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Working Against Scabies Outbreak

Funds to fight sheep scabies were sought in Austin Monday by officials of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association.

They met with legislators and members of the Livestock Sanitary Commission. They are asking for an appropriation of about \$100,000 to employ additional inspectors and to provide travelling funds for them.

Penrose Metcalf of San Angelo, vice-president of the association, said that sheep scabies was once eradicated in Texas but is now showing up again. He said it was important to stamp it out before it gets a new foothold.

Among those at the conference were Frank Roddie of Brady, Fred Earwood of Sonora, Ernest Williams of San Angelo, Steve Stumberg of Alpine, J. T. Davis of Sterling City, Jimmy Maddox of Maryneal, and Price Maddox of Colorado City.

Bank Deposits Down

Bank deposits at the First National Bank here on April 9 were \$2,643,709.69 compared with \$3,303,933.15 on December 30 last.

Loans and discounts on April 9 were \$548,757.59 compared with \$442,864.50 on Dec. 30.

This decrease of bank deposits on April 9 was general all over West Texas as a whole. Factors rated as the cause seem to be the drouth, income tax payments and the fact that ranchmen's products are such as do not have a first of the year heavy income.

Oil Driller Killed in Car Crash Near Here

William Jackson Thibodeaux, 27 year-old driller, was killed almost instantly shortly after 4 o'clock last Friday afternoon when the car he was driving had a blowout and overturned seven miles west of here.

Thibodeaux, whose home was in San Angelo, was flung from the car and his body mangled. His body was about 25 yards from the car. Lowe's ambulance carried the body to the Nalley Funeral Home in Big Spring. Thibodeaux is survived by the widow and a nine month's old child.

Mrs. Earl Campbell went to Plainview this week to be with her daughter, Mrs. K. J. Montgomery, who underwent an appendectomy. Mrs. Montgomery is recovering nicely, it was reported.

Leonard Newmans, employee of the West Texas Utilities Co. here the past several months, has quit and moved to Florida.

FISHING WORMS for sale at—Lowe Hardware & Furniture Co.

Lions Club Luncheon

Ronald and Evelyn Smith sang for members of the Lions Club at the regular luncheon Wednesday at the community center. John Prude of Alpine, who happened in as a guest, sang his favorite western song "Strawberry Roan" at the request of members.

John Robbins of San Angelo was also a guest.

Lion G. C. Murrell reported on the clean-up drive. He said Mr. Guest added 22 new subscribers to his old list of 43 making a total of 65 people now having their trash hauled off regularly.

"Covering the County"

By Garlyn Hoffman, Co. Agent.

Those who saw John I Moore's African hunting movies last Friday REALLY enjoyed them. The only trouble was that we wanted to see more. Mr. Moore showed two reels of his film, and has another reel which time did not permit him to show. He gave a commentary as he showed the pictures, telling of his trip going over the channels through which hunting licenses and other supplies must be procured, and other interesting details. The actual cost of the trip, including bringing back the trophies to the United States, was \$3,796. This included the hunting car, guides, food, hunters, airplane trip, hotel bills, and hunting licenses.

These pictures were not Hollywood style pictures as they were taken from the hunting car and of the animals just as they exist in the wild state. The only close-up animal pictures were those that Mr. Moore killed. He brought back about twenty-six animal trophies from Africa. The animals he killed included lion, gazelle, several species of antelope, zebra, hippopotamus, rhinoceros, and others, such as the giraffe.

Bird life, he said, was very abundant, and many shots were of bird life as it exists in the wild state. He said the animals were in droves of thousands. He hunted in a 10,000 square mile area, and when they were hunting they were never out of sight of wild life.

Cold drinks were served during the changing of reels, and these drinks were donated by Alvin Lawson, C. C. Ainsworth, Riley King, H. A. Chapple, William Foster, Boots Williams and Finis Westbrook.

The new beef cattle grades were explained and demonstrated at the San Angelo auction barn Wednesday by the Extension Service specialists and Government graders. These new grades were set up so as to get everyone to buying and classifying cattle on the same basis. The grades benefit both the producer and the buyer. New grades are: Prime, finest finished animals, generally young; Choice, highly

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DISTRICT COURT OPENS HERE MONDAY

District Court will open here on Monday morning at 10 o'clock with the convening of the grand jury. There are several cases for the grand jurors to look into, including theft, rape, drunk driving, etc.

John F. Sutton is district judge and Ralph Logan is district attorney.

Grand jurors summoned are as follows:

George Case
Finis Westbrook
Jim Hinshaw
E. L. Bailey
M. E. Churchill
Charley Drennan
Douglas Farnsworth
Rufus W. Foster
Jake Martin
C. T. Williams
Riley King
Charley Speck
L. C. McDonald
Cecil Long
Thomas E. Matlock
Ralph Bynum

A number of petit jurors are being summoned by sheriff Emery for Monday morning, April 30.

Evans-Snead Wedding Last Saturday

A double-ring ceremony united in marriage Miss Jo Evans of Mertzon and Joe L. Snead, Jr., of Sterling City Saturday evening in the First Christian Church of Mertzon.

The Rev. Arthur Grimes, pastor, performed the ceremony at 7 o'clock. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Evans of Mertzon. The bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Snead, Sr. of Sterling City.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a dress of white lace over taffeta. She carried an orchid on a white Bible.

Miss Margaret Evans of Mertzon, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Her dress of blue lace over taffeta was designed identically to her sister's gown. She carried a pink colonial bouquet.

Capt. Otho M. Eakin of Cauley Field, Waco, served as best man.

The church was decorated with white gladioli and tapers in candelabra. Miss Lou Ann Deal, organist, and Miss Joyce Shafer, soloist, played nuptial selections.

The reception was held in the church reception room. Blue carnations decorated the table, where Mrs. Elmar Rogers, Big Lake, sister of the bride, presided at the punch bowl. Mrs. Gordon Moore of Dallas, sister of the bride, was at the three-tiered cake which was topped with a miniature sailor and bride. Mrs. Otis L. Taylor, Lubbock, sister of the bridegroom, registered guests.

For a wedding trip, the bride wore a navy suit with matching accessories. The couple will reside in Memphis, Tenn., where the bridegroom is stationed as airman apprentice in the U.S. Navy at an electrician-electronics school.

Out-of-town guests for the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Snead, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Donalson and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barbee of Sterling City; Robert Johnson, Mrs. Otis Davis and son, Michael, and Miss Shirley White, Lubbock; W. L. Adams, Miss Winona Adams, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Witherspoon, Mrs. Don Witherspoon, and Miss Ruby LeGros, Roscoe. Capt. and Mrs. O. M. Eakin and daughter, Waco; Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Bankhead, and Mr. and Mrs. Erskin Barlow, Longview.

Also Mrs. T. D. Snead, Stanton; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Rose, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Evans and Donald, Mrs. Bessie Carruthers, Miss Betty Moore, Miss Bunny Bradford, and Mrs. Everett Low, San Angelo. Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Rogers and Steward Earl, Big Lake; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon S. Moore and Bob, Dallas; and Haltom Riddle, Weatherford.

Mrs. Raymond Vinson and her two children of Pasadena, Texas, returned to their home last Saturday following a two-week visit at Mrs. Vinson's mother, Mrs. Agnes Cole. Mr. Vinson came after them at the conclusion of their visit. Mrs. Cole's son, Buddy, sophomore in Hardin-Simmons University, was home last week-end.

Mrs. Val Melvin, manager of the Sterling County hospital, will attend the State Hospital Association meeting in San Antonio next week.

Mrs. Lester Foster Heads Hospital Auxiliary

Mrs. Lester Foster was elected president of the newly organized Women's Hospital Auxiliary in a meeting held Wednesday, April 18. The group of Sterling County women met at the community center with Mrs. Val Melvin, who discussed the purpose of organizing the auxiliary and suggested rules and by-laws.

Other officers of the new organization include Mrs. Roy Foster, vice-president; Mrs. Trinton Revell, secretary; and Mrs. Martin Reed, treasurer. A committee to study rules and by-laws to be adopted at the next meeting was appointed. Members of this committee are Mrs. Bill Reed, Mrs. Templeton Foster, and Mrs. Garlyn Hoffman.

Regular meetings will be held the first Thursday of every month at 5:00 p.m. At the next meeting plans will be made for open house for the new hospital.

Anyone interested in helping with voluntary hospital work is welcome to become a member of the auxiliary. Those attending the meeting Wednesday included Mmes. Bill Reed, Roy Foster, Mud Allen, Harry Lawson, Templeton Foster, Irene Lane, D. C. Durham, Nick Reed, Fowler McEntire, Boots Williams, Earl Bailey, W. J. Swann, Sterling Foster, Levi Martin, Harold Emery, M. K. Smith, Fred Allen, Forrest Foster, Martin Reed, Horace Donalson, Ross Foster, L.F. Wallace, Garlyn Hoffman, Trinton Revell, Neal J. Reed, and Miss Bonnie Ruth King.

Funeral services will be held from the First Baptist Church here at 10 a.m. Saturday morning, with burial following in the Montvale Cemetery. Lowe Funeral Home of Sterling City and the Eberley Funeral Home of Big Spring will be in charge of arrangements.

Boy Scouts Have An Overnight Hike

Scoutmaster Kack Cole took his Troop 12 boys on a Scout overnight hike on his ranch last Friday and Saturday. Other Scouters accompanying the group were Forrest Foster, committeeman chairman, Chesley McDonald, Legion Scout executive.

A number of the boys passed tests, including tracking, cooking, map-sketching, measuring, camp-making, hiking, and following maps made by the Scoutmaster to a gunpoint.

Boys on the hike included—Leslie Cole, Buffalo Patrol Leader

Wilbur Stone, Flying Eagle Patrol Leader
Kent Greathouse
David Boatright
Jim Davis
Melvin Foster
L. J. Brown
Jackie Cole
Alfred Chapple, mascot of Buffalo patrol
W. G. Fincher
Marvin Foster
Jimmie D. McWhorter
Jackie Don Harris
George Thompson
Buddy Brown
John Thompson
Wayne Drennan
Allen Campbell
Steve McEntire

Mims C. Reed, Senior Patrol Leader
Robert Harris, Senior Patrol Leader
Larry Glass, Junior Assistant Scoutmaster

Curry-Adams Wedding Told

Announcement has been made of the recent marriage of Miss Barbara Curry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Curry of Sterling City, and James Collier Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adams of San Angelo.

The bride is a graduate of San Angelo High School and the bridegroom was graduated from New Mexico Military Institute at Roswell.

Both are now attending Texas Technological College, Lubbock, where the bride is a freshman and Mr. Adams is a sophomore. They are living at 1617 Ave N.

Return From Visit
Mrs. Lura McClellan and Mrs. Minta Phillips of Sterling and Miss Marie Phillips and Frances Lewis of San Angelo returned Monday from a trip that took them to El Paso, Juarez, Ruidoso White Sands and other points of interest in that section. In El Paso they visited Mrs. Eddie Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Brown and Miss Evelyn Vernon.



MRS. SUSIE PEMBERTON BUGG
Mrs. J. H. Bugg Dies; Funeral Saturday Morn

Mrs. J. H. (Susie Pemberton) Bugg, resident of Sterling County for sixty-six years, died at her home here Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. Death followed an illness of several years. She had been seriously ill for the past two weeks.

Funeral services will be held from the First Baptist Church here at 10 a.m. Saturday morning, with burial following in the Montvale Cemetery. Lowe Funeral Home of Sterling City and the Eberley Funeral Home of Big Spring will be in charge of arrangements.

The Rev. C. D. McEntire, pastor of the First Baptist Church will be in charge of the services, and he is to be assisted by several of the other local pastors of Sterling City.

Grandsons of Mrs. Bugg will act as pallbearers. Mrs. Bugg, ill for some time was attended by her two daughters, Mrs. Laura Green of Washington and Mrs. Ella Ligon of Sterling City through her last years. Dr. Wm. J. Swann had been attendant physician and she had received all the love and care that her family could give and provide in her declining years.

Mrs. Bugg was born August 10, 1863 in Clinton, Kentucky and was married to James H. Bugg in 1875. They moved to Texas in 1885 and she had been a resident of Sterling County for sixty-six years, Mr. Bugg having died April 1, 1931.

The couple had eight children, four boys and four girls, six of whom are now living and were present at the time of her death.

The children are: A. H. and L.L. Bugg of Tucumcari, New Mexico, Mrs. Ella Ligon, Sterling City, Texas, Mrs. Laura Green of Puyallup, Washington, Mrs. Vera Lee of Big Spring, Texas and John J. Bugg of Florence, Arizona.

At the time of her death, Mrs. Bugg had thirty-seven grandchildren, fifty-three great-grandchildren, and seven great-great-grandchildren.

On August 10, last year, the occasion of Mrs. Bugg's 97th birthday, her children and grandchildren gathered at her home for a family reunion and birthday celebration, honoring Mrs. Bugg.

Notice, Veterans

Your Armed Forces Leave Bonds given you by the government when such bonds were distributed, are now mature and will draw no more interest. The bonds have been maturing the past three years, pointed out Hal Knight, cashier of the First National Bank.

Also Knight pointed out that all bonds A through D have matured and draw no more interest. They are the defense bonds bought before 1941 and called baby bonds.

The U. S. Treasury has put into effect. Retention or holding of your maturing E bonds will continue to bear interest. In fact, they will draw the same rate of interest if held for another ten years (after maturing) as the first ten years. The rate amounts to 2.90% compound interest for the second ten years.

School Board Organized

The Sterling School Board met on Monday of last week and organized for the year. Hal Knight was renamed president. Foster S. Price was elected vice-president and Worth B. Durham is the new secretary.

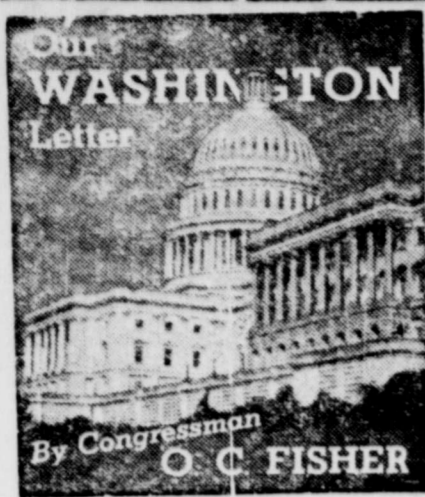
Old Mexico Fishing Trip

R. P. Brown of Sterling City, D. L. Slaton of San Angelo and Dr. Carl Slaton of Marfa, spent last week-end fishing on the Rio Concho in old Mexico. They enjoyed their trip and observations of life in old Mexico—but no fish.

THE AMERICAN WAY



A Punishment Long Overdue



FINAL DEBATE AND PASSAGE of a draft-UMT bill by the House last week was overshadowed by President Truman's removal of General MacArthur from his command posts in the Far East. Not since the Soviet-directed Communists invaded South Korea last May has the capital been so stirred. After all, here was a case of one of the great soldiers in American history ending his career in dismissal from high office. And many felt that but for the foreign policy bungling the incident could have been averted.

Congressional mail doubled immediately. Telegrams by the thousands come to Congressmen, mostly protesting the replacement of the Pacific hero. One Texas Congressman said he received 1500 telegrams in two days. I received 26 telegrams with 57 signers; 15 letters and one petition signed by 40 people. Suggestions of impeachment flooded the capital. Others pointed out, however, that our Constitution does not permit impeachment of a President for exercising a legal right. Article II, Section 4, of the Constitution states: "The President Vice-President and all civil officers of the United States shall be removed from office on impeachment for a conviction of treason, bribery, or other high crimes and misdemeanors."

Transcending the immediate issues between the President and the General, there is the fundamental principle of the superiority of civilian over military control. In certain South American countries a Commanding General is often above civil control. But under our constitutional system the military is made subservient to civilian authority. Our Constitution says that policy under our system may be wise or unwise; but the Constitution puts the making of policy in the civilian hands of the Chief Ex-

ecutive, whoever he may be

At the end of the war President Truman, exercising his constitutional authority, appointed General MacArthur Supreme Commander over the islands of Japan; in 1951, exercising the same authority, he replaced him with General Ridgeway.

General MacArthur has served with great distinction in the Pacific. There he has performed for the United States, the United Nations and for the Allied Far Eastern Command. He has enjoyed almost complete authority in the main islands of Japan itself. In this triple capacity, he has been under many handicaps. He has been subjected to vague directives from Lake Success. And there have been unparaling criticisms, particularly in Europe, which have often followed his efforts to take this directives of face value. He has been faced with the special problem in the "privileged sanctuary" of Manchuria. Certainly all of these factors have tended to cause the General to act more and more on his own initiative.

I personally share the view that we should encourage and support Chiang Kai-shek in his fight against the Chinese Communists. Above all, he needs equipment, guns and planes. And General MacArthur in his command in Korea has, of course, suffered from the UN prohibition against bombing the aggressor's supply dumps and lines inside Manchuria. It is indeed a strange war when a Commanding General is thus handicapped.

General MacArthur has been annoyed at these policies, or lack of policies. And being a strong-minded individual, he frequently expressed his dissatisfaction publicly even though his views were apparently contrary to some of those of the President. The record now shows that on two occasions (Dec. 6 and March 24) the General was warned by the Joint Chiefs of Staff that no further statements should be issued by military commanders in the field without first being cleared in Washington. Sub-

sequent statements by General MacArthur precipitated the President's action in replacing him.

IN ANY EVENT, we can only hope the resulting public appearance of the General before the Congress and Congressional committees, and his message to the American people, will help to clarify the issues involved and subject his firm convictions to the scrutiny and force of Congressional reaction and public opinion. If the removal should lead to appeasement of the enemies of freedom, then the consequences of the replacement, will of course, be tragic.

Certainly the present jubilation over MacArthur's dismissal on the part of some European nations which have distinguished themselves in the Korean effort by doing least is a little hard to take.

There is every indication that the successor—Lt. Gen. Matthew B. Ridgway—is a man of superb courage, of high character and genuine military genius.

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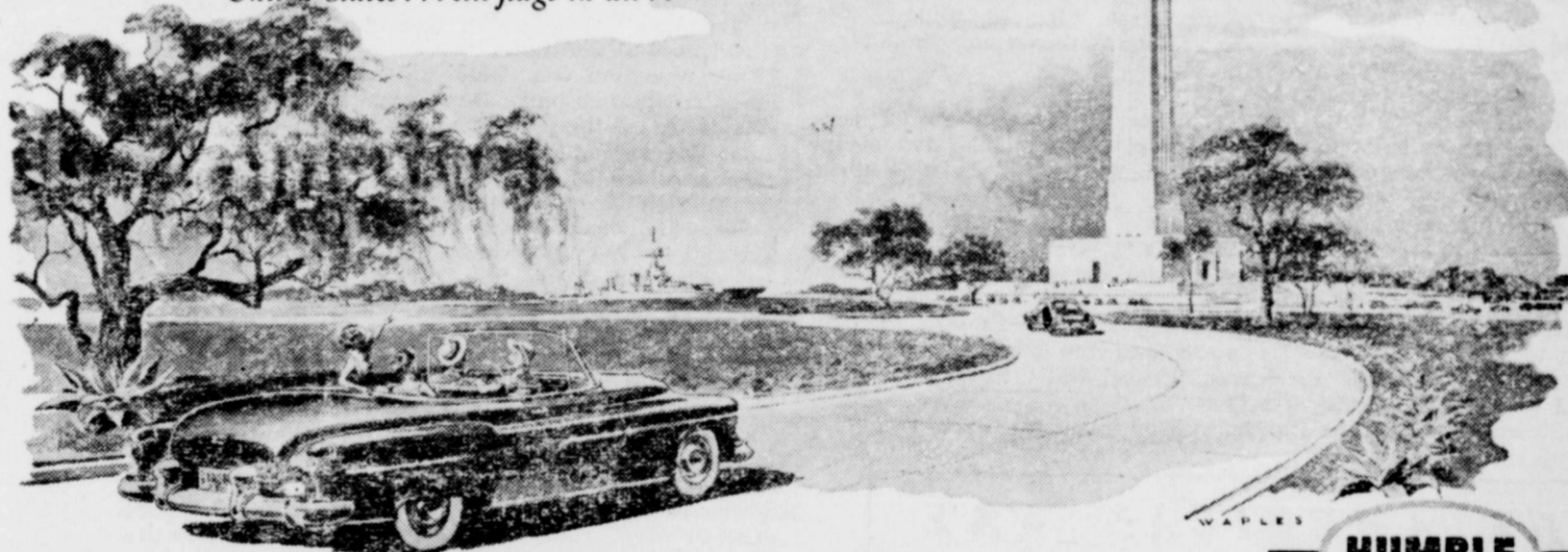
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THE CASE OF PAVLOV'S DOG
Editorial

A Russian scientist by the name of Pavlov (this was before the days of Communism) once made an interesting experiment with a dog. At intervals, when the dog was very hungry, he fed him. At the same time, Pavlov rang a bell.

By and by, instead of feeding the poor pooch, he just rang the bell alone. Then something almost unbelievable happened. The mouth of the hungry dog began watering at the sound of the bell, although no food was put before him.

Pavlov's famous experiment had established in the dog what scientists now call a "conditioned reflex". He had seen the food and heard the bell together so often that his mouth automatically watered at the sound.

As is well-known, scientists frequently perform experiments on dogs and then apply the lessons learned to the human race. The "conditioned reflex" is one of them.

In the United States since the depression, it seems as though we have been almost as thoroughly conditioned as Pavlov's dog. The fare which has so often been placed before us could be called "crisis" (we have had an unending series of them, haven't we?) The bell which has been rung so often when the crises were announced to us could be called "patriotism" (how many times have we been called upon to support the government in policies which we knew were wrong?)

We have not yet—at least, all of us haven't—been conditioned to such a point that we cannot help supporting the government automatically, as the Russian people have.

So whenever the government calls upon us to support another socialistic plan—such as the nationalization of portions of industry—under the guise of solving another "crisis" let us keep in mind the lesson of Pavlov's dog. Unlike the dog, we have the power of reason to fight the conditioned reflex.

HITS WASTEFUL FEDERAL SPENDING

Wasteful Federal spending for unessential non-defense purposes will lower American housing standards, unnecessarily, during the emergency, according to W. D. Farnsworth, local lumber and building material dealer and member of the Public Affair Committee of the National Retail Lumber Dealers Association.

"In the first place, the increased taxes collected to finance the excessive spending means that the public has that much less to spend on repairing and improving its homes," Mr. Farnsworth said.

"In addition, because the wasteful spending by the government adds to the inflationary pressure which has been forcing prices up, the government attempts to counteract that pressure by imposing unnecessarily harsh credit restrictions on new home purchases, thus preventing many families from acquiring a new home."

"It is true that shortages of some critical materials will require some reduction in housing construction during the emergency. But there, obviously, is no urgent need for a 40 per cent cutback in new homes, such as has been recommended by the Housing and Home Finance Agency, when production of automobiles and household appliances, which use critical materials almost exclusively, is being cut back considerably less.

"Adoption of conservation methods would enable the building industry to construct at least 80 per cent as many homes as were built last year with 30 to 40 per cent less critical material, if credit were not so rigidly restricted to offset the extravagant and unnecessary spending for non-military purposes in Washington."

John E. Robbins, Jr., commercial and traffic superintendent of the San Angelo Telephone Co. was up Wednesday on a tour of inspection and visitation with exchange officials here.

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ASSETS

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| Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection | 515,629.52 |
| United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed | 1,150,665.70 |
| Obligations of States and political subdivisions | 439,883.65 |
| Other bonds, notes and debentures | 250,187.50 |
| Corporate stocks (including \$7,500.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank) | 7,500.00 |
| Loans and discounts (including \$18,666.47 overdrafts) | 548,737.59 |
| Bank premises owned \$2,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$3,450.00 | 5,450.00 |
| Other assets | 1,450.22 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | 2,919,474.18 |

LIABILITIES

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| Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations | 2,489,223.42 |
| Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings) | 648.83 |
| Deposits of States and political subdivisions | 151,829.88 |
| Deposits of banks | 2,007.56 |
| TOTAL DEPOSITS | \$2,643,709.69 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES | 2,643,709.69 |

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

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|---|---------------------|
| Capital Stock: (c) Common stock, total par \$100,000.00 | 100,000.00 |
| Surplus | 150,000.00 |
| Undivided profits | 25,764.49 |
| TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS | 275,764.49 |
| Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts | 2,919,474.18 |

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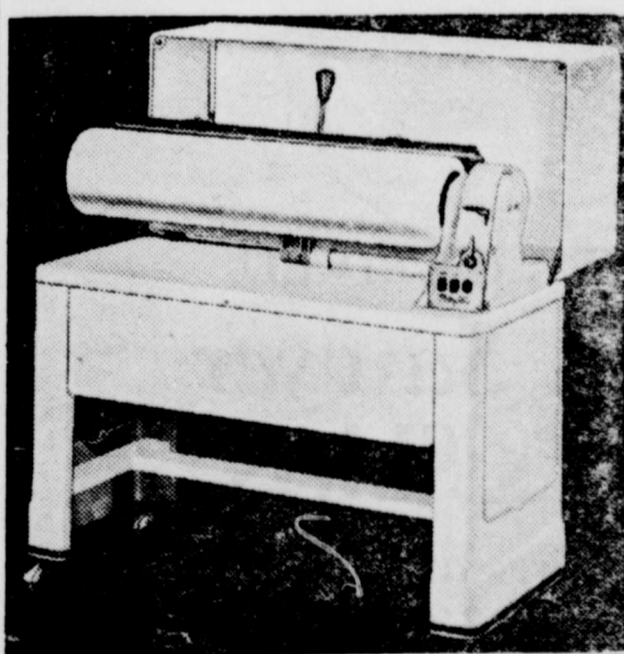
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COVERING THE COUNTY

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finished animals most fall into this grade; Good, a new grade including cattle previously on the top half of the medium grade; Commercial, remainder of the medium grade, includes lower quality younger animals and well-finished older steers and cows. Utility, mostly cows and young animals of poor quality; Cutter, animals producing beef used mostly for processing and Canner, animals also producing processing beef.

Some twenty-five animals were run through the ring, and everyone had a chance to classify the animals and compare his with the specialist classification. By no means are those who attended this schooling qualified cattle graders, but it was enlightening as to the new set up and should help ranchers understand how this new system is an improvement as well as how their own stock may sell.

Tommy Foster, Hubert Williams and Garlyn Hoffman attended from Sterling County.

There will be an important cotton meeting Friday night, April 27 at 8 o'clock in the Veteran's Workshop. Everyone who is planning to plant cotton is encouraged to attend this special meeting. Fifteen colored slides of cotton insects will be shown, with identification and control measures given.

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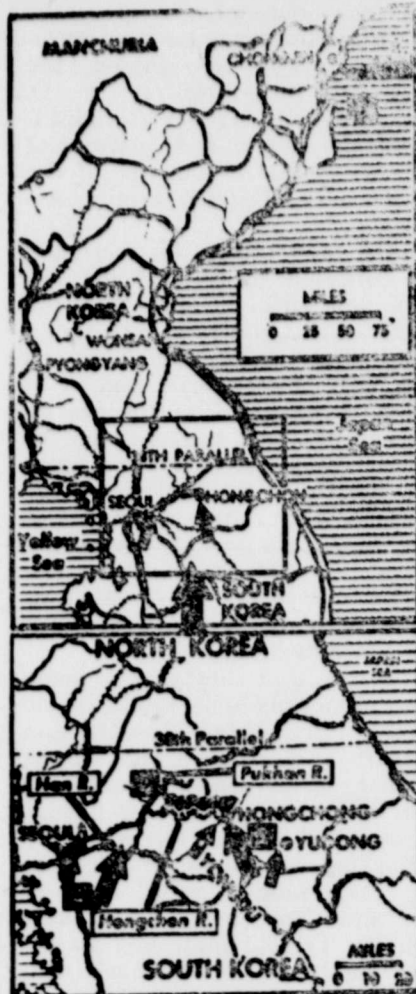
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Miss Jennie Hill Barry of College Station is here visiting her relative, Mrs. Henry Malloy.

FOR SALE or trade—Kitchen cabinet. See Link Brown.

FOR SALE—Good, gentle milk goat. Fresh 7th March. Gives four quarts daily. See John Phillips or phone 179.

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The battleship Missouri is back in Korean action with shelling of Chongjin (1), enemy supply port only 45 miles from Siberian border of North Korea. On the land front, U. S. assault teams stabbed into Hongchon (2) as other American forces beat off a Chinese counter-attack above Yodong. Broken line (3) indicates new Communist "holding" line. The U. S. 25th Division expanded its Han river bridgehead (large arrow, 4) as Red forces appeared to be withdrawing from the area. Reds were reinforcing Seoul vicinity; however, U. S. troops knifed into southern outskirts (small arrow).

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