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Sanitation Necessary in County's Fly Control

HALF ROPING SCHEDULED FOR JULY 24

The Silvertown Roping Club will hold a calf roping Sunday evening, July 24, at two o'clock at the Silvertown Roping Arena. The afternoon's entertainment will include calf roping, ribbon roping and bell roping. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. There will be a small admission charge.

"Little Women" Play at Palace Theatre July 28 and 29

Showing at the Palace Theatre, Tuesday and Friday, July 28 and 29, "Little Women" in technicolor, with June Allyson and Peter Lawford. The entertainment is in the drama, romance, comedy, character—pathos and tragedy, all emotionally human and tenderly sentimental. The production is clean, sweet and beautiful all the way through to the point of being ideal. Motion Picture Herald. Don't fail to see this picture. Frank's program appears on page 10 of the News.

Plumnelly Farmerettes Played Matador Monday Night

The Plumnelly Farmerettes softball team went to Matador Monday night and played the Matador girl team. Matador won the game 7-3. This was the first game for the Farmerettes this season. The Farmerettes will play Childress here Monday night, July 25. Childress is holding a softball tournament this season, and the Plumnelly Farmerettes will play the Plainview girls team in Childress July 27. The Plumnelly Farmerette team consists of: Melba Jean Martin, Jean Teale, Fern Norris, Nelda Jasper, Lois Smithee, Gurtie Perkins, Bonnie Watters, Ruby Jo Mills, Ruth West, June Jeffries and Pat Baird.

Mrs. P. H. McKenney and daughter, Peggy, Mrs. Paul Reid and daughter, LaWanda, were visitors at Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Neese returned to their home in Stratmore, California, Monday morning.

Sanitation is the number one item in a successful fly control program. Insecticidal treatment is of little or no value unless a thorough job of cleaning up all fly breeding places is done, says Leo White, Briscoe County Agricultural Agent.

It is a known fact, adds White, that flies carry the germs of many diseases and with the increasing amount of polio in the area it is more important than ever to get rid of the flies and other insects that may be carriers of the disease.

Premises should be kept clean at all times. Keep garbage in a covered container and keep the lid on the containers. Clean up and destroy breeding places around the farmstead and don't expect the insecticides to do the entire job. They will help, says White, but there is nothing that can be substituted for cleanliness. If you mix the two together in liberal proportions and use them, you can keep flies under control. Tall weeds should be mowed or sprayed with weed killing chemicals in order to keep down mosquitoes and DDT, Benzene hexachloride or chlordane should be sprayed over the area.

A constant watch must be kept, concludes White, to see that flies are kept in their place. The only good fly is a dead fly.

Group of Junior Girls Go to Encampment at Floydada

The following group of junior girls attended the three day Baptist encampment south of Floydada this week: Patsy Bomar, Sharon Gilkeyson, Leah Dare Kellum, Margaret Eilan Stephens, Kay and Virginia Garrison, Judy Burson, Edna Pearl Rowell, and Gail Mercer.

Sponsors of the group were: Mrs. Roy S. Brown and Mrs. L. K. Gilkeyson. Others attending were: Mrs. Allen Kellum, Mrs. Elbert Stephens, Mrs. Carroll Garrison, and Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Elrod.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney DeBusk and family, of Plainview, were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Price Sunday.

Misses Joy Bell Davenport, La Rue Gilkeyson, and Beby Garvin and Stanley Price visited Sunday in Canyon.

Mrs. Tom Blessingame and daughter, of Antelope were here on business Monday.

Sand of Amarillo Awaits Kaiser's Kin



FRANKFURT, GERMANY—Princess Cecilia, 32, youngest daughter of Crown Prince Wilhelm, granddaughter of the Kaiser, is pictured here with her Texan husband, Clyde Harris, 45-year-old architect from Amarillo. Wed in ceremonies at the Hohenzollern castle near Sigmaringen, in the French zone of Germany, the princess gave up her royal title to become Mrs. Harris.



CONY ISLAND "BURIED" IN PEOPLE . . . Like a gigantic ant colony, with the tower of the "parachute jump" thrill ride as its core, New York's Coney Island teems with thousands of Gothamites seeking relief from Manhattan's torrid streets and canyons. The sands are literally buried in people as blue skies and soaring mercury brings them out to the tune of almost 800,000 to take advantage of the cooling ocean breezes and water. The heat wave which sent these throngs flocking to the beach had hit a peak of 89 and was only .8 degrees off the city record of 89.8 set in 1933.



DRAMA ERUPTS IN BIG-CITY BATTLE . . . With the enemy on the run, members of battling factions race through the streets of New York's Harlem section. Armed with rocks and sticks, they pursue the "enemy." A man at left scrambles out of the way of the violence that impends. A cameraman who happened to be on hand, snapped this "front line" photograph as the small-scale war broke out between rival factions of youths and men in teeming tenement streets. The fight, allegedly between Spaniards and Puerto Ricans, started at a swimming pool and quickly boiled over into adjoining streets.

Meeting Called For Aug. 2 To Discuss New School Building to Meet Needs

Rainbow Girls Entertained With Hayride and Party

The Rainbow Girls and guests were entertained Tuesday night with a hayride to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Arnold. Mr. and Mrs. Bellinger were sponsors of the entertainment.

Refreshments consisting of sandwiches, cake, ice cream and cold drinks were served to the following young people:

Marion Arnold, Wayne Hamilton, Mary Lou Bellinger, Pat Northcutt, Teresa Crass, Loyd Stevens, LaRue Gilkeyson, L. B. Garvin, Jerry Browning, John Arthur Arnold, Betty Dickerson, Donald Bean, Polly Chitty, Walter Bean, Mary Tom Bomar, Donald Paige, Joy Reithmayer, Clifton Stodghill, Norma Jo Teeple and Jeanie Garvin.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Strickland and daughter, Kay, of Denton, are here on business this week and visiting relatives.

Vet Softball Team to Play Kress Here Friday Night

A double header softball game will be played Friday night at 8 o'clock on the local field when the Vet Softball Team of Silvertown plays the Kress team. This is expected to be good and a large crowd is urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stephenson and son, Lane, Mrs. Lillie Rape, of Dallas, visited Eddie and Eunice Cox from Thursday until Saturday. The group visited in Plainview Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stinson and Rex.

Amos Cunningham, of Ione, New Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cunningham and daughters, of Lockney, visited Mrs. J. W. Bragg and Mrs. A. G. Stephenson Thursday.

Mrs. Ada Cox visited her sister, Mrs. Ida Pyeatt at Nocona last week. Her sister accompanied her to Dallas on business.

In discussing the Silvertown school this week Superintendent Talley had the following to say: "The Gilmer-Aiken school law allowed the addition of five extra teachers to the Silvertown faculty for the coming school year, and also limited the size classes that a teacher might have in one class room.

"The board of education requested a survey to be made setting forth the needs of the Silvertown Independent School to make a first class school that would meet the needs of the children of our community.

"All patrons of the school are requested to meet at the Silvertown Independent School Auditorium August 2, at 8:30 p. m., to discuss construction of a new building to meet these needs, so that we may be able to offer home economics and other courses to have the type of school that we will be proud of."

Mrs. H. L. Wilborn, of Richland Springs, Texas, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rowell Monday and Tuesday. Mrs. Wilborn is a sister of Mr. Rowell.

Bicycle Riders Warned by City—Stay off Sidewalks

Teachers Employed By Board For School Year

Supt. Wm. F. Talley announced this week that the following teachers have been employed by the Silvertown School Board for the coming school year:

Wm. F. Talley, superintendent; Mr. Wilmuth, High School Principal; Lenine Cortese, Coach; Glen Bunch, Vocational Agricultural Teacher; Arnold Bank and wife, of Anton, Texas; Mrs. Wilmuth, Mrs. Florence McNeese, Mrs. Jackie Wingo, Pat Goodwin, Mrs. Parker, Mrs. Alvin Redin, Mrs. Annie Lee Anderson and Mrs. G. W. Lee.

Five Precautions to Take Against Infantile Paralysis

1. Avoid crowds and places where close contact with other persons is likely.
2. Avoid over-fatigue caused by too-active play or exercise, or by irregular hours.
3. Avoid swimming in polluted water. Use only beaches or public pools declared safe by local health authorities.
4. Avoid sudden chilling. Remove wet shoes and clothing at once and keep extra blankets and heavier clothing handy for sudden weather changes.
5. Observe the golden rule of personal cleanliness. Keep food tightly covered and safe from flies or other insects. Garbage should be tightly covered and, if other disposal facilities are lacking, it should be buried or burned.

Symptoms of Infantile Paralysis: Headache, nausea or upset stomach, muscle soreness or stiffness, and unexplained fever. Should polio strike in your family, call a doctor immediately. Early diagnosis and prompt treatment by qualified medical personnel often prevent serious crippling, the National Foundation has pointed out.

Mr. and Mrs. John Prayter, of Bowie, Texas, visited her aunt Sunday, Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Elrod.

Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Bomar, Jr., and son, Robert, visited Sunday in Amarillo the guests of his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Comer.

Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Garrison, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Webster and Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Moore, of Fort Worth, visited in the Edd Thomas home Sunday.



A GIFT FOR A FORMER TEACHER
 As a sign of gratitude for a patient teacher during college days, Homer W. Snowden of Dallas is here presenting a \$2,500 check for a Warren Theatre at Wayland College in Plainview, especially in honor of Mrs. B. H. Warren. She and her husband, both veteran teachers at Wayland, will be memorialized in this project to which about 1,250 ex-students of Wayland are being asked to contribute. Shown receiving the check on the left, is President J. W. Marshall.

DRIVERS TEST WILL BE GIVEN HERE JULY 27

Mr. Patterson, of the State Highway Department, will be in Silvertown July 27, to give drivers license tests to anyone interested. Keep this date in mind and be there on that date.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Neese and sons visited relatives in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Costanzo and daughters, Karen and Nancy, of Plainview, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Fry.

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1949 Bids Fair to be The Worst Year For Poliomyelitis

With the alarming total of 922 Texans having been attacked by the dread disease poliomyelitis, 1949 bids fair to be the worst polio year the State has ever experienced, and health officials in every section of the State are exerting every effort to bring the disease under control.

Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, has re-iterated his appeal for every citizen to cooperate in a continuous clean-up program, ridding their premises of all rubbish and trash piles, and any such filth as will afford breeding places for flies and other disease-spreading insects.

"This polio situation will never be controlled without the observance of stringent basic sanitation measures," the State Health Officer declared. "The filth on your premises may cause the disease to attack your neighbor; and the same condition on his premises may cause polio in your home. This problem of controlling polio is one demanding the closest possible cooperation, and until a pro-

gram of continuous cleaning up is instituted and stringently enforced, we shall continue to face the menace of polio in all sections of the State."

Dr. Cox emphasized to parents whose children are suffering from poliomyelitis, the comforting knowledge that about 60 per cent of all of recognized polio recover completely, and at least 25 to 30 per cent of recognized cases recover with only minor disabling paralysis.

"Only about 8 per cent of polio victims develop the deadly bulbar type, which affects the nerves at the base, or 'bulb' of the brain," Dr. Cox said. "Most patients suffering from bulbar polio die within a very short time. But it is a comforting thought that 92 per cent of polio patients never develop bulbar polio, and make a partial, or in many cases, complete recovery and are restored to health."

Mr. and Mrs. John McCloud, of Tullia, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Beavers.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McMinn, of Levelland, visited over the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McMinn.

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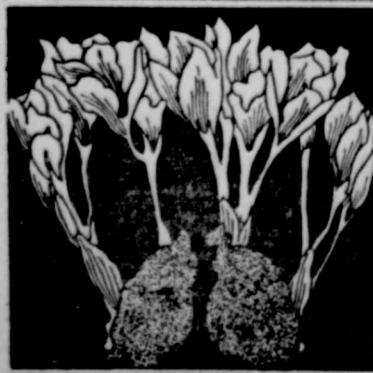
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NEW DRUG

Compound E Latest Find

ROCHESTER, MINN.—One of the most dramatic and significant chapters in the history of medical science is being written by doctors of the Mayo Clinic here.

They have had astounding success in halting rheumatoid arthritis with a drug called Compound E.

Their work so far must be classed as experimental because the extreme scarcity of the drug has enabled them to use it on only a small number of patients. The drug will not be available for probably a year and a half.

When the last formal report was made on Compound E about a month ago, the Mayo doctors had been able to use it on only 16 patients.

No Failure

But the thing that focused the attention of the medical world and millions of arthritics on Compound E was that there were no failures in any of the 16 cases.

A clinic report, couched in cautious language, said, "In every instance the stiffness of muscles and joints has relaxed markedly, pain and tenderness have lessened, and use of both joints and muscles has been significantly facilitated."

The results in the time since the report was made have been the same.

If the striking promise of this drug is fulfilled it will be one of the greatest of all medical discoveries, ranking with penicillin, the sulfa drugs, insulin, and to go back farther, smallpox vaccination. Experience today with Compound E is that it will halt arthritis, but will not repair the damage that it already has done to the body.

Likened to Steam

Compound E has been likened to a stream of water playing on a burning house. It will put out the fire, but it won't fix the damage already done to the house.

Rheumatoid arthritis, the form of arthritis in which the Mayo doctors' work has so far centered, is the most crippling disease known to mankind.

The number of persons now suffering from arthritis in the United States has been estimated as high as seven million.

Although it is probably the oldest known disease—evidences of it have been found in mummies—neither a cure nor even a satisfactory treatment for its pain has been found.

Luxuries Held Sapping Strength of U.S. Youth

GRANVILLE, OHIO.—Luxuries and labor-saving devices are sapping the strength of American youth, an authority on physical education has declared.

Thomas J. Hamilton, director of physical education at the University of Pittsburgh, advocated that colleges and high schools give more attention to "toughening" youngsters.

Hamilton, also former football coach at the United States naval academy, spoke at Denison university as ground was broken for a new physical education and community center.

"Every day," he said, "we add more luxuries and labor-saving devices to our American life, and the result is that less and less is being demanded physically of all of us."

"It is practically impossible for the average boy of these days to get the hardening exercise from the work or charges that used to be required from every lad. Our present-day civilization offers little of the toughening and soul-testing experiences that tempered the steel of our pioneer ancestors' characters."

Hamilton pointed out that in the early stages of World War II, until examiners eased up, 46 per cent of the draftees were rejected for physical unfitness. This was the same rate experienced in World War I, he added.

He remarked that since the war he could see little improvement in the physical education system, and added it was evident that "again America has missed the boat."

Johnson Withdraws Gag On Armed Service News

WASHINGTON.—Secretary of defense Johnson's controversial "Directive No. 1" has been withdrawn with an official denial that it was ever intended as a "gag" on members of the armed services.

However, military personnel were pointedly reminded that existing regulations still place restrictions on what they may write or say in public.

William Frye, public-relations chief for the secretary of defense, issued the cancellation order yesterday.

Frye offered this explanation for the kill order: The directive is no longer required because the information and security-review sections of the armed forces now are being consolidated.

He was not available immediately to explain exactly why that consolidation changed the picture to permit lifting the regulation.

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one group dresses - - -

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\$8.95

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one group of assorted spring and summer dresses, reduced to:

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Darius Sign Gaps Filled

ANN ARBOR, MICH.—Ten years ago a lanky bespectacled professor looked across a mountain gorge in Iran at the famed carvings of Persian King Darius, chiseled the face of Mt. Behistun.

Many Have Tried

Others had made resolutions about the ancient work. Sir Henry Rawlinson climbed half way up the 700-foot mountain in 1835 to copy the bas-relief of Darius and the 10 kings he vanquished.

But there were gaps in the story written in three languages in panels below and to the left of the 48-foot relief.

Cameron laid his plans while a faculty member at University of Chicago.

The project itself began late last fall, under sponsorship of the American Schools of Oriental Research and the University of Michigan, to which he moved.

Cameron, his wife, Frances, and sons, Douglas and Tom, arrived at the foot of lonely Mt. Behistun in the plains of Kirmanshah early in November and immediately encountered a labor problem.

Balked at Ladder

Local workers were agreeable about helping until they were led up the mountain to a narrow ledge, above which towered the inscriptions of Darius the Great.

Nothing doing. Cameron offered as high as 20 times the wage paid for field labor. Nothing doing.

"All quit after a short time," Cameron relates. "But Hussain—bless his soul—stuck right through the 21 days we worked on the cliff."

Life Termer Discovered With 100 Escape Devices

BOSTON—A state's prison life term was clamped into solitary confinement after guards found under his ground-floor cell a tunnel which they said held approximately 100 aids to escape.

Warden John J. O'Brien identified the lifer as Walter Perry, 43, convicted in 1927 of the shooting murder of a Boston policeman.

Perry's six feet by four tunnel left the guards gasping.

It looked a little as though a wartime Seabee outfit helped dig it, they said.

Inside the guards reported finding: Two pickaxes, two hammers, a flashlight, a handmade bit stock and drill, odd bits of metal, lengths of pipe, a socket for an extension light.

The guards said a well-made plaster model of a human head was found. It had "hair," too. The hair was pulled from a prison mattress.

They theorized that when Perry finished his tunnel—he had about 44 feet to go to the outside wall—he planned to tuck the model head into his cot to delay the hunt.

Beneficiary to Get \$20,000 If 'S' Left off His Name

LEXINGTON, KY.—Mrs. Mary Elkin Moritz, left \$1 to her only heir, a niece, and said in her will the residue of a \$20,000 estate should go to a cousin if he spells his name as directed.

Leaving small gifts to several individuals and providing that \$3,000 be paid to the Lexington cemetery for periodic refreshing of her grave, her will, probated today, called for the residue to go to the cousin, Roy T. Elkin, Bowling Green.

The conditions under which the cousin is to receive the money was listed as:

"Provided from this day on he does not add the 'S' onto his name (as Elkins). His father started this foolishness years ago, much to the disgust of the Elkin family. Roy is not to blame, but I have no relations by the name of Elkins. Roy can take his choice, not only for himself, but for his two cute boys.

"If anyone ever sees or hears Roy Elkin add the 'S,' this person is to get \$1,000 and the estate is to be sold and the money given to some hospital to help make comfortable some old man or woman to the memory of my father and mother."

Hottest

Cairo or Washington?

CAIRO.—The question whether the weather is hotter in the summer in Washington or Cairo has become a political issue of some importance. It has put in doubt the government's departure from Cairo for Alexandria for the summer season.

In effect, the debate centers on whether the Egyptian cabinet members are "softies" compared with members of the United States cabinet who are held up as examples of devotion for sticking it out in Washington in the hot months.

The reply of the ministries is that the offices in Washington are artificially air conditioned, while in Cairo there is no air conditioning except in the cinemas. Nevertheless, this was an election year and the debate promised to become as warm as its topic.

'Climate Factory' Soon May Produce Giant-Size Crops

PASADENA, CALIF.—A new world of agriculture, in which plants never see the sun or feel the elements produce crops of incredible size and flavor, awaits just over the horizon.

Between that world and this, scientists say, lie only a few years of experimentation—in a new "climate factory" at the California Institute of Technology.

It's the Earhart plant research laboratory—a supergreenhouse with built-in weather and soil controls. Every kind of climate in the world which will support plant life can be reproduced in this \$400,000 nursery. Built with funds donated by the Earhart foundation of Ann Arbor, Mich., it was dedicated recently.

Known as the "Phytotron," this laboratory will artificially recreate or eliminate all but one of the crown factors in plant growth such as soil, climate, insects and sunlight.

The one factor which the Phytotron will not be able to control is cosmic radiation. These are the mysterious rays which come from somewhere out in the universe, constantly bombarding the earth and sometimes changing the evolution of living things upon it.

"We don't know any way to prothese radiations," says Dr. Fritslect our plants or ourselves from Went, director of the laboratory. "But we hope, by controlling all other factors, to learn exactly what affect these radiations do have."

Illicit Whiskey-Making Accelerates Since War

LOUISVILLE, Ky.—Business may be slipping from wartime peaks, but not whiskey-making by the light of the moon.

Contrary to legitimate industry, backwoods dew brewing hit a slump during the war, but has accelerated since. The reason for the "depression" was obvious—scarcity of materials and labor.

While moonshining is coming back fast it is still far below pre-war highs, the U. S. alcohol tax unit, which is ever alert for non-tax-paid whiskey and unlicensed private distilleries, reports.

For the first four months of this year 86 stills were seized in Kentucky, as compared with 75 for the same period of 1948. W. H. Kinnaid, chief investigator here for the A.T.U., announced. There were 157 arrests in raids this year and 118 in the previous period.

The government gained on cars and trucks grabbed, 25 compared with 11. However, there was less mash destroyed, 12,354 gallons against 13,990.

Kentucky's time-honored occupation grew and grew during the 30's until it reached a record of 635 stills raided in 1940. Arrests totaled 1,764 and 202 cars and trucks were seized in that year.

This state is not alone in the expansion of the industry. In the fiscal year which started July 1 there was a national increase in raids by "revenooers" of 21 per cent.

Professor Wins Damage Suit For 5 Million From Uncle Sam

WASHINGTON.—Louis H. Crook, a Catholic university professor, won a five million dollar patent suit against the government.

The court of claims unanimously upheld his claim to the invention of an ignition shielding system used by the government during the war to prevent electrical interference with radios in planes, automobiles, tanks and other vehicles.

Crook, 61, dean of the school of aeronautics at Catholic university, owns 25 per cent of the patent which expired in 1944. The rest belongs to Herman Jakobsson and Samuel B. Pack, deceased lawyers.

The court ruled that Crook's patent was valid and that the government infringed it in using the shield from 1937 until 1944. It called for an accounting to determine the exact amount the government owes Crook and co-owners of the patent. Some estimate this may be a minimum of five million dollars in royalties.

CURING OF MANGE AND LICE ON HOGS IS NO LONGER A MYSTERY TO BREEDERS

Times have changed in the curing of mange and lice in hogs. It's different now. It's easy for farmers to rid their hogs of these pests.

Some years back, hog raisers had to cook up a scalding hot dip of lime sulphur. It took three such dips 10 to 14 days apart to cure cases of mange or lice, says Leo White, county agent.

All that's necessary today is dip or spray the infested hogs with a mixture of wettable BHC

powder and soft water. Since this is a poisonous material, it's important that the mixture be of the right strength. The information on the BHC container or the local county agent will give you the exact amount of wettable powder to mix with the water, says Mr. White.

One thorough spraying or dipping will kill all mange eggs and mites, as well as the eggs and adult of the louse.

BHC has a very offensive odor and flavor, so don't treat any hogs with it that you figure on sending to market in the next 30 days. There's a good chance the

BHC flavor may show up in the meat.

There's another new drug that seems to be just as good for killing hog mange and lice—it's chlordane. Mix a half pound of 40 percent wettable powder with 10 gallons of soft water. One good treatment with this mixture is

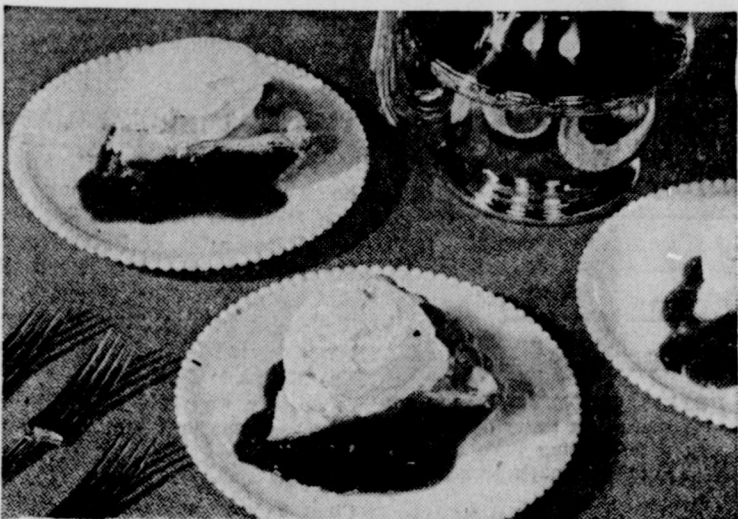
usually enough for a good control of mange and lice. DDT will kill the lice, but it won't bother the mange at all, says Mr. White.

These chlordane, DDT and BHC mixtures are all good for controlling flies, he adds. For fly control, spray the barn walls, fences, and other places where the flies

gather. However, avoid spraying hog feed, water and feed troughs. These are poisons, and should not be eaten by hogs, the agent concludes.

Veral Vaughan made a business trip to House, New Mexico last Friday.

Ice Cream - Homemade and Delicious



Drop a hint that dessert is pie a la mode and you'll see a sparkle in every pair of eyes. And if you add that the ice cream is homemade, food will disappear like a jet propelled plane passing a given point so fast as not to delay for one moment the ecstasy of eating homemade ice cream on pie.

Making ice cream is very simple. Just get a few five-ounce containers of ice cream powder mix at your grocer's. Sprinkle the contents of one container over cold water, mix and freeze in your refrigerator tray. Make more than one tray if you choose, and vary the flavors to suit your fancy. With the makings in these little containers on your pantry shelf, ice cream delights need never be farther away than your refrigerator.

New 'Gold Comet' Truck Power Plant Features Removable Cylinder Sleeves



First Reo Model E-22 tractor, powered by Reo's new Gold Comet overhead valve engine, is shown shortly after it came off the assembly line at Lansing, Mich. Examining the new gasoline power plant are (left to right) William M. Walworth, chief engineer, and R. D. Hilty, general sales manager of Reo Motors, Inc.

LANSING, Mich.—A six-cylinder, gasoline truck engine, described as the most powerful of its size ever built, has been introduced by Reo Motors, Inc., pioneer truck manufacturer.

The all-new "Gold Comet" engine "develops more usable horsepower than any other six- or eight-cylinder gasoline truck engine of comparable displacement" and was designed to "set entirely new standards for truck performance under all operating conditions," the Reo announcement said.

The "lifetime" engine features the wet-sleeve principle with removable cylinders. Only lack of normal care and maintenance can shorten the Gold Comet's life span. Reo reported. The cylinders, in the form of sleeves, may be replaced quickly and inexpensively, eliminating a major repair job if a cylinder wall becomes scored or damaged.

TELEPHONES and ELECTRIC RABBITS

In our efforts to provide telephone service for all who want it—we're a little like the greyhounds who chase an electric rabbit around the track. No matter how fast we move, we never quite catch up. This is because the demand for new service never slackens even slightly. We'd like to provide service for everyone immediately. Although that is impossible, we are continuing to install telephones for those on our waiting list at an increasingly rapid rate.



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Butane Dealers Will Attend Training Clinic In Amarillo

It will be "back to school" for a group of local business men when they answer roll call at the opening session of a butane dealers training clinic at Amarillo on July 26 and 27 for a two-day session.

The local group expected to attend the sessions includes members and employees of C. O. Allard of the Allard Butane Company.

The sessions are made possible by cooperation of the University of Texas with the Texas Butane Dealers Association, two top-flight educators of the University's Division of Extension...

The Texas Butane Dealers Association is composed of butane dealers whose business activities cover every section of the state.

This series of clinics includes twenty separate schools in as many different localities and is one of the most extensive training and instruction efforts ever undertaken by any business organization in the nation.

Hereford Seeks New Rail Line North From Dimmitt

Hereford, July 19.—Signatures of nearly 300 local shippers, receivers, growers, and processors had been affixed to a petition to the Fort Worth and Denver Railroad requesting extension of their line from Dimmitt to Hereford.

O. P. Cowart, secretary manager of the Hereford Chamber of Commerce, said circulation of the petition grew out of a meeting of farmers and shippers with officials of the local chamber of commerce recently.

The proposed new line would be approximately 18 miles long, and would give this area connections from Dimmitt to Plainview, Sterley, Quitaque, Turkey and Childress, where the branch line joins the main Fort Worth and Denver line.

Vegetable growers said that the new line would place produce from this area on Dallas, Fort Worth and Houston markets 36 hours sooner than offered through present facilities.

Mr. Cowart said the petition will be submitted to officials of the Fort Worth and Denver Railroad in the near future.

What's Doing the Churches

THE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Grady Adcock, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 Morning Service 11:00 Childrens and Young People's Meeting 7:00 Evening Service 7:30 WSCS every other Monday at 3:00

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Arnold Banks, Evangelist Sunday Bible Study 10:00 Sunday Communion and Preaching 11:00 Sunday Young People's Meeting 8:00 P. M. Monday, Ladies Bible Study 4:00 P. M. Wednesday, Prayer Meeting 8:00 P. M.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. G. A. Elrod, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 Morning Preaching 11:00 Preaching 8:30 Training Union 7:30 Prayer Meeting 8:00 W. M. S. 2:30 Brotherhood 7:30

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday School 10:00 PREACHING Each Second Sunday 11:00 Each Fourth Sunday 3:00 Auxiliary every 1st and 3rd Monday in the homes of the members.

Illumination

Too Little, Too Short

NEW YORK.—An air force B-17 appeared over Manhattan in an experimental photographic flight and dropped several scores of cartridges that made brief flashes in the sky.

The air force reported before the experiment started that a series of brilliant flashes would ring the skies, but the lights were a big disappointment to the spectators.

The flight was made to test a new night illuminating device developed by the air force. The flashes, it was reported, were to give light estimated at 50 million candlepower, while camera men in the plane took pictures.

From the roof tops of Manhattan it appeared as if a red ball dropped from the plane, followed shortly by the brief flash and several seconds later by a not too loud explosion.

Machine Discloses Uncanny Faculties In Checking Plugs

FOSTORIA, OHIO.—Even employes who see it every day stop to watch a fascinating little machine in the Auto-Lite spark plug factory here.

With an uncanny ability that seems like magic, the machine whirls around endless numbers of seemingly identical spark plugs and unerringly and selectively rejects any that are not up to standard.

When production of the new resistor spark plug began, new testing as well as new production techniques were required.

One of the distinctive features of the resistor as compared with standard spark plug previously produced here is a built-in 10,000-ohm resistor. (An ohm is a measurement of electricity). It is necessary to test each of the millions of plugs produced to be sure resistance is really right, not too high and not too low.

The plugs to be tested are placed in recesses on one turntable. As this revolves, finger-like clamps on another turntable snatch off the plugs one by one and start them on another circular trip.

The machine has something of the same fascination of a pinball machine or juke box. The rejects come so rarely that it is difficult to resist stopping to wait for the "odd" one to come up.

And just about the time the on-looker has decided the machine must be out of order and is passing all the plugs, one is finally flipped off into an "out" bin.

Uranium Ore in Mexico Doesn't Worry U.S. Chiefs

WASHINGTON.—Brien McMahon, chairman of the joint congressional atomic energy committee has said he finds nothing alarming in reports that 220 grams of uranium turned up in Mexico City.

The Connecticut Democrat said a preliminary FBI investigation indicated the find consisted of raw uranium, rather than the ultra-refined uranium that is used to make U-235, the atomic bomb ingredient.

But McMahon said he intends to wait for a more detailed FBI report before considering the case closed.

Mexico City dispatches said the uranium was found in the possession of a Mexican detained on a routine matter by police last January. They said the 220 grams were enclosed in a tiny cylinder about two and one-half inches long and an inch in diameter.

Subsequent scientific tests showed the cylinder's contents to be of a type not obtainable in Mexico. This led Mexican authorities to believe that the uranium was stolen from some U. S. atomic laboratory.

Former Congressman Wins "Pound of Flesh" Battle

DETROIT.—Former Congressman Harold Youngblood was the winner in a court suit involving one and one-half ounces of fat.

Youngblood told ordinance referee Oscar Riopelle that he bought 17 1/2 ounces of steak at a store.

He said that when he weighed the steak at home it came to only 16 ounces. The former lawmaker contended this constituted an overcharge of seven cents.

A store official held out a piece of fat toward the referee and explained it had fallen off the steak when the package was wrapped.

However, Riopelle ruled that Youngblood's "beef" was the legitimate one and fined the store \$50.

Cooke County's Annual Reunion at Mackenzie Park

Lubbock, July 21.—Cooke County's annual reunion will be held at 1:00 p. m., Sunday, August 7, in Mackenzie State Park at Lubbock, according to Mrs. G. W. Blair.

This is the first reunion to be held by the group since the war started in 1941.

Visitors will bring their own basket of food, and after lunch there will be a business session, at which time new officers will be elected to head the organization.

At the north entrance to the park there will be road markers leading the way to the meeting spot. An invitation is extended to people living in adjoining counties to Cooke.

VISITORS IN JOE SMITH HOME

Visitors in the Joe H. Smith home Saturday night were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Smith, Jr., Ann and Van Smith, of Hereford; on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Chas. B. Smith and Mrs. Chas. Trowbridge, Floydada; calling Sunday afternoon were: Wylie Smith, Hobbs, New Mexico; Bert Smith, of Lorenzo; Mr. and Mrs. Ham Smith, of Floydada, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Seaney and Mr. Ed Vaughan, Monday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cowart and children.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Crow, of Lubbock, visited his parents over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burchard, of Folsom, New Mexico, visited her mother, Mrs. J. H. May and family over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Alexander visited her brother, Dr. Donnell, who is critically ill at Canyon.

Gabe Garrison and Edd Thomas were in Amarillo Monday with cattle.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fowler of Lockney, visited relatives in Silverton Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Baldwin and children, Jackie and Jeri, of Lubbock, visited relatives and friends in and near Silverton for several days this week. They were on their vacation. They plan to visit in Oklahoma while away.

Frigidaire at Simpson Chevrolet Company.

TEXAS TECHNOLOGICAL COLLEGE WILL CONDUCT WOOL TESTS

In cooperation with Texas wool producers, the animal husbandry department at Texas Technological college is conducting a series of laboratory experiments on samples of wool to determine shrinkage, fineness, length of lock and grease content of the various fleece samples.

One of the major purposes of the project is to furnish wool producers records as determined by side samples to purebred sheep breeders in order that they may use this data in selecting their top breeding animals.

Records of wool production are obtained similar to milk and butter fat records with dairy cattle, the latter having long been established as having superior merit.

The work with the commercial producers has the same object but is on a mass basis rather than individual sheep, as is done with the purebreds.

This work being done at the college places the animal husbandry and wool students in close touch with the major wool problems.

The study is not intended to establish shrinkage figures on clips of wool by which they can be offered for sale. Core-testing is for this purpose.

Started originally by Prof. R. C. Mowery of Texas Tech, this work has been carried on for the past three years. The wool laboratory in the new Agricultural building was not completed until 1943, but results of work done on 1946 and 1947 samples have been sent back to the producers.

The wool laboratory is equipped with standard scouring bowls and wringers for scouring samples; electrically operated wool duster for opening and breaking fleeces or samples prior to scouring; an electric conditioning oven for bone-drying scoured samples and a micro-projector for determining fiber diameter. There is also a Suter wool sorter for fiber length study and photo equipment for taking pictures of sample mounts and fiber cross sections.

Frigidaire at Simpson Chevrolet Company.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. John McCain and Mrs. Lawrence McCain and Clifford McCain visited in Tullia over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hutson and Mrs. N. C. McCain. Mrs. Hutson accompanied them home for a few days visit.

Guests in the R. N. McDaniel home last week were Miss Carrie Beavers, of Gatesville, and Mrs. W. L. Jones and children, Fayette and Laurel, of Waco.

BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yates Lubbock are the parents of a baby boy born July 14, in the Lubbock hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Minter of the Chamberman-Minter Dry Goods Company. "Grandpa" was passing out cigars last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Smith visited Sunday in Lockney. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stodola made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday.



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BIRTH
 Mrs. Charles Yater the parents of a baby boy 14, in the Lockney hospital. The father is Minter of the Chesapeake Dry Goods Company. The baby was passing out of the hospital.

Mrs. Scott Smith and her husband, Mr. Y. in Lockney, are on a business trip to Amarillo.

Mrs. Hugh Stodghill and her husband, Mr. Stodghill, are on a business trip to Amarillo.

SALE CHEAP—27 foot May-Grain Loader, practically new, Forgeron Lumber and Dry Goods Company. 28-2tc

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SALE—New set encyclopedia Britannica unopened \$175.00 Fry Briscoe County Hospital. 27-1tc

RENT—Office rooms in the new building, utilities furnished. Mrs. O. T. Bundy. 27-1tc

FOR SALE
 12 foot Baldwin Combine. 2-Ton Dodge Truck. W. C. Allis Chalmers Tractor. Model A John Deere Tractor. Ford Pickup. Foot Trailer house. Need to sell. Mrs. McDaniel, 811 North St. Portales, New Mexico. 27-1tc

OLIO Insurance. See Roy Teeter. 23-tfc

WITCH—Blackboard at office bargains. H. Roy Brown. 5-tfc

Doctors Bag with equipment \$10.00 reward. Briscoe County Hospital. 25-tfc

SALE—640 acres at \$60.00. Roy Teeter. 25-tfc

SALE—New two bed-room house, about \$4,000.00 loan. See Roy Teeter. 25-tfc

ST—One redish brown steer, framed, motly faced, branded with glass bar on left side, weight about 800 pounds. Snooks Baird. 27-1tc

OLIO Insurance. See Roy Teeter. 23-tfc

POINT APPLIANCES are available. See them at Willson & Son Lumber Company. 26-1tc

Money to loan on Farms and ranches at 4 1/2 Interest. See H. Roy Brown. 23-tfc

SALE AT BARGAIN PRICE: Model John Deere D used to plow only 300 acres. Is good as new. Alton B. Chapman, Floydada, Texas. 28-tfc

Baby Brings Luck



MIAMI BEACH, FLA.—Jon Hannynual, two months old, is being fed by his parents here. Jon is an American. His parents are Finns. The parents are members of a group of Finns who fled from Russian persecution and spent ten months crossing the Atlantic in a 70-foot boat with rotten hull. Jon was born in a hospital in the Virgin Islands when the little party stopped over there. That made him an American. That fact, according to some legal minds, will earn for his parents the right to stay with him in the United States.

80-A tract 5 miles west of Silvertown, on highway and electric line, \$4,800. W. A. Kirk, Box 185, Floydada. 28-4tc

FOR SALE 7 foot Electrolux. \$150. Mrs. D. T. Northcutt. 29-tfc

FOR SALE—8 Ft. Servel Refrigerator. Mrs. Cora Donnell, Phone 7-J 29-1tp

FOR SALE—Four Room House and bath, 30 day possession, \$2,200. Roy Teeter. 20-tfc

WANTED TO BUY—Roll Top Desk. Chicken House. 26-tfc

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POLIO Insurance. See Roy Teeter. 23-tfc

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FARM—160 acres, Irrigation well, possession, priced for quick sale. Roy Teeter, Phone 87-R. 1-tfc

FOR SALE—3 Room and bath with garage, on pavement. \$4,200. See H. Roy Brown, Phone 46. 7-tfc

PERSONALS
 Mrs. Jimmie Tidwell and little son, Mickey, of Odessa, Texas, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hutseil this week.

Mrs. Mattie E. Taylor, of Seymour, is visiting her niece, Mrs. Myrtle Grabbe and brother-in-law, Lewis Grabbe. She is also attending to business here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hill and family visited Wednesday night in Plainview with Mrs. Hill's mother, Mrs. W. T. Haley.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Green and daughters, of Turkey, were visitors in Silvertown Friday.

Andy Marcus and family spent Sunday in Clovis, New Mexico visiting relatives.

Mrs. J. S. Fisher returned Sunday from a week's vacation trip to Dallas and Munday.

Rev. and Mrs. Grady Adcock and children were visitors in Plainview Friday afternoon.

The First Quarterly Conference of the Methodist Church met Monday night with Rev. Marvin Boyd of Plainview, guest speaker. After the meeting refreshments were served to those present.

Mrs. W. L. Kerr and children, of Denton, visited recently with her mother and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Gatewood.

Mrs. H. C. Mercer visited Friday in Lubbock with her sister, Mrs. C. C. Primm and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Clyde Mercer and new granddaughter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Grewe and son, Raymond, attended church at the Lutheran Church in Tulia Sunday, and later visited their daughter, Mrs. A. F. Pamrenke and Mr. Pamrenke.

Bill Malone, of Vigo Park, is a patient in the local hospital.

FOR SALE in Plainview, two bedroom house, floor furnace, weather stripped, insulated, lot 68 by 100 long, well landscaped, close in, 1-2 block to bus, five churches within five blocks. See owner at 108 West 9th Street, or Phone 305, Plainview, Texas. 29-2tc

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FOR SALE—I have the agency for the BEN HUR Farm and Home Freezers. 6, 9, 12 and 18 ft. sizes are available. See me for a real bargain. See one in use at my place 5 miles East of Whitely Switch. Berle Fisch. 19-8tp

If you want to sell a farm, see Roy Teeter. Phone 87-R

If you want to buy a farm, see Roy Teeter, Phone 87-R. 44-tfc

FOR SALE—9-Foot John Deere One-Way, 22 inch disc, on rubber. Judd Donnell. 26-3tp

FOR SALE—Ford Tractor, practically new. Grady Wimberly. 26 1-tp (tfc.)

FOR SALE—New Four Room and bath, one-half block off pavement. See T. M. Marshall. 29-1tp

FOR SALE—Several Lots on pavement; good improved farm on pavement; Good 5-room and bath on pavement. H. Roy Brown. 1-tfc

POLIO Insurance. See Roy Teeter. 23-tfc

WANTED—Listings on irrigated and dry land farms and ranches. H. Roy Brown, office phone 46, residence 85. 45-tfc

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dickenson and son, visited Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Pucket and family.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Maples and children spent the week end with her brother in Dumas.

Mrs. E. L. Gardner, of Rising Star, and son, Bennie, who is in service stationed on Guam, visited friends here Sunday.

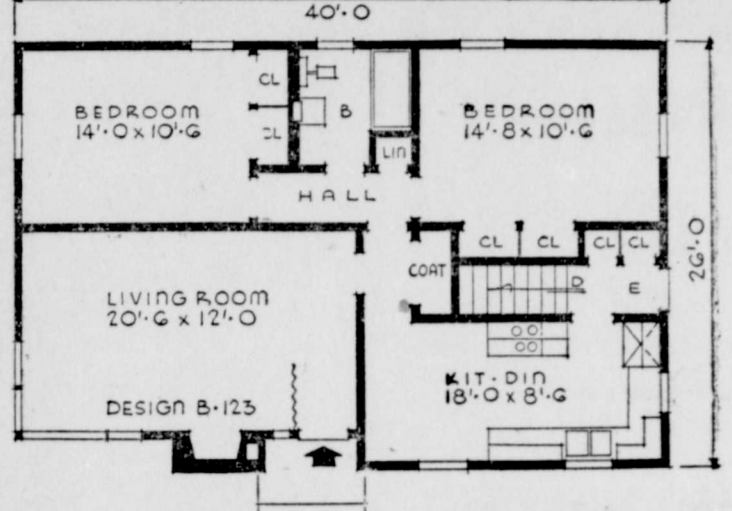
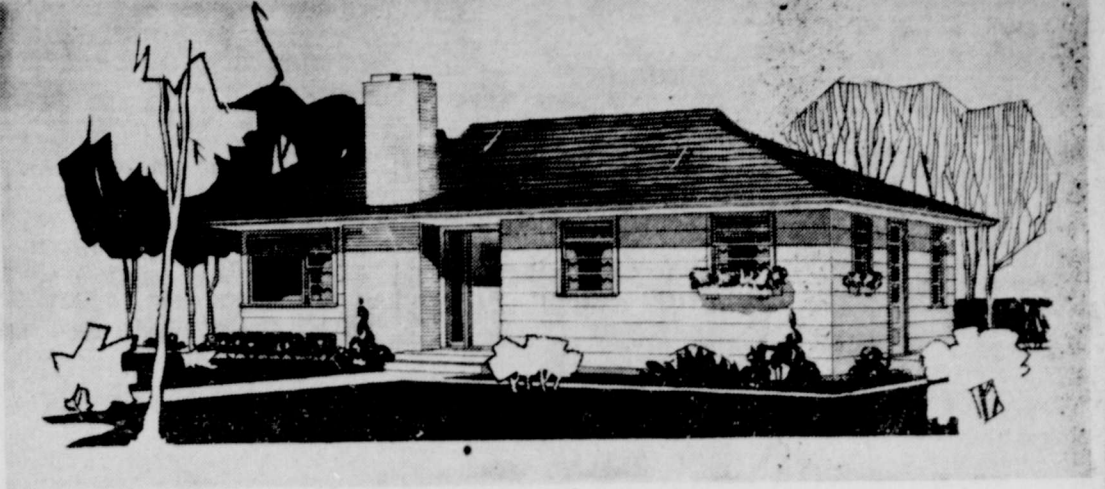
Mrs. Albert Mallow made a business trip to Tulia Tuesday.

Hitchhiker



PHILADELPHIA—Four-Year-Old Richard Roddy gets a free ride. On the alert as the Galapagos tortoises were moved from their indoor quarters to the outdoor pen, Richard inveigled a turtle-back trip. Mixed emotion displayed on his face, however, shows as much fear as enjoyment.

A HOME TO LIVE IN



Design B-123. This is a long, but narrow plan with a hip roof and wide eaves. The brick fireplace in front forms a recess for the front door. The entrance door is shielded from the living room by a corrugated glass partition.

There are two comfortably large bedrooms with ample wall space for furniture placement, including twin beds in one bedroom. There are two wardrobe type closets in each bedroom with storage above the hanging space.

The side entrance leads to the kitchen and basement and it has both a broom closet and a coat closet. The kitchen and dinette are combined with the sink under the front window, and work counter under the window next to the refrigerator. The stove and serving counter are on the inside wall.

The plans call for frame construction with a full basement. The exterior is finished with siding and an asphalt shingle roof.

The overall dimensions are 40 feet by 26 feet with a floor area of 998 square feet and 19,461 cubic feet.

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Briscoe County News

HEALTH IN EARTH

Soil Holds Drug Secrets

CHICAGO.—The interest of medical scientists all over the world has been stirred in the probable potential of soils in many sections producing powerful drugs which will cure some of the most baffling diseases, the national society for medical research has reported.

As a result, the scientists are gathering samples of soil around the globe so that careful analysis may be made to determine whether they contain microbes and molds which are far more precious than gold or any other metals which have provided the main incentives for such explorations in the past.

The hunt was started after Paul R. Burkholder, Eaton professor of botany at Yale university, New Haven, Conn., isolated the mold which makes the drug Chloromycetin from a handful of soil picked up in Venezuela, South America.

First Effective Drug
Chloromycetin turned out to be the first drug effective in combating such diseases as typhus and typhoid fever, and therefore immediately joined the select company of antibiotics, such as penicillin and streptomycin which now hold ranking positions in medical science's arsenal against the worst maladies of mankind.

Amazing new techniques for analysis in the laboratory and determination of the properties of drugs are credited with helping man to discover for the first time in the long history of his inhabitation of this planet some of the greatest health giving properties of "the good earth."

Only a little of any particular soil is needed for analysis. When molds and microbes are discovered, the stage is set for a long series of studies to find what they will do. Finally the drugs are given long tests on experimental animals in the laboratories, and after their properties are labeled and their safety determined for the living organism, they are ready for administering to humans.

One of the most extensive searches for soils to be analyzed has been undertaken by the same Yale university laboratories which were the scene of Dr. Burkholder's great discovery.

Collecting Samples
A graduate research student, Richard A. Benedict of Brooklyn, N. Y., has arrived in South America and is collecting 5,000 samples of soil from all sections of the continent.

His trip will cover 15,000 miles and describe an area from Buenos Aires to Mexico City. Its most hazardous portions will be in the jungles of the Amazon areas of Brazil and in the high altitudes of the Andes between Argentina and Peru.

His "harvest" will be thousands of carefully sealed two-inch plastic tubes. The U.S. Department of Agriculture has arranged for expediting the samples through the Customs offices of this country, and in addition to the medical research planned, there will be studies for soil conditions generally.

Since the samples will come from areas which never have been under cultivation and those which have been tilled for hundreds of years by Indians and settlers the first full soil picture of South America may be a by-product of whatever medical discoveries result.

Air Force Completes New Jet Fighter Test

LOS ANGELES.—The United States air force has announced that its newest jet fighter, the Lockheed F-90, has successfully completed its first test flight at the Muroc flight test base.

Tony Levier, Lockheed's chief engineering test pilot, kept the needle-nosed, swept-wing plane aloft for 37 minutes. The Air Force revealed no statistical data on the new fighter, but Mr. Levier said it handled as smoothly and easily as the F-80 Shooting Star, now in operation.

The F-90 is one of the largest fighters ever built, weighing about 26,000 pounds. Levier said he climbed to 15,000 feet in 10 minutes, but added that this was not the ship's maximum rate of climb. Most of the test was devoted to stalling maneuvers, he said, and in this respect the plane was comparable to the smaller F-80.

Boy Scouts Cut Age Of Joining One Year

WASHINGTON.—Entrance ages for the three groups of Boy Scouts have been reduced one year each by the national council.

Colgan Norman, president of the area council, Boy Scouts of America, announced the changes, effective September 1. Ages for cubs have been cut from 9 to 8; scouts, 12 to 11, and senior scouts, 15 to 14.

Yielding to a consistent demand, principally by boys wanting to be scouts before they are 12, the national council reduced the ages at a Boston meeting, Norman said. Scout headquarters made a five-year survey and the plan, tried experimentally in different parts of the country, was found to be extremely successful, he added.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Smith, of Lockney, spent the week end with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. Roy Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Freeman and children, of Dallas, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Brown and other relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Strickland and daughters, of Plainview, visited his mother, Mrs. C. M. Strickland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Price attended the 50th Anniversary of Charley Burrows Lumber Company in Canyon Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ham Smith, of Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. George Seaney and Mr. Ed Vaughan visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Henry Price and son, Stanley, and Wayne McMurtry were visitors in Lubbock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Price visited Sunday in Canyon.

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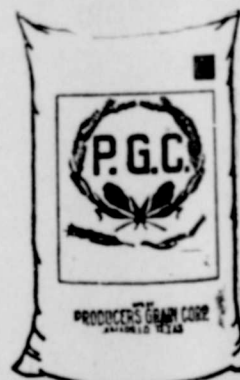
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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Johnson, of Hollis, Oklahoma, spent the week end with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Vaughan.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Autry, of Levelland, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Autry over the week end.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Nance and son Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Garrison, and children, left Sunday on a vacation trip to Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Chappell and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Howard attended the Swisher County Celebration Friday night in Tulia.

Mrs. Edna Boland, of Bonita, Texas, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ada Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn and daughter, Fayree, left Monday on a vacation trip for Mr. McMinn's health to Colorado Springs, Colorado. They plan to be away about three weeks.

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Mr. and Mrs. Perry Thomas and children, Don and Becky, left Sunday on a vacation trip to Colorado Springs, Colorado. They will return home August 1.

BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mercer are the parents of a baby girl, born July 13, 1949, in the Lubbock hospital. She has been named Mary Linda. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tension and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mercer.

Mrs. Clyde Hutsell and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hunt were called to Amarillo Thursday on account of the seriousness illness of Mrs. Lucile Butcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bruce and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Garrison, of Plainview, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Garrison.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Adams, of San Jon, New Mexico, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Veral Vaughan recently.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Chappell were guests in the A. A. Howard home Sunday afternoon.

Rene Sue Vaughan underwent an appendectomy in a Plainview hospital Monday of last week. She has been brought to the home of her uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Vaughan where she will remain until she is able to return to her home in Hollis, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Robert McJimsey, who underwent surgery in a Lockney hospital last week is reported to be doing nicely.

Miss Fayree McMinn, of Plainview, was a Sunday guest of Miss Shirley Haynes.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gregg, of Tulia, visited his brother family, Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Gregg over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Love visited in Las Cruces, New Mexico last week.

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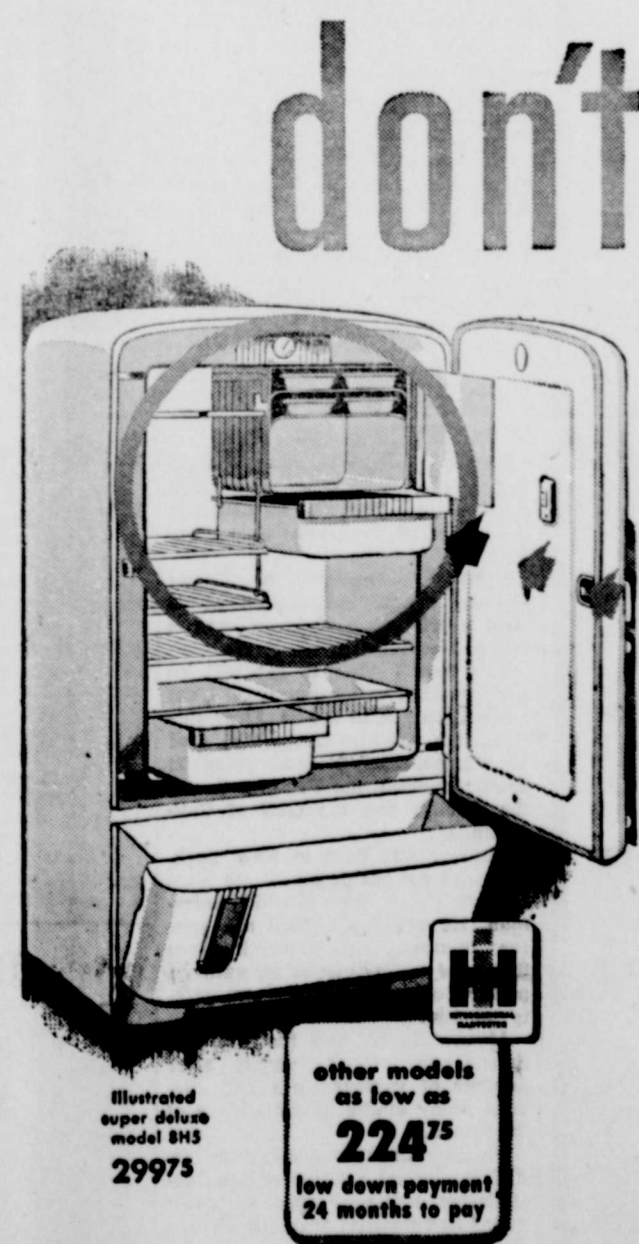
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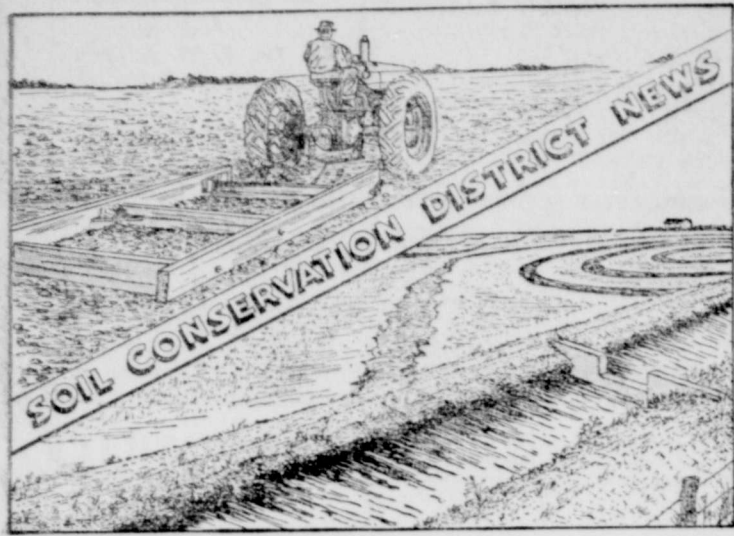
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Supervisors for Cap Rock District—Earl I. Cantwell, Chairman; Ora Watson, Bray H. Cook, L. A. McJimsey and R. L. Brunson

During the meeting last Wednesday, July 13, by the Cap Rock District Board of Supervisors, several applications for assistance and agreements for farm plans were approved.

Applications were approved for Leroy Roberts, D. T. Northcutt, P. H. May, J. D. McGavock, and Sid Thomas. The applications for assistance are made by the farmers to the district and are a request for technical help in carrying out a conservation program.

The Board approved agreements that be submitted for Cleat Mill by H. May, J. D. McGavock, O. M. Dudley and Dan Montague.

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The purpose of the agreement is to outline a methods to be used in treating each acre according to its conservation needs and economical use. The agreement is worked out by the farmer with the aid of a soil conservation technician. They go over the farm and discuss the different types of land and the most satisfactory treatment. The farmer then states the plan he intends to follow in order to carry out a better soil and moisture conservation program, on his land.

The Soil Conservation Service technicians finished running terrace lines on the farms of Nuke May and Elmer May during the past week. Terrace construction has been completed on Nuke May's farm and construction is nearly complete on Elmer May's farm. The soil conservation service checks the terraces when they are completed to determine if they are built to the specifications agreed on between the farmer and contractor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Wilborn of San Angelo, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rowell Monday.

Stapling Machines and staples at the News office.

Gold
Found in South Africa
JOHANNESBURG, South Africa.—A gold-prospecting company announced a strike in the Orange Free State which it said yielded one assay of 529 ounces of gold to the ton of ore.
The strike was called the richest in the South African history.
Monetary gold sells at \$35 a fine ounce. If the strike stood up to the assay report, production might be at a rate of more than \$18,000 a ton.
The company is the Free State Areas, Ltd., which was formed in 1947. It said the discovery was made on Farm Erfdeel, 12 miles southeast of Odendaals-Rust. The company owns the farm.
The stock market responded with frenzied dealings in the two million dollars or more shares of Free State Areas.
The strike was reported more than twice as rich as a find on Farm Geduld in 1946, which sent the whole stock exchange rocketing.

Engineers Trying To Get More Miles From Gasoline Fuel

FRENCH LICK, IND.—Engineers still are trying to squeeze more miles out of gasoline.
Right now, they say, the average motorist gets only from 28 to 30 per cent of the potential power out of motor fuel.
Experts attending the summer meeting of the Society of Automotive Engineers here say the problem is complicated by the fact the automobile requires better fuel to get going than it does to keep going.
Dual fuel systems already are being used in some vehicles to reduce wasteful feeding of high grade fuel to the engine when it isn't needed. The engineers say these systems have been successful but they are seeking to further simplify the problem.

Last night the engineers heard an assertion that interplanetary travel could become an established fact within the next two decades. Dr. Gerald Wendt, editorial director of Science Illustrated, in making the statement, urged the engineers to become "more space minded."

Dr. Wendt said that already accomplished in the direction of interplanetary travel were development of the gas turbine; jet planes; rocket-assisted planes; rocket missiles and high altitude rockets.
On the verge of accomplishment, he said, were space missiles. Possible in 20 years, he added, is development of the "island in space, or man-made moon." Interplanetary travel would follow, he said.
On today's formal program were several papers on lubrication and round table discussions of the same subject along with idea exchanges on personal airplane engines and problems in metal grinding.

Man Retires at Age 35 To Spend Life at Sea

CHICAGO.—A man who learned to love the water when he paddled a canoe as a boy will be seeing a good part of the ocean blue from now on.
Stanley A. Dashew, of Grand Rapids, Mich., has retired at 35 with a wife, two children, and a 76-foot two-masted schooner.
The family plan to set sail on a cruise that will carry them from Lake Michigan to the St. Lawrence river, the Atlantic Ocean, the Gulf of Mexico, the Orinoco river in South America, the Panama Canal, the Pacific and the Gulf of California.
Dashew was born in New York. When he got out of school, he went to work as an office machine salesman. He became branch manager for western Michigan. Between times, he wrote articles for national publications on yachting and safety at sea.
Meanwhile he and his wife acquired one sailing vessel after another of various sizes and covered many of the inland waters of the nation.
Finally, Dashew decided to retire. He bought a schooner, the Constellation, last year after the coast guard had finished training officers aboard it. The Dashews sailed it to Lake Michigan, where it was stripped and reoutfitted.

Marine Colonel Still Has Two Jap Bullets in Back

EL TORO, CALIF.—Marine Lieutenant Colonel Herbert C. Freuler, executive officer of marine air group 12, learned recently that he has been carrying two 7mm Japanese machine gun bullets in his back for the past eight years.
The discovery was made by Dr. Robert King when the colonel reported to the station dispensary for a routine check-up and X-ray. Freuler was wounded while flying in the defense of Wake Island in 1941 but a medical examination at

FRANCIS NEWS

CLUB MEETING
Members of the Helping Hand Club met Thursday with Mrs. Jack Harris for a regular meeting.
Directing the business session was Mrs. J. E. Jowell, president of the club.
The group enjoyed a number of games throughout the afternoon.
Members attending were: Mesdames L. A. Calloway, Frank Fisch, John Lee Francis, Hagen Fronterhouse, J. E. Jowell, Cleat Jacobs, J. D. McGavock, Frank Mercer, Clyde Mercer, A. J. Rowell, Alva C. Jasper, Wade Steele, Scott Smith and the hostess.
Children present were: Ricky and Marsha Rowell, Dale Francis, Bobby Crass, James Albert and Mary Jacobs, Johnny McGavock and Riley Harris.
The next meeting of the club will be July 28 at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Cleat Jacobs.

Intermediate Class Entertained
Roy S. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Lee D. Bomar and Mrs. C. O. Alford entertained the Intermediate Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church Monday night at the home of Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Elrod, with a watermelon feast. Fourteen of the class attended.
Miss Eunice Cox and Mrs. Ada Cox were visitors in Tulla Monday afternoon.
Mrs. Tola Tucker and daughter, of San Angelo, are visiting her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Warner Reid.

Mrs. Wayne McCutchen Honored With Shower

Mrs. Wayne McCutchen was honored last Wednesday evening in the home of Mrs. Judd Donnell from 7 to 9 o'clock with a pink and blue shower. Co-hostesses were Mrs. James Patton, Mrs. Charles Cowart and Mrs. Glen McWilliams. Punch and cookies were served to sixteen. Many sent gifts who could not attend.
Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Rowell, of Tulla, visited the W. A. Rowell's Tuesday. They were returning from Fort Worth where he had been at bedside of another brother, Carl Rowell, who is sick in a hospital there. Carl Rowell lived in Silvertown several years ago.

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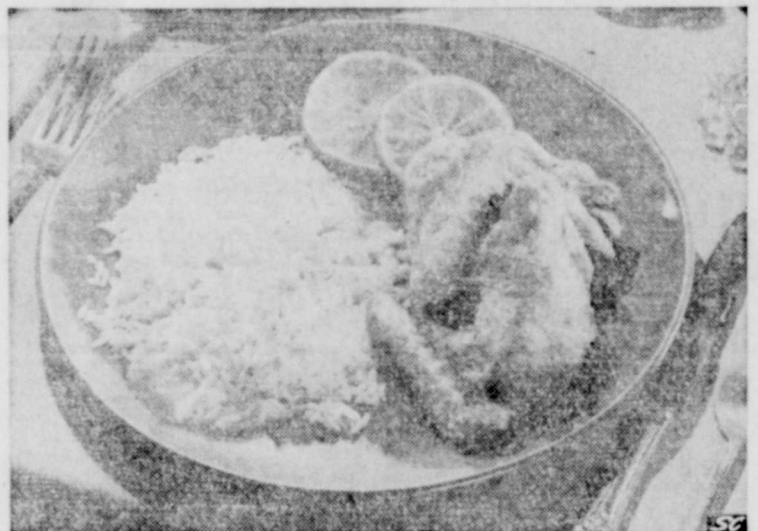
Claud Crossing Community Club Met Thursday

The Claud Crossing Community Club met Thursday, July 14, in the home of Mrs. Don Garrison. Nine members were present to do hand work, visit and exchange sunshine gifts.
Mrs. Garrison served a lovely refreshment plate of fruitbread, cantelope topped with ice cream and fruit punch to the following ladies:
Mesdames Gordon Alexander, Gabe Garrison, Albert Mallow, Orvil Turner, Ora Watson, Arnold Turner, Kemp Thompson and Edd Thomas.
The next meeting will be with Mrs. Gabe Garrison in August. She will send out cards as to the date.

Hitting on High--Altitude, That Is!

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Young fryers are in good supply now, reasonable, too. And speaking of chicken, what could be more tempting for your Sunday or Special-Occasion Dinner than Fried Chicken with Cream Gravy!



To those who live at high altitudes, this suggestion presents no problem since moderate, slow heat is best for these little birds. But above 3,000 feet preparing the rice that traditionally accompanies this poultry specialty is another matter entirely. As well we know, directions for rice generally call for long cooking. But at high altitudes it takes even longer since it isn't possible to bring water to the boiling temperature of 212° F.; so rice just simmers along at about 200° F. for an unreasonably long time before it gets really tender. That's why preparing rice has been looked upon, hereabouts, as a time-consuming task.
A veritable boon to us busy homemakers, therefore, is the new pre-cooked rice now available in local food stores. To prepare this rice at high altitudes all you have to do is just follow the alternate directions given on the back of each red, white and blue package. There you will find a sentence which begins, "If you prefer extra tender rice . . ." and which goes on to tell you that you use 1/4 cup more water than is usually recommended and simmer the rice two to five minutes before covering.
Then all you have to do—at any altitude—is to let this pre-cooked rice stand for 10 minutes more in a warm place and it's ready to serve. Imagine that, just fifteen minutes to assure having fluffy, dry white rice, perfect every time! Rice to be used in soups, entrees, salads and desserts. Rice to make a proud appearance, as shown here, with golden brown Fried Chicken. Rice to rate as a quick cooking boon to us high altitude housewives—thanks to this wonderful new product.

Bridges and Aides Indicted



SAN FRANCISCO—Longshore chief Harry Bridges, left, is pictured with his two union aides J. R. Robertson, center, and Henry Schmidt, outside the courtroom of Federal Judge Michael J. Roche. All three pleaded "not guilty" to indictments charging Bridges with perjury and conspiracy during his 1945 naturalization proceedings. Robertson and Schmidt were charged with conspiracy.

Mrs. Dean Allard who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Grover Martel and family in Montana, returned home Monday.
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