



NEW POLIO CASES REPORTED

USTIN, July 27.—The health department today reports of 96 new cases of poliomyelitis (polio) in Texas for the week ending July 24, a decline of 102 from the previous week of 102.

with the medium for the week ending July 10, the new cases for 1943 total to 544.

Even counties reported poliomyelitis cases for the first time in 1943.

rs. Clyde Weaver and Mrs. Anne and Adrienne Weaver Wednesday for Mrs. Weaver's mother, Margaret Newman, 84 years of age.

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MAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR



... from the Pacific ... leaves and moved the ... on olive branches. ... village the sacred ... Sunday was heavy; a ... sets the day apart from ... of the week. Behind ... an aproned giant ... in the diminishing ... of towering walnut trees. ... of stale beer mingled ... blossoms and ... of clover, sweet and ... and tranquil. A row of ... glinted in the mellow ... The man wiped his great, ... on his soiled apron and ... into his shirt pocket for a ... He thumbed the pages ... then reached again to his ... a pair of spectacles. ... of his body and wear had ... most of the two-worded ... print from the back's ... of lock of fine, brown hair ... between the pages. The ... at it fondly, then ... to his fat cheek for an ... and continued to read.

... faults are numbered by ... on many lakes, but I ... ever violated the esthetic ... of my fellowman with the ... sounding of an auto-horn. Some sacredness ... home seems defiled when ... of a velour-cush ... manding is displayed with ... overtures at the ex ... an electric battery and ... anism, instead of walk ... doorway and knocking ... possibility of an op ... is extremely remote, a ... of individual is going ... granted, if not allowed ... up to the golden curb of ... and honk for service.

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State Banks Aggregate New High

State chartered banking institutions have enjoyed a growth of 110% during the past three years, according to a memorandum issued by the Department of Banking, aggregating the total State banks assets in a composite statement of condition as of close of business June 30, 1943.

State banks, which include the First State Bank of Matador with deposits of \$1,235,848.48 on June 30, reflect a well-balanced position and indicate continued increase in business.

Disposition of State banks to offer their clientele a wholesome service is evidenced by loans outstanding in excess of one hundred million, a figure that represents a high point for a decade. Furthermore the strong cash and secondary reserve position of Texas banks offer conclusive proof that these financial institutions have both the capacity and disposition to handle all legitimate credit demands from those engaged in agricultural pursuits or in any other business enterprise.

Substantial contribution State banks are making to the war effort is shown by an overall investment in Government Bonds and other securities of \$166,617,174.46. More than one hundred million of such bonds have been acquired in the past twelve months. In relation to deposit liability the investment of State banks in readily marketable securities represents 40% of liability to depositors.

Substantial Leadership Much of the wealth and progress of Texas is founded on its banking system. Governed by strict regulations, Texas banks represent one of the greatest factors in community advancement, strength and service. The First State Bank of Matador is a typical example, with its history woven through a record of service extending from pioneer days. C. D. Bird, the present president, has been affiliated with the bank since it was organized 36 years ago. H. H. Campbell has been connected with the bank since 1918 and Elmer Stearns, the present cashier and vice-president has been active in the institution since his return from the first World War in 1919. B. F. Simpson, another director, is a Motley county pioneer with continuous residence here for more than half a century. Ralph Stapleton, the other director, has been a resident of our territory for 25 years.

These banking institutions are also heavy tax-payers to all tax-collecting agencies. They have provided consistent resources for the development of the territories (See STATE BANKS back page)

Specialist To Be In Matador Friday

Miss Dosca Hale, home extension service specialist in family relationship, will be in the office of County Home Demonstrator, Dana Meredith, Friday afternoon, August 6, at 3 p. m. to discuss some phases of family life and child development.

Miss Meredith declared that Miss Hale would present material of great interest and benefit and extended an invitation to everyone interested to hear her.

NEW FLORAL AGENT HERE

Announcement appears in this issue of the Tribune of Mrs. Lewis Eudy as agent for the Park Florist of Floydada. Mrs. Eudy supplies flowers for all occasions and may be reached by telephoning number 68. Rapid service is assured patrons where orders require short notice.

MISS SUE GLENN, General Secretary of Y.W.C.A., Fresno, Calif. is visiting here with her brother, C. M. Glenn, and sisters, Miss Amy Glenn and Mrs. J. L. Woodruff. Mr. Glenn, Miss Amy Glenn and their niece, Miss Dorothy Woodruff, drove to Childress Sunday to meet and accompany their guest here. She will visit here for three weeks.

Awarded Honors



SGT. G. W. FULFER

Tribune Is "Most Wonderful Paper In World," Says Flyer

Written "Somewhere in the Middle East," a letter to editor Douglas Meador from Sgt. G. W. Fulfer, dated July 17, 1943, declares: "I am taking this opportunity to thank you again for the most wonderful paper in the world. I have just begun to receive the paper since I have been overseas, but it is just as new to me as if it were just off the press." Sgt. Fulfer, a technician in the Army Air Forces, has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross and has won the Air Medal five times. His complete and highly interesting letter is printed elsewhere in this issue of the Tribune.

Credit for the Tribune going to the men in the armed service belongs to Tribune readers who have made regular unsolicited contributions to support the plan. Sincere appreciation is extended for the following contributions received during the past week: J. E. Russell \$3, B. F. Simpson (Northfield) \$5, Mr. and Mrs. A. Freeman (Roaring Springs) \$2, Mrs. Tom Tilson \$1, Truett Rattan (College Station) \$1, Mrs. J. B. Garrison \$2, B. V. Shirley (Roaring Springs) \$1, Mayor G. T. Edwards -1, C. C. Jones (Flomot) \$1.

City Tailor Shop Has New Manager Under Lease Plan

A deal was culminated here this week whereby I. C. Spain leased the City Tailor Shop from Henry Solomon for a period of one year with option to buy. Mr. Spain assumed management Tuesday.

Both Mr. Spain and his wife are experienced cleaners. Mr. Spain has been associated with the Artec Cleaners at Lubbock for the past two years and has been in the cleaning business for the past 19 years. He is recognized as one of the best cleaners in Lubbock, specializing in the cleaning of fancy dresses.

Boys Appointed To Report Damage By Lint Insects Here

Six Motley County boys have been appointed as cotton pest reporters for Motley County. The boys are Bob Rushing, Matador; Bobby J. Browning, Whiteflat; Martin Dye and Mickey Sanders, Roaring Springs; M. C. Jones and Herb Martin, Flomot. These boys will make a count and make a report to Extension Service of A&M College each Friday on the per cent of boll weevils, cotton flea hoppers, boll worms found in the different fields inspected.

Forrest Faulkner Gels Commission

Forrest M. Faulkner will receive his wings and commission as lieutenant in the Air Corps in graduation exercises from the Army Air Forces Navigation School, at San Marcos Army Air Field, today, August 5, according to announcements received by friends here.

Lt. Faulkner is former principal of the Roaring Springs High School. He was reared in Matador and has his degree from West Texas State College, Canyon.

COUNTY SUFFERS IN HOTTEST DAY

Slight showers at an early hour yesterday morning relieved deep burns in the Texas Panhandle from what may have been the "hottest day" in its entire history. Climaxing approximately three weeks of record heat, Monday, August 2, 1943 developed a hot southwest wind which seared every living thing in its path. Matador has no official thermometer, but many residents declare their home instruments reached 112 degrees. Fields of row feed crops changed from green to yellow within a few hours. Many instances of green tomatoes blistering on the vines were reported in Matador.

J. E. Russell, pioneer cattleman and official of the Cattle Raisers Association declared it was the hottest day he had ever known. B. F. Simpson of Northfield, cattleman and resident of the county for half a century, said it was the hottest day of his experience. Scores of others made similar statements. One man is reported to have lost 20 chickens from the heat. Many farmers quit their fields when the heat became unbearable.

Hot In Amarillo Tuesday's "Amarillo Daily News" declared, "The 52-year Aug. heat record burned up yesterday when the temperature sizzled to 105 degrees. The previous August high was 104. The 105 was two degrees cooler than the all-time high at the Amarillo station. The all-time high was 107 degrees recorded on June 15, 1939.

"In the past 52 years the temperature has gone at least to 100 degrees 14 times in August. All temperatures were taken in the shade." Considering the over-1,000 feet difference in elevation between Amarillo and Matador, it is probable that unofficial temperatures observed here were between 110 and 112 degrees. Tuesday temperatures were close to those of Monday but were not accompanied by the severe hot winds.

REV. L. N. LIPSCOMB TO PREACH HERE SUNDAY MORNING

Rev. L. N. Lipscomb, District Superintendent of Plainview District, will preach here at the Methodist church Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock hour, filling the pulpit in the absence of the pastor, Rev. W. B. Swim, who is conducting a revival meeting at Paducah.

All members are urged to attend, and visitors are extended a cordial welcome at all times.

No services will be held at the Methodist church Sunday evening and the congregation will worship with the Baptists in their revival meeting.

CHARLIE POLLOCK TO MANAGE YARD AT HALE CENTER

Charlie Pollock, employee of the Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Co., yard here, has gone to Hale Center where he will be manager of the company's interests located there.

Mr. Pollock has been with the local yard for the past four years, and has attained recognition with company officials to warrant his promotion to manager, in a vacancy made by the induction of the present manager at Hale Center, into the armed forces.

Mr. Pollock plans to move his family to their new location in the near future.

MRS. G. M. KINGERY CLAIMED BY DEATH LATE WEDNESDAY

Mrs. G. M. (Grandmother) Kingery, who has been in ill health for about four years, died at the home of her son, Arvel Kingery in Darden Canyon at 7 p. m. yesterday evening. No announcement of funeral arrangements has been made. Complete story will appear in next week's Tribune.

NEW ARRIVALS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thompson are parents of a daughter born July 23, at Traweek Hospital. The baby weighed 6 pounds, 4 ounces, and was given the name Linda Rae.

Onion Crop Proves Good Investment

If you raise cotton at less than \$160 per acre, perhaps you should change crops. B. F. Simpson, Northfield farmer and rancher has found a new revenue from his land. One and 3-4 acres of Bermuda onions have grossed \$160 per acre.

Last year S. P. Jones picked cotton for Mr. Simpson and remained here. He persuaded Mr. Simpson to permit him to plant the onions. The total patch has produced 172 bushels which find a ready market at -3 per bushel.

Mr. Jones planted the onion land in cotton after the onions had matured. Mr. Simpson said the cotton on the same land is just as good as that on land adjoining. The onions are of high quality, possessing a mild delicious flavor. They are offered for sale by most Matador grocery stores.

Rev. Balch Speaker at Lions Meet

Popular former Matador resident, Rev. J. R. Balch, pastor of the Seymour Baptist church for 23 years, was the principal speaker at the regular meeting of the Matador Lions Club held in the Methodist church basement, Tuesday. Rev. Balch, who was introduced by program sponsor M. B. Carroll, is conducting the Baptist revival which started here Sunday.

Other guests of the club included two members of the United States Marine Corp., Lt. Walter Keahey and Pfc. Frank Mitchell, both of Roaring Springs.

Three Paducah visitors were Paducah's Lions Club president, Arch Dupriest, Wylie Boyle and Rev. John Crow. L. A. Stearns and Mayor G. T. Edwards were also guests of the club.

Urges Bond Buying

Lion G. E. Hamilton read excerpts from a letter written by Sgt. G. W. Fulfer, "Somewhere in the Middle East," in which the Matador soldier expressed great satisfaction in learning that Motley county had gone over its quota in the April bond drive. Lion Hamilton declared that the county had fallen below its quota for three consecutive months and urged every member to "buy until it hurts and then buy some more."

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The purpose of these reports is to give a better indication of the amount of poison needed. Each county in Texas that grows cotton will make this report and will give the Federal Government a better idea of the amount of poison needed in Texas.

These boys are to be commended for assisting the cotton growers and also contributing to the war effort.

Old-Settlers Will Sponsor Parade

Two Days Annual Celebration Plans Include Greater Rodeo Attractions

TWO DAYS of release from labor and war cares will be provided by the annual celebration of the Motley-Dickens Counties Old Settlers Association, meeting at Pioneer park, Roaring Springs, August 26-27. A meeting of committees and directors was called at the Pioneer pavilion Saturday morning where an outline of the program was designed.

A pioneer-day parade will start the celebration at 10 a. m. Thursday morning, August 26. No motor vehicles will be included. John Russell and Fred Henry are in charge of the parade.

Memorial services will be conducted for pioneers deceased within the past 12 months at 11 o'clock Thursday morning immediately following the parade. Basket lunch is announced for 12 o'clock.

District Judge Alton B. Chapman will make a patriotic address at 2 o'clock, followed by a tribute to the boys in the armed service from Motley and Dickens counties by G. E. Hamilton. Old-time dancing will be conducted through the afternoon and evening, with a separate dance floor for young people. The rodeo, enlarged from previous years will start at 2:30. The rodeo committee consists of John Russell, Mervin Green and J. N. Scrivner. Concession rights may be obtained from John Shirley, H. Jackson and H. D. Marshall. No program is arranged for Friday morning. Old-time dancing will start at 2:30 p. m., continuing through the afternoon and evening. The second day of the rodeo will start at 2:30.

ROARING SPRINGS SCHOOLS TO START TERM AUGUST 23

Roaring Springs schools will open for the 1943-44 term on August 23, it was announced yesterday by Superintendent C. W. Giesecke, Jr. He said present plans are to dismiss for approximately five weeks "cotton-picking," probably in October. The new faculty has been completed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cooper of Cleburn are filling the vacancies created by the resignation of Gordon Gatewood and Viola Stovall.

Mr. Cooper has been employed in the capacity of principal and teacher of social science. Mrs. Cooper will teach home-making.

School buses will operate on the same time schedule as employed last term.

Mr. Giesecke declared that any new Roaring Springs high school students should schedule for classes on Friday, August 20, at 10 a. m. Students will be issued books, assigned lessons and dismissed for the opening day, by one o'clock.

Opening exercises on August 23 will begin at 9 a. m. and all parents and friends of education are invited to attend.

Fireman Answer Grass Fire Calls

Matador Volunteer Fire Department has responded to combat grass fires twice within the past week. A small fire was soon brought under control in north east Matador Thursday afternoon. A grass fire out of control east of Bob's Oil Well, Tuesday afternoon was brought under control before it reached the highway.

Extreme dry weather has created an unusual fire hazard within the city due to the excess vegetation resulting from earlier rains. While grass and weed seeds are destroyed by burning off certain areas, Fire Marshall Cecil Shelton urges that extreme care be exercised to avoid letting the fires get out of control.

Marine Here After 4 Years Service

Pfc. Frank N. Mitchell, United States Marine Corp, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mitchell of Roaring Springs arrived this week for a 30-day furlough, direct from combat zones, after four years of service. He is believed to have been a member of the Marines longer than any other Motley county resident. He will report in San Diego, California on August 27, to resume duties in the service.

Because of strict censorship rules governing returned fighters from the combat zones, it was impossible for him to make any statement regarding his experiences since this nation entered the war.

OPERA CLINIC TO BE HELD AT SPUR ON AUGUST 10

Announcement is made by the Lubbock district OPA office that a War Price and Rationing Board clinic will be held in Spur on Tuesday, August 10. Six counties in the district will be represented. Members of the local OPA organization are making plans to attend.

INTEREST MANIFEST BY COMMUNITY IN BAPTIST REVIVAL

Much interest on the part of the community is being manifest in the revival meeting which began Sunday at the Baptist church. Inspirational messages delivered by Rev. J. R. Balch of Seymour, augmented by good singing under the direction of Roy Reeves, have drawn large crowds to all services. Several decisions have resulted in church additions since the meeting began.

Local business houses are closing from 10 to 11 each morning for the morning services. Evening services begin with prayer meetings at 8:30, thirty minutes preceding the hour for preaching services at 9 o'clock.

As has been the custom, no morning service will be held Saturday. Rev. M. B. Carroll, pastor, again extends an invitation to everyone to attend services, and choir members of other churches are especially invited to assist the Baptist choir during the revival.

Special choir features will include a Youth choir which will sing at services Sunday evening, according to an announcement by the pastor.

F. H. McGee Funeral Is Held Sunday

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist church here Sunday afternoon for F. H. McGee, 50, who died at his home in west Matador, Saturday, after several weeks of illness. Interment was made in East Mound cemetery. He is survived by his wife.

Fay Harrison McGee was born in Hope, Arkansas, Sept. 23, 1893, and married to Ruth Allen Price, December 24, 1934.

A son by a former marriage is in the armed service but his address could not be secured in time to notify him of the death of his father.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. M. B. Carroll.

LEAVE FOR OKLAHOMA

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Harp and son Bob, left Wednesday morning for Oklahoma City, where Mrs. Harp will be under the care of an X-ray specialist. They will also visit their son and brother, A.-C., Norman Harp, who is taking primary training at Norman, Okla.

The Armed Service

Shirley is now F-1-c in Navy, connected with a repair unit, and Buena has been promoted to corporal in Btry C, AA, S.L.B.N., stationed in California, according to information.

has been received from Mrs. Cloyd and Robert I. Mr. have both been transferred to Amarillo Army Air Field.

worth Tison is back at Nevada, following receipt received at Buckley Colorado. He is with the G.T.S. L.V.A.G.S.

C. Hamiter is now with T.E. F.T.S., stationed at Arkansas, according to change in address.

about everybody back home.

"I can not thank the people enough for the paper, and would like for you to change my address as enclosed.

Sgt. Clyde Clifton"

Warrant Officer Thayne (Red) Amonett, of the Administrative Air Corps, stationed in North Carolina, is spending a 19-day furlough at Flomot with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Amonett.

Pfc. Noble Dirickson of 321st Inf. Co. D., stationed at Camp Horn, Arizona, is spending a furlough visit here with his wife and young son, and his mother, Mrs. W. R. Dirickson.

Sgt and Mrs. Howard Edmondson of Lubbock, visited here over the week-end with their respective parents and other relatives and friends.



over here is that it is so large and desolate that it would make almost any other desert look like a paradise. With the exception of a handful of native Arabs scattered here and there, it is almost entirely unpopulated. How they exist is entirely beyond my understanding, but they say "Where there's a will, there's a way." I am almost positive that it must be their will that keeps them alive, because to the best of my knowledge it would be almost impossible for human beings to live if their diet consisted entirely of sand.

I have finished my tour of duty as a combat Radio Operator and gunner, and am awaiting orders to return to the states. I hope to be on my way by the time, or even before this letter reaches you. Since I have been on this tour of duty I have earned the Air Medal five times and the Distinguished Flying Cross once.

With your help and with God's help we hope, in the very near future, to lay at the feet of every American, an unquestionable victory.

Very sincerely yours,
T-Sgt. G. W. Fulfer.

Somewhere in the Middle East
July 17, 1943

Dear Ben and friends:

I am taking this opportunity to thank you again for the most wonderful paper in the world. I have just begun to receive the paper since I have been overseas, but it is just as new to me as if it were just off the press, and I enjoy it just as much.

It really did my heart good when I read the headlines in one issue, "Bond Drive Over Quota." It is a reminder to make us realize that the people at home are doing a much greater job than even we are doing. In addition to giving their sons, they are making it possible for them to be the best equipped and best armed fighting men in the world.

I think I like "Trail Dust" better than anything else in the paper because it makes me home-sick. Sounds odd, doesn't it. That a fellow likes to be home-sick, but believe it or not, it is a pretty grand feeling to have something when you are so far away from home. It doesn't make any difference where or how far I roam, that little "cow town" in Texas will always be my home, and the people there will always be my friends.

I see by the column, "In the Armed Service," that quite a few of the home-town boys are over in this part of the world, but as yet I haven't been lucky enough to run into any of them. I guess most of them are stationed quite some distance west of where I am.

Well, there isn't much to write about from here, except desert, and I'm afraid that wouldn't make a very interesting subject. One thing I can say about this desert

Thanks for sending me the Tribune, and I want to do my little bit to help all the boys to keep the home town paper coming their way, who may not be so fortunate as I am. Tell all the Matador folks hello for me, and give my regards to Randall Whitworth, Mr. Campbell and all the gang.

Sincerely, a friend,
Truett S. Rattan, C.S.P.

Pfc. Quinn Whittle of the 321st Inf. Co. H., station at Camp Horn, Arizona, visited here on furlough last week with Mrs. Wittie and son.

Cpl. G. W. Ratcliff of Camp Hulen, Texas, is spending a 10-day furlough visiting here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Ratcliff and other relatives.

Sgt. Cecil D. Tanner has been sent to Kearns, Utah, from Dover, Delaware, and is now with A.A.F. T.T.C. 502 T.G., Sqd. 7, for further training.

Pvt. and Mrs. Troy Vaughn of the mechanical department of the Army Air Corps of Pampa, are visiting in Roaring Springs this week.

Joe A. Barton has been promoted from the rank of T-5 to Sgt. He is with 1st Bn. Hqs. 474th Q. M. Truck Regiment, stationed at Fort William Henry Harrison, Helena, Mt. Sgt. Barton wrote the following note of thanks for the paper: "Dear Ben: Just a line to let you know how much I appreciate getting the Tribune each week. It sure is a swell paper, and I sure do thank the good people who make it possible for the boys in the armed forces to get it."

Pfc. Sam Hunter returned to Camp Howze, Tuesday after a 10-day furlough visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hunter of Roaring Springs.

Lieut. Walter W. Keahey of the U. S. Marine Air Corps, located at Sheppard Field, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Maggie Keahey of Roaring Springs, this week.

Master Sgt. Ben Houston Clements of San Angelo, visited his mother, Mrs. L. B. Archer, Thursday and Friday. He is being sent to Baltimore, Md. for six weeks special training.

Pvt. James Russell Neblett is a patient in the army infirmary at Camp Wolters, recuperating from a nasal operation performed Thursday of last week. His condition was reported satisfactory by his father, James Neblett, who returned Tuesday from his son's

FARM HOME IS LOST TO FIRE

Fire of an unknown origin destroyed the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Watson in the Teepee Flat community last week. Mr. and Mrs. Watson were awakened about two o'clock in the morning with the house completely in flames. They escaped only with their night clothes after awakening Mr. Watson's mother who was asleep in another room.

Neighbors and friends contributed substantial amounts of merchandise and money contributions to partly compensate the family for their loss.

Game Management Will Name Deputy Wardens Saturday

There will be a very important meeting of the executive committee of the Motley County Game Management Association Saturday night at 8.30 p. m. at the County Agent's office. Appointing of deputy game wardens for 1943-44 will be made and other business will be taken up. The officers of the Association are Gus Bird, president; L. A. Stearns, vice-president; E. P. Reeves, secretary. The directors are M. J. Reilly, W. I. Rushing and Mervin Green.

The appointment of deputy game wardens should be in and approved by September 1, when dove season opens. Many people believe that many quail are killed during dove season. Any business or recommendations that the members think should be discussed at this meeting are asked to contact some of the directors or be present at the meeting.

CORRECTION

Miss Ethel Jameson underwent major surgery in Traweek hospital here last week, instead of Miss Mable Jameson, as erroneously stated in the Tribune. The latter is now Mrs. Redmon Pate of Lake Arthur, N. M. and was here visiting her sisters at the time of the operation. Miss Jameson is improving satisfactorily, according to latest reports.

bedside. Mrs. Neblett has been in Mineral Wells for several weeks, and was with him at the time of the operation.

James L. Turner, F-1c and Mrs. Turner left Thursday of last week to return to the west coast. They will visit in Los Angeles, Calif., before continuing to Mrs. Turner's former home in Seattle, Washington.

Diphtheria Bows To Complete Conquest Of Modern Science

AUSTIN—"Few conquests of science have been as spectacular and complete as those relating to diphtheria," Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, said today. "Science has firmly established the value of serum treatment in both its preventive and curative phases. However, toxin-antitoxin, or its successor toxoid for immunization and anti-toxin for cure, are serums of which the general public is even yet not fully aware."

As indicated, toxoid is the immunizing or preventive agent now usually employed. However, three or four months are required for the body to develop immunity. At that time the Schick test can be applied to determine the results of the preventive treatment.

Dr. Cox urged that children receive diphtheria immunization as early as possible, preferably as soon as they are six months old. The necessity for this immunization is recognized when it is known that two-thirds of all deaths from diphtheria occur in the age group under six years.

"It cannot be too strongly emphasized that to deprive children of this protection which science has made possible is to subject them to unwarranted and unnecessary hazards that can easily turn into a tragedy," Dr. Cox said. "Parental interest in immunization must be more widespread if the Texas death rate from this disease is to be eliminated as a cause of death."

"When a child has been stricken with diphtheria, antitoxin is the only treatment that will save his life. Also, to be effective, it must be given early in the illness and in large doses. Delay is usually caused by parents' failing to realize that any sore throat may actually be diphtheria."



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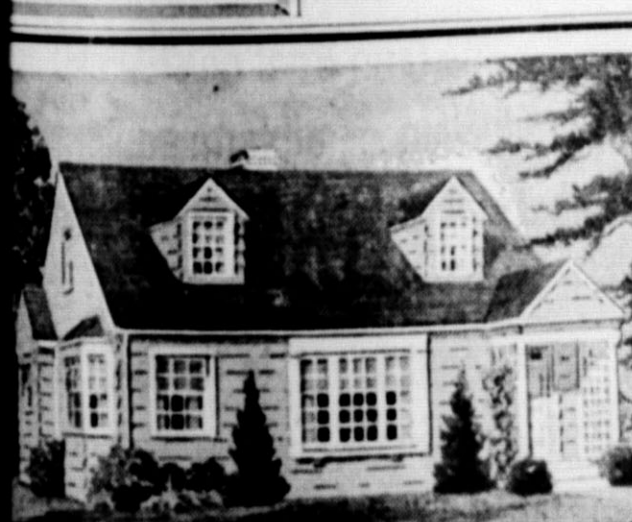
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Food Preservation Vitrally Essential To Nation's Needs

Food preservation is vitally essential to a well-fed nation, it is pointed out by Miss Dana R. Meredith, County Home Demonstration Agent, in a discussion of the part the homemaker can play in the war on the "home front." Since a great percentage of menus for the coming winter will consist principally of products conserved at home, the homemaker will be interested in different methods of food preservation, Miss Meredith says in offering advice on the subject.

"While brining of foods does not rank first in preference to other methods of preservation," Miss Meredith stated, "it is a safe way to conserve surplus products and adds a much appreciated variety to the pantry shelves."

In submitting directions for brining in a weak salt solution plus vinegar, Miss Meredith gives the following preparation of vegetables suitable for this method:

1. Select fresh, tender, firm vegetables; 2. Beets, cucumbers, carrots and green tomatoes should be washed and trimmed, but may be brined without peeling or heating; 3. Turnip greens, mustard greens, beet tops and kale should be washed carefully. All tough and soft leaves should be discarded; 4. Snapped beans should be washed, trimmed, or left whole or cut into pieces. They should be blanched five minutes by steam or boiling water, then cooled immediately.

Steps In Brining

Steps in brining: 1. Use crock jars or wooden kegs with plate or board weights. Soft water, dairy salt, and 4 to 6% acid vinegar are best for this recipe. 2. Pack prepared vegetables into containers. 3. Cover vegetables with brine made as follows: 1/2 lb. salt (about 3-4 cup table salt and 1 1/4 cup dairy salt); 1/2 gallon soft water; 1 cup vinegar, (4 to 6% acidity). The amount of brine needed should be about one half the volume of vegetable material packed. For example if a ten gallon crock of material has been packed it will take about 5 gallons of brine. Brine solution should cover vegetables two to four inches. 4. Use a plate with cheese cloth to hold vegetables under brine. 5. Place weight on plate; 6. Use tight fitting lid or thick cloth over top of container; 7. Store in cool place 75 degrees F is good and the temperature should not be above 85 to 90 degrees for best results. With this method no additional salt is required. Scum will form in several days; 8. Remove daily the scum if the temperature is warm and every other day if the temperature is cool. If the scum is not removed, the vegetables will get soft, turn sour and may spoil. The cheese cloth should be washed each time the scum is removed. Have two cloths; wash and scald one while the other is in use; 9. The fermentation period is about two or three weeks. The food will be even in color and will have a decided acid taste but will be low in salt content; 10. to store, pack fermented vegetables in clean jars cover with original brine, or if new brine is needed make according to step 3. Leave 1-2 inch headspace. Partially seal. Place in hot water bath with water to the

neck of the jar. Process twenty-five minutes for pints, 30 for quarts and thirty-five for half gallons. Remove from water bath and seal.

If desired, dill and spices may be added to cucumbers, carrots or green tomatoes. Use 1 oz. pickle spices to step 3 above. Put spices and some dill in bottom, pack vegetables and add more dill. Then cover with brine.

Use Of Brined Vegetables

Cucumbers, beets, green tomatoes or carrots may be used without soaking as relishes or pickles. Beans, greens or carrots preserved by weak brine do not require re-salting before they are cooked. Rinse them well, cover with fresh water and cook in kettle without lid. Even though some of the acid flavor is boiled off during cooking, the final product may be acid. If this is not desired, soak one or two changes before cooking. This procedure reduces the food value and should be avoided and reduced to a minimum.

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN LIBRARY HOURS

Patrons of El Progreso Study Club library are advised of a recent change in the hours for carrying on the work.

Mrs. U. L. Wille, president of the club, makes the following announcement with reference to the library: "The library, in the Grade School building, will be open each Wednesday afternoon from 2 to 5:30 o'clock, under the supervision of Mrs. W. B. Swin."

"Fines will be assessed only as to those books due on June 29, 1943."

"Note the change from Tuesday to Wednesday afternoon."

The library has proved very popular since it was begun a number of years ago by El Progreso Club. New books are added to the shelves from time to time, and those interested are invited to become patrons of the library.

RECITAL ENJOYED BY MUSIC PATRONS

The piano recital given Friday evening by Miss Marie Hunsucker was well attended by music patrons and friends all of whom declared the program highly enjoyable.

Miss Hunsucker was assisted by Mrs. M. B. Carroll, violinist, who was accompanied at the piano by



GOVERNOR STEVENSON'S PROCLAMATION URGES RETURN OF DEPOSIT BOTTLES. In the proclamation, just issued by Governor Stevenson, Texans are urged, during the month of August, to conserve the existing supply of returnable deposit bottles by returning them promptly to the dealers. Governor Stevenson's proclamation points out that the general public, by returning idle milk, carbonated beverage, and beer bottles, which can be sterilized for civilian re-use, will permit the glass industry to re-use even more of its facilities for the manufacture of glass containers for food, and other items, required by the armed forces at home and abroad. Mrs. Margaret McDuffie, the Governor's personal secretary, was photographed with him at the time the proclamation was issued.

Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Campbell of Abilene, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Campbell, Sr., and her mother, Mrs. Annie Tudor.

Miss Chloey Fulfer of Lubbock spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Fulfer.

Mrs. B. C. Franklin returned last Wednesday to her home at Crowell, after a visit here in the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Bond.

W. M. Calvert of Spade, Texas, is visiting here in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Melvin Dirickson, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Burleson of Wichita Falls, visited here last week with his mother, Mrs. A. D. Burleson and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rattan and daughter of Amarillo, spent the week-end here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Rattan.

Mrs. W. W. Carpenter spent several days in Abilene, last week where she received treatment for an acute arthritic condition.

Mrs. Ruby Webb and sons, David Johnny and Mike, returned home Wednesday of last week from Salinas, California, where they have been visiting their husband and father, Sgt. Ruby Webb, stationed there.

Algie Groves of Wellington, visited his family here Sunday, Mrs. Groves and sons having moved here recently from their former home at Knox City. Mr. Groves is employed by the State Highway department.

Mrs. Beuna Hodges left Monday for Fort Worth, to visit her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Avritt. Mrs. Avritt is recovering from a recent major operation.

Mrs. Joe Gaines returned home Thursday, from Clovis, N. M., where she has been visiting.

Mrs. W. R. Dirickson, Mrs. Noble Dirickson and Pcc. and Mrs. Quinn Whittle made a trip to Big Springs, Sunday, to meet and accompany Pfc. Noble Dirickson here. He will be here about seven days.

Mrs. Bob Echols and her sister, Mrs. Foy Bourn of Lubbock, returned home Wednesday of last week from a trip to the west coast.

Mrs. J. W. Drace of Lubbock, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. Garth Close and daughter, Della, of San Antonio, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Harp Thursday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Ketchersid and family left Saturday on a business trip to El Paso and New Mexico. Mrs. Melvin Meason accompanied them to El Paso, where she is visiting her husband, Sgt. Melvin Meason, who is stationed at Ft. Bliss.

D. A. Fulkerson returned home Tuesday from a visit in Amarillo and Plainview, with relatives.

T. B. Edmondson, accompanied by his sisters, Mrs. C. D. Pipkin and Mrs. F. M. Jinkins, made a trip to Crosbyton and Lubbock, Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Bob Farris of Gilbert, Arkansas, accompanied her brother,

Miss Lela Carpenter.

Miss Hunsucker will be presented in a junior piano recital in Lubbock tomorrow evening, when she will be assisted by Betty Floyd soprano, with Miss Virginia Belle Gamble as accompanist. All are pupils of Mrs. Myrtle Dunn Short of Lubbock.

W. F. Jacobs and Mrs. Jacobs, on their return home after attending funeral services for their mother held Friday at Clayton, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bird left Wednesday for Pagosa Springs, Colorado, where Mr. Bird will take hot springs baths as treatments for arthritis.

Mrs. C. W. Morris has recovered from a slight attack which confined her to her bed at her home in north Matador, about a week ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Thacker made a trip to Fort Worth last week and were accompanied home by his daughter, Marlene, who is visiting them here.

Mrs. Givens Lawrence left recently for Augusta, Ga., to be with her husband, who is stationed there.

Mrs. J. A. Tipton of Northfield is visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. A. A. Tipton, and is receiving treatment at the Tra-week hospital here.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Reilly visited in San Antonio, Texas, last week, with their son, A-c. Maurice Reilly, who is training in pre-flight school there.

Mrs. Eva Blackwell of San Clemente, California, left Monday to return here after a visit here with her sister, Mrs. A. B. Groves. Another sister, Miss Flora Taylor, formerly of Aspermont, has also been visiting here, and expects to join Mrs. Blackwell in California later.

VISIT MOTHER HERE

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Howell and children of Amarillo, were overnight visitors here Monday with her mother, Mrs. J. A. Groves. They were enroute to Salinas, Texas, to visit Mr. Howell's mother and sister. Kenneth Groves, who has been visiting his grandmother, accompanied the Howell family as far as Denton, and from there will return to his home at Galveston.

Nothing great is produced, since not even the pig is. If you say to me that you want a pig, I will give you that it requires time, flower first, then put fat and then ripen.—Epictetus

Use of the hoe breeds duality. Use of modern machinery invites congestion and specialists. Machines are because of all humanity to own a slave.—Frank A.

Laziness grows on you begins in cobwebs and iron chains. The more man has to do, the more he to accomplish; for he economize his time.—Bain

Enjoy the present be thankful for the past, and fear nor wish the approach the last.—Cowley.

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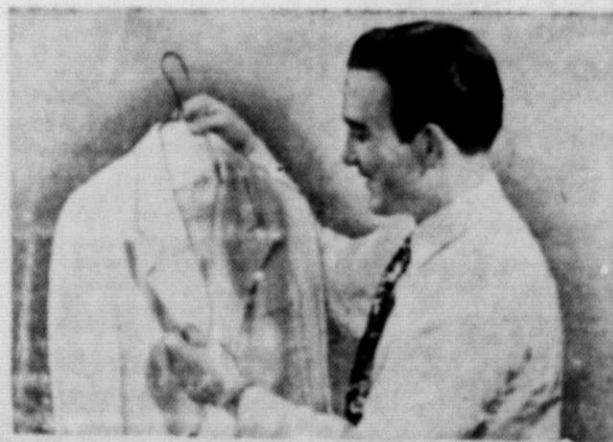
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