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PROCLAMATION

Elsewhere in the columns of this issue of the Texas Spur appears a proclamation by the President of the United States of America setting this week aside as National Farm Safety Week. Proclamations will not save lives but broken limbs nor pay doctor and hospital bills. Concerted action on the part of every man, woman and child to eliminate the causes of accidents and the use of common horse sense in our every day activities by being careful will save most of the 18,000 lives lost annually that the Presi-

dent is calling to our attention. Read that proclamation over again and let's see what we can do about cutting down on our accident rate on our farms, ranches, highways and in our own homes and places of business.

Dewey Lee Watson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floy Watson, has recently enlisted in the Navy and has informed Spur friends of his new address. It is: Dewey Lee Watson, S. R. Company 49-250 U. S. Naval Training Center San Diego, California

New Instructor For McMurry College



DR. W. NORTON JONES, JR.

To meet the increased needs for advanced courses in chemistry, McMurry college has added Dr. W. Norton Jones, Jr., now head of the chemistry department of the Fort Lewis branch of Colorado A & M college to the faculty as professor of chemistry, effective in September.

The announcement was made this week by Dr. Harold G. Cooke, president of McMurry. "This is in response to the increasing demand made upon us by students who wish thorough training in science, particularly the new phases of chemistry," he said. "Author of a beginner's college text in chemistry, and a laboratory exercise book, Dr. Jones also has published numerous articles in various magazines and newspapers. He received his bachelor's degree from Hendrix college, and his master's and doctor of philosophy degree from Johns Hopkins.

THE SUPERSONIC AGE

SCIENTISTS ARE PLANNING GUIDED MISSILES WHICH WILL FLY TO TARGETS UNDETECTED BY MAN. BEFORE MANUFACTURING, MODELS WILL BE TESTED AS SMALL MODELS.

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GERMANY'S V-2 ROCKET TAKEN OVER BY AMERICA HAS ROUN TO ALTITUDE OF 180 MILES, ATTAINED SPEED OF 3200 MPH. NOW INSTRUMENTS OF SCIENCE ROCKETS ARE FIRST DEVELOPED AS TINY SCALE MODELS.

WOOSH!

JET FIGHTERS HOLD EXISTING SPEED RECORDS. EXACT SPEED IS SECRET.

MODEL PLANE CONTEST

PLYMOUTH MOTOR CORP. WILL INVITE 500 OF THE WORLD'S FINEST MODEL BUILDERS TO THE 2ND INTERNATIONAL MODEL PLANE CONTEST AT BETHOY AUGUST 18-23. MODEL BUILDERS WILL FLY PLANES POWERED BY RUBBER BANDS, SMALL GAS ENGINES AND POWERFUL JET JOBS THAT REACH SPEEDS UP TO 150 MPH. APPLICATION BLANKS FOR THE CONTEST ARE AVAILABLE AT PLYMOUTH DEALERS.

Mrs. Carl Williams Recently Had As Guests Her Sisters

Mrs. Carl Williams recently met her sisters, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Row and son, Ralph of Denton, and Miss Ollie Russell and her friend Mrs. Jack Turner of Greenville in Amarillo, where they all visited for a few days with Mrs. Williams' children, Mrs. Jean Hill Mrs. Leslie Swindell and James Williams.

Later in the week they all came to Spur where they visited in the Williams home until Saturday. It was the first visit to Spur in two years.

Claude Linville and daughter of Haskell, returned home Monday after spending the week end in Spur where he attended the Russo reunion.



Bobby Cook, and his Famous Texas Saddle Pals, Red Barn Recording Stars of radio, records, stage and screen, who will appear here Saturday evening at 8:45 p. m., August 7, 1948, at the High School Auditorium under sponsorship of the Chas. Ensey Post 7212, VFW, are currently appearing in person daily over radio station KWFT, in Wichita Falls, Texas.

After a two year tour of eighteen states in the East, and Midwest, and numerous appearances on the famous Grande Ole Opry at Nashville, Tennessee, they were signed to a five-month contract to do four programs daily over KWFT. They are heard daily at 5:45, 6:30, and 9:30 am, and at 1:00 pm.

Featured on their show here will be Bobby Cook and Buddy Nelson, vocal Duet Team, who recently gained nation-wide publicity with their recording of "Bad Daddy Blues," along with Pete Jackson and his Miracle Mandolin, a former featured star with Cowboy Copas, and Bradley Kincaid at The Grande Ole Opry. A highlight in the show is the comedian, "Brainless Benny Boomfuzzle" who has appeared in numerous Hollywood Shorts with the Weaver Bros. and Elvira. Boomfuzzle, has worked on many big-time radio and stage shows, and is rated as one of the best "Rube" comedians of today.

As a special added feature to the show being brought here by Chas. Ensey Post 7212 VFW, will be another Radio and Stage personality that is widely known among Texans, Jimmy Morgan, The Original Kentucky Balladier, A Native Kentuckian, Jimmy is widely acclaimed by thousands of radio listeners as being the originator of the style songs now made so famous by Bradley Kincaid, and Berl Ives.

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Vets Claim Surplus Army Merchandise

Veterans, state and local governments and non-profit institutions have only four weeks left to claim preference in purchasing surplus personal property. Existing priorities will be eliminated, by order of Congress, on August 31. War Assets Administration will, however, continue to accord prior rights to federal agencies, particularly those having to do with national defense. General offerings of consumer goods will be made in such a way that individual veterans and representatives of small businesses will have as favorable an opportunity to purchase as any other buyers.

Top Texas sale for veterans others before the priorities are abolished will be an offering of about \$25,000 worth of merchandise at the Amarillo Air Base. Included will be 11 vehicles, to be sold on a bid basis to veterans only. Other lots, which all buyers are invited to bid on, will consist of steel cots and bunk beds, gas ranges, nuts, bolts and screws and numerous small miscellaneous items. Sale will be held the morning of August 5, with inspection the day before.

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Q—You said it was illegal to kill porcupines. They pay a bounty on them in some countries—fifty cents a tail.

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VETERANS NEWS

Thousands of World War II veterans may lose the opportunity to reinstate National Service Life Insurance worth many millions of dollars unless they act before August 1, the Veterans Administration says.

After July 31, veterans whose NSLI term policies have been lapsed more than three months, must take physical examination to

qualify as insurable risks. Before August 1, veterans have only to sign a comparative health statement.

Eligible veterans may reinstate any amount of term insurance up to \$10,000 in multiples of \$500 regardless of the length of time it has been lapsed under present liberal regulations if they appear before August 1.

They need only fill out a simple application form, in which they certify that their health is as good as when the policy lapsed and pay premiums for two months.

Authority of the Veterans Administration to provide automobiles or other conveyances for veterans of World War II who in service lost, or lost the use of, one or both legs at or above the ankle, has been extended until June 30, 1949.

The law granting vehicles to such disabled veterans had been

scheduled to expire June 30, 1948. The extension and an appropriation of \$1,500,000 for the program were contained in the Second Deficiency Appropriation Act for 1948.

A veteran who qualifies is entitled to an automobile or other conveyance costing not more than \$1,500, including such special equipment or appliance as may be necessary to enable him to operate the vehicle safely.

Above named application blanks may be obtained from W. D. Blair or Adrian Ricketts.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q—What is the deadline for reinstatement of lapsed National Service Life Insurance on a comparative health basis?

A—July 31, 1948, is the last day to make application for policies which have lapsed for more



Centuries Of Threshing Re-Enacted At Milwaukee

MILWAUKEE—The ancient sweep-power and thresher pictured above will play featured roles at the Wisconsin Centennial Exposition where they will join other historic machines and methods in a pageant dramatizing 5,000 years of agricultural history. These machines and others dating back more than a century, will demonstrate changing threshing methods from pioneer times to the present. Entitled the "March of Machines", the pageant is being presented by the J. I. Case Company. It will re-enact actual threshing methods beginning with flailing and treading, as practiced from Biblical times until a century ago, and culminating with the combine of today. The "March of Machines" is a feature of the opening week of the Centennial Exposition to be held at State Fair Park, Milwaukee, August 8 through 14.

Spur Students Enrolled At ACC

Abilene Christian College opening the second semester of its 1948 summer school July 21, has enrolled 561 students from 25 states and four foreign countries, South Africa, Australia, Mexico and India. The college's fall semester will open September 14.

Included among the students in ACC are two students from Spur. They are Vernell Wilson, a senior student majoring in secondary education; and W. W. Pickens, Jr., a junior student majoring in agriculture.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey of Lockney, former Spur residents, visited their daughter, Grace Bailey here last week from Tuesday until Friday.

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than three months without taking a physical examination.

Q—Were do I get an application blank to reinstate NSLI policies?

A—VA form 9-352A should be filled out and mailed to VA or before July 31, 1948. Blanks can be obtained from the nearest VA office, the service officer of any veterans' organization, the American Red Cross or most insurance agents.

Q—How much will it cost to reinstate my GI insurance?

A—Your application for reinstatement should be accompanied by at least two monthly premiums in the amount of insurance that you had at that time. If you wish a smaller amount, reduce your premium payment accordingly. For example, if you paid \$6.00 a month for \$10,000 while in service and you want only \$1,000 now, you should send VA two premiums of 65 cents each, and continue to pay 65 cents every 30 days to prevent further lapse.

Q—If I cannot afford the full \$10,000 can a lesser amount be reinstated?

A—Yes. Application may be made for amount from \$1,000 to \$10,000 in multiples of \$500.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Meador and two children of Spur, shopped in Lubbock last Thursday.



NOTICE

On July 20th, I purchased the Clemmons Insurance Agency from Rob Simmons, and will combine the two agencies in about two weeks, to be located in my present place of business.

I feel proud to own both agencies and will do my best to give courteous and efficient service at all times. If you have any insurance needs or troubles, come in and we will talk it over.

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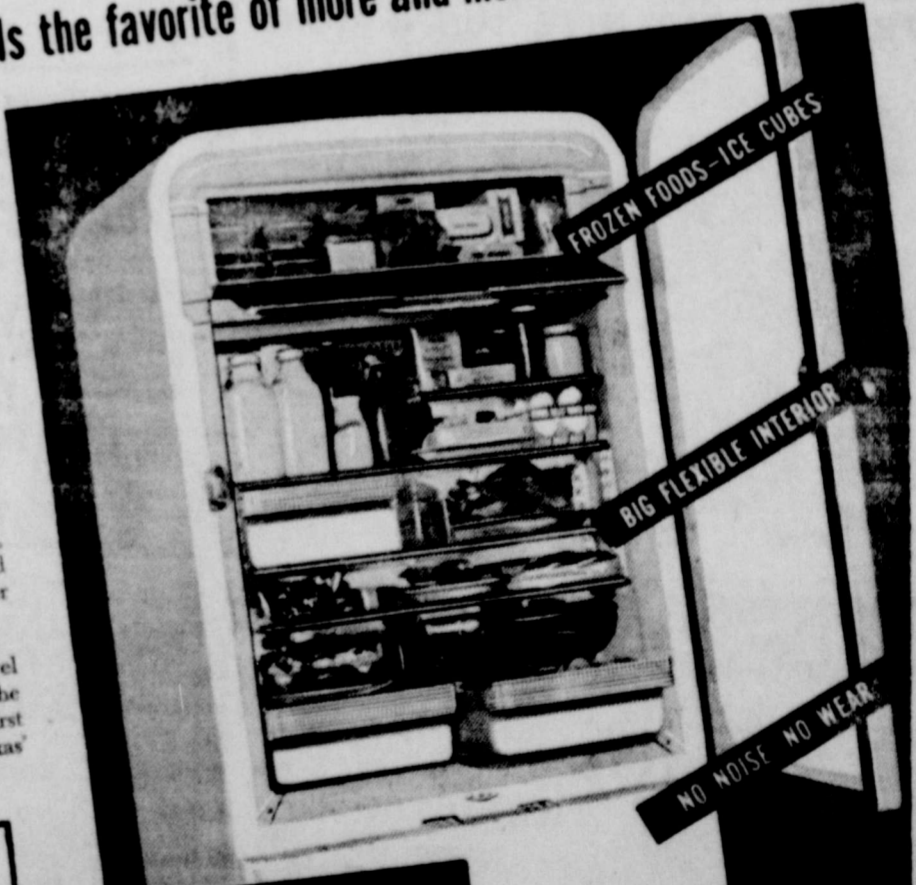
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