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REV. W. J. MCCAWLEY Rev. McCawley **Accepts Baptist Pastorate**

Rev. W. J. McCawley, who has been called as pastor of the First Baptist Church here, has accepted and will be here for the regular services next Sunday, November 26.

Rev. McCawley, 37, was born in Fort Worth. He is married and the McCawleys have two children, Anna Karen, 27 months, and Ralph Orilas, 16 months old. His last pastorate was the Firt Baptist Church in Wilson, Arkansas.

Rev. McCawley attended the Stephen F. Austin State Teachers College at Nacogdoches, and the Johnson Bible College an Kimberlin Heights, Tennessee.

Sea Bee Back **From Pacific**

Sam H. Morgan, CM 3-c, U. S. Navy SeaBee, arrived here last Thursday on a 38 day leave. Sam, a carpenter's mate, has been in the Navy for 31 months, and has been overseas 27 months. He was down with pneumonia for several months in the South Pacific. He weighed 118 when he recovered and now has gained to 140 pounds, but still not his old 160 weight.

Here he visited his uncle and family, the Oscar Findts, and is now in Fluvanna visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Lena Findt, and uncle Doris Findt. He will visit an aunt, Mrs. Mary Morgan, in Dallas.



Public response to the Post Office Department's "Shop Now! Mail In November" campaign is good but needs to be better, according to Postmaster General Frank C. Walker.

"Extraordinary wartime conditions face us," Mr. Walker said. "Unless more people buy and mail this month the Postal service cannot do its job of delivering all Christmas gifts on time.

to ask the American people to hunt, with a fine seven point buckmail packages so far in advance of his first deer hunt-and his first the delivery date. We do so only deer. because it has to be done. The job

is a tremendous one, but we are confident that it will be done because we know from experience



The slow drizzling rain which fell over the last four days of last week ranged up to one and onehalf inches in Sterling County. In Sterling City 1.10 inches was measured at the J.T. Davis gauge. The lowest reported rainfall to the Soil Conservation Service was .69 inches, and L.R. Reed reported 1.45 inches.



Jeff Davis, local livestock dealer, shipped a car of lambs to Eton, Colorado Tuesday. Jeff, who has shipped thousands of lambs to buyers over the nation this fall, says that this is the last shipment of the year.

Lt. Jimmy D. Hall, with the combat engineers in the South Pacific, has been sent back to Hawaii for an operation on his throat. Jimmy is also suffering from an infected foot.

Mrs. H. S. Simpson was taken to the Shannon Hospital this week for an operation.



Rev. C. B. Stovall, former Baptist pastor, now at Stanton, came "It is not pleasing to us to have through last Saturday from a deer

Clell Ainsworth returned home last week from New Mexico where

Top 4-H'ers in Texas

TWO 4-H boys have been selected by the State Club office as Texas' winners in 1944 wartime activities. The two State winners, who each receive an all-expense trip to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, Dec. 3-6, and brief outlines of their records, are:

Royce Howard (top photo), 16 of Midland, wins the coveted honor for his achievement in the Westinghouse 4-H Rural Electrification Activity. His 3 year record shows that he studied electric installation, helped set poles and wire family residence, barns, henhouse, garage, water pump, cream separator, electric fence, houses for hired hands, and lights for lawn. He also installed plugs and switches for reading lamps and radio in his home.



Laddie Sloan (bottom photo), 16 of Estelline, is the State's highest scoring participant in the In-ternational Harvester 4-H Food for Victory Activity. During 4 years in club work he handled 149 beef cattle, 148 dairy cows, 37 hogs and 200 fowls, helped harvest 200 acres of alfalfa, and raised a Victory garden from which a large part of the vegetables was canned for his family's use Although he attended school, he produced enough food to feed 59 service men. Three participants scoring next highest to Laddie, who each received a \$25 War Bond, are: Alvin G. Davis, of Post; Billy Snodgrass, Tokio, and Clyde Jacobs, of Collind Laddie Goliad. Laddie was also a State co-winner in the 4-H Farm Safety Activity, for which he received a \$25 War Bond from William G. Mennen.





on a stage which is an authentic reproduction of Biblical days, two thousand years ago. Supporting the large cast of human players, to add authentically to the many scenes are beautiful Arabian horses, camels, donkeys, Great Dane Dogs and other domestic animals of the period. The great drama opened its summer season in the Black Hills this year, in June after concluding a road tour of major American cities where many all-time attendance records were established.

Josef Meier, world-famous Christus portrayer, is in the featured role. The Black Hills Passion Play was first presented in 1242 A. D. by the Monks of the Capponburg Monastery. Later the citizens of Luenen continued to produce the

Physicals

Boys Up For

Leaving here next week for Fort Sam Houston for their pre-induction physicals will be Archie Gentry, Harold Odom, Manuel Luzon, and Louis Coats.

Jim Butler, Army volunteer, is going for his final induction, along with the above men.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Durham and Mrs. D. C. Durham.

this week visiting relatives and there, officiated. England safely.

FAITH !!!

cans cooperate magnificently. "We urge you to buy now, mail and got one deer. in November and mark gifts 'Do Not Open Until Christmas'."

Charley Coulson's Sister County Agent J. M. Starr, this now the world's oldest and largest, age.

Dies

Mrs. Emma Cannon of San Anof Eastland spent last week-end gelo, sister of Charley Coulson, here with Harold's parents, Mr. died last week and funeral services were conducted from the Robert Massie Chapel in San Angelo. Dr. The Z. Max Mitchells are here George Baker, Methodist pastor

friends. Sgt. Mitchell, a waist Among those from here attend- ing nicely. gunner on a flying fortress, was ing the funeral services were the shot down over France not long Coulsons, Mr. and Mrs. Mud Alago, but made his way back to len, Mrs. Lester Foster, Mrs. R. P. Brown, and Mrs. D. Hall.



that given sound reasons Ameri- he got a 9-point buck. Clell said he rode 1500 miles, got one shot,

Due to the Thanksgiving holiday the News-Record is appearing one day early this week.

Mrs. Herbert Cope returned from the Shannon Hospital in San Angelo last week. She had undergone an operation, and is recover-

well Field, Alabama flew over to with special student Matinee on running smoothly through to one Big Spring and spent the first part the 27th, 28th and 29th. The great the great highlights of the producof the week here with his wife and Passion Play was established in tion-The Crucifixion of Christ, baby at her parents, the W.W. Durhams.

FOR SALE -- Purebred Pigs. \$5 each. Jeff Davis.

Lt. Leroy Pearce **Killed** in Action

and Mrs. Roy Pearce of Talpa, tinkle through the hills, the largest 500,000 persons flock to Spearfish was killed in action on Leyte Octo- Passion Play grounds in the world each summer to witness the Amerber 28, his parents have been in- have been erected at the cost of icanization of the age-old drama. formed. Lt. Pearce was with the many thousands of dollars. The First Cavalry in the Phillipines. world-famous Passion Play is pre- Passion Play in San Angelo, are Not long ago he was promoted to sented three times a week during now on sale at The Chamber of a Lieutenant from Sergeant in the the summer months from June 20 Commerce Building, Phone 5472. field for meritorious service.

of Sterling City.



With the unloading of a car of hammet: Where once pilgramages the age of ten weeks as the Christ CCC cake here this week, runs the were made to Europe to behold Child and has been in the play total up to five cars this fall, said one of its several Passion Plays, ever since. He is now 37 years of

> the Luenen Passion Play, has kota Black Hills, "rechristened" its home base in Spearfish, S. D.

world splendor is being brought to 1937. Here in the American Gard- given audiences of the world over tion of early frontier days in a this, "The Greatest Story of All land where General Custer, Dead- Times". Today in the United wood Dick, Calamity Jane Wild States in the tiny village of Spear-Bill Hickcock, and many other fish, in the Black Hills of South early American historical names Dakota, the largest Passion Play held sway and where the sweep- stage in the world has been erected, ing terrain and the blue black a stage over three blocks long with pines reached toward the heavens a huge amphitheater seating 8,000 where the clear, cool mountain persons. Proving the success of the Lt. Leroy Pearce, 25, son of Mr. streams, abundant with trout American version, more than

through September. The company Lt. Pearce was the nephew of of more than five hundred present Homer Pearce and Riley King of the play against the background got a deer each on a hunt in Mason of mile-high Lookout Mountain, County last week.

play. Meier, who plays "Christus" is the descendant of several generations of Passion Play artists. He The mountain has come to Mo- first appeared in the production at

One of the most impressive established itself in the South Da- features are the lighting effects, have produced audible "Ohs" and The Black Hills Passion Play, with "Ahs" from audiences all over the world. In scene after scene the This great drama with all its old special lighting effects show the pale dawn blending into the brill-San Angelo on its first American iant light of day, and then into tour in English, by the Lions Club the peaceful calm stillness of night of San Angelo, and will be present. The play confines itself to the last ed with night performances at seven days in the Life of Christ Municipal Auditorium, San Ange- and is given in twenty-two impresslo, opening Monday night, Nov. ive scenes, starting with the tri-First Lt. C. T. Ducote of Max- 27th, through Thursday, Nov. 30th umphal entry into Jerusalem and new home in the Black Hills in followed by the Ascension, and has en of Eden, steeped in the tradi- a true and thrilling conception of

Tickets for the Black Hills

Jake Martin and Cletis Smith

week.



Meatless dishes full of rich, meaty flavor are popular these days when we are all short on points. Spanish rice is one of these dishes, hearty enough to satisfy and full of flavor because of its combination of rice, tomatoes and cheese.

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Rural and suburban homemakers who use butane or propane ranges will find that Spanish rice bakes evenly so that each grain of rice is fluffy and tender, and the flavor of tomatoes and cheese is thoroughly

Spanish Rice Spanish Kice (Serves 4) 2 cups cooked rice 1 large onion, chopped 1 green pepper, chopped 2 cups fresh cooked tomatoes 2 tbsp. fat 1 gtsp. salt 1 gtsp. salt 1 gtsp. salt 2 cup grated cheese 1 cup buttered crumbs 1 cup buttered crumbs

Cook tomatoes, onion, green pep-

celery and fat for 15 minutes. Add rice and seasonings. Mix well and pour into a greased casserole.



"The War Department regrets. . . ." Some American home received a fateful telegram as a re-Some American home sult of this happening after a Japanese air raid on Munda. This soldier's sacrifice cannot be matched by you, for he gave his life. All you are asked to do is to lend your money. Can you do less? Buy an extra War Bond today. easury Departmen



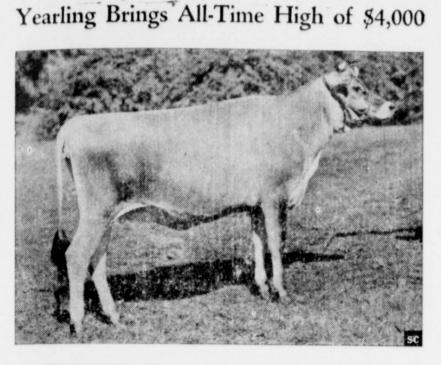
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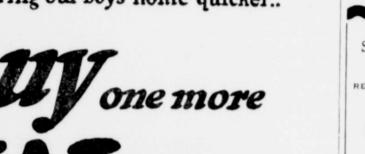
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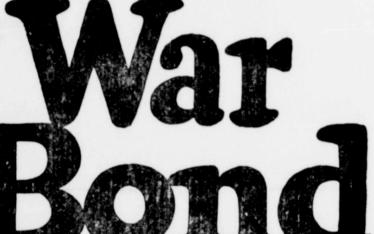
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CHARLEN CHARLE

SPRINGFIELD, OHIO - Draconis Willonyx Nancy, above, became the highest priced Jersey yearling of all time when she was bought for \$4,000 by Borden's Spring Day Farm here, at the Sale of Stars conducted by the American Jersey Cattle Club. Nancy was given to the club by J. W. Ridgway of San Antonio, Texas. Her stablemate from Heep Farm in Texas sold for \$6,250. The 52 head sold at Sale of Stars averaged \$1,287 and netted the building fund for the new Jersey Club headquarters in Columbus, Ohio, a total of \$66,925.







than you did before



METHODIST CHURCH

Church School I0:00 Morning Worship 11:00

In keeping with the custom of Sterling City the Methodists will worship with the Baptists Sunday evening, as a welcoming gesture to the new pastor, Rev. W. J. Mc-Cawley.

Ed. Lovelace, Pastor

Nationwide Bible Reading

(First Week) (THANKSGIVING TO CHRISTMAS)

Beginning Thanksgiving, November 23. Psalm 103 Saturday. . . . Psalm 23 We will all miss him. Sunday, November 26. Psalm 1 Tuesday. . . . Romans 8 more. Wednesday. . 1 Corinthians 13

Thursday. Psalm 91

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Just Patter



Hello again, folks -- We are back with the usual gossip and "stuff" The seniors are losing Jim Butler Friday. John 14 to the armed forces next Monday.

Six-weeks exams are over now Monday. Matthew 5 and we can breathe easy once

> Everyone is looking forward to the Thanksgiving holidays and that turkey dinner. (Hey, how did that get in here?)

Ewing Fowler McEntire, a graduate of '43, was home until Wed- likes. nesday from New Mexico Military Institute. And from all accounts

he was having quite a time. How about that, Margaret?

Neal J. Reed, a last year's graduate, will be home for the holidays. Seen at the show and "just roam-

ing" Saturday night were Joe, Norvin, Billy, Douglas, Betty, Paula, Mutt, Marylene, Jimmy, Jerry and Jack, and if there were any others we didn't see them.

Friday night the Independents played the high school boys in basketball. Also the outside girls played the school girls in volley ball. Almost everyone was there, so we won't go into that; but every one had a good time anyway.



Why Beth is so happy lately. If Ruby and Gene liked the

show Saturday night.

If Billy H. has become educated yet.

If Margaret enjoyed the show Tuesday night -- or enjoyed her company better.

Whom Annie Lou was sitting by in the show Tuesday night.

What brand of cigars Jackie D.

Why Venera wasn't at school Tuesday. Say, kid, does staying out ate affect you that way?

Why Peggy was so angry Monday afternoon.

If LaVone and Norvin had a a good time Tuesday night.

If Dixie is going to miss Bolivar when he goes to the Army, or should we say vice versa?



The Sterling independent basketball team played the Sterling High School team last Friday night. The independent team won the game 24 to 16.



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News

The third grade reports th Billy Joe Swann is sick.

The Study Club of the fourt and fifth grades had a meeting o the subject of Thanksgiving. The is a new pupil in the fourth grad He is LeVoy Williams from Ro well, New Mexico. The eighth grade reports that

Edward Dees was absent Thursda and Friday of last week because of the weather.

The seventh grade received card from Billy Sam Mathis la week. He said they would arrive i Washington by Wednesday an that he would write again soon.

The sixth grade was served re freshments by Mrs. Ritter of th P.T.A. membership committee Fr day afternoon. They enjoyed th chicken salad sandwiches, potat chips, cookies, candy and hot choo olate. Those who have been absen because of illness are Clinton Hod ges, Billy Jean Nichols and Lynell Ward.

The first grade welcomes two new pupils this week. They are Darwin Lee Williams from Ros well, New Mexico, and Cheryl Le Grimm from Blackwell, Oklahoma Those who have been absent be cause of illness are Robert Garms Geneva Joy, and Joy Marie Nichols

One of our seniors, Jim Butler has decided to leave us. He think he will like the Army much better and so does Uncle Sammy. He has to leave November 27. The high school student are going to mis him. Good luck, Jim, and come to see us when you become a Cap tain.

	The high school boys are making	
	rapid progress in their practice ses-	
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Red Cross Workers

Workers at the Red Cross Surgical Dressing Room Monbay night ing her sons, Clyde and Herman were Mmes. Henry Malloy, John Everitt. Walraven, G. H. Cannon, R. A. Garrett, Lee Hunt, Lee Augustine, W. B. Allen, Lura McClellan, D. Hall, Lester Foster, and Seth Bailey.

Workers Tuesday afternoon were Mmes. Henry Malloy, Lester Foster, D. Hall, Clyde Davis, Ster- shoulder and painful bruises last ling Foster, Smoky Garms, Lura Wednesday when a pair of mules McClellan, Roy Foster, Seth Bail- which he was driving ran away ey, W. B. Allen, T. F. Foster, R. and threw him out of his buggy. P. Brown, Kenneth Garms, Frank Cole, and Foster S. Price.

The Sterling Surgical Dressing room has completed its November and December quota. It will be closed until sometine in January. Watch the News-Record for announcement of opening. Mrs. ord. Sterling Foster completed 500 hours this week.

Norvin Wayne Brown played three piano selections at the Lions Club luncheon Wednesday. Archie Marie Revell got the prize and An-

Lions Club

singing. Guests included Hal Knight, Jr., Mrs. Revell, Rogers Hefley and Norvin Brown.

na Lee Johnson led the group in

Looking Backward 27 Years

Ago

Taken from the files of the News Record, November 23, 1917.

Next week, with the aid of San Angelo ladies, a Red Cross chapter will be organized here.

Mrs. W. B. Everitt came in Thursday from Estancia, New Mexico, where she had been visit-

Sterling is now represented in France by Pvt. Rue Cole, Lt. Guy Douglas, and Lt. Vern Davis.

Neal Reed suffered a dislocated

J. T. Davis shipped two cars of horses to Arkansas for pasturage last Monday.

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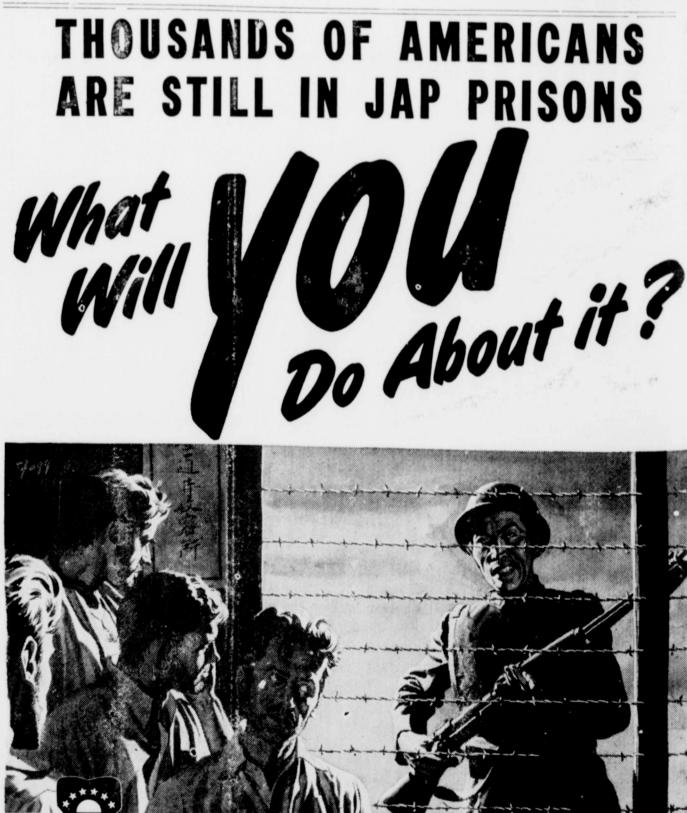


Here's something new for tall women 5' 6" or over pajama that fits one's dimensions. No wonder that designer Harry Berger (shown in inset) calls them Proportional PJ's. Other features of these tommies dimensional pajamas are the man-tailoring; the overhanging yokes; deliberately designed to extend beyond the shoulder ine so as not to cause strain or stress during one's restless sleep; th U-shaped crotch which comfortably follows the curve of the body, and the horizontal button-holes which keep buttons in for the night. Pajamas in the new dimensional sizes come for the tall, the small and the average woman, as shown above.

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J. Martin Buys Sinclair Station

Loyd Murrell sold his Sinclair Service Station here Tuesday to J. K. Martin. Jake has been in the Navy until he was discharged on October 27. Loyd will finish remodelling his home before he goes larly. into another business venture.

A. G. Gannaway Dead

Funeral rites for A.L. Gannaway, 67, Sterling City stock farmer, who died early Saturday, were conducted in the Wingate Baptist Church Monday afternoon. Lowe's hearse carried the body to San Angelo Saturday.

Survivors include the widow, three sons; Frank and Lee of Los Angeles and George of Rotan; a daughter in San Angelo; five brothers and two sisters.

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EPING HOUSE, helping take care of the family-you would realize that business girls are not the only ones who some-times get Headache and Tired Aching Muscles. We home girls often work just as hard and have just as many Headaches, just as many Stomach Upsets and get just as Tired.

About a year ago, I first used _KA-SELTZER

find that it eases my Aching Head, takes the kinks out of Tired. Aching Muscles and brings relief when I have Acid Indigestion.

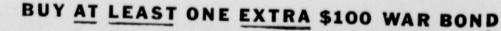
The family says I am a lot easier to live with since I have known about Alka-Seltzer.

Have you tried ALKA-SELT-ZER? If not, why don't you get a package today? Large package 60[¢], Small package 30[¢], also by the glass at Soda Fountains.

R^{EMEMBER} CORREGIDOR? Remember the pictures of grinning Japanese soldiers guarding American prisoners? We're out to wipe the grins off their faces. We're out to liberate thousands of American soldiers and civilians still in Jap prisons. That day ean come only with final victory.

We're out to finish the job the Japs started. The 6th War Loan Drive is part of

the great national effort to win quick victory in the Pacific. The cost of victory comes high. It costs billions of dollars a month to fight Japan! But we know you'll do your full share, as you have in all the other war loan drives. Your full share is at least one extra \$100 War Bond. Buy more if you possibly can. War Bonds are your best insurance of a safe, independent future.



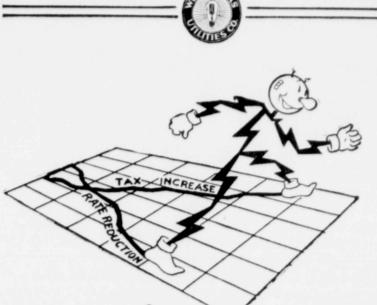
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North Concho River Soil Conservation **District** News

Board of Supervisors: Zach Jones, Chairman L. R. Reed, Vice Chairman Foster S. Price, Secretary I. R. Mims, Supervisor J. W. Cox, Supervisor

George Demere's steer calves, from two year old heifers, weighed 510 pounds with only one cut back. Demere believes that a range in good condition is the rancher's most valuable asset.

Alfred Thieme is improving the irrigation system on the E.H. Juergensen farm by building additional channels and shortening the borders. This will conserve water and will more equally distribute the water applied. The direction of the borders will also be changed to give the proper slope.

Foster Conger stated that his calves averaged 587 pounds at the time marketed in October because he had stocked his country at the rate that the grasses are producing feed for a number of years. The calves sold for 12 cents per pound.

Following the killing frosts November 20 and 21, many ranchers are planning to maintain old fireguards and to build new fireguards.

Herman Garlington's small grain on the Earl Welch field is making good growth following the recent rains. Small grain will fur-

nish green feed during the winter season at the time it is most need-

Rain gauges recorded the following amounts of rain last week: Bade Bros. ____ -__ 1.0 J. I. Cope — ____0.76





His plane forced down in the Mediterranean, this Navy flier goes back to his own ship, after being rescued by one of the modern, fast-moving destroyers bought through your War Bond purchases. More Pende moon more and better equip. Bonds mean more and better equip Keep buying War Bonds ment. regularly. U. S. Treasury Department

Thin Air-Mail Paper and Envelopes at the News-Record.



By Lillian B. Storms

Parents today are asked to make sacrifices and many are sacrificing time and pleasures and food in or-der to help the fight to maintain our way of life for our children. But there is one member of the family who must not change his habits of living any more than is absolutely necessary, and this person is the baby.

We are known the world over for our high standards of infant care with a resulting high plane of in-fant welfare. The infant death rate has been steadily reduced in the last decade. While this is due to a good many improved conditions in the care of our babies, it is due in part to better feeding practices. Within the last dozen years, infants have been receiving a much

and C contained in a milk diet.

AFFIDAVIT OF COMMISSIONERS' COURT To Treasurer's Quarterly Report.

In the matter of County Finances in the hands of O. M. Cole. Treasurer of Sterling County, Texas. Commissioners' Court, Sterling County, Texas, in regular monthly

session, Nov. Term, 1944.

We, the undersigned, as County Commissioners within and for said Sterling County, and the Hon. G. C. Murrell County Judge of said Sterling County, constituting the entire Commissioners' Court of said county, and each oneof us, do hereby certify that on this the 13th day of Nov. A. D. 1944, at a regular monthly term of our said court, we have compared and examined the quarterly report of O. M. Cole, treasurer of Sterling county, Texas, for the period beginning on the 14th day of Ang., A. D. 1944, and ending on the 10th day of Nov. 1944. and finding the same correct have caused an order to be entered upon the minutes of County Finances of the Gommissioners' Court of Sterling county, stating the approval of said Treasurer's Report by our said court, which said order recites separately the amount received and paid out of each fund by said County Preasurer since his last report to this court, and for and during the time covered by his present report, and the balance of each fund remaining in said treasurer's hands on the said 10th day of Nov. A. D. 1944, and have ordered the proper credits to be made in the accounts of the saidCounty Treasurer, in accordance with said order as required by Law and provided for in the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas

And we, and each of us, further certify that we have actually and fully inspected all the actual assets and cash balances (in the .hands of said Treasnter belonging to Sterling County at the close of the examination of said Treasurer's Report, on this 13th day of Nov, A.D. 1944, and find the same as follows





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