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Bill Passes Senate To Authorize County To Cancel Bonds

The Chamber of Commerce received a telegram from Senator Kilmer B. Corbin last week stating that the State Senate has passed Senate Bill 202 authorizing the county to call a special election to cancel the existing county hospital bonds. Representative Sterling Williams has been contacted by Corbin regarding the handling of the bill in the House. State health inspection of the city's grocery stores, eating establishments and meat markets was made last week by Richard I. Mionich, state health inspector, assisted by city health officer Dr. J. F. Hughes.

Bulldogs Impressive In Inter-Squad Tilt

In an inter-squad game between Blues and Golds last Friday night, the Spur Bulldogs completed their spring training. Spring training came to an end for the Spur Bulldogs with an intersquad game last Friday night, March 30. Led by last year's all-district quarterback, Charles Grimland, the Blues canceled a 12 point deficit to win 19-12. Grimland intercepted a Gold pass for the winning score. The Golds opened the scoring on their second play of the game with Gordon Simmons scattering around right end for 20 yards. The score was set up by a Blue fumble on the kickoff. The Blues came to life in the last half with Franklin Gabriel opening the scoring with a four-yard plunge following a long march down field. Grimland passed to Bobby George for the second Blue score. Coach Sam Hawkes states that he is very well pleased with the 1951 edition of the Spur Bulldogs and that he anticipates a good season. "Even if we don't win a single ball game, I'll know that these boys have tried to do what is right. They're just the kind of boys a coach enjoys working with."

New Firm Succeeds Bryant-Link Imp Co.

E. D. (Buck) Denton is the manager of the Denton Implement company which recently purchased the implement business of Bryant-Link. The new company is a dealer in John Deere plows, tractors and implements, located at 113 W. Harris. Denton is a new comer to Spur, having moved from Stamford. He has joined the Spur Rotary Club since coming to this city. A veteran of World War II, Denton was formerly zone manager for another tractor company. The implement company is dealer also for Firestone tractor tires and tubes. Present employees of the company, other than Denton are Norton Barrett, Bunky Simmons, Wayne Christopher, and Miss Bobbie Walsworth. Denton states that he is anxious to meet the old friends and customers of the Bryant-Link Implement company and will strive to satisfactorily serve old and new customers.

A. & M. Exes Hold Muster Ceremony

A. & M. men living in this county and adjoining ones will meet April 21 to hold the traditional Aggie Muster ceremony. R. A. Higginbotham, muster chairman, has announced. Mustering on San Jacinto day of all former students of the A. & M. College of Texas is a tradition 48 years old, the first one dating back to 1903. Annually A. & M. men come together on this day to pay homage to their fellow Aggies who have passed on, an humble tribute to the Texans who won the freedom of the state at the Battle of San Jacinto some 115 years ago. The local meeting will be one of more than 375 similar ceremonies held all over the world where two or more A. & M. men may be. Time and place of the gathering will be announced as soon as plans are completed.

Spur Students Enter Varied Contests During Interscholastic League Meet

Fifty eight Spur students will compete in interscholastic league literary and athletic events on April 6 and 7 in Floydada. Events for East Ward students will include 5th grade and 6th grade spelling with Patricia Gilbert, Leslie Albin, Nelda Morgan and Charlene Cunningham as contestants. Junior High events are declamation, number sense, Spelling and Ready Writing.

Girls declamation representatives are Kathlene Kelle who will give "Hawthorne's Waving," and Billie Sue Gregory who will give "The Lady of Shalott." The boys declamation entries include Wayne Hoover—"The Touch of the Master's Hand," and Rush McGinty—"The Little Boy Blue." The Junior High Spelling team is Gene Boothe and Jo Ann Johnston. The Numbers Sense team is Fred Young and Billy Phillips. The Ready Writing team is Shirley DeGraffenreid and Gail Williams.

Spur High School will have entries in Declamation, Extemporaneous Speaking, Spelling, Ready Writing, Typing and Shorthand. The Senior Girls Declamer is Myra Ratliff who will give "Oration to the Crowd." Senior boys declamer is Jackie Cloude who will give "Don't Die on Third." "The Creations" will be given by Pat Young, and "Ballad of the East and West" will be given by Don McGinty. Both boys are Junior declamers.

The Junior class entries in girls declamation are Carolyn Kelley and Peggy Reid who will give "Patterns" and "House of the Vagabonds" respectively. The high school spelling team is Lou Ann Comer, Gayle Reese and Mary Rache. The Ready Writers are Barbara Nalley, Ella Copeland and Billie Boykin. The typing team is Billy Hoover, Billy Stanley, and Emma Lou Simpson. The short hand team is Annette Lee and Margie Campbell.

In the athletic part of the two-day interscholastic meet, the following boys will participate in track events during the District 3-A meet:

Douglas McArthur, Jimmy Green, Joe Bell, Harvey Bingham, Curtis Blair, Jack Cloude, Ronald Comer, Orville Cloude, Franklin Gabriel, Bobby George, Charles Grimland, Don Hindman, Tommy Hightower, Don Hill, Billy Hoover, Chester Lindsey, Paul Simmons, Gordon Simmons, Larry Smith, Dean King, Hershel Wide, Don Wilson, Steve Dobbs, Lawrence Cook, John Rankin and Fred Wyatt.

Cub Scouts Organize New Den In Spur

Seven new cub scouts were inducted into Pack 37 to form Den 5 recently Mrs. Russell Williams is den mother and Bobby Dyess is den chief. Boys who received Bobcat pins were: William Williams, Ronald Wayne Williamson, Jerry Lynn Roberson, Ronnie Lane, Jerry Mac Johnston, Tommie DeGraffenreid and Billy Ray Butler. David Albin was presented his Bobcat pin and became a member of Den 1. Achievement awards for advancement in rank were presented to the cubs by Cubmaster Paul Marion and his assistant, Raymond Higginbotham. Cubs who attained the rank of Lion Cub are Charles Love and Mike McLemore. Benton Watson and Delwin Whitmore were awarded the badge and pin of the Wolf Cub rank. Cubs receiving the arrow point awards were Bobby Belcher and Jim McAteer, one gold and three silver arrow points. David Marion, Guy Goen, James Bigham and Stanley Irwin each received one gold and one silver arrow point. Wayne Roberts, Jett Conner, Jim Gabriel, Marshall Murray and Virgil Murray each received a gold arrow point.

All of the cubs who have been members of the Pack for one year were awarded one year pins. Cubs who made the hike on the Goen Ranch were presented feathers to wear in their turbans at pack meetings from the blue heron on the hike. The cubs, parents and guests enjoyed some entertaining pictures through the courtesy of Mrs. Cuba White; we thank Mrs. George Gabriel for the use of her projector and sound equipment. Dean Duffie, scoutmaster, showed the film. Pack committee chairman, Bob Conner, told of the desperate need for another pack to be organized and said plans are underway to secure a sponsor for another pack.

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Ethiopian Emperor Welcomes U.N. Commissioner



His Imperial Majesty, Haile Selassie I, Emperor of Ethiopia, at the conclusion of his address of welcome, exchanges greetings with the United Nations Commissioner for Eritrea, Eduardo Anze Matienzo, of Bolivia, at the Imperial Palace in Addis Ababa. One of the Emperor's favorite dogs who frolicked around the throne throughout the entire ceremony appears at the lower right hand corner, above.

Telephone Co-op Signs Purchase Contract With Kearney Exchange

James Wright, manager of the Caprock Rural Telephone Co-op, states that the co-op has signed a purchase contract with H. K. Kearney for the existing Kearney Telephone Exchange. The Exchange is a private business now serving the communities of Jayton, Peacock, Girard, Clairmont and Swenson with telephone service. Wright states that this is an important and major step toward securing for the entire Caprock area a modern dial-type rural telephone system. The Kearney Exchange will continue to operate under present conditions, states Wright, until the co-op is ready to start actual service.

Junior Class Play Opens On Monday

"Betty, The Girl Of My Heart," a three act comedy, will be presented at 8 p. m., Monday, in the East Ward auditorium by the Spur High school Junior class. Author of the play is Katharine Kavanaugh. Miss Dorothy Taylor, speech instructor, will direct the production. Members of the cast are Emma Lena Simpson, Vera Crafton, Charles Walker, Jean Barclay, Ginger Walker, Paul Simmons, and Kenneth Watson. The public is extended a cordial invitation to attend.

SOLDIER MOUND WILL HOLD SPRING REVIVAL

Rev. Victor Crabtree will conduct revival services at the Soldier Mound church, according to announcement made this week. Services will begin at 7:30 p. m., tomorrow, April 6, and continue through April 15. Morning services are held at 10:30. The public is invited to attend.

Johnnie William Haney, Electrocution Victim, Buried In Afton Wednesday

Funeral services for Johnnie William Haney, 24, were held at the Afton Baptist Church, Afton, at 2:00 p. m. Wednesday, April 4, 1951, with Rev. A. P. Stokes officiating. Haney was killed by electrocution shortly before noon Tuesday while working atop an REA pole near Dickens. An REA employee for about 16 months, the 24-year-old man was working alone doing "routine maintenance work, near a small cafe belonging to L. A. Sharp. It was Sharp who found the body. Verdict of death by electrocution was returned by judge A. B. Winkler in connection with Haney's fatal accident following an inquest in Dickens late Tuesday.

W. M. Hille, head of the Spur office, said apparently Haney had come in contact with an open line carrying 7,200 volts while working atop an REA pole about two miles west of Dickens. Haney's body was found at the foot of the pole by Sharp who immediately called for assistance from other members of the crew working nearby. Crew members working with Haney state that he was checking connections on a power line pole when the accident occurred. Haney was a veteran of World War II. He was married and had a small son. His body was taken to the Campbell Funeral home in Spur. Haney was a native of Afton, Palbearers were Dick Richards, Herschel Durham, Max Aldridge, Jim Bridge, Floyd DeGraffenreid and Gene Roberts. Survivors include, besides his wife and son, four sisters, Mrs. Ruby Lee Allen, Hereford; Mrs. Lucille Joplin, Bovina; Mrs. G. Baird, Hereford and Lena Pearl Haney of Afton and five brothers.

SINGING SUNDAY

Singing at Soldier Mound Baptist church at 2:00 o'clock Sunday evening. Everyone invited.

Fire Sweeps Thru Home Dept. Store

Fire swept through the Home Department Store in Spur last Saturday night causing an estimated \$15,000.00 damage. C. A. Fagan, owner of the store reports that the blaze probably originated on the south wall of the building where a coat was hanging over a wire. The fire obviously spread rapidly through the dry goods stock. Firemen state that the blaze was one of the hottest they had ever fought. Fagan states that he and his wife closed the store shortly after nine p. m. Saturday and went directly home and prepared for bed. He states that they heard the fire alarm but didn't even look out to see if the fire was near their home. Since their house phone is connected with the store phone, it was impossible to contact the couple by phone. A friend finally contacted them and took them to town. The merchandise was about 75% destroyed or damaged. Fagan states that he had fairly good insurance coverage. The Fagans were holding a going-out-of-business sale in their store, planning on closing up in the near future. Some definite plans will have to be made with the insurance company before a fire sale can be announced, stated Fagan.

Voters To Choose Board Members Sat.

Saturday, April 7 the voters of Spur will return to the polls to elect three school board members. With six candidates on the ballot, observers are expecting some close and hot races. Present members of the board who are seeking re-election are O. M. McGinty, Dr. W. K. Callan and D. J. Dyess. Their opponents on the ballot are Fred Neaves, A. V. Hoover and Leon Reagan. The election will be held in the city hall.

P-T. A. Will Hold Election of Officers

Election of P-T. A. officers will be held at 2:30 p. m., April 10, in the East Ward auditorium, states Mrs. George Gabriel, president. "Your Child's Report Card" will be given by Robert Williams, county school superintendent. Willis Jernigan will give the meditation and Annette Lee will play piano selections at the meeting. Teachers of the East Ward primary school are working on an operetta, "Fairies Are Really True," to be sponsored by the P-T. A. on April 26-27. Parents and interested persons are invited to attend the election of officers.

District Congress Of P-T. A. To Meet

The fourteenth District Congress of Parents and Teachers will convene at Lockney April 12 for its annual conference, according to announcement made this week. The first session will begin at 9 that morning, and continue until 9 o'clock at night. Among the day's activities are scheduled a Life Membership luncheon, a courtesy tea, and workshops conducted in various fields including publicity, radio, audio-visual, yearbooks, membership, rural service, home and family life, legislation and summer roundups. Mrs. George Gabriel, president of the local P-T. A., Mrs. Paul Marion, Mrs. Franklin Patrick, Mrs. Jesse Morrison and Mrs. Durwood Woodward plan to represent the local chapter at the Lockney meeting. They will serve on the workshops and committees. Special speakers for the event include Dr. Gordon Bennett, executive vice-president of McMurry college, and Mrs. E. T. Pittard, public speaker and traveler, who will speak on "Christianity—Basis for World Citizenship."

REPORT SHOWS DROP IN SALES COTTON GINNED

A recent census report from the U. S. Department of Commerce shows that 19,706 bales of cotton were ginned in Dickens county from the 1950 crop. This figure compares with 49,580 bales ginned for the crop of 1949, showing a drop of 29,874 bales.

MAYOR HOGAN RE-ELECTED BY SPUR VOTERS 288 - 135 TUESDAY

The voters of Spur sent Mayor Ned Hogan back to the City Hall for another two years Tuesday, April 3, with a 288 vote to 135 vote margin over his opponent, Mrs. Nona Starcher. Candidates for the two commissioners' jobs were unopposed on the ballot. The new commissioners are Joe B. Long, now completing the term of Bynum Britton, deceased, as Street Commissioner, and Dr. W. F. Patrick, Water Commissioner. Only about a half a dozen write-ins marred the perfect tallies of these two men. In the Mayor's race, Mrs. Starcher received statewide publicity for herself and the city of Spur as the first lady candidate for a position on the City commission. Her thorough canvass of the voters caused much talk over the election and thus aided in calling out the largest number of voters in Spur's history. The total topped the recent hospital bond election by some 60 votes. Mayor Hogan states that he is pleased with the outcome of the election and will continue to work toward a better Spur in a way that will be fair and satisfactory with all citizens. Mrs. Starcher, definitely a "good loser" and an outstanding citizen of Spur, states that although she wasn't elected, she appreciates the support and votes that she got. "I really didn't lose a thing," she states; "I just found out how many wonderful and faithful friends I have."

Teams Taking Form As Softball Season Set To Open May 1

With several teams already holding regular work-outs, the eight City Softball League teams are beginning to take shape this week. New equipment for the league play has been ordered and Committeeman W. F. Patrick states that the bats are already here. Work is expected to start soon on the back stop. Team managers have been requested by school officials not to use the stadium diamond for practice and workouts. Teams are welcome to use the playground area around the high school and junior high school buildings, however. Several teams including Proctor's City Ding, and some of the other teams are still looking for additional material. Pitchers seem to be in the greatest demand. Potential players who have not been placed on a team may contact Committeeman Patrick or Karr who will refer them to managers desiring players. A league schedule will be drawn up in the near future to begin league play Tuesday, May 1.

W. Gruben Elected Rotary President

Walter Gruben was elected as president for the 1951-52 year by the Spur Rotary Club at the club's regular meeting last Thursday, March 29. The new president and four new directors will be officially installed by the club to take office on July 1. Newly elected directors are Penn Shugart, Cecil Godfrey, J. W. Henry and Bob Conner. Martin Pope was elected to serve another term as director. Outgoing president is L. D. Ratliff and directors are W. F. Patrick, Norton Barrett, Fike Godfrey, and W. K. Callan.

Gregory Motor In New Location, 415 BURLINGTON

W. W. (Bill) Godfrey, owner of the Godfrey Motor Company, announced this week that he is now open for business in his new location at 415 Burlington. The building was formerly occupied by the C. & W. Electric Company. The company is now operating the Culligan Soft Water Service along with the Quality Body Shop. Gregory invites his many friends and customers to come in at his new location. GREGORY MOTOR IN NEW LOCATION, 415 BURLINGTON.

New Arrivals

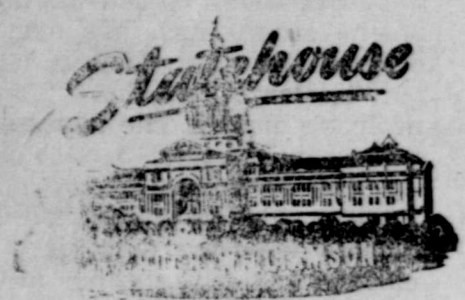
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bateman announced the birth of a son, Russell Howard, on March 20 in the Crosbyton hospital. The baby weighed 8 pounds 7 ounces. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pierce are parents of a daughter born March 30. Mrs. J. W. Steele is now at home recuperating from a serious tumor operation which she underwent in a Crosbyton hospital last week. She wants to thank all the friends who sent cards and flowers during her stay in the hospital.

Duck Creek Soil Conservation District News Notes

O. M. McGinty, Chairman
Giles McCaskey, Secretary
J. B. Montgomery, Secretary
Chas. Witt

Road ditches and fence rows in the Duck Creek Soil Conservation district have caught more sand the past few weeks from unprotected fields. Largest amounts of this blowing soil have come from one-way fields that were not listed promptly. L. C. Harvey has protected his sandy land by leaving the feed stubble and other residue on the ground. His farm is in East Afton. Field borders of eye and vetch have been fairly effective in keeping down wind erosion on the farm of D. W. Sims, Jr., in East Afton although the cover crops have not made much growth. Montgomery brothers at Jayton have planted 22 acres of blow sand in grass this spring. Indian grass, Switch grass, Sand Love, Little and Big bluestem, Side Oats grama and King Ranch bluestem were the grasses drilled. The seeding was made in a cover of dead sudan which was drilled last summer. Richard Varnell has drilled a mixture of grass on 45 acres of land that have been in cultivation. He also made the planting in cover of sudan. Varnell's farm is north of Afton. The Duck Creek district owns a special grass drill that will handle all types of grass seed that is available for use. It can be rented for 50c an acre. Durwood Woodward has approximately 14 miles of new terraces that have been recently constructed on his ranch in North Red Mud group. The new terracing consists of systems of level ridge type terraces in several fields. Pitchford Land & Cattle Company has 56 miles of terraces in the finishing stage of construction on cultivated land between Dickens and Guthrie. This spring's plan of completing terrace systems on all cultivated land on the ranch. Terraces are being built extra large so that farming can be done with large equipment.

THE MIDDLES By Bob Karp



chance that the legislators will finish their business in the appointed 120 days and adjourn at the end of that time. They can stay longer, and sessions of this kind are usually prolonged into the Summer.

It is safe to prophesy that the Legislators will pursue their investigation into crime, and that some kind of action will be recommended. Texas has never been trying to get a part of it. Members of the Legislature seem determined that we must keep the big syndicates, the people like Frank Costello and Mickey Cohen, out of Texas.

Cohen found out pretty quick that Texas legislators were not fooling when they subpoenaed him to appear in Austin and testify as to his activities in this state, if any. He was cited for contempt when he failed to appear as ordered. After the citation was issued, Cohen found that he could, after all, appear in Austin to give his testimony. He had originally



CLEAR THINKING . . . When his foot caught between ties on a railroad trestle, Carl Brownfield, Compton, Calif., shown with mother, flattened himself between rails and let train pass over.

said that he didn't have the money to make the trip.

On the transportation front, it is likely that we are going to wind up with two new pieces of legislation.

One is House Bill 11, which provides that overloaded trucks must unload on the spot enough weight to conform to Texas law. This is an enforcement measure which is intended to stop overloaded trucks from traveling our highways.

The other is Senate Bill 57, which puts into Texas law the gross load rules recommended by the American Association of State Highway Officials in a "code" which has the endorsement of the U. S. Bureau of Public Roads.

The code increases the Texas load limit for trucks, depending on their ability to carry greater loads. It keeps the present 18,000 pound per axle limit, but it re-



NICE NUMBERS . . . The army serial number of Pvt. Edward Griffin, Far Rockaway, L. I., stationed at Borlandwood, Eng., is a perfect sequence: ASN 12345678. The girl looks like a nice number, too.



NATIONAL PRESS BUILDING WASHINGTON, D. C.

Shun painters who like to save themselves work by painting woodwork and trim with the same flat paint used on the walls. Surfaces which must be cleaned often should have gloss or semi-gloss paint.

Want the white of an egg and not the yolk? Then break the egg in a small funnel. The yolk will remain up in the funnel while the white slides into the dish below—"and never the twain shall meet."

In many an attic and trunk, there are old prints of London streets, cathedrals, or New York skyscrapers, once fashionable pictures. They can make interesting lamp shades. Glue them onto a parchment shade and spray with liquid plastic.

A pound of vitaminized margarine is a thrifty staple in any household. Use it for greasing baking pans, scrambling eggs, brush chicken with it melted, put it in mashed potatoes, sauces, pastry and cakes. See how many pennies you'll save.

Too much ice on the freezing unit of your refrigerator slows down the mechanism and runs up electric bills. Don't let it accumulate more than 1/4 inch thick which usually means the refrigerator must be defrosted once a week.

duces the legal limit for tandem axles from 36,000 to 32,000 pounds.

J. G. Turney, a consulting engineer of Houston, testified before a Senate committee the other night and said that if truck loads were kept down to the provisions of Senate Bill 57, "there will be no overstraining of the pavement and its subgrade."

Senator Rudolph Weibert of the Senate committee when he said that he cannot favor permitting trucks to carry more gross load, providing the Legislature put more enforcement into the law by passing House Bill 11.

Opponents of Senate Bill 57



SCRIPTURE: Genesis 3:1-5:5; 9:17; DEVOTIONAL READING: Romans 5:12-17.

How Sin Begins

Lesson for April 8, 1951

NO ONE can believe in sin who does not believe in God. That is, no one can believe that sin is real unless he believes that God is real. For the meaning of sin is religious; it cannot be understood at all, apart from God. For sin means going contrary to the will of God. Sin may not consist of "doing" anything, of course; it may be thinking a gainst God; or it may be God; or it may be God refusing to do, or neglecting to do, what God wants done.

A thing is not right just because God wills it; he could not, by a mere proclamation, make murder good and mother-love wicked. But God never wills a thing unless it is right, or forbids it unless it is wrong; one reason for this is that he is creator of all, and so knows what is best for every creature. To go against his will is to go against one's own best interest.

Sin on the Outside

HOW does sin begin? The Bible says sin has been on this earth as long as people have lived here. But the story of the temptation in the Garden of Eden is also a parable of how sin always begins. As Dr. Brunner says, Adam's other name is Everyman.

Now we can see in this story that sin came into the world because there came a suggestion from the outside. Not everything in this universe is now good; there is anti-God at work, as well as pro-God. There are forces at work that do not wish God's plans to succeed.

If this seems hard to take, at least it cannot be denied that a great many sins would never have been committed without some pull from the outside. A child who goes to school for the first time will pick up, in a few days, habits and language and attitudes that shock the parents. They wonder what's got into the child. Her playmates' meanness has got into her, that's the nub of it.

Sin on the Inside

BUT the fact is, we can't blame the situation as if the situation were the sinner. Not every one who passes a bar-room door feels an urge to go inside. Once in a while a bank clerk skips out with a suitcase full of the bank's money. But the money was there all the time, and no other clerk became a thief.

If it were simply the situation that makes the sin, then every bank clerk would be as dishonest as the worst, and every man who passes a bar would not pass it but go inside and get drunk just like the bums who can't pass a bar-room door.

No, there is something on the inside of us that pushes toward sin. What is it? The story in Genesis may offer a good clue. One of the New Testament writers put it this way: "A man's temptation is due to the pull of his own inward desires, which can be enormously attractive." (James 1:14, J. B. Phillips translation.)

Sin Beforehand

THERE is another sad feature of sin that stands out in the Genesis story and in the story of Everyman. That is, sin almost never looks the same afterwards as it did before.

Before the sin, Eve sees the forbidden fruit as beautiful and desirable; afterwards in shame she hides away from God. Living with herself, with her husband, with God, is no longer the pleasure it had been. However sad or horrible sin may look when we see it in the cold light of Afterwards, when we see it beforehand it always looks attractive.

In the last stages of sin, to be sure, it may be quite different; a man may be caught in the grip of a habit he hates, and no one can call him worse names than he calls himself. But in the beginnings of sin, few if any persons see anything repulsive or bad in what they are about to do.

That is why "I do as I please" is a fatally bad rule for living. If you do as you please, sooner or later you will please wrong, and down you will go. Adam and Eve did exactly as they pleased, and lost their Paradise. But if we take as our rule of life what God pleases, even if we never reach perfection we shall always be pointing in the right direction.

LAFF OF THE WEEK

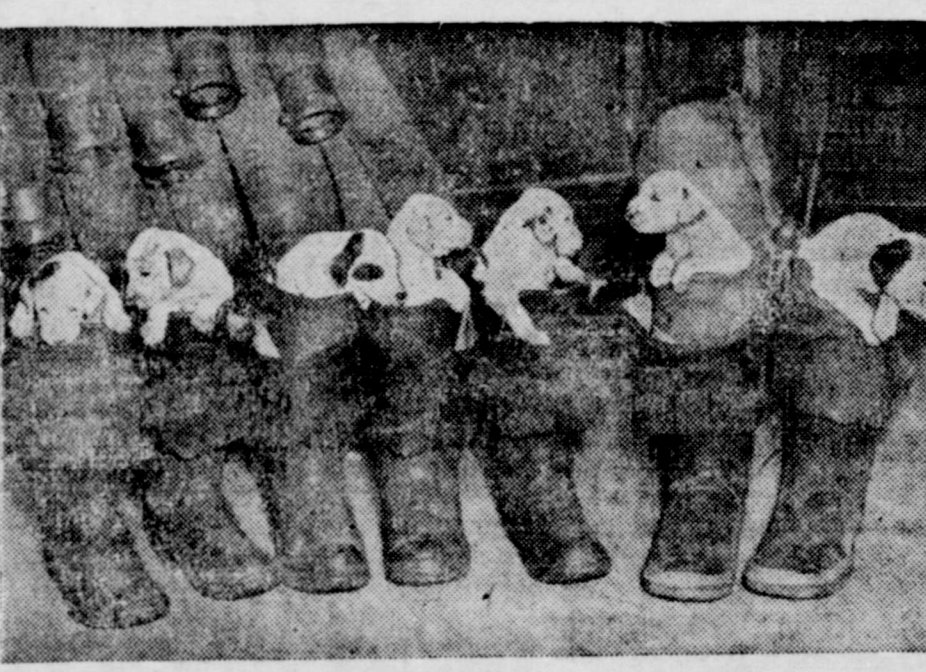


say they fear additional truck weight would result in highway damage. But those who favor the bill point to the American Association of Highway Officials recommendation of it, and they further emphasize that Defense Transport Administrator James K. Knudson has asked that trucks be permitted to carry more weight in order to speed the mobilization program.

On another front, the prospects are not too good for the Texas dries. They would like for the Legislature to submit to the people a constitutional amendment prohibiting the sale of all alcoholic beverages in the state.

The dries have lost one battle—in the Constitutional Amendment Committee of the House of Representatives—and they say they will try again. But it takes a two-thirds vote of the Legislature to submit a constitutional amendment to the people. It does not seem at this time that the dries have that many votes in the Legislature.

Read the Want Ads



WEE DOGGIES IN WEEHAWKEN . . . Firehouse No. 1, Weehawken, N. J., is well staffed with mascots since "Boots," pet Dalmatian gave birth.

Will Not Fail.—"American farmers have never failed to answer the call of their government in a national emergency, and cotton growers will not fail once they realize the real threat of the cotton shortage to our national security." Carolina Cooperator.

John L. Koonsman, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Koonsman of Dickens, has qualified for the Honorable Mention by having a "B" average this six weeks at Schreiner Institute, Kerrville.

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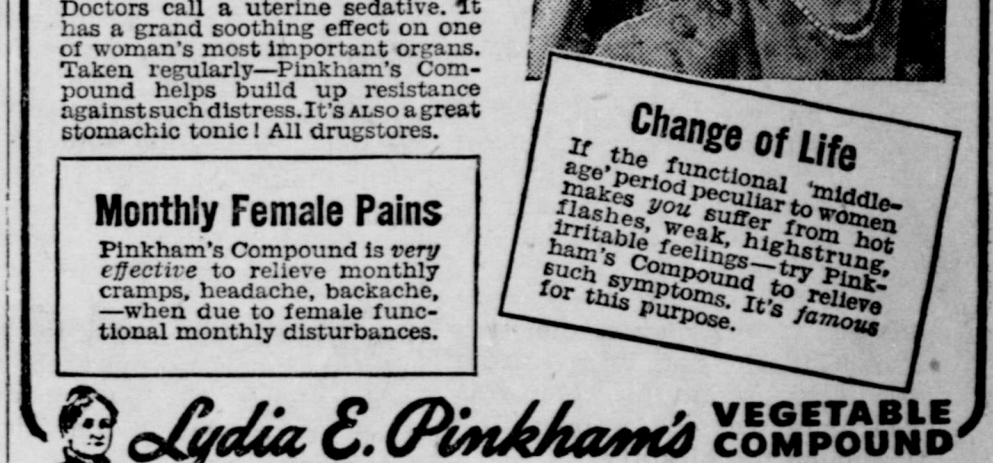
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Are you troubled by distress of female functional monthly disturbances? Does it make you feel so nervous, cranky, restless, weak, a bit moody—at such times? Then do try **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** to relieve such symptoms! Women by the thousands have reported remarkable benefits.

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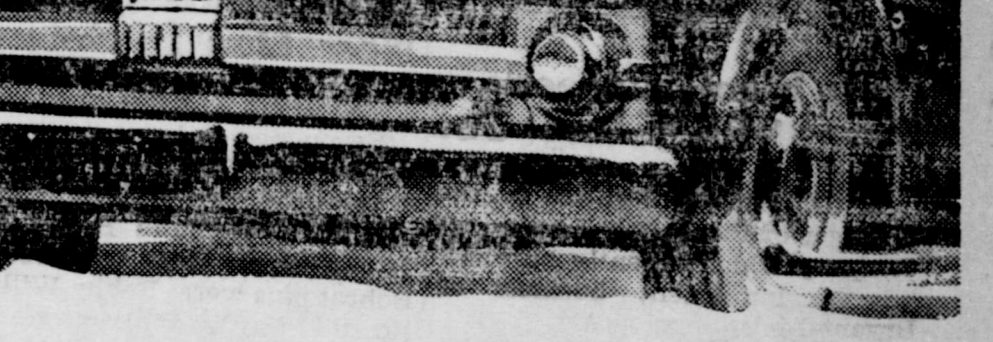


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Monthly Female Pains

Pinkham's Compound is very effective to relieve monthly cramps, headache, backache, when due to female functional monthly disturbances.



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Increased Gross Vehicle Weights and Gross Combination Weights on many models, because of scientific weight distribution and increased rear axle capacity.
- NEW! Better economy**
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Legionnaires To Meet In Lubbock April 7-8

The election of top District officers will be the highlight of business activities on tap for delegates of the 43 American Legion Posts in the 19th Congressional District when they meet in Lubbock's Legion Hall on Saturday and Sunday, April 7 and 8, for their annual Spring Convention.

W. T. Bridges of Levelland, District Commander for the last two years, has presided a large turnout of West Texas Legionnaires for the two-day meet. Fifth Division Commander Charles C. Gibson of Amarillo and other high Legion officials are expected to attend. State Representative Waggoner Carr of Lubbock will be the principal speaker.

With Lubbock's Allen Brothers Post No. 148 as host, the 19th District Legionnaires will also select their delegates to the next National and State Legion Conventions. During the business meeting candidates for State Legion offices may be nominated or endorsed by the delegates.

Terms of the successors to District Commander Bridges and Vice Commander Samuel R. Heard of Petersburg will begin at the State Convention to be held in San Antonio on August 17-18-19.

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Crossword Puzzle

HORIZONTAL

- 1 An enzyme
- 4 Animal and plant life of a region
- 11 Reporter
- 13 Three outs in baseball
- 15 A measure
- 16 To move in the opposite direction
- 19 To depart
- 21 The smooth breathing liquid
- 22 A rhymer
- 26 To play
- 28 A person
- 29 To attempt
- 31 Chair
- 34 A cookie containing sugar
- 35 To read
- 37 Note of scale
- 40 Mentally dull
- 42 Despair
- 43 To unite
- 45 Female sheep
- 48 Honest
- 50 Extent of land
- 52 Area
- 54 Form of "to be"
- 55 Note of scale
- 56 Marine reptile (pl.)
- 59 Hindu enclosure for cattle
- 61 Census of the moon
- 63 Cultivated by the D'Urbevielles
- 65 Cold dish of green vegetables
- 66 Artificial language
- 67 Trains in law

VERTICAL

- 1 Man's name
- 2 Runs away
- 3 Bavarian god
- 4 Cain's brother
- 5 To pry
- 6 A galaxy with two banks of stars (pl.)
- 7 Three in power
- 8 A number
- 9 Note of scale
- 10 Fisherman
- 12 Symbol for Iridium
- 14 Hindu enclosure for cattle
- 17 Son of Seth
- 20 of the D'Urbevielles
- 22 Exclamation of surprise
- 24 Compass point
- 25 Grows pale
- 27 Moccasins
- 28 University
- 32 Diplomacy
- 33 Equipped with propelling devices
- 37 Girl's name
- 38 Dreads
- 39 Consents
- 41 Ridge raised on the flesh
- 43 To wrinkle
- 44 A compass point
- 46 Earth goddess
- 48 One of a Moslem people

PUZZLE No. 123

33 Symbol for samarium
60 Roman bronze
62 Musical note
64 Symbol for bromine

Answer to Puzzle No. 127

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to the Big Bend." Thornton added that Fair officials consider agriculture the most important industry in Texas, and believe this tribute to farms and ranches of the state will provide the show the industry deserves, one which will appeal strongly to both rural and urban folk.

The plan was developed at a meeting in 1947 between A. & M. and Fair officials, including Gibb Gilchrist, chairman of the College System; G. G. Gibson, director of the extension service; Ben Cabell, general chairman of the Fair's agriculture and livestock committee; E. C. English, chairman of the agriculture committee; W. H. Hitzberger, Fair vice president; J. H. Stewart, executive vice president and general manager; and Ray W. Wilson, manager of the livestock and agriculture departments.

The plan was later endorsed by a conference of the district agents and specialists of the extension service.

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'51 Fair To Feature New Type Ag. Show

The State Fair of Texas, working closely with officials of Texas A. & M. College system, is blueprinting an entirely new type of agriculture show for the 1951 exposition, October 6-21, R. L. Thornton, Fair president, has announced.

The show will be balanced, correlated and highly educational panorama of the state's agricultural as represented by the 14 agricultural extension districts of the A. & M. System.

Each district will have its own large exhibit, built from information on scientific agriculture furnished "from the grass roots level" by district and home agents and the committees they will designate.

This is one of the best informed groups of men and women in Texas on the state's agriculture because of their close daily contact with farmers and ranchers in their districts, Thornton said.

"The result should be the most outstanding agriculture show in Fair history," Thornton predicted. "We are investing more money in this effort than in any previous agriculture show to give the Fair's 2,000,000 visitors a better concept of the industry's varied output from the Panhandle to the Valley and from the Piney Woods coun-

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Society-Club News

Mrs. Flournoy Is Hostess To Circle

Mrs. S. W. Flournoy was hostess to members of the Judson study group of First Baptist WMS on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Elmer D. Hagins gave the opening prayer. Mrs. W. T. Buckingham taught two chapters, "Christ's Plan of Work," from the book, "Go Ye." Closing prayer was by Mrs. C. M. Ratheal.

Coffee and cake were served to Mmes. W. G. Hinson, C. P. Scudder, E. H. Carpenter, W. L. Singleton, Tagins, Ratheal, Buckingham and the hostess.

4-H Clubbers Plan May Dress Review

4-H Club girls of the fifth and sixth grades met with their adult leader, Mrs. Jack Gordon, in the East Ward auditorium Monday.

A lesson on pinning and basting the dresses which the girls are making was given by Mrs. Gordon, who stressed the importance of following pattern instructions in sewing.

Judging of the garments will be on May 19 with a dress review on the night of May 22. Prizes will be awarded winners, and in-

dividual entry prizes will be awarded each girl.

Girls interested in becoming acquainted with 4-H club work are urged to attend the meetings held on the first and third Mondays of each month. Any fifth and sixth grader can become a 4-H clubber, states Mrs. Gordon.

Piano Pupils Attend Music Festival

Piano students of Mrs. J. W. Henry attended the music festival held in the Aggie Memorial auditorium in Lubbock March 17.

Rating of good, very good, excellent, excellent plus and superior were given members of the group for their playing.

Attending were Mike Kearney, Mary Dee McArthur, Marian Marcy, Carole Marcy, Marilyn Miller, Ann Austin, Lanelle Marcy, Rozelle Marcy, Sandra Caplinger, Janis Powell, Jerry Foster, Michael Hairgrove, Agatha Ellis and Linda Waggoner.

Each student is a member of the Apollo music club.

Women's Status Is W. S. C. S. Program

Mrs. Walter Carlisle entertained members of the First Methodist WS of CS in her home Monday afternoon.

"Status of Women," program topic, was led by Mrs. Lela Evans. Others on the program were Mrs. Tom Johnston and Mrs. J. R. Laine.

A social hour was held. Attending were Mmes. C. H. McCully, M. A. Lea, J. M. Foster, C. F. Cook, J. R. Laine, Anderson, Dee Hairgrave, J. C. Payne, W. P. Foster, W. F. Gilbert, Tom Johnston, Etta Fite, Lela Evans and the hostess.

Dry Lake Community News

Most of the farmers are busy preparing their land for spring plowing.

Everyone in the community enjoyed Easter Sunday. Each of the churches gave an Easter program and held egg hunts.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Lasseter were called recently to Temple to be with her niece who was in a car accident some time ago. They have returned and report her condition to be better.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hotcho and Linda did not leave our community. They only moved to the old Johnston place west of Coy Dopson's.

The home demonstration council of which our club is a member has completed plans for a food sale to be held in the Godfrey and Smart show room during the stock show April 14.

4-H club girls are urged to do their work well in order to be eligible for prizes on achievement day. Mrs. Jack Gordon is the 4-H chairman, and will try to contact each of you in the near future.

The Dry Lake community was named winner of the good neighbor contest. We want to thank every person who in any way helped us to win this honor. Neighbors are asked to be even more friendly and to continue in helping make our community a better place to live.

Harmony Club To Hear Musical Poetry

Mrs. Nellie Davis and Mrs. J. H. Bowman will be co-hostesses at 7:45 tonight at a Harmony club meeting to be held in the home of the former, 722 North Trumbull. Music in the home will be program discussion. Mrs. Paul Marion will give a musical reading, "Life's Story in Poetry," and Mrs. Sam Hawkes will play the piano accompaniment.

Plans will be made for a tea to honor the district president sometime in April.

Musical Program Is Study Club Topic

Mrs. Jesse Morrison and Mrs. Spencer Campbell were hostesses for the 1931 Study club on Tuesday afternoon. They entertained guests in the recently completed home of the latter's mother, Mrs. P. C. Nichols, on East Hill street.

Floral decorations were of red and white carnations.

"Life's Story in Poetry," a musical reading, was given by Mrs. Paul Marion. Mrs. Sam Hawkes played background piano music in accompaniment.

Angel food cake and home made ice cream were served to Mmes. Dupree Allen, F. R. Blair, Fike Godfrey, Sam Hawkes, Evalene Holley, Harold Karr, W. F. Kizer, Paul Marion, Rob Simmons, A. N. Stoy, Alfred Walker, Sherian Campbell, Phil Meekins and the co-hostesses.

Fashionable Women Topic of 1933 Club

The 1933 Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Grady Lackey for their regular meeting Tuesday, April 3. "Fashionable Women" was their topic of discussion.

Mrs. George Gabriel was program leader. The program included a facial demonstration by Mrs. Myrtle Whitwell.

Refreshments of Chocolate crunch peach salad and iced tea were served by the hostess to the

Spur Woman Listed Among Honorees

Two former Spur women, Miss Alba Cozby and Mrs. Clyde C. Latham were among the high honor students listed among the top seven percent at Sam Houston State Teachers College for the fall semester. Both were elected to the Alpha Chi Honor Society. Miss Cozby received the high honor for having made four A's and one B. Mrs. Latham made three A's and two B's. This is the highest honor bestowed on students at this college.

Mrs. Latham was also recently chosen as a member of the Kappa Pi honorary society for art majors and minors. She is one of twelve art majors chosen to the national society and was introduced to the Kappa Pi as a pledge because of her outstanding grades and work in the art field. The society has as its purpose the study and problems concerning exhibits and self-improvement. Mrs. Latham will receive her Masters degree in art this spring.

Both Miss Cozby and Mrs. Latham are daughters of Mrs. J. R. Cozby. Mrs. Latham formerly

following. Mmes. J. C. Payne, C. P. Scudder, Coy McMahan, O. R. Cloude, Everett McArthur, W. F. Patrick, E. E. Caudle, George Gabriel, C. F. Cook, Herschel Durham, Cal Wright, and a guest, Mrs. Whitwell.

taught in the Spur school. Miss Cozby worked for a number of years in the Dickens County P. M. A. office, resigning last fall to resume her college studies.

Barbara Sharp Is Study Club Hostess

Daughters of 1933 Study club met in the home of Barbara Sharp on March 21.

An Easter motif was used in decorations and as the program theme. Carolyn Kelley acted as leader, with Margaret Wood and Myra Ratliff discussing formal and informal clothes, Jimmie Nell Bowman and Barbara Nalley sang a duet, "Easter Parade."

Visitors from the senior study club were Mmes. C. H. McCully, W. F. Patrick, J. C. Payne, O. R. Cloude and Coy McMahan.

Sandwiches, cookies and punch were served to guests.

Highway News

The Garner brothers are completing 175 acres of deep breaking this week for Oscar McGinty, Donnie Pace, John King and Forest Martin.

A call home demonstration club meeting was held in the home of Mrs. Cecil Estep recently to assign each member the kind of food she is to take to the food sale April 14. The next meeting

will be in the home of Mrs. Bill Rucker April 9.

A business meeting of the community was held last Wednesday in the community house.

The next community meeting will be April 6 in the community house. Charles Taylor and Mrs. Harriette Hatcher have been invited as guest speakers. Lets all try to be there.

CARD OF THANKS

To our many friends and relatives, we wish to take this means to thank you for every kindness shown us during the illness and death of our loved one. Your kind words, beautiful flowers and good food was deeply appreciated. May God richly bless you all.

Mrs. Ruby Spraberry
Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gannon and family
Mr. and Mrs. Benny McWilliams and family.

Cleo Rogers was taken to the Amarillo Veterans hospital last Thursday where he underwent an emergency operation. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Rogers of Spur, and reported doing well.

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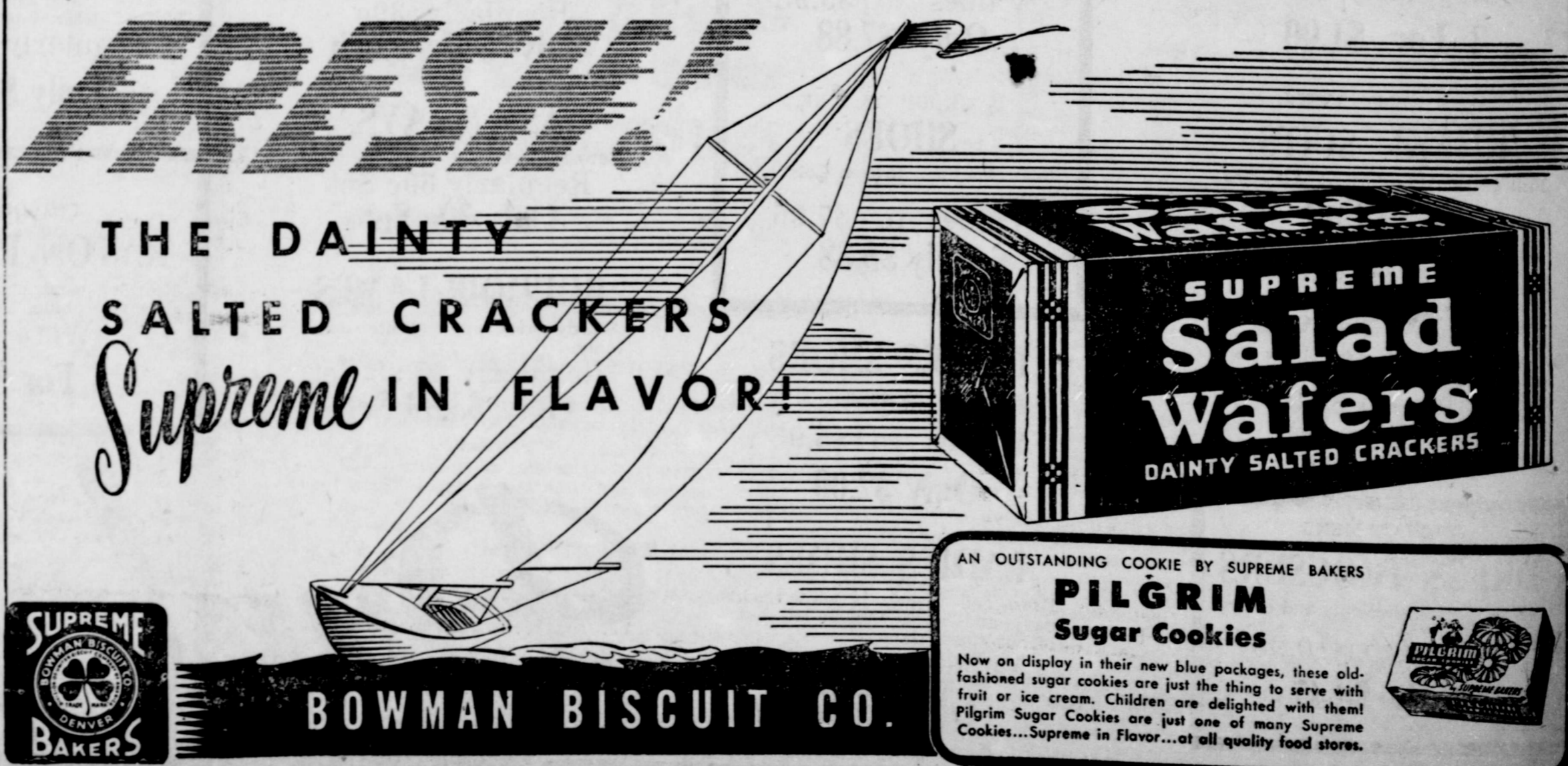
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WHEN he saw the crowds of people he went up on the mountain. There he seated himself, and when his disciples had come up to him, he opened his lips to teach them. And he said:

★ Blessed are those who feel their spiritual need, for the Kingdom of Heaven belongs to them! Blessed are the mourners, for they will be consoled! Blessed are the humble-minded, for they will possess the land! Blessed are those who are hungry and thirsty for uprightness, for they will be satisfied! Blessed are the merciful,



for they will be shown mercy! Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God! Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called God's sons! Blessed are those who have endured persecution for their uprightness, for the Kingdom of Heaven belongs to them! Blessed are you when people abuse you, and persecute you, and falsely say everything bad of you, on my account. Be glad and exult over it, for you will be richly rewarded in heaven, for that is the way they persecuted the prophets who went before you!

★ You are the salt of the earth! But if salt loses its strength, how can it be made salt again? It is good for nothing but to be thrown away and trodden underfoot. You are the light of the world! A city that is built upon a hill cannot be hidden. People do not light a lamp and put it under a peck-measure; they put it on its stand and it gives light to everyone in the house. Your light must burn in that way among men so that they will see the good you do, and praise your Father in heaven.

★ Do not suppose that I have come to do away with the Law or the Prophets. I have not come to do away with them but to fulfill them. For I tell you, as long as heaven and earth endure, not one dotting of an *i* or crossing of a *t* will be dropped from the Law until it is all observed. Anyone, therefore, who weakens one of the slightest of these commands, and teaches others to do so, will be ranked lowest in the Kingdom of Heaven; but anyone who observes them and teaches others to do so will be ranked high in



the Kingdom of Heaven. For I tell you that unless your uprightness is far superior to that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never even enter the Kingdom of Heaven!

★ You have heard that men were told "You shall not commit adultery." But I tell you that

anyone who looks at a woman with desire has already committed adultery with her in his heart. But if your right eye makes you fall, tear it out and throw it away, for you might better lose one part of your body than have it all thrown into the pit! If your right hand makes you fall, cut it off and throw it away! For you might better lose one part of your body than have it all go down to the pit!

★ They were told, "Anyone who divorces his wife must give her a certificate of divorce." But I tell you that anyone who divorces his wife on any ground, except unfaithfulness, makes her commit adultery, and anyone who marries her after she is divorced commits adultery.

★ Again, you have heard that the men of old were told, "You shall not swear falsely, but you must fulfil your oaths to the Lord." But I tell you not to swear at all, either by heaven, for it is God's throne, or by the earth, for it is his footstool, or by Jerusalem, for it is the city of the great king. You must not swear by your own head, for you cannot make one single hair white or black. But your way of speaking must be "Yes" or "No." Anything that goes beyond that comes from the evil one.

★ You have heard that the men of old were told "You shall not murder," and "Whoever murders will have to answer to the court." But I tell you that anyone who gets angry with his brother will have to answer to the court, and anyone who speaks contemptuously to his brother will have to answer to the great council, and anyone who says to his brother "You cursed fool!" will have to answer for it in the fiery pit! So when you are presenting your gift at the altar, if you remember that your brother has any grievance against you, leave your gift right there before the altar and go and make up with your brother; then come back and present your



gift. Be quick and come to terms with your opponent while you are on the way to court with him, or he may hand you over to the judge, and the judge may hand you over to the officer, and you will be thrown into prison. I tell you, you will never get out again until you have paid the last penny!

★ You have heard that they were told, "An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth." But I tell you not to resist injury, but if anyone strikes you on your right cheek, turn the other to him too; and if anyone wants to sue you for your shirt, let him have your coat too. And if anyone forces you to go one mile, go two miles with him. If anyone begs from you, give to him, and when anyone wants to borrow from you, do not turn away.

★ You have heard that they were told, "You must love your neighbor and hate your enemy." But I tell you, love your enemies and pray for your persecutors, so that you may show yourselves true sons of your Father in heaven, for he makes his sun rise on bad and good alike, and makes the rain fall on the upright and the

wrongdoers. For if you love only those who love you, what reward can you expect? Do not the very tax-collectors do that? And if you are polite to your brothers and no one else, what is there remarkable in that? Do not the very heathen do that? So you are to be perfect, as your heavenly Father is.

★ But take care not to do your good deeds in public for people to see, for, if you do, you will get no reward from your Father in heaven. So when you are going to give to charity, do not blow a trumpet before yourself, as the hypocrites do, in places of worship and the streets, to



make people praise them. I tell you, that is all the reward they will get! But when you give to charity, your own left hand must not know what your right hand is doing, so that your charity may be secret, and your Father who sees what is secret will reward you.

★ When you pray, you must not be like the hypocrites, for they like to pray standing in places of worship and in the corners of the squares, to let people see them. I tell you, that is the only reward they will get! But when you pray, go into your own room, and shut the door, and pray to your Father who is unseen, and your Father who sees what is secret will reward you. And when you pray, do not repeat empty phrases as the heathen do, for they imagine that their prayers will be heard if they use words enough. You must not be like them. For God, who is your Father, knows what you need before you ask him. This, therefore, is the way you are to pray:

*Our Father in heaven,
Your name be revered!
Your kingdom come!
Your will be done on earth
as it is done in heaven!
Give us today bread for the day,
And forgive us our debts,
as we have forgiven our debtors.
And do not subject us to temptation,
But save us from the evil one!*

For if you forgive others when they offend you, your heavenly Father will forgive you too. But



if you do not forgive others when they offend you, your heavenly Father will not forgive you for your offenses.

★ When you fast, do not put on a gloomy look, like the hypocrites, for they neglect their personal appearance to let people see that they are fasting. I tell you, that is all the reward they will get. But when you fast, perfume your hair and wash your face, so that no one may see that you are fasting, except your Father who is unseen, and your Father who sees what is secret will reward you.

★ Do not store up your riches on earth, where moths and rust destroy them, and where thieves break in and steal them, but store up your riches in heaven, where moths and rust cannot destroy them, and where thieves cannot break in and steal them. For wherever your treasure is, your heart will be also. The eye is the lamp of the body. If then your eye is sound, your whole body will be light, but if your eye is unsound, your whole body will be dark. If, therefore, your very light is darkness, how deep the darkness will be! No slave can belong to two masters, for he will either hate one and love the other, or stand by one and make light of the other. You cannot serve God and money. Therefore, I tell you, do not worry about life, wondering what you will have to eat or drink, or about your body, wondering what you will have to wear. Is not life more important than food, and the body than clothes? Look at the wild birds. They do not sow or reap, or store their food in barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more account than they? But which of you with all his worry can add a single hour to his life? Why should you worry about clothing? See how the wild flowers grow. They do not toil or spin, and yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his splendor was never dressed like one of them. But if God so beautifully dresses the wild grass, which is alive today and is thrown into the furnace tomorrow, will he not much more surely clothe you, you who have so little faith? So do not worry and say, "What shall we have to eat?" or "What shall we have to drink?" or



"What shall we have to wear?" For these are all things the heathen are in pursuit of, and your heavenly Father knows well that you need all this. But you must make his kingdom, and uprightness before him, your greatest care, and you will have all these other things besides. So do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will have worries of its own. Let each day be content with its own ill.

★ Pass no more judgments upon other people, so that you may not have judgment passed upon you. For you will be judged by the standard you judge by, and men will pay you back with the same measure you have used with them. Why do you keep looking at the speck in your brother's eye, and pay no attention to the beam that is in your own? How can you say to your brother, "Just let me get that speck out of your eye," when all the time there is a beam in your own? You hypocrite! First get the beam out of your own eye, and then you can see to get the speck out of your brother's eye.

★ Do not give what is sacred to dogs, and do not throw your pearls before pigs, or they will trample them under their feet and turn and tear you in pieces. Ask, and what you ask will be given you. Search, and you will find what you search for. Knock, and the door will open to you. For it is always the one who asks who receives, and the one who searches who finds, and the one who knocks to whom the door opens. Which of you men when his son asks him for some bread will give him a stone? Or if

he asks for a fish, will he give him a snake? So if you, bad as you are, know enough to give your children what is good, how much more surely will your Father in heaven give what is good to those who ask him for it! Therefore, you must always treat other people as you would like to have them treat you, for this sums up the Law and the Prophets.

★ Go in at the narrow gate. For the road that leads to destruction is broad and spacious, and there are many who go in by it. But the gate is narrow and the road is hard that leads to life, and there are few that find it.

★ Beware of the false prophets, who come to you disguised as sheep but are ravenous wolves underneath. You can tell them by their fruit. Do people pick grapes off thorns, or figs off thistles? Just so any sound tree bears good fruit,



but a poor tree bears bad fruit. No sound tree can bear bad fruit, and no poor tree can bear good fruit. Any tree that does not bear good fruit is cut down and burned. So you can tell them by their fruit. It is not everyone who says to me "Lord! Lord!" who will get into the Kingdom of Heaven, but only those who do the will of my Father in heaven. Many will say to me on that Day, "Lord! Lord! Was it not in your name that we prophesied, and by your name that we drove out demons, and by your name that we did many mighty acts?" Then I will say to them plainly, "I never knew you! Go away from me, you who do wrong!"

★ Everyone, therefore, who listens to this teaching of mine and acts upon it, will be like a sensible man who built his house on rock. And the rain fell, and the rivers rose, and the winds blew, and beat about that house, and it did not go down, for its foundations were on rock. And anyone who listens to this teaching of mine and does not act upon it, will be like a foolish man who built his house on sand. And the rain fell and the rivers rose, and the winds blew and beat about that house, and it went down, and its downfall was complete.

★ When Jesus had finished this discourse, the crowds were astounded at his teaching, for he taught them like one who had authority and not like their scribes.

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HEALTH NOTES

AUSTIN, April 5, "It is a well known fact that typhoid fever may result from the use of water, milk, or other food contaminated by bodily discharges of patients or carriers who harbor germs," stated Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"The fact that we know the source of infection and the means by which infection may be controlled, emphasizes the importance to all communities of providing water and milk of the highest quality.

"Texas is being host to many visitors this year, and all communities should put forth every effort to see that no epidemic occurs which will put an unnecessary blot on the health record of this State.

"Typhoid fever may be controlled by the use of pure water, pas-

teurized milk and clean foods, by the proper disposal of sewage, by screening homes against flies, by protecting food from contamination by flies, by destruction of the fly and its breeding places, by search for and care of carriers, and by anti-typhoid vaccination.

"Excreta from persons ill with typhoid should be carefully disinfected to prevent the germs from polluting the soil and thus being carried into streams or wells and contaminating the water supply. Where there is an efficient system of water purification, typhoid fever has greatly decreased.

"It is the responsibility of each community to establish adequate safeguards against the consumption of contaminated products at all times and in all places.

"It is the responsibility of each individual to further control the occurrence of typhoid fever by establishing immunity for himself by vaccination."

State Crime Up 10.9% Report Shows

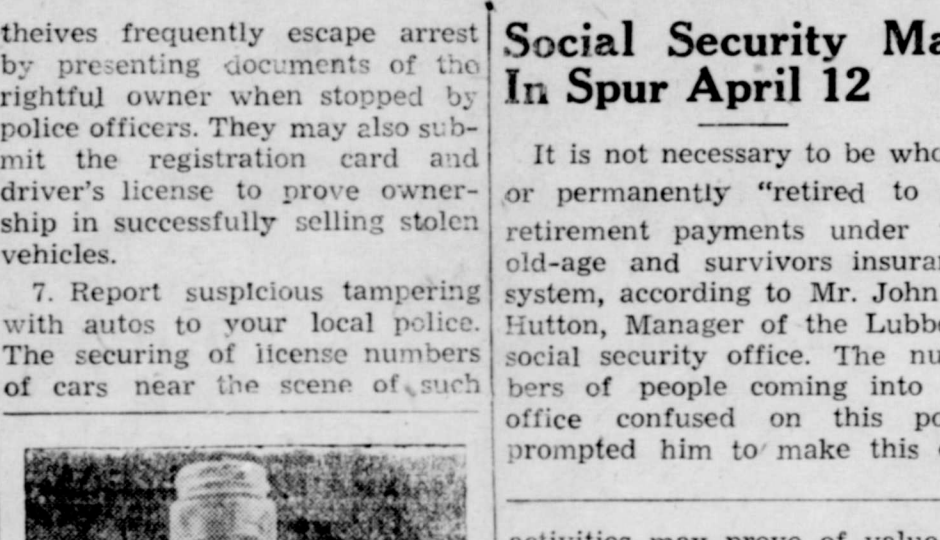
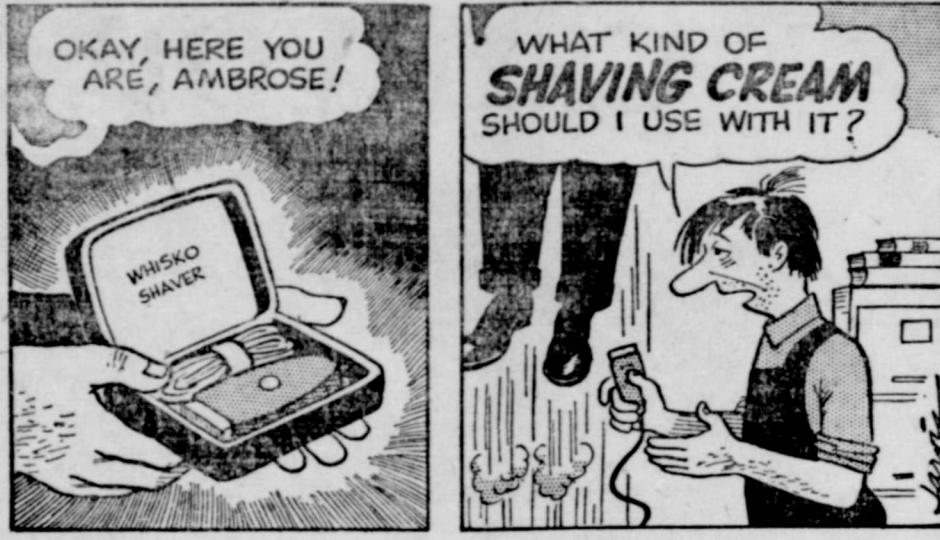
AUSTIN, April 5, (Sp.)—The Texas Crime Report for 1950, just released by the Texas Department of Public Safety, indicates that crime in general over the State is up 10.9% over 1949.

Among the seven major crimes tabulated in the report: Murder and Homicide, Rape, Robbery, Burglary, Aggravated Assault, Theft and Auto Theft, the greatest increase was reflected in the category of Auto Theft.

To stem the rise in the number of stolen motor vehicles and to assist you in protecting your investment in an increasingly hard-to-get commodity, Homer Garrison, Jr., Director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, passes along these tips to car owners:

1. Keep unattended cars off streets, particularly at night.
2. If you use your auto at night, do not park on poorly lighted or little-used streets.
3. Lock car at all times—ignition, doors and rear deck.
4. When car is parked or stored in public garages or in parking lots, insist upon a claim check. Don't yield when attendant says, "You do not need a ticket as I will know you." Also, insist upon locking ignition, doors and all compartments when fire rules do not prohibit such measures.
5. If auto is kept in a private garage, see that locks are strong and that door hasps cannot be taken off with a screw driver, or hinges removed from the outside.
6. Do not leave car registration or driver's license in car as

MAYOR McGUP By John Jarvis

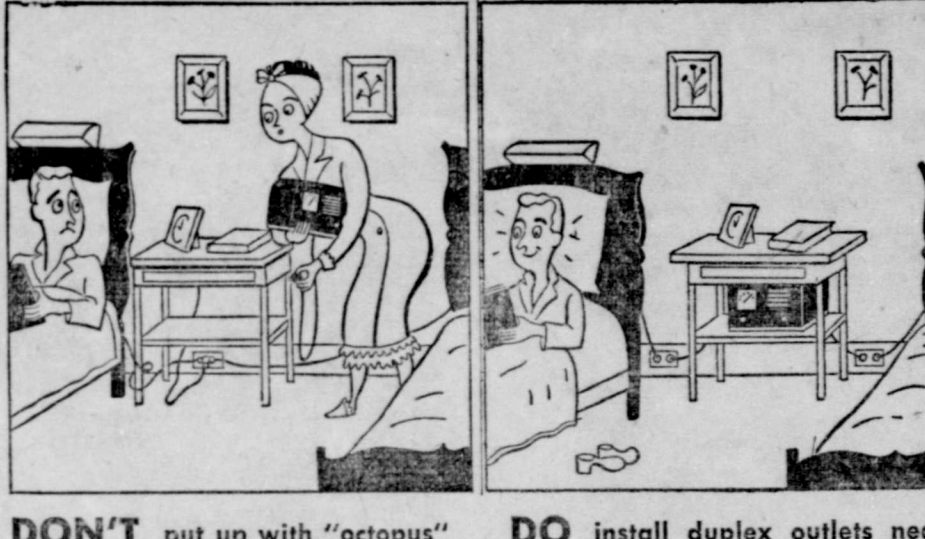


thieves frequently escape arrest by presenting documents of the rightful owner when stopped by police officers. They may also submit the registration card and driver's license to prove ownership in successfully selling stolen vehicles.

7. Report suspicious tampering with autos to your local police. The securing of license numbers of cars near the scene of such

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3. Number 9 shoes were worn by which of these: (a) Cleopatra, (b) Bobby Shaftoe, (c) Lady from Banbury, (d) Peter Pan?
4. What is the anglicized French for a lady's sanctum? (a) Cliche, (b) Boudoir, (c) Debris.
5. Which one of these was captured in the Battle of Chattanooga: (a) Cemetery Ridge, (b) Donner Pass, (c) Missionary Ridge?

ANSWERS
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2. (a) Teutoburg forest
3. (a) Cleopatra
4. (b) Boudoir
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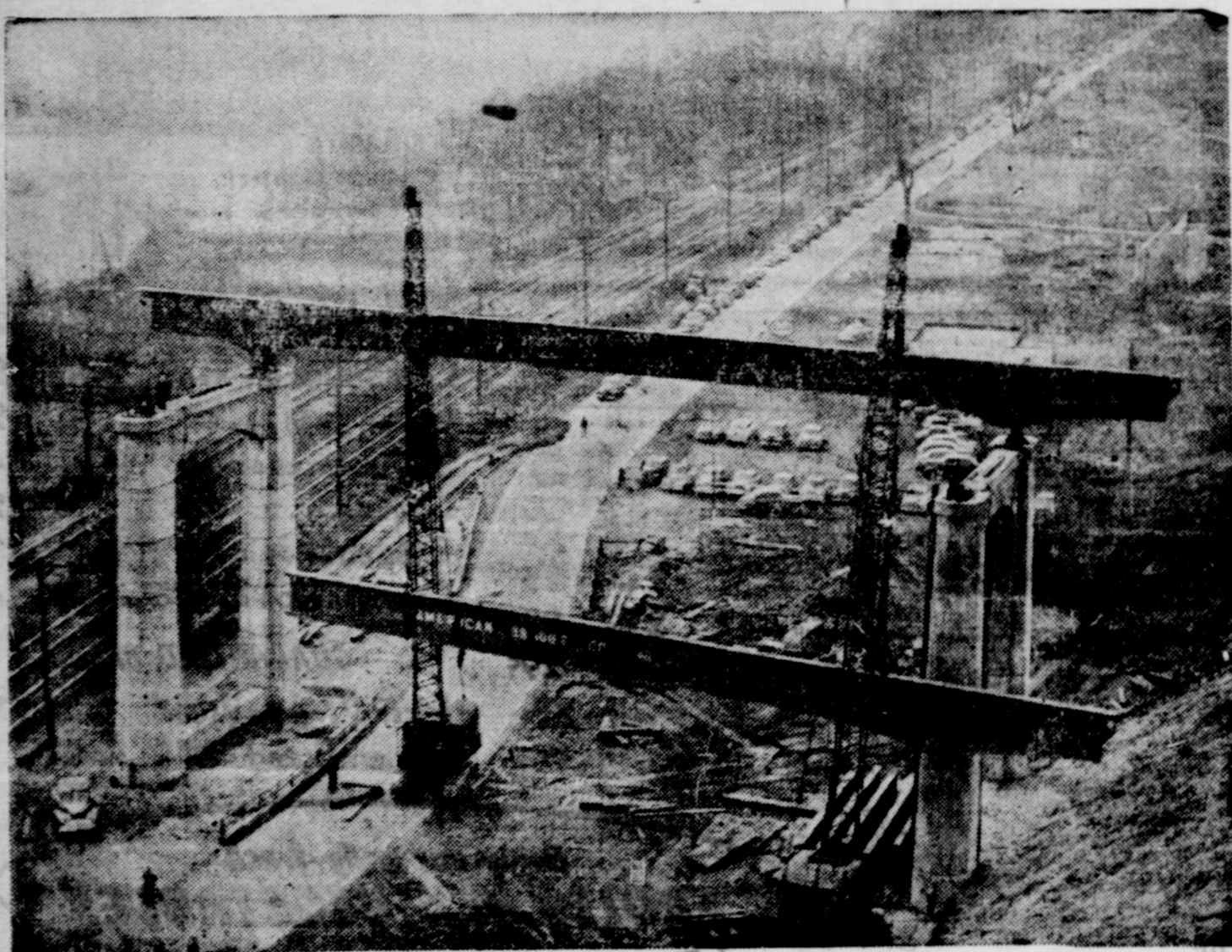
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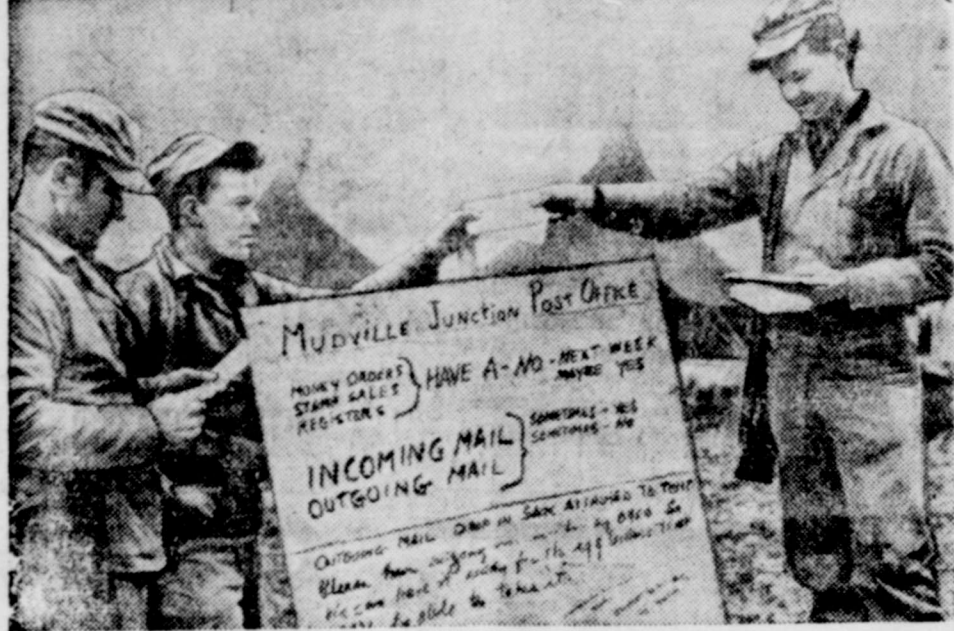
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Top Foes of Crime To Meet In Austin

Two of the nation's top foes of organized crime will speak at the statewide conference of prosecuting attorneys called by Attorney General Price Daniel in Austin March 30-31.

They are Warren Olney III, chief counsel for the California Crime Commission, and Daniel P. Sullivan, operating director of the Miami Florida Crime Commission. Both have had many years of experience in fighting the organized gambling rackets which invaded their states, Daniel said.

Warren, while he was Attorney General of California.

Sullivan, a former FBI agent in Texas, has directed the Miami Crime Commission in its successful campaign to eliminate race horse bookies, slot machines, and other commercial vice from Miami. He will speak on "The Importance of Citizens' Crime Commission."

Daniel said that he was calling the meeting of the state's 315 prosecuting attorneys to consider pending legislation and means of cooperation with enforcement officers for the purpose of better enforcement of present laws and "to serve notice to the world that Texas will not allow the entry of gambling racketeers who are now being run out of other states."

Other speakers on the two-day program will include Col Homer Garrison, director of the Department of Public Safety; Chairman

Red Cross Reports On Blood Supply

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The American Red Cross has turned over more than 175,000 pints of blood for Korean wounded and military stockpiling since it was first called upon to supply blood to the armed forces last August, it was announced here today by E. Roland Harriman, Red Cross President.

In addition Mr. Harriman said private blood banks, cooperating with the Red Cross in the procurement of blood for military purposes, have supplied over 38,000 pints.

Whole blood is flown from the United States to the Far East to supplement blood collected in Tokyo by the United Nations blood bank. It is also used for processing into plasma for military stockpiles and in domestic military hospitals.

Red Cross blood collections have more than tripled since last July, Mr. Harriman said, and the organization has been able to fill all requests for whole blood for Korea and to make a good start on stockpiling plasma.

"Collections must continue to increase however," he said, "if we are to continue to meet military and civilian needs." In commending the Red Cross on the expansion

of blood facilities to meet defense needs, Dr. Richard L. Meiling, Chairman of the Armed Forces Medical Policy Council said.

"The armed forces will continue to need blood not only for overseas shipment but for our military hospitals and for our stockpile of plasma."

"Because the American people are giving their blood for the armed forces the death rate among our military patients in the Korean war is lower than it has been in any other similar military campaign in the history of this country."

The death rate of Korean wounded is less than half of the World War II figures and only one-quarter of the rate among combat troops during World War I, according to Dr. Meiling. On an average the Korean casualty not only receives whole blood more promptly than the wounded of World War II, but he receives it in greater quantities.

A twenty-year-old sergeant, one of the first Korean wounded, was given 75 transfusions while undergoing surgery and treatment for a leg wound and two machine gun bullets in his abdomen. One in every ten men suffering from frozen feet during the bitter winter fighting had to undergo major amputations. Five pints of blood is about average in the treatment of these patients. Some require much more.

One patient during an operation for removal of a part of his stomach at Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, D. C., needed 23 pints of blood in one day between 8 a. m. and 5 p. m. This represented replacement of his normal blood supply twice.

Another case received 15 pints during a 14-hour operation for transplantation of a heart artery. Without these blood transfusions both of these men would have died, attending physicians said.



SPARK OF LIFE . . . Doctor of Roslindale, Mass., hospital listens to heart of 1 lb., 6 oz. baby, pronounced dead, returned to life.

Fred Meredith, of the House Committee investigating organized crime; and District Attorneys Henry Wade of Dallas, Jim Everts of Belton, and A. C. Winborn of Houston; County Attorney Bill Cornelius of Jefferson; Stewart Hellman of Fort Worth, president of the County and District Attorneys Association; Bill Decker of Dallas, president of the Texas Sheriffs' Association; Carl F. Hansson, president of the Texas Police Association, and Bill Hauck, president of the Texas Constables Association.

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RULE No. 14. No exhibitor will be allowed to compete for both Grand and Reserve champion awards.

VOTE AS YOU PLEASE,
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NOW IN STOCK
2Allis-Chalmers W. D. Tractors With
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WD TRACTOR
with NEW 3-bottom mounted plow

Look at the NEW Allis-Chalmers three-bottom mounted plow on the WD Tractor. Step up to three-plow farming with this new power champion.

Here are three special ways it does more work and spares your muscles:

Hydraulic Traction Booster - automatically increases weight on drive wheels as the load increases. Makes possible more actual drawbar pull.

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Stop in soon and see the WD with its new three-bottom mounted plow.

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We Still Have Butane Carburetors,
Tractor Tanks and Storage Tanks in
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The lowest price full-size car in Spur, THE HENRY J, delivers for a down payment of \$486.00 under Regulation W. See Bill Gregory your K-F Dealer for your car deal. 2-ctfn

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FOR SALE OR RENT: 18 ft trailer house. Call N. C. Byrd, 321-J. 24-2tp

FOR SALE: Attic fan, 5 window pads. See at Spur Tin Shop. Also, some used windows and doors. See at Brazelton Lumber Co. 24-2tp

FOR SALE: 1942 Ford tractor, new rear tires, planter and cultivator, go-devil, breaking plow. Reagan Motor Co. 24-2tc

FOR SALE: New portables and used standard typewriters. Sell or trade. The Texas Spur. 24-ctfn

FOR RENT: 3 room modern Stucco house. J. B. Morrow, phone 483-W. 23-3tp

FOR RENT: Good modern house. See Ernest Gibson at Farmall or Crafton and Gilcrease. 23-2tp

FOR RENT: 1 4 room house & bath unfurnished. Phone 1068. 24-1tc

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You can sand your floors almost as easily as you can scrub them. Our rental sanders are easy to use and they'll bring back the beauty of any floor quickly and flawlessly. WILLSON-YOUNG Lumber Company, Phone 12. Spur. 23-ctfn

WILL TUNE pianos and fix old Reed organs on Saturdays in Spur. Also will pay cash for used pianos. Write description to John E. Berry, Jr., Spur. 15-ctfn

FRESH DRESSED, broiler type fryers every day - any day - Also, fresh dressed fat hens at Spur Grain and Hatchery. Phone 51. 20-ctfn

COUNTRY CLUB Plastic seat covers for most cars. Coupe \$10.95 2 and 4-doors \$17.95. Western Auto Associate Store, Spur, Texas 43-1tc

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PURE LARD, Armour's Star, 3 Lb. Ctn, 69c

GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, Town House, No. 2 Can 10c

PEACHES, Highway No. 2 1/2 Can 28c

Canterbury Tea Orange Pekoe 4-Oz. Pkg. 25c

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| Pineapple Del Monte Sliced No. 1 | 16c | Lipton's Tea Orange Pekoe 4-Oz. Pkg. | 29c |
| Pineapple Del Monte Sliced No. 2 | 32c | Ginger Ale 22-Oz. Bott. | 25c |
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| Cherub Milk Evaporated Top Quality 2 Tall Cans | 25c | Salad Dressing 16-Oz. Bott. | 29c |

FRESH COFFEE

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| Airway Mild, Mellow Blend 1-Lb. Pkg. | 77c |
| Nob Hill Rich, Robust 1-Lb. Pkg. | 79c |
| Edwards Top Quality Vacuum Packed 1-Lb. Can | 85c |

BAKING NEEDS

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| Kitchen Craft Flour 10-Lb. Bag | 93c |
| Mince Meat True Blue 18-Oz. Glass | 19c |
| Imperial Sugar Pure Cane 10-Lb. Bag | 93c |
| Shortening Royal Sweets 2-Lb. Can | 99c |
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Strawberries Large, Fresh Louisiana Plant 33c

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Red Potatoes Economy Pack 10-Lb. Bag 39c

GUARANTEED BREAD

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| Mrs. Wright's Bread 24-Oz. Leaf | 20c |
| Skylark Bread Regular or Sandwich 24-Oz. Leaf | 24c |

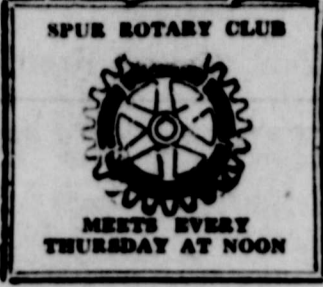
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to acquaint you with **WHITE MAGIC SOAP**
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BOTH for 62c

Smoked Picnics Whole or Halves Short Shanks Lb. 39c

BACON SQUARES, Smoked Lb. 35c

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| Sliced Bacon Capital Sugar Cured 1-Lb. Pkg. | 49c | Fresh Fryers Ready-to-Cook Lb. | 61c |
| Bacon End Slices 1-Lb. Pkg. | 25c | Chuck Roast Government Graded Best Lb. | 73c |
| Bacon End Pieces 1-Lb. Pkg. | 17c | Beef Short Ribs Gov't. Graded Lb. | 45c |
| Dry Salt Bacon Lb. | 33c | Prices Effective Friday & Saturday in Spur, Texas | |
| Pork Roast Rib End of Loin Slide Bone Removed Lb. | 49c | STORE HOURS MON. THRU FRI 8:00 - 6:30 SAT. 8:00 - 8:00 | |
| Pork Chops All Center Cuts Lb. | 69c | | |
| Pork Sausage Winger Pure Pork 1-Lb. Roll | 43c | | |
| Ground Beef Freshly Ground Lb. | 65c | | |



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Bill Passes Senate To Authorize County To Cancel Bonds

Chamber of Commerce Doing... The Chamber of Commerce received a telegram from Senator Kilmer B. Corbin last week stating that the State Senate has passed Senate Bill 202 authorizing the county to call a special election to cancel the existing county hospital bonds. Representative Sterling Williams has been contacted by Corbin regarding the handling of the bill in the House.

Bulldogs Impressive In Inter-Squad Tilt

In an inter-squad game between Blues and Golds last Friday night, the Spur Bulldogs completed their spring training. Spring training came to an end for the Spur Bulldogs with an intersquad game last Friday night, March 30.

New Firm Succeeds Bryant-Link Imp Co.

E. D. (Buck) Denton is the manager of the Denton Implement company which recently purchased the implement business of Bryant-Link. The new company is area dealer in John Deere plows, tractors and implements, located at 113 W. Harris.

Cub Scouts Organize New Den In Spur

Seven new cub scouts were inducted into Pack 37 to form Den 5 recently Mrs. Russell Williams is den mother and Bobby Dyess is den chief. Boys who received Bobcat pins were: Bobby Williams, Lynn Robertson, Ronnie Lane, Jerry Mac Johnston, Tommie DeGraffenreid and Billy Ray Butler.

A. & M. Exes Hold Muster Ceremony

A. & M. men living in this county and adjoining ones will meet April 21 to hold the traditional Aggie Muster ceremony. R. A. Higginbotham, muster chairman, has announced.

Spur Students Enter Varied Contests During Interscholastic League Meet

Fifty eight Spur students will compete in interscholastic league literary and athletic events on April 6 and 7 in Floydada. Events for East Ward students will include 5th grade and 6th grade spelling with Patricia Gilbert, Leslie Albin, Nelda Morgan and Charlene Cunningham as contestants.

Stock Show Rules Cited By Officials

Rules and regulations governing participation in the Dickens County F. F. A. and 4-H club stock show were released this week by livestock officials and may be found on this page. The show is scheduled for April 14. A parade will precede the show down Burlington avenue.

Telephone Co-op Signs Purchase Contract With Kearney Exchange

James Wright, manager of the Caprock Rural Telephone Co-op, states that the co-op has signed a purchase contract with H. K. Kearney for the existing Kearney Telephone Exchange.

Junior Class Play Opens On Monday

"Betty, The Girl Of My Heart," a three act comedy, will be presented at 8 p. m., Monday, in the East Ward auditorium by the Spur High School Junior class. Author of the play is Katharine Kavanaugh. Miss Dorothy Taylor, speech instructor, will direct the production.

Johnnie William Haney, Electrocutation Victim, Buried In Afton Wednesday

Funeral services for Johnnie William Haney, 24, were held at the Afton Baptist Church, Afton, at 2:00 p. m. Wednesday, April 4, 1951, with Rev. A. P. Stokes officiating.

District Congress Of P. T. A. To Meet

The fourteenth District Congress of Parents and Teachers will convene at Lockney April 12 for its annual conference, according to announcement made this week.

Duck Creek Soil Conservation District News Notes

D. O. McGinty, Chairman, Giles McCraty, Secretary, J. B. Montgomery, Clark Forbis, Chas. Witt.

Ethiopian Emperor Welcomes U.N. Commissioner



His Imperial Majesty, Haile Selassie I, Emperor of Ethiopia, at the conclusion of his address of welcome, exchanges greetings with the United Nations Commissioner for Eritrea, Eduardo Anze Mattiense, of Bolivia, at the Imperial Palace in Addis Ababa. One of the Emperor's favorite dogs who frolicked around the throne throughout the entire ceremony appears at the lower right hand corner, above.

Fire Sweeps Thru Home Dept. Store

Fire swept through the Home Department Store in Spur last Saturday night causing an estimated \$15,000 damage. C. A. Fagan, owner of the store reports that the blaze probably originated on the south wall of the building where a coat was hanging over a wire. The fire obviously spread rapidly through the dry goods stock. Firemen state that the blaze was one of the hottest they had ever fought.

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THE MIDDLES By Bob Karp

chance that the legislators will finish their business in the appointed 120 days and adjourn at the end of that time. They can stay longer, and sessions of this kind are usually prolonged into the Summer.

It is safe to prophesy that the Legislature will pursue their investigation into crime, and that some kind of action will be recommended. Texas has never been trying to get a part of it. Members of the Legislature seem determined that we must keep the big syndicates, the people like Frank Costello and Mickey Cohen, out of Texas.

Cohen found out pretty quick that Texas legislators were not fooling when they subpoenaed him to appear in Austin and testify as to his activities in this state, if any. He was cited for contempt when he failed to appear as ordered. After the citation was issued, Cohen found that he could, after all, appear in Austin to give his testimony. He had originally



CLEAR THINKING... When his foot caught between ties on a railroad trestle, Carl Snowfield, Compton, Calif., shown with mother, flattened himself between rails and let trains pass over.

said that he didn't have the money to make the trip.

On the transportation front, it is likely that we are going to wind up with two new pieces of legislation.

One is House Bill 11, which provides that overloaded trucks must unload on the spot enough weight to conform to Texas law. This is an enforcement measure which is intended to stop overloaded trucks from traveling our highways.

The other is Senate Bill 57, which puts into Texas law the gross load rules recommended by the American Association of State Highway Officials in a "code" which has the endorsement of the U. S. Bureau of Public Roads.

The code increases the Texas load limit for trucks, depending on their ability to carry greater loads. It keeps the present 18,000 pound per axle limit, but it re-



NICE NUMBERS... The army serial number of Pvt. Edward Griffin, Far Backaway, L.I., stationed at Fort Belknap, Eng., is a perfect sequence: ASN 12345678. The girl looks like a nice number, too.



Shon painters who like to save themselves work by painting wood-work and trim with the same flat paint used on the walls. Surfaces which must be cleaned often should have glass or semi-gloss paint.

Want the white of an egg and not the yolk? Then break the egg in a small funnel. The yolk will remain up in the funnel while the white slides into the dish below—and never the twain shall meet.

In many an attic and trunk, there are old prints of London streets, cathedrals or New York skyscrapers, once fashionable pictures. They can make interesting lamp shades. Glue them onto a parchment shade and spray with liquid plastic.

A pound of vitaminized margarine is a thrifty staple in any household. Use it for greasing baking pans, scrambling eggs, brush chicken with it melted, put it in mashed potatoes, sauces, pastry and cakes. See how many pennies you'll save.

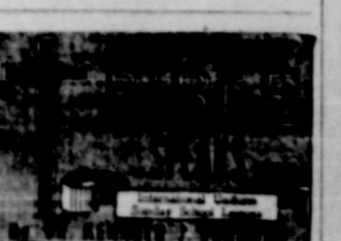
Too much ice on the freezing unit of your refrigerator slows down the mechanism and runs up electric bills. Don't let it accumulate more than 1/2 inch thick which usually means the refrigerator must be defrosted once a week.

duces the legal limit for tandem axles from 36,000 to 32,000 pounds.

J. G. Turney, a consulting engineer of Houston, testified before a Senate committee the other night and said that if truck loads were kept down to the provisions of Senate Bill 57, "there will be no overstraining of the pavement and its subgrade."

Senator Rudolph Weibert of Seguin expressed the views of the Senate committee when he said that he would favor permitting trucks to carry more gross load, providing the Legislature put more enforcement into the law by passing House Bill 11.

Opponents of Senate Bill 57



SCRIPTURE: Genesis 3:1-5:5; 6:5-7
DEVOTIONAL READING: Romans 3:12-17

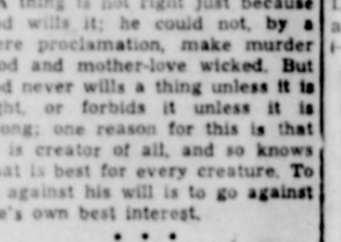
How Sin Begins

Lesson for April 5, 1951

NO ONE can believe in sin who does not believe in God. That is, no one can believe that sin is real, far the meaning of sin is religious; it cannot be understood at all, apart from God.

For sin means going contrary to the will of God. Sin may not consist of "doing" anything, of course; it may be only wishing or thinking against God; or it may be Dr. Foreman refusing to do, neglecting to do, what God wants done.

A thing is not right just because God wills it; he could not, by a mere proclamation, make murder good and mother-love wicked. But God never wills a thing unless it is right, or forbids it unless it is wrong; one reason for this is that he is creator of all, and so knows what is best for every creature. To go against his will is to go against one's own best interest.



WEE DOGGIES IN WEEHAWKEN... Firehouse No. 1, Weehawken, N.J., is well staffed with mascot since "Boots," yet Dalmatian gave birth.

Sin on the Outside
HOW does sin begin? The Bible says sin has been on this earth as long as people have lived here. But the story of the temptation in the Garden of Eden is also a parable of how sin always begins. As Dr. Brunner says, Adam's other name is Everyman.

Now we can see in this story that sin came into the world because there came a suggestion from the outside. Not everything in this universe saw good in there, and so, at work, as well as pro-God. There are forces at work that do not wish God's plans to succeed.

If this seems hard to take, at least it cannot be denied that a great many sins would never have been committed without some pull from the outside. A child who goes to school for the first time will pick up, in a few days, habits and language and attitudes that shock the parents. They wonder what's got into the child. Her playmates' meanness has got into her, that's the nub of it.

Sin on the Inside
BUT the fact is, we can't blame the situation as if the situation were the sinner. Not every one who passes a bar-room door feels an urge to go inside. Once in a while a bank clerk slips out with a suitcase full of the bank's money. But the money was there all the time, and no other clerk became a thief.

If it were simply the situation that makes the sin, then every bank clerk would be as dishonest as the worst, and every man who passes a bar would not pass it but go inside and get drunk just like the bums who can't pass a bar-room door.

No, there is something on the inside of us that pushes toward sin. What is it? The story in Genesis may offer a good clue. One of the New Testament writers put it this way: "A man's temptation is due to the pull of his own inward desires, which can be enormously attractive." (James 1:14, J. B. Phillips translation.)

Sin Beforehand
HERE is another sad feature of sin that stands out in the Genesis story and in the story of Everyman. That is, sin almost never looks the same afterwards as it did before.

Before the sin, Eve sees the forbidden fruit as beautiful and desirable; afterwards in shame she hides away from God. Living with herself, with her husband, with God, is no longer the pleasure it had been. However sad or horrible sin may look when we see it in the cold light of afterwards, when we see it beforehand it always looks attractive.

In the last stages of sin, to be sure, it may be quite different; a man may be caught in the grip of a habit he hates, and no one else call him worse names than he calls himself. But in the beginnings of sin, few, if any persons see anything repulsive or bad in what they are about to do.

That is why "I do as I please" is a fatally bad rule for living. If you do as you please, sooner or later you will please wrong, and down you will go. Adam and Eve did exactly so they pleased, and lost their Paradise. But if we take as our rule of life what God pleases, even if we never reach perfection we shall always be pointing in the right direction.

LAFF OF THE WEEK



You And Your Midnight Snacks!

say they fear additional truck weight would result in highway damage. But those who favor the bill point to the American Association of Highway Officials' recommendation of it, and they further emphasize that Defense Transport Administrator James K. Knaudson has asked that trucks be permitted to carry more weight in order to speed the mobilization program.

On another front, the prospects are not too good for the Texas drys. They would like for the Legislature to submit to the people a constitutional amendment prohibiting the sale of all alcoholic beverages in the state.

The drys have lost one battle in the Constitutional Amendment Committee of the House of Representatives—and they say they will try again. But it takes a two-thirds vote of the Legislature to submit a constitutional amendment to the people. It does not seem at this time that the drys have that many votes in the Legislature.



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Will Not Fail—"American farmers have never failed to answer the call of their government in a national emergency, and cotton growers will not fail once they realize the real threat of the cotton shortage to our national security." Carolina Cooperator.

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Farmall Bulletin

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| disk Krause plow with weight box, wheel wts. rubber tires | \$195.00 |
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| row M-7 Middle buster for Farmall H or M. | \$225.00 |
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Legionnaires To Meet In Lubbock April 7-8

The election of top District officers will be the highlight of business activities on tap for delegates of the 43 American Legion Posts in the 19th Congressional District when they meet in Lubbock on Saturday and Sunday, April 7 and 8, for their annual Spring Convention.

W. T. Bridges of Levelland, District Commander for the last two years, has predicted a large turnout of West Texas Legionnaires for the two-day meet. Fifth Division Commander Charles C. Gibson of Amarillo and other high Legion officials are expected to attend. State Representative Waggoner Carr of Lubbock will be the principal speaker.

With Lubbock's Allen Brothers Post No. 148 as host, the 19th District Legionnaires will also select their delegates to the National and State Legion Conventions. During the business sessions, candidates for State and District offices may be nominated or endorsed by the delegates.

Terms of the successors to District Commander Bridges and Vice Commander Samuel H. Heard of Petersburg will begin at the State Convention to be held in San Antonio on August 17-18-19.

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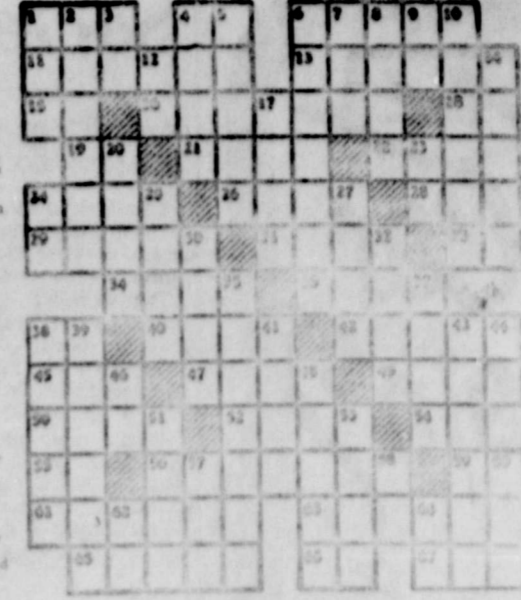
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Crossword Puzzle

HORIZONTAL

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- 2 Indian and plant life of a region
- 3 Reporter
- 4 Three state in baseball
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Thomson added that Fair officials consider agriculture the most important industry in Texas, and believe this tribute to farms and ranches of the state will provide the show the industry deserves, one which will appeal strongly to both rural and urban folk.

The plan was developed at a meeting of the A. & M. and Fair officials, including Gish Gibson, chairman of the College System; G. G. Gibson, director of the extension service; Ben Cabell, general chairman of the Fair's agriculture and livestock committee; E. C. English, chairman of the agriculture committee; W. H. Hissberger, Fair vice president; J. H. Stewart, executive vice president and general manager; and Ray W. Wilson, manager of the livestock and agriculture departments.

The plan was later endorsed by a committee of the district agents and specialists of the extension service.

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Society-Club News

Mrs. Flournoy Is Hostess To Circle

Mrs. S. W. Flournoy was hostess to members of the Judson study group of First Baptist WMS on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Elmer D. Hagins gave the opening prayer. Mrs. W. T. Buckingham taught two chapters, "Christ's Plan of Work," from the book, "Go Ye." Closing prayer was by Mrs. C. M. Ratheal.

Coffee and cake were served to Mmes. W. G. Hinson, C. P. Scudder, E. H. Carpenter, W. L. Singleton, Tagins, Ratheal, Buckingham and the hostess.

4-H Clubbers Plan May Dress Review

4-H Club girls of the fifth and sixth grades met with their adult leader, Mrs. Jack Gordon, in the East Ward auditorium Monday.

A lesson on pinning and busting the dresses which the girls are making was given by Mrs. Gordon, who stressed the importance of following pattern instructions in sewing.

Judging of the garments will be on May 19 with a dress review on the night of May 22. Prizes will be awarded winners, and in-

dividual entry prizes will be awarded each girl.

Girls interested in becoming acquainted with 4-H club work are urged to attend the meetings held on the first and third Mondays of each month. Any fifth and sixth grader can become a 4-H clubber, states Mrs. Gordon.

Piano Pupils Attend Music Festival

Piano students of Mrs. J. W. Henry attended the music festival held in the Aggie Memorial auditorium in Lubbock March 17.

Rating of good, very good, excellent, excellent plus and superior were given members of the group for their playing.

Attending were Misses Mary Dee McArthur, Wynne Marcy, Carole Marcy, Wynne Miller, Ann Austin, Lane's Hays, Roselle Macey, Sandra Caplinger, Janis Powell, Jerry Foster, Michael Hairgrove, Agatha Ellis and Linda Waggoner.

Each student is a member of the Apollo music club.

Women's Status Is W. S. C. S. Program

Mrs. Walter Carlisle entertained members of the First Methodist WS of CS in her home Monday afternoon.

"Status of Women," program topic, was led by Mrs. Lela Evans. Others on the program were Mrs. Tom Johnston and Mrs. J. R. Laine.

A social hour was held. Attending were Mmes. C. H. McCully, M. A. Lea, J. M. Foster, C. F. Cook, J. R. Laine, Anderson, Dee Hairgrave, J. C. Payne, W. B. Foster, W. F. Gilbert, Tom Johnston, Etta Fite, Lela Evans and the hostess.

Dry Lake Community News

Most of the farmers are busy preparing their land for spring plowing.

Everyone in the community enjoyed Easter Sunday. Each of the churches gave an Easter program and held egg hunts.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Lassetter were called recently to Temple to be with her niece who was in a car accident some time ago. They have returned and report her condition to be better.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hotchop and Linda did not leave our community. They only moved to the old Johnston place west of Coy Dopson's.

The home demonstration council of which our club is a member has completed plans for a food sale to be held in the Godfrey and Smart show room during the stock show April 14.

4-H club girls are urged to do their work well in order to be eligible for prizes on achievement day. Mrs. Jack Gordon is the 4-H chairman, and will try to contact each of you in the near future.

The Dry Lake community was named winner of the good neighbor contest. We want to thank every person who in any way helped us to win this honor. Neighbors are asked to be even more friendly and to continue in helping make our community a better place to live.

Harmony Club To Hear Musical Poetry

Mrs. Nellie Davis and Mrs. J. H. Bowman will be co-hostesses at 7:45 tonight at a Harmony club meeting to be held in the home of the former, 722 North Trumbull.

Music in the home will be program discussion. Mrs. Paul Marion will give a musical reading, "Life's Story in Poetry," and Mrs. Sam Hawkes will play the piano accompaniment.

Plans will be made for a tea to honor the district president sometime in April.

Musical Program Is Study Club Topic

Mrs. Jesse Morrison and Mrs. Spencer Campbell were hostesses for the 1931 Study club on Tuesday afternoon. They entertained guests in the recently completed home of the latter's mother, Mrs. P. C. Nichols, on East Hill street.

Floral decorations were of red and white carnations.

"Life's Story in Poetry," a musical reading, was given by Mrs. Paul Marion. Mrs. Sam Hawkes played background piano music in accompaniment.

Angel food cake and home made ice cream were served to Mmes. Dupree Allen, P. R. Blair, Fike Godfrey, Sam Hawkes, Evalene Holley, Harold Karr, W. F. Kizer, Paul Marion, Rob Simmons, A. N. Stoy, Alfred Walker, Sherian Campbell, Phil Meekins and the co-hostesses.

Fashionable Women Topic of 1933 Club

The 1933 Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Grady Lackey for their regular meeting Tuesday, April 3. "Fashionable Women" was their topic of discussion.

Mrs. George Gabriel was program leader. The program included a social demonstration by Mrs. Myrtle Whitwell.

Refreshments of chocolate crunch peach salad and iced tea were served by the hostess to the

Spur Woman Listed Among Honorees

Two former Spur women, Miss Alba Cozby and Mrs. Clyde C. Latham were among the high honor students listed among the top seven percent at Sam Houston State Teachers College for the fall semester. Both were elected to the Alpha Chi Honor Society. Miss Cozby received the high honor for having made four A's and one B. Mrs. Latham made three A's and two B's. This is the highest honor bestowed on students at this college.

Mrs. Latham was also recently chosen as a member of the Kappa Pi honorary society for art majors and minors. She is one of twelve art majors chosen to the national society and was introduced to the Kappa Pi as a pledge because of her outstanding grades and work in the art field. The society has as its purpose the study and problems concerning exhibits and self-improvement. Mrs. Latham will receive her Masters degree in art this spring.

Both Miss Cozby and Mrs. Latham are daughters of Mrs. J. R. Cozby. Mrs. Latham formerly

following: Mmes. J. C. Payne, C. P. Scudder, Coy McMahan, O. R. Claude, Everett McArthur, W. F. Patrick, E. E. Cause, George Gabriel, C. F. Cook, Herschel Durham, Cal Wright, and a guest, Mrs. Whitwell.

taught in the Spur school. Miss Cozby worked for a number of years in the Dickens County P. M. A. office, resigning last fall to resume her college studies.

Barbara Sharp Is Study Club Hostess

Daughters of 1933 Study club met in the home of Barbara Sharp on March 21.

An Easter motif was used in decorations and as the program theme. Carolyn Kelley acted as leader, with Margaret Wood and Myra Ratliff discussing formal and informal clothes. Jimmie Nell Bowman and Barbara Nitley sang a duet, "Easter Parade."

Visitors from the senior study club were Mmes. C. H. McCully, W. F. Patrick, J. C. Payne, O. R. Claude and Coy McMahan.

Sandwiches, cookies and punch were served to guests.

Highway News

The Garner brothers are completing 175 acres of deep breaking this week for Oscar McGinty, Donnie Pace, John King and Forrest Martin.

A call home demonstration club meeting was held in the home of Mrs. Cecil Estep recently to assign each member the kind of food she is to take to the food sale April 14. The next meeting

will be in the home of Mrs. Bill Rucker April 9.

A business meeting of the community was held last Wednesday in the community house.

The next community meeting will be April 6 in the community house. Charles Taylor and Mrs. Harriette Hatcher have been invited as guest speakers. Let's all try to be there.

CARD OF THANKS

To our many friends and relatives, we wish to take this means to thank you for every kindness shown us during the illness and death of our loved one. Your kind words, beautiful flowers and good food was deeply appreciated. May God richly bless you all.

Mrs. Ruby Spraberry
Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gannon and family
Mr. and Mrs. Benny McWilliams and family.

Cleo Rogers was taken to the Amarillo Veterans hospital last Thursday where he underwent an emergency operation. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Rogers of Spur, and reported doing well.

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WHEN he saw the crowds of people he went up on the mountain. There he seated himself, and when his disciples had come up to him, he opened his lips to teach them. And he said:

★ Blessed are those who feel their spiritual need, for the Kingdom of Heaven belongs to them! Blessed are the mourners, for they will be consoled! Blessed are the humble-minded, for they will possess the land! Blessed are those who are hungry and thirsty for uprightness, for they will be satisfied! Blessed are the merciful,



for they will be shown mercy! Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God! Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called God's sons! Blessed are those who have endured persecution for their uprightness, for the Kingdom of Heaven belongs to them! Blessed are you when people abuse you, and persecute you, and falsely say everything bad of you, on my account. Be glad and exult over it, for you will be richly rewarded in heaven, for that is the way they persecuted the prophets who went before you!

★ You are the salt of the earth! But if salt loses its strength, how can it be made salt again? It is good for nothing but to be thrown away and trodden underfoot. You are the light of the world! A city that is built upon a hill cannot be hidden. People do not light a lamp and put it under a peck-measure; they put it on its stand and it gives light to everyone in the house. Your light must burn in that way among men so that they will see the good you do, and praise your Father in heaven.

★ Do not suppose that I have come to do away with the Law or the Prophets. I have not come to do away with them but to fulfill them. For I tell you, as long as heaven and earth endure, not one dotting of an *i* or crossing of a *t* will be dropped from the Law until it is all observed. Anyone, therefore, who weakens one of the slightest of these commands, and teaches others to do so, will be ranked lowest in the Kingdom of Heaven; but anyone who observes them and teaches others to do so will be ranked high in



the Kingdom of Heaven. For I tell you that whoever loses your uprightness is far superior to that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never even enter the Kingdom of Heaven!

★ You have heard that men were told "You shall not commit adultery." But I tell you that

anyone who looks at a woman with desire has already committed adultery with her in his heart. But if your right eye makes you fall, tear it out and throw it away, for you might better lose one part of your body than have it all thrown into the pit! If your right hand makes you fall, cut it off and throw it away! For you might better lose one part of your body than have it all go down to the pit!

★ They were told, "Anyone who divorces his wife must give her a certificate of divorce." But I tell you that anyone who divorces his wife on any ground, except unfaithfulness, makes her commit adultery, and anyone who marries her after she is divorced commits adultery.

★ Again, you have heard that the men of old were told, "You shall not swear falsely, but you must fulfill your oaths to the Lord." But I tell you not to swear at all, either by heaven, for it is God's throne, or by the earth, for it is his footstool, or by Jerusalem, for it is the city of the great king. You must not swear by your own head, for you cannot make one single hair white or black. But your way of speaking must be "Yes" or "No." Anything that goes beyond that comes from the evil one.

★ You have heard that the men of old were told "You shall not murder," and "Whoever murders will have to answer to the court." But I tell you that anyone who gets angry with his brother will have to answer to the court, and anyone who speaks contemptuously to his brother will have to answer to the great council, and anyone who says to his brother "You cursed fool!" will have to answer for it in the fiery pit! So when you are presenting your gift at the altar, if you remember that your brother has any grievance against you, leave your gift right there before the altar and go and make up with your brother; then come back and present your



gift. Be quick and come to terms with your opponent while you are on the way to court with him, or he may hand you over to the judge, and the judge may hand you over to the officer, and you will be thrown into prison. I tell you, you will never get out again until you have paid the last penny!

★ You have heard that they were told, "An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth." But I tell you not to resist injury, but if anyone strikes you on your right cheek, turn the other to him too; and if anyone wants to sue you for your shirt, let him have your coat too. And if anyone forces you to go one mile, go two miles with him. If anyone begs from you, give to him, and when anyone wants to borrow from you, do not turn away.

★ You have heard that they were told, "You must love your neighbor and hate your enemy." But I tell you, love your enemies and pray for your persecutors, so that you may show yourselves true sons of your Father in heaven, for he makes his sun rise on evil and good alike, and makes the rain fall on the upright and the

wrongdoers. For if you love only those who love you, what reward can you expect? Do not the very tax-collectors do that? And if you are polite to your brothers and no one else, what is there remarkable in that? Do not the very heathen do that? So you are to be perfect, as your heavenly Father is.

★ But take care not to do your good deeds in public for people to see, for, if you do, you will get no reward from your Father in heaven. So when you are going to give to charity, do not blow a trumpet before yourself, as the hypocrites do, in places of worship and the streets, to



make people praise them. I tell you, that is all the reward they will get! But when you give to charity, your own left hand must not know what your right hand is doing, so that your charity may be secret, and your Father who sees what is secret will reward you.

★ When you pray, you must not be like the hypocrites, for they like to pray standing in places of worship and in the corners of the squares, to let people see them. I tell you, that is the only reward they will get! But when you pray, go into your own room, and shut the door, and pray to your Father who is unseen, and your Father who sees what is secret will reward you. And when you pray, do not repeat empty phrases as the heathen do, for they imagine that their prayers will be heard if they use words enough. You must not be like them. For God, who is your Father, knows what you need before you ask him. This, therefore, is the way you are to pray:

*'Our Father in heaven,
Your name be revered!
Your kingdom come!
Your will be done on earth
as it is done in heaven!
Give us today bread for the day,
And forgive us our debts,
as we have forgiven our debtors.
And do not subject us to temptation,
But save us from the evil one.'*

For if you forgive others when they offend you, your heavenly Father will forgive you too. But



if you do not forgive others when they offend you, your heavenly Father will not forgive you for your offenses.

★ When you fast, do not put on a gloomy look, like the hypocrites, for they neglect their personal appearance so that people see that they are fasting. I tell you, that is all the reward they will get. But when you fast, perfume your hair and wash your face, so that no one may see that you are fasting, except your Father who is unseen, and your Father who sees what is secret will reward you.

★ Do not store up your riches on earth, where moths and rust destroy them, and where thieves break in and steal them, but store up your riches in heaven, where moths and rust cannot destroy them, and where thieves cannot break in and steal them. For wherever your treasure is, your heart will be also. The eye is the lamp of the body. If then your eye is sound, your whole body will be light, but if your eye is unsound, your whole body will be dark. If, therefore, your very light is darkness, how deep the darkness will be! No slave can belong to two masters, for he will either hate one and love the other, or stand by one and make light of the other. You cannot serve God and money. Therefore, I tell you, do not worry about life, wondering what you will have to eat or drink, or about your body, wondering what you will have to wear. Is not life more important than food, and the body than clothes? Look at the wild birds. They do not sow or reap, or store their food in barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more account than they? But which of you with all his worry can add a single hour to his life? Why should you worry about clothing? See how the wild flowers grow. They do not toil or spin, and yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his splendor was never dressed like one of them. But if God so beautifully dresses the wild grass, which is alive today and is thrown into the furnace tomorrow, will he not much more surely clothe you, you who have so little faith? So do not worry and say, "What shall we have to eat?" or "What shall we have to drink?" or



"What shall we have to wear?" For these are all things the heathen are in pursuit of, and your heavenly Father knows well that you need all this. But you must make his kingdom, and uprightness before him, your greatest care, and you will have all these other things besides. So do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will have worries of its own. Let each day be content with its own ill.

★ Pass no more judgments upon other people, so that you may not have judgment passed upon you. For you will be judged by the standard you judge by, and men will pay you back with the same measure you have used with them. Why do you keep looking at the speck in your brother's eye, and pay no attention to the beam that is in your own? How can you say to your brother, "Just let me get that speck out of your eye," when all the time there is a beam in your own? You hypocrite! First get the beam out of your own eye, and then you can see to get the speck out of your brother's eye.

★ Do not give what is sacred to dogs, and do not throw your pearls before pigs, or they will trample them under their feet and turn and sneer at you. Ask, and what you ask will be given you. Search, and you will find what you search for. Knock, and the door will open to you. For it is always the one who asks who receives, and the one who seeks who finds, and the one who knocks to whom the door opens. Which of you men when his son asks him for a loaf of bread will give him a stone? Or if

he asks for a fish, will he give him a snake? So if you, bad as you are, know enough to give your children what is good, how much more surely will your Father in heaven give what is good to those who ask him for it! Therefore, you must always treat other people as you would like to have them treat you, for this sums up the Law and the Prophets.

★ Go in at the narrow gate. For the road that leads to destruction is broad and spacious, and there are many who go in by it. But the gate is narrow and the road is hard that leads to life, and there are few that find it.

★ Beware of the false prophets, who come to you disguised as sheep but are ravenous wolves underneath. You can tell them by their fruit. Do people pick grapes off thorns, or figs off thistles? Just so any sound tree bears good fruit,



but a poor tree bears bad fruit. No sound tree can bear bad fruit, and no poor tree can bear good fruit. Any tree that does not bear good fruit is cut down and burned. So you can tell them by their fruit. It is not everyone who says to me "Lord! Lord!" who will get into the Kingdom of Heaven, but only those who do the will of my Father in heaven. Many will say to me on that Day, "Lord! Lord! Was it not in your name that we prophesied, and by your name that we drove out demons, and by your name that we did many mighty acts?" Then I will say to them plainly, "I never knew you! Go away from me, you who do wrong!"

★ Everyone, therefore, who listens to this teaching of mine and acts upon it, will be like a sensible man who built his house on rock. And the rain fell, and the rivers rose, and the winds blew, and beat about that house, and it did not go down, for its foundations were on rock. And anyone who listens to this teaching of mine and does not act upon it, will be like a foolish man who built his house on sand. And the rain fell and the rivers rose, and the winds blew and beat about that house, and it went down, and its downfall was complete.

★ When Jesus had finished this discourse, the crowds were astounded at his teaching, for he taught them like one who had authority and not like their scribes.

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HEALTH NOTES

AUSTIN, April 5, "It is a well known fact that typhoid fever may result from the use of water, milk, or other food contaminated by bodily discharges of patients or carriers who harbor germs," stated Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

tearized milk and clean foods, by the proper disposal of sewage, by screening homes against flies, by protecting food from contamination by flies, by destruction of the fly and its breeding places, by search for and care of carriers, and by anti-typhoid vaccination.

State Crime Up 10.9% Report Shows

AUSTIN, April 5. (Sp.)—The Texas Crime Report for 1950, just released by the Texas Department of Public Safety, indicates that crime in general over the State is up 10.9% over 1949.

MAYOR McGUP By John Jarvis



ELECTRICAL TIPS FOR THE HOME



DON'T put up with "octopus" outlets and the inconvenience of disconnecting one piece of equipment in order to plug in another.

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SERVICEMEN UNABLE TO PAY PREMIUMS ON THEIR COMMERCIAL LIFE INSURANCE POLICIES MAY ASK V-A TO GUARANTEE THE PAYMENTS UNDER THE SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' CIVIL RELIEF ACT

Texas is being host to many visitors this year, and all communities should put forth every effort to see that no epidemic occurs which will put an unnecessary blot on the health record of this State.

"It is the responsibility of each community to establish adequate safeguards against the consumption of contaminated products at all times and in all places."

To stem the rise in the number of stolen motor vehicles and to assist you in protecting your investment in an increasingly hard-to-get commodity, Homer Garrison, Jr., Director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, passes along these tips to car owners:

thieves frequently escape arrest by presenting documents of the rightful owner when stopped by police officers. They may also submit the registration card and driver's license to prove ownership in successfully selling stolen vehicles.

Social Security Man In Spur April 12

It is not necessary to be wholly or permanently "retired" to get retirement payments under the old-age and survivors insurance system, according to Mr. John G. Hutton, Manager of the Lubbock social security office.

YOUR brain budget

- 1. Which of these gardens was the scene of a midnight arrest with swords and slaves? (a) Madison Square Garden, (b) Garden of Gethsemane, (c) Garden of Eden?
- 2. An A.E.F. offensive in 1918 took place in which of these forests: (a) Teutoburg, (b) Hürtgen, (c) Argonne?
- 3. Number 9 shoes were worn by which of these: (a) Cleopatra, (b) Bobby Shaftoe, (c) Lady from Banbury, (d) Peter Pan?
- 4. What is the anglicized French for a lady's saint? (a) Clebe, (b) Boudier, (c) Debris.
- 5. Which one of these was contained in the Battle of Chancellorsville: (a) Cemetery Ridge, (b) Donner Pass, (c) Missionary Ridge?



"BOTTLED IN BOND... Three little froggies who grew from tadpoles in horse bottle in Washington, D.C., marshland found they couldn't get out."

planation. "Actually," Mr. Hutton pointed out, "the new social security law makes it possible for insured people 65 and over to collect retirement benefits while still earning up to \$50.00 per month on covered jobs. The old limit of \$14.99 was changed on last September 1. The \$50.00 limit does not apply to people age 75 or over."

"Another point we'd like to get across," Mr. Hutton continued, "is that anyone now age 65 or over very likely is insured if he has worked as much as a year and a half, at any time back to January 1937, on social security-covered jobs."

A representative of the Lubbock office of the Social Security Administration will be in Spur on Thursday, April 12 at 9:30 at the Post Office and will be glad to answer any inquiries or assist anyone to file for benefits.

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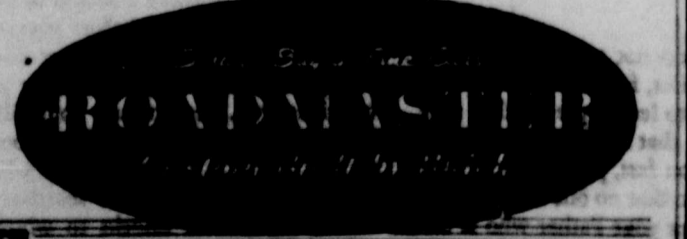
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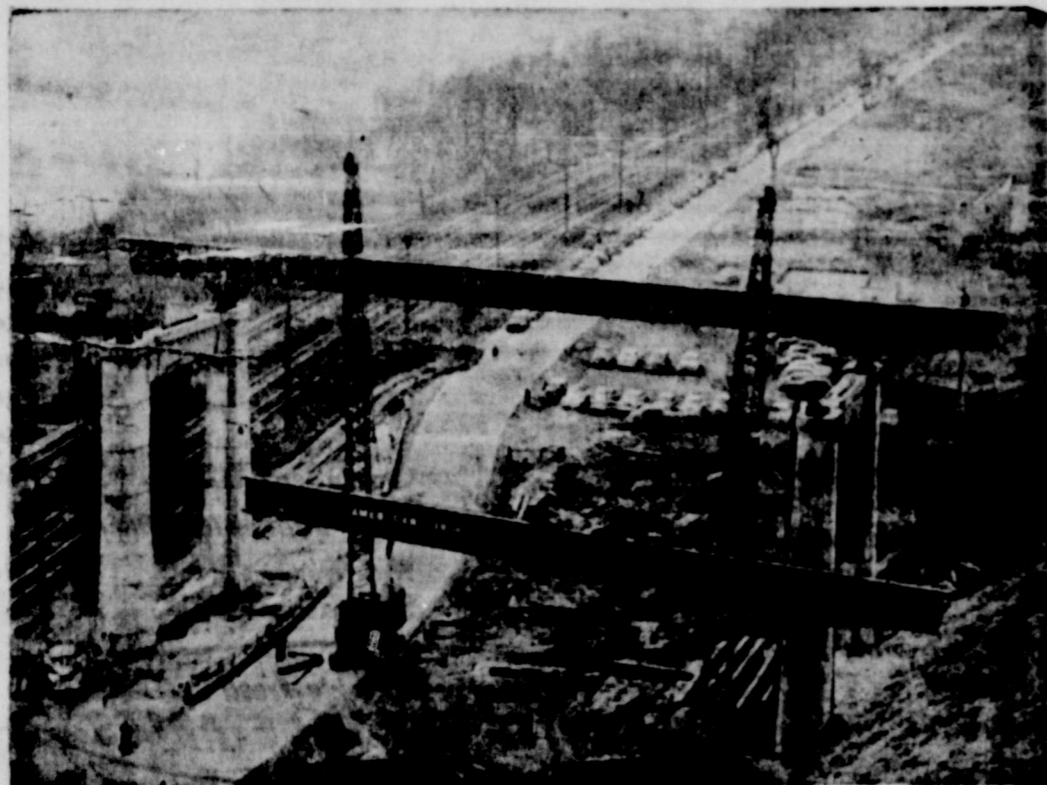
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Fred Meredith, of the House Committee investigating organized crime; and District Attorneys Henry Wade of Dallas, Jim Everts of Dallas, president of the Texas of Belton, and A. C. Winborn of Sheriffs' Association; Carl F. Houston; County Attorney Bill Hansson, president of the Texas Constables Association; Stewart Police Association, and Bill Hauck.

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They are Warren Olney III, chief counsel for the California Crime Commission, and Daniel P. Sullivan, operating director of the Miami Florida Crime Commission. Both have had many years of experience in fighting the organized gambling rackets which invaded their states, Daniel said.

Warren, while he was Attorney General of California.

Sullivan, a former FBI agent in Texas, has directed the Miami Crime Commission in its successful campaign to eliminate race horse bookies, slot machines, and other commercial vice from Miami. He will speak on "The Importance of Citizens' Crime Commission."

Daniel said that he was calling the meeting of the state's 315 prosecuting attorneys to consider pending legislation and means of cooperation with enforcement officers for the purpose of better enforcement of present laws and "to serve notice to the world that Texas will not allow the entry of gambling racketeers who are now being run out of other states."

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In addition Mr. Harriman said private blood banks, cooperating with the Red Cross in the procurement of blood for military purposes, have supplied over 38,000 pints.

Whole blood is flown from the United States to the Far East to supplement blood collected in Tokyo by the United Nations blood bank. It is also used for processing into plasma for military stockpiles and in domestic military hospitals.

Red Cross blood collections have more than tripled since last July, Mr. Harriman said, and the organization has been able to fill all requests for whole blood for Korea and to make a good start on stockpiling plasma.

"Collections must continue to increase however," he said, "if we are to continue to meet military and civilian needs." In commending the Red Cross on the expansion

of blood facilities to meet defense needs, Dr. Richard L. Meiling, Chairman of the Armed Forces Medical Policy Council said.

"The armed forces will continue to need blood not only for overseas shipment but for our military hospitals and for our stockpile of plasma."

"Because the American people are giving their blood for the armed forces the death rate among our military patients in the Korean war is lower than it has been in any other similar military campaign, in the history of this country."

The death rate of Korean wounded is less than half of the World War II figures and only one-quarter of the rate among combat troops during World War I, according to Dr. Meiling. On an average the Korean casualty not only receives whole blood more promptly than the wounded of World War II, but he receives it in greater quantities.

A twenty-year-old sergeant, one of the first Korean wounded, was given 75 transfusions while undergoing surgery and treatment for a leg wound and two machine gun bullets in his abdomen. One in every ten men suffering from frozen feet during the bitter winter fighting had to undergo major amputations. Five pints of blood is about average in the treatment of these patients. Some require much more.

One patient during an operation for removal of a part of his stomach at Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, D. C., needed 23 pints of blood in one day between 8 a. m. and 5 p. m. This represented replacement of his normal blood supply twice.

Another case received 15 pints during a 14-hour operation for transplantation of a heart artery. Without these blood transfusions both of these men would have died, attending physicians said.



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Look at the NEW Allis-Chalmers three-bottom mounted plow on the WD Tractor. Step up to three-plow farming with this new power champion.

Here are three special ways it does more work and spares your muscles:

- Hydraulic Traction Booster** — automatically increases weight on drive wheels as the load increases. Makes possible more actual drawbar pull.
- Two-Clutch Power Control** — auxiliary hand clutch halts forward travel without interrupting power flow to power take-off.
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PURE LARD, Armour's Star, 3 Lb. Ctn, 69c

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Canterbury Tea Orange Pekoe 4-Oz. 25¢

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| Pineapple Del Monte Sliced | 16¢ | Lipton's Tea Orange Pekoe | 4-Oz. 29¢ |
| Pineapple Del Monte Sliced | 32¢ | Ginger Ale Orange Soda | 2 22-Oz. 25¢ |
| Pineapple Del Monte Crushed | 16¢ | Sno-Cold A Family Favorite | 2 22-Oz. 25¢ |
| Cherub Milk Evaporated Top Quality | 2 1/2 Gall. 25¢ | Saled Dressing | 2 1/2 Gall. 29¢ |

FRESH COFFEE

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| Airway Mild, Mellow Blend | 1-lb. 77¢ |
| Nob Hill Rich, Bold | 1-lb. 79¢ |
| Edwards Top Quality Vacuum Packaged | 1-lb. 85¢ |

BAKING NEEDS

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| Kitchen Craft Flour | 10-lb. 93¢ |
| Mince Meat | 10-Oz. 19¢ |
| Imperial Sugar Pure Corn | 10-lb. 93¢ |
| Shortening | 2-lb. 99¢ |
| Crisco Shortening All-Use | 2-lb. 1.05 |

25¢ to bake a cake with

Pre-Creamed Koon 1-lb. 11.05

Enjoy our truly-fresh FRUITS and VEGETABLES

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| Strawberries Large, Fresh Louisiana | Pint 33c |
| Yellow Onions Mild, Sweet | Lb. 5¢ |
| Green Cabbage Crisp, Firm | Lb. 7¢ |
| Sunkist Oranges California | 1-lb. 19¢ |
| Delicious Apples Washington | 1-lb. 10c |
| Red Potatoes Fresh | 10-lb. 39c |

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Smoked Picnics Whole or Halves Short Sausages **LB. 39¢**

BACON SQUARES, Smoked Lb. 35c

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| Sliced Bacon Capital Cured | 1-lb. 49¢ | Fresh Fryers Ready-to-Cook | 1-lb. 61¢ |
| Bacon End Slices | 1-lb. 23¢ | Chuck Roast Commercial | 1-lb. 73¢ |
| Bacon End Pieces | 1-lb. 17¢ | Beef Short Ribs Gov't. Standard | 1-lb. 45¢ |
| Dry Salt Bacon | 1-lb. 33¢ | Prices Effective Friday & Saturday in Spur, Texas | |
| Pork Roast 1/2 End of Loin Shiny Bone Separated | 1-lb. 49¢ | | |
| Pork Chops All Center Cut | 1-lb. 69¢ | | |
| Pork Sausage Pure Pork | 1-lb. 43¢ | | |
| Ground Beef Freshly Ground | 1-lb. 65¢ | | |

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8:00 - 6:30

NAT. 8:00 - 9:00

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