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## FINAL HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM HELD

Rev. C. D. McEntire, pastor of the First Baptist Church, spoke on "Academic Training for Dynamic Living in an Atomic Age" at the Commencement exercises for the Sterling High School graduates on Thursday night. The final school exercises were held at the school auditorium at 8:15 P. M.

Rev. Malcolm Black gave the invocation, which was followed by a piano solo, "The Singing Tower" played by Carolyn Foster. Bonnie Ruth King gave the salutatory—"The Great New World Before Us". The high school girls' chorus sang "The Search" and "Come to the Fair." Joe David Crossno gave the valedictory address, "Education Is the Greatest Gift."

After Rev. McEntire's address, Lora Mae Humble presented the class rings to the class of '48. L. C. McDonald, high school principal, awarded the honors to the honor students, and superintendent O. T. Jones presented the diplomas. Bro. A. A. Berryman gave the benediction.

Graduates this year were Norvin Brown, Lora Mae Humble, Joe David Crossno, Joseph Blaneck, Bonnie Ruth King and Billy Vern Davis.

## GRADE SCHOOL FINAL EXERCISES

Coke County Judge Bob Davis gave the principal address when the graduating exercises were held Wednesday night for the grade school. The exercises were held in the school auditorium at 8:15 P. M.

Mrs. E. H. Lovelace played the processional, and Bro. A. A. Berryman gave the invocation. Dorothy Sue Lowe gave the salutatory, and her address was followed by a chorus of junior high school girls. Elizabeth Hildebrand gave the valedictory address.

After Judge Davis' address, G. W. Tillerson presented the diplomas and certificates. Rev. E. H. Lovelace gave the benediction.

The members of the graduating class were as follows:

Aiken, Edwin  
Blaneck, Harry  
Brown, Pascal  
Butler, Elroy  
Butler, Leroy  
Carper, O. F.  
Cole, Bill  
Fowler, Sarah  
Gann, Don  
Heacock, Edmund  
Hildebrand, Elizabeth  
Hodges, Clinton  
Lowe, Dorothy Sue  
McEntire, Darleen  
Mitchell, Bob  
Moore, Alvin  
Munsell, Rita  
Nichols, Billie Jean  
Randolph, Jean  
Reed, Geneva  
Thieme, Alfred  
Ward, Lynell

## LIONS NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORTS

The first reading of the names of the officers selected for the coming year were read at Lions Club luncheon Wednesday. The officers recommended by the nominating committee were as follows:

President—Jack Douthit,  
1st Vice-Pres.—L. C. McDonald,  
2nd Vice-Pres.—R. H. Emery,  
3rd Vice-Pres.—Roland Lowe,  
Secretary—G. C. Murrell,  
Treasurer—H. M. Knight,  
Tail Twister—W. R. Hudson,  
Lion Tamer—W. D. Farnsworth,  
Directors—A. T. Bratton and E. H. Lovelace. (Holdover directors are S. M. Bailey and Martin C. Reed.)

The prize went to H. A. Chapple. The club voted to send flowers to Lion Claude Collins, who is ill. Lion Lovelace reported that he and H. L. Hildebrand attended the bus line hearing in San Angelo last week. Lion J. T. Davis reported that the community center building was on the way and would arrive any time. He cited a need for some blocks to be placed at the foundation site, and the club adjourned early and went by the site and placed the blocks.

Mrs. Tommie Johnson played several piano numbers for the musical part of the program.

## VALEDICTORIANS NAMED

JOE DAVID CROSSNO IS 1847 VALEDICTORIAN

Joe David Crossno, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Crossno, was named valedictorian of the 1947 graduating class this week. Named as salutatorian was Bonnie Ruth King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Riley King.

Joe David's average was 97.66 and Bonnie Ruth's average was 93.10.

Elizabeth Hildebrand Is Grade School Valedictorian

Elizabeth Hildebrand, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hildebrand, was named valedictorian of the grade school graduating class, and Dorothy Sue Lowe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lowe, was named salutatorian.

## Community Center Building Arrives

The Community Center building arrived here from Abilene on Wednesday afternoon. The building had been bought by the community center committee from Camp Barkley in Abilene.

The work of finishing and fixing up of the building will begin at once and it won't be long until the building will be in service.

Byron W. Frierson, the new County Agent, is buying the Henton Emery's house. The Emery's will move into the jail building soon.

## ALUMNI BANQUET PLANS UNDERWAY

The program for the Annual Sterling Alumni Banquet and Dance is being lined and the final details are being worked out. The affair will be held at the Crystal Ballroom of the Cactus Hotel on the night of June 20 at 7:30 P. M.

Harrison's Texans orchestra will play for the dance, said Mrs. Tommie Johnson, president of the Association, this week.

Tickets for the banquet and dance will be \$5 per couple. The tickets will go on sale next Monday, May 26. They may be secured from Mrs. Martin C. Reed, Mrs. Chesley McDonald, or Mrs. Tommie Johnson.

## OUR WASHINGTON NEWS LETTER



By Congressman O. C. Fisher

Grinding away toward a July recess, the House last week disposed of the Commerce, State and Justice departments appropriation bill, approved a conference report on the Greco-Turkish aid measure, sent the labor bill to a conference committee of the two Houses to iron out differences, and squared away for action on the Naval appropriations and wool bills this week.

The wool bill was put on the calendar for last week, but a parliamentary hiatus forced a postponement.

The House, in its economy drive, whacked the departmental appropriation measure \$166 million below the budget estimate for the next fiscal year. After the Naval appropriation is disposed of, the next of the big money bills will be that for agriculture, probably coming up next week. Rumor has it that the economy meat axe will cut deep into the President's budget estimate for funds to run agriculture during the next fiscal year. The bill, now receiving finishing touches by the appropriations committee, may cut funds for soil conservation and range practices by 50%, omit crop insurance, and reduce the allotment for school lunches to \$25,000,000—\$50 million below the budget figure. Some of these items will be contested on the floor of the House.

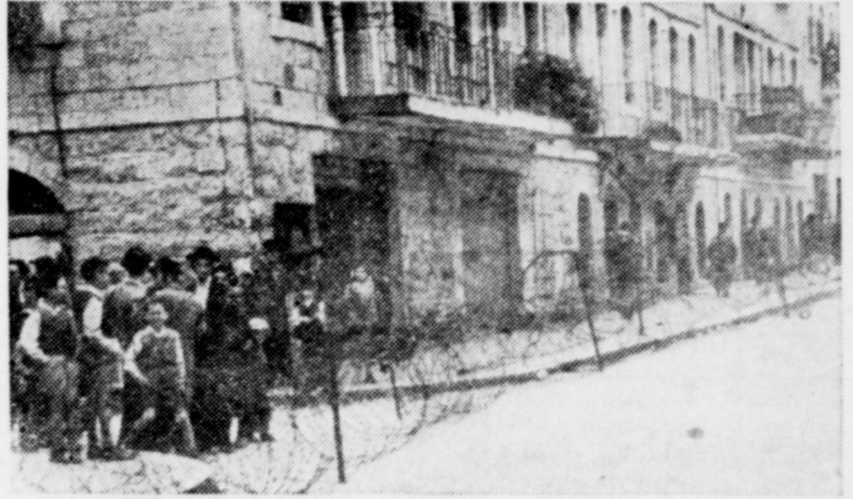
The President's action in signing the portal-to-portal bill last week was received with acclaim on Capitol Hill. It will save the Federal government upwards of \$2 billion. The new law will play havoc with the \$6 billion in phony lawsuits that have been filed by unions, mainly by the CIO. These followed the Supreme Court ruling last summer holding that working time might include, under the Wage and Hour Law, such trivialities as time used in going to and from a place of work, regardless of contract, custom or understanding to the contrary.

By the terms of the new law such claims will be outlawed unless based upon contract or agreement between the employer and employee or upon prevailing custom. The measure was bitterly opposed by big labor leaders who contended that it was "an attack upon the rights of labor."

Of much interest to Texas was the action of the Supreme Court last week in upholding the I.C.C. ruling to reduce the freight rates by 10 per cent in the South and West.

But the good effect of that decision must not be over emphasized. In the first place, it applies only to class rates and not to com-

## Under Martial Law



JERUSALEM, PALESTINE—(Soundphoto)—This scene in the area under martial law in Jerusalem shows a long view of a road with inhabitants behind barbed wire enclosures. The latest outbreak of violence resulted in injuries to at least two more British soldiers and the arrest of 21 more persons suspected of leading the underground attack. An officer and an enlisted man were the latest victims when their staff car was demolished by an exploding land mine between Haifa and Tel-Aviv.

## Church of Christ

MEETING STARTS TONIGHT

Luther Blackmon of Lufkin, Texas will begin a meeting at the Church of Christ in Sterling City tonight. The meeting will run till the night of June 1. Services will be held twice daily at 10:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. except on Saturday there will be no day services, just the evening service. Andy Jones of San Angelo will direct the song services.

The public is cordially invited to attend. You will be welcome at all times, and will appreciate the preaching of Bro. Blackmon, and Andy is a splendid song director. Come and enjoy these few days of work and worship. Remember, you are welcome.

## TO ATTEND METHODIST CONFERENCE

Rev. and Mrs. Ed. H. Lovelace will leave Tuesday for the annual session of the Southwest Texas Conference which convenes in Travis Park Methodist Church in San Antonio on Wednesday. It will close with the reading of appointments on Sunday afternoon, June 1.

Lay representatives will be Mr. and Mrs. Roy Foster and Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Foster.

Claude Collins, who suffered a slight stroke last week at his home here is improving rapidly.

modity rates. The latter constitute 95 per cent of our rail shipments.

For years the North, through lower rates, has had an advantage over the West and South.

The commodity rates apply mainly to movement of raw materials, like coal, iron, lumber, cotton, wool and so on. The class rates cover, in the main, finished manufactured items, like clothing and shoes.

In figuring the value of the Supreme Court decision, therefore, it is important to keep in mind that class rates goods comprise only 4 per cent of all goods shipped by rail and accounts for only 6% of income to the railroads.

But, on the other hand, I.C.C. officials claim there's no "substantial difference" on commodity rates shipped between North, South and West. We know, however, there are many exceptions to that statement.

In any event, it is certain that on class rates the Northerner certainly has a big competitive advantage over the Southerner and Westerner which the new ruling will help to alleviate.

Northern manufacturer, for example, can ship a case of shoes from one Northern point to another Northern point or from the North to a Southern point at a much lower rate than a Southern manufacturer can ship a case of shoes to another Southern point or to a Northern point.

As a result of continued protests from the South, the I.C.C. began an investigation of this obvious discrimination in 1939, and two years ago ordered class rates cut 10 per cent in the South and increased 10 per cent in the North. And now the Supreme Court has put its okay on that I.C.C. order.

The decision is a victory for the South on "class rate" goods, but our big job now is to strive for a real equalization on those commodity rates.

## County Agent's Column

By Byron W. Frierson

With excellent moisture conditions in Sterling County at the present, the ranchers biggest immediate worry is taken care of. However, the more moisture we have, the more trouble we are going to have with certain insects and parasites.

Hornflies are already becoming numerous. These insects cause a loss in weight or gain among range cattle and a loss of milk flow among milk cows. According to Extension Service Entomologists, cattle should be sprayed or dipped when 20 to 25 hornflies per animal are present. Cattle sprayed or dipped with 4 pounds of wettable DDT per 100 gallons of water will have protection for at least 10 to 15 days. Usually two or three treatments during spring and early summer furnishes protection from hornflies for the year. This treatment will also control cattle lice if cattle are wet to the skin all over. Takes two treatments for lice at two week intervals.

The ear tick is another pest that is likely to be causing your cattle trouble. An effective control method for ear ticks is to spray the outside of all salt and mineral troughs with equal parts of kerosene and burnt lube. Treat the surrounding soil the same way. (When the ticks are about grown, they drop off to the ground and molt.) Where cattle are infested, put Stock 1029 in the ears of each individual with a one-inch paint brush, completely covering the inner and outer surface of the ear. This should keep the ear ticks off for about six months. (It ought to—it smells strong enough.) A re-check of the cattle's ears at 60 day intervals is recommended. Stock 1029 is available locally.

Latest methods of control of all the more common external parasites of cattle, as recommended by Extension Service Entomologists, are available free, at the County Agent's office.

Some of the young grain on the Divide is doing pretty good since the rain. Some of the older grain will be pastured off, however. The rain came too late for it. Dan Ritter estimates that yield on his wheat will range from 5 to 8 bushels on most of it, and it looks like he is pretty close to right.

## BAPTIST HOUR

With the Reverend Bruce H. Price as speaker, the Baptist Hour will feature The Christian Home in the broadcast next Sunday, June 1, as announced by the Radio Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention, S. F. Lowe, Director, Atlanta, Georgia. Mr. Price is pastor of the Beech Street Baptist Church, Texarkana, Arkansas. The subject of his message will be, "Christ in the Home."

The Atlanta announcement stated that all husbands and wives throughout the area from Baltimore, Maryland to San Antonio, Texas, and from Kansas City to Miami, Florida, are invited to be special guests in the Baptist Hour audience on that date.

Mr. Lowe further states that every indication, including the heavy fan mail, points to an unusually large audience every Sunday morning.

The Baptist Hour may be heard in Texas over radio stations KGNC, Amarillo, KRIC, Beaumont, WFAA, Dallas, KPRC, Houston, and WOAI San Antonio, at 7:30 A. M.

## The Bridge That "Couldn't Be Built" Has a Birthday



SAN FRANCISCO—They said it couldn't be done, but in celebrating its tenth birthday May 27, 1947, the Golden Gate Bridge will silence the last of the skeptics. The doubters said the Gate could never be spanned; that if it could, the bridge would cost \$112,000,000 and then it would fall down; and finally that traffic across it wouldn't even pay its maintenance cost. Actually . . . it cost less than \$35,000,000; it stands a solid guardian over the Golden Gate; nearly 20,000 automobiles cross it daily; and it doesn't cost the counties that underwrote it a dollar in tax money.

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Senate Joint Resolution No. 4 proposing an amendment to Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas by the addition of two new sections to be known as sections 17 and 18 providing a special fund for the payment of Confederate pensions and providing a method of payment for the construction and equipment of buildings and other permanent improvements at state institutions of higher learning; providing for a five-cent reduction in the maximum allowable state tax on property; providing for an election and the issuance of a proclamation therefor.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:**

Section 1. That Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto Sections 17 and 18 which shall read as follows:

"Section 17. In lieu of the state ad valorem tax on property of Seven (7c) Cents on the One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars valuation heretofore permitted to be levied by Section 51 of Article 3, as amended, there is hereby levied, in addition to all other taxes permitted by the Constitution of Texas, a state ad valorem tax on property of Two (2c) Cents on the One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars valuation for the purpose of creating a special fund for the payment of pensions for services in the Confederate army and navy, frontier organizations, and the militia of the State of Texas, and for the widows of such soldiers serving in said armies, navies, organizations or militia; provided that the Legislature may reduce the tax rate hereinabove levied.

"Also, there is hereby levied, in addition to all other taxes permitted by the Constitution of Texas, a state ad valorem tax on property of Five (5c) Cents on the One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars valuation for the purpose of creating a special fund for the purpose of acquiring, constructing and initially equipping buildings, or other permanent improvements at the designated institutions of higher learning; and the governing board of each of each of such institutions of higher learning is fully authorized to pledge all or any part of said funds allotted to such institutions as hereinafter provided, to secure bonds or notes issued for the purpose of acquiring, constructing and

initially equipping such buildings or other permanent improvements at said respective institutions. Such bonds or notes shall be issued in such amounts as may be determined by the governing boards of said respective institutions, shall bear interest not to exceed three (3%) per cent per annum and shall mature serially or otherwise not to exceed ten (10) years from the first (1st) day of January of each year in which said funds are allocated or re-allocated to said respective institutions; provided, the power to issue bonds or notes hereunder is expressly limited to a period of thirty (30) years from the adoption of this amendment; and provided further, that the Five (5c) Cent tax hereby levied shall expire finally upon payment of all bonds hereby authorized; provided further that the state tax on property as heretofore permitted to be levied by Section 9 of Article VIII, as amended, exclusive of the tax necessary to pay the public debt, and of the taxes provided for the benefit of the public free schools, shall never exceed Thirty (30c) Cents on the One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars valuation. All bonds shall be examined and approved by the Attorney General of the State of Texas, and when so approved shall be incontestable; and all approved bonds shall be registered in the office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas. Said bonds shall be sold only through competitive bids and shall never be sold for less than their par value and accrued interest.

"Funds raised from said Five (5c) Cents tax levy for the ten (10) year period beginning January 1, 1948, are hereby allocated to the following institutions of higher learning, and in the following proportions, to-wit:

Institution	Per cent of Total
John Tarleton Agricultural College	5.72107
North Texas Agricultural College	6.17028
Texas State College for Women	11.52992
Texas College of Arts and Industries	4.75551
College of Mines and Metallurgy	4.71936
Texas Technological College	16.54877
East Texas State Teachers College	8.10657
North Texas State Teachers College	12.64522
Sam Houston State Teachers College	5.55068
Southwest State Teachers College	6.78474
Stephen F. Austin State Teachers College	4.55414
Sul Ross State Teachers College	2.15315
West Texas State Teachers College	5.41643
Prarie View Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas	5.34416

Not later than June 1st of the beginning year of each succeeding ten (10) year period, the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas, based on the average long session full-time student enrollment for the preceding five (5) year period of time, shall reallocate, to the above designated institutions of higher learning then in existence, all funds to be derived from said Five (5c) Cent ad valorem tax for said ten (10) year period; and all such designated institutions of higher learning which participate in the allocation or reallocation of such funds shall not thereafter receive any other state funds for the acquiring or constructing of buildings or other permanent improvements for which said Five (5c) Cents ad valorem tax is herein provided, except in case of fire, flood or storm, or earthquake occurring at any such institution, in which case an appropriation in an amount sufficient to replace the loss so incurred may be made by the Legislature out of other state funds. This amendment shall be self-acting. The State Comptroller of Public Accounts shall draw all necessary and proper warrants upon the State Treasury in order to carry out the purposes of this amendment; and the State Treasurer shall pay warrants so issued out of the special fund hereby created for said purpose."

"Section 18. For the purpose of constructing, equipping or acquiring buildings or other permanent

improvements, the Board of Directors of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas is hereby authorized to issue negotiable bonds or notes not to exceed a total amount of Five Million (\$5,000,000.00) Dollars, and the Board of Regents of the University of Texas is hereby authorized to issue negotiable bonds or notes not to exceed a total amount of Ten Million (\$10,000,000.00) Dollars. Any bonds or notes issued hereunder shall be payable solely out of the income from the Permanent University Fund. Bonds or notes so issued shall mature serially or otherwise not more than twenty (20) years from their respective dates, and in no event later than twenty-five (25) years after the date of the adoption of this amendment. This amendment shall be self-acting.

"Said Boards are severally authorized to pledge the whole or any part of the respective interests of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas and of the University of Texas in the income from the Permanent University Fund, as such interests are now apportioned by Chapter 42 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the 42nd Legislature of the State of Texas, for the purpose of securing the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds or notes. The Permanent University Fund may be invested in such bonds or notes.

"All bonds or notes issued pursuant hereto shall be approved by the Attorney General of Texas and when so approved shall be incontestable."

Ses. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at a special election to be held throughout the state on the fourth Saturday in August, A.D. 1947, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"FOR THE AMENDMENT to Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, adding Sections 17 and 18 providing for the levying of a state ad valorem tax on property in lieu of the present state ad valorem tax of Seven (7c) Cents for Confederate pensions in order to create special funds necessary for the payment of Confederate pensions and of the financing of the construction and equipment of buildings and other permanent improvements at state institutions of higher learning, in the amounts of Two (2c) Cents and Five (5c) Cents respectively; providing for a Five Cent reduction of the maximum allowable state tax on property, making such tax not to exceed Thirty (30c) on the One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars valuation; providing a method of payment for the construction and equipment of improvements and buildings at the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas and the University of Texas."

"AGAINST the Amendment to Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, adding Sections 17 and 18 providing for the levying of a state ad valorem tax on property in lieu of the present state ad valorem tax of Seven (7c) Cents for Confederate pensions in order to create special funds necessary for the payment of Confederate pensions and for the financing of the construction and equipment of buildings and other permanent improvements at state institutions of higher learning in the amounts of Two (2c) Cents and Five (5c) Cents respectively; providing for a Five (5c) Cent reduction of the maximum allowable state tax on property, making such tax not to exceed Thirty (30c) Cents on the One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars valuation; providing a method of payment for the construction and equipment of improvements and buildings at the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas and the University of Texas."

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the constitution and laws of this state.

Sec. 4. The sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the treasury of the state, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

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Worth Durham stated that the moisture had penetrated as deep as he can reach in a post hole on his ranch following the heavy rain, over 5 inches, on May 10. No runoff water was noted following the one and one-half inch rain May 14. Durham believes that the increased cover of grass is responsible for holding this rain where it fell. One week following the heavy rain the surface of the ground was wet enough on areas with a good grass cover that a horse would slip. Practically no moisture had evaporated from these areas.

Lester Foster stated that his 6,000 yard diversion dam not only protected the 13 foot overfall from further washing, but added runoff water to a large area of land. The area flooded by this extra water was still wet enough to bog a horse last week.

A twenty per cent higher lamb crop this year on his lambing range as compared to the remainder of his ranch is the result of more grass on the ground and more vigorous grass plants, stated George McEntire. Even though this area was burned several times during

the war, the fact that the grasses had an opportunity to grow and develop deep root systems is responsible for the increased production last year and this spring. One hundred per cent lamb crop is the record made by these better grasses.

W. B. Welch states that he has a real terrace system on his cultivated field, one that held over seven inches of rain May 10.

The terraces on Lee O. Newcomb's large field held all of the water out of the lake in the center. His un-terraced field and pasture land surrounding the lake southeast of his house lost enough runoff water to fill the lake. Considerable washing occurred in the un-terraced field. No washing was noted on the terraced land.

The Vocational Agriculture boys of Garden City High School noted the following differences in moisture penetration, May 15, on Marshall Cook's ranch west of Garden City. In an area of side oats grama and tabosa the moisture had penetrated more than 36 inches. With dead grass on the surfaces and roots evident in the first 12 inches of soil the moisture had penetrated 16 inches. With no grass roots evident in the soil, the moisture

had penetrated only 12 inches. One inch of rain on deep soil will wet the soil about 6 inches. There is only 2 inches of moisture in the ground for plant growth on the relatively barren area compared to over 6 inches on the grass covered area.

The county road damage, fences washed out, damage to the railroad bridge on Cox Hollow, and lesser damage at numerous other places was greatly increased because of this 4 inches of rainfall

that was lost as runoff on many areas.

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### Tomato Chutney for Taste Delight

Home-canned tomato chutney is a year-round taste delight which many housewives put up in quantity, often by request! It's delicious with meats, does wonders for meats served cold. This recipe, from the universally used Ball Blue Book on home canning, will please your family:

- 12 ripe tomatoes
- 3 onions
- 3 sweet peppers
- 6 tart apples
- 1 pod hot peppers

- 1 clove garlic
- 1 cup seeded raisins
- 3 cups brown sugar
- 1 tablespoon ginger
- 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 3 cups vinegar

Skin tomatoes and onions, seed peppers, pare and core apples, wash raisins, then run all through food chopper. Combine with other ingredients and cook until thick. Pour into hot jars and seal according to manufacturer's instructions.

## Is That MILK Really Skimmed?

The tiny globules of butterfat in milk and cream are literally *liquid gold*. The dairy industry in 1945 produced \$3,632,146,000—or about 15% of the national farm income. Butterfat plays a big part in creating that wealth. That's why the milk you feed your hogs should be separated carefully. The butterfat is much too valuable to you to pour it into hog troughs along with the skim milk.

In more than three centuries, the American dairy industry has come a long way. But there's still a lot of hand-skimming—just the same way the Pilgrim Fathers skimmed their milk. That hand-skimming costs producers plenty, averaging 22% lost butterfat. Surveys show water-diluter separators lose an average of 18% of the butterfat, produce lower grading cream.

But mechanical separators, correctly adjusted and operated, will save all but a very small percentage of the butterfat. Moreover, tests have shown that producers who use mechanical separators market up to 71% of first-grade cream, while only about 40% of the hand- or water-separated cream marketed is first grade.

Thus, with even only three cows, a mechanical separator can pay for itself in as little as six months and begin earning a profit. The five minutes a day it takes to wash and sterilize a separator pays out well in dollars and cents.

Of course, there's a lot more to milk and cream quality than the method of separation used. It begins with healthy cows. Cleanliness every step of the way, quick cooling and frequent marketing—all count heavily. Nearly all state agricultural colleges offer detailed bulletins of improvement of the market value of milk and cream. They are profitable reading.

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#### Soda Bill Sez:

... in order to make his dreams come true a man has to be wide awake.  
... that usually the less a man knows, the more he wants to tell it.



#### The Not-So-"Good Old Days"

In the "good old days" maybe your grandfather butchered three or four steers. The beef that he didn't need for his own use he could peddle without much trouble.

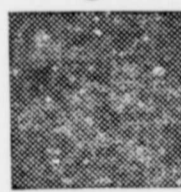
Today his grandson—perhaps it's you—may produce 30 or 300, or possibly 3,000 steers a year. It would be out of the question for you to butcher them yourself, and an utter impossibility to peddle from door to door all the beef you'd have. So you send your steers to market. There they are purchased by meat packers with facilities to handle thousands of head a day. There they are converted into meat. There's a minimum of waste. By-products are turned into useful products. And the meat is distributed to markets near and far, each weight and grade going wherever it will sell best.

Without the services of nationwide meat packers, such as Swift & Company, there would be no efficient, economical way to bridge the more than 1,000-mile average gap between producers and consumers. Without these services, livestock would have to be shipped long distances, cost of dressed meat would be higher, and consumers could not afford to buy as much meat, nor would they be as well fed.

F.M. Simpson.

Agricultural Research Department

#### Things are NOT always as they seem



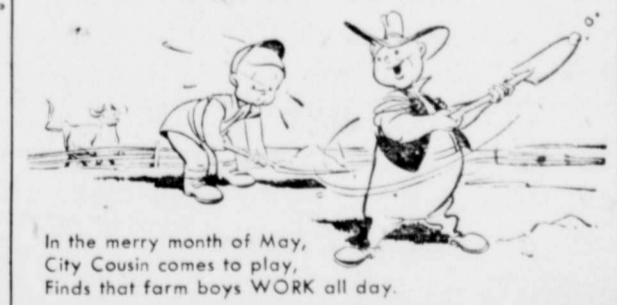
That square seems to be a solid block of gray.

But look at it closely and you find it's made up of many individual dots.

Similarly, when some people "look at" Swift & Company, they see a big corporation. But if they look closely,

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Mark A. Shipley

#### Early Cut Hay is Better Feed

As Reported by Mark A. Shipley  
University of Nevada

Steers wintered on meadow hay cut early in the season gained 151 pounds per head while a similar lot of steers fed late-cut hay lost 2 pounds per head. This interesting information is revealed in a report of an experiment conducted by the University of Nevada.

The two lots of steers averaged 535 pounds at the start of the feeding experiment in November. They were weighed again at the end of 100 days with the above result.

The hay classed as early cut was put up on July 10, and that classed as late cut was harvested on September 10.

After the 100-day period, all the steers were shipped back to the summer range which they had been on the previous summer. They were marketed in September. By that time, the lot fed the early-cut hay weighed 69 pounds more than those fed late-cut hay, according to the Nevada report. At 15 cents a pound, the extra gain was worth \$10.35 more per steer.

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maries to Intermediates.  
 With the greatest of ease, and as calm as innocence, O. F. Carper stood before some 35 or 40 people and blew his bubble of about 8 inches in diameter. Then with the skill of a magician he retrieved his big pink bubble back behind the smiling pearly gates again—Thus making him the World's First Bubble Gum Champion. A challenge will be sent out to the youth rallies of San Angelo for a contest.

An Intermediate girl was hard on his heels for championship honors—Miss Flo Thieme. She is second champion of the bubble gum world. She may be the next champion if Carper does not stay in shape.

Little David Merrell took third place with all the ease and dignity one can muster on such an occasion.

The fourth place went to Tommy Cole.

Some time in the future there will be a world's second bubble gum contest "Keep 'Em Popping". It helps if you will practice while you sing "I'm Forever Blowing Bubbles."

We want all of our Intermediates in the choir Sunday morning as we will have Nelson Ponder from Baylor University directing the music. We will tell you all about Nelson Ponder, who will direct our music in the summer revival next week in the paper. Also his picture.

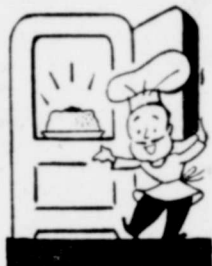
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.  
 Worship 11:00 A. M.  
 "God's Claim, Charge, Challenge"

As a reminder, let us mention the fact that pledge cards will be given out for all who will to sign. Every man, woman or child who abounds in His grace can sign a card. The 11:00 o'clock message will be on the subject of Bible giving.

**Regal Refrigerator Ring**

By Frances Lee Barton

WHO wouldn't be willing to feast their eyes on a Jellied Chicken Ring resting on the refrigerator shelf? It's a treat for a Bridge lunch or a Sunday supper—the kind of treat that will earn you a reputation as a skilled hostess. So why don't you open that refrigerator door?



**Jellied Chicken Ring**

1 four-pound chicken, cut up; 2 stalks celery; 1 large onion, sliced; 3 sprigs parsley; 1/2 bay leaf; 1 tablespoon salt; 1/4 teaspoon pepper. 1 envelope speed-up gelatine; 1/2 teaspoon celery salt; 1/4 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce; 1/2 teaspoon salt; dash of pepper; 1 tablespoon finely chopped pimento.

Cover chicken with boiling water; add celery, onion, parsley, bay leaf, salt, and pepper. Simmer, covered, 2 hours, or until meat is tender. Remove chicken. Strain stock; cool and skim off fat. Measure 3 cups stock. Separate chicken from bones and skin, dice, and measure 2 1/2 cups.

Combine gelatine with 3 cups stock in a saucepan and heat over medium flame until gelatine is dissolved, stirring constantly . . . about 2 or 3 minutes. Add celery salt, Worcestershire sauce, salt, and pepper and cool. Then add diced chicken and pimento. Pour into a 1-quart ring mold. Chill until firm. Unmold. Garnish with watercress and serve with mayonnaise or salad dressing. Makes 8 servings.

**NOTICE OF MEETING OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION**

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Sterling County, Texas, will meet at the County house in Sterling City, Texas, at 10:00 a. m. on Monday, June 9, A.D. 1947, when they will sit as a Board of Equalization of Taxes for the year A.D. 1947, at which time you may appear before said court and show cause, if any, why any property rendered by you for taxes for said year, should not be placed on the tax rolls at the value rendered by you or should not same be raised to a value placed on same by the court.

Notices have been mailed to all parties whose valuations are to be raised above their rendition unless cause can be shown why the valuation should not be raised.

Published by order of the Commissioners Court, Sterling County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Sterling City, Texas, this 14th day of May, A.D. 1947.

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**"FIGHTING SISTERS"** — Olivia de Haviland and Joan Fontaine, Rivals From Early Girlhood, Are Still Engaged in a Bitter Family Fued Now That Each Has Won a Place in the Cinema Sun. Read About It in the American Weekly, The Magazine Distributed With Next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

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**Community Center**

The foundation of the Sterling Community Center was laid last week-end and hte week and work is progressing toward completing of the moving and finishing the center.

**Combats Juvenile Delinquency**

The Center will be a place for the youth of Sterling to gather for good, clean recreation—something to combat the wave of juvenile delinquency. Young people, in groups, competing in recreational games, properly supervised, are turned from the curse of modern times—that of juvenile delinquency.

**Investment in Youth**

As such a meeting place, properly chaperoned, healthy recreation and community pride and spirit, naturally will be a magnet for youth, and as such will be an investment in youth. Wouldn't it be better to guide that to correct?

**\$12,000.00 Cost of Project**

As an asset, as a place that all can be proud, as a real community center, the place when completed will reach the neighborhood of \$12,000 cost. Talk of raising the funds by a bond issue would have possibly come to pass, if an interested few had not attempted to do the thing the Sterling way—by public subscription. Several towns south of here voted high as \$1000,000 bond issues for their community centers. Bear this in mind when asked for your contribution. A life-time placque with the names of the donors will be hung in the center.

You will want your name on this placque.

**"THE MYSTERY OF PERCY THOMAS"** \* \* \* The Baffling Story of World War II's Most Unusual Case of Confused Identity. Read This Puzzling Account in the American Weekly, The Magazine Distributed with Next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

**Add Variety to Canned Pears**



—Photo courtesy Ball Bros. Co.

The pear crop seldom seems to fail and may be relied upon by home canners to provide summer fruits for winter tables. To break the monotony of plain canned pears the universally used Ball Blue Book on home canning suggests some tasty variations. Orange pears may be made by using the juice and rind of one-half orange to each quart of sirup. Remove the orange rind before packing the pears into jars. To make cinnamon pears use two or

three tablespoons of "Red Hots" to each quart of sirup, or use stick cinnamon and a few drops of red coloring. Ginger pears are made by using ginger tea (water in which ginger root is boiled) instead of plain water for making sirup. Use pineapple juice instead of water for the sirup to make pineapple pears. For plum pears use tart, red plum juice instead of water for making the sirup. These variations are sure to "hit the spot" with your family.

From where I sit... by Joe Marsh



**When Ed's Crops Failed**

Three years ago Ed Smith's luck went bad. His crops failed, and it wasn't long before Ed's home and furnishings were up for auction.

Half the town turned out, and Ed must have thought his neighbors were a bunch of hungry vultures—buying up all his precious possessions for a song.

When it was over, and the auctioneer had left, Sam Abernathy turns to the crowd and says: "All right, folks, let's take time out for a glass of beer, and then put this stuff back where it belongs!"

Two hours later, Ed was in possession of his home and furnishings; and the folks who'd paid for them were sitting around Ed's fire enjoying a neighborly glass of beer—to show their friendship and their confidence in Ed.

Today, Ed's back on his feet—an other constructive member of the community. And from where I sit, we've all been well repaid—a good investment in a good man.

*Joe Marsh*

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**Be An "Engineer in Good Eating"—Do Home Canning!**

**Simple Instructions Based on Science**

You may not have a degree as an engineer, Mrs. Housewife, but when you're home canning you're using scientific principles just as surely as a mining, chemical, electrical or other engineer. That is, if you follow glass jar manufacturer's instructions, for they are based upon scientific discoveries made over a period of a century and a half.

Back in Napoleon's time, a Paris confectioner, Nicolas Appert, set out to find a method of food preservation and win a 12,000-franc prize offered in 1795 by the French government. Napoleon, like Frederick the Great, believed an army travels on its stomach, and the folks at home got hungry and discontented too!

Nicolas won the prize, after 15 years' work, but his methods and equipment have been greatly improved upon. He labored under many handicaps, not knowing a "temperature beyond boiling is required for processing some foods and having to design his own glass jars. Not until 1860 did Louis Pasteur establish the fact that microorganisms are responsible for food spoilage. Four-

teen years later, an American, A. K. Shriver of Baltimore, invented the "retort" or "pressure" cooker.

In 1858 John Mason patented the Mason jar with neck designed for receiving a screw type cap. The Mason jar with porcelain-lined zinc cap is an old reliable. Mason would probably be astounded by the 1947 cap for sealing the Mason jar. This new style cap is a two-piece metal affair with a Dome lid which has sealing compound on the under side and is tested for seal by pressing on the center of the lid with the finger. Sealing with the Dome lid is made doubly sure by the new type metal band which bears down on the lid at three pressure points.

Also reliable in seal is the lightning type jar with rubber ring, glass lid and wife bail.

Many scientific experiments and jar improvements have perfected processes for today's home canning and it is upon them that instructions you will find in reliable home canning literature such as the Ball Blue Book are based. Follow these instructions and you become an "Engineer in Good Eating"—much to the benefit of your family's health and increased pleasure at the table provided by delicious home canned foods.

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**Cleanliness 'Must' in Making Baby's Formula**

IMMACULATE cleanliness is necessary when preparing baby's formula, for such care is important in keeping baby healthy, writes Georgia Leffingwell in an article in nationally-circulated Capper's Farmer.

"For efficiency and cleanliness, the utensils used in preparing baby's bottle should be kept together," she advises mothers. "They should not be used for any other purpose."



Utensils needed are: 8 to 10 eight-ounce bottles with rounded edges; bottle covers that can be sterilized; a dozen nipples; a funnel and a strainer; a bottle brush; teaspoon or forceps for picking up utensils; a sterilizer or kettle large enough to boil bottles, nipples and utensils; a 32-ounce measuring container for measuring formula; 2 wide-mouthed glass jars, one that can be sterilized for storing boiled nipples and covers and one for used nipples.

"Wash hands thoroly before beginning formula preparation," the article cautions. "The whole 24 hours supply should be made up at one time, poured directly into the sterile bottles and tightly capped."

All bottles, nipples and utensils should be washed inside and out with a clean bottle brush, using hot, soapy water. Place equipment in a sterilizer or large kettle and allow to boil at least 5 minutes. Then let them drain and cool. Fill the bottles, being careful not to touch the top edge. Cover at once with sterilized rubber caps or bottle covers. Allow to cool a few minutes before placing in the refrigerator. When putting on nipple before a feeding, take care not to touch end that goes into baby's mouth.

**Cleaning the Oven**

Grease "baked on" in range ovens is hard to remove, the Rural Home editor of nationally-circulated Capper's Farmer points out. Scouring, unless done with care, may damage the enamel finish. So home economists with the U. S. Department of Agriculture suggest placing a shallow bowl of household ammonia — or a wadded cloth dampened in ammonia — in the oven for several hours or overnight. Fumes help loosen greasy film; a badly soiled oven may need several treatments.

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**Beat the Boys and the Birds to the Cherries**



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"Cherries are ripe!" When that little schoolroom song is in season, get busy in your kitchen! The robins, or other two-legged depredaters answering to such names as "Butch" and "Porky", may consume the luscious crop of the old cherry tree before you can say, "NEXT WINTER'S PIES!"

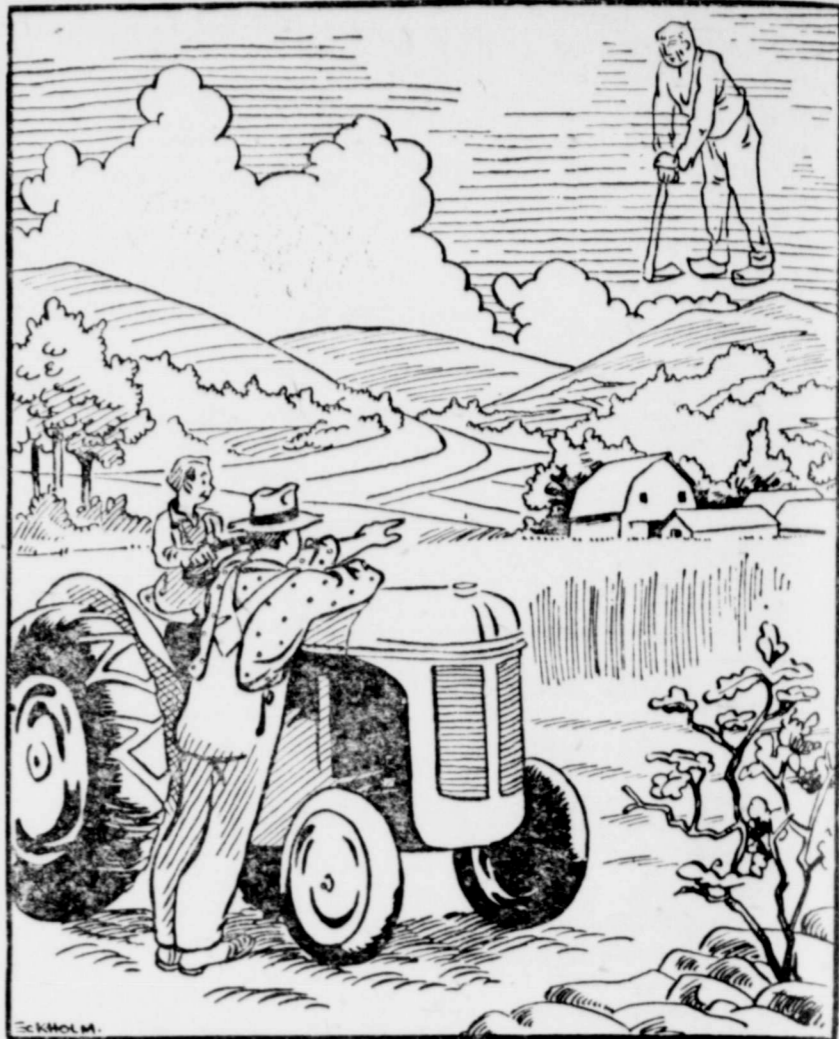
To can cherries by the cold pack method, wash and stem them. Pit or leave whole, but prick whole ones with a needle. Pack into hot jars. Cover sour cherries with boiling sirup made of one part sugar and one part water or cherry juice. Cover sweet cherries with sirup containing one-half to one part sugar and one part liquid. Process 20 minutes in hot water bath.

The hot pack method calls for

one-half to one cup sugar to each quart of pitted cherries. Add the sugar to the cherries and let stand one to two hours. Simmer 10 minutes, then pack into hot jars and process 10 minutes in hot water bath.

These directions are taken from the famous Ball Blue Book of home canning methods and recipes. If cherry pies, tarts and cobbles made from home-grown cherries won't satisfy your family's craving for this piquant summertime fruit, put up cherry jelly, pickled cherries, cherry preserves, Maraschino cherries, and conserves combining cherries with pineapples, raspberries, etc. Canned Bing cherries are delicious to eat as dessert or in salads. You'll never lack for princely meals with cherries in your closet of canned foods.

**"The Man With The Hoe" Is The Hope Of The World**



"Son, these fields and forests my father gave me to care for and protect. Some day they will be yours. For those to come we must leave it all better than we found it."

This growing feeling of responsibility for the conservation of natural resources is being taught not only in schools and by the press, but by the churches as well. It is, for example, a springtime emphasis of the Year of Stewardship cultivation of the Methodist Crusade for Christ.

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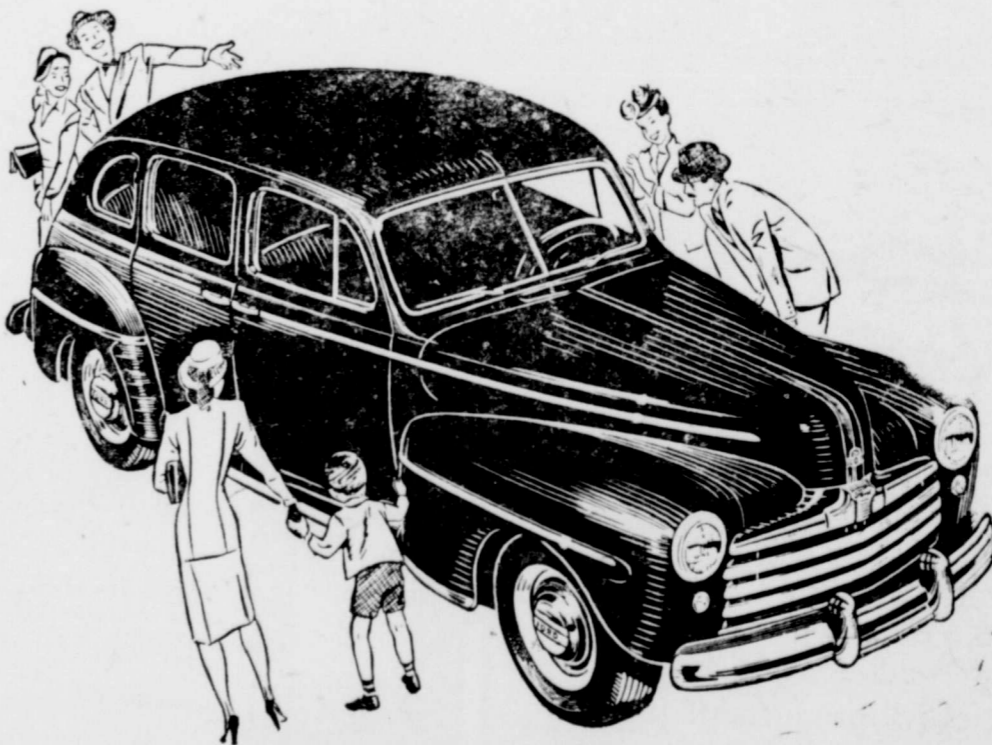
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## WING OF SOUTHWEST FARM MARKETS

By United States Department of Agriculture

(USDA)—Some easiness cropped up at most southwest farm markets last week, but few products suffered much net loss, according to the Production and Marketing Administration, U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Light offerings of wheat and sorghums pushed prices up several cents early last week, and corn and barley followed, but later losses erased all gains, except on barley and sorghums. Wheat closed Friday at \$2.73 per bushel for No. 1 hard; and corn \$1.96 for white, and \$1.91 for yellow. No. 2 milo brought \$3.15 per hundred pounds.

Moderate quantities of milled rice moved to Cuba and domestic markets this week. Planting of the new crop made good progress. The downward trend in feed prices halted abruptly, as bran and shorts jumped \$9 to \$12 per ton, and other feeds held steady to strong. Alfalfa had not fully adjusted to the new crop basis; but prairie hay remained in urgent demand. New Mexico growers sold some well grown fine wools direct to mill.

Egg prices dropped a cent or two in some areas last week, and mature poultry showed a slightly weaker undertone. Eggs averaged 36 cents per dozen at Fort Smith; 37 at Denver, Amarillo and San Antonio; 37½ at Dallas, Ft. Worth and New Orleans; 38 at Topeka and Oklahoma City; 44 at Shreveport; and 45 at Houston and Corpus Christi.

Diminished strawberry shipments from Louisiana brought lower prices last week and auction sales discontinued operation. Heavy supplies of snap beans at New Orleans sold lower. On Denver's wholesale market, cucumbers, strawberries, tomatoes, and green corn weakened. In the lower Rio Grande Valley, larger quantities of corn and tomatoes loaded at reduced prices. Growers got 75 cents per bushel for white corn, 50 cents to \$1 per half bushel for bantam, and 5 to 7 cents per pound for tomatoes.

Trading in spot cotton increased last week in some markets. Higher grades sold freely, but lower classes met slow demand. After rather wide fluctuations, Friday's prices stood at \$2.75 to \$4.75 lower for the period.

Butcher hogs closed last Friday about the same as a week earlier at most southwest markets, but some sows and feeder pigs weakened. Closing bulk price on good and choice medium weights stood at \$23.50 at San Antonio; \$24 at Fort Worth and Oklahoma City; \$25 at Denver; and around \$23.50 at Wichita.

Sheep and lambs saw little price change last week, but San Antonio netted 50 cents advance on spring lambs, while Oklahoma City and Denver weakened some. Closing bulk of good and choice spring lambs brought \$21 to \$23.50 at Fort Worth; \$20 to \$22 at San Antonio and Denver; and medium to good \$19 to \$23 at Oklahoma City.

Early advances at southwest cattle markets were largely lost late last week, and some spots closed a little lower, but many classes ended up with some net gains. Bulk

## Livestock Auction Prices

The sheep sale at the West Texas Livestock Auction Co. sale in Big Spring last Thursday reported the following prices:

Stocker wool lambs—\$18 to 19.50  
Fat shorn lambs—16.80 to 19.00  
Ewes (shorn)—\$5 to \$8  
Bucks (shorn)—4.50 to 6.80

A few head of fancy ewes and lambs in the wool—up to \$25.25.  
Hogs topped \$24.00.

The ring reported a good sale on both saddle horses and killer horses.

The Big Spring ring started the sheep sales on Thursday of last week, and will have them each Thursday from now on.

## CLARK DELIVERS SOME HEAVY LAMBS

Jeff Davis, livestock commission dealer here, took delivery on some lambs from Crit Clark last week, that will stand as a record for range lambs out of the wool. The lambs weighed 129 pounds out of the wool and off range pasture. The lambs had sheared 12 pounds of wool the week before, said Davis. He had contracted the lambs at 17¼c.

## History of Sterling County

Editor's note—Due to mechanical difficulties, we had to omit this week's chapter of the HISTORY OF STERLING COUNTY. The chapter and all succeeding chapters will appear in the following issues.

Miss Modena Pearce, 37, of Coleman, sister of Homer Pearce and Mrs. Fred Hodges of this city, died May 14 at her home. Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church in Coleman on May 15.

Plymouth No. 1 Georgia Frost, projected Ellenburger wildcat in north central Sterling County, C NE SW 39-2H&TC, was rigging up rotary to start drilling by the end of this week.

of common and medium steers and yearlings brought \$14 to \$18 at Houston; and medium grades turned at \$19.25 to \$20.50 at San Antonio. Medium and good steers and yearlings sold mostly at \$18 to \$23 at Fort Worth; and \$20 to \$23.50 at Wichita. Oklahoma City paid mainly \$19 to \$23.50 for medium and good steers.



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June is the month for brides, and through all the land there is scarcely a person who is not busy selecting wedding presents.

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**Corn Relish—Recipe for a Popular Hostess**

Corn relish is one of those appetizing dishes we rarely enjoy unless we know someone who does home canning and invites us over for a meal. Popular hostesses find that it pays to include corn relish in their home canning plans. The Ball Blue Book recipe for this taste treat is as follows:

- 2 quarts corn
- 1 quart chopped cabbage
- 1 cup green sweet pepper
- 1 cup sweet red pepper
- 2 large onions
- 1 cup sugar
- 2 tablespoons ground mustard
- 1 tablespoon mustard seed
- 1 tablespoon salt
- 1 tablespoon celery seed
- 1 quart vinegar
- 1 cup water

Boil corn five minutes. Cold dip. Cut from cob. Measure. Chop and measure cabbage and peppers. Chop onions. Combine ingredients and simmer 20 minutes. (More salt and sugar may be added if needed.) Pack into hot jars. Seal at once.

**Canned Pickled Crab Apples for Your Winter Meals**

Just the thing to serve with a rich roast of meat or fowl are Crab Apple Pickles. Several jars should be canned for use with winter meals, when heavy foods are needed. This recipe comes from the universally used Ball Blue Book on home canning:

- 1 gallon crab apples
- 6 to 8 cups sugar
- 3 cups water
- 4 cups vinegar
- 1 stick cinnamon
- 1 tablespoon crushed ginger
- 1 tablespoon whole allspice
- 1/2 tablespoon whole cloves

Wash apples and pierce each with a needle. Heat sugar, liquids and spices (tied in bag) until sugar dissolves. Cool. Add apples and simmer until tender. Let stand several hours or overnight. Pack cold apples into hot jars. Boil the sirup to the desired thickness and pour over apples. Process five minutes in hot water bath. The amount of sugar may vary depending upon whether a fairly sweet or moderately sour pickle is desired, and from one-half to one-third of it may be corn sirup.

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**Sugar Guardians**



By BETTY BARCLAY

Homemakers deserve praises galore for their ingenuity during recent years as substitute after substitute was used to make delicious dishes without sugar. Honey, sweet chocolate, syrups of various kinds—all have been invaluable aids in solving this problem. And sugar must still be guarded with an eagle eye.

Here are two sugarless recipes for penny-wise housewives, plus a thrifty main dish for a starter. Food values—extra plus. Taste—super. Economical too. Try them for dinner or a party supper.

**Date Icebox Pudding**

- 4 cups wheat flakes
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 4 tablespoons honey or orange marmalade
- 1 teaspoon grated orange rind
- 1 cup finely cut dates
- 1 cup broken walnut meats
- 1 cup milk

Crush wheat flakes; reserve 1/2 cup. To remaining crushed flakes, add salt, honey, orange rind, dates, and nuts. Add milk and mix. Shape into 8 inch roll. Sprinkle roll with the remaining 1/2 cup crushed flakes and wrap in waxed paper. Chill 5 to 6 hours, or until firm. Slice and serve with whipped cream. Makes 8 to 10 servings.

**Marshmallow Bars**

- 6 marshmallows, cut in eighths
  - 1 cup corn flakes
  - 1 package semi-sweet chocolate
- Line bottom of loaf pan, 8 x 4 inches, with waxed paper. Arrange

marshmallows in pan and fill spaces between marshmallows with corn flakes. Heat chocolate over boiling water until partly melted; then remove from boiling water and stir rapidly until entirely melted. Pour evenly over contents of pan and tap pan several times to settle chocolate. Let stand in cool place to harden. Cut in bars, 1 x 2 inches. Makes 16 bars.

**Fried Wheat-Meal Chicken Slices**

- 1/4 cup finely diced celery
- 1/2 cup finely chopped onion
- 2 tablespoons finely diced green pepper
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 1/2 cups chicken broth
- 1 1/2 cups boiling water
- 1 cup wheat-meal
- 1/2 to 1 cup diced cooked chicken or giblets

Add vegetables, salt, and chicken broth to boiling water and cook until vegetables are tender. Drain; measure liquid and add water to make 3 cups. Bring liquid to a boil, add cereal gradually and boil gently 3 minutes, stirring constantly. Add cooked vegetables and chicken. Turn into greased 9 x 4 x 3 inch pan. When cold, slice and sauté in small amount of fat until lightly browned. Serve with chicken gravy; or serve with onion, celery or mushroom sauce. Makes 6 servings.

**Note:** Three cups boiling water and 3 bouillon cubes (chicken flavor) may be substituted for 1 1/2 cups each chicken broth and boiling water.



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