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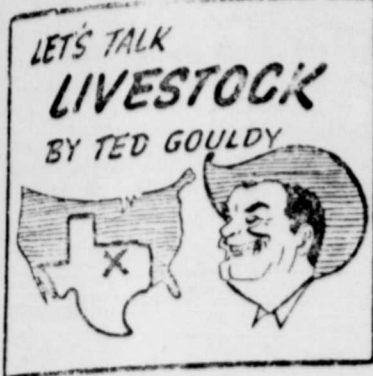
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## LIVESTOCK RECEIPTS MODERATE MONDAY

**FORT WORTH**—The movement of livestock to market at Fort Worth, and all around the major marketing circle, was of only moderate proportions. All species were in smaller numbers than last week and well behind a year earlier.

Preoccupation of farmers with field work was given a major part of the credit for the moderate movement.

Despite a collapse of 4 to 7 cents per pound at major wholesale meat markets in the Eastern Seaboard and Midwestern areas over the weekend, hog prices were strong at all points and at Fort Worth the top was \$21, hitting a new high for the year. This was 25¢ above last week's close. Medium grade butchers sold from \$16.50 to \$20. Sows drew \$18 down.

## CATTLE TRADE AGAIN ACTIVE AND STRONG, DEMAND BROAD

Out-of-state demand for both stocker and slaughter cattle and calves enabled trade at Fort Worth to get away to a favorable opening session Monday. The prices were fully steady.

Good and choice fed steers and yearlings cashed at \$20 to \$23.50, while common and medium slaughter kinds sold from \$12 to \$19. Stocker steer yearlings sold from \$21.50 down, and feeder heifers sold from \$20 downward.

Good and choice stocker steer calves cashed at \$20 to \$24, and heifer calves ranged mostly from \$21 down. Good and choice slaughter calves cashed at \$19 to \$22, and cull, common and medium sorts sold from \$10 to \$19.

Fat cows sold from \$13 to \$15.50 and canners and cutters cashed at \$9 to \$13. Stocker cows drew \$10 to \$14. Bulls sold from \$11 to \$15.75.

## QUALITY OFF, PRICES FIRM ON SHEEP AND LAMBS

Trade was active and prices were fully steady at Fort Worth Monday in the sheep yards. The run included relatively small numbers of choice grades, and a good many of the lambs showed excessive fills due to the high temperature.

Good and choice slaughter Spring lambs sold from \$20 to \$21.50, and common and medium slaughter kind sold from \$14 to \$19. Good grade feeder Spring lambs sold from \$12 down.

Good and choice shorn slaughter lambs cashed at \$16 to \$18 and cull to medium shorn lambs sold from \$10 to \$15. Stocker shorn ewe lambs cashed at \$18.50 downward. Slaughter ewes sold from \$6 to \$7. Two-year-olds were reported from \$10 to \$15, and aged wethers sold from \$10 to \$13. Old bucks sold around \$5 to \$5.50.

## MID-JUNE CATTLE, HOG PRICES ABOVE 1956. LAMBS LOWER

A check of the prevailing prices at Fort Worth at mid-June a year ago reveals sharp improvement on cattle and calves. Hogs are also selling far better than last year. However, lambs enjoyed a \$24 top last year at this time, as compared with \$21.50 at Fort Worth Monday.

Shorn yearling lambs a year ago sold up to \$20, against an \$18 top this week.

Cattle and calves prices are far ahead of last year. Fed steers and yearlings at \$23 to \$24 this week, compare with \$20 to \$21 beeves at this time a year ago. Slaughter cows ranged from \$7 on low canners to \$13.50 on best fat cows a year ago. A similar kind sell from \$8.50 to \$15.50 this week. Bulls topped at \$14 a year back, against \$15.75 this week.

Stocker steer calves a year ago stopped at \$21.50, against \$24 this week. Heifer calves sold from \$16.50 down, against \$21 Monday. Steer yearlings a year ago sold for \$18 down, against \$21.50 Monday. Feeder heifers at \$15.25 a year ago compare to \$19 to \$20 Monday.

Hogs topped at \$16.50 to \$17 a year ago, and similar hogs drew \$20.75 to \$21 Monday. Sows at \$14 down a year ago, compared with \$18 down on Monday.

A year ago in the last two weeks of June the lambs market broke \$3 to \$5 per hundred and on June

## Lions Club Luncheon

The Lions Club members met at noon Wednesday for the regular weekly luncheon in the community center. Prexy-elect Donalson acted in the absence of Delbert Haralson.

A letter from the Highway 87 Association was read requesting a delegation from here to attend the district meeting in Fredericksburg on July 1. Several members plan to go to the meeting, which will be held at 3 p.m. that day, followed by a barbecue supper.

Fred Igo, chairman of the committee working up an entertainment program, told of plans for a mock trial program to be worked up instead of a negro minstrel. The club members approved the plans.

Coach Diddle Young told of a district softball tournament that could be held here, and one that would bring in teams and fans from San Angelo, Odessa, Midland, Big Spring, Sweetwater, etc. The club voted to sponsor such a tournament.

Young told of the need here of a swimming pool. He takes children to Forsan, San Angelo or Robert Lee for swimming each week in the school bus, under the sponsorship of the school. He said one was badly needed here for our own children. It was said by the local park committee that a price on a 30x60 pool had been quoted by a Midland concern. Bronte and Robert Lee voted \$65,000 county bonds for the pools in those towns. Forsan's pool was put up by the school board, it was said.

Various members stressed the need for a pool here. Donalson appointed a committee to look into the matter. He named Coach Young, R. T. Caperton, Fred Igo, Roland Lowe and Pat Boatler.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients in the Sterling County Hospital on Thursday morning of this week included—

Mrs. Rance Hord and infant son, Ronald Wayne, born June 15, weighing eight pounds and fifteen ounces.

Mrs. H. L. Bailey  
Mrs. Neal Reed  
Neill Munn  
Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Glass  
Jack Mehl

Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week include—

Joe Williams  
Mrs. W. L. Emery  
Mrs. Art Watley.

## Little League Schedule Of Games

June 25—Giants vs. Yanks  
June 27—W.O.W. vs. Lions  
July 2—Giants vs. W.O.W.  
July 8—Yanks vs. Lions  
July 9—Lions vs. Giants  
July 11—Yanks vs. W.O.W.  
July 15—Yanks vs. Giants  
July 16—Lions vs. W.O.W.  
July 18—W.O.W. vs. Giants  
July 23—Lions vs. Yanks  
Friday nights are reserved for makeup games or out-of-town games, explained coach Diddle Young.

## Open House at Home Making Department Today

The Home Economics Summer Program Class and their instructor, Mrs. Souli J. Shanklin, cordially invite their friends to call at the Home Economics Department Friday afternoon, June 21, from 4 to 6 o'clock to inspect the redecorating they have done.

The wish to thank the F.H.A. chapter for the new bedspread, the P.T.A. for the new drapes, and the school board for the paint, tile and new furniture.

Mrs. Gid Ainsworth went to Dallas last week for her annual check up at a hospital there. She got a good report on her condition.

Her daughter Mrs. Lura McClellan and Mrs. R. P. Ainsworth and daughter Connie, accompanied her. Mrs. R. P. Ainsworth and Connie visited the two other daughters of the family in Dallas while there.

28, 1956, the top was \$19, whereas it was \$24 on June 14, 1956. At the end of June last year old crop shorn lambs had a top of \$15, against the mid-June top of \$20 mentioned above.

## EARL CAMPBELL DIES IN CAR CRASH

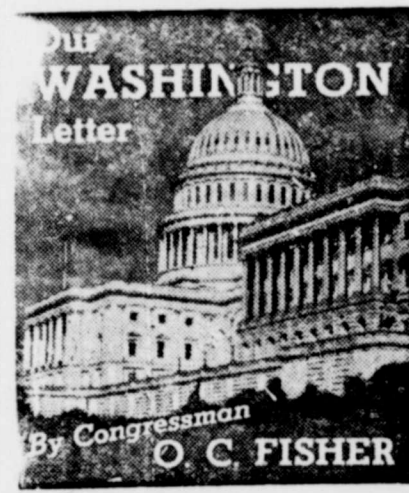
Earl Campbell, 60, tailor and cleaner at Bailey Bros. here for the past nine years, was killed outright at 3 a.m. last Sunday morning in a head-on car-truck collision 3 miles south of Sterling City on US Highway 87.

Joe Williams, 32, of Midland, the truck driver, was brought in to the Sterling County Hospital and later transferred to a Midland hospital and his condition was good. He did not have serious injuries.

Funeral services for Mr. Campbell were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the First Baptist Church here. The Rev. C. B. Stovall, pastor officiated. He was assisted by the Rev. L.S. Dubberly, Methodist pastor. Burial was in the City Cemetery. Lowe Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Born in Blooming Grove, Texas on July 28, 1896, Mr. Campbell is survived by his wife; his mother, Mrs. L. N. Campbell of Fort Sumner, New Mexico; three daughters, Mrs. Carol Bruton of Fairbanks, Alaska, Mrs. Helen Montgomery of Plainview and Mrs. Lois Seely of Norman, Okla.; three sons, Allen Campbell of Fort Baker, California, Tommy Campbell of Fort Polk, La. and Charles Campbell of Bloomington Ind.; two sisters, Mrs. Lois Platt of Albuquerque, N. M. and Mrs. W. J. Flanary of Fort Sumner, N.M.; two brothers, Jack Campbell of Abilene and Roy Campbell of Albuquerque and seven grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Bill Brooks, H. A. Chapple, Curly Blaneck, W. L. Young, Robert Foster, D. D. Garrett, C. C. Ainsworth and S. M. Bailey.



The right of trial by jury in contempt cases got a set-back in the House last week when it was decided to give Federal Judges supreme power to convict, without jury trial, anyone accused of violating an injunction dealing with civil rights.

By way of contrast, for more than 40 years, by act of Congress, labor unions and union members cannot be so tried by a Judge, without a jury for contempt growing out of a labor dispute. The union man is entitled to a jury trial for such alleged contempt. But now the House has decided not to accord that right to others.

It was developed that the AFL-CIO is opposed to the jury trial right in civil rights cases but made no indication of a desire to have the law repealed which now gives the labor leaders the right of trial by jury if accused of contempt of court for allegedly violating an injunction issued in connection with a labor dispute.

THE FACTS ARE that the pending civil rights bill contains many provisions which were inserted by politicians because it appeared to be good vote bait to attract colored voters.

Among recent visitors to our office have been Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mathisen of Fredericksburg, enroute home from graduation exercises at West Point; Louis S. Polky of Del Rio, a Medical student at Texas University; Hugh W. Olds, Jr., of Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Shannon of San Angelo; Wendell Mayes of Borwnwood; J. E. Puccini Jr., of Uvalde; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Meador and Lynn, John and Claudie of Eldorado.

PRESIDENT Eisenhower has told Republican leaders he is opposed to making Federal Aid to School construction permanent and appeared to be apprehensive about it. If approved, the President said he hoped it would serve its purpose and be ended before the expiration of his term.

The \$2 billion bill will come before the House soon. The outcome

## Pet Fox Was Rabid; Eight Getting Shots

### Family Reunion in Gatesville

The Vernon Blackmans of Sterling City attended a family reunion dinner at the Blackman home near Gatesville last Sunday. The eight children gathered with their families to be with a sister from Seattle, Wash.—Mrs. Hattie Long. The other children were Vernon Blackman of Sterling City, Lavel of Corsicana, Clarence of Waco, Emmett of Gatesville, Mrs. Dortha Jones of Post, and Mrs. Martha Gilbreath of Gatesville. Forty persons were present for the dinner.

### ENGAGEMENT TOLD

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hagerty of McCamey announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Dolores, to Hal Knight, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Hal Knight, Sr. of Sterling City. The wedding date has been set for July 28.

### Baptist Pastor and Wife Away

Baptist pastor and Mrs. C. B. Stovall are away on vacation, and plan to be away until July 1. They will visit their two preacher sons, Truett and Claude, Jr. who are pastors at Raton and Estancia, New Mexico, respectively.

Bro. Robert Moorehead will fill the pulpit at the local church during the absence of the pastor, June 23 and 30. Bro. Moorehead is a student at Baylor University at Waco and is considered one of the finest student preachers in that institution. Make your plans to attend these services.

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at the moment appears to be in doubt. It will depend a lot on the public interest that is shown over the country. Most of the Texans appear to be opposed to the bill, and there will be very few if any Congressmen from our state who will vote for it.

At least that is the way it looks now.

On May 11 Mrs. Ann Trammell caught a small fox near Brownwood and brought it home with her to Sterling City. The fox bit her on the finger and she consulted Dr. Wm. J. Swann. He instructed her to pen the animal for ten days. She did this, and being apparently all right at the end of that time, she gave it to Hilario Rodriguez and he took it home to his children. On June 5, the fox bit or scratched 8 local persons and one visiting child. They were instructed to pen the fox for observation.

On June 12 the animal was found dead in its pen, having died during the night. Bill Green, sheriff, took the fox's head to Austin for examination by the State Health Department, and the report was positive.

Dr. Swann requested anti-rabies vaccine and the sheriff brought it back with him from Austin. The shots were begun on the locals and the visiting child is getting treatment in San Antonio, where he resides.

Those receiving treatment here include Joe Rodriguez, Joe Balderaz, Jr., Ernestine Rodriguez, Alexander Medina, Mary Ann Medina, Manuel Lujan, Jr., Raul Rodriguez and Carolina Rodriguez.

## Appeal for New Trial For Boys Denied By Judge

Judge G. C. Murrell Wednesday overruled a motion for a new trial for three Big Spring youths held in the May 8 fatal shooting of Taylor Garrett during an armed robbery attempt.

Clyde Thomas of Big Spring, attorney for the boys, indicated he would file an appeal with a higher court, said Wm. Durham, Sterling County attorney.

The three, Nicky Rocha, Herman Lee Wright and Doyle Hail, were found delinquent last week by a Sterling County jury. The judge committed Wright and Rocha to the Gatesville School for Boys and Hail was probated to his parents.

The boy who admitted to the actual shooting, Mike Martinez, had been committed to Gatesville until he is 21, in action in May.

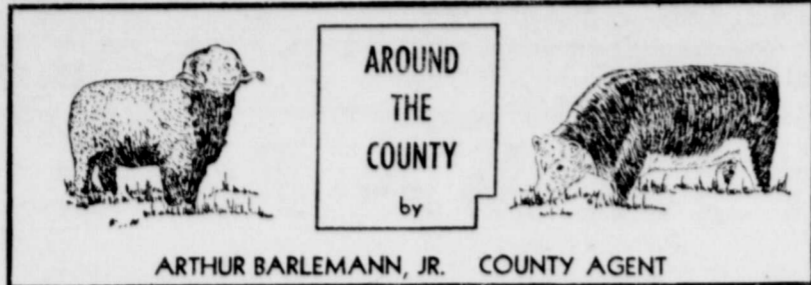
## FIRE AT WILLIAMS FEED STORE WEDNESDAY NIGHT

A fire, presumably started in a rat's nest in the ceiling, burned a small hole in the roof at the Williams Feed Store about ten o'clock Wednesday night. Smoke and water damage affected the rest of the ceiling and store. Damage was not extensive.

## THE AMERICAN WAY



That's Telling Him!



The Twenty-First Annual Rambouillet Ram Sale will be held at the San Angelo Fairgrounds next week. The sale starts on Monday the 24th and runs through Wednesday the 26th. Monday will be devoted to sifting of the rams and the selection of the stud rams and the A-B-C pen selection by the committee. Tuesday will be exhibition day at which time the breeders will be available to discuss their sheep with prospective buyers. The sale itself will be held on Wednesday starting at 10 o'clock with Lem Jones as auctioneer. Three hundred rams will be offered for sale at this time.

L. F. and Clinton Hodges will be among those selling rams at the sale. They will have a total of 18 head of rams to offer for sale.

This sale is sponsored by the American Rambouillet Breeders Association and is a national sale. Sheep are brought from all parts of the United States for sale each year in San Angelo. Majority of the rams however, are from Texas breeders; Utah, Idaho, and other states are always represented by some of their

breeders. This is an excellent chance for the sheepman to find what he is looking for in the way of rams.

The pecan casebearer slipped in and has been doing a pretty good job on pecans in town. I have found a number of nuts in which the casebearer in the worm form is working and also a number of nuts that have been punctured by the bearer. As yet however there has been no sign of the eggs on the lower branches of the trees but they are present. Evidently the first set of eggs was made in the upper branches of the trees where it would have been necessary to climb up into the tree or use a step ladder. But regardless of where they started, they are here and have done a lot of damage to the little nuts. It might still be possible to save some of the nuts by spraying now. It is also going to be necessary to be on the lookout for later crops of the bearer that might get the remainder of the nuts. Spray recommendations re-

main the same now: 3 pounds of wettable 50% DDT in a hundred gallons of water. To control rosette add 3 pounds of zinc sulphate and for the mite, add six pounds of wettable sulfur.

Sterling County had three representatives at the Sonora Wool and Mohair Show on Wednesday and Thursday of this week. Two adults and one 4-H Club boy sent fleeces to the show, one of the roughest, if not the roughest in the nation from the standpoint of competition.

Adult entries were Clinton Hodges with three fleeces and Foster Sims Price with one fleece. David Durham, 4-H Club boy, also had two fleeces entered in the junior division of the show.

The Sonora Show, now in its twentieth year, attracts wool and mohair from all over the sheep country of Texas. It is truly something to see for there is a lot of keen competition.

The USDA Range and Livestock report for the year up to June 1 released last week, states that supplemental feeding of livestock has stopped in all of Texas with the exception of the area on the west of the Trans-Pecos country. That area is still dry and has received little or no rain to help them out of the drought.

For the rest of the state, the range condition is the highest since June, 1950. The condition of cattle and sheep is also the highest in ten years. Both calves and lambs are gaining well over the

state as a whole and prospects are the best that they have been in a number of years.

This does not mean that the drought is over however. Continued rains are needed if the tender grass is to survive. Much of the green in the pastures is weeds and annual grasses which will not survive the summer if the rains were to stop now. This is particularly true in this area of the state where it has been dry for such an extended period of time. Good range management including deferment of the pastures is going to be necessary to get a good turf back on the ground. It is going to be a long time job—the grass and turf will not return over night with rain. In some cases where the grass is dead it may be necessary to reseed as there may not be enough grass to make a seed crop for future growth. Light stocking on the pastures which are doing well will also be necessary.

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## The Behind 8 Ball

Last week-end saw us in deep East Texas, where the pine trees grow tall and the chiggers grow taller—or something. The scenery around Daingerfield State Park was very eye-catching to us West Texans. The tall pines, the blooming magnolia trees, the stately oaks and the profusion of other trees

and shrubs, all made a sight not seen in our area of Texas. Also a side trip into Louisiana was worth taking from the standpoint of seeing the swamps, Lake Caddo, and other points of interest. Caddo Lake is dotted with stumps of trees harvested from the lake itself. Also there are a lot of oil derricks rising right out of the water.

My wife's family held their annual reunion at the Daingerfield State Park. That park is the best one we've encountered yet. The cabins are nicer, the facilities better, the view prettier, the rates more reasonable (considering), and the swimming beach nicer and the view across the lake was more eye-catching—than any park we've been to.

The Humble Oil & Refining Co. had a photographer making films of the state park and the people in it for a "Texas in Review" TV program on state parks. I was cooking weiners on the outside fire place grill and we were photographed eating our Sunday dinner just outside the main cabin. The photographer had one of the couples of us walk out to the car from the cabin for a shot. He picked (indiscriminately) three children out of the group to be their children in that shot. Two of them belonged to other families of the group.

I took a walk around hunting a decent place for the younger boys to fish and the chiggers evidently like this West Texas meat—or at least the flavor thereof. They got me—and Collin. He looked like he might have the measles or chicken pox or something. They can do a lot of damage for such a small insect. If they were as large as flies or gnats, they'd kill you—1 bet.

When twenty-five people get together for a week-end deal—it is quite a deal. It is a strain on one that doesn't show up until it is over with. During the time of the affair, everything is moving so fast and the excitement and all, keeps one pepped up. The physical let-down comes later.

Everyone had a good time and is already looking forward to the one next year. It gives a large family and their different families a chance to see and visit all the others and that wouldn't likely happen if

## Coconut Ice Cream

### RECIPE OF THE MONTH



By BETTY BARCLAY

In this day of "easy-to-fix foods" even busy homemakers find it fun, once in a while, to prepare something "from scratch." Usually, the idea presents itself when some special occasion is being planned . . . and for such times this Banana Toasted Coconut Ice Cream is our favorite. We'd like to share it with you . . . and also several interesting ways of serving it. For example: (1) scoop out balls of ice cream and roll quickly in flaked coconut to make "snowballs"; (2) make a banana split using two or three scoops of ice cream and your favorite maple-blended syrup, plus a topping of fluffy flaked coconut.

#### Banana Toasted Coconut Ice Cream

- 1 cup mashed bananas (2 to 3 ripe bananas)
- 2 teaspoons lemon juice
- 1/4 cup sugar
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 cup milk
- 1 cup whipping cream
- 2 egg whites, stiffly beaten
- 2 egg yolks, well beaten
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 1/2 cup Baker's Angel Flake coconut, toasted

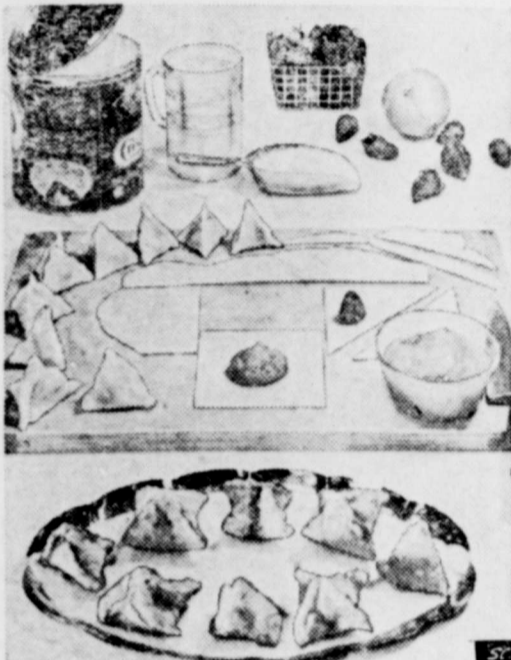
Mix together bananas and lemon juice. Add sugar, salt, and milk, stirring until blended. Whip cream until thickened but not stiff. Fold egg whites, yolks, cream, and vanilla into bananas mixture. Turn into freezing trays of automatic refrigerator, setting control at coldest freezing temperature. Freeze until mixture holds its shape, stirring every 30 minutes and adding toasted coconut during final stirring. Freeze until firm. Makes 1 1/2 quarts.

## Lilliputian Desserts

Did you ever serve a bite-size dessert? Try it sometimes if you want to get yourself a reputation for being a hep hostess. Tiny delicacies are particularly appreciated after a heavy meal when a full size dessert might be too much, but a sweet is needed for satisfaction. Don't make the mistake, however, of letting guests see them or sample them before dinner or none will be left. These tiny bites are made of pastry, fruit-filled and deep fried.

Canned applesauce, jams and frozen pineapple chunks all make perfect fillings. But Crisco Kitchens says the most unexpected, and the one which will cause the most comment, is made of fresh strawberries that have been left in curacao or orange juice for a few minutes before being folded into the pastry and cooked. Only one strawberry is used for each bite.

Here's the foolproof pastry recipe used by good cooks all over the country. It will make about 12 of these small desserts.



#### PASTRY

- (Makes 12 4" pastry squares)
- 2 cups sifted enriched flour
  - 1/2 cup Crisco
  - 1 teaspoon salt
  - 4 tablespoons water

With two knives or a pastry blender cut Crisco into flour and salt until the mixture is uniform and fine like corn meal. Add water, a tablespoon at a time, tossing with a fork all the while. With hands work pastry into a ball. Do not be afraid of overworking dough.

Divide pastry in half and roll in an oblong shape about 8 x 12 inches. Pastry will be slightly less than 1/8 inch thick. Cut into 4-inch squares.

#### Strawberry Bites:

Dip strawberries in curacao or orange juice. Then place one berry in center of 4-inch pastry. Moisten edges of pastry and pinch together around berry with points of pastry forming a peak at top like a chocolate cream. Fry in deep Crisco heated to 365°F. for about 3-4 minutes or until flaky brown. Lift out of kettle with a slotted spoon and drain on absorbent paper. Coat with fine sugar.

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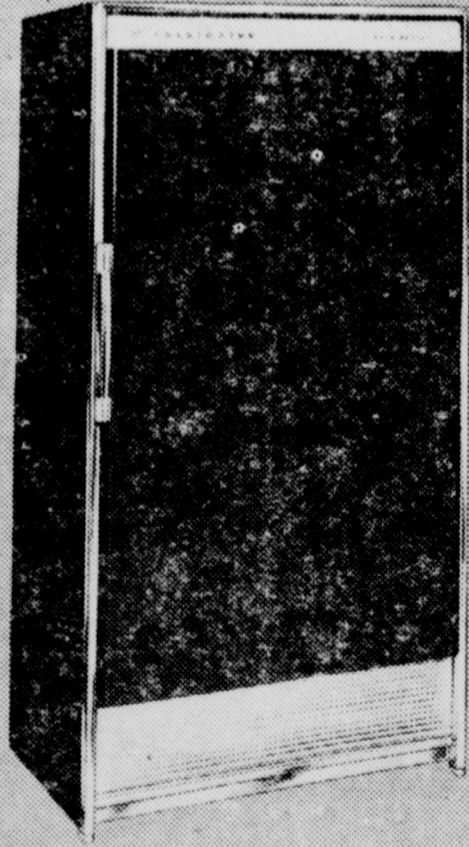
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such family gatherings were not held.

All the immediate family visit. The in-laws compare notes. New announcements of importance may be made, and the little cousins all enjoy each other and get to know one another better.

Going to East Texas we went up northeast to Decatur then turned east, straight to Daingerfield. The first night was spent in Denton. We had a miss in the motor fixed and looked around Denton before going on. The Trinity River had done a lot of damage on various forks of that river in flood damage this spring. Lake Dallas was full and wide out of Denton.

A trip to Mooringsport, La. let Lee get out of the State of Texas for the first time. She had to get out and get a little box of Louisiana dirt just across the state line. She saw her mother's old home town and school (high school). An old school mate was encountered and places of interest pointed out.

A trip through Kilgore on the way home to see all the oil wells in town was worth it. The mines and steel or iron mills around Daingerfield and Ore City were eye-opening. The oil fields of east Texas, the abundant forests and lush pastures, all seem to prove that nature was lavish in that area with her gifts.

Of course, there's no substitute for good old West Texas. Where the high and dry air breathes easier, and chiggers are smaller. It was rainy on the way home in the east section. Out here is where sunshine spends the winter and spring and summer and fall, too. Yessir. No swamps or nothing out here. Just good dry air that contains plenty of ozone or whatever it is we breathe.

But it is hot here.

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**DISABLED PEOPLE TO GET SOCIAL SECURITY CHECKS**

More than one hundred thousand severely disabled people in communities all over the nation will receive their first social security disability insurance checks in August, announced Floyd B. Ellington, district manager of the San Angelo social security office today. But many other eligible disabled workers 50 to 65 years of age, some of them no doubt living in this area, have so far failed to make application to their social security offices. Those who have been disabled for work a long time must apply before June 30, Mr. Ellington pointed out, or they will lose their rights to these new benefit payments. Any severely disabled person who

has worked under social security for at least 5 years and who has been disabled for 6 months or more should get in touch with his social security office right away, the social security district manager said. If he is between 50 and 65 years of age, he may be eligible for monthly disability insurance benefits. If he is under 50, he may be eligible to have his social security record frozen to protect his future right to disability payments, and also his and his family's right to old-age and survivors insurance benefits.

"Unfortunately there is a lot of misunderstanding," Ellington said, "as to how a disabled worker has to be to get social security disability insurance benefits of to have his social security record frozen. The rules in the social security law for deciding whether a person is 'disabled' are different from the rules in some other Government and private disability programs." To be found "disabled" under the social security law, he said, a worker must have a disability which, in the words of the law, makes him unable "to engage in any substantial gainful activity." It must be the kind of physical or mental condition which shows up in the medical evidence, including his doctor's report, hospital reports, or special tests, and it must have lasted for at least 6 months and be expected to continue for a long and indefinite time.

In general, he said, "substantial gainful activity" means the performance of a substantial amount of work with reasonable regularity in employment or self-employment. A

person does not have to be completely helpless to qualify under the social security disability provisions, Mr. Ellington emphasized. Consideration is given to all of the facts in the individual's situation both medical and nonmedical.

First consideration is, of course, given to the severity of his condition as shown by the medical evidence. This evidence must show that the person has a condition which makes him unable to perform significant functions such as moving about, handling objects, hearing, speaking, understanding, or reasoning, so that he cannot with his training, education and work experience engage in any kind of substantial activity.

"Examples of some impairments which would ordinarily be considered severe enough to prevent substantial gainful activity are:

1. Loss of use of two limbs.
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3. Disease of heart, lungs or blood vessels which has resulted in major loss of heart or lung reserve as evidenced by x-ray, electrocardiogram or other objective findings so that, despite medical treatment, it produces breathlessness, pain or fatigue on slight exertion, such as walking several blocks, using public transportation or doing small chores.
4. Cancer which is inoperable and progressive.
5. Damage to the brain or brain abnormality which has resulted in

severe loss of judgment, intellect, orientation, or memory.

6. Mental disease (e.g., psychosis or severe psychoneurosis) requiring continued institutionalization or constant supervision of the affected individual.

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8. Permanent and total loss of speech.

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Ellington said most individuals with such serious disabilities are unable to work. There are cases, however, where a person with such a severe disability is working or able to work, because of his special knowledges and skills. He would not be eligible under the social security disability provisions, the district manager said, because he would be able to engage in substantial gainful activity. On the other hand, a person might work occasionally or intermittently but this would not necessarily mean that he was able to engage in substantial gainful activity. Both the nature of the work and the amount of money he earned would have to be considered.

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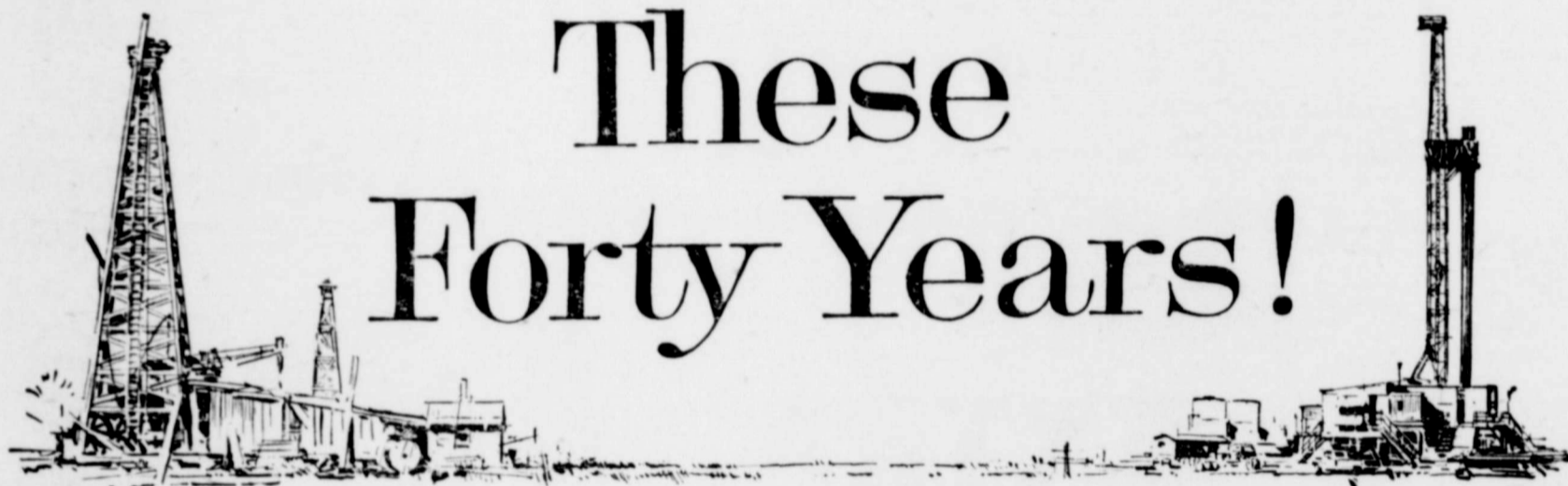
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## BREEZES FROM A WINDMILL FAN

By Milton Reed

Saturday a big Army convoy came through town. They stopped for dinner and must have bought out the stores. One jeep was in before the others. The officer in command was in it. They pulled around by the court house and parked in two or three lines.

The Boy Scouts had the weekly meeting Tuesday night. Sgt. E.H. Geitner was present to talk about the Ground Observer Corps. Five Scouts joined the GOC at the meeting. They were Mike Malloy, Danny Bailey, Billy Bauer, Jerry Craig, and Jerry Payne. Plans for the summer camp were discussed.

The Boy Scouts will leave for summer camp Sunday morning. The camp is out in the Ft. Davis mountains on a turn-off from Toyahville. Due to this camp this column will not be in next week's paper.

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Edyth Hudson.

### Brown's Week-End Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Bingham and Doug and Pat, of Kansas City, Mo. visited the R. P. Browns here last week-end. From here they went to Kossee to visit Mrs. Bingham's mother, Mrs. E. E. Young. Mrs. Bingham is a niece of Mrs. Browns.

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## Longhorn Cavern Deemed Million Years in Making

Texas Longhorn Cavern, spectacular scenic masterpiece of Nature, was at least a million years in the making, geologists estimate.

The huge cavern is awesome evidence of the changes wrought through the ages by variations in climate, earth movements, the rise and fall of the seas and the slow solution of limestone by water.

Longhorn Cavern, located near Burnet in the Highland Lakes region northwest of Austin, is one of the state's favorite attractions for tourists and sightseers. Guided tours are conducted daily through the explored portions of the cave, which is one of the world's largest.

Richard W. Rush, assistant professor of geology at the University of Texas, has traced the sequence of events which led to the development of the cavern from the time when Texas lay beneath a huge sea, approximately a half-billion years ago.

The stone in which the cavern was eventually carved out was formed from limy muds deposited at the bottom of this sea. Over countless centuries this mud deposit gradually rose out of the sea, only to sink beneath it again, a process which was repeated a number of times.

Finally slow uplift raised Texas above the sea for the last time and the limestone which had hardened from the mud deposits lay exposed to the elements for over sixty million years.

At that time Central Texas was a humid swampland in which gigantic dinosaurs and other reptilian monsters roamed.

The actual beginnings of Longhorn Cavern probably occurred during the Ice Age, when the northern part of the United States



was covered by glaciers, more than a million years ago.

As the glaciers retreated, about 50,000 years ago, the climate of Texas became drier and the ground water level began to drop dissolving the limestone as it fell.

Underground streams flowing through the cave helped to carve out the labyrinthian passageways and huge rooms, until the cavern was excavated to its most remote chamber, an eerie 130 feet below the surface of the earth.

Prehistoric cavemen probably sought refuge in the subterranean depths of the cavern to avoid being devoured by the fearsome mammals which ranged the countryside in dim ages past.

The main approach to the cavern entrance is through a collapsed sink or deep depression in the limestone, with remnants of the original roof preserved as a natural bridge over the steps leading to the cave mouth.

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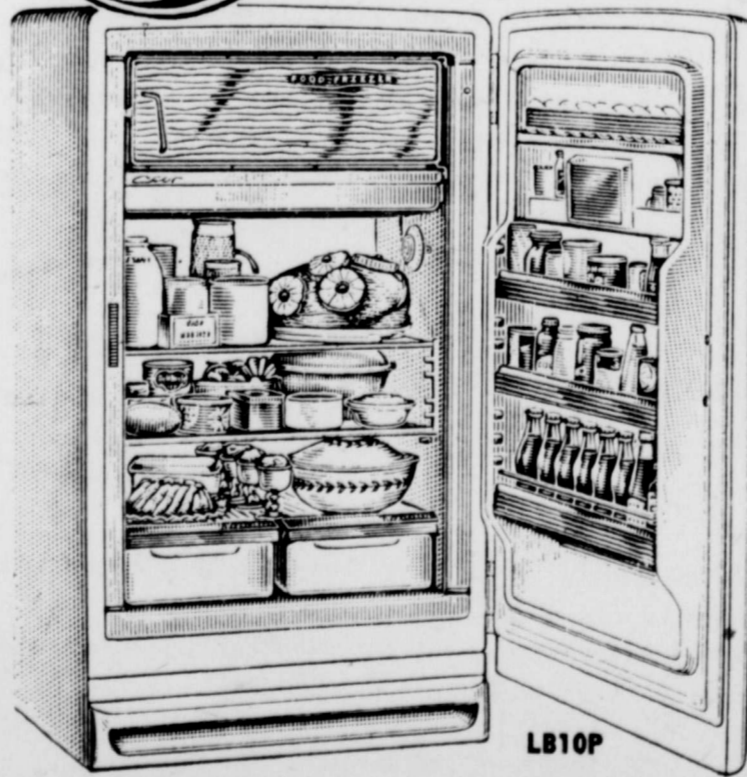
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