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## From The Editor's Window

BY MRS. J. S. YEAGER

The YMCA in Romania has recently been dissolved by the Justice and Interior Ministries and as a result of this decission all of YMCA holdings in that country will become the property of the state. The Romanion YMCA was founded at the close of World War I and have apparently been prosperous until recently.

It was announced that 7,400 of our American children living made from Abilene. in Germany are attending armyrun schools in occupied terri tory, which is 55 per cent more than last year.

The United States Government is reported to be the biggest research agency in the world. Last year our expeditures for research made up 54 per cent of all American research expenditures. Industry had 39 per cent, schools and other institutions constituted the remain-

According to an exchange, telegraph cables in the ocean aren't suspended from shore to shore as some may think, but, being so heavy, rest on the places are miles beneath the sur-

"To what do you attribute your long life, sir?" The reporter asked the centenarian. "I don't rightly know yet," replied the old-timer, " I am still dickering with two breakfast food companies."

An Irishman. who was coming out of the ether after an operation, explained: - "Thank God, that's over and done! "Don't be too sure," said a friend, "They left a sponge in me and had to cut me open again." Just at that moment the door opened and the surgeon called out: — "Has any- "The brokerage charges of the found in this case." body seen my hat?" The Irishman promptly fainted.

The British iron and steel industry sent its production to the highest level in history the first half of this year, according to reports from London. It is said the Labor government has a little bill pending in Parliament that would nationalize the steel weeks. industry.

An insertion in a Paris Russion newspaper that Russian the Cyde cemetery. Mr. Wat-Bibles were available on request brought a flood of letters. The books were furnished by the American Bible Society to a refugee service in Relgium. where requests were filled.

According to the United States Department of Agriculture if our nation's 6.000,000 farmers hope to maintain cron pro. Mrs. R. E. Masey and Mrs. Emiduction at current levels they'll ly Parks, both of Clyde; one rd where he is recovering nicehave to use 10 times more phosphate fertilizer than formerly

246 Cases Peaches To Be Distributed To Area Schools

A consignment of 246 cases of peaches have been received for the school lunches of the Abilene district and will be distributed as soon as they can be apportioned to the different counties over the district.

Distribution probably was made Monday, after McGehee was through with the apportionment for the counties. The peaches came by truck from Brownwood, which now is the central distribution point for this area. Formerly the distribution was

Putnam and Callahan schools will participate in the distribu-

# **Texas Pays Federal Taxes**

Texans handed over Uncle Sam more than a billion dollars in federal taxes last year and Uncle Sam that \$3,528,554.57 right back.

Payments of Federal taxes residents of the Lone Star State totaled \$285,123,045. The various federal programs operating in Texas with Federal money totaled \$352,855,457.

Out of the 48 states, Texas paid out the seventh largest amount in Federal Taxes. It was receiving one fourth most have to penalize their members in federal funds.

aid programs operated by the themselves into a frame of mind federal government were sharply critized by minority leader of flagrant case of powerful unions the house Joseph W. Martin of flouting the interest of the pub-Massachustts. As Congress ad- lic and their own members of journed recently, he deplored a futile effort to avoid the enthe way" the federal govern- evitable. Unions certainly ought ment is shipping the wealth of to realize that if they are going the states in Washington." "No to win or hold public support state in the union gets a full dol- for their efforts to improve conlar back out of the money sent ditions they will have to show to Washington," Martin said, haore statesmanship than can be burreaucracy in handling the Money is terrific."

#### Clyde Man Dies In Abilene Hospital

Marshall David Watson, Clyde truck farmer age 64, died Sunday morning October 23, in an Abilene hospital. He had been in the hospital for the past two

Funeral services were held Tuesday following at the Clyde Baptist church with burial in son was born inCorsicana July 17, 1885. He was married to Julia Alice Cook, September 3rd 1904.

Survivors include the widow. two sons, J. D. and O. B. Watson, both of Clyde; one daughter, Mrs. George Archer, of Abilene, 20 grandchildren; six great grandchildren, two sisters, ita Kansas.

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# It Appears That Labor Union Czars Only People Given Any Consideration By Washington Official Authority

From the Washington Post

October 25, FUTILE Strike .-'The operating employee of the Missouri Pacific Railroad went on strike September 9 to force a settlement of their dispute by other than abbitration. management was willing to arbitrete and was said to have offered seven times to submit its differences with four operating brotherhoods over working rules to the decision of an impartial board of arbitrators. The union refusea. After the strike began the management offered to let the issues be settled by arbitraion of the five ways specified in the Railway Labor Act. Prev. iously the company had accepted the findings of the President's fact finding board, but unions insisted throughout that its claims were not arbitrable. After 44 days idleness for their members, however, the union finally agreed to submit to arbitration the 63 claims that remained (out of origional 25 per cent that remained unsettled.)

It is impossible to see any logic in the course of events. Because of the complicated nature brotherhoods claims was obvious from the beginning that arbitration was the best and most reasonable means of

Do the brotherhoods really 44 days of Idelness and heavy These taxes and the grants in losses in pay before they get to be reasonable?

> Editor - Arogant leaders never want to arbitrate anything What should have been done in both the coal and steel strikes. to have used the Taft Hartley Act and put those would be labor bosses back in their place. and ordered them to call off the strike. Instead of attempting to the repeal labor Act, as it should be strengthened, and warn labor leaders that such tactics would not be tolerated. When it gets to the point where a few labor zars can tie up the entire industrial business of the country something should be done. Millions of people will be suffering for want of fuel in a short time, and some people have the audacity to tell us where there is no emergency.

Edward Sunderman has returned from the Veterans Hospital at McKinney and is back in Baibrother, J. O. Watson of Wich- ly from an operation performed ican Legion hut. The public is at the Veterans Hospital.

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FOR GLITTER-This tapered rhinestone clip gives emphasis to the modish slipping shoulder line. The tripletiered pearl necklace with pendant drops of clustered rhinestones has matching drop earrings and bracelets.

The 42nd District Court opened in Baird Monday for Callanan county, Judge Black presiding. A Grand Jury was empanneled by Judge Black at the opening of the court which retired for their deliberations. They will not likely be in session over one or two days as it appears there is very little violations of the laws in Callahan county.

Considerable civil business is The leader gave a talk on sleepscheduled for the Baird court ing garments, type and materia with very few criminal cases to be heard.

#### Baird Wednesday Club Observes Art Week November 9

Observance of American Arts sponsored by the American Art- Mrs. Shackelford To ists professional league of the Hold Open House general federation of women's clubs will be observed by the Wednesday Club of Baird or November 9.

Work of Callahan County artists will be shown in the Amerinvited to attend.

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#### All Negro Rodeo At Baird Nov. 5-6

An all-Negro rodeo, featuring top colored hands of the south west, will be held in Baird Nov 5th and 6th under the direction of the Callahan County Sherif Posse. Only afternoon perfor mances will be held. Shows be gin each afternoon at 2:30 p. m

Entries have been receive from more than a score of th nation's best colored cowboys indicating keen competition is all events. Pitted against the negro punchers will be leadin stock from the well known Lon Star Ranch Rodeo string ownel by Robert Estis.

Probably one of the most un usual acts to be seen at the Bair! show will be a negro cowboy. known as "Oklahoma Slim."

#### Total Rainfall Is 3 and Half Inches

The rain reported last week of one and a half inch, was mad while it was still raining and the rain continued until it reachthree and one half inches, best rain fall we have had in number of years. It put a thorn ugh season in the ground for winter grass and sowing grain However, it slowed cotton pick ing down with some damage ithe way of lowering the grade But no serious damage was re-

Besides, the rain filled a stock tanks, and the city lak caught about three feet of water This is more water than the lak has ever had at this time of th vear. Twice as much as time before.

#### 4-H Girls Report

Tuesday, October 18. 1949, tha 4-H club girls met at the home economics room for the third meeting of the year. We answered roll call by showing our sewing boxes, which we were supposed to cover during .preceding two weeks.

The girls discussed the use of Pattern and cutting out a sleen ing garment. Some of the older girls preferred making gown or something complicated A new member, Lidia Slattowas present. The next meeting will be on November 1st.

Mrs. F. P. Shackelford plan to have an open house at her home on the east side of Putnan-November 6th from 2 until 1° p. m. honoring Mrs. Mary Shackelford Thomas in from Glenda' California. Everybody is invited

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# Parents Urged To Watch Children's **Evesight and Take Corrective Steps**

AUSTIN, Oct. 27 - Emphasing | a child to wear glasses for a the urgent need for parental supervision of all phases of child health, Dr. Geo. W. Cox. State Health Officer said today, "Much of the imparied eyesight of advanced years could be prevented if sufficient interest in early life were applied and a correction by means of temporary glasses made when required."

Parents, Dr. Cox asserted, should be watchful for danger signals in the child such as frowning, squinting, persistent headache, eyeache, and watery eyes. If the youngster reads too closely or too far away from the face, that situation may also significant of trouble.

"No child likes wearing glasses, nevertheless, it is the obligation of those responsible for the future of young folks to have their eyes examined by a repuable specialist if there is a suspicion that normal vision does not exist. It is much better for

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few years during early school life than to have permanently defective vision in later life." he declared.

Dr. Cox said that neglect of eyes is by no means limited to children. Many older persons, some through vanity, indifference, or carelessness, fail to give proper attention to the care of their eyes. Penalties, he warned, are bound to occur for such inexcusable negligence.

"The eyes of any person, whether young, middle-aged, or older represent one of the most priceless of bodily possessions," the State Health Officer asserted. "To take care of them promptly and properly is a responsibility which never should be sidestepped."

#### TREMEN ANSWER CALL

Local firemen answered a call at 6:30 p.m. Monday to extinguish a blaze which originated in the garage at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Garrett at 408 West 7th. The fire wa confined to the garage and caued little damage to the interior of the house. A short in the electrical wiring was believ ed to be the cause of the blaz-Damage was etimated at beween \$200 and \$300.

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# Man Who Got His Start In Cisco Buys Waldorf-Astoria In New York

Realizing a lifetime ambition, mous (the Waldorf-Astoria.) Conrad Hilton, who got his start in the Hotel business in Cisco during the oil boom in the early 1920's, recently became the owner of the Nation's most famous hotel — the Waldorf-Astoria in New York.

When Mr. Hilton stepped into the Waldorf, which he purchased for \$3,000,000 he saw it for the first time. He said that he did not need to see it, he knew what he had heard of it.

He said that he felt that he owned all the "superlatives" in hotels: the biggest (the Stephens in Chicago), the costliest (the Palmer House, Chicago,) the plushiest (the Town House, Los Angeles) and the most fa-

# Funeral Services For Mrs. Hall

Funeral services for Mrs. Beulah Hall. 66, were to be held at 3 p. m. Friday from the Nimrod Church. She died at her home in the Nimrod community on Thursday after an illness of eight weeks.

Mrs. Hall was born in Nimrod on January 9, 1883. She returned to live there four years ago after being away several years. She had lived in Fort Worth for four years prior to moving back to Nimrod.

The services were to be conducted by Rev. C. L. Casey of Cisco, Rev. Cecil McBeth of Meridian and Rev. Partin of Abilene. The arrangement were in charge of Thomas Funeral Home. Burial was to be in the Nimrod cemetery.

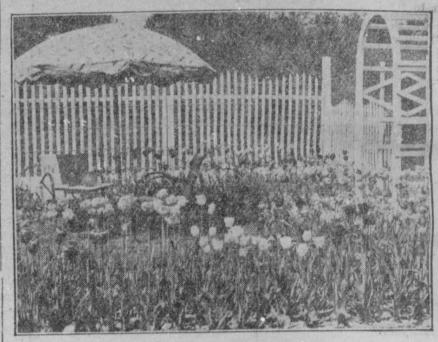
Survivors include her huspand and three sons, two brothers, one sister and five grand children. The sons are Rufus and Buford of Meridian and Burford of Valley Mills. The brothers are John Johnson of Ranger and Floyd Johnson of Gladewater. The sister is Mrs. Cora Greer of

Hilton's hotel empire now consists of 16 hotels employing 12,000 people and his plans call READ THE CLASSIFIED

for the building of four new ones in Oakland, Dallas, New Orleans and Portland. 17

He took the money he made in the first hotel in Cisco - now the Mobley, and bought one in 2. the West Coast and built up his holdings from there.

## Some May, Some Must Items In Fall Planting List



For the First Six Weeks of Spring, Bulbs Supply Garden Color.

There are two kinds of fall planting-one which must be done now, or not at all and an optional kind, which may be done this fall or next are cold, most garden color in the

Among the "musts" are the spring flowering bulbs, peonies, iris, madonna lilies, the seeds of some perennial flowers and that of the annual larkspur.

"Mays" include evergreen and deciduous trees and shrubs, roses, the seeds of most perennial and quite a few annual flowers and vegetables, and lawn seed.

Obviously, not less than half of all planting to be done on home grounds can be done in the call and garden owners who like to do things the easy way will spread their planting over two seasons, instead of waiting to crowd it all into a hectic

gardeners do this, is no compliment to the intelligence of the clan; but indicates that they are controlled by emotion more than reason. In the fall there is no "spring fever," rather there may be lassitude. Like the plants themselves, the gardeners may long for a winter of dormancy, before undertaking a new season of growth.

But for those who resist the temp. tation to rest, fall planting pays rich rewards. In sections where winters early spring comes from plants in the "must" group, which should be planted in the fall, or not at all.

These include the spring flowering bulbs, which appear in gardens in the following sequence: drops, scillas, crocuşes, daffedils, hyacinths, species tulips, early tu-lips and tall, late tulips. Without flowers from the fall bulbs, the garden is likely to be dull. Following the tulips, comes irises and peonies, which also must be planted in the

In the vegetable garden, perennial onions must be planted in the fall, to bear green onions next spring, before onion sets could be planted. Rhubarb and asparagus roots may be planted now with good The fact that only one-third of all results. Spinach and other hardy greens can be sown, for the very earliest next spring.

> If you decide to become one of the wise one-third and do fall planting this year, a schedule should be prepared to time your operations. There is no point to disturbing existing garden beauty, in order to create next spring's picture, unless this is necessary.

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# Omar Burleson **Asks Communists** Be Denied Bond

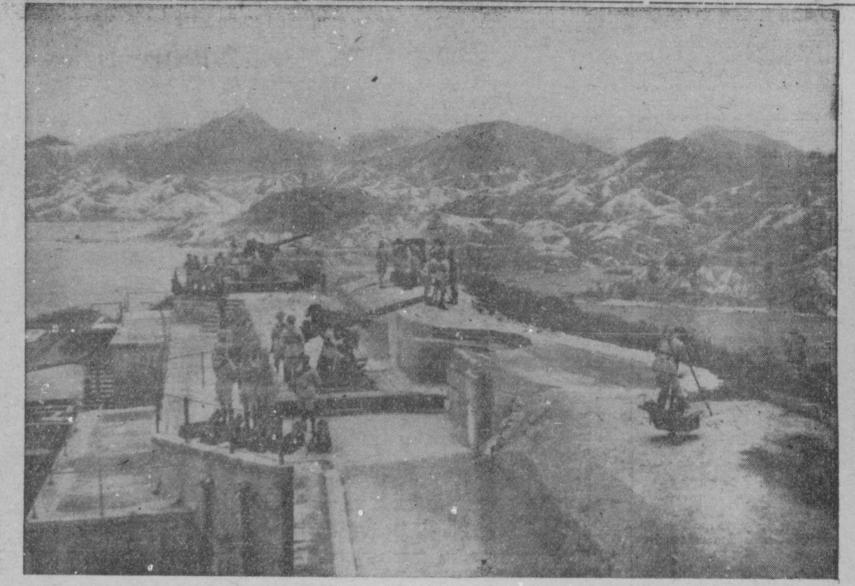
Speaking for himself and for the "millions of citizens of this Country who will not take the time to communicate their feelings," Congressman Omar Burleson of Texas today called on Attorney General J. Howard McGrath to fully support U. S. District Attorney John F. X. McGohey and Judge Harold S. Medina, in denying bond to the eleven Communists recently convicted of conspiracies in New York.

Congressman Burleson expressed regret that the maximum imprisonment under the Smith Act was not severe enough and referred to the reference of Federal Judge Medina that if he could have imposed a greater sentence he would have done so.

"Since these conspirators are American citizens and not aliens, they cannot be deported, "Burleson said. 'Therefore,' he continued, "it seems to me we should prepare a place for such traitors as these, "Axis Sally" Gillars, "Tokyo Rose," and others who doubtless will be convicted in the near future, outside the borders of this country - a place of exile for those who would destroy this nation which has been so good to them.

Burleson said he will seriously consider introducing legislation in the Congress when it reconvenes in January to designate an island in the Pacific where such prisoners can be sent. He said he saw some ideal places for this purpose during the time he served in the Navy in World War II.

"These eleven conspirators who drew five years, the maximum under the law by which they were convicted will serve only a few months. Extra time allowed and credit for good behavior will free them to continue their revolution activities. They should be banished from these shores of the U. S.," Burleson said.



WAITING FOR TROUELE-As Communist troops are reported in Canton, 80 miles away, British forces in Hong Kong, China, are manning their desense installations to forestall any attack on the Crown colony. Above, British soldiers go through gun drill at an anti-aircraft battery that guards the harbor.

# Dr. Pearce Asks Civic Clubs To Help Return American Nation To People

Dr. J. Stuart Pearce, former Cisco minister who is holding 20 years, Americans had lost a revival at the First Presbyterian Church. told members of the Lions and Rotary Clubs at meetings in the Christian Church had been man's only hope in the past and that it was so of the future.

Dr. Pearce was appealing to Americans to go back to the time when the government was "By the people and for the people.'

He stated that during the past more of their liberties than in the entire history of the country. He said that 167 laws taking away the liberties had been passed during that time and that a great per cent of that number had been enacted by the last two Legislatures.

The cause, he said, was the demand of the public for more grants that placed the activities of Americans in the hand of Government. He cited England as an example of what could happen in America.

"Give the youth a fair chance" he urged "to live as citizens of a free country."

The only way we can have the freedom for which we have fought for is to vote for men and not political parties and to discontinue the tred of throwing the Bible overboard, he said.

Dr. Pearce is minister of the First Presbyterian Church in Ca-

Visitors at the Rotary lunch- of Cisco.

eon Thursday were Rotarians E. M. Grimes, Lloyd Chapman and Bob Gilchrist of Eastland, K. G. Lundall of Freer and F. A. Lowe of Abilene. Other visitors were J. E. T. Peters of Cisco, R. R. Cole of Dallas, Jim Kelley of Dallas, Dr. Butts of Memphis, Tennesses and Chester Parhom

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### Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Moore of Cisco came by Sunday and pickd up Mrs. L. B. Moore and dauhter, Miss Eva and motored over to Merkel where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Buford Allen.

Born to Capt. and Mrs. Criss underman, baby girl. October 25 at Mercsd, Calif. Mother and baby reported doing nicely. Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Odom reurned Thursday night from New Mexico where they had been looking after business in-

Mrs. Carl Wallace of Tyler spent the past weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Yeager.

terest.

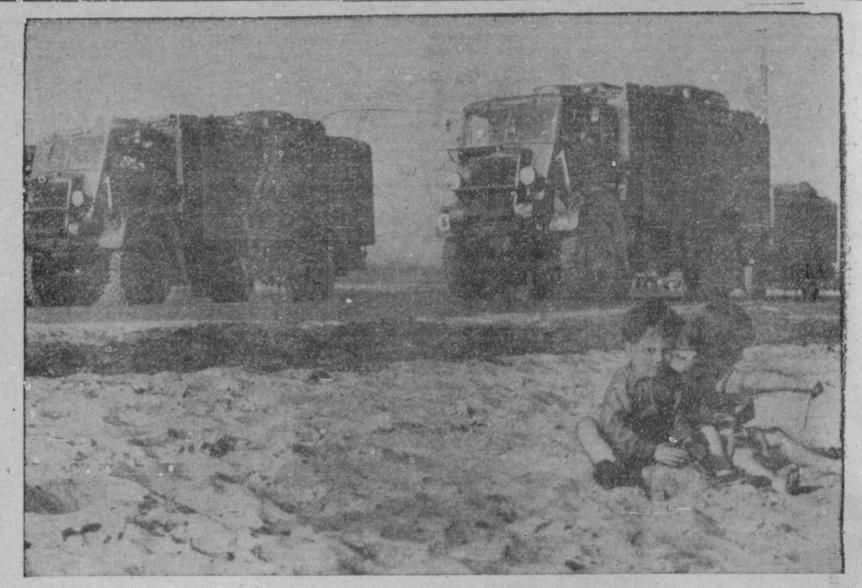
Lonie Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Doc Smith had the misfortune of breaking his leg last week when he fell from a tractor, pulling a plow.

Mr. and Mrs. Coke Rosenbaum and son. C. B. of Rotan were visiting friends here the past week end. They lived in Putnam for more than a year while the highway construction was under

Mrs. Mary Guyton was shoping, looking after business in Baird Saturday morning.

Miss Eva Moore, city secretary of the City of Putnam was transacting business in Baird Saturday morning.

J. C. Jones, owner of the laun-



BIG AND LITTLE GAMES-Two youngsters continue their playing with their backs to communications trucks which are taking part in the parade staged by 20,000 troops of the U.S., Britain, France, Belgium and Norway, near Sennelager, Germany. The five Atlantic Pact nations are participating in war games in that area.

business in Baird Saturday mor-

Mrs. Foy Jobe has accepted a

dry in Putnam was transacting place with the telephone system the Union community Saturday and had picked eight bales from there at present.

> Edward King of Fort Worth spent the weekend visiting with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Pete

Miss Fay Coleman was home over the weekend visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Coleman and uncle Robert Head.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Waddell were shoping and visiting in Abilene Saturday afternoon.

Fred and John Cook were looking after business in Abilene Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Tatom left the past week for Okeen and other places in Oklahoma where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Otis Tatom and Mr. and Mrs. Fleshman. They will be gone several days before returning to Putnam.

Mark Burnham was in from

at Midland and is working out afternoon and stated he had 12 acres. gathered 45 bales of cotton and had several to pick yet.

> Bruce Williams spent the week end from Stephenville vis- Saturday afternoon. iting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Williams.

J. A. Yarbrough was in from the Union community and reported he was through picking cot-ton and had gatherd 24 bales off of 27 acres.

Jack Nettles spent a few days the past week visiting with his son Earnest at Midland.

Shorty Golson of Eastland was transacting business in Putnam Thursday afternoon.

Douglas Frye was in from the ranch near Dothan Saturday afternoon looking after business interest.

A. Yarbrough was in from the ternoon and reported that he in the continental limits of his was through gathering cotton country, except Russia.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Buchannan were shopping and booking after business interest in Cisco

Mrs. Henry Baily and daughter of the Hart community were shopping in Cisco aturday after-

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sur ferman returned the past week from Dalhart where they visited with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sunderman and attended the ball game between Dalhart and the Phillips Petroleum team. Mrs. Sunderman said it was most interesting game she

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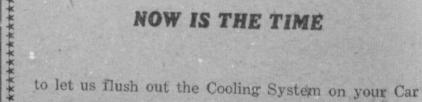
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This Holstein bull already has over 1,000 artificial daughters over the North Texas area.

Approximately 2,000,000 cows were artificialy bred over the nation in 1948. This is proof that artificial breeding of dairy animals is here to stay, Crow

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For breeding your cow to one of these great bulls contact Harry Crow at Phone No. 133F at Carbon or see the County Agent for further information. A. Z. Myrick, Cisco is president of Eastland County Dairy Association, sponsors the breeding pro-

Rev. Oran Stephens and wife will go to Ft. Worth this week for an Area meeting of Methodist district superintendants on the 2, 3, and 4th of November. Bishop W. C. Martin will entertain with a banquet in the dinsuperintendants and their wives at the close of the meeting.

# **Lone Star Names District Auditor**

Appointment of Jack Fatherree to the newly created position of accountant for Lone Star Gas Company's Abilene division of distribution has been announced by Joe C. Darrow, division superintendant. Mr. Fatherree will have headquarters in Abilene and direct the accounting procedure for the company here and in more than ninety other handled out of the general headquarters in Dallas.

Born at Ovett, Mississippi, Mr. County Junior College at Ellis- ling and fishing.



FREE AFTER 28 YEARS-Miss Monica Baldwin enjoys her new freedom near Pinner, England, since the Pope issued a special rescript releasing her from her vows as a nun. It took her 28 years to decide she had made a mistake in entering a convent and when she returned to England, from Europe, it was three months before Miss Baldwin could walk, talk and wear clothes normally.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Coniin Monday and ing room of First Methodist report is mother and baby are church honoring the district doing nicely. The boy weighs 8 pounds and 14 ounces and was born at the Callahan County hospital and has been named "John Jr." after his father who is veterans service officer for the county. They formerly lived in Putnam.

> ville. He was employed by Lone Star in 1929 as constructor timekeeper and was appointed home service engineer in May, 1930. In 1932 he was assigned to the auditing department in Dallas and served until September, 1942, when he entered the Army Air Force as a second lieuten-

He was promoted to major in cities and towns comprising the June, 1945, and given the asdivision. Mr. Darrow said. Such signment of chief statistical conprocedure heretofore has been trol officer. Headquarters Troop Carrier Command. He returned to Lone Star in May, 1946, as traveling auditor. He is a mem-Fatheree was graduated from ber of the Methodist Church, the high school at Ellisville, Miss- Masonic Lodge and American issippi, and attended the Jones Legion. His hobbies are hunt-



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# **West Texas Chamber of Commerce Expects Large Crowd at Convention**

Largest attendance since prewar general conventions was predicted by officers of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce as the organization busily made ready for its annual business assembly and water development banquet set for Tuesday, Nov. 22, at Fort Worth. Attending the latter, in addition to the WTCC's directors and distinguished guests, will be delegations from local chambers of commerce, mayors, city councilmen, water improrement association officials, and others from an estimated 140 West Texas towns.

With the gathering still three weeks away, the WTCC headquarters office has had word from directors and chamber nanagers in many towns that they are already organizing their attendance. Memphis Ranger, and Haskell were first in with orders for banquet ticcets, totaling 28, and assurances of delegations numbering \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

ABILENE, Oct. 30 (Spl.) | from 5 to 15 have been receiv ed from Pampa, Dalhart, Big Spring, San Angelo, Colorado City, Roscoe, Roby, Ballinger. Sweetwater, Stephenville, Cisco, Eastland, Stamford, Rochester, Abilene, WTCC's headquarters city, and Odessa, home town of President John D. Mitchell..

> The confident prediction is that 1,000 or more West Texans will be in the sumptous banquet at Fort Worth's Texas Hotel. That city's delegation is expected to number several hundred, and joined by Abilene's group, will host the concluding session.

#### DRILLING BEGINS

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# **Funeral Services** For S. M. Wilson Held Tuesday

Funeralservices for Samuel M. Wilson, 84, retired farmer who was a former resident of Cisco, were to be held at 2 p. m. Tuesday at Thomas Funeral Chapel. Rev. Jack Tucker of Abilene was to conduct the services.

Mr. Wilson died at 3:30 a m. Monday at the home of his son, Grady Wilson, who lives near Roscoe. Mr. Wilson was born in Montgomery, Alabama on March 16, 1865. He came to Texas in 1900, living first in Ellis County. then moving to Cisco where he lived until he moved to Roscoe four months ago.

His wife, to whom he was married for 65 years, died on December 18, 1948. They were married in Delta, Alabama.

Survivors include six sons and one daughter. The sons are W. F. of Dallas, O. W. of Fort Worth Grady of Roscoe, C. H. of Kermit, J. E. of Lubbock and L. V. of Pisbee, Arizona. The daughter is Mrs. Charles Davis of

Also surviving are 12 grand children and three great grand children.

Burial was to be in Oakwood cemetery with Thomas Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. Pallbearers were J. W. Crowder, C. C. Cooper, Jim Taylor, W. L. Nix, Walter Burkman and Tom Whitt.

# Baltimore, Maryland.

# **Local Horse Wins** In Coleman Show

Sinney, three year old Palomino stallion owned by C. A. Ditmore of Cisco, was judged the champion quarter horse stallion of the Coleman horse show Thursday. Palominos dominated the show, taking three of the

ed reserve champion Palemino of the show. He was sired by Royal King and is out of a Joe Bailey mare. Sinney has won 21 first place awards and has been named grand champion of nine

Thursday night with a showing sored by the horse show division of the daytime winners and a of the Coleman Rodeo Associafull scale rodeo. It was spon- tion.



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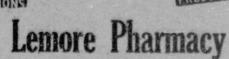
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# City Ridding Lake Of Undesirable ish By Use Of Special Chemical

that an effort was being hours. de to kill all fish in the th fork of Lake Cisco in an rt to rid the lake of undeble fish that are sapping the e of its supply of game fish.

Lake Cisco.

ay Judia. lake custodian, has ge of the program and isued following questions and ans for the information of the

What will it do for water nome consumption?

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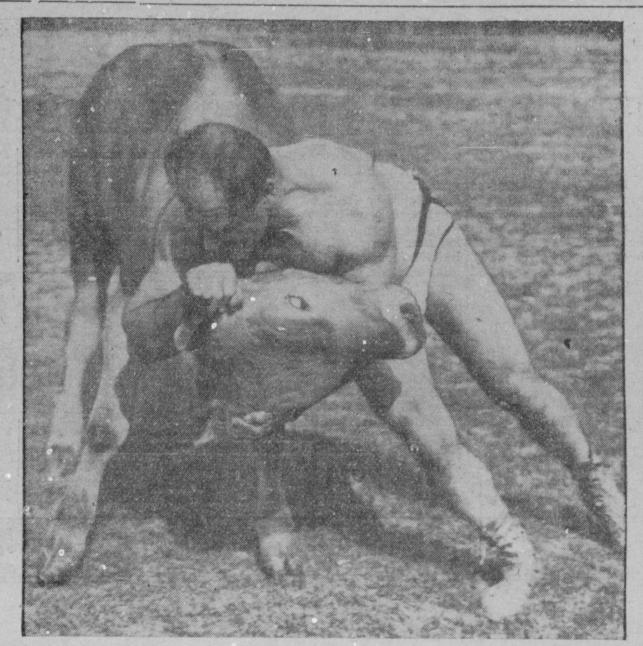
City officials announced Tues- | tely dissipated within 18 to 36

In explanation of this act it can be said that a check test was run and that it was found that 85 per cent of the fish in the lake are rough fish (shad, he plan has the approval of carp etc.) This 85 per cent has State Game. Fish and Oys- to eat, of course, and thereby Commission. The body has depletes the food supply for the advocated the destruction edible fish. This is an effort to types fish that have over take some of the load off the take and give the better fish more to eat.

Since food is the controlling factor in the growth of fish it is felt that this work is necessary to improve the fishing in Lake Cisco. After the job is complete it is planned to restock the lake with the type of fish that can keep down the shad and carp population. This will make the fishing better and give the small ones a chance to be big ones when you catch them.

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NOT QUITE HIS EQUAL -- Milo Barus, a 225-pound weightlifter, is about to force his 800-pound. opponent to its knees in Rastatt, a French zone city in Germany. The bloodless bull fight also provides daily entertainment for a clowd of interested spectators.

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Four generations of the Jay G. Dunlap family gathered in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jay G. Dunlap. 909 West Ninth, Sunday for a reunion.

Children of Mr. and Mrs. Dunlap were there were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hall of Roby and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunlap of Sweet-

Grandchildren present were David Hall, Chelly, Beverly and Sammy Dunlap of Sweetwater; Frances Hall, Mr. and Mrs. James Sargent of Abilene.

Sargent son of Mr. and Mrs. Ja- went to the treasury of the PTA | \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

mes Sargent, Abilene, represent to aid in paying off the indebtted the fourth generation of the edness of the school lunch room. family.

A friend of the family, Miss Nadine Rainwater of Lubock, accomparied the group to Cisco and spent the day in the Dunlap

Is Huge Success

The P-TA Carnival held Saturday night at the West Ward School was a huge success, according to Mrs. Bill Kendali, president. It was a success both financially and in affording an evening of entertainmet to both young and old.

Their great grandson, Larry Visitors spent \$311.55, which

The halls and rooms of the building wre filled with merry makers all evening and all rooms reported good crowds.

Mrs. Kendall thanked every one who aided in making the carnival a success and stated that without the help of the room mothers, teachers and the students themselves the association could not have made a success of the affair.

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team. At a workout session in New York, before embarking on a 100-city tour of U. S. and Europe, are, left to right: Frank Parker, Pancho Segura; Jack Kramer and Pancho Gonzales.

# Start Of Youth Dairy Program Is Near; 14 Heifers Assured

deiry heifers to be given away Neither Ranger nor Gorman had be launched here. The program land, to begin the project.

The date for the actual awarding of the animals has been ten- unty Agent J. M. Cooper plans to tatively set for December 3 at leave Friday for Tyler where which time a ceremony will be they will visit the Frank Tooke be held in Eastland with the prospect of purchasing the aniactual location and time to be mals to begin the program. Mr. announced later.

program gets underway on Dec- Geye of Rising Star. ember 3. The money was raised

come into the program as yet.

A committee headed by Coarranged. The program will farm to inspect a herd with the Tooke has sold more than 100 At the present time the as- dairy animals to 4-H Clubs in sociation has \$2,800 in the treas- the state. The committee is sury, which will finance the pur- composed of Cooper, M. D. Fox chase of 14 pure bred heifers. and George I. Lane of Eastland, More was expected before the Gail Jones of Cisco and H. E.

agriculture teachers in all the in contributions with eight firms ceremonies in which 34 register- ognition. Those attending will schools in the county were ac- purchasing a calf each. Cisco ed heifers will be given to John- be A. Z. Myrick and B. A. Butcepting applications from club was second with four and Ris- son County farm youths in a ler of Cisco, Ed Steel, Travis boys for one of the registered ing Star was third with three. program similar to the one to Wheat and Theo Lamb of East-

The Eastland County Youth through contributions of busi- County business men and civic has been in operation in that Dairy program was one step ness men and civic organizations leaders will go to Cleburne on county for a number of years nearer realization Tuesday as over the county. Eastland leads Friday where they will attend and has gained nationwide rec-

# Light Frost Visits Area Monday Night

season was reported in the area front which blew in early Sun-Monday morning when the mer- | day. cury dropped to 35 degrees. Little or no damage was expected Another group of Eastland since the ground was wet from

The first frost of the current | rains which preceded the cold

The cold air dropped the temperature from a high of 65 at 9 a. m. Sunday to the new low

high winds and a heavy mist. The mercury was expectted

to rise Tuesday and a high of 75 degress was predicted. Another cold front was build-

ing up in the Canada-Alaska region but was not expected roach here for several days.

Meanwhile, peanut growers were again at work in the fields harvesting what was expected to be a record crop for the county. Over a million bushels are expected to be marketed by the Eastland County farmers before the end of the season. They were selling for about \$3 per bushel, the government support

#### Church of Christ Young People Will Meet In Abilene

The College Church of Christ will be host to the third annual meeting of young people of West Texas churches of Christ at Sewell Auditorium, Abilene Christian College, Tuesday evening, November 8, officers of the church announced yesterday.

More than 600 attended their meeting last spring.

Guests will begin registering at the auditorium at 4:00 p. m. Dinner will be served by women of the College Church at 5:30 p. m. and the program will be-

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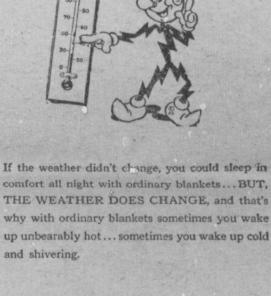
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