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Mahon's Super Budget Won't Keep Him Busy

By Leslie Carpenter

Washington. — Few men on Capitol Hill are working as hard as Rep. George Mahon of Texas these days.

Nineteen other congressmen who are working that hard are all members of the same so-called "super budget committee" with Mahon.

The 20—Mahon included—have until Feb. 15 to report to both houses of Congress what the United States government's budget for the fiscal year is to be. They must decide how far to go and where to stop with the Republican war cry of "Slash, slash, slash!"

Mahon thinks that the president's recommended budget of \$37,500,000,000 will have to be pared "some." He also thinks that the \$29,000,000,000 budget advocated by the House's Republican chairman of the appropriations committee, John Taber of New York, is "an impossibility—much too low, unfortunately."

Hardest job of all, the Texas congressman points out, is to decide exactly where the budget cutting will be done. To say let's cut the budget, 5,000,000,000 is purely arbitrary, he says. The trouble comes, he adds, when you must determine who it is to be cut what in order to trim \$5,000,000,000 off the president's estimate.

Only Texas Member.

The "super" committee, of which Mahon is the only Texas member, was set up by the Congressional Reorganization Act. It is made up of five members of each the House appropriations and ways and means committees and the Senate finance and appropriations committees. Each has three Republicans and two Democrats in the joint "super" group, making it number 12-8 in favor of the GOP. Mahon was named by the House appropriations committee, of which he is fourth-ranking Democrat.

Super committee was assigned the task by the Reorganization Act of estimating the government's expenditures and revenues of each year. Since this year that such a committee has functioned, the assignment is harder than perhaps it will be in the future when the group has had more experience of working together, Mahon points out.

"It's a whale of a job to get this budget into final polished shape by the 15th," Mahon explains. "In fact we may have to ask for more time, although we are working on it just as hard as we can."

Mahon doesn't believe that the president's \$37,500,000,000 budget is the "irreducible minimum" as it was described by the chief executive. Mahon says he is fully aware that the president pared \$5,000,000,000 off what his departments in the executive branch had requested for the fiscal year, but the West Texan believes there is room to eliminate "a few more billion" from the huge White House estimate.

Improve Efficiency.

"Some people say," Mahon points out, "that if you cut government agencies, you impair their efficiency. I believe that you can cut some of the agencies, simplify their work, and you improve their efficiency."

While he emphasizes that it is a tough task to ferret them all out, Mahon says there are a number of small things being carried out with government money which are fertile fields for budget slashes.

He cites an activity now under way at the War Production Board. Some 250 people are currently receiving relatively high salaries for writing a history of the WPB's work during the war. While he says there is some justification for compiling such a history—the the vent of another war, the government would have a pattern of how mobilization of American industry and manpower had been handled during World War II—he says he thinks a simple summary of WPB's work would be sufficient.

"WPB wants to put out a 60-volume history, with 250 people spending tax money to do it. It doesn't make sense that the completed history will ever be worth that much money," he says.

Refers to OPA.

Mahon points a finger at the Office of Price Administration as another example. He says OPA now has 14,000 employees.

"While OPA once controlled some 8,000,000 items, they are now working with only a handful—rent, sugar and syrup. I can't comprehend why 14,000 employees are needed for that small amount of work," he says.

Mahon deprecates the attitude of temporary government agencies seeking to become a permanent part of the government.

"Once you breathe the breath of life into a temporary agency, it is almost an impossibility later to strangle it to death," he says.

Mahon says that working with such a giant organization as the federal government, it often becomes essential to be "arbitrary and somewhat brutal" when you seek to save money. He says that activities with some merit but which are not entirely necessary often must be whittled out when thrift is required.

Mahon has insisted during the frequent meetings of the "Super" Budget Committee that the group list exactly where cuts are to be made within the budget, before they recommend that Congress slash the whole budget by a certain figure.

GOP Strategy.

"And what a task that is," says Mahon. "Since the Republicans have already committed themselves to a huge slashing of the budget, I think Republican members of the committee are going to have a meeting of their own on the side to determine what their strategy will be."

Mahon says it is a "complete impossibility" to have a \$29,000,000,000 budget as proposed by Taber unless Congress repeals some of its own laws and dispenses with governmental functions it has set up.

"We have already legally pledged ourselves in advance to spend more money than that," he says.

The West Texan foresees little cutting other than reducing the number of governmental employees in some agencies and by comping overlapping federal bureaus and eliminating some of the "smaller unnecessary ones."

Exactly how much money will be trimmed from the president's budget? "I don't know yet," says Mahon, "but I'm sure that it won't be as much as a lot of American voters were led to believe during the last election. I'm for eliminating every penny which can be eliminated, but you can go so far and then you must stop."

Matthews, McKinzie Vows Read February 4th

Miss Itha Dean McKinzie of Lubbock, Texas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McKinzie of Peacock, Texas became the bride of Mr. Sam W. Matthews, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Matthews, Sr. of Jayton Tuesday afternoon February the fourth at the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. T. North at Whiteflat, Texas with Rev. North performing the single ring ceremony.

The only attendants were Miss Grace Hall and John H. Montgomery. The bride was attired in a white wool dress with alligator accessories. She wore a beautiful purple orchid and carried a white bible. To carry out the old wedding tradition, of something old she wore her grandmother's gold brooch, for something new her hat of white felt, with streamers, she borrowed eisensburg ear clips and the blue was a pale blue silk handkerchief.

Miss Hall was dressed in a blue wool dress with pink accessories and wore a corsage of pink carnations.

After the wedding a reception and dinner was held in Lubbock at nine o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Hall.

The couple spent their honeymoon in south Texas returning to Jayton Tuesday night where they will make their home.

Waunette Davis And Tom Bill Fowler Wed

Rev. and Mrs. L. J. Davis, Weatherford, announce the marriage of their daughter, Waunette Davis, to Tom Bill Fowler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fowler, Jayton. The couple was married at 7:15 P. M., February 8, at the home of the groom's parents with Rev. L. R. Stuckey performing the ceremony.

The bride was married in an aqua-blue dress, peplum style, decorated with silver brads, and red accessories. For something borrowed she carried a lace handkerchief belonging to the groom's mother.

Following the ceremony the couple went to Fort Worth to spend their brief honeymoon.

The bride is a graduate of Ranger High School, attended Ranger Junior College, and is a graduate of Weatherford College. She was an honor graduate, Secretary of the Phi Theta Kappa, member of Student Council, Drama Club, International Relations, College Choir, Thalian-Coyottees, and an active member of the basketball squad. At the present she is teaching in Peacock.

The groom is a graduate of Jayton High School, attended John Tarleton, served in the Marine Corps, and is now attending West Texas State College at Canyon.

Alice Wade Becomes Bride Of Theo Beckman

Saturday afternoon February the eighth at five o'clock Miss Alice Wade became the bride of Mr. Theo Beckman of Lamesa, Texas in a single ring ceremony performed by Rev. M. E. Fisher, pastor of the Jayton Methodist Church at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Wade, parents of the bride.

Miss Esther Wade was her sister's only attendant and Mr. E. E. Davis was best man.

The bride wore a grey wool suit with light blue and black accessories. Her flowers were of deep rose buds. For something borrowed she wore a cameo locket belonging to her mother, a gift from her father on their 30 wedding anniversary.

At the reception, Mrs. W. E. Wade and Miss Esther Wade served punch and cake from the table laid with ceru lace cloth and decorated with pastel peach gladioluses.

After the reception the couple left on a motor trip to New Mexico and Arizona.

Guests included Eldon Wade of Falfurrias, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wade and Wendell Raye, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Wade, Mrs. Tom Wade and Miss Inez Rice.

Polio Fund Drive Nears \$500 Mark

The following is an incomplete report of the donations to the Infantile Paralysis Fund and a number of the names of people and business houses who donated.

This list of names is very incomplete as it is impossible to know who donated to the Church funds and the picture show funds. In fairness to those whose names do not appear here we remind you of this fact.

Most of the Jayton fund was collected Saturday by Buari Murdoch and C. R. Kelley.

According to Mr. Kelley, County Chairman, the grand total is very close to \$500, with Girard and Polar communities still unreported.

Jayton Baptist Church	\$22.30
Jayton Methodist Church	32.00
Church of Christ, Jayton	13.75
Texan Theater, Jayton	84.00
Clairmont	50.00
Antelope	10.10
Rising Star	18.50
Higgins	5.00
Red Mud	25.00
Tom Murdoch	5.00
C. R. Kelley	5.00
George Branch	5.00
John Lewis	5.00
Ladell McAteer	5.00
Brantner Grocery	5.00
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Gardner Bros.	5.00
Earl Hall	5.00
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L. H. Mason	5.00
Clint Edwards	1.00
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Black Motor Co.	5.00
M. D. Fuller	5.00
Joe Dick Lewis	2.50
Dallas Kenady	1.00
James McAteer	1.00
F. B. Pugh	5.00
H. B. Pugh	5.00
W. D. Cave	1.00
C. V. Wright	2.50
Smith Service Station	5.00
Ben Boland	5.00
F. D. Hall	3.00
Alexander Drug	5.00
Owen King	5.00
Dean Young	2.00
Beal Murdoch	7.00
A. D. McKinzie	5.00
Ideal Cafe	2.50
O. E. Page	1.00
R. G. Donoho	5.00
W. W. Tarpley	5.00
Jack Davis	5.00
Billie Dave Hancock	1.00
H. K. Kearney	2.00
Red Mud Sunday School	10.50
Frank Stewart	2.50
E. L. Mabon	2.50
Bill Wyatt	2.50
L. B. Fugua	2.00
A. Q. Smelser	2.00
Gordon Cravey	1.00
Mrs. Ab Smith	1.00
M. Cravey	1.00
Ellis Community, (Mrs. Jet George)	9.05
Chairman	9.05
Mrs. T. E. McArthur	5.00

Swing Of Southwest Farm Markets

Many southwest farm products found stronger markets last week, according to the Production and Marketing Administration, USDA. Eggs showed seasonal weakness, however, and some protein feeds were down.

Demand for vegetables showed marked improvement in the Lower Rio Grande Valley of Texas. Prices were generally firm to a little stronger on vegetables, but white grapefruit was still moving slowly. Colorado potato prices held about steady, but sales of onions were too few to quote late last week. Louisiana sweetpotatoes were about unchanged, with demand light. On consumer markets, lettuce was strong and other commodities generally steady. Shelled peanut markets strengthened due to export trading.

Wheat gained sharply again last week while oats and sorghums took up the upward trail. Cash wheat at Fort Worth and Galveston was quoted \$2.32 to \$2.33 per bushel for No. 1 hard. No. 2 yellow milo brought \$2.52 to \$2.55 per hundred. Corn was little changed, but barley was easier. Rice markets continued firm. Most feed prices held fully steady, but further sharp declines were reported for soybean meal, while gluten feed and meal were also lower.

Hay quotations remained unchanged from declines of the previous week.

Wools were quiet, but fine mohairs were strong. Contracting of spring-clip mohair were reported in southwest Texas at 61 cents for adult and 81 cents for kid, delivered warehouse. This would net the grower one cent less.

Hog prices advanced 25 cents to \$1.25 per hundred around the market circle last week. Friday's quotations for top butchers stood at \$23 at San Antonio; \$23 to \$24 at Ft. Worth; \$25.25 to \$25.50 at Oklahoma City; \$25 to \$25.25 at Wichita; and \$25 to \$26.25 at Denver.

Southwest sheep and lamb markets reported steady to strong prices last week on light receipts. San Antonio quoted common fall shorn lambs \$14 to \$15 per hundred and common ewes \$6.50 to \$7. Ft. Worth moved medium lambs at \$18 to \$19 and cull an common ewes at \$6.50 to \$7. Oklahoma City paid a top of \$22 for fat lambs and \$8 for ewes. Medium and good lambs brought \$20 to \$21.50 at Denver.

Cattle trading picked up at southwest markets last week and prices climbed higher with advances of \$1 to \$2 per hundred above prices a week ago. Common and medium steers and yearlings realized \$12 to \$17 at Houston while medium and good beef steers and yearlings brought \$16 to \$22 at Ft. Worth. San Antonio moved common steers at \$14 to \$15.50 and medium to low good cows at \$11 to \$13. Medium and good shorted steers and yearlings ranged from \$17.50 to \$22 at Oklahoma City and from \$18 to \$22 at Wichita. Medium to high good steers turned at \$18 to \$23.75 at Denver.

Live poultry prices held fairly firm, but eggs brought lower prices than a week ago. Current receipt eggs Friday sold for 35 cents per dozen at Dallas; 35 to 37 and one half at Ft. Worth; 32 to 34 at Houston and 35 at Denver.

Cotton prices were up sharply again last week, as demand continued good. The close on middling 15-16 inch Friday was 32.55 cents per pound at Dallas and Houston; 32.67 at Galveston; and 32.75 at New Orleans.

Scout Executive To Meet With Jayton Organization

Jim Polk, Scout Executive with Snyder, Texas will meet with the Boy Scouts and Cubs of Jayton at the Methodist Church Wednesday night February 19th to conduct a Court of Honor and direct the boys in an hour of fellowship.

Mr. H. B. Patterson of Jayton will assist Mr. Polk in this special meeting.

—Scoutmaster.

P. T. A. Banquet Friday Night

Mrs. E. M. Pittman of Anson, District President, will be the principle speaker of the evening at the P. T. A. Founder's Day Banquet to be held Friday, February 14 at 7:30 P. M. in the Hall of the Jayton High School Building.

Musical numbers and other entertainment along with plenty of eats will make up the evening's program. You can still buy your tickets from the finance committee.

Ross Stephens Opens Shoe Repair Shop In Jayton

Ross Stephens, formerly of Royston, Texas, opened a Shoe Repair Shop in Jayton, Tuesday February 11th. He is located in the Brown's Cafe building next to Fowler's Insurance office on the East side of the highway.

Mr. Stephens has had a number of years experience at shoe repairing and all his work is guaranteed.

Jayton has been in need of a good shoe repair shop since the Winter's Shoe Repair Shop burned some months ago. We know the people of Jayton will welcome this new business.

Boy Scouts Observe 37th Anniversary

Boy Scouts of this generation being trained for responsible citizenship "are the promise of men qualified to lead the peoples of the United Nations in their efforts to maintain universal peace," says Amory Houghton of Corning, New York, President of the National Council, Boy Scouts of America, in a message for Boy Scout Week, Feb. 7 to 13, marking the 37th anniversary of the organization.

Mr. Houghton's message follows: "Boy Scout Week emphasizes once again that people of different race, language, creed and politics can live and work together successfully.

"Scouting is now active in 51 countries throughout the world and a total of 4,413,139 boys and leaders are presently learning its real value. They are absorbing the meaning of cooperation, self-reliance, responsibility and leadership. They are equipping themselves with an ability to look beyond their own communities. They are dealing in realistic terms with problems that require the application of the Scout Oath—'On my honor I will do my best to help other people at all times.' The Scout is not bound by the narrow limits of his own personal world.

"This means that Scouting is making a very real and practical contribution to development of good will and understanding among the nations of the world—goals that have never been reached by any kind of short cut.

"Scouting is fundamental in its scope. It brings together into a united group those of different habits and traditions, all bound by the common law of Scouts the world over. It is significant that the free people of the world are the most anxious to cooperate in extending the usefulness of Scouting.

"The record of Scouting proves that it is an effective training ground for responsible citizenship. Scouts of the world are building for tomorrow. For future years they are the promise of men qualified to lead the peoples of the United Nations in their efforts to maintain universal peace. It is to the advantage of every community to give boys an opportunity to become Scouts."

1750 Cases Of Mumps Since January 1

Austin, Texas. — During the past few weeks there has been a general increase in the incidence of mumps throughout the State. There have been 1750 cases reported since January 1, compared with only 896 cases during the same period last year, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

Though mumps is one of the common childhood diseases, serious complications may develop, so children should be protected as much as possible from this disease. The usual control procedures such as avoidance of crowds, exclusion from school of all cases and quarantine should be followed. The family physician should always be consulted when a case occurs.

The most easily recognizable characteristic symptom of mumps is a painful swelling of the salivary glands. Sometimes there is an involvement of other portions of the body causing disturbances in the digestive, nervous, circulatory, and genito-urinary systems. The disease is usually accompanied by a temperature rise which more often than not is mild.

"The patient suffering with this disease should be isolated from other members of the family immediately upon the suspicion that mumps exists, and the family physician should be called promptly," Dr. Cox advises. "In the meantime, complete rest in bed is indicated. The doctor's orders should be followed strictly. Violating his instructions can lead to serious injury, which may permanently affect the individual's health."

Services At 6:30 Friday Evening

Due to the P. T. A. Founder's Day Banquet at the school house Friday night, services at the Methodist Church have been set for 6:30 P. M. so you may attend both, if you wish to do so.

Ex-cowboy, Rev. Bryant of Lorenzo, Texas, who is conducting the "Stewardship Revival" at the Jayton Methodist Church, is bringing some very inspirational messages each evening at 7:30. Plan now to attend the remainder of these services.

Rev. M. E. Fisher.

Cotton Growers Are Warned

Austin, Texas. — Warning cotton growers to plan 1947 operations with care, Dr. A. B. Cox, professor of cotton marketing at the University of Texas says that possible declining prices anticipated in 1947 could be the pitfall of cotton growers.

In the current Texas Business Review, published by the Bureau of Business Research, Dr. Cox writes, "The consensus is that the year 1947 will be one of declining prices both in terms of what farmers buy as well as what they sell. These declines will not be universal, they will not be uniform and they will not occur at the same time."

He estimates the carryover of cotton in the United States in August 1 will be about 3,200,000 bales, the lowest since August 1929. On August 1, 1946, the carryover was 7,522,000 bales.

Demand for cotton goods is still strong in the United States as well as throughout the world, Dr. Cox said, and there probably will be a high rate of consumption in the next 12 months.

Sing Song At Spur Church Of Christ

The monthly singing sponsored by the Churches of Christ throughout this area will meet with The Spur Church, Sunday, February 16th, at 2:30 P. M.

The public is cordially invited, and the Spur Church of Christ invites you to attend.

Many out of town singers are expected, come and enjoy this association and good singing.

Lloyd Womack.

Mrs. G. H. Brown and Ann, Mrs. L. O. Mayer and Mrs. Grady Jones had business in Rotan, Texas last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Gardner visited in Lubbock last week end.

Miss Marie Smith is now able to return to school after missing several weeks nursing two fat jaws of mumps.

Fred Jones and Gaston Jackson had business in Fort Worth and Dallas last week end.

HAVE YOU SEEN BRENDA KAY'S DOG

Brenda Kay Moore wants to know if you have seen her brown and white collie dog. The dog disappeared from its home about a week ago, answers to the name of Pal, is about a year old.

Brenda says to be sure to let her know if you have seen her dog or know where it is as it is really a "Pal" to her.

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FEBRUARY

12—Lincoln's Birthday.

13—Budapest falls to Russians, 1945.

14—St. Valentine's Day.

15—Singapore surrenders, 1942.

16—Tripoli pirates capture USS Philadelphia, 1804.

17—Suez canal opened, 1867.

18—Federalists enter Charleston, 1865.

NEW AND RENEWALS TO THE CHRONICLE

Audie Armes, Oklahoma City.
Mrs. Doss Derden, Jayton.
Mrs. Sallie Goodrich, California.

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NOTICE TO PUBLIC

Any erroneous reflection upon the reputation or standing of any individual, firm, or corporation that may appear in the columns of The Jayton Chronicle will be gladly corrected when called to our attention.

Mrs. E. E. Reynolds of Odessa, Texas spent last week end in Jayton with her parents Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen King took their daughter to Haskell to the hospital for a medical check up.

Mrs. C. M. Jay and children of Roby visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Parker last Sunday.

Mrs. Altha Patton is visiting her sister in Rotan, Texas.

Jeff Whatley went through the Scott and White Clinic last week at Temple, Texas.

Mrs. Tennie Wilson is visiting her daughter Mrs. C. C. Robinson and family in Sweetwater this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Carrell and Doylene spent last Sunday in Jayton with her father Mr. Brace Lafoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob King and daughter of Rochester, Texas spent last Sunday in Jayton with her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Wade of Lamesa, Texas spent last week end in Jayton with his parents Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Wade.

Cecil Mason of Dallas, Texas and Odell Mason of California visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Mason in Jayton last week end.

Robert Williams took his mother Mrs. J. E. Williams to Temple, Tex as last week where she went through the Scott and White Clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Mayer had business in Abilene, Texas last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Johnston had business in Fort Worth a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Van North and son were Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Mayer las Sunday.

Bake Robinson Jr., of Post, Texas, 'Red' Robinson and John Robinson of Midland, Texas were visiting friends and relatives in Jayton last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Davis and family of Lubbock, Texas are spending this week in Jayton with their parents Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Fuller and Mr. and Mrs. Walton Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kellett, Miss Almada Kellett and Miss Miriam Parks of Midland, Texas spent last week end in Jayton with Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Kellett and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Parks.

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Mrs. Mary Scoggins had business in Spur last Monday morning.

Bobby Donaldson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Donaldson broke his arm last week when he tried vaulting and fell.

The depression may not be far off, unless we do our part now. Watch our prices stumble. West Side Gulf Station, M. Yandell, Dickens, Texas.

WILL BE IN JAYTON:
I will be in and around Jayton, Monday, February 17th with the old reliable Watkins Products.
—E. H. McReynolds
Watkins Dealer, Stamford, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vincent went to Plainview, Texas last week end to visit her brother who is very ill.

Maurine Dibrell had business in Spur Monday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Hunnicutt of Chicago, Illinois were guests of his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Johnston last week end.

Mr. W. D. Vencil attended the Hardware Convention at Amarillo the first of the week.

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Eldon Wade returned to his home in Falfurrias, Texas Monday afternoon after spending a week in Jayton with his parents Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Wade.

Over half the farm land in the nation is in farms of over 500 acres.

Charlie Davis and Dick Childress left last week for Fort Worth, Texas where they will seek employment.

The average size farm in the United States is now 50 acres larger than 25 years ago, and 20 acres larger than five years ago.

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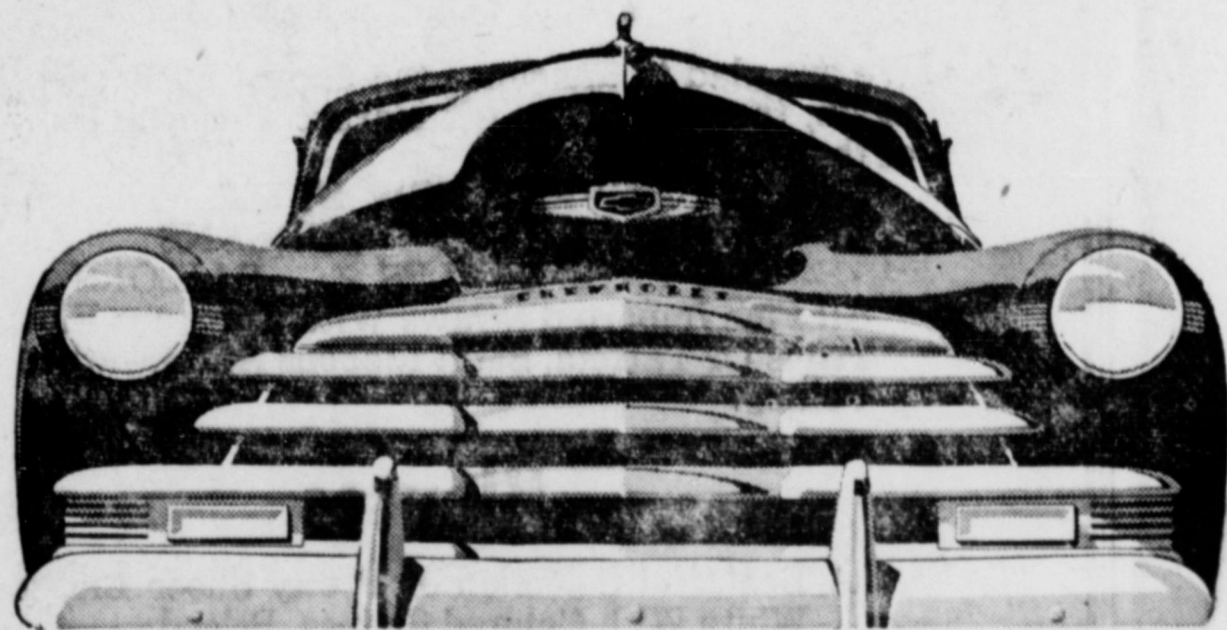
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Jayton, Texas

Phone 113



Mrs. Brodie hits the roof!

No, no, this isn't a new Atom Bomb! It's merely Mrs. Brodie, after a quiet family conference with Mr. Brodie. Mr. B. made a few sharp remarks about their family budget.

Naturally, Mrs. Brodie hit the roof! And, like the cost of living, her temper kept right on going up and UP!

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West Texas Utilities Company



E. D. HILL RECEIVES NEW POSITION

Appointment of E. D. Hill to the position of Assistant General Freight Agent for Fort Worth and Denver City and The Wichita Valley Railways, headquarters in Fort Worth, was announced today by Y. E. Juge, General Freight Agent.

Hill's railroad career began 30 years ago, in 1917. He became connected with Burlington Lines in February 1920, at the termination of the period of Federal control of America's railroads, following the end of World War I. Since that time he has served in nearly every department, having been transferred to the Traffic Department in October 1928.

His Traffic Department responsibilities have included successively, Chief Clerk, General Agent, Amarillo; Assistant Chief Rate Clerk, General Freight Office, Fort Worth; Traveling Freight and Passenger Agent; Fort Worth, Chief Clerk,

General Freight Office, Fort Worth, from which he was appointed to the position of Assistant General Freight Agent.

He will be succeeded as Chief Clerk by J. Grady May, who has been connected with Burlington Lines' Fort Worth general office, since September 1920.

FOR SALE:—

Filling Station and lot for sale in Jayton. Write Bill Logsdon, 802 West 8th St, Big Spring, Texas.

FOR SALE:—

1 five room house in Jayton. 70 acre farm five miles southwest of Jayton. Will sell for \$4700.

For further information see Ted Gallagher at Girard or J. E. Gallagher, at Jayton. If not sold by the 20th will be taken off the market.

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HIGHEST PRICES FOR EGGS

Mash, 100 lbs, pretty print, \$4.00

TOMATOES, No. 2 cans, 2 for 26c
'This Week Only'

ORANGES and GRAPEFRUIT, sack 43c

SPUDS, 10 lbs. 45c

Hy-Pro and 33 Bleach 33c

BEANS, 8 cans \$1.00

Plenty Of White Syrup

FLOUR, 25 lbs. \$1.35

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SALT, 5c 6 for 25c

BEANS, per jar 12c

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MARKET:— Visit it, see what you buy.
Grade AA Beef, Ground Beef, Round Steak, T-bone, Sirloin, Boiled Ham, Cured Ham, Sausage, plenty of Lunch Meat
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- RIB ROAST, 1 lb. 25c
- HOMINY, No. 2 1/2 can 17c
- ONION SETS, 1 gallon 50c
- COFFEE, 1 lb. pkg. 19c
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- ORANGES, 1 doz. 25c
- Grapefruit Juice, 2, No. 2 cans 25c

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