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Clairette
By Mrs. Henry Mayfield

Mrs. Alto White and children of Fort Worth spent the past week with her mother, Mrs. L. E. Roberson.

Mr. Wiley Johnson returned home Wednesday after a visit with his daughter and family at Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. Babe Head and family of Fort Worth passed the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clark.

Lila Sherard of Mineral Wells spent the week end with home folks.

The oil company that has several thousand acres leased in this section is planning to put down Christian No. 1 southwest of Clairette two and one-half miles, in the next few days.

Mrs. Maud Dunbar has her mother from Arizona with her now.

We had a rainy week last week and vegetation is really growing and the insects are showing up in the gardens during this time.

Capt. Jake Havens of Omaha, Neb., spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Burl Havens, Mr. and Mrs. Havens, Florine and son accompanied Jake to Fort Worth.

Several attended the 4th quarterly conference at the Pleasant Hill Methodist Church Sunday.

Wesley Roberson and friend, Bill Gray of Fort Worth were week end visitors in the Herman Roberson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Johnson of Borger visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lee and family recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Landis and Bruce Lee left Sunday for Denver City where they are putting in a Jewelry Store.

Duffau played the Clairette baseball team Sunday evening here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Roberson and son of Stephenville visited his mother, Mrs. L. E. Roberson Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Luggie Randalls of Hico visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Noland and daughter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Wolfe of Hico visited in the Jewel Wolfe home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hub Alexander and family of Stephenville visited R. M. Alexander and other relatives Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Dowdy visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Loden of Hico Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Thompson and Eunice and Nola Lee went to Colorado City last Thursday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thompson. It is reported that Artie took ill after he arrived and was carried to the hospital.

A home-run hitter must touch all three bases of the run doesn't count; three Social Security bases that must be reached for full insurance credits are full name, correct number, and accurate wage reports.

Your Social Security benefits won't do the whole job of providing for you and your family; your own thrift and initiative must finish the financial structure.

FOR GOODNESS SAKE!
Hazlewood Milk
HICO FROZEN LOCKER

Hamilton-Coryell Soil Conservation District Notes
By LYN CONNELLY
NWNS Radio-Screen Editor

JACK KIRKWOOD has signed for three years on an exclusive basis with the Bob Hope show. The contract also calls for Kirkwood's services in the event that Hope turns to television during that period.

You're going to be seeing a lot of Doris Day, curvaceous and cute vocalist, in the next year. No less than 23 magazines have scheduled her as their cover girl. Don

DORIS DAY Ameche replaces Alan Young on NBC's Jimmy Durante show.

"A Tree Grows in Brooklyn" will be the basis for a projected half-hour dramatic series starring James Dunn. Now that Jimmy has found a new medium for his sadly overlooked talents, watch Hollywood suddenly "discover" him again! One of the best and most popular comedy shows — "Life of Riley" — has been axed by its current sponsor.

PLATTER CHATTER

VICTOR: Kumba blends will find a treat in store with Jose Morand's latest release. It's exhilarating "Coca-Roca" with a vocal by "Three Beans and a Peep". The reverse has the "Walter Thornton Kumba".

But if you prefer pop to rumba, Charlie Ventura has come up with a jump rendition of "Body and Soul" that's a dilly. The flip is "Whatta Ya Say We Go". More variety is to be found in the "Upside Down Polka" and its coupling "Outdoor Waltz", as done by the Six Fat Dutchmen in breezy style. For up-to-date numbers, catch Fran Warren's recording of two hit songs from the new Broadway musical by Rodgers and Hammerstein, "South Pacific". They are "I'm Gonna Wash That Man Right Outta My Hair" and "A Wonderful Guy".

CAPITOL: Woody Herman's back with a super arrangement of that torchy, "I Got It Bad And That Ain't Good". The flip has an instrumental number called "That's Right". A couple of seat numbers done up handsomely are "Do Something" with its reverse, "Have You Got The Gumption," as done by Scat Man Crothers.

Altman
By Mrs. J. H. McAnally

Mr. and Mrs. Lavell McPherson and sons, James and Kenneth of Dublin, Mr. and Mrs. Guy McPherson and son, Travis Dean of Purves visited Mr. and Mrs. O. W. McPherson and daughter, Miss Crech Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Yoeham and sons of Rankin, Mrs. Jessie Timms of Blytheville, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. Harry Yoeham and children, Jerry and Kay of Carlton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harve Yoeham Sunday.

Mrs. John Allen Moore of Baytown visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Moore and Mr. and Mrs. John Moore and Janice during the week end.

Martin Bingham and H. E. Jones were Dublin visitors Friday.

Several from this community were in Hico Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Richardson and little son, Jerry of Fairly and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Adams and son, Jimmy of Hico visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McAnally Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Moore of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Moore of Baytown spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Moore and Janice.

Mrs. Eula Vinson of Hico and her son, Anson Vinson of Lubbock are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hyles.

Tull Tompson and Uncle Dock Kerley were Dublin visitors Wednesday afternoon.

FOR GOODNESS SAKE!
Hazlewood Milk
TEXAN CAFE

Hamilton-Coryell Soil Conservation District Notes
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The District Cooperators named immediately below have planted legumes to add nitrogen to the plant food in the soil and to improve the physical structure of the soil so that it will allow the penetration of rainfall.

Paul Davidson, 20 miles northeast of Hamilton in the Percyville group, has 12 acres of hairy vetch and abuzzi rye that is making very excellent growth.

C. R. Houston, 7 miles northwest of Hamilton in the Elza group, has 7 acres of vetch and speltz that has made most satisfactory growth all during the winter and spring.

W. E. Barnett, 12 miles northwest of Hamilton in the Spurlin group, has 25 acres of winter peas which have made satisfactory growth all during the winter and are now making a vigorous growth.

John Guest, 12 miles northwest of Hamilton in the Sunshine group reports 45 acres of Dixie wonder winter peas.

Wesley Garrett, 10 miles east of Hamilton in the Evergreen group, reports 30 acres of Hubam Clover and 8 acres of Madrid Clover that are growing nicely.

The following District Cooperators have installed parts of the water disposal systems of their farms to carry off excess water slowly and thus reduce their soil losses:

Owen Drake, 6 miles south of Hamilton in the Little Cowhous group, has constructed 3175 feet of large channel type terraces.

Lee Bottlinger, 7 miles southwest of Hamilton in the Little Cowhous group, 945 feet of collective outlet waterway.

Mrs. Ella Harris, 18 miles southwest of Hamilton in the Springdale group, has constructed 595 feet of collective outlet waterway, 2050 feet of diversions and 6750 feet of channel type terraces.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

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Now farmers get their shopping done comfortably, and the merchants have a better place to park than they had before. Just took a little friendly co-operation to make everybody happy.

From where I sit, most differences can be ironed out by just talking things over—maybe with a cup of coffee or glass of beer—and seeing the other person's side of it. Next time you have a problem or a little difference to settle, why not try just that?

Joe Marsh

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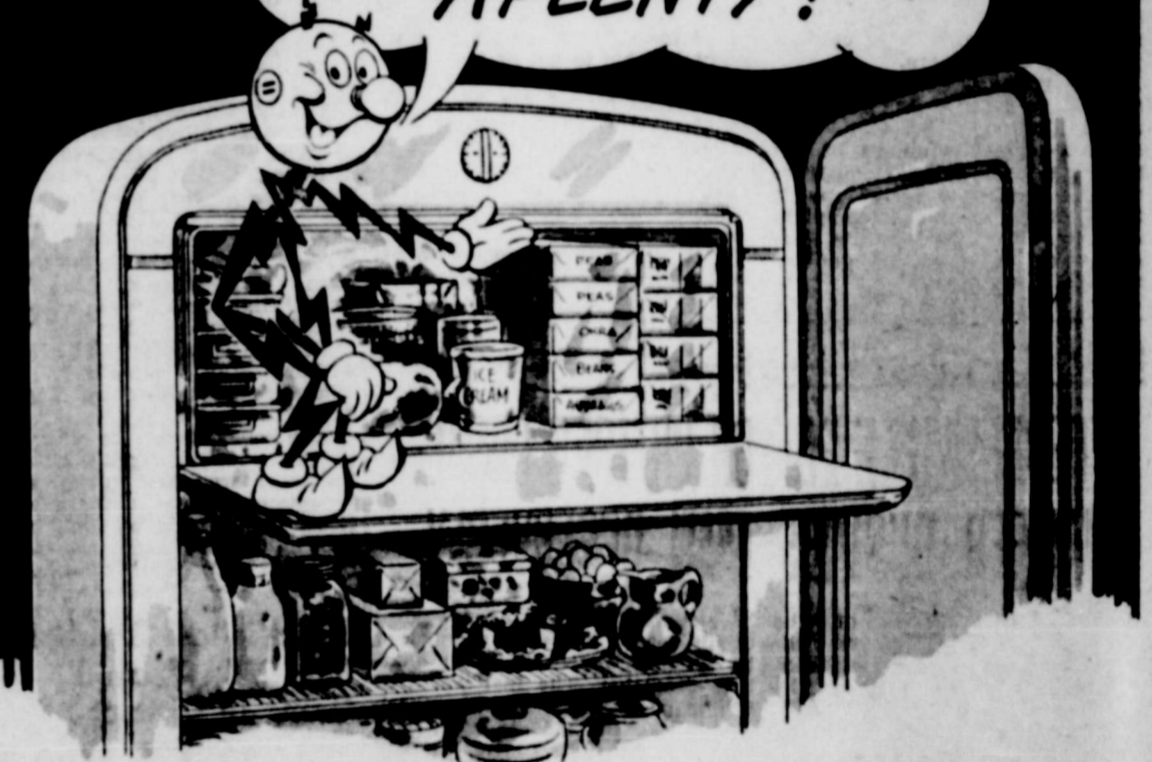


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HOMEMAKING NEWS
 Nothing very exciting happened in the cottage last week. Miss Robine might have thought it exciting, having us plan menus and market lists for two weeks. We didn't think it was even funny planning forty-two menus and the cost of each, but they say that sort of thing goes with homemaking.
 — H H S —
BAND NEWS
 All the band members are a very happy bunch. One reason

MAYOR McGUP . . . By J. Jarvis

MAYOR, WE'RE HONORED TO HAVE YOU TOSS OUT THE FIRST BALL OF THE 1949 SEASON!
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 MAYOR, ISN'T THIS SCREEN RATHER SILLY? HOW SO?
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at the star, in the water. Say, how did they do that? Wendell and Ione, Raymond and Audine were gazing at stars from a gentle sloping hill.
 Mary Nell and Jo Nell were alone the first part of the evening but when show time came Truman and Von also came.
 I received information as to where to find Pat and Don and Jo and Ralph, but when I arrived they were already gone.
 Paul and Betty were riding around. Say, those are pretty tall lights his car has. Milton and Jimmie and Barbara and Garland were double dating together.
 In the show Glen and Patsy, La Verne and Ralph, Wanda and Don, and Louise and Earl sat watching each other and the show.
 What comes next? A ball game! Lets go take a look.
 I see Patsy and Shirley sitting in Buck's car. Buck and Vernon visited them as often as possible. Mary and Betty came with Odell and James. Bertha M. was with

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SPOTLIGHT
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 Tuesday night, along with the rain, Ralph J. took Jo S. to the show. Norman took Mona and Fred and O. J. took Lois and Jo M.
 Up at Shirley Seago's home, music and noise were heard. I stopped by for some punch and saw Patsy and Buck sitting on the couch. Ralph, Vernon and Buck and Paul had quite a game of dominoes, so I heard. I couldn't figure out who was with who. Maybe they all came separate. Pat and Frances were there. Punk had a birthday last week so she and Milton celebrated. Barbara and Garland were spending a quiet evening at her home. So were Myrna and Delbert, or so I heard.
 Wednesday night it was still raining so I hunted a dry place to stop. The one I found was the show. Betty and Paul were keeping dry inside the show. Say, Wanda Jean and Don W. were out again. I guess this means a definite addition to the couples of Hico.
 Next night the drizzle continued but so did the dating. In fact, instead of dampening the spirits it seemed to increase them.
 You know I've said Wendell and Raymond have hard luck. Well Thursday night luck was again against them. What happened? Well maybe you had better ask them; it's rather personal.
 Jo and Ralph had a new couple dating with them. It was Betty K. and Robert R. There seemed to be some question next morning about where they went the night before. I know, but I promised not to tell.
 O. J. and Fred picked Jo and Lois up in a "pick-up truck" but they didn't go across the Tenn. border.
 Don brought Pat to the play practice and went to sleep in the car while waiting on her.
 Friday night the town was nearly empty of the boys. They were away at track and of course with the boys gone, the girls stayed at home.
 All day Saturday and up until that night, everyone was kept in a dither. Is it going to be warm or continue raining? Shall I take a coat or not? Due to the sun coming out and then going away and showers fall ever now and then it was hard to decide.
 By nightfall everyone was a ready to go and go they did. Every where, all the time.
 Myrna and Delbert were gazing

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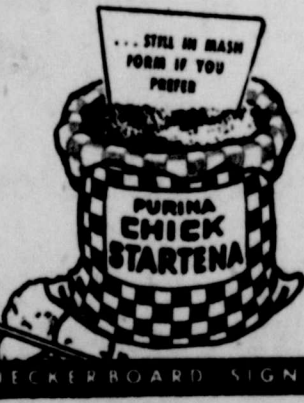
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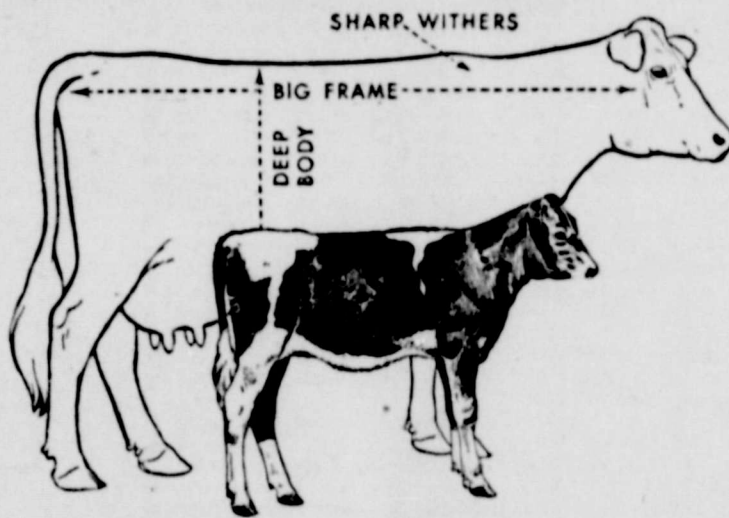
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Successful Parenthood

BY MRS. CATHERINE CONRAD EDWARDS
Associate Editor, Parents' Magazine

WE HAVE written several times lately about types of lies that children tell and what usually prompts them. But we haven't said anything about the untruths and half-truths that parents tell their children.

Recently, I heard a mother telling of something she had "put over" on her teen-age daughter. It seems that the girl had the unfortunate habit of opening her mother's mail and had come across a letter from the bank about interest due on a \$2,000.00 loan. The daughter was terrified at this evidence of family insolvency and asked her mother about it. Now the loan was a business one which the mother had secured in order to take advantage of a favorable investment opportunity. But she didn't tell the girl this because she wished to keep her worried over the state of the family pocketbook in order to curb the daughter's extravagances.

Granted that children should keep their demands well within their parents' means, this use of fear, like the threats some fathers used to make that "you're driving us all to the poor house," is a poor substitute for taking the children into your confidence. Besides, this type of lie is sure to backfire. Sooner or later the facts come out and then, like the boy who cried wolf, no one in the family will believe what you say about financial pitfalls and the need for economy.

Another type of dissembling that is indulged in by over-conscientious parents is pretending you aren't angry with a child when you are boiling over inside. It would be far

more wholesome for both of you if you would admit your anger. Say, "It makes me furious for you to leave your roller skates in the hall." Instead of enduring this thoughtlessness with patient martyrdom. If you are hurt when your teen-age children criticize you, don't hide your feelings and sulk in silence. Don't take it out on them, either, by finding unnecessary fault with them.

Suppose it is your grooming which they think falls below that of their friends' mothers. Explain that if you could have a little more time to yourself you might do better in this respect—that if Betty would set the table every night you could slip upstairs to recomb your hair and freshen your makeup. Also, here's a good chance to stress the necessity for less extravagance on the children's part—fewer faddy things for them and you could afford a new blouse to change the appearance of your suit.

Actually, children like to know that their parents are human—they even like to know that they can nettle us. There is nothing that makes one feel so unimportant as a sense of having no effect whatsoever on someone you love. Yet many parents, in their mistaken efforts to appear all wise and forever calm, make their children feel just that.

Of course, constant losing of one's temper and frequent irritability create an unhappy atmosphere that is hard on children. But expressing enough honest anger to make our children realize that we mean what we are saying when we reprove them, is a good safety valve.

IREDELL ITEMS

by Miss Stella Jones, Local Correspondent

Mrs. Neaterlin and children spent Thursday and Friday in Troy with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Myers and children and his father of Waco visited relatives here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Echols are the proud owners of a new Plymouth car.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Echols of San Antonio spent the week end with his parents and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Harris.

Mrs. Betsy Phillips, who is going to a business college in Fort Worth, spent the week end at home.

Luther Sowell has returned from Glen Rose and is back in the post office.

Mrs. Eula Hutchins of De Leon spent the week with her mother, Mrs. McAdoo.

Word was received Friday morning that an infant was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Helzer of Fort Worth and died at birth. She was Miss Kathaleen Hughes. They have the sympathy of their friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen and daughter spent the past Sunday night in Mosheim.

Mr. and Mrs. Landis and children spent Sunday in Crawford. Maurine remained for a week's visit.

Mr. R. J. Davis is visiting his granddaughter, Mrs. Weidon Young, and husband in Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. James Porter and children of Fort Worth spent the week end with his parents.

The following attended the reburial of Sgt. Jack Williamson, age 23, on Wednesday: Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Williamson, his parents; Ben Williamson, brother from Dallas; Sgt. Rufus Williamson, a brother from Houston; James Williamson, Mrs. C. W. Davis of Meridian; Mrs. Howard Myers. The funeral was in Fort Sam Houston. He was killed March 23, 1944.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stroud spent the Easter holidays in Nacogdoches with their son-in-law and wife, Mr. and Mrs. George Hindman and daughter.

Miss Norma Jean Jones, who works in the Stephenville hospital, spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Lynch and son of Hico spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Y. Gann and baby of Alice, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Latham Howell and baby of Stephenville spent the past week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hensley.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Benson Jr. and baby of Beaumont spent Sunday with his grandmother, Mrs. W. D. Oldham.

Mr. Albert Hensley, who worked in Austin, is at home for a while. He isn't well.

Work is progressing nicely on the test oil well on the Clanton ranch two miles from town. It is hoped the well will be a success.

Mr. Will V. Jones and son, Mr. W. O. Jones, city manager, and Mr. Kepper, all of Fort Worth, and Mrs. Mayme Young and daughter, Miss Faye, of Meridian spent Sunday here. All were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Binkley. My nephew, Mr. W. O. Jones, came after me as church broke.

The luncheon was fine and plenty of it. All enjoyed it. Mrs. Burson accompanied them home for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Will V. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McLoughlin of Houston spent the week end with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brannon and their son and wife of Comanche spent the week end with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Mitchell were in Stephenville Sunday afternoon.

Iredell and community have had more rains today (Monday) and it still looks rainy. Be fine if we could have fair weather a while.

Mrs. Grace Fouts, who is with her daughter in Fort Worth, spent the week end at home.

The Imperial Sugarland Quartet will be here May 6, sponsored by the Methodist ladies. Everyone be sure to come and hear them.

Mrs. Chancellor spent Friday night with her daughter, Mrs. Vaden Ross, and family of Whitney.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Mitchell visited relatives in Glen Rose Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Hudson and children of Weatherford spent the week end with his father, Mr. Philemon Hudson and daughter, Marie.

Mr. and Mrs. Kilgo of Fairy and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kilgo and two children of Hico spent Sunday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Edmond Hudson, and family.

Mrs. Julia Gosdin spent Sunday in Dublin with her daughter, Mrs. Jack Noel.

Mrs. Annie Goodman visited relatives in Hico over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Swindall visited his sister who is in a hospital in Fort Worth. They were there on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Helm and son visited in Fort Worth and Dallas Friday.

Mr. John W. Parks was in Dallas Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hughes and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Helzer in Fort Worth this week end. Mrs. Helzer is their daughter. Mrs. Hughes remained for a longer visit.

John Gaston and Miss Frankie Marie Gosdin were married April 15 in Meridian. They went on to Houston and Galveston on their honeymoon. They will live in Cranfills Gap. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gaston of Cranfills Gap. He farms. Mrs. Gaston is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Gosdin of near Iredell. Their friends wish for them a long and happy life together.

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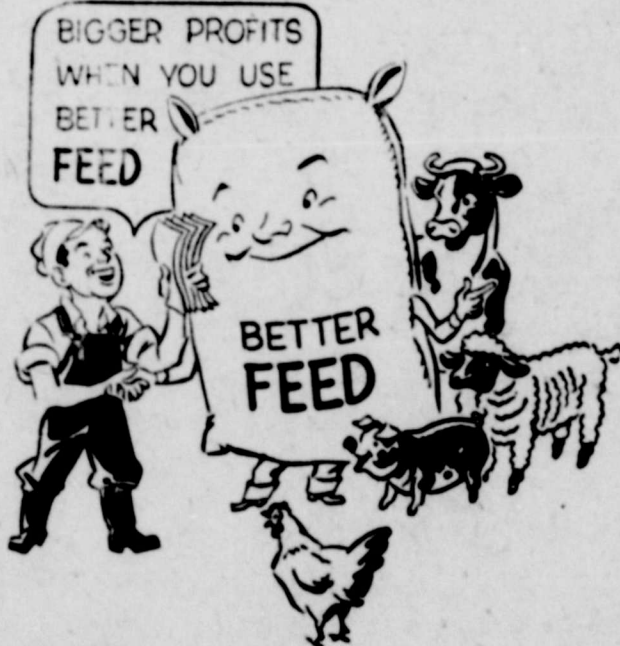
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