



THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: E. (Eli) Hudson and his wife Mary Hudson and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of the said E. (Eli) Hudson, deceased and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of the said Mary Hudson, deceased; J. E. Hudson and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of J. E. Hudson, deceased; G. L. Hudson and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of G. L. Hudson, deceased; Little O'Neal and her husband J. J. O'Neal, and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of Little O'Neal, deceased and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of her said husband, J. J. O'Neal, deceased; Mrs. L. A. Posey and her husband W. B. Posey and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of Mrs. L. A. Posey, deceased, and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of her said husband W. B. Posey, deceased; H. S. Hudson and his wife Emma and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of H. S. Hudson, deceased; and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of his wife, Emma Hudson, deceased; T. S. Hudson and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of T. S. Hudson, deceased; A. G. Hudson and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of A. G. Hudson, deceased; Alonzo Hudson and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of Alonzo Hudson, deceased; R. M. Hudson and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of R. M. Hudson, deceased; Mary Nagel and her husband C. V. Nagel; Effie Hudson and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of Effie Hudson, deceased; Annie Lou Ashley and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of Annie Lou Ashley, deceased; Mary Fairchild and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of Mary Fairchild, deceased; Emma Johnson and her husband W. H. Johnson and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of Emma Johnson, deceased; and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of her husband W. H. Johnson, deceased; Mrs. A. M. Martin, Jr., and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of Mrs. A. M. Martin, Jr., deceased; Mrs. Mae Griffin and her husband J. E. Griffin and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of Mrs. Mae Griffin, deceased; Mrs. Ida Connell and her husband John W. Connell and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of Mrs. Ida Connell, deceased; and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of her husband John W. Connell, deceased; Thomas Elmer Dickson and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of Thomas Elmer Dickson, deceased; Zella Irene Dickson, and her husband David Burleson, and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of Zella Irene Dickson, deceased, and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of her husband David Burleson, deceased; Oveta Pearl Burleson and her husband David Burleson, and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of Oveta Pearl Burleson, deceased, and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of her husband David Burleson, deceased; Annie Mae Renfro and her husband Roy L. Renfro and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of Annie Mae Renfro, deceased, and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of her husband Roy L. Renfro, deceased; Marvin Morris Hudson and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of Marvin Morris Hudson, deceased; A. L. Hudson and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of A. L. Hudson, deceased; Eli Hudson and his wife Ellie Hudson and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of Eli Hudson, deceased, and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of his wife, Ellie Hudson, deceased; Jewell Wellman and her husband W. R. Wellman and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of Jewell Wellman, deceased, and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of her husband W. R. Wellman, deceased; Marjorie Howe and her husband D. P. Howe and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of Marjorie Howe, deceased, and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of her husband D. P. Howe, deceased; Bert Hudson and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of Bert Hudson, deceased; B. E. Hudson and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of B. E. Hudson, deceased, and all other unknown claimants of any interest in and to the lands and premises herein after described, and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of said unknown claimants, Defendants, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Callahan County at the Court House thereof, in Baird, Callahan County, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 22nd day of March A. D. 1948, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 5th day of February A. D. 1948, in this cause, numbered 10528 on the docket of said court and styled J. J. Johnston, and wife, Essie Johnston, Plaintiffs, vs. J. E. Hudson, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit:

1. That plaintiffs, J. J. Johnston and his wife, Essie Johnston, are residents of Callahan County, Texas, and that defendants Mary Nagel and her husband C. V. Nagel are resident of Taylor County, Texas, and that the residence of each and all of the other defendants hereinabove named is unknown to these plaintiffs and their attorneys herein.

2. Plaintiffs Allege that heretofore, to-wit, on the 8th day of January, 1943, and at all times subsequent to the aforesaid date, they were the owners of and entitled to the possession of the following described real estate situated in Callahan County, Texas, to-wit:

FIRST TRACT: Being 50 acres, more or less, a part of the F. C. Catonet Survey No. 3, and described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of Survey No. 3, on the east line of the D. Thomas Survey No. 801; THENCE East 375 varas; THENCE South 307 varas cross branch then to 753 varas to corner; THENCE west 375 varas; THENCE north 753 varas to the place of beginning.

SECOND TRACT: Being 300 acres, more or less, a part of the F. C. Catonet Survey No. 2, and described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of the D. Thomas Survey No. 801; THENCE West with the North Boundary line of the D. Thomas Survey 548 varas; THENCE North 570 varas; THENCE East 1276 varas for corner on South line of the C. H. Bennett Survey; THENCE South 1900 varas to the north line of the F. C. Catonet Survey No. 3; THENCE West with the North line of said F. C. Catonet Survey No. 3, a distance of 728 varas; THENCE North with the East line of said D. Thomas Survey 1330 varas to the place of beginning.

The land above described being the same identical land conveyed by Roy Kendrick et al, to J. J. Johnston by deed of record in Vol. 173, page 283, of the Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas.

Plaintiffs allege that on the aforesaid date, to-wit, January 8, 1943, the defendants, and each of them, unlawfully entered into the possession of the above described premises and ejected plaintiffs therefrom to the damage of these plaintiffs.

4. Plaintiffs allege that for a period of more than five years prior to the filing of this suit, the plaintiffs and those whose title he holds, have, claiming the same under deeds duly registered, had and held peaceable, continuous, and adverse possession of the lands and tenements above described, cultivating, using and enjoying the same, and paying all taxes as same became due thereon, for a period of more than five years after the defendants cause of action accrued, if any cause of action the defendants ever had and before the commencement of this suit. Plaintiffs therefore plead the five year statute of limitation as against these defendants, living or dead, known or unknown, their legal representatives or devisees or their heirs, and all other persons claiming said land and premises, or any part thereof.

5. Plaintiff prays that an attorney ad litem be appointed as provided by law.

WHEREFORE, premises considered, plaintiff sues, demands and prays for citation to each and all said defendants, and that an attorney ad litem be appointed as provided by law, and that upon final hearing hereof plaintiff have judgment herein as against all defendants, and each of them, for the title and possession of the above described lands and tenements herein described, together with their damage and the reasonable rental value of the same from the date they were disposed therefrom; and for such other and further relief, special and general, legal and equitable, as the facts may show plaintiffs entitled to.

as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and Seal of said Court, at office in Baird, Texas this the 6th day of February A. D. 1948.

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Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Robbins and family returned to their home here Tuesday after spending several weeks in California visiting relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Robbins accompanied them home for a short stay returning to California last week.

Mrs. Mollie Murray and son, R. V., were called to Weatherford by the death of her sister, Mrs. Laura Jones, who had been ill for quite some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Peevy of Abilene visited with Mrs. W. O. Peevy Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf L. Thomas and daughter, Wilma Lee, and Mr. Day, of Cisco, visited in the S. H. Thomas home Saturday.

Floyd Weaver of Brownwood spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Weaver.

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### MRS. D. F. SHORT HOSTESS TO WEDNESDAY CLUB

Mrs. D. F. Short entertained the Wednesday Club February 4, in the home of Mrs. L. L. Blackburn, for the program of Art in the Home.

Roll call was answered with The Picture I Like Best in My Home. Mrs. Fetterly presided during the business session. Members were asked to report at the next meeting any used furniture they would donate to the Girl Scout's Little House. The Club voted to sponsor the organization of a Junior Club. The president appointed Mrs. L. L. Blackburn, Mrs. Colonel Dyer, Mrs. Ernest Hill and Mrs. Sam Gilliland on a committee to perfect the organization of the club.

In a talk on What I Should Know About Pictures, Mrs. Clyde White discussed the choice of pictures, how to hang a picture, and illustrated how to find the point of interest in a picture. Mrs. W. B. Swim spoke on Various Aspect of Art to be Considered in Interior Decoration. She discussed things to be avoided in furnishing and decorating each room in a home.

During the social hour, the hostess served refreshments to fourteen club members and one guest, Miss Betsy Hickman.

Miss Mary Lynn Woodley returned to her home in Lambertville, N. J. after spending ten days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Woodley.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Petty of Cross Plains spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Freeland.

Miss Estelle Freeland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Freeland, who is attending school in Denton, spent the past weekend here with her parents.

### Midway Musings

Miscellaneous Melange and Minor Mention of Men and Women.  
By Mrs. W. B. Tarver

Due to bad weather, social and church affairs have lagged. Mother Mosley is ill.

Maurice Tarver is visiting in Oklahoma with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Craghead.

Gene Faircloth has the misfortune of being in a car mishap one night last week, due to his lights failing. He was unconscious for two hours and had several stitches taken in his head. Doing fine now.

Mrs. John Schaffrina and infant son are reported doing fine. Alton Deathridge was selling shrubbery in this community Monday.

The W. L. Tarvers of Abilene and S. W. Strains of Moran were visiting Midway Sunday.

### NEW FERTILIZER INDUSTRY OPENS IN COMANCHE

One of the largest new industries in this section, The Central Texas Fertilizer Company, opened this week in Comanche. It was built at a cost of approximately \$100,000, and is housed in a building 315 feet long and 60 feet wide. The structure ranges in height from 1 to 4 stories and has ample storage facilities for large tonnage production.

All machinery is completely new, and of the most modern type, capable of producing one ton of fertilizer every two minutes, or a total run of 30 tons per hour. It is operated and serviced by expert and experienced mechanics.

The Central Texas Fertilizer Company is equipped with the machinery and staffed with the personnel to make a quality product second to none. Company officials explain that their product will be put on the market under an iron-clad guarantee for correct analysis, and good physical conditions, which means that any and all of its fertilizer which might tend to cake or harden may be returned to the company or to the dealers without question.

The Central Texas Fertilizer Company will put its product on the market under the trade name of "Topper Brand," with each bag carrying the picture of a large top hat.

This new fertilizer industry is incorporated for \$100,000, which is all paid in. The owners and operators of the new company are: W. M. Durham Jr., Floyd W. Prather and Pat Cagle, who are also owners and operators of Durham Pecan & Peanut Company of Comanche, which has been specializing in Topper Brand peanut seed for many years. The plant is now in production at maximum capacity, and it is hoped that the location of this new industry will tend to relieve the critical fertilizer needs in this highly diversified area. A formal opening of Comanche's newest enterprise is being planned for March or April.

Att Ables, Admiral, is a patient in an Abilene hospital.

R. J. Walker, Admiral, attended the Fat Stock Show and Rodeo in Ft. Worth Friday night.

Miss Josephine Hamlett left today to attend market in Dallas this weekend.

Johnnie Joe Walker and Jack Gillit, Ozona, spent the first of last week here.

Mrs. R. E. Hansen and Mrs. J. A. Coffey, Clyde, visited Mrs. V. L. Chatham Tuesday.

Mrs. W. D. Chisenhall left Wednesday for her home in Long Beach, Calif., after visiting four months with her sister, Mrs. E. C. Fulton and Mr. Fulton.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Gamble, Merkel, visited Mrs. Cora Gamble and John and Bill Gamble Saturday and Sunday.

Jack Freeland, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Freeland, entered North Texas State Teachers College at Denton Monday, at the beginning of the semester.

Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Swim and daughter, Ruth, and son, W. B., attended the dedication of the Morton Methodist Church Sunday. Mr. Swim was the honor guest, having been the minister there while the church building was being erected.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Browning of Sweetwater spent last week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Ace Hickman. Mrs. Browning is Mrs. Hickman's sister.

### MONDAY NIGHT BRIDGE CLUB MEETS

Mrs. W. A. Banks and Miss Evelyn Frazier were co-hostesses to members of the Monday night Bridge Club and their husbands. The Valentine theme was used

for party decorations. Mrs. Bruce Bell was awarded a prize for high score and Mrs. Donald Melton received low score prize.

The following attended: Mr. and Mrs. Tom Barton, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bell, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Presley Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Fain Hollingshead, Mr. and Mrs. Hulan Barr, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Settles, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Sparks, Miss Martha Work, Mrs. Donald Melton and Kenneth George.

G. A. Gwin, Oplin, was a business visitor here last Friday.

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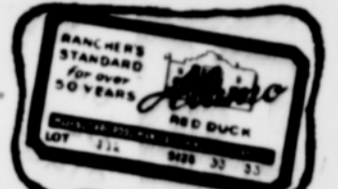
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**County Agriculture  
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By A. R. Grote, Jr.

**A NEW TOMATO VARIETY  
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The season for home-grown tomatoes in the Stephenville area ordinarily extends from late June until August 5. Then hot weather halts production of the better varieties. By planting varieties such as Porter, tomatoes may be had from the garden the remainder of the summer and fall. These varieties are fruitful during hot, dry weather, but the fruits are small and, therefore, of limited value.

In attempting to develop a tomato of acceptable size that would produce after mid-sum-

mer, Porter's Scarlet Globe was crossed with Stokesdale at the Stephenville station in the spring of 1942. Porter's Scarlet Globe is very productive during hot weather but the fruit is small. Stokesdale is one of the best of the large-fruited tomatoes adapted to the Stephenville area, but it will not set fruit normally during the hot weather of late summer. Several promising selections were made from this cross.

Two cooperators in Erath and Comanche counties reported outstanding success with small commercial plantings. Each sold more than \$500 worth of fruit from less than 1 acre. The tomatoes were easy to market throughout the late summer and fall when no other tomatoes were produced in the area.

The smooth globe-shaped fruit of Summer Prolific are deep pink over the entire surface area. They average 6 to 7 fruits per pound in late summer, and 4 to 5 per pound in the fall. The exceptionally firm fruits are well attached to thick stems. After ripening, they will remain

on the vine in good condition for several days.

Summer Prolific makes vigorous vine growth with ample foliage to protect the fruits from sun-scald. The small flowers have heavy sepals which may provide some protection to the tender flowering part during hot, dry weather.

It was found at Stephenville that seed should be planted in the latter part of April. The plants will be of sufficient size to transplant in the field the latter part of May.

**RYE MAKES GOOD FEED**

It has been brought to my attention that farmers have rye left over from last year's vetch and rye crop. With this county going into the production of vetch seed, with rye as a by-product, something is going to have to be done with the rye to keep the farmer growing vetch, our most suited cover crop for the sand. So I recommend rye as a stock feed. It makes a good feed when fed correctly.

Considering only its chemical composition, we should expect rye to equal wheat in feeding value, for the composition of these grains is very similar. However, rye is usually less palatable to stock than the other grains and when fed as the only concentrate or too large amounts, it is more apt to cause digestive disturbances.

Therefore, rye should be fed with due care and each type of stock is discussed herein: For dairy cows the rye should be ground or crushed and had best not from than 40 to 45 per cent of the concentrate. Fed as part of a suitable concentrate mixture, ground rye has been equal or nearly equal to ground barley or corn for dairy cows.

For beef cattle, rye should be ground coarsely, cracked or rolled. It is best to mix it with corn, oats, sorghum, or barley. Steers fed only ground rye and alfalfa hay in 4 experiments gained 2.31 lbs. per head daily on the average and required 451 lbs. rye and 334 lbs. hay per 100 lbs. gain. Others fed shelled corn and alfalfa hay gained 2.44 lbs. a day and re-

quired 520 lbs. corn and 241 lbs. hay per 100 lbs. gain. On the basis of the amount of feed for 100 lbs. gain, ground rye was fully equal to corn in these trials.

Rye is apparently liked better by sheep than by most other stock. When fed as the only grain to fattening lambs, it was fully equal to barley or wheat in a Minnesota trial and to wheat in Nebraska experiments. In these trials rye, fed as the only grain, produced about as good results as a mixture of half rye and half barley, corn or oats. There is no advantage in grinding rye for sheep.

For hogs, rye feeding experiments have varied and poor results were obtained when rye was fed as the only grain and for best results it should be mixed with at least an equal weight and preferably a larger amount of other grains such as corn, sorghum, barley, oats, or wheat. Best to feed ground.

Rye is not palatable to horses. Rye is less palatable than grain and therefore should be fed with due care and preferably as only part of the concentrate; so if you have rye on your hands, let us use it to our advantage and feed it in a balanced ration.

**Eula Episodes**

By MRS. R. G. EDWARDS  
Elevating Elucidations for the Enjoyable Enlightenment of Everybody Everywhere.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Edwards and son, Murray Lee, and daughter, June, of Clovis, N. M., have returned to their home after a visit in the home of Mrs. Edwards brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Edwards. Other relatives of Mr. Edwards they visited included a sister, Mrs. Annie Tyler and a brother, J. E. Edwards of Clyde, and Mrs. Myrtle Edwards of Baird. They visited Mrs. Edwards brother, Dee Pool and a sister, Mrs. Murray Rutherford. The accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Morris Edwards to Ft. Worth Sunday to the Fat Stock Show.

Glenn Hawthorne of Eureka, Kansas, has been a guest in the

home of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Edwards. Mr. Hawthorne inspected several hundred head of cattle which will be shipped to his ranch in the late spring. Mr. Edwards has been shipping cattle to the midwest range several years.

**"TEMPTATION" TRIUMPH  
OF TENSE DRAMA**

Tensely directed, beautifully mounted, and artistically enacted, "Temptation," starring Merle Oberon, George Brent, Charles Korvin and Paul Lukas, which opens at the Plaza Theatre Tuesday and Wednesday, is a skillful portrayal of feminine psychology, romantic duplicity and melodrama. The film has an emotional impact that will haunt the average spectator long after leaving the theatre.

The story, from the classic, "Bella Donna," by Robert Hichens, and the play by James Bernard Fagan, presents Miss Oberon as a beautiful, predatory divorcee. She sets her sights for a rich and idealistic Egyptologist, a musician, poet, dreamer, played by George Brent, who falls for her charm. He marries her and takes her to Egypt, where he is head of an expedition exploring the tomb of a Pharaoh dead for some 3000 years.

Bored by the dull life of Cairo, the incessant talk of a dead past, she turns for excitement to a native blackmailing gigolo, done by Charles Korvin, who woos her into a plot to "poison her husband."

Irving Pichel directed the carefully chosen and completely competent cast, which includes Lenore Ulric, Arnold Moss and Ludwig Stossel.

Miss Oberon's exotic delicate beauty is an intriguing contrast to the scheming adventuress she essays in the early episodes of the drama, and her eventual reformation is skillfully interpreted without sentimental overtones.

Brent, as the deluded scientist, is completely convincing. He has never been more happily cast. Korvin, as the gigolo, makes the character detestable, which is what Producer Edward Small, and

the screenplay writer, Robert Theeron, intended.

The Egyptian backgrounds are technically authentic, a factor attributed to C. S. Ramsay-Hill, undoubtedly an expert on that locale.

**FIVE STUDENTS FROM  
BAIRD IN A. C. C.**

Abilene Christian College, opening its 1948 spring semester Feb. 2, has enrolled a total of 1505 students from 37 states, making the largest enrollment of any spring semester in the college's history.

Included among the students in Abilene Christian College are five students from Baird. They are Hinds A. McGowen, Coleman A. Nichols, William Crawford Allen, William Travis Henry, and Mike C. Hughes.

Carol Ivey, student at John Tarleton College, Stephenville, spent the weekend at home.

**MRS. WILL YOUNG IS  
HOSTESS TO CLUB**

The new Year Books were filled out when the Enterprise Home Demonstration Club met Thursday, Feb. 5, in the home of Mrs. Will Young. Mrs. Ray Young was co-hostess and Mrs. J. W. Patton presided over the meeting. Games were played and grab box gifts were exchanged.

Refreshments carrying out the Valentine motif were served to two visitors, Mrs. H. R. Clemmer and Mrs. H. E. Elliott, both of Elmdale; and the following members: Meses. Sam Sherrill, C. B. Collins, Oran Kendrick, Ben Nunn, Paul Shanks, Leon Kendrick and L. A. Wygal.

Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Harris announce the arrival of a daughter, Shell; Ann, January 26, in an Abilene hospital. Mother and daughter are both fine. Mrs. Homer Walker spent several days in Abilene with them.

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J. Brice Jones, Sec'y.

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I. O. O. F.

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<p><b>MEN'S FELT HATS</b> ALL REDUCED 25 Per Cent</p>	<p><b>OUTING FLANNEL</b> 36 inch width 39c value, now 29c</p>	<p><b>MEN'S BLUE OVERALLS and JUMPERS</b> Overalls \$2.95 Jumpers to match \$2.75 Carpenters White Overalls \$2.95</p>	<p><b>BLANKETS</b> WOOL or COTTON Reduced 25 per cent</p>
<p><b>MEN'S WORK CLOTHES</b> Carl Pool, Alamo Red Duck Pants or Jacket Sale price, each \$2.65</p>	<p><b>PLAINVIEW QUILTING COTTON</b> 2 1/2 lb. Roll, ALL WHITE \$1.19 per roll</p>	<p><b>OIL CLOTH</b> MARVELON 56 inch width 39c</p>	<p><b>PRINTED PLASTIC MATERIAL</b> \$1.19 value, yard 59c</p>
<p><b>WORK GLOVES</b> Jack &amp; Jenny, pair 98c Heavy White Canvas, pair 25c Also Leather Gloves at reduced prices</p>	<p><b>BED SPREADS</b> CHENILLE or HOB NAIL \$6.50 to \$6.95</p>	<p><b>PURE IRISH LINEN</b> \$2.80 value for \$1.85</p>	<p><b>SWEATERS</b> Yes Sirree, Every Sweater in the house going at 1/2 Regular Price</p>
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'CHATTERBOX' FOR BOYS AND GIRLS ONLY

Hello boys and girls! Let's start with the birthdays this week. The ice and snow froze us out last week, but it was lots of fun trying to skate, wasn't it? Here's our list of new birthdays to start a brand new month: Virginia Poindexter Feb. 7; Nancy Bryant, Feb. 10; Jo Ann and Joyce Gary, Feb. 14; Leslie Nichols, Feb. 10; Bobby Poe, Feb. 11; Randall Price, Feb. 9; Ray Lawrence, Feb. 10; Maona Bullard, Feb. 9; Cathryn Murphy, Feb. 7; Billie Reese, Feb. 6. Happy birthdays and many more of them.

Remember those seeds I told you the boys and girls from the 4th through the 7th grades were selling recently? \$80.30 worth was sold with the grammar school getting \$26.77 profit. Not bad, at all!

Feb. 4th, the boys and girls in the 6th through the 8th grades started the sale of magazine subscriptions. If anyone needs a new salesman or saleslady in future years, just page Dennis O'Dell and Patsy Betcher, both in the 6th grade. They sold more subscriptions than anyone else the 1st day and received a prize for their labors. For the benefit of all you loyal citizens who try to help your school, I'd like to tell you that the school gets 4 per cent on the American Magazine, Colliers, or the Woman's Home Companion; 3 per cent on other publications. Believe it or not, \$126.90 has already been turned in. Subscribe and you'll make a kid have a happy moment he'll treasure always.

Speaking of treasures, I saw one last week in the form of a lovable, wearable rag doll, held in the chubby arms of Miss Carolyn McGowen. No matter what time or tide does to Patsy Beth, the rag doll, she'll always find love and shelter in Carolyn's arms. Maybe old dolls are the best dolls after all. Who knows?

POWELL AND LOY FUNNIER THAN EVER IN NEW HIT

There's a thrill per minute and a laugh per second in the new Plaza offering, "Song of the Thin Man" which stars William Powell and Myrna Loy as Nick and Nora Charles, the happy-go-lucky sleuthing couple who have endeared themselves to millions of fans throughout the world.

In their latest adventures in hilarious homicide and murderous mirth, Nick and Nora tackle the funniest as well as the most spine-tingling mystery of their long and successful careers and give off with the season's most uproarious action and dialogue while solving it.

Laid against an unusual background of a gambling ship and New York's hottest jive night clubs, the story centers on the murder of a two-timing band leader whose shooting is attributed to the owner of the gambling ship, with whom he has quarreled. Suspicion also points to the socialite father of the gambler's wife; to a clarinet player whose girl the band leader had jilted; and to a racketeer to whom the murdered man was in debt for a large sum of money.

Nick Charles, invariably accompanied by Nora and their ingratiating little terrier, Asta, finds himself head-over-heels in conflicting clues and narrowly misses being killed himself in a number of suspense-packed situations. But in his own impetuous way he manages to extricate himself and his cheerful wife from their various dilemmas and in the exciting final denouement uses a priceless necklace to identify the slayer of the band leader.

Powell and Miss Loy, of course, steal the show in their winning portrayals of the amiable detective and his delightful spouse, but they are given some stiff competition in the performances of Keenan Wynn as a clowning clarinet tooter, young Dean Stockwell as the precocious Nick Charles, Jr., Philip Reed as the two-timing band leader, Patricia Morison as the socialite girl who

marries out of her class, Leon Ames as the racketeer and Gloria Grahame as the band's songstress who sings the lilting new hit, "You're Not So Easy To Forget."

JOHNSON RETIRES FROM T & P SERVICE

Dallas, Texas — After 52 years of railroading, from train caller to presidential assistant, C. D. Johnson will retire April 1 from the Texas & Pacific Railway Co. President W. G. Vollmer made known Johnson's wish to retire in an announcement from the railroad's headquarters in Dallas today.

Vollmer said S. L. Wright, executive general agent, will assume Johnson's duties as assistant to the president, New Orleans.

Although Johnson has been top executive in T & P's Louisiana operation for seven years, all of the rest of his more than half-century T & P service was in West Texas, 43 of them in El Paso, where Johnson plans to make his home after retirement. And that's where he began with the T & P as train caller. Successively he climbed the traditional railroad ladder of promotion as yard clerk, freight clerk, agent. During the first World War, Johnson pitched in as trainmaster on the T & P's old Rio Grande division. Then came a couple of years as assistant superintendent, Fort Worth, and his return to El Paso as general agent before the assignment to New Orleans in 1941.

Johnson's successor in New Orleans is 41-year-old "Buck" Wright, a T & P employe since his knee-breeches days, 25 years ago in Paris, Texas. That is when and where Wright started work for the railroad as a part-time messenger. Then years on the operating side of railroading since then, ten more in the traffic department and the last four in the executive department have meant to all three of T & P's terminal points — El Paso, Texarkana and, now, New Orleans. In between, Wright held an off-line job as soliciting agent at Pittsburgh, Pa., for two years.

Wright is a 32nd degree Mason, a Shriner, past president and an honorary member of the Texarkana Lions Club, a member of the Dallas Athletic Club. He is licensed to practice law in the State of Texas and before the Interstate Commerce Commission, the government railroad regulatory body.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Luke of Arlington, and C. V. Morris of Weatherford, brother and sister of Mrs. Bob Warren, were here Thursday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Mary Warren.

Miss Bessie Clark, Abilene, was a weekend visitor of Dr. and Mrs. M. C. McGowen.

Bear Facts

Editor — Melba Tyson  
Asst. Editor — Bill Jones  
Soc. Editor — Bobby Johnson  
Spor's Editor — Douglas Wagner  
Typists — Robbie Vaughn and Etta Faye Shelton.

Interesting Book Review

Mrs. Hubert Ross gave a book review about Polio last Wednesday. It was very interesting and was enjoyed by everyone. Also Mr. Preston, from Dallas, gave a talk on "Character."

SPORTS

Bears Cop District Tourney

The Baird Bears came out the victor in the Boy's Division of the District Tournament. The Bears first game was against Putnam, which was a very easy game which ended 44 to 24. The victory brought the Bears up against Clyde. The half-time score was 15 to 13 in favor of Baird and the final score 33 to 17. McPherson was high point man with 10 points. West was next with 8.

The Bears then met Rising Star in the semi-finals and were victors by a score of 32 to 26. West was high-point man with 10 and McPherson made 9. The Bears then played Rising Star again in the finals. The Wildcats were held scoreless in the first half with Baird getting 13 points. In the final half, Rising Star made 13 points but the final score was Baird 39, Rising Star 13. West was high with 20 points and McPherson scored 10.

The Bears will meet Desdemona and the winner of 2 out of 3 games will be the Bi-District Champs and will play in the Regional tourney at Abilene. One of the bi-district games will be played here and one at Desdemona, and if it goes three games, a neutral field will be picked.

Local Boys Enter Golden Gloves

Last week a group of boys from Baird entered the Golden Gloves Tourney at Abilene. The boys were: Paul Varner, Leon Daniell, Franklin Miller, Dwight Mayes, Arthur Conlin, Know Waggoner and Bill Jones.

Jones was the first fighter of the evening and lost his bout. Paul Varner fought next and also was defeated. Arthur Conlin lost his bout to a boy from A. C. C. Franklin Miller was next on the card and Baird was handed another defeat.

Saturday night, Dwight Mayes fought the A. C. C. fighter that had defeated Conlin. Mayes won the bout, therefore, fighting in the finals. During the second round of this bout, the fighters bumped heads, cutting each other about the eyes and the bout was stopped and duplicate prizes were awarded.

Leon Daniell put up a good fight against Scott from A.C.C., but lost a close decision. Scott was considerably larger, and after he had opened a cut above Daniell's eye in the second round, the fight was stopped and the decision awarded to Scott.

GREAT CARE REQUIRED IN MILK PRODUCTION

Austin, Texas — The production and distribution of milk is a business requiring great care in the handling of the product, as it is highly subject to contamination. Inasmuch as milk can be readily contaminated, control of production and distribution is necessary in the form of sanitary regulations. Milk that is produced and handled from farm to consumer, where sanitary precautions have been taken to make it a clean whole, some product, is designated a Grade A milk, said Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

In the production of Grade A milk, it must come from clean and healthy cows. It is produced under conditions that will insure freedom from dust, dirt, and fly contamination in both the dairy barn and milk house. The dairy barn construction is such that it can be easily cleaned. Facilities are provided in the milk house to wash and sanitize utensils and equipment easily and quickly, and to store them in a place protection from contamination. Adequate cooling facilities are provided in the milk house so that the temperature of the milk can be lowered immediately after milking. It is the bacteria in milk that indicate the care with which it is produced and handled.

Water supplies should be safe in order that no harmful bacteria may be introduced into milk from contaminated water in the process of washing and rinsing utensils. Carriers of disease organisms, or milk handlers who may be ill, can also introduce harmful organisms into a milk supply.

Pasteurization does not make a dirty milk clean. A clean quality milk can only be provided by having it produced and handled under sanitary standards. In brief, the consumer is assured that when Grade A pasteurized milk is used, it not only is a safe milk, but it has the added quality of being a clean milk.

Rowden Round-Up

Community Activities Reliably Reported by The Star Reporter. By Dorris McClain

Mrs. Cecil Kline and daughters visited Mrs. R. L. McClain and daughters Monday.

The Bayou girls basketball team has entered the Girls County Tournament at Baird and will play the first game Tuesday.

Last Friday night there was a Fashion Show at the Bayou High School. Carl Mauldin won first place with Blan Odom a close second.

Several of the neighborhood gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Baker to kill hogs Monday.

Mrs. Louise Stiles returned last week from Ft. Worth, where she has been since New Years because of the illness of her brother-in-law, C. S. Conway. Mrs. Stiles reports his condition is still serious.

Mrs. Clara Chrane, San Antonio, arrived Saturday to visit her brother, H. W. Walker and her sisters, Mrs. Eva Bibb and Mrs. Leah Hughs and their families.

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**WHAT IS YOUR T.L.Q.?**  
Your traffic law quotient, that is, do you know the laws that help protect you from an automobile accident?

To familiarize the public with traffic laws and the necessity for obeying them, the Texas Safety Association is cooperating in a nationwide "Learn and Obey Traffic Laws" program during February.

"In almost every accident, one or more drivers were violating some traffic law," said George Clark, managing director. "Better voluntary observance of traffic laws would save a lot of lives."

One of the most common causes of accident is driving in the wrong lane, according to Clarke. He pointed out that National Safety Council statistics show driving on the wrong side of the road to be the second most frequent violation reported in traffic mishaps.

Keep right and you'll be left, to drive another day, he said, and listed these rules:

1. Drive to the right of the centerline on three-lane roads, never drive in the far left lane, and on four-lane roads, never drive to the left of the center.

2. Drive to the left on a two-lane road, in the center lane on a three-lane road, or in the lane next to the center on a four-lane road only to overtake and pass a slower moving vehicle, and then only when you are sure that everything is clear.

3. On multiple lane roads, drive in one lane. Don't change from one lane to another without looking back and on both sides. Be sure a car is not overtaking you at the side and to

the rear -- a blind spot in many automobiles.

4. It is legal to overtake and pass on the right when the vehicle overtaken is making or about to make a left-hand turn, on a four-lane street or road, or on a one-way street of two or more lanes of moving traffic. Even where it is legal, however, it should be done with care because many drivers are not expecting it.

## SCHOOL EDUCATION COST DECREASES BY 5%

Austin, Texas — Only five cents more of each tax dollar was required to educate the more than 1,500,000 grade, high school and college students in Texas during the last fiscal year than it did to pay the pensions of fewer than a quarter-million aged, blind persons and needy children.

Figures from the offices of George H. Sheppard, state comptroller, also reveal that the cost of public school education, as compared with the overall cost of state government, decreased 5 per cent during the last fifteen years while pensions skyrocketed from 3 per cent of the total cost to 28 per cent.


The 33 cents of each tax dollar expended by the state for higher and public education is only 5 per cent more than went into the maintenance and construction of highways last year, Sheppard's figures disclose.

At the same time it was shown that the total cost of state government has more than tripled in fifteen years, while cost of education to the state has not kept pace.

During the 1932-33 fiscal year the total expenditure for all governmental functions was \$107,922,451. Of that amount, \$40,529,256, or 38 per cent went for grade, high school and college education. Only \$3,242,564, or 3 per cent, went for public welfare. A total of \$49,589,036 was expended upon the highway system, that being 46 per cent.

In contrast, during the 1946-47 fiscal year total governmental expenditures amounted to \$319,988,100. The schools, colleges and universities got \$106,013,331, or 33 per cent. Pensions

# Texas Native Son



**George E. B. Peddy**  
OF TENANA AND HOUSTON

LEAVING LUCRATIVE LAW PRACTICE, ENTERED WORLD WAR II, MAJOR AGD 1942; PROMOTED LT. COLONEL DURING KIEGE METZ, AWARDED BRONZE STAR, CROSS DE GUERRE, AFTER V-DAY, LEGAL OFFICER AND DEPUTY COMMANDING OFFICER CITY OF FRANKFORT, GAINED VALUABLE EXPERIENCE MILITARY GOVERNMENT WITH CIVIL AUTHORITIES ITALY, FRANCE AND GERMANY, INCLUDING MAJOR PROBLEMS OF FORCED LABOR IN GERMANY, RECEIVED HIGH HONORS AND RECOGNITION, 20 MONTHS OVERSEAS, RETURNED INDEPENDENT LAW PRACTICE, HOUSTON, MEANTIME RETAINING CLOSE IDENTITY WITH FARMING AND STOCK RAISING.

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS 1915; TAUGHT SCHOOL 2 YEARS; ELECTED LEGISLATURE 1917; ENTERED WORLD WAR, COMMISSIONED CAPTAIN INFANTRY, SERVED HOME AND ABROAD TO 1919; GRADUATED 1920, LL. B. PRES. STUDENT ASSN. (ELECTED WITHOUT OPPOSITION) 1917-17; PRES. LAW DEPT. 1919; PHI DELTA PHI; CHANCELLOR HONORARY LAW SOCIETY 1919-20, MARRIED MISS GERTRUDE ERWIN 1921, REARED AND EDUCATED TWO NEPHEWS AS OWN CHILDREN.

GEORGE E. B. PEDDY AT THE AGE OF 30 MADE AN OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTION TO HIS NATIVE STATE IN 1922, WHEN NOMINATED FOR U. S. SENATE BY INDEPENDENT DEMOCRATS WHO OPPOSED THE DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE. DUE TO HIS KLAN AFFILIATION, MR. PEDDY WAS ALSO ENDORSED BY THE REPUBLICAN PARTY IN SAME RACE—AND IN A WRITE-IN CAMPAIGN RECEIVED OVER 140,000 VOTES. EXPOSURE OF KLAN PRACTICES BY HIM IN LARGE MEASURE ACCOUNTED FOR FAILURE OF HIS OPPONENT IN THE 1922 ELECTION TO BE RE-ELECTED IN 1928. VETERAN OF TWO WARS, MR. PEDDY'S AMBITION IS TO MAKE GREATEST POSSIBLE CONTRIBUTION TO WORLD DEMOCRACY, HIS INTEGRITY, SENSE OF FAIRNESS, THOROUGH BASIC EXPERIENCE AND BALANCED THINKING ARE ALL ATTRIBUTES OF HIS TRUE CHARACTER. IN PROGRESSIVE MIND FROM A TENNA-LESS FARM BOY TO PRESENT POSITION—WHO WORKED HIS WAY THROUGH COLLEGE, WASHING DISHES AND WAITING TABLES DURING THE SCHOOL SESSION, THEN IN THE WHEAT FIELDS IN SUMMER—STEPPING EVER FORWARD—ACHIEVING STATESMANSHIP AND SUCCESS AT EVERY STATION OF LIFE'S ACTIVITY.—A MAN OF THE COMMON PEOPLE WHO ADVANCED FROM A "BARFOOT BOY" IN EAST TEXAS TO A PROMINENT POSITION IN THE POLITICAL AND EXPERIENCE IN STATE, NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL PROBLEMS PLACE HIM IN A PROMINENT POSITION IN HIS COUNTRY.

for 217,458 aged, blind and children had skyrocketed to \$90,213,091, or 28 per cent of each tax dollar. Highways, while dropping to 28 per cent, had a total expenditure of \$91,146,484.

The comptroller's records reveal that pensions have marched upward each year during the last fifteen, but the cost of education has fluctuated.

Welfare checks have skyrocketed each year since 1932-33. They reached a total of \$22,013,982 within five years. During the next ten years aid for the aged, blind and children gained until their total was more than \$90,000,000 last year.

While the pension cost was steadily increasing, the schools' aid ebbed and flowed each fiscal year. It reached a low of 28 per cent in 1938-39, when \$45,610,985 was expended upon them.

"The spotlight of late has been on the increased appropriations for our schools, but official figures disclose that the cost of education has not kept pace with the total cost of government in Texas," Charles H. Tennyson, Tennyson said.

director of the public relations for the Texas State Teachers Association, pointed out.

"Educators in Texas have fought long and hard to bring the state into the front ranks in education. We are making progress, but we are not doing so at the cost of other governmental functions."

Tennyson pointed out that not only does the 33 cents of the tax dollar help educate 1,500,000 grade and high school children and an estimated 50,000 students in state universities and colleges, but that it helps pay 46,500 public school teachers, a large number of persons on the college teaching staffs and an estimated 18,000 other persons employed by the various school systems.

The last legislature increased appropriations for the little red school house, its modern counterpart and the colleges, but the percentage of the tax dollar going into education is not expected to be much greater than the high for the last fifteen years," Tennyson said.

## GIFT TEA COMPLIMENTS MARTHA WORK

Martha Lou Work, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William John Preston Work, who will be married to Kenneth M. George on February 14th, was honored with a gift tea in the home of Mrs. R. L. Griggs, Sr., Friday evening.

Receiving guests were Miss Beckye Griggs, the honoree, Mrs. Work and Mrs. N. M. George, mother of the bridegroom. Miss Gwen Dickey registered guests. Antique furnishings of the home formed a lovely background

for the Valentine theme featured in the decorations. The buffet was centered with a satin and lace heart, flanked by red tapers in silver candelabra. Garlands of red ribbons were caught in heart-shaped pattern at each side of the satin damask cloth which covered the table. Red carnations and berries with silvered statifs formed the centerpiece, placed between red tapers. All appointments of the table were in silver.

Mrs. C. B. Snyder, Jr. invited guests to the dining room where Misses Ruth Dyer and Ann Hill and Mrs. Harold Ferguson alternated in pouring coffee from an antique silver service. Mrs. Irvin Corn directed guests to

the gift display room Others assisting in entertaining were Mmes. N. L. Dickey, Lee Ivey and Ashby White. Mrs. Ada Carmichael of Abilene, grandmother of the bridegroom-to-be, was an out-of-town guest.

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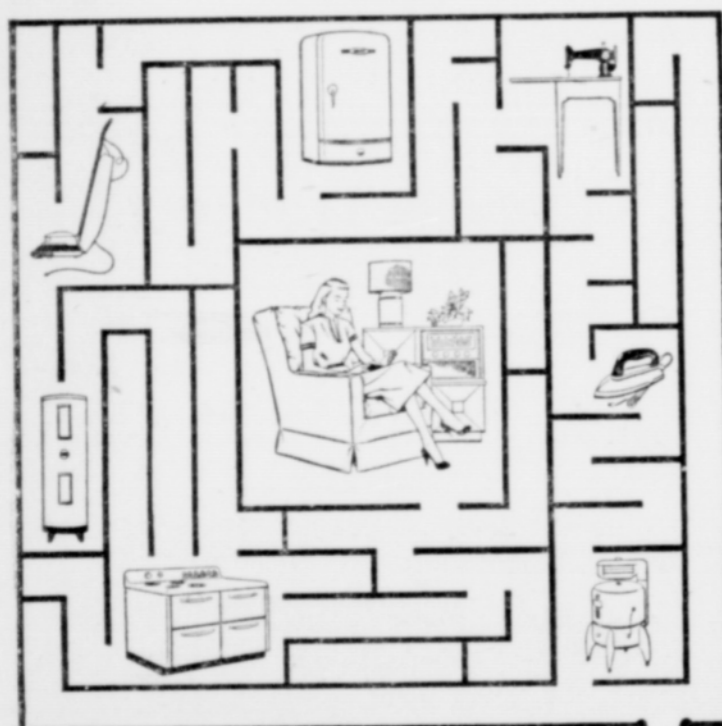
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