

Paving Work Begins Bailey County

County Fair Discussed Here

Possibility of organizing a fair association to accommodate the big territory surrounding Muleshoe has been explored in recent days by directors of the Chamber of Commerce and of the Lions Club.

The matter has been taken up at recent meetings of each body, and Tuesday night officers and directors of the two groups met for a supper and conference at the Cross Roads Cafe. Attending were Lee Pool, Jack Lenderson, Charles Le-J. M. Forbes, Roy Holland, and Noel Woodley.

First concern, it was conceded would be to obtain a suitable site. Two possibilities were outlined by Mr. Bobo, and committees will ascertain the circumstances surrounding each.

Later, when a site has been settled upon, more details will be worked out. A meeting of all business and professional people of the town likely will be called under the sponsorship of the two bodies and a fair association, will be formed.

AMATEUR NIGHT FRIDAY

An amateur night program will be given by the Junior class of high school in the auditorium Friday night. Participants are expected from the various schools of the territory around Muleshoe.

Mrs. L. M. McCormick and children were in Clovis, Friday, shopping.

Flying Wrestling Circus, A Two Hour Program, Scheduled Here Tuesday

PREACHERS' MEETING WITH THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Among the speakers to be heard on the program Thursday and Friday will be Silas Howell of the 16th and Connally Sts. church in Clovis, D. H. Perkins of the Southside Church in Lubbock, and Hershel Dyer, of the Pioneer Park church in Lubbock. Mr. Dyer is a son of our townsman, Mr. C. L. Dyer, Sr.

Saturday speakers will include Claude Morgan Sturgess of Spring Lake church, and F. M. Manchester of Olton church.

Fine crowds are attending at the evening services, beginning at 8 o'clock. There have been many visitors from out of town. The Ladies Bible class arranges each day for lunch at the Preacher's Home. My, my, the good eats they do serve. There are many others who enjoy good eats as well as preachers. All visitors are entertained at the luncheon, whether clerical folk or not.

Sunday morning and evening services will be in the hands of regular forces of the church in Muleshoe. Mr. Ribble is to be the speaker at each service. All are invited to each and all services.

CHARLENE BLACK IS DAIRY SHOW PRINCESS

Miss Charlene Black, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Black, will represent Bailey County in the annual Dairy Show pageant at Plainview Monday night. Her escort will be Donald Bryant, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Bryant.

Valley Theatre

Doors Open 7:15 p. m.
Show Begins at 7:50 p. m.
Sat. - Sun. Matinee starts at 2 and continues without a break.
Thurs. and Fri., April 10 and 11
"DEATH VALLEY"
Robert Lowery, Helen Gilbert
Sat., April 12
"GENTLEMAN FROM TEXAS"
with Johnny Mack Brown
Sun. and Mon., April 13 and 14
"13 RUE MADELINE"
with James Cagney & Annabella
Tues. and Wed., April 15 and 16
"FREDDIE STRIPS OUT"
with Freddie Stewart

Floyd Davis, Albuquerque, N. M., road building contractor who submitted "the lowest and best bid" on construction of 25.81 miles of road in Bailey County last Thursday, said he expected to be on the field and begin preliminary work within ten days from that time.

Total of the bid he submitted was \$210,332.17.

The commissioners court announced the successful bidder after an all day session. Bids were scheduled to be opened at 10:30 a. m.

County Judge Cecil H. Tate said five contractors submitted bids, high being around \$245,000.

As advertised the road will run as follows:

From an intersection with U. S. Highway 84, approximately 5 miles Northwest of Muleshoe, West to the New Mexico state line; a 1/2 mile lateral extending North from U. S. Highway 84 at Progress; a 3.7 mile road extending North to the Parmer County line from an intersection with U. S. Highway 84 approximately 4 miles Northwest of Muleshoe; a 5.5 mile road extending North to the Parmer County line from an intersection with the Plainview Highway (U. S. 70) approximately 3 1/2 miles East of Muleshoe; and a lateral extending 1.23 miles East past the Liberty School from Station 132-55 on the Plainview Highway.

This is the first project for which contract has been let in the program of paving approximately 75 miles of farm to market roads in the county, for which the citizens last September voted a bond issue of \$625,000.

Another letting will be advertised soon, on approximately the same mileage located in the southwest part of the county.

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TWENTY-FIFTH YEAR, NO. 15

MULESHOE - COUNTY SEAT OF BAILEY COUNTY, TEXAS

THURSDAY, APRIL 16, 1947

B. E. Needles Still Missing



B. E. NEEDLES

A reward of \$5,000 for the apprehension of B. E. Needles of Lubbock, probable amnesia victim, is being offered, according to information furnished this paper by Grady Harrist, Lubbock County sheriff.

Mr. Needles was last seen March 22, 1947, at Wichita Falls. He is described as being 57 years old, 5 feet 7 inches tall, and weighing 175 pounds. Needles is well known as a tire dealer throughout the Plains area.

March Of Dimes Report Issued

Bailey County people gave \$1,219.15 for the fight on infantile paralysis, Clay Beavers, county treasurer, has reported. Half of this fund remains in the county for assistance in the work here. He listed collections as follows:

Muleshoe Churches	\$311.50
Jays in Stores	221.73
Muleshoe Study Club	25.00
I. O. O. F. Lodge	31.52
Lions Club	17.23
Progress Club	5.00
Muleshoe Theater Collections	157.95
Theater Personnel	27.50
Theater Dance	126.72
Individuals Misc.	71.16
Bula Boy Scouts	6.00
Bula Schools	39.76
Circle Back Schools	7.20
Y. L. School	16.89
Progress School	20.38
Muleshoe Half Century Club	10.00
Muleshoe Schools	123.61
Total Collections	\$1219.15

BIRTHDAY PARTY

A birthday party was given Monday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Gross honoring R. A. Gross on his birthday. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Davis and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Davis and children, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Gross and children and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Gross.

Howard Cox was in Amarillo, Tuesday of this week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Collins and daughter spent the weekend in Marlow, Okla., with his mother and sister.

Bula Approves \$20,000 In Bonds

Improvement bonds in the sum of \$20,000 were voted last Monday by citizens of the Bula Independent School District, voters favoring the issuance of bonds \$5 to 10, W. D. Kay, superintendent reports.

Cemetery Ass'n. Meeting Monday

A meeting of the Bailey County Cemetery Association is scheduled for Monday night, April 14, in the district court room in Muleshoe, beginning at 8 o'clock.

Directors said it is hoped that more of the ladies of the community will attend the meeting. Membership cards will be passed out and the work of the association will get underway.

E. W. Evans Succeeds Holt Bros. As Phillips Jobbers In Muleshoe

E. W. Evans has become the jobber in the Muleshoe area for Phillips Petroleum Company, doing business under the name E. W. Evans Oil Company. Mr. Evans purchased the Holt Oil Company, formerly jobbers for Phillips here, from Bits and Gale Holt.

Mr. Evans announced this week it will be his aim to continue to give the prompt service to people of this territory that Holt has always given. Trucks of the company make deliveries throughout the area.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans and their two children, Elaine, 7, and Archie Ray, 2, have moved from their former home at Bakersfield, Calif., and have purchased the residence of L. E. Bartlett in Hillcrest addition. Mrs. Evans is the former Eunice Griffiths, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Griffiths.

College Students Here At Easter

College students home for the Easter holidays include L. J. Sanders, Raymond Bass, J. M. Bowen, Lloyd Alsun, Jack Young, Rudolph Horsley, all of Texas Tech; Margaret Ann Johnson, Bonnie Brooks and Bee and Betty Jo Tarter, of ENMC, Portales, N. M.

Harry Walker, University of New Mexico, Mary Nell DeShazo, State College, N. M., Norma Osborn, TSCW, Denton; Bill Pierson, Helen Holt, Mary John Cole, Betty Craft, Bruce Horsley, McMurry College, Abilene; Billy Beavers, University of Texas, Austin; Pat Bennett, Bill Edd Jones, WTSTC, Canyon.

Lowell Irvin St. Clair, student at Tech, with his wife, spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. L. St. Clair.

Baileyboro Club

The Baileyboro Home Demonstration club met in the home of Mrs. Maurine Rodgers with the home demonstration agent, Mrs. Williamson, and one visitor and six members present, one being a new member.

"Never just start cutting on a shrub; study it first, then start cutting," Mrs. Williamson told the club. After an interesting discussion on pruning, we went into the yard and carried out the demonstration. We found it is not as hard to prune a shrub as one would think.

Mrs. Helen Schmitz drew the hostess gift. It brought 50 cents. Club is to meet in the home of Mrs. Loyal Judkins at 2:00 p. m. Tuesday, April 22. Bring embroidery, hoops and thimbles.

Hays Is Moving To Plainview



W. F. HAYS, JR.

Announcement was made this week by W. F. Hays, Jr., that he is moving to Plainview, having accepted the position of county manager of the Lone Star Trading Post, whose district office is at Lubbock.

Mr. Hays is an auctioneer and will continue to work at his profession. He said that he is the only auctioneer connected with the Lone Star Trading Post. Persons desiring to see him on business may contact him at Plainview or write to him in care of the above organization.

West Camp Defeats Consolidation Plan

West Camp school district voters defeated a proposal to consolidate that district with Muleshoe, 55 to 31. The commissioners court Tuesday canvassed the returns from the election held Saturday and declared the proposition defeated.

At the same time, Muleshoe voters were favoring the proposal 58 to 0.

Since the consolidation movement began it was the first time a district had voted adversely.

More consolidation elections have been ordered. Baileyboro and Muleshoe will vote on the proposal for consolidation April 19.

The latest consolidation movement is from Liberty school district, and an election is ordered to be held in that district and the Muleshoe district on May 3.

Trustees Were Chosen Saturday

Returns from trustee elections held Saturday in various school districts of the county were canvassed by the commissioners court Tuesday. A list of districts showing the men chosen in each follows:

- Progress: Clyde Henry, C. A. Adams.
- Crieback: Lester Elmore, Floyd Warren.
- Liberty: Leon Lewis, D. B. Head, Heristine Beller.
- West Camp: J. C. Cummins, Ernest Kube.
- Muleshoe: Ollie Danron, N. H. Greer, W. M. Pool, Jr.
- Baileyboro: Lonnie Arnold, Lester Howard, L. J. Sanders.
- Stegall: Hugh Roberson.
- Bula: Roy Young, Jim Claunch.
- Three Way: L. A. Corbell, Johnnie Wheeler, Albert Ellis.

Two Young was re-elected county trustee at large and Roy Sheriff was elected for Precinct 2 and Jim Henderson for Precinct 3.

Watch out for snakes on farm-to-market roads.

Three Way School's New Building Finished

One of Bailey County's best and fastest growing schools - Three Way - has practically completed its new building. This building is a realization of a dream envisioned in May, 1945. On that date the patrons of Goodland, Watson and Maple combined their districts to form Three Way Independent School District.

Immediately, bonds in the amount of \$130,000 were floated. The purpose of this issue was to build and equip a new combination high

school and elementary school building, and a combination auditorium and gymnasium. The school building now stands completed at an overall cost of approximately \$95,000. Thus, Southern Bailey County and Northwestern Cochran County boast a high school as efficient as any to be found and as modern as tomorrow.

The building is constructed of light colored brick with a concrete roof. Spacious steel-framed windows admit a volume of light. The floor is asphalt tile on a concrete base. The building is practically fireproof.

The building contains 14 classrooms, two offices and four rest rooms. All classrooms are plastered and painted a soft cream color. The ceiling is white celotex. The corridor is equipped with 256 double tier steel lockers and six class-rooms are equipped with combination lockers and wardrobe. The entire school program will be automatically operated from a New Standard Program Clock and buzzer system. At an early date an inter-communication system will be installed.

HONOR ROLL

The Journal is happy to list the following new and renewal subscriptions that have been received during the past week:

- J. D. Carpenter, Route 1, John Ford, Star Route 2.
- P. C. Windsor, Austin.
- W. A. Locker, Sudan.
- J. H. Wood, City.
- Kenneth Burton, City.
- John L. Wuerflein, Kremlin, Okla.
- Mrs. Roscoe Ford, City.
- Tye Young, City.
- W. F. Stoir, Baileyboro.
- J. A. Dearing, City.
- Consumers Fuel & Supply, City.
- Lee Pool, City.
- W. M. Pool, Jr., City.
- C. E. Briscoe, City.
- Maek Hale, City.
- Dyer Hardware and Furniture, City.
- R. L. Bayless, City.
- Owen Broyles, City.
- J. J. Williams, City.
- Mrs. W. L. Koen, Portales, N. M.
- Mrs. Minnie Solomon, San Luis Obispo, Calif.

OPEN HOUSE AT THREE WAY

The faculty at Three Way High School will hold open house Friday from 2:00 P. M. to 5:00 P. M.

The public is cordially invited to inspect the new building and equipment.

The building is being heated by a system known as Air Blast. This, too, is the latest and best in heating systems. The heat is produced by a butane blaze and there the heat is blown through insulated conduits to all parts of the building. The plant is thermostatically controlled, thus insuring an even temperature through the entire building.

All classrooms are equipped with furniture of distinction - Heywood-Wakefield. This is the most durable and most beautiful furniture on the market.

Three Way boasts an enrollment of approximately 350 students. The enrollment is expected to go well beyond the 400 mark by next school year.

The district proper embraces 188 square miles. The valuation of said district is \$2,181,157.00. This area is served with five buses. Additional buses are expected to be added next year.

A 16 mm. Victor Projector has already been delivered to the school for use in visual education.

Three Way employs twenty teachers. They are: H. Howard Homsley, Supt., C. J. Auten, High School Principal; Effie Farmer, Elementary Principal; Esther Landtroop, Peggy Perdue and Mrs. Lavern Homsley, high school teachers. Myrtle Cook, Ruby Fulton, Cynthia Penuel, Gladys Lowe, Odell Johnston and Katherine Sanders, Elementary teachers.

Goodland Bible Club In Meeting

Spring has come to the Goodland community and aroused new life and new activity in a social way. The Bible Club met in the home of Mrs. Middlebrook Monday afternoon, April 7, with 15 members present.

The new officers took their places with Mitsy B. Humphrey filling the chair as president.

A very interesting Bible study was conducted by Mrs. Middlebrook and Mrs. Mier. After the business session a most enjoyable program was given by different members of the club. After the program the hostess served a plate of cake and ice cream and other dainties.

The club enjoyed having as their guest Mrs. Snodgrass, sister of the hostess.

Local Markets

Cream	90c
Eggs	37c
Hogs, cwt.	\$25.00
Light Hens, lb.	18c
Heavy Hens, lb.	22c
Fryers, lb.	20c
Kafir, cwt.	\$2.65
Maize, cwt.	\$2.65
Hegari, cwt.	\$2.65
Wheat, bu.	\$8.46

Governor Approves C. of C. Week



Governor Beauford Jester, seated in his office in Austin, is seen signing the proclamation of Texas Chamber of Commerce Week, April 13-19. Looking on the signing of this proclamation, from left to right, are Fred S. Nagle, Jr., President of the Austin Chamber of

Commerce, Paul Brown, Secretary of State, and Col. Ike Ashburn, Executive Secretary of the Texas Good Roads Association. The over three hundred Chamber of Commerce organizations in Texas are sponsoring this first annual Chamber of Commerce Week throughout the State.

Potato Support Price For This Area Placed At \$2.25 Per 100 Pounds No. 1

Growers who want the protection of Government price supports on their 1947 potato crop will be required to establish their eligibility for participation in the program, according to word received in the Bailey County Agricultural Conservation Office.

Price supports on 1947 potatoes will be in the form of purchases, diversion, export and loans. Details of the program have now been announced by the Department of Agriculture.

Here are the conditions governing participation of growers in the potato price support program.

(1) Growers must comply with 1947 individual farm potato acreage goals set by the County AAA Committee.

(2) Price support is restricted to potatoes produced by eligible growers which are not objectionable because of diseases, insect infestation, frost, or other damage.

(3) All growers must declare the maximum quantity of potatoes they expect to offer for price support and to pay a nominal service fee on potatoes so declared.

(4) No grower will be eligible who plants potatoes on land officially designated by a State or Federal Agency as unfit for potato production because of disease or insect infestation.

(5) Growers who plant less than 3 acres and therefore, have no assigned acreage goal, may be required to make their declaration before harvest time so that their compliance with the small farm goal may be determined (such goals must not exceed 2.9 acres).

(6) Growers may be required to enter into written agreements with the Department of Agriculture covering such matters as compliance with acreage goals, withholding from market and disposition of potatoes as directed by the Department, and orderly offerings to the Department of suitable time periods beginning about October 1.

While Government loans will not be the principle means of price support for the late potato crop, loans will be available to growers on much the same basis as for the 1946 crop. Eligible growers may take advantage of the other price support operations whether or not they obtain such loans.

90 Per Cent of Parity
The program will seek to assure fullest price support benefits to eligible growers. The Government is required to support prices of potatoes during 1947 and 1948 at not less than 90 per cent of parity.

Price supports on the late 1947 potato crop will be announced soon after July 1, the date for determining the parity base for supports. Price supports on the early and intermediate potato crop in Texas per 100 pounds U. S. No. 1 grade potatoes at county shipping points by months and areas are as follows:

Western Area (All counties north of a line formed by connecting the southern boundaries of Yoakum and Stonewall; and the counties of Childress, Cottle, King and Stonewall and all counties west thereof).
June—2.25; July—2.25; Aug.—2.25.

Texas Needs More Junior Colleges

Austin—Until there is a junior college within 50 bus miles of every youth of junior college age in Texas, there will not be enough junior colleges in the state.

So says Dr. C. C. Colvert, professor-consultant in junior college education at the University of Texas, who recently addressed the Texas

Junior College Association on the future of junior college education.

There is no competition in the field of junior college education," he said. "A newly organized junior college does not compete with the present private junior college, the public junior colleges already organized, or the senior colleges and universities of the state."

Rather, he emphasized, a junior college increases interest of the people all around it in college education, and in the second place, it furnishes many junior (junior college graduates) to the senior colleges.

Most obvious needs for junior colleges of the future, he said, are (1) the need for an adequate guidance and counseling program; (2) more emphasis on health and physical education programs; (3) more adult education courses; (4) more adequate public relations.

Six new junior colleges opened in Texas this year, and two more will open next fall. The Frank Phillips Junior College at Borger has had a terminal education program this year, and will have a full program next year, and the Laredo Junior College at Laredo will open next September.

Fire Losses For 1947 Are Rising

Committees of experts preparing data for the President's Conference on Fire Prevention are faced with the fact that America's fire losses for 1947 are rising. Losses for the first two months of this year already have exceeded last year's losses for the same period by more than 20 per cent.

Losses so far this year totaled \$121,939,000. Losses for the 12 months ended February 28, 1947, were \$581,347,000, the greatest this country has ever known. This exceeded by nearly \$20,000,000 the highest annual fire waste the nation has ever experienced, \$561,980,000.

No fire disaster has taken a large toll of lives in 1947 to compare with the tragedies of the Winecoff and La Salle hotel fires last year. Yet the death toll is mounting steadily because of the thousands of smaller fires occurring throughout the country.

WORKERS' CONFERENCE FIELDTON, TEXAS

10:00 Song, Devotional and Scripture—J. E. Moore.

10:15—The Atonement—Lee Hemphill.

10:45—Regeneration and Conversion—W. L. Brian.

11:15—Sanctification—John Cory.

12:15—Lunch.

1:30 Board and WMU Meeting.

2:30—Perseverance—B. N. Shepherd.

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April Is Cancer Control Month

Austin—By proclamation of President Harry S. Truman, the month of April is Cancer Control Month throughout the nation. Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, is asking each citizen to consider the dangers signals and secure medical advice at the first appearance of any suspicious symptom. There are many causes of cancer; the most common form of which is chronic or prolonged irritation.

One of the questions often asked is whether or not cancer is hereditary in human beings. Tendencies to form cancer may possibly be inherited; however, since the method of inheriting such tendencies is obscure, the presence of cancer in one or both parents should be merely a cause of greater alertness in looking for and recognizing suspicious symptoms on the part of family members. There is no need of a fatalistic attitude. The fact concerning heredity does not justify them.

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CARD OF THANKS

I take this means to extend to the Half Century Club, the Sunday School Class, the Missionary Society and all the friends and loved ones my most heartfelt thanks for which I cannot find words to express my gratitude; and for the lovely Floral Gifts and the little notes of love and the Get Well Greetings. I wish for you to know that all were appreciated in my long stay in the hospital. With a heart full of love for each of you and a thank you to all.

Sincerely,
Mrs. W. G. Wyr

REINSTATING INSURANCE

Charles F. Dvoracek, Veterans Administration Itinerant Contact Representative, serving Muleshoe, said today that veterans in the Muleshoe area are responding to the advice "hold on to your G. I. Insurance," as evidenced by the

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great number who are flocking to the VA Contact (Itinerant Station), located in the County Courthouse, in Muleshoe, to reinstate or convert their G. I. Insurance.

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ent act of Congress, a veteran who has allowed his insurance to lapse, may reinstate it by paying only

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BLACKWATER VALLEY SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS

Sam W. McLarty, R. E. Willingham, W. C. Langham, H. F. Bryant, Virgil Nowell, A. X. Erickson, P. R. Johnson, W. M. McAdams, and L. A. Wells were assisted by Soil Conservation Service technicians in laying out irrigation ditches for watering later beds and wheat.

Soil surveys have been completed for A. L. Wasson, Lonnie Arnold, John Hubbard, Oliver, Ed Nelson, J. E. Embury, Gordon Murrah, W. M. Harmon, William K. Griffing, John Blackman, Hugh B. Roberson,

and E. O. Battles. Applications for Soil Conservation Service assistance have been received from Joe C. Bryce, W. B. McAdams, J. H. Garrett, O. A. Nowell, Edward N. Ray, A. J. Gregory, and R. O. and R. A. Gregory.

HIGGINBOTHAM-BARTLETT ERECTING NEW HOUSES

Two residences are being constructed by Higginbotham-Bartlett company in Hillcrest addition. L. E. Bartlett, manager said. They are two bedroom houses and one will be for sale when completed, the other to be occupied by the Bart-

A Hand In Need



National Sunday School Week will be observed this year during April 14th to April 20th by American youth throughout the nation. Sponsored by the Laymen's National Committee, Vanderbilt Hotel, New York, the sole purpose of the Week is to encourage boys and girls to regularly attend the church of their choice.

The parents of these children must look to the future with realization of a knowledge of God.

Today, the world is face to face with mankind's worst enemy, HATE. It is running rampant throughout the country. It is being manifested everywhere we turn. It is being reflected by our young children in their utter disregard for established principles, law and order.

This situation will not right itself, nor will it be remedied by the waving of some magic wand. If we really want to be honest with ourselves, we will admit that it can largely, if not entirely, be attributed to our putting material gains over spiritual values.

The establishment of National Sunday School Week is not a cure-all for what is termed Juvenile Delinquency. It is only a step in that direction, but it is a right step and a practical step.

lett family. The houses are being built to FHA specifications. Other houses will be built in the addition as needed, Mr. Bartlett said.

HEAR BISHOP SMITH
Muleshoe people attending the services at the Texico-Farwell Methodist Church Tuesday night to hear Bishop Angie Smith speak were: Rev. and Mrs. T. G. Craft,

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Beavers, Miss Elizabeth Harden, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Holt, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Gaede, and A. W. Copley. The bishop has just returned from a trip to the Holy Land and to a number of other foreign countries, including India.

HYBRID REPEATERS
A farmer who has raised a fine crop of hybrid corn often wonders

why he can't use some of it for seed the next year. Here, according to the United States Department of Agriculture, is the answer:

"All plants in a field of corn planted with hybrid seed of a given strain are related to each other. The relationship is fully as close as that between first cousins. The seed coming from such a field is therefore definitely inbred because of this relationship of the parent plants.

"Reduction in vigor and grain yield is always associated with inbreeding of corn. This is a principal reason why seed from a field of hybrid corn produces yields lower than the first generation cross. Repeated tests... have shown that the average reduction in yield... is about 15 per cent.

"This reduction can be avoided by buying and planting each year the freshly-crossed seed of tested strains of hybrid corn. It does not pay to sacrifice the increased yield, no matter how fine and well-filled the home-grown grain appears to be."

Progress HD Club

The Progress H. D. Club met April 1 in the home of Mrs. Cecil Sigman with ten members and agent Mrs. Laurette Williamson present.

Elzada McMahan presided over a short business session in the absence of the president, Mrs. Raymond Brown.

Mrs. Harold Mardis reported the deeds for the three lots purchased by the club in Progress for building a club house were now in her possession and in order.

Mrs. Gordon Murrah and Mrs. Richard Smith were appointed on the committee to serve with Elzada McMahan to get the lots surveyed.

Suggested subjects and rules were read for the essay writing contest.

Mrs. Fern Davis gave a very interesting talk on "Easter and What It Means to Me."

The demonstration on pruning by Mrs. Williamson was received with interest by the women. How to shape shrubs and trees by pruning and the time for pruning were discussed.

Elzada McMahan received the

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Joe Simmacher, April 15 at 2:30 p. m. Refreshments of cookies and punch were served by the hostess.

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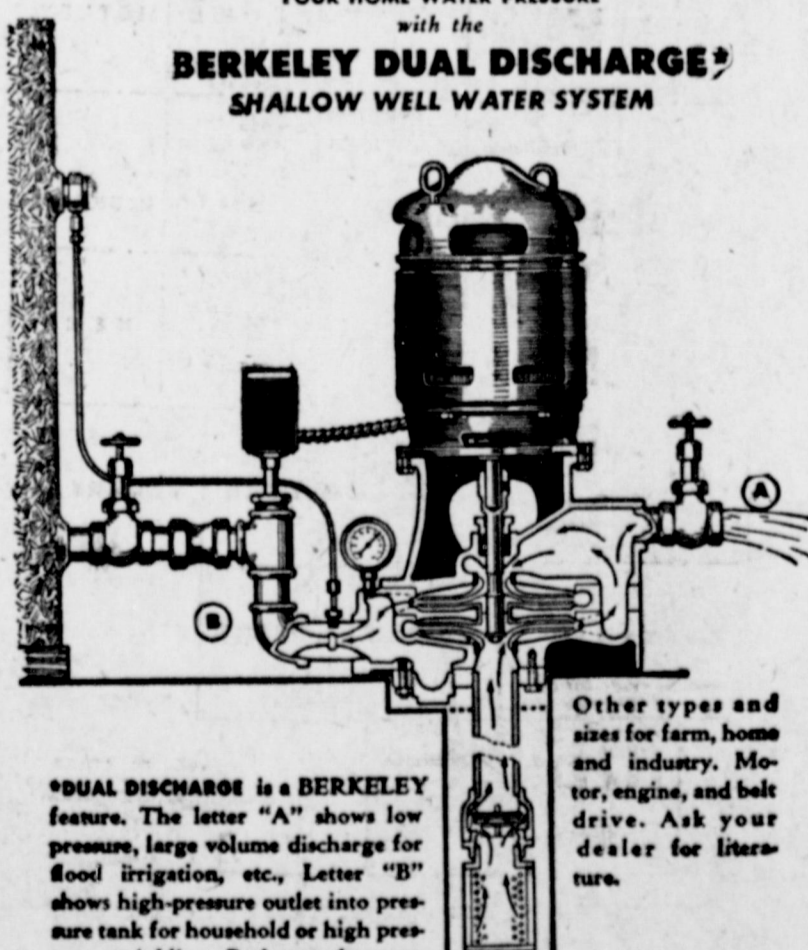
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THE GOOD ONES DO IT

College Station—"Why milk a large number of low producing cows when the job can be done much easier and more profitably with a fewer number of good cows?" Dairy husbandmen of the Texas

A. and M. College Extension Service ask dairy farmers that question year after year. They keep asking it because the records of Dairy Herd Improvement Association members have proved over and over again that high producing cows always return the most profit.

In any county in the state, the Extension dairymen point out, the following situation might exist:

has a herd of 20 cows, each of which averages 200 pounds of butterfat each year. At a feed cost of \$83 a head, the income above feed cost on the low producing herd is \$1,660 for the year.

Then Dairyman "B" comes into the picture, with a herd of only 11 good cows which produce 300 pounds of butterfat each year. Feed for his cows costs him \$126 a head, and his annual income above feed cost is \$1,694. A comparison of the annual incomes show that Dairyman "B" with the good cows, got \$34 more profit than Dairyman "A". That does not appear to be a great deal of difference, the Extension dairymen explain, but the profits are just part of the story.

Dairyman "B" spent only about half the time milking cows during the year as did the man with the low producing cows. He handled only about half as much hay and grain; his barn was not as large and upkeep on equipment was not as high. He spent less time cleaning lots and barns. It was not necessary for him to cultivate as

Two GI Students



Two World War II veterans seek the answer to a chemistry question at North Texas Agricultural College, Arlington. Gerald B. Smith, Grand Prairie, standing, is 44, and the young man holding the text is 19-year-old Robert Cummings of Dallas.

herd.

And those are the reasons that Extension dairymen keep asking: "Why milk a large number of low producing cows when the job can be done much easier and more profitably with a fewer number of good cows?"

TIME TO PLANT

College Station—It's time to plant the garden on the High Plains of Texas.

Horticulturists of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service list the vegetables that are ordinarily planted on the Plains during early spring. Here they are: beets, spinach, onions, potatoes, mustard, English peas, lettuce, radishes, cabbages, carrots, Swiss chard and a few other hardy plants.

The horticulturists say that experienced Plains gardeners hold off on planting the not-so-hardy vegetables, such as tomatoes, peppers, sweet potatoes, cucumbers, squash and pumpkin, until danger of frost is past.

The battle against garden insects will begin as soon as the first green shoot breaks through, the horticulturists say, so a smart move now for gardeners will be to check up on the latest information and ma-

Agents in county Extension offices will give gardeners—city and rural—information on controlling insects.

NEWS FOR HOME CANNERS

College Station—Here's news for housewives who plan to can vegetables this year.

Food Preservation Specialist Gwendolyn Jones, of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, states that U. S. Department of Agriculture research has caused some changes in general recommendations for processing low-acid vegetables when canned in a pressure canner.

Low-acid vegetables include asparagus, beets, carrots, corn, greens, okra, pumpkin, summer squash, sweet potatoes, beans and peas. The USDA research has shown that processing time for these vegetables can be generally lowered, which will give the housewife better-flavored canned goods with better texture, and still render the vegetables safe from bacteria that cause food spoilage.

Quoting an example, Miss Jones says that a pint of green was formerly processed 95 minutes. She now tells housewives to process the pint of green only 45 minutes, to conform with the new USDA

change is on sweet potatoes. Processing time for a pint of yams has been cut down from 95 to 55 minutes.

Extension Circular 223, "Can Vegetables in a Pressure Canner," has been revised to give the new processing times. Miss Jones advises homemakers to ask their local county home demonstration agents for a copy of the folder.

The housewife may wonder, on checking the new time tables, why quart jars of some vegetables are processed longer instead of shorter. This appears to be a contradiction in the general run of the new recommendations, but Miss Jones explains that quart jars of food are usually less hot at the beginning

research showed that this extra time on some quarts of vegetables is advisable in producing sterile canned food.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Awtrey, Sr., returned Sunday from Hat Springs, N. M., where they took a week's vacation, enjoying the baths also while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Simmacher and children, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Adams and son enjoyed a fish supper in the Dr. S. E. Goucher home Monday night.

Pat Bobo made a business trip to Cleburne Wednesday.

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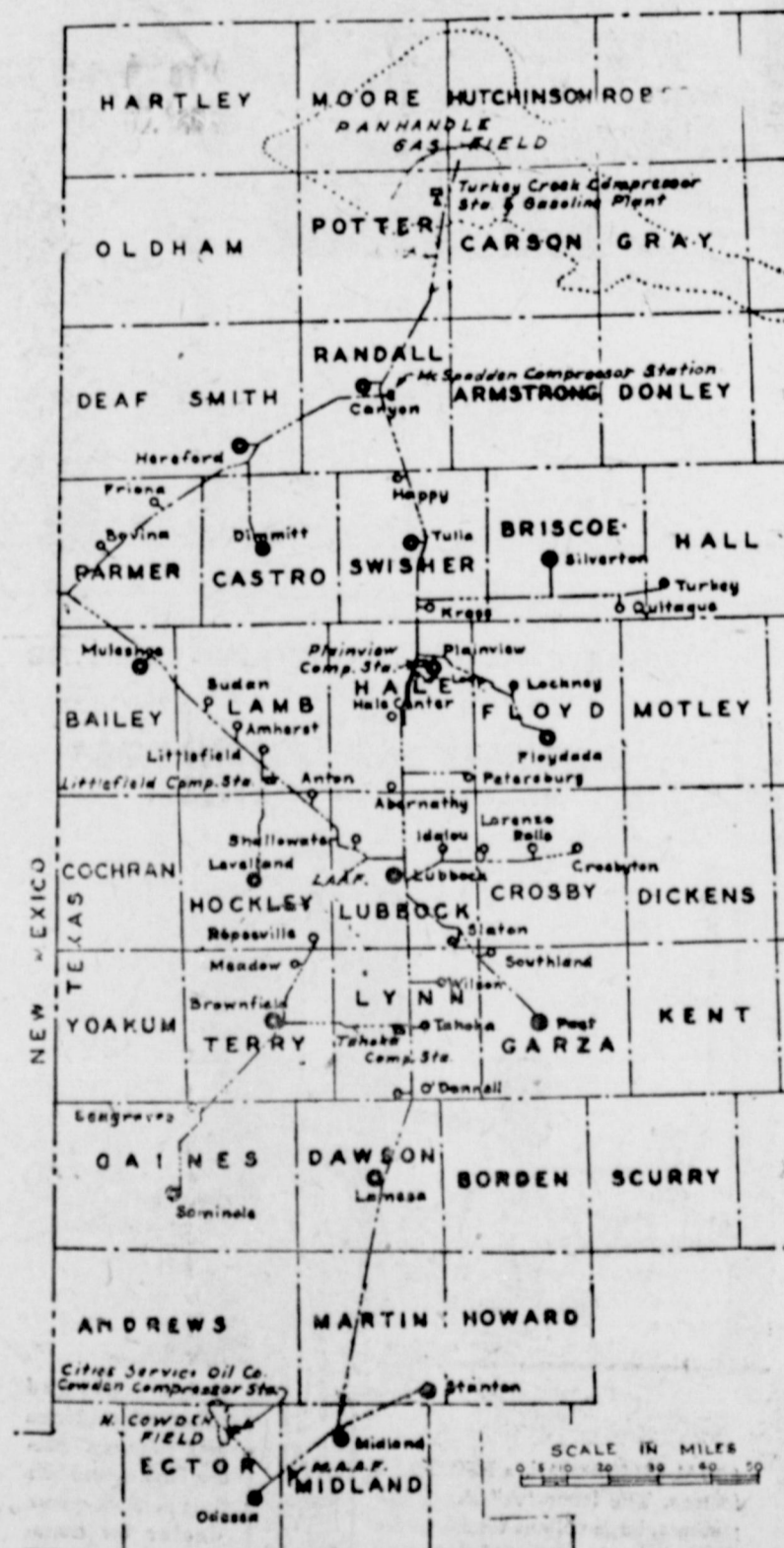
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At The Churches

Schedule of Services

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. A. W. Blaine, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
 Training Union 6:30 p. m.
 Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
 W. M. U.—Wednesday 3:00 p. m.
 Officers & Teachers—Wednesday 7:30 p. m.
 Bible Study & Prayer—Wednesday 8:15 p. m.
 Choir Rehearsal—Thursday 7:30 p. m.

FIRST METHODIST
 T. G. Craft, Pastor
 Sunday Services 9:45 A. M.
 Church School 11:00 A. M.
 Preaching 6:00 P. M.
 Young People 7:30 P. M.
 Evening Worship 7:30 P. M.
 Midweek Service—Wed. 7:30 P. M.
 Choir Rehearsal—Wed. 7:30 P. M.
 W.S.C.S.—Mon. 2:30 P. M.

MAIN STREET MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
 Rev. M. E. Robinson, Pastor
 Sunday School 10 a. m.
 Church Services 11 a. m.
 B. T. U. 6:30 p. m.
 Church Services 7:30 p. m.
 Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting 7:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible Study 10 a. m.
 Preaching Service 11 a. m.
 Communion Service 11:45 a. m.
 Preaching 7:30 p. m.
 Ladies' Bible Class, Tuesday, 3 p. m.
 Men's Training Class, Wed., 7:30 p. m.

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 Bible Study 10 a. m.
 Preaching Service 11 a. m.
 Communion Service 11:45 a. m.
 Preaching 8 p. m.

Treating Cotton Seed Is Advised

College Station—What are the advantages of treating cottonseed? That's a question that E. A. Miller, Extension agronomist of Texas A. and M. College, believes cotton producers may be asking now.

Miller states that cottonseed treatment can be looked upon as an inexpensive form of crop insurance, which costs only a few cents per bushel of seed, kills disease germs on seed, and protects seed and seedlings from diseases that may be in the soil.

Announces Details of \$20,000,000 Price Reductions

Details of the recently announced International Harvester policy of making price reductions to save users of our products approximately \$20,000,000 a year have now been worked out.

We have reduced prices on 163 models. These cover 12 basic models of farm tractors, 123 basic models of farm machines, 16 basic models of industrial tractors and engines, and 12 models of motor trucks, as well as certain motor truck attachments. The new lower prices are effective as of March 10, 1947.

These reductions were made not because of any decline in demand, but because we believe nothing is more important to this country than to lower the prices of the goods people buy.

While prices have not been changed on all products, we have made reductions wherever possible, in the amounts possible. Prices of many of our most popular products have been substantially lowered.

Altogether, more than half of the company's customers will be benefited by the reductions, which range from 1% to 23.8% and from \$2.50 to \$300 per item, based on list prices, F.O.B. Chicago.


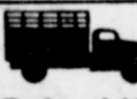

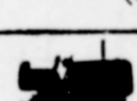
Since the people have demanded that the government withdraw from price control in peacetime, the responsibility to keep prices in check is back where it should be—in the hands of business and industry. The business outlook makes it possible for us to move toward the goal of lower prices, and we have felt a duty to act as promptly as possible.

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- Corn Planters**—4 basic models reduced \$5.00 in each case (3% to 4.8%).
- Grain Drills**—11 models reduced \$14.25 to \$20.00 (4.4% to 6.3%).
- Mowers**—2 basic models reduced \$4.00 and \$11.50 (2.5% and 5%).
- Swath Rake**—1 model reduced \$5.00 (5.5%).
- Pickup Hay Baler**—1 model reduced \$75.00 (4.1%).
- Self-Propelled Combine**—1 basic model reduced \$122.50 (3.4%).

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	MOTOR TRUCKS 12 Models Reduced \$50 to \$300 (1.9% to 3.6%)
	FARM MACHINES 123 Models Reduced \$2.50 to \$122.50 (1.9% to 23.8%)
	INDUSTRIAL TRACTORS (Crawler) —4 Models Reduced \$35 to \$50 (1.0% to 1.6%)

- Ensilage Cutters**—3 models reduced \$22.75 in each case (4.8% to 7.1%).
- Ensilage Harvester**—1 model reduced \$33.75 (3.9%).
- Hammer Mills**—2 models reduced \$5.00 in each case (1.9% and 3%).
- Lime Spreader**—1 basic model reduced \$2.50 (4.9%).
- Power Loader**—1 model reduced \$25.50 (8.9%).
- Manure Spreader**—1 model reduced \$13.00 (2.5%).
- Milker Units**—2 models reduced \$12.00 and \$17.00 (14.4% and 18.4%).
- Milker Vacuum Pumps**—2 models reduced \$17.00 in each case (11.5% and 19.6%).
- Portable Milker Vacuum Pumps**—2 models reduced \$17.00 in each case (11.3% and 11.7%).
- Stainless Steel Milker Pails**—2 models reduced \$5.00 and \$10.00 (18.5% and 23.8%).
- Cream Separators**—4 models reduced \$13.25 in each case (8% to 10.4%).
- Tractor Trailer**—1 basic model reduced \$12.75 (5.5%).
- Milk Coolers**—5 models reduced \$8.00 to \$18.00 (1.9% to 4.3%).
- Industrial Tractors (Wheel)**—4 basic models reduced \$19.00 to \$56.00 (1% to 3.4%).
- Industrial Power Units**—8 models reduced from \$10.00 to \$150.00 (2.3% to 11.4%).
- Motor Truck Attachments**—7 items reduced from \$6.25 to \$268.00, including a change in specifications on two items.

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up first on the seed cases, and if damp weather prevails after the seedlings break through, the disease may kill many of the plants and injure others, unless the seed is chemically treated before planting. Angular leaf spot can also destroy buds on young cotton plants, and stunt the growth of early fruiting branches. Result: reduced yield, says Miller. The disease also carries through to the older cotton plant, where it appears as angular spots on the leaves and as bacterial rot on the bolls.

Soreshin is the disease that causes brown spots on the plants either below or above the soil surface. While many plants may recover from soreshin, they are often delayed in developing, which again can mean less cotton per-acre. Cotton producers have found seed treatment prevents much of the trouble resulting from these two diseases, says the agronomist. Furthermore, chemical treatment also helps produce a sturdy, vigorous seedling, which gives producers a chance for earlier and better cultivation.

At the Texas A. and M. College Agricultural Experiment Station at Temple, fuzzy cottonseed treatment with either two percent or five percent cerasan, had 25 to 30 per cent better stands than untreated seed. The plants had one-third to one-tenth less angular leaf spot infection and made anywhere from 30 to 130 pounds more lint per acre than non-treated seed. Some of the chemicals used satisfactorily in cottonseed treatment are cerasan, yellow cuprocid, spergon, arasan, cyanamid 154-6-B.

Over long periods, Experiment Station tests have shown that chemically treated seed gives four-year average yield increases of 25 per cent at College Station, 15 per cent at Temple, 10 per cent in the Brazos Bottom near College Station and four per cent at Lubbock.

Judging from results like these, says Miller, cottonseed treatment is definitely a part of cotton production. He invites producers to

write the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, College Station, Texas, and ask for USDA Leaflet 198, "Cottonseed Treatment." The leaflet contains full directions for treatment.

ARMY RECRUITER TO BE IN MULESHOE

The regular army recruiting station of Clovis, N. M., will have its representative, T-Sgt. Leon A. Reynolds, in Muleshoe from 9:00 A. M. to 4:30 P. M. on Wednesday, April 16. He will be located in the post office. Between these hours he will interview men interested in obtaining information of present standing policies and vacancies existing in regular Army. Both local and foreign theatres of operation have many advantages available.

Mrs. Tye Young was home for the Easter season. She has been at Wellington several weeks to be with her mother, Mrs. C. L. Lowry, who suffered a stroke. Little improvement is noted in her condition, Mrs. Young said. The Young's son, Jack, student in Texas Tech, spent the weekend here with his parents.

F. A. Kopplin has returned from a stay of several months at his home in Litchfield, Minn.

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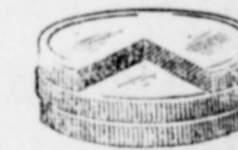


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What We Make

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The reasons for this low return are not hard to find. Since 1939 railroad wages have increased 52 1/2% and the prices of fuel, materials and supplies have gone up 61 1/2%.

But freight rates have just recently been increased an average of only 17 1/2%—a year after the effective date of the last big wage increase.

What About This Year?

It is estimated that the return for 1947, even with the recent freight rate increase, will be only about half the 6% minimum return required to provide the improvements and service needed. This will be because of increased costs of materials and supplies; because certain wage increases granted in 1946 were in effect for only part of 1946 but will be in effect for all of 1947; because of increased special payroll taxes on railroads; and because of a decline in passenger business.

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Murrahs Honored With Shower

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Murrah were honored with a miscellaneous shower at Progress Auditorium on Thursday night, April 3. Mrs. Murrah is the former Betty Rackley of Dallas.

Jerene Murrah presided at the bride's book. Piano music was furnished by Joyce Gwyn. Mrs. B. W. Yeary sang and Mrs. C. M. Mann rendered several numbers on the accordion.

The couple received many lovely gifts for which the bride expressed her thanks. About 45 guests were present and quite a number sent gifts who were unable to attend.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses: Mrs. B. W. Yeary of Littlefield, Mrs. Jack Hicks, Mrs. S. E. Goucher, Mrs. Roy Hogan, Mrs. W. R. Bearden and Mrs. C. A. Adams.

CO-OPERATIVES HOLD ANNUAL MEETING IN AMARILLO, 18-19

Amarillo—Howard A. Cowden, president of Consumers Cooperative Association of Kansas City, Mo., will be the principal speaker at the annual meeting of Consumers Cooperatives Associated in Amarillo on April 17-18 when more than a thousand cooperative farmers representing seven states in the southwest will convene here.

Other speakers will include W. J. McAnelly, Houston, president of the Houston Bank for Cooperatives; Ralph Snyder, Wichita, Kansas, professor of Business Administration, University of Texas, Austin.

Representatives of farm cooperatives from Texas, Oklahoma, Colorado, New Mexico, Louisiana, Arkansas and Mississippi will be in attendance at the two-day convention, at which time they will hear the annual report of their regional cooperative organization.

A complete program, providing both informational and entertain-

A Ready Market For His Vares



A bright young Seattle ex-aviation cadet, Dale B. Lamb, after checking American birth statistics, opened a nursery furniture factory with the aid of a GI loan. Lamb, left, here operates the shaper on a popular product, the high chair. His father, Benjamin H. Lamb, center, and brother Berkeley, another ex-GI, are partners in the enterprise.

ment features will be presented. Following the evening session on April 17, and old fashioned square dance will be held, featuring members of the Gay Nineties Club of Amarillo, a square dance club.

Special reports concerning the petroleum activities, both in operation of a refinery and the recent acquired oil wells, will be a feature of this farmer cooperative meeting.

Leonard F. Cowden, executive vice president of the regional cooperative, will give the business report of the association, assisted by Walter L. Bradley, auditor, of Buffalo, New York.

CHARGES A. & M. MEN USE 'GESTAPO METHOD'

Austin—The legislative investigation of the widespread dissent at Texas A. and M. College Wednesday brought out charges that "Gestapo

methods" are employed by the administration, resulting in constant fear among the students and faculty regarding remarks they might make about the manner in which the school is operated.

These charges were leveled at an

early morning session of the joint House-Senate committee which has been appointed to study the controversy. They were made by Sam Williams of Marshall, secretary of the Veteran Students' Association which has demanded the dismissal of President Gibb Gilchrist.

Williams declared that college police "eavesdrop" wherever groups of students are gathered and cited instances where students were later quoted on what they had said about the administration in such private meetings.

"We're asking this committee to investigate the wisdom with which the administration operates the college and uses its appropriations," said Williams.

Senator George Moffett of Chillicothe, member of the investigating

FASHIONS



Attractive suit for a young wife is shown above as pictured in the April issue of Good Housekeeping magazine. It is a lightweight imported linen for summer or the South, side-fastened with gilt buttons. Available in natural, pale pink, green and powder blue.

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The questioning of the student-veteran by committee members centered around the operation of the exchange on the campus of Texas A. and M. College.

LUCIA SANCHEZ HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Lucia Sanchez, child of Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Sanchez, was badly injured Monday morning when she was struck accidentally by a car driven by George Dannhiem, of Progress community. The Sanchez family live at the Dean Courts here, and the accident occurred near there.

Some ribs were broken and the chest was crushed, it was re-

ported. The child was still in the hospital Thursday.

CROSS ROADS CAFE BURGLARIZED WEDNESDAY

Someone forced open the kitchen door of the Cross Roads Cafe here Wednesday night and took about \$40 and ten cartons of cigarettes, Sheriff J. C. Buchanan reported. The cafe had been closed Wednesday for repainting floors.

Watch out for stakes on farm-to-market roads.

Bring Your UPHOLSTERING to MISS OLA SEALS 3 Blocks East of Bank 14-4tp



From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

And That Ain't Hay - Or Is It?

I guess all of us secretly nanker from time to time, for the good old days and the good old-fashioned pleasures. Leastways, Buddy Richards done a thriving business revising the old-time hayride.

With a team of horses, and a stout straw-bedded rack, Buddy can take as many as thirty adults—at fifty cents a head!

Two or three times a week they start from Town Hall, and go out along the river; stop for a friendly glass of beer at Shoreline Tavern;

and come home by way of Pound Ridge . . . nine miles in all.

Not very exciting, you might say. But from where I sit it's not excitement that we need these days—but those simple country pleasures that are part and parcel of America—the old-fashioned hayride, with its song and jollity; the horseshoe games; the friendly glass of beer; and the good companionship that they engender.

Joe Marsh

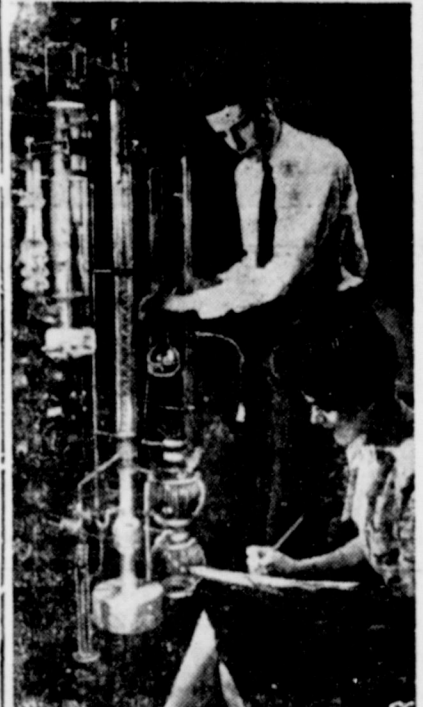
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DELICIOUS OVEN VEAL STEW



Here is an ideal main dish to feature in an oven meal. Generous chunks of tender veal are combined with vegetables in a tasty sauce, and they're all cooked together in a casserole. It's a "dressed-up" stew; and there's zesty flavor in every mouthful!

It's Still a Still



Powerful enough to "distill" solids and liquids never before vaporized is this molecular still, an atomic age descendant of the old liquor distillery. By creating an "effectively perfect" vacuum, the still evaporates materials into their molecular components. Developed by Gulf research to explore the true nature of petroleum, it can divide waxes, greases and oils into several hundred distinct parts for study, a degree of separation never before approached. Dr. John R. Bowman, who pioneered in the development, is shown giving operating data to an assistant.

Your Home

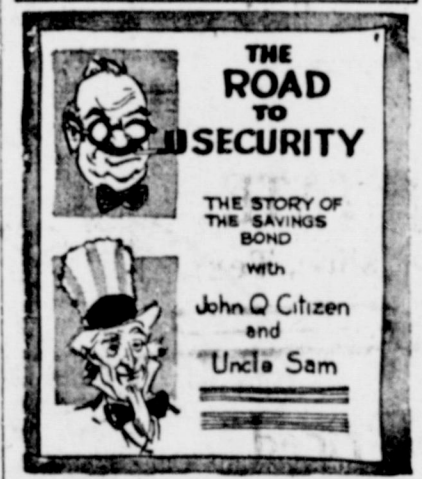


The other afternoon I dropped in to see one of my neighbors and she invited me to stay for a cup of tea. I was surprised to see her pouring bottled water into the kettle, and asked why she didn't use the tap water. For answer, she turned on the sink faucet and showed me the almost muddy—reddish brown water that came out. Well . . . I knew the explanation the minute I saw the water, for we had a similar experience a few years ago. My plumber explained to me that the pipes carrying the water were rusted—and of course, the rust discolored the water. We took the plumber's advice and replaced the rusted pipe with copper water tube in our home—and since then have had no trouble at all. You see copper water tube can be installed without tearing up floors and walls. Copper water tube, of course, is rust proof—and as our plumber explained it, when water is drawn through copper tube and from a brass faucet it's as clear and pure as when it left its source!

When I told all this to my neighbor, she immediately went to her phone and called her plumber. She said she hadn't realized that the plumbing could make such a difference, and when it comes to something so important to the whole family, one just can't afford to take chances. And after all—the right plumbing equipment is certainly much less expensive than special table water every day, isn't it?

I have other friends who when building their own homes insisted on having Red Brass pipe for all hot and cold water lines. Red Brass is rust either and resist-

Uncle Sam Says



How would you like to play the lead in "The Road to Security"? You don't have to be a movie star to win this role. In fact you can be the big hero right in your own home. The qualifications are simple but mighty: Buy U. S. Savings Bonds regularly. The contract is all in your favor. Every \$3 invested in Bonds will pay you \$4 in 10 years. Can't you see your name in lights? Yours and Uncle Sam's! What a team! "The Road to Security" is a sure fire hit from the moment you join the cast. Best of all, the cheers and applause for your performance come from the audience which counts most—your family.

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HOURS 2 to 6 P. M. on Week Days 9 to 6 on Saturday

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Fireside Coffee	1 lb. 40c
Pure Peach or Apricot Jam	Lge. Size
2 Lb. Size	55c
Hi Ho	29c
Heart of the Plains Green Beans	Plenty—Syrup Brer Rabbit
No. 2 Size	15c
Plenty	Karo Bud Penick
Vel, Oxydol, Drefit Super Suds	Sun Valley 303 size
Fancy Solid Pack 7 Oz. Size	Pork Beans 10c
Tuna Fish	45c
Black Pepper	15c

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Swift Oriole Sliced BACON	No. 1 Dry Salt BACON
1 Lb. 67c	1 Lb. 45c

Pork Sausage, Home Made 50c

Want Ads

WANTED - Will take orders for custom made Venetian blinds. Howard Cox Radio Shop. 45-1tc.

FOR SALE-Business lot \$2000. North of post office. Small down payment. Liberal terms. S. E. Goucher. 4-tfc

NS-J. E. McWhorter. Phone southwest Courthouse. 31tc.

WANTED TO BUY jobs for Fat Hogs and Feeder Pigs. CLOVIS HOG CO., Ph. 224

FOR SALE-COTTON SEED. Half and Half, D. P. & L. Hamill Wonder, and Hybrid. Ginned several bales at a time. No better seed found. Cleaned and treated. All 1944 seed. Phone 187J, R. O. Hamill, Levelland, Texas. 8-10tc.

FOR AUTO FINANCING and Real Estate Loans, see POOL INSURANCE AGENCY. 31-1tc

DAUGHTER BEATS MOTHER in relieving the discomfort of children's chills chest colds by using Darbam's Nu-Mo-Rub, the modern Guaiacol-Comphor ointment. Doctors agree that its 29% Guaiacol-Comphor formula is a decided improvement over Mother's old-fashioned Eucalyptus ointment. Try Nu-Mo-Rub for croupy coughs. Double the purchase price refunded if you do not find Nu-Mo-Rub more effective. In 35c and 60c jars at your Druggist or

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FOR RENT-Nice bedroom adjoining bath. Phone 196, Mrs. Rita Johnson. 12-tfc

FOR RENT-2 furnished rooms, call 108. 12-tfc

CHINESE ELM TREES For sale at Muleshoe Nursery 12-tfc

FOR SALE-360 acres of the best dry land farming land in Bailey county. Write R. B. Meacham, Turkey, Texas. 12-4tc

SEWING MACHINES REPAIRED Old Machines rebuilt into smooth-running Electric machines. All work guaranteed. 7 years experience. I Buy Used Machines J. D. OWEN Phone 23, office E. R. Hart Co. 14-4tp

FOR SALE-Chinese elms, 12 inches to 18 inches, 18 inches to 24 in., 2 ft. to 3 ft. Muleshoe Nursery. 11-tfc

FOR SALE - Used Westinghouse electric range, new burners. See Berry Electric. 14-2tp

FOR SALE - Cotton seed Vernon 140 first year, already cleaned and treated. A few stem proof cotton seed. B. Gollehon, Muleshoe, Phone 61-W. 14-tfc

For Sale ALFALFA SEED Wes-Tex Grain & Milling Co. Home of WES-TEX DAIRY & POULTRY FEEDS Plainview, Texas 14-4tc

FOR SALE-7 ft. new Superflex Refrigerator on butane now operating, come and see it work. Frank Mason, 9 miles north Muleshoe. 14-4tp

FOR RENT-Bedroom, private entrance, 3 blocks east of bank. Men. Miss Ola Seals. 14-2tp

FOR SALE-W. C. Allis Chalmers Tractor, lister, planter and cultivator for quick sale. It is in A-1 condition and looks like new. O. L. Thompson, 1104 1/2 Wallace, Clovis, New Mexico. 14-2tp

THE LANSING-2 way plow for Ford Tractors. Easy to hook up, a boy can operate. All steel, with or without cultivator. No back furrow, no dead furrows, keeps land level. In stock at CONSUMERS SUPPLY, Clovis, N. M. 14-4tc

FOR SALE - Boy's "Messenger" bicycle, \$17.00. See Mrs. Lillian Sellars at Court House. 14-2tp

FOR SALE - Good Jersey Milk cow. Otis Blaylock. 14-3tp

FOR RENT-Bedroom. Call 265-J. 14-2tp

FOR SALE-1940 LaSalle 4 door sedan. Completely reconditioned. New tires, new paint, radio and heater. Also 1940 Chevrolet 2 door, radio and heater, new tires, extra clean. Both priced to sell and terms if desired. Bob's Garage, Needmore, Texas. 12-tfc

FOR SALE-Philco car radio. A good one. See O. D. Troutman, 1 block east, 1-2 south of bank. 13-3tp

FOR SALE-6 room house where is or to be moved. Would like to have late model car in trade. Howard Griffin, Progress, Texas. 13-3tp

McGEE'S SPECIALS

160 A. well and wind mill, no impr. all in wheat, it's fine, \$65.00 per acre wheat and all. Near Lazbuddy. 160 A., 140 A. of wheat, wheat fine, rent goes, at \$45.00 A., near Friona.

80 A., all in wheat, level as a floor, red land, 1-3 of wheat goes, \$45.00 per acre.

210 A. the very best improvements, with poss. at once, one of the best farms I know of on the Plains, under irrigation, \$140.00 A., all convenience you have in town.

640 A. well improved, 2-3 of wheat goes, \$55.00 per acre, with poss., near Bell View, N. M. Wheat's fine.

160 A. well impr., quite a lot of wheat, under irrigation, priced to sell, with poss.

240 A., lots of wheat, rest good row crop land, lots of impr., can be irrigated, \$75.00 A.

Have several nice houses, residence lots, business lots, to sell worth the money. Also wheat land, ranches, most any kind of farm land. Come in, and give us your listings.

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preparation in the treatment of the above condition. Ask us about it.

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SEE MRS. H. A. DOUGLASS for your Hemstitching. 13-4tp

FOR SALE-1943 crop Sudan Seed Germ. 92, purity, 97. Re-cleaned. Sacked. \$8 per 100 pounds. L. A. Corbell, 5 miles north of Maple. 13-3tp

FOR SALE-Dahlia bulbs, colors, lavender and burnt orange. 25c each. O. D. Troutman, 1 block east, 1-2 south of bank. 13-3tp

FOR SALE-1 Planet Jr. 1 row hand operated drill seeder. Ideal for small acres, preferred by market gardeners. Also 2 and 4 row drill seeder for general purpose or garden tractors. CONSUMERS SUPPLY, Grand & Pile, Clovis, N. M. 14-2tc

FOR SALE-100 lb. used ice box. H. E. Thomas, across street from Cannery. 14-2tc

DAB Auto Paint
The new wonder paint for automobiles. Just wipe it on. Leaves factory-like paint job, guaranteed two years. \$5.95 paints car. Free literature. Dealers wanted in Panhandle. Wholesale distributors, Cover Co., 1911-N, Lubbock, Tex. 14-3tc

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All makes. We guarantee them to sew. Bring head to shop, on south Main St., across east from Cashway Gro. Free estimates. Prices reasonable. Will be here one week, so don't miss this opportunity to get your sewing machine repaired. Over 20 years experience with Singer Sewing Machine Co.

FOR SALE Studio Couch. See Mrs. R. L. Mathiesen at Fashion Shop. 15-1tc

FOR RENT-Public address system, for any occasion. Can be used any place. Cox Radio and Appliance. 15-tfc

FOR SALE-Used Radio, completely overhauled and guaranteed. Cox Radio and Appliance. 15-tfc

WANTED-Bad radios to repair. Cox Radio and Appliance. 15-tfc

LOST-V-8 truck rt. hand fender, on Muleshoe-Friona road. Reward. Notify J. J. Haun, Friona, Texas. 15-1tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE-2 lots and 2 room house in Muleshoe. Also 6 room house with bath to be moved. J. T. Atkinson, Rt. 1, Muleshoe, Texas. 15-6tp

WANTED-Sewing. Mrs. Robert Nickels, near Shady Rest. 15-1tp

FOR SALE-14 x 28 stucco house to be moved, built last May. Completely furnished. 3-4 H. P. pressure pump with galvanized pipe. 8 ft. windmill, steel tower. 1939 Chevrolet truck with 42 motor. 2 registered Duroc Jersey gilts, 1 Jersey cow, 1 Jersey-Guernsey calf. 4 miles on Clovis Hiway, 2 1/2 miles west of Muleshoe. LeRoy Holley. 15-1tp

FOR SALE-1935 Pontiac. A good, clean car. Bill Collins at Muleshoe Cafe. 15-1tc

FOR RENT-Unfurnished 2-room apartment or furnished rooms. Mrs. Carothers. 15-1tp

FOR SALE-3-burner coal oil cook stove, short burners. Across street from Court House. Mrs. Carothers. 15-1tp

LOST-Blue fender skirt for Lincoln Zephyr. Please notify Melvin Treider or leave at Blondie Ray's Service Station. 15-1tc

FOR SALE-Baptist church building at Bovina, size 28 x 57 1/2, 13 ft. ceiling, double walls with drop siding, three portions. This will be sold to the highest bidder. Bids will be open April 20. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. Write to T. W. Fuller, Bovina. 15-2tp

FOR SALE - Irrigation Ditcher, slightly used. 6 ft. blade, a good one. 2 mi. northwest of Lariat, Texas. Walter Kaltwasser. 15-2tp

FARM CASH INCOME IS ON UPGRADE IN TEXAS
Austin-In terms of dollars and cents income, Texas farmers have started 1947 off with a bang compared to intake in 1946. Farm cash income for February was 11 per cent above the level recorded in February a year ago, according to the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

Compared to January, however, farm cash income dropped 3 per cent to place February's seasonally-adjusted index at 241 compared to 217.3 registered in February 1946. (Base: average month, 1935-39 equals 100).

The lower Rio Grande Valley district is the only one recording a January - February dollar - value increase (5 per cent) in farm cash income. Decreases ranged up to 58 per cent drop reported by the Trans-Pecos district. Average decline, not adjusted for seasonal variation, was 16 per cent, which became a 3 per cent dip after allowing for the expected January to February slump.

Please watch out for stakes along farm to market roads.

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40 A. on pavement, close in, shallow water, good land, \$85.00.
80 A. Good red land, shallow water, close in, a good buy at \$85.00.
160 A. Good wheat land, all in wheat, improved, close to highway, and part of wheat goes at a bargain, \$42.50.
177 A. Good red land, improved, rented, \$55.00.
160 A. the Best, shallow water, improved, irrigated, \$130.00.
160 A. Good level land, all under irrigation, well improved, lots of alfalfa, shallow water, \$125.00.
640 A. One of the best wheat and all purpose farms around Muleshoe, well improved, 80 A. grass, a real bargain at \$50.00.

We have nearly any size or kind of farm you would want, and give possession.

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We sold \$38,000.00 worth of land for cash last week.

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REALTOR
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THANKS - - -

After many years serving the people of Muleshoe territory, we have sold our business, the Holt Oil Company, and will soon move away. We wish to extend to each of you our most sincere thanks for the patronage you have given us in the past, and for your cooperation and friendship. Because of you, we regret very much to leave.

We want to commend to you Mr. E. W. Evans, our successor, as Phillips jobber here. Mr. Evans will give you the best possible service at all times and we hope you will continue to give him the patronage and support you have given us.

Gale and Bits Holt

Holt Oil Co.

Announcement -

E. W. Evans Has Purchased the Holt Oil Co. Business and Is Now Jobber for

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In the Muleshoe Area

We want all the old customers of Holt Oil Co. to know that we are going to continue the good service you have always received from them. Our trucks will continue to make prompt deliveries of gasoline, kerosene, Diesel fuels, oils, etc., throughout the territory.

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Gene Autry Is Coming To Lubbock

Lubbock—The South Plains will have the opportunity of seeing Gene Autry and his horse Champ, Jr., appear with Everett Colburn's Rodeo at Lubbock, June 11-14, in the same RCA approved show presented each year in Madison Square Garden.

The rodeo is an annual event sponsored by the Lubbock American Business Club for the purpose of raising funds to finance the building and expansion program of the Lubbock Boys Club.

Autry's Lubbock appearance will be one of the seven he will make this year outside of California. The western screen and radio star will also make his regular weekly broadcast over the Columbia Broadcasting System from Lubbock following the rodeo.

Colburn, whose headquarters are at Dublin, Texas, is widely known

in rodeo circles as the producer of top-notch performances with the best hands in the business.

The Rodeo will probably be held in the present football stadium at Texas Technological College.

Veteran's News

Grand Prairie—Emmett W. Dean, Box 772, Muleshoe, was among veterans of World War II utilizing their veteran's preference to purchase War Assets Administration sale of construction, farm and mining machinery and attachments recently.

Journal Want Ads Pay

BAILEY COUNTY SINGING
The Bailey County Singing Convention will meet in Muleshoe at the High School Auditorium Sunday, April 13, for the first meeting the year.

Dinner will be spread at the noon hour so bring your well filled basket. Several out of the county singers have been invited.

Gifts FOR THE GRADUATE...

FOR THEIR DAY OF DAYS—A GIFT THEY'LL CHERISH

For the Boys
Wrist Watches
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For the Girls
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SUBSCRIPTION RATES

In Bailey County, One Year, \$2.00; Outside of County One Year, \$2.50

The Way Roast Is Put In Pan Is Important

What is the best type of pan to use for cooking a roast? Does it make any difference how the meat is placed in the pan?

These two questions trouble a good many new homemakers, according to Reba Stages, home economist. The answers are simple, and important from the standpoint of the final results.

Almost any type of pan may be

used for cooking a roast, so long as it is large enough. Some people prefer a rather shallow pan, if it is available. It does not have to have a cover—because the cover will not be used, anyway! A roast is always cooked uncovered.

The matter of how the meat is placed in the pan is of greater importance than the type of pan. First of all, a roast should be placed on a rack, not directly on the bottom of the pan. Secondly, the roast should be placed so that the fat side is up.

There are two reasons for using

a rack under the meat. One is to allow air to circulate around the meat while it is cooking, as this makes the roast cook more evenly. The other reason is to hold the meat out of the drippings, so that it will not cook in fat or liquid. The only exceptions to this rule are roasts such as loin of pork or standing rib of beef, the bones of which form a natural rack as the meat is laid in the pan.

The reason for placing the fat side of the roast up is equally obvious, once it is understood. As the roast cooks, the fat on the top melts and goes down over the meat and bastes it. In effect, the roast is basting itself. This saves the homemaker from having to baste the meat, as was formerly the custom.

Each year, cotton removes from Texas soils 16,487 tons of phosphorus.

Jim Johnson, student in Lubbock high school, spent the Easter holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson.

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PUBLIC SALE

As I have sold my farm I will Offer at Public Auction property described below at my place, 7 miles north, 3 east of Muleshoe; or 14 miles due east of Lariat,

Monday, April 14

SALE TO BEGIN AT 10:30 A. M.

Lazbuddy Community Club Ladies Will Serve Lunch - Free Coffee, Bring Cups.

LIVESTOCK

- 1—Jersey Cow, 8 yrs. old, 4 1-2 gal.
- 1—Jersey Cow, 5 yrs. old, 4 gal.
- Both these cows fresh in June
- 2—Bred Hampshire Gilts, 260 lbs.
- 1—Fat Hog, about 250 lbs.
- 2—Feeder Hogs, about 200 lbs.
- 1—doz. Buff Minorca hens.

FARM IMPLEMENTS

- 1—1944 Ford Tractor with the following Equipment: 1 Cultivator, 1 Lister and Planter, 1 Terracing Blade. This equipment is all in first class shape.
- 1—Set Knife Attachments.
- 2—pair 5 ft. Knives.
- 1—one-row John Deere Cotton Puller.
- 1—Case Feed Mill.
- 1—4 wheel Trailer with bundle and cotton frame, good tires.
- 1—2 wheel Trailer.
- 1—1 wheel Luggage Trailer.
- 1—Double unit Perfection Milking Machine, with all necessary fittings.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

- 1—Oak Bedroom suite. Pre-war, good as new, 4 poster bed, exceptionally nice. Suites of this quality are not obtainable today.
- 1—Twin Bedroom suite, blond finish, almost new.
- 1—Innerspring Mattresses and springs for twin beds.
- 3—Full size bed springs.

- 1—Innerspring mattress for full size bed. 1—Cotton Mattress.
- 1—Floor Lamp. 2—Rocking Chairs.
- 2—Platform Rockers. 1—Love Seat.
- 1—Smoking Stand. 2—Butane Heaters.
- 3—Natural Gas Heaters.
- 1—Table model Radio.
- 1—Stromberg-Carlson Radio - Phonograph combination and records.
- 1—Large plate glass mirror.
- 1—Card table. Several pictures.
- 1—Table top Butane cook stove, pre-war, good as new.
- 1—Breakfast set.
- 1—New National Pressure Cooker.
- Lots of dishes and cooking utensils.
- 1—9x12 Linoleum Rug.
- 1—Plywood Clothes Closet.
- Lots of canned fruit and vegetables.

MISCELLANEOUS

- 1—Lawn Mower, nearly new.
- 1—Maytag Washing Machine, extra good. —2 Wash Tubs.
- 1—Electric Fan. 1—Iron wash Pot.
- 1—Boy's Bicycle, 26 inch.
- 1—Gasoline Pump.
- 1—Maytag Gasoline Motor.
- 6—Sheets new corrugated iron, 10 ft.
- 1—Roll 6 ft. Poultry wire.
- About 10 spools barbed wire, good as new. —About 250 good cedar post.
- 10—7 ft. corner post.
- Several canvas irrigation gates, garden tools - grease guns - oil cans - serap iron, etc.

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Your Home
By Frances Alsworth



I've been very busy for the past few weeks, doing my Spring sewing. And this year, I've discovered an attachment called the *Stitch Master* that has certainly made my work look professional. It's attached right to my machine — and with it I can make invisible hems and smooth edges, not only for dresses, and clothes — but for new Spring house furnishings.

So far, I've made two new suits for my young daughter... which she tells me the girls call "dreamy" . . . a new dress for Babs and one for myself, as well as a host of things for my home. And my new miracle attachment has certainly been a help! On necklines, for instance, I've learned how to make a smooth, perfect edge . . . a skirt hem is no problem at all, anymore — I stitch them right on the machine and with the new *Stitch Master* the stitches are actually invisible!

It's certainly easy to sew with today's modern equipment, isn't it? My two sons were thrilled with the curtains I made for their bedroom. I found some regular sailcloth . . . dyed it navy blue — and appliqued bright ships and anchors on it. Then I made spreads to match for their bunk beds. Now the entire room has a nautical look and the boys are proud as punch! New draperies for the living room are next on my list. I've always been afraid to tackle them before — for the fear they'd look home-made. But with my new sewing machine attachment I have no fears at all — for every garment I've made with it, has really looked professional, and I'm making plans for dozens of new furnishings which I can make easily and quickly now!

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Just Phone 54
THE MULESHOE JOURNAL

TO MINERAL WELLS MEET
County Judge Cecil H. Tate and Commissioners L. T. McKillip, Tom Smith, Glen Williams and P. A. Altman plan to attend the spring meeting of the West Texas County Judges and Commissioners association to be held in Mineral Wells April 10, 11 and 12.

Their wives will accompany them and attend the meetings. A full program of activities has been worked out.

Germany Sale Is Monday, April 14

E. C. Germany, residing in the Lazbuddy community, has announced sale of his 160 acre irrigated and improved farm there to H. H. Briggs, who has been living in Baileyboro community.

Mr. Germany will stage a farm sale next Monday, April 14, of household goods, farm implements, cattle, hogs, chickens and numerous tools and miscellaneous items. They have been farming there since 1944.

The Lazbuddy Community Club ladies will serve lunch at the sale Monday and there will be free coffee. Col. W. D. Wanzor will conduct the sale, which will be clerked by Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Schusterr

SERVICE IS PLANNED FOR RAINBOW GIRLS

A special service will be held Sunday evening at the Methodist church here for members of the Muleshoe Assembly of Rainbow Girls. Each member is required to attend. They will go in a body.

Rev. T. G. Craft, pastor, will deliver a special message. The public is invited to attend.

Miss Helen Holt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Holt, and Miss Betty Craft, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. T. G. Craft spent the Easter holidays here with their parents. They are students at McMurry College, Abilene.

Please watch out for stakes along farm to market roads.



FIXING UP the HOME
By Diane Greeter

Simplify Kitchen Tasks

OF all household tasks, the one that consumes most of the homemaker's time in planning and execution, the one that is most important to the health and happiness of the family, is the preparation of meals.

This task, therefore, should be made as easy and pleasant to perform as possible, and no instrument can offer more efficient help in food processing than the modern automatic gas range.

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cities where natural or manufactured gas flows through pipelines. LP-Gas — popularly called "tank" or "bottled" gas — has made it possible for dwellers in "beyond-the-gas-main" areas to enjoy all the fuel conveniences the city housewife has long taken for granted. The speed, controllability, convenience, and long-term economy of gas as a household fuel have met no serious challenge in modern times. Ranges equipped with oven controls make perfect baking easy. Today's bride can, with little difficulty, perform culinary masterpieces that surpass even the memory of Grandmother's special!

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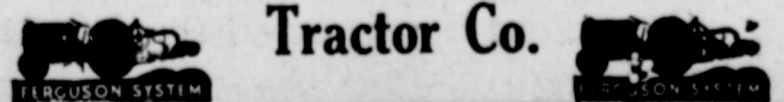
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Soil Conservation A Community Problem---

No farmer can most effectively conserve soil and water without the cooperation of his neighbors. Conservation is a community problem. It can be handled best through the organization of a soil conservation district. Soil conservation districts are local subdivisions of government set up by farmers themselves by petition and referendum. They are chartered by the state government. They are administered by boards of supervisors or directors chosen by ballot from farmers in the district.

Of the 48 states, 45 have enacted state legislation authorizing soil conservation districts. Congress has directed the Soil Conservation Service to work with farmers through properly organized districts. If there is no district in your county, plans for such organization may be obtained from your state soil conservation committee.

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* This information is furnished by the Blackwater Valley Soil Conservation District.

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Sugar Is Still Not Plentiful

As most homemakers know, a ration coupon for ten pounds of sugar was made good April 1, and with that coupon many of us may be thinking that days of plentiful sugar are here again. But Mrs. Laurette A. Williamson, County Home Demonstration Agent of Bailey County, says that it doesn't mean that we can stop being careful with sugar...and especially if we plan to do any canning this summer. No sugar stamps will be issued specifically for the purpose of canning. Last year, you remember, all of us got 25 pounds of sugar for household use. Three of the five coupons...good for five pounds each, were for table and cooking use, and two of the coupons were issued for home canning.

This year we're going to get more sugar...probably 30 or 35 pounds...but we're going to have to save from this amount if we do any canning.

The new stamp that became good

the first of April will have to last until July 1...so the rule is still "go easy on the sugar."

Jack Cox Visits M-M Home Office

Jack Cox of Muleshoe, spent several days the week of March 30 in Minneapolis, Minn., and Moline, Ill., visiting the home offices and the various plants of the Minneapolis-Moline Power Implement Company and conferring with officials of the company.

With over 100 other farm implement dealers from Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Kansas, he observed first hand the production methods of the huge Minneapolis plants of the company and discussed with company officials and engineers the production outlook for the coming year on farm machinery.

Following the Minneapolis conference, he spent the latter part of the week in Moline, Ill., observing work carried on there and discussing with officials the problems of meeting the unprecedented demand for modern farm machinery.

Hospital News

Yvonne Burrow, daughter of Earl Burrow of Tulla, spent a few days



SAVORY SHRIRRED EGGS

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Savory Shirred Eggs
6 eggs in
6 green peppers or
6 whole tomatoes or
6 individual baking dishes
3 tablespoons fortified margarine
Juice of 1 lemon
dash powdered thyme and basil
salt and pepper

Shirred eggs are whole eggs baked in some kind of a container—what will you choose? (I) green peppers? Cut off top, remove seeds to make a cup; parboil 3 minutes in boiling water. Drain. (II) whole tomatoes? Cut top off tomatoes, scoop out the center (not too generously). (III) individual ramekins? Then simply grease sides and bottom with a little of the margarine. Whatever container is used, salt and pepper inner surface, using garlic or onion salt for special tastiness. Slip an egg into each prepared cup. Season top with bits of margarine, lemon juice and herbs. Place on baking pan. If green pepper or ramekin is used, surround with hot water. Bake in moderate oven (350° F.) until eggs are set, 15 to 20 minutes. Serves 3-6.

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in the hospital this week. She has been discharged.

Mrs. Frank Meier was in for medical care. She has been discharged.

Mrs. C. L. Taylor of Goodland, underwent an appendectomy last week. She is convalescing nicely.

Mr. J. O. Ricketts underwent minor surgery. He has been discharged.

Mrs. Bill Henderson spent a few days in the hospital under medical care.

John Edward Sooter, son of John Sooter of Progress, underwent a tonsillectomy this week. He has been discharged.

Mrs. J. R. Wilson is in the hospital for medical care. She will be discharged soon.

Congratulations:
To Mr. and Mrs. Winston Burkhardt on the birth of a son, Carl Wesley, born April 3; weight 5 pounds, 6 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnson on the birth of a daughter, Lynda Beth, born April 3; weight 9 pounds, 8 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Buford Butts on the birth of a son, Charles Dennis, born April 4; weight 9 pounds, 5 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Precure on the birth of a daughter, Donna Lynn, born April 4; weight 5 pounds, 15 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Forest "Chief" Jones, on the birth of a daughter, Barbara Diane, born April 8, weight, 6 pounds, 9 ounces.

Wiener Roast, Egg Hunt At Lazbuddy

Mrs. Virgil Teague, Mrs. Frank Hinkson and the teachers entertained the children of the Lazbuddy Methodist Sunday School with a wiener roast at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hinkson Sunday. The afternoon was spent in playing games and hunting Easter eggs.

Those attending were: Jay Lynn, Shaw, Mary Jean and Jimmie Frank Carpenter, Leland Gustin, Jerry Gleason, Shirley and James Carpenter, Mina Margaret Jennings,

Ronnie and Nancy Julian, Darrell Jennings, Katherine and Beverly Smith, Ronnie Gustin, Roxi Ann Williams, Susie Carpenter, Durwood and Dewayne Teague, Carolyn and Barbara Hinkson, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Seaton, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Williams, Mrs. N. McCurdy, Miss Grace Paul and the hostesses.

JUDGE ADAMS A VISITOR

Judge J. E. Adams of Lubbock, was here last week attending to business matters and shaking hands with old friends. Until recently he

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has been operating a drug store in Lubbock. Mr. Adams was county judge of Bailey County from 1929 to 1937.

Billy Beavers has returned to his

studies in the University of Texas at Austin after visiting here over Easter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Beavers.

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COUNTY TREASURER'S FINANCIAL REPORT, MARCH 31, 1947

Report of Helen Jones, County Treasurer of Bailey County, Texas, of Receipts and Expenditures from January 1, to March 31, 1947, inclusive.

GENERAL FUND—1st Class	
Balance last report	23,607.61
To Amount received since last report	8,319.37
By amount paid out since last report, Ex. "A"	6,099.58
Amount to balance	25,827.40
Balance	31,926.96

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND	
Balance last report	14,843.23
To Amount received since last report	7,397.79
By amount paid out since last report, Ex. "B"	18,134.29
Amount to balance	4,106.73
Balance	22,241.02

JURY FUND	
Balance last report	4,583.03
To Amount received since last report	313.76
By amount paid out since last report, Ex. "C"	122.00
Amount to balance	4,774.79
Balance	4,896.79

ROAD AND BRIDGE PRECINCT NO. 1 FUND	
Balance last report	1,535.87
To Amount received since last report	1,024.00
By amount paid out since last report, Ex. "D"	1,948.67
Amount to balance	611.20
Balance	2,559.87

ROAD AND BRIDGE PRECINCT NO. 2 FUND	
Balance last report	8,877.11
To Amount received since last report	1,053.00
By amount paid out since last report, Ex. "E"	846.84
Amount to balance	9,083.27
Balance	9,930.11

ROAD AND BRIDGE PRECINCT NO. 3 FUND	
Balance last report	921.62
To Amount received since last report	2,046.00
By amount paid out since last report, Ex. "F"	1,810.57
Amount to balance	1,157.05
Balance	2,967.62

ROAD AND BRIDGE PRECINCT NO. 4 FUND	
Balance last report	542.27
To Amount received since last report	3,020.00
By amount paid out since last report, Ex. "G"	2,727.12
Amount to balance	835.15
Balance	3,562.27

COURT HOUSE AND JAIL FUND	
Balance last report	373.40
To Amount received since last report	162.77
By amount paid out since last report, Ex. "H"	298.90
Amount to balance	242.57
Balance	536.17

ROAD DISTRICT NO. 1-A	
Balance last report	625,000.00
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex.	8,255.26
Amount to Balance	616,744.74
Balance	625,000.00

GENERAL "SINKING" FUND	
Balance last report	3,244.39
To Amount received since last report	473.51
By amount paid out since last report, Ex. "I"	1,247.50
Amount to balance	2,470.40
Balance	3,717.90

ROAD AND BRIDGE "SINKING" FUND	
Balance last report	4,770.60
To Amount received since last report	2,048.67
By amount paid out since last report, Ex.	6,819.27
Amount to balance	6,819.27
Balance	6,819.27

IMPROVEMENT "SINKING" FUND	
Balance last report	3,444.78
To Amount received since last report	621.46
By amount paid out since last report, Ex. "K"	247.50
Amount to balance	3,818.74
Balance	4,066.24

COURT HOUSE AND JAIL "SINKING" FUND	
Balance last report	5,890.40
To Amount received since last report	1,242.94
By amount paid out since last report, Ex. "L"	2,780.00
Amount to balance	4,373.34
Balance	7,133.34

ROAD DISTRICT NO. 1 "SINKING" FUND	
Balance last report	165.47
To amount received since last report	10.00
Amount to Balance	175.47
Balance	175.47

ROAD DISTRICT NO. 1-A "SINKING" FUND	
Balance last report	23,490.89
To Amount received since last report	9,546.64
By amount paid out since last report	23,327.60
Amount to balance	9,713.60
Balance	33,040.53

RECAPITULATION	
Jury Fund Balance	4,774.79
Road and Bridge Fund Balance	4,106.73
General County Fund Balance	25,227.40
Precinct No. 1 Fund Balance	811.20
Precinct No. 2 Fund Balance	9,083.27
Precinct No. 3 Fund Balance	1,157.05
Precinct No. 4 Fund Balance	835.15
Court House and Jail Fund Balance	242.57
Road District No. 1-A Sinking Fund Balance	625,744.74
General Road Fund Balance	458.56

General Sinking Fund Balance	2,470.40
Road and Bridge Sinking Fund Balance	6,819.27
Improvement Sinking Fund Balance	3,818.74
Court House and Jail Sinking Fund Balance	4,373.34
Road District No. 1 Sinking Fund Balance	175.47
Road District No. 1-A Sinking Fund Balance	9,713.03

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Bailey, Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Helen Jones, County Treasurer of Bailey County, who being by me duly sworn, upon oath says that the within and foregoing report is true and correct.

HELEN JONES, County Treasurer.

Sworn to and subscribed before, this the 5th day of April, 1947.

M. G. Bass, Clerk, County Court, Bailey County Texas.

(SEAL)

Nebraska Family Is To Move Here

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Grandy and children of Blair, Nebraska, have been here several days, taking advantage of a few days vacation at Easter time to visit their farm near Muleshoe and begin preparations for moving here permanently.

They have decided to move to their farm, located about four miles northwest of Muleshoe, about June 1. Mr. Grandy has been superintendent of school at Blair for a number of years, and said while here that he has definitely decided to retire from the profession and become a farmer.

The land, more than 400 acres, has been in the family since the twenties. Mr. Grandy said he used to stay at the hotel operated by the elder Guptons in those days. Very little else was here when he first began to come to Muleshoe, he remembered.

The family will live in Muleshoe until they can build a house on the land. Their daughter, Barbara, will enter Muleshoe high school next fall as a sophomore, and their son, Marvin, now attending college in Blair, will transfer to Texas Tech, Lubbock. Mr. Grandy is a member of the Lions club at Blair, and said he would like to continue his affiliation with this organization. Mrs. Grandy, a native of Omaha, said she is eager to move to the Plains.

sheep business. She voted against selling the wool clip, and Smith hasn't sold a pound of wool since. They ship it to the wool manufacturer and have fancy blankets made, which are very handy things to have when winter comes to Slaton, Texas. Now the Smiths have blankets all over the place; so have all their married children; and Mrs. Smith has one of her bigger problems solved—Christmas presents for friends and relatives.

Jason Gordon, who told this story, didn't say whether he recommended a flock of sheep for home-grown blankets, but he did say that the Smiths get a lot of fun out of their sheep business. Keeps the weeds down on the farm, too.

—Farm Notes—

HOME-GROWN BLANKETS
College Station—Judge C. Smith of Slaton was "forced" into the sheep business, made the best of it, and started something.

Jason O. Gordon, who was Lubbock County agricultural agent when all this began, says Smith became interested in sheep several years ago and started feeding out lambs. He did all right for a while, and then along came a dry year and a feed shortage and Smith decided he better get out of the sheep business. So he sold his sheep.

That is, he sold all but five old ewes which the buyer wouldn't take, because he said "they would be dead before they reached the market."

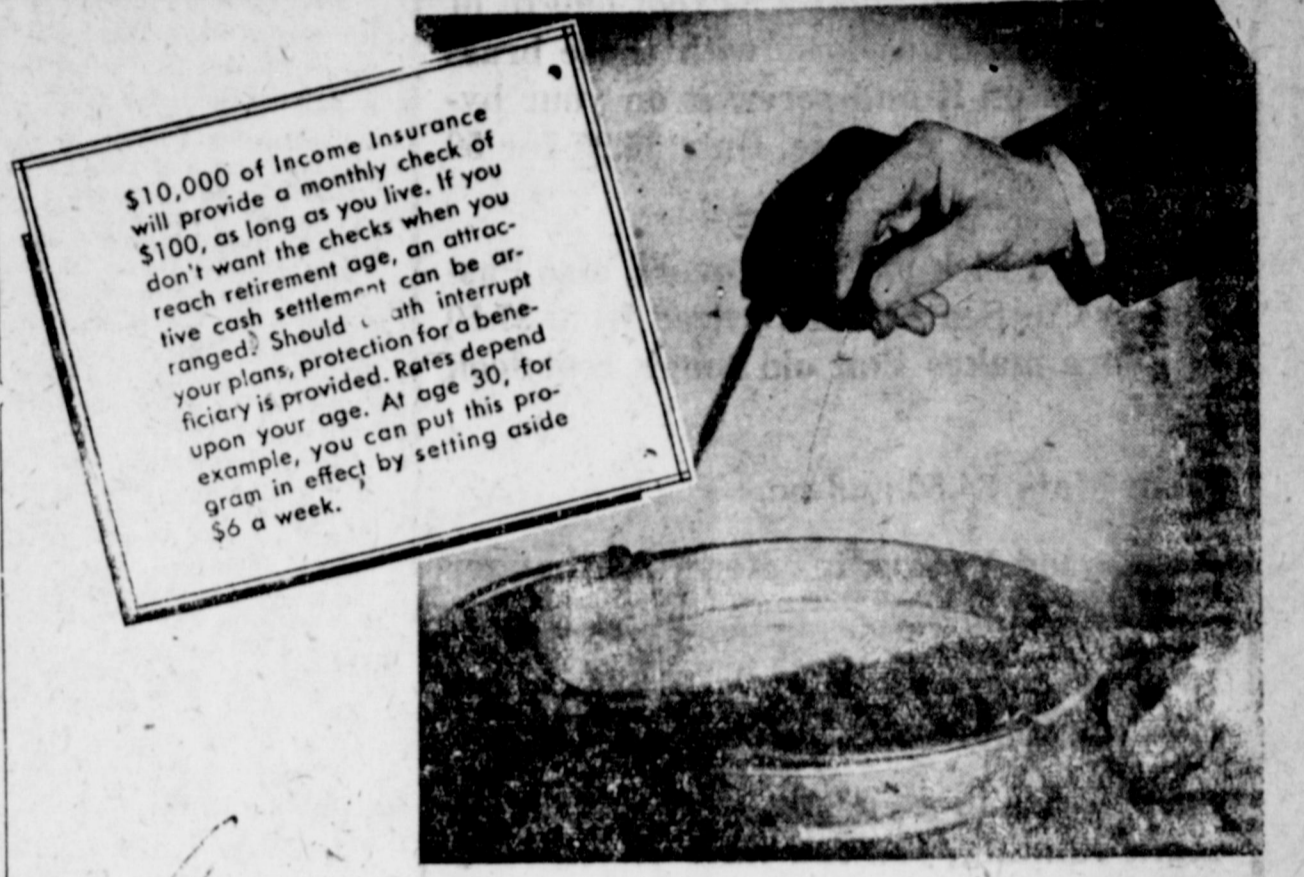
After figuring awhile, Smith couldn't see but one thing to do. He turned around, bought a ram from the same buyer, took his six head of sheep home and got back in the sheep business.

Things came along nicely and Smith built his flock back up to 30 ewes. Then Mrs. Smith decided she wanted to be a partner in the

BURLAP STRIPS FOR PLANTS
Lubbock—Strips of burlap sacks about four inches wide may be placed over beds where carrots and onions have been planted to keep top soil slightly moist and prevent its forming a hard crust after irrigation and to encourage plants to

grow well, according to George Elle, assistant professor of plant industry at Texas Technological college.

The strips should be anchored on the sides with soil, but should remain uncovered on top to allow air and water to pass inside. If sacks are unavailable, boards four to six inches wide may be used, although they must be moved every two or three days for irrigation and are rather inconvenient, Elle pointed out.



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Jim is retired now. He quit work at 65. And now he's "living the life of Riley," playing a bit of golf now and then, hunting, fishing—doing the things he always wanted to do, and never found enough time to do before. His Southwestern Life policy made that possible.

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Spot Lights to go on those combines, for night running, you can turn it on any part of your machine.

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Owing to the telephone strike, we were unable to get delivery on any CAR LOADS this week, but you just watch this space for future shipments, Yours.

BEAVERS MOTOR SUPPLY

Typographical Errors Cause Of Nation's Greatest Guffaws

The nation roared when Mrs. Roosevelt's syndicated column carried the line:

"After supper with the men, we went back to dress."
Ever since the invention of the printing press, typographical errors and printed statements susceptible of different interpretations have been the cause of universal merriment, to say nothing of a great amount of personal distress.

A compendium of ludicrous typographic errors and embarrassing printed statements is contained in an article by Morton Sontheimer in the April issue of Good Housekeeping magazine. A few of the more glaring ones, culled from the press of the country, follow:

"Only one of the old bloc will be missing—pretty Winifred Stanley of Buffalo. Her seat disappeared in the New York re-districting."

"The members of St. John Baptist Church met with the pastor in bed . . . and had a lovely meeting; reports were good; amount \$37.80."

"Sheer stockings designed for dressy wear. But so serviceable that lots of women wear nothing else."

"Attractive room — Everything furnished. Venetian blonds."
"Dewdrops on freshly blown roses."

"She had tight" bridesmaids at the ceremony."

"Glen Collins was bent man."

"No date has been set for the bedding of the couple."

"Congress probes high cost of loving."

"The picture was posed by his two-headed son."

"The rain descends with the force of water from a fire horse."

"And them asses (the masses) believed him."

"Then there was the literal minded printer who received an order over the telephone ordering a ribbon for a funeral wreath."

"I want it to read 'Rest in Peace' on both sides," the customer directed.

"And that's just what he got. When the ribbon was delivered it read:

"Rest in peace on both sides."

SUNSHINE CLUB

The Sunshine Club met April 3 in the home of Mrs. J. O. Crawford. This was an all day affair. Each lady brought a covered dish. The morning was spent in quilting a quilt for Boys' Ranch.

In the afternoon the house was called to order by the President Mrs. George Chambliss. Roll was called and minutes read by Mrs. H. C. Odom. A business session was held.

Those attending were Mesdames John Ladd, Chambliss, L. E. Ware, H. C. Odom, J. O. Crawford, Merle Barnhouse, H. D. Crawford, L. D. Tipton and one visitor, Mrs. Sybert. Next meeting of the club will be

April 17 in the home of Mrs. H. D. Crawford.

GIRL SCOUTING

THE GIRL SCOUT PROMISE

On my honor I will try:
To do my duty to God and my County.

To help other people at all times,
To obey the Girl Scout Laws.

THE GIRL SCOUT LAWS

I. A Girl Scout's honor is to be trusted.

II. A Girl Scout is loyal.

III. A Girl Scout's duty is to be useful and help others.

IV. A Girl Scout is a friend to all and a sister to every other Girl Scout.

V. A Girl Scout is courteous.

VI. A Girl Scout is a friend to animals.

VII. A Girl Scout obeys orders.

VIII. A Girl Scout is cheerful.

IX. A Girl Scout is thrifty.

X. A Girl Scout is clear in thought, word and deed.

If more girls come in we must have more leaders.

Any person who would enjoy this

Mostly Static --

By Berry

Howdy Folks: We talked with a man who had been in business for twenty-five years. He said he started out with the idea that the world had an opening for him and he's finally found the opening. He's in the hole.

We heard about another man who bought a business with the good will, but he only got the business.

We've often thought we'd like to be a pawn broker. A man could really take a lot of interest in that business.

On the other hand, an oculist is a man who has an eye for business.

A business man is judged by the company he keeps—solvent.

Of course we all know the shakiest business is shooting craps.

And the safest business when you buy a Vacuum Cleaner is to get our Filter Queen. The world's finest vacuum cleaner, no dirty bag to empty, motor requires no oiling. Now in stock. Try it.

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kind of work and can spare the time for it please meet with the Girls on Thursdays from 4 to 5 P. M. at the Grade School building.—Committee.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Gross, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Gross and Mr. and Mrs. George Gross left today for a trip to Nebraska. They will visit relatives and old friends in Grand Island, Loop City and Lincoln. Among others they will visit the father of Mrs. J. J. Gross, whom she has not seen in 16 years.

Miss Geraldine Taylor, student at Texas Tech, visited here at Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lud Taylor.

Billy Wayne Lumsden of Wichita Falls is in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Lumsden recovering from a motorcycle accident.

★ Fashions ★



Backlog for a trossseau is the Palm Beach cloth (rayon and wool) suit shown above as pictured in the April issue of Good Housekeeping magazine. Available in navy, black, gray, with "pearl" buttons.

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This season, fashion favors clear, true red lipsticks. Richard Hudnut has them . . . each one a color climax in perfect harmony with the exciting surprise of the vivid red, yellow, orange costume colors you'll be wearing for Spring!

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It's time to measure what you get for what you pay. No matter what you buy, the measure of true worth is in performance . . . how long it will serve you.

In tires there are several yardsticks . . . mileage, protection against bruising and road shocks, resistance to skidding. In all of these, the B.F. Goodrich Silvertown gives you extra value.

Its wider, flatter tread which covers more road area, spreads the wear more evenly. The more tire in contact with the road also means more tread to grip . . . to prevent skidding. Be-

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		Jam
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		Armour's
		Treet
		Beef
		Liver
		Brick
		Chili
		All Meat
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Sausage	45c
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