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## PLANS COMPLETED FOR SATURDAY SHOW

### 4-H Club To Present Special Musical Program

The Kent County Junior Livestock Show will be held here in Jayton, Saturday, March 26, at 1:30 P. M. If the weather permits, the 4-H Club and FFA boys will present a musical program from the veranda of the Barfoot Hotel beginning about 15 minutes before the show. Mr. James P. Lumpkin will act as master of ceremonies for the musical event.

Hamburgers, pie, coffee and cold drinks will be served by the 4-H Club under a tent which is to be erected near the Barfoot Hotel. The clubs plan to make enough money selling eats and drinks to make a summer educational tour. If you are in Jayton Saturday, and get hungry and thirsty, come around and see the 4-H Club. They will appreciate your business.

Premiums for the show were set up as follows:

<b>Fat Steers (Both Light and Heavy)</b>	
1st.	\$15.00
2nd.	\$12.00
3rd.	\$10.00
4th.	\$ 5.00
5th.	\$ 5.00
Grand Champion	\$15.00
Reserve Champion	\$10.00
Shownship (Whole Show)	\$10.00
<b>Sow and Litters</b>	
1st.	\$12.00
2nd.	\$10.00
3rd.	\$ 7.00
4th.	\$ 5.00
5th.	\$ 3.00
6th.	\$ 3.00
7th.	\$ 3.00
8th.	\$ 3.00
9th.	\$ 3.00
<b>Bred Gilts</b>	
1st.	\$ 6.00
2nd.	\$ 5.00
3rd.	\$ 3.00
4th.	\$ 3.00
<b>Open Gilts</b>	
1st.	\$ 5.00
2nd.	\$ 3.00
3rd.	\$ 3.00
<b>Fat Barrows</b>	
1st.	\$ 8.00
2nd.	\$ 6.00
<b>Boars</b>	
1st.	\$ 5.00
2nd.	\$ 3.00
<b>Bulls</b>	
1st.	\$ 5.00
2nd.	\$ 3.00
<b>Heifers</b>	
1st.	\$ 5.00
2nd.	\$ 3.00

The show committee has adopted a set of rules for another year and the 4-H Club members and FFA boys who plan to feed calves for another year should adhere to these rules when selecting their calves. These rules must be followed in order to get in the county show and the area show at Sweetwater next year. More boys are urged to feed calves next year so that we may have a more worthwhile educational event than we have had heretofore. The boys who wish to feed calves for another year should get them just as soon as possible so that they will have ample time to finish before show time. Boys who desire help in selecting calves should contact their Vocational Agriculture Teacher or the County agent.

The show rules as set up by the committee are listed below:  
1. Calves may be purebred, grade or cross bred, but only steer calves may be entered. The exhibitors must have owned their calves prior to October 1, 1949, and the calves must have been fed and cared for by the exhibitor from October 1, to the opening day of the show.  
2. Any calf that has nursed any cow other than its mother is not eligible to show.  
3. Calves may be put on feed at any time. On October 1, however, the calf shall have been weaned from its mother, placed in a dry lot, fed and cared for by the exhibitor until the opening day of the show.

4. It is the responsibility of each exhibitor, the exhibitor's parents, Vocational Agr. Teacher and the County Agent to furnish satisfactory evidence to a committee that the animal is beyond any doubt a dry lot animal.  
5. The date of the show shall be automatically set one week before the Sweetwater area calf show.  
6. There shall be two classes of calves, divided according to weight if the number of entries justify.  
7. Interpretation of the rules and all cases not covered by these rules shall rest with the show committee.

"and!!

At the P-T A meeting last Friday night the question of whether the Teen-agers should or should not have a Canteen was discussed. It was suggested, after the discussion turned into an inappropriate farce, that the Teen-agers proceed with the formulation of plans for organization and preparation of a list of what type of entertainment they expected such an organization to provide, and present such information to a called meeting of their parents. It is hoped that a definite solution can be made at this proposed meeting.

The people of Jayton are to be commended for the way they responded to the plea for rooms and apartments. However, almost every day this week there has been some one in our office asking if we might know if there is a room or an apartment available. If you will please call us when you have a room to rent it will save you time and we will be glad to pass such information on to those who desire such accommodation.

The Kent County Junior Livestock Show will be held here in Jayton Saturday of this week.  
This show is open to all 4-H Club and FFA boys of Kent County and prizes amounting to around \$200.00 are being offered.

Mr. J. A. Scofield, District Extension Agriculture Agent, has been named as judge of the show. Place of the show will be the city square, and the time for the judging is set for 1:30 P. M. There will be approximately 30 animals in the show.  
Don't be surprised if you get a little notice next week saying that your subscription to the Chronicle has expired. In attempting to set our mailing list straightened out, in order to comply with new postal rules and regulations, we noticed that many of you have forgotten to renew your subscription for 1949. We would appreciate it if you would give prompt attention to these notices.

Spring term of District Court for Kent County got underway this week but as we have not been able to get over to the capitol to find out what is taking place we are unable to give you an account of what is taking place. Maybe so next week we can report the actions of said court.

### Trustee Election Saturday, April 2

There will be an election held Saturday, April 2, for the purpose of electing three trustees for the Jayton Independent School District.  
The polls will open at 8 A. M. and close at 5 P. M. According to Supervisor Hines the election will be held in the Ideal Cafe building. Mrs. Black has been appointed as election judge.  
The following is a sample ballot:  
**BEN BOLAND (Re-election)**  
**ED REEVES (Re-election)**  
**W. D. VENCIL (Re-election)**  
**PETE SHERER**  
**EARL WALKER**  
**E. V. LEE**

### Credit Purchases Increase In Texas

AUSTIN, March 21—“Charge it, please.” is being repeated more often in Texas stores today than at any time since the war, a University of Texas retail credit specialist says.

Sterling S. Soeak, Industrial and Business Training Bureau specialist, travels throughout the state conducting a 10-hour course in retail credit procedures for local merchants and managers.

He says interest in the course has increased because of mounting requests for charge accounts. Sixty-four percent of all 1948 Texas retail sales were on credit, as compared with 46 per cent in 1945, and another rise is indicated in 1949.

### Camp Fire Girls Attend Banquet

The Ta-Wanka Camp Fire group of Jayton, members and leaders, was 100 per cent in attendance at the annual banquet and council fire of the West Texas Area, Camp Fire Girls, Inc., held at Haskell Friday night, March 18.

Miss Kathleen Crawford, area executive said in remarking about this group, “One of the interesting and nice things about the Birthday dinner of the Camp Fire Girls and the Area Council Fire was the Jayton Ta-Wanka group, even their leaders came in full dress uniform and were represented 100 per cent. We feel that is an enviable record and this was one of the few 100 per cent groups in attendance. We are watching this Ta-Wanka group and expecting some nice reports from them. Mrs. Ruby Branch is their leader and Mrs. Sue Kelley and Mrs. Erma Black, assistants.”

Around 250 persons, Camp Fire Girls, Blue Birds, their leaders, members of the Camp Fire Boards, parents of the girls, were present for the annual dinner and council fire. The dinner was served in the high school cafeteria at Haskell and was presided over by John Couch, area chairman for the past year.

Miss Crawford talked on Camp Fire and what it means and paid special emphasis to the Camp Fire birthday, which was being observed nationally.

Representatives were present from Haskell, Jayton, Stamford, Moran, Lueders and Albany. All of the girls and their guardians took part in an outdoor grand council fire in which honor beads and ranks were awarded. Camp Fire songs were sung and special emphasis was placed on the birthday theme, “Make Mine Democracy.” The Jayton girls skit, impressively presented, was on “Opportunity” representing the “O” of Democracy.

### Mothers Honored At FHA Banquet

Thursday night, March 17, at 7:30 P. M. the Homemaking girls gave their Mothers a banquet at the Home Economics Cottage. The tables were decorated with green candles and green and white vases filled with plum blossoms. The place cards were made of white ribbon, fern and shamrocks. The menu consisted of fried steak, green beans, potatoes and gravy, iced tea, custard and cookies and a green and white salad.

Interesting speeches were made by Peggy Chisum, Mrs. Harrison and Jonell Gallagher. Pat Kelley gave a reading, Mrs. Jones gave a fabric quiz. The entire group joined in singing several songs.

There were thirty-eight mothers and daughters present for the occasion.

### Baseball Schedule Set For Jayton Nine

It was decided in a district meeting that the baseball district should be divided into a north and south half, with the winner of each half to play for the district championship. One game shall be played each week so that the half winners can be declared by May 1, 1949. The south half's first game was held March 22 between Jayton and Peacock with the Peacock nine winning 18 to 3. The remaining schedule is as follows:  
25th March — \*Jayton - Girard  
1st April — \*Peacock - Girard  
8th April — \*Jayton - Peacock  
15th April — \*Girard - Jayton  
22nd April — \*Girard - Peacock  
(\* denotes home games)

### Cattle To Be Tested For Bangs Disease

Dr. A. J. Lewis, State Veterinarian from Lubbock, has consented to make another trip to Kent County for the purpose of testing cows for Bangs; however, he states that it will be necessary to have as many as 45-50 cows to be tested before he will be justified in making the trip down here. There are two farmers who have already signed up for the testing and if there are others who are interested, they should contact the County Agent at their earliest convenience.

Mrs. O. H. Hamlin and Mrs. Erva Grice had business in Rotan last Tuesday.

### Markets Steady During Past Week

Some weak spots appeared in mostly steady to strong southwest farm markets during the past week, the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration reports.

Sorghums lost 8 cents a hundred pounds for the week, and yellow corn gained 1 1-2 cents a bushel. Changes on other grains were confined to a cent or less. No. 2 yellow milled closed Monday at \$2.60 to \$2.65 at Texas common points. No. 2 yellow, corn brought \$1.57 1-4 to \$1.59 1-4, white corn \$1.70 1-4 to \$1.73 1-4 and No. 1 wheat \$2.39 1-2 to \$2.45 1-2.

Rice markets remained firm to strong last week. Some Louisiana rice farmers began seeding Zenith for the new crop. Unsettled conditions ruled feed markets, with some quotations higher and others lower on many same feeds. Easier undertones appeared at hay markets. Peanut prices held firm in the southwest.

Poultry sold firm to stronger in the southwest, while eggs held about steady. Fryers ranged from 30 to 33 cents a pound in Texas, Louisiana and Arkansas, and 30 to 36 at Denver. Heavy hens sold from 32 to 35 cents in North Texas, 24 to 36 at Denver, and 29 to 43 at New Orleans. Eggs brought mainly 35 to 40 cents a dozen.

Regular season movement of strawberries got underway at Hammond, Louisiana area and south Texas. Week-end auction sales at Hammond ranged from \$6 to \$6.25 per 24 pit standard or display crates of Klondikes. Louisiana sweet potatoes and Colorado potatoes strengthened under good demand. South Texas carrot prices weakened but spinach held steady. First car of onions rolled from the Valley.

Wool trading held to an extremely narrow range last week.

Monday's hog prices showed little change from a week earlier. Good and choice medium weight butchers sold mostly at \$21.75 to \$22.25 at Denver, \$21 to \$21.50 at Oklahoma City, \$20.50 to \$20.75 at Fort Worth, and \$20.75 at San Antonio. Sows moved generally from \$16 to \$17.50. Pigs gained \$1 at Oklahoma City to bring mostly \$20.50.

Most southwest cattle sold unchanged to 50 cents higher for the week, though calves at Fort Worth and stocker calves at Denver lost up to \$1. Good stocker steer calves changed hands at \$23.50 at Denver Monday. Choice stocker yearlings and calves sold up to \$26 at Oklahoma City. Medium and good stocker calves went out at \$22 to \$26.50 at Fort Worth, \$24 to \$25.25 at San Antonio, and \$22 to \$25 at Houston.

Receipts of cattle, calves, hogs and sheep last week each fell slightly below the week before but greatly exceeded the same week last year at the 12 leading markets.

Cotton closed 25 to 50 cents higher with Dallas and Houston at 32.40 cents a pound and New Orleans 32.45.

### Cotton Markets Active In Texas - Oklahoma

Export demand for cotton stirred up moderate activity in Oklahoma and Texas markets this past week, according to the Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Prices offered were more attractive to local merchants and shippers. Spot demand was good for all qualities. Some export sales were made other than through the ECA program.

Domestic mill purchases of cotton were confined to small lots for immediate needs.

Equities in government loan cotton moved rather slowly in country markets last week. Some sales were made at \$2.50 to \$6 per bale but most farmers were reluctant to sell at the prevailing prices. Some of the better qualities of cotton in staple lengths 1 through 1 1-8 inch are in rather scarce supply.

Cotton quotations moved within a narrow range with Monday's close at 32.30 and Friday's close at 32.50 cents per pound for Middling 15-16 inch offerings at Dallas. Houston and Galveston prices gained 15 points during the five days.

Last year at this time, cotton brought 33.95 cents per pound at Dallas and 33.85 cents at Houston and Galveston. This was about \$6.75 to \$7.25 per bale higher than last Friday's close.

## County Receives Many Benefits Through AAA



### Assembly Of God

We are glad for the good services over the week end, and the good attendance in each service. It is pleasing to the Lord, and it makes us feel better when we go to Church. When we go to the house of the Lord, we are not pleasing the devil for he is out to trap us and if we don't watch he will have a grasp on us before we know it.

Our young people presented a good program Sunday morning which was enjoyed by all. We do thank the Lord for our young people and for their faithfulness to come to the services on Saturday night when so many people are seeking the pleasures of the world.

I will study the languages of gentleness and refuse to use words that bite and tones that crush.

I will practice patience at home.

I will remember that my neighbors have troubles enough to carry without loading mine on them.

I will excuse others faults and failures as often and as fully as I expect others to be lenient with mine.

Go to the Church of your choice Sunday.

E. O. McElvea, Pastor  
By T. N. Sanders

### The Methodist Church

March 27, 1949  
Sunday School at 10 A. M.  
Services at 11 A. M.  
Sermon: "Strange Gods"  
Sunday night at 7:30 P. M.  
Sermon: "Citizens of Two Worlds"  
Young people and Juniors at 6:15 P. M.

We had 78 in Sunday School last Sunday morning and 43 for the evening services. We thank Mr. Hinds very much for bringing the projector from the school and showing the picture on China, "My Name is Han."

You are always welcome at the Methodist Church. The doors are always open. Go to Church and Sunday School somewhere next Sunday. Go praying, stay listening and leave serving.

L. B. Taylor, Minister

### First Baptist Church GIRARD, TEXAS

We had good attendance at our services Sunday. The Sunday School attendance is improving and the collections are very good. Two were added to the Church for Baptism Sunday morning. Baptismal services will be next Sunday at 11:00 A. M.

We are glad that God saves by His Grace through Faith in His Son. We are thankful that the gift of God is eternal life. We know when He gives us that life because of our new way of thinking and by the love we have for Him and His cause and for His people. We are glad that He has the power to transform the lives of all of His creation that come to Him through His Son, and that no man or demon has the power to separate us from Him.

If this be true which the scripture teaches, wouldn't his children want to serve Him the rest of their lives? Wouldn't they want to cooperate in teaching, preaching and praying? Jesus wants His people to follow Him and to search the scriptures, for they testify of Him.

Our Sunday School at Girard meets every Sunday at 10:00 A. M., preaching at 11:00 A. M., B. T. U. at 7:30 P. M. and preaching at 8:00 P. M. Prayer meeting is held every Wednesday night at 7:30. We want all, who do not go elsewhere, to come to our services.

May God bless our country and awaken all of His people out of their slumber that they all might do His will, realizing that He saved us for that purpose.

—M. A. Darden, Church Reporter

Did you know that 22,000 acres of Kent County cropland has been protected from further soil and water losses with terraces constructed during the past 12 years?

Did you know that 525 earthen dams to impound water for livestock and stop erosion have been constructed on Kent County pasture land during this same period?

These and many other sound soil and water conservation measures have been carried out by Kent County farmers and ranchers with the aid of the "share the cost" plan of the AAA national farm program. Few people realize all that has been done to protect and improve the soil and water resources of the county. Through these practices the farmers of Kent County have made material progress in controlling erosion and making their land more productive.

To the farmer it means that he can look to the land for not only increased production now but for continued production. To the man on Main Street it means a continued and suitable business, a permanency which permits planning for the future.

The 22,000 acres which have been terraced in this county since the beginning of the AAA program are protected by slowing up the runoff water, thus holding the soil and as much of the water on the land as possible. The financial assistance given farmers on these terraces represents a sound investment since they will conserve the soil and water and continue to check and prevent erosion for many years to come.

Along with the terrace systems many farmers have constructed diversion terraces, approximately 40,000 cubic yards of dirt has been in connection with this work. These diversion terraces are constructed in most instances above the regular terrace system to turn the excess water from the fields above the terraces thereby protecting them.

Another practice which has been and is being used to considerable advantage is that of constructing spreader dams. Approximately 15,000 cubic yards of dirt has been moved in this work. These spreader dams are built along small gullies to spread the water out over a large area and to slow down the runoff and prevent erosion.

The 525 earthen dams that have been constructed in Kent County since the beginning of the AAA program serve several purposes. They catch runoff water and prevent washing and flood damage, they provide water for livestock in years of drought, they provide for better distribution of livestock water and grazing, and they stop gullies already made and prevent new ones from starting.

Another practice is to furnish more adequate livestock water through the drilling or digging of plants have been removed from more AAA program 170 such wells have been dug in Kent County. These wells have brought livestock water to large areas where no water was available and many acres of range land are now furnishing adequate grazing for livestock that were not benefiting mankind in any way before the wells were dug.

Another, and one of the most important, practices to the ranchers of Kent County is that of removing mesquite, cedar and prickly pear from pasture lands in order to give the grass a better chance to grow. These undesirable plants take up much of the moisture and fertility in the soil, thus preventing the growth of grasses. These undesirable plants have been removed from more than 26,000 acres of Kent County pasture lands since the beginning of the AAA.

Strip cropping on the contour, seeding row crops on the contour and leaving sorghum stubble on the land as a prevention of wind erosion are other practices which have been of untold benefits to Kent County farmers. Approximately 3,500 acres have been strip cropped. Seeding row crops on the contour was practiced very little in this county until the start of the AAA program. This was an approved practice for many years until farmers learned the value of such farming. The acreage increased each year until 1944 more

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### NOTICE TO PUBLIC

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## BOYCE HOUSE



A book store owner in a Texas city was relating an experience he had with a publishing house representative. The latter had insisted that the dealer wasn't ordering enough copies of a book, whereupon the dealer exclaimed:

- "That's the way with you fellows from up North—always trying to tell us Texans how to run our business."
- I asked the dealer, "Where did you come from originally?"
- "Wisconsin."
- "How long have you been down here?"
- "Two years—but I'm a Texan now!"
- Phrases without which nobody could run for office:
- "Economy and efficiency."
- "Clean as a hound's tooth."
- "Point with pride."
- "View with alarm."
- "Born on a farm."
- "Poor but honest parents."
- "Wage a clean campaign, free of personalities."
- "A business administration."
- "Bravest men and most beautiful women."

"Less government in business." "Public office is a public trust." It was Twain who declared, "Hunger is the handmaid of genius."

### Economic Highlights

During the campaign, President Truman's heaviest guns were trained on the Republican-controlled 80th Congress. He aimed everything in the arsenal at it and, as the election result proved, it paid off in the precious coin of votes.

Now the Democratic-controlled 81st Congress has been a study in slow motion. Representative Jackson of California said, "I'm glad Truman called the 80th the second worst Congress in history. It looks like you fellows will make the grade for top honors." Senator Brewster of Maine observed that "practically the only action of the 81st Congress to date has been to increase the Presidential salary." Senator Baldwin of Connecticut asked, "What are the great, earth-shaking, country-saving highly patriotic measures that have been passed by the present Congress to date?"

It hardly comes under the head of flash news to report that the members of one major party are doing all they can to make hay at the expense of the other major party. Administration leaders in House and Senate have been able to come up with only feeble defenses of the 81st Congress. The plain fact is that the all-inclusive Truman program has fallen into the doldrums. There is small chance of the larger part of it becoming law. Majority sentiment in Congress favors making haste slowly.

The great social security bill is an example. It would raise the cost from the present \$1,800,000,000 a year to something like \$6,000,000,000. In the words of Newsweek, "The reaction of Congress to the revolutionary extension . . . ranged from a quiet lack of enthusiasm to outright hostility. There was bipartisan agreement that neither farmer nor housewives would tolerate the rigging bookkeeping required . . . There was little predisposition to increase payroll taxes drastically at this time."

The matter of keeping books in accordance with the Federal laws is, in the view of many, a much more important problem than is generally supposed. Business finds more and more of its attention and resources given to filling out forms and dealing with government bureaus. And

this burden is often heaviest on small business. The big business, with its established legal, accounting and auditing departments is frequently able to adjust itself to new regulations much more easily than a small concern. That fact has Congress worried. It isn't eager to subject more of the population to Federal red tape.

What it all adds up to is that this Congress is far more cautious than expected.

### Health Notes

With the appearance of an unusual number of smallpox cases during the past week, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, has issued a warning that this dangerous, disfiguring

and often fatal disease can once again become a widespread health problem unless vaccination is used to protect the public against it.

Four cases of smallpox were reported from one county, and while that number may not seem great, it is nevertheless the same total as was reported for the whole state during the entire year of 1948.

"Smallpox vaccination, which affords complete immunity from this disease is a painless, inexpensive procedure, which should be used to protect every individual in the State," Dr. Cox said. "When we grow lax about our vaccination and allow susceptible persons to be exposed to smallpox, it follows that the disease will spread throughout the unvaccinated population, bringing serious illness and possible deaths."

## NOW IS THE TIME

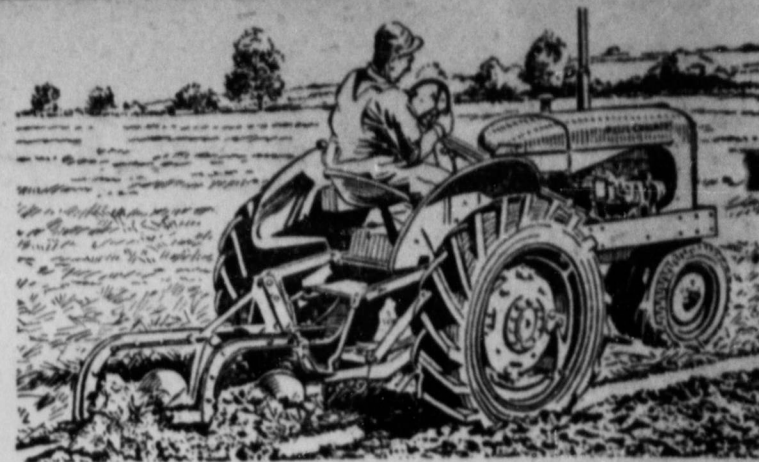
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Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Taylor of Worth visited his mother, Mrs. Debbie Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Jackson last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Thomason and children of Spur visited her mother, Ms. Debbie Taylo, and her sister, Mrs. Clyde Jackson, last week end.

Mrs. Foy Rinker and Donnie of Camp Springs, Texas, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Cave Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. M. V. South and boys, Mrs. Josie Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hamilton of Lubbock were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Buckelew last week end.

**FOR SALE:**

The old Bill Matthews place in Jayton. 1 - 7 room house, 1 - 5 room house, barns, windmill and well, 70 acres of land, 45 in cultivation. \$10,000.00 See or write —  
Less Matthews, Jayton, Texas

Those attending the piano concert at Spur last Sunday were: Mrs. Bill Vencil; Jody Black; Patricia Fowler and Pat Kelley.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Walker last week end were: Mr. and Mrs. Herman Patterson and children of Andrews, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Walker and Bertha Nell of Spur; Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Daniels and children; and Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Standridge of Watsonville, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Buckelew had business in Abilene last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Clark of Lubbock visited in Jayton last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Lee returned to Lubbock with them to spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Davis and son and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Moore and daughter went to Lubbock Monday to see after business and to visit Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivey F. Murdoch and Mr. and Mrs. W. Q. Casey and Ann of Haskell had business in Muleshoe last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Adams and daughter of Spur visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Rose last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Charles Dibrrell and Dan and Mr. and Mrs. Beryle Murdoch and Diane had business in Spur Monday.

**Week-End Specials**



LARGE BOX  
**DREFT** ..... 29c

3 POUND CARTON  
**LARD** ..... 69c

HALF OR WHOLE PER LB.  
**DRESSED HENS** ..... 59c

RED PERCH 1 POUND  
**FISH** ..... 45c

NO. 2 CAN  
**APPLE SAUCE** ..... 13c

WHITE CREAM STYLE, NO. 2 CAN  
**CORN** ..... 15c

\$1.00 Bottle of Jergens Lotion and 40c  
Bottle of Shampoo  
**BOTH FOR** ..... 89c

PINEAPPLE OR CHERRY, 1 LB. JAR  
**PRESERVES** ..... 19c

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If You have a Chevrolet, 1937 model to 1947 Model, Check These:

PASSENGER CARS	Reg. Price	Sale Price	Saving
Short Block Assembly .....	\$145.00	\$115.00	\$30.00
Pan Set (Gaskets) .....	.55	.33	.22
Head Set (Gaskets) .....	2.65	1.59	1.06
Front Set (Gaskets) .....	1.75	1.05	.70
Motor Oil (5 Qts.) .....	2.00	1.50	.50
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	<b>\$151.95</b>	<b>\$119.47</b>	<b>\$32.48</b>
LABOR INSTALLATION .....	50.00	45.10	5.00
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b> .....	<b>\$201.95</b>	<b>\$164.47</b>	<b>\$37.48</b>

**ALL ADDITIONAL PARTS NEEDED AT WHOLESALE PRICE**

TRUCKS, HEAVY DUTY	Reg. Price	Sale Price	Saving
Short Block Assembly .....	\$155.00	\$123.00	\$32.00

**COMPLETE ENGINE ASSEMBLY**

PASSENGER CARS .....	\$255.00	\$222.13	\$32.87
LABOR .....	40.00	35.00	5.00
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	<b>\$295.00</b>	<b>\$257.13</b>	<b>\$37.87</b>
HEAVY DUTY TRUCKS .....	\$285.00	\$248.38	\$36.62
LABOR .....	40.00	35.00	5.00
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	<b>\$325.00</b>	<b>\$283.38</b>	<b>\$41.62</b>

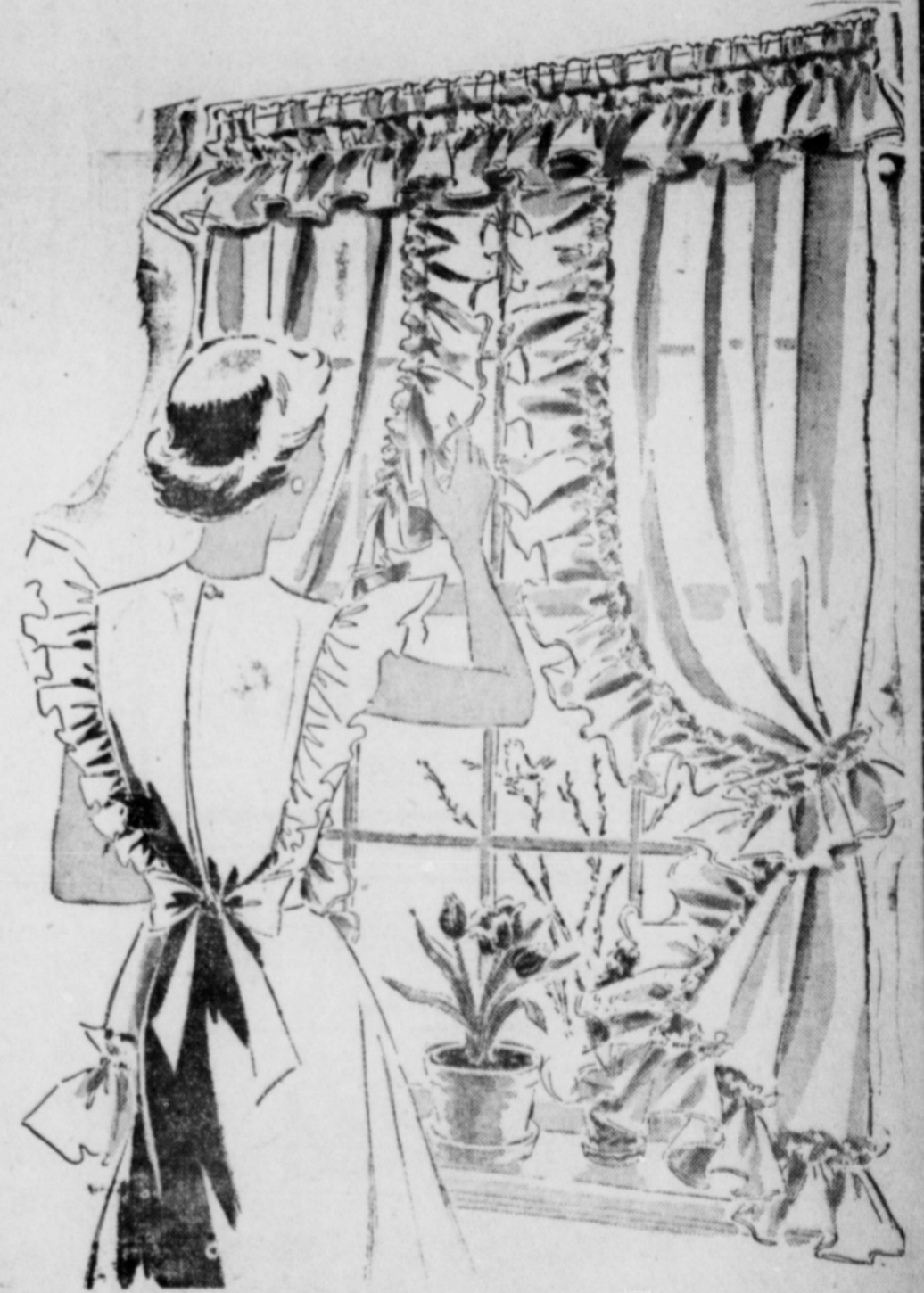


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Mr. J. W. Barfoot is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Armes and daughter of Shallowater visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Armes 1st Friday.

Hobby Parker went to McAdoo Wednesday to visit her grandfather.

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Pine Flooring, Kiln dried, per hundred 17.95
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Mr. and Mrs. Lee Armes and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Armes visited with Mr. and Mrs. Audie Armes in Oklahoma City last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Donoho and son had business in Rotan Tuesday.

Mrs. J. B. Overton and Mrs. Luther Johnson were in Rotan last Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fuller and Mrs. Rex Ramey were Rotan visitors Tuesday.

Joyce Richardson of McMurry college visited her sister, Mrs. R. L. Cooper last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Sandell, Jr., and family of Huntsville, Texas spent last week end in Jayton with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Peek and family of Plainview spent last week end in Jayton with relatives.

Ollie Engledow of Ft. Worth spent last week end in Jayton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glover Engledow.

Joyce Brantner of Abilene and Doris Brantner of Littlefield spent last week end in Jayton with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. P. Brantner.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bilberry of Lovington, New Mexico, visited relatives and friends in Jayton last week end.

A son weighing 4 pounds and 2 ounces was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Henry of Bisbee, Arizona, Wednesday, March 9. Mrs. Henry is the former Wanda Joy Goodall.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Lewis, and son of Bryan, Texas visited his mother, Mrs. Cora Lewis, in Jayton last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Hamilton and son had business in Sweetwater last Sunday.

Word was received here this week that Earnest Dunaway is in the Veterans Hospital for medical treatment.

Floy Barfoot of Lamesa, Texas is spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barfoot.

TEXAN THEATRE

NOTICE:— STARTING TIME HAS BEEN CHANGED FROM 7:00 to 7:30 P. M.

Last Time Tonight, Thursday

LANA TURNER and GENE KELLEY in "THE THREE MUSKETEERS"

Friday and Saturday

CHARLES STARRETT and SMILEY BURNETTE in "BLAZING ACROSS THE PECOS"

Sunday and Monday

IRENE DUNNE and WILLIAM POWELL in "LIFE WITH FATHER"

Wednesday and Thursday

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AAA PROGRAM:— (Continued From Page 1) than 45,000 acres were being farmed on the contour. It was then decided that this practice would be carried out in sufficient quantity without assistance being offered. As much as 17,000 acres have been protected from wind erosion in one year by leaving stalks of sorghums at least 10 inches high.

The AAA Program is administered in Kent County, as in all other agricultural counties in the nation, by a committee of farmers elected annually by their neighbors. The members for of the committee for 1949 are Wayne Williams, Dermott; Glenn Spradling, Jayton; Thomas B. Page, Girard. These committeemen are required to make many decisions during the year in connection with the AAA Program and price support programs and other phases of agriculture that are vital to the farmers of the county.

Kent County has been allocated \$40,000 to be used to assist farmers on a share the cost basis in their soil and water conservation work during 1949. The elected county committee has selected the practices

which they consider most needed in the county and for which assistance will be offered. The program is open to all farmers, landlords and tenants alike. Each farmer intending to participate must secure written approval for each practice he intends to carry out from the county committee before the practice is started. This enables the county committee to keep a record of funds earned so as not to overspend the county allocation.

All farmers and ranchers who have not filled out their production records are asked to come to the local AAA office and take care of these records immediately.

W. M. S. Meeting Held Monday

The W. M. S. met Monday for their Royal Service program. The program was enjoyed by all. There were seven ladies present.

We would like to have more ladies interested in W. M. S. work. You really miss a blessing when you do not attend these meetings.

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