



Postene Spikes, 20, of Mission, will rule over the Texas Citrus Fiesta Jan. 25 to 28 as Queen Citrianna XIV. She was selected from 22 duchesses and two princesses on poise, personality and dress. She is holding a parasol made from membranes of ruby red grapefruit.

Believe It Or Not! . . .

Armstrong County, S. D. Has No Federal Employees

Armstrong County, S. D., Jan. 25 (AP)—Armstrong County residents will never have a big mass meeting over the government report that they live in the only county in the nation without a federal employee.

If anyone felt inclined to call such a meeting and everyone came, the attendance would be 52 persons. That's by the 1950 census count.

Anyway it would be too much trouble for the handful of ranchers and Indians scattered over Armstrong's 530 square miles of rolling west-central South Dakota prairie to gather for such a purpose.

Armstrong has distinctions other than its lack of government employees.

It has no towns. It's reported to be the only U. S. county without a post office. And it has undoubtedly the smallest voting population. A single voting precinct is adequate for the whole county, which lies in the Cheyenne River Indian Reservation.

As a state unit, Armstrong is unorganized. It is attached to adjoining Stanley County for political purposes. However, a state legis-

lator from Dewey County has introduced a bill in the legislature that would take Armstrong's 330,000 acres and incorporate them in his county.

Maybe he sees Armstrong as a growing proposition. It's gained 10 residents since the 1940 census.

Armstrong draws its name from Moses K. Armstrong, a surveyor who drove an ox team from Minnesota to Dakota Territory in 1859. He was a delegate to Congress from the territory from 1871 to 1875 and lectured throughout the nation on the territory's advantages.

Historians report that, while a congressional delegate, Armstrong wrote to Dr. H. F. Livingstone, agent at Crow Creek and a staunch Republican: "Have I any Democratic friends in Buffalo County?"

The mail that brought Armstrong's letter to the agency also brought news of the hanging of two outlaws at Bijon Hills. Livingstone returned Armstrong's letter with this note:

"There were two Democrats in Buffalo. Both were hung last night."

U. S.-British Rift Over Asia Policy Hits Delicate Point

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The division between the United States and the British Commonwealth over Asiatic policy has reached such a delicate point that Secretary Acheson doesn't want to talk about it.

The attitude of Prime Minister Nehru of India toward U. S. and United Nations policy has passed from non-cooperation to attack.

Judging by Prime Minister Attlee's speech Tuesday, the British government, occupying an extremely weak position at home, sways back and forth.

Britain, forced out of her regal position, has had trouble in even keeping India within the commonwealth. She wants no split with Nehru over policy toward Communist China. Nehru happens this time to be speaking the language of vast British financial interests in China.

Britain is still inclined, however, to join in branding China as an ag-

gressor, or as Attlee put it, to condemn "Chinese intervention in support of an aggressor," but not to follow through with sanctions.

The United States seems resigned to this course, despite the danger that this slap on the wrist without any follow-through, this half-measure, might really be worse than nothing.

It is silly, of course, to consider Nehru's idea that Communist China be admitted to U. N. membership while she is doing, through her Korean intervention, exactly what the U. N. has called on all nations not to do.

Nehru may have something when he says the Communist government of China should have been admitted to the U. N. as soon as it established itself in firm control of the country. Britain felt that way at

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the time. It would have fitted longstanding U. S. policy.

Across the very narrow no man's land between peace and war, the enemy's unity lies in might.

Christian Church Names New Pastor

The Rev. Clarence W. Ketch has been named pastor of the A&M Christian Church here. He will assume his duties Feb. 1.

Currently the Rev. Ketch is enrolled in the University of Houston where he is a graduate student majoring in philosophy and religion.

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11:00 A.M.—Morning Worship

A&M CHURCH OF CHRIST

9:45 A.M.—Bible Classes
10:45 A.M.—Morning Worship
6:15 P.M.—Youth Meeting

A&M METHODIST CHURCH

9:30 A.M.—Sunday School
11:00 A.M.—Morning Worship

S. MARY'S CHAPEL

St. Mary's, Sunday Mass, 8:30 and 10 a.m.

A&M PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

9:45 A.M.— Sunday School
11:00 A.M.— Morning Worship Service
6:30 P.M.— Student League and Fellowship.

COLLEGE STATION BAPTIST CHURCH

9:45 A.M.—Sunday School
10:50 A.M.—Morning Worship
6:15 P.M.—Training Union
7:15 P.M.—Evening Worship

AMERICAN LUTHERAN CHURCH

9:30 A.M.—Bible Class
10:45 A.M.—Worship Service

ST. THOMAS EPISCOPAL CHURCH

8:00 A.M.—Holy Communion
9:30 A.M.—Aggie Coffee Club
9:30 A.M.—Church School
11:00 A.M.—Morning Worship
6:30 P.M.—Evening Services
6:30 P.M.—Student League
7:30 P.M.—Fellowship Service

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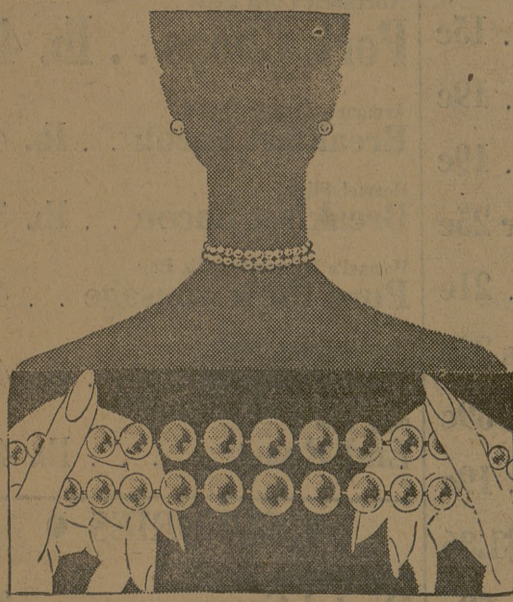
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Many children today are getting a confused picture of life. Their spiritual vision is impaired by human frailties. Their companions and their environment are too often a bad influence. The world about them is not always a clear, lovely sight.

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- Sunday . . . Luke 7
- Monday . . . Luke 8:1-42
- Tuesday . . . Luke 8:43-9:35
- Wednesday . . . Luke 9:37-10:24
- Thursday . . . Luke 10:25-11:35
- Friday . . . Luke 11:37-12:49
- Saturday . . . Luke 12:41-13:35

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