

The Baird Star

Our Motto—"Tis Neither Birth, Nor Wealth, Nor State, But The Get-Up-And-Get That Makes Men Great."

FIFTY-SECOND YEAR

BAIRD CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, APRIL 21, 1939

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ON BAIRD CAMPUSES

By Atrelle Estes

Last Tuesday night the Senior Class sponsored a Road Show in the High School auditorium for the purpose of swelling the annual fund and Class treasury. From the standpoint of both the sponsors and the audience the show was a tremendous success. Grand prize of five dollars to the class or organization giving the best performance went to Miss Helen Willard's Home Economics department for their Ferdinand The Bull skit. Second and third places went to the Band and Dramatic Club. "Ferdinand" without a doubt was superb; the music, the narration and the dramatization couldn't have been beat. Jodena Wright did the "story telling" while Patty Estes as Matadore and Katherine Ford and Betty Estes as the bull filled in the antics. Harold Wristen furnished the music and Areowana Carter, Mary Augusta Benson, and Nola Van Gibson were delightful as the children to whom the story was told.

Because, in our off-moments, we call ourselves "Critics", but mainly because we are dad blamed die-hards, we still thing the Junior entry in the Road Show deserves some sort of honorable mention. Jack Ray as the modern "Jesse James" had the audiences in the isles, Louis Hill, as his son was equally as fine, and the entire cast, wife Zee and the railroad men were excellent.

High light of the show was the crowning of the School Queen, Laverne Chrisman, who was attended by a consort of Princes and Princesses from all eleven grades. The coronation made a colorful ending to the show.

It can very easily be said that the Road Show was the stand-out offered this year. Since the show of the High School entertainments has been made an annual affair this department is wondering how the 1940 presentation will be able to measure up to the high mark of entertainment this edition set.

In the line of entertainments is the Ward School Pageant planned for the early part of May. The Operetta, written, costumed and directed by the very talented Roberta Warren Mayes deserves an entire column, and it would just about take that much space to innumerate the various high points and special characters. The Pageant will be taken from "Mother Goose" and will have around fifteen or sixteen speaking parts and eight or ten choruses. Next week we promise, and I do mean it, a full description of the Operetta and a bit about its author.

Tomorrow will be Regional Track Meet and will be held in Abilene. Baird's track boys should take away a goodly part of the honors (if they repeat their performances at County and District) and the Tennis Doubles, both boys and girls, well, this writer predicts they will trot on through the clover with the next stop in Austin and goodness knows where from there. According to their Coach, E. E. Jones, Regional Contests will be only a matter of formality for the youngsters, and as for The Baird Star, we say, More Power To You.

PRESBYTERIAN SERVICES

Rev. R. A. Walker pastor will hold services at the Presbyterian Church at both the morning and evening hours Sunday. All cordially invited to attend.

Show Announced Tonight Winners In Baby

Tonight at the High School Auditorium the awards of the Baby Show will be awarded. The most popular baby will be awarded a silver loving cup. The prettiest girl and most handsome boy will receive ribbons. All contestants are asked to be present.

Nat Williams Resigns As Supt. Of Baird Schools

Nat Williams, Superintendent of Baird High Schools for the past two years resigned Monday to accept the post of Superintendent of the Ballinger High Schools to which place he was elected by the trustees of the Ballinger schools last Saturday. Mr. Williams resignation was accepted by the board of trustees of Baird Schools Monday night.

Mr. Williams will take up his duties at the beginning of next school term succeeding H. C. Lyon, superintendent, who was ousted several weeks ago. Mr. Williams and family will move to Ballinger in July.

Mr. Williams has done splendid work in the Baird Public Schools and The Star regrets to have him and his family leave us; Ballinger is to be congratulated on securing Mr. Williams, who is one of the most prominent educators of this section.

Widow of Minister Succumbs at Baird

Mrs. Susie Ann Jones, 78, widow of the late Rev. S. F. Jones, pioneer Methodist minister of West Texas, died at 9 o'clock Tuesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. F. Hamilton, here. After a brief service at the home at 10 a. m. Wednesday conducted by the Rev. Hamilton Wright, local Methodist pastor, the body was carried overland to Crosscut, Brown county where at 3:30 p. m. funeral rites were held by the Rev. Pat Brown, Methodist minister. Interment was made in the cemetery there. Susie Ann Jones was born in Hood county July 9, 1861. Mrs. Jones was married in 1877. She is survived by a sister, Mrs. R. L. Snyder, Dallas; a bother, S. M. Owens, Desdemonia and three daughters, Willie Jones and Mrs. S. F. Hamilton, Baird, and Mrs. R. M. Proctir, Crosscut; also several grandchildren, among them, U. C. Hamilton, of Baird.

Bayou School Closing Exercises

The Bayou School will close Friday, April 28. The following program is announced by Supt. C. W. Fowler.

Sunday April 23 8 o'clock p.m. Baccalaureate Sermon by Dr. B. N. Richardson of Hardin Simmons university.

Wednesday, April 26 the Grammar School will present Pageant and Coronation of May Queen at 8 o'clock p. m.

Thursday evening the High School students will present a three act play, "Ranch On Sunset Trail." Friday evening at 8 o'clock, April 28, Graduation Exercises. Dr. Don Morris of Abilene, Christian College will be the speaker for the evening.

Graduates are, Cecil Jones, Fairie Beth Fowler, Golda Rene Foster, Frona McDonald.

All programs will be held in the High School Auditorium.

Funeral Rites For W. E. Purchase Held At Abilene

Funeral for W. E. Purchase, 85, resident of Abilene 15 years, was held Monday afternoon at the North Side Church of Christ with Ministers J. P. Crenshaw, Sweetwater, and Paul Southern, Abilene officiating. Burial was in Cedar Hill cemetery.

Mr. Purchase died at his home 2709 Line, Abilene, Sunday night following a prolonged illness. He was born August 11, 1853 in Hillsdale county, Mich., and came to Texas in 1916, locating in Texarkana. He lived in Texarkana until he moved to Abilene in 1924.

Survivors are two daughters, Dr. Vera Martin of Clyde and Dr. Lydia P. Shipman of Abilene.

Mrs. Kate Darby McNabb of Abilene was here Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Louis Hall.

Olaf South Elected Superintendent Of Baird Schools

Olaf South, Superintendent of Clyde Public School, was elected as Superintendent of Baird Public Schools at a meeting of the trustees Monday night, succeeding Nat Williams who resigned to accept the position of Superintendent of Ballinger Public Schools. Mr. South will take up his duties at the beginning of the fall term. Mr. South will probably move to Baird in July however as the office of Superintendent is operated on a fiscal year beginning in July. Mr. South is one of our most prominent educators and Baird Schools are to complimented on securing his services.

Griggs Hospital News

Jerrell Wickham of Baird was a tonsilectomy patient Monday; returning home in the afternoon.

Mildred Ann King, 6 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy King, underwent tonsilectomy Monday morning.

Frank Crow of Eula, was a tonsilectomy patient Monday; returning to his home Tuesday.

Mrs. Howard Farmer underwent surgery for appendicitis last Monday afternoon. She is doing very nicely.

Eugene Blankenship of Clyde was a surgical patient Tuesday for acute appendicitis. He is getting along nicely at this writing.

Vinson Woodard of Baird, an appendicitis patient was able to return home last Friday.

Jo Ann Dickey of Baird was able to leave the hospital Saturday following an appendicitis operation.

Joe Bryant of Baird, a medical patient for a week was able to return home last Wednesday.

Mrs. T. J. Haven of Clyde a pneumonia patient was able to leave the hospital Friday.

Clyde Growers Association Will Meet At Clyde April 25

PROGRAM

Ladies entertainment to be arranged by Miss Clara Brown and committee.

Report of Location Committee. Report of By-Laws Committee. Preparing of ground and growing of tomatoes, By W. B. Hallman. Growing of sweet potatoes.

By J. A. Conlee. Growing of cantaloupes and soil preparation. By J. F. Berry.

Marketing and packing of fruit. By W. M. Appleton.

Growing and marketing of water melons, By, H. L. Turner.

There will be a general round table discussion on each subject.

Three Act Play At Bayou School Ap. 27

The students of Bayou High school will present a play at the Bayou Gym on April 27. The name of this play is the "Ranch On Sunset Trail" It is a three act play and is about two hours long. Music will be heard before the play and between acts—so you'll never have a dull minute from the time you enter the gym until you leave it.

Everyone is invited to come. The play starts promptly at 8 o'clock. There will be no admission—it is all free.

MRS. R. F. MAYFIELD IS SERIOUSLY ILL

Mrs. R. F. Mayfield who has been ill for several weeks is reported to be in a serious condition, as we go to press.

Mrs. J. H. Hawk of Abilene, spent the week end with Mrs. M. Pearce.

Betty Wheeler Ties For Top Honor Roll At McMurry

Betty Wheeler, Junior in McMurry College Abilene and Cleo Berch of Floydada, Senior, tied for top place on the honor roll at the mid-point of the second semester.

Thirty-five students are listed and it is from this group on annual basis, that candidates for membership in the James Winford Hunt chapter of Alpha Chi, national scholarship society, are chosen.

Scranton Discovery Flows 66 Barrels

Abilene office of the railroad commission reported Wednesday the L. A. Warren and Charles J. Kleiner No. 1 B. P. Cozart, shallow discovery well on the Callahan-Eastland county line south of Putnam, had completed a potential gauge flowing 60 barrels of oil per day from sand at 1666-73 feet, total depth, to prove the opening of a new pool near Scranton. It is in M. Cherry survey.

Area Dairymen Heet In Abilene Saturday

Central West Texas dairymen will meet in Abilene Saturday for the annual dairy day program—one of 15 such events being held in Texas this spring under direction of the extension service.

Counties designated as within the territory for the local dairy day are Callahan, Taylor, Eastland, Stephens, Shackelford, Jones, Fisher, Nolan, Runnels, Coleman, Brown. Dairy men and producers of all other counties in this territory also may exhibit animals or products here if they wish.

Judge and Mrs. J. H. Carpenter of Dudley were in Baird Saturday

Baird Bears Win District 6 Track And Field Championship

Baird high school captured first honors Saturday in track and field events of the district interscholastic league competition held at Breckenridge. Baird had 20 1-2 points.

Moran won second place with 18 points and Cisco third, with 16. The summaries:

120 yard high hurdles: Heretnberger, Rule, first. Williams, Rising Star; time, 18:2.

100 yard dash: Pitzer, Baird; Coats, Baird; time, 10:8.

Mile run: Lloyd, Throckmorton; Hillhouse, Shiloh; time, 4:48.

220 yard low hurdles: McMillen, Cross Plains; Williams, Rising Star; time, 26:1.

440 yard dash: Sheffield, Strawn; Williams, Rising Star; time, 53:4.

220 yard dash: Sheffield, Strawn; O. Harrison, Cisco; time, 22:3.

880 yard run: Kennedy, Alexander; Hughes, Baird; 2:09.

Mile relay: Breckenridge, first; Rule; time, 3:42:2.

Pole vault: Edmonson, Mineral Wells; Evans, Oplin; height, 11:1.

Broad jump: Elliott, Moran; M. Harrison, Cisco; distance, 20:9.

Discus throw: Montgomery, Moran; Palmer, Albany; distance, 120:6.

High jump: Shannon, Sunset; Yarbrough, Baird; height, 5:8.

12-Pound shot: Montgomery, Moran; Upton, Cross Plains; distance, 43:7.

Javelin throw: M. Harrison, Cisco; Montgomery, Moran; distance, 151:4.

Rule pentathlon: Stevens, Shiloh; Cook, Midway.

In tennis, boys singles: Paul Rogers, Clyde; Charles Clark, Sagerton. Boys doubles: Jim Tom Lawrence and E. Finley, Baird; Rule Girls singles: Eutene Sellers, Rule; Mary Louise Sherman, Cisco. Girls doubles: Marion Dyer and Ruth Dyer, Baird; Ruthell Clark and Sylvia Neinst, Sagerton.

Rising Star and Sunset will be paired in Volley ball finals.

Callahan County Boys Enroll In C C C Camp

Twenty boys from Callahan Co. have just been enrolled at Brownwood, Texas for the recruiting camp there; they will be sent to numerous CCC camps over the State. These young men were selected between the ages of 17 and 24 who are out of school and unemployed and in need of employment, selected because of their good reputation and character in their community. They will be given an opportunity for training in citizenship as well as useful skills that will make them self sustaining valued members of society at the expiration of their enrollment. The enrollment period ends in six months, however the boys may re-enlist for three additional six months periods if they so desire.

This brings the total number of CCC boys from Callahan County now in camps over the United States to 54 which represents a total amount of \$1,212.00, allotments sent monthly to families of these boys. Each youth earns 330 per month, their room, board and clothing, \$22.00 of the \$30 is sent to their parents each month.

The purpose of the Corps is to provide employment as well as vocational training for youthful citizens of the United States, who are unemployed and in need of employment. The Corps wants as enrollees young men of purpose, ambition and character. Such men are best able to contribute to and profit by the experience of camp-life.

The CCC is not in any respect a military project. A man does not enlist in the Army when he enrolls in the CCC. The CCC enrolls his entire term of service. He receives no military instruction nor does he become liable to military laws.

Applicants selected for CCC in Callahan are selected by Miss Ann Johnson, County Welfare Worker, with offices in the County Court House.

The next call for CCC enrollment will be early in July. However Miss Johnson urges all boys, not attending school, unemployed and in need of employment, and interested in making application for CCC enrollment to call at her office regularly for the next three months to make application.

Boys enrolled April 7, 1939 at Brownwood, Texas, are: Billrey, William C. Blankenship, J. T. Bryan, Oliver R. Clardy, Derwood D. Coulter, Thomas E. Cummings, William, Dryman, J. Edward, Hampton, Elvin, Hamrick, J. Jerry Henderson, Floyd E. King, Claud C. Martin, Quinton V., Petterson, L. Merlin, Warren, Wilbur D. Northcutt, Eugene J. Turner, H. Adeil, Gann, W. J. Jr., Purvis, R. W., Crawford, Milton E., Graham, Darrel W.

Mrs. Louis Hall Buried Here Saturday

Mrs. Louis Hall died at her home in Longview Thursday, her death following a long illness. The body was brought to Baird former home of the deceased for burial, the services being held at the Wylie Chapel at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon with Father Felderhoff, Catholic Priest of Abilene conducting the services. Burial was made in Ross cemetery.

Pall bearers were: Bruce Thompson, Morris Eastham, Cliff Johnson, Billie Henry, Russell Warren and Justin Anderson, the first five named being classmates of Roland Hall, son of deceased.

The remains were accompanied to Baird by Mr. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Justin Anderson of Longview, Mrs. M. E. McCarthy of Henderson, mother of Mrs. Roland Hall, also her sister and husband whose name we failed to get.

Mrs. Lelia Wilson Hall was born in Danville, Ky. August 8, 1888. She was married to Mr. Hall who held a position with the Texas and Pacific Ry. here on Jan. 15, 1913 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Darby in Weatherford. Mr. and Ms. Hall made their home in Baird until a few years ago when they moved to Longview.

Mrs. Hall was a devout christian woman loved by all for her kind and charitable disposition, she being always ready to extend a helping hand to those who were sick or in distress.

Survivors are her husband and son Roland Hall.

Many friends were present at the funeral to pay a last tribute of love to her who had scattered so much sunshine along life's roadway. The floral tokens were beautiful.

MRS. HOWARD FARMER UNDERGOES SURGERY

Mrs. Howard Farmer who underwent an appendix operation Monday at the Griggs hospital is reported doing nicely.

B. F. Moon Died At Sweetwater Friday

B. F. Moon, a long time resident of Callahan county died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. L. Brown in Sweetwater Friday, April 14. Funeral services were held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at the Massey Chapel and burial made in a local cemetery.

Benjamin Franklin Moon was born in Cobb county, Ga., Sept. 11, 1854. He came to Texas when a young man.

He was married to Mrs. Clementine Beauford of Greenville, who with nine children survive him one child died in infancy. Survivors are Mrs. U. B. Shroder, Scottsboro, Ala. H. P. Moore, Goldsmith, Texas; Mrs. J. L. Brown, Sweetwater; Mrs. B. F. Moon, Genoa, Texas; Mrs. W. H. James, Sanbenito, Tex. I. N. Moon, Geneva, Tex; Mrs. F. O. Dunlap, Baird; Mrs. Ben B. Lovene, Brawley, Calif.; J. A. Moon, Brawley, Calif.; and one step-son, J. E. Beauford, Putnam.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Dunlap attended the funeral.

and Mrs. H. Schwartz, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Fulton attended the K of P meeting and banquet at Abilene Tuesday night.

BEAR BAND

In Concert

H. A. MATHEWS—DIRECTOR

1. MARCH ON _____ MARCH _____ CHENETTE
(This March was used as our selected March in the State Contest)
2. POET AND PEASANT _____ OVERTURE _____ SUPEE
3. WARM UP _____ MARCH _____ RIBBLE
4. WATCH THE BATON _____ NOVELTY _____ CHENETTE
5. HAWAIIAN DUET _____ NOVELTY
Carlton Gillette and Buddy Thornton
6. HILLBILLIES _____ NOVELTY
Marvin Swinson Billy Bob Kelly
Johnny Swinson Kenneth Lahm
7. ACTIVITY _____ MARCH _____ BENNETT
8. PROJECT _____ MARCH _____ BENNETT
9. CLIFFE _____ OVERTURE _____ THOMAS
This Overture was the required number for Class D at the State Contest this year
10. ACCORDIAN DUET _____ NOVELTY
Gusolyn Hall and Charity Gilliland
11. PIANO SOLO _____ NOVELTY
Bill Hollingshead
12. PROMOTION _____ MARCH _____ CHENETTE
13. HEAD WAY _____ MARCH _____ BENNETT
14. DAUNTLESS _____ OVERTURE _____ HOLMES
This Overture was our Selected Overture in the State Contest)

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT AND INTEREST

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AROUND TOWN

With Otto B. Grate

Well hang me for a cattle thief if its not Friday and Around Town time again. All three of the readers are present and waiting for Uncle Otto to give 'em the lowdown.

I think this has been mentioned before, but it will be repeating Harold Wrsten, piano tickler A plus; deserves some kind of a double special reward for the splendid cooperation he always gives, whether you need dinner music at a banquet, or a musical background for a school play. It's a pleasure and a privilege to number Mr. Wrsten among your associates.

Congratulations to twelve FFA members whose outstanding work in the Chapter brought special certificates of merit from the Area Advisor in Stephenville. The boys were Aubrey Grounds, W. P. Hughes, James Burks, Charles Coats, Buddy Brumbaugh, Troy Robinson, C. C. Blakely Nick Jackson, Sterling Reynolds, Hub Warren, Paul Scherrubbe and Buck Cargal.

Also in order are some hefty pats on the back for Marion and Ruth Dyer, and Jim Tom Lawrence and Gene Finley, Baird's tennis teams who brought home district honors last week.

Welcome home to Mr. Bob Warren who was able to be removed from the Sealy hospital in Santa Anna last Sunday. Its a sight for the blinkers to see Mr. Warren home again.

If you think a milk drink is just another something to be taken when you're out of anything else, try one of Duke McIntosh's strawberry drinks and change your mind—and the boy makes 'em himself too. If Duke looking for a testimonial, he might look up a certain dog I know mighty well—our dog's a walking advertisement for them.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Russell's new home, second block south of the high school building, is going up in leaps 'n bounds, and will add another house to the attractive homes in Baird.

Spotlight of the week goes to Mrs. Clyde Yarbrough, because she's always in a good humor, always has a smile ready and a hand to lend if you need it.

MRS. AMERICA BUYS A DRESS

AFTER hours and hours of planning her spring wardrobe, Mrs. America—call her Mrs. Graham—decides what she needs most is a new dress. Not just any dress but something new, something different, something entirely her own creation. She expects, of course, to spend days looking for it. It's hardly a shop in town will carry it. Mrs. Graham, however (it happens every year), is in for a surprise; for in every shop she visits she will find exactly what she has in mind; and in her own size, too, and at the very price she feels she can pay.

No one knew Mrs. Graham was in this particular dress—no one, not even designers, button-makers, dressmakers, buyers, sylvans, and other interesting people, and all others engaged in creating fashions through their combined efforts and knowledge, through their analysis of the market and study of the purchasing power of the people, they are able to anticipate Mrs. Graham's (and millions of other Mrs. Graham's) every desire.

In the April Good Housekeeping Selma Robinson, noted writer, points out how Mrs. Graham subconsciously had been led to think in terms of the dress she thought was her own creation. For months the fashion world was busy preparing her for it and making up her mind, long before she started planning her spring wardrobe.

The myriad of details involved in the making of a dress, or any other piece of apparel, is somewhat bewildering. But, as Miss Robinson says, "once you assemble all the tiny, bustling pieces of the whole fashion picture, you find a degree of law and order that is amazing in a field so far-flung geographically, artistically, and economically. By trips to Paris and New York, by cabled advice and trans-Atlantic telephone calls, by telegraph and radio, and wireless, by honest designs and admirable adaptation, a one-piece is achieved that makes it possible for a whole nation to appear simultaneously in cactus green or stone blue or colorless necks and full skirts. It is no chameleon."

Pete Neubauer of Freeport Illinois, is visiting his sister Mrs. Weir and old friends in Baird

WASHINGTON NEWS



FROM CONGRESSMAN
CLYDE L. GARRETT

GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES TAXED

The Supreme Court handed down an important decision in regard to taxation when it upheld the right of government to tax a Federal employee. This decision opened the possibility of new tax levies affecting the 3,700,000 Federal, State, and local government employees. These employees have formerly been exempted.

RELIEF APPROPRIATION

The amount of money WPA should have for the remaining three months of this fiscal year was determined by the House when it voted to grant an additional 100 million dollars for this purpose. A resolution was also approved by the House to authorize the Appropriation Committee to conduct an investigation of the WPA.

FIVE RAILROAD BILLS

Since this session opened the Interstate Commerce Committee have been studying the railroad problem and the result so far is five major bills and a number of minor ones. Just which one of the bills, if any, will be accepted by Congress is hard to say at the present time Senator Wheeler of Montana and Senator Truman of Missouri have a bill which they call the "key bill" on which all future bills will be based. Senator Wheeler has another bill which would create a special railroad reorganization court designed to make reorganizations easier, quicker and more enduring. A similar bill has been reported in the House by Rep. Chandler of Tennessee. The two other bills are those sponsored by Rep. Lea of California. One would, like the bill, carry out the President's recommendations, but differs in several other respects, the second Lea bill would permit ICC to fix minimum rates for all types of carriers and would redistribute the functions of the ICC. Both Lea bills contain the reorganization court idea which is believed to have the best chance of passage at this session!

BUSINESS TRENDS VS. WAR FEARS

The fear of war is having no small effect on the attitude and actions of our business men. Because of the unsettled condition abroad there is a hesitancy to make commitments and buy other than in a hand to mouth manner. A gradual improvement, however is being shown, and it is believed that if war is avoided business will improve over the remaining quarter of 1939. The domestic outlook appears fairly good. Automobile sales and production are holding up at a pretty good level. With home construction permits totaling about two and a half times the total of last year, there building boom soon. Expenditures of the government on low-cost housing and public works are rising toward a peak.

1939 DUCK STAMP

The new "duck stamp" to be issued on July 1 for the year 1939-40, sixth in a series chosen each year from the hoard of a well-known artist, will be from a drawing by Lynn Bogue Hunt. Mr. Hunt has chosen for his subject a male and female green-winged teal standing at a marsh edge. In the background five teal are descending for a landing. The stamp is nearly twice the size of a special delivery stamp, and costs one dollar.

HOME CANNED TOMATOES

The widespread use of canned tomatoes as a source of vitamin C in the diet has raised some question as to whether the stability of the vitamin is affected by the method of canning or the length of time the canned products are

stored. According to a test made by the Bureau of Home Economics tomatoes lose practically none of this valuable vitamin in the canning at home the right way. They may, however, lose from one-third to one-half their vitamin C if stored for six months or more at ordinary room temperatures. The "right way" to can tomatoes is to pack them either raw or pre-heated into containers, then process them in a boiling water bath. Processing consists of putting the containers into boiling water in a boiler or bucket that has a tight-fitting lid. Whether or not the tomatoes are stored in a light or dark room makes little difference in the loss of vitamin C.

"Nobody's Business"

By Julian Capers Jr.
AUSTIN—Going into the home stretch of the last month of the customary 120-day regular session the Legislature this week prepared for a showdown in the immediate future on the question of raising money for social security. Unexpected reversal by the Senate of its previous action revived the sales tax constitutional amendment plan, which most observers had believed was finally dead. The issue now is clearly between a constitutional amendment and a tax bill; and also between a sales tax and some other form of levy. Pending bills and resolutions in both House and Senate make it possible for the solons to go either route. A comprehensive omnibus tax bill by a large group of House anti-sales taxers propose levies on about 30 commodities, some of them sales-taxes in form, but not of a general sales tax nature. In the Senate, revival of the sales tax resolution, which was passed to engrossment with 21 votes, enough to insure its final passage, was regarded as a political precautionary move, which would leave the Senate with a chance to clear its political skirts in case the House produces no tax legislation. There was considerable doubt whether any constitutional amendment, or any sales tax levy, would ever get through the House, but both Houses have reversed themselves so unpredictably on the tax question that the shrewdest observers of legislative trends were extremely wary about committing themselves on predictions.

Gov. O'Daniel, apparently learning a lesson from the extremely bad reaction his "fighting" talk aroused in both houses two Sundays ago, didn't mention the legislature or the tax question in his Easter Sunday broadcast, but stuck to a "safety and light" program of hymns, poems and banjo harmony.

WEST SEEMS SUNK

Close observers here this week were speculating on who Gov. O'Daniel's next nominee for Highway Commissioner chairman might be, with Mrs. Oveta Culp Hobby, wife of the former Governor of Houston, frequently mentioned. Insiders declared James M. West, the Houston 20-millionaire oil man, would fall of confirmation, if a vote is taken. Many believed he would withdraw, in the fact of bitter opposition aroused by his wealth, his activity in behalf of Republican Candidate Alf Landon, and the enmity which has grown out of the battle on the Texas Tech Board of regents over election of a president for that institution. West is a member of the Tech board. Although West's

name was favorably regarded at first, revelation of his political activity has aroused bitter resentment among many Senators, and his opponents claim sufficient votes to block confirmation.

INSURANCE GYP CURBED

The Legislature this week armed the Department of Insurance with a weapon which it has sought for years, to end one of the most scandalous abuses in Texas, when passed a bill tightening regulation of mutual assessment insurance companies, burial societies and similar insurance groups. The bill permits the Department to name the affairs of...crit etaoi etaoi the affairs of such organizations when they fail to "pay off" Many honestly managed mutuals and burial clubs have given protection to a large number of Texans, but a few crooked operators have for years practiced a "racket" under which thousands of poor Texans both negroes and whites, have been "milked" of thousands of dollars for worthless "life insurance". The bill underwent two days of bitter debate in the House, but finally went over 123 to 3.

OIL PRORATION ROW RAGES

Who wrote the proration order that drastically shut down production in West and South Texas, hiked East Texas allowable, and abolished Sunday shutdowns? This question was being asked in Austin this weekend, in the wake of the bitter row which broke after the order, signed by Railroad Commissioner Lon Smith and Jerry Sadler, brought hundreds of protesting oil men, bankers and businessmen to Austin to protest. The order was not written in the capitol, but in a downtown hotel, and was brought to the Railroad Commission, signed and issued, without Commissioner Ernest Thompson, admittedly the best-posted man on proration in Texas, ever having seen or signed it. Later, Sadler and Smith, weakening under the terrific storm of protest, issued supplemental orders restoring about two thirds of the cuts in the original order, but they did not satisfy Oilman Jim Abercrombie of Houston, who obtained a temporary injunction from Houston Federal court, restraining enforcement of the order in certain South Texas fields. Amerchombie's lawyers contending there was not a scintilla of evidence in the record at the last proration hearing to support the order.

LAWYERS WILL GOVERN SELVES

Climaxing a six year fight, the Legislature finally passed a self-governing bar bill, under which attorneys of Texas will govern themselves. The bill permits the Supreme Court to formulate rules of practice, charges a \$4 annual fee to each attorney, provides a method for initiative or rule by 10 percent of the bar, and provides no lawyer may be disbarred without a court trial in his home county. The attorneys contend the law will raise the standards, and permit elimination of crooks and shysters. The bill has gone to Gov. O'Daniel for signature.

SENATE GOES SILLY

A new high in silly legislation was reached when the dignified Senate, virtually without debate, passed a legal monstrosity sponsored by Franklin Spears, of San Antonio, permitting barbers to "get together" and fix the prices of haircuts and shaves, by a popular vote—among the barbers. Amendments pegged the price of

STOP THAT ITCHING
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DRIVE ON LOAN SHARKS

A big boost for the pending bill to regulate loan sharks came when County Attorney Paul Holt, of Austin, joined by Attorney General Jerry Mann, obtained an injunction under the nuisance statute against 19 loans brokers, which practically tied them in a legal knot. Mann announced the drive would be taken into other large cities, where the loan brokers charging exorbitant interest rates, have been doing a thriving business. The pending law permits legitimate loan companies to charge service fees in excess of the present legal 10 percent interest rate, but prevents exorbitant charges on small loans.

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION OF FINAL ACCOUNT

No. 1274.
The State of Texas.
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County—Greeting:

Mrs. Fay L. Alexander, Administratrix, of the Estate of Edith Collier, deceased, having filed in our County Court, her final account of the condition of the estate of said Edith Collier, deceased, together with an application to be discharged from said administration, you are hereby commanded, that by publication of this writ once in a newspaper regularly published in the County of Callahan and said publication shall be not less than ten days before the return day hereof, you give due notice to all persons interested in the account for final settlement of said estate to file their objections thereto, if any they have, in said Court on or before Monday, the 8th day of May A. D. 1939, when said account and application will be considered by said Court.

Witness, Mrs. S. E. Settle, Clerk of the County Court of Callahan County.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at my office in the City of Baird, this the 12th day of April A. D. 1939.

Mrs. S. E. Settle, Clerk County Court, Callahan County, Texas.
By Stella Gilliland, Deputy.

A true copy, I certify:
C. R. Nordyke, Sheriff.
Callahan County, Texas.

By W. R. Ray, Deputy. 18-31.

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Co. H. D. C. News

OFFICERS TRAINING SCHOOL
Officers training school for home demonstration club officers was well attended Saturday April 15th held in the district court room with 56 being present.
Teachers for this school was selected from the club women of the county.
Mrs. W. C. Whittle, Enterprise club had charge of the presidents and vice presidents; Mrs. R. G. Looney, Oplin, secretaries; Mrs. C. C. McCall, Cross Plains, Council Delegates; Mrs. C. M. Garrett, Cross Plains, Reporters.
Jack Scott, Cross Plains Review editor, was guest speaker to the reporters. He stressed promptness and accuracy as good characteristics of any good reporter. Each reporter present benefited by the suggestions offered by Mr. Scott and each of them expressed that they believed they could do better reporting in the future.
Miss Eliza Gilliland, editor of The Baird Star was a guest and suggested to the reporters to express their individuality in the reports so many would not be exactly alike.
A lunch was served at noon to the group with the Coca Cola Co. furnishing the drinks.
An open house discussion of parliamentary law was discussed from 1:30-2:30 in an open house session.
General Food Co. Present each member present with a package of Sure Jel.

H. D. COUNCIL MEETING
Callahan County Home Demonstration Council met in regular monthly session, Saturday, afternoon from 2:30 to 4:00 o'clock, with 13 of the 15 clubs represented.
Encampment for home demonstration club members will be held June 20-21 at Lake Cisco.
Mrs. Jim Barker and Mrs. G. B. Jones and Mrs. Jake Jones was appointed as a committee to see about a trip to Austin for club members.
Mrs. Burette Ramsey announced a ball game Saturday afternoon, April 22 at Putnam, between the Zion Hill Home Demonstration Club and the Union Club.
The Council asked that each club of the county to send a group of women to the District Texas Home Demonstration State Association, at Brady Texas May 12. Mrs. Jim Barr and Mrs. R. G. Looney were elected as voting delegates Mrs. Clyde Johnston was elected alternate.
The Council Delegates asked that roll call be made a year in advance in the form of a Year Book. They also suggested a form to bring club reporters into the Council and in a form to take council reports to club.
The treasurer reported \$6:20 educational fund had been paid to the State Office.
The Dairy Show, Abilene April 22 was discussed and members were invited to attend.
POSTED: All lands owned or controlled by me is posted. No hunting or fishing allowed. Tom Windham, Oplin, Texas.
NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC—Our Hatchery will be closed for all Sunday business. Clyde Hatchery, Clyde, Texas.

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CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank all who were so kind and thoughtful of us; also for the many kind words of sympathy and the beautiful floral tokens. It is these acts of kindness that make it possible to bear our burden of sorrow in the death of our beloved wife and mother.
Sincerely,
Louis Hall
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WANTED—Man with car. Route experience preferred but not necessary. Opening now in Callahan County. Write Rawleigh's Dept. TXD-38-M, B Memphis, Tenn., or see T. A. Bendy, 507 S. Walnut St. Eastland, Texas. 18

First Baptist Church
A. A. Davis, Pastor
The world struggles onward—just where no body seems to know. One class of people lavishly pour their wealth at the feet of the God of pleasure, eating, drinking and making merry, thinking little and caring less of the responsibility of life here and hereafter. Another class, seeking to avert privation, struggles for honest bread and uprightness of life thinking much and caring more for lives tasks than life itself. Another class, in poverty and rags—victims of Dictators, war torn countries, and a badly arranged economic order, beg for bread and apparel to sustain their bodies. In deed the world can be thus divided into three classes, Wealth, Labor, Poverty, and as such Humanity in all its classes is the field of our Labor as a Church of Jesus Christ. Wealth was never intended to increase the world's happiness so much as to Promote the world's progress, and some few of the world's rich men and rich women have recognized lives of usefulness and of service their responsibility and are living in the moral and intellectual uplift of the whole people, and not lavishing it upon selfish ambitions and worthless children made so by self-indulgence and idleness. Happy is that man who can digest his food; sleep the sleep of the just, think great thought, love his family and educate his children; cultivate his soul and love his God rejoice in the moral uplift of the race, and die honored by the neighbors and receive a welcome to his father's house above.
"I seek not yours, but you" said the Master. A social order that reverses the order of this text is Doomed in the judgments of God. Any leader, or business man of church. The Senior and the Intermediate Church member who reverses this text is courting the judgment of God.
Our Church moves on, we know to Higher Ground. We had 168 in Sunday School last Sunday and even more at the preaching. It is only reasonable that we should work for and expect 175 next Sunday. We will continue the sermons on God's Grace, Sunday morning, at Sunday night "Why A Soul, Saves By Grace," and Born Of God Is Sure Of Heaven." Christians are only Pardon Sinners. Given Eternal Life, and as such we worship God in the Spirit. We recognize no class according to the flesh, and have no disposition to glorify men. You don't have to be wealthy, or wear fine clothes to be welcome at our services. The Bible School continues in its sixth week, and all of the services of the Church.

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Texaco Gas... 18c
Octane Gas... 15c
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Used Tires, Nice Line of Groceries. Your business appreciated.
18-3tp. L. R. HUGHES, Mgr.

MIDWAY HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB
Eight members of the Midway Home Demonstration Club were present at Mrs. Alva Nelson's Friday morning, April 16 for an all day meeting.
Demonstrations were given in making sponge cakes, the yellow sponge and the angel food, by the Co. Home Demonstration Agent, Miss Clara Brown.
In the afternoon a business meeting was held after which refreshments was served to the following: Mesdames, G. B. Jones, R. B. Snow, Alva Nelson, Bernice Faircloth, Sam Webb, Sr., Carl Cook Joel Griffin, Misses Clara Brown, and Mae Cook. Visitors included, Mesdames John McKee, Dewey Ennis, Elmer Cox.
STAR-TELEGRAM, Morning and Afternoon editions delivered. See Nolan Cooper.

CARD OF THANKS
We extend our sincere thanks to all who in any way assisted us in the illness and death of our husband and father, M. Pearce. Respectfully,
Mrs. M. Pearce and family.

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Methodist Church
Hamilton Wright, Pastor
The pulpit both hours Sunday will be supplied by an out-of-town minister, Rev. J. W. Price, assistant pastor of First Church, Abilene will probably be here. He has been suffering from flu but is now reported up and about.
The pastor is away in a 10-day revival meeting at Tuscola for Rev. Hugh H. Hunt, pastor.
District Conference was held at Throckmorton Wednesday and Thursday. Baird was represented with several delegates.
There was one addition Sunday evening by baptism.
Remember we have two fine Epworth Leagues going at the Senior and the Intermediate. Both meet at 7:30 Sunday evenings. Our preaching hour has been set at 7:45 p. m.
We're still in arrears on the benevolences. Those who subscribed and have not paid and those who have not subscribed should see J. Brice Jones or Howard E. Farmer the after at The First National Bank. About 95 per cent has been subscribed and about 80 per cent actually raised. Help in this worthy work of missions, evangelism, superannuate preachers and the like.

FOR SALE—Double section 60
SEED PEANUTS—No one seed peanuts, \$1.25 per bushel at my farm, the Jim Howell place south west of Baird. W. H. Hatley, Rt. No. 1, Baird.
FOR SALE—Double section 60 teeth new Turning Plow, one Georgia Stock Plow and other farm tools. Mrs. R. F. McQueen, Baird, Texas. 17-2t.

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SPECIALS For SATURDAY, April 22

Bewley's Best FLOUR 48 Lbs. \$1.35
PURE HOG LARD 8 L.B. CARTON 69c
Jersey CORN FLAKES, 3 Boxes 25c
FRUIT MIX (1 L.B. CAN) 2 CANS 25c
Large Calif. ORANGES, Per Doz. 25c
Calif. Oranges, (288 Size) 2 Doz. 25c
LETTUCE, Large Heads, 2 For 9c
FRESH BLACK EYED PEAS 1 Pound 10c
3 Pounds 25c
Fresh GREEN BEANS, Per Lb. 11c
EXTRA FANCY FRESH STRAWBERRIES BOX 10c
No. 1 NEW POTATOES, Per Lb. 5c
We Also Have Celery, Beets, Squash Fresh Onions, Cabbage, Turnip and Tops
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THE WISE WILL PREPARE
He who is wise will always prepare For rough, stormy weather, when weather is fair. The man who puts off till' some other day, What he should do now, will find it won't pay. Now is the time for you to engage In saving for sickness, bad luck and old age. Don't get the impression you'll always do well. For the future nobody is able to tell. The First National Bank has found the best way Is: When the sun shines, keep making hay.
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See C. W. Conner for the Abilene Reporter-News delivered morning and afternoon, also the Dallas Morning News. These papers are also on sale at Holmes Drug Co., and the City Pharmacy. Call Mr. Conner at 21.

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County Agent News
ROSS BRISON, County Agent

It is encouraging to note that several more are already planning to plant enough grain sorghums, red top cane or sudan grass, to fill trench silos this year. H. W. Ploemen of Bayou plans to dig and fill two silos of 150 ton capacity. Up in another corner of the county H. N. Sherman of Pueblo, plans to fill a 125 ton trench silo, John L. Estes of Clyde is planning to dig and fill another silo of about 100 ton capacity.

By feeding six cows 40 pounds of a mineral mixture of equal parts of salt, oyster shell flour and bone meal, costing 60 cents Chas. King of Lanham reports that the cows have not only increased their milk production 25 per cent in six weeks, but look better and are much fatter than they were six weeks ago. Before feeding the mineral mixture, Charley reports that the cows spent a large proportion of their time chewing bones and rocks. His neighbor, Frank Martin who has gotten the information from the County Agent's office, and had tried the mineral mixture advised him to use it. Mr. King

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SOAP Crystal White, 5 Bars 18c		4 Lb. Carton	36c	K C Baking Pow'd. 25c Size 17c	
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Personal

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Mrs. George B. Scott, of Cross Plains spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. J. B. Cutbirth.

Miss Myrtle Boydston, Mrs. B. L. Russell Jr., W. A. Fetterly and Clyde White attended the Eastern Star School of Instruction at East land Thursday of last week.

The Health Program held at the Plaza Theatre Wednesday afternoon was well attended. This program was sponsored by the Wednesday and Junior Wednesday Clubs.

M. L. Brashear, prominent farmer and stockman of Lubbock, visited his brother J. A. Brashear our new Red and White Groceryman Tuesday Mrs. Brashear stopped in Abilene to visit her son Maurice Brashear.

Mrs. Inez Short and son Ben Elroy, Mrs. Leroy Purvis and son Arlyn of Fort Worth and Mrs. John Purvis of Salinas, Calif, were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Smith.

I HAVE a full supply of McCannous Products. Mrs. Bob McQueen, Baird, Texas.

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Vanilla
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SOCIETY WRITER SPURNS SOCIETY

"I'VE given the best years of my life to Society," says Inez Galaway Robb. "Would I, after eleven years of constant association and observation, like to be a full-fledged bonafide member of it. No, no, a thousand times no! If I must tell all, Society has always seemed a pretty dull dish to me." With this observation, the famous society reporter, sums up her attitude toward the social set in May Cosmopolitan's revealing story, "A Pair of White Gloves."

Society is changing and being changed, Miss Robb goes on to say, by outside and inside influences. State and Federal taxes make the vast fortune heir to multiplied hazards. Yachts, mansions, private cars, racing stables and other monuments to wealth are becoming a drag on the market because few families can pass on the wherewithal to maintain them. The servant and the day of the great hostess and social leader is at an end. The younger generation prefers a more direct and simple approach to amusement and the decline of inherited wealth is making this approach necessary.

The fabulous success of Elsa Maxwell has grown out of the inability of society to entertain itself. Inez Robb is convinced that the acquisition of wealth is usually accompanied by the loss of two of mankind's most precious boons: imagination and a sense of humor. Miss Maxwell has supplied society with these two things.

"Persons who can lighten for one moment that ennui induced by too much money and too little imagination are worth their weight in gold to a group which long ago gave up all effort to hide its yawns when face to face with itself," Miss Robb says in discussing Elsa Maxwell.

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ELSA MAXWELL

Society in 1939 is showing a few encouraging signs, the writer believes. There is no longer such a thing as a social arbiter. The throne is vacant because none of the younger socialites have thought it worth bothering about. Class lines are being broken down to admit exponents of various talents. But society still needs to get more for its money. Miss Robb says in conclusion, "Riches ought to be good for something beside a ringside table and a Winchell footnote."

CONTRACTORS NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 61.829 miles of Asphalt Seal Coat from End of Conc. Pavt. near Radium to Hamlin & from Albany to the Thrickmorton County Line & from Albany to Jct. US Hwy. 380 at Acampo & from Albany to the Stephens County Line & from Baird to the Taylor County Line on Highway No. US 83, 380, 80-A & 80, covered by Control 33,11-4-5&6-7, 8&6; 125-66-4&7-5&10, in Jones, Shackelford & Callahan Counties, will be received at the State Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A. M. April 25, 1939, and then publicly opened and read. The prevailing wage rates listed below shall apply as minimum wage rates on this project.

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Shovel Operators	8.00
Crane Operators	8.00
Powder Man	8.00
Mechanic	8.00
Crusher Operator	4.00
Asphalt Raker	4.00
Roller Operator	4.00
Distributor Driver	4.00
Distributor Operator	4.00
Tractor Operator	4.00
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Broom Operator	4.00
Truck Driver (over 1 1-2 tons)	4.00
Finisher	4.00
Form Setter	4.00
Air Hammer Operator	4.00
Blacksmith	4.00
Fireman (Asphalt Plant)	4.00
Mixer Operator	4.00
Compressor Operator	4.00
Pump Operator	4.00
Spreader Box Operator	4.00
Steel Setter (Reinforcing Steel)	4.00
Oiler	4.00
Weigher	4.00
Truck Driver (1 1-2 tons and less)	3.20
Flagman	3.20
Unskilled Laborer	3.20
Teamster	3.20
Dumper	3.20
Form Setter's Helper	3.20
Watchman	2.50
Cook	2.50
Water Boy	2.40

Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates. Rates for work performed in excess of the maximum hours per week as stipulated in the "Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938", approved June 25, 1938, (Public No. 718, 75th Congress) shall be subject to the applicable provisions of this Act. Plans and specifications available at the office of E. B. Yeatts, Resident Engineer, Abilene, Texas, and State Highway Department, Austin, usual rights reserved. 18-2t.

in summing up his experience says, "Since this mineral mixture is so cheap I intend to keep it on hand now on, so that cattle, horses, and hogs can get it any time they want it."

Other people in the county who have had similar experience, are Chas. Straley of Oplin; Delbert Sawyer and Robert McClain of Bayou.

Sixty people attended a one-day Poultry Short Course last Wednesday, April 12 at Clyde School Auditorium where George McCarthy, Extension Poultryman of A and M College at T. A. Mensarding head of the Poultry Department at John Tarleton College, Stephensville, talked to the group on poultry management and disease of poultry and their control.

High lights of the meeting may be summed as follows: Bacillary white diarrhea of chicks is a common disease and is transmitted from adult to chicks through the egg from which the chick is hatched, there is no cure. Control consists of testing hens and selling the diseased birds. Fowl Pox, Typhoid and Cholera are common diseases of poultry and can be prevented by two vaccinations that may be given a bird at the same time. One for Fowl Pox, the other for Cholera and Typhoid. These vaccinations should be given when the birds are about 12 weeks old. The cost of both is about 2 cents.

Coccidiosis is another common disease of poultry that attacks chickens that have been reared in unsanitary surroundings and crowded houses. This disease first shows up in birds about four weeks old. This disease can be very large ey prevented by feeding one pound of flour of sulphur in each 25 pounds of starting mash. This should be continued until the birds are at least three months old.

Another high light of the meeting was that chicks fed a good, well balanced starting mash the first six weeks of their life would lay about 25 per cent more eggs than chicks not fed a balanced rashing the first six weeks.

It was brought out at the meeting that the appearance of any disease in a flock should be a warning to the owner to check up on the management of the flock. Most diseases are caused by poor physical conditions of fowls due to unsanitary conditions in the house and yards.

Round worms or tape worms, external parasites such as mites, lice and blue bugs, is caused by lack of green feed such as alfalfa or peanut hay, the lack of a balanced rashing or improper housing conditions.

Those present in the afternoon enjoyed the poultry clinic at which sick flocks were killed. Past morning examinations were made of internal organs and the disease identified. After the Clinic, visitors were taken to the flocks of Miss Mammie Lee Smith, Robert Urban, John A. Ellis, and W. E. McCollum, all of which had modern laying houses and were feeding balanced rashings in order to make the \$1.50 profit that each laying hen should return in a year's time.

R. R. Repper, State Leader in Grasshopper Control, met Jim Yarbrough, Ed Davis and H. W. Ploemen, three members of the 1939 County Grasshopper Committee, recently, and explained that the Government would again be in position to furnish bran, saw dust, and sodium arsenite to farmers on the basis as was done in 1938. As in 1938, it is required that all poison materials leaving the mixing plants which will be at Baird and Putnam, must be fully mixed and ready to put out without the addition of any ingredients, includ-

ing water, at the time it leaves the mixing plant.

According to estimates which in the past have been very accurate 45 tons of bran and saw dust will be needed for campaign this year. Four hundred fifty gallons sodium arsenite will be needed. Two hundred fifty gallons of this material has been ordered. It is expected the mixing plants will start operating the first part of May in order that farmers may get the material and poison the young hoppers before they have had time to damage crops.

As a result of meeting held in 1938 most farmers report that they because by poisoning early more intend to poison early this year, hoppers can be killed at less expense than at any other time.

A partial list of farmers who poisoned early in 1938 and because of their good kill and cheap control campaign intend to do so again this year, are: Ernest Higgins, Ed Davis, Joe Higgins, Jim Yarbrough, R. C. and W. O. Tatom, Al Young, Ernest Franke, teve Walker, Clint McIntyre, Chas Yost and Quince Loven. These men are all well known, and farmers

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not sold on the idea on poisoning early are encouraged to talk to them concerning their success in poisoning early in 1938.

Dane Robinson, Scott Hays, James Alan Hays, 4-H Club Boys of Clyde and Charley Tom Stanley, of the Oplin Club, are all grooming Jersey Heifers and cows for the Dairy Day Show that will be held in Abilene Saturday, April 22. While all of the above are club boys, farmers of the county are invited and urged to exhibit animas, Jersey cows, heifers and bulls at this show it will be time well spent to attend and take part in judging contests, speeches by prominent dairymen and men from A and M College, ad the round table discussions. The show is free. It is hoped that a large delegation from Callahan County will attend.

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