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AROUND THE COUNTY



ARTHUR BARLEMANN, JR. COUNTY AGENT

The Lamb Judging Conference sponsored by the Animal Husbandry Department of Texas A&M College will get underway next Wednesday morning at 8:30 at College Station. Cooperating in the staging of the conference is the Animal Husbandry Department, the Extension Service, the Vocational Agriculture teachers, and the major livestock shows in the state.

Purpose of the conference is aimed at reaching a better understanding between the shows, the judges of the shows, and the lamb breeders and exhibitors. In addition, part of the program on Friday will be devoted to lamb promotion. The conference begins Wednesday morning and ends Friday noon. On hand will be a large number of county agents, ag teachers, show officials, and producers. Every one is invited to attend. There is no registration fee or costs for those attending. I plan to attend as do many other agents in this area.

Several nearby counties are included in the latest release boundary area under the screwworm eradication program. Sterile flies are being released in the area to fight the screwworm. The boundary has been moved farther north during the last few weeks.

Presently, it takes in nearly all of Tom Green county; only a small portion of the county plus the panhandle south of Sterling county is not in the area. All except a small portion of the north west corner of Crockett county is in the area. Over half of the south portion of Irion county is in the area and about two-thirds of Runnels county is included.

Concentrated releases of sterile flies are being made south of a line from the northern edge of Val Verde county straight east to Austin county. Flies and screwworms are generally heaviest in this area but livestock producers in the area say that they have had only a small percentage of the cases they would ordinarily expect.

The dedication and opening of the new fly production plant at Mission will increase production of sterile flies three fold in about two weeks. Ceremonies dedicating the plant were held Saturday. Security regulations and controls went into effect Sunday and production started. Alvie Cole, chairman of the Sterling County program and a member of the board of trustees of the foundation attended the opening.

Heaviest concentration of screwworms thus far in Sterling county has been along the river. Others have been found in the lowlands around some of the creeks. Heavy brush in these areas cause wounds and the flies prefer these areas also.

During the last week, several thousand acres of mesquite has been aerial sprayed for mesquite control. William Lester, and J Q Foster, Foster Sims Price, Foster Conner, Reynolds Foster, Mrs. Claude Collins, and Dr Roy Glass are some who have sprayed.

Though it would be preferable if more moisture was available for the spraying, the trees have a heavy foliage which is desirable. Also, they are not willing in the heat of the day which indicates they are not suffering from the lack of moisture.

Barbara Durham and Jeanie McDonald presented their 4-H Club range team demonstration at the Lions Club

Wednesday. Jeanie and Barbara placed third in the 22 teams competing in the state 4-H Club contest two weeks ago. Their demonstration is based on the effects of mesquite and the controls.

This was the first time that Mr and Mrs L C McDonald had got to see the team in action. Mrs Worth Durham accompanied the team to the state contest and saw the girls in action there. The three were guests at the club meeting along with the girls.

Department of Health Column

MANY CHILDREN HAVE CROOKED TEETH

There's a one to five chance your youngster needs a major teeth straightening job since an estimated one-fifth of the nation's children suffer from "malocclusion", or improper alignment of teeth. And summer is a good time to do something about it.

A generation ago, parents of young children with teeth which did not meet properly were usually advised to "let them alone and nature will correct them".

Today we know better. Malocclusion is a condition to be corrected by a dental specialist known as an "orthodontist". Nature, by herself, is a very poor straightener of crooked teeth.

Although the public is just now becoming aware of the health significance of malocclusion, experience has taught dentists that crooked teeth contribute to decay, faulty speech and malnutrition. One of the worst results of malocclusion is the physical stress borne by a child singled out for ridicule by his friends because of "buck teeth".

A child with facial deformities such as those caused by misshapen teeth may develop traits of indecision and begin to doubt his ability to cope with problems in his environment, psychologists say.

What causes teeth to erupt irregularly? Dentists agree that heredity is probably one important cause. Another is persistent thumbsucking and abnormal pressures against the jaw. Living bone, contrary to popular thought, it not always hard and unyielding. The entire jaw structure can be molded by gentle, persistent pressure.

In case of thumbsucking, dentists believe that if the habit can be broken before age five, there is a good chance the teeth may return to normal position without harmful effects.

Another cause of malocclusion is prolonged retention of baby teeth. Permanent teeth which follow are then prevented from arranging themselves properly.

On the other hand, when primary teeth are lost too early, adjoining teeth may tend to tip and "migrate", crowding into spaces where permanent teeth should erupt. There are different methods of bringing teeth into proper alignment. Sometimes it may be necessary to extract teeth to make room. In some cases a plastic or wire appliance may be fitted to the teeth to guide them into position by pressure.

Whatever the method, it is calculated to help the youngster avoid the fate of a "buck tooth".

(A weekly feature of the Public Health Education Division, Texas State Dept. of Health.)

Mrs. Estelle Bush of Pomona, California and her two children are here visiting her mother, Mrs. L. L. Reed.

Lions See Range Contest Winners Demonstration

Barbara Durham and Jeanie McDonald gave the program at the Lions Club Wednesday noon. They gave the range conservation demonstration that won third place in the State 4-H contest at College Station recently. They told of the range robber-mesquite and its method of control and eradication. They cited the cost to the ranchers and the gain to be scored by eradicating mesquite.

Barbara is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Worth Durham and Jeanie is a daughter of Mr and Mrs Chesley McDonald.

Bill Grasham of Baldwin Park, California, who is here preaching in a weeks meeting at the Church of Christ, spoke on "The Fact of God."

The prize went to Barbara Durham.

Other guests present included Cecilia McDonald, Mr and Mrs Chesley McDonald, Mrs Worth Durham, Mrs Arthur Barlemann, Mrs H A Crapple and Alfred Chapple and Tommy Williams.

Ladies Night and Installation on Monday, June 25

It was reported that the annual ladies night and installation of officers would be at 7:30 PM next Monday, June 25. The program will be held in the community center and Chesley McDonald will be the speaker. All members are urged to be present and bring guests. Plates will cost \$1.50 each.

Attending Speech Course

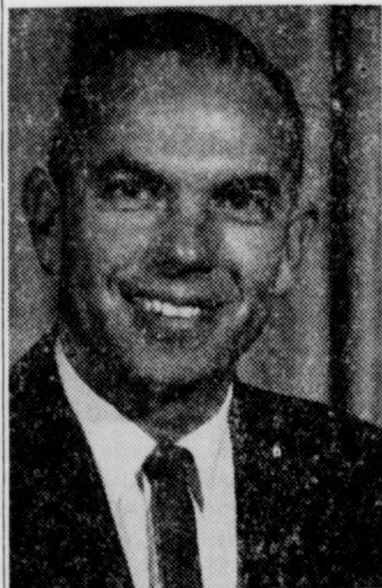
Cecilia McDonald, a winner in persuasive speaking at the State Interscholastic League finals this spring, is attending a four-week speech course at Texas University, beginning next week. The state winners were invited by the university to be their guests at the speech course this summer.

Visitors at the Will Augustine

Visiting here with Mr and Mrs Will Augustine the first part of the month were their three children and their families.

Here were Mr and Mrs G W Augustine of Fort Stockton, Mr and Mrs Sam Augustine and daughter, Linda, of Jackson, Miss., and Mr and Mrs Tommie Augustine and children Diane, Kay and Kenneth, of Maxwell, New Mexico.

Mrs Augustine said Diane and Kay made the honor roll at their school in Maxwell with A cards. Diane is a seventh grader and Kay is a fifth grader.



BILL GRASHAM

Church of Christ Meeting to Close Sunday

The week-long meeting at the local Church of Christ will close out with Sunday evening's services. The preaching is being done by evangelist Bill Grasham of Baldwin Park, California.

Services are being held each evening at 8:00 and will be held Friday morning at 10:00.

Regular hours, are being adhered to on Sunday, said Marion Hays, local Minister.

Twirling Students to McMurry

Two Sterling City students have registered for the annual big summer band and twirling school of McMurry College to be held July 15 through July 27 according to Dr Raymond T Bynum, director of the famed school and head of the McMurry band.

The Sterling City students are Diana Lou Cole and Susan E. Mixon.

Baptist VBS

BAPTIST VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL JUNE 25-29

The Baptist Church Vacation Bible School will be held here June 25-29, said local pastor Sherman Conner this week.

The school will be held at 2:30 to 5:00 p.m. each day Monday through Friday, said Conner.

There will be classes for ages 4 through 12, it was said.

State Bar Column

LEGAL TERMS

Words are good tools. All professions have to use them precisely to get their work done. Your doctor has words for your ills; and your pharmacist, for your drugs.

As a rule, we say what we have to say: If people do not get it the first time we tell them again. But you can't always do that in wills and contracts.

In legal papers, words need clear meanings for courts to interpret them right. Hence, technical terms such as the following:

1. Real property: Land, buildings, fences, and things attached to the land such as trees and crops.

2. Personal property: Movable things: Bonds, bank accounts, notes, cars, livestock, furniture, jewelry, clothing, television sets, etc.

3. Community property: Property which a man or wife earn after marriage.

4. Separate property: Gifts, inheritances, and some court awards received after marriage as well as things which man or woman owned before marriage.

5. Trusts: You have a trust when someone holds title to property for another person's sake. Thus a man's will may have some person or concern hold and manage his business interests and turn the income over to his widow.

6. Deposition: A sworn statement to get of keep testimony for a law suit--a help when a witness is sick or far away, for instance; or when facts can be taken down in "discovery" proceedings to shorten actual trial time. Depositions are of two kinds.

a. Lawyers on each side ask the witness questions before a notary public. His answers are taken down, and he signs the "transcript."

b. The lawyers write out their questions beforehand, and the answers, given before a notary, are also written out. The notary sends the testimony to the court where it may be used during hearings.

(This newsfeature, prepared by the State Bar of Texas, is written to inform--not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who is fully advised concerning the facts involved because a slight variance in facts may change the application of the law.)

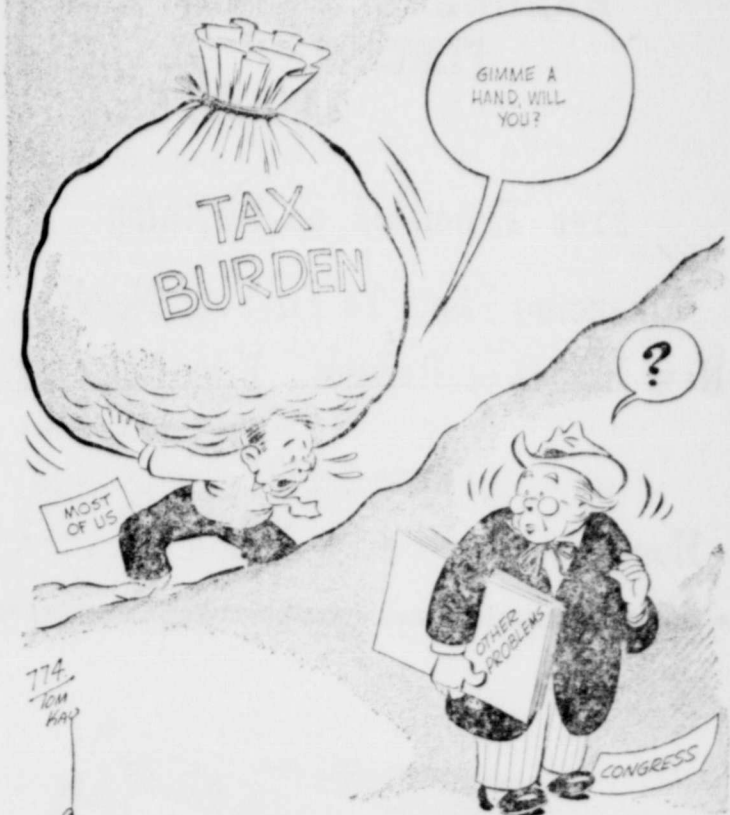
JULY 4TH HOLIDAY

Wednesday, July 4, will be a holiday here in Sterling City--as one of the usual holidays taken by the merchants.

The post office, bank, stores and offices will be closed in observance of Independence Day.

Visiting the Fred Hodges, the Bill Brooks and the Dayton Barretts here last weekend were the Ross Huffmans of Brady, Mrs. Huffman is the former Lucille Hodges.

THE AMERICAN WAY



Oh, My Achin' Back!



Behind the 8-Ball

A new truck stop is being built here, just west of the Donald Norton Col-Tex station at the west end of town. It is understood that the Tommy Gage Oil Company is doing the building of the new truck stop.

This year of 1962 marks the twenty-fifth year of publishing a newspaper. In January 1937 I began by publishing the Mertzson Star, and after seven years we moved to Sterling City, buying out Uncle Bill Kellis and his News Record, in February, 1944.

During the twenty-five plus years of publishing a newspaper, we have not missed an issue except for two illnesses, both time we were in the local hospital with a sore throat or flu. During those twenty-five years, we have often promised ourselves and family a week-long vacation sometime in the future--always in the future. Now, we are just about in the mood to make good on that promise. We might not put out an issue (on purpose) next week. It is a fifth Friday and we have all ready had a full month of four publications.

Some daily papers will not put out a paper on the 4th of July, and we may not put out a paper on the week before the fourth, which would be next Friday, June 29.

So, if you fail to get a paper next week, just remember it was because the publisher is taking a first or full week's vacation in twenty-five years.

A number of out-of-towners came back to attend the Sterling Alumni Association annual banquet and meeting last Saturday night. It was held in the Elk's Club in San Angelo.

The new straightened-out highway 87 from the Baptist Church here in town to the McEntire ranch toward Big Spring is just about completed. The new construction makes the highway straighter all the way and wider. It is not a four lane deal, but the right-of-way was widened to take care of that eventuality when the time comes.

The Gulf Station operated by Leroy Butler is being remodelled. The shiny type of white siding featured by the Gulf Stations is being put on the existing station.

Out at the Scout Camp near Fort Davis last week, local Scouter Leslie Payne was initiated into the Order of the

Arrow, a high honor in Scouting. Leslie has been to the camp as a counselor for seven years, and the boys voted him that honor for all his work and interest in Scouting.

A well-deserved honor, Leslie.

Some rain is badly needed in the ranges around here. It is too late for a lot of local ranchmen, but all would like to see a good rain, even if it is too late.

The Dayton Barretts observed their twenty-second wedding anniversary the first part of this week. They were married here at the home of Mrs. Barrett's parents, the L. F. Hodges.

The John Gibbs family took time out for a short vacation stay near Seguin last week. John had served as a counselor the the Methodist Mt. Wesley Camp and then his family joined him for a short vacation.

PERIODS? Well, the Houston Post and some of the large daily papers have quit using periods after Mr and Mrs and Dr and Gen, etc. Even after initials in proper names. We feel that it is such a good idea that we have kinda quit using 'em, too in those ways. Besides, the linotype operator thinks it's more sensible to not use them.

Traffic Safety

TEXAS TRAFFIC SAFETY

Governor Price Daniel announced Tuesday that Texas had closed 1961 traffic safety year with the highest rating it had ever received for such a program and tied for third place among the eight "big-traffic" States which it is grouped by the National Safety Council.

The Governor said Texas scored an 84 out of a possible 100 points for its overall efforts to solve its traffic safety problems during 1961. It had been announced earlier that Texas' 2,314 traffic deaths last year was the second lowest traffic toll since 1949, and that the mileage death rate--the number of deaths for every 100 million vehicle miles traveled--was 4.8, lowest in Texas history. The Texas record was 2 per cent below the national death rate of 5.1.

In the "big-state" traffic standings for 1961, the National Safety Council report showed, Texas tied with Illinois and Ohio with 84 points each for third place. California was first with 86, Michigan was second with 85. Other "big-traffic" states include Indiana, New York, and Pennsylvania.

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Social Security

Many people may be losing social security benefits according to Floyd B Ellington, Manager of the San Angelo Social Security Office, because of failure to file an application for payment.

Most of them are aware of the \$1200 yearly earnings restriction for social security beneficiaries, but may not realize that they are eligible for some benefits even if their earnings are more than \$1200 per year.

An employee can receive a check for any month that his earnings are \$100 or less regardless of his total earnings for the year. A self-employed person can receive a check for any month he does not render substantial services in the operation of his business, regardless of his net profit for the year.

Ellington said that anyone who has reached retirement age should inquire at his nearest social security office. He may be losing benefits by not applying now.

HELP ALWAYS GLADLY GIVEN AT SOCIAL SECURITY OFFICE

"Although not everyone wants to retire as soon as he reaches retirement age, everyone wants to get his social security checks promptly, when he does," Floyd B. Ellington, Manager of the San Angelo Social Security Office said.

"We at the Social Security Office are glad," he said, "to give specific help and information where it is needed whether in proving age or any other phase of establishing entitlement to benefits. Because we are interested in paying claims promptly, we urge future applicants to give some time and thought to planning ahead for retirement."

By consulting the Social Security Office by phone or mail two to three months before he retires, the prospective claimant can find out what papers he needs and get everything in order in good time. This way there should be no delay in the mailing of his first check.

Detailed information and free booklets on the social security program can also be obtained by writing the Social Security Office at San Angelo, Texas.

doughBelly Price Reports

There can't be no arguments, we have the greatest gang of hot air merchants (diplomats) in Washington the world has ever put out. Them boys has talked economy and progress where I have about got to believing it myself. This progress they are yelling about may be among the upper crust but the little common man ain't seen none of it sauntering for some time.

Yes Sir, this economy is all right one raise in the debt limit and another coming very soon. The gold of the country, the foreign boys is going after that like A town sow would slop. If this is progress and economy, I am A chinese aviator pushing A wheelbarrow.

If we want to do something, we have to ask England, France, Germany and them other boys enclunding Nikata and say to them, if this ain't right all right we will make different arrangements. We have been diplomated into nearly everything and none of it for our own good. It will take years and shore working at the job to get America back on its feet and if we keep mothering them other countries, we never will.

Did you ever hear of A hard headed business man spending his self out of the hole? I didn't. We are spending millions retraining people for better jobs. WHAT JOBS? This progress seems to be in reverse. But that is Washington, if they was to go to climb A tree they would back up to it and would have A little man's shoulder to stand on.

Nikata said he would bury us, he seems to be getting along all right with the job.

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 Remove skins in quarters from the fruit. Lay flat; shave off and discard about half of white part. With a sharp knife slice remaining rind very fine. Add 1 1/2 cups water and 1/2 teaspoon soda; bring to a boil; simmer, covered 20 minutes, stirring occasionally. Chop peeled fruit; discard seeds. Add pulp and juice to undrained cooked rind. Simmer, covered, 10 minutes longer. Measure 3 cups into a very large saucepan.
 Add sugar to fruit in saucepan and mix well. Place over high heat, bring to a full rolling boil; boil hard 1 minute, stirring constantly. Remove from heat and at once stir in Certo. Skim foam with metal spoon. Stir and skim by turns for 7 minutes to prevent floating fruit. Ladle into glasses. Cover with 1/4 inch hot paraffin. Makes 7 medium glasses.

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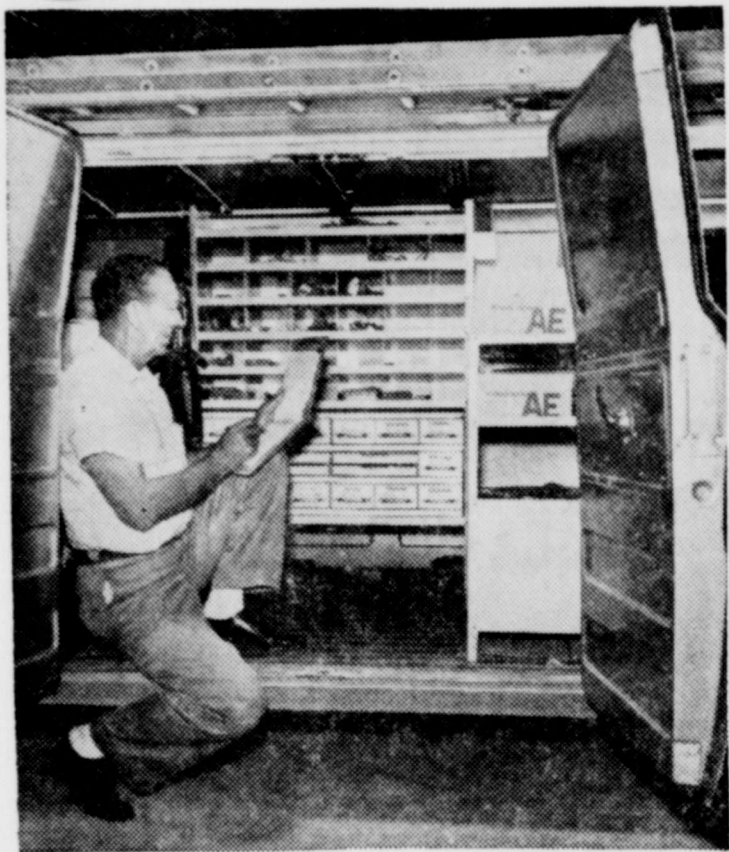
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Future Homemakers Meeting

The Sterling City Chapter of the Future Homemakers of America met on June 18 to plan programs for the following year. A yearbook committee was selected which included the following officers: Cecilia McDonald, Lois Ethel Price, Nelwyn King, Ollema Davis and Janie Copeland.

Regular meetings were set for the second and fourth Mondays of each month at 7:00 p.m.

The Junior Homemaking Degree material has come in and any girl who wishes to obtain one must see Miss Massey. Edna Davis, secretary

For Social Security SOCIAL SECURITY REPORTS

When an employed woman marries she should notify the social security office, Floyd B. Ellington, manager of the San Angelo social security district office said today.

"If she continues to work without notifying the social security administration and has earnings reported in her new name, she may have difficulty getting credit for those earnings," Ellington continued.

"This is true because if our central accounting office records show that a certain number is assigned to 'Ruth Doe', wages reported under that number to 'Ruth Jones' cannot be credited. They are held in a suspense file until such time as the discrepancy can be cleared."

Simply get a 'Request for Name Change' from your social security office of local post office. Mail this completed form and your social security card, if you still have it, to the social security office. You will receive a new card showing your name and the old number. In this way, you can be sure your wages are posted promptly without our accounting office contacting your employer or you later.

CHERRIES ARE RIPE



Bing cherries, those rich ruby jewels bursting with sweet juice and scintillating flavor, are here from the Pacific Northwest. This incomparable fruit in a Fresh Cherry Topping gives eloquence and eye-appeal to many an ordinary dessert. Lavish it on ice cream, or cake ala mode or this easy and delightful Cherry Mist Mold. Truly these fresh scarlet beauties dress-up every menu from sun-up to sun-down.

Fresh sweet cherries, first of summers' fruits from the Northwest, salute the sun and fun loving season ahead. They are delectable served "as is" whether by the handful or hatful for their refreshing tang satisfies everyone's taste. Their vivid color gives that epicurean touch to summer salads, to cobblers and pies, and to many desserts. So during the all-too-brief season make the most of them for picnics, patio dining, at the beach, travelling and everyday menu planning.

Whichever of three luscious fresh cherries you prefer . . . garnet Bings, scarlet Lamberts, or the amber Royal Annes . . . you have plenty of good eating in store. To protect and preserve their orchard freshness and flavor they are shipped to distant markets under a protecting cover of polyethylene. Extend the goodness of fresh cherries at home by placing them in a plastic bag for refrigerator storage and wash just prior to consumption.

- Fresh Cherry Topping**
8 cups (2 lbs.) fresh Bing cherries
1/4 teaspoon ascorbic acid
1 package (1 3/4 oz.) powdered pectin
3 cups sugar
1/4 teaspoon almond extract
2 tablespoons lemon juice
Wash and pit cherries. Put half of cherries through grinder; halve remaining cherries. Mix ground cherries, ascorbic acid and pectin; let stand 15 to 20 minutes, stirring occasionally. Put in cherry halves, sugar and flavoring; mix thoroughly. Let stand one hour, stirring occasionally, until sugar is dissolved. Fill sterilized pint containers with cherry mixture to 1/2 inch from top of container. Seal and freeze. Makes 4 pints. Serve topping with Cherry Mist Mold, ice cream, Angel cake ala mode, waffles or pancakes.
- Cherry Mist Mold**
2 packages (3 ozs. ea.) black cherry gelatin
3 cups hot water
1 pint whipping cream
Dissolve gelatin in hot water. Chill until partially set; beat until frothy. Whip cream until stiff and stands in peaks. Whip into gelatin until thoroughly mixed and light and fluffy. Pour into oiled 2 quart mold. Chill until firm. Serve with fresh cherry topping. Makes 10 to 12 servings.

BOYS RANCH STOCK ROUNDUP UNDERWAY

The roundup of stock to be donated to the Boys Ranch of West Texas is underway and Sterling County Wagon Boss Riley King said if anyone had any livestock that they wanted to donate to the ranch they should get in touch with William Foster, Ralph Davis or Ewing McEntire, and they could accept it for the ranch.

Any kind of livestock that can be sold at auction is needed, or money donations will be welcomed, said King.

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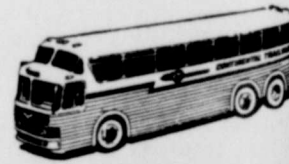
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