

# STERLING CITY NEWS-RECORD

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## Largest Horse Show; Record Number Entries

Ninety-eight entries competed in the 3rd Annual Horse Show here Saturday. There were 65 quarterhorses, 16 thoroughbreds and 17 Palominos. Ed Heller of Abilene was the official judge. Foster Sims Price won grand champion quarterhorse stallion, the nine-year-old Reed McCue. He won the American Quarterhorse association trophy and the memorial trophy presented by Mrs. Helen Mayes of Garden City. Foster Conger's mare took the grand champion quarterhorse mare award. Billy Ralph Bynums entry was champion gelding. Pete Hanson led the grand champion thoroughbred stallion, Red River. 50% of the trophies presented, stayed the county.

Some of the best quality horses West Texas were shown. Si Phillips of the West Texas Utilities Co. furnished the public address system. Patsy Davis, 4-H member, passed out the ribbons to each winner. Garlyn O. Hoffman announced the show.

Horses were brought from Melton, San Angelo, Garden City, Big Spring, Ozona, Sonora, Maryneal, dorado, Midland, Silver, Robert, Abilene, Winters, Ballinger, Sheffield, Mertzon, Clyde, and Sterling City.

105 horses were entered but only participated in the final class. The judging got under way at 9:45 and was completed by 4:30.

**Placings of the Show:**  
 Quarter fillies of 1949, 1st, Wanda, owned by Punk Snyder of Abilene; 2nd, Penny, owned by Peter & Hildebrand of Sterling City; 3rd, Ma, Jess Koy of Eldorado; 4th, Red Lady, Koy; 5th, Blue Bell, Largent & Henderson of Spring.

Quarter fillies of 1948, 1st, Fancy, Peter & Hildebrand, 2nd, Boshion, Foster Sims Price of Sterling City; 3rd, Mitzi, Forrest Foster of Sterling City; 4th, Jill, Foster & Hildebrand; 5th, Little Lillian, Ham and Norman Elrod of Rankin.

Aged Quarter mares, 1st, Nettie Foster Conger of Sterling City; 2nd, Little Headlight, Jack Bishop Winters; 3rd, Sobre Diane, Fran Weeg of Big Spring; 4th, Priscilla Britches, Carl Harris of San Angelo; 5th, Betty Hutton, L. B. Hammark of Garden City.

Quarter stallions of 1949, 1st, Gold Star, Largent & Henderson; 2nd, Montail, Roy Parks, Jr. of Midland; 3rd, Brownie F., J. W. Field of San Angelo; 4th, Duster, Temp of Sterling City; 5th, Sugar, James R. Clark of Sterling City.

Quarter stallions of 1948, 1st, Upper B., Charlie Black of Ozona; 2nd, The Joker, Stanley Mayfield of Sonora; 3rd, King's Man, W. R.

Davis of Sterling City; 4th, Holleywood Snapper, Dr. D. G. Strole of Abilene.

Aged Quarter stallions, 1st, Reed McCue, Foster Sims Price; 2nd, Scooter S., Punk Snyder; 3rd, Pecos Plaudit, Noelke & Donawho, Sheffield; 4th, Hondo K., Koy; 5th, Tony L., L. P. Bloodworth, Jr. of Sonora.

**QUARTER WINNERS**  
 Champion Quarter stallion, Reed McCue, Price.  
 Reserve champion Quarter stallion, Scooter S., Snyder.  
 Champion Quarter mare, Nettie B., Conger.  
 Reserve champion Quarter mare, Fancy, Foster & Hildebrand.

**THOROUGHBREDS**  
 Thoroughbred, 1949 fillies, 1st, Miss Texas, L. R. Stringer of Sterling City; 2nd, Port-A-Keyes, Fred Roe, Jr., Robert Lee; 3rd, Reno Miss, Stringer.  
 Thoroughbred 1948 fillies, 1st, Firefly, H. B. Poe of San Angelo; 2nd, Miss Kindred, Ann Young of San Angelo.  
 Aged Thoroughbred mares, 1st, Gay Rhumba, Roe; 2nd, Ginger, Sam Cox of Garden City; 3rd, Sweetheart, Bade Bros, Sterling City.  
 Thoroughbred 1949 stallion, 1st, Tubby, Richard Gray, San Angelo.  
 Aged Thoroughbred stallions, 1st, Red River, Stringer; 2nd, Sonny Wade, R. L. Keyes, Robert Lee.

**THOROUGHBRED CHAMPS**  
 Champion Thoroughbred stallion, Red River, Stringer.  
 Reserve champion Thoroughbred stallion, Sonny Wade, Keyes.  
 Champion Thoroughbred mare, Gay Rhumba, Roe.  
 Reserve champion Thoroughbred mare, Firefly, Poe.

**PALOMINOS**  
 Palomino 1948 fillies, 1st, April Gold, Jake Callison of San Angelo; 2nd, Gold Dust, Rosemary Rice of Big Spring; 3rd, Marvel Gold Slipper D., Davis.  
 Aged Palomino mares, 1st, My Gold Lass, Josephine Clipper of San Angelo; 2nd, Kiddy Do, Darrell Garrett of Sterling City.  
 Palomino 1949 stallion, 1st, Gold Dodger, Largent & Henderson.  
 Palomino 1948 stallions, 1st, Atomic Dude, Josephine Clipper; 2nd, Little Dud, L. H. Baker of San Angelo.  
 Aged Palomino stallions, 1st, Pecos Plaudit, Noelke & Donawho; 2nd, Golden Don, Davis.

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 Champion Palomino mare, My Gold Lass, Josephine Clipper.  
 Reserve Champion Palomino

## COMMISSIONERS RECEIVE BIDS ON HOSPITAL MONDAY

**Has Bids Under Advisement**  
 The Sterling County Commissioners Court received bids on the general construction of a county hospital, as well as electrical, heating, plumbing and air conditioning at a special term of court on Monday of this week.

Bids were received but not let at that time. The court has them under consideration, said County Judge G. C. Murrell.

Three general construction bids were received, with Joe Thorp of San Angelo being low with a bid of \$107,931.00. Dunlap Construction Co. of Kermit submitted a bid of \$116,700.00, and Rex D. Kitchens of Austin turned in a bid on the project for \$128,689.00.

A number of bids on the electrical work were submitted, all being in the neighborhood of \$10,000.00. The plumbing bids, of which there were a number, were all in the \$20,000.00 category. The heating and air conditioning bids ran all in the neighborhood of \$25,000.00. Combined plumbing, heating and air conditioning were in the neighborhood of \$45,000.00.

The citizens of the county voted a \$90,000 bond issue for the project last fall. Governmental aid in the amount of one-half the cost is to be had. A bid was accepted last week on the water supply system to a Brownwood firm for \$7,800.00.

The bids were high and there is yet to be let contracts for the equipping of the hospital, which will be high. With the bids "under consideration", the court may do a little paring on the project to get construction costs down somewhat.

## GID AINSWORTH, 78, STERLING PIONEER BURIED MONDAY

Gid Ainsworth, 78, pioneer settler and rancher of Sterling, died at his home here last Sunday following a lengthy illness. He had been ill for several years.

Funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon at the graveside in Foster Cemetery. Rev. W. J. Weimer, Methodist minister here, officiated. Lowe Funeral Chapel was in charge of arrangements.

Born in Ellis County March 6, 1872, Mr. Ainsworth had lived here for seventy years. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Ainsworth.

The spirit and founding of West Texas is epitomized by the lives of pioneers such as Gid Ainsworth. Such early settlers were responsible for the settlement and development of the country.

Survivors include the widow, two daughters, Mrs. Lura McClellan and Mrs. Erma Lee Lowe, both of Sterling City; two sons, Clell C. Ainsworth of Sterling City and R. P. Ainsworth of Colorado City; three granddaughters and one grandson.

Pallbearers were Vern Davis, Will Durham, Riley King, H. A. Chapple, Harold McCabe, Taylor Garrett, Louis Bade and R. H. Emery.

## LIONS CLUB

Dr. O. E. Sperry and John Norris, both with Texas A&M College, were guests at the Lions Club luncheon Wednesday noon at the Community Center. Dr. Sperry spoke briefly on range conservation.

The two A&M men and Si Phillips of the West Texas Utilities Co. were guests of County Agent Garlyn Hoffman.

President-elect G. W. Tillerson intimated that he would be able to attend the Lions Club convention in Laredo next month.

mare, Kiddy Do, Garrett.

**GELDINGS**  
 Geldings of 1948, 1st, Little Man, Bobby Bond of San Angelo.  
 Aged Geldings, 1st, T. F., Billy Ralph Bynum of Sterling City; 2nd, Cue, Wayne McCabe of Silver; 3rd, Captain, Foster & Hildebrand.  
 Champion Gelding, T. F., Bynum.  
 Reserve champion Gelding, Cue McCabe.

**REINING CONTEST**, 1st, Monsieur Moore, Walter Brooks, Mertzon; 2nd, John, Herman Verden of Ballinger; 3rd, Hollywood Snapper, Dr. D. G. Strole, Abilene.

## 7 Indicted By Grand Jury; All Plead Guilty

### Mrs. Barbee's Pupils In Recital Tuesday Night

Mrs. Bill Barbee will present her piano, voice and violin pupils in recital next Tuesday night in the high school auditorium at 8 p.m.

Pupils to appear in the recital include Brenda Augustine, Dahlia Moreno, Wanda Simmons, Jodie Emery, Jeannine Jones, Melvin and Marvin Foster, Elizabeth Cole, LeRuth Reed, Lydia Rodriguez, Diane Padgett, Bernice Ann Green, Wanda Fay Williams, Billie Nadine Green, Shirley Langford, Esther Ann Bird, Jackie Foster, Jackie Cole, Jennie Ruth Davis, Elizabeth Hildebrand, Evelyn Ann Smith, Robert Garms, Glen Dell Weimer, Ginger Lane, and Mary Elizabeth Davis.

The public is invited to attend the recital, said Mrs. Barbee.

### Wimodausis Guest Day Tea; Book Review

The Methodist Church was the scene for the Wimodausis Club annual guest day tea and book review on April 19. Mrs. Glee Munro of San Angelo reviewed "Tammy Out of Time" by Sid Rickett Sumner.

Mrs. Harvey Glass, president, announced the program. Miss Ethel Foster welcomed the guests. Mrs. S. A. Mahaffey responded. Mrs. C. H. Davis of San Angelo introduced the book reviewer. Mrs. Reynolds Foster played an organ solo, "Schubert's Serenade."

Each member had invited a guest. Others invited were the Noratadata Club members, the faculty, and members of the junior and senior classes.

About ninety persons attended. Hostesses were Mrs. W. L. Foster, Jr., Mrs. Ray Lane, Mrs. J. C. Reed, Mrs. W. R. Hudson, Mrs. H. D. Glass, Mrs. Riley King, Mrs. Ruth Allen, Miss Ethel Foster, Mrs. E. F. McEntire, Mrs. T. S. Foster and Mrs. Kenneth Garms.

The final program of the year will be on Wednesday, May 3 with Mrs. H. L. Hildebrand.

WRONG card table returned to someone after the school banquet. Return to M. Z. Brown, please.

Mrs. Billy Moore and son, Michael Joe, of Corpus Christi, are here visiting Mrs. Moore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Thompson.

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Seven were indicted by the grand jury here Monday as the spring term of district court got underway. Foster S. Price acted as foreman of the jury.

James D. Carley, Sam Wyatt, John Thomas DeMerville and Billy Gene Morton were indicted for the burglary of the Sterling Schools. They pleaded guilty and were assessed terms in the pen not less than two nor more than three years. Judge Sutton appointed G. C. Murrell to represent the San Angelo youthful burglars. They had been given terms for the burglary of schools at other places and Midland, Odessa and Garden City were planning not to try them, it was said. Witnesses used in their trial were O. T. Jones, Hollis Kenner, Mrs. Walter Duff, and R. H. Emery. Ralph Logan, district, acted for the state.

Sutton admonished the boys to be on their good behavior while in the pen and they could get out while still young men. He said he would help them get out after their minimum time is up if they had the required number of good points. Because of their youthfulness, he made the sentences light. He had also sentenced them in the other counties of this judicial district.

No petit jury was called this term of court. All criminal cases had pleaded before the judge. No civil cases required a jury.

Howard Clifton Golman and Leonard Stanley Rust were indicted on theft charges of theft of a suitcase with \$82.20 worth of clothing in it from a car parked at the Huff Truck Stop on the night of February 3 this year. The two boys are in the pen now, but will be brought back here on a bench warrant for trial this term of court.

Harry S. Collins, 42, was indicted on a burglary charge of breaking in to the Church of Christ on February 24. He made away with a pair of baptizing pants belonging to W.O. Batten minister. He was given a 3 year paroled sentence by the judge.

In civil cases Monday, Judge Sutton dismissed the case of M. C. Mitchell vs. the State National Bank of Big Spring due to lack of action by plaintiff. Divorce was granted to Joan Tweedle from Jack Tweedle. Lorene Cook Mitchell was granted a divorce from M. C. Mitchell and a property settlement was approved by the court. Anna Lee Johnson was awarded a divorce from Tommie Johnson and custody of minor child and \$25 a month child support. Josue Longoria was granted a divorce from Concepcion Longoria. The case of Smoky Garms vs. Marvella Garms was continued to next term of court.

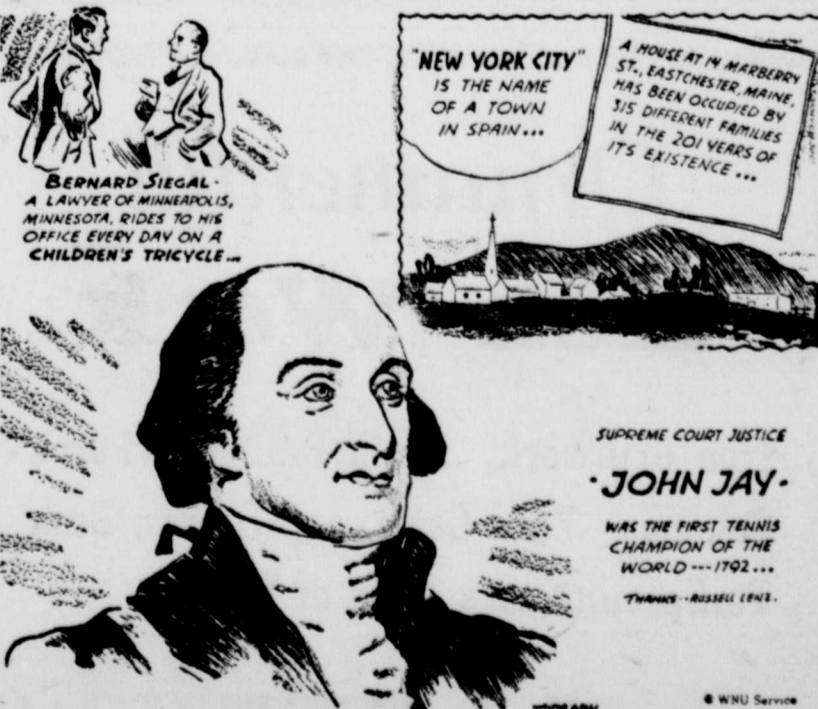
A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Gaston in a San Angelo hospital Tuesday about one o'clock in the afternoon. Clifford works on F. S. Price's Bob's Creek Ranch west of Sterling City.

## THE AMERICAN WAY



Lefty Needs Glasses

## But It's True



The first known tennis championship was held at Richmond, Va., with seven entrants. Mr. Siegal believes that the use of the tricycle gives him just the right kind of exercise. His home is two miles from his office.

### Molasses - The Spring Tonic



By BETTY BARCLAY

*M stands for March  
The month of winds and rain,  
When winter goes away  
And spring comes back again!*

M also stands for Molasses, the spring tonic our grandmothers used to administer. We moderns don't use molasses in quite that same way; but it is still a favorite ingredient in many of our popular recipes.

Do you remember Grandmother's cookie jar filled with old-fashioned molasses cookies? Here is a new version - quite as sure of a welcome with this generation!

#### Molasses Cookies

- 3 cups sifted flour
- 1/2 teaspoon double-acting baking powder
- 1 teaspoon soda
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1 1/2 teaspoons ginger
- 1/2 cup shortening
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1 egg
- 1/2 cup molasses
- 1 1/2 tablespoons vinegar
- 2 tablespoons milk
- 1 cup raisin bran

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder, soda, salt, and spices, and sift again. Cream shortening, add sugar gradually, and cream together until light and fluffy. Add egg and beat well. Add molasses and vinegar; mix thoroughly. Add flour mixture, alternately with milk, mixing well after each addition. Add bran and blend. Drop from teaspoon on greased baking sheet. Bake in hot oven (400° F.) 8 minutes, or until done. Makes 5 dozen cookies.

Note: For softer cookie, store with slice of bread in covered container.

And did your grandmother make hot muffins like these with molasses?

#### Molasses Muffins

- 3/4 cup sifted flour
- 2 1/2 teaspoons double-acting baking powder
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 cup molasses
- 1 egg, well beaten
- 2/3 cup milk
- 3 tablespoons melted shortening
- 1 1/2 cups 40% bran flakes

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder, and salt, and sift again. Combine egg, milk, and molasses. Add to flour mixture, add shortening, then mix only enough to dampen flour. Fold in flakes. Fill greased muffin pans 1/2 full. Bake in hot oven (425° F.) 15 to 20 minutes. Makes 8 muffins.

These muffins may be prepared at night and baked the next morning. Prepare muffin batter as directed and turn into greased muffin pans. Wrap pans in dampened cheese cloth, then in waxed paper, and store overnight in refrigerator. Remove pans the next morning and let stand about 15 minutes, or while oven is heating. Bake as directed.

#### Grape-Nuts Baked Custard

- 2 eggs, slightly beaten
- 2 tablespoons sugar
- 2 tablespoons molasses
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 2 cups milk, scalded
- 1/2 teaspoon vanilla
- 1/2 cup Grape-Nuts

Combine eggs, sugar, molasses, and salt. Add milk gradually, mixing thoroughly; then add vanilla. Put about 1 tablespoon Grape-Nuts in each custard cup; fill with custard mixture. Place cups in pan of hot water. Bake in slow oven (325° F.) 40 to 45 minutes, or until knife inserted comes out clean.

This may be baked in greased baking dish. Sprinkle Grape-Nuts in bottom of dish and add custard mixture. Place in pan of hot water and bake in slow oven (325° F.) about 1 hour. Serve plain or with cream or sweetened crushed fruit. Makes 5 servings.

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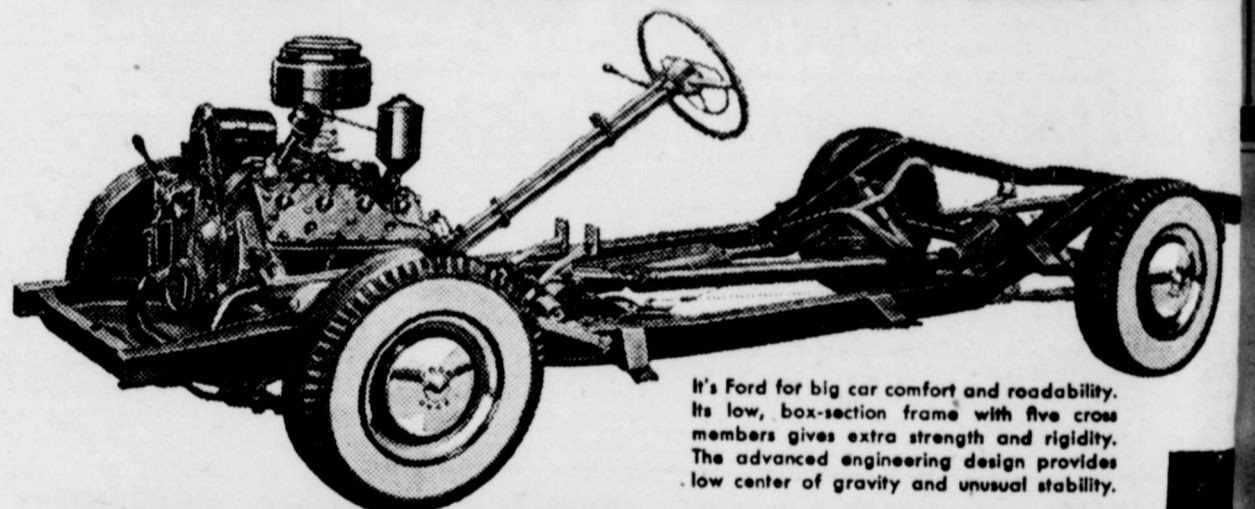
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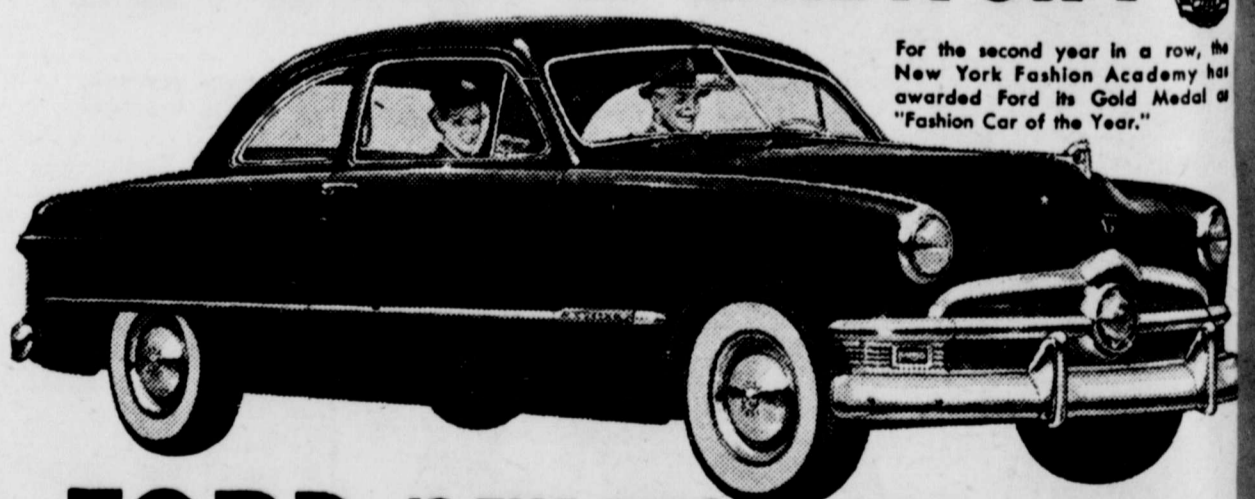
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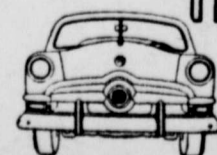
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**"Covering the County"**

By Carlyn Hoffman, Co. Agent.

Dayton Barrett and Bill Brooks reported that they received about a half inch rain last Sunday afternoon. Although it fell fairly fast, most of it went into the ground, they said. The southern part of Sterling County could get a lot of rain and still not catch up with the rest of Sterling County in rainfall. Sunday's shower was rather narrow and traveled in a northeasterly direction. Sterling City received only a light sprinkle.

The grain farmers are pretty well pleased by all the moisture as they now believe the ir oats could make a little crop. Small grain that was killed dead before the rain is

green and looking much better.

Ninety eight entries participated in the horse show Saturday. This was the largest number of entries in the history of the show. Ed Heller stated that the quality of horses shown Saturday exceeded any small show he had ever attended and was equal to larger shows. He also stated that some of the placings were mighty close. The show officials reported that the turnout was the largest yet. Most all who attended were well pleased with Sterling City's hospitality.

Anyway, four horse men can be proud of themselves for keeping five of the nine trophies which were awarded in the county. Foster Sims Price's Reed McCue was Grand Champion Quarterhorse stallion. He received the American

Quarterhorse Association trophy and the memorial trophy awarded by Mrs. Gleen Mayes of Garden City. Foster Conger's Nettie B. won grand champion quarterhorse mare, also a trophy given by the American Quarterhorse Association. Billy Ralph Bynum's T.F. was named champion gelding. Pete Honson's Red River, a thoroughbred stallion, was proclaimed the grand champion of his class. All these horses had stiff competition.

Two of these trophies were awarded by Chase Holland and W. P. Barnes of San Angelo. The public address system for the show was supplied by Si Phillips of the West Texas Utilities Company. Many people over the area are acquainted with Si, who is the agricultural representative for the

West Texas Utilities Company.

Miss Sadie Hatfield, landscape gardening specialist of A&M college, gives a hint to the garden and flower grower. She calls it a special drink for plants that are coming up or ones that have been transplanted, and it gets them off to a good start. To make the special drink, mix thoroughly 1 pound of 4-12-4 or 5-10-5 commercial fertilizer in 5 gallons of water. One cupful is plenty for each watering and should be applied at ten day intervals. This solution is good for most all plants. This kind of solution has two advantages; it soaks into the ground immediately and becomes available to the plants, and no cultivation is required for the application.

Several cases of screw-worms have been reported in the county. The screw-worm infestation will probably be heavy this summer as a recent survey reports that the fly was found to survive the winter 300 miles further north and 150 and 200 miles farther northwest and northeast than during any winter since 1943.

The flies have been found in 134 Texas counties, and previously flies have survived in less than 30 counties. Moisture conditions determine the fly population a great deal. To

stage off a heavy infestation of flies, spraying of stock should be done and wounds should be dressed with a smear of your choice. Smear 62 is the old stand-by, but other smears have proven effective. A smear is a surgical dressing as well as a worm killer and is good insurance against screw-worm infestations.

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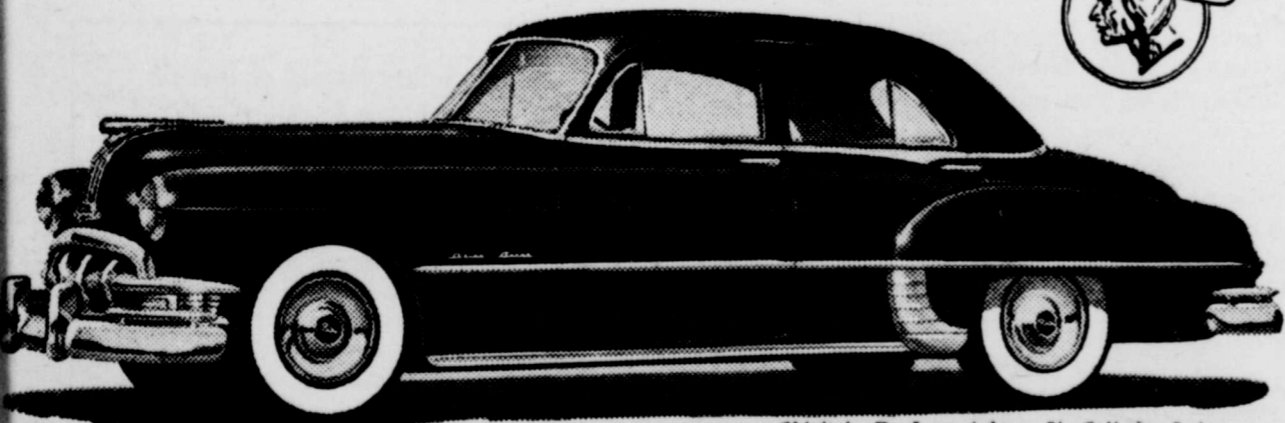
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**CUB SCOUTS TO HAVE BIG BALL GAME AND BARBECUE SATURDAY**

Cubmaster Claude Raney announced this week that the Cub Scouts will have a soft ball game with the San Angelo Cubs at 2:30 Saturday afternoon here. Following the softball game, there will be a barbecue in the city park for the visiting Cubs, parents, local Cubs, parents, and interested citizens. The American Legion is preparing the barbecue for the event, said Raney. Jeff Davis is making a barrel of lemonade for the affair, and the Den Mothers and Scouters are helping prepare the trimmings. Cubmaster Joe Funk of the San Angelo group plans to bring 21 of his Cubs, and they will be accompanied by parents and friends. Raney said everyone interested was invited to attend the affair.

**8th GRADE CLUB REPORT FOR APRIL 21, 1950**

The club was called to order by the president. The secretary read the minutes. The new business was to plan a graduation exercise. The club was served by Hal Knight, Jr., Earl Blair and Madell Benningfield. The 8th grade presented to the grade school two one-act plays on April 26. They were "The Freeing of Grandpa" and "Dooley and the Amateur Hour." Reporter Glenn Weimer.

**Palace Theater**

Fri., Sat., April 28-29  
**DOUBLE FEATURE**  
**"In This Corner"**  
Scott Brady, Anabel Shaw  
**"Western"**

Sun., Mon., Tues., April 30, May 1-2  
**"Intruders in the Dust"**  
Claude Garman, Jr.

Wed., Thurs., May 3-4  
**"She Wore a Yellow Ribbon"**  
John Wayne, Joanna Dru

Fri., Sat., May 5-6  
**Man Eater From Kumaon**  
Sabu, Jonaae Page  
**"Check Your Guns"**  
Eddie Dean



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Relatives of Mrs. Milton Gibson gathered here for a family get-together last week. Among those attending were her father and her mother, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Green of Lubbock, two sisters, Mrs. Frank Barnes and family, and Mrs. Homer Dodds and family all of Lubbock; two uncles, Will Whitley of Oceanside, Calif. and Tom Whitley of Merced, Calif., two aunts, Mrs. Maggie Gibson of Houston, and Mrs. R. L. Crick of Hereford; a son, W. L. Barnes of Odessa, and a cousin, Hiler Farris of San Angelo.

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Set out 2 or 3 custard cups. Warm milk slowly, stirring constantly. Test a drop on inside of wrist frequently. When COMFORTABLY WARM, (110° F.) not hot, remove at once from heat. Stir rennet powder into milk quickly until dissolved—*not over one minute*. Pour at once, while still liquid, into individual dessert glasses. Do not move until set—about 10 minutes. Then chill in refrigerator. Serve with a topping of strained, chopped, or sliced fruit.

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**Feather-bedding scheme of Firemen's Union to put an additional fireman on diesel locomotives has been**

**CONSIDERED TWICE!**

**Fact Finding Boards appointed by Presidents Roosevelt and Truman have said these demands were "devoid of merit" and they were**

**REJECTED TWICE!**

**Now the Firemen's leaders seek to paralyze railroad transportation to compel the railroads to employ a wholly unnecessary additional fireman to ride on diesel locomotives. This scheme is plain**

**FEATHER-BEDDING!**

LEADERS of the Firemen's union have called a nationwide strike starting with four great railroads on April 26. These railroads are the New York Central, Pennsylvania, Santa Fe, and Southern.

The union claim that a second fireman is needed on grounds of safety is sheer hypocrisy. Safety has been dragged into this dispute only in an unsuccessful effort to give a cloak of respectability to vicious feather-bedding demands.

After a careful study of the first demands of this union, a Presidential Fact Finding Board on May 21, 1943, reported to President Roosevelt that there was no need for an extra fireman on diesel locomotives.

Again, on September 19, 1949, after a second hearing on the union leaders' demands, a second Board reported to President Truman that: "there presently exists no need for an additional fireman... upon either the ground of safety or that of efficiency and economy of operation."

Safety Record of Diesels is Outstandingly Good

Although the railroads accepted the Board findings, the union leaders have brazenly rejected them. They represent that an

extra fireman is needed for "safety" reasons. Here's what the Board had to say on that point:

"The safety and on-time performance of diesel electric locomotives operated under current rules have been notably good . . .

"Upon careful analysis of the data submitted on safety, we have concluded that no valid reasons have been shown as a support for the Brotherhood proposal under which a fireman would be required to be at all times continuously in the cab of road diesels. The proposal must be rejected."

The real reason behind these demands is that the union leaders are trying to make jobs where there is no work. In other words, a plain case of "feather-bedding."

The railroads have no intention of yielding to these wasteful make-work demands.

**"The Safety Record of Diesels is Outstandingly Good . . ."**

PRESIDENTIAL FACT FINDING BOARD REPORT  
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"The safety and on-time performance of Diesel-electric locomotives operated under current rules indicate that Diesel-electric operation has been safer than steam locomotive operation . . ."

Remember! These are not statements of the railroads. They are just a few of the many similar conclusions reached by President Truman's Fact Finding Board which spent months investigating the claims of the union leaders.



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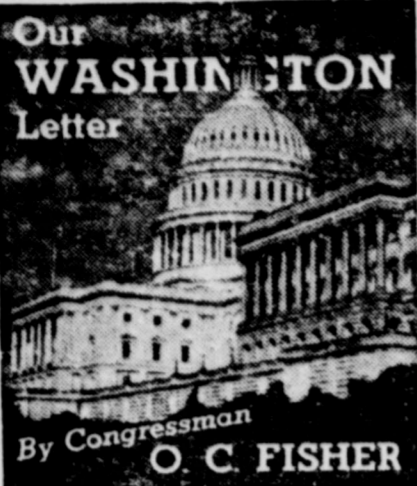
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Tidelands got back on the front pages last week when a House Committee reported a bill. It would confirm the title of Texas and other coastal states to the mineral rights under the immediate coastal areas. The House will probably get a chance to vote on the issue again before this session ends this summer.

On two occasions in the past the House has overwhelmingly favored bills confirming title to the tidelands in the respective states. The first bill passed by the House was adopted by the Senate, too, but was vetoed by President Truman. We didn't have enough votes to override. Then two years ago the House repeated, but the bill did not get to a vote in the Senate. Now, for the third time, it looks like the House will get another whack a tit.

Actually, this effort is but a gesture and expression because there are none who believe the President would sign a bill if we passed one and very few think there would be anything like enough votes to override a veto. In fact, the State's righters on tidelands had more friends in the 80th Congress than in this one. Only 29 voted against the tidelands bill then but there will be considerably more when a vote is taken this year by the 81st Congress.

In the meantime, action is pending before the Supreme Court on the issue, the Federal government having filed suit against Texas, claiming title to all minerals under all coastal submerged lands. If Uncle Sam should prevail in this claim, the school children of Texas would lose an estimated \$1 billion in present and potential wealth. Under Texas laws, the income from these tidelands goes into the school fund.

Texas claims it has a special right to its tidelands under the terms of the annexation agreement. Here, briefly, is the basis for this contention:

Texas was an independent nation from 1836 to 1845. As such it fixed its boundaries three leagues from shore in the Gulf of Mexico. With those boundaries defined, as done by the Texas congress in 1836, the United States and other nations recognized Texas as an independent republic.

In fact, the United States specifically recognized our boundaries in the Treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo, the Gadsden Purchase, and the International Boundary Agreement with Mexico.

And then when we entered the Union in 1845, Texas made it a

point to keep these boundaries just as they had been established. At least we have a contract to that effect in our Annexation Agreement. Only a year before, Texas had been so anxious to become a part of the Union that it offered all the school land and agreed to convey to the United States all its unsold lands if the United States would take us in and assume the \$10 million debt of the Republic, the Texas State Teachers Association has pointed out.

A treaty to that effect was actually signed, but it was defeated by the U. S. Senate. If it had passed we would have flimsy claim to our tidelands today. Then, the following year the U. S. Congress passed a resolution offering Texas annexation if it would pay its own debts and keep its lands. That was an offer, and the Texas congress accepted. Texas proceeded to adopt a new constitution which provided that titles to all lands should remain the same after annexation as they existed under the Republic. This constitution was approved by the United States Congress.

Today our property rights, thus acquired and long recognized, are being challenged by the Federal government.

**SCRAP IRON TO MEXICO**

A number of people have from time to time asked me about the ultimate destination of the scrap iron that during the past year or so has been shipped in considerable volume into Mexico. I have been assured very little if any of it would get out of our neighboring country. Recently I requested a report on this from the Secretary of Commerce. In his answer he reports:

Only limited amounts have been allotted for such export. Thus far this year approval has been given for the shipment of 53,454 short tons of iron and steel scrap to Mexico. Of this, 40,000 tons are going to the various steel mills in northern Mexico and 8,000 tons to American-owned operations down there. The remaining 5,000 tons go to various consignees approved by the Department of Commerce.

"It should be noted", the report continues, "that Mexico is traditionally an importer of American ferrous scrap, upon which it is largely dependent to make up its chronic deficiency between consumption and domestic supply. The possibility of re-export of US scrap is therefore very small."

**NEWS-RECORD'S POLITICAL Announcement Column**

The following candidates announce for office, election to be subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, Saturday, July 24:

- For Sheriff, Tax-Assessor-Collector:** R. H. EMERY (Reelection)
- For County Treasurer:** O. M. COLE (Reelection)
- MRS. SALLIE WALLACE**
- For County Judge:** G. C. MURRELL (Reelection)
- For County and District Clerk:** WILL DURHAM (Reelection)
- For County Commissioner, Prec. 3:** JOHN COPELAND, JR.
- For State Senator, 25th District:** DORSEY B. HARDEMAN (Reelection.)



**Cement Shingle Tabs**

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