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Sterling Horse Show Has Big Success

A 7-year-old black horse of unknown ancestry drew most of the cheers at the Sterling City Horse show here last Saturday.

The black, named Joe Louis, won the reining contest hands down the easy way he handled and the speed with which he cut back and forth, stirring up a whirlwind of dust while doing it. Owned by Charlie Black, Jr. of Ozona, he was bred by Joe Carruthers of Ozona.

Six grand champions were named by judges Volney Hildreth of Laredo and Virgil Brownfield of Sterling City.

Attendance was better than expected, and held up fairly well despite continuous winds which whipped up the dry sand and kept the grounds dusty all day.

Officials of the show were so well pleased with attendance and the expectedly large number of horses brought that they announced the event would become an annual fair.

Grand Champion Quarter Horse was Bud Turner, 2-year-old, owned by Foster Conger of Sterling City. Reserve champion was Striker, aged stud belonging to Largent & Henderson, Hyman.

Grand Champion Quarter Horse mare was Wanda, aged mare owned by Wayne Ewing, Sterling City. Reserve champion, Libyan Star, owned by J. F. McCabe, Robert Ewing.

Grand Champion Thoroughbred was Red River, aged stud belonging to Pete Hanson, Sterling City. Reserve was a yearling, unnamed, belonging to Herbert Cope, Sterling City.

Grand Champion Thoroughbred mare was 2-year-old Gnome, owned by Hanson, and reserve was Prince, 2 year old belonging to David and Bitsy Durham, Sterling City.

Grand Champion Palomino stud was My Pal Socks, aged stud belonging to H. B. Poe, San Angelo. Reserve was 2-year-old Don Wagner, owned by W. R. Davis, Sterling City.

Grand Champion Palomino mare was yearling Jodie Blon, a Largent & Henderson filly. Reserve was Goldona, aged mare owned by Gilbert Sanders, San Angelo.

Forty one horses competed in the quarterhorse classes, six in the Thoroughbred classes, fifteen in the Palomino classes, and 13 in the reining class. This was a total of 79 entries. The show was sponsored by the ranchmen of the county.

Show officials were Foster Conger, chairman; Wayne Ewing and Foster S. Price, Entry Committee; Taylor Garrett, Pete Hanson, and Thurman Rich, Grounds Committee; and Byron W. Frierson, Secretary.

Winners in the various classes were as follows:
1947 Quarterhorse Fillies
1. Libyan Star, Owner, J. F. McCabe of Robert Lee. 2. Fashion, owned by Foster & Hildebrand of Sterling City. 3. Susie Q, owned by Billy Ralph Bynum of Sterling City. 4. Stardust, owned by John Reed of Sterling City. 5. Little Hedge, owned by Billy R. Bynum of Sterling City.

1946 Quarterhorse Fillies
1. Easter, owned by J. W. Fields of San Angelo. 2. Dorinda, owned by Joe L. Snead & Son of Sterling City. 3. Sallie, owned by Herbert Cope of Sterling City.

Aged Quarterhorse Mares
1. Wanda, owned by Wayne Ewing of Sterling City. 2. Punkin, owned by Foster & Hildebrand of Sterling City. 3. Sobris Diane, owned by Frances Weeg of Big Spring.

QUARTERHORSES
1947 Quarterhorse Stud
1. Rowdy Jim, owned by Foster Price of Sterling City. 2. O Boy, owned by Herbert Cope of Sterling City. 3. Redman, owned by Foster Hildebrand of Sterling City. 4. Tots, owned by Thurman Rich of Sterling City. 5. King Sorrell, owned by Thurman Rich of Sterling City.

1946 Quarterhorse Stud
1. Bud Turner, owned by Foster Conger of Sterling City. 2. Barager, owned by Largent & Henderson of Hyman. 3. Pete McCabe, owned by Bob Bailey of Ozona. 4. T, owned by Forrest Foster of Sterling City. 5. Rusty, owned by T. Foster of Sterling City.

Aged Quarterhorse Stud
1. Striker, owned by Clyde Reynolds of Sterling City. 2. Hack Driver, owned by B. A. Nance of Coleman. 3. Sand McCabe, owned by Wayne McCabe of Sanco. 4. King Dude, owned by C. P. Wallace of Roscoe.

THOROUGHBREDS
1946 Fillies
1. Gnome Girl, owned by Pete Hansen, Sterling City. 2. Easy Lynn, owned by Jim Bob Clark of Sterling City.
1947 Stud
1. No Name, owned by Herbert Cope of Sterling City. 2. Prince, owned by David and Bitsy Durham of Sterling City.
Aged Thoroughbred Stud
1. Red River, owned by Pete Hansen of Sterling City. 2. Winning Way, owned by Bade Bros. of Sterling City.

PALOMINOS
1947 Palomino Fillies
1. Jody Blond, owned by Largent & Henderson of Hyman. 2. Sobred Sweet Sue, owned by Frances Weeg of Big Spring.
1946 Palomino Fillies
1. Golden Sunbeam, owned by W. R. Davis of Sterling City. 2. Berdino, owned by D. D. Garrett of Sterling City.
Aged Palomino Mares
1. Goldana, owned by Mrs. Gilbert Sanders of San Angelo. 2. My Gold-Lass, owned by Josephine Willis of San Angelo. 3. Cutie Do, owned by D. D. Garrett of Sterling City.
1946 Palomino Stud
1. Golden Don Wagner, owned by W. R. Davis of Sterling City. 2. Golden Ember, owned by Joe L. Snead & Son, Sterling City. 3. Chico, owned by H. B. Poe of San Angelo.
Aged Palomino Stud
1. My Pal Sox, owned by H. B. Poe of San Angelo. 2. Golden Don Marvel, owned by W. R. Davis of Sterling City. 3. Vic, owned by Frances Weeg of Big Spring.

Reining Horse Contest
1. Joe Louis, owned by Charlie Black of Coleman. 2. Sand McCabe, owned by Wayne McCabe of Sanco. 3. Tommy, owned by Frances Weeg of Big Spring. 4. Ted, owned by Mrs. Terry Smith of Coleman. 5. Little Olga, owned by Foster Conger of Sterling City. 6. Charlie, owned by Foster & Hildebrand of Sterling City.

Woman Leaves 56 Dogs!



SANTA BARBARA, CALIF.—When 60 year-old Mrs. Nora Thompson died, she left behind 56 pedigree cocker spaniels in her two-room shack. They were taken to the Humane Society, where they will be sold as pets to responsible dog lovers. Little Lynn Whitaker, 2, is up to his neck in affectionate puppies, who seem to think he would be a nice master.

MRS. DEAREN'S MOTHER DEAD

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Dearen attended funeral services for Mrs. Dearen's mother, Mrs. Allie D. Scott, 83. She died last Saturday after an extended illness.

Mrs. Scott died at the home of a daughter, Mrs. A. C. Horton.

Other survivors include a son Britton Scott, and two daughters Mrs. Henry Rusk of Athens and Mrs. Raymond Magers of Brownboro.

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DISTRICT COURT OPENS MONDAY

District Court opens here next Monday May 3, with the meeting of the grand jury at 10:00 a. m.

There are no cases set forth on the criminal docket and very few on the civil docket.

Grand jurors that have been summoned to appear for duty are Edwin Aiken, S. M. Bailey, A. T. Bratton, M. E. Churchill, H. C. Dunn, W. D. Farnsworth, T. L. Murrell, H. L. Hildebrand, Weldon Phillips, L. R. Reed, T. A. Revell, V. E. Brownfield, T. F. Foster, Fred Hodges and Fowler McEntire.

OUR WASHINGTON NEWS LETTER

By Congressman O. C. Fisher

DAR MEET

The 57th Continental Congress of Daughters of the American Revolution met in Washington last week—as they do each year. There were 4000 delegates, including 32 from Texas.

This great patriotic organization placed emphasis on building up this country's military might for self protection and the members dedicated themselves to war on Communism.

Attending from Del Rio was Mrs. Clyde Mills. Her granddaughter, Miss Jackye Lou Mills, came along to see Washington for the first time. Miss Lucy Belle Morgan, a Spanish teacher in Southwestern University at Georgetown, was a delegate.

Mrs. Mills and Miss Morgan are sisters and are daughters of the late Reverend Daniel Morgan of Lampasas County. The latter resided at Lometa during the early days and as a Methodist circuit rider he carried his message on horseback to the frontier outpost over a wide area of central Texas.

FIDELANDS BILL REPORTED

The Tidelands bill, which means much to the future of Texas has now been approved by the House Judiciary Committee and is due to be placed on the House calendar for early consideration. This bill would establish state titles to tidelands up to a three-mile point beyond the low tide mark. A Senate Judiciary subcommittee has approved a similar bill.

RESEARCH SLATED

A proposed new international wool research program was discussed the other day at a meeting which I attended.

The new research program may be carried out at Princeton Textile Institute under joint auspices of International Wool Secretariat, American Wool Council and the Agriculture Department, with an overall objective of increasing utility of wool fibers, particularly of coarser wools.

Mohair will be included in the research study.

On the cotton front, at a meeting held last week at Atlanta, much stress was placed on continued research.

Cotton will continue to be the South's most important crop, but if it is to compete successfully with an increasing number of synthetic fibers, the South must produce better cotton at a lower cost of production, it was contended.

It was pointed out that cotton has practically lost to synthetics and paper the tire fabric and bag markets, and ramie, the toughest fabric yet produced, when perfected, will seriously compete with heavy cotton goods in work shirts and overalls.

REVOLVING FUND BILL
The Senate has before it a bill to create a \$150 million revolving fund for use by the Secretary of the Army in the purchase of natural fibers such as cotton, wool and mohair. Such raw material would be shipped to occupied areas in Germany and Japan and old. The purpose is to get the textile plants in those countries into production and thereby reduce our occupation costs considerably.

It is not known what amount of these fibers will be acquired. That will be left up to the Secretary of the Army. There will undoubtedly be a substantial amount of cotton included, some wool, and we hope the Secretary will be able to make use of some of our surplus mohair.

Forty-one Senators—including our two from Texas—are sponsoring the bill. Prospects appear good for its enactment.

NEW COOK BOOK
My office has been allotted 2,000

Lions Want Blinker Lights on Highway

The Sterling City Lions Club voted to request and sponsor the installing of blinker lights at the intersection of streets at the Methodist Church, the Baptist Church, and at the Deal Drug Store, when they met for the regular Wednesday luncheon in the Community Center. The club will ask the State Highway Department to install the lights, and work with the County Commissioners Court to get the job done.

New officers for next year were elected as follows:

R. H. Emery, president
Roland Lowe, 1st vice-president
Claude Collins, 2d vice-president
B. B. Hestir, secretary
H. M. Knight, treasurer
Doug Farnsworth, tail twister
G. C. Murrell, Lion tamer
Directors—S. M. Bailey and O. E. Deal.

R. T. Foster and Marshall West were luncheon guests.

Lions G. W. Tillerson and A. T. Bratton made reports on softball.

Lion Frierson told of the success of the Sterling County Horse Show which was held here last Saturday.

LONG-ROLLINS WEDDING RITES

Miss Joe Marie Long and Allen Rollins, both of Sterling City, were married Sunday morning at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Long.

A. A. Berryman, pastor of the Church of Christ in Sterling City performed the single ring ceremony.

Mrs. Jesse Q. Foster was matron of honor, and Jimmy Long, brother of the bride, was best man. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

The bride wore a street-length white eyelet dress with red and gold accessories and carried an arm bouquet of yellow rosebuds. Her going away dress was black crepe with white accessories.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Long of Big Spring.

Following the ceremony the couple left for Denton, where they will spend a week. On their return they will live on the Everitt ranch near Crane, where Mr. Rollins is employed as foreman.

Mrs. Rollins is a graduate of Big Spring High School, and Mr. Rollins graduated from Denton High School.

Mr. and Mrs. George Blackburn went to Sherman Sunday night to be with Mrs. Blackburn's mother, who underwent a major operation.

Copies of a new cookbook for free distribution. It is being put out by the Department of Agriculture and is designed to fit in with the government's food conservation program. So, if you would like to have a copy of this new publication, please write me and one will be promptly supplied.

DISCOVERY WELL FLOWS 1,056 BARRELS DAILY ON TEST

Anderson-Prichard and Vickers Petroleum Co. No. 1 Miss Marvin Frances Foster, discovery producer in southeastern Sterling County, washed perforations last Saturday at 4,252-4,305 feet with 1,000 gallons of mud acid. It kicked off and flowed to the pits for 45 minutes and then to the tanks for 14 hours. It made 615 barrels of 29 gravity oil and no water. This was at the rate of approximately 44 barrels per hour or 1,056 barrels per day. The flow filled all storage on the lease. Then the well was shut down for more storage facilities. The flow is from the Wichita-Abilene section of the Permian.

Location is the C SW SW 12-15-H&TC, 7½ miles south of Sterling City.

Humble No. 1-B W. L. Elwood estate, proposed 3,500-foot wildcat in north central Sterling County, C NE NW 56-18-SPRR, was drilling below 7,303 feet in shale.

MATCHED ROPING FOR \$5,000 PURSE

BIG SPRING, April 30—First matched steer roping event to be staged in this immediate area is set for Sunday, when a \$5,000 purse affair is unreeled at Big Spring, and the Howard County Sheriff's Posse, sponsor, is expecting a crowd of thousands.

Toots Mansfield of Big Spring, who has won many laurels as a calf roper and recently has started looping the bigger animals, will compete against Everett Shaw, a Stonewall, Oklahoma cowhand who is a title-holder in his own right. Each contestant is to rope, trip, tie and brand 10 wild steers, winner take all.

A calf roping match will be an added attraction, with Sonny Edwards of Big Spring and Walton Poage of Rankin competing with six calves each. Both are among the nation's best lariat twirlers.

The program is to start at 2:30 p. m. and will be staged in the new Sheriff's Posse arena south of the Big Spring Airport.

L. and L. Team Leading Softball League

The Lions and Legion team took the lead in the opening round of the softball loop with their 6 to 5 win over the Woodmen and their 12 to 10 win over the high school team.

The high school team is now holding down second place in the league with their 22 to 16 win over the Woodmen team.

Friday night the W. O. W. team will play the L and L team at 8:00 p. m. Tuesday night the high school team will play the L and L team.

After the game Tuesday night the L and L team played a practice game with the oil field boys and won 14 to 7.

But It's True

THE MAN WHOSE SALARY WAS DEDUCTED FOR 2,000 YEARS IN A CERTAIN MOUNTAIN... ACCORDING TO PROFESSIONAL MAGICIANS, CERTAIN MOUNTAINS... PEOPLE CAUGHT PERCH FROM A WATERS HYDRANT IN THE HEART OF OGDENSBURG, N.Y. ON MARCH 30, 1926.

The sieve-like mesh used to strain water coming out of one of the city reservoirs broke down and let the fish through. Some of the perch measured ten inches.

The theory is that intelligent people are trying so hard to consider too many possible answers. The child or the moron does basic thinking, considers only what he sees.

Neighbor Trouble



CHICAGO, ILL. — A six-week old mystery of a small frame cottage here, was solved when police forced a window and burst in upon a family which had shut out the world for nearly two months. The mother, Mrs. Margaret Sutter, 45, and her son John, 17, were found in a living room of filth, while the younger son Robert, 9, was found hiding in a closet. Mrs. Sutter is shown screaming her protests, as she is forcibly taken from her home by a matron and officers of the Chicago Police. She is being held for observation in a psychopathic hospital. During the melee, she bit a police captain and another officer, before being subdued. The Sutter family locked themselves up after their father, John, left home nearly two months ago, and according to the older son, "the neighbors started bothering us."

YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY PAYMENTS

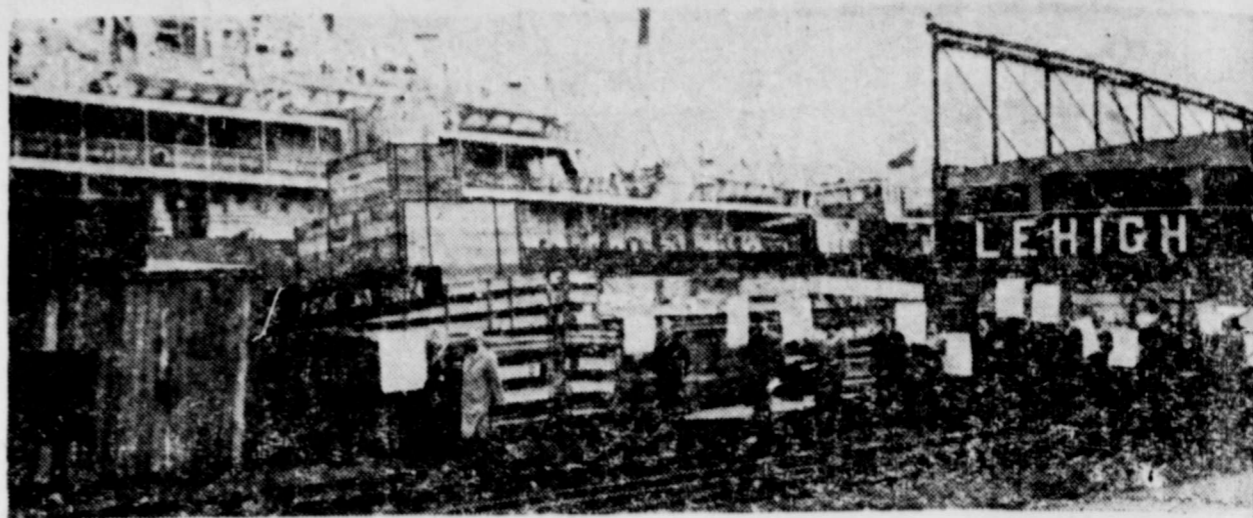
"What becomes of all the money that was paid in?" is a question frequently asked the San Angelo office of the Social Security Administration. In explanation, George, Clark, manager says that social security taxes are confused many times with income taxes which are withheld from a worker's pay.

Under social security, each worker pays only 1 per cent of all wages up to \$3,000 a year. At the present rate, the most any worker can pay in social security taxes in a year is \$30. Since this is the twelfth year that these taxes have been payable, the most any worker could have paid so far is \$360.

Social security taxes pay for retirement insurance income at age 65 and for life insurance benefits upon the death of the worker. For this reason, some retired workers and their wives—or their widows and orphans—will qualify for payments amounting to many times as much as the worker paid in. In other cases, total social security benefits may be less than the amount of social security taxes the worker has paid.

Mr. Clark said that these insurance payments are never large and that they were not intended to replace the need for thrift and savings. It is expected that families will, therefore, be encouraged to supplement their old-age and survivors insurance with other savings, insurance, or resources. Social security payments cannot be

War Veterans Picket Shipment To Russia



JERSEY CITY — (Soundphoto) — Catholic war veterans picket as a protest against the shipment of material and machinery to Russia. Picture shows the Catholic War Veterans of Hudson County, N. J., as they picketed the Russian Freighter Chukota at the Lehigh Valley Docks at Claremont Terminal in Jersey City.

drawn at any time except after retirement at 65 or older, or by survivors after the worker dies at any age. Then, the payments are made as a matter of right to those who qualify, but they must be applied for in every case.

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Mrs. Taylor Garrett and daughter, Fern, visited Mrs. Garrett's mother, Mrs. J. V. Randall in Moran last week-end. Mrs. Dolph returned with them for a it.



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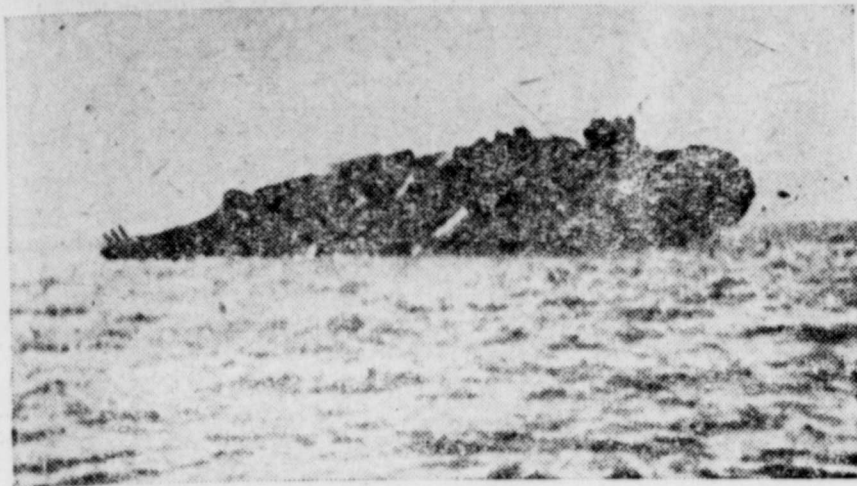
Eight out of ten men, the men with normal "outflare" feet, need this type of specialized shoe fitting—designed to provide extra toe room along the outer edge, end running over, instep corns, pinched and crowded toes.



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Young People's Class 6:30 p. m.
Evening Services 7:00 p. m.
Wednesday Night Services 7:30 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

B. B. Hestir, Pastor

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Evening Service 7:30 p. m.
Auxiliary: Each 2nd and 4th Mondays at the church.

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C. D. McEntire, Pastor

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
B. T. U. 6:00 p. m.
Evening Service 7:30 p. m.

METHODIST CHURCH

Church School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.

SWING OF SOUTHWEST FARM MARKETS

By United States Department of Agriculture

(USDA)—Strong livestock markets contrasted with lower trends on most other farm products in the southwest during the past week, the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration, reports.

Hog prices varied widely up and down but closed Monday about \$2 higher on butchers at Kansas City, Denver and Wichita, and \$1 up at Oklahoma City and Fort Worth. Sows ranged generally around 50 cents higher at \$14 to \$16, and pigs sold unchanged at \$15 to \$18 at Fort Worth. Top butchers varied from \$21.25 to \$22.50.

Cattle sold generally 50 cents to \$1 higher for the week, though Texas markets held steers and yearlings about unchanged and Houston closed steady on about all classes. Common and medium slaughter steers and pearlins ranged from \$19 to \$25 at Houston, while medium and good grades brought \$23

to \$28 at Fort Worth and \$24 to \$27.50 at Oklahoma City. San Antonio paid \$25.50 to \$27.50 for medium light steers, and Wichita gave \$28.50 to \$29 for good kinds. Denver took heifers to \$28.50.

Spring lambs gained around 50 cents to \$1 during the week, although old crop lambs sold steady to lower and ewes remained about unchanged. Common to good spring lambs turned at \$14 to \$23 at San Antonio early this week, as good and choice grades brought \$24 to \$24.50 at Fort Worth, to 26 at Oklahoma City, and Wichita, and \$27 at Kansas City. Denver bought medium and good woolled lots around \$5.

Egg markets weakened further this week under seasonally heavy production and light hatchery demand. Favorable storage demand prevented even lower prices. Current egg receipts ranged from 35 to 40 cents at most southwest terminal markets. Good demand for barely adequate supplies of poultry kept prices firm.

Onions sold a little lower Monday in all South Texas producing areas, after finding strong markets all last week. Shipments of yellow Bermudas had about reached their peak. A few cars of beets, cabbage and carrots still moved from the Lower Rio Grande Valley, where some squash was available and green corn started moving this week. Grapefruit loadings continued heavy last week. Strawberries sold higher early, but fell again as pickings increased in Louisiana, Arkansas and Texas.

After showing slight strength early, grains began to fall rapidly for weekly losses of 10 to 15 cents per bushel, as timely rains improved crop prospects. No. 1 hard wheat closed Monday at \$2.47½ at Texas common points. No. 2 grade of white corn sold around \$2.61, yellow corn \$2.39½, milo fell 22 cents to \$3.65 to \$3.70.

Active Cuban demand held rice markets firm last week. Millfeeds and oilseed meals sold higher, while most other feeds brought lower prices. Slow movement and slack demand featured hay markets. Trade in shelled peanuts remained slow, but peanut oil and

meal strengthened. Southwest wool prices advanced sharply.

Cotton gained early but dropped later for \$1.25 to \$4.35 per bale losses. Spot 15-16 inch middling closed Monday at 37.55 cents a pound at Dallas, 37.10 at Houston, 37.25 at Galveston, 37.15 at New Orleans, and 36.70 at Little Rock.

HOME ECONOMICS STYLE SHOW NEXT TUESDAY

"Around the Fashion Clock," is the theme of the Home Economics girls Annual Style Show, Tuesday, May 4 at 7:00 p. m.

Coming from behind the giant clock to model their garments made in class will be H. E. II girls Joan King, Fern Garrett, June Baker, Helen Lawson, Laverne King, Rita Faye Reed, Norma Huff, Betty Davis; H. E. I girls Elizabeth Hildebrand, Sue Lowe, Moletta Huff, Darlene McEntire, Melvina Huff, Lynelle Ward, and Geneva Reed.

Modeling clothes for pre-school children will be Brenda Augustine, Temple Ann Foster, Pat Heacock, Billy George Huff, Joanna Murrel, Deane Huff and Sandra Robinson.

The dresses will be judged by Miss Edna McGregor, homemaking teacher from Big Spring.

Awards for the three best dresses in each class will be presented by Miss Marjorie Manning.

For wedding invitations, announcements, at-home cards, etc., see the local News-Record shop.

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Fill It Up

By Frances Lee Barton

THERE is not much point in telling you to fill up the cookie jar with these mouth-watering Chocolate Raisin Squares — not unless your cookie jar is equipped with a padlock, and you alone know where the key is hidden. Then it will be your responsibility to stand by and dole them out for those after-school snacks for the children, with tall glasses of cold milk. You will enjoy serving these squares, also, for afternoon tea when your own friends drop in for a chat — you may as well have copies of the recipe all made up; they are sure to ask for it. And when time is short, serve Chocolate Raisin Squares with fruit cup for a simple but perfect dessert for any occasion.

Chocolate Raisin Squares
 1½ cups sifted flour; 1½ teaspoons double-acting baking powder; ½ teaspoon salt; ¾ squares unsweetened chocolate; 4 tablespoons butter or other shortening; 1 cup sugar; 1 egg, unbeaten; ¾ cup milk; ½ teaspoon vanilla; ½ cup chopped raisins; ½ cup chopped walnut meats.

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt and sift together three times. Melt chocolate and shortening over hot water; cool to lukewarm. Add sugar and mix well. Add egg and beat thoroughly. Add flour alternately with milk, stirring only to blend. Add vanilla, raisins and nut meats. Spread in two greased 9 x 9 x 2-inch pans and bake in moderate oven (375° F.) 12 minutes, or until done. When almost cool, cut in squares. Remove from pan. Makes 50 squares.

For typewriter ribbons, adding machine paper, and stationery supplies, see the News-Record.

Named Administrator



WASHINGTON, D. C.—(Sound photo) — President Truman today nominated Paul Gray Hoffman above, a leading GOP, as administrator of the 6 billion dollar Foreign Aid Program. Hoffman's title will be Administrator for Economic Cooperations.

TEXAS HISTORICAL CLUB

The Texas Historical Club met April 23 in the seventh grade room. The business portion of the meeting was carried over till the next meeting because of the absence of the boys.

Refreshments were served by Eldra Mae Raney and Quintin Welch. Eldra Mae Raney, Reporter.

"The Great Million Dollar Racing Coup." — Sport Fans! Thrill to Dan Parker's Story About a Fantastic Undercover Betting Scheme That Cost Bookies One Million Dollars. Don't Miss This Revealing Article in the American Weekly, that Great Magazine Distributed With Next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

"Covering the County"

By Byron W. Frierson, Sterling County Agent

If you have had trouble getting an answer on my home telephone, don't worry about it. I have too. However, Webb Hudson fixed an extension bell in the kitchen last week, and that solved the problem.

Thanks are due to Virgil Brownfield and Volney Hildreth for donating their time to judging our horse show last week. Virgil was still holding his own pretty good Sunday morning, but Monday Worth Durham got the last two bits worth of hide off of him. Seriously, we appreciate a difficult job well done.

The general opinion seems to be that the horse show might well be made into an annual affair. The show committees will probably decide on this at a meeting in the

near future.

It's time to get your horses vaccinated for sleeping sickness. This should be done before hot summer weather sets in.

Prospects for a pecan crop are good at present. About the middle of May start watching the tip of the little pecans for eggs of the case bearer moth. They are tiny greenish white eggs from which the case bearer (or borer) hatches. As soon as the borers start hatching the trees should be sprayed with a mixture of 6 pounds of lead arsenate to 100 gallons of water. If you have your own spray machine, I suggest you save this column and follow these directions when the time comes to spray. Mix 6 pounds lead arsenate to 100 gallons of water. Spray your trees as soon as the borers start to hatch. Use a coarse driving spray that will push the leaves aside, as it is absolutely necessary to get the poison on the

nut clusters. It is useless to spray if you don't use enough pressure to push the leaves aside and hit these bud clusters. If it rains immediately following the spraying, the job will have to be repeated. (Don't worry). A pressure of at least 400 pounds should be used.

The testing of milk cows for Bangs and T.B. is not completed. Eighty four cows have been tested. The completion of the job must necessarily await the return of a veterinarian to this area for that purpose.

This column is getting too long and beside, its supertime.

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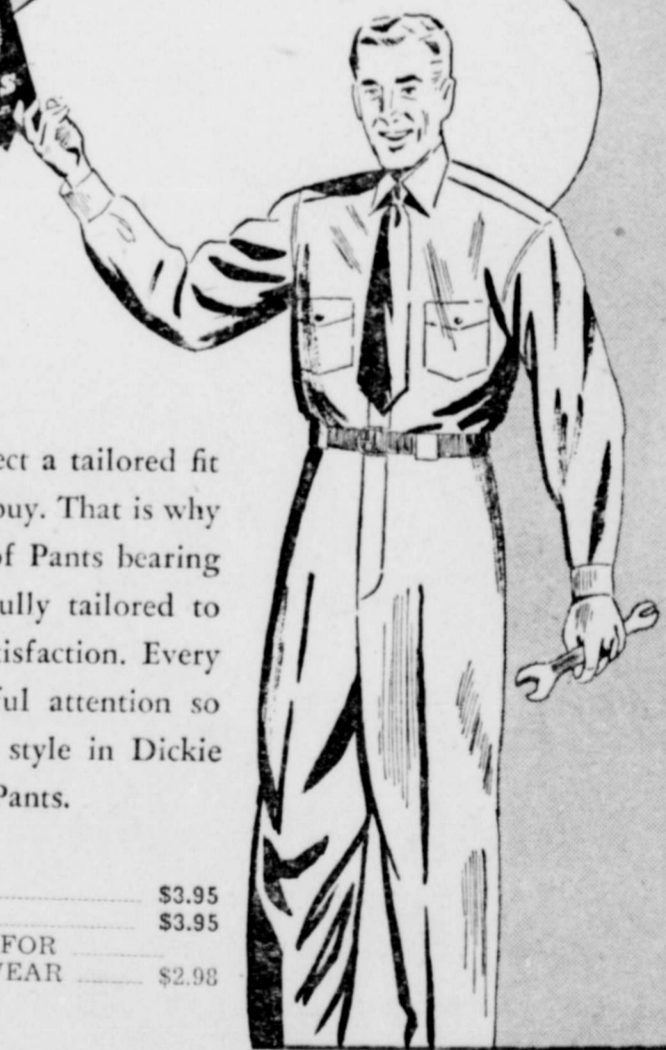
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The Midland Lions Club is sponsoring a Square Dance Festival at Midland in the V.F.W. Hall on Friday night April 30. The proceeds from the festival will go toward sending the Midland Lions Club Philharmonic Hillbilly Band to the National Lions Club Convention in New York later in the year.

The Midland Band has been chosen to represent the Texas delegation to the convention.

There will be awards for costumes, dancing, etc. Attendance is to be \$1 per person, according to C. W. VanAlstyne, attendance chairman.

Political Announcements

Subject to action of the Democratic Primary in July.

For SHERIFF, TAX ASSESSOR—COLLECTOR:

HENTON EMERY (Reelection)

For COUNTY TREASURER:

O. M. COLE (Reelection)

MRS. SALLIE WALLACE

For COUNTY JUDGE:

G. C. MURRELL (Reelection)

For COUNTY-DISTRICT CLERK:

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Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Augustine and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Augustine and family.

MRS. AUGUSTINA MEDINA DIES

Funeral services were conducted her last Saturday morning at 10:00 a. m. for Mrs. Augustina Medina, 84 year old. She had died on Friday, April 23, at her home here.

A resident here for the past 31 years, Mrs. Medina was born August 18, 1874 in Las Cruces, New Mexico.

Burial was in the City Cemetery with Lowe Funeral Directors in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Louis L. Bernal, Manuel Gonzalez, Reisman Brito, Sem Brito Isais Vargas, and Lolo Rodriguez.



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A Workers' Society?

By **GEORGE S. BENSON**
 President of Harding College
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IF YOU ARE a tradesman, or a skilled or unskilled laborer who works with his hands — if you call yourself a "worker" — you must indeed be thankful that you live in America. Not that you should be any more or less thankful, being a doctor, lawyer, teacher, or whatever you are. But somebody has called this nation a "workers' Republic," and I consider that phrase a good way to describe what we enjoy in this land of plenty.

Indeed there is no other country, whether socialized, partly socialized, or even communistic, that has given its workers more. A capitalistic America has enabled even "common" laborers to live like kings were accustomed to live not many years ago. We produce and enjoy the fruits of production. We must never forget that this has come about because the American way of life makes it possible.

DO YOU KNOW of a Future better and happier workers' nation? Have the "isms" and ideologies of the experimenters produced anything better? Certainly they have not. No worker in the world comes anywhere close to drawing the pay or enjoying the comforts of the average person right here in America. There is hardly a nation today that is not begging us to send them goods, or to bolster up their lagging economy in some way.

Possibly there are shortcomings in the American method. But judging from the achievements of the past, and viewing the possibilities ahead, I can think of nothing more foolish than to discard any part of our American way. We can have a future as glorious as our past. We have new worlds of atomic energy, jet

propulsion and electronics to explore. I can think of no other economic system, besides the kind we have in America, as being equal to the opportunities ahead.

Freedom WE HAVE immediate needs, too. Our people could use perhaps five million new and improved homes in which to live. Millions of farm homes need electricity and running water. We need more automobiles, and our capacity for them seems never to diminish. More cars mean more roads. One advancement calls for more. Friend, let me say that I know of no system that will bring these things to us — except that American way of initiative and enterprise.

In this workers' America, there are other things of great importance. As a worker, you are not told what you may do, or how to do it. You are not the mere chattel of some state bureau. You can choose your job and your career, and so can your son. You can make your own decisions. Whether you work for an employer, or decide to work for yourself, you have a right to serve the world your own way. These things are important to you, and you are important to your nation.

No other land can show the progress America has made. Nowhere else is there such a high standard of living — that applies to everybody. Progress has flourished here as nowhere else. Why? We have been free to exercise ingenuity, incentive, competition, and thrift. We have been free to invest savings in more and better tools. We have not been subject to tyranny or despotism from government. What political dictatorship can match this achievement?

From where I sit ... *by Joe Marsh*



Sam's Hens Wear Spectacles!

Yes, it's a fact! Sam's brood of two dozen hens are wearing spectacles — which he bought from a mail-order house in Capitol City.

Sam says it works (and big poultry raisers say so, too). The hens see each other through soft colored glasses, and instead of fighting and pecking at each other, they go around placidly, gain weight, and lay more eggs.

Makes me almost wish we could have rose-colored glasses for human beings, too. So that instead of quarreling and criticizing, like we

do so much of the time, we'd live and let live in contentment.

From where I sit, the human race wastes a powerful lot of time in wrangling over minor issues... whether a man should drink beer or cider... whether a woman should wear slacks or skirts... instead of seeing each other through "spectacles" of tolerance that enable us to live-and-let-live like Sam's brood of chickens.

Joe Marsh

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For Lazy Appetites

By Frances Lee Barton

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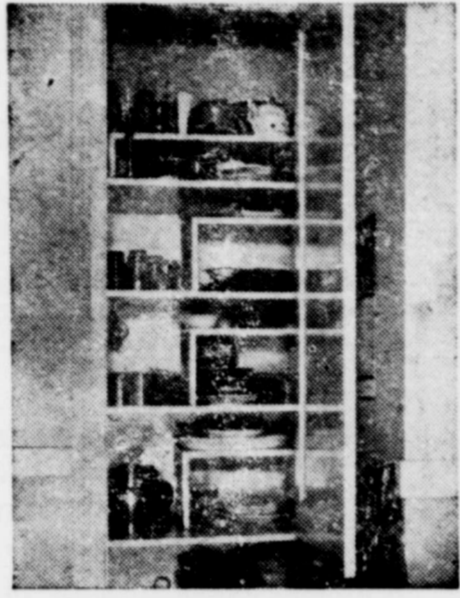


Piquant Tongue Mold

1 package lemon-flavored gelatin; 2 cups hot water; 2½ tablespoons vinegar; ½ teaspoon salt; 1 teaspoon scraped onion; 3½ cups chopped boiled tongue; ½ cup chopped dill pickles; ½ cup mayonnaise.

Dissolve lemon-flavored gelatin in hot water. Add vinegar and salt. Chill. When slightly thickened, place in bowl of ice and water and whip with rotary egg beater until fluffy and thick like whipped cream. Fold in onion, tongue, pickles, and mayonnaise. Turn into loaf pan. Chill until firm. Unmold. Garnish with crisp lettuce and radishes. Makes 10 servings.

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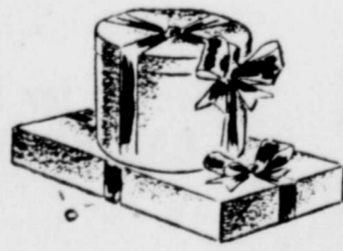
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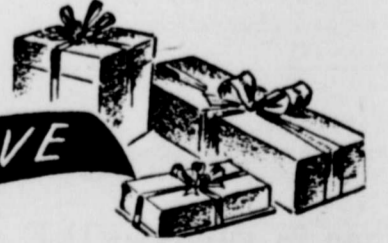
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