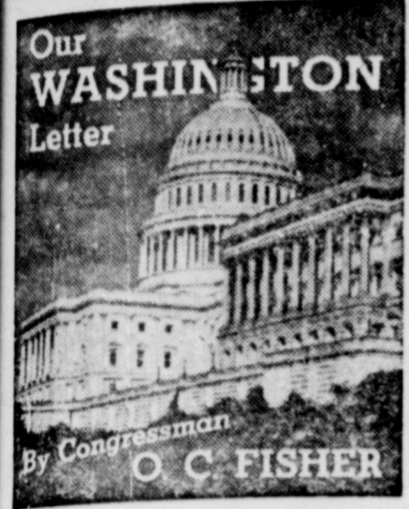


# STERLING CITY NEWS-RECORD

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**THE DROUTH SITUATION** in our area is worse now than it has ever been. From all over our district come reports of liquidation of herds, exhaustion of credit and difficulties in getting feed at prices people can afford to pay and stay in business.

Recently a number of us have been conferring with Department of Agriculture officials in an effort to get more adequate relief measures put into effect. This deals mainly with feed and credit.

**ON THE LOAN SIDE**, the Congress last year directed the Farmers Home Administration to make emergency loans to qualified disaster victims at 3% interest, with other types at 5%. In talks with Agriculture officials we have pleaded for longer term loan arrangements. We have been assured the Government will "lean over backward" in giving drouth victims ample time to try to work out payment.

Up to last January 1, our district alone had received \$9½ million in disaster loans. Topped by hard-hit Val Verde County, the total there was \$2½ million, with Uvalde next with loans totalling \$1.2 million. Figures up to June 31 will be available within a few days.

There is need for protein feed and for hay. The Government owns no protein feed to speak of and, of course, owns no hay. We are urging a protein program be worked out, however, by some sort of swap of feed the Government does own for the \$1 credit slips that are traded in as part of the feed price paid to feed dealers, if something better cannot be worked out.

There is talk of a possible hay program by this Fall, with possibly the Government buying the hay and shipping it into the drouth areas at cost, with the States and Uncle Sam sharing the freight cost.

**IN THE MEANTIME**, we are continuing to explore every possible means of stepping up emergency relief—and we are praying for rain.

## Ground Observer Corps Watches For July

The schedule for the Ground Observer Corps watches for the remainder of July is set up as follows:

(The first name mentioned has the hours of 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and the second name has the hours of 4 p.m. to 8 p.m.)

- 7-13 Milton Reed, W. D. Farnsworth
- 7-14 M. Churchill, Harry Lawson
- 7-15 Jack Douthit, Milton Reed
- 7-16 Jodie Emery, Henry aBuer
- 7-17 R.P. Brown, G.C. Murrell
- 7-18 W.O. Green, Mildred Emery
- 7-19 J. Stuckwish, Evelyn Steward
- 7-20 Anceel Reed, Jodie Emery
- 7-21 Harry Lawson, R. P. Brown
- 7-22 Rebecca Alexander, Jodie Emery
- 7-23 Evelyn Steward, J. Stuckwish
- 7-24 Henry Bauer, Harry Lawson
- 7-25 G.C. Murrell, Jack Douthit
- 7-26 D. Farnsworth, M. Churchill
- 7-27 Milton Reed, Anceel Reed
- 7-28 Mildred Emery, W. O. Green
- 7-29 R. P. Brown, Henry Bauer
- 7-30 Harry Lawson, Rebecca Alexander
- 7-31 Jodie Emery, Milton Reed

We still do not have enough observers to man this post efficiently. Does it take a bomb to wake us to the need of these watches—all volunteers will be welcomed.

Please save this schedule so you will know when you have the watch. Any information regarding the G.O.C. may be had by asking for pamphlets and booklets. Please let us know before hand if you are unable to stand your watch, so we can have the watch covered. This is important.

**Planes that the filter center wants reported**

1. All jet planes
2. All planes of whatever flying in formation
3. All civilian planes, giving the number painted on the wing, or tail surface, except regularly scheduled air lines.
4. All helicopters, except those landing or taking off
5. Any plane which seems to be in distress.

John Stuckwish, Chief Observer



The plane watchers (Ground Observer Corps) here are still on the job—after a fashion. The watchers get plenty of action when the jets from Big Spring or the trainers from San Angelo come over almost constantly. Bet the government has a big phone bill each month from that filter center.

**8-BALL**  
The plane watchers have to be on their toes to catch the jets before the are out of sight. And some of the high-flying trainer planes can be gone before you know it.

Our own Milton (Butch) Reed is one of the most enthusiastic plane watchers in the Corps here. He really does a bang up job while he watches. And, boy, does he phone 'em in quickly. The only delay when he is phoning 'em in, is due to the long distance phone connections.

**8-BALL**  
I was on duty last Sunday and the youngest member of the family helped me. He wore the binoculars around his neck most of the day, and even a big diesel truck going through town would send him scanning the skies.

If any teen-agers want to join the Ground Observer Corps, and will do a good job, just talk to the chief observer, John Stuckwish at the hospital.

This business may seem somewhat needless at present to the average layman, but the men in charge of the defense of our country evidently think it is real important. Now, they are in a lot better position to know what's what than we do.

How about a few more volunteers signing up for this plane watching stint.

**8-BALL**  
The Little Leaguers really get the spirit of the game and put on a good show at the Little League games here each week. Under the coaching and supervision of Coach Middle Young, the youngsters are developing a feel for the game and a love of sports that will probably follow them all through life.

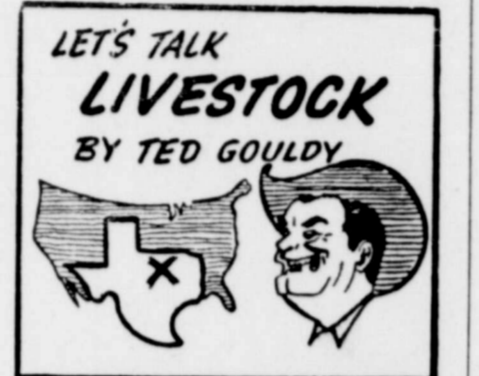
## Lions Install New Officers Thursday Night

The Sterling City Lions Club had a ladies night program Thursday night, featuring the installation of new officers for the club. Lion Dave Ellis of Midland acted as installing officer.

Newly installed officers include: Delbert Haralson—President  
H. L. Hildebrand—1st V.-Pres.  
C. T. Williams—2nd V.-Pres.  
H. F. Donalson—3rd V.-Pres.  
Secretary—L. S. Dubberly  
Treasurer—Hal M. Knight  
Lion Tamer—R. T. Caperton  
Tail Twister—W. L. Young  
New directors—Jeff Davis and Rufus Foster, with hangover directors Dr. Wm. J. Swann and J. T. Davis.

District Governor Roy Manire of Midland was the chief speaker of the evening.

Following the singing of America Marvin Churchill led the group in the pledge to the flag. Kent Jones furnished piano music.



**FORT WORTH**—Most classes of cattle and calves were sold in a fairly active trade at steady prices at Fort Worth. Shippers, independent packers and order buyers were aggressive buyers from the outset and despite lower offers from some of the major packers the early trade was steady. However, later in the day weakness prevailed on cows and averages for the day on slaughter cows were steady to 50 cents lower, with fat cows showing the most weakness.

Stocker and feeder trade was fairly active and generally steady with last week's close, and again there was more activity on the higher quality kinds and on fleshy feeder steers and yearlings. Some fleshy feeders were stronger in spots.

Hogs scored advances of 25 to 75 cents and choice butcher hogs topped at \$16.25 to \$16.75, mostly \$16.50 to \$16.75. Less desirable weights and grades moved at \$12 to \$16. Sows cashed at \$10 to \$14, or steady to 50 cents higher than at the close last week.

Trade was active and prices were fully steady to unevenly higher on sheep and lambs. Slaughter lambs and yearlings drew strong to \$1 higher prices in spots. Spring lambs topped at \$22, and yearlings topped at \$17. Feeder lambs sold from \$15 down.

Good and choice slaughter steers and yearlings cashed at \$16 to \$21.50, and common and medium offerings cleared at \$10 to \$15.50. Slaughter heifers sold from \$20 downward, some at that figure sorted off steer yearlings that brought \$21.50.

Fat cows cleared at \$9.50 to \$12, and canners and cutters drew \$6.50 to \$9.50. Bulls sold for \$10 to \$13.50 a few outside that range.

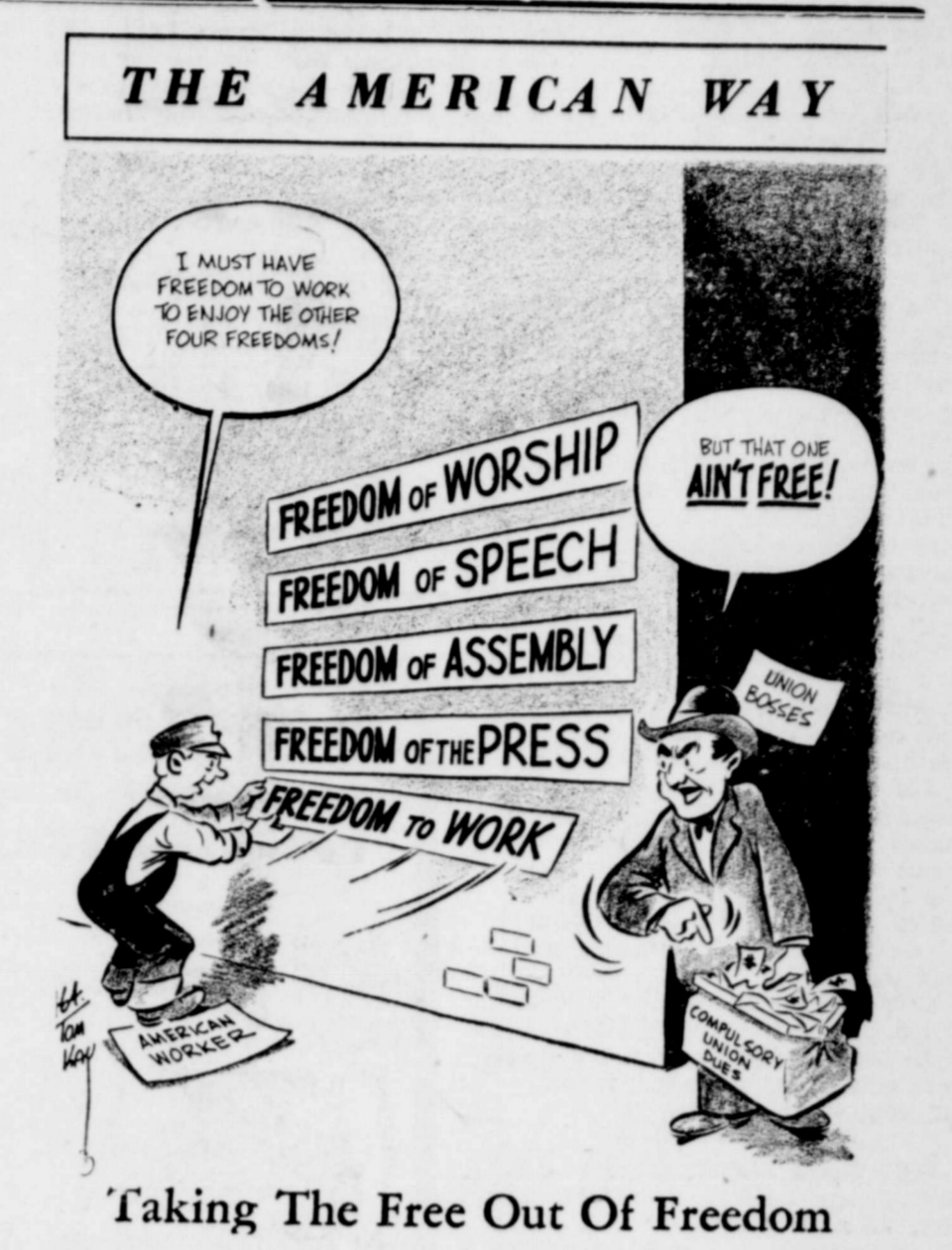
Good and choice slaughter calves cashed at \$14 to \$17, a few heavies above that range. Common and medium but-her calves sold for \$10 to \$15.50, and rannies sold from \$8 to \$10.

Good and choice stocker steer calves cleared at \$15.50 to \$17.50, and stocker and feeder steers and steer yearlings of good grades sold mostly from \$15 to \$16.50, a few to \$17. Plain and common stockers sold from \$10 to \$13.

Good and choice slaughter spring lambs ranged from \$17 to \$22, and cull, common and medium spring-cull, common and medium stockers sold from \$10 to \$16. Stocker and feeder lambs sold from \$12 to \$15.

Good slaughter yearlings sold from \$15 to \$16, and some choice yearlings reached \$17. Cull to medium muttons sold from \$8 to \$14. Slaughter ewes cashed at \$4.50 to \$5. Old bucks sold around \$4.

Kelly Walraven of San Angelo is spending this week here with his grandfather, John Walraven. Last week, Mickey Walraven of Angelo spent the week here with his grandfather.



Taking The Free Out Of Freedom

## JUSTIN A. KEVER FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Justin A. Kever was in Sterling City talking with friends and voters in behalf of his candidacy for District Attorney this week. Having done the work of this office as District Attorney in 1953 and as Assistant District Attorney since 1954, Kever is now asking election to the office of District Attorney in the Democratic Primary on July 28.

Kever, 32, did all of his college work at the university of Texas. After over three years active duty in the Navy during World War II, he returned to the university and completed the studies required for his Business Administration Degree and then entered Law School there. He graduated from Law School in 1949 and was licensed to practice law. Immediately upon his graduation and admittance to the Bar, Kever moved to San Angelo and opened offices in the Rust Building for the general practice of law.

While in law school Kever married Miss Charlice Morris of San Marcos, and they have two children, Justin Andrew 6½, and Jean Elizabeth, 11 months of age. They reside at 2806 West Harris in San Angelo.

In 1952, Kever was appointed Assistant District Attorney, and in January 1953, he was appointed by the Governor to the office of District Attorney, 51st Judicial District. Kever performed the duties of that office for a year and since that time he has served as Assistant District Attorney for both the 51st and 119th District Courts.

Kever has taken an active interest in civic affair, and is a member of the San Angelo Lions Club, Vice-President of the Tom Green County Bar Association, and a director of the West-Central Texas Law Enforcement Association. Both Mr. and Mrs. Kever are active members in church work at St. Luke's Methodist Church where they are charter members.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients in the Sterling County Hospital on Thursday morning of this week included—  
J. T. Davis  
Mrs. Charley Bowen  
Mrs. Neal Reed  
M. A. Spraggins  
Mrs. Clifford Gaston  
Mrs. Alva Morris  
Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Glass

**School to Open on September 4**  
Superintendent of schools O. T. Jones said this week that school would open here on Tuesday, September 4, the day after the Labor Day holiday. This opening will give everyone the full benefit of the holiday weekend.

A. W. Allen, brother of Mud Allen, died at his home in Stratford last week.

## Open House at Highway Department July 20

Open house will be held at the new State Highway Department buildings and yard on July 20, it was announced by Jim Butler, maintenance foreman, this week. In inviting the public to the open house between 5 p.m. and 9 p.m. on July 20, Butler said free coffee, cookies and other soft drinks such as tea or punch would be served.

The new installation is just one mile up the Big Spring highway and has been landscaped and is now all ready for the open house. All maintenance foremen and their wives from this district (7) are to be here, as well as the head men from San Angelo. There might possibly be some men from the Austin office present said Butler.

Butler has twenty-one men under him here and at Garden City. Two of his men stay at the Garden City installation—Tommy Johnson and Monroe Koenning. The men employed here include R. F. Burns, H. E. Null, Martin G. Wright, Bobby Fisher, Cassie Miller, George Turner, Bill Stevenson, Clifford S. Kennedy, E. B. Hosea, Bill Young, L. J. Brown, Kelton Gaston, Andrew Carnado, Louis Bernal, Antonio Munoz, Bliz Longoria, Raymon Martinez, Androso Rodriguez, Leonard Sanches.

## Five More Permanent Men Aug. 1

Jim said he had five more permanent men reporting for work here on August 1. The men and their families will add to this community's purchasing power.

## Dennis Reed Visits Here

Dennis Reed, son of Mrs. Carol Reed, and student in Florida Christian College, was here visiting his mother and brothers the middle of the week. Dennis, a minister of the Church of Christ, was on his way to Albuquerque, New Mexico to supply for the regular minister for two weeks. Dennis preached at the Church of Christ here Wednesday night.

Dennis is married and has a church at Tarpon Spring, Florida at present.

## Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Sam B. Lambert of San Angelo are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Miss Glenda Joy Lambert, to Don C. Carper, of Sterling City, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Langham, Bajoe, California. A July 29 ceremony is planned.

Mrs. C. N. Crawford returned to her home here Monday after three months of visiting in San Angelo, Mertzon and Fort Stockton. Mrs. D. K. Durham and daughters of San Angelo returned home with Mrs. Crawford to stay a week.



CAROLYN KATHERYN DUNN

## Daughter's Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Dunn announce the engagement of their daughter, Carolyn Kathryn, to Bobby Jack Wright of Sterling City. Mr. Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Wright of Monahans, is currently employed at the Bird ranch north of Sterling City. The couple are planning an August wedding.

Doc Woods, who suffered a brain hemorrhage recently, is somewhat improved, it is said. He is in the Shannon Hospital in San Angelo.

### Big Spring Cowboy Reunion Aug. 1-4

Plans have been completed by the Big Spring Cowboy Reunion Association for the organization's 23rd annual rodeo which will be held on the evenings of August 1, 2, 3, and 4, it has been announced by Tom Good, president.

This year's rodeo, which will be held in the Rodeo Bowl, which is the finest of its kind, in the southwest part of Big Spring. The rodeo will be produced by Gene Autrey and Everett Colburn. Colburn, who lives in Dublin, will be the arena director. He is considered tops in rodeo producing, and is often referred to as "Mr. Rodeo." The rodeo will include bare back riding, saddle bronc, calf roping, steer wrestling, bull riding, girl events, wild cow milking, cutting horse contest, and a number of the rodeo world's outstanding specialty acts, including the famous "Sheep Dog Act."

The rodeo parade will take place at 4 p.m. Wednesday, August 1, through downtown Big Spring, and will include city, county, and rodeo officials. Contestants, floats and scores of cowboys and cowgirls will complete the spectacle. Sheriff's Poses from several neighboring towns will participate in the parade and attend the big barbecue at the city park where members of the association and their wives will host the group.

This year's prize money will be \$3,700, plus entrance fees, and cowboys and cowgirls from many distant points are expected to enter the contests.

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John Lee Smith served as Lieutenant Governor from 1943 to 1947.

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### Zucks Back From Vacation

The Wayne Zucks returned home last week from a trip that took them to Sidney, Montana, where Wayne preached for a gospel meeting and to Coleharbor, North Dakota, to visit with his parents. On the way back, the Zucks vacationed in the Black Hills for a short time. Back in Texas, they attended a family reunion of Mrs. Zuck's family in Weinert, Texas.

On Tuesday of this week, Mrs. Zuck's brother, Roy Plemister and family from Edinburg, visited the Zuck's here.

### STERLING LODGE A. F. & A. M. No. 728



Regular Meetings on  
the Second Tuesday of  
Each Month

### GIRLS AUXILIARY

The Lottie Moon G.A.'s met on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Hamilton. Five girls and Mrs. Hamilton and Mrs. Nolan Stewart were present. Girls included Joanna Murrell, Judy Hamilton, Bonnie Gartman, Marsha Stewart, and Lee Douthit.

The topic of the program was "Money Talks for Itself." We studied on being Maidens. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Hamilton.

Reporter Lee Douthit

### A CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank those who made my short stay in the hospital more pleasant by the beautiful cards and lovely visits—they tie us on to life.

And when you have grown tired of looking up on the things of time, may you be wafed to that home built without hands Eternal in the Heavens.

Mrs. W. B. Everitt

## Ben Ramsey For Lieutenant Governor

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### METHODIST NEWS

Services will be held at the usual times at the Methodist Church. At the Sunday morning worship service the pastor will preach on "An Ever Receding Goal." The evening worship service will begin at 7:30 and hymns selected by the congregation will be sung. The subject of the sermon for the evening service will be "Empty Streams."

Choir practice will be held next Wednesday at 7:30 with Stanley Horwood as the director.

FOR YOUR FLOWER ORDERS, for the Methodist Flower Fund, just place your flower orders with Mrs. Lee Augustine at 8-4121 or Mrs. W. R. Hudson at 8-4711. Methodist Church.

Hunt, Texas—Elaine Price, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Foster S. Price was named sub-junior Brave of the Week for the Shawnee Tribe. Elaine was chosen on the basis of her cooperation and individual improvement in various activities. (Heart O' the Hills Release)

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## What's Doing in the Churches

### FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

L. S. Dubberly, Pastor  
Church School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 7:30 p.m.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

Wayne Zuck, Minister  
Bible School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Young People's Class ..... 6:15 p.m.  
Evening worship ..... 8:00 p.m.  
Tuesday, Ladies Bible .....  
Class ..... 9:30 a.m.  
Wednesday, Mid-Week .....  
Bible Study ..... 7:30 p.m.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Claude B. Stovall, Pastor  
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union ..... 7:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 8:00 p.m.

### FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Lewis G. Petmecky, Pastor  
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.

For engraved announcements, cards, letterheads and envelopes, see the News-Record. Prices are reasonable.

Rubber Stamps at News-Record.

### Dead Sea Draws Visitors As World's Lowest Spot

The mysterious Dead Sea, lowest body of water in the world, is slowly coming to life again under the impact of travel. Located in Southern Jordan, one of the Bible Lands the Dead Sea has shrunk from pre-historic times to its present size of 47 miles by 10 miles. Its surface is 1,300 feet below the Mediterranean and its waters are fed from a single source, the River Jordan. The water flowing in has no outlet so evaporation carries it off in eerie, blue-white clouds that linger over the landscape.

Before tourists sampled the briny sea, there was no life about except for gulls plucking dead fish lying on the surface. Even fish, entering from the River Jordan, could not live in the high salt content of the sea. This content, between 23 and 25 per cent, is four times as high as other seas.

The only signs of life are dead fossils from a pre-historic age when the sea was much larger in area and actually topped the Mediterranean in height. But, in the memory of man, no life has stirred there. Greek writers started calling it, "The Dead Sea," but the Arabs were more graphic, calling the eerie place the "Stinking Sea" or "Sea of Overwhelming."

But now there are searches underway probing the thousand-foot-depth minerals. And each year brings larger flocks of tourists to picnic on its shores and to wade into the water, the salt content of which buoys up swimmers so their shoulders are constantly above water. When they leave the Dead Sea stays with them as considerable effort is necessary to scrub off the brine.

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**Social Security Payments**

Social security beneficiaries were receiving monthly checks at the rate of over 2 million dollars a year at the end of 1955 in the San Angelo district, according to figures just released by Ed Bowers, District Social Security Manager. The district is composed of 13 counties which includes Sterling county.

When announcing the figures, Bowers said that many persons still thought of the social security program as providing protection only for retired persons. He pointed out that, nationwide, at the end of 1955 there were 1,275,000 children under 18 getting monthly payments. Of these, 120,000 were children of a retired parent, and the others were children of a deceased parent. About 300,000 mothers of children under 18 also were receiving benefits.

"With the bringing in of many groups of employed and self-employed persons previously excluded, the social security system achieved almost universal coverage at the beginning of 1955", Bowers said. He pointed out that 68 million persons had taxable earnings under the program in 1955, and that 70 million were insured at the end of the year. Of this number, 32 million are permanently insured and can qualify for benefits at 65, regardless of future employment. Also in case of death, their survivors can qualify for payments.

**FCDA Trains Rescue Corps**

Twenty miles from downtown Washington is the world's greatest "theater" — a gigantic stage setting without a stage, professional actors or scenario.

Amidst a backdrop of "bombed-out" building ruins, volunteer "actors" and "actresses" periodically put behind the day's workaday world to become "victims" at the Federal Civil Defense Administration's Olney, Md., Rescue School.

**WHILE BURNING OIL** is played on stairways and other key spots in the ruins by a remote control panel, students at the national rescue school enter the flaming structures and actually rescue the volunteer "victims." Some "victims" pretend unconsciousness. Others simulate situations the rescue workers would meet in an actual civil defense disaster by becoming "hysterical," and even by kicking and fighting their would-be "rescuers."

Seldom, however, do professional rescue instructors standing by actually have to enter the ruins to help out their students during the "final exam" of the two-week course. And never are the volunteer victims actually in danger, for they have been placed in areas known to be safe from the hidden flaming oil jets.

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**Between-Meal Refresher**



By BETTY BARCLAY

Cool, refreshing milk drinks made with rennet powder are especially popular in summer as between-meal snacks or at meal-time. They are nourishing, yet not filling. And, thanks to the magic of the rennet enzyme, these milk drinks are more easily digested.

A rennet milk drink is made without adding sugar since rennet powder is already sweetened. There are seven different flavors to choose from — vanilla, chocolate, strawberry, maple, lemon, orange and raspberry — a flavor to suit every taste. What an excellent way to increase the appetite appeal of milk!

Rennet milk drinks are so easy to make that even the youngest children can prepare them. The recipe below is for a single serving, but one package of rennet powder will make a whole quart. Why not keep a pitcherful ready in the refrigerator? It's an excellent drink any time of year for everyone in the family.

**Recipe**

Stir 1 tablespoon rennet powder\* into a glass of cold milk. Mix until sugar is completely dissolved. Serve immediately.

\*Use 1 rounded tablespoon chocolate rennet powder.

For a "frosted" milk drink, serve with a scoop of ice cream.

Jodie Rodriguez got a kite up Monday afternoon 6000 feet, much to the delight of of Rickey Green and Kelly Walraven. The rain and windstorm (not a bad one) made Jodie reel his kite in.

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Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	383,645.21
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	623,231.20
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	477,680.73
Other bonds, notes and debentures	300,000.00
Corporate stocks (including \$7,500.00 stock of Fed. Reserve bank)	7,500.00
Loans and discounts (including \$ overdrafts)	728,623.36
Bank premises owned, furniture and fixtures	10,150.00
Other assets	2,279.16
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>2,533,109.66</b>

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,128,965.26
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	150.00
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	52,472.61
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$2,181,587.87</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>2,181,587.87</b>

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock: Common stock, total par \$100,000.00	100,000.00
Surplus	150,000.00
Undivided profits	101,521.79
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>351,521.79</b>
<b>Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts</b>	<b>2,533,109.66</b>

MEMORANDA	
Loans insured or guaranteed by Veterans' Administration — insured or guaranteed portions only	2,268.73
Total Amount of Loans, Certificates of Interest and Obligations, or Portions Thereof (listed above), which are fully backed or insured by agencies of the United States Government (other than "United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed"	2,268.73
Total amount of loans, certificates of interest and obligations or portions thereof, which are fully backed or insured by agencies of the United States Government (other than "United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed"	2,268.73

State of Texas, County of Sterling, ss:  
I, D.L. HARALSON, Jr., cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
D. L. HARALSON, JR., Cashier

CORRECT ATTEST:  
J. T. DAVIS  
J. S. COLE  
CLAUDE COLLINS  
Directors

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9 day of July, 1956  
and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.  
My commission expires June 1, 1957  
W. R. Brooks, Notary Public  
(Seal)

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D. D. Garrett's Barber Shop open Each Friday and Saturday in the Quonset Building between the Williams Feed Store and the Lumber Yard.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

**"Keep The Change"**

If you've seen "Mac" Johnson this week, chances are he's told you his waitress story. For those who haven't heard:

"Mac" recently stopped at an out-of-town diner. He ordered the chef's special—and his waitress (brand new on the job) made every possible mistake. She confused the order, spilled the soup, dropped the rolls, brought him a wrong dessert.

Despite it all, "Mac" left a substantial tip. But she smiled and handed the money back. "Keep it, Mister—you've sure earned

it more than I have," she said.

From where I sit, that girl deserves credit for admitting her shortcomings — something not everyone is big enough to do. For instance, I'm convinced lots of folks know they're wrong when they deny me the right to a glass of beer with my supper . . . just because they happen to prefer some other beverage. They wouldn't like me ordering them to accept my choice.

Joe Marsh

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 Ray Milland, Mary Murphy  
 Thurs., Fri., Sat., July 19-20-21  
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**Political Announcements**

The following announce their candidacy for offices listed subject to action of the Democratic Primary in July, 1956:

**For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector of Sterling County:**  
 W.O. (Bill) GREEN (Reelection)  
 RALPH DAVIS  
**For County Commissioner, Prec. No. 1:**  
 HUGH HARZKE  
 R. T. FOSTER (Reelection)  
**For County Commissioner, Prec. No. 3:**  
 C. J. COPELAND  
 T. H. HUMBLE

**LITTLE LEAGUE SCHEDULE**

July 16—Lions vs. Giants  
 July 19—W.O.W. vs. Giants  
 July 20—Open  
 July 23—Lions vs. Yanks  
 July 24—Open  
 July 26—W.O.W. vs. Lions  
 July 27—Open  
 July 30—Giants vs. Yanks

**STERLING CITY PALMETTO POLO SCHEDULE 1956**

July 13—Barnhart Here  
 July 27—San Angelo Here  
 August 3—Miles There  
 August 17—Coleman Here

**SOFTBALL LEAGUE SCHEDULE**

July 16—Merchants vs. Highway  
 July 17—Water Val. vs. High Sc.  
 July 19—Water Val. vs. Highw.  
 July 23—Merchants vs. High S.  
 July 24—High Sch. vs. Highway  
 July 26—Merchants vs. Water V.  
 July 30—Merchants vs. Highway  
 July 31—Water Val. vs. High S.  
 Aug. 2—Water Val. vs. Highway  
 Aug. 6—Merchants vs. High S.  
 Aug. 7—High School vs. Highway  
 Aug. 9—Merchants vs. Water V.

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Dr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Swann and son, Bill, have returned home from a vacation trip to Alabama and Mississippi and Georgia. They returned home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hallmark observed their 40th wedding anniversary last week. Visiting with the Hallmarks over the week-end were the Joe Pools of Fort Stockton and Mrs. L. B. Hallmark and daughter, Penny, of Garden City.

Post binders and ledger sheets for sale at the Sterling City News-Record.

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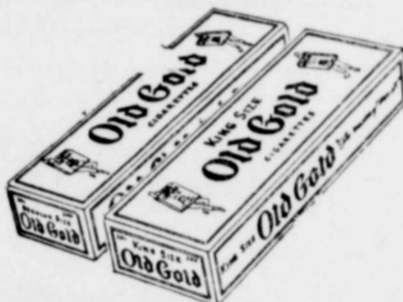
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Reg.  
**29c**

**Supreme lb. Crackers 22¢**

**Gandy's Half-Gal. Dari-Freeze 55¢**

**River Rice 2# 29c**

**Catsup Libbys bottle 20c**

**Pintos 5 lb. 45c**

**Gum Wrigley's Carton 58c**

**Towels Charmin 2 for 35c**

**Juice Orange Ace High 15c**

**Oleo Sun Spun 2 for 45c**

**Jello 3 for 25c**

**Pure Lard 3 lb. 59c**

**Fryers lb. 49c**

**Bacon Oriole lb. 39c**

**Cheese Longhorn lb. 45c**

**Meat assorted lunch lb. 49c**

**SWIFT'S PREMIUM FULLY COOKED HAMS, Half or Whole, Pound 65c**

**FRUIT COCKTAIL, Libbys 303, 2 for 49c**

**FLOUR, Light Crust, 10-lbs. 97c; 5 lbs. 49c**

**PINEAPPLE JUICE, Libbys, 2 46-oz. 59c**

**SCRAPPY DOG FOOD, 3 cans 25c**

**GREEN BEANS, Libbys Cut, 303, 2 for 37c**

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