

## ANS COMPLETE FOR CENTRAL WEST TEXAS FAIR OPENING WEDNESDAY

### Congressman George Mahon Addresses Farmers Group Here

### AUTOMOBILE RACES MAJOR ATTRACTION

#### Pioneers To Re-enact Scene

Annual meeting during the Fair two years ago, which will again be reenacted on a much larger scale Friday, October 22, official Pioneer Day at the Central West Texas Fair.



### DISCUSS PROPOSED FARM LEGISLATION

Believe Allotments Should Be Based On Past Records

Congressman George Mahon of Colorado, spoke to a packed courtroom of Haskell County farmers and business men here Monday afternoon proposed farm legislation for 1938.

Plans for allotment basis for Haskell County farmers was discussed spiritedly among cotton producers, Congressman Mahon, explained the present situation and needed revision under the present set-up brought comment from many present.

"The matter of allotment is a pretty tough proposition," said Mahon and the views of the people of West Texas must be considered in solving this allotment problem, for next year's program, he stated.

A national plan of allotment would curtail production in this section on the "50-50" basis for two percent, favored by many. Cotton acreage in the county is now 299,000 acres. On a State basis it would be lowered twenty-four percent. "Shall it be equalized among counties?" Although there must be a general law, such heavy reduction in this cotton production section could not be without by farmers, he explained.

More than three hundred were present for the agricultural association meeting, although it was not known that he was to speak here until Saturday.

Many of the three hundred farmers expressed themselves in short talks and the rest by vote. All except five voted for a compulsory program of some kind. The group also decided that allotments to the states and counties should be based on past records but that after Haskell county got its allotment each individual farmer within the county should get a certain per cent of his total cultivated acres for cotton. This percent would be uniform within the county.

Mr. Mahon stressed that the only way for farmers to get the kind of program they want is to let their congressman know their desire, through their organizations as well as through individual letters and personal contact. Jesse B. Smith, chairman of the meeting, H. Weinert, B. Walters, and others assured Mr. Mahon that they would back him up in any action he took.

### SLEEPING SICKNESS DISEASE REPORTED HEAVY IN COUNTY

Early Treatment Of This Disease Results In Few Fatalities

More than a hundred cases of sleeping sickness or encephalomyelitis have been reported in Haskell County within the past three weeks, but the dreaded brain disease is believed to have reached its peak and with first cold weather will cease altogether, authorities state.

Early treatment of the disease has resulted in only a few fatalities. When not treated, it is estimated that fatality may reach as high as 60 percent of the infected animals. It is confined to horses and mules and does not affect other livestock, report stockmen.

Early fall weather for the southward movement of mosquitoes and flies is blamed for the disease. Serum supply has been exhausted but other treatment is usually beneficial. Symptoms are variable, authorities state. First noticed is general dullness, sleepiness followed by loss of appetite, loss of flesh, increased temperature, partially to complete blindness, and staggered gait. Placing the animal on high ground, heavy feeding, and watering aid the animal. Water may be forced down; the animal if necessary. Reports the last three weeks indicate that most of the affected stock have recovered. It is believed that with the first cold weather the disease will cease.

Mrs. Billie Burt has returned from Denver, Colo., where she and Mr. Burt had been the past four months and he took a pharmacy course. Mr. Burt will join her soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Whatley of Stamford visited in the home of their parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. R. Whatley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Burton and daughter Nancy and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pierson visited relatives in Monday Sunday afternoon.

#### Speaks Here



GEORGE MAHON

### CHAMPIONS ENTER THREE DAY RACE MEET TO BE HERE

Competition To Be Strong In Large Field of Entries

Chemicals for dust-proof treatment of the Haskell Speedway were unloaded at the track Monday morning, stated Gene Tonn, race chairman. Twenty-five drums of calcium chloride and twelve tons of sodium chloride will be applied on the track Tuesday afternoon, before the first races Wednesday, making it absolutely dust-proof.

Twenty-two drivers will be here for the three day meet Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday. Several of these raced in the meet at Shreveport Sunday and will drive here in time for the first race. Others are coming from Houston, Chicago, Dallas, Tulsa, Okla., Austin, Kansas, Nebraska and other places.

Red Hodges, three times winner of the championship in the Southwestern Auto Racing Association, and leader in this year's meets will be here again in his D. O. Hal special. Oscar Coleman of Chicago in a D. O. Crager, contender for the title will try to take the lead here in this championship meet.

Rex Edmonds, one-eyed speed demon from Houston, gray-haired veteran of the tracks, is entering a Mercedes job that has been giving racers keen competition in Dallas.

Herschel Buchanan in his privately owned D. O. Hal, Johnny Holland from Houston with a D. O. McDowell, fence busting Cotton Grabble, Tiney Gilber, 250 pound racing demon from Denver in a new D. O. Dryer, Buddy Rusch, Joe Thurman, Louise Nance, Bill Morris, Leonar Musick with a rocker arm Crager from Lincoln, Neb.

Gene Frederick who has finished second in the Southwestern race, will be a strong contender in the \$1,500 purses in a new racer he has just completed.

Chas. Fouts Jr., of Corpus Christi spent the week-end here visiting friends and relatives.

### HASKELL INDIANS WIN EASY VICTORY OVER ROBY FRIDAY

First Conference Game With Anson Tigers Friday Night

The Haskell Indians, opening in the second half, started a 36 yard march down the field that was irresistible, defeating the Roby Lions 6-0 here Friday night. Three successive first downs with power-house plays through the visitors line placed the ball in scoring position. Rogers plunged the ball over the pay from the three yard line standing up. Thomason's kick was wide.

Again in the final period the Indians headed for pay dirt with determination but were stopped on the one foot mark when the final whistle ended the game. Fleet McMillin, half, raced around end for gains of 18, 12, and 8 yards. Josselot, on the aged "Statue of Liberty" play went through center for 21 yards before the secondary defense brought him down. But they met a solid wall inches from the goal on the next two line plays.

Roby stopped another march down the field near their own goal in the first quarter, after Haskell has made continuous gains with laterals, and smashing line plunges by Rogers and Josselot. Prettiest piece of broken field running was seen when McMillin returned a punt 40 yards in the final period.

Roby defeated five times this season, before Friday night's game, had four first string players on the bench with injuries. Jarnigan and Burris played exceptionally good ball for their club.

Playing their first conference game here Friday night against the Anson Tigers the Indians will meet perhaps the strongest team on their schedule. Anson won an easy victory over Rule Friday 13-0.

In the only conference game in the district Stamford defeated Albany 14-0.

Midway attractions this year feature Western States Shows with forty attractions and a dozen rides, many new and novel. Every night there will be free circus acts on the Midway with Captain Kenneth Blake in his sensational leap of 110 feet in the air into a tank of boiling fire.

Final boxing event of the year will be held Thursday night at the City Hall arena, under the sponsorship of the Fire Department, with an all-star card of thirty-rounds of amateur boxing.

Seal Bros. Circus, with its entire menagerie, clowns, trapeze artists and other entertainment gives two performances here Friday, matinee and night.

Races will be held again Thursday and Saturday afternoons, starting at 1:30 p. m.

Final Fights Are Scheduled Thursday Night

Mrs. T. L. Grace was carried to the Stamford Sanitarium in a Jones, Cox & Company ambulance Monday where she will have a cast removed from her leg. Mrs. Grace was injured about three months ago when a bicycle ran over her.

#### District Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Stamford	1	0	1.000
Albany	1	1	.500
Hamlin	0	1	.000
Haskell	0	0	.000
Anson	0	0	.000

Perkins-Timberlake Co. 3  
Smitty's 7  
Haskell Motor Co. 3  
Seal Bros. Show 6  
Chapman & Lowellen 2  
W. A. Lyles 4  
Haskell National Bank 4  
R. R. (Rip) Davenport 2  
T. C. Cahill 3  
West Texas Utilities Co. 6  
Hunt's Store 2  
Wheatley's Shoe Shop 8  
Piggly Wiggly 3  
Reeves-Burton Motor Co. 5  
McNeill & Smith Hdw. Co. 5  
McCullum Hardware 4  
Phelps Ice Co. 8  
F. & M. State Bank 4  
Service Cleaners 8  
Tonkawa Coffee Shop 8  
Texas Cafe 4  
Payne Drug Co. 8  
Outs Drug Store 8  
Berry's Pharmacy 4  
Reid's Drug Store 8  
Texas Theatre 8  
Jones, Cox & Company 8  
Menefee & Fouts 5  
Jones, Cox & Company 6

Funeral Services For Wreck Victim Rochester Tuesday

Mr. Wes Lisenbee was fatally injured in an automobile accident at Huntsville Saturday night. His wife, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom L. Hicks of Rochester, and two young daughters were not seriously hurt.

The body is being brought to Rochester where funeral services will be held at two p. m. Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lisenbee formerly lived at Rochester.

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### EXECUTIVES MAKE EFFORTS FOR 1937 EVENT

Work And Planning Responsible For Success

Attorney, banker, doctor, merchant, rancher, insurance man, all are on the Board of Directors of the Central West Texas Fair. It is this group that is responsible for this outstanding event.

There has been no small task undertaken and put over for their home city. They stand for the joint efforts of veterans and young men of the progress of a great and ranching section.

Each of these men has distinguished himself in his business and civic work on through all sorts of things and marking the history of the city and this section.

Efforts to make this thirteenth Fair exceed any event has required many workers on their part, and patience. To these officers and directors of the Fair Association we owe this year's great event.

### Officials Issue Stock Warning For Exhibitors

Recently at the stables on the Central West Texas Fair grounds one of the jacks had encephalomyelitis, or commonly called sleeping sickness. The jack has been moved from the fair grounds and all stables, buildings and grounds are being thoroughly cleaned and disinfected to insure any possible contamination that might have resulted from the disease.

We are advised by reliable authorities that the disease is spread by flies and mosquitoes and experiments conducted on the disease lead the authorities to believe that it is not spread by contact. Therefore, it would seem that an animal would be as safe on the fair grounds as it would on a farm or ranch.

Sleeping sickness of the equine encephalomyelitis type seems to be confined to horses and mules and apparently does not affect other kind of livestock.

However we want prospective exhibitors to know the facts and animals exhibited will be at the risk of the exhibitor.

File Injunction To Stop W. T. C. C. Move To Abilene

District Judge Dennis P. Rutliff issued a temporary injunction restraining the West Texas Chamber of Commerce from moving its headquarters from Stamford to Abilene.

Abilene was voted the new headquarters home by executive board Friday after acceptance of an offer from Abilene business men tendering the old post office and federal building as the permanent W.T.C.C. home, along with \$5,000 cash for renovating the interior.

The request for the injunction came Sunday by a group of Stamford citizens including the Stamford Chamber of Commerce, Stamford Board of City Development and others. Citizens there were irate over the secret plan to move headquarters office it was reported.

Injunction was issued on the grounds that the executive board did not have power to authorize the move without a referendum vote of all the directors, Mr. Frances, executive board member, said. Hearing has been set for November 15 at Anson at which time the injunction will be made permanent or dissolved.

Courtney Hunt, local W. T. C. C., said that while he had no personal interest in where the Chamber headquarters were located, he "doubted the authority of the executive board to take such action without the sanction of the board of directors."

### THIRTY-FIVE CCC YOUTHS ENROLLED IN ARIZONA CAMP

Second Quota Examined In Wichita Falls On Wednesday

A second quota of twenty-five boys for enrollment in Civilian Conservation Camps will complete final application at the Haskell Relief office Tuesday morning, announced Mrs. Mack Perdue, county relief agent, following this examination they must report at the Wichita Falls recruiting station by ten o'clock Wednesday. Five alternates will also be sent.

Thirty-five youths from Haskell County were enrolled in camp at Yuma, Arizona last Tuesday for regular period of enlistment. Those accepted were:

Harvey Norwood, Henry Townsend, Baker Lindsey, Oscar Walton, Olen Breeden, Adam Slinger, Eldridge Pace, Alvin Farmer, Thelon Jones, Keel Acree, Johnnie Featherston, George Tatum, Paul L. Craig, Raymond Woolridge, Clifton Duncan, Richard Spinks, Marvin Jones, Jack Hendrix.

Paul Bell, Bill Pitman, Willard Fowler, Doyce Easterling, Dowell Goodyear, Jesse L. Alley, Vester Bland, Joe Groce, J. C. Jones, Rex Pointer, Bayler Walker, Edmond Hudspeth, Carl Hunt, Leonard Hemphister, William Spinks, Clarence Snodgrass and Randolph Wilson.

Abilene To Send Delegation Here For Opening Day

A delegation of Abilene visitors will attend the opening day of the Central West Texas Fair Wednesday, designated as Abilene and Wichita Falls day. The Abilene Christian College band will accompany the goodwill excursion and will lead a unit in the parade at one o'clock.

T. N. Carswell, secretary of the Abilene Chamber of Commerce, will lead the motor caravan, which will arrive at eleven a. m. All plan to attend the automobile races in the afternoon.

### Proclamation

KNOW ALL MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That, WHEREAS, Haskell County is holding its thirteenth annual Central West Texas Fair in Haskell October 20-23. WHEREAS, automobile races, agricultural exhibits, livestock and poultry shows, Midway attractions, Circus, pageant, grand parade, and Old Settler's Reunion are presented for your entertainment, pleasure and fun frolicking good time.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, F. G. Alexander, Mayor of the city of Haskell, do hereby proclaim the week of October 20-23 FAIR WEEK, during which week I most respectfully invite all West Texas, our students, teachers, parents, Pioneers, young and old, to attend this gala occasion, and make it bigger and better than ever before.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto sign my name and affix my seal of office on this the 18th day of October, A. D. 1937.

F. G. ALEXANDER, Mayor.

### Official Program of the Central West Texas Fair

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 20	THURSDAY OCTOBER 21	FRIDAY OCTOBER 22	SATURDAY OCTOBER 23
2:00 p. m.—Automobile races.	9:00 a. m.—Gates Open. Old Settlers register at City Hall. Midway Attractions.	9:00 a. m.—Gates Open. Old Settlers register at City Hall. Midway Attractions.	9:00—Gates Open.
6:00 p. m.—Sponsors Chuck Wagon Dinner.	10:00—Awarding of prizes.	1:30—Automobile races.	10:00—Awarding of prizes.
8:00 p. m.—Pageant, Indian Field. Midway Attractions.	12:30—Pioneer's free barbecue at fair grounds.	7:00—Midway attractions, free acts.	7:00—Midway attractions, free acts.



Beauties With Western States Shows



Three beautiful girls from the side shows of the Western State Shows, carnival that will furnish entertainment at the Central West Texas Fair. This carnival will open Monday, October 18, two days before the fair and will remain for the week. Every night will be free circus acts featuring Captain Kenneth Blake in his sensational dive of 110 feet into a tank of boiling fire.

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Farmers To Carry Own Risks Under Plan of Insurance

Under the Government crop insurance plan in legislation in the House, each producer virtually carries his own risk, William H. Rowe of the Federal Bureau of Agricultural Economics, said at the annual convention of the National Association of Mutual Insurance Companies at Grand Rapids, Mich., Wednesday. A crop insurance program, he pointed out, would tend to reduce the need for other forms of agricultural relief and help stabilize farm income and farm prices. The pending bill has been passed by the Senate.

Using wheat as an illustration, Rowe pointed out the system of payment of premiums and indemnities in this crop is one of the unique features of the plan. It would make it possible to insure yields only. Attempts to insure income, involving not only production but prices, have been one of the most important causes of finance in the past, he said. This program does not attempt to guarantee the farmer a price for his product, but only to protect him against a low yield of his crop. The plan provides an option for payment of both premiums and indemnities in cash equivalent as an alternative to payment in kind. The cash equivalent would be the market price of the wheat.

If the farmer did not choose to deliver wheat as a premium, he would pay the market price of that wheat instead. He also could receive payment for losses in cash at the market price of the wheat due him. Flexibility would be obtained through the opportunity of using warehouse receipts or the cash equivalent of the wheat. The premium per acre to be paid for this insurance would be determined in part by the loss experience on the insured farm and in part by the loss experience for the county or district. This insurance would lean strongly to an individual rating basis. The loss experience for the farm can be determined easily once the survey of annual yield for the base period is known, Rowe said.

The efficient farmer would not be burdened with the losses of the inefficient, nor would good land carry the losses of the poor land. In the most hazardous areas of production, the cost of insurance would tend to be high, and less insurance presumably will be sold in these areas. On sub-marginal land, where the rate will be highest, the problem is not primarily one of fluctuations in yield but of low average income. In such areas the problem must be met not by insurance, but by other agricultural programs, he said.

WANTED—To contact parties that are planning to get married. Very interesting proposition. Answer by letter, A. R. Wright, Tenkawa Hotel.

THE MATTSON

Round Up

ROUNDUP STAFF

- Elva Couch Editor-in-Chief
John Alex Mayfield Associate Editor
LaVerne Guess Society Editor
Clyde Crume Boy Sport Editor
LaVerna Guess Girl Sport Editor
Wald Blair Joke Editor

WELCOME!

The teachers and students wish to welcome our new students. The Treadwell girls are really not new students, for they enrolled at the beginning of school; they have been working. These girls resumed their studies at Mattson last Monday.

The "Freeland Twins", Bob and John have started to school. They are cordially welcomed by the football boys as well as by the student body.

THE TEST

When everything is going your way, of course you can be glad. If things are going just like you want them to, then it is easy to be happy. When everyone likes your company it is not hard to be contented with life.

What is your attitude toward life when "skies once blue are weeping"? Then it is hard to be gay, isn't it? If you can be cheerful and happy in time of distress, then you are helping someone along life's weary road. When all your friends turn against you it is easy to be downcast and gloomy but if you can be happy in spite of this and say, "What is best" then you have stood the test.

MUSTANG'S CORRAL

The Mattson Mustangs opened their season with a conference game with the Rochester Steers. To the surprise of many fans the Mustangs won the game 6-0.

The Mattson Mustangs and the Rule Obcats are now tied for first place in the Class C conference. As many of the fans have not learned the teams who compose the Class C conference I will list them: Munday Moguls, Rule Bobcats, Rochester Steers, Lueders Oilers, Aspermont and the Mattson Mustangs. The Knox City Greyhounds were also in this conference but they have withdrawn.

The schedule of the Mustangs is as follows:
October 15—Munday, there.
October 22—Rule, here.
October 29—Sylvester, there (No conference).
November 5—Open date, here.
November 11—Aspermont, there.
November 19—Open date, there.
November 24—Lueders, there.

WE WONDER

Who will win the football game Friday afternoon?

If Mr. Guess' face turned red when LaVerna slaped him out of excitement in the show Thursday night.

Where Jessie Kate and Addie May went when Mr. Coody inquired about them at the office during history class Friday morning.

If Ruth really means what she says about answering the letter she received from a certain red headed boy.

If Clyde will really make an opera singer. (He seems to think so).

If the locks on the lockers are a good idea. (La Vern and Bobby seem to think they are not).

Why Freida seemed so disappointed Friday night. (Maybe you will tell us Freida.)

Why Alice seemed to be a lot happier Monday. (Could it be because Bob started to school.)

If La Vern really disliked the idea of staying home Thursday night.

Lou of course we don't want to be inquisitive, but with who and why did you go to Stamford Monday night.

Did Clyde go to the cellar Friday night. (Where were you at Clyde.)

How Miss Crume and Miss Perrin made out with their boy friends Friday night.

Discontinuance Forecast For Old Age Assistance

Discontinuance of old age assistance after October, or a prororation resulting in a sharp reduction in grants, was forecast this week by the Texas Board of Control in an official communication addressed to State Representative Harry N. Graves.

The official statement indicated the possibility that payments to the needy aged might not be made in November, December, January and, probably, in February. Cause of the crisis, as explained by the members of the Board of Control, which is the Old Age Assistance Commission, is that all, or nearly all, of the present available state assistance funds will have to be used to take care of \$1,627,000 owed a Dallas bank and due not later than January 1.

Further, it was pointed out, the income from present state sources is \$100,000 less each month than Texas funds paid to the needy aged, which necessitates a drastic reduction in the size of the average grant. Grants average about \$14 per month.

WANTED—A contribution to clear the cemetery. Leave at cemetery booth during the Fair. Mrs. John Crawford, Secretary.

Southwestern R

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R. R. "Rip" Davenport

Munday and Haskell



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New Fall Dresses

\$2.49 and \$2.95 Values \$1.98

Other Dresses From \$2.95 to \$5.95



For Fair Week

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98c and \$1.19

Knee length and long Vanette Hosiery.

Beautiful LINGERIE

Reasonably Priced
Braziers 25c and 50c
Step-ins 25c and 69c
Bloomers 25c-69c
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Kids and Suedes Newest Styles

Priced from \$2.49 to \$3.95

New Creations In Fall Millinery

All New Fall Shapes and Colors.

From 98c to \$3.95



"Dress Up" For Fair Week ... See The New

Men's Suits

\$27.50 Suits reduced to

\$21.95

\$25.00 Suits reduced to

\$21.75

Very Special Values!



New Fall and Winter HATS

Buckskin Felts
\$3.00 Values, Fair Week \$2.49
\$4.00 Values, Fair Week \$3.95
Cowboy Broad Brim White \$12.50 Value Fair Week Only \$7.95

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Best Value we have ever had. Double and Single. You must see them to appreciate this value.

\$1.00 \$2.49
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FAIR WEEK

Oct. 20-23

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Throughout West Texas Minneapolis-Moline farm implements are being chosen by farmers... and their confidence is well founded because M-M Tractors, Plows, Combines and other time and money-saving equipment always deliver far better when put to the test. We invite your inquiries and inspection of the complete M-M line while attending the Fair.

GMC TRUCKS

Chapman and Lewellen



MUNDAY MOGULS VS. MATTSON MUSTANGS

The galloping Mustangs are to meet the Munday Moguls at Munday Friday, October 15. Come on Mattson patrons, let's show those Mustangs we are standing behind them. It will give them renewed courage and energy if they know someone is standing on the sidelines cheering for them. If you have ever played anything similar to football you will know how true that is. The pep squad will be backing you one hundred percent Mustangs, so come on "Strut Your Stuff."

JUNIORS HAVE PICNIC

The Junior class of Mattson High School met Friday night October 8, at the school house to go on their picnic at Rice Springs Park.

Although almost half of the juniors backed out because of the storm, several of them were present.

With plenty of picnic lunch the juniors started on their journey, but before they reached their destination, the storm struck.

They ate their lunch in the car while it was raining and after the storm they carried out their plans by going to see "Saratoga."

The juniors reported a very enjoyable time.

HOSS LAFFS

The teachers was giving the lass a lecture on gravity. "Now children," she said, "It is the law of gravity that holds us on the earth."

Ed W.—But teacher what held a on before the law was passed.

Just a Quarter

Father—Well, John, I received a note from your teacher today. John—Mr.—Is that so pop? Give me a quarter and I won't breathe a word to mother.

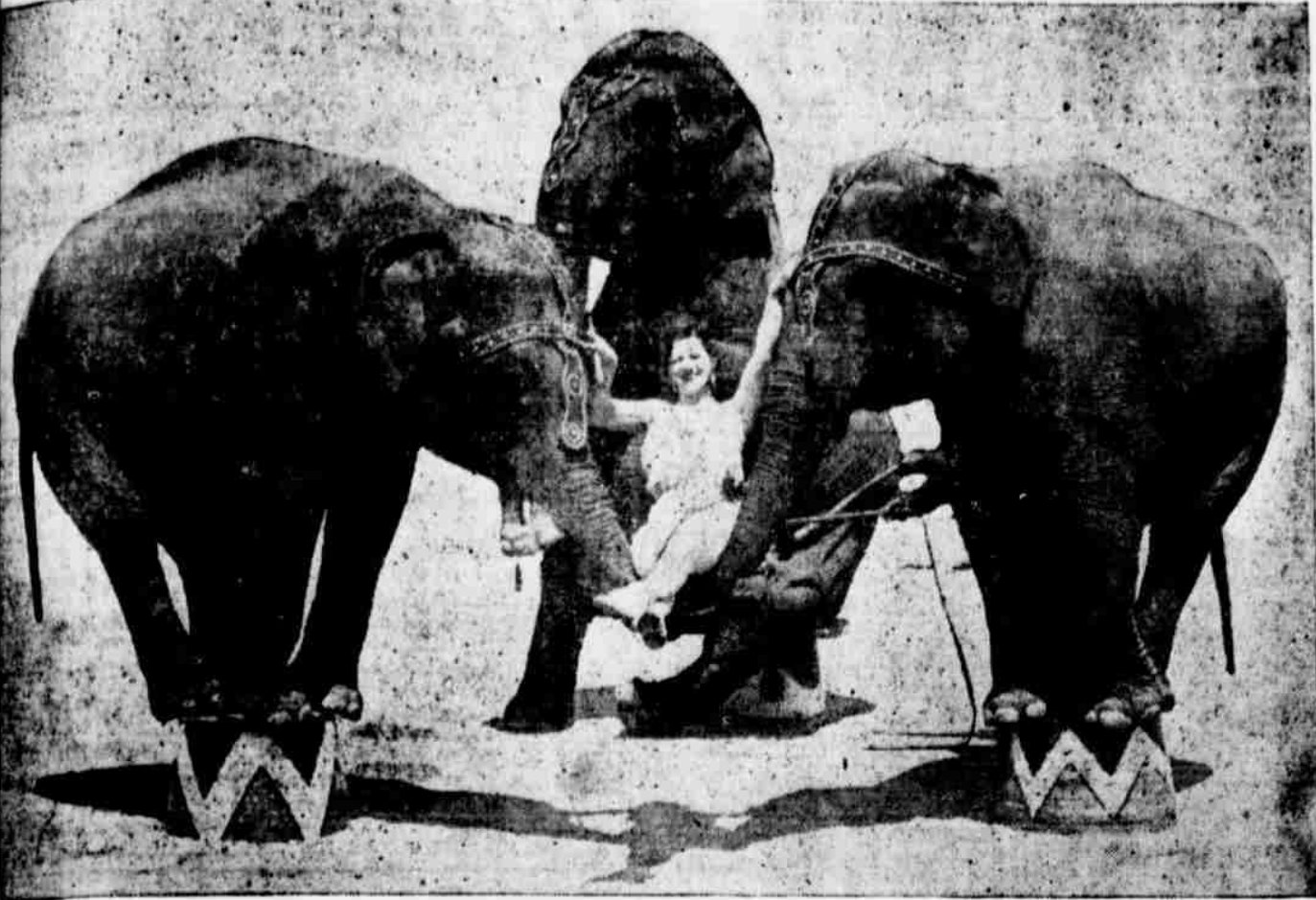
Mr. Coody—Leon give me he answers to the questions I wrote on the board yesterday. Leon—I don't have them.

Mr. Coody—Didn't you see the questions.

Leon—Yes, but I didn't see the answers.



### Just Playmates In The Circus



of Mrs. Ennis Carter Friday October 8.

"By this I mean," continued Miss Vaughan, "is to arrange the furniture and accessories to the relation of room and each other. Make it a quiet and restful appearance by not having too many decorations. Too many decorations makes a room seem more cluttered, but of course don't have it to bare.

Rugs and larger pieces of furniture should be parallel to the walls. Stand in the center of your room. Do you have a feeling of balance? Or are all of your larger furniture in one side of your room? If they are move them about until the sides of the room are more equal. Windows and doors help to balance small pieces of furniture.

There are two types of rooms, the formal and informal. The informal is used more, because of what we have. When you put a vase of flowers on a table to make it formal you have to use two vases exactly the same in size, color and shape. The flowers must be the same.

Mrs. B. H. Oliver vice president, presided in the absence of the president, Miss Maude Newberry.

Mrs. Ennis Carter gave the council report.

As our next meeting is election meeting Miss Vaughan gave a talk on electing our officers. We should be thinking about "who" will make the best officers.

After the business meeting for recreation a game of imitating animals was played. Mrs. G. O. Lewis received the prize which was a beautiful array of gifts.

Refreshments were served to the following: Visitors, Mrs. G. O. Lewis, Mrs. Aubrey Carter, Mrs. Ernest Hughes, Miss Inez Carver, Miss Dorothy Carter, Miss Bernice Carter and Miss Vaughan.

Members: Meedames, J. W. Herndon, G. K. Lynch, D. E. Cummings, J. W. Mannings, Ennis Carter, Mike Howell, B. H. Oliver, G. F. Williams, J. W. Carver, Jane Williams and S. S. Dozier.

#### REASONS, VALUE, MEANING WILD LIFE CONSERVATION

The increasing interest in the protection of wild life in West Texas as evidenced by the large number in organizations for this purpose, and the general tone, is most encouraging to the true sportsman, who really has at heart the betterment of hunting conditions.

In the past few years there has been a deplorable tendency on the part of many to be concerned only with results of their hunting; not to feel any compunction about violating laws, either man-made or of nature, provided a well-filled game bag can be secured.

The game laws were not passed to hamper, or place undue hardship on, the sportsman. They have as their purpose the conservation of game, and are passed only when it is felt that there is a need for them. As for violating them, the man who does that is hurting himself as much as anyone else, as regards future hunting conditions.

The best attitude to take is one of true observance. Don't feel that you might as shoot quail in October because if you don't kill them someone else will; take the attitude that if you wait until the season opens, so will the other fellow, and if every one adopts that attitude, the law will be observed.

The true sportsman, different from the ruthless hunter, also takes into consideration nature's laws of conservation. He does not kill every quail in a covey, but leaves some for seed; and in other ways which common sense will show are right, he helps keep the stock of game up.

The game preserve demonstration plan, which is being followed here by many farmers, should prove a real boon to the quail supply. Through it the farmer can realize a profit from his efforts to see that the birds have plenty of food and cover; and the sportsman through a small cash outlay, can be assured of good shooting.

If those who shoot in this territory will be sportsmen instead of hunters, the shooting will always be good, and everyone will feel the glow that comes from doing the right thing.

### Seal Bros. Circus To Be Here One Day For Fair Festival

Early Friday morning long before dawn the Seal Bros. Circus will arrive in Haskell and unload and begin the erection of their tented city, which everyone knows

a circus is a city within itself, and Seal Bros. Circus should be called Seal Bros. Circus City, as they have every artisan of a small city. Imagine yourself placed as the superintendent of this great task of moving this city every day from town to town. First, the flying squadron who surveys the show grounds and lay out the markers for the various tents. The dining

and horse tents are the first to be erected as the workmen and horses are the first to breakfast. The circus has twenty-four different departments and in that way every one has their task to do. The circus physician treats the ailing, the veterinarian inspects all the horses and animals, the detective is on duty the barber shop sets up. Carpenter, blacksmith, painter, mechanic, baker, butcher, lawyer, bookkeeper, stenographer all have their line of duty to perform in order to make the circus function on time. The Rose Carvassman with an army of carefree men go about with the raising of the various tents. The seat men, property men, electricians all have their regular routine to follow each day. When this is all done it is time to start the Parade. Seal Bros. Circus is the largest modern motorized circus coming this year, and the only one to give the old time free street parade, so be on hand early for the parade, then to the show lot, the ride show opens, then the ticket wagon opens where you secure your tickets for the circus which is housed under a mammoth tent, and one wonders how they put it up and take it down all in one day. Do your trading in Haskell as the merchants will have many bargains in store during the Fair. Save the price of a circus ticket and have an enjoyable day at small cost.

#### Mitchell

A very beneficial rain fell in this community Friday evening and night. There was some hail but not enough to be destructive. The rain has delayed the harvesting of the crops but will be an advantage to the planting of winter pastures and gardens. The storm that accompanied the rain in some sections did not visit this section and we are very thankful that it did not.

Several have reported horses that are sick with what is thought to be the sleeping disease.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lewis and daughter, Geneva, have gone to Dallas to be at the bedside of Mrs. Lewis' mother who is not expected to survive a stroke of paralysis.

A number of the school pupils are still staying out of school and pulling holes.

James Hewitt was sick and not able to attend school Monday.

#### The Hutto Home Demonstration Club

To make a room more attractive one does not have to be out any expense, by merely giving it a time, thought and consideration. Miss Vaughan, Home Demonstration Agent told the Hutto Home Demonstration Club in the home

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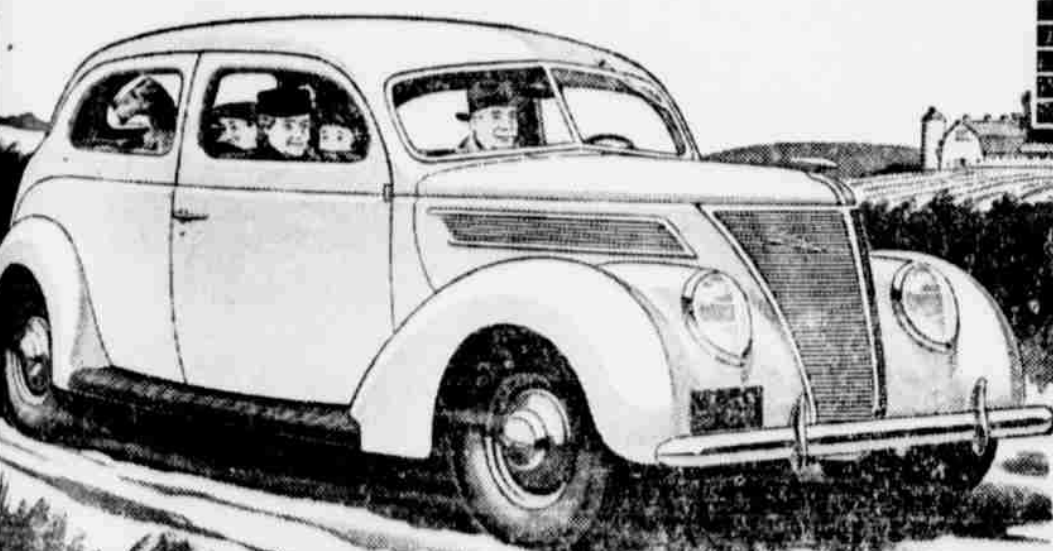
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Made from super quality home grown American cotton . . . Solid colors with striped borders . . . Tan, grey and white . . . Pair

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**\$10.95**

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Size 72x84 . . . Single blankets . . . weight 3 1-4 pounds . . . four inch silk bound . . . Soft fluffy all wool . . . shown in colors: rose, blue, green, peach, mahogany and wine . . . Packed in nice boxes . . . Each

**\$7.95**

### CHATHAM'S AIRLOOM . . . 80 PER CENT WOOL BLANKETS

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### THE OREGON LINE ARCTIC ALL WOOL BLANKETS

Size 72x84 . . . weight 4 pounds . . . solid colors with broad candy stripes . . . Looped ends . . . body colors: white, tan, gold, cedarwood and red . . . 100 per cent virgin wool . . . A husky warm long nap blanket . . . Nicely boxed . . .

**\$10.95**





# The WOMAN'S Page



Mrs. D. A. Jones and Mrs. Vick Kuenstler Hostess To Sunshine Sewing Club

Mrs. D. A. Jones and Mrs. Vick Kuenstler were hostesses to the Sunshine Sewing Club last Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Kuenstler.

Pals were revealed and a birthday shower given to Mrs. Jimmie Tyler.

After an hour of sewing, games were played and a delicious refreshment plate passed to:

Mesdames, J. S. Cullum, J. S. Cullum, Jr., a visitor, Walter Thomas Floyd Lusk, Hallie Chapman, Charles E. Smith, Jesse Barton, Jack Johnson, D. A. Jones, Vick Kuenstler.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. S. Cullum October 19.

Hutto Home Demonstration Club Will Meet October 22nd

The Hutto Home Demonstration Club will meet Friday October 22nd in the home of Mrs. J. W. Mannings at 2:00 p. m.

Each member is to turn in total containers of canned and dried foods and yeast breads made. Let's not fall down on this report, members!

Mrs. Ennis Carter will have

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charge of the program. This is the meeting we are to elect officers. Each member try to be present.

## Indian Chukar Partridge For Plains Sections

Announcement that the Texas Game Commission will plant the Indian Chukar Partridge in a few favored Panhandle sections is hailed with enthusiasm by sportsmen here who have mourned the practical extinction of the Prairie Chicken which left the Panhandle four years ago when the last straggling bird was shot on Spade Flats.

Game Warden Austin O'Neil, of Clarendon is inspecting likely covers for propagation of Chukar Partridges. He was unable to state definitely that the birds would be planted in this county, but said that he found areas here suitable for the purpose and that some of the game would be freed on favorable ranges in the Panhandle.

The warden described the bird as a native of India. He said that the grown game would weigh 1-2 pounds, being about three times as large as the Bob White and only slightly smaller than the Prairie Chicken, with a red head and red legs and white meat like that of the quail. It is about the color of the Mexican Blue Quail.

## YOUNG FARMERS—

Farmers in our cotton producing states, as well as those in foreign countries, are fast learning the value of planting Texas State Certified or Registered Seed Stock, according to a bulletin just released by Commissioner J. E. McDonald, State Department of Agriculture.

Mexico, Argentina, Greece, Italy, Ethiopia, Algeria and Ecuador are the foreign countries receiving the bulk of our cotton seed exports. Farmers in these countries recognized the superior quality of Texas State Certified and Registered Seed by purchasing 74,373 bushels of seed for the 1937 planting.

"After the cotton crop is gathered this fall," said McDonald "if the farmer who planted the seed of unknown quality will compare his yields and net profit per acre with that of his neighbor who planted pedigreed seed, he will readily see the advantage of planting proven seed for every crop."

Corn, oats, wheat, alfalfa, sorghum, Irish potatoes and broom corn are other major crop seeds produced by State Certified Seed Growers and Registered Plant Breeders.

A complete list of all firms qualified under the provisions of the Filed Seed Certification Law and other information concerning the law may be secured by writing direct to Commissioner McDonald State Department of Agriculture, Austin.

FOR SALE OR TRADE for Live-stock: 1 McCormick-Deering Row Binder in good condition. Felix Mullino, Rochester, Texas.

## President Pays Call on a Cardinal



President Roosevelt is pictured as he chatted with George Cardinal Mundelein in the prelate's Chicago home, where the President was a luncheon guest on the occasion of his recent visit to Chicago. The President and Cardinal Mundelein have been close friends for a number of years.

## Brief News Items From Weinert

### P.-T. A. At Weinert Meets

The Weinert P.-T. A. met Thursday October 14 at the school building with fifteen members present with Mrs. W. D. Hinson presiding.

The following committees were appointed: Health Chairman, Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead; Publicity Chairman, Miss Jew Williams; Mesdames Brown, Cadenhead and Miss Lucile Foote were elected delegates to the County Council which will meet October 30th at 3 p. m. at the First Methodist church at Haskell.

Mrs. Carl Palmer and Mrs. Perry Mason will have charge of the radio program for the school term. Mrs. Cadenhead explained the Study Course which is being offered to the members of the P.-T. A. Mrs. Hinson read and explained the "Poem Plan" for the membership drive and plans are being made to carry it out. The P.-T. A. will meet again October 28 at the school building and they are urging all patrons of the school to be present.

The following are the officers of the P.-T. A. at Weinert for 1937-38. President, Mrs. T. L. Hawkins; First Vice-President, Mrs. W. D. Hinson, Jr.; Second Vice-President, Mrs. Annie Mae Medley; Third Vice-President, Mrs. Henry F. Monke; Recording Secretary, Miss Jew Williams; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. H. Weinert.

### 4506 Bales Cotton Ginned at Weinert

Our popular Public Weigher, R. H. Jones, reports that he has weighed 4506 bales of cotton up to Thursday October 14. The recent heavy rains have held up the work of gathering cotton and with the threatening weather continuing it will be several days before they can get into the fields.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Baldwin and Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Guess were in Stamford last week.

Mr. R. A. Shaver was a Stamford visitor this week.

Mr. Manley Branch of the Haskell postoffice force was in Weinert Thursday.

Mrs. Frank Nicholson of Mattson was in town Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Lee of Lone Star community were shopping in Weinert Thursday.

Mrs. J. G. McBeth of the Dennis Chaple community was in town Thursday.

Supt. Duff was in Munday Wednesday.

Mrs. J. P. Motes of Leesburg, Florida is a guest of Grandma Clark and Mrs. Serales. She is a sister-in-law of Grandma Clark, and aunt of Mrs. Serales. She has been spending some time in Stamford before coming here.

### Dr. J. F. Cadenhead and son, Philip Wayne went to Haskell Thursday night. Philip stayed over with Mr. and Mrs. Maloy to be ready to go with the Fair Boosters Friday. He will play his guitar and sing cowboy songs. He is one of the youngest cowboys of the county. He won in a talent contest in Haskell recently and will be the one to go to San Antonio in the near future.

Dr. and Mrs. Cadenhead were in Seymour Tuesday where the doctor transacted business.

Mrs. Ike Furrh and little son Robert Vinson returned from the Stamford Sanitarium Wednesday and is in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Gilbreath.

Mr. E. A. Griffith and his father-in-law Mr. E. C. Clay were in Abilene Tuesday.

Mrs. Buck Turnbow is spending several weeks in Stephenville visiting relatives.

Miss Rachel Tackett of San Angelo and Corporal John L. Tackett of the U. S. Marine Corps spent several days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Baldwin. Corporal Tackett recently arrived on the U. S. S. Clarimont. He spent two and one half years in Shanghai with the Fourth Regiment. They are niece and nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Aycock were in Stamford Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Clay, father and mother of Mrs. E. A. Griffith have returned to Wellington after a pleasant week spent in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Griffith.

Mrs. Neil Mathison and Lon Raymond were shopping in Munday this week.

Mrs. S. C. Palmer of Rotan is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. W. A. King.

Mr. R. H. Phillips was in Stamford this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Coggins and Mr. and Mrs. Claud Reid were in Stamford this week.

Mrs. Newberry, Misses Louise Bennett, Vera and Katherine McGuire and Mr. Babe Bennett were shopping in Stamford Tuesday.

W. G. Leflar was in Stamford Monday.

Mesdames E. A. Griffith, Bob Baldwin and E. C. Clay of Wellington were shopping in Munday Thursday.

Messrs. H. A. Pendleton and Curtis of Munday were in Weinert Thursday.

Mrs. V. R. Anderson and children of Dennis Chaple community was in town Thursday.

Fred Cornibese of Brownfield, was here and was attending to business in Haskell this week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Weinert were in Munday Wednesday on business connected with the Baker McCarty store.

Mr. E. C. Elliott of Lake Creek community was buying groceries in Weinert Thursday.

Mr. Arlo Weaver of Lake Creek community was in town Thursday.

Mr. J. K. Kane of the Baker McCarty Store was in Haskell on Thursday.

Mrs. John Cooper and son Thurman were shopping in Munday Thursday.

Mr. Bill Grimsley was in town Thursday on his way back from a business trip to Haskell.

### FARM FOR SALE

160 acres sandy land all in cultivation. Located about seven and a half miles northwest of Munday for only \$35.00 per acre. Come and see it, too cheap to last long. GEO. ISBELL.

## Cowgirl Sponsors Are Selected From Neighboring Towns

Miss Freida Kolb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kolb of Wichita Falls, has been named cowgirl sponsor for her city at the Central West Texas Fair.

Miss Bernadine Carlisle is selected as representative of O'Brien. Other entries previously named are Jim Frances Gordon, daughter of Sheriff and Mrs. J. L. Gordon of Anson, Wanda Dolan, daughter of Mrs. Judge Boone as Weinert sponsor, and Miss Mildred Davis of Rule. Other sponsors from neighboring towns will be named before the Fair starts.

Sponsors will ride in the parade Wednesday, opening day, and will be presented at the colorful pageant Wednesday night. They will also be honored guests at a chuck wagon dinner at six o'clock and guests of the Fair Association during the entire day.

## Ginning Report Shows Increase Over Last Year

The Department of Commerce, through the Bureau of the Census, announces the preliminary report of cotton ginned prior to October 1, by counties, in Texas, for the crop of 1937 and 1936. The total for the State was made public on Friday, October 8. Quantities are in running bales, counting round as half bales. Linters are not included.

Archer	1,109	303
Baylor	2,697	1,137
Callahan	2,176	1,926
Childress	2,816	262
Dickens	3,943	873
Fisher	14,459	6,129
Foard	2,556	473
Hardeman	3,918	838
Haskell	13,331	3,982
Jones	20,583	12,740
Kent	1,913	755
Knox	12,569	3,454
Nolan	11,273	4,421
Runnels	36,766	16,269
Scurry	9,704	4,676
Stonewall	2,986	860
Throckmorton	525	301
Wichita	5,479	2,968
Wilbarger	5,309	2,166
Young	3,006	1,788

## Provide Parking Lots For Crowds During Fair Week

Traffic officers warn drivers that no double parking or center parking will be allowed around the square on Wednesday, opening day of the Fair.

Free parking lots will be provided for visitors located a half block north of the Farmers and Merchants State Bank and another west of McCollum Hardware. Officers will be stationed on each lot to park and guard cars, announced Sebo Britton, city marshal.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Surber and Sonny of San Angelo visited friends here Sunday.

SEED WHEAT—Early super-hard Black Hull Wheat; also big grain Tenmarque wheat. Both second year seeds. Made 40 bushels per acre this year. Price \$1.25 per bushel. 4 miles east of Seymour on Highway 24. J. B. Bishop. 4tp

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**Tomorrow . . .**

You will regulate the air in your home so perfectly that it will be purer and fresher than any you breathe today . . . constant in temperature and humidity . . .

Yet throughout every phase of our development . . . past, present and into a thousand tomorrows . . . there has been and will continue to be, certain fundamental truths . . . chief among these, we believe, is ambition. Without it, there would be no progress.

This bank both practices and fosters ambition. It is ambitious for growth of this community in every direction. It fosters ambition by encouraging habits of saving and directing sound investments.

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GOOD FOOD . . . Cooked and Served As You Like It.

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# Brief News Items From RULE

**Part of County**  
 A disastrous hail and wind storm occurred in almost the exact spot in October.

Cotton wagons were picked up and scattered. One farmer, while returning from the gin, was caught in the storm and hurriedly unhooked his team, grabbed the hind-gate and dived for the bar pit. His wagon was scattered all over the adjoining field.

**Rule Girl Honored at Baylor University**  
 Miss Joy Davis who is attending Baylor University, Waco, this year, was honored by the freshman class of that university, who chose Joy and her room mate as the two most beautiful and popular girls in the freshman class. They were presented at the Waco Theatre on "Slime" night and given an ovation by the audience. Joy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Davis of this city.

**Visits KRBC Studios**  
 Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Wright, Elgin Wright, Fred Davis and Misses Lois Boyd and Libbie Davis motored over to Abilene Sunday afternoon and visited the KRBC studios and witnessed the program put on by the Rule talent.

**SCHOOL NEWS**  
**P.-T. A. Meeting**  
 The P. T. A. met for their first meeting Wednesday afternoon of last week at the high school auditorium. A very interesting program was rendered. A beautiful basket of fruit was given to the grade having the largest number of parents present. The seventh grade was the winner, with Miss Della Foster, teacher.

The following registered: Rev. Roy Shaban, Misses Stinchcomb, Gunter, Nichols, Hamilton, Dorothy Calfee, Minnie Lou Brown, Della Foster, Mr. J. W. Young, Mesdames Roy Shaban, W. L. Hills, Roy Foster, J. E. Geer, O. Cole, A. C. Pruitt, Morris Neal, Joe Holcomb, J. E. Parsons, Robert Turner, R. D. Alexander, C. P. Faulkner, J. W. Cullpepper, C. E. Wainwright, Sam Salem, A. C. Foster, B. W. Eaton, D. C. Rogers, J. B. Lawson, W. V. Almond, E. E. May, R. H. Smith, Price Hines, E. K. Keel, J. L. Kincaid, Elmer Turner, F. E. Gauntt, C. E. Norman, M. W. Rogers, R. G. DeBerry, J. D. Crockett, W. T. Millstead, Hazel Earnest, W. D. Whittle, R. D. Garrison, Miss Mary Lou Hopper and Miss Rose Crockett.

# Cold Weather

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# Shanghai in a Daze as Flames Sweep City

While on all sides their city burns before their eyes, these residents of Shanghai walk listlessly about the foreign settlements apparently apathetic to their fate. The dense columns of smoke rise from buildings set afire by exploding aerial bombs and shells.

**Freshmen Class Meeting**  
 The freshmen held their second meeting Thursday, October 7, called to order by the president Desmond Allison.

The new members of the class are Louise Anderson, Jolly Barns, Emil Perdue, Floynt Tibbet, Jewel Wilson, Herrman Isabell and Kathryn Sanderson from Tonk Creek; Yater Benton, Jr., and Ota Mae King from Tanner, Paint; and Arra Mae Fullbright and Curtis Kelley from Sagerton.

The class mothers elected are: Mrs. Oscar Cooper and Mrs. J. D. Crockett.

Mr. J. W. Young, Rule high school Vocational Agriculture teacher was appointed as the freshman sponsor.

**Spanish Club**  
 The Spanish Club organized Friday October 8. Joy Pumphrey was elected president. Since Joy was absent the vice-president, Joe Cloud took charge. Gene Hertenburger was elected secretary-treasurer and Geraldine Malone reported. The members decided to wait until later to select a name for the club. Each member of the class is going to write to some Spanish speaking country. The sponsor is Miss La Fae Stinchcomb, Rule high school Spanish teacher.

**Rule F. F. A. Boys Receive Uniforms**  
 The Rule Vocational Agriculture F. F. A. boys bought 45 new black gaberdine uniforms from Sankford & Sons in Abilene Saturday October 16.

The uniforms consist of black gaberdine pants and black gaberdine shirts with the F. F. A. emblem and Rule chapter, stitched on the back of the shirt. Over the left pocket the name of the student is stitched.

The uniform also consists of black over-seas caps with F. F. A. stitched on.

**Rule vs. Anson**  
 The Rule Bobcats were tilted by a 13-0 victory by the Anson Tigers Friday Oct. 15, on the Anson field. The Bobcats found that Anson had one of the strongest lines they have played against this year. The starting lineup for Rule was as follows: Right End, R. T. May; Right Guard, Cloud, Center, Townsend; Left Guard, Perry; Left Tackle, Carothers; Left End, Place; R. Halfback, White; L. Halfback, Penick; Q. Back, Lewis, Fullback, Turner.

This was not a conference game.

**Mrs. Foster Entertains Bridge Club Tuesday**  
 Mrs. A. C. Foster entertained the members of the Tuesday Bridge Club this week in a delightful party. Fall roses were used for room decorations. Mrs. Jas. E. Lindsey won high score, and was presented with a lovely gift.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mrs. J. B. Pumphrey Jr., Mrs. Edgar Ellis, Mrs. W. D. Payne, Mrs. E. B. Harris, Mrs. Lea Roy Denton, Mrs. Hazel Earnest and Mrs. Jas. E. Lindsey.

**Blue Bonnet Home Demonstration Club Meets**  
 The Blue Bonnet Home Demonstration Club met Thursday of last week at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. Dee Hale. The club was called to order by the president. Plans were made for their booth at the Fair. Mrs. Clark gave council report. Miss Nora Walters gave a very interesting talk on her trip to San Antonio.

The club made plans for our Halloween party. There being no other business everyone enjoyed a social hour. Punch and cookies were served to the following members: Mesdames Lewis, McCain, Holcomb, Seltz, Clark Turner, Walters, King, Denson, Hale, Warren and Miss Nora Walters.

**HERE AND THERE**  
 Mr. and Mrs. John Behringer were Abilene visitors Friday.

Mrs. D. C. Rogers and Mrs. Jess Place spent the day Friday in Anson and attended the football game in the afternoon.

P. H. Campbell, A. C. Foster and Jas. E. Lindsey attended a Shrine banquet at the Stamford Inn last Wednesday evening. Kendall Paulk, potentate of Maskat Temple of Wichita Falls was toastmaster and addresses were made by Al Ellis, Recorded of Maskat Temple; Judge Chas. E. Coombes, Jim Martin, Dr. Socthard and others.

Mrs. U. U. Clark, Mrs. Sam Salem and Mrs. Merle Bell were Stamford visitors Tuesday afternoon.

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 The Rule Bobcats were tilted by a 13-0 victory by the Anson Tigers Friday Oct. 15, on the Anson field. The Bobcats found that Anson had one of the strongest lines they have played against this year. The starting lineup for Rule was as follows: Right End, R. T. May; Right Guard, Cloud, Center, Townsend; Left Guard, Perry; Left Tackle, Carothers; Left End, Place; R. Halfback, White; L. Halfback, Penick; Q. Back, Lewis, Fullback, Turner.

This was not a conference game.

**Mrs. Foster Entertains Bridge Club Tuesday**  
 Mrs. A. C. Foster entertained the members of the Tuesday Bridge Club this week in a delightful party. Fall roses were used for room decorations. Mrs. Jas. E. Lindsey won high score, and was presented with a lovely gift.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mrs. J. B. Pumphrey Jr., Mrs. Edgar Ellis, Mrs. W. D. Payne, Mrs. E. B. Harris, Mrs. Lea Roy Denton, Mrs. Hazel Earnest and Mrs. Jas. E. Lindsey.

**Blue Bonnet Home Demonstration Club Meets**  
 The Blue Bonnet Home Demonstration Club met Thursday of last week at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. Dee Hale. The club was called to order by the president. Plans were made for their booth at the Fair. Mrs. Clark gave council report. Miss Nora Walters gave a very interesting talk on her trip to San Antonio.

The club made plans for our Halloween party. There being no other business everyone enjoyed a social hour. Punch and cookies were served to the following members: Mesdames Lewis, McCain, Holcomb, Seltz, Clark Turner, Walters, King, Denson, Hale, Warren and Miss Nora Walters.

**HERE AND THERE**  
 Mr. and Mrs. John Behringer were Abilene visitors Friday.

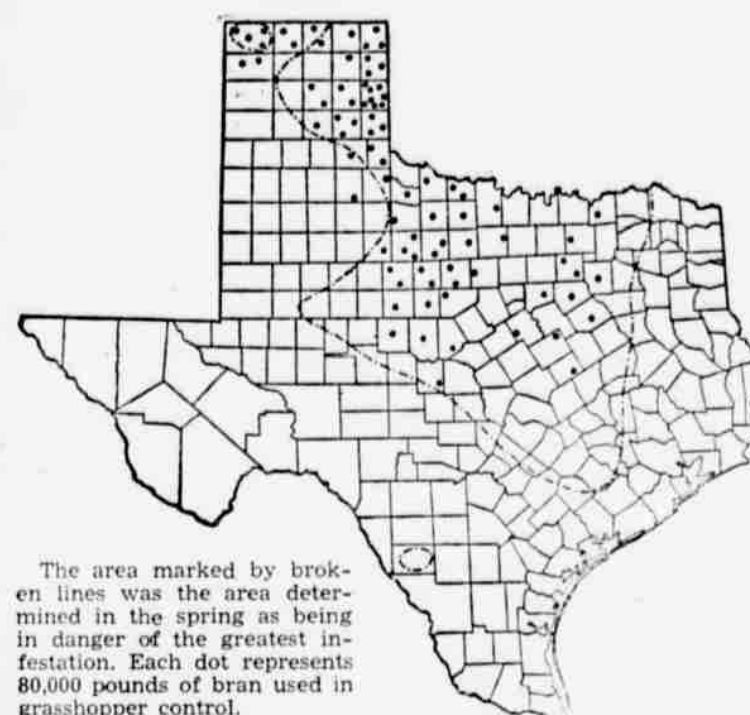
Mrs. D. C. Rogers and Mrs. Jess Place spent the day Friday in Anson and attended the football game in the afternoon.

P. H. Campbell, A. C. Foster and Jas. E. Lindsey attended a Shrine banquet at the Stamford Inn last Wednesday evening. Kendall Paulk, potentate of Maskat Temple of Wichita Falls was toastmaster and addresses were made by Al Ellis, Recorded of Maskat Temple; Judge Chas. E. Coombes, Jim Martin, Dr. Socthard and others.

Mrs. U. U. Clark, Mrs. Sam Salem and Mrs. Merle Bell were Stamford visitors Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Lott were Stamford visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor of Port Arthur visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Place this week.



# Grasshopper Control Program Saves Farmers Five Million Dollars

Approximately \$5,000,000 worth of bran and 45,000 gallons of arsenite. Additional bran was supplied from local sources.

The postoffice department says the recent conviction of 24 persons in connection with promotion of a mythical "Baker" estate had broken up a swindle which netted its promoters \$1,000,000.

Postal inspectors said persons in every state, Canada, Mexico and Cuba had been duped into believing they were the heirs of estates involving property in Pennsylvania and particularly in the

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heart of the Philadelphia business section.

The promoters used what inspectors said was the will of a non-existent Revolutionary officer, Jacob Baker, "Heirs" were induced to contribute to the fight for the "estate" whatever amounts could be drawn from them, the department said.

**JUNK JUNK**  
 We will pay the highest price for scrap iron, old batteries, and old radiators. See us before you sell. Duncan Head, at Haskell Electric Gin Company.

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## AMERICA HAS NO NEED FOR RABBLE ROUSERS

Walter B. Pitkin's plea for "a rabble rouser of the right" would seem to be about the least helpful of all the many suggestions that have been made for the preservation and regeneration of this great nation of ours.

Prof. Pitkin voiced this plea in an article in the current issue of Advertising Agency. He was complaining that those who have most reason to want to see the traditional American values preserved in this era of change are not being vocal enough about it, and he wound up with the following exhortation:

"The hour has come for words which smell, for words which set fire to men and things, for words which loosen avalanches back in the mountains. The pat phrase, the polite patter and the unctuous argument will never save America. Heavens send us a rabble rouser of the right!"

One would suppose that a man with Prof. Pitkin's broad outlook would realize by this time that all calamities which can descend on a nation these days, none can easily surpass that which is embodied in the person of a really gifted rabble rouser.

When you get such a person uttering "words which loosen avalanches back in the mountains," you never know just what those avalanches are going to sweep away. The post-war history of

Europe offers some shining examples. For the rabble rouser is a man who calls on men to think with their emotions rather than their minds. His "words which set fire to men" are, by definition, the kind of words which men use when they have grown tired of trying to solve their problems by intellectual effort. And when men get into that state of mind, they are headed for trouble just as surely as night follows day.

Hitler went up and down Germany for years, his entire stock in trade consisting of just the sort of words Prof. Pitkin is talking about. In the course of time, conditions being bad and the outlook dark he persuaded the German people to listen to him and to confide their future to his hands. He "loosened avalanches back in the mountains," does any sane American want similar avalanches loosened in this country?

Hitler is not the only example, of course. Every dictatorship in Europe got its start in precisely that same way. And when you stop to think what democracy really means, the fact is not hard to understand.

Democracy is based on the assumption that people will use their gray matter rather than their feelings to solve their problems. It takes for granted that there will be enough coolness, patience and good sense to permit issues to be argued out, and that things will be settled rationally rather than emotionally.

Of all the things that our American does not need a rabble rouser—whether of the right, the left or the dead-center—stands at the head of the list.

## AUTOS FOR EVERYBODY

It has been a good many years since ownership of an automobile indicated the possession of wealth or even of comfortable means. But we still do not quite realize how widespread auto ownership is among people of the lower income brackets.

Baird H. Markham, director of the American Petroleum Industries Committee, declared in Chicago the other day that auto ownership among families with incomes of \$30 a week or less is expanding by a million a year. If the present trend continues, he added, two-thirds of the cars in America will be owned by the less-than-\$30-a-week group by 1940—approximately 15,000,000 of them, all told.

Such figures speak volumes about the rising living standard in America. Apparently we have already taken a healthy step toward this "more abundant life" that we hear so much about.

## U. S. Cotton Crop Boosted Million Bales

The United States cotton estimate for 1937 was boosted 1,473,000 bales over the estimate of September 1st, last Friday.

The new forecast ran this year's production up to the second highest figure in the nation's history. The peak year, 1926, saw 17,973,000 bales ginned.

Average yield per acre was placed at 249.3 pounds with the new forecast, a new all time high for a 79 per cent of a normal.

The market was somewhat unsteady, and was selling below nine cents in spite of the government loan set at that figure. The early season market was 14 cents per pound, which was steadily lowered with each succeeding forecast until the present low level was reached.

Texas production was considered 79 per cent of normal and estimated bales production set at 5,025,000 top for the nation. Next to the Lone Star state was Mississippi with 89 and 2,400,000 bales followed by Arkansas, 81 and 1,750,000, Georgia, 75 and 1,430,000, Alabama, 82 and 1,425,000 and Louisiana, 86 and 1,000,000 bales.

The forecast was based on 33,736,000 acres in cotton cultivation for this year.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Poland China Pigs, 4 bred gilts and 2 sows. Also 1 Hampshire sow and pigs. Felix Mullino, Rochester, Texas.

FOR SALE—Early black hull and tenmark all hard wheat seed, free from weed seed and Johnson grass, \$1.25 and \$1.50 per bushel. See Sidney Winchester, five miles northwest of Weinert.

## 'WAY BACK WHEN



GENERAL WAS SCHOOL TEACHER

SOMETIMES one small incident changes a whole life's trend, and leads to prominence beyond all previous dreams. We all recall one or two unexpected happenings in our own lives which changed their whole course.

John J. Pershing, who rose to be general of all the United States army, might have had an entirely different life had he not taken advantage of a lucky opportunity. He was born in 1859 at Laclede, Mo. His father was boss of a railroad gang and, later, a farmer. John quit school when he was thirteen to work on the farm, digging fence holes, herding sheep, planting corn, all the usual jobs that are the lot of a farm boy. Ambitious to be a lawyer, he studied night after night. In 1879, he got a job as teacher in Prairie Mount, Mo., and saved most of the \$40 per month he received to study law at Kirksville Normal school.

Then came the incident which changed his whole life. Jack Pershing saw an advertisement announcing competitive examinations for West Point. He had only two weeks to prepare, but he won the appointment. At West Point he won prominence as president of his class and as first captain of the corps of cadets. Possessing the characteristics of a perfect soldier, his assignments after graduation into the army were marked with success. While a military instructor at the University of Nebraska, he resumed his law studies and took his degree. Since the army conducts its own military courts, this gave Pershing an opportunity to combine his business love with his soldierly success. When the World war broke out, he was made general of the U. S. army.

—WNU Service.

## Do You Remember

these happenings of 10 and 15 years ago?

(Taken From the Files of the Haskell Free Press)

### 10 Years Ago

The fourth annual Haskell County Fair parade reached the square about eleven o'clock last Thursday morning to a large concourse of people who had been waiting for several hours.

Race horse fans are talking of having a race meet some time around Armistice day. A good many race horses are in and around Haskell County this year and it is believed that a three day meet will bring in a better line of horses than has ever been seen here.

Playing on a muddy field Haskell high school defeated Haskell 7 to 6 at Fair Park Saturday afternoon.

The Demarco Italian Quartette first number of the Dixie Lyceum course promises an evening of real enjoyment to lovers of good music. Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Parent-Teacher Association.

Miss Minnie Ellis and Supt. J. Herace Bass are making plans for the joint institute for teachers of Knox and Haskell Counties which will convene here last Friday and Saturday of this month.

Mrs. Frank Kimbrough of Plainview is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Mask.

Fred Alexander of El Paso, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Alexander is the guest of his parents and other relatives and friends of the city.

Mrs. W. N. Huckabee and daughter, Miss Eunice Huckabee, visited friends in Abilene Tuesday of this week.

Miss Mary Ella Pace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Pace, reached Haskell last Tuesday night from a three months visit abroad.

A beautiful program of sacred music and a patrol drill was given by the noble of Maskat Temple, Wichita Falls last Sunday on the courthouse lawn.

Miss Agnes Coy who is teaching again this term in Stamford schools, spent last week-end in Haskell and took in the Fair.

### 15 Years Ago

The entire plant of the Farmers Gin Company was destroyed by fire Tuesday of this week with a loss estimated at \$30,000, partially covered by insurance.

The reproduction of Frontier Days will be given here during the County Fair which will be held on Friday and Saturday, October 27th and 28th.

A temporary injunction was granted Monday morning by District Judge W. R. Chapman in the contest between County Judge Jas. P. Kimbrough and R. E. Lee, Judge Chapman rendered the decision at Aspermont, granting the injunction and ordering Mr. Lee's name placed on the ballot in the November election.

Fire was discovered last Friday night about one o'clock in the old frame buildings across the street from the Spenser Lumber Company and had gained such headway when discovered that it was impossible for the fire boys to save the buildings.

Parks Woodson of this city recently completed a home-made radio set, and during the past few days has been getting excellent results from his set.

Seeing the benefits to be derived from Lyceum courses ten of the public spirited citizens of Haskell went on the guarantee with White-Meyers Company to bring during the season six high class attractions to Haskell.

The City Council passed an order at a recent meeting to close the street between the new high school building and the old North Ward building.

### Sore Bleeding Gums

Only one bottle Leto's Pyorrhea Remedy is needed to convince anyone. No matter how bad your case, get a bottle, use as directed, and if you are not satisfied, druggists will return your money. Oates Drug Store.

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## Farmer Uses Trench Silo Successfully For Small Quantity

Proof that a trench silo can be used, not only when it is desired to store a large quantity of feed, but when the amount is very small has been found by J. L. Light of the Aberdeen Community.

In March of this year, Mr. Light placed two bushels of barley in a trench silo and left it until July, when he removed and fed it.

At this time he found it in as good condition as when it was placed in the trench.

"When fed, this was just like soaked barley," Mr. Light said, "and my hogs and mules ate it just as if it had not spent four months in the silo."

When placed in the trench, the barley was covered with water.

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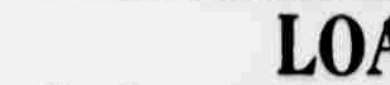
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PROTECTS YOUR FOOD AND PAYS FOR ITSELF!

It is a mistake to believe that cool weather guards food against spoilage. Temperatures too cool for your comfort may be too warm to protect your food. All year 'round, food must be protected at safety-zone temperatures between 32 and 50 degrees Fahrenheit. Above this mark, spoilage is rapid. Below, foods freeze.

Nature seldom maintains safety-zone temperatures. So don't depend on makeshift or old-fashioned, unreliable refrigeration methods. Health can be endangered... money can be wasted... when refrigeration is inadequate.

There is really no need to be without proper protection. Frigidaire with the Meter-Miser safeguards food day and night, and *proves* it! Does this while paying for itself and paying a profit besides!

Don't be without Frigidaire another day. Let us show you how you can own a Frigidaire without increasing your present household expenses! We'll show you Proof!

Low Monthly Payments On Our Special "PAY-AS-YOU-SAVE" PURCHASE PLAN

Special 5 YEARS PROTECTION

BUY NOW AND YOU CAN SAVE \$50 this winter

Frigidaire owners report average savings of \$10.98 a month with Frigidaire. They save money by eliminating food losses, by reducing refrigeration costs, and by being able to take advantage of bargain specials and money-saving quantity prices. Such savings pay for a Frigidaire and pay a profit besides!

BEWARE OF WINTER FOOD SPOILAGE! The multiplication of bacteria in food causes spoilage. At temperatures above 50° this multiplication is rapid. Guard your food! Even in mid-winter kitchen temperatures are above 50°. And outside temperatures are in the safety-zone only 19 days a year, on an average. You cannot depend on makeshift refrigeration at any time of year!

- ONLY FRIGIDAIRE GIVES YOU THESE IMPORTANT ADVANTAGES!
- METER-MISER - Cuts Current Cost to the Bone!
- FOOD-SAFETY INDICATOR
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Hydraulic Jack, 1 1/2 Ton Only **\$3.19**  
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IGNITION POINTS, Ford & Chev, 1927-32... **9c**  
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CLEARANCE LAMP with Bulb, Red or Green... **15c**  
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TRANSMISSION LINING for Ford "T"... **25c**  
HYDRAULIC BRAKE FLUID, Pint Can... **39c**  
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One Pound Can, each **10c**

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**Gas Tank Cap**  
Black, Universal Only **5c**

**Haskell Stamford Munday**

**Cotton Picker Machine Ready For Operation**

Machinery to do the work of millions of cotton pickers in the Southland were forecast by Sydney G. McAllister, president of the International Harvester Company, this week.

His statement was the first authoritative commitment from the old-line implement manufacturer respecting mechanization of cotton harvesting. The industry, he said in an address prepared for delivery over the radio, will eventually fulfill any demand upon it for a mechanical cotton picker.

Whether a mechanical picker is introduced into widespread use during the next generation, McAllister said, is dependent primarily upon the economic direction taken by the cotton production industry as a result of changing world factors.

A number of mechanical picker designs are now in the experimental stage, and some are near the point where they can be put in commercial manufacture. The harvester company, McAllister said, has a mechanical picker in experimental tests near Clarksville, Miss.

While pointing out that he believed what the implement industry did about the cotton picker was "inseparably bound up with the future economic status of the South," McAllister said the social and economic implications of the mechanical picker, and that these phases were being studied along with others.

Plows and harvesting machines contributed to the Nation's social and economic progress, the harvester president said, adding that mechanization of American agriculture had made it possible for the Nation to achieve its "vaunted industrial system."

"Industry had progressed from the oxcart to the streamlined automobile," he asserted, "only because agriculture had progressed from the man with the hoe to the man with the tractor."

He expressed the belief that introduction of the mechanical picker would come about gradually and naturally, and for this reason the economic changes flowing from it would produce a minimum of social disruption.

"Economists tell us that the American cotton growing industry providing a livelihood for 10,000,000 people must choose between two courses. It can continue to restrict production, thereby reducing acreage and cutting down the number of people employed, thus limiting its output to fit domestic demand, or it can seek to regain the larger share of the foreign market which it held before 1930, when, for half a century, American cotton growers had produced 60 per cent of the world's cotton.

"Our industry cannot choose which of these courses the South will take. That is for others to decide, and we hope they decide, and we hope they decide it wisely."

**Health Officer Warns Against Quack Doctors**

"The increasing number of persons in Texas dying from cancer justifies a warning at this time against quacks and so-called cancer cures," states Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"While newspapers, as a rule, do not carry the cancer type of advertising, there are many other ways for misinformation to reach the public. Undoubtedly there are persons, who, being thus deluged from seeking proper advice, unnecessarily become cancer victims, while others not having cancer are fleeced out of much money for a cure," Dr. Cox continued.

"There are but two ways of treating cancer. First, by surgery; and second by the use of radium or x-ray. Treatment must be started early and in the hands of competent surgeon. Surgery is relied upon to remove cancerous tumors and is used in early two-thirds of the cases. X-ray of radium is used to advantage in one-third of the cases, frequently the two methods are combined. Self-medication, serums, colored lights, pastes, salves and diets are valueless.

"The great bulwark against cancer is early diagnosis. Every case is an emergency and it is unfortunate that the majority of those with cancer do not seek medical advice until beyond a permanent cure. No hope should be placed in the fake cancer prophets and their treatments. Rather, the annual physical examination and an immediate reporting to your physician of any symptoms which may be suspected to be the beginning of cancer, should be relied upon. These symptoms are: any unusual bleeding from any body opening, any lump in the breast or other part of the body; any persistent sore, particularly on the face or mouth and chronic indigestion. These conditions may not be cancer but sometimes they are forerunners of the more common types of this disease. Where cancer is suspected, do not delay, but consult your family physician at once," Dr. Cox admonished.

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amount of moisture in the... best planting time has a... bearing upon the number... failures and the amount... Soil Conservation Service... kept on the project.

relationship between the... of the amount of mois... ture when wheat is... shown by moisture penet... ration records that... kept. Moisture tests... a soil auger on... fields on or near the... seeding time last fall... of yields on the same... kept by each farmer.

tests show that on six... were practically dry... time, there were five... an average yield of... bushels per acre on the... that was harvested.

fields having 12 inches... moisture at seeding time... five failures, while the... fields averaged 2.33... the acre.

fields having 12 to 24... moisture when planted... six failures; 15 fields... an average of 3.5 bush... and seven fields har... average of 7 bushels to...

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**Petit Jurors  
 Summoned For  
 District Court**

The following Petit Jurors have been summoned to appear in District Court Monday morning, November 1, at which time cases on docket will be taken up:

- W. H. Spiser, Haskell; J. W. Arrington, Rule; A. D. Bennett, Weir; Olen Dotsan, Haskell; J. B. Bell, Sagerton; J. J. Beason, Rule; J. L. Baugh, Haskell; A. D. Lewis, Rule; Aug. Balzer, Rule; V. A. Brown, Haskell; Martin Arend, Haskell.
- D. R. Livengood, Stamford; Geo. Best, Rule; A. W. Cox, Haskell; R. L. LeClaire, Haskell; H. L. Chambers, Rule; C. A. Jackson, Rule; E. A. Henry, Haskell; E. L. Lancaster, Haskell; John Clark Sagerton.

**Rex Felker To  
 Give Roping Act  
 Opening Fair Day**

Rex Felker, home town youth, trick riding and roping artist will give two performances here during opening day of the Fair. Riding the horse formerly owned by Col. Goodnight, and used by Bing Crosby in the picture "Rhythm on the Range", he will give his first show between auto races, after riding in the parade.

He will also give a roping and trick riding exhibition during the pageant Wednesday night at Indian Field.

Felker, member of the Hardin Simmons Cowboy Band, has just returned from a trip to Canyon where his act was met with wild applause.

**Committeemen  
 Selected For  
 Safety Council**

Officers of the newly organized Community-Wide Safety Council heard Officer Guines of the State Highway Patrol from Abilene speak on general safety at their second meeting at the North Ward school auditorium Thursday afternoon.

Appointment of members of committees which will start detailed work in the varied program of the council followed in a short business session. John V. Davis was appointed chairman of the Engineering committee and Mrs. Dennis P. Ratliff publicity chairman.

At the next meeting of the organization, to be held Thursday, October 28, at the City Hall at 4 p. m. Other committees will be selected.

The State Chamber of Commerce at Austin is mailing the "Safety Primer," fundamental safety rules to the council and upon its arrival further plans will be mapped out for the program.

**Site Selected  
 For New Cotton  
 Warehouse Here**

Location of the new warehouse to be constructed this week will be in the block adjoining the Wichita Valley platform, east of the tracks. Workmen were clearing off the ground Monday and construction work will be started immediately.

Down town offices will be located on the second floor of the First National Bank building.

With storage facilities available in the 3,000 bale sheet metal warehouse cotton producers and ginners will be greatly aided in handling the season's crop.

**Pioneers Hold  
 Annual Meeting  
 Third Fair Day**

Old Settlers of Haskell County will hold their annual reunion Friday, October 22, third day of the Central West Texas Fair, and all members will be guests at a barbecue to be given at the old English park south of the race track at 12:30. Judge C. E. Combs of Stamford will address the "old timers" following the free barbecue.

Registrations of the Pioneers will start Wednesday morning at the City Hall at 9 a. m. when badges and passes will be issued. Late comers may register Friday morning at the same place. The membership now totals 330 persons who have lived in the County prior to 1900 and are over fifty years of age and is expected to be increased when many more pioneers gather for the annual meet.

**Mechanical Man  
 To Walk Haskell  
 Streets Fair Week**

Stiff-jointed, mechanical moving, speechless "Frozo" will be in Haskell during the entire fair week, under the sponsorship of Reeves-Burtan Motor Co.

Dressed in his mechanized suit, sporting a dapper mustache and slicked coiffure, wearing the machinery that apparently runs him on his back, "Frozo" will clank about the streets during Fair week. "Frozo", original mechanical man, was exhibited at the Century of Progress at Chicago both years.

While he is here and after he has gone the big question in both adult and children minds will be, "Is he man or else?"

Russell Day spent the week-end with his parents in Anson.

**Fair Week  
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**Want-Ads**

WANTED—Woman to do housework or man and wife to work on farm. See Albert Hannas, Box 306, Rule, Texas. 4tp

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FOR SALE—My farm eleven miles east of Haskell, 176 acres, unimproved, 120 acres in cultivation. Write Mrs. Lorene Morris, 219 Normal, Denton, Texas. 1tc

WANT A place on shares, 150 or 200 acres. Teams or tractors. Good force with good references. J. H. Mitchell, Route 2, Rule, Texas, 1 mile north, 1-2 mile west Midway school. 4t

LOST A gloss mouth piece from Baritone horn, night of first football game. If found please leave at Mescham's Studio or Free Press office. Reward. 1tc

FOR SALE—Two Gray Mares. See O. U. Connally. 2tc

DON'T SCRATCH! Paracide Ointment is guaranteed to relieve itching caused by Eczema, Piles, Athletes Foot, Itch or other skin irritation. Large jar only 50c at Oates Drug Store. 1tc

FOR SALE—Two good Jersey Milk Cows. See Frank Dodson. 1tc

REMINGTON TYPEWRITER for sale. Good condition, Haskell County Abstract Co. 1tc

Permanent Waves, Finger Waves, Shampoo and set, Facials, Manicure, anything in the line of beauty work is what we want. Give us a trial. Telephone 290 **CRITERION BEAUTY SERVICE**

SEED WHEAT—The best early variety Black Hull; also a late variety; about 20 days apart. Second year out of Experiment Station. See Errol Carter at Hornarton, Texas. 1tc

SHOE REPAIRING—Don't let aching feet spoil your pleasure at the Fair. Have your shoes properly repaired at "Speedies Shoe Shop." 2tp

WANTED—Typing or Stencil Work. Beatrice Thomason Draper. 1tp

REMEMBER—Only a few more days left until we will pack our box for Buckner's Orphans Home. Bring or send your contributions to your Circle Chairman, the Baptist Parsonage or to me not later than next Monday. Mrs. Sam A. Roberts. 2tp

**NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY**

To the Creditors of Joe Lee Ferguson, Sr., Debtor: Notice is hereby given that on the 9th day of September, A. D. 1937, the said Joe Lee Ferguson, Sr., was duly adjudicated a bankrupt on an amended petition filed under the provisions of Subsection (s), Section 75 of the National Bankruptcy Act, and that the first meeting of his creditors, after adjudication will be held at my office in Haskell, Texas, on the 30th day of October, A. D. 1937, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting, October 18th, 1937. JOE A. JONES, Conciliation Commissioner. 1tc



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