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him as a statesman. He was probably sincere in what he said also, but in a few instances, I wonder.

I have no doubt that Mr. Truman is a good man and a very kind hearted man withal, and would make a most desirable neighbor, and much of what Mr. McGrath said about him must have been true. And when he first came into the presidency, I had fond hopes that he was going to make good as a statesman in the Whitehouse and no doubt he fully intended to do so, but he evidently was not large enough intellectually to handle the job.

I had a very peculiar experience one night last week. I had heard that Mr. Dewey was to make a speech that night, and I planned to hear him. I turned the needle on the dial of my radio from start to finish and then back, but no Dewey came on. Then I located a man who was introducing a speaker, and as I waited I learned it was Jack Porter, Republican candidate for United States Senator, from Texas. All right, I thought, I will listen to Mr. Porter, and so I did, and he talked on for a few minutes very nicely, then his voice began to weaken and finally died out all together, and instead I was listening to Mr. Truman at Oklahoma City, and he refuted practically all Mr. Porter had said, then Mr. Truman faded out and I was again listening to Mr. Porter, who said that if he was elected Senator, he would do all in his power to help the other Senators and Congress to drive every Communist from the Federal pay roll, then he faded away and I heard Mr. Truman state boldly and emphatically that there is not a single Communist on the government pay roll, for the simple reason that it is positively impossible for a Communist to get into the government employ, because every applicant for a government position MUST take a solemn oath that he is not a Communist before he can be employed by the government. Then Mr. Truman faded out and Mr. Porter came in with more charges, and he also faded out again and Mr. Truman was back with his rebuttal by denying practically the same charges that Porter had made.

Of course, this sort of a program had not been prearranged and was purely a coincidence, but it was to me a rather amusing coincidence. But they were both cut off suddenly in the midst of their speeches and an announcer stated that Mr. Porter's time on the radio had been paid for by the Republican State Committee. But I could not get Mr. Truman from any other station. It seemed that Mr. Truman had gone out with Mr. Porter. Truman spoke from Oklahoma City, and Porter from Weatherford, Texas.

As to the political results of the November 2nd election, I am still of the opinion I expressed many weeks ago. And that is, that while Texas will cast the largest Republican vote in its history, the majority of the voters will stand by their "party name" and the Texas electoral vote will go to President Truman. Not by anything like a "land-slide" however. While it seems to be an indisputable fact that Governor Jester has, owing to a chain of events that have occurred during the past spring and summer, lost much of his prestige by a large slice having been carved off his former popularity, the party name will, nevertheless, re-seat him in the Governor's Chair, so that neither he nor President Truman from Texas voters.

As to the Senatorial race, it occurs to me that there is a strong possibility that, owing to the serious muddle caused by the Porter, the Republican nominee, may be elected; but it is a possibility rather than a probability, and I will not wager anything of value on the possibility.

I do not have very much spare time for reading, but when I read, after reading the headlines in the newspapers, and maybe a few lines of the sub-heads that are printed in about 12 or 14 point type, I go mostly to magazine articles, such as I find in the Reader's Digest, the Saturday Evening Post or the American. I also have access to a small magazine which, I believe is published by one of our most popular secret orders, and I find there some of the most reasonable and thought provoking matter that I have been able to find in any book or magazine. True, it is mostly given over to the work of the Order, but many of the articles are, to me, literary masterpieces. Why the members of the Order do not read it is something I cannot understand, but I have never questioned one yet that reads it. One cannot read it without becoming better acquainted with the real purposes and intents of the Order.

I have also read several books on religious history giving brief sketches of those various religions, and I have come to the conclusion that those people have as much right to their religion as I have to mine, and they probably think just as much of my religion as I do of theirs. I have also read quite a bit about the burbling, gurgling turmoil all over the world and the spits and spats among the politicians of the various political parties and of the parties among their own members, and as a sort of solace for my fretted nerves, I read one of Clarence Buddington Kelland's Scattergood stories or one of his serials in the Saturday Evening Post, then, when I get my nerves, as I think about back to normal, where am I, and what have I gained?

Well, I am just about ready to exclaim with the old Ecclesiastic "Vanity of Vanities! All is Vanity." And I find myself also wondering, at times, if my "Durned fool notions" are not just about as good as those of the other fellow. So far George and John, (Floyd has quit us cold since he has been ill, and I am not blaming him) and I agree pretty well on all sorts of subjects except those which we positively disagree upon, and we always leave such controversial subjects alone, and thus get along pretty well.

Well, all the lodge men that I know anything about are GOOD men and I love most of them, but as I understand the matter, their little magazine is calculated to make GOOD lodge men BETTER lodge men, but how in the fumes of Holy Smoke is it going to do so if they do not read it? The Holy Bible is intended to make ALL men better men, but how in the blaze of the great Northern lights is it going to accomplish that feat, if they do not read it? I sometimes wonder if the average citizen has ever read, all together, as much as an average of one verse for every fifty verses in the Bible. Then, how can we expect it to make us better? If one stops to think a minute, that is a rather large sized book, and it is not all together a lovely story, neither is it a detective story, nor a sports magazine, so who reads it all? But I have heard men argue about what is in it until they were almost fighting mad. "All is Vanity."

And as for politics—"U-G-H!" Worse and more of it. I have read the article written by Senator Taft about Mr. Truman. Then the next week I read the article written by Senator McGrath, also about Mr. Truman. And were they different? Y-e-a-h! Some. Senator Taft dealt with Mr. Truman from the standpoint of a politician and statesman, and I believe he was sincere in what he had to say. Senator McGrath wrote about Mr. Truman, mostly from the standpoint of an individual man but did not say so much of

Methods Of Spreading Cold Countless

AUSTIN — Sudden seasonal changes in the weather during the fall months often result in chilling, which in turn is usually followed by wide-spread incidence of the common cold. This disease always spreads rapidly because of the fact that very few people can live isolated lives and in any group or crowd of people, coughing, sneezing and spitting will scatter millions of cold germs among susceptible persons.

Dr. George W. Cox, State Health Officer, says that there are countless ways of spreading a cold other than by coughing, sneezing and spitting. "For instance," the Doctor said, "if a member of your family has a cold and the other members share a common drinking glass with him, you may expect the whole family to pick up the germs he leaves on the glass."

Sometimes a person with a cold thoughtlessly touches his mouth or nostrils with his hand, and then shakes hands with another person. That person can, and very likely will, contaminate his own mouth or nostrils with his hand, and the germs are transmitted into his system. A child with a cold may contaminate his toys, and the next child that picks them up and plays with them will certainly obtain the cold germs, along with the toys.

Children, as well as adults, who are suffering from a cold should be put to bed, and if complete rest, light food, and plenty of liquids do not improve his condition in a short time, the family physician should be called. Dr. Cox further advised that dressing properly for the weather, sensible eating, plenty of rest, and avoiding persons with colds can be helpful in preventing your own infection. Colds are costly in time, health, and money, the Doctor said, and added, "Prevent them if possible."

Worth Weir, Former Resident, Returns

V. E. (Worth) Weir, a former resident of Friona, but now of Dayton, Ohio, was a visitor in Friona, Wednesday, meeting and shaking hands with many of his Friona friends.

Worth is now owner and manager of a number of department houses in Dayton, and his friends here are pleased to know he is doing well in his business. He favored the Star Office with a short visit.

Worth is a brother of M. S. Weir and Mrs. Carrie Lillard of Friona, and Glenn Weir, of Hereford. On his visit here he was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Weir, who also were former residents of Friona.

Ed R. New Returns To His Home Here

The people of Friona and community are deeply gratified with the fact that Mr. and Mrs. Ed R. New, were again permitted to return to their home here, Monday.

Just two weeks previous to their return home, Mr. New had undergone one of the most critical surgical operations known to the profession, at a Lubbock hospital, and the fact that he is able to be back home so soon is indeed most gratifying to his friends.

Several donations of blood from his friends here and elsewhere, were necessary to carry him through the trying ordeal.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of expressing our sincere thanks to our many friends and neighbors for their many beautiful floral offerings and kind words of sympathy during the illness and death of our beloved brother and uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Short and family.
Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Fallwell and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Mack Short and family.

CARD OF THANKS

We are here expressing our thanks to our many friends, who tried so hard to lighten our load during Mr. New's illness by staying with us during the operation, visits, cards, letters and flowers, and to Bro. S., who and several visits from Brother H. and to Ralph and the men who came to give their blood, we say—Thank You, and God bless every one of you.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed R. New

CARD OF THANKS

We hereby express our thanks and appreciation to our friends for their kind deeds, floral offerings and understanding words of sympathy during our recent bereavement, the loss of our baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Kessler

L. L. Laws, of Wellington, was brought to the local hospital shortly after noon, Wednesday, as a medical patient.

Yugoslavs Rebuild Homeland



The accent in the land of Tito these days is on work. Yugoslav men, women and children share the arduous task of rebuilding and modernizing their war-torn homeland. These new workers' flats are being built to replace bombed-out apartments in Belgrade. They contain two and three rooms and will house from four to six persons.

Chants of the Chanticleer . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Harry, formerly of Friona, later of Salida, Colorado, and more recently and at present, of LeGrand, Oregon, were not getting their copy of the Star, and filed their complaint with their Pa. Charley Jones.

Charley then interceded for them at the Star office and our Subscription manager promised an investigation, which resulted in the finding that when they ordered their address changed to Oregon, the name had been removed from the Colorado list, the preceding had evidently been forgotten and stopped, as the name was not found in the Oregon list. But we have assured Pa. Jones, that the matter will be taken care of and the paper will go forward regularly henceforth. Everett and Vera are just two "bully-good" people and it is not fair for them not to receive the Star.

Bob Wolf Dies At Clovis Hospital

Word was received here Wednesday morning of the death of R. E. (Bob) Wolf, which occurred at a hospital at Clovis, early Wednesday morning.

According to information secured at the Star office, Mr. Wolf while working at some machinery at his farm southeast of town, was struck in the eye by a fragment of steel. The eye refused to heal and on Saturday he went to a hospital at Clovis for treatment, and according to information received, infection set in, which caused his death.

In this writing, (Wednesday afternoon), no arrangements had been made for the funeral. Two brothers, living in Iowa, wired they are coming but cannot reach here before Saturday.

The Star hopes to be able to give a short sketch of Mr. Wolf's life and of the funeral in next week's issue.

Roy Hart Spending Vacation In California

Roy Hart, who for the past two years has been employed at the Brand Office in Hereford, came home Sunday to enter upon his two-weeks vacation, but was quite sick Monday morning.

On Tuesday morning he was feeling O. K. again so he boarded a bus bound for Los Angeles, California, where he planned to spend the greater part of his vacation time at seeing the sights of the city and surrounding country and visiting with his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Sullivant and children.

Hale Center Owls Claw Friona 13 To 6

The Hale Center Owls Friday night continued their winning ways by clawing the Friona Chiefs here 13-6.

The Owls led 7-0 at the end of the first quarter as a result of a short touchdown and a conversion. They scored again in the third quarter on a short pass.

Friona got back into the ball game when Quarterback Dick London sprinted 30 yards for six points in the closing minutes.

Dr. R. C. Stokes departed for Lubbock, Tuesday afternoon, to be in attendance at the Panhandle Medical Association, that was held in that city, Tuesday night, returning home Wednesday afternoon.

RESPECT FOR THE FLAG

It is a shame that it takes a war and bloodshed for people to show respect for the flag. During the war people stood at attention with tears in their eyes as the flag passed by; but did you notice any people standing at attention Saturday during the parade? Most of us were too interested trying to satisfy ourselves with seeing the floats as they passed and trying to get the best position (in front of our neighbor) to be bothered by saluting a flag or showing any respect at all.

Have you ever attended a football game or baseball game where a team from any of the armed services participated? If so, you know the thrill of hearing the national anthem as it should be played, with every person standing at attention. Many times as I have stood thus, as a civilian, a lump has come to my throat and I shall not forget those moments. Service men are compelled to show respect for the flag and the An-

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Eddie Manns Stationed In Philippines

Sergeant First Class Eddie E. Manns, of Andarko, Oklahoma, formerly of Friona, has recently assumed assignment with the 29th Engineer Topographic Battalion, at Fort William McKinley, a few miles outside Manila upon his arrival in the Philippines.

On his second tour of overseas duty, Sgt. Manns has been in active service since 1936. He served as Instructor Field Artillery School at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, before he sailed for his assignment overseas to France December 1944. He is holder of the Pre-Pearl Harbor ribbon, Good Conduct Medal, American Defense ribbon, European theater of Operations with three stars, Bronze Star and World War II Victory ribbon.

A graduate of Friona High School, Sgt. Manns was a former employe of the Ray Stephens Oak Field Inc. at Andarko before he entered the Army.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Manns, of 506 E. Main St., Andarko, Oklahoma, Sgt. 1st Class Manns expects his wife, Mrs. Jenny Manns and three year old child, Jackie, to join him soon.

Body Of Virgil Weis To Arrive Here On Friday

Word has been received by the parents and other relatives here, of Private First Class Virgil H. Weis, that his body will arrive at Hereford Friday, October 8.

The body, on its arrival at Hereford, will be brought to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bender, here at Friona.

The memorial services will be held, Sunday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, at the local Baptist Church.

Grand Jurors For District Court Are Chosen For October

List of grand jurors for the October Term of District Court are as follows:

Robert Rundell, Sr., T. E. Rhodes, Ralph Wilson, E. L. Fairchild, V. R. Jordan, R. I. Douglas, Sterlyn Billington, Charley Felts, A. W. Anthony, O. M. Jennings, W. H. Massey, Joe Wilson, A. E. Stellman, O. W. Rhinehart, H. T. Magness and M. B. Buchanan.

No petit jury has been drawn for this term of court and according to statement of Loyse Brauer, there likely will not be any drawn.

ATTEND ROSE FESTIVAL

Mrs. Carl Kinsley, accompanied by Mrs. Vivian Major, of Hereford, attended the 11th annual Festival of Roses and the Queen's coronation program at Tyler. There were 35 bands in the parade and many beautiful floats or roses. They also visited the Eastern Star home in Arlington.

Family Reunion Held At Home Of Fred Burns Sun.

Children, grandchildren and great grandchildren of Mrs. Ann Bracken, gathered in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burns for a family reunion, Sunday.

After a bountiful basket lunch the day was spent in visiting. Present were: Mrs. Ann Bracken, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Zimmer, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Briscoe and daughter, all of Muleshoe; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bracken, of Billings, Montana; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bracken and son, of Friona; Mr. and Mrs. Don Bruns and family, of Lariat; Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bruns and family, of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Southward, of Dumas; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Kemp and sons, of Amarillo; Charles Bracken, of Friona and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burns.

Mr. Magness Chosen Band Parents Head

Mrs. H. T. Magness was elected president of the Friona Band Parents Organization, Thursday night, Sept. 30, when the club met and re-organized.

Mrs. W. A. Foster, was elected vice-president, Mrs. F. N. Welch, treasurer and Mrs. Raymond Jones, reporter.

The organization meets on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month. All parents who have children in the High School Band may attend the meetings. Welfare of the children is the prime interest of the organization.

Cub Scout Meeting Scheduled Tuesday

A meeting of the Cub Scouts will be held on Tuesday night of next week at the Grade School Auditorium at 8 o'clock. This will be the first regular monthly meeting of the Cub Pack for this year.

All Cub Scouts and those interested in Cub Scout work of the ages of 9 to 12 years, are urged to attend this meeting and the parents are invited to attend also. Also other adults who are interested in this line of work.

Entertainment for the evening will include a free picture show.

District Farm Bureau Meeting To Be Held At Lubbock Oct. 13

A district Farm Bureau meeting will be held at the Lubbock Hotel in Lubbock on Wednesday, October 13, it has been announced by J. Walter Hammond, president of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation. W. R. Tilson of Meadow, District Director, will preside. The meeting will start at 10 a. m.

This will be one of a series of 13 district meetings being held throughout Texas during the month of October, for the purpose of bringing farmers and ranchmen first-hand information on the immediate agricultural situation, and the economic conditions of the Nation as a whole, and go get the thinking from the grass-roots with reference to agricultural matters.

"Farm prices have dropped 30 percent in the past nine months, and farmers' buying power has been reduced 18 percent," Hammond said. "Only through a workable, long range farm program that will provide for adequate price supports for farm commodities, can this nation enjoy a balanced economy and avoid another depression such as was experienced in the early thirties," he declared. The long range farm bill hastily passed during the closing days of the last session of Congress will not adequately safeguard the interests of agriculture, and it will take a strong organization of farmers in this Nation to secure necessary amendments to this bill at the next session," the Federation president emphasized.

Plans for the Farm Bureau's Fall Membership Round-Up will be discussed, and an added feature of the district meeting will be selection of a district Farm Bureau queen to participate in the State Queen Contest to be held during the state convention. Texas Farm Bureau's goal for 1948 is 60,000.

Other regional meetings of the Farm Bureau will be held at the Herring Hotel at Amarillo on Friday, October 15th.

Harold Lillard of Friona urges all farmers of this area to attend either of the meetings.

District President Addresses Modern Study Club Here

Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard of Memphis, Texas, president of the Seventh District of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs was guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Modern Study Club, Tuesday evening.

A vocal selection was given by Fleeta Terry, Jane Williams, Ruth Edelman, Patsy Reeve, Eva Miller and Tom Lewis, accompanied by Rhea Foster. Piano selections were given by Eva Miller of the Modern Study Club and Mrs. Vernon Estes of the Bovina Women's Club.

Miss Lola Goodwin gave an account of the activities and accomplishments of the club since its organization in 1931. Mrs. Kinard's talk on "why we should federate" emphasized the fact that more can be accomplished by clubs and individuals working together.

The guests of the evening were Miss Macie Watson, Mrs. Ray Landrum, and Mrs. W. M. Stewart of Friona; Mesdames Vernon Estes, Tom Caldwell and Bedford Caldwell of the Bovina Women's Club, and the members of the Friona Women's Club.

Refreshments carried out the Halloween colors and consisting of chocolate roll, hot punch, nuts and mints, were served by the hostesses, Carmelita Truitt, Sarah Ann Miller, Katherine Blackburn and Decima Beene.

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Mitchell Short Dies At Amarillo

Word was received early Monday morning of the death of Mitchell Short which occurred at the Veterans Hospital at Amarillo. He was better known here as Todd Short, and was a brother of A. B. Short and Mrs. Clarence Fallwell, both of Friona.

The body was removed from the hospital to Hereford on Monday, and funeral services were held at Hereford Tuesday afternoon, following which the remains were taken to his former home at Mona, Arkansas.

Another brother, Mack Short, of Clovis, also lived in this county. It is understood that both brothers and their wives and the sister, Mrs. Fallwell, returned to Arkansas for the burial.

The deceased had been ill for several days. A World War I veteran, he was taken to the Veterans Hospital.

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A good slogan... not just for a newspaper—but for people, too. Because there are always two sides to every question; the side of those who win a war, and those who lose another—the side of those who enjoy a temporary advantage

like beer or ale, and of those who swear by nothing but cider.

And from where I sit, once you've got both sides—and faced them truthfully, you realize that these differences of opinion are a precious part of what we call democracy—the right of the individual to vote as he believes, to speak his mind, to choose his own beverage of moderation, whether beer or cider.

Joe Marsh

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FOR rent: Two large rooms and bath. See Mrs. Buel Sanders. 12-tp

Mrs. Paul Wiggins, of Friona, was a maternity patient at the Farmer County Community Hospital this week.

WANTED—to buy good clean rags. Farmer County Implement Company. 51-tfe

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Uncle Sam's Selective Service

1. Q—Can a man get his old job back after training and service in the armed forces?
A—If a man leaves a government job that is permanent, he will be restored to his position, or a position of like seniority, status, and pay, if he is still qualified to perform the duties of such position.

2. Q—What if he is not qualified by reason of disability sustained during his service?
A—He will be restored to another position the duties of which he is qualified to perform—a job which will provide him with the same seniority, status and pay, or the nearest possible under the circumstances.

3. Q—What about a man who works for a private employer?
A—The law provides the same thing for him as the man who works for the government. The law says that this will be done unless the employer's circumstances have so changed as to make it impossible or unreasonable for a man to be rehired.

4. Q—What about a man who works for the state or any of its political subdivisions?
A—Congress recommends in the law that such a man be rehired.

5. Q—How soon must a man apply for his old job when he gets out?
A—Within 90 days after he is relieved from duty.

6. Q—Suppose a private employer refuses to rehire a man when he makes application for his old job?
A—A man can call on the nearest U. S. district attorney for help. The court will examine the merits of his case and will require the employer to comply with the law. The federal district attorney will be the ex-ecutive's lawyer, and no fee or court costs can be assessed against the ex-employee.

7. Q—What if two or more persons are entitled to be restored to a position?
A—No. The person who left the position first will have priority to be restored, without prejudice to the reemployment rights of the other person or persons to be restored.

FOR Sale: Grain drill boxes for Hoeme plows. Farmer County Implement Company. 3-tfe

FOR sale: One portabel grain blower, with motor. Also, 10-14 Deed Furrow Superior Drill, with press wheels. George A. Jones. 6-tfc

FOR sale or rent: Concrete mixers, all sizes; Wheelbarrows, Power Saw; Compressor and Air Tools. TOM W. CARPENTER EQUIPMENT CO., INC. Amarillo, Texas. Phone 2-6578.

FOR sale: Good model "L" Case tractor, in good condition. 4 miles west and two and a half miles north of Labuddy. Tot Bewley, Route 1. 8-3tc

Certified seed wheat for sale: Comanche, Westar and Fawcett grown from Experiment Station seed. Contact Jack Renfro, 104 Main St., Hereford, Texas. 8-3tc

FOR sale: One used Werner Piano. Must be seen to be appreciated. Will sell cheap enough. Mrs. G. H. Brook. 9-2tp

Wanted: To buy Burlap Sacks. Friona Wheat Growers, Inc. 9-tfe

FOR sale: 2 corner lots, in Friona. East front, with barn suitable for 4 to 6 thousand bushels grain storage. Needs slight repairing. \$1500.00 Forest W. Osborn. 6-tfc

FOR sale: One L-shaped chicken house. Small part, 14 x 20. Large part, 18 x 36. Also four lots in Friona. E. S. White. 10-tfc

FOR sale: Registered Short-horn Bulls and Heifers. 2-row binder. 7 miles north and 3 east of Muleshoe. F. L. Wener. 10-3tp

FOR Sale: Three 90-foot lots, east or south fronts. Water, gas, lights, telephone. One 2-wheel trailer. A good one. Walter Ivless, Phone 2432. 12-1tp

1. Q—Are regular or duly ordained ministers of religion exempt from training?
A—Yes, but they must register.

2. Q—What does the term "duly ordained minister of religion" mean?
A—A person who has been ordained by a church or religious organization to preach and administer its ceremonies in public worship. It must be his regular customary vocation.

3. Q—How about the term "regular minister of religion"?
A—Such a person is the same as the duly ordained minister, except that he has not been formally ordained, yet is recognized by the church, sect, or organization as a regular minister.

4. Q—Does either of the terms include a person who irregularly or incidentally preaches and teaches?
A—No.

5. Q—Do these terms include a person who may have been ordained but does not preach, teach, or administer rites of his religious organization regularly?
A—No.

6. Q—Are students preparing for the ministry exempt from training and service?
A—If they are preparing under the direction of recognized churches or religious organizations, and if they are satisfactorily pursuing full-time courses of instruction in recognized theological or divinity schools or tranee into such schools, in which they have been pre-entrolled, they are exempt from training and service, but not from registration.

7. Q—How about men involved in study, research, farm work, medical, scientific or other endeavors found to be necessary for national health, safety, or interest?
A—The President has ruled that such men can be deferred for one year or less. These deferments may be changed by the President or local boards if these registrants change jobs.

Gallup Poll Editor, News Commentator To Address Students

LUBBOCK—Raymond Graham Swing, radio commentator, is to be one of a trio of outstanding speakers to be presented during the fall semester on the all-college recreation program at Texas Technological college.

Swing will lecture in the campus recreation hall Nov. 19. He will be preceded on Oct. 16 by William A. Lydgate, editor of the Gallup Poll.

William H. Upson, author-commentator, best known for his articles in Saturday Evening Post, Esquire, Collier's and other magazines, will close the entertainment series Jan. 18.

Thus far, 20 different features have been scheduled during the fall semester including the e and concerts. These are to be offered students at the nominal lecturers, dances, parties, shows cost of 16 and a half cents each, or an over-all cost of \$3.30 for the student for the entire semester.

In the Shade of the Old Dinosaur



Joyce Cleugh and Adess Sheridan are amused and amazed by the colossal proportions of a life-size dinosaur made of cement in the Calgary, Canada, Zoological Park. More than 20 dinosaur skeletons have been found on the banks of the Red River near Drumheller, Alberta, since 1912. Averaging 50 tons in weight, the dinosaurs flourished more than 90,000,000 years ago.

Ten Tops In Entertainment Are Listed By Variety Editor

A list of the ten best in various forms of entertainment has been compiled by Abel Green, editor of Variety, who is considered an outstanding expert on amusements in the United States.

Ten biggest box office movies—1. Emperor Waltz; 2. Easter Parade; 3. The Street With No Name; 4. Key Largo; 5. The Fuller Brush Man; 6. Fort Apache; 7. A Foreign Affair; 8. Tap Roots; 9. About & Costello Meet Frankenstein; and 10. Mr. Blandings Builds His Dream House.

The ten best selling books are—1. Shannon's Way (Cronin); 2. The Naked and The Dead (Mailer); 3. Peace of Mind (Liebman); 4. The Gathering Storm (Churchill); 5. Melissa (Caldwell); 6. How To Stop Worrying and Start Living (Carnegie); 7. The Heart of the Matter (Greene); 8. Sexual Behavior in the Human Male (Kinsey et al.); 9. The Loved One (Waugh); and 10. A Guide To Confident Living (Peale).

He lists the ten best sheet music sellers as—1. "You Can't Be True Dear"; 2. "My Happiness"; 3. "Woody Woodpecker"; 4. "A Tree In The Meadow"; 5. "It's Magic"; 6. "Little White Lies"; 7. "You Call Everybody Darling"; 8. "Tooie Oolie Doodle"; 9. "Love Somebody"; 10. "A Tree In The Meadow."

Milk Situation On Texas Tech Campus Promises To Get Worse, Not Better

LUBBOCK—Don't be too hard on your milkman if you don't get all the milk you want. The milk situation promises to get worse on the campus at Texas Technological college, in Lubbock and over the nation generally.

This warning was issued by Dr. J. J. Willingham, professor and acting chairman of dairy manufactures at Texas Technological college, in answer to urgent requests from consumers and bottlers for "more milk."

"The population of Lubbock and Texas Tech has doubled in the past eight years, while the production of milk fluid has decreased alarmingly. Right now the shortage is the worst it has ever been, and we are coming into the regular short season," Dr. Willingham said.

The college dairy and downtown distributors have tried to import additional milk for bottling with slight success. Dr. Willingham said the reserve consumers will have to get market has been exhausted, and along with the present market. Only milk from approved dairies can be bottled but all the producers in the Lubbock area are already approved, so the prospects for new markets are bleak.

The acute shortage has been brought about by the high cost of feed for dairy cattle coupled with the increased price for agricultural products which has made many producers turn from raising dairy cattle to producing cotton, feed and wheat.

Dr. Willingham estimated 30 to 40 per cent of local requests for milk and cream cannot be filled.

The products industry will suffer as a result of the milk fluid shortage, however, not to the extent the consumer will notice a decrease in available raw milk, Dr. Willingham said. Ice cream and butter fat orders are being filled without difficulty, and condensed milk, heavy cream and other foundation products can be obtained readily from out-of-state markets while milk fluid cannot, he pointed out.

SANTA FE INCOME HIGH

Santa Fe's net income for August, was \$6,140,913 according to a statement released by President F. G. Gurley today. Net income for the first eight months of 1948 was \$39,837,337 compared with \$29,240,587 in first eight months of 1947.

Fullbacks Eddie Prokop and Dewey Proctor, Tackles Nate Johnson and Chuck Elliott and End Harry Burrus Johnson was an all-conference selection with the Yanks.

The inner reaches of the Baltic Sea is only about one per cent salt compared with about 3.6 per cent for the Atlantic.

The harbor at Tutuila Island, American Samoa, has been called the best and most beautiful in the South Seas.

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FARM NEWS

Cattle, Hogs, Corn, Vegetables Suffer Market Setbacks; Sorghum Grain Moves Start

Cattle, hogs, corn and vegetables suffered major setbacks at southwest farm markets during the past week, as most other products held up well. The U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration reports.

Hog markets fell sharply on increased marketings. Top butcher hogs sold Monday at \$25 at San Antonio, Wichita, and Kansas City, and \$25.50 at Fort Worth and Oklahoma City. Sows ranged from \$19 to \$23 at the different markets. Stocker pigs dropped \$1.50 to \$3.50 on Monday alone, to bring \$20 to \$24 in Texas and Oklahoma.

Stocker and feeder cattle still predominated at most markets but many cows arrived a lot of common and medium cows ranged from \$16 to \$18.50 at most terminals Monday, but Houston paid \$17.25 to \$19.75. Fort Worth bought medium and good grades at \$17 to \$18.50. A spread of \$12 to \$16 took most canners and cutters, but some sold higher at Houston, Kansas City, and Denver.

Canner to common cows sold from \$10 to \$16.50 at Fort Worth.

Corn continued downward under the weight of new crop offerings of feed grains. Fair movement of sorghum grains had started from the Texas Panhandle, while corn came from Oklahoma and Eastern Kansas. Losses for the week ranged from 7 to 9 cents a bushel on corn, although other grains sold about the same as a week earlier. White corn closed Monday at \$1.93 to \$1.98 at Texas common points.

Among the feedstuffs, meat scraps and alfalfa meal advanced \$5 to \$7 a ton, while others sold unchanged to lower. Hay enjoyed moderately active trade with little change in values. Peanuts brought support prices, as harvesting increased.

Fruits and vegetables found mainly slow trading during the week. Price slipped farther down on many seasonal products at terminal markets. Shipping points generally found dull mar-

kets and slow demand, with prices trending lower. However, Louisiana sweet potatoes strengthened slightly over the weekend.

Top quality eggs developed a stronger tone during the week, and current receipts sold steadily to firm. Most southwest markets paid 50 to 55 cents a dozen for best graded eggs. Demand for poultry continued good at mainly firm prices. Fryers and broilers sold largely at 37 to 40 cents a pound.

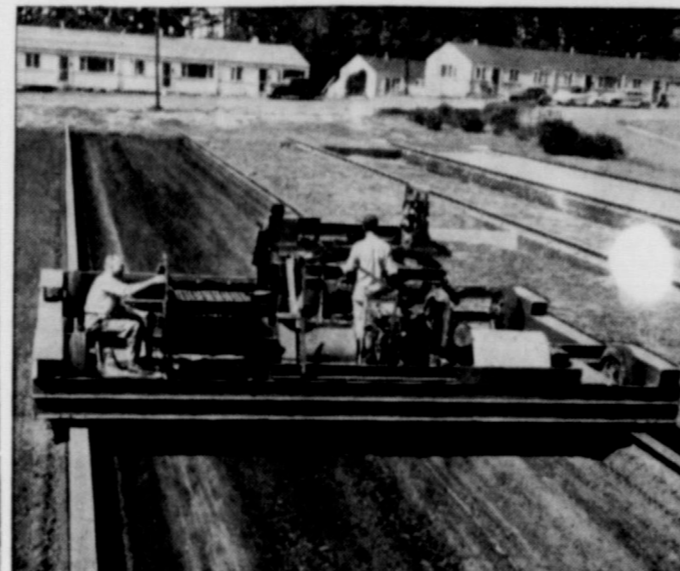
Cotton averaged slightly higher for the week at Houston and Galveston but lower at Dallas and New Orleans.

SHOWER FROM "HEAVEN"
COPENHAGEN, (AP)—Flowers and parcels containing coffee and tobacco were dropped from a low flying airplane over the lone house of Gamekeeper Rasmus Frederiksen in Grib forest, Northern Zealand. Frederiksen's children rented the plane to shower gifts on their home for their parents' diamond wedding.

A Record All the Way Around



Francis Gorman gazes with pride—and question—upon two of the giant ears of corn he grew on his farm in Monee, Ill., anticipating the work ahead in harvesting and husking his largest crop in 32 years of farming. This scene is being repeated throughout the corn belt where the largest corn crop on record, 3,528,815,000 bushels, is expected.



This large contraption is testing just one tractor tire. The new type machine, used for measuring the performance of rubber tires on farm tractors, is now in operation at the Department of Agriculture's proving ground in Alabama Polytechnic Institute at Auburn, Ala.

Cotton Trading Picks Up In Texas, Okla.

Cotton trading picked up last week in Oklahoma and Texas, but failed to match the activity of the corresponding week last year, reports the Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Sales continued rather small for this time of the year at the nation's ten spot markets, where only 254,600 bales exchanged hands last week. Dallas, Houston and Galveston sold 57,656 bales of this grade total, an increase of 13 per cent over the previous week.

Demand improved among Oklahoma and Texas merchants and shippers last week for Strict Law Middling and better, ranging in staple length 15-16 inch to 1-1-16 inch. Also, there was some demand for Low Middling 1/2 inch staple.

Inquiries from domestic and export shippers were fairly numerous but prices offered were not attractive. Most current buying is for the purpose of filling previous commitments.

Reports to USDA indicated farmers are selling a good part of current ginnings well above loan values in some sections.

Spot cotton prices fluctuated within a narrow range last week. The basis weakened in the Dallas market but remained about unchanged in the Houston and Galveston markets.

Spot cotton prices for Middling 15-16 inch averaged 31.22 cents for pound last Thursday at the ten chief markets. This was about \$2.50 per bale higher than the loan rate, and \$3.20 per bale higher than the price on the corresponding day last year.

Farmers Urged To Report Wheat Acreage and Yield

Faust Collier, Agriculture Conservation Association head, today issued two announcements to farms regarding wheat acreage and feed potatoes.

"It is extremely important that farmers report their wheat acreage and yield for last year," Collier said. "Past goals and allotments were based on acreage history and it is probable that should goals be established for 1950, they also will be based on the history of production. It is easier to keep them on file than try to remember them later."

He advised that if anyone had not received their self-addressed cards for reporting this past season's wheat crop, they may pick them up at the ACA office.

A surplus of potatoes from Colorado fields has resulted in an abundance of them for feeding purposes to be available to farmers here. They are 30 cents per hundred and orders may be placed through the ACA office. Shipment will be made immediately.

Hereford FFA Junior Judging Team Wins Place

The Hereford F. F. A. Junior Division judging team won first place at the Farmer County Dairy Show in Friona, Saturday, by totaling 1560 points. The team edged up with a first place and third place winner in the Junior Division and also produced a first place winner in the senior division.

Freshman Jack Flowers was the junior division blue ribbon winner from among the 19 boys in the district who participated in the judging. Jack made 580 points out of a possible 700 and his club mate, Milton Newman was third place winner with 550 points.

Bill McMillan tied with a Canyon FFA member for senior division first place stacking up 535 points in a 20-man competition.

Agricultural Leaders To Discuss Savings Bonds At Dallas Meet

Agricultural leaders of Texas will meet in Dallas on Wednesday, October 13, to discuss how farmers and ranches can utilize the U. S. Savings Bonds program for the sound management of their financial affairs.

The conference was called by Nathan Adams of Dallas, chairman of the Treasury Department's advisory committee for Texas. It will be held at the Baker Hotel from 9:30 a. m. to 2 p. m.

Mr. Adams said that representatives of nearly every farm agency and organization in the state had signified their intention of attending the meeting.

Tom Leadley of Lincoln, Nebraska, widely-known editor of The Nebraska Farmer, will address the conference. C. N. Sheppard, dean of the School of Agriculture at Texas A & M College, will preside.

Sheppard also will conduct a forum discussion on means for educating farmers and ranchers to the value of regular investments in U. S. Savings Bonds as a factor in sound agricultural management.

Slight Decrease Noted In Accidents On Farms

CHICAGO—"How are you going to keep 'em down on the farm?" is as good a question today as it was following the first World War. Only now it's accident rates instead of the gay young blades who saw Paree.

According to the 1948 edition of "Accident Facts," a statistical yearbook of the National Safety Council, the accidental death toll among farm residents was approximately 19,500 in both 1946 and 1947. The slight decrease in farm work deaths in 1947 was offset by an identical increase in other accidents to farm people.

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State Fair Opens Saturday With Gigantic Mile-Long Parade Headed By Governor Jester

The \$30,000,000 State Fair of Texas—hailed as the largest annual exposition in the United States—opens Saturday in Dallas for another breath-taking 16-day run.

The "big berth" of the world's state fairs, which covers 187 acres, is expected to draw 2,000,000 visitors before it closes. Nearly a quarter million are expected on opening day.

To tell what visitors will see and enjoy at the 1948 Fair has all the earmarks of a gigantic "Texas brag." But the Fair, as "The Show Window of the Southwest" will truly reflect the many facets of life, industry and economy of this section.

Agriculture and livestock will occupy choice positions, but sharing the spotlight will be scores of entertainment features both on and off the Fair's ten-acre Million Dollar Midway.

More giveaways and free attractions will be featured than at any previous State Fair.

The Five Eltons, performing on trapeze and rings 125 feet in air, will give their sky ballet twice daily, followed by the unparalleled and hazardous mid-air feats of Les Kimris, famous aerial gymnast. Art Linkletter will originate his nationwide daily "House Party" broadcasts from Fair Park auditorium the week of October 11. These attractions and many other broadcasts will be free.

In the Auditorium Jimmy Durante and Harry James will lead an all-star revue. At the L. Rodeo with Jimmy Wakely, cowboy singing star. The Ice Arena will contain the third, all-new edition of "Ice Cycles of 1948."

Eleven special shows and new thrill rides, including the complicated new double ferris wheel will do the Midway, the greatest number of such attractions ever assembled in Texas.

Major exhibits will include the South's largest automobile show, a revolutionary agriculture show, junior and senior livestock shows with a premium list of \$92,291, Palomino and Quarter Horse shows, \$100,000 electric show including television, textile, culinary and antique show, and a spectacular State Fair art exhibit.

A mile-long parade through downtown Dallas, headed by Gov. Beauford Jester, will proceed the formal opening. The Governor will be principal speaker Saturday at the dedication ceremonies for the new \$300,000 Automobile, Aviation and Recreation Building part of the Fair's \$3,000,000 "new look."

The heated Texas-Oklahoma football game will give the renovated and enlarged, 67,437-seat Cotton Bowl its baptism of fire on opening day.

Wheat Farmers Have Choice Of Many Varieties

COLLEGE STATION—Used to be, Texas farmers had this choice—they could grow wheat that gave high yields, or they could grow wheat that had good baking quality.

Now they have a different choice. It's a choice between several varieties, all of which have both yields and good baking qualities. E. A. Miller, extension agronomist for the Texas A & M College, has pointed out.

The new varieties were developed by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and private plant breeders.

Most Texas wheat is used by commercial bakeries, and they demand flour that will make the kind of bread their customers want.

In past years, Texas had a good reputation for growing fine quality wheat that was in demand because it was nearly all of good baking qualities. Then other states began shipping in low quality wheat, and Texas lost its reputation. As a result, northern mills cornered the market on high quality baking wheat and shipped it out to Texas.

But Texas wheat growers want it the other way around so they can make the money—not the northern mills. And it looks like this is what's going to happen according to a recent wheat survey.

In the main wheat areas of Texas, Westar and Commanche are recommended for the bakers, and Wichita and Triumph for family trade flour. Tenmarq and Turkey are good baking varieties, but not as high yielding as Westar and Commanche. So they are being replaced by these latter varieties, says Miller.

Holstein Yearling Bull Added To Breeding Stock Of Texas Tech

LUBBOCK.—Genio Harry, a Holstein yearling bull, has been added to the dairy breeding stock at Texas Technological college on a loan from the Bureau of Dairy Industry, Beltsville, Md.

Borrowed for use in the college dairy cattle improvement program throughout the Lubbock area, the yearling bull is the third Holstein to be employed in the artificial insemination project.

Genio Harry was sired by Rose Hill Emperor Governor, a proven sire from the Dairy Herd Improvement association, and is the great-grandson of Governor of Carnation, recognized nationally as an outstanding proven sire.

Artificial insemination service is available to breeders within a 50 mile radius of Lubbock by calling the college dairy barn, the Lubbock county agent or

Continued Strong Demands For Wheat To Take 750 Million Bushels

COLLEGE STATION—What's ahead for wheat, ask Texas farmers. Here's the answer. Facts and figures on the government's wheat outlook sound a note of caution. Now that fall seeding is under way, here are some facts as they are seen by E. A. Miller, extension agronomist, and C. H. Bates, extension farm management specialist of Texas A & M College.

Here's what the wheat growers like. The continued strong demand here in this country should take up 750 million bushels of this year's big crop. This would mean only 20 million bushels less than what we used last year. The European Recovery Program will use around 450 million bushels. The wheat price support for the 1949 crop is 90 percent of parity through loan and purchase agreements.

And here are a few gloomy facts. The carry-over of wheat stocks next July 1, is expected to be up nearly one-fifth above this year's level. European wheat production has improved, and will approach the yields they had before the war, if they don't get a stack of bad weather. The United States acreage goal has been set eight percent below last year's goal, and Texas recommended seeding goal is down 10 percent. The storage bins are heavily loaded with this year's big wheat, grain sorghum and corn crops.

All in all, it looks like the United States and world supplies have improved quite a bit. Next year's carry-over certainly will be up, and the situation could look a little tough if average yields are had from the acreage goal. The average yields are 71.5 million for the U. S., and 53 million for Texas. And another bumper wheat crop in 1949 would probably require marketing quotas for all growers in 1950.

So, it looks like good business to face the facts, says Bates and Miller. If some marginal acres have been in crops that should be returned to pastures, better plan to begin re-sodding now. Increase your summer fallowing and erosion control practices, say these extension specialists, and plant soil-building legumes wherever they are needed.

Plan ahead, plant wisely, and give your soil a break.

Farmers Urged To Launch Drive Against Parasites Immediately

West Texas farmers were urged today to launch an all-out campaign against parasites now—before livestock and poultry are moved into winter quarters.

Such a campaign this fall, the American Foundation for Animal Health declared, can add many millions of dollars to farmers' profits from meat, milk and egg production during the coming winter and early spring.

"Parasites multiply rapidly on animals and birds in close confinement," the Foundation warned. "They not only cause discomfort, but cut down on gains and production and waste feed. Parasites also spread infection, and cause skin diseases that bring a dockage at the market."

"Cattle lice, mange, and grubs should especially have attention. Hog lice and hog mange mites both can be controlled by proper treatment. Sheep scab mites and sheep ticks are the two chief offenders in that field."

"Parasite control on livestock and poultry, coupled with thorough cleaning and disinfecting of farm buildings, will pay real dividends in fatter market stock, healthier breeding stock, and increased production of meat, milk and eggs," the American Foundation emphasized.

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Morning Worship... 11 A. M.
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Wed. Bible Study... 8:30 p. m.
Wednesday Radio Program... KICA (1245 K. C.)... 4 P. M.

THE METHODIST CHURCH
H. D. Seago, Minister.
Sunday School... 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship... 11:00 A. M.
Methodist Youth Fellowship... 7:15 P. M.
Evening Worship... 8:00 P. M.
Choir Practice - Wed... 8:00 P. M.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Walter H. North, Minister
Church School, 10 a. m., Otho Whitefield, Supt. Morning Prayer and Sermon... 11 a. m.
Sermon Topic—Program for Our Problems.
Junior Choir, Friday... 4 p. m.
This Sunday will be "Rally Day." Goal for the day will be a full attendance in all departments.

A community auction will be held in the near future. Watch the paper for date and full particulars.

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Sun. Evening Service... 7:45 p. m.

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Letters From Our Readers

Following is a letter of two sheets, or more properly speaking—two letters of one sheet each, both coming in one envelope, from our friend, John Forwaller, who spent six weeks here with us this summer, and departed for Chicago some three weeks ago, where he and Lois (Mrs. Forwaller) are now enrolled for the ensuing year's work in the University of Chicago. It is dated, Sept. 29, 1948, and reads: (Quote) Dear John: This is a letter of protest. Where is my paper? I have been thinking of Friona often this last week and of you especially. Hope to get you off a decent letter soon. Tell George that I will see a man at the University about his statue this week. Have scouted around a little about where to send his book. More later. Regards to all. John (End Quote) Even the second sheet reads like this: Dear John: Appologies! I went down to mail this nasty letter on page one, when I discovered two issues of the Star in the mail box. Looks like the library is still going. Keep up the news on the school started today and I am job-hunting, so I am a little busy. Had time to read my Jock column in the Star, even though busy. J. Mr. Forwaller's address is 3707, Woodlawn St., Chicago 37, Illinois.

Texas Has 414 Cases Of Influenza

AUSTIN—The 414 cases of influenza reported in Texas last week, bring the incidence of this disease up to forty percent more than the seven year median, as shown from the figures submitted by the 181 counties sending in reports to the State Health Department. Influenza without complications may be fairly mild ailment, according to Dr. George W. Cox, State Health Officer, but he pointed out, complications can turn this disease into a dangerous condition very quickly. "Many cases of influenza are mild," Dr. Cox said. "Often they lend themselves to treatment readily. However, two important factors enter into the treatment of influenza, and they are, calling the family physician as soon as the first symptoms appear, and taking life very easy for a reasonable length of time after the acute stage has subsided." Dr. Cox declared that influenza is not mass-controllable. He emphasized that maintaining the highest possible health level at all times affords an individual the best protection from contracting this disease. "Getting plenty of sleep and rest, daily exercise in the open, nourishing foods, and strict personal hygiene are our best known defenses against influenza," Dr. Cox said. "This applies to all respiratory diseases. A person who avoids all habits and practices detrimental to a maximum well-being and thus builds up a strong resistance to disease, is much less likely to contract influenza than is the individual who does not guard his health in this manner."

Social Security Quarterly Tax Returns Are Due

Wages and employment under the taxing provisions of the Social Security Act are identical with those covered by the benefit-paying sections of the Act, according to a statement received this week from L. P. Herndon, Collector of Internal Revenue, Amarillo, and J. R. Sanderson, Manager of the Social Security

Administration in Amarillo. The regular quarterly social security tax returns and wage reports for the calendar quarter ending September 30 are due in the hands of the Collector of Internal Revenue, Dallas, by the end of October. For the sake of economy in the Government, and to simplify reporting of the same reports to secure needed information. Both officials strongly recommend to employers that the name and account number of each new worker be copied from his social security card when he starts to work. "To do so will enable an employer to file correctly completed reports," they said. "As a result, time and expense will be saved the Government, and inconvenience and possible penalties can be avoided by the employer. In addition, all workers will be sure to receive full wage credits towards the retirement and family insurance which they earn."

Respect Flag

(Continued from Page 1) them, but by being so compelled, they develop a sense of loyalty and reverence. Even the schools have omitted the teaching of proper respect for the symbols of our country. Seldom do you see the flag on display at the school, and many of the textbooks which formerly contained lessons on patriotism have been replaced with "modern and streamlined" editions. People would think it odd indeed if a teacher in this time of peace were to gather her children around the flag pole, and try to explain what Democracy really means and what it has taken for that Democracy to be attained. Many people see in the flag only the hardships of the thirteen colonies. They are too shortsighted to see that the red contains the blood of their sons and their neighbors' sons. The blue is blue because of the courage and loyalty of the father of the little lad next door, but do we feel obligated to that child and his mother who have lost their most precious possession? Wake up Friona. And stand up! It is the least you can do. Show a little respect for YOUR country's flag and you will be surprised at what will happen within your careless heart. Contributed

This Tommy Tucker Doesn't Sing, Is A Wow At Modeling Squirrel Size Fashions For School Students At Dawn

There was one Tommy Tucker who sang for his supper but the squirrel of the same name puts on fashion shows for his oranges and nuts and Thursday modeled for the children at Dawn school. Tommy is the pet of Mrs. Mark Bullis of Washington, D. C. who gained national publicity during the war when he modeled squirrel size dresses for children all over the country in youth-appeal bond drives. Now that his wartime fling at show business is a memory and a series of press clippings, he comes out of retirement only for benefit shows or when his soft-hearted mistress lets the children plead with him into watching him perform. Dr. and Mrs. Bullis were stopped at Dawn last week. They have spent almost two years touring the U. S. in their trailer house and Dawn became one of



Photo by Elmer Patterson
TOMMY TUCKER

their leisurely stopovers between the Grand Canyon and Florida. "We stopped here in the first place because the man was so agreeable about letting us stay on his lot. We stayed because the people are so genial," Mrs. Bullis said. "Why the neighbors have kept us supplied with fresh vegetables and the children keep bringing Tommy nuts. The friendliness here is certainly a contrast to the dog-eat-dog attitude of big business and big cities."

Opened Closed Banks She should know. During the

depression, Mrs. Bullis' business was opening closed banks. Dr. Bullis is a retired dental surgeon. They have no children. Tommy arrived at the Bullis home only a few blocks from the White House, seven years ago. He had fallen from a tree and needed some help. Squirrels are traditionally anti-social, but patience, kindness and love soon made Tommy Mrs. Bullis' devoted subject. Her husband says she is the only one who can handle him. Having a squirrel around certainly brightened up the place for the animated little animal kept it in a whirl of activity and the neighborhood children gravitated to the house.

Treasury Books Appearances During the war the Treasury Department was keying their drives to the children during a 1944 bond buying slump. With the youngsters interested in trained animals, Tommy was a natural so a representative of the Department descended on Mrs. Bullis and begged her support. They booked her appearances, made her reservations and sent her off to show Tommy in Red Cross uniforms, patriotic costumes, school clothes, period costumes, wedding dresses, Easter bonnets, etc. Tommy has six racks full of costumes. He is probably the only squirrel in the world with a personal dress-maker.

Any child could join the Tommy Tucker Club by purchasing a

war bond, and promising to be kind to animals. The children agreed to ask for bonds instead of presents for Christmas. Tommy's popularity grew; he was made an honorary member of several national organizations such as the Red Cross and was adopted as the mascot of a bomber crew. He made a network radio broadcast with the president of the United States, barking nerrily over the microphone.

Appears At GI Hospitals On this two year jaunt with the Bullis' he has appeared in children's hospitals, schools for the deaf and blind, veteran's hospitals and other benevolent causes. Tommy never accepts pay for these performances.

Currently he and his squirrel-wife, Buzzy, spend most of their time in a cage in the trailer and amuse themselves exercising on the rotating wheel, chattering noisily and entertaining Mrs. Bullis at coffee time.

When Tommy performed at school he modeled clothes, demonstrated his efficiency in cracking nuts, directed a band, and finally let Mrs. Bullis talk him into going to sleep in her arms. Tommy's talent has never gone to his head, but although he's still natural and unspoiled, he's strong willed, but Mrs. Bullis handles him with the firmness of a top sergeant. They get along nicely though because they respect each other. Tommy makes other people happy and Mrs. Bullis makes Tommy happy.

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11:45-12:00—Songs of the Pioneers
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6:00-6:15—U. P. News
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