BEEN
First elected term

COUNTY JUDGE
P. L. CROSSLEY
(Re-election.)
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Mild Weather Slated For Texas

By United Press
Southern Texas got mild spring-like showers today.

The U. S. Weather Bureau said mild weather was in prospect for the entire state today and tomorrow. A mass of cool air from Colorado is expected to move into the west portions of the state sometime tomorrow but temperature drops will be slight.

Showers were expected over the east and south portions of the state today and tomorrow. At mid-morning rain was reported in several localities, including Lufkin, Beaumont, Corpus Christi, Victoria, and Houston.

Fog reduced visibility to one-half at Austin and to one and one-half miles at Brownsville, Galves-

ton and Cotulla.

Mid-morning temperatures reported were Beaumont 53, Houston 55, Galveston 64, Lufkin 48, Waco 52 Dallas 50, Mineral Wells 44, Abilene 40, Big Spring 50, Lubbock 48, and Amarillo 50.

Yesterdays' highest temperature was 79 at Presidio. The low maximum was 53 at Houston and Alice.

Overnight lows ranged from 58 at Corpus Christi to 32 at Dalhart.

Now They'll Know
HARLAN, Ky. (UP)—The Salvation Army announced it is collecting calendars for inmates of the Kentucky state penitentiary and the state reformatory.

Of the 1949 Illinois apple crop of 4,176,000 bushels, one half graded No. 1.

Backslides Fast

KNOXVILLE, Tenn. (UP)—George L. Samples' sworn promise to "start going to church Sunday" didn't last long. His \$25 fine on a theft charge was suspended on Thursday, the day he made the vow. On Friday, he was back in court and was fined for stealing vegetables from a market.

Hole Raises Hob

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (UP)—Motorists felt they had a right to ask the city to repair Highland Avenue after one hole in the street did this in five minutes: Dale Sweetner and Charles Campbell had the right rears of their cars damaged, James Elliott and Thomas R. Jeys lost control of their cars.

Mail Goes Through

LEWISTON, Ida. (UP)—A snow sled powered by an engine and propeller has been designed by mechanic Gannar Anderson to bring the mail into Dixie, tiny snow bound community 138 miles southeast of here. The sled will make the 39 mile run from Elk City to Dixie for some 60 residents.

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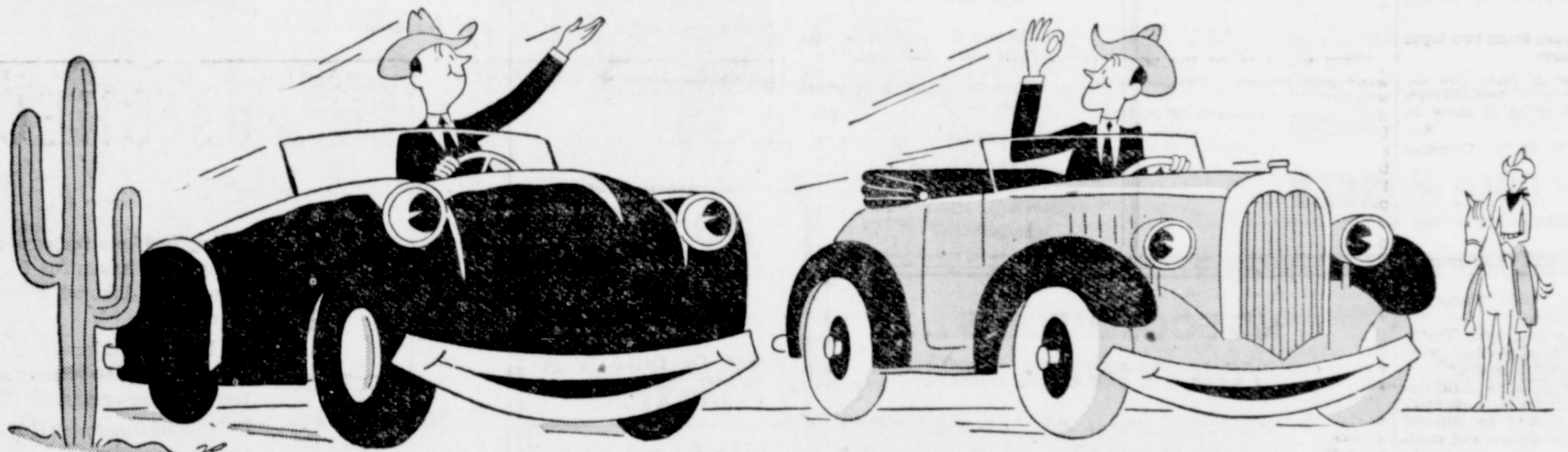
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Home Makers Class Meets In Lucas' Home Tuesday

Mrs. C. T. Lucas was hostess to members of the Home Makers class Tuesday evening at her home, 302 East Main Street, for their monthly business social meeting and covered dish supper.

Mrs. Johnnie Hart was co-hostess.

The meal was served buffet style from a table laid with a lace cloth and decorated with an arrangement of sweet peas. Miniature matching arrangements decorated the game tables, at which guests were seated in groups of four.

Miss Thelma Harris, president, presided during a short business session, during which Miss Christine Garrard was chosen as a group captain to replace Mrs. Dee Burlison, who resigned. Mrs. Tom Amos gave the invocation.

Present were Mesdames Frances Zernial, A. M. McBee, Victor Cornelius, J. D. Harris, Amis, Earl Stephen, Artie Liles, Don Parker, Ita Parish, V. L. Red, Carl Jones, L. S. Young, J. L. Waller, Joe Tow, Marvin Hood, E. E. Layton and Misses Harris, Garrard and Mrs. Hart, and Mr. and Mrs. Lucas.

Sunday School Class Entertained

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Freyschlag entertained members of her class of the First Christian Church at the Church Annex last Friday evening.

The group are composed of the members of the Junior and Senior classes and the group enjoyed games throughout the evening. About 30 young people attended. Mrs. Freyschlag said.

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PRISCILLA POPS OUT ON TV—Al Vermeer, right, who draws the popular comic strip, "Priscilla's Pop," found that his mischievous little heroine behaved very well when she made her first television appearance on a San Francisco station. Vermeer was guest artist on a cartoonist show.

Canasta Party Set Thursday

With all proceeds going to the American Heart Fund campaign, a canasta party will be held at the Woman's Club House Thursday and Friday evenings at 7:30 o'clock, under the auspices of the Zeta Phi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi. Prizes will be awarded.

More than \$50,000,000 in purses is paid annually to United States race horse owners.



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Personals

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Norman Durham, student teacher at North Texas State College at Denton spent the week end here in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Durham.

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Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins left Tuesday for Houston, where she will remain until Friday on business with the American Cancer Association.

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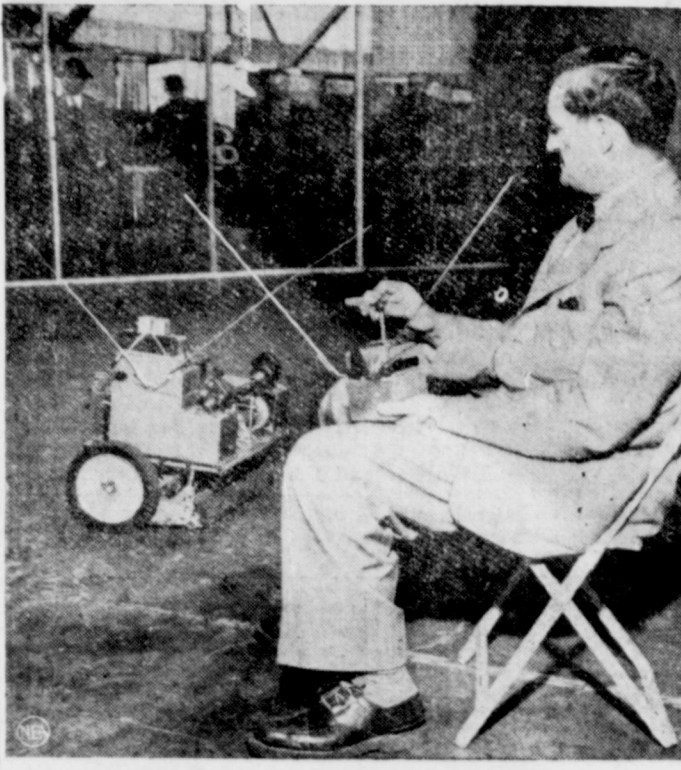
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"ROGER" ON YOUR CLOVER—The lawn-mower industry, moving at a fast clip, has produced this radio-controlled, mobile cutter, which was unveiled in Chicago recently. Its inventor, Jim Walker, shows how easy it is to trim a lawn simply by operating the tiny transmitter which controls the ground unit.

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Frizzell, Wife To Testify In Murder Trial

MIDLAND, Tex., March 15 (UP)—Attorneys for Herbert Paul Frizzell, on trial for murder of Henry Preston (Buck) Jones at Big Spring rodeo last August, said he and his wife, Dorothy, would be called to testify today.

The prosecution rested its case yesterday after two hours of testimony from five witnesses. The death penalty is not being asked.

Attorneys expected to put the case in the hands of the jury

Mrs. A. J. Bell of Stamford came Tuesday to be with her mother, Mrs. Frank Hodges, who has been ill at her home since Sunday.

sometime today.

Frizzell, 35-year-old rodeo performer from Beaumont, is charged with shooting Jones, a judge at the rodeo, three times before 2,500 spectators.

Twenty-one witnesses for Frizzell characterized Jones as a "pugnacious, hard-drinking bully." Defense witnesses frequently testified that he was of "dangerous" and "violent" character.

The case was moved to the 70th District Court at Midland on a change of venue.

Law Symbol Works

SAVANNAH, Ga. (UP)—Mayor Olin F. Fulmer may replace his gavel with a police "billy." A policeman asked him to use his stick as a gag and council voted unanimously on all measures before it that day.

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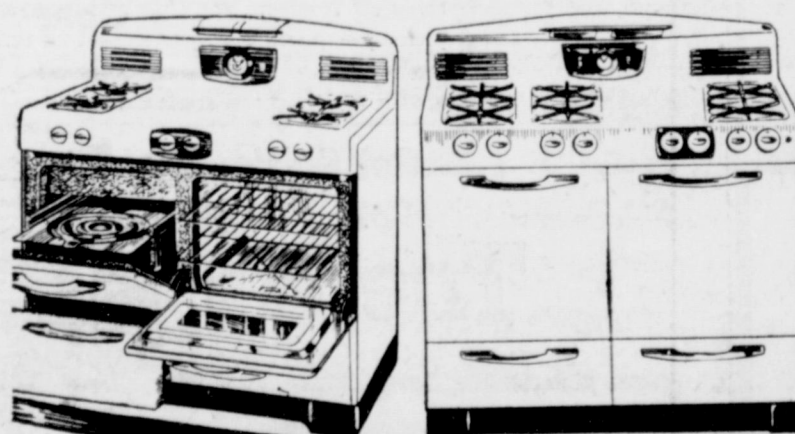
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chian (N. C.) Teachers 75.
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Mexico Bids For 1954 Olympics

MEXICO CITY, March 15 (UP)—Mexico will bid for the seat of the second Pan-American Olympic games in 1954, sports quarters said today.

Argentine General Natalio Fav-
ello, here to invite Mexico to the
first Pan-American games to be
held in Buenos Aires next year,
said "Argentina will be an ardent
propagandist for Mexico as a
seat of the second games."

Members of the Mexican sports
confederation, governing body for
amateur sports in Mexico, said
Mexico would campaign for the
games. Mexico recently lost the
seat for the seventh Central-Amer-
ican Olympics to Panama. The
seventh Central-American Olymp-
ics and the second Pan-American
games are scheduled for the same
year, 1954.

Gen. Favello, president of the
Argentine National Council on
Physical Education, said the Uni-
ted States would probably be in-

cluded to the Pan-American games.
"What we need in Latin Amer-
ica," he said, "is competition
and the tougher the better."

Favello and two other Argen-
tines, Alvaro Barrera, press offi-
cer for the 1951 games, and Dr.
Eduardo Ruiz, secretary of the
Argentine sports confederation,
came to Mexico from the sixth
Central-American games in Guate-
mala to invite Mexico officially to
the Pan-American contest. Mexico
is expected to send a large dele-
gation.

Soldiers Deny Kidnap Charge

SALZBURG, Austria, March 15
(UP)—Two American soldiers
pleaded innocent before a U. S.
Army court martial today to charges
of operating a Soviet-sponsored
kidnap ring in Austria.
The soldiers are Cpl. Paul E.
Abel, 26, of Bolivar, Mo., and
Sgt. John T. Frankey, 29, of New
York.

The two soldiers told a 12-man
court martial they were innocent
on charges of "transporting" Os-
wald Eder of Vienna "across polit-
ical borders against his will."

Between 40 and 50 witnesses
will testify during the trial, which
is being heard in the Tandesger-
echt court room by five enlisted
men and seven officers.

Abel also pleaded innocent to a
second charge of larceny involv-
ing the theft of a radio.

According to confessions releas-
ed by the Army, Frankey and Abel
said they received 7,000 Aus-
trian schillings (\$250) for the
kidnaping of Eder.

Both were military policemen
stationed in Vienna. They said
they picked up Eder in the Brit-
ish sector of Vienna, drove him in
an Army jeep along the Interna-
tional highway toward the Army
air base at Tullin, in the Soviet
sector, where they handed him over
to the Russians.

Abel, former farm hand and
lumberjack, allegedly said in the
confession that he made the first
contact with the Russians when
he tried to sell a stolen radio.

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LAST STOP—Slightly wobbly-legged, Kilcullaheen decided it had enough in running of the Smiths Lawn Handicap Chase in Windsor, Eng. The horse failed to inform Frank Carr, the surprised jockey being tossed from the saddle when Kilcullaheen called it quits.

FRATERNITY SYSTEM MAY COME UNDER FIRE AT TRIAL

IOWA CITY, Ia. March 15 —
(UP)—Many aspects of college
life, including the fraternity sys-
tem, may come under fire at the
trial of a university senior charged
with strangling his pretty cam-
pus sweetheart, it was indicated
today.

It appeared that a jury might
be completed today to hear the
state's charge that Robert E. Be-
nasek, handsome 24 year old Uni-
versity of Iowa psychology senior
killed Margaret "Gee Gee" Jack-
son, 20, during a forbidden party
at his boarding house.

District Judge James E. Gaff-
ney expressed pleasure at the
trial's progress and said he
thought it would be completed
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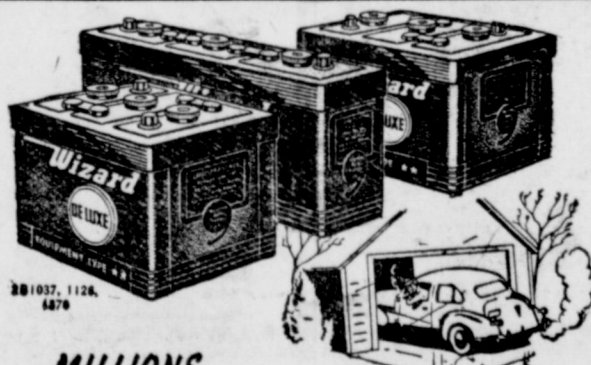
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Judge To Probe Lora Lee's Story

HOLLYWOOD, March 15 (UP)—
A juvenile judge set out today
to learn whether child screen star
Lora Lee Michel was telling the
truth or acting when she charg-
ed her foster parents starved her
so she'd stay small enough for
movie roles.

Nine year old Lora ran away
from the home of Mr. and Mrs.
Otto Michel Monday night and
showed up, barefooted and in pa-
jamas, at a friend's home in
nearby Burbank.

Hysterically, she told juvenile
officers that the Michels had un-

derfed her and that she was ex-
hausted from playing rigorous
movie roles.

But after a hearing yesterday,
Juvenile Judge A. A. Scott said
he was concerned about the dif-
ferences in the tiny blonde girl's
stories. He said he wanted to get
them straightened out.

"Lora Lee is a precocious, emo-
tional child who could get a lot
of people into trouble," Scott said.
"I can't tell when she's acting and
when she's telling the truth."

The little star at one point ac-
cused her foster parents of whip-
ping her, Scott said. But later she
told him:

Roquefort cheese has been man-
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NEWS FROM Olden

OLDEN, March 16 (Spl). — Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Harress and children, returned to their home in Olden, after living in Meridian for several months where he had been working.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott have been visiting their son in Oklahoma. Mr. Scott was going on to the Dallas hospital for a check-up.

The Needle Eye Sewing Club met Wednesday of last week in the home of Mrs. Z. W. Cook. After gifts were exchanged, refreshments of pie and coffee were served to six members.

Clarence LaBuff was in Fort Worth last Thursday on business.

Mrs. Ida Simer and Mrs. Katy Barnhill visited the Browns in Morton Valley last Thursday. They also visited in the W. A. Wharton home.

Mrs. Charlie Sims has returned from the hospital in Dallas, where she went for a check-up.

Mrs. Billie Joe Taylor of Electra visited in the La Buff home last week. Mr. Taylor is working at Olden for the Magnolia Co.

The third Thursday of this month is regular Parent Teachers Association meeting day. A covered dish luncheon will be served at 12 noon at the cottage. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mrs. Melba Nabors and Connie visited Mrs. Marcel Daniels in Eastland last Friday.

Buster Bryant is in Kermit at this time, where he expects to start working for the Magnolia Company.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Weaver and girls were in Fort Worth Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Fox, Bill-

HALF-CENTURY HIGHLIGHTS



BEST SCOUT OF THEM ALL was Daniel Carter Beard, author, artist, outdoorsman and founder of the movement which became the Boy Scouts of America. In dress and spirit, the perfect picture of the old woodsman, "Uncle Dan" Beard brought the pioneer traditions of Daniel Boone into the Twentieth Century and into the lives of millions of American boys. It was in 1905 when Beard, then editor of a recreation magazine, got the idea for a boys' outdoor organization. He formed the "Sons of Daniel Boone," which grew to 150,000 members in five years. In 1910, Beard's "Sons" merged with a British organization headed by Lord Baden-Powell to form the International Boy Scout movement. Today there are two and a quarter million American Boy Scouts.



AWAITS ELECTION — King Leopold of Belgium will soon learn whether the Belgians want him to return from exile to the throne he surrendered during World War II.



BLOOD PROGRAM — The Red Cross National Blood Program, with about 500 chapters participating, supplies blood to 2000 hospitals and clinics. —GIVE TO THE RED CROSS—

ghter of San Antonio were visiting in Eastland and Olden over the weekend. They also visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fox in Ranger.

Buddie Rouch and small son of Electra visited his mother, Gene and Freddie, Sunday and Monday.

Jim Clay Grubbes is ill with the flu at his home.

Dad Hambrik was very sick last week but is better at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Moffett visited Jean and Billie Rea Elders of Oklahoma over the week end.

Bro. Jack Tompson and Jack Myers of Abilene Christian College, accompanied by Miss June Daw, were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stiffner Sunday.

Pete Holt made a business trip to Fort Worth Monday. He also visited Mr. Rickie in the hospital while there.

Mrs. Carl Butler spent the

week end in Snyder, where Mr. Butler is employed.

Mrs. Red Evetts was in Amarillo over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Dennis of Brownwood visited his sister and brother in law, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nelson last week.

The Olden R. A. basketball boys won third place in the church league.

Mrs. Bertha Owens is very ill in the Ranger General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Spores and daughter, Mrs. Viola Jones of Odessa visited Mrs. Jones' father, W. A. Parton over the week end.

Grandma Deaton is seriously ill at her home. Her son and daughter was called to her bedside.

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Billie Ray Norton of Abilene visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Norton Saturday and Sunday.

Little Gregorie Daniels, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Daniels, spent Friday night and Saturday with his aunt, Mrs. T. L. Lockhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley of Desdemona, formerly of Olden, were through Olden Saturday afternoon en route to Ranger where Mr. Riley received treatments from the doctor.

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MORTON VALLEY, March 16 (Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. Hood of Wichita, brother of Mrs. L. H. Taylor, spent last Wednesday night in the L. H. Taylor home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Williamson of Snyder visited here with Mr. and Mrs. Emfinger over the weekend.

A. W. Williamson who is work-



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in Snyder spent the weekend with his family.

Mrs. Kenneth Tate and baby of ten are visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Ada Loper.

Royce Burroughs of Brownwood spent the week end in the Hazard home.

Riley Loper, Jr., is here on two weeks vacation and is at the home of his mother, Mrs. Ada Loper.

Verna Wheat and Joy Hathcock have been received into the Phi Theta Kappa sorority at Ranger Junior College. This is an honorary society. In order to be eligible for membership a student must have an average grade above 85.

The way you people responded in helping Mrs. Ada Loper and children is certainly commendable. Mrs. Loper desires that we should thank each and everyone of you since she cannot do it personally.

Visitors in the Harmony Baptist Church Sunday night were the Young Peoples Department from

the First Baptist Church of Eastland and their sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. Allison and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Webb of the First Church of Cisco.

Friday morning at 10 o'clock in Ranger, Shelton Tankersley and Mrs. Bertie Lavern Loyd were united in marriage.

Mrs. W. J. Matthews is ill at her home with a cold.

Mrs. Bob Copeland is to undergo surgery this weekend in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williamson and Mrs. Burton Tankersley visited Mrs. Annie Lee Williamson in Olden and Granny Cunningham in Ranger Monday evening.

The group of Boy Scouts who went to Possum Kingdom to spend the night Saturday night found out that to keep warm in such weather you really had to do some Scouting.

Mrs. R. T. Wade is ill at her home with flu. Her two daughters visited her over the weekend. They are Mrs. Moore of Pecos and Mrs. Simmons of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williamson and Jasper visited Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mills and Mr. and Mrs. Creed Mills and other relatives in Eliasville Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Blanton and son, George Lee of Lubbock, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harbin Monday evening.

More than 500,000 acres of Nebraska farm land were sprayed for insects and weeds last year by airplane.



DISASTER AT SEA is depicted in this reproduction of a painting by German artist Willy Stöwer of the sinking of the 66,000-ton Titanic, proud British luxury liner and greatest ocean vessel of her time. The Titanic, bound for New York from Southampton, struck an iceberg off Newfoundland on the night of April 14, 1912, and carried more than 1500 persons, many of them Americans, to their death. It was the maiden voyage of the \$7,500,000 floating mansion. Of a new type construction, she was called the world's first truly unsinkable ship. Some 700 passengers survived, thanks largely to wireless distress signals flashed to nearby ships. The world knew little of the great tragedy while it was going on. It was 24 hours afterward before detailed news began reaching New York.

Ft. Worth Livestock

PORT WORTH, March 15 (UP-USA)—Livestock

CATTLE 1500: Mostly steady. Medium and good slaughter steers and yearlings 22.00-26.50, few lots good and choice yearlings 27.00, ten head club yearlings 30.00, few common yearlings 20.50 down. Beef cows 16.50-19.50, canners and cutters 12.00-16.50. Cutter to good sausage bulls 16.00-20.50. Medium and good stocker steers and yearlings 21.00-25.00, common to good stocker cows 16.00-19.50.

CALVES 600: Strong early and weak later. Good and choice slaughter calves 24.00-26.50, odd head 27.00, common and medium 18.00-23.50, culls mostly 16.00-17.00. Medium to choice stocker calves 21.00-27.00.

HOGS 1500: Butcher hogs steady to 25 lower than Tuesdays average, sows steady to weak, feeder pigs steady. Good and choice 18.5-27.00, 16.75-17.25, good and choice 27.5-37.50, and 150-180 lbs. 15.25-16.50. Sows 13.00-15.00, mostly 14.50 down. Feeder pigs 11.00-14.00.

SHEEP 3,000: Slaughter lambs mostly steady, spots higher, slaughter yearlings steady, feeder lambs 50 higher. Good and choice

shorn slaughter lambs 24.50-25.50, common and medium shorn slaughter lambs 22.50 and 23.00, good shorn slaughter yearlings and two year old wethers 22.00. Choice woolled club lambs 27.50. Woolled feeder lambs 26.50. Shorn feeder

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Judge Obliges
KNOXVILLE, Tenn. (UP)—Howard T. Ruble appeared in court on a charge of drunken driving and asked the judge for a week's continuance so he could raise the fine. But he didn't like the date the judge set—Friday the 13th. Judge Charles Kelly agreed to set the case for Thursday the 12th.

Dim Your Lights And Save A Life

The Other Side Speaks
CLAREMONT, N. H. (UP)—Newest organization here is "Non-Alcoholics Anonymous". Eligible for membership are the husbands or wives of alcoholics. "We find by group discussion that we are better able to cope with the problems which arise in an alcoholic's home," an official explained.

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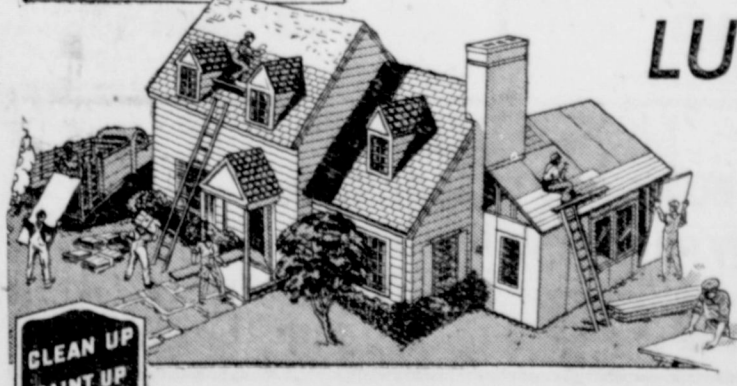
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Movies Deny Morals Charges

HOLLYWOOD, March 15 (UP)—Movie bigwigs lashed back today at a Senator's charges that Hollywood is "depraving" American morals.

The Motion picture Association of America denounced demands by Sen. Edwin C. Johnson, D., Colo., for licensing controls on the industry as "a police state bill."

And the motion picture industry council called Johnson's attack "unreasonable."

"In the past, unfortunately, there have been congressmen and Senators who have brought discredit and shame to the highest body of the government in the world," an MPIC statement said, "but it would be reckless to attack the congress for the actions of a few."

Johnson, chairman of the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee, yesterday in a senate speech

New Type Incubator Saves Premature Baby



Mrs. Joseph Anthony, Jr. of Houston, Texas, fondles seven-week-old Modene after the infant had survived six weeks in a new "breathing" incubator. The tiny baby girl was born 74 days premature and weighed only one pound and nine ounces. She now weighs five pounds and both mother and baby are in fine spirits. (NEA Telephoto)

denounced the recent romances of motion picture stars Ingrid Bergman and Rita Hayworth, calling the two "Hollywood's apostles of degradation."

He said his committee would begin hearings about April 15 on the serious moral questions raised by the romances.

Sheriff's Slayer Sought In Mexico

OJINGA, Mexico, March 15 (UP)—Mexican Mounted Police took over the search for the slayer of a Texas sheriff on a lonely road in rugged mountain country. The manhunt started near Presidio, Tex., last Sunday after the body of Presidio county sheriff Otis W. (Blackie) Morrow, serving his second term, was found in his automobile in a roadside ditch. He had been shot through the heart.

Ranger Capt. Gully Cowsert led a posse of Texas officers through sage and cactus until the suspect's tracks led to the banks of the Rio Grande.

The fugitive's trail again was picked up in Mexico across the river, about 10 miles northwest of Ojinga.

"A few men are staying on," Cowsert said, "but it's up to Mexican police now."

"Chances are lessening hourly for a quick capture," Cowsert said. "We fear that some of the man's friends may give him aid."

Cowsert said the suspect probably was handcuffed, but was armed with Morrow's pistol, which was missing from its holster. Since Morrow's handcuffs could not be found, Cowsert theorized that Morrow had stopped to arrest the man, was disarmed and shot to death.

Calvert To Seek Re-Election

AUSTIN, Tex., March 15 (UP)—Robert S. Calvert announced today he would be a candidate for election as state comptroller, an office he has held as an appointee of the late Gov. Beauford Jester for some 15 months.

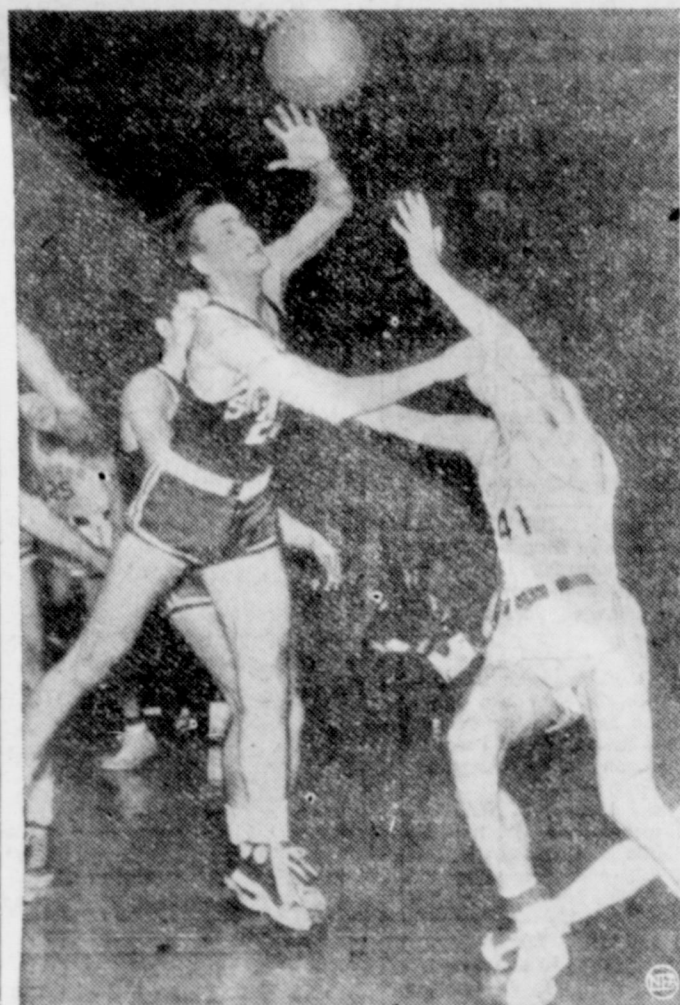
Calvert, a career man in the state public service for 19 years, succeeded to the comptroller's office following the death of George Sheppard in January 1949. Prior to that time, Calvert had been chief statistician and chief clerk in the office which he now heads.

ed by movieland's lurid headlines. The senator said Eric Johnston, "Czar" of motion picture industry, would be invited to testify.

Hollywood does not need a certificate of character from anyone," said the MPAA. Hollywood, like every other community, has its share—but no more than its share—of people who violate the moral code.

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St. Johns Defeats Western Kentucky



During an NIT game at Madison Square Garden in New York City, Buddy Cate (41) of Western Kentucky gets a handful of fingers in the mouth from the hand of Ray Tully of St. John's who is reaching for a rebound. Looking on are Jack Turner of Western Kentucky and Bob Zawoluk of St. John's. St. John's won 69-60. (NEA Telephoto)

Truman Sailing In Calm Waters

With President Truman at sea, March 15 (UP)—President Truman forgot about his seasick pills today as he and his vacation party cruised in calm waters down Florida's East coast.

The high winds and waves that kept the party "horizontal" aboard the Yacht Williamsburg for two days had disappeared. Only occasional showers were expected to mar the placid, warm weather today. Sun permitting, the president planned to spend as much time as possible on deck.

The Williamsburg, in company with the escorting destroyer William C. Lawe, was scheduled to reach Key West at 6:30 A. M. tomorrow. Mr. Truman will go ashore two hours later to begin three weeks of rest and relaxation

before flying back to Washington.

During the night the Williamsburg steamed quietly down the Georgia coast. The President and his staff, feeling chipper after a long battle against seasickness, enjoyed dinner and a movie in the main salon.

Mid-Air Crash Survivors Unknown

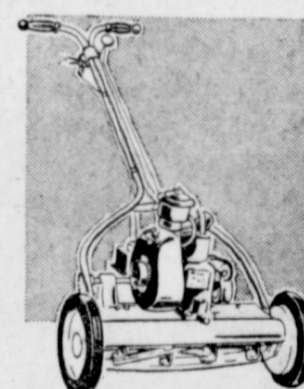
ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., March 15 (UP)—Three jet pilots who parachuted to safety when their air force planes collided in mid-air were released today from the Kirtland Field Hospital.

The two planes, an F-80 and a T-33 Trainer, were on routine flights to El Paso, Texas, from their home field at Phoenix, Ariz., when the collision happened late yesterday. The F-80 was piloted by a cadet, and the trainer carried another cadet and his instructor, 1st Lieut. H. M. Chapman of Mesa, Ariz.

The cadets were identified as W. F. Vance, Fort Worth, Tex., and G. R. Eaton, Lawrenceville, Ill.

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HENDERSON, Tex., March 15 (UP)—Fire destroyed the Barratt and Fuller General Merchandise store at nearby Price early today causing an estimated \$75,000 in damage.

The fire was discovered shortly after 4 a. m. Firemen from Henderson, Troup and Overton answered the alarm.

The roof of a locker plant adjoining the store building was damaged, Henderson fire chief

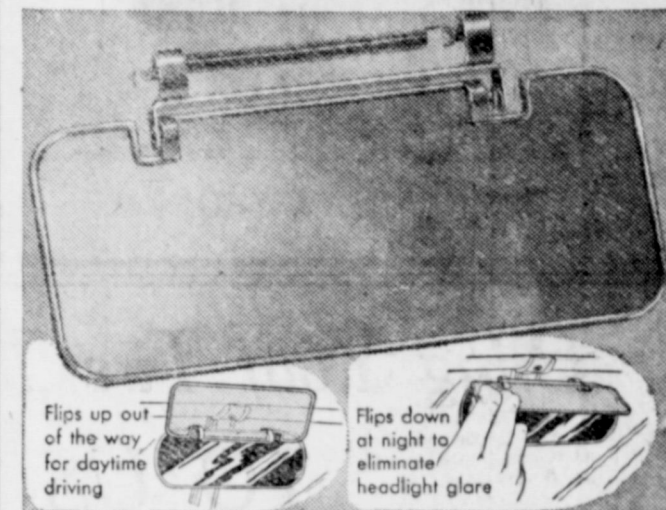
Dewitt Lowdermire said. The merchandising company is one of the largest businesses in the area. The loss was partially covered by insurance. Origin of the blaze was not determined immediately.

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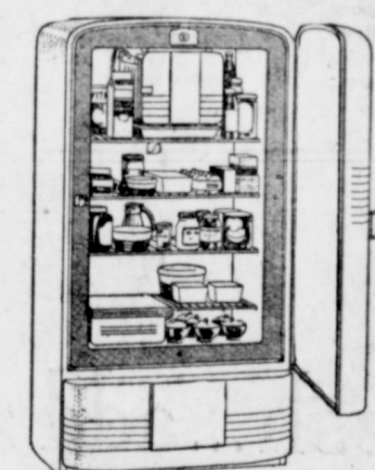
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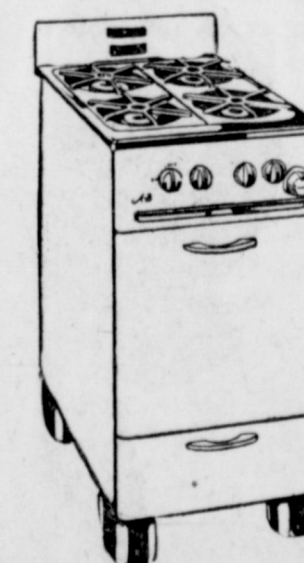
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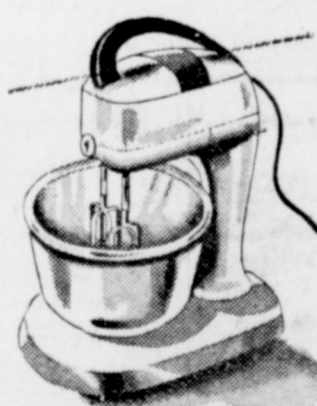
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