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DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR WILL SURVEY DAM SITE

Activity on Canadian River Dam Renewed In Washington, According to Worley Report

Renewed activity in Washington on the hoped-for construction of a dam across the Canadian River was announced this week by Congressman Eugene Worley.

Worley, after conferring with Krug and Michael W. Strauss, commissioner of the Reclamation Bureau, said that both Krug and Strauss had promised full cooperation.

The proposed dam, at a site near Tascosa, was rejected last fall by U. S. Army Engineers ordered to make a survey for proposed flood control.

Worley is hopeful that he is now working on a bill which he plans to introduce in Congress later providing for construction of such a dam on the Canadian.

He made public a letter to Krug which said, in part, 'It has become increasingly obvious that future economic expansion throughout the Texas Panhandle will be closely related to the development and utilization of the limited water resources for agriculture and for domestic, municipal and industrial purposes.'

'Thus for many years it has become of increasing moment to me that our ground and surface water resources should be developed in so far as practicable in order that the growing towns and cities of the Panhandle of Texas may be assured of water supplies and an order that a score of needed related multiple purpose benefits can be obtained for the area.'

'It appears to me that several agencies in your department, such as the Bureau of Reclamation, Fish and Wildlife Survey, National Park Service, Geological Survey, Bureau of Mines, and others concerned with the investigation and development of the resources of an area such as the Panhandle of Texas could render a real service to this area by studying and reporting on the possibilities of developing the water and related resources.'

A dam on a site at or near Tascosa crossing would gain additional support from cities in West Texas along Highway 51, since such a dam might also be used to provide a new highway crossing at that point.

Highway 51 supporters are now actively engaged, also in an attempt to get the State Highway Department to bridge the Canadian at that point.

Producers are also required to pay an eligibility fee. In return they will be guaranteed a floor price of \$2.25 per hundred for U. S. No. 1 grade potatoes...

Rules for participation in the federal price support program on potatoes were announced this week by the Deaf Smith County ACA office, and as predicted, the 1948 regulations have teeth in them.

But the real teeth in the new regulations concern sale of low grade spuds. The Agriculture Department obviously intends to prevent a market flooded with low-grade potatoes this year.

Producers, to be eligible under the 1948 program, must sign agreements not to sell ungraded potatoes, or field run potatoes, except to the Department of Agriculture or to Contracting Dealers in the 1948 support program.

Also included is an agreement not to sell 1948 crop potatoes, or below U. S. No. 1 Size B grade or quality, or U. S. No. 2 grade or quality regardless of size, except to the Department or Contracting dealers, or with prior approval by the department, to processors, livestock feeders, or for export.

The same provisions apply to cull potatoes. These provisions do not apply to seed potatoes officially certified and tagged by an official State seed certifying agency.

The Department of Agriculture also reserves the right to prescribe time periods in which only such quantities of potatoes as the Department determines to be reasonable.

Tarzan Tamed Again



Johnny (Tarzan) Weissmuller and his bride, golf star Allene Gates, show how they feel about each other after their marriage at Reno, Nev., less than five hours after his divorce from San Francisco socialite Beryl Scott.

All Set



All set to shoot it up Carlos Bernard, Puerto Rican cyclist of Mayaguez, sports American flag, seven lights, three bells, and three fox tails on his two-wheeled steed.

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MARKETS

(USA)—Lower prices for hogs, vegetables, cotton and poultry products featured trading at Southwest farm markets during the past week.

Many vegetable prices dropped sharply. Best South Texas onions sold mostly around \$2.25 for 30 pound sacks, about half as much as a week ago.

Egg markets weakened steadily, as spring weather caused increased supplies and lowered quality.

Hog prices opened the week mostly 50 cents to \$1.50 lower than a week earlier after wide variations up and down.

Uneven trends prevailed at sheep markets during the week, but lambs ruled generally steady to higher.

Good Texas 8-months wools sold higher at 51 to 52 cents a pound, grease basis.

Cotton gained early but fell later to close Monday \$1.50 to \$2 a bale lower for the week.

Sorghums led strong grain markets with an advance of 30 cents a hundred for the week.

Rice markets held firm last week as large shipments went forward against recent sales.

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For sale: One Dodge truck with Grain Bed. Cover and new tires. \$750.00. One Dodge Coach with heater, seat covers and new tires. \$750.00.
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Wanted: To buy junk iron. Cast Iron, \$20.00 a ton. Steel, \$15.00 a ton. O. L. Floyd, Bovina, Texas. 39-tfc

If you need good weight ducking for tarps or binder canvass. I have it. J. M. McAdams, Shoe Shop, Friona. 39-2p

For sale: One 1940 Model Ford Coach. Good condition. See Rev. P. C. Kruse. 42-1p

For sale: New crop alfalfa hay. Next week. J. G. McFarland. 42-2c

For sale: 1929 model "D" John Deere tractor, on steel. Runs good. See Doug Short. 42-1p

For sale: One Slightly used "Motorola" automatic record player and cabinet. Bob Jones. 42-2p

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ORDERS: Now accepted for hand painted blouses, dresses and lunch cloths. Orders also accepted by mail. Samples shown on request. See Mrs. Doug Short or Mrs. Clyde Sherrieb, Friona, Texas. 41-4c

For sale: One 1946 model Dodge truck. Long wheel base. 3-25 tires all in good condition. Estis Bass, 6 miles north and mile and half west of Friona. 41-tfc

For sale: One "40" model Chevrolet coach. C. L. Vestal, Jr. 41-3p

For sale: Tomato, cabbage and pepper plants, in containers. Mrs. M. Whaley. 41-1p

For sale: One 1942 model Chevrolet truck. See H. T. Magness. 41-tfc

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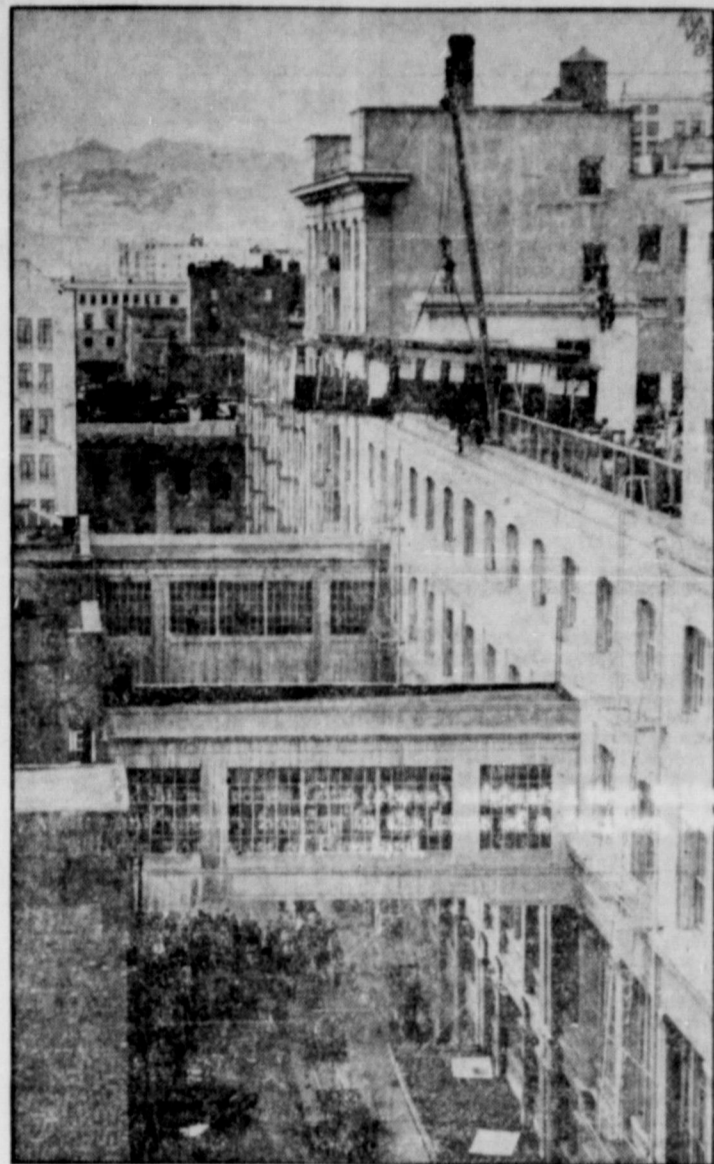
For Sale: Sweet Sudan, 1929 Baldwin Combine, 1934 Chevrolet Truck, good rubber; 1934 Plymouth, good rubber; Registered Jersey bull, 8 months old; half hile south and half mile west of Friona, Route 1, Boots Rule. 40-2p

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Another Letter to the Editor from . . .

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San Francisco's old cable cars will live in immortality in old No. 16, shown being hoisted to the rooftop garden of the Emporium, five stories above the meaning street. The 6 1/2-ton relic will be viewed by tourists of future years.

Vote Hunting



Governor Dewey shakes hands with Bill Koch of the "Hungry Six" band during his campaign stop in Milwaukee, Wis.

In the five Southwestern states, to obtain Federal age certificates for minors claiming to be one or two years older than the minimum age requirements for the occupation in which they are seeking employment.

Such certificates, it was pointed out, applies to minors employed by producers, manufacturers or dealers who ship or deliver for shipment interstate or foreign commerce.

In this state, Federal certificates of age are issued by the Federal issuing officer of the Division, who is located at 1114 Commerce street, Dallas 2. Applications for age certificates are obtainable at local offices of the Texas State Employment Service.

The general minimum age, he said, is 16 years, with an 18-year minimum for particular occupations found hazardous for children. The child labor section, he pointed out, applies to minors employed by producers, manufacturers or dealers who ship or deliver for shipment interstate or foreign commerce.

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The Bootleg Philosopher

Dear editor:
It's a long way from out here to Italy but I been keepin up with the votin over there the same as you and everybody else, as a sort of warm-up period for the comin summer attractions over here, and while at first glance in the pre-election turmoil it looked bad, I notice from a copy of a paper which turned up here Monday mornin a little limp and soggy with dew that the demerats has won.
Now I ain't defendin Italy's past, as them folks has picked. If he did the pickin, some pretty queer leaders in times past and has allowed them a peculiar amount of power, and I might glad to see the Communists whipped as I understand among hundreds of other objectional things they make a man work whether he feels like it or not, but I personally ain't willin to condemn a man just for votin wrong.
That is to say, I don't like to admit this and wouldn't except that I figure everybody else has been in the same boat with me at one time or another, but in a lifetime of votin I've voted for some strange fish myself.
It's a funny thing. Gettin burned once don't seem to make any difference. When election year rolls around and you read after a candidate and he reads good and you hear him on the radio and he sounds good and you go into town when he comes through tourin the state and he looks good, especially when he puts a sort of sob in his voice when he gets around to the plight of the old folks and promises to run the grafters out of the capital without namin exactly who the grafters is, hein too busy gettin on with his speech, which don't make no difference at the time as all you and me want is to get em run out and he seems the only man in the state who can do it, and you vote for him and denounce anybody who ain't got the sense to do likewise, and after he gets in things ain't no different and the old folks is still old and if there was any graftin gone on it still is as ain't nobody stoppin nothin and ain't nobody been run out of anyplace.
Now I ain't callin no names, but I can recall a whole string of candidates I've voted for in years past that I'd just as soon forget about, and I imagine you and all your readers is in the same shape.
Everybody is entitled to vote wrong once in a while, but only the difference is that over here you can overcome your error and vote for somebody else next time, which may not be any improvement but it's refreshing while in some countries if you vote wrong and the Communists win its all over and you're stuck from then on. I'll take the system we got here. There never was a set of politicians I'd like to put up with the rest of my life.
Yours faithfully,
J. A.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Durstine of Sebathea, Kansas, formerly of Friona, are here for awhile. They have just returned from Hot Springs where Mr. Durstine had taken a course of baths. Their son, Kenneth, who left Friona to go to the war, is now married and living in Kansas. They have a little son.

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Santa Fe Names Superintendent Of Transportation

John S. Reed, Special Representative of the General Superintendent of Transportation of the Santa Fe Railway at Chicago, Illinois, has been promoted to Transportation Inspector with headquarters at Amarillo, Texas, succeeding C. B. Jury who has resigned to re-enter private business in Illinois, according to announcement made today by G. C. Jefferis, Santa Fe General Manager at Amarillo. The

appointment is effective May 1. Reed's territory will be the Plains Division of the Santa Fe Western Lines, extending from Waynoka, Oklahoma, to Clovis, N. M., and including the branch lines to Stratford, Texas, to Borger, and to Perryton and Spearman. He will work with the operating, claim, and loss and damage departments of the railroad toward the more efficient utilization of railroad facilities.

Reed first entered Santa Fe service in October, 1939, as an assistant in the Test Department at Topeka. He served five years in the Navy during the War, being discharged with the rank of Lt. Commander.

Mothers Day Will Be Celebrated May 9 In United States, Canada

Mothers Day will be observed on Sunday, May 9, as a national expression of love and reverence for the mothers of the nation. Only two countries—the United States and Canada—set aside a day officially to honor mother. And although our Mother's Day is officially only 34 years old, it stems from a tradition of homage to mothers that stretches back into the dim past.

Centuries before Christ, mothers were held in awe and reverence by Chinese families. The ancient Romans celebrated an annual festival in honor of Hilaria, the mother-Goddess. More than 1,000 years ago, the Nahuatl Indians of Mexico were holding flower festivals for the Earth Mother Goddess, Chicomehuatl.

Seventeenth Century England developed the custom of going "A-mothering." Boy and girl apprentices were allowed to spend "Mothering Sunday" with their families. They often brought cakes and plum puddings as gifts.

Our American Mother's Day is credited to Miss Anna M. Jarvis, a Sunday School teacher in 1908 she held a memorial church service for her mother at the Andrews Methodist Church in Grafton, West Virginia.

The idea spread first to Philadelphia and then caught on nationally. President Wilson in 1914 signed a Congressional Resolution setting aside the second Sunday in May as Mother's Day and authorizing Federal display of the flag.

The carnation was adopted as official flower because it had been the favorite of Miss Jarvis' mother. Today the event has grown into the year's "most sentimental occasion," when sons and daughters everywhere express their appreciation with gifts and Mother's Day greeting cards.

Noted Scientist Will Lecture at Texas Tech

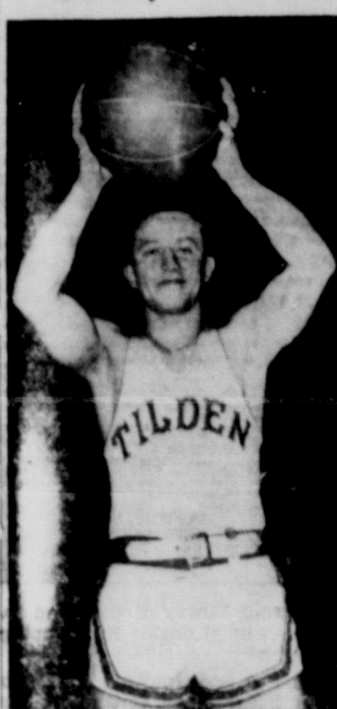
LUBBOCK, April 30—A series of lecture periods by the eminent physicist, Robert A. Millikan from the California Institute of Technology, begins at Texas Technological College Sunday, May 2, and will continue through May 5.

The general public is invited to attend all programs. An opportunity will be given the audiences during two of the forums to submit questions to Dr. Millikan for general discussion.

All the public meetings are to begin at 7:30 p. m. in the Recreation Hall with the exception of the opening session May 2, Parent's Day and Recognition Day, which is to begin at 3:30 p. m. in the college gymnasium.

READ THE Advertisements THEY'RE NEW!

1 Game, 91 Points



Wally Piekarski of Tilden Junior High School, Chicago, shows the basketball form that enabled him to score 91 points—37 field goals, 17 free throws—in a City League game against Dunbar. It's a new Illinois record.

Tells Hitler Tale



Friedrich von Angelotti Mackensen, 26, former SS major, told authorities in Munich that he flew Hitler and Eva Braun to Tondern, Denmark, before the European war ended. Mackensen is paralyzed as a result of being shot down near Marseille, France, May 9, 1945.

Here He Is, Girls



Well, girls, here he is—"Mr. U.S.A." He's Clarence Ross of Alameda, Calif., shown holding his gold cup and bulging his biceps at Los Angeles, where he won the title from 15 other male possessors of the body muscular. He's been at this before—amateur "Mr. America" in 1945, professional "Mr. America" in 1946.

Directors And Guests of Boys Ranch Meet

Directors and others interested in Boy's Ranch and Boys Ranch Farm met in the Everglades Room of the Marine Grill in Amarillo Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Blanton and Mrs. Dyalitha Brady of Hereford attended the meeting.

About forty of the Ranch and Farm boys were present, with all the Farm boys and the younger ones from the Ranch in attendance.

Mrs. Julian Bivens, who gave the site of Boys Ranch and Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Astell, who gave Boys Ranch Farm near Dimmitt were present.

Miss Kelly, who is

secretary, the teachers from Boys Ranch and representatives from the Amarillo radio stations were among the guests.

Guy Blanton, brother of Lyle, of Amarillo who is planning the special barn for the Farm at Spring Lake was also present.

For entertainment, Bernie Howell was present with his small organ, Billy Lane furnished guitar music and one of the boys from the ranch sang.

Over 85 percent of all churches in the United States have Sunday schools.

The total enrollment of Sunday schools in the United States is estimated at nearly 23 million.

In baking apples fill each cavity with a tablespoon of sugar mixed with a little cinnamon; add a teaspoon of butter or fortified margarine.

Wheat Prospects

Wheat crop prospects, which have been steadily declining in this area during the past month with the continuing drought, are far from bright in most other sections of the midwestern wheat belt.

U. S. Department of Agriculture estimates, issued last week and covering reports to April 1, forecast a total U. S. winter wheat crop of 860,521,000 bushels this year, as compared to last year's total of 1,067,970,000 bushels.

According to Santa Fe Railway Agriculture Department reports, the bulk of this decrease will be in the states covered by Santa Fe, including Kansas, Texas, Oklahoma, Colorado and New Mexico, which annually produce more than half of the U. S. total.

Agriculture Department forecasts for these "Santa Fe states" total 489,830,000 bushels, as compared to last year's production of 739,203,000 bushels.

The Santa Fe's own agriculture department, however, basing its forecasts on reports up to April 30 from the five-state area predicts that production in these states may be less than 445,000,000 bushels this year, or nearly 45 million bushels less than the USDA estimates of April 1.

"While the situation is uncertain," April saw a decline in Santa Fe states and this area will be lucky to get 445,000,000 bushels unless there is an immediate change for the better.

"A crop that is 90 days or more late and has less than two months in which to mature," the Santa Fe experts report, "is a question that will depend on weather conditions in the next 45 days. Added to a good general supply of moisture, plenty of timely rains, cool nights and warm days will improve the situation; otherwise production will drop still further."

General wheat prospects in Northwest Texas are poor to fair, the Santa Fe report states. Estimates are that 10 to 25 percent of the acreage is now being plowed under, due to dry weather, wind, cutworms and red spider, and more acreage will be abandoned soon unless the drought is broken.



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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

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And it occurred to me that there's nothing more typically American than collecting other folks' opinions, as well as giving out with one's own. And from where I sit, it's a mighty healthy habit.

So long as people can discuss both sides of a question that comes up—whether it concerns short skirts versus long, beer compared with cider, or the larger issues of party versus party—we're sure of the individual liberty that has made this country great.

For it isn't differences of opinion that matter. The important thing is tolerance for differences of opinion—whether they affect the right of an individual to vote, to speak his mind, or enjoy a glass of beer. They're all parts of the freedom that we cherish!

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