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## Dates Set For First Annual Kent County Amateur Rodeo And Race Meet

September 17, 18, 19, and 20 are the dates set for the holding of the First Annual Amateur Rodeo and Race Meet being staged at Clairemont on the Davis Grounds. Prizes and Purses amounting to nearly \$2000.00 are being offered to the contestants who participate in the events.

Rodeo events will include Calf Roping, Wild Cow Milking, Ribbon Roping, Junior Cowboy Steer Riding, Junior Calf Roping, and Cutting Horse Contests.

The Race Meet will consist of five Free Races each afternoon, all races to be run out of a starting gate. Other matched races may be scheduled later provided horsemen agree to abide by rules and regulations set forth by the management of the Rodeo and Race Meet.

Each evening after the rodeo events, a dance will be held which will offer more entertainment and enjoyment.

## W. A. Kidds Observe 50th Anniversary

Peacock. — Among the pioneer residents of Stonewall county, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kidd, who live about three miles Northwest of Peacock, celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary on August 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Kidd were married August 29, 1898, and moved about a year later to the farm where they now reside. On their 50th anniversary they were entertained by a daughter, Mrs. Van Dickerson of near Peacock, with an open house.

Among those present for the celebration were three sisters and two brothers of Mrs. Kidd, three brothers and two sisters of Mr. Kidd, eleven children, 19 grandchildren, 3 great grand children, and a host of the couple's friends.

The children of the couple include Mrs. M. L. Hill of Hamlin, Mrs. W. Smith, Mrs. Alvin Smith, and Mrs. Kidd of Jayton, Mrs. Leslie Jones, Mrs. Dickerson, Mrs. Van Oden and Joe Kidd of Peacock, Mrs. Artie Boydston of Roby, John Kidd of Old Glory, and Mrs. Arthur Gholson of Aspermont.

Mr. Kidd who is now 75, and Mrs. Kidd, 66, were presented with gold wedding rings by their children.

According to James McAteer, Manager of the Farmers Co-op. Society No. 1 Gin in Jayton, there has been 10 bales of cotton ginned as of Tuesday September 2nd.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Edwards and daughters of Dublin, Texas visited his brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. Clint Edwards last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hall and children of Eden, Texas visited Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Jones last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Aldridge Harrell of Fort Worth, Texas visited her parents Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Ramsey last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Nowell and children of Phoenix, Arizona visited Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Lee last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hicks of Temple, Texas visited Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Jones in Jayton last week.

Bob McLemore of Houston, Texas is visiting Jimmy Montgomery this week.

## Swing Of Southwest Farm Markets

(USDA)—Most southwest farm products gained strength late last week and closed steady to some higher, according to the Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

All cattle classes advanced 50 cents to \$1.00 per hundred pounds at most southwest markets last week. Choice steers at Denver reached \$32.50, a new all-time high, and the bulk of good fed kinds brought \$27 to \$30. Wichita paid \$26 to \$30 for good and choice club yearlings. Good fed steers and yearlings sold at \$26.50 to \$27 at Oklahoma City, and \$23 to \$24.50 at Fort Worth. Common and medium grades turned at \$17.50 to \$22.50 at San Antonio, and \$15 to \$21 at Houston.

Late-week gains largely made up for early losses at southwest hog markets. Closing top was \$26.75 at San Antonio; \$27.75 at Fort Worth; \$28.25 at Oklahoma City; \$28 at Wichita; and \$29.50 at Denver. Sows and pigs sold up to \$24 and \$25.

Most sheep sold firm to 50 cents higher, but aged classes weakened slightly at some terminals. San Antonio paid \$18 to \$20 for medium to just good spring lambs, while Fort Worth gave \$19.50 to \$22.50 for medium to good kinds. Good and choice grades sold at \$22.25 to \$22.75 at Wichita, and \$24 at Denver.

Eggs and poultry sold generally at firm prices last week, and top quality eggs strengthened at some markets. Best white eggs brought 50 to 55 cents per dozen at most places, best mixed 45 to 50, and medium grades 40 to 45. New Orleans bought heavy hens at 29 to 32 cents per pound, and spring chickens at 39. Most other markets took heavy hens at 22 and 26, and fryers and broilers 35 to 37.

Rains in the corn belt checked deterioration of the crop and weakened corn prices; but other grains sold strong. Wheat, oats, barley, and grain sorghums each advanced 5 to 8 cents on southwest cash markets. Wheat futures reached new high levels, and oats rose to record high prices at Chicago and Kansas City.

Rains delayed rice harvest last week, but prices held firm at highest levels in many years. Most feed prices continued steady to firm, and hay remained about unchanged as markets showed an uneasy tone. Demand for Farmers' Stock peanuts slackened, and mills paid largely government support prices. Wool markets became more active. Buyers concluded domestic wools are cheaper than Australian wools.

Spot cotton prices declined \$3.00 to \$7.50 at southwest markets last week. Demand continued good for the better grades but offerings were light. Widespread rains damaged open cotton and delayed picking but benefited young growing cotton.

Most Colorado fruits and vegetables met very good demand last week, and many shipping point prices advanced sharply. Colorado potatoes and Louisiana sweet potatoes stayed about unchanged. Most products found dull demand at Fort Worth and Denver wholesale markets, and many closed the week a little lower. Kansas City, St. Louis, and New Orleans markets had good trading with price changes small.

## Revival Meeting To Begin At Assembly Of God Church

There will be a revival meeting at the Assembly of God Church on Sunday September 14th. Rev. W. M. Bozeman of Lamesa, Texas will do the preaching for two weeks or longer.

Rev. Bozeman is a forceful preacher of the old time gospel, and we ask the co-operation of all churches and people that love God to come worship with us in these services, that lost sinners might be saved.

Our other revival meeting was cut short on the account of urgent business in the Evangelist's Church at Childress.

A cordial invitation is extended to one and all. Come, and come praying.

Tommie Sanders, Sec.  
E. O. McElyea, Pastor.

Miss Ruth Grounds of Talpa, Texas visited her sister Mrs. J. D. Ramsey last week end.

## A Story Of A Lawbreaker



Speeding through the night, the driver of this car was momentarily blinded by approaching headlights. Because he was going too fast to control his car instantly, he swerved off the highway and crashed into a telegraph pole with such force that the car was almost broken in two. He was dead when help arrived. National Conservation Bureau advises night-drivers to keep their eyes focused on the side of the road, never to look directly into headlights and—most important of all—to drive at moderate speed.

## Garza - Kent Matched Roping Sunday Afternoon

Sunday afternoon, September 7, 2:00 o'clock, at the Davis Grounds one half mile north of Clairemont there will be a matched calf roping contest between the Garza County Roping Club and the Kent County Cowboys.

This is a return match between the two roping teams. In the first contest held at Post the Kent County team won by a 5 second margin.

According to Mr. H. W. Davis there will also be a jackpot calf roping contest.

## Clairemont School To Open September 8th

The Clairemont School will open Monday, September 8th at 8:45 with Mrs. E. V. Peck and Miss Bracie Dell Lafon as teachers.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend the opening exercises.

## TEXAS HOLIDAY TOLL IS 40 HIGHWAY MISHAPS KILL 23

Texas Labor Day holiday weekend fatality toll Tuesday stood at 40 as the state and California ran a close race in leading the nation in traffic deaths.

Twenty-three of Texas' toll resulted from highway and automobile accidents. Latest reports from California gave that state a similar total.

Six Texans were drowned, three burned to death, three were shot to death, two were killed in a plane crash, one died when timber fell from a truck and struck him, another died when crushed by a wagon, and another was injured fatally when he fell from a speedboat.

Mrs. M. D. Fuller and Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Davis and children went to Salina, Kansas last Thursday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Todd and son for a few days.

Mrs. J. T. Holmes and children of Clyde, Texas visited her sister Mrs. Lee Parker and family last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Meador and son of Jal, New Mexico visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Meador last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harrison and children attended the Harrison's Reunion near Spur last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Carrel and Doyle of Stamford, Texas visited her father Mr. W. B. Lafon last week end.

Mrs. Pearl Chisum spent last week at Stamford, Texas with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Fisher and son.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hinds and Nancy had business in Abilene, Texas last Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Pearson and Clara Jo and Mrs. Wayne Beadie and Carolyn of Girard, Texas visited Mrs. Debby Taylor in Jayton last Thursday.

Mrs. Lenora Hines of California, Mrs. Bill Barnett of Post, Texas and Mrs. Mag Kennedy of Kennady Ranch near Post visited relatives in Jayton last Friday.

## Executive Board Of P. T. A. Appoints Standing Committees

The Executive Board of the Parent Teachers Association met Tuesday afternoon and appointed the following Standing Committees.

Budget and Finance: Mrs. C. R. Kelley - Chairman, Mrs. Lee Parker, Mrs. G. W. Branch, Mrs. G. H. Brown, Mrs. Med Wade and Mrs. Beryl Murdoch.

Hospitality: Mrs. W. D. Vencil - Chairman, Mrs. K. P. Brantner, Mrs. H. D. Black, Mrs. Fred Jones, Mrs. Robert Moore and Mrs. Travis Smith.

Membership: Mrs. Robert Harrison - Chairman, Mrs. L. O. Mayer, Mrs. Floyd Hall, Mrs. Bill Harrison, Mrs. Carl Vickers and Mrs. W. K. Joiner.

Program: Mrs. H. D. Black - Chairman, Mrs. Tom Fowler, Mrs. J. S. Hinds and Mrs. Merwyn Jones.

The Parent Teachers Association will have the first regular meeting Friday night September 12th at 8:00 p. m.

## Enter Livestock And Poultry Now In Texas State Fair

Dallas, Texas. — Farmers and ranchers who plan to enter livestock and poultry at the State Fair of Texas this year were urged today to get their entries into the Fair office as quickly as possible.

Although the State Fair doesn't open till Oct. 4, the deadline for Junior Livestock and Livestock Show entries is Monday, September 8th.

Livestock Manager Ray W. Wilson said that the large number of entries already received indicate one of the largest livestock shows ever held at the State Fair.

"Our show," Mr. Wilson said, "has expanded to such proportions that we need entries at the earliest possible date to facilitate final preparations for the State Fair."

The deadline for Palomino and Quarter Horse entries is Sept. 15. Altogether livestock premiums this year will total \$59,020, one of the largest amounts ever offered at the State Fair.

Entries in the State Fair's Poultry Show will be accepted up to Saturday, October 4, opening day of the State Fair. Hens to be entered in the Egg Laying Contest, however, must be entered by September 23. Deadline for Junior Poultry Show entries is September 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harrison and family left Tuesday for a short vacation at Corpus Christi and Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sewall and Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Murdoch and children returned from San Diego, California last Saturday after a two weeks visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy T. Brown of Stamford, Texas spent last Sunday in Jayton with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Parker and family.

## LOST OR STOLEN—

One near petrified knothole. If person who took this knothole from the yard of Less Matthews will return same, no charges will be pressed, in fact a liberal reward will be paid for its' return.

—Less Matthews.

## Jayton Public Schools Will Open Monday Morning September 8th

### Changes In Title And Registration Laws

Austin. — Changes in title and registration laws made by the Fiftieth Legislature will sooner or later affect all owners of motor vehicles, Texas Highway Department spokesmen say.

A number of these new laws become effective September 5.

After that date, for example, the Texas Highway Department will be required to charge a fee of \$1.00 for assigning numbers to new or reconditioned motors. A similar fee was ordered for serial numbers on house trailers.

The growing practice of installing new and rebuilt motors, some bearing no identification number, demands a strict accounting of both motor and serial numbers on vehicles to assure valid titles in the name of rightful owners.

New laws outline a procedure giving maximum protection to legal owners of all motor vehicles. When motors are exchanged, the vehicle owner must apply promptly to the Texas Highway Department for a correction of his certificate of title. Otherwise the title to his vehicle is clouded because its motor number does not correspond to his title, an awkward situation to handle when he tries to sell his car.

If the new or reconditioned motor bears a manufacturer's number, it should be used. If it is blank, as many are nowadays, the purchaser must apply directly to the Texas Highway Department at Austin for an assigned number. Forms for this application may be obtained from any County Tax Collector's office. It is illegal to stamp any number on a motor other than a number assigned by the Highway Department.

A new service has been provided for Texans who wish to take delivery on a new vehicle at the factory or from a dealer in another State. Temporary license plates for the exclusive use of buyers while driving their new car back home are now issued under another of the Fiftieth Session's new laws.

Suggested by Highway Department officials for the convenience of purchasers wishing to drive their new car back from the factory, the new law eliminates many thorny legal technicalities formerly incident to the practice.

Temporary plates, good for 30 days, can now be secured without delay at the county Tax Collector's office, and carried to the factory or other out-of-State delivery point. The owner may secure certificate of title to his new car and regular registration plates after returning to Texas.

## Jayton And Peacock To Play Softball Friday Night

Jayton and Peacock will play a softball game Friday night, September 5, under the light at the Peacock diamond.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Cobb Wade and Patsy Lou of Pecos, Texas visited Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Wade and family Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. J. H. Montgomery, John and Jimmy attended the Clark Reunion Sunday at Cisco, Texas.

Mrs. B. M. Robinson and Peggy of Post, Texas visited her sister Mrs. Lula Rice last Friday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Burton of Quitaque, Texas is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Dyer of Jayton and Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Dyer of Girard, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wade and son Stanley Grimes of Lamesa, Texas spent last Sunday in Jayton with Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Wade and family.

Mrs. Clyde Jackson and sons are visiting her sister near Spur, Texas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Maynard of near Fluvanna, Texas visited her mother Mrs. J. H. Donoho last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Branch and Jean Frances took Becky Brantner to Carlsbad, N. M. Tuesday and will visit Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brantner and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Matthews for a few days.

Jayton Public Schools will open Monday, September 8th at 9 o'clock with general assembly in the High School Auditorium.

All students will register Monday morning at 10:00 and books will be issued. Students will be dismissed at 11:30, and regular class work will begin September 9th.

There are only two Lunch Room Workers this year, Mrs. Browning and Mrs. Lewis. The first lunch will be served Tuesday September 9th.

Bus drivers are Mr. Cox and E. W. Cade. The busses will operate on schedule Monday morning.

A faculty meeting will be held Friday September 5, 9:00 a. m. It is important that all members be present.

All class rooms and furniture have been refinished and some work has been done on the Agriculture Building, Home Making Building Building and Gym.

Teachers have been placed as follows: First grade, Mrs. Ethel Florence; Second grade, Mrs. L. L. Boyles; Third grade, Mrs. John Fowler; Fourth grade, Mrs. Floyd Hall; Fifth grade, Mrs. Check Jay, also Principal of Grade School; Sixth grade, Miss Zephie Brown; 7th and 8th Arithmetic, Mrs. Check Jay; 7th and 8th Geography, Mrs. Hall; 7th Reading, Mrs. Florence; 7th English and Spelling, Mrs. Simons; 8th English and Spelling, Miss Brown; 7th and 8th History, Mrs. Boyles; 8th Civics, Mrs. Florence.

High School Teachers are as follows: J. S. Hinds, Superintendent, Math and Civics; Ulysses Herman, Principal, Typing, Bookkeeping and Coach; Ray Dunlap, Agriculture; Opal Jones, Home Making; Mrs. J. D. Simons, English; Mrs. John Fowler, World History.

## Battleship Texas To Be Brought Home

Houston, Texas. — From all over Texas, Lone Star citizens are already responding to the campaign to raise \$225,000 to bring the gallant old battleship TEXAS to a permanent berth near the San Jacinto battleground.

Contributions to the Battleship Texas Fund should be sent to Allan H. King, Treasurer, First National Bank, Houston.

Men who formerly served on the ship, which has been offered to the state by the U. S. Navy as a fitting memorial to those Texans who fought and died on the sea in World War II, have come forward to offer their services to the Battleship Texas Commission. The Commission, formed by authorization of the 50th Legislature, will begin September 15 the task of raising \$175,000 for birthing the TEXAS near San Jacinto battleground and an additional \$50,000 for one year's maintenance. It is believed that after the first year maintenance costs can be raised by sightseeing admission charges.

Just as in 1830, when the American public, aroused by Oliver Wendell Holmes' poem "Old Ironsides", saved the U. S. S. Constitution from scrapheap, Texans have come forward to save the old TEXAS for posterity.

"Come on, TEXAS" became the rallying cry for the old battleship and her crew during World Wars I and II, and "Come on, Texas" is the motto as Texans respond to the campaign to save the ship the entire state is proud of. It was the crew of the battleship NEW YORK which first gave the cheer "Come on, Texas", when the sister ship lay hard aground off Block Island, in 1917. Just when it seemed that the TEXAS might be permanently grounded, with tugs and her own engines straining to no avail, the crew of the NEW YORK alongside started the cry "Come on, Texas". A moment later the old ship, then the recently commissioned pride of the fleet, quivered and came free to go on to a brilliant combat record with the U. S. fleet.

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### ALMANAC

Happy is the house that shelters a friend.

SEPTEMBER

- 1—Britain and France declare war on Germany, 1939.
- 2—Henry Hudson discovered Manhattan, 1609.
- 3—First Continental Congress assembled in Philadelphia, 1774.
- 4—Battle of the Marne, 1914.
- 5—Boulder dam began operation, 1936.
- 6—Italy surrendered to the Allies, 1943.
- 7—California admitted to Union, 1850.

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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.

**NOTICE OF COMMISSIONERS COURT OF KENT COUNTY, TEXAS TO LEASE FOR MINERAL DEVELOPMENT PURPOSES, LANDS BELONGING TO THE PERMANENT SCHOOL FUND OF KENT COUNTY, TEXAS SITUATED IN DAWSON AND MARTIN COUNTY, TEXAS.**

NOTICE is hereby given by the Commissioners' Court of Kent County, Texas, a political subdivision of the State of Texas, as Commissioners and Commissioners Court of such political subdivision which are by law constituted with the management, control and supervision of such subdivision, and by previous order of such Commissioners' Court, duly entered upon the minutes of said court, the said Court, in its discretion, determined that it is and was advisable to make a lease of all or any portion of the lands belonging to the Permanent School Fund of Kent County, Texas, situated in Dawson and Martin Counties, Texas for mineral development purposes, said land described as follows, to-wit:

All of Labors Nos. seven (7) and eight (8); League No. 263, Kent County School Land, being situated in Dawson and Martin Counties, Texas.

All of Labors Nos. two (2), three (3), four(4), five (5); League No. 264, Kent County School Land, being situated in Dawson and Martin Counties, Texas.

All of Labors Nos. seven (7) and eight (8), League No. 264, being situated in Martin County, Texas.

All of Labors Nos. 4, 7, 10, 14, 17, 19, 24, and 25; League No. 265, and all of Labors No. 6, League No. 266, being situated in Dawson County, Texas.

This notice is therefore given in accordance with Art. 5400a, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, that the Commissioners Court of Kent County, Texas intends to lease the above described lands for mineral development purposes, and this is to give notice of its intention to lease such lands above described, or any portion of the same. This notice to be published in a newspaper of Kent, Dawson, and Martin Counties, once a week for a period of three consecutive weeks.

Notice is hereby given that after such publication, the Commissioners Court of Kent County, Texas, on the 15th day of September, A. D. 1947 at 10:00 A. M., at the Court-house of Kent County, Texas, at Clairemont, Texas in the office of the County Judge of Kent County, Texas, will receive and consider bids for such mineral leases as such Commissioners Court may determine to make. The Commissioners Court of Kent County, Texas, in its discretion shall award the lease to the highest and best bidder submitting a bid therefor, provided however the Commissioners Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids, if in the judgement of the Commissioners Court of Kent County, Texas, the bids submitted do not represent a fair value of such leases.

Notice is also hereby given that on the above date, to-wit: September 15, 1947, at 10:00 A. M. at the place above mentioned, a public hearing and consideration of said bids will be held. Said Commissioners Court reserves the right to approve the form of the lease to be used and the term of years said lease is to run.

E. V. PEEK  
County Judge, Kent County, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob King and family of Rochester, Texas visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Robinson last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Matthews and children of Peacock, Texas visited his mother Mrs. Bill Matthews last week.

Mrs. Lena Vickers has returned home after visiting her son George Vickers and wife near Gallup, New Mexico. George was married June 26th at Deming, New Mexico. She also visited her son Albert at Seminole, Texas and her daughter Mrs. Ollie Miller at Monahans, Texas.

Mrs. G. M. Brown is visiting relatives in Longview, Texas this week.

## "MICKY" AND HIS GANG

By Sam Iger



Mr. and Mrs. Travis Smith and family and Mrs. Jack Myers of Aubrie returned home last Thursday after vacationing in Tucson, Arizona with Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Nowell.

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- PINTO BEANS, No. 2 can ..... 10c
- BEE BRAND and D. D. T. FLY SPRAY, 1 qt. .... 40c
- PICKLED PIG FEET, 1 qt. .... 45c
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## Farmer Co-op Society No. 1

Jayton, Texas

James McAteer, Mgr.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen King and children of Weatherford, Texas visited Mr. and Mrs. T. L. King and Mr. W. B. Lafon in Jayton last week end.

Boyce Kenady of Lockney and Mrs. J. R. Teaver of Plainview visited their mother Mrs. C. S. Kenady in Jayton the first of the week.

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Jayton, Texas

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- PICKLES, Sour, 1 qt. .... 29c
- RIB ROAST, AA, 1 lb. .... 25c
- BRAN FLAKES, 40%, large box .... 10c
- COFFEE, Chase and Sanborn, lb. .... 39c
- TEA, June Blossom, 1/2 lb. .... 25c
- FRUITO, Sweetened, 6 bottles .... 25c
- PAPER TOWELS, 1 roll .... 15c

## Hall Grocery

## CROSSWORD PUZZLE

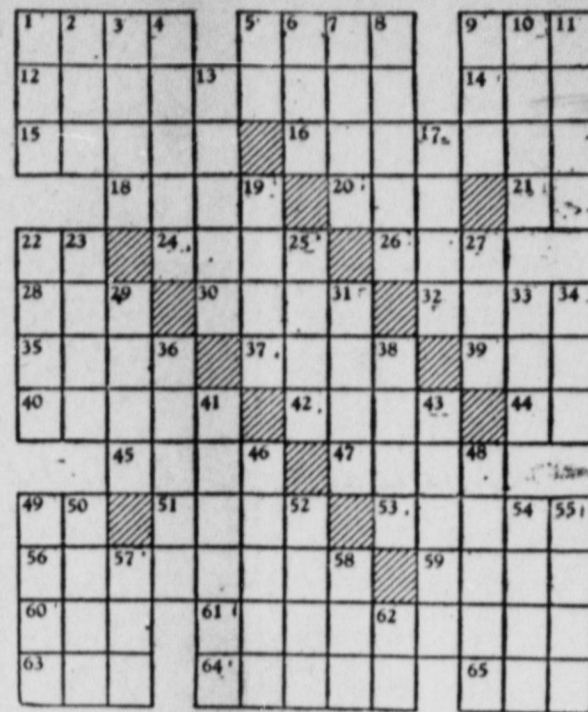
Horizontal

- 1 Persia
- 5 Goddess of the rainbow
- 9 Slang: vigor
- 12 State of being evil
- 14 Period of time
- 15 Aspect
- 16 Streamer
- 18 Submerged
- 20 To low
- 21 What?
- 22 Symbol for Iridium
- 24 Tune
- 28 To obstruct
- 29 To steal from
- 30 Unsubstantial
- 32 To throw
- 35 On the summit of
- 37 Row
- 39 Teamster's command
- 40 Group of Polynesian islands
- 42 To trudge
- 44 Note of scale
- 45 Post for securing hawsers
- 47 Composition in verse
- 49 Colloquial: father
- 51 Learning
- 53 To remain suspended in a liquid
- 56 Privilege
- 59 Story
- 60 Ocean
- 61 Denies
- 63 Conjunction
- 64 Contract
- 65 To appoint

Vertical

- 1 Mischivous child
- 2 High school cheer
- 3 Cry of sorrow
- 4 Effort
- 5 Preposition
- 6 To tear
- 7 Entry
- 8 Ecclesiastical council
- 9 Edible seed

Solution in Next Issue.



No. 25

- 10 Sea eagle
- 11 Footway
- 13 Birthplace of Columbus
- 17 Builder of the ark
- 19 To unite
- 22 Cleopatra's maid
- 23 List
- 25 Firm grasp
- 27 Drinking cup
- 29 Metal sheel filled with explosives
- 31 To bark shrilly
- 33 Color
- 34 Constellation
- 36 French soldier
- 38 Shelter
- 41 Having no tonal quality
- 43 Space enclosed by the mouths of a river
- 46 Clan
- 48 Trenches around castles
- 49 City in Italy
- 50 So be it
- 52 Heating apparatus
- 54 To the sheltered side
- 55 Examination
- 57 Insane
- 58 Affirmative
- 62 Earthgoddess

Answer to Puzzle Number 24



Series H-47

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Anderson of Petersburg, Texas were seeing friends in Jayton Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Robert Bybee and daughter and Mrs. Ray Smith and son visited Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Graham at Aspermont, Texas Monday.

## COTTON QUIZ



### 34 MILLION TURKEYS

College Station. — U. S. farmers now have 34 million turkeys on the farm, and although that sounds like a lot of meat, it's 16 percent less than last year's production.

About 3,681,000 of those birds are in Texas, which is being ranked out of another first place by California, where almost 4 million turkeys are being raised.

All but three states in the union show decreases in turkeys raised compared with a year ago, according to USDA's Bureau of Agricultural Economics. The decrease, says the bureau, is due to unfavorable price relationships, usually large storage stocks toward the end of last season, high feed costs and the uncertainty of 1947 turkey prices.

Texas turkey raisers have 13 percent less birds than in 1946, when at this time of year there were better than 4,231,000 turkeys in the state.

### SALESMEN WANTED

WANTED AT ONCE—Rawleigh Dealer in nearby County. Write Rawleigh's, Dept. TXI-389-F, Mem-

Almost three-fourths of Texas' 170 million acres are in forests and grasslands.



Have been getting so many invitations to speak and it costs to jump around over the state and my work suffers back in the office, so your columnist has had to begin to make a moderate charge (depending on distance) for speeches. We appreciate what we have to pay something for, as a general rule. Speeches made recently or soon to be made include: National Peanut Council; National Editorial Association; "ladies' night" of numerous civic clubs; annual dinners of the Chamber of Commerce in Lampasas, Tulla, Nocona and Schulenburg. Then the high school Commencement addresses range from Peecos to San Augustine with Bastrop, Midland, Santa Anna and Roscoe between.

Seen "The Jolson Story" yet? It's a mighty fine picture. Jolson wanted to get close to his audience, he wanted to see their faces, and he lived to sing.

Jolson sang because he wanted to—because he had to, because of some insistant demand within him, just as a bird sings or a flower blooms—because that is what the bird or the flower was created for.

A visitor in Hannibal, Mo., met an old-timer and asked him, "Did you know Mark Twain?" The native replied, "Yes, I did; and I know as many stories as he did; only difference is he writ 'em down."

Fritz Kreisler was going to give a concert and the newspapers wrote up the \$50,000 Stradivarius he owned. On the night of the concert, he came out and gave a number superbly. He bowed again and again at the applause; then held up the violin and the audience applauded the instrument; then he snapped the violin into a dozen pieces. It was not the costly "Strad" but just a violin he had picked up for \$5. It's not the instrument but the artist—bains, fingers and soul expressing itself through the instrument—that is most important.

### MILK AFTER FIFTY

College Station. — A pint of milk a day is a must if older people are to keep healthy and active, say food specialists of Texas A. and M. College Extension Service. Men and women in their fifties, sixties, and seventies often overlook milk in their diets, a neglect that deprives bones of necessary minerals.

To help furnish enough calcium, protein and phosphorus for the proper upkeep of their bodies, a daily pint of milk is the minimum, say the specialists. A condition of demineralization of the skeleton may come from too little calcium in the diet and often leads to broken bones in later years. Some investigators have suggested that many a fall, which supposedly results in a bone break, is actually due to weakened bones which break and cause the person to fall.

Relatively little is known of the nutritional needs of the older age group, the specialists report, and state experiment stations are making studies aimed at correct dietary recommendations. Recent studies do show that older people have not lost their ability to store calcium and other minerals and that their diets should include milk.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Dixon and family of Fort Worth, Texas spent last week end in Jayton visiting friends and relatives.

Buyers of farms have paid cash in more than half the farm purchases made in each of the last 3 years.

Farm real estate values for the country as a whole increased two percent during the four months ending July 1, 1947.

Last year, each farmer in the United States spent an average of \$270 on clothing for himself and his family.

Mrs. L. O. Mayer and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hill went to Marlin, Texas last Saturday to be with their father, Mr. Schlinder, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Jackson took their son Bobby to Lubbock Tuesday where he was to undergo an operation at the Lubbock Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Brown and Ann had business in Rotan, Texas Wednesday.

Nannie Beth Rice left Tuesday or Austin, Texas where she will teach school.

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# Your Week

SEPTEMBER 1-7

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Mrs. Ira Lee and children of Odessa, Texas visited her mother Mrs. Bill Matthews last week.

Mrs. Mary Scogins and Glenn Spradling attended a District AAA Meeting at Aspermont, Texas Wednesday.

Faye Stephens of Temple, Texas spent last week end in Jayton with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hall.

Miss Zephie Brown spent last week end in Wienert, Texas with Syble Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cox of Carlsbad, New Mexico visited her father Mr. Jack Harrison last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Smith and family had as their week end guests: Mr. and Mrs. Avery Lee and son and Mrs. Tom Russell and girls of Lufkin, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Smith and daughter of Hart, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wheeler, Jack and T. B. of Olton, Texas; Mrs. Odis Reese and family and Mr. and Mrs. Lennie Smith of Plainview, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Robertson of Golden Pond; Mr. Glen Smith of Swenson, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bybee and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith of Jayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bush and family of Lubbock, Texas spent last Sunday in Jayton with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rice.

## JAYTON CEMETERY ASSOCIATION REPORT

By Ada Lou Joiner, Secretary

Donations:  
 Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gallagher \$5.00  
 Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Donoho 5.00  
 Joe Hagins 5.00  
 Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hall 4.00  
 I. M. Allen 1.00  
 Mrs. W. L. Matthews 2.50  
 Mr. and Mrs. Grover Little 10.00  
 Lot sold to C. C. Gallagher 12.30

Due Mr. Cox on back salary \$45.00  
 August Salary 47.00  
 August Salary 50.00

## PALOMINOS AND QUARTER HORSES AT STATE FAIR OF TEXAS

Dallas, Texas. — Speedy, intelligent Quarter Horses and graceful golden Palominos from every section of Texas and the Southwest will compete for top honors and \$6,000 in premiums during the 1947 State Fair of Texas, October 4-19.

First of the two spectacular horse shows is the Palomino Show, Oct. 4-10. In this event golden horses will demonstrate the skill, grace, and beauty which inspire their popularity on both range and bridle path, at halter and in a variety of performance classes. Halter classes are to be judged on Oct. 5, with performance show judging following on Oct. 6 and 7.

Quarter Horses will be on parade from Oct. 11 till Oct. 19. The speed, maneuverability and alertness to command of the range country's top ranking cow horses will be judged on Oct. 17 for halter classes and Oct. 18 and 19 for performance show events.

Prize money amounting to \$3,000 for each show has been set up by the State Fair of Texas. Entries for Palominos and Quarter Horses close September 15, according to Livestock Manager Ray W. Wilson.

The two events have attracted nation-wide interest. Entries received indicate that Palomino and Quarter Horse breeders from every section of Texas and from many other states will be taking advantage of one of the largest show audiences ever assembled, an anticipated State Fair attendance of two million persons, Mr. Wilson said.

C. C. Neely and children of near McAdoo, Texas visited his daughter Mrs. Lee Parker and family last week end.

Mrs. E. V. Peek and Mrs. C. R. Kelley took Rhoda Lou to Denton, Texas Tuesday to enter the fall semester at North Texas State Teachers College.



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Saturday

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Saturday Nite Prevue, Sunday - Monday

CARY GRANT and INGRID BERGMAN in  
 "NOTORIOUS!"

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY

W. C. Fields, Edgar Bergen and Charley McCarthy in  
 "YOU CAN'T CHEAT AN HONEST MAN"

THURSDAY and FRIDAY

Ray MILLAND, Teresa WRIGHT and Brian DONLEVY in  
 "THE TROUBLE WITH WOMEN"