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Odd Bits Salvaged
At Random

(By Aaron Edgar)

There was lots of water going through town about midnight last night!

That's what a local citizen told us Friday morning. He'd been called out at midnight, and hit the streets just as that water from southwest of us was coming down our main street. It was up to the running board on his car, and he had to take it slowly to prevent drowning out his motor.

That wasn't our own water—the surplus from what fell here in town. It was the surplus from several farms and for several miles southwest of town.

It didn't used to be that way, so we're told. Back in years past, they tell us, Munday didn't have the drainage problem it has now.

By means of dams and dikes and ditches, the surplus water has been drained off of farms and right through our town. Now the city is faced with the problem of getting it to run somewhere else.

To be sure, it isn't needed on the farms at the time it is running off—but it's dead sure it isn't needed right down our main street.

It ain't very becoming to our town, it ain't very sanitary, and it ain't very healthy, we're told, and they also say it seems foolish for so few to jeopardize the health of so many. Anyway, the city officials are hitting a snag about getting the water to drain any other way except right through town.

Of course, if we owned a farm we wouldn't want the surplus water to stand there and drown out our crop, either. There's a good school of thought on both sides of the question.

But a little down-to-earth, honest-to-goodness thinking, and a lot of cooperation, might work the situation out of the mutual satisfaction of everybody.

Then we could go ahead with our paving project.

Been wet, ain't it?

This spell has just about played old Ned with our clean-up campaign. Everybody was just about ready to cooperate with all their might, except the weatherman.

But let's not get discouraged. There'll come a week pretty soon when it will be still and dry and we can burn all that stuff that needs to be burned. And the trucks can get to our rubbish without bogging down.

We needed the rain, anyway, possibly a lot worse than we needed a clean-up drive. Least ways it'll do more people good.

So let's just bide our time, and if we can't do any cleaning up at all this week, let's set another week.

The weeds and grass and thistles and Johnson grass and everything will grow like all getout, now, so we'll probably have to clean up again pretty soon.

But the sooner, the quicker! Some citizens have asked us to issue a gripe about the weeds and grass growing rampant in the ditches along our streets. If some sort of mower apparatus is not used this summer, we'll have a great big gripe to register, when hot weather comes along after this wet spell.

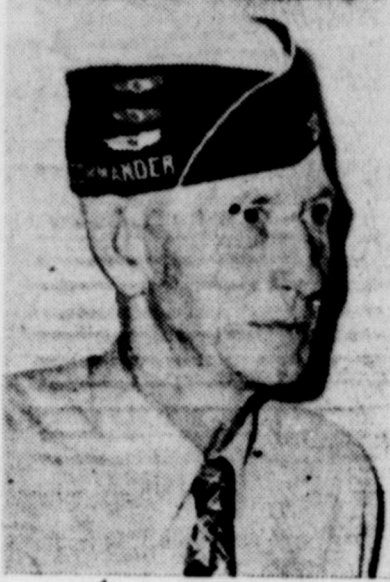
Did you pay your poll tax this year?

Everyone who thought this would be an off-year on elections were certainly badly fooled. We've already had three elections, and there's two more coming up that we know of.

First we elected some of our city officers, then our school trustees; and thirdly, we voiced our opinion on a raise in the school tax rate and laid the matter of better and more efficient schools into the laps of our school officials.

Now, we have the matter of the

Heads Legion



C. F. JOHNSON

A. A. Smith, Jr. Becomes Owner Of Auto Store

Announcement is being made this week that A. A. Smith, Jr., has purchased the interests of W. H. Hart in the Western Auto Associate Store in Munday.

The deal was closed several days ago, and Mr. Smith became active in the management of the firm last Munday morning. He stated that new merchandise has already begun to arrive, and he expects to have the store completely stocked within the next few days.

Smith was reared in Munday and is well known to Knox county citizens. He has engaged in farming and ranching for the past several years.

He invites the public to visit his store, and assures everyone that it is his sincere desire to give them the best in merchandise and service possible.

Mr. Hart, who established the store here several years ago, stated that he has no definite plans for the future but will likely return to Lampasas county, where he has farming interests. His son, John Hart, will continue to be connected with the local store, it was stated.

Wichita Falls To Be Host To Chapter Masons On May 22

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202, R. A. M., and Council No. 140, R. & S. M., will be host to a zone meeting of Chapter and Council Masons on Thursday, May 22.

Practically all officers of the Grand Chapter of Texas, the Grand Council of Texas, the Committee on Work, several Past Grand Officers and a number of leading Chapter and Council workers of the state are expected to be present.

The meeting will begin at 7:30 p. m. in the same building.

There will be no degree work, but several of the Grand Officers will speak, and Frank Oldham of Waco, Grand Secretary and Recorder, will give a report on the Aged Mason's home.

A cordial invitation is extended to all Chapter and Council Masons in this area to attend the meeting.

American Legion Will Have Special Meeting Tuesday

A special meeting of Lowry Post No. 44, American Legion, will be held on Tuesday, May 20, at 8 p. m., it was announced this week.

A meeting of the Legion Auxiliary will also be held at this time. Boys between the ages of 8 and 13 who are interested in playing junior baseball are urged to be present at this meeting. A move is now under way to organize a junior team, and plans will likely be completed Tuesday night.

COMING TO MUNDAY

Dr. H. D. Landes, optometrist of Wichita Falls, was a business visitor here last Tuesday. Dr. Landes stated that he will be in Munday on Saturday, May 24, for eye examinations and fitting of glasses. His office will be at Richmond Jewelry.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Langford of Glendale, Calif., are visiting relatives and friends here and at Seymour this week.

13th District Legionnaires to Meet May 17-18

Burk Burnett—Election of a new District Commander will head the business agenda of the annual Spring Convention of the 13th District of The American Legion, Department of Texas, to be held Saturday and Sunday, May 17-18, in Burk Burnett.

C. F. Johnson, Burk Burnett, Commander of the 13th District, will continue throughout the day. Main business sessions of the Convention will convene Sunday.

In addition to electing a new Commander, delegates will select a new Vice Commander and name delegates to the National Legion Convention to be held in Lafayette, Louisiana, in August.

Adjournment will be Sunday afternoon.

Rhineland To Have Graduation May 18 & 23

Graduation exercises for the Rhineland high school seniors will begin on Sunday, May 18, it was announced on Tuesday.

Baccalaureate services will be held at St. Joseph's church on Sunday morning at seven o'clock. Rev. Father Thomas Buegler, O. S. B., will deliver the baccalaureate sermon. The professional and recessional will be played by Mrs. Francis Albus.

Final graduation exercises will conclude the school year on Friday evening, May 23, at the high school auditorium. This exercise will begin at 8 p. m., and M. F. Billingsley of Munday will deliver the commencement address.

Class valedictorian is Adelaide Kuhler; salutatorian is Donald Decker, and historian is Maxine Williamson.

Graduates who will receive their diplomas on Friday evening are: Adelaide Kuhler, Maxine Williamson, Donald Decker, John Ed Willie Herman Schumacher and Betty Lou Smajstria.

Methodist Bible School To Open On Monday Morning

The annual Daily Vacation Bible School will begin at the First Methodist church in Munday at nine o'clock Monday morning, May 19, it was announced this week. Classes will run through Friday, May 23.

A meeting of teachers in the school was held this week and final plans were made. A large attendance is expected.

Children of all ages are cordially invited to attend the school. There will be a class for each age group, and instructors are anxious for a good attendance.

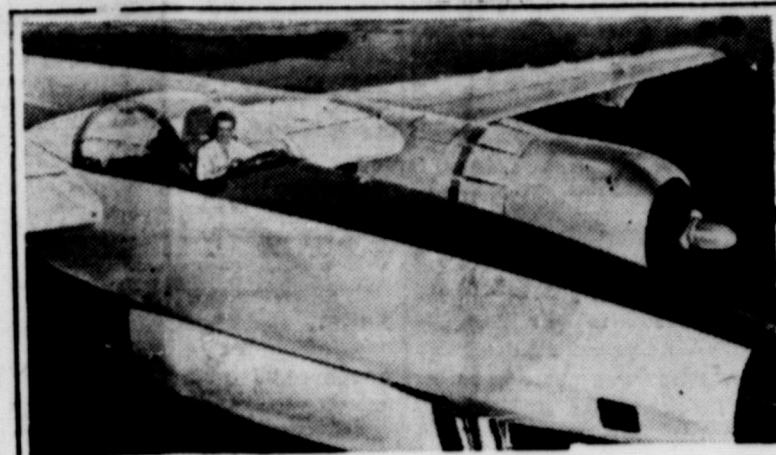
SON IS BORN INTO SAM LUSTER FAMILY

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Luster, who operate the Hotel Coffee Shop, are announcing the arrival of a son, who was born at the Knox county hospital on Thursday, May 8, 1947. Mother and little son are reported to be doing nicely.

GREEK GUERRILLA



Kastanofitenk, Greece—Sound-photo—When the United Nations Greek Border commission made first contact with the Greek guerrillas, they learned at first hand that there were many women among them. This woman soldier of the partisans is shown using an automatic rifle during target practice. President Truman in a recent speech asking Greek aid indicated that the partisans were communist-inspired.



HOWARD HUGHES RE-FLIES THE XF-11, sister ship of the plane in which he crashed last July. Flying alone, the famed flier-industrialist buzzed around the Los

Hospital Bond Election Is Set For May 24th

Members of the Commissioners' Court of Knox county, in regular session last week, voted unanimously to call an election for the purpose of deciding whether or not bonds in the amount of \$50,000 shall be issued for the purpose of improving the county hospital.

The election date was set for Saturday, May 24, at which time all voting boxes of the county will be open. All citizens are urged to voice their desires in this election.

The election was called after the court was presented a petition signed by more than the required number of voters, calling for said election. The petition had been circulated over the county for about two weeks.

As set forth in the election order appearing in this week's issue of The Munday Times, the \$50,000 bond issue would be for the purpose of "erecting, equipping, enlarging and repairing all necessary buildings for the use of said County Hospital, and for all other necessary permanent improvements in connection therewith."

It is the purpose of the hospital board, should the election carry, to build some 20 additional rooms to the hospital to try to alleviate the crowded conditions now prevailing.

Exercises For Eight Grade Is Slated Tonight

Graduation exercises for the Munday grade school are slated to be held at 8:30 o'clock tonight (Thursday) in the school auditorium. Program for this event is as follows:

Recessional, Verdi, Mrs. J. H. Bardwell; invocation, Rev. Don Davidson; Salutatory, Patsy Morrow; Voices of The Woods, Rubenstein, class; class history, Coy Phillips, Jr.; Nola, Felix Arndt, Shirley Yost; class will, Billy Joe Brown; Shepherd Serenade, Goell-Spielman, class; Valedictory, Shirley Yost; presentation of certificates, Rex Howell; presentation of awards, W. C. Cox; America, Smith-Carey, class; benediction, W. C. Cox.

Students who will graduate into high school in the exercises are: Thelma Booe, Billy Joe Brown, Donnie Lee Coady, Marilyn Davis, Betty Derrington, Peggy Harrison, Don Haynie, Marie Howell, N. A. Howeth, Jr., Preston Iising, Ina Mae Jones, Homer Lowrance, Betty Carolyn Morrow, Patsy Morrow, Ann Nelson, Leonard Norman, Coy Phillips, Jr., Perry Reeves, Joe Bailey Roberts, Dorrels Sessions, James Skiles, W. E. Stovall, Jr., Patsy Whitworth and Shirley Yost.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Braxton Chamber of Bostonia, Calif., are proudly announcing the arrival of a baby girl on May 9th. The little lady's name is Betty Sue, and she weighed 7 pounds and 8 ounces. Mrs. Chandler is the former Miss Sibyl Beauchamp, daughter of Mrs. Wylie Johnson.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Betty Hendrix, who underwent an appendectomy recently at a Wichita Falls hospital, was brought home last Monday and is reported to be getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Lowrance and children of Seymour were visitors here last Saturday.

Sugar Stamp No. 12 Valid On June 1st

Announcement was made Tuesday by the agriculture department at Washington that sugar ration stamp No. 12 for individual ration sumers will become valid June 1 instead of July 1, as was originally planned. It is good for 10 lbs.

The department said that supplies from this stamp must last until October 31, when price and ration controls will expire unless extended by congress.

The date for No. 12 to become valid was set to June 1 in order to expedite movement of sugar into home pantries while railways transportation is available. Officials expect a shortage of freight cars as the bumper wheat crop begins to move.

180 Farmers At Cotton Meeting At Knox City

Approximately one hundred and eighty farmers attended the county-wide Cotton Program held in Knox City, at the Texas Theater, on Monday, May 5th, where state and county specialists spoke on the Nation-wide 7-step Cotton Program.

The meeting called to order by the County Agent, was started by a talk from the state specialist, Fred Elliott, on "Fighting Cotton Into A Balanced Farming Program." In this discussion, Mr. Elliott pointed out the various things that a farmer should do in cotton production to meet the present day demands. Following this discussion, Mr. Charlie Cape, Wichita-Brazos Work Unit Conservativist, pointed out the fact that it is necessary to build as well as conserve the soil to keep cotton production on a profitable basis. Mr. Sam Reed then told the best method and time of pulling of cotton, so that the ginmer can take it and turn out a better grade sample for the purchaser. Tying in with the remarks made by Mr. Reed, Mr. E. E. Lichte, Cotton Gin Specialist from College Station, brought some of the latest facts on cotton ginning and statistics covering the production of cotton in Knox County for the past few years.

Mr. Ted Kelly, Veteran Agricultural Instructor, for Knox County summed up the latest developments in labor saving devices, including the use of the flame cultivator, the mechanical cotton chopper, and the mechanical cotton picker. Following these remarks, Mr. Russell J. Penick, also Veteran Agricultural Instructor, gave one by one the many advantages of a one-

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Weather Report

Weather report for the period of May 8th to May 14th inclusive as recorded and compiled by H. P. Hill, Munday U. S. Cooperative Weather Observer:

	Temperature	
	LOW	HIGH
1947-1946	1947-1946	
May 8	57 53	74 77
May 9	55 64	64 90
May 10	57 60	63 67
May 11	55 42	77 65
May 12	59 41	85 72
May 13	62 50	89 91
May 14	65 57	86 85

Rainfall to date this year—9.15 inches. Rainfall to this date last year—4.46 inches. Rainfall since November 1st, 1946—14.77 inches.

Knox Club Boys Receive Pigs In Sears Hog Improvement Program

Funeral For Mrs. Stevenson Held Thursday

Death came quietly at 8:30 a. m. Wednesday, May 14, for one of Munday's most beloved Citizens and a lovely character and Southern Aristocrat passed on to her reward when the Death Angel called for Mrs. R. M. Stevenson of Munday.

Mrs. Stevenson had been in ill health for several years, and such was her condition that no celebration was held when she observed her 93rd birthday a little over a month ago.

Born Virginia Hogan on April 12, 1854, at Hogansville, Georgia, Mrs. Stevenson was 93 years, 1 month and 2 days of age. She had been a resident of Knox County for 33 years, and during this time many lives had come in contact with this aristocratic character, and had been blessed by having known her.

Surviving her are three sons and two daughters, who are: W. H. Stevenson, Brownwood; Mrs. Effie Alexander and Mrs. A. A. Smith, Munday; R. M. Stevenson, Pecos, and Rev. S. E. Stevenson, Goree. She is also survived by 11 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held from the family home in Munday at 3 p. m. Thursday, May 15, 1947, conducted by Rev. C. A. Powell of Rule, who was assisted by Rev. Don Davidson of Munday.

Interment was in the Johnson Cemetery, with the Mahan Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. Pallbearers were J. E. Reeves, M. H. Reeves, Arthur Smith, Jr., S. E. Stevenson, Jr., Barton Carl and Lamoine Blacklock.

Named as honorary pallbearers were: Jim Simpson, C. R. Elliott, Ben Blacklock, E. W. Harrell, Dr. W. M. Taylor, S. T. Easley and John B. Reneau.

Rexall Store Getting Back To Normal Service

The Rexall Drug Store, which has been closed since the disastrous fire on Wednesday of last week, is about ready to resume normal service, A. L. Smith, owner announced this week.

During the past several days the interior of the store has been repainted, the stock invoiced and all damaged goods have been destroyed.

Mr. Smith stated that he was fortunate in that his prescription files were not damaged to any great extent during the fire, and he is now able to refill any prescriptions which have ever been filled at the local store.

All drug items in the prescription department have been destroyed, so that local customers may be assured that their prescriptions are being filled with pure, fresh drugs. The prescription department is being restocked entirely.

The store expects to be open and ready for normal business perhaps the latter part of this week.

Active Market Seen Tuesday At Auction Sale

The Munday Livestock Commission Co. reports a good run of cattle for last Tuesday's sale, with a good active market on all classes. Prices paid were from 25 to 50 cents higher than a week earlier.

Canner and cutter cows sold from \$9 to \$12.25; butcher cows, \$12.50 to \$14; fat cows, \$14.25 to \$16.50; butcher bulls, \$11 to \$13.50; fat bulls, \$14 to \$16; butcher calves, \$12 to \$18; fat calves, \$18.50 to \$24; butcher yearlings, \$12.50 to \$18.50; fat yearlings, \$18.50 to \$23.75.

Miss Martha Jean Ferguson, who is attending T. S. C. W. in Denton, spent the week end here with her mother, Mrs. P. L. Ferguson.

The eight boys to receive registered gilt pigs and one boy to receive a registered boar pig in the Knox County Sears Foundation Hog Improvement Program, were announced by the committee after an all morning session on May 10th.

The winners of the gilt pigs are as follows:

- Ernest McGaughey—Vera, Texas
- Alton Patterson—Vera, Texas
- Jerel Barnett—Benjamin, Texas
- Stanton Brown—Benjamin, Texas
- Randell Walling—Sunset Community
- Garon Tidwell—Hood Community
- Don Johnson—Munday, Texas
- Coy Phillips—Munday, Texas
- The boy to receive the boar pig is Joe Bailey Roberts, Jr., Munday.

These winners were selected after a lengthy session of reviewing essays, agreements and checks of facilities which the boys had on hand and promised to build. Agreements which all of the boys and their fathers signed with the Sears Foundation, which is sponsoring the program, follows:

Each boy agreed to feed, care for and breed his pig under the direction of the County Agent. In 1948 he agreed to give the best sow pig to the county agent for distribution to another 4-H boy to be selected by the committee. In case his pig did not meet the specifications of a choice pig he agreed to pay the county agent \$15.00 in lieu of a pig. Each winning 4-H boy agreed to exhibit his pig at a county show to be held this fall, and the winner of the boar pig agreed to exhibit his pig at the store area show in Wichita Falls.

Each one of the winners had a vote in determining what breed of hog he desired. Final vote found Duroc Jerseys leading all other breeds, so eight registered gilts and one registered boar will be purchased.

The committee, cooperating with the Extension Service and Sears Foundation in making the program a success are Jack Idol, C. C. Browning, Russell J. Penick, and Pitzer Baker.

Joint Meeting Held May 8 For Area Agents

The first joint meeting of the revised District III Extension County Agents and County Home Demonstration Agents was held at Wichita Falls, May 8 and 9th.

Attending this meeting from Knox County were J. M. Carpenter, County Agent, and Eugenia Butler, Home Agent.

The program for the two days was high-lighted by a talk and demonstration conducted by F. Z. Beanblossom, on the new boneless turkey steaks, which he stated would make a very delicious plate as well as an outlet for the over-supply of turkeys now on the market. Following Mr. Beanblossom, Mr. Ted Martin, Poultry Production Specialist, pointed out the fact that most farm families are now losing money on their poultry mainly because of the lack of proper breeding, and stressed the fact that poultry improvement projects should be started.

An interesting talk was made by a specialist on the farm census and how it might be used followed the presentation of each country's farm census.

Jack Sloan demonstrated his work done in Visual Aids, by presenting on the screen a series of color pictures, and how they might be used in teaching better methods in agriculture.

Mrs. E. T. Johnson, gave an interesting talk on family life, and J. D. Prewitt, Extension State Agent, gave the latest information on Administrative policies.

A special invitation to county agents to attend the Wiley-Wolfe Grain Company banquet, Thursday night, was enjoyed by all those attending.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis T. Bryant, Jr., of Denton visited in the home of Mrs. Bryant's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Howell, and with other relatives over the week end and for Mother's Day.

EDITORIAL PAGE

"What a Man Does For Himself Dies With Him—
What He Does For His Community Lives On and On."

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WHAT ABOUT OUR COUNTY HOSPITAL?

Saturday, May 24, the citizens of Knox County will have an opportunity to vote on whether or not they want a larger and better equipped hospital.

It is the purpose of the hospital board to build 20 additional rooms to the hospital out of the funds made available by the proposed \$50,000 bonds, should the election carry. No person who has had occasion to use the Knox county hospital during the past several years will question the fact that it is too small to take care of the patients taken there for treatment.

Here are some facts concerning the hospital and the forthcoming election which we all should consider—facts that have been given us by those who are "in the know" concerning the hospital situation.

In the first place, if plans work out there will be no additional taxes added to Knox county property. Present bonds against the hospital will be retired in 1955, and it is the purpose of county officials to have the proposed \$50,000 in bonds issued to begin maturing after 1955, so that only interest will be paid on them until the old bonds are gotten out of way. This arrangement, we understand, is agreeable with bonding companies who hold the old bonds and who likely would purchase the new ones.

In the second place, the county hospital has paid its own way during the 25 years of its existence. In addition, a nurse's residence and 10 additional rooms have been added, and these have been paid for out of the hospital's earnings.

Another fact is that the hospital has taken care of all charity patients during these years with no expense to the county. Doctors who staff the hospital have taken care of all charity patients without obligation upon the part of the county, giving their services free of charge. They feel like the hospital has more than paid its initial investment through this service alone. If the country had been required to pay for all charity cases, this total would probably amount to more than the original sum invested in the hospital.

Doctors have stated that they are willing to continue this policy toward charity patients, indefinitely, as they have in the past, without pay. They do think, however, that more room should be available for all patients.

Many times in the past ten years, it has been impossible to get patients in the hospital, regardless of whether they were paying patients or charity patients, because there were no rooms or beds available. Patients have been placed in every available room, even in the basement.

The weekly reports of the hospital, published in the Knox county papers, show that our county hospital serves a wider area than Knox county and adjoining territory. You see patients whose homes are in Fort Worth, Throckmorton, Sundown, and many other places.

Our hospital has a reputation to maintain—a reputation established through the untiring efforts

THE NATIONAL GUARD

One of George Washington's most famous statements was this: "To be prepared for war is one of the most effectual ways of preserving peace."

That should be remembered in the present troubled world. And it has an especial significance now that an aggressive effort is being made to build up the National Guard to its authorized strength of 682,000 men.

The Guard is a volunteer, civilian-soldier organization, and it has a long and distinguished record of service. It provides a priceless nucleus of trained men upon which an effective fighting force can be built in time of war. Units of the Guard were among the first to see action in the last conflict, and they fought gallant delaying actions while we worked against time to create a gigantic Army. And war is not only emergency which the Guard is called upon to meet. In every great disaster, from the San Francisco fire of 1906 to the ghastly explosion at Texas City a short time ago, the Guard has done a superb job as a protector of life and property.

To young men, the Guard offers an opportunity to learn new skills, to improve old ones, and to acquire experience in organization and leadership. Each member draws a full day's Regular Army pay for two hours of spare-time training a week, and for each 15 days of field training a year. To the community, the guard is a proud local asset. It represents public service of the highest order.

of the doctors and nurses who are on its staff. Some eleven years ago, before we had any idea of ever locating in Knox county, we had occasion to observe the many ambulance trips made from a town 100 miles away to take patients to the Knox county hospital. "Why," we asked, "do so many people go from here to Knox City for treatment?" "It's the doctors there," was the reply.

No one wants to be turned away when in need of hospitalization, no matter where he lives. And it could be your loved one who's next to be denied admission into our county hospital because of lack of room.

Those who are closely connected with the hospital feel that in order for it to continue to serve and maintain its place in the community, it is absolutely necessary that more rooms be provided.

We, as citizens, are building, and planning to build, larger schools, larger churches, more homes, etc. to take care of the community needs. Let's build greater facilities to take care of our sick!

A contractor stationed his foreman on the other side of a wall in a newly finished dwelling and then called out; "Can you hear me?" "Yes, I can," rejoined the foreman. "Can you see me?" the contractor next called out. "No," replied the foreman. "That," commented the contractor, "is what I call a good wall!"

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Readers' Digest quotes a story of this columnist: At a Chamber of Commerce dinner a school teacher was called on to respond to the toast. "Our school teachers—

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ISSUE INTEREST BEARING TIME WARRANTS

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioner's Court of Knox County, Texas, intends on the 26th day of May, 1947 at a Special Session thereof, to pass an order authorizing the issuance of Knox County Road and Bridge Time warrants, in an amount not exceeding \$8,000.00 bearing interest at the rate of Four (4) per cent per annum, and maturing serially as follows: \$2,000.00 in each of the years 1948, 1949, 1950 and 1951, which warrants are to be issued against the Road and Bridge Fund, providing for the delivery of said warrants to the holders or assignees of claims from whom such Bridge material is purchased.

Said warrants are to be issued in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 163, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty Second Legislature.

This action is given by authority of the Commissioner's Court of Knox County, Texas.
Wm. Griffith
County Judge, Knox County, Texas.

long may they live!" Her response in full was, "Oh what?"

The war has been over for almost two years—and you can not get automobiles, a sugar, building materials or a hundred of the little boy looking at his baby brother. His parents in response to his questions, said they had paid Dr. Jones \$200 for the infant. Willie said, "No teeth, no hair, can't say a word—did we get gypped!"

And Mark Twain said the reason that a crocodile is called a crocodile is that it looks more like a crocodile than anything else.

Not only Texas but the nation and the entire world were shocked by the tragedy at Texas City. Hundreds of lives lost, thousands injured, millions in property damage, untold sorrow and suffering.

Has Austin taken any steps to prevent a repetition of such a disaster? Next time, devastation could smite Beaumont, Port Arthur, Corpus Christi or Houston, where industry and population are greater than at Texas City and so the catastrophe could be even more terrible.

So far as I have seen, no bill has been introduced—much less passed—by the legislature to safeguard the public nor has the governor—so far as I have read—submitted the matter to the legislature. Steps should be taken to prevent a similar tragedy from shattering families, breaking hearts and flinging a pall of sorrow over the State. The people of Texas want action at Austin!

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Gordon Gaines and Bobbie Broach, students in Texas Tech at Lubbock, spent the week end with home folks here. Their roommate Frank Hughes of Coleman, was also a guest in their homes here.

Mr. and Mrs. David Crockett and little daughter of Sweetwater were week end guests of Mr. Crockett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Crockett.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Baker and son—Kenneth, spent the week end in Floydada with Mrs. Baker's mother, Mrs. E. C. Henry, and with other relatives.

Mrs. R. W. Hightower and children of Dallas spent the week end here with Mrs. Hightower's mother, Mrs. A. E. Womble, and with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bailey King and other relatives.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Industry Looks at Our Town

Maybe you read how a group of industrial experts have decided that the small town is the place for industry—not big cities. Reasons they give are better housing, pleasanter living, and more opportunity for wholesome recreation.

Well, looking around our town I'd say that was about right. Most of us own our homes, and keep them looking nice; we enjoy each other's company; and our recreations are mostly simple outdoor sports, and in the evening a mellow glass of beer with pleasant company.

As Doc Walters says, that sort of life just naturally sets you up for work the next day . . . whether it's in office, mill, or field. And Doc should know. He works fourteen hours, but never misses his morning "constitutional" or his evening glass of beer with friends.

From where I sit, any industry could profit from being in a town where wholesome living, temperance, and friendship are the rule.

Joe Marsh

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Washington News Letter

By Congressman Ed Gossett

Washington, D. C., May 10.—Insofar as action on the floor of the House of representatives goes, most of this week was taken up by long, sincere, and oftentimes bitter debate on the Greek-Turkish Aid Bill. The bill finally passed the House by a vote of 287 to 107. It provides \$400,000,000 to bolster the economy of Turkey and Greece. American experts will supervise the use of this money. Some of it will go for military supplies and equipment. The avowed purpose of this bill is to prevent communism from over-running these two strategic nations. All congressmen from Texas voted for the bill. Many members supported the bill with their fingers crossed, hoping rather than expecting it to accomplish the desired objective.

My personal feeling is that the base on which foreign policy is determined should be greatly broadened. That is, congress, as the representatives of the people, should be consulted before foreign policy is determined. In my opinion, Secretary of State Marshall and President Truman should call into conference the Foreign Affairs Committee of the House, the Foreign Relations Committee of the Senate, and the Armed Services Committee of both Houses, and a definite foreign policy and program should be outlined and agreed upon before declarations of policy are made either by the President or by the Secretary of State. If a congressman did not approve of the Greek-Turkish Aid Bill, he could hardly oppose such a measure after it had been advertised to the world as American Policy. To defeat this bill at this stage of the game or to back out on it would be to cut the ground from under the Secretary of State and to lend encouragement to the aggressors and expansionists within the Soviet Union. Opponents of this bill contend it bypasses and weakens the United Nations. Proponents contend that

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The United Nations has no money or forces to act in this matter at this time, and that while we are determined to back up and support the United Nations, we cannot rely upon it, for the present at least for peace and security.

Early this week all members of congress received an invitation from John Gates, Chairman, National Veterans Committee of the Communist Party, to attend as observers the first national encampment of Communist veterans of World Wars I and II held at Turners Arena here in the city of Washington. Insofar as I know, no congressman attended this meeting. However, several hundred of these Communist veterans, wearing red badges, came to the gallery of the House during our debate on the Greek-Turkish Aid Bill. Their presence doubtless caused a good many to vote for the bill who might otherwise have voted against it.

The Senate continues to debate the labor bill. Apparently the Senate will greatly weaken the Hartly Bill which passed the House so overwhelmingly a few days ago. For example, the House outlawed industry-wide bargaining. The Senate defeated such an amendment by one vote. Industry-wide bargaining should be outlawed. To make such bargaining illegal would help to break up labor monopolies on the one hand and industrial monopolies on the other. Both forms of monopoly are a menace to our country. The two United States Senators from Texas are splitting on most of these labor amendments. Senator O'Daniel voted for the amendment to outlaw industry-wide bargaining—Senator Connally against. Senate Amendment No. 4 to make unions subject to damage suits for jurisdictional strikes and secondary boycotts was supported by Senator O'Daniel while opposed by Senator Connally.

Sub-committee No. 1 of the Judiciary Committee of the House, on which I serve, is busy trying to write a Presidential succession bill. Before us this week appeared Congressman Jim Trimble of Arkansas who has introduced a bill to provide that when and if all entitled to succession as President are killed or incapacitated that the Commanders of the Army and of the Air Corps should convene the governors of the states to name a Presidential successor. Congressman Trimble said the atomic bombs that wiped out Hiroshima and Nagasaki were no bigger than a man's fist, and that in the future it will be possible to wipe out a city the size of Washington with one bomb. Our Committee will probably not seriously

consider the Congressman's bill at this time.

President Truman, in addressing 2400 delegates to the United States Chamber of Commerce a few days ago, referred to their slogan, 'Paths to Freedom and Plenty', as good timing. The newly elected president of the Chamber, Mr. Earl O. Shreve, of Schenectady, N. Y., declared that our country is now on the threshold of an era of peace and plenty. We hope both of these distinguished gentlemen were correct in their prophesy.

Cotton Congress Slated July 16-18; To Be In Dallas

Dallas—Subjects to be discussed and leaders to develop details of the program for the eighth annual Cotton Research Congress of the Statewide Cotton Committee of Texas have been selected by members of the program committee, Burris C. Jackson, Hillsboro, general chairman, has announced.

Five half-day sessions, and a special night session arranged by the National Cotton Council, are scheduled for the Congress, which will be held July 16-17-18 at the Baker Hotel in Dallas.

General topics for the half-day sessions and leaders selected to develop details of the discussions for these sessions are:

Production and preparation of cotton plant products—C. B. Spencer, agricultural director, Texas Cottonseed Crushers' Association, Dallas.

Cotton products markets—domestic and foreign—Dr. A. B. Cox, professor of cotton marketing, University of Texas, Austin.

Industrialization as related to cotton—Dr. Robert W. French, director of Bureau of Business Research, University of Texas, Austin.

The place of cotton in the agricultural economy of the South—L. P. Gabbard, head, department of agricultural economics and sociology, Texas A. and M. College, College Station.

Resources for cotton research—Dr. J. E. Adams, head, department of agronomy, Texas A. and M. College, College Station.

Findings of the Pace Committee's cotton study and opportunities for research under the Federal Research and Marketing Act will receive special attention on the program, the committee said.

Extensive exhibits will be arranged by a committee headed by D. T. Killough, College Station; and Ed Lipscomb of the National Cotton Council plans features, to be announced later, for the night program, July 17.

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Lyndal Smith, student in Baylor University, Waco, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Holder, Jr., visited with relatives in Denton over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Norton visited with Mr. Norton's parents and other relatives in Greenville over the week end.

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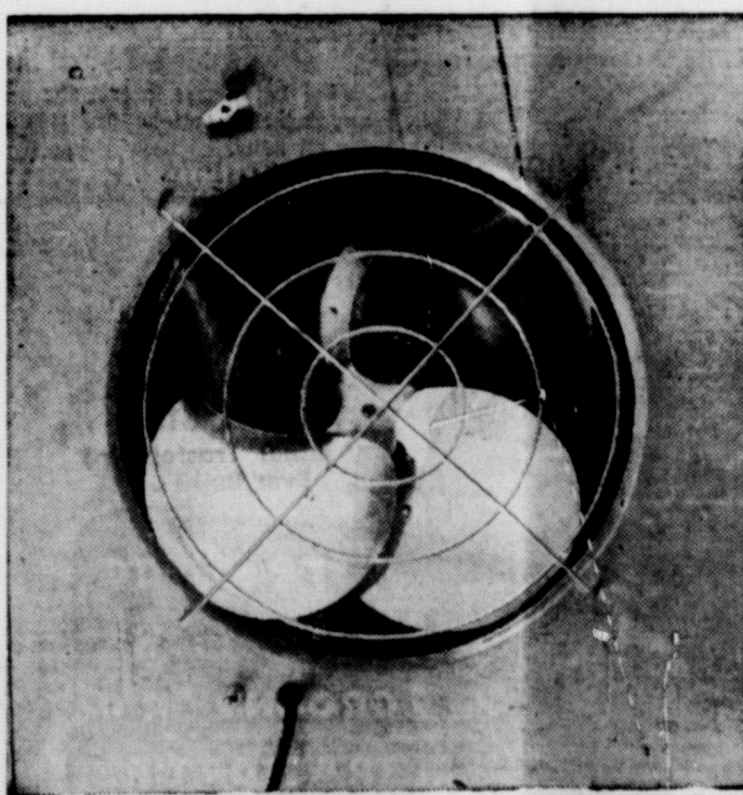
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Family Reunion Held Recently In Coy Phillips Home

A family reunion was a recent event at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Coy Phillips.

The reunion was the first in four years. A delicious buffet dinner was served to their mother, Mrs. Cora Capps, Melvin Capps, Billie Jo Langford, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Langford, Robert and Wanda LaJean all of Anson, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Langford and Anita Gail of Glendale Calif., the brother whom they had not seen in 4 years, and Mr. and Mrs. Coy Phillips, Doris Wayne, Coy Jr. and Bobbie James.

Mrs. Putman and Mrs. Merrell Are Birthday Honorees

Miss Patricia Faye Putman honored her mother, Mrs. O. O. Putman, and her grandmother, Mrs. T. C. Merrell, on their birthday, Saturday, May 10, with a delicious chicken dinner served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Merrell.

Mr. Putman presented the honoree with a beautiful pink and white angel food cake.

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Methodist WSCS Meets Monday In Home Of Mrs. Ford

Members of the Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service met on Monday afternoon, May 5 in the home of Mrs. W. T. Ford. Mrs. J. A. Caughran and Mrs. J. C. Rice were co-hostesses.

After a short business session, Mrs. Don Davidson completed the book on Social Relations, Delicious cake and iced punch were served to the following members:

Mmes. G. W. Dingus, R. L. Ratliff, P. V. Williams, S. A. Bowden, T. L. Thompson, Hill, J. D. Crockett, Gil Wyatt, J. R. Bateman, W. A. Baker, M. T. Chamberlain, W. F. Phillips, T. C. Merrell, M. F. Billingsley, H. A. Pendleton, W. G. Gafford, D. E. Holder, J. C. Borden, S. E. McStay, W. W. McCarty, Don Davidson, Lee Haymes, Miss Shelly Lee, and the hostess.

Beta Chi Chapter Meets Saturday At Haskell

Despite the falling weather, Beta Chi Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma had a most enjoyable meeting on Saturday, May 10, in the home economics cottage in Haskell.

This was the last meeting of the school year, and reports were heard from various committees. Mrs. Marie Ward of Aspermont gave a very interesting report on the state convention which was held at Amarillo on April 26. Mrs. Ward and Mrs. Mullins, also of Aspermont, were the chapter's representatives at the state convention.

Pamphlets concerning the national convention to be held in New York City in August were passed out. Those desiring to go should make reservations soon, and should see the president, Mrs. A. W. Weaver, for details of the trip.

During the social hour, clover leaf cookies and loganberry punch were served to the members present.

Mother's Day Is Celebrated In Hargrove Home

Sunday, May 11, Mother's Day was celebrated in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hargrove.

Dinner was served to the following children, grandchildren and great grandchildren of Mrs. Emma Hill of Munday:

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Weeks, Munday; Mr. and Mrs. Paul O. Hill and children, Gerald, Mack, Anabelle, James Lee and Leon, all of Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Drymon, Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Hill and sons, Leo, Donald and Edwin, Sunset; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hargrove and children, Ralph and Virginia Raye, Munday; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Cude, Munday; Miss Dora Followill, Munday, and Miss Joan Parkson, Abilene.

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QUEEN JEAN



WENATCHEE, WASH. — As "Queen of the Washington State Apple Blossom Festival," Miss Jean Marie Olson, 17, perches prettily atop a slightly oversized example of a wonderfully tasty variety, the Rome Beauty. Jean Marie attributes her beautiful complexion to a diet which includes a liberal supply of tangy Washington apples.

Oklahoma Couple Marry Sunday In Johnson Home

Billie Ray Huddleston and Miss Genevieve Brown, both of Chattanooga, Okla., were united in marriage at 8:30 o'clock last Sunday evening, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Moody Johnson, west of Munday.

John C. Rice, justice of the peace at Munday, read the marriage vows which united the couple in the holy bonds of matrimony. Mr. Huddleston is a brother of Mrs. Johnson.

The couple will make their home in Chattanooga, Okla.

Frankie Trammell Wade Lewis, Jr. Wed On April 30

Miss Frankie Trammell and Wade Lewis, Jr., were married in Stephenville on Wednesday, April 30, at 5:45 p. m., it was announced here this week. The marriage ceremony was performed in the home of H. C. Smith, pastor of the First Baptist church.

The bride wore a pearl grey suit with black and white accessories. Her corsage was of pink carnations.

Mrs. Lewis is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Trammell of Munday. She completed high school with the class of 1944 and has been employed recently at Sheppard Field and at the City Drug Store in Munday.

Mr. Lewis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Lewis of Seymour. He was in the Air Forces for seventeen months, where he served as a fire chief on a crash crew. He is now employed at Seymour.

After a trip to San Antonio, the couple returned to Seymour, where they will make their home.

COTTON QUIZ

WHAT IS THE LEGAL WEIGHT OF A BUSHEL OF COTTONSEED?



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Edward Perkins Bonnie Belle Reid Rites Announced

Double-ring wedding vows for Miss Bonnie Belle Reid and Edward Perkins were read recently in Wichita Falls by Rev. Stevenson, pastor of Grace Methodist church. The candle-light ceremony took place in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Streadwick.

Mrs. Marvin Smith played traditional wedding music and was accompanied by Miss Ann Smith, who sang "Because" and "I Love You Truly." Perfect Prayer was played throughout the ceremony.

The altar was decorated with white iris and fern flanked on either side by pink gladioli. The kneeling bench was directly beneath the altar. Pink gladioli, white stock and bridal wreath were used throughout the house.

The bride was given in marriage by Mr. Cecil Streadwick. Best man was Buddy Brooks of Wichita Falls.

The bride wore a beige tailored suit fashioned with a peplum and her accessories were of brown. Her corsage was of pink tulleman roses.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held for the bridal party and out-of-town guests. Delores Ann Guyer presided at the register, where some 40 guests registered.

The bride's table was covered in a lace cloth over pink, with crystal appointments. Mrs. Carl Macheff and Mrs. Cecil Streadwick presided over the refreshment table.

Movies were made as the bride and groom cut the first slice of cake and also at other times during the ceremony.

The couple are at home in Fort Worth, where both are employed.

HEFNER NEWS

(Mrs. E. J. Jones, Correspondent)

We had fine rains the first of this week, which are good on grain, row crops and gardens.

Several attended the baccalaureate services at Goree last Sunday night.

A. W. Akins and family have moved from this community to Goree to make their home.

Elder A. B. Thornton and wife of Anson have returned home from a visit with their daughter and family, Mrs. R. Guthrie.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Haskin and Connie spent the week end in Lubbock, visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hendrix.

Mrs. M. Manly is in General Wells this week for a few days visit with her daughter, Mrs. Bryan Walton.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Bates have gone to California to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Jones and

Two GI Students



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

children of Grand Prairie have returned to their home after a visit in the J. H. Lambeth and E. J. Jones homes at Goree. They also enjoyed meeting many old friends while here.

Mrs. Maud Jones of Wichita Falls is visiting Mrs. Ed Jones and the Elkin Warrens this week.

Mrs. Maud Cure of Floydada has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John E. Cure.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Grammer and twin daughters of Lamesa visited relatives here last Friday night. They were enroute to Fort Worth for a week end visit with relatives.

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Grandchildren included E. A. Truitt of Lamesa, Miss Margaret West of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Jackson and Judy of Abilene, Wanda June, Billie Joe and Joyse West of Benjamin, and Wayne West of Munday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Littlefield and daughter, Gayle, visited with relatives in Anson last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Kemletz of Stamford visited relatives and friends here over the week end.

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Subject for Sunday evening: "God Is Working". The text is John 5:17. We are always glad to welcome strangers and old acquaintances to our worship services.

C. H. Harris

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

The pastor, W. H. Albertson, will return home this week and will be in his place in the church for all services next Sunday.

All members are urged to attend the regular services, and cordial welcome is extended to visitors.

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TIRE HEADQUARTERS — For this section, Goodyear Tires are first!! Reeves Motor Co.



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5:45 p. m. Youth Meeting
The youth group are discussing important topics for their group.
6:30 p. m. Evening Vesper Services

This informal service is the effort of this church to minister to your soul.

You will enjoy the service and go away better prepared for a week of Christian living.

METHODISTS IN VACATION CHURCH SCHOOL

Monday, May 19th, beginning at nine o'clock the local Methodist Church will start its vacation Church School with classes for pupils who are four years of age on up through the grade school ages. A large teaching staff is ready for a full attendance and a week of fun and training. The day sessions will close at eleven twenty each morning. Visitors are always welcome to all work. On Sunday evening of May 25 the work of the school will be presented in the Evening Preaching hour at six thirty.

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hospital bond election coming up on Saturday, May 24, and there are some facts concerning the hospital, expressed editorially, this week that are not solely our thoughts, but those of a great number of our people. It won't hurt you none to read the editorial in this week's paper.

The other election referred to is that of passing on a state constitutional amendment providing for payment of Confederate pensions and providing a method of payment for the construction and equipment for our state colleges. This election will be held on Saturday, August 23.

There may be more before the year is out, so far as we know, but even as it stands now this is going to be more of an election year than the real McCoy!

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roberts left Friday for Corpus Christi and other points on the Gulf coast, where they are spending a vacation of several weeks. Roberts plans to have his try at catching the salt water fish while away.

Lee Ancil Bowden of Fort Worth spent the week end with relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy A. Baker of Knox City spent last Sunday with Mr. Baker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Baker.



A Sound Thinker

By GEORGE S. BENSON
President of Harding College
Searcy, Arkansas



AS I SAT a few days ago in the spacious office of Mr. John Snyder, secretary of the Treasury, and listened to that keen thinking gentleman outline his views on certain monetary policies, I found myself wishing that all public thinking were as clear, and as cognizant of good economic horse-sense.

In the first place, the Secretary believes that a thorough study of the necessary costs of government should be made. He believes then that this cost should be reduced to the very minimum consistent with good government. In the second place, he believes that a high national income is possible only if a sound economy is maintained. This sound economy must be based upon maximum production at high efficiency, which he feels would make possible a large foreign trade.

On Your IN THE THIRD Feet, Sam! place, he believes we should seriously undertake liberal payments on the national debt. This should be done at once. To me that is just plain, common horse-sense. It is just the way a wage earner, farmer, merchant, or manufacturer, heavily in debt, with a large family, but still in good health, would have to plan if he expected ever to get on his feet and leave any heritage to his children.

Uncle Sam is heavily in debt, his children have adopted spendthrift habits, have lost the art of hard work, are quarreling with one another and are growing more and more inclined to leave

the worrying to the old man. The need of the hour is sound counsel from Washington for the entire nation to realize its critical condition, and to act accordingly.

A SOUND SECRETARY SNYDER'S program needs to be understood, for it is one in which the whole nation can participate. His three point program (in my own words) would be about as follows:

1. Stop the fantastic waste in almost every department of government. Pare costs rigorously, forgetting political expediency.
2. Let industry reduce prices until the profits stand at a very low level. Let labor aim for maximum production, in order to get a real raise through lower prices. Such production will permit active foreign markets.
3. Let taxes remain on a broad base, with only those cuts being made which are necessary to induce investment in the tools of production, while we all do our part to reduce the very heavy national debt.

Personally, I would modify item three. It is my opinion that if reductions in the budget were taken, all three points Secretary Snyder features could be achieved, and, at the same time, we could obtain a real reduction in income taxes. There are certain reductions that by all means should be made in order to encourage more venture capital. We shall continue to need wide investment of private capital in tools. That will mean more jobs and more steady employment.

Activities Of The Colored People

Dumbar School is having its school closing program tonight, May 15, at the school. The program will begin at 8:30 p. m.

A picnic will be sponsored by the patrons on Friday morning for the students. We are looking forward having a grand time. This will put a climax to a successful school year.

The school expresses its sincere gratitude to the Methodist Missionary Association for the contribution it has given us every week for the support of our lunch room.

Carnations were sold last Saturday for Mother's Day, and the money is being used to purchase a piano for the Church of God in Christ. The three contestants were awarded a prize by Mrs. Rosetta Sanders. First prize was given to little Mary A. Wilson; second prize to Mary E. Napper, and third prize to Ginger Earl Shavers.

Services will be held Sunday at the church, with the pastor, Elder C. Robinson, doing the preaching. Everyone is invited to attend. Tom Whitney and Mrs. Aline Whitney were united in matrimony on the 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Tucker and little daughter of Wichita Falls spent last Sunday week with his brother, John Tucker, and with friends.

Mrs. Varnie Moore of Abilene visited her father and sister, J. C. Campbell and Miss Dolores Campbell, the first of this week.

Mrs. W. B. Payne spent last week end in Dallas, visiting with her husband who is undergoing treatment in a Dallas hospital.

Mrs. S. E. McStay spent the week end in Vernon, visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Dee McStay and little son, John.

SMALL FARMER CAN MAKE IT

"It wouldn't be wise to count the small farmer out too early when the machine takes over in cotton production. He has demonstrated his resourcefulness many times in the past. Often he can get by and make a living when the big farmers are going busted. The small farmer will make it."—Louisiana Extension Service.

Joe Bob Stevens, Harvey Lee and Don L. Ratliff were business visitors in Texarkana last Friday.

W. H. Hart left last Tuesday for Wichita Falls for a few day's visit with his son, Marvin Hart.

not back on the throne here in Texas . . . but certainly we want to put it in its rightful place as a part of balanced farming."

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

Banquet Held By 8th Graders Last Friday

One of the nicest affairs of the school year was a banquet given last Friday evening by the home room mothers of the Eight Grade to members of the class and their teachers. Places were set for thirty-two students and guests. A May-Day theme was carried out in decorations and favors with crepe paper Maypoles in pastel shades and spring flowers carrying out the theme. Coy Phillips, Class President, served as toastmaster, and numerous toasts and responses by classmates and teachers added to the enjoyment of the occasion. A delicious salad plate followed by ice cream and cake was served to the following:

Thelma Booe, Billy Joe Brown, Donnie Lee Coody, Marilyn Davis, Betty Derrington, Peggy Harrison, Don Haynie, Marie Howeth, N. A. Howeth, Preston Iising, Ina Mae Jones, Homer Lowrance, Betty Carolyn Morrow, Patsy Morrow, Ann Nelson, Leonard Norman, Coy Phillips, Perry Reeves, Joe Bailey Roberts, Dorrels Sessions, James Skiles, W. E. Stovall, Patsy Ruth Whitworth, Shirley Yost, and the following teachers:

Room Mothers present were Mrs. J. E. Reeves, Mrs. Elmer Brown, Mrs. Clyde Nelson, Mrs. Joe B. Roberts, and Mrs. Clyde Yost.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Harrell and Mr. and Mrs. Gene W. Harrell and daughter, Natalie, visited with relatives in Anson last Sunday afternoon.

George Salem spent the first of this week in Dallas, attending the shoe convention and attending the markets to purchase merchandise for The Fair Store.

Mrs. Lee Haynes spent last Saturday in Abilene, where she visited with her daughter, Helen Haynes, student in McMurry College.

A five per cent DDT dust will control household ants.

COTTON QUIZ

HOW FINE IS A COTTON FIBER?



ANS—USDA SCIENTISTS HAVE FOUND COTTON FIBERS 2,000 TIMES AS LONG AS THEY ARE THICK. COMPARING THE COTTON FIBER TO A HUMAN HAIR IS LIKE COMPARING THE HUMAN HAIR TO A GARDEN NOSE!

Nat'l Cotton Week Is Slated For May 19-24

May 19-24 is National Cotton week, and Texas is joining in on the nation-wide effort to revive interest in cotton as one of American agriculture's most resourceful crops.

Maurine Hearn, vice director for women and state home demonstration agent of the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service, is serving as state chairman of the National Cotton Week Committee of Texas.

"National Cotton Week", Miss Hearn says, "is being observed to focus attention on cotton as being one of our most versatile and resourceful crops. During the national week, as during any week, we want to spread the word about what needs to be done to put Texas cotton on an equal basis with all fibers on world markets, to bring to the attention of the public what the crop means to our national economy and what can be done to boost cotton yields and cotton uses. We want to put cotton . . . perhaps

NOTICE Of Change in Ownership!

This is to announce that A. A. Smith, Jr., has purchased the interests of W. H. Hart in the Western Auto Associate Store in Munday, and assumed management of the business on Monday, May 12, 1947.

New merchandise will be coming in this week, and you can shop for your every need here. We're trying to handle the best merchandise available to us.

See us for your needs in tires, tubes, batteries, accessories and home appliances. We welcome you here.

We assure you that our desire shall be to serve you to the best of our ability, and we want you to visit us often for your needs.

Western Auto Associate Store

A. A. Smith, Jr., owner

WEED KILLING DRIVE

When the variety of weed causes up to \$200,000 worth of damage in one year, Runnels County farmers believe it's time to act.

Runnels County Agricultural Agent J. A. Barton estimates that ragweed in that county caused at least 10,000 acres of crops to fail completely last year, and that total ragweed ranged from \$150,000 to \$200,000.

Before the weeds get out of hand this year, County Agent Barton is getting together with farmers in the county for a weed control campaign. They set aside a "weed in-

formation month", held a series of meetings, pooled their experiences in controlling weeds and elected community committees to help carry out plans. County Agent Barton says they mean to start spraying with weed-killers before the pests get too far along in growth.

A pound of DDT sprayed on cattle during fly season is worth 2,000 pounds of beef to the Texas cattlemen.

For quick results, use a Munday Times classified ad.

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IN THE SUPERB QUALITY YOU REMEMBER



A MATCHLESS BLEND OF FINER COFFEES . . . EKPERTLY ROASTED!

Farm Machinery

Avery One-Way

Four disc, 3-foot cut, adjustable and sturdily built. The right plow for the smaller tractor.

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Strong, arc welded steel frame. Roller bearings—adjustable in width and length.

5,000-pound capacity.

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BETTER BALANCE

with Cotton in '47



Scarcity of cottonseed meal and other protein concentrates has seriously handicapped livestock and dairy production during recent years. Meat and milk production and efficient use of grains and roughages have suffered because of lack of protein, essential "balance" in rations.

More cotton production in 1947 means a better balanced farming program, and better balanced livestock feeding program — as well as more cash income for cotton farms and more food and fiber for all Americans.

West Texas Cottonoil Co.

Division of WESTERN COTTON OIL CO.

Cash-in on Cotton this year



Buy, Sell, Rent, Lease or Exchange It Through . . . The Times Want Ads

C. L. MAYES is in the Real Estate business. His office is over First National Bank. tfe.

WANTED—Good used furniture. We pay highest cash prices possible. Home Furniture Co. and Mattress Factory. tfe.

FARMERS—If you need tractor tires, see us. We will trade for old tires. We guarantee you full satisfaction. Blacklock Home & Auto Supply. 29-tfe.

FOR SALE—4-room house and six lots, in South Munday, on highway. Worth the money. Also 8-room house and 21 lots in Goree. House has butane system, water, lights, etc. Emmett Branch at Knox County Trading Post. 43-tfe.

HAULING WANTED—Have two trucks, and will go anywhere at any time. Let us know your needs. Phone 253. Joe Duke. 42-tfe.

CAN DELIVER—One 9 cubic foot electric home freezer unit. See at Melvin Strickland's Radio Shop. 44-tfe.

MUNDAY TRUCK & TRACTOR CO.
THE FARMALL HOUSE
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USED TRUCKS, TRACTORS

We can now make immediate delivery on 10 and 12-foot Krause one-ways.

1936 Ford pickup with 1941 motor. Good rubber.
Two Farmall H Tractors with 2 row equipment.
One used Letz feed mill.

One International semi-deep drill, 12 discs, 10-inch spacing.

New Equipment
We have several good used, reconditioned one-ways.

We now have the large and small Whirlwind terracers for immediate delivery!

One new No. 8 International field cultivator.

One new International No. 34 4-disc breaking plow.

Two International 2-row stalk cutters.
One International 4-wheel trailer, timken bearings, and with steel grain bed.

IMMEDIATE DELIVERY

We can give you immediate delivery on "Snowbreeze" squirrel type air conditioners in 2500, 3500 and 4500 cubic feet sizes. Also have the type that fits in window of your home.

See us before you sell your late model tractors and Gleaner-Baldwin combines!

FOUR SALE—80 acres of good land with new improvements. Only a mile off the pavement. R. M. Almanrode. 40-tfe.

GOOD GUNS—We still have a pretty nice stock of guns; one exceptionally clean 12-gauge Remington automatic. We're buying, selling and trading. Knox County Trading Post. 40-tfe.

POLIO INSURANCE—As little as \$3.00 a year will insure your children against polio, paying up to \$5,000.00 on doctor bills, hospital bills, etc. Let me explain this insurance. R. M. Almanrode. 34-tfe.

WANTING FOR SERVICE—One American saddle horse, and one Quarter-horse, at fee of \$10.00. Harry Beck, six miles southeast of Vera. 42-4tp.

FOR SALE—\$150 Magic air conditioner; run only ten days. Also home made whirlwind type conditioner, cheap. M. W. McConnell, Vera. 41-4tp.

Tires—Yes, we have U. S. Royals, Diamonds, Millers and Brunswicks. We can meet prices on tires. Let us figure with you on your tire needs. Gartex Service Station. 1tc.

TRADE—Your used tires in before hot weather. We will give you more for your tire. Blacklock Home & Auto Supply. 44-tfe.

THERE'RE GOOD—Our batteries are guaranteed to give you service. Come in and let us install a new battery on your car, truck or tractor. Gratex Service Station. 1tc.

LOTS OF OIL—We now have 21 brands of oil in stock, and can give you the kind you think is best for your motor. Ask us for your favorite brand. Gratex Service Station. 1tc.

FOR SALE—Philco windcharger and tower. In good operating condition. See J. R. Gaines, 6 miles south of Munday. 44-2tp.

FOR SALE—Houses and lots in Goree. Also choice farms for sale. See Buel Claburn, licensed real-estate dealer, Goree, Texas, Box 103. If you want to sell, see me. 28-tfe.

CHAMPION—Everyone is wondering what the new Firestone Champion tractor tire will do. Come in and let's trade on tires; then you will know what it will do. Guaranteed satisfaction. Blacklock Home & Auto Supply.

FOR SALE—Certified Porto Rico potato plants at \$1.50 per 500, or \$2.50 per 1000, postpaid. T. I. Nixon, route one, Clyde, Texas. 43-4tp.

FOR SALE—Can sell you gravel in any quantity from 1 yard up. Will sell at pit or deliver to your place. Loading facilities at pit. See Doris Dickerson, or call 127-J. 34-tfe.

YOUR TIRES—Your tires are worth more at Firestone. Come in and let's trade. Blacklock Home & Auto Supply. 44-tfe.

FOR SALE—Have a few new 16-inch, single bottom moldboard plows to fit Ford tractors. Get yours while the supply lasts. J. L. Stodghill. 34-tfe.

EXPERT RADIO SERVICE—Plus the best of replacement parts, at reasonable prices. Ford's Radio Service. W. T. U. Substation, Phone 113. 35-tfe.

NOTICE—I am now representing the Belcano-Gordon Cosmetics Co. for this vicinity at Haynie's Beauty Shop, Mrs. A. E. Richmond. 34-tfe.

FOR SALE—1939 Chevrolet truck with grain bed. In fair condition. Shorty Kuehler. 42-3tp.

NOTICE—Bring us your radios. Expert repairmen will fix it up for you promptly. Melvin Strickland Radio Shop. 43-tfe.

WANTED—Hauling of all kinds. Local and long distance. Phone 61 or 145, or see Dee Mullican or H. B. Stubblefield. 34-tfe.

FOR SALE—47 Ford tudor (new), '46 Ford tudor, '46 Buick sedan, '42 Mercury sedan, '41 Chevrolet 4-door sedan, '40 Ford tudor, '41 Ford pickup, '37 Chevrolet tudor. Brown and Peary Mortor Co. Haskell, Texas. 43-2tp.

USE—The Firestone budget plan, the easy way to pay. Pay by the week or month. Blacklock Home & Auto Supply. 36-tfe.

NEW RADIOS—Several new battery and electric radios; also combination radios and record players. We also have stocked some air conditioners and attic fans. Strickland Radio Shop. 36-tfe.

FOR SALE—1942 model Massey-Harris combine. Mrs. A. B. Urbanczyk, route one, Munday. 43-2tp.

IF YOU ARE—Looking for the highest quality in farm machinery at the lowest prices, you are invited to inspect the used tractors, combines, one-ways on display at our store today. Our prices are right. See us for tractor, auto and farm equipment service and repair work. Broach Equipment. 1tc.

FOR SALE—one and one-half ton G. M. C. truck chassis, in good shape. Claude W. Hill. 41-tfe.

NEED PROPERTY?—When in need of farms, or city property in Goree, see J. B. Justice, Goree, Texas. 42-tfe.

YES, SIR!—We now have a stock of Gulf Tires! Come in and see what a real tire the Gulf is, then try one on your car! We can also supply you with automobile accessories, or give you a good washing and greasing job on your car. Continue to use Good Gulf products. They won't let you down. R. B. Bowden Gulf Station. 43-tfe.

ENJOY—Running water on your farm. We have several water pressure systems ready for delivery. We install them. Strickland's Radio Shop. 44-tfe.

FARMERS UNION—Pays storm damages, any amount, large or small. See John Rice. 41-tfe.

WANTED—Good used furniture. We pay highest cash prices possible. Home Furniture Co. and Mattress Factory. 1tc.

FOR RENT—South bedroom, next to bath. Mrs. W. M. Mayo. Phone 83. 42-tfe.

FOR SALE—One good 1946 model Firestone 3 1-2 horse outboard motor. Priced right. Blacklock Home & Auto Supply. 1tc.

FOR SALE—Re-cleaned Midland combine maize seed. Also re-cleaned early hegar. See Francis Albus at Rhinland. 41-4tp.

INSURE—Your property at a cost of \$6.00 per thousand. Non-deductible. John Rice. 41-tfe.

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FOR SALE—5 room house, and 4 lots. Located at Goree. See Lester Bowman, Goree, Texas. 42-4tp.

TRACTOR TIRES—See the new Firestone Champion tractor tire. Guaranteed to out clean, out pull and out last any tractor tire. See us before you buy. Blacklock Home & Auto Supply. 29-tfe.

GOODYEAR TIRES—For every type cars, trucks and tractors. Let's trade for new tires—we are ready with the correct tire. Reeves Motor Co.

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For new buildings, remodeling, replacements, fences, water pumps, equipment, farm and ranch loans, pay on or before, or any part in full. See L. B. Doneho, Secretary-Treasurer Baylor Knox NFLA, Seymour, Texas. 3-tfe.

FOR SALE—Residence in north part of Munday, 5 room and bath and 6 lots. Has barn, garage, storehouse, etc. See O. O. Putnam or call T. C. Merrell. 42-tfe.

FOR THE MOST—Reliable, courteous, and dependable farm equipment service in Munday, go to Broach Equipment. See us today and let us give you the information you might desire on how much it will cost to repair your tractor or other equipment. You get dependable service at quality prices when you deal here. We service and repair all make tractors and automobiles. Broach Equipment. 1tc.

WANTED—Good used furniture. We pay highest cash prices possible. Home Furniture Co. and Mattress Factory. 1tc.

FOR SALE—Laundry with four Maytag machines. One is new, and others in excellent condition. Two-room living quarters. Phone 3132 or see L. C. (Lewis) Floyd, Knox City, Texas. 42-tfe.

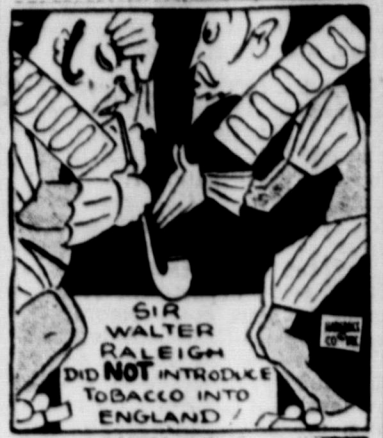
IN SUMMER—You'll find that Gratex oils and greases are kind to your motor. See us for Gratex gas, oils and greases of all kinds. Gratex Service Station. 1tc.

HOSE MENDING—Runs and snags mended invisibly. Priced reasonable. Send or bring here for estimate. Mrs. Billie Hutchens, Goree, Texas. 44-2tp.

FOR SALE—Model A Ford, in good shape. Has nearly new Mud-Grip tires all around. See it at A. V. Brazzell's Garage. 1-tp.

FOR SALE—My home in Weinert, 7 rooms and bath. Furnitures complete. Priced reasonable. M. L. Raynes at Piggly-Wiggly in Munday, Texas. 1tc.

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FARM MACHINERY

- One 1945 model G-4 Moline 12-foot combine.
- One H Farnall with 2-row equipment.
- One Z. T. U. Moline with 2-row equipment.
- One Oliver 70 tractor with 2 row equipment, 1942 model.
- One No. 69 6 foot Moline combine, in A-1 shape.

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MUNDAY, TEXAS

DON'T FORGET—I am at your service if you want to buy real estate or have real estate to sell. Emmett Branch at Knox County Trading Post. 1tc.

FOR SALE—179 acre farm. Good house, electric pump, 50 acres in pasture, balance in cultivation. Good location, 1 mile off pavement. R. M. Almanrode. 38-tfe.

FOR SALE—12-foot Baldwin combine, in fair condition. Don Phillips. 43-2tp.

BUY NEW—Tires and pay by the week. We will allow you more for your old tire. Blacklock Home & Auto Supply. 44-tfe.

WANTED—Custom work with Ford Tractor and complete equipment. Bert Brazell, Haskell, Texas. Phone 163-J. 44-2tp.

FOR SALE—Screen wire, Also aluminum roofing. Used cement match \$6.45 per hundred and used pine flooring \$6.95 per hundred—both items sound and dry, top grades. Now 2x4s and 2x6s. New 8 inch siding specially priced \$10.95 per hundred. Plenty sinks, lavatories, commodes, and hot water heaters. Good stock paint, hardware and other building materials. If you are building anything, it's worth your while to see us. Sawmill Lumber Yard, 1826 Pine Street, Abilene, Texas. Phone 9446. 43-2tc.

FOR SALE—House 16x30, two story, 3 room, frame building. To be moved. Charles Stengel, three miles west of Rhinland. 44-2tp.

FOR SALE—1946 Minneapolis-Moline 12-foot combine. In A-1 condition and ready to go. Moody Johnson. 44-2tp.

FOR SALE—White rabbits. See Joe Decker, route two, Munday. 44-2tp.

FOR SALE—rBand new Delco 3-horsepower, 3-phase electric motor. Also have a few 1-4 horsepower motors in stock. Strickland's Radio Shop. 44-tfe.

FOR SALE—10-foot power take-off International binder. A good one and is in A-1 condition. G. C. Conwell. 43-2tp.

Weekly Health LETTER

Issued by Dr. Geo. W. Cox
M. D., State Health Officer
of Texas

Austin.—In recent years typhus fever has developed into a serious health menace in Texas according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, who today issued an appeal for every Texan to cooperate in rodent control measures which will prevent the spread of this disease.

"Last year, 1147 cases of typhus were reported in Texas and in the first 18 weeks of this year, the State Health Department has been notified of 185 cases", Dr. Cox stated. "With the peak of this disease usually occurring in August, if the present trend is continued, we may expect this total to be greatly increased by the end of summer."

The type of typhus fever occurring in Texas is known as endemic or Brill's disease, and is transmitted to human beings from infected rats, by means of the rat flea. The eradication of rats is the only way to reduce this health hazard, and a consistent program will materially aid in the control of typhus in Texas.

Dr. Cox stressed the fact that it is the duty of every individual to cooperate in strict rodent control measures since the eradication of rats is the only possible way typhus fever can be controlled.

Jiggs Thompson of Wichita Falls visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thompson, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Lee of Fort Worth were guests of Sidney's mother, Mrs. O. W. Lee, and Harvey Lee over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Beaty visited with relatives in Seymour last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Baker of Dallas were guests of Mr. Baker's mother, Mrs. P. B. Baker, over the week end.

"Notice To Bidders"

Bids will be received and opened by Knox (county) at the Court House at Benjamin, Texas, until 10 o'clock a. m. on May 23, 1947, for the purchase of One RD6 Catapillar Tractor, Drawbar Horsepower 44.75 and notice is given that warrants will be issued in the maximum sum of \$3,000.00, payable serially, last maturity not later than 1950, bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent per annum, interest payable semi-annually. The right is reserved to reject all bids.

William Griffith
County Judge Knox County, Texas
43-2tc.

FOR SALE—1942 model Chevrolet truck with long wheel base. In fair condition and is priced reasonable. See Ray Martin, O'Brien, Texas. 44-2tp.

WANTED—Two or three small houses. R. M. Almanrode. 38-tfe.

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Complete Buildings

16x18 FRAME CONSTRUCTION
Lumber & Insulation Roof, 1-4 in. weatherproof Plywood walls, Heavy Plywood Floors, Strong Frame, set up in Munday \$380.00

(Add approx. \$1 for every mile outside of town)
Ideal for chicken houses, barns, warehouses, tourist cabins, houses, churches, etc.

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Open every day including Saturday and Sunday
BIG SALE ON PLYWOOD AND LUMBER

A Note of Thanks And...

Appreciation

Turning my interests in the Western Auto Associate Store, I want to say "Thank You" to the people of this area and assure you that I deeply appreciate the patronage you have given me.

Mr. Smith is now in charge of the firm, and all obligations made by the store after May 12 are payable by the new owner.

We solicit your continued patronage for Mr. Smith and assure you he will be anxious to serve you.

W. H. Hart

Spring Time

... Is The Time To Think Of Refrigeration

No better refrigeration can be had than the moist, cool refrigeration which ice gives. We are ready to supply your ice needs in any quantity. Be thrifty—Economize, with ice!

For Better Ice—Use Banner Ice For Better Refrigeration

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LEAD THE WAY TO TOP EGG PRODUCTION with Paymaster LAYING MASH

Now is the time to start your birds on the Profit Parade... with PAYMASTER LAYING MASH. This fine laying ration furnishes them well all winter long because it is enriched with the egg-making vitamins, proteins, and minerals so essential to continuous production. Try it on your flock this season, and watch your profits mount!

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Division of WESTERN COTTONOIL CO.

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF \$50,000 COUNTY HOSPITAL BONDS

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF KNOX TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF KNOX COUNTY, TEXAS, WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID COUNTY AND WHO HAVE DULY RENDERED THE SAME FOR TAXATION:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 24th day of May, 1947, in Knox County, Texas, to determine whether or not bonds shall be issued by said County, in the amount of FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$50,000), for the purpose of enlarging, improving and equipping the existing County Hospital, to-wit: erecting, equipping enlarging and repairing all necessary buildings for the use of said County Hospital, and for all other necessary permanent improvements in connection therewith and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon all taxable property within said County sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal at maturity, in obedience to an ELECTION ORDER entered by the commissioners' Court of Knox County, Texas, on the 6th day of May, 1947, and which order is as follows, to-wit:

On this the 6th day of May, the County Commissioners' Court of Knox County, Texas, convened in Special session, at the regular meeting place thereof, all members of the Court, to-wit:

Wm. Griffith, County Judge, presiding; and O. L. Knight, Commissioner, Precinct No. 1; L. A. Parker, Commissioner, Precinct No. 2; C. A. Bullion, Commissioner, Precinct No. 3; Geo. Nix, Commissioner, Precinct No. 4, being present, and among other proceedings had by said Court, were the following:

The County Judge submitted to the Court the following order:

WHEREAS, a petition has been duly presented to the Commissioners' Court of Knox County, Texas, wherein the petitioners, alleging themselves to represent more than ten per cent (10%) of the resident qualified property taxpaying voters of Knox County, Texas, who have duly rendered their property for taxation, and praying this Court to order that an election be held in said County to determine whether or not the bonds of said County shall be issued in the total principal sum of FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$50,000), bearing interest at a rate of not exceeding TWO and ONE-HALF PER CENTUM (2 1/2%) per annum, and to mature serially within any given number of years not to exceed fifteen (15) years from the date thereof, for the purpose of enlarging, and improving and equipping the existing County Hospital, to-wit: erecting, equipping, enlarging and repairing all necessary buildings for the use of said County Hospital, and for all other necessary permanent improvements in connection therewith, and to determine whether or not a tax shall be levied on all taxable property within said County sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal thereof at maturity; and

WHEREAS, this Court, upon due advice and investigation, has ascertained and determined that said petition is signed by more than ten per cent (10%) of the resident qualified property taxpaying voters of Knox County, Texas, who have duly rendered their property for taxation, and that such petition should be granted, and that the election as prayed for in such petition should be ordered; therefore

BE IT ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF KNOX COUNTY, TEXAS:

That an election be held in said County on the 24th day of May, 1947, which date is not less than fifteen (15) nor more than thirty (30) days from the date of the adoption of this order, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted to the qualified electors who own taxable property in said County and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, for their action thereupon:

"SHALL the Commissioners' Court of the County of Knox, be authorized to issue the bonds of said County, in the total principal sum of FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$50,000), to mature serially within any given number of years not to exceed fifteen (15) years from the date thereof, bearing interest at the rate of not to exceed TWO and ONE-HALF PER CENTUM (2 1/2 per cent) per annum, and to levy a tax sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and create a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal thereof at maturity, for the purpose of enlarging, improving and

equipping the existing County Hospital, to-wit: erecting, equipping, enlarging and repairing all necessary buildings for the use of said County Hospital, and for all other necessary permanent improvements in connection therewith, pursuant to authority conferred by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, particularly Section 9, of Article 8, of the Constitution, and Chapter 1, Title 22, and Chapter 5, Title 71, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925?"

The said election shall be held under the provisions of the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas, particularly Chapter 1, Title 22, Revised Statutes of 1925, and all persons who are legal voters of said Knox County, Texas, and who are resident property tax-payers of said County, and who have duly rendered their property for taxation, shall be entitled to vote at said election.

All voters desiring to support the proposition shall have written or printed upon their ballots the words:

"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF HOSPITAL BONDS AND THE LEVY OF TAXES IN PAYMENT THEREOF."

and those opposed, the words: "AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF HOSPITAL BONDS AND THE LEVY OF TAXES IN PAYMENT THEREOF."

The polling places and presiding officers of said election shall be, respectively as follows:

- No. 1 Benjamin Courthouse, Collins Moorehouse, Judge; Mrs. Jonnie J. Baker, Mrs. J. A. Kilgore, Clerks.
- No. 2 Truscott Schoolhouse, J. B. Eubank, Judge; Jack Whitaker, John Black, Clerks.
- No. 3 Gilliland Schoolhouse, B. W. Massingill, Judge; W. T. Cook, A. T. Brumley, Clerks.
- No. 4 Vera School, W. M. Ford, Judge; Mrs. Oleta Trainham, Mrs. Thurman Allen, Clerks.
- No. 5 Goree City Hall, E. W. Norris, Judge; Mrs. W. L. Stewart, Mrs. F. G. Daniels, Clerks.
- No. 6 South Munday Masonic Hall, J. C. Borden, Judge; Mrs. J. C. Harpham, Chester Bowden, Clerks.
- No. 6 A North Munday City Hall, No. 7 Rhineland Schoolhouse; August Schumaker, Judge; A. F. Hemer, Mrs. Claus, Clerks.
- C. L. Mayes, Judge; Mrs. W. R. Moore, Mrs. Louise Ingram, Clerks.
- No. 8 Jas. Partridge Schoolhouse, J. Walter Moore, Judge; Roe Myers, T. J. Partridge, Clerks.
- No. 9 E. Knox City, Legion Hall, B. B. Cochran, Judge; Vance Jones, Barney Arnold, Clerks.
- No. 9 A W Knox City, Egenbacher Building, Ed Shaver, Judge; J. H. McGee, Ulric Lee, Clerks.
- No. 10 Hefner Schoolhouse, T. H. Jones, Judge; Barnice Lambeth, D. C. Haskins, Clerks.
- No. 11 Brock Schoolhouse, J. O. Warren, Judge; J. C. Tackitt, Myrtle Tackitt, Clerks.

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the General Laws of the State of Texas regulating general elections. A copy of this order, signed by the County Judge of said County

Texas Stands Second In Use Of Truck Transportation, Survey Shows

Detroit, May 15—Texas agricultural, commercial and industrial groups are heavy users of motor trucks according to a survey recently completed by the Automobile Manufacturers Association for the latest edition of "Motor Truck Facts", biennial statistical compilation of truck and bus use. The state is second only to California in use of truck transportation.

Texas truck use is stable. A step-up of 306 truck registrations in 1946 over pre-war totals was noted. There were 369,103 trucks in use in 1941, compared to 369,409 last year. Of the total 9,089 buses registered in Texas, 5,000 are for school use.

More than 29 per cent of the state's trucks are on farms. Many Texas people earn their living through truck use. There are 321,833 truck and bus drivers in the State. A total of 1,409 dealers sell and service trucks and buses.

Unlike some states which require and certified to by the County Clerk of said County, shall serve as proper and sufficient notice of said election.

Notice of said election shall be given by posting and publishing a copy of this order, at the top of which shall appear the words, "NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR ISSUANCE OF \$50,000 COUNTY HOSPITAL BONDS." Said notice shall be posted at four public places, one of which shall be the door of the Courthouse in said County, not less than fourteen (14) days prior to the date on which said election is to be held, and shall be published on the same day in each of two successive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation published in the County of Knox, the first said publication to be not less than fourteen (14) days prior to the day set for said election.

The above and foregoing order being read, it was moved by Commissioner L. A. Parker, and seconded by Commissioner Geo. Nix, that the same do pass. Thereupon, the question being called for, the following members of the Court voted "AYE": Commissioners L. A. Parker, O. L. Knight, C. A. Bullion, and Geo. Nix; and the following voted "NO": None.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this 6th day of May, 1947. Wm. Griffith, County Judge, Knox County, Texas. L. A. Parker, Commissioner, Precinct Number 1. L. A. Parker, Commissioner, Precinct Number 2. C. A. Bullion, Commissioner, Precinct Number 3. George Nix, Commissioner, Precinct Number 4 (Com. Court Seal)

Attest: M. T. Chamberlain, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of Knox County, Texas.

Relatives Here For Lewis Rites

Relatives here last week for the funeral of Jim Lewis, held on Thursday, are as follows.

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Wright and children, Jane Nadine and Dene McCoy, Haskell; Mrs. W. W. Beasley and children, Shirley, Sue, Wanda and Bob, Fort Worth.

A telegram came from Herschel Owens and wife and daughter, Jane Nadine, of Bostonia, Calif., that they could not come.

Other relatives here were a sister, Mrs. Lizzie Robertson, and daughters, Mrs. Dora Hurley and Mrs. L. B. Penn, Grand Prairie; a sister, Mrs. Delia Smith, Fort Worth; a brother, Bill Lewis, Hillsboro, and Bill's sons, Melvin Lewis of Cleburne and Leesil Lewis of Osceola; a sister-in-law, Mrs. G. B. Lewis and her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson and son, Carl Lewis, Floydada; a nephew family, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Hledge and daughter, Lizzie, Me-gargie; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wright, Haskell.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish we could find words to express our thanks to every one for every deed of kindness, every word of sympathy, every kindly thought of each one of "Uncle Jim's" many friends during all his years of illness.

It would take a whole page to name each person individually, and a whole book to write of all your good deeds.

Let us sincerely thank each of you and pray that in your time of need you will always be found and ministered unto.

Mrs. Jim Lewis Mrs. W. W. Beasley and family Herschel Owens and family Mrs. James M. Wright and family.

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GOREE THEATRE

Goree, Texas

Friday, May 16

Wild Bill Elliott and Bobby Blake in . . .

"Marshall of Laredo"

—Also Serial—

"Scarlet Horseman"

Saturday Night, May 17

"Joe Palooka, Champ"

Starring Leon Errol and Joe Kirkwood.

Sunday-Monday, May 18-19

It's another technicolor hit, starring June Haver, George Montgomery, Vivian Blaine and Vera Ellen.

"Three Little Girls In Blue"

Tuesday-Wednesday, May 20-21

"Magnificent Doll"

Starring Ginger Rogers, David Niven and Burgess Meredith.

Thursday, May 22

Dan Duray and Ella Raines in . . .

"White Tie and Tails"

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A Want Ad in The Times Pays



Chicken Range Waterer

ALTHOUGH the practice of turning out the laying flock on range in the summer has been demonstrated to be good poultry management, it does present some problems. One of them is the water supply. Except in large and specialized operations, it is usually impractical to pipe water to the flock.

The next best thing is to use portable waterers that will provide a plentiful supply of fresh water with a minimum of labor. A unit developed by the Montana State College poultry farms is made of an old barrel, float valve, a wire protected drinking pan and some lumber.

The sketch shows how lumber was used to make a framework on skids that holds the barrel and pan firmly enough to enable the unit to be snaked behind a tractor. It also can be filled from a tank truck if one is available. A portable waterer of this sort will take care of the needs of a fair sized flock and should give good service.



with a minimum of labor. A unit developed by the Montana State College poultry farms is made of an old barrel, float valve, a wire protected drinking pan and some lumber.

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FIRST IN RUBBER

Farm Labor Picture For '47 Is Outlined

College Station—With a record cotton crop already planted and up in the Rio Grande Valley and with growers in both South and West Texas scheduling big increases, pressure on the available labor supply probably will be as heavy as it was during the war years in the opinion of Caesar Hobn, state farm labor supervisor for the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service.

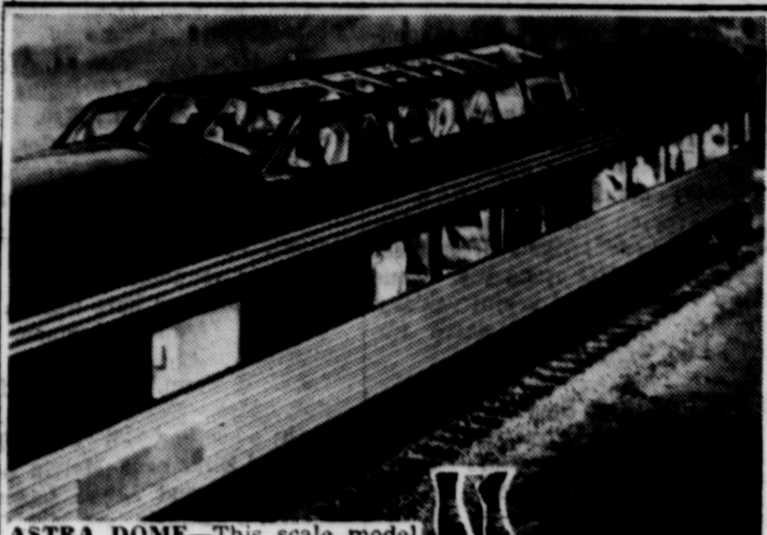
But this year an estimated 10 to 15 per cent more Latin American workers and a few more Negro workers will be following the cotton crops. Thus helping to ease the situation, he believes.

Valley farmers have taken out permits for planting 480,167 acres of cotton, compared with 290,000 acres planted last year; Gulf Coast farmers have planted about 20 per cent more; and, always depending on moisture conditions, West Texas growers are expected to increase their acreage considerably. For the state as a whole, the U. S. Department of Agriculture is asking 8,000,000 acres of cotton compared with an estimated 6,400,000 acres planted last year, but it is doubtful that the goal will be met.

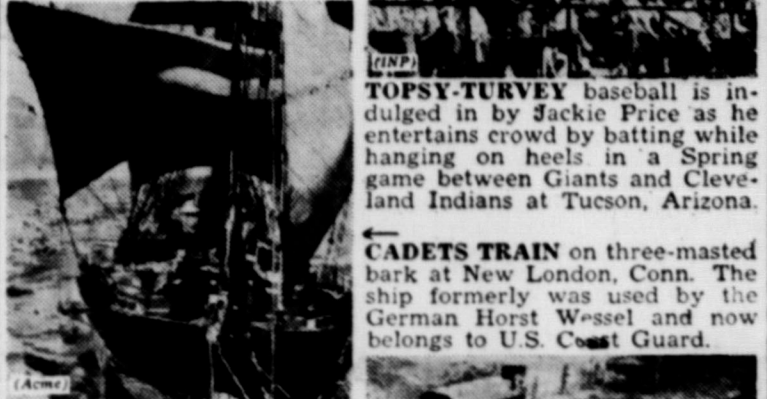
Faced with this production and labor situation, the Extension farm labor program, with four years of experience in shooting for maximum utilization of available labor, has set in motion the 1947 program which is designed to have labor on hand when it is needed, to eliminate lost motion spent in useless travel to jobless areas, and to encourage workers to remain on a job until it is finished, thus helping both growers and workers.

Among steps being taken: If all goes well with the Valley crop, every available worker will be needed for picking cotton there, so migrants living in the Valley are being urged to remain there for the picking season which will get underway in late June, and, in addition, when additional labor

People, Spots In The News



ASTRA DOME—This scale model of the observation lounge car of the General Motors Train of Tomorrow shows construction typical of the four Astra Dome coaches now nearing completion by Pullman-Standard Car Mfg. Co. This modernistic train, when completed, will tour leading cities.



TOPSY-TURVEY baseball is indulged in by Jackie Price as he entertains crowd by batting while hanging on heels in a Spring game between Giants and Cleveland Indians at Tucson, Arizona.



CADETS TRAIN on three-masted bark at New London, Conn. The ship formerly was used by the German Horst Wessel and now belongs to U.S. Coast Guard.

GYPSY CAMP in Marburg, Germany, looked like this before Spring broke it up and the wanderers took to the road.

is needed in the Valley, as in other areas, migrants will be routed there from other sections.

As the crop matures in the Gulf Coast section in early August, workers will be directed to that section as needed, and from there they will fan out over the state to other areas, particularly West Texas, which use large numbers of migratory workers.

County agents report labor needs to the state office at College Station, and already the system of weekly reports to the counties, stating labor needs and giving the state farm labor picture, is enabling the agents and farm labor fieldmen to direct the workers to jobs in both cotton and vegetable fields.

Anticipated state needs will be taken care of first before workers are directed to an out-of-state cotton areas which might request help. Sugar beet workers, who annually make the long trek to the beet areas in northern states, are being routed in an orderly manner to avoid surpluses in some areas and deficient supplies in others.

Texas fieldmen will be stationed

in each of the beet areas to carry on a continuous educational and training program and to bridge the language and other gaps between workers and growers. They will try to see to it that migrants don't run out of work during slack periods and go to other work opportunities before the job is done, a situation which has occurred at times in the past and has resulted in additional recruiting of Texas labor by beet companies and consequent shortages of labor here.

With a larger force of fieldmen and since both growers and workers are familiar with the workings of the program, Hobn predicts that the farm labor program this year will operate more smoothly than ever before and that all labor needs can be met.

Mrs. B. E. Bryan of Anton, Texas, spent several days here last week, visiting with relatives.

Dr. D. C. Elland and Leland Hannah were business visitors in Dallas the first of this week.

YOU DONT—Stay first unless you are best. First every year for 32 consecutive years—Goodyear Tires, Reeves Motor Co.

Hairy Vetch Is Proving Valuable As Soil Benefit

A number of cooperators of the Wichita Brazos Soil Conservation District have planted Hairy Vetch on a trial basis, however most of it was planted too late to get maximum soil benefit and seed crop. It is believed by most of the cooperators to be a much needed soil improving crop for this section of the country.

Even the late planted Vetch is nearing the bloom stage, and samples taken in the field indicate that it is adding some nitrogen to the soil.

Mr. L. B. White of Rochester, reports that last year he planted 65 acres of Hairy Vetch and rye. It was too dry to do very good and was about knee high when he plowed it under. This year Mr. White states, "It is a good pasture, in fact, the best ever grazed."

Some cooperators having a planting of Vetch are S. D. Jones, Harry Beck, C. C. Browning, Lee Smith, Russell Boyd, and Alvie Russell.

In cooperation with the Supervisors of the Wichita Brazos Dis-

trict, Soil Conservation Service technicians assisted in getting the Vetch planted.

GAME PRESERVES SET OFF

Ten Taylor County landowners have teamed up to place 29,503 acres of range land into a game restoration project.

When plans for expanding the area are finished, the game management demonstration will include about 90,000 acres of rough land in the west and central parts of the county, according to Taylor County Agricultural Agent Elmo V. Cook. The land owners and County Agent Cook are co-operating with the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service and the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission in planting the restoration area.

Most of the 90,000 acres will be in the former Camp Barkeley maneuver area. It will be stocked with white-tail deer and wild turkey.

Mr. Olive Keene is spending this week in Plainview, visiting with her sister, Mrs. Nancy Ross.

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Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Vernon and son of Carlsbad, N. M., spent the week end with relatives and friends and with Mrs. Vernon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Hunter of Goree.

Mrs. B. F. Hood and children returned to their home in Galveston last Friday after a week's visit here with Mrs. Hood's mother, Mrs. Dave Elland, and other relatives.

Announcing Optometric Service To The People Of Munday and Surrounding Area!

Dr. H. D. Landes, Optometrist, will be in Munday on Saturday, May 24, having his office at the . . .

Richmond Jewelry Eyes Examined—Glasses Fitted

We are bringing this service to you, and we invite you to visit us for eye examination and fitting of glasses.

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Tuesday, May 27, 8:30 p. m. Munday Jaycees vs. Country Boys. Munday Softball Field

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THE TIMES

Want Ads

Non-operating railroad unions are demanding still another raise of

\$568,000,000.00 a year



MR. & MRS. CONSUMER



MR. SHIPPER & MR. FARMER



MR. & MRS. PASSENGER

You would foot the bill!

Look out! There's another big railroad wage demand headed your way!

The non-operating unions alone—whose members do not actually operate trains—are demanding a flat increase of 20 cents an hour. These demands would cost the railroads of the country five hundred sixty-eight million dollars a year!

Last year these employes had an increase of 18½ cents an hour. This was their third major wage increase since 1939. Their average weekly pay has gone up 75%, as against a cost-of-living rise of 54%.

Since 1939, railroad wage and material costs have gone up more than three times as much as freight rates, and five times as much as passenger fares. That is why in

1946, with the largest peacetime traffic in history, the net income of railroads went down to the equivalent of only 2¼% of the net property investment.

What About 1947?

Even with the recent freight rate increase, preliminary figures indicate that the railroads will make only about the same low return in 1947 as in 1946. This will be because: —the wage increase made in 1946 will be in effect for all of 1947;

—special payroll taxes on railroads have recently been increased; —and passenger traffic has declined.

Where Would the Money Come From?

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Veterans' News

Veterans claiming readjustment allowances for unemployment during the week ended April 26 fell below the 900,000 mark for the first time since last November, VA announced.

Claims have fallen off slowly but

steadily from 1,200,000 in mid-January to a new low of 872,000.

Veterans drawing unemployment compensation in VA's Branch No. 10 Area at the end of this period included 48,142 in Texas; 27,429 in Louisiana and 7,095 in Mississippi.

Most of the reduction was attributed by VA to improve seasonal employment opportunities, but contributing to reduction was the fact that, during March, 40,000 veterans claiming benefits under the unemployment phase of the program had exhausted all allowances.

This brought to 227,000 the total number who have left the unemployment rolls by exhausting their entitlement.

The number of veterans claiming allowances while self-employed and making less than \$100 per month increased substantially during the winter months from 157,000 last November to 242,000 in March, last month reported.

About 80 per cent of these claimants are engaged in agriculture. VA said the increase may be traced to the low income derived from farm operations in winter, and to new veterans entering agriculture in late winter and early spring. Nearly 100,000 self-employed veterans have exhausted their eligibility.

World War II veterans in VA's Branch No. 10, comprising Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi, have reinstated 32,459 National Service Life Insurance policies to a value of more than \$265,000,000 through April 29, VA reports.

VA's campaign to encourage veterans to reinstate insurance they dropped after leaving military service will continue through August 1 the dead-line for reinstating without a physical examination.

The number of policies reinstated and their value, by regions, follows: Dallas—5,874 for \$37,195-138; Jackson—5,672 for \$35,921-060; Houston—4,476 for \$28,338-174; New Orleans—4,352 for \$27,457-281; San Antonio—3,976 for \$25,173-506; Lubbock—3,083 for \$19,193-612; Waco—2,689 for \$17-036,123; and Shreveport—2,379 for

New Beauty—Plastic Seat Covers



A new beauty is being introduced to automobile owners this year—not the young lady behind the wheel, but Firestone's Velon plastic seat covers. These colorful seat cover fabrics will not stain or deteriorate from exposure to sun or rain. Grease, candy and ice cream spots can readily be removed with a damp cloth. Velon, developed and produced by the Firestone Industrial Products Company, will outwear all other types of conventional upholstery materials.

\$15,083,103.

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

Q. At what rate of interest can I borrow on my National Service Life Insurance policy?

A. After your converted NSLI policy has been in force by payment of premiums for one year or longer, you can borrow an amount up to 94 per cent of the cash value. The interest charged you on your loan will be 4 per cent.

Q. My claim for disability compensation based on an ailment incurred while I was a prisoner of war has been disallowed. Now it is getting worse and I would like to know what I can do to get compensation.

A. Veterans Administration will give special consideration to disability claims filed by veterans interned in enemy prison camps. You should get in touch with your nearest VA office and have your case reopened.

Q. I am going to college under the G. I. Bill but am dissatisfied with the school and would like to know if I can transfer to another college?

A. Yes. Under the regulations of Veterans Administration you may change your school, but you must have the approval of VA in advance.

Q. Can I make National Service Life Insurance premium payments on my policy at any Veterans Office?

A. All VA offices except contact offices are authorized to receive premium payments on National Service Life Insurance.

TIRE HEADQUARTERS — For this section. Goodyear Tires are first! Reeves Motor Co.

Accidents Claim Lives To 20,000 Youths Annually

College Station—Each year, almost 20,000 boys and girls under 20 years of age die in the United States as a result of accidents.

That sad fact is brought to light by Mrs. Eloise T. Johnson, family educator specialist of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, in an effort to make Texas parents realize that something must be done about it.

Over half of these 20,000 fatal accidents take place in the home, Mrs. Johnson says, and most of them could be avoided.

Here are the principal causes of child accidents in the home: Burns, most of which are kitchen accidents; falls, due mostly to infants left unattended; poisoning, from eating household poisons or overdoses of medicines; wounds, often from knives, scissors and other dangerous articles left within reach of children; internal injuries, caused to great extent from swallowing toy parts or lollipop sticks; injuries from foreign bod-

ies, such as pins that the child swallows or sticks into eyes or ears; electric shock, from playing around electric outlets and fixtures; suffocation, particularly among infants that become entangled in loose bed clothes; drowning, in the "old swimming hole" and even in the bathtub; and gunshot wounds, due to firearms left within reach of the child.

Mrs. Johnson offers the following points as good methods of preventing these accidents. Protect the child, she says, by making his environment free of accident hazards. And of course, he must be restrained in many cases; there are certain dangerous activities in which he simply should not engage. Also, provide the child with a chance to develop himself, to learn things by doing. And condition him by training; teaching him the correct method of doing things while his habits are being formed. Finally, teach him to recognize danger and meet it, since all hazards are not avoidable.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all my friends and wonderful neighbors for the lovely flowers, cards, gifts, fruits, candies, cookies, cold drinks and gum and all the other nice things they have done to help me in my shut-in days.

I surely have enjoyed their cheerful visits and their good wishes. May god bless each and every one of you is my prayer.

Mrs. A. L. Hord.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Hawkins and daughter of Sweetwater spent the week end here with Mrs. Hawkins' mother, Mrs. J. B. Bowden, and with other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gaddy of Lubbock spent the week end with Mrs. Gaddy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wardlow, and with other relatives.

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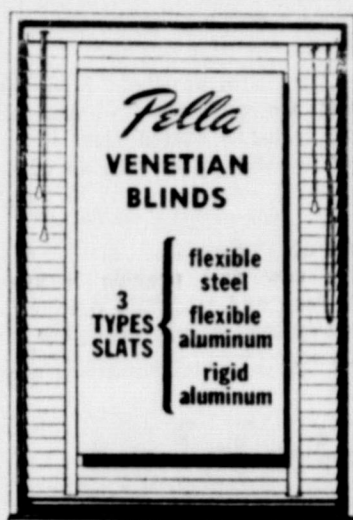
Pressure Cookers were \$12.95, now \$9.95

Water Pump, 1-2 and 1-3 H. P., were \$150.00, now \$125.00

Gas and electric air compressors are marked way down. Paint guns, pots and sprayers at reduced prices.

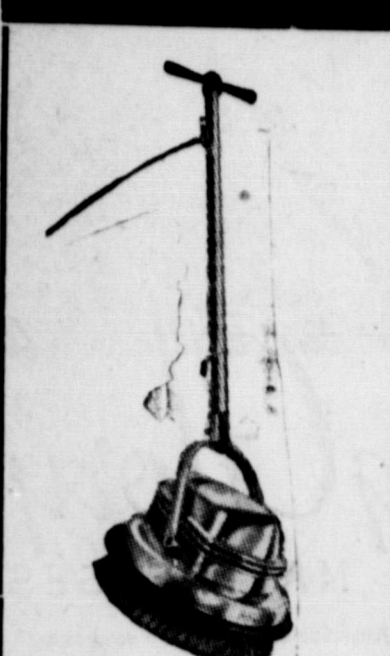
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Sash Pulleys, 60 doz., each	.10c	.5c
One 8-foot Fairbanks-Morse Windmill	\$65.00	\$55.00
One 20-ft. Fairbanks Morse steel tower	\$47.25	\$40.00
One 32x32-inch steel shower stall	\$70.00	\$56.00
Two Kohler industrial showers, ea.	\$11.45	\$ 7.75
Electroline Fence charger, btry. type	\$18.75	\$12.75
Wallpaper, odd rolls, per roll	.20 to .50c	.5c .10c
2 Berry Aluminum Garage Doors, ea.	\$68.50	\$58.50
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Farmers Are Called Upon To Save The Soil

The kind of job farmers do in building and maintaining the soil will determine how much and what kind of food we are to have today and tomorrow according to B. F. Vance, State Director, Production and Marketing Administrator. The amount and kind of food we have will in turn have a lot to do with how many people and what kind of people we have, what kind of mus-

cles, bones, and brains—smart people or dull people—people who can compete or those who can't—so thinks Vance.

"I am positive that this job of saving our soils will not be done effectively or in the best interest of the nation unless there is a vigorous program run by farmers, centered on these essential conservation operations which bring the results which the Nation must have if it is to continue."

"I insist that it gets rather ridiculous to devote all our energies to saving ourselves from atom bomb only to move into a slow lingering deterioration because we have not been smart enough to save our soils."

Vance says making the Nation's soil safe for the future is a long time job and points out as an example that we have in Texas 20 million acres that need terracing, 7 million acres that need drainage, 40 million acres that need brush eradicated in order to give pasture grasses and legumes a chance to

grow. These are just a few of the conservation needs—against these needs are the accomplishments of 1944 and 1945.

During these years farmers of Texas terraced slightly more than one million acres, provided drainage for 320,000 acres and eradicated brush on approximately 4 million acres. At these rates it will take 40 years to meet our conservation needs in Texas and all the time we are losing valuable top soil and mineral rich fertility which we need to grow the right amount and the right kind of feed for our people.

Vance concludes with this question, "If we don't step up our conservation work what will our food problems be 50 years from today with our population continually increasing and our good productive soil decreasing?"

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variety community. Jim Harpam, Cotton classer and buyer, told how a cotton farmer could best sell his cotton for staple and variety value.

Concluding the program, Mr. Charles A. King, Jr., Extension Entomologist, brought the latest controls for cotton insects. Mr. King stated that when 15 flea hoppers per 100 terminals are found that a dust should be applied. The most effective being ten to fifteen pounds per acre of a mixture containing 5 per cent D. D. T. and at least 75 per cent sulphur.

Color film entitled "Men Who Grow Cotton" was shown, and those present stated that it was very interesting as well as educational.

An acre of sudan grass for each dairy cow will provide inexpensive feed and maintain production when permanent pastures play out.

People, Spots In The News



CHERRY BLOSSOMS frame the Jefferson Memorial in Washington.



THE NEW CHAMP among babies is six-month-old Joseph Ryan of Philadelphia shown with mother. He tips the scales at 33 pounds.

STILL HAILING FREEDOM—Industrial controls, which today include electronic principles, are a far cry from the day when the Liberty Bell was first cast, according to Brown Instrument Company, Philadelphia engineers, who point out that if the bell had been cast with modern control equipment it probably would never have cracked.



"MISS STARDUST" CONTESTANT is Myra Macy of Jackson Heights, N. Y.

Forty-seven students and graduates of the University of Texas School of Law passed the recent Texas Bar examinations, Dean C. T. McCormick said. Highest grade was made by Thomas Max Blume of Seguin, and second highest by Nowell H. Blakely of Austin.

A Want Ad In The Times Pays



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New Edition Of Highway Map Is Off The Press

Austin—A new edition of the official State Highway Map is just off the press to aid Texas travelers in finding their way over the state's rapidly expanding road system.

Color photographs of things to see and do in the Lone Star State are featured on the map to help lure tourists from other States and inspire Texans to "See Texas First."

State Highway Engineer D. C. Greer announced free copies of the map are available to the traveling public upon request. They will be distributed through the Highway Department's main office at Austin, the twenty-five district offices, and at the Department's information bureaus located at ports of entry into Texas.

Progress on the postwar building program in graphically indicated on the new map which carries more than 1,100 miles of new paved road which were not shown on the former edition.

When a garden is watered, a deep thorough soaking, as by a fairly heavy rain, is better than more frequent light sprinklings.

About 30 percent of all fires that destroy homes are caused by careless use of matches, and smoking.

DANCE AT RHINELAND

A dance will be held at the Rhineland community hall on Tuesday evening, May 20. Music will be furnished by Ted Price and his orchestra. The public is cordially invited to attend.



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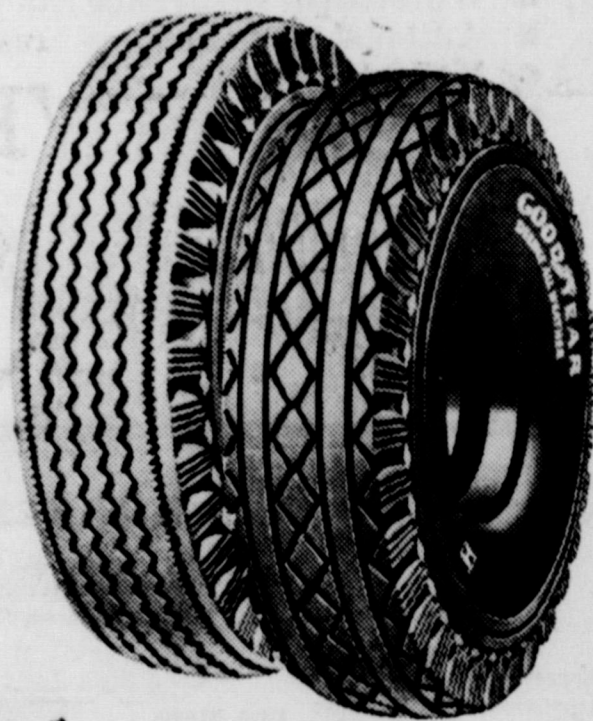
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