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WITH THE CHURCHES

The Methodist Church

June 26, 1949

Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. Services at 11:00 a. m. Bro. Crawford will be here to preach for us Sunday morning. Bro. Crawford will also preside at our first quarterly conference. Let's give Bro. Crawford a good hearing. Sunday Night Services at 8:15 p. m. Young People and Juniors at 7:30 p. m. Our attendance goal for next Sunday is 100. You are cordial invited to come meet with us and help us reach our goal. How can we reach it? By coming yourself and bringing someone with you. L. B. Taylor, Minister

Cows, Calves Lower In Southwest Markets

Southwest farm markets presented a mixture of rising and falling prices during the past week, as the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration reports.

Sorghum grain prices dropped 10 cents a hundred pounds for the week and wheat and barley about 2 cents a bushel. Oats and corn advanced 3 to 5 cents. No. 1 wheat closed Monday at \$2.03 1-2 to \$2.11 1-2 at Texas common points. No. 2 white corn sold at \$1.73 to \$1.74, yellow corn \$1.62 to \$1.64, and milo \$2.25 to \$2.35.

Prospects of another large rice crop together with a large weakened rice market again last week. Corn feeds and oilseed meals sold lower last week while most other feedstuffs prices advanced. Unfavorable weather last week held back haymaking and caused a great deal of loss and damage to hay. Peanut prices held steady as planting of the new crop neared completion. Heavier supplies of watermelons and cantaloups sold sharply lower at most markets last week. Southern Louisiana growers received lower prices for cucumbers, bell peppers, and tomatoes. Many other southwest products weakened.

Eggs strengthened slightly at Denver during the week, and sold about steady in the southwest. Prices of hens declined 2 to 4 cents a pound at Denver and 1 to 2 cents at Dallas. Fryers lost 4 cents at Denver and 1 cent at Northwest Arkansas.

Leading markets received fewer livestock of all kinds last week than the week before. A third less sheep arrived in Texas and Oklahoma than a week earlier and less than half as many as a year ago. Wholesale dressed meat prices declined mostly \$2 to \$4 for the week at New York. Pork loins fell \$7 to \$8 and lamb \$5 to \$12.

Cows, calves and bulls recorded losses of \$1 to \$2 from a week ago at southwest markets, with fed classes unchanged to \$1 lower. Medium to good killing calves ranged from \$22 to \$25 at Denver, while good and choice grades brought \$24 to \$26 at Oklahoma City, and \$23 to \$26 at Fort Worth.

Monday's strong hog markets reduced the week's losses at Texas animals to around 50 cents. Oklahoma City showed little change on hogs, but hogs sold unevenly lower. Top butchers closed Monday at \$22 at Denver and \$20.75 at Fort Worth.

Sheep and lambs closed Monday unchanged to \$1 lower compared to the very weak market the Monday before. Good spring lambs brought \$23 at Texas markets. Good and choice natives sold at \$27.50 to \$28 at Denver. Goats lost 25 to 50 cents.

Mohair strengthened last week, to bring \$8 to 40 cents a pound for adult and 58 for kid hair. Some average French combing New Mexico wool sold around \$1.35 to \$1.45 per clean pound delivered in Boston.

Cotton advanced 50 cents to \$1.25 a bale. Spot middling 15-16 inch closed Monday at \$2.55 cents a pound at Dallas and Galveston, and \$2.80 at New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Newberry and boys of Lubbock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Newberry, in Jayton last week end.

Sam Barton was in town this week seeing friends.

36 Registered By Local Board No. 80

Texas Local Board No. 80, Jayton, Texas, stated today that 36 youths had registered with Selective Service since the first of the year.

The board stated that all young men are required to register within a certain age, also boys that are separated from the Armed Forces that have not reached their twenty-sixth birthday.

The boys may register with any of the following:

C. O. Fox, City Hall, Spur, Texas, Fred Arrington, Dickens, Texas, Mrs. Lela Williams, Girard, Texas, Harold Kenady, Aspermont, Texas or come to the Local Board at Jayton. Office hours are from 1:00 p. m. to 5 p. m. Monday through Friday. The office is closed on Saturday.

Those registering at Jayton include: Willie Donald Clark, Melvin Thomas Florence, R. A. Moreland, Jr., Billy John Harrison, and Harry Lawrence Bilbrey.

Dickens Electric Co-op. Demonstration At Clairemont

Mrs. Van North, Home Economist for the Dickens County Electric Co-operative, Inc. will give a food demonstration at Clairemont, Texas, Friday afternoon, June 24 at 2:30 p. m. The place of the meeting will be announced later. Everyone is cordially invited to attend this demonstration.

Steps Taken To Curb Communism

As Felix Morley points out in "Nation's Business," we have so far taken three major steps in our effort to contain communism. The first was the Truman Doctrine, with its military aid to Turkey and Greece. Next came the Marshall Plan, now officially known as the European Recovery Program, with its multi-billion dollar economic aid to 15 Western European countries. Finally, we have the recently signed Atlantic Pact, whose purpose is to form a defense line in Europe to bar the red tide.

Mr. Morley writes, "Obviously these three steps form a series of hastily concocted emergency measures, impossible to dignify as a carefully planned policy. If the purpose was to contain communism with in a certain geographical area, then we should have established eastern as well as western barriers. . . . The final debacle in China . . . is painful evidence that communism is not being contained. And if Asia goes red, the cost of subsidizing a line of independent outposts in western Europe will soon become prohibitive, even for the fabulous wealth of the United States."

It would be folly to minimize the reverse the western powers have received in China. At the same time it is easy to exaggerate the possible immediate effects of the great victories the Chinese communists armies have won. A red China is a very different thing, for example, than a red France or a red Italy would be. The Chinese communists, so far as anyone can see, have neither the intention nor the means to do much for communism as a worldwide force. They have before them a staggering task—to attempt to organize, and to pull from the nether depths of poverty and oppression, a vast, overpopulated nation which is largely illiterate, and measured by current western standards, is almost wholly primitive in living and outlook.

The main energy of the masses of the Chinese people is pretty much absorbed in seeking a place to live, daily ration of rice, some relief from murderous and unproductive toil. The past governments have been incredibly corrupt. Government officials, the warlords, the commercial interests—all have exploited the nation unmercifully. Going by reports from American businessmen and reporters in Shanghai since the communists took over, a real effort is being made to eliminate graft, and the old system under which no one could do business in China without bribes. At the same time, these reports emphasize that the new administrators are inexperienced, that it is difficult to find anyone with real responsibility, and that administrative problems are a long way from solution.

Communism is not being contained. But it is finding the path far from smooth.

4-H CLUB RIFLE TEAM PLACES 6th IN STATE MEET

The Kent County 4-H Club Rifle Team, Flint George, Al Ray Young and Leo Turner, accompanied by County Agent Kirby Clayton went to College Station last week and reported that they placed sixth in the state-wide 4-H Club Rifle Match.

Tiny Insects Do Tremendous Damage

Those tiny insects in your grain bin may be small, but they do a tremendous lot of damage to stored grain. That's the word from the USDA Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine.

The first place to start getting rid of them is right inside the bin itself. By doing a good job of bin cleaning, and afterward spraying with 5 percent DDT before the newly harvested grain is put in, you can go a long way toward killing off the hold-over infestation. Also, you are giving the new grain a chance to escape damage.

Dr. H. G. Johnston, head of the Texas A. and M. College department of entomology, says these tiny insects get one out of every eight bushels of farm stored grain in Texas. Missouri loses one bushel in ten, according to 1948 figures. But in that same year, the national loss average to insects was one in twenty. So, Texas is practically at the top of the "high loss" list.

Entomologists point out that grain losses can be lowered quite a bit by harvesting the grain as soon as it's dry enough for safe storage and by storing it in weathertight bins that have been made insect free by a thorough cleaning and spraying.

Then, after you've got all the grain in storage, check now and then to see if the bins are getting into it. If they are, fumigate with a mixture of ethylene dichloride and carbon tetrachloride at the rate of 3 to 6 gallons per 1,000 bushels, depending on how tight the storage bin is, Dr. Johnston says.

Stored grain insects take 300 million bushels of the nation's total production every year. That much grain is worth a lot of today's price. So Texas has a long way to go in cutting down her share of the 300 million bushels the insects get, he concludes.

Health Department Endorses D. D. T.

During the last several summers, considerable enthusiasm was shown by various local organizations such as Chambers of Commerce, many Civic Organizations, and others in the arranging of a fly eradication program. Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer says that for taking interest in this work, the responsible parties are to be commended.

However, without year-round community sanitation the ultimate result, which is so important has not always been too successful: in some areas this has given rise to rumors that flies are DDT resistant.

"The Texas State Department of Health heartily endorses a fly spraying program, provided it includes a general clean-up program carried out during the entire year," Dr. Cox said. "For example, why spray a garbage heap that not only invites but actually breeds flies when it should be removed. Why spray the city dump when it really should be covered. I fear the unblended spraying program is similar to the application of perfume or toilet water to overcome B. O. or the application of powder to cover dirt."

In a well planned fly control program, Dr. Cox declared, all places where flies gather, such as dumps, rubbish piles, garbage piles, decaying vegetation should be cleaned up by hauling away and burying. Proper garbage and rubbish containers with fly tight covers should be demanded from all. All buildings should be screened. Then, secure a sprayer outfit, preferably with one or more hoses each manned by a skilled operator to spray the areas where flies and other insects will light. It does little good to spray the center of the street, the ball diamond or the sidewalks. Spray the surfaces where insects light or breed.

A residual spray remains active until the DDT washes off or is covered with grease, dirt or soot. This usually lasts four to six weeks. After that, a second spray is recommended provided the item of clean-up is still being carried out.

BILL VENCIL ELECTED BOSS LION TUESDAY NIGHT

In their regular business meeting Tuesday night the Jayton Lions Club elected Bill Vencil as the new president. Other officers elected include: Euel Harrison, vice president, Claude Kelley, tail twister, Floyd Hall Lion tamer, P. D. Allen, secretary and Marvin Fuller and E. V. Peek directors.

Mrs. Herman Bush and family of Lubbock spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rice.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Monk are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Johnston, this week.

Farmers Must Request Wheat Allotments

The owner or operator of farms on which wheat was NOT seeded for harvest in any of the years, 1947, 1948, or 1949, but on which wheat will be seeded for harvest in 1950, must request, in terms of specific acreage, a 1950 wheat acreage allotment, if an allotment is subsequently to be established for such farms.

The requested 1950 wheat acreage allotment must be submitted in writing by the owner or operator to the County Committee. Persons requesting such 'new' wheat acreage allotments should go to the AAA office or get in touch with the local committeemen and file such request. The County Committee, subject to the approval of the State Committee, will set a closing date for receiving requests for 'new' farm acreage allotments. In no event will the closing date be later than the normal seeding time in the area.

Crasshoppers To Be "Bombed" From Air

The big air war to head off a new grasshopper plague started today on the ranges of Wyoming and Montana.

From five bases poison-laden planes were taking off on the first flights of a month-long aerial "bombing" campaign. The goal is to wipe out grasshoppers in their favorite nesting grounds.

"We are just beginning to give them hell," said tall, sun-burned Leo Iverson of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

For three weeks, parties of bug experts under Iverson's supervision rode over a 300,000,000-acre danger zone, picking out the worst grasshopper concentration places. They pinpointed on country maps the areas where the 'hopper' population was "critical"—where 20 to 200 could be counted in a square yard.

New poisons concealed in a bran the grasshoppers like will be spread over these areas by planes. These insecticides are so lethal only four tenths of one ounce in five pounds of bran will cover an acre. The USDA expects a 99 per cent kill.

The range 'hoppers are about half-grown now. If left to live they would sprout wings in 10 days and take off in swarms to devastate cropland over a tremendous area.

By the last of July, they would lay their eggs—at least 100 for each female—and set the stage for a terrible new generation that could very likely turn the grain belt into a dust bowl.

On the cattle and sheep ranges, Iverson figures that 30 grasshoppers to the yard will eat 350 pounds of forage off each acre. That's more than half what the ranchers of this area expect an acre to produce in good times.

It doesn't leave enough for the livestock. The only alternative—except getting rid of the 'hoppers—is to ship the stock to pastures in other states or to the slaughter house.

Cotton Trade Slow During Past Week

Although spot cotton markets were quiet again this week in Oklahoma and Texas, interest turned toward the new crop as first bales from the Lower Rio Grande Valley captured the usual attention and premiums, reports the Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Inquiries from domestic mills and European countries for new crop cotton for forward shipments became more numerous, but sales were small.

Conditions of the new crop took over in nearly all areas, according to the latest reports from cotton farmers. Insect infestation is generally light, so poisoning is not general.

Demand for 1948 cotton remained stagnant last week with a few inquiries from domestic mills for special lots, mostly low grades. Sales in the ten spot markets dropped to 45,922 bales compared to 48,209 for the corresponding week last year. This is one of the few periods of the year that current sales fell below those of a year ago.

Dallas, Houston and Galveston bales and differences were unchanged this past week as Middling 15-16 inch quotations hovered around 32.53 cents per pound. Last week at this time cotton brought 36.60 to 37.10 cents per pound at these markets, or about \$20 to \$23 per bale higher than current quotations.

Prices for new crop futures were slightly stronger last week than those for the old crop.

Cotton gray goods markets saw less active demand and declining prices last week.

Community Singing At Girard Sunday

There will be a community singing at Girard next Sunday, June 26 beginning at 2:30 p. m. in the High School Auditorium. A large crowd is expected to be present with many singers taking part in this feast of song. Everyone is invited to attend. It is requested that everyone bring a song book.

BITES HELD SUNDAY FOR MRS. EVA HAMLIN

Funeral services for Eva Hamlin, 80, were held Sunday, June 19, at 3:00 p. m. at the Methodist Church. Rev. L. B. Taylor, pastor, officiated. Interment was in the Jayton Cemetery under the direction of Robinson Funeral Home.

Mrs. Hamlin died at her home in Jayton Friday night.

Eva Hopper Hamlin was born July 26, 1868 in Kentucky. At the age of 20 she married Horace Hamlin. In 1902, she, with her husband and children, moved to Kent County.

Her husband, Horace Hamlin preceded her in death in 1925.

She is survived by five sons: John, Portales, N. M., Lee, Raisen, California, O. H. and Bob, Jayton and Lark of Fort Worth; and two daughters: Lizzie Hagar and Annie Grice of Jayton. In addition she is survived by thirty-seven grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Importance Of Highway Signs Stated

Austin, June 22—Would you drive with your head tucked under the dashboard of your car?

It's as sensible to do that, State Highway Engineer D. C. Greer said today, as to ignore warning signs along the streets and highways. "Either one represents a case of living blind," Greer said. "and cars aren't equipped for blind flying."

The Texas Highway department is cooperating this month with the Texas Safety Association in an effort to impress the importance of traffic markers on motorists and pedestrians alike.

"Traffic signs and signals and pavement markings cover almost every situation that can be anticipated, yet the regularity with which they are ignored is appalling," Greer said. "A conscientious observance of traffic signs would help greatly to reduce traffic accidents."

Greer pointed out that traffic signs are easily recognized by their distinctive shapes, even at a distance that makes their lettering illegible. And he urged drivers to increase their own traffic protection by learning what these shapes are.

"Round markers are used to indicate approaches to railroad crossings," he said. "The familiar 'cross-buck' marks the crossing itself. Ob-long signs indicate speed limits or other regulatory instructions. Diamond shaped signs warn of danger ahead. Eight-sided signs are used only for stop signs."

The Highway Engineer emphasized that every sign has a meaning and a purpose, and is installed for the protection and guidance of the people only after study by traffic engineers has established its advisability.

Farmers Eligible For Free Cotton Classing

Cotton farmers in organized improvement groups are urged to file their applications for benefits due them under the Smith-Doxey Act as soon as they have planted their crop.

"This is necessary because it takes time for groups to make arrangements for having samples taken and submitted to the classing office," Mr. H. J. Matejowsky, who is in charge of the Abilene classing office of the Cotton Branch, Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture, said today.

He explained that it takes at least 15 days to process applications and then deliver supplies to gins, warehouses, compresses or other agencies approved to take samples.

Groups that file their application as soon as their cotton is planted will be sure of getting them approved in plenty of time to get their first bales classed.

Cotton is classed without cost for farmers belonging to organized improvement groups under the Smith-Doxey Act.

Applications for this service should be sent to the U. S. Department of Agriculture, PMA, Cotton Branch, P. O. Box 2001, Abilene, Texas. Also, they may be secured from this office, the county PMA office, county agent or local gin.

"and!"

We understand that the 4-H Clubs of the county are sending a rodeo team to the Junior Rodeo at Big Spring next week. This rodeo is for boys and girls under 18 years of age.

"Girls," cried Mrs. Hawkins, "you think your husbands are helpless, but you should see mine. Why, Harry is so helpless that when he sews a button on his coat or darns his socks, I have to thread the needle for him!"

Farmers have been busy for the past 10 days trying to get their small grain harvested, cotton and feed planted and killing weeds. Bet there is not a farmer that will take time out to go fishing for a few weeks.

A Kentucky wife and her ever-thirsty husband had come down from the hills to do some trading in the settlement. The weary woman, alone now was making her last purchase in the general store, when she turned to an entering customer and said: "Corvella, did you see my Jeb anywhere out on the street?"

"Thought I just seen him standin' in front of the harness shop," said Corvella.

Shaking her head, the hill woman replied: "We bin in town nearly two hours, couldn't've been my Jeb you seen—not if he was still standin'."

According to Gene Shackelford, local Depot agent, six cars of wheat have been shipped so far this season. The price for wheat has ranged from \$1.45 to \$1.67 per bushel and many farmers have stored their grain to take advantage of the loan price of \$1.87.

The conversation had turned to the subject of fraternal organizations. This went on until one of the ladies who hadn't been interested to start with, became bored with the whole thing. Suppressing a yawn, she remarked:

"Well, I don't know anything about the Masons, but I do think their fruit jars are very nice."

Mr. H. W. Davis tells us that he is mighty pleased with the way the people of Kent County cooperated in helping to make the Annual Rodeo a success. As Mr. Davis put it, "I never saw a more courteous of better-mannered group at any rodeo."

"But, Doc," argued the sailor, "I'm only here for an eye exam. I don't have to take off my clothes for that."

"Strip down and get in line," the pharmacist's mate shouted.

The sailor obeyed, but kept grumbling. The chap in front of him finally turned around and said, "What are you kicking about? I only came here to deliver a telegram!"

Sorry folks that we did not have the results of the rodeo but the book-keeper was out of the county and to avoid confusion if we should make a mistake we will wait until next week to give you the results of the various events.

Two hollow-eyed, bleak looking Scots were discussing a wild party they had attended the night before.

"D'ye ken," said one of them, "that Mac fell in the river on his way home last night?"

With some effort the other Scot focused his thoughts upon this dreadful intelligence.

"Ye dinna mean tae say that he was drowned?" he inquired fearfully.

The other shook his head, albeit a little slowly and painfully.

"Na, na," he replied, "not drowned, but sadly diluted!"

Zephie Brown Enrolled At McMurry

Zephie Brown, Jayton, was among 294 students to register last week at McMurry college, Abilene, for the annual summer school session.

This is the smallest summer enrollment in McMurry college since the close of the recent war. Of this group approximately 90 will complete their degree requirements for graduation September 2. Many other students are teachers taking various types of refresher courses.

Included in the summer curriculum of McMurry are fifty-three courses in the fields of art, education, science, religion, foreign language, business administration, English, math, history and special music courses, both vocal and instrumental. Additional teachers have been added to the math, art and business administration staffs for the summer.

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NOTICE TO PUBLIC

Any erroneous reflection upon the reputation or standing of any individual, firm, or corporation that may appear in the columns of The Jayton Chronicle, will be gladly corrected when called to our attention.

LEGAL NOTICES

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1

Proposing an amendment to Section 2 of Article VI of the Constitution, repealing the provision making the payment of poll tax a qualification of an elector; requiring the Legislature to pass a general registration law for voters; providing for the necessary election, proclamation and publication by the Governor, and making an appropriation.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 4

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, by amending Section 19 of Article 16, so as to provide that the qualification of persons to serve as a juror shall be grand jurors and petit jurors shall be denied or abridged on account of sex; providing that existing provisions of the Constitution shall be construed in conformity herewith; providing for the submission of this amendment to a vote of the qualified electors of the State of Texas; and making an appropriation for such purpose.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5

Proposing an amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas, authorizing the Legislature to provide for the creation and establishment of rural fire prevention districts.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Hamilton and son visited Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Patterson and girls at Seminole, Texas, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cooley of Vernon, Texas, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sewall and Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Murdoch last Thursday.

Miss Sue Newberry and Gene Tible of Lubbock spent last Sunday in Jayton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Newberry.

Paula Jane Dye of San Angelo, Texas, visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Johnston last week.

Clyde Green of Amarillo is visiting friends in Jayton this week.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 2

Proposing an Amendment to Section 2 of Article III of the Constitution relating to the compensation of the Legislature and the members of the Legislature and the members of the House of Representatives.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 15

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding a new section to be known as Section 48-a, authorizing the Legislature to provide for the establishment of health units, and authorizing a tax to support them.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 19

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for the creation and establishment of rural fire prevention districts.



"I dented a fender dear—you'd better take it down to MASON CHEVROLET COMPANY tomorrow."

Mrs. B. F. Meadows of Albany, Texas, spent the past two weeks in Jayton with her daughter, Mrs. J. T. Leech.

Mr. and Mrs. Leadus Buckalew and children of Long Beach, California, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Buckalew last week end.

Sue Barfoot of Lubbock visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barfoot, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 22

Proposing an Amendment to Article V, Section 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide that the Judge of the District Court shall conduct the proceedings at the county seat of the county in which the case is pending, except as otherwise provided by law.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 35

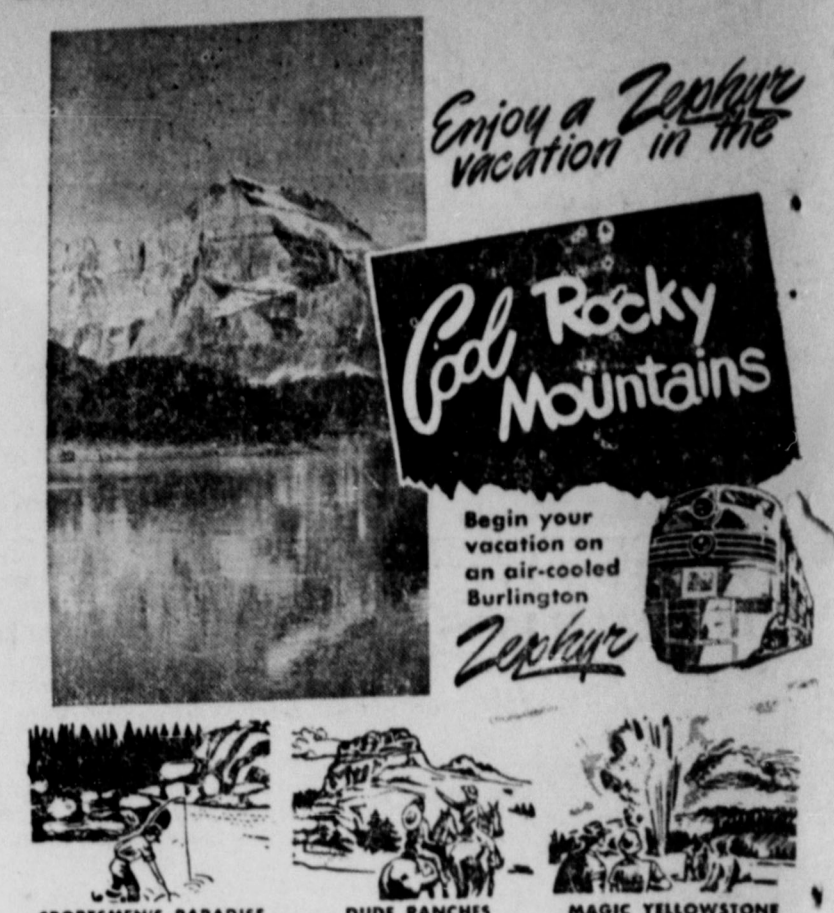
Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding to Article XVI a new Section to be numbered 63 and authorizing the Legislature to provide for a statewide system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of the several counties of this State.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 32

Proposing an Amendment to Article I of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto another Section following Section 12, providing that the Legislature may provide for the submission of this Amendment to the voters of this State in the form of a ballot to be printed on the pre-amendment and publication thereof.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 34

Proposing an Amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for the establishment and creation of hospital districts; providing for the Governor's proclamation and submission to the people.



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CARD OF THANKS
It is with a feeling of helplessness that we attempt to thank all the nice, good people for so many different kindnesses during the illness and death of our loved one.
May the Lord bless all of you.
The family of Mrs. Eva Hamlin

J. H. Fulcher is attending the Lueders Encampment this week.

Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Murdoch had business in Abilene last Monday.

J. H. Bolch had business in Dallas last week.

Mrs. M. D. Fuller, Mrs. W. C. Dibrell and children and Miss Patsy Hall had business in Abilene last Thursday.

I. F. Murdoch and J. A. Parks had business in Abilene last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Towers of Penrose, Colorado, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Hamilton last Monday.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to take this means of extending our sincerest thanks and appreciation to the many friends and neighbors who, by their thoughtful and sympathetic actions and words, helped us to bear our loss in the passing of a dear companion, father and grandfather.

We wish to especially thank Mrs. Dibrell and Dr. Alexander for rendering every possible service during the last hours of our loved one. To the ministers, singers and to our friends who contributed the beautiful floral offering. We also want to thank Mr. Robert Moore for his special favor to us.

Our sincerest wish for you is that if and when you should suffer such a loss that you will be surrounded by friends whose kindness and words of encouragement will inspire you as it has us, toward God.

May God bless each of you in our prayer.

Mrs. Pugh, Henry, Essie, Susie, and Ollie.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Cave and Cathy Ann.

SAVE MONEY ON LUMBER

2 x 4' or 2 x 6's per hundred board feet \$ 6.75
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Ladies rayon panties, pastels and white. Brief style. Regularly sold for 49c. 3 pairs for

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Ladies satin and multifilliment crepe gowns. Colors: maize, green and blue Regularly priced to \$5.95

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Children's Panties

Children's rayon panties. Colors: pink or white. Regular 50c value. 3 pairs—

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Gowns and Pajamas

One group of children's Tom Girl gowns and pajamas. Broadcloth and seersucker. Sizes 8 to 14. Regularly sold at \$3.95

\$2.98

Regularly sold at \$2.98

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Ladies' Gloves

One group of ladies fabric and nylon shorty gloves—White only—Regularly \$1.49 Value

98c

Regularly \$1.00 Value

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LADIES' DRESSES

1st Group—Ladies' summer sheer dresses, tissue gingham, dotted swiss, bemberg sheers. All new and beautifully styled. Regularly priced to \$12.95

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106 pairs ladies' straw sandals—Colors yellow, brown, red and green. Sizes 5 to 9. Regularly priced \$2.95

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Pvt. Ray King of Houston visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. King, in Jayton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hall of Lubbock are visiting relatives in Jayton this week.

LOST:
Little Collie pup, 2 months old. Finder please return to Ronnie Brantner. 25-1tp

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones and children of Abilene, Texas, spent last week end in Jayton with friends and relatives.

FOR RENT OR SALE:
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Mr. Marvin Williams of Roosevelt, Texas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williams, the first of the week.

FOR SALE:
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Mr. and Mrs. John Vincent of Roosevelt, Texas and their daughter, Mrs. Jimmy Akin and son of North Carolina were seeing friends in Jayton Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Maurine Dibrell visited her mother, Mrs. Fannie Evans, in Burkett, Texas, and her son, Cleburne, and wife in Austin a few days last week.

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- Ten-B-Low, 10 oz. can 12c
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