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Radio Talk

Given by Mr. Henry P. Malloy over KGL, San Angelo, April 22, 1941)

Good Morning!!!

In Texas there are 37,811 trench silos with 2,190 other kinds of silos such as upright, pit, stack and pick-fence. This means a total of 40,000 silos of all kinds.

The average capacity of all silos in the state is 116 tons, which would give us a total of 4,640,000 tons of silage put up in Texas in 1940.

Trench silos in Sterling County date back to the year 1912. J. S. Cole built one and in 1914 built another which is still in use.

Mr. George Broome, and the Baie brothers dug two small silos and filled about 125 tons each. A good job of putting the silage in both places sold the idea on these two ranches and the following year both silos were enlarged greatly.

In 1938 the Broome silo was enlarged and filled with 700 tons of corn and begari. This was fed to the cattle.

Mr. Claude Collins, constructed two silos on the Hackberry Ranch and put up 1000 tons of feed. Part of this silage was fed to 95 short calves that were estimated to weigh 325 pounds at 8c per pound total purchasing price of \$2,568.00.

The ration fed these calves consisted of 4 pounds of ground maize heads at 80c per 100, which made a total of \$2.88.

Cotton seed meal was used with this, at \$1.75 per head or a total of \$4.63 per head. The calves at selling time weighed 480 pounds at 9c per pound which made a total of \$43.20 per head or a grand total of \$423.60.

The value of the calves plus the concentration made a total of \$3021.86. This shows that the 122 tons of silage sold for \$9.92 per ton made it possible for Mr. Claude Collins to carry these calves which he would not have done without the silage and to realize the profit of \$211.86.

The remainder of that 1000 tons of silage is still in the ground for an emergency.

Forrest Foster, filled three silos, with a total of 350 tons. This feed was grown on his own farm and in the fall of 1940, he bought 32 short calves that averaged 250 pounds at 7c per pound, which was a total of \$613.68.

J. C. & N. H. Reed, dug two silos with a capacity 450 tons. They bought feed at \$3.00 per ton delivered. Half of this feed was used in the winter of 1940 and 41 for supplementary ration to feed sheep and cattle on the range.

Mr. H. G. Garlington constructed a trench silo and raised feed on his farm to fill it. By a pasture rotation and grazing his fields plus the use of the home raised silage he is able to carry more livestock on his pasture than he could if he did not have this stored feed.

Mr. R. T. Lee, who operates a big farming unit, put his feed in silos and sells the stored feed in the silos for 10 or 800 tons from Mr. Lee.

W. N. & L. R. Reed have an upright silo which holds 250 tons of feed they use for supplementary feeding each year. They also have trench silos with a capacity of 100 tons filled for emergency.

Joe Wood, of the Satterwhite and Wood Stock farm, feed cane and begari which was stored in trench silos.

In conclusion, let me say the ranchmen of Sterling County who have cultivated land, that can produce their own feed at low cost are looking forward to filling their silos

The Oldtimer



(WNU Service)

Your Teeth

The high prevalence of faulty dental conditions among draftees when they report for physical examinations is cited by Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, as emphasizing the need for early and regular dental care for children—both at home and under professional supervision.

Doctor Cox stated that dental disease has resulted in the rejection of as high as ten per cent of draftees for regular military service. He attributed these dental defects to failure of the draftees to avail themselves of dental care—even when properly advised—during childhood. Another probable factor was the period of economic depression during which a great deal of needed preventive dental service was allowed to go unattended.

"When the majority of the present draftees were of elementary school age there was little or no development of the present-day dental school health program. These programs, still not nearly as universal as they should be, aim at the double goal of educating the child in the importance of good teeth and securing needed dental care for the child from his family dentist or through school dental clinics. By the first of these two aims it is hoped that children will be led to continue dental care in their later years.

"Had the draftees received the initial care that results from this school program, the ill effects of the depression period would probably not have been so markedly reflected in the present day condition of their teeth. Every dental defect that results in the loss of a tooth had a small beginning. Had these and subsequent defects been noted early and corrected, the number of necessarily extracted teeth would have been materially reduced, with, in turn, reduction of the number of draft exemptions because of dental defects.

"There is no cure for dental decay, once it is started, other than prompt corrective service by a dentist. It is believed that the efforts now being made to accustom the children to early and regular dental care will prevent the development of conditions similar to those that are now influencing the rejection of draftees. If it does this, it will also result in the improved health of our adult population whether or not a national emergency is faced.

"And good teeth in healthy bodies are as essential in normal as in emergency periods."

First Defense Bonds Sold Here

The sale of Defense Saving Bonds opened at the Sterling City Post Office last Thursday. Postmaster Anna Lee Johnson reports that J. T. Davis was the first purchaser. He bought \$5,000 worth of the bonds which is the limit for one person to buy. The total sold was \$5,525.80. These bonds are good stuff and very popular. You can buy them on the installment plan. That is, you buy a stamp and paste it in an album for that purpose, and when you have enough you can buy a bond. The stamps are as good as Uncle Sam can make them and you can't lose or go wrong in the investment.

Now is a good time for the kiddies to save their money and thereby help their Uncle Sam to provide for the common defense.

Record Rainfall For April

J. T. Davis, local federal volunteer weather observer reports that the rainfall for April, 1941, was the heaviest in the past 25 years.

The next heaviest rainfall was 4.57 inches in April, 1926.

The rainfall for the past April is as follows:

April 13	was .40 inches
April 15,	1.05
April 18,	.10
April 19,	.50
April 26,	3.90
April 27,	.75
Total	6.70 inches

for periods of drouth. There are only 5,300 acres of cultivated land in this county and when there is a surplus of feed grown over the state the ranchman in this district find it pays to buy feed and have it delivered here and their best means of preserving it is in the trench silos. By practicing rotation of grazing with the use of silage, the farmers and ranchmen are able to carry more livestock on their range land.

To sum it all up, the Silo Program in Sterling County is generally used for an emergency and for a carry over in drouth periods.

I thank you.

COLLEGE FAVORITE



Ruth Hussey, rising M-G-M featured player, has just been picked by University of Michigan alumni as their "ideal girl." Miss Hussey is from Providence, R. I., and her outstanding 1940 role of the past year was in "The Philadelphia Story."

Miss Margie Smith Honored

Mrs. John Cole and Mrs. Foster Conger were the hostesses at a bridge party on Wednesday evening, April 23, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Cole. Miss Margie Smith of the high school faculty, bride elect of Mr. Frank Mulligan, was the guest of honor.

Spring flowers in colorful profusion decorated the house.

Mrs. Templeton Foster was awarded high score prize, and Miss Mary Roach, low. These they presented to the honoree who was also presented a lovely gift by the hostesses.

An attractive plate consisting of white angel squares decorated with pink icing and pink ice cream in the shape of wedding bells was served the following guests: Misses Florene Allen, Rena Ball, Pearl Faires, Dorothy Ferrell, Ethel Foster, Lois Stone, and Mary Roach; and Mesdames Fred Allen, Floyd Burnett, H. M. Carter, Hinton Emery, Clyde Everitt, Lester Foster, Roy Foster, Rufus Foster, Templeton Foster and W. N. Reed.

The difference between all the totalitarian "isms"—Communism, Fascism and Nazism—and Democracy, is that totalitarianism lowers every one to the same level, and Democracy raises all to the same level.

National Hardware Week Continues

Hundreds of local families have crowded the Lowe Hardware Co during the first few days of National Hardware Spring Open House to get a preview of what's new for spring in the hardware industry.

"You are in for a surprise at our Spring Open House celebration, especially if you have had the old-fashioned idea that hardware means only hammers, nails and metal-ware," said Mr. Lowe, manager of the store.

"There is something here for every member of the family—kitchenware ware and home appliances for Mother, garden tools and household equipment for Father, gifts and novelties for Sister and, of course, sporting goods for Brother. All of the merchandise featured for Open House is brand new and much of it was prepared by manufacturers especially for Open House," he said.

This ten-day merchandising event and preview is sponsored by the National Retail Hardware Association and more than 100 national manufacturers and 10,000 hardware retailers are taking active part.

Although there are many special values for Spring Open House, it is more than just a sale, according to George W. Green, president of the National Association. It is a nationwide, co-operative effort to acquaint the buying public with the values and variety of merchandise offered by independent hardware retailers.

Lindbergh complains that as an American citizen he had a right to express his opinion. He did. No one will deny that, but he who expresses an opinion must give others the same right to criticize that opinion. Lindbergh is bitterly opposed to the Administration's policy of national defense and industriously circulated his opinions in a manner to do the most harm. President Roosevelt compared Lindbergh as a "cop perhead." Lindy got mad and quit. Most everybody is glad of it. He should go to Germany where he is popular and appreciated. His vapor ings are not at all popular in America except among the Fifth Columnists.

District Court

Our District Court convened here last Monday. Judge Sutton empaneled the grand jury and set that body to work with George Case as foreman.

In the afternoon the grand jury returned two bills of indictment. One against a colored man charging felony theft of two rings valued at more than \$50.

The other indictment was against R. V. Fuqua of Big Spring, charging murder in connection with the fatal car crash here on April 19 in which L. S. Coone, 50, of Greenville and Joy B. Tongs, 22, of DeKleb, Texas, lost their lives.

Court will convene next Monday to make disposition of the two cases.

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Editor and Owner

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Col. Lindbergh Quits

Col. Lindbergh resigned last Monday as Colonel in the U. S. Reserve Air Corps. The reason of his resignation, he talked toodammuch and the President said things about "Lindy."

When "Lindy" went to Europe after the tragic death of his little boy, he visited Russia and after hobnobbing with the Russians, he went to Germany and told the Germans that Russia's air force wasn't worth a dam.

This tickled the Germans and Hitler planned a swastika medal on him and told him he was a bully boy mit a glass eye.

This all went to "Lindy's" head, and he came to America and was appointed Colonel in the reserved Air Corps. Since then, the Col. has been putting in most of his time criticising Uncle Sam.

He has been telling the people that Germany will whip England with the United States thrown in. He has been trying to get the people and the army to believe that they will be badly whipped if they start anything with Hitler. The Col. has tried to hamper defense preparations by trying to get the people to believe that defense activities is a waste of time and money and that the Germans would lick us any way.

As a member of the U. S. Army Lindbergh has been trying to make the average soldier believe that Uncle Sam's army is a very inferior affair and that if they went into battle with the Germans, they would surely be licked.

Evidently, Lindbergh reasoned that if the people and the army could be made to believe that they would be licked, they were already licked.

Lindbergh quit while the quitting was good, because having a small following was a menace to the moral of that following.

The trouble with "Lindy" he talked toodammuch. I am glad he quit. I think most every true American is glad too. In my private opinion "Lindy" is just a plain damphool.—Uncle Bill

Defense Savings Bonds

The United States Defense Savings Bonds and Postal Savings Stamps will be placed on sale in the Post Office at the opening of business on Thursday, May 1, as part of the national effort to make America impregnable.

Postmaster Anna Lee Johnson announced today that plans were nearly completed for this community. It is expected that civic leaders will be among the first purchasers of savings bonds and stamps here.

The new Defense Savings Bond is similar to the familiar "Baby Bond", of which more than five billion dol-

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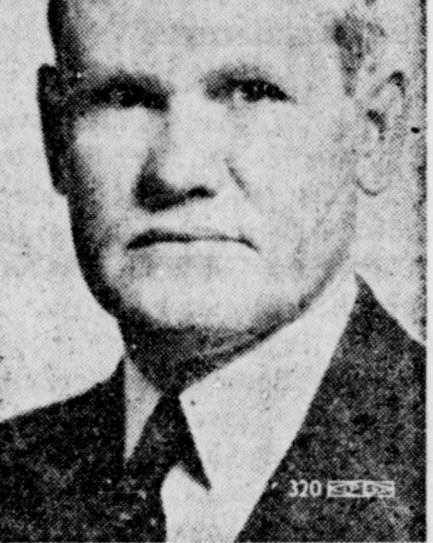
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Mann Speaker
Justice Clyde Grissom of the Eleventh Court of Civil Appeals at Eastland, who will introduce Gerald Mann in the opening rally of his campaign for the United States Senate at Sulphur Springs Saturday.

lars worth have been bought by more than two and a half million Americans since 1935.

A Defense Bond may be purchased May 1, or thereafter, for \$18.75. In ten years, this bond will be worth \$25.00. This is an increase of 33 1/3 per cent, equal to an annual interest return of 2.9 per cent, compounded semi annually. Any time after sixty days from the date of purchase, the bond may be redeemed for cash, in accordance with a table of redemption values printed on the face of the bond.

To spread investments widely among all the people of America, a limit of \$5,000 has been set on the amount of these bonds to be bought by any one person in one year. The bonds are in denominations of \$25, \$50, \$100, \$500, and \$1,000 all of which are sold for 75 per cent of their maturity value and all of which mature in ten years.

For the smaller investor who wants to buy a Government Bond on an easy payment plan, the post office will have a new series of Postal Savings Stamps, at 10c, 25c, 50c, \$1, and \$5. Each purchaser of any Savings Stamp higher than 10c will be given, free of charge, an attractive pocket album in which to paste his stamps until he has enough to buy a \$25 bond or one of higher denomination. Thirty million of these albums are now being prepared.

For furnished apartments, see Mrs. Helen Lyles, tf

Moisture is the eternal problem in West Texas. Give us plenty of moisture and we have got the world by the tail and a down hill pull.



"We Must Prepare Now"
Gerald Mann demanded immediate preparedness and all aid to Britain in the Sulphur Springs opening speech of his campaign for the United States Senate, to succeed the late Morris Sheppard. The Attorney General is pictured driving home a point as the crowd of 20,000 cheered.

National HARDWARE
MAY 1st to MAY 10th.
Open House

YOU are cordially invited to visit our store and share in these and many other bargains during this great nation-wide event.

SPADING FORKS 4-tine heavy duty forks built to last. 79c	TACKLE BOXES \$1.00 VALUE Self-rising compartment tray. 69c	1000 WATT Automatic ELECTRIC IRONS "Doverite" quick heat with perfect control. \$3.49
GARDEN HOE Makes that tough hoeing job easy. 59c	MINNOW BUCKETS 8-quart \$1.00 VALUE 69c	SCREEN ENAMEL 15c 25c PINT QUART Dries to an excellent gloss, will not clog mesh.
14 TINE RAKES Just right for the lawn, or garden, now only 79c	Red and White ENAMELWARE CHOICE 50c EACH	BRUSHES Just right for the occasional user. Rubber set bristles. 1" 10c 1 1/2" 15c 2" 25c
Combination Elec FOOD MIXER and FRUIT JUICER Two, heat resisting white Vitrook bowls, stainless steel beaters. Portable... can be lifted from the stand and used any where. A wonderful gift for Mother. Regular \$12.95 \$10.95	CHICKEN FRYER Fryer is 10-inches wide, 3-1/4 inches deep. Self-basting lid. 98c EACH	DUTCH OVEN 5-quart Dutch Oven with lifting bail and self-basting lid.

Remember MOTHER'S DAY! MAY 11th.

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Local Items

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Beth Lee

Lost—A metal box of hand tools
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Rev. George M. Sullivan of Pecos
was a caller at this office today.

J. T. Davis returned from a busi-
ness trip to Waco last Sunday.

Pat Kellis returned last Monday
night from a business trip to Fort
Worth.

Sewing of all kinds at reasonable
prices. See or call Mrs. W. L. Emery
phone 173. Sterling City.

Be sure to get your Souvenirs at
Lowe Hardware Co. on Ladies' Day
May 10.

Your laundry will be appreciated.
Will call for and deliver all laundry
Mrs. John Purves—tf

LOST. Female Fox Terrier, black
and white, bob tail. Philip Thompson
It Sterling City

Heavy rains continue to fall over
this part of West Texas. The ground
is well charged with moisture. It
rained all day today.

Lost: One pocketbook containing
one five-dollar bill. Also, one pair of
glasses. Prof. Durham lost these and
the finder would make him very
happy if he were to hand them to
him. He would be a mighty sorry
finder not to do this.

Notice to Bidders

Notice is hereby given that bids
will be received by Sterling County,
at the Court House at Sterling City,
Texas until ten o'clock, A. M. on
May 12, 1941, for the purchase of
one Diesel Patrol Motor Grader,
complete with cab and scarifier
payment for said machinery to be
made in the following manner: By
trade in of one Caterpillar No. 11
gasoline Patrol now belonging to
Sterling County; and by Time War-
rants of Sterling County not to ex-
ceed the sum of \$3,500.00 with in-
terest at the rate of 4% per annum
and with a maximum maturity not
to exceed four years from the date
of their issuance; and by cash not
to exceed \$1,200.00. The right is re-
served to reject all bids.

Done by order of the Commission-
er's Court of Sterling County, Texas,
this 18 day of April, A. D. 1941.

(Seal) G. C. Murrell
County Judge
Sterling County, Texas

Bring your work to the Home
Laundry at the residence of W. H.
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and prices reasonable. Mrs. W. H.
Sparkman tf

R. P. Davis
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please you.

Posted All persons are here
by forbidden to hunt, fish, gather
pecans, haul wood, drive stock or
otherwise trespass upon any lands
owned or controlled by me.
GEORGE McENTIRE

For Sale—High grade used piano
Call at this office.

Pat Kellis is in a hospital at San
Angelo for medical observation and
treatment.

The river came up 12.5 feet last
Saturday after the heavy rains. The
fact that it did not overflow the
Valley was because it fell too slowly.

J. T. Davis who flew from Little
Rock, Ark., to Big Spring last week
says that the plane was due to
make a landing at Abilene, but the
wind was so high that it was forced
to go to Big Spring to land. He says
that little discomfort was experi-
enced during the storm.

The County has bought a small
tractor lawn mower for mowing the
court house lawn. All the operator
has to do is to crank up the motor
and follow the mower—it does the
rest. The old push mower was a
man-killer and it is quite a relief to
the pusher to have the motor mower
in its place.

George McEntire reports that the
five beavers planted in the North
Concho by the Game, Fish and
Oyster Commission near his ranch
seem to be contented and doing
nicely. Tooth marks on small wil-
lows growing along the banks show
that they have begun preliminary
work on their new home as well as
seeking food.

Church of Christ

R. D. Smith, minister
You are invited to attend the
services at the Church of Christ.
You will always be welcome and
your presence will be appreciated.
Bible class at 10.00 a. m.
Preaching at 11:00 a. m.,
Communion Services at 11:45
P. m.
Preaching at 7:30, p. m.
Prayer meeting at 7:30 Wednes-
day evening.
A very cordial welcome.

Baptist Church

Sunday
A. m.
10:00 Teaching service
11:00 Devotional in song
11:30 Sermon
P. m.
6:30 B. T. U. Training service
7:30 Evening worship
Monday
3:30 P. m. W. M. U.
Wednesday
P. m.
7:00 Evening devotion
7:30 Choir practice
We welcome you,
Claude Stovall, pastor

Methodist Church

Lowell O. Ryan Pastor
Church school 10 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 o'clock
Young People's Service 6:30 p. m.
Evening worship, 7:00 o'clock

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All Right!

Move Out in the Yard!



BOB (roaring): "Who snatched the bulb from my lamp?
I might as well move out in the yard!"

JANE (fearfully): "Go ahead! The yard light is better
than the tiny bulbs you get. . . I had to have some light
in the kitchen, didn't I? YOU took the kitchen bulb for the
garage. . ."

WHY Quarrel Over Light?

MOST everyone does it at some time or other
—and unnecessarily, because *light is CHEAP*
in West Texas. A 100-watt Mazda bulb costs only
15c; a 150-watt bulb, 20c; and a 3-way 100-200-300-
watt bulb, 60c. Avoid bulb-snatching quarrels and
arguments about who's going to use the light by
keeping an extra supply on hand.

And about the yard—make night-time your
play-time with a new flood light that also protects
the home. Ask for demonstration.

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Homaking Girls Hold Annual Style Show

Friday night the Sterling City Homaking Department, under the direction of Miss Dorothy Ferrell presented the annual style show. The show this year was entitled "Hawaii Bound."

Freshman girls modeling school dresses are Frances Hudson, first place winner, June Augustine, second place, Billy Sue Everitt, third place. Others modeling dresses were Zelma Rae Purvis, Alma Lawson, Juandelle Chesney, Clara Mae Augustine, Mary Earl Welch and Marjorie Humble. Billie Sue danced and sang while the judge Mrs. Herman Mercer, made her decisions.

The Sophomore girls modeling tailored dresses were Frances Blank, Mozelle King, Mozell Mills, Imogene Hudman, Arlene Abernathy, second place winner, Maudine Hall mark, first place, and Marylene Story, third.

Tea dresses were modeled by Jamie Sue McEntire, first place winner, Nan Findt, Ruth Smith, Sammie Lee Cuniff and Nannie Mae Emery. These dresses cost less than \$5.

Evening dresses are modeled by Mitzi Broome, second place winner, Freda Mae Hodges, third place, and Lena Findt.

The second year girls made dresses for pre school children. These dresses were modeled by Patsy Davis, Nancy Lou Story, Berty Dunn, Marcella Gregston, Gatha Irene Kates, Carolyn Dunn and Barbara Dunn.

Frances Hudson, Maudine Hall mark, Jamie Sue McEntire and Nannie Mae Emery will represent Sterling High School at the Annual Homemakers Rally at San Antonio April 30 through May 3. Nannie Mae was chosen as club delegate. Accompanying the group will be Miss Dorothy Ferrell, Sterling City Homaking Teacher.

In behalf of the Homaking Department of Sterling City, we wish to thank Miss Mildred Atkinson who announced and the judge Mrs. Herman Mercer.

Some of the girls also modeled their home projects, made either during the summer or during the last semester.

WE WONDER

Where the following persons were last Thur. night: William B., Ira Lee Eugene, Louis, Harry, Lena and Baby.

If Mary Lou is having "Hart" trouble.

If Claude, Arlene, Mitzi and Ross had that rain planned. We believe they did.

If the above had to walk home Friday night.

If Ruth is interested in fires "Burns?"

If Charlene and Joe Allen are still "that way" about each other. It has been rumored there's a bust up.

Why Louise and Billy C. have to hold hands at the skating rink and it daylight too.

What animal Mozelle K. was with Mon night. Tigers???

Juniors

The junior class wish to thank everyone who helped toward the success of their play. From the proceeds they will entertain the seniors before the close of school.

Here and There

Spring training in basketball has begun. Get in there and work and train, Eagles.

The freshman class has finished the study of "Julius Caesar" As a group they enjoyed this historical drama and learned many of the lines often quoted by memory.

Mudholes

Dear Uncle Bill and Aunt Mattie:

You have been griping more or less about your 2 by 4 mud holes (and I don't blame you) but if you want to see a mudhole that is a mudhole the next time it comes a shower, call Marvin Churchill, Bill Green or me and we will take you to see a real mud hole.

We have to haul all our gasoline through a block of it, making several trips a day and we know a mud hole when we see one. But don't get uneasy that you will not be able to get gasoline. Since the ones at your place have been filled up, if it gets so bad that we can not make it all, there is some other outfits that have never paid a thin penny of taxes to our County and never will that haul it in over a good paved road that we are paying for, so you will always be able to get service.

Yours for less mud holes,

R. P. Brown

Dear Brown: It is a good sign when people get to griping about the condition of the roads over which they are forced to travel. Time was when the News Record did all the arguing and griping about good straight roads, but since our people realize that the argument of the News Record was about good roads, I am letting them do their part of the griping.

It is good to gripe about those things, because it lets those in authority know that we are deeply concerned about the matter.

We pay taxes for the upkeep and improvement of our roads and place the money in the hands of our Commissioners' Court for that purpose. They use it in places where in their best judgement it is needed and does the most good to the most people. When people get to griping about their pet mudholes, it is a sure sign that it will receive attention at the earliest date.

If no one complained about his pet mudhole, it would be the logical conclusion that it was satisfactory and gave no trouble. But when complaint is lodged, it is tantamount to a petition asking for relief.

We have a fine Commissioner's Court. It is the ambition of this court to see that equal and exact justice is done to all alike. If it fails in this matter, it will be a mistake of the head instead of the heart. Just as soon as these boys can get around to it, I'll guarantee that your pet mudhole will be filled up with good caliche. In the mean time keep right on griping about it. It does good.—Aunt Mattie, Uncle Bill

PROPER SANITATION SAVES MILLIONS ON FARMS EVERY YEAR

Just as the usefulness of millions of lives have been extended by giving greater attention to cleanliness, so can millions of dollars worth of poultry and livestock on American farms be saved by following comparable programs of sanitation, believes Grafton Lothrop, sanitation expert with the Ralston Purina Company.



Grafton Lothrop

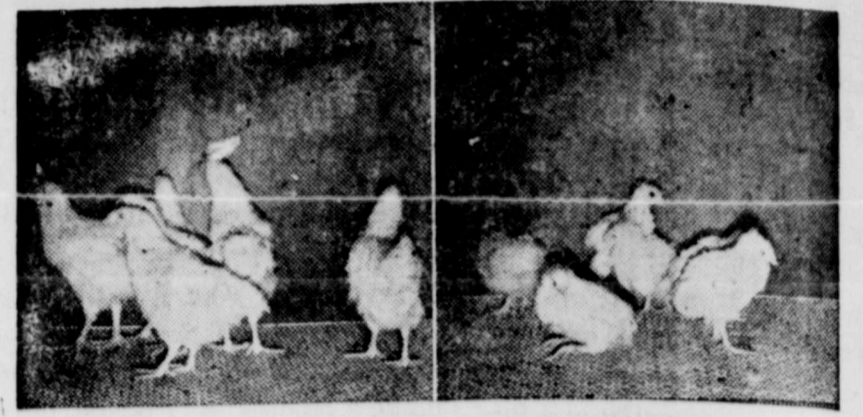
According to Lothrop, the cost to the American farmer of diseases and parasites runs into millions of dollars annually—millions of dollars that farmers could use to enjoy life more. Sanitation, he claims, is of tremendous importance to the American farmer.

At the Purina Experimental Farm, Gray Summit, Mo., the importance of hog sanitation has been carefully studied, and the results show that proper cleanliness can do much to save pigs and thereby insure greater profits, he reports.

Sows are scrubbed with plenty of soap and warm water, and the day before they are to farrow, they are sprayed with a one percent solution of Cre-So-Fee, to kill any germs or worm eggs that may remain.

This simple sanitation program at the Purina Experimental Farm, Lothrop believes, shares the credit for the fact that during the last two years, of a total of 256 litters farrowed, an average of 9.3 pigs per litter have been weaned at nine weeks. This is just one example of the extra money made at the Purina Farm through Sanitation. This Farm does equally well at its dairy, poultry, fox, mink, rabbit, and dog units with sanitation programs.

DIFFERENCE WAS COD LIVER OIL



Photos Courtesy Purina Biological Laboratories, St. Louis, Mo.

These two groups of chicks were used to test cod liver oil. The chicks on the right were given a sample which turned out to be low in vitamin D, resulting in slow growth and weak legs. The cod liver oil fed to the birds on the left was very high in vitamin D, giving fast growth, big frames, and strong legs. Biological laboratory testing is absolutely essential when selecting cod liver oil for chick rations.

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