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Swing Of Southwest Farm Markets

(USDA) — Southwest farm markets maintained generally firm to higher trends last week, according to the Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Grain markets reached new high levels and remained strong throughout the week. Principal strengthening factors included unfavorable condition of the winter wheat crop, short European supplies, and rapidly diminishing domestic feed grains for the coming heavy winter feeding season. Texas wheat closed Friday at \$3.27 1/2.

Activity in southwest cotton markets continued brisk during the week. Farmers offered freely in most sections, as prices advanced around \$7.50 per bale.

Eggs and poultry sold steady to firm the past week in good holiday demand. Current receipt of eggs brought 47 to 50 cents per dozen at Dallas and Fort Worth and a little more at Denver and New Orleans. Most markets brought turkeys close to support levels. Heavy hens brought mostly 24 to 26 cents but New Orleans paid 30.

Cattle sold generally steady to 50 cents higher compared to a week earlier, the only notable exception being a net loss of 25 to 50 cents at Denver on steers and yearlings, which continued scarce at all markets. Common and medium cows brought from \$12 to \$15 at Texas markets, and \$14 to \$17 at Oklahoma City. Denver paid \$15 to \$19.50 for common to good kinds. Canners and cutters moved at \$9.50 to \$12.50 at Texas markets and up to \$13.50 at other southwest terminals.

Sheep prices rose 50 cents at most markets, and lambs gained around \$1.50 at Oklahoma City and Wichita. Good and choice lambs sold at \$22.50 to \$23 at Oklahoma City and \$23.25 to \$23.75 at Denver. Medium and good lambs brought \$18 to \$21 at San Antonio and \$19 to \$22.50 at Fort Worth.

Wool and mohair remained quiet, but some mohair sold at Junction, Texas at 73 cents for kid and 53 for adult hair, while San Angelo paid three cents less.

Hogs lost 25 to 50 cents per hundred for the week at most southwest markets but Oklahoma City netted a little gain. Closing top on butchers stood at \$25.25 at San Antonio and Wichita, \$25.75 at Fort Worth and Oklahoma City, and \$26.25 at Denver. Sows brought \$22 to \$23 at San Antonio and \$23.50 to \$24.75 elsewhere.

Wet fields slowed harvesting in the Lower Rio Grande Valley most of the week. Light vegetable loadings found better request but citrus demand waned. Fort Worth wholesale trade maintained mostly steady tones. Colorado onions and potatoes held about steady at principal shipping points. Colorado celery and Texas bunched carrots sold well at Denver. Few sweet potatoes moved in dull trade from Louisiana, where prolonged rainy weather hampered field work and damaged beans and other crops.

Rice markets maintained a steady tone during the past week. Larger offerings of hay met generally active demand at firm prices. Clearing skies gave promise of renewed peanut picking after recent rain delayed and damaged the crop.

Helen Welch spent the Thanksgiving holidays at Vera, Texas with her parents.

Mrs. C. V. Wright left Thursday for Denison, Texas.

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DECEMBER

- 1—Illinois admitted to Union, 1818.
- 2—Washington bid farewell to his officers, 1783.
- 3—Santa Claus day in Holland.
- 4—American anti-slavery society organized, 1833.
- 5—Japanese attacked Pearl Harbor, 1941.
- 6—Congress declared state of war with Japan, 1941.
- 7—Italy starts war on Ethiopian people, 1934.

Kent County Well Flows 6.5 Barrels Hourly On Test

Midland. — Humble Oil and Refining company No. 2 Irene Elkins, southeast stepout to production in the Polar field in southwest Kent county, and 1,980 feet from north and west lines of section 37, block 5, H. and GB survey, had tested for 6.5 barrels of oil per hour flowing, after the section at 7,855-7,903 feet had been treated with 500 gallons of acid. The flowing test continued for ten hours.

Operator has dismissed the drilling rig and is preparing to complete the well and put it on production.

Silent Guest Plan Begins Operation

That traditional "big heart" of which Texans to often boast was evidenced again to Governor Beauford Jester during the early part of this week when an almost continuous flow of checks and money orders for the American Silent Guest Plan began to reach his office.

The plan, which was launched in Texas Thanksgiving Day, is part of a nation-wide program designed to help the hungry people of war-ravaged Europe. It is sponsored by the chief executives in each of the 48 states and is supported by all religious denominations.

Texans have been asked by Governor Jester to invite one "Silent Guest" — a war orphan, a widow, or an old person in distress — into their home to share a meal, and then, to mail a check or money order in amount that such a meal would cost. Cash contributions and material gifts cannot be handled in this particular project.

These checks and money orders would be made payable to the American Silent Guest Committee and sent in care of the Governor's Office, Austin, Texas.

The Committee has chosen CARE to handle its funds. Composed of 27 major relief agencies, CARE delivers goods in 15 European countries, on order from individuals and groups here. Almost a million and a half tons of food can be released immediately by this organization if the American people give their support through the Silent Guest program.

Checks and money orders reaching the Governor's Office the early part of the week were in amounts ranging from \$1 to \$55.

NEWS FROM THE CLAIREMONT BUBBLE CLUB

The Clairemont Bubble Club met Tuesday night, November 25th in the home of Mrs. E. V. Peck.

We had three new members as follows: Jimmy Byrd, Buster Peck, and Benny Jim Mayfield.

A nice time was enjoyed by everyone and hot chocolate and cookies were served to the following: T. F. Baze, Helen Abercrombie, Merle Medly, Johnnie Rodgers, C. T. Seagin, Janice Rodgers, Barbara Scogin, Louise Kirkendall, Weldon Carriker, Donnie Carriker, Wanda Peck, Dan Baze, Jimmy Byrd, Wanda Fay Peck, Buster Peck, Paula Jane King, Benny Jim Mayfield and Charlene Peck.

NEW AND RENEWAL SUBSCRIBERS TO THE JAYTON CHRONICLE

H. F. Smith, Sweetwater, Texas; Jim Barkley, Clairemont, Texas; O. V. Healer, Jayton, Texas; J. D. Simons, Azle, Texas; Gerald Fincher, Girard, Texas and Lee Harrison, Dallas, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen King and family of Weatherford, Texas spent last week end in Jayton with Mr. and Mrs. T. L. King.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Moore and children and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Carriker and daughter went to Stephenville, Texas last Wednesday to visit Mrs. J. W. Moore.

Faye Davis of Austin, Texas spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Jayton with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Walton Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Wright of Spur spent Sunday in Jayton with their parents Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones left last Wednesday for Ballinger to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hembree and children and then on to Bryan to visit Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jones and family and Mr. and Mrs. Newton Lewis and family.

Johnson - Chisum Vows Read

Wedding vows for Sammie Sue Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Johnson of Jayton, and James Franklin Chisum, son of Mrs. Pearl Chisum of Jayton, were read at 8:15 Saturday evening, November 29th, at Aspermont, Texas.

The Rev. M. E. Fisher, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Aspermont, read the ceremony.

The young couples only attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Cheyze of Jayton.

The bride wore a beige dress with brown accessories. Her attendant wore an aqua dress with brown accessories.

Mr. and Mrs. Chisum are well known in Jayton.

Mrs. Chisum is a 1947 graduate of the Jayton High School.

Mr. Chisum spent some four years in the army. A greater part of that time being spent over seas in Italy.

The couple plan to make their home at Tulia, Texas.

Cottonseed Production Goes Upward

Austin, Texas. — Cottonseed production in Texas took giantlike strides in October, vaulting 67 per cent above crushings in September. The University of Texas Bureau of Business Research revealed.

Gins and mills all over the State were buzzing as Texas bumper crop started rolling. The United States Department of Agriculture anticipated the biggest Texas cotton crop since 1937, forecasting production of 3,250,000 bales pointing to continued vigor in mill and gin activity.

Receipts of cottonseed at the mills shot upward 76 per cent during the month were twice as large as September's stocks and more than doubled their October 1946 mark.

Despite the imposing September-October rise in production and the fact that receipts have doubled each month since July, the Bureau's seasonally-adjusted index of cottonseed crushings reached only 78, slightly more than three-fourths of prewar (1935-39) production totals.

To Be Closed On Saturdays

Veterans administration contact offices will no longer be open for business on Saturdays after the thirtieth of December, according to an announcement by Robert W. Sisson, Manager, West Texas VA region.

VA contact offices in this region are located at Borger, Amarillo, Childress, Lubbock, Abilene, San Angelo, Big Spring, Odessa and El Paso.

Veterans and their dependents are invited to contact the office any day from Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:00 AM to 4:45 PM.

"It is deeply regretted that it has become necessary to close the VA contact offices on Saturdays, but under Civil Service regulations our work-week has been limited to 40 hours," Sisson said.

Mrs. J. H. Montgomery had as her guests for Thanksgiving Mr. and Mrs. John Gilbert and John of Ranger, Texas; Lanuil Gilbert of Austin, Texas; Mrs. Earl Rutherford of Putman, Texas; and Mrs. H. V. Vittitow of Rotan, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Smith of Sweetwater, Texas spent last week in Jayton with their daughters Mrs. Raldo Goodall and Mrs. H. K. Kearney.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hunnicutt of Pampa, Texas were visiting in Jayton Monday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Garnett and daughter of Tucumcari, New Mexico are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. Bob Barbee.

Almeda Kellett and Miriam Parks of Midland, Texas spent last week end in Jayton with relatives.

Thos. P. Johnston of Spur, Texas was a business visitor in Jayton Monday.

C. W. Fincher of Girard had business in Jayton Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Cox had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cox and children of Pampa, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. T. D. McKloney of Spur, Texas; Mrs. Claude Johnson, Bobby Elbert Hamilton and Bill McKinney of Abilene, Texas; and Mr. and Mrs. Mabrey McAteer and Helen of Stamford, Texas.

Shoults - Tallett Wed November 29th

Miss Betty Sue Shoults and Mr. George Tallett were united in marriage Saturday morning, November 29th, at the home of Mrs. Mack McClusky in Forsan, Texas with Rev. Don McClain reading the single ring ceremony.

The bride wore a white wool dress with gold sequin trim. She also wore a cameo neckless ann bracelet, a present from the groom.

Those attending were the bride's aunts and her mother, Mrs. Loyd Womack of Spur, Texas.

After a short honeymoon the couple will be at home at Big Spring, Texas where Mr. Tallett is employed as a machinist for the T. P. Railroad Company.

Health Notes From Austin

Austin. — All children should be immunized against diphtheria at a very early age, according to a statement on the subject released this week by the Texas State Department of Health, explaining that toxoid, which can be administered easily and without danger, can safeguard youngsters against this serious and killing disease of childhood.

Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, urges all Texas parents to have their children, who are not already protected, immunized at once.

"The administration of toxoid can save a child from serious illness or even death and those who have not been safeguarded against this danger should be inoculated immediately," Dr. Cox said.

"Babies should be immunized by the age of eight or nine months," Dr. Cox advised. Authorities on the care of infants recommend a first dose by the age of eight or nine months, and sometimes as early as six months. A second dose is usually given later.

To maintain complete immunity, Dr. Cox said that a reinforcing dose of toxoid is advised when a child is old enough to enter school if a Schick test reveals the need of one. Children who enter school or kindergarten this year without this additional safeguard or without ever having been immunized certainly should be protected without any further delay the State Health Officer declared.

Ground Soaking Rain Falls Wednesday

A rain which started early Wednesday morning and continuing all day until about 7:00 p. m., measured 1.25 inches according to J. W. Sewall, local foreman of the Highway Department.

The rain fell slow and steady most of the day with intermittent hard showers.

Baptist W.M.U. News

The Baptist W. M. U. met Monday, December 1st, for our business day, Lottie Moon Week of prayer and Christmas missionary offering. We had a wonderful day and appreciated the unexpected visitors from Girard very much.

We will begin a campaign for used clothing and shoes for the needy people in Europe. This is being done almost everywhere and we surely want to do our part. Any clean used clothing and shoes will be greatly appreciated.

Since we do not have a pastor here now, these things may be left with any of the ladies of the church and they will be gathered up next week. So, clean out your closets and have them ready.

Our regular meeting next Monday will be postponed until Tuesday so some of the members can attend the meeting at Aspermont on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Truden of Marfa, Texas spent last week in Jayton with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Vincent.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Fowler and children spent Thanksgiving at Comanche, Texas with her mother Mrs. Jenkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Reeves and Bob and Mrs. Ellen Rich returned home last Sunday after spending a week in the valley and Old Mexico.

Mrs. G. H. Huls of Stamford, Texas visited friends in Jayton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Limely of Lubbock, Texas visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. K. P. Brantner last week end.

President Urges Americans To Buy Christmas Seals

Washington, D. C. (Special)—Exploring the "needless waste of lives" from tuberculosis, President Truman is urging Americans to join the fight against this disease by buying and using Christmas Seals.

President Truman opened the 41st annual Christmas Seal Sale of the National Tuberculosis Association and its 3,000 affiliates by accepting the first sheet of the 1947 Seals from Secretary of Commerce W. Averell Harriman at the White House.

Residents of communities all over the country received seals in their mail Monday. The Seal Sale, to raise funds to support the tuberculosis control work of the associations, will continue until Christmas.

The President's complete statement follows:

"It is heartening to learn that the death rate from tuberculosis is continuing to decline in the United States, but this fact should not give us a false sense of security.

"Hard work has forced the death rate down. More hard work, based on intelligent planning, is necessary to keep it down. We need no other reminder of this than the spectacular rise in tuberculosis morbidity and mortality in Europe when controls were of necessity relaxed during the war.

"Even in this country we have no right to be proud of our progress. I am told that 50,000 Americans die annually from tuberculosis. Yet tuberculosis is a preventable disease and we cannot relax our efforts to control it in the face of this needless waste of lives.

"All of us can contribute to the success of these efforts through buying Christmas Seals. These Seals, on sale from November twenty-fourth to Christmas, are the sole support of the National Tuberculosis Association and its affiliates in their year-round, nationwide campaign to control tuberculosis. We are effectively joining the fight against tuberculosis when we buy and use Christmas Seals."

ROOTS GET A BOOST

The modern emphasis on the "lighter" vegetables, such as leafy greens and tomatoes, has caused many housewives to neglect the sturdy root vegetable, once a regular in cold weather meals.

Many of these vegetables can be used to a good advantage in family meals this fall and winter, while cereal foods and meats are critical. Louise Mason, extension food preparation specialist for Texas A and M College, says that they offer good food energy along with varying amounts of minerals and vitamins plus bulk which helps to give that "satisfied" feeling.

Sweetpotatoes rank first in energy value and contribute an important amount of vitamin A and some vitamin C. Irish potatoes have about two-thirds as much energy as the sweetpotato plus some vitamin C value. Both kinds can be used in many ways to replace flour and other grain foods.

Some of the old-fashioned vegetables are less appreciated. Salsify or "vegetable oyster" and parsnips rank along with white potatoes in energy value. Onions are next in order, although most people think of them only as a flavoring. Carrots, beets, rutabagas and turnips are all good energy foods, although not as high in value.

With the exception of beets, all these vegetables are useful in making a little meat go a long way, either in stews, casseroles, meat pies, scallops or creamed dishes. The main thing to remember is that they lose flavor, color and appetizing texture, if over cooked.

REV. C. C. BEATY TO PREACH SUNDAY

Rev. C. C. Beaty will preach at the 11:00 hour Sunday morning at the Jayton Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Davis of Lubbock, Texas spent Thanksgiving in Jayton with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Walton Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Pugh of Jayton and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pugh of Levelland, Texas went to Dallas last Friday to attend the funeral of their brother, J. H. Pugh, who passed away Thursday at 2 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Garrett had as their guests over the week end Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Garrett and children of Itasca, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Bud Garrett and Blanche, and Mrs. Dan Corley and children of Lamesa, Texas.

The Way It Looks Now To U. S. Economists

College Station. — On the basis of present information, Texas farmers and ranchmen now planning their 1948 operations can look forward to their farm prices averaging about the same as 1947 but, with farm operating costs a little higher, the resulting net income will be moderately lower.

That's the word that Tyrus R. Timm, extension economist for Texas A. and M. College, brought back from the Outlook conference in Washington, D. C. where economists from the U. S. Department of Agriculture as well as representatives from the states met recently to discuss the agricultural situation and outlook.

Contributing to the lower income will be the likelihood of smaller crop production in some areas and a slight reduction in livestock numbers. But price-wise on the things farmers sell, it looks pretty good.

Two major Texas farm groups will do well to exercise a little caution in their activities. The first is the fruit and vegetable growers. No sharp declines are expected for fruits and vegetables as a whole; however the foundation for the price structure in these commodities does not seem nearly as steady as it is in the livestock grain and cotton enterprises. The second group is composed of those livestock and poultry producers who operate largely "out of the bag". Some of them may get caught by rising feed prices.

Of course, Timm says, uncertainty about prices of farm products is greater for the second half of 1948 than for the first. The size and condition of 1948 crops, not only in the United States but abroad as well, will affect prices later in the year.

Expenditures abroad under the Marshall Plan or its equivalent, plus full employment in this country constitutes the more important elements in the economic picture for next year and for several years to come. These two activities mean strong consumer demand.

The economist suggest that farmers and ranchmen not only observe supply and demand factors, but particularly watch the hearings and actions of Congress as it goes back into session in January. It will also pay them to keep up with the developments on State Department policies in carrying out assistance programs to foreign countries. Government policy in 1948, he says, may dominate the agricultural outlook for a number of the basic agricultural commodities.

Timm says the agricultural outlook is not just guess-work. The fact that U. S. Department of Agriculture statisticians and economists worry with a lot of facts and figures seems to have paid off for the farmers. Since 1923, the USDA has published an agricultural outlook each year, largely so farmers would have an even break on knowing current conditions. A ten-year check before the war showed that the predictions made by the outlook averaged about 81 percent correct. The peak year on prediction was 1929, when the average was 87 percent.

Timm would like to give a word of warning. When prices do begin to settle, it is very likely that agricultural prices will settle first. When that happens, farmers will realize more than they do now that taxes and many other fixed costs have gone up. These costs, he says, will come down more slowly than prices. Fixed expenses, including the interest and repayment charges of indebtedness, will constitute a heavy burden when the income is not as high as it is now. Texas farmers and ranchmen will do well to remember that American farmers have yet to come out winners from an inflationary period.

C. H. Byrd of Lamesa, Texas had business in Jayton Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Montgomery had business in Lubbock, Texas last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Purvis SoRelle and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Ladell McAteer at Stamford, Texas last week.

Mrs. M. D. Fuller had business in Lubbock, Texas last Saturday.

Purvis SoRelle, John Martin Johnson went deer hunting at Mason, Tex last week end.

Ulyss Herman was called to Birthwright, Texas last Wednesday to be with his father who is ill.

Larry Dean Wright spent Thanksgiving in Spur with Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Wright.

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NOTICE TO PUBLIC

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BOYCE HOUSE



It has been eight years since your columnist went to Hollywood to help a little in the making of "Boom Town"—but, like, Irvin S. Cobb concerning his operation, I like to talk about it. Recently, the film was re-issued and has been going the rounds again.

My contract with Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer was for a minimum of two

weeks and I figured that would be the maximum, too, because they'd find out how little I knew by that time. Instead, I was there four months (until all the writing had been completed) I was there so long I got scared I'd lose my Texas citizenship.

At the first story conference, I happened to mention that I noticed a world's champion was going to fight in Los Angeles next night—so an hour afterward, the secretary of producer Jack Conway phoned me that if I would call at the box office of the fight club, there would be two ringside seats for me.

Sure enough, there were—\$6.60 apiece was what they cost the generous Conway. I had two tickets to a world's championship bout—

I didn't know a soul in the city. Looking around, I noticed a well dressed

man off to one side, so I said, "I'll be glad to give you a ticket to the fight." He didn't even grunt—just turned and walked off.

So I went in by myself and sat in one of the seats for half the program, then moved over and sat in the other seat for the rest of the evening.

Folks out there on the street are so distrustful of strangers you can hardly get one to give you the street directions. I had been out there some little time and was waiting for a bus when someone slipped me on the back. I looked around and the man said, "I'm sorry; I mistook you for a friend of mine." I said, "All right but don't let it happen again."

If I had stayed out there much longer, I'd been as bad as the rest of them.

My friends will not need the assurance that I did not hesitate to speak.

However, I had a dilemma at the very next session, which was when we got down to discussing the story. Zimbalist said, "We will suppose that a well comes in, making 50,000 barrels of oil a day." I didn't know whether I was supposed to be one of those Hollywood "yes men" I'd heard about and nod my head in agreement or point out that, in oil circles, the production of a well is expressed in "barrels" and not "gallons."

I decided if I was going to take their money, I ought to try to earn it by keeping the expressions technically correct, so I remarked that an oil man would speak of such a producer as about a thousand-barrel well (a barrel is, of course, 42 gallons). Zimbalist said, "All right," and went on.

It was several years later that John Lee Mahin, the principal writer on the script, visited Fort Worth and he told me that Zimbalist knew very well what the correct term was; he had wanted to see if I knew.

My contract with Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer was for a minimum of two

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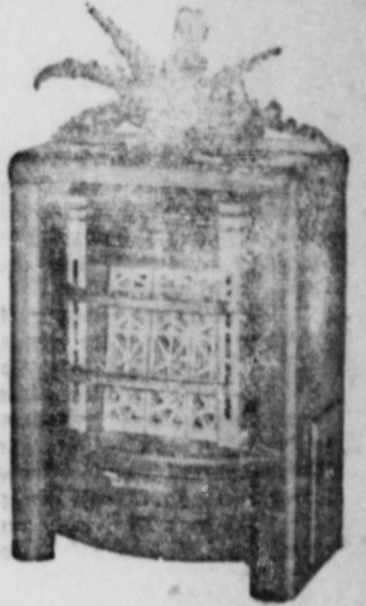
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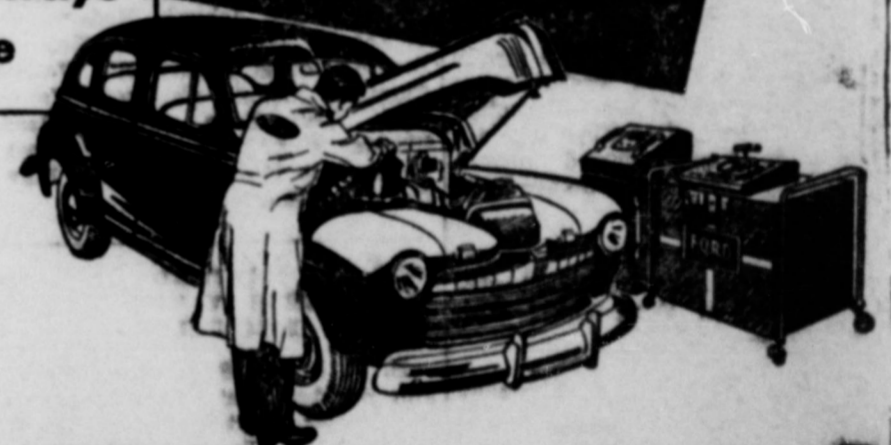
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Mr. and Mrs. Ladell McAteer of Stamford, Texas visited Mr. and Mrs. James McAteer and Mrs. Luthur Johnson last week end.

Mrs. Altha Patton, Jackie and Don visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman Johnson and children at Mason, Texas a few days last week.

Joe Jay of Abilene, Texas was a visitor in Jayton Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Howell and family of Brownfield, Texas had business in Jayton last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bilberry and children of Hawley, Texas visited her mother Mrs. McMahon and other relatives in Jayton last week end.

Doris Brantner of Lubbock, Texas spent a few days last week in Jayton with her parents Mr. and Mrs. K. P. Brantner.

Billy Glenn Vencil of Stephenville, Texas spent last week end in Jayton with his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Vencil.

Vernon Harrison of Arch, New Mexico visited relatives and friends in Jayton during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. Lovell Blain and children of Seymour, Texas visited Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Blain and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bybee during the Thanksgiving holidays.

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WORKERS CONFERENCE OF STONEWALL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Meeting With Jayton Church Tuesday, December 16th Rev. R. L. Porter In Charge

THEME: Grace.

- 10:00 - 10:15 Devotion B. J. Kellett
10:15 - 10:45 Salvation by Grace Rev. Ross Raspes
10:45 - 11:15 Justified by Grace Rev. M. L. Porter
11:15 - 11:20 Special Music Local Church
11:20 - 12:00 Message of Meeting S. D. Smith
12:00 - Dinner.
1:00 - 1:30 Board Meeting
1:30 - 1:50 Grace Empowers for Service Ramsey Myers
1:50 - 2:10 The All Sufficient Grace Rev. C. C. Beaty
2:10 - 2:25 Inspirational Address Rev. John Martin.

Two tons of good quality hay or one ton of hay and three tons of silage should be in storage for each cow in the dairy herd.

Johnnie Millwee of Carlsbad, New Mexico spent last week end in Jayton with his family.

Mrs. Eunice Nesbitt and daughters, Mrs. Tommy Farquar and children, Mrs. Mary Nell Sewalt and children and Mrs. J. J. Belew all of Fluvanna, Texas visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sewalt last week end.

Mrs. Earl Hahn and Mrs. R. L. Porter of Girard, Texas visited in Jayton Monday.

Mrs. J. H. Donoho has gone to Carlsbad, New Mexico to spend the winter with her daughter Mrs. Pat Coombs.

Dorothy Lou Jones of Lubbock, Texas visited relatives in Jayton last week end.

Zack and Joe Coombs of Carlsbad, New Mexico visited Mrs. J. H. Donoho last week.

Mrs. Raldo Goodall and Shirley and Jane Rushin spent last week end at Denison, Texas with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dibrell and son Dan visited in Lubbock last Saturday and Sunday.

School News

SENIOR NEWS

Well here we are once again to bring you all the latest news. We had our examinations last week, but everyone made pretty good grades.

The Jaybirds played Peacock last night in basketball games; the girls lost their game, but the boys won.

We are sorry that Mr. Herman cannot be with us this week; Mrs. Robinson is taking his place.

Everyone enjoyed the Thanksgiving holidays but are glad to be back in school.

The basketball teams are entering a tournament at Roosevelt this week end; we are planning for both teams to bring back championship trophies.

Well this seems to be just about all the news so we'll say so long until next week.

THE JUNIOR NEWS

We are very sorry that we didn't get our news in the paper last week. Here is what happened in the two weeks.

We have our play books in. The name is "Aunt Samantha Rules the Roost". We will let you know later in the month when we will put it on; so be on the lookout for it.

Over the Thanksgiving holidays there were two Juniors that left town. Helen Welch went to her Mother and Daddy in Benjamin. Billy Cade went "Deer" hunting. He didn't even get a "Deer". We don't know about the "Deer."

Johnny Davis is sure keeping up with the eighth grade. I wonder why.

Hueh went bird hunting yesterday. I wonder why, we thought that his bird was here all the time; "Bluebird" that is.

SOPHOMORE NEWS

We get our report cards this week and of course we hope none of the sophomores will be disappointed.

We are all back studying after a our old class members back. We are sure you remember Joy Jean Hunnicutt.

We are all back studying after a very good Thanksgiving, and are being very good so Santa Clause won't forget us.

—Reporter.

FRESHMAN NEWS

Here we come again with all the news.

We played Peacock Tuesday night in basketball and were glad to see a nice attendance. We are sorry Mr. Herman was not with us and wish his father a speedy recovery.

Well, six weeks tests are over and everyone is feeling fine.

Everyone be sure and come to all our home basketball games. We are your friend of our own floor.

That is all for this week. See you next week.

BASKETBALL NEWS

We are very sorry that Mr. Herman was called home Tuesday to be with his father and could not be with us in our ball game.

The girls defeated Old Glory by 38 to 16 and the Old Glory boys defeated our boys by 30 to 18.

We plan to go to a tournament at Roosevelt this week end. We sure hope Mr. Herman gets back in time to go with us.

We help you save by sharing our profits with you. —Morris Yandell, Spur, Texas.

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DILL PICKLES, 1 qt. 13c
ORANGES, 8 lb. sack 39c
GRAPE JUICE, 1 qt. 29c
KRAUT, No. 2 can 10c
PINAPPLE and CHERRY PRESERVES, 1 lb. jar 25c
COFFEE, White Swan, 1 lb. can 49c
CATSUP, 14 oz. bottle 19c

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We say thanks to all our customers who have made it possible to live among such great people. Every little thing that has been done in the years past have been appreciated.

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Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Ramsey went to Fort Worth last Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving holidays with their daughter and her husband.

Ollie Engledow of Stephenville, spent last week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Glover Engledow.

Teddy Lewis of Bryan, Texas spent last week end in Jayton with relatives.

Melvin Murphey of Stephenville, Texas spent last week end in Jayton with his sister Mrs. John Fowler and family.

Bill Davis of Lubbock, Texas visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Walton Davis last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rice spent last Sunday in Rule, Texas with relatives.

Mrs. Tenie Wilson visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kenady and son at Aspermont part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Gallagher of Pampa, Texas spent last week end in Jayton with Mr. and Mrs. Med Wade and other relatives.

Cecil Mason, Chief Petty Officer in the Navy, and his daughter Anne visited Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Mason Thanksgiving.

More than a third of a million infected or exposed cattle and nearly a quarter a million hogs, sheep and goats have been slaughtered in Mexico in the campaign to stamp out foot-and-mouth disease.

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Saturday

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TURKEYS FOR SALE:—
Anyone wanting a turkey for Christmas, see or call Edd Kyle. Call before the 20th of December. Edd E. Kyle, Jayton, Texas.

FOR SALE:—
322 acre Stock Farm, 3 miles west of Jayton known as the Duncan Place. Good improvements, 2 wells, water piped in house, hog pasture and lot. Good 4 room house with bath, piped for butane, also 2 room house. R.E.A., phone, mail and school bus route. Immediate possession. W. K. Joiner, Jayton, Texas.

NO BIRD HUNTING:—
Anyone hunting birds on either my place or K. D. Myers place will be considered trespassing, and will be dealt with accordingly. Take warning! L. R. Myers.



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- COFFEE, Del Monte, 2 lbs. 89c
- TOMATO PASTE, 3 cans 25c
- OLEO, any brand 42c
- SYRUP, Brer Rabbit, Brown, 1/2 gal. 55c
- BEANS, Mexican Style, 2 cans 23c
- SPUDS, 1 lb. 5c
- LYE, 3 cans 25c
- MILK, White Swan, big 11c
- MUSTARD, Refrigerator Style 19c
- GRAPE JUICE, pint 22c

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Plenty fruits and vegetables - Apples, Oranges, Grapes, Bananas, Tomatoes, Lettuce, Celery and etc.

Plenty of Stuff for your Xmas Cakes

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