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Swing Of Southwest Farm Markets

(USDA)—Many southwest farm products set lower trends last week, but grains and cotton continued to climb, the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration reports.

Despite current grain saving efforts, corn and milo advanced 13 to 26 cents and wheat and barley followed with gains of 5 to 6 cents. Large world requirements remained the principal strengthening factor.

Rice markets strengthened materially during the week, as demand increased and the government purchase program was announced. Alfalfa advanced about \$1 per ton. Lower grades of hay moved slowly. Favorable weather spurred peanut digging, but most sales went at government support prices. Buying of fall clip wool for private interests continued in Texas. Mohair remained generally slow.

Cotton harvesting made good progress but car shortage hampered movement to market. Spot sales scored a record volume for the season, although some farmers still held for higher prices. Prices advanced around \$3 for the week.

Poultry showed considerable weakness off and on during the week, but most markets steadied somewhat toward the close. Eggs held mostly unchanged. Dallas and Fort Worth bought select candled eggs at around 55 cents per dozen. New Orleans paid 63 cents for fresh grade A large eggs, and Denver gave 55 to 60 for large white. Heavy hens turned generally at 24 to 28 cents per pound, and fryers 32 to 37.

Cauliflower season drew toward a close in Colorado's San Luis Valley, after an early-week drop in prices. Potatoes held about steady, but Arkansas Valley onions sold a little lower on light haulings. Fort Worth paid about steady to firm prices for principal supplies. Extended mild weather provided Kansas City and St. Louis with abundant local products, and many shipped in items to need lower.

Hog markets closed steady for the week, while other southwest terminals suffered losses up to 50 cents more. Top hogs sold late in the week at \$28.50 at San Antonio, \$29 at Fort Worth, \$28.85 at Wichita, \$29.50 at Denver, and \$29.25 at Oklahoma City. Sows ranged mostly from \$25 to \$27.50 and pigs \$20 to \$26.

Most cattle lost 25 cents to \$1 compared with a week earlier. One exception was Houston, where common to medium cows sold steady at \$12 to \$14.50. Another was San Antonio, where cutter and common cows brought \$11 to \$14. Cutter and common cows turned at \$11.25 to \$13.50 at Fort Worth, and \$10.50 to \$13 at Oklahoma City. Wichita took common and medium grades at \$13 to \$15.

Most lamb prices weakened by 50 cents to \$1.50, and ewes 25 to 50 cents per hundred pounds for the week. However, lambs sold 50 to 75 cents higher at Denver, where choice range Colorados closed at the week's top of \$23.50. Late top at Oklahoma City was \$19.50, while Wichita bought good and choice truck-ins at \$19.50 to \$20.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rice and Inez spent last week end at Brownwood, Texas with relatives.

Mrs. Nonnie Lauderdale had business in Rotan, Texas last Friday.

Mrs. Monroe Davis and son and Mrs. Billy Charles Dibrell and son had business in Spur, Texas last Thursday.

Duck Creek Soil Conservation District News Notes

John (Skeeter) Lewis was elected to serve as supervisor for the unexpired term of Tom Murdoch at an election held at Jayton, October 14. Oscar McGinty, supervisor from Zone 4, assisted in holding the election and commented on the increasing amount of publicity given soil conservation in the last few years. "At the time I was first elected to serve as a supervisor for the Duck Creek Soil Conservation District in 1940, there was little to be seen about soil conservation in any publication. Now, however, you can hardly read a paper or magazine without seeing some article about soil conservation. Large and small business concerns, banks, railroads, newspapers and manufacturers are aware of the fact that their success as business concerns is dependent upon the conservation of our soil, and many are sponsoring soil conservation movements through one means or another. The Second National Bank of Houston is sponsoring Louis Bromfield, noted writer and soil conservationist, in a series of talks. Bromfield will be in Lubbock the 13th of November, and I would like to encourage as many of you as can to go hear him."

"To bring the point closer to home," McGinty continued, "I would point out the fact that our personal health is dependent upon soil conservation. If our soils become deficient in any one of the minerals, the animals that eat the plants will be lacking in that mineral and the people who consume the beef will fail to get that particular mineral. There are sections of the country that are deficient in a mineral the lack of which is responsible for goiter."

Lewis, in accepting the job as supervisor, said, "I realize the importance of soil conservation, and I promise to fulfill the duties of supervisor to the best of my ability."

Elmer Shugart, cooper of the Duck Creek Soil Conservation District, whose farm in the East Duck Creek conservation group is subject to overflow water, has reversed the usual procedure and cut his terraces system in numerous places so the outside water can go on through his farm in the quickest way possible. "Of course," Shugart added, "I will repair the terraces after I get the crop off, but right now I have about 40 bales of cotton open and a big rain would do me more harm than good."

Horace Wood dusted in 14 acres of alfalfa the first part of the week. Wood explained, "I know it is very late to seed alfalfa but if I can get a rain on it in a few days and if we have a late freeze I can get by with it."

Dee McArthur seeded 15 acres of alfalfa about the first of September and has not had enough moisture to bring it up. McArthur intends to over-seed the alfalfa with wheat in a few days if it doesn't rain. "I will have a late wheat crop anyway, and if it does rain enough the alfalfa will do alright with the wheat as a nurse crop."

MOBILE OPERATING ROOM FOR DISASTER RELIEF WORK

New Orleans. — A mobile operating room, mounted in an automobile trailer and equipped with facilities comparable to those of large hospitals, will be stationed by the Navy at the Naval Hospital in Houston, Texas, for disaster relief work. Eighth Naval District headquarters here announced today.

Pointing out that Houston is centrally located in possible hurricane territory, the Navy said that the Texas City disaster and Gulf Coast hurricane demonstrated the desirability of providing a mobile type surgical unit to augment emergency supplies in the district.

The other 10 continental Naval districts are receiving similar units. They contain the "most modern anesthetic apparatus, oxygen tanks, surgical instruments and apparatus, blood, plasma, antibiotics and other facilities," the Navy said. The normal complement of each unit will be two doctors, a Navy nurse, one anesthetist and two Navy hospital corpsmen.

A separate generator mounted on a trailer supplies electricity for surgery, lights, hot water, air conditioning and for operating instrument and dressing sterilizers.

Harve and Mary Robinson went to Post, Texas last Sunday to see Bill Barnett who is ill.

Mrs. Altha Patton visited relatives and friends in Rotan, Texas last Sunday and Monday.

SKYSTREAKS TO RECORD



The Navy captured the world's speed record in August, 1947, and five days later, broke it with the jet-propelled "Skystreak," shown above. Piloted by Comdr. Turner E. Caldwell, Jr., USN, the plane flew 640.7 miles per hour in the first test at Muroc Field, Calif. Within a week Maj. Marion Carl, USMC, set a new mark of 650.6 miles per hour in the same plane. (Official U. S. Navy Photograph)

Women's Society Of Christian Service Program October 27th

Week of Prayer, of the Women's Society of Christian Service, will meet at the Methodist Church on October 27th at 10 o'clock a. m.

Every lady of the church is urged to attend. A covered dish lunch will be served at noon.

Theme: "World Service".
Leader, Mrs. Glenn Hancock.
Hymn, To be selected.
Call to Worship, 100 Psalm, by leader.

Prayer, Mrs. M. D. Fuller.
What the Week of Prayer and Self Denial Should Mean to You, Mrs. Bob Duncan.

A Deaconess from Uruguay Speaks of the Week of Prayer, Mrs. Clint Edwards.

The World that Scarritt College Serves, Mrs. W. J. Garrett.
Hwa Nan College, Achievement and Responsibility, Mrs. Grady Jones.

Song.
Lunch.
Hymn, To be selected.
Devotional, Mrs. Ramsey.

National College For Christian Workers, Mrs. C. J. Robinson.
Methodist Institute, A Brazilian Diamond Mine, Mrs. M. V. Jay.

Offering.
Chapter in Regular Study, Mrs. C. J. Robinson.
Time, Monday, October 27th from 10 o'clock a. m. until 3 o'clock p. m.

Instead Of Meat, What?

College Station. — Homemakers are as anxious as anyone else to help out the government's food conservation program, but when it comes right down to planning menus for meatless days, the questions that are hard to answer are "What will take the place of meat? Will the family like it?"

Louise Mason, food preparation specialist of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, says that meatless Tuesdays may develop into more of a problem in the home than poultryless Thursdays, because most families plan two and sometimes three meals a day around meat. Take the meat away and the gap that is left in the menu is mighty hard to fill.

Wholesome menus for meatless days are not impossible, however, and to prove her point, Miss Mason has several suggestions. Irish potato pancakes can be substituted at the breakfast table for the usual main dish. . . they are delicious with either honey or syrup, and take the place of toast, flour pancakes, or bacon - or ham-and-eggs. For the noon-day meal, there's macaroni ring with creamed salmon. The 8-oz. can of salmon will serve six, which is an important thing to remember in these days of high prices. For supper, few people can resist the sight of a fluffy, piping hot cheese omelet.

The addition of fruit, fresh and cooked vegetables to each of these main dishes will provide appetizing as well as nutritious meals.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. King, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Jack King and Mrs. Bertie May Sartain attended the funeral of Mr. Gus Neitsch, brother-in-law of T. L. King at Wichita Falls, Texas last Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Fulcher visited at Wortham, Texas last week with her son Truett Fulcher and family.

Health Notes From Austin

Austin. — The State Department of Health has issued a warning in regard to scarlet fever, since the number of cases usually increases during the fall months. The majority of deaths from this disease occur during the months from October through February.

Scarlet fever is a very contagious and serious disease. Grown people may contract it, but children under 15 years are especially apt to have it, if exposed. It is especially dangerous for children under 5 years, and Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, warns mothers to "not let your children take any chances with scarlet fever. Call the doctor as soon as any suspicious symptoms appear."

Dr. Cox said that the first signs you may notice are that the child seems tired, restless and out of sorts. Usually, there is a sore throat, chills, vomiting, or in some cases convulsions and fever. The skin is dry and hot, the tongue is furred, and, under this furry covering, it is red and swollen. In ordinary cases, these early signs are followed in a day or two by a rash. Little flat red points, close together, appear first on the neck and chest and soon the rash, very red in color, spreads over most of the body.

The doctor is required by law to report the case to the local health officer. It is important that the family follow carefully the quarantine instructions which the health officer issues, since a severe or fatal case of scarlet fever may develop from contact with someone who has only a light attack. Children who have had scarlet fever, or who have been exposed, must not return to school until permission is given by the health officer and physician.

Storm Proof Cotton Rated The Best

Lubbock. — Superiority of Storm Proof Cotton varieties were graphically demonstrated on the Texas Technological College farm during a recent severe thunderstorm, according to Dr. A. W. Young, head of the college plant industry department.

Hard driving rain over a brief period caused heavy damage to open cotton of the ordinary varieties, but bolls grown from improved storm proof seed, developed recently by the agricultural experiment station at Lubbock, showed virtually no damage, Dr. Young stated.

Principal advantage of planting storm proof cotton is that farmers will be able to wait until all bolls in the field are open and then harvest with machines, thus saving themselves money as well as labor problems, he said.

The Lubbock station distributed small amounts of the new improved seed last year for production of seed blocks. Dr. Young said, and interested parties can find out where to obtain seed of these varieties by contacting the experiment station.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Fulcher have moved to Lamesa, Texas. J. D. can be heard announcing on Station KTET Lamesa.

Mrs. M. D. Fuller and Billy Charles Dibrell left Tuesday for Salina, Kansas and Mrs. Kenneth Todd and son will return home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Branch and Jeanie spent last week end at Carlsbad, New Mexico with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Matthews and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brantner and Becky.

High School Rodeo At Clairemont Thursday, October 30

Something new and quite unique in the way of entertainment will be offered to the public of this vicinity when Jayton High School holds its annual Halloween Carnival. The Parent Teachers Association are sponsoring the annual Carnival and with the assistance of Hugh Davis and a large staff of experienced assistants, a high school rodeo with teams from various high schools in this sector competing in the Rodeo events for high school students only.

Teams will compete in calf roping, steer riding and ribbon roping for the boys and a barrel race for the girls. All schools in this area are invited to this rodeo and especially asked to enter a team of contestants in at least one of the events. The prizes are something to look at and can be seen in a display window in one of the stores in Jayton. A grand award will be presented to the school making the highest number of points and special prizes awarded the winners of the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners in the events.

The following are the Rodeo officials and Carnival personnel:

Rodeo: Hugh Davis, General Director; Robert Koonce, Arena Director; W. D. Vencil, Announcer; Don Cox, Bibby Wallace, and Murray Rodgers, Judges; Time Keepers, P. D. Allen, Glenn Hancock, Merwyn Jones.

Carnival: Food Booth, Mrs. W. D. Vencil, Mrs. H. D. Black, Mrs. Fred Jones, Mrs. Travis Smith, Mrs. Bob Moore, Mrs. J. D. Harris, Mrs. Faye Davis and Mrs. L. E. Browning. Bingo, Mrs. Jimmie Johnston Jr., P. D. Allen, and Med Wade. Cake Walk, Mrs. G. W. Branch and W. D. Vencil.

Fish Pond, Mrs. Robert Harrison and Mrs. Floyd Hall.

Country Store, Mrs. Carl Vickers, Mrs. Bill Harrison, Mrs. W. D. Cave and Mrs. Elbert Walker.

House of Horrors, Mrs. C. R. Kelley and Sophomore boys. Cold Drinks, Junior Class. Pop Corn, Junior Class. Fortune Teller, "Madam X"

An Entry Parade will be first in the program with representatives and escorts from visiting schools.

The Jayton Rhythm Band will be featured and the Jayton High and Grade School representatives will be given special recognition.

Peacock, Clairemont, and Girard Schools will also have entries in each event.

We'll see you at the Rodeo. Let's all back our school and show the visiting schools a grand time.

The school buses will go from the school house, anyone not having a way to go may ride on of the buses. They will leave at 6:30 p. m.

JR. CAMP FIRE GIRLS NEWS

The Jr. Camp Fire Girls met Saturday, October 7th. We gave Helen McAteer a going away party in which we went skating. After skating, we went back to Mrs. Branch's house and saw a picture show. Then we were served refreshments of cookies and punch.

Those present at the party were: Jeanie Branch, Jody Black, Pat Kelley, Dorothy Long, Shirley Parker, Imogene York, Shirley Goodall, Jane Jones, Ann Fuller, Donna Sue Thomas, Patricia Fowler and we were happy to have Bobbie Florence as a new member.

After the party we had a business meeting and elected the following officers: President, Dorothy Long; Vice President, Jane Jones; Sec., Patricia Fowler; Treas., Jeanie Branch; Scribe, Pat Kelley; Game Committee, Jeanie Branch, Jane Jones, and Jody Black; Refreshments, Donna Thomas; Song Leader, Patricia Fowler.

All girls between 10 and 12, we will be happy to have you.

AND WE ATE WATERMELON

H. W. Davis, of Clairemont, Texas, commonly known in these parts as just plain Hugh, Ex-County Commissioner, Ex-County Judge, but now engaged in various enterprises such as cattleman, farmer, rodeo promoter and producer and the local champion watermelon grower of this area has our thanks for a couple of the finest watermelons we have ever had the pleasure of 'lappin' our lip' over in a number of years. Just to be truthful we ate so fast and hard the seeds poured out our ears because we didn't take time to get rid of them by "Spittin' 'em out." Thanks again Hugh.

Mr. and Mrs. George Branch visited her mother Mrs. J. W. Patton at Rotan, Texas Monday.

News From The County Agents' Office

Plans are being completed for the judging of gilts in the Sears-Roebuck pig program at 2:30 Saturday afternoon, October 25th in Jayton, Texas. Judge will be Mr. Charles Taylor, Dickens County Agent. Eight gilts and one boar will be on exhibition beginning at 10:30 A. M. Saturday morning.

The winning gilt and the boar will be taken to Sweetwater on November 15th to compete with the other county winners in the Sweetwater store area.

Boys showing pigs are: Jimmie Lee Bural, Harold D. Thomas, Eldon Smith, Bernice Goodall, C. W. Burrow, Gerald Boland, John L. Boyles, L. J. Williams Jr., and Charles Hunicutt.

A \$30.00 purse is offered by Sears for the county gilt show and all prizes are to be in the form of materials that will further the swine production demonstrations. Prizes are all uniforms in this store area and are broken down as follows: 1st \$10.00; 2nd \$8.00; 3rd \$6.00; 4th \$4.00 and 5th \$2.00.

Pie Sale Next Saturday

The Jayton 4-H Club will sponsor a pie sale, Saturday October 25, beginning at 1:00 o'clock in front of the County Agents Office.

Back your 4-H Club by buying a pie.

Winter Grazing Saves Needed Grain

College Station. — It's going to take plenty of winter and spring grazing to fall in line with the government program of saving feed grain.

A. E. Miller, Extension agronomist of Texas A. and M. College, offers a few pointers on planting winter grain crops. He says that as soon as there is enough moisture in the ground, forage crops can go into the soil. If the land is not too hard, it's safe to go ahead and plant even in dry soil. The seed will germinate when it finally rains.

Grain planted for grazing can be planted a lot thicker to provide more forage. Oats, wheat, barley, rye and Italian rye grass are good winter grazing crops. A mixture of oats, wheat and barley makes a good combination for grazing when no harvesting is planned. In this mixture, barley provides more grazing in the fall and early winter, while the oats and wheat will usually offer good grazing in the spring.

Rye, especially abuzzi and balbo are good crops on sandy soils of East Texas and the West Cross Timber area.

Vetch or other winter legumes can be planted with grain to improve the grazing. Over a large area of Texas, hairy vetch is planted with rye or other grain crops for seed production and soil improvement as well as grazing.

In the southern half of Texas, when enough moisture is in the soil, hubam and annual yellow blossom sweet clover are first-rate crops, good for grazing, seed and soil improvement.

Mr. Miller says that winter and spring grazing not only will help to save badly needed grain, but will also cut down on the cost of livestock production.

BAPTIST W. M. U. NEWS

The W. M. U. met Monday for the Royal Service program. We had a very interesting program on Mexico and Baptist work among the Mexicans both in Mexico and Texas.

Next Monday we will have the book review "Blind Spots". Don't judge it by the name; it is very interesting. Everyone come and hear this book review, you'll enjoy it as well as the fellowship.

Rev. and Mrs. M. E. Fisher and Delton of Aspermont, Texas visited Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Brown and Ann last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Hamilton and family left last Friday for Penrose, Colorado where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Allen and Mrs. L. H. Matthews are in Dallas this week buying fall merchandise for the Kent County Mercantile Store.

Mrs. W. D. Duboise came home Saturday from the hospital in Abilene, Texas where she has been taking treatment.

ALMANAC



Much use of a coach makes us lose the benefits of our legs.

OCTOBER

21—Metropolitan opera house opened in New York City, 1883.

23—British break Axis line at El Alamein, 1942.

24—Alonso D. Philippe patents match invention, 1836.

25—First trademark registered in the U. S., 1870.

26— Erie Canal opened, 1825.

27—Navy Day.

28—Statue of Liberty unveiled, 1886.

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NOTICE TO PUBLIC

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Dust In The Air

Foreboding clouds of dust have been swirling over parts of the High Plains—the breadbasket country not only for America but for much of Europe. Gloom deepens among the wheat farmers as the bare ground cracks under wind and sun. Continued drought is holding up planting—the planting that means the difference between hunger and plenty for millions on both sides of the Atlantic. Unless soaking rains come soon, there may be talk of a new Dust Bowl. Alf Landon has called the outlook the poorest since World War I.

A survey by the United Press reports drought conditions in the wheat sections of Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas. In Kansas the topsoil is the driest it has been in two decades, and only a little ground has been seeded. Without rains, the bumper wheat crops of recent years will be followed by a lean harvest next year and Plains dust will be blowing over Dallas next spring. Mile after mile that was in winter pasture a year ago is only dry plowed ground today. This makes fall grazing scarce at a time when the corn crop is short.

Life-giving rains may fall over the winter wheat country in time for planting in the next few weeks. Unless they do, Europe can not look to this country for surplus wheat next year. We would need the whole crop to feed our own people. Weather is still the big uncertainty that every farmer faces. This is especially true of the wheat farmer, who plants on relatively arid land. The grower may make enough in the fat years to make up for the lean ones; but if people use up all the wheat in the seasons of bumper crops, many may have to go hungry when the yield is short.

—The Dallas Morning News.



Upon what little things, great achievements sometimes depend. Many years ago, there came to the mining town of Virginia City, the most famous humorist of the day—Artemus Ward. After the lecture that night, Ward and several newspapermen did a little celebrating which climaxed with Ward and a young and obscure reporter walking over the roof-tops in the business districts. They were almost fired upon as burglars. The reporter was Mark Twain.

Did you ever hear the "rebel yell"? I. Hardin, secretary of the Kentucky Historical Society, wrote your columnist, asking for assistance in preserving the battle-cry of the Confederacy for posterity. The distinction of being the youngest member of a Chamber of Commerce goes to Vanessa Sharyl Bryan, one day old. Her father, Vance Bryan, a former Texan, is owner of the luxurious Jack Tar Courts in Hot Springs, Ark. . . . Neal Estes, Carthage editor, stops his car at all railroad crossings. He said that he once drove across soon after a train had passed and his brother, an attorney remarked, "it's true that one train went by just a little bit ago but the railroad owns the line and it reserves the right to run a train every minute."

And that reminds me of the story of the young ranchman who was strolling along with a pretty girl when they saw a calf on one side of a fence thrust its head through the fence and rub its nose against its mother's face, in the adjoining pasture. The rancher sighed romantically and said, "I wish I could do that." The girl said, "Well, why don't you? It's our cow, isn't it?"

Man has conquered the sea and the air; he has harnessed the lightning and compelled it to work for him. Who shall say that he can not evolve a means of bringing lasting peace to a world whose people want peace.

FOR SALE:—House with 5 rooms and bath. See, Gordon Hamilton.

MALE HELP WANTED:—Reliable man with car wanted to call on farmers in Kent County. Wonderful opportunity. \$15 to \$20 in a day. No. experience or capital required. Permanent. Write today. McNESS COMPANY, Depart. A., Freeport, Ill.

FOR SALE:—We have in stock a 1942 Fourdoor Chevrolet Sedan, clean top car. Mason Chevrolet Co.

FOR SALE:—Peanut Thrasher, used one season. Will sell at 1/2 of its cost. Jim Hobgood, 3 miles south of Anton, Texas.

FOR SALE:—Delco plant and accessories, radio, fan, and washing machine engine. Also one's superflex oil heater. See, Charles Parks.

FOR SALE:—2 Thorobred O. I. C. sow pigs. See, R. E. Beaver, Girard, Texas

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all my friends for the kind deeds, lovely flowers, cards, letters, telegrams, prayers and visits during my stay in the hospital recovering from my accident and since I have returned home. G. H. Brown, Mrs. Brown and Ann.

We have the coldest pop this side of the north pole. Morris Yandell, 1/2 mile east of Spur.

One price to all, fair, courtesy and reliable. Morris Yandell, 1/2 mile east of Spur.

It's time to save the difference. Morris Yandell, 1/2 mile east of Spur.

Time changes everything. Come here for lower prices on groceries, tires, tubes and batteries. Morris Yandell, 1/2 mile east of Spur.

FOR SALE:—Oil Heater, good as new. —At the Wrecking Yard.

FOR SALE:—One half bed, complete with springs and mattress. Like new. One 12' Armstrong Quaker Rug, used two months. Mrs. Fred Jones.

MISS AMERICA WEARS COTTON



Lovely Barbara Jo Walker, 1947 Miss America, models to perfection a shimmering evening gown created for her recent trip to Mexico. The new everglaze cotton fabric has a satin-like finish which is permanent through washing or cleaning.

NAVY DAY—OCTOBER 27, 1947

In the third year since the Japanese surrender the United States Navy is hard at its task of guarding the peace it fought a four-year war to regain. On the seas, under the seas, and over the seas, the new American Navy is accomplishing and employing modern scientific developments to make America's First Line of Defense the Last Word in Security.



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Very newest styles, loose back and fitted kind to suit your taste \$19.95 and up
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For young girls and newly weds \$4.95
- BLOUSES**
Of all styles \$2.95 and up
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Nauty Shoes in black Buster low heels \$2.75
Other dress-up shoes \$4.95 and up
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While they last, they're getting scarce again \$1.49 and up
- YARD GOODS**
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Star Brands, W. L. Douglas and other Brands All Leather. \$5.95 to \$10.00
- DRESS PANTS**
For Men and Boys \$3.95 to \$12.50
- Mens Undershirts** 50c
- Mens Broadcloth Shorts** .. 69c
- PLAID SHIRTS**
For Men and Boys, all sizes \$1.95 to \$3.95
- JACKETS**
Leather Jackets and other good Sport Jackets, all good Brands on sale.

LOTIEF DRY GOODS COMPANY ROTAN, TEXAS "THE CORNER STORE"

PIE SALE!

The Jayton 4-H Club will sponsor a Pie Sale, Saturday, October 25, beginning at 1:00 o'clock in front of the County Agents Office.

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Texas farmers bought 252,098 tons of fertilizer in the first six months of 1947, as compared with 212,858 tons for the same period in 1946.



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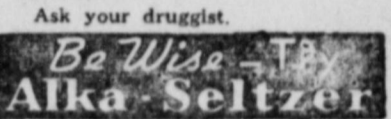
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Jayton, Texas



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School News

SENIOR NEWS

Here we are once again to bring you all the latest news.

We have been doing fairly well with our rummage sale and intend to continue next Saturday. We have some excellent bargains and would like for everyone to come in and see them.

The senior boys have discovered a new way to make money for the class, digging ditches; there should be an easier way to make money.

We have finished off our exams; of course all of the seniors made good.

We are very glad to have Mrs. Fowler back with us.

The photographer will be here this week; of course some junior will

break the camera before he get to us.

We are looking forward to the rodeo which will soon be held; several of our boys will be entered.

We held a class meeting this morning and selected red and white as our class colors, the carnation as our flower, and our motto is "Today we follow, Tomorrow we lead". So long until next week.

JUNIOR NEWS

Here we are again to tell you we have completed our exams. I think we all did pretty well.

The rodeo is getting closer and we are all working for our Queen. There will be several boys to ride or rope in the rodeo. Hugh Kissack will be the one to rope and Billy Cade to ride. Helen plans to barrel

race, that is if she doesn't finish breaking her "leg".

We still are enjoying the skating rink. Nearly all the juniors can skate now that the skating rink has been here so long.

We will try to have more news next week. Until then, so long. —Reporter.

SOPHOMORE NEWS

We get our report cards this week and we are hoping no one will be disappointed.

We are getting our pictures taken this week and hope no one breaks the camera.

The sophomores are looking forward to the rodeo at Clairmont and are hoping you will be backing Nancy and Billy John for king and queen. Seems that Nancy is doing pretty good learning to ride a horse. So long 'till next week. —Reporter.

FRESHMEN NEWS

Well, here we are again. We have been very busy these last two days on our history and English exams. We all made pretty good in English, but don't know how we came out in history.

We are suppose to get our report cards today. I bet some of us won't want them after we see them. See you again next week.

Over 94,000 Texas farmers are members of groups organized under the Smith-Doxey Act of 1937 to promote the improvement of cotton.

Farmers Home Administration made new adjustment loans to 23,654 veterans, amounting to \$30,159,937 during 1947.

In the first four months of 1947, 124 million pounds of peanuts were exported by the United States.

Approximately 396,000 farm families and other rural consumers in 44 states and Alaska will get electricity as the result of loans approved by REA during 1947.

In 1947, 19.5 million pounds of meat at retail weight were consumed in the United States at an average price of 55.5 cents per pound in comparison with 14 million pounds at an average price of 29 cents per pound in 1937.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

Whereas, it appears of record as shown by a deed from the sheriff of Kent County, Texas, to the State of Texas, recorded in Vol. 33, page 254, of the Deed Records of Kent County, Texas, that on the 7th day of November, 1929 the Sheriff of Kent County, Texas did convey to the state of Texas, the land hereinafter described, by virtue of an order of sale issued by the clerk of the district Court of Kent County, Texas, on a certain judgement rendered in the said Court in favor of the State of Texas against Unknown Owners, numbered on the docket of said Court Nos. 2275, 2277, 2282, 2284, 2285, 2286, 2289, 2292, 2293, 2294, 2298, 2303, 2306, 2308, 2310, 2314, 2315, 2317, 2321, 2322, 2323, 2324, 2325, 2327, 2328, 2329, 2330, 2332, 2336, 2338, 2339, 2340, 2343, 2344, 2345, 2358, 2354, 2356, 2359, 2360, 2361, and 2375, for the sums therein in each case set out, the same being for taxes, penalty, interest and costs due on said lands; and,

Whereas, it appears to me as Sheriff of Kent County, Texas, that more than two years has elapsed since the date said lands were sold to the State of Texas as aforesaid, and that same has and have not been redeemed:

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, I will, on Tuesday, the 4th day of November, A. D. 1947, proceed to sell, at the principal entrance to the courthouse of Kent County, Texas, in the town of Clairmont, Texas, between the hours of two and four P. M., at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, the following described real estate:

Years 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928, unknown owners town of Clairmont, Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, in Block 7, State tax interest and penalty \$6.20 County tax interest and penalty \$24.90 costs \$17.33 Total Tax \$48.43

Years 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928, unknown owners town of Clairmont, Lots Nos. 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, in Block 1, State tax interest and penalty \$3.25 County tax interest and penalty \$13.04 costs \$17.33 Total Tax \$33.62

Years 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928, unknown owners town of Clairmont, Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 21, in Block 3, State tax, interest and penalty \$6.24, County tax interest and penalty \$24.80, costs \$17.33 Total tax \$48.37.

Years 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928, unknown owners town of Clairmont, Lots Nos. 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 21, and 22, in Block No. 13, State tax interest and penalty \$3.51, County tax interest and penalty \$14.04, Costs \$17.33 Total tax \$34.88.

Years 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928, unknown owners town of Clairmont, Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, 21, and 22, in Block No. 15, State tax interest and penalty \$7.49, County tax interest and penalty \$29.98, Costs \$17.33 Total tax \$54.80.

Years 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928, unknown owners town of Clairmont, Lots Nos. 2, 4, in Block 19, State tax interest and penalty \$3.87 County Tax interest and penalty \$15.48, Costs \$17.33 Total tax \$36.67.

Years 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928, unknown owners town of Clairmont, Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 12, 13, 15, 17, 22, in Block 21, State tax interest and penalty \$5.79, County tax, interest and penalty \$23.19, Costs \$17.33, Total tax \$46.31.

Years 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928, unknown owners town of Clairmont, Lots Nos. 1, 4, 5, 12, 13, 14, 15, 18, 20, in Block 17, State tax interest and penalty \$3.77, County Tax interest and penalty \$23.19, costs \$17.33, Total tax \$36.21.

Years 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928, unknown owners town of Clairmont, Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, in Block No. 16, State tax interest and penalty \$7.18, County Tax interest and penalty \$28.74, Costs \$17.33 Total tax \$53.25.

Years 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928, unknown owners town of Clairmont, Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, in Block 28, State tax interest and penalty \$3.15, County tax interest and penalty \$12.61, Costs \$17.33, Total tax \$33.09.

Years 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928, unknown owners town of Clairmont, Lots Nos. 13, 12, 14, in Block 33, State tax interest and penalty \$1.53, County tax interest and penalty \$6.15 Costs \$17.33 Total tax \$25.01.

Years 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928, unknown owners town of Clairmont, Lots Nos. 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 in Block No. 43, State tax interest and penalty \$3.59, County tax interest and penalty \$14.37, Costs \$17.33, Total tax \$35.29.

Years 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928, unknown owners town of Clairmont, Lots Nos. 8, 9, 10, 11, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, in Block No. 35, State tax interest and penalty \$2.60, County tax interest and penalty \$10.43, Costs \$17.33, Total tax \$30.36.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks preceding said day of sale.

Witness my hand, this 8th day of October, A. D. 1947.

H. J. Whatley, Sheriff, Kent County, Texas.

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FOR SALE:— House with 5 rooms and bath. See, Gordon Hamilton.

FOR SALE:— 2 Farmall Tractors, 12 and 14. —See, Dude Burkett.

FOR SALE OR TRADE:— For sale or trade, my home in Jayton. See . . . Geo. Branch.

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