

# Cotton Rains Fall Over County 1st of Week

## Washington News Letter by Congressman Walter Rogers

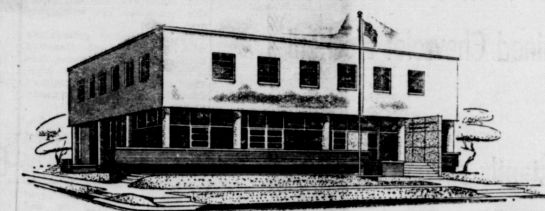
Washington, D. C., July 22, 1953  
**TROUBLE ON CAPITOL HILL**  
 Look for something to happen in the present engagement between McCarthy and the White House on Central Intelligence employees being subpoenaed before McCarthy's committee. It is going to be a tough decision for the White House. McCarthy has played his cards so that the White House would be in a corner. If the White House lets these employees testify, a great risk will be involved concerning the possible leakage of secret information. If it refuses, McCarthy can charge the White House and the State Department with defaming one Bundy, who happens to be the son-in-law of Dean Acheson and who is alleged to have contributed \$400.00 to the Alger Hiss defense fund. Lots of trouble could come out of this.

**POSTAL RATE INCREASE:**  
 There is much opposition on the Hill to the postal rate increase proposed by Postmaster General Summerfield. Strong opposition will be encountered in the Post Office and Civil Service Committee, which has already expressed much general opposition on the floor. This may subside. Opposition argues that first class mail pays its own way; that increasing this from three to four cents is making the average letter writer subsidize big magazines and periodicals.

**FOREIGN AID:**  
 The pressure is on to prevent further cuts in the foreign aid program. The President had recommended \$4 billion dollars. This was trimmed by the House to just under five billion dollars. It was raised by the Senate to \$5.1 billion. This was the authorization. The big worry now is whether or not the appropriations committees will make further cuts in providing actual funds. Incidentally, the Senate raised the House version by more than 150 million dollars. This raise alone is more than has been asked in the way of money to be used for loan purposes in meeting the drought disaster.

**THE TAX MARATONIUM:**  
 Last week I mentioned the fact that a tax maratoniun had been voted by the House for the whiskey distillers on whiskey still in storage. The maratoniun is for four years and it is estimated that it involves approximately 125 million gallons of liquor. At \$10 a gallon tax, it was argued that the collection of over 2 billion dollars was postponed for four years. While at the same time, it was argued that the excess profits tax, which could only bring in 800 million

## AMERICAN LEGION'S NEW STATE HEADQUARTERS BUILDING



Above is the new \$205,000 state headquarters building of the American Legion, Department of Texas. Located two blocks north of the State Capitol building, at 18th and Congress Avenue, the structure is of polished native Texas granite and cream colored bricks. It was dedicated July 7.

## LYRIC Theatre

Thursday July 23  
 Montgomery Cliff Anne Baxter  
 Friday and Saturday July 24-25  
 "CATTLE TOWN"  
 Dennis Morgan  
 "IT HAPPENS EVERY THURSDAY"  
 Loretta Young - John Forsythe  
 Sunday, Monday and Tuesday  
 July 27, 28 and 29  
 Fabulous Exploit of the West's  
 Most Legendary Heroes!  
 Starring Charlton Heston Jan  
 Sterling Rhonda Fleming Foster  
 Tucker  
 Color by Technicolor.  
 Wed., and Thursday July 29-30  
 Ray Bolger  
 "Where's Charley?"  
 Technicolor With Allyn McLerie

## Things You Should Know About Your Local Draft Board

When a man is classified by the draft board, that classification is not permanent. It may be changed when the man's status changes.  
 Each classified man and each person who has filed a request for the man's deferment must report to the local board in writing any fact that might result in the man's being placed in a different classification. This must be done within 10 days after the change occurs.  
 Employers may be required to furnish information under the law, and police officials or other agencies may be requested to make investigations.  
 The local board may reopen and consider new classification of a man (1) upon his written request, (2) written request of a person who claims to be his dependent, or (3) any person who has on file a written request for the man's occupational deferment. This can be done, provided such request for reopening is accompanied by written facts not considered when the man was first classified, which, if true, would justify a change in his classification.  
 Draft regulations say that "classification of a registrant shall not be reopened after the local board has mailed to such registrants an order to report for induction, unless the local board first specifically finds there has been a change in the registrant's status resulting from circumstances over which the registrant had no control."  
 Brig. Gen. Paul L. Wakefield, state draft director, points to two things which might happen

## PALACE

Thursday July 23  
 Alan Ladd  
 "DESERT LEGION"  
 The Great Sahara Adventure!  
 Arlene Dahl - Richard Conte  
 Color by Technicolor  
 Friday and Saturday July 24-25  
 Everglades Indian Wars!  
 "SEMBOLE"  
 Color by Technicolor  
 Starring Rock Hudson, Barbara Hale and Anthony Quinn  
 Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday  
 July 27, 28, and 29  
 "ARBORE" and COSTELLO meet  
 CAPTAIN KIDD  
 Super-Glue Color  
 With Charles Laughton  
 Thursday July 30  
 In Technicolor  
 "PONY EXPRESS"  
 Charlton Heston - Rhonda Fleming  
 Jan Sterling and Forrest Tucker

## Local Trio Claim Credit For Rain

Oscar Donnell, Jim Neely and Hall Jones made a flying fishing trip to Lake Cereita, near Springtown, New Mexico last week-end. They not only brought back ample evidence of their ability as fishermen but are claiming all the credit for the big rain-fall Saturday night of last week. They captured 16 trout that measured from 16 inches to 21 inches in length—and the big one got away—practically tore up their 10 1/2" tackle.

## Hansford County Receives Good Moisture From Rains Past Week

### Four Registrants To Be Inducted July 27

Four registrants will be inducted July 27, 1953. They are W. C. Walker, Polet, Texas, age 20 years, 7 months, a volunteer. Jerry Leon Bowling, Box 134, Spearman, Texas, 19 years, 8 months, a volunteer. Ray Junior Martin, Spearman, Texas, 19 years, 8 months, 4 months. Andrew Franklin Morris, Higgins, Texas, 20 years, 4 months. Induction call No. 39 will be August 17, 1953, when four registrants will be forwarded for induction.

### Dotie Jones Is All Mad At Okies

Dotie Jones, who is conducting her parents on a summer tour of several states writes the country editor from some part of Oklahoma, and she says "BILL BILLS - Look what the Okies are doing to us!"  
 "Well there is real reason for concern. Dotie mailed us a new map of the U. S. A. and Oklahoma takes up about 90 per cent of the earth's surface. The map includes the biggest and the best in everything for Oklahoma, and down where the wheat fields of Texas are supposed to envelope the horizon the Okies have a little pin point spot called 'Oklahoma's Bull Pasture'. What the Okies left of California after using the bigger part for an alleged 'World's Largest Donassur Quarries', they labeled Oklahoma's WPA Project. A few spots were on the map designated as 'Noo 18 Yeda', 'Yon Taw', 'Color Baw', 'New Eskimo, Arid Zona' and 'R KAN SAN-CAN' some sort of the insult that should not be endured, and we suggest to Dotie that she take the matter up with some of Huey Long's descendants when she visits the capitol of Louisiana."  
 Mr. and Mrs. Eric Boehme and son and daughter, Danny and Carmen of New Orleans visited her mother, Mrs. Grace Hughes and other relatives in the past week. Mrs. May Hughes of Berger joined the party one evening.  
 The Slim Cates family spent the week-end in Channing visiting relatives.  
 The Lloyd Buzzards spent the past week-end in Enid Oklahoma, George and Frank Buzzard are visiting there this week and plan to go on to Tulsa, Oklahoma over the 25th and 26th.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Pat Johnson of Hominy Oklahoma visited the George Buzzards during the past week.  
 The Louis Buchners dropped in on the Edd Cluses on their way to Amarillo where they were taking Mr. James Sparks for medical treatment.

## WEATHER

Date	Hi	Low	Rain
14	93	88	0
15	91	82	0
16	88	83	0.13
17	82	59	0.02
18	86	61	0
19	85	64	1.60
20	83	64	0.15
22			0.60
Total			2.50

**NEW ARRIVAL**  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Greover are the proud parents of a baby boy born July 16th. Weight 7 lbs. 4 ozs. Name, Steve Michael.

Claude Kasiah and family of Pine Bluff, Arkansas visited his grandmother, Mrs. C. C. Home from a week visit. They enjoyed a very nice visit.

Visiting the Jimmy Schield-knights was Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wheeler and son of Whitedeer, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Schield-knight of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hurst of Pampa visited Mr. and Mrs. Edd Cluse Saturday. They brought Sherrin K. Cluse Home from a week visit with them.

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## Hospital News

Every thing is still pretty slow here at the hospital. I guess everyone is too busy enjoying the good rains we have had to get sick.  
 Mrs. Mildred Gore of Stratford was admitted July 18th for medical treatment and dismissed July 20.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Troy Sloan are the proud parents of a new son born July 21 at 12:05 P. M. The young man weighed 7 lbs. 4 ozs. and is named Pat White Sloan. Both Mrs. Sloan and Pat are doing fine.  
 It seems that we are still having birthdays here at the hospital. Another of our patients, Mrs. Lela Ward of Gruber celebrated her 76th birthday Monday July 20. She received many nice gifts and some very nice looking cakes. Happy birthday, Mrs. Ward.  
 Even one of our nurses had a birthday. Mrs. Hila Reynolds, our three P. M. to 11 P. M. nurse celebrated her birthday Monday. I couldn't find out just how old she was on that day. She said thirty-eight, but sure had a big smile when she said it. Happy birthday to you, Mrs. Reynolds.  
 "White Shoes"  
 Patiently waiting, you stand  
 There by the wall, needing polish  
 Pritheebly hushy to some perhaps,  
 But to me sembole.  
 You are weary with the wisdom  
 of experience,  
 Not tired by a long day past.  
 Yes, you have walked in dignity  
 And at times you have sped  
 Or moved reluctantly along  
 the myriad corridors you have  
 trod.  
 You have borne witness to  
 the saddest and most consuming  
 pain.  
 And there you stand, battered  
 and worn.  
 But how eagerly you await  
 the early morning hour.  
 To treat once more  
 Life's corridors when the sun  
 is bright.

## GM Signs TV 'Game of Week' Pact

DETROIT—Contract for the "TV Football Game of the Week" series for the 1953 season is signed at a meeting in Detroit, Mich., by William F. Hufstader (seated), General Motors vice president in charge of distribution staff, while representatives of the National Collegiate Athletic Association and the National Broadcasting Company look on. Standing, left to right, are Robert J. Kane, Cornell University Director of Athletics and chairman of the NCAA Television Committee; Ava S. Bunnell, director of television for the NCAA; and Walter Gross, NBC representative in Detroit.  
 For the second straight year, GM will sponsor the broadcasts of the nation's top football games, which will be seen over NBC on 13 week-long beginning September 19 and continuing through December 8. Complete schedule details will be announced soon.

## How He Lost His Pardon

Arthur T. Pierson  
 Sam Holmes was in jail in Frankfort, Kentucky, under a charge of murder. He was visited one day by an old schoolfellow, Lucien Young.  
 "Some years before this visit, Lucien Young had been charged by the Kentucky legislature for bribery in the rescue of several persons from a wrecked ship. So it was not strange that Governor Blackburn permitted to review Sam Holmes' case when Lucien Young asked him to do so. The governor granted and signed a pardon.  
 The pardon papers safely in his pocket, Lucien Young returned to the prison to give Sam the good news. Before disclosing the presence of so important a document, Young began conversation on several topics, with this final question:  
 "Sam, if you've turned loose and fully pardoned, what would be the first thing you would do?"  
 The convict very quickly responded.  
 "I would go to Lancaster, and kill Judge Owsley and his family."  
 Young turned mournfully away, went outside the prison wall, took the pardon from his pocket, and tore it into bits.  
 The governor did not grant a pardon because of a change of Sam Holmes' character. It was issued solely for the sake of this heroic friend. Though Lucien Young carried an unconditional forgiveness to the cell of the prisoner, Sam remained unforgiven and under condemnation, in spite of the governor's pardon, because he refused to let go of his old penitence or sorrow with which he met pardon and accept mercy.  
 God has granted a pardon to all mankind, not upon our merits or character, but solely for Christ's sake. God has saved you not through me, but through the blood of His Son, Jesus Christ. But mankind remains unforgiven and condemned as long as it refuses to repent and accept God's offer of forgiveness.  
 Friend, remember that if you die in your sins it is because you will not live. Christ offers you salvation. Receive Him now while the grace and mercy of God still attend a pardon to you.  
 "God sent not his Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through him might be saved. He that believeth on him is not condemned; but he that believeth not is condemned already, because he hath not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God. And this is the condemnation, that long as it refuses to repent and accept God's offer of forgiveness."  
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## Camera Shy

Oblivious to the fame which has come to them as quadruplets, almost as rare a phenomenon with cows as with humans, the four members of the ranch of George and Tony Purnell near Marvell, Oklahoma, turn their backs on the photographer as they tackle a portion of their more interesting. The Purnells attribute their success in keeping the cow calves through hazardous days of hayward to use of a food containing streptomycin, an antibiotic which in recent years has been taken from the usual 50 per cent to practically zero.

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## Ted's Tips On Baseball

After the somewhat depressing doubleheader at the Yankee Stadium defined in last week's column we tasted two more delectable dishes that are worth a few words. You may recall reading about the 29 to 6 walloping administered to the high flying Brooklyn Dodgers by the N. Y. Giants on the 5th. We were fortunate to be in on this unmerciful killing and believe the Giant fans had fun. We slipped in a center field bleacher seat three minutes before the game time and sat (the happy Maglie had a nice lead of 15 to 2 at end of the fifth so we spotted some vacant seats away up in the top tier over the first place line and walked what seemed like a mile to get to 'em. We had never seen a game from the upper tier and it gives one a "new perspective" can't be had in any minor league park. Wish we had been there when Campanella with his 216 pounds jumped up and down in a rage at the plate umpire over the decision on a runner he thought he had tagged out in the third but we did get a glimpse of that same ump's fighting finger pointing to Jackie Robinson on the bench and see the latter step promptly and head across the field to the club house. We were the third Dodger chased during the game. Many a Brooklyn fan will remember this awful defeat with horror as it was the worst one for the Dodgers in five years. Guess they feel some sense of consolation in the fact that it happened at the Polo Grounds instead of Ebbets Field.  
 On the way home we dropped off in St. Louis for the second game of the Cardinals series. The Cardinals having lost the opener the night before to the great Warren Spain were pretty good that Saturday night and went about their work with precision. Stu Miller, the rookie of the year from Columbus, pitched perhaps the best game he will hurt all year and had the Braves hitting at a selection of slow pitches that Saturday night. He threw fifteen fast balls all night and even the brilliant Eddie Mathews was wroon off balance by his change of pace. The Braves collected just four hits, three of them singles, drew only two walks and only one man reached third base.  
 As we said to Puff Powell, Amarillo scribbles who virtually worship the Cards, this may be the last good game they'll play this year. They were beaten again last day against Milwaukee's lead on second place and as this is written "have dropped to fifth place by losing the first four games on their eastern trip at Brooklyn."  
 Well, there's always next year says Puff. But after 15 years is still Slaughter.  
**HAVE STRIP OF LAND—120**  
 feet deep adjacent to south side of highway running East from Gruber to cemetery. Will sell in plots. Write R. D. Dubois, 414 San Pedro Ave., San Antonio, Texas. No. 33 147

## First Baptist Church

July 19-25 has been proclaimed by President Eisenhower as National Farm Safety Week in the United States and Governor Shivers has also proclaimed the same period as Farm Safety Week in Texas.  
 The third creative arts workshop for county home demonstration agents will be held at Texas Technological College, Lubbock, July 6-10.  
 Most forage crops in the state are taking a beating from the drought and chance for normal production is slight. Therefore, when these crops, including corn and grain sorghums, reach the stage of maturity and are ready, they should be used for making silage.



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The McClellan Chevrolet Company was established in 1926 by the late William E. McClellan, who in the book of this writer is rated as the most aggressive civic leader and excellent Christian gentleman the writer has ever known.

The organization grew along with Spearman and Hansford County, and at the present time is rated as one of the best organized and most modern equipped Chevrolet agencies in the North Plains area.

Housed in a two story modern building, the McClellan Chevrolet organization has advanced just about as far as possible in the elimination of waste and the utilization of efficiency in servicing and sales of the most popular make passenger car and trucks.

The sales room is equipped with every modern accessory, and parts are methodically stored for ready display and instant use. The top floor of the modern home houses the storage of merchandise that is used by the big organization, and is also the home of the office for the organization. This office is equipped with the very latest modern bookkeeping machines so that instant billing of all accounts can be made. There is not room for errors, since the bookkeeping is mechanical and machines make very few errors.

Wilson McClellan, son of R. L. McClellan of Spearman is the manager of the organization. Wilson is a graduate of Texas Tech University of Lubbock, Texas. He came home to assume the management of the organization after receiving his degree from Texas Tech in May of 1946. Wilson had hardly gained a thorough knowledge of the business until Uncle Sam asked him to help out in the United States Army. Wilson was a member of the armed forces from November of 1940 until November of 1942 when he returned home to assume the management of the McClellan organization. Incidentally, the largest dollars and cents volume of business recorded by the company was organized was during the year of 1949 while Wilson was manager of the company most of the year. The largest number of passenger cars and commercial cars ever sold was recorded in 1947 when 96 vehicles were sold at Spearman.

Wilson is a quiet, unassuming young man, who is a deep thinker, and is making good in handling the responsibilities not only of his business, but of the civic duties that are inherited by those who follow in the footsteps of the late William E. McClellan.

Leonard Jameson, a former owner of a car agency of Spearman is Sales manager for the McClellan Chevrolet Company. Leonard has had considerable experience in his line of work, and his pleasant personality makes him a "natural" for the line of duties he assumes with the organization.

Mrs. R. Y. Jones, who has been employed with the McClellan Company since 1945 is the efficient bookkeeper in charge of the office duties. Mrs. Jones handles all the bookkeeping for McClellan Chevrolet, McClellan Krause, Gruver Motor Company from her office in the Chevrolet building.

Roy McCormick is Shop Foreman at the McClellan Chevrolet Company. Roy has been foreman since 1948, and his work has been very satisfactory, and many customers will assure you that repair work at McClellan Chevrolet Company is rated the best.

George Rook, a local boy who started in as assistant with the McClellan Chevrolet Company has progressed during his three years of service to the position of Parts Manager. Rook is a hard working and conscientious young man, and is proving worth of the trust given him by Mr. McClellan.

Two mechanics are members of the staff. In addition to the foreman, they are Bill Hedgecock and Kenneth Burch. Both are factory trained mechanics and have won the approval of the car owners of the county and area.

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**Highlights And Side Lights From Your State Capitol**

**AUSTIN, TEX.**—The drought burst on in Texas, but help was on the way.  
 President Eisenhower flew to Amarillo for a conference with governors of the parched southwestern states.  
 With the president were the secretary of agriculture and the federal civil defense administrator.  
 Congress rushed legislation to extend emergency credit to farmers and ranchers.  
 A bill passed by the Senate would set up a revolving fund from which the Agriculture Department could make farm and ranch loans.  
 A similar bill passed in the House.  
 The bill was reported out of the Senate Agriculture Committee, of which Senator George D. Aiken, Republican of Vermont, is chairman.  
 Aiken lamented some people were trying to make money out of the Southwest's misfortune.

Bankers wanted to handle the loans, he said, and grain operators wanted to handle the distribution of feed under the program. The senator commented: "I don't understand the workings of the minds of people, some of them thousands of miles away from the drought section who are trying to figure out a way to profit from the situation."  
 Aiken was opposed to the suggestion of Senator Lyndon B. Johnson of Texas and others that Secretary of Agriculture Ezra T. Benson start a government cattle-buying program to bolster prices.  
 Aiken said a previous buying program was not very successful.  
 Johnson said that the agriculture department had the money and the authority to buy cattle.  
 The Texas senator contended that credit will do no good, nor will cheap feed and low freight rates, unless prices are improved.  
 Benson has refused to support cattle prices or buy beef on the hoof to strengthen the market.

While Congress wrangled over emergency drought relief measures, the Production and Marketing Administration started feed going to parched Texas counties.  
 C. S. Moseley of the Dallas PMA commodity office said 277 rail cars of corn, 114 of oats and 4 of wheat were on their way to 100 points in the state.  
 F. P. Biggs, PMA commodity director at New Orleans, stated that 4,124 tons of cottonseed meal and pellets were moving into Texas.  
 All this feed was being sold at low prices and was being hauled by the railroads at half the usual rates.

Ranchmen at Dalhart, meanwhile, found backers for their proposal of federal price supports for cattle.  
 They called stockmen from five states—Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, New Mexico, and Colorado—in a meeting for the organization of an association to forward their campaign.  
 Governors of the same five states met at Amarillo the next day to talk about the drought.  
 The conference was called by Governor Allan Shivers of Texas on a suggestion originally made by Governor Dan Thornton of Colorado.

A campaign to increase beef consumption at retail and consumers levels has been drawn by officials of organizations interested in the current livestock problem. The program resulted from a conference held Monday in Ft. Worth. In charge of the meeting was Robert M. Fieldler, chairman of the agriculture and livestock committee of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.  
 Well, the end of the drought may not be far off.

This based on the long-range forecast of Abraham S. Straits, hydraulic engineer who works on the Colorado River dams above Arid and incidentally made intensive study of the weather.  
 W. L. Dowell, chief hydraulic engineer of the Lower Colorado River Authority, says Straits' prophecies have been coming true for a long time.  
 The forecaster's idea is that floods will return to the river this year, that next year will be wet, and that heavy rains will fill the river in 1955 and 1956.

**Tired of Beans, Spouse Gets Wife's Card Club Raided**

**PHILADELPHIA**—A hungry husband caused something of a riot in Philadelphia recently.  
 "Tired of eating 'canned beans' on his wife's canasta club night," the husband complained to police and persuaded them to break up the small-stakes card game.  
 They made the raid and arrested the wife. The judge dismissed the case. He suggested that the policemen, who confiscated the "canned beans," go out and track down bigger game.  
 He also told the police that if they held the hostess and her husband in trial "you had better around and raid 300 or so other homes in Philadelphia."

Told that the raid was touched off by one of their husbands who resented "canned beans" for supper, one woman said: "We'll find out who did it. Canned beans, indeed."  
 As for the husband, the judge commented: "Let the girls take care of him."

**Milkman Loses Leg But Saves A Child**

**DALLAS, Texas**—An act of heroism by a milkman has attracted the attention of the country. He is William Giddens.  
 Giddens, winner of several awards for accident-free driving in his 12 years as a milkman, was driving his truck along his route. A 12-year-old boy on a bicycle suddenly swerved from the shoulder onto the pavement. The street was slick from an afternoon of rain.  
 Giddens threw his truck into a sharp turn. The open-door truck turned over and slid 90 feet, grinding the driver's left leg beneath it. The leg had to be amputated.  
 The milkman's first words were to ask about the boy. "It's all right," he said. "Thank God I missed the boy. I just couldn't run over him. I'd rather have it like this."  
 Giddens and his family have received dozens of letters praising him. Dallas businessmen, parents and children have sent him money.  
 But the best letter of them all, according to Giddens, was the one from children at an elementary school wishing him good luck and get-well soon, and promising they'd be careful on their bikes.

Another promise of rain came from the Rev. E. L. Taylor of Albany, Georgia, who sent this telegram to Mayor C. A. McAden of Austin:  
 "The Rev. E. L. Taylor has sent this morning an order for rain for Texas. Look for rain within three days. I have been calling for rain for 27 years and getting it."  
 There was some moisture around the state, but nothing like what it would take to break the drought.  
 There was heavy precipitation in the Big Bend area, some rain in the Panhandle and all across the North Texas border.

Galveston had a commotion. Col. Homer Garrison, director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, took a couple of Rangers from there and sent them to Port Arthur, where they were needed to put down violence as the result of a gas utility strike.  
 Immediately rumors began to fly. Would Galveston turn "wide open"?  
 The Galveston News reported that "the local owners, dealers, and cropper men are working harder and faster than ever to make up for lost time."

Directing the searchlight will be the Texas Research League, a private-financed agency set up for the purpose of studying the various phases of state government.  
 J. W. Edgar, commissioner of education recommended the study. There have now been four years of operation under the Gilmer-Aikin laws. Edgar said, "The program ought to be examined."  
 The State Education Board adopted a new economic index, reducing the contributions of 112

The newspaper quoted Representative William H. Kugler Jr. to the effect that Rangers Pete Rogers and Harvey Phillips had clamped down on gambling, and that any big time gamblers had left town.  
 Colonel Garrison's answer was that the Rangers would be back. He said there were only six Rangers available for the 49 counties in the South Texas coastal area, and "if they are not needed in Port Arthur, they will be returned to Galveston."  
 It looks like a brief operation in Galveston for the croppers.

Also appointed by Eesterfitt were House members to serve on the Legislative Budget Board for the next two years. They are Representatives Fred Niemann, Jack Piek, Max Smith and D. H. Buchanan.

Study of higher education in Texas will be made by a House committee appointed by Speaker Reuben Setteritt.  
 Committee members are Representatives H. A. Hull of Fort Worth, J. O. Gilliam of Brownfield, F. S. Swelison of San Antonio, Reagan Huffman of

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**Socorro County Left Out Of Deals Plans To Secede**  
**SOCORRO, N. M.**—Socorro county is planning to secede from the Union and take a great chunk of Arizona and Texas with it.  
 The decision came about after a traffic fine caused a judge to look at the town ordinance and laws. It turns out that the county had never been officially ceded by Mexico to the Republic of Texas.  
 In addition, there's no record of any later transfer of part of the county to Arizona. When Texas ceded to the U. S. the territory that now includes about half of New Mexico, Socorro wasn't officially included in that deal.  
 So, Socorro people think that perhaps it is a good idea to secede and then there'll be no draft or income tax. And as residents explain, what else can they do, the county doesn't know where it is, it isn't even sure if it is.  
 The district attorney thinks it is a good idea, but comments: "Those Yankees will find something wrong with it."  
 Some of the schemes which secession-minded residents have thought up include legal gambling, drinking liquor at \$2.99 a gallon, and cigarettes at 2 cents a pack. In case you don't know, Socorro means in Spanish: "Help!"

**Sheet Of Deadly Gas Protects The Earth**  
**WASHINGTON**—A sheet, perhaps at times two or three sheets, of a deadly poisonous gas in the earth's upper atmosphere makes possible all life on earth.  
 This gas is ozone, a 3-atom molecule oxygen, the stuff one smells near a spot where lightning strikes. It occupies a region between roughly 15 and 30 miles above the surface of the planet.  
 A rip in this tissue-paperish sheet would have deadly consequences for the living things it covers because it shields the earth from all wave-lengths of ultraviolet light shorter than 2,900 angstrom units.  
 A limited amount of the ultraviolet is essential to keep the earth healthy. It kills germs. Very much more would kill about everything else.  
 The ozone layer also stops about 3 per cent of the yellow and green light coming from the sun.  
 In addition, it also stops some heat radiation, coming from the earth itself and may be a minor factor in keeping up the planet's temperature.

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Spearman, Texas ...

# Your Senator Reports BY Lyndon B. Johnson

**\$118,000,000** The Secretary of Agriculture has the authority to spend up to \$118,000,000—available now—to stabilize the cattle market.

This was pointed out in a Senate speech I made Monday, August 18 years ago Congress set up a fund for encouraging domestic consumption and export of agricultural commodities. Thirty per cent of our customs receipts go into this fund every year.

The fund has \$118,000,000 now available to buy up cattle and help stabilize the market. The Secretary of Agriculture has only to act.

**WATER:** Shortly after I first came to the Senate, I asked the Department of Agriculture to make a study of our water problems. The report of the study, now made public, offers the basis for a far-reaching program of water conservation and use.

Texas uses about 7.7 million acre-feet of water per year. But the report points out, this represents only about 15 per cent of the average annual discharge of streams bordering our coastline in the State. Texas uses two and one half times as much water as in 1940.

As I have said time and again, water is more important to us than oil. The future of our State depends on how we conserve our water. We will need it long after our oil is gone.

**FARM PRICES INCREASE:** Mid-June index of prices received by Texas farmers for their products dropped 5.7 per cent from the previous month, according to the Department of Agriculture.

Texas farmers received \$120,000,000 less income the first months of this year than during the first five months of 1952, reports the Bureau of Business Research of the University of Texas. That's a drop of 18 per cent.

**PLAYBACK:** From a speech by Lyndon Johnson, delivered in Texas in October, 1952. "My father was a farmer. . . He never got into the big money, but most of the time he made a pretty good living. There were three times that Dad went broke. The first time was when Theodore Roosevelt was President. The second time was when Warren Harding was President. The third time was when Herbert Hoover was President. That was when we finally had to give up the farm—"

"Maybe it was just a coincidence that farmer went broke only under Republican Administrations. But that's stretching coincidence pretty far."

**Eisenhower Park:** We passed and sent to the White House the bill authorizing the Secretary of the Army to turn over to Texas, at fair market value land to be known as Eisenhower State Park. The 180 acres of land, which the Federal Government would convey to the State by quit claim deed, lies within the Denison Dam and Reservoir Project.

**News Briefs:** Had a nice visit with Navy Secretary Bob Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Anderson of Godley, and his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Anderson of Burlington.

Additional loans to two Texas colleges have been announced by the Housing and Home Finance Agency: \$400,000 more to the University of Texas for construction of a cafeteria and \$286,000 to Hardin-Simmons to build a dormitory for women students.

Two Texans made outstanding speeches recently and I had them inserted in the Congressional Record. One was by Mrs. Orentha Culp Hobby dedicating the Clinical Center of the National Institutes of Health, the other by Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, on water control problems of Texas.

Mrs. Lois B. Kilmer of San Antonio was here to receive the Medal of Honor post-humously awarded her son, Navy Hospital man John Edward Kilmer, who died a hero in Korea last August 13.

L. W. A. Sullivan of Kerrville, on his way home from overseas duty, was a late afternoon visitor in the office. He had eaten breakfast the day before in Paris—France, not Texas.

Nothing has been heard recently of the proposal by Dr. John A. Hannah, Assistant Secretary of Defense, that would have had the effect of killing the National Guard. The proposal, which Texas asked me to protest as vigorously as possible, seems to be either dead or sleeping very soundly.

Miss Joan Horn of Fort Worth was a visitor, accompanied by Miss Hilary M. Jones of Dublin, Ireland. Miss Jones had just completed a three weeks' tour of Texas and "fell in love" with the State. Who doesn't?

**Jonquil Club Met With Mrs. Archer**

Mrs. Carl Archer was hostess to members of the Jonquil Flower club in Friday July 19. Her home was decorated with bouquets of cut flowers brought by members.

Mrs. Jack McWhirter won an arrangement of flowers with a grouping of Shasta Daisies in a basket. Mrs. Archer won the specimen vase on her huge pink Gladioli.

Mrs. Ralph Blodgett gave a very informative program on

## Coffee Honors May Jones

A pre-nuptial coffee was given July 21 at 1:30 p. m. honoring May Jones. The coffee was given in the home of Mrs. Cap Richardson.

The table was covered with a green linen cloth, and the center of the table stood a bouquet of white daisies. The honoree was presented a cake with white carnations, and received a lot of lovely personal gifts.

Coffee and doughnuts were served by the hostesses: Sady Hoskins, Dot Jenkins, Ruth Hunt, Darlene Howell, and Mary Ruth Richardson.

Those present were Mesdames: Beula Jones, Jane Meek, Addie Novak, Kessie Richardson, Helen Fisher, Jimmy Cook, Lena McCrory, Virginia Sparks, Kathline Gorman, Joyce Jones, Mrs. W. L. Mackie, Ora Sanders, Mary Sparks Alice Johnson, Elma DeArmond and Lucy Mitts.

## Johnson-Markle Vows

Wedding vows were exchanged between De Anna Johnson and Ernest Markle in a candlelight service at 8:30 P. M. July 1, in the sanctuary of the First Methodist Church, Spearman.

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Rev. J. B. Steuart, pastor, read the double-ring ceremony before an altar arrangement of white and pink roses, and white taper candles.

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blouse was attached to a half cap of lace trimmed with seed pearls. Her full length gown was of lace with black and coral bouquets of pink baby roses and carnations. The traditional something old, new, borrowed, and blue was carried out.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Johnson chose a dress of pink cotton lace with black accents. Her corsage was pink carnations. The bridegroom wore a blue crepe dress and white accessories. Her corsage was white roses.

Miss Carroll Hull registered the guests.

For traveling the bride chose a two-piece pink orlon and olive green accessories.

Out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith and Donna of Dallas, Mrs. J. T. Holland, Dallas; Miss Linda Winger, Sayre, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tucker, Grimes, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hunt and Sandra, Cheyenne, Okla., Robert Jantzen, Parrison; and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Sheets and Stephen, Pringle.

The couple left immediately following the ceremony for Amarillo and Dallas en route to Augusta, Ga. where Pvt. Markle has to report at near-by camp Gordon.

**Holt H. D. Club Met**

The Holt Home Demonstration Club met in the home of its president, Mrs. Philip Jenkins, Monday afternoon, July 13th. Miss Geraldine Mayes, new home demonstration agent, met with the group and gave an interesting demonstration on preparing and freezing vegetables.

The hostess served lovely refreshments to the following: Mrs. Geraldine Mayes, agent, and Mesdames: Fred Holt, Marvin Jones, J. R. Allison, H. C. Holt, A. L. Wilson and C. H. Hester.

The next meeting will be July 31, at the home of Mrs. Marvin Jones with the 4-H Girls as guests.

**Rose Garden Flower Club**

The Rose Garden Flower Club met with Mrs. Donna Allen, Friday, July 17. Mrs. Don McLean, our President, presided over the meeting. The program, "It's time to Plant your Iris," was given by Mrs. Don McLean.

The hostess, Mrs. Allen served delightful refreshments to the following: Mrs. Allen, Mrs. J. D. Floyd, Don McLean, Roy Nollner, J. F. Tom, Brown, Doyle Jackson, Kiff White, Jr., Sam Wesson, Don Allison, Don DeArmond, Sam Watson, Tot Rosenbaum, and the hostesses, Mrs. A. L. Wilson and Mrs. Donna Allen.

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leaves are gritty or dusty, wash them in cold water and drain thoroughly. Tie the twigs in bunches and hang up to dry, or spread them thinly over a screen in a dark airy place. As soon as the leaves are thoroughly dry, separate them from the stems and pack in tight containers away from air to prevent loss of the essential oils that give them flavor and fragrance.

For further information, ask your county home demonstration agent for a copy of Farmers' Bulletin No. 1977 Savory Herbs Culture and use.

**Agricultural Exports To Be A Fourth Less Than Last Year**

United States agricultural exports are continuing to decline and are expected to total at least one-fourth smaller in 1953 than in the preceding year.

This information, says C. H. Bates, farm management specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, comes from a report by the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Exports for April, the most recent month of tabulation, were 11 percent below those for March. The total exports in April 1953 were \$223,535,000 compared to \$294,745,000 for the same month in 1952, says Bates.

Among the commodities showing the greatest decrease last April were cotton, wheat and rice, all mighty important crops in Texas. Butter, pork, lamb, dried eggs and apples were also listed.

Bates pointed out that this continuing drop in agricultural exports presents an important problem to the economy of the country because this nation normally exports the products from about 50 million acres. Estimate now being made indicate that total exports during 1952-53 may fall short of the \$3 billion compared with approximately \$4 billion in 1951-52.

The export decline, according to the specialist, has been attributed primarily to scarcity of dollars abroad, increased agricultural prices, and restrictive trade barriers. Plans for checking the drop in farm exports and bolstering foreign outlets for agricultural products are receiving major Department of Agricultural attention.

The solution of this situation, says Bates, would be a big step forward in solving the surplus problem which is bringing back into the agricultural picture control programs.

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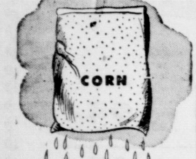
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REGULAR SERVICES  
Sunday School, 10 a. m.  
Worship Services, 11 a. m.  
Evening Worship Services, 8:00 p. m.

**NOTICE**  
August 1, 1953 is the deadline for making school transfers. Those who are eligible are pupils who are on the census in their district within the County. Or transfers may be made from other districts outside the County only if the district is adjacent to the district to which the transfer is desired.  
You should make your transfer with Johnnie Lee at the Court House.



**Cooler Ride Enlarges Corn-on-Cob Market**

**Farmers Ship Sweet Corn in Bag With Ice**  
Bigger markets for the sweet corn producer and better eating are the goals of a science-industry program in which farmers will ship sweet corn with ice for distribution to retail outlets in many major consumer areas.  
The program is based on agricultural extension research findings that corn food after harvest retains more of the natural sugar and chlorophyll essential to its flavor and fresh appearance. Experiments in the project were carried out this year through cooperation of growers and retailers with extension service experts in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, New York, and Massachusetts.



This type of ice-bag will be used to ship sweet corn on a commercial scale for the first time this year. If successful the program will be enlarged next year.  
The 1952 season will mark the first time the ice-bag program is undertaken on a broad commercial scale.  
Object of the icing is to reduce the interior temperature of the corn to within a range of 35 to 50 degrees. It was found that this range slows down conversion of the corn sugar to starch and lessens undesirable changes in husk and kernel color due to heat.  
Bags used in the program are made of three-ply wet-strength paper and are perforated to permit drainage of melted ice. Each has a capacity of five dozen ears of corn and 20 pounds of ice.  
Limited commercial application of the program has already established that iced corn can be shipped long distances without appreciable quality loss and commands greater interest.  
The program will greatly increase the producers marketing area.

**Farm Lobbies Are Not Biggest in Washington**

There has been considerable talk recently about farm lobbies in Washington, but in terms of dollars and cents they don't compare with the activities of other groups who are trying to influence congress and other governmental organizations.  
Figures are not available for 1951, but 1950 reports show that the two major farm groups spent about \$500,000 for lobby activities during that year. The Farm Bureau and the Farmer's Union were the most important lobby groups, among some 81 persons or organizations registered as farm lobbyists.  
By comparison, the Association of American Roadbuilders spent \$277,000 in 1951 for lobbying purposes. The Atlantic Union Committee, a political organization, spent \$158,000. These two groups alone spent more than the two major farm groups.  
One of the reasons why farmers may have an undue reputation for influencing the lawmakers is this. There is considerable lobbying activity in fields related to agriculture, the results of which may or may not be of benefit to the farmer.  
They are the meat packers, copra, cotton interests, milk producers, and other similar organizations. These lobby groups are sometimes interpreted as representing the farmer.

**Protect Trees**



As protection for the bark of trees that are carefully nurtured, tree wrap splits garden hose, splits soil, about it spirally and then nail barbed wire to the inside of the hose. Some animals will be stopped by the hose and the wire will keep off ants. It is not necessary for the hose and wire to extend to the branches.

**YOU NAME IT**

By Billy Miller  
**CLAUDE** Smith is all a-sliming for the rains. He said he took a lot of ribbing from his friends over the irrigation project, which in now in top shape. You see, Claude jumped in and had a drainage ditch built from his lake, where he could drop a suction pump in, and start irrigation season as it rained. He wisely laid all of his plans during the dry weather, and now, all he has to do is start watering. His lake is brim full of water, and he has mounted his 5 inch centrifugal pump, powered with an extra combine engine he had laying around, all on a four wheel trailer where he can back up to the lake and start watering. It should work out pretty slick, and anyone who has a lake around full of water now, might find out that this is a satisfactory way to irrigate.

Why be content with the 7 point offered in the standard strokekeeper burglary and holdup policy when you can have 11. Here they are—count 'em:  
1. Inside Holdup.  
2. Outside Holdup.  
3. Kidnaping 2 Ps.  
4. Safe Burglary.  
5. Money burglarized at residence.  
6. Misd. or equipment at store.  
7. Damage to property.  
8. Theft of personal property.  
9. at residence.  
10. Burglary of money left out side of a locked safe at store.  
11. Medical bills if you or employee another winter like the last one. There won't be a cow man in the Panhandle of Texas. Some might smart if they had the made the statement that they must get a price, in comparison to the cost of feed, in order to stay in business. The men who have made these statements are wise men in the cow business, and it is best that they know them. If a price support is what they want, something better be done about it. But it will be awful hard to put a support under livestock, yet something should be worked out. All of these government programs, etc., help, but this isn't a drop in the bucket, to what the farmer and rancher needs. Mind you, no one wants something for nothing, but the cow man must have some consideration, and he probably will be the last to receive it. I am wondering what can be done about this situation; one thing for sure, the government shouldn't buy any beef out of this country, but instead can up this beef in the U. S. and help get rid of the surplus, before they buy that Argentine beef, or Mexican beef either. And mind you, I just imagine the government is still buying plenty of meat from Australia, and feeding our troops in Korea. This thing should be looked into by our Congressman at once.

**TED VERNON**

Your Panhandle crime insurance Specialist  
2803 Gables St. - Amarillo, Texas

**Drouth Emergency News**

Extension representatives from Drouth and fuel surplus states met in Kansas City, recently to consider what might be done that is not already being done through official channels set up by the Secretary of Agriculture. Drouth States are as follows: Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Kansas and Colorado. Four plus states represented at this meeting were: Iowa, Illinois, Wisconsin, North and South Dakota, Nebraska, and parts of Colorado.  
The two main objectives agreed upon where to get distressed farmers and ranchers in touch with prospective customers as quickly as possible and to exchange information between drouth and surplus states, in regard to hay and grain and available pasture.  
Since we are lying in a drouth area we need to take an inventory of our livestock and feed requirements. Producers who want to sell a carload lots or

ready to do something, or get off the stool. The G. I.'s, are disgusted with the whole affair, because one day they are assured of an armistice, and the next day they are dying as result of a sneaky Chinese attack. But then, what can you expect, when we can only strike as far as the Yala River? Our methods of warfare are strategic, and we are having to fight a war according to the rules laid down by our enemy. It would be so different, if it were wide open, and we could bomb anywhere where we pleased. But then, this is only a personal opinion, and if I were so smart, I would be rich. Undoubtedly, we can give the politicians some credit for having a little sense, as surely they must have something up their sleeves, besides their arms.

**7 come 11**

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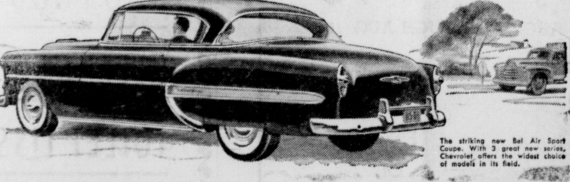
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### Texas Purebred Dairy Cattle Association Organized

Representatives from the Ashby, Brown, Swiss, Guernsey and Jersey breed associations in Texas met here on July 10 to consider problems of mutual interest including the organization of a statewide association. Contracts and discussions had been in progress for sometime and Dr. I. W. Ruppel, dairy department head at Texas A. & M. College issued the invitation for the meeting.

According to R. E. Burleson, dairy husbandman for the representatives decided that such an organization was needed to further strengthen and promote the best interests of the breeders of purebred dairy cattle in the state.

The purpose of the new organization are to increase the interest of all dairymen in purebred dairy cattle and to cooperate with activities and programs which will advance the dairy industry especially from the standpoint of increasing production and efficiency through the use of better breeding stock.

The president of the new organization is Ed Knolls of Sandia. He is a breeder of Jerseys. Harry Peterson, a Guernsey breeder of Austin, was named vice president and Burleson secretary.

The executive committee in addition to the officers is composed of E. L. Whitmire, a Brown Swiss breeder of Norman; J. B. Ferguson, Ashby breeder from Dallas and F. E. Glasie, a Waco Holstein breeder.

After the organizational plans were completed, the group attending the meeting drew up a resolution which pointed up the need for a strong statewide organization to represent all dairymen. This resolution along with other information on the Texas Purebred Dairy Cattle Association is being sent to all organized dairy groups in Texas.

### Just An Example

Been wondering how this country would ever get back on our feet and quit wanting the Federal government to come to the aid of citizens when we meet adversity.

In checking around we discovered that we have an excellent example how we can keep on keeping on.

Mrs. Jimmie Jackson and Mrs. Vera Wroten are two cattlemen and wheat producers that must have lost as much money as the neighbors. However, these two ladies had enough foresight to take out all-risk government crop insurance and just as a big 4 inch rain fell in June on their land, they had received the 0.8 of the insurance adjustment for total loss of the wheat crop. These young ladies proceeded to keep a day and night crew (Vera was the night crew) plowing and preparing their wheat land for a maize crop. They got the crop in, entertained visitors during the strain of preparing their land and right now after about 5 more inches of moisture these Hansford citizens are likely to make a profit, comes the end of the year—and they have not asked the government for any assistance, and have given the fellow who wants the government to dig him out of his troubles a pretty fair example of how he can pull himself up by his own bootstraps, if he has the will to WORK and the nerve to tackle a hard job.

### Moisture For Summer Growth And Bloom

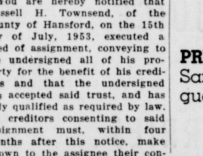
Now is the time to conserve moisture for your flowers and shrubs during the hot summer months. Most plants grow more during hot months and will give more blooms if fertilized and the moisture retained in the soil.

Sadie Hatfield, homestead improvement specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, says moisture conserving methods used in the cultivation of crops can be used in the home landscape. Terraces and soil contours hold rain for two or three days, giving plenty of time for the water to soak into the soil. Draining tile can be used for relieving the lawn or flower beds, after water has stood on them for 2 or 3 days.

Mulches of sawdust, decayed leaves, peat moss, straw, decayed ensilage, grass or other vegetable materials will lessen loss of moisture.

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### Set Summer Type Tomatoes Now For Fall Production

The commercial tomato crop this year in many sections of the state was not up to par and the same has been true for the home garden. Adverse weather conditions during the fruiting season for the standard varieties is given as the big reason for the drop in production. The standard varieties shed their blossoms and don't set fruit, says B. G. Hancock, horticulturist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, when the average temperature starts climbing and this happened early this year.

A wise selection of varieties and planting dates will alter this situation and will give the home gardener a supply of fresh tomatoes right on through the summer and fall. Plants for production in late July and August should be set now. Varieties that have the ability to set fruit under conditions of high temperature and low humidity should be used, says Hancock. The Summer Prolific, Porter, Firesteel and Danmark varieties are good for this purpose. The fruit size of these varieties is small when compared with the standard type varieties, however, they have good quality and are excellent when quartered or halved and used in salads.

Good cultural practices, especially fertilization and irrigation, are necessary to carry these plants through the hot summer months and to keep them producing fruit of good size and quality. The varieties named above will produce fruit until frost if given good care, says the specialist.

Plants for early fall production should be set in the garden as transplants in late July or

water from the drying winds and sunshine. These will decay and increase the fertility and water-holding capacity of the soil.

Mrs. Eugene R. Miller of Guyton, Oklahoma describes her home freezer

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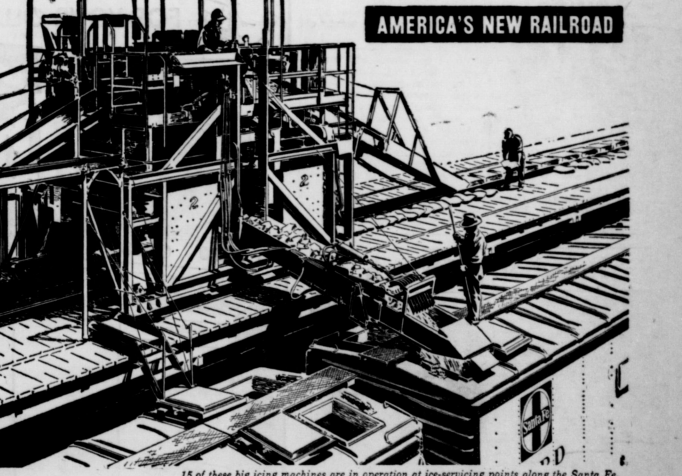
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# Life Magazine Carries Story Of Coy Holt, General Van Fleet On Hunting Trip To Alaska Wilds

Three full pages of Life Magazine this week was devoted to pictures and a story written by General James A. Van Fleet, relating the experiences of the General's hunting party in the Gold Bay area of Alaska.

Needless to say Life magazine, listed less than an hour after they arrived in Hansford county, because Coy Holt and Nick Holt were members of the famous bear hunting party. Right now it is difficult to find a Life magazine that can be borrowed long enough for home folk to read the very interesting story.

A full page in color photo shows General Van Fleet holding the left hind leg of his 1600 pound Brown Bear, and shows Coy Holt grinning like a wilder of whiskers while he lifts the left front leg of the trophy bear. The lower half of the page pictures the camp of the Alaskan hunters.

Other pictures show Coy Holt pulling the bear skin tight as the guides on the trip begin the skinning operations. A second picture shows the skin stretched out and guides rubbing salt into the hide. A third picture on page 39 shows the guides starting home with the bear skins in a rubber boat. On page 40 there is a picture of Nick Holt carrying Coy Holt piggy back across an icy mountain stream. The caption states that Nick had hip boots and Coy did not have hip boots. Final pictures show Van Fleet with his bear and a picture of Mrs. Van Fleet and Mrs. Waltz with fish caught at Anchorage, Alaska.

Colonel Welcome Waltz, a life long friend of General Van Fleet was the other member of the hunting party, besides the two Holts from Hansford county.

Since the story is a copyrighted article, we refrain from telling the details of the hunt, but a great many of our readers already know about the trip from first hand information given us by Nick and Coy Holt.

## This 'N That



## Around Gruver

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cutler went to Amarillo early Sunday morning and brought Dr. Hughes

## Strawberry Stretch



By BETTY BARCLAY

The blazing beauty of captured sunlight is found in the luscious strawberry. No wonder it's America's favorite berry! And when it's combined with rhubarb and held in a sparkling glass of homemade jam, it gives a sharp highlight to a meal. This homemade sweet spread has a tantalizing richness, and to produce this food delight at home takes only a matter of minutes. The trick to perfection is the addition of natural fruit pectin, either Sure-Jell in powdered form or Certo in liquid form—for strawberries need more pectin than nature has given them.

With the advent of spring, everyone is eager to serve meals with a fresh, new touch. By stretching your supply of strawberries with the addition of rhubarb—which is less expensive—you can provide a real taste appeal at lower cost.

No one should gamble with fresh fruit, sugar and other jelly-making ingredients when it's so easy to follow accurately tested instructions. The recipes below are simple, quick and economical, and the short-bell method of jelly making always assures success.

**Rhubarb and Strawberry Jam**  
Yield: about 5 medium glasses  
8½ cups prepared fruit  
1 cup sugar  
1 2/3 cups powdered fruit pectin

To prepare the fruit. Slice this of

## Don't Name It

somewhere back in the distant past—when the country editor was envious of the prosperity of the farmers of this area, we can remember making a caustic remark about the poor farmer who had to work 70 days a year and ruin his health and disposition vacationing in California, Colorado and the pool hall the rest of the year.

I'm pretty sure no one of importance heard the remark, but I shure repent making it, and I hereby and heron state emphatically that even if a farmer only worked 40 days a year, he earns a living for the rest of the year.

Of course that ain't true. The farmer works 14 hours a day about 300 days a year, and then he ends up spending more than a thousand dollars a section per year, only to find his crop can't be harvested. It's a hard life and I'm one man that is not envious of farmers and their hard work.

Take for example my little experience as a farmers helper. All my life I have reserved the fourth of July as a holiday, and I either fish or hunt or sleep for 8 luxurious hours. This year as a farmers helper I spent the fourth of July as a holiday, and I combine shelling out barley just about as fast as an old fashioned coffee grinder sheds coffee.

Last Friday was my birthday, and my family and I reserved for a real celebration. I got a taste of how farmers celebrate their birthdays by riding a bucking No. 29 IHC tractor and pulling a wing back contraption called a disc. This contraption is a series of discs beveled to an edge and set in frames that are supposed to dig down in the earth chop up the weeds and straw and leave a smooth surface of the earth about 23 feet wide. It works all right until a tall weed winds around the disc, or you hit a low spot and mud packs in between the discs. Then you have to stop, crawl off the tractor, dig out the mud or weeds and start all over again. And I'm sure that it shure don't leave the land level, cause on Saturday I had to disc this land North and South that I disc'd East and West on Friday. That's the job

that reformed me as a prospective farmer. I not only had to hurdle the gashes that we had made East and West, but I had to jump five big fenders going over the land Saturday. Any man that can ride a worn out tractor that pitches like a two year old mule and call it pleasure, is sure a subject for sumpin or other. I got 7 hours of this work Saturday, and I'm resigning as a farmers helper from here out.

At least I am learning a few of the important needs of farmers while I help my son on his small irrigation project. Briefly to date I have helped him plow and dig and water and harvest—when there was anything to harvest. He has spent many hard hours trying to convert his 50 acres into a perpetual alfalfa patch. Last year he had a good prospect for a feed crop but an early frost turned his prospective profits into a substantial loss. This year he at one time had prospects of making 20 bushels per acre of wheat and 60 bushels per acre of barley but a late freeze and a heavy hail turned his prospects of profit into losses.

Right at this time my son is completing moli-boarding his land, discing the land, and plans to level out the rough spots, drive and leveled land and rebuild the irrigation borders, then plant wheat as a cover crop for alfalfa. Gosh it takes a lot of work, and if we do not get moisture, then the work is almost thrown away, cause you can't hardly pump enough water on the acreage to make a profit when the rainfall is nothing.

My son is real enthusiastic, and he talks about moisture like a merchant talks about money in

the bank. He grins all over his face as he adds up the "sealed moisture" he is storing away. Started out with 3 and a half inches of rain and hail that came just before harvest, and three quarters of an inch, and now this week and he has measured 2.35 inches Saturday night and one half inch Sunday night.

The trouble with all this soaking in moisture is that just as soon as you disc the land and kill a few weeds and volunteer wheat, you have the whole darn process to go over again after another rain, cause there is more weeds coming up and you can't leave the land all smooth and ready to plant because it is a blow hazard. There just ain't no end to the darn farm work. You are always in a strain, and how in the world a farmer can grin and look comfortable at any time is more than I can understand.

Anyway, if I have to disc that bottom twenty this week end, it can't be so rough as it was last week-end. It's bound to be a lot smoother riding.

## Attend Flying Farmer Convention

Miss Sheila Sparks, Jo Anna Tappan and Mrs. Joe T Edwards attended the State Flying Farmers Convention in San Angelo, July 18 and 19. Jo Anna visited with her father, J. H. Tappan while there.

The party was weathered in Childress on the way down July 18, due to low hanging clouds for 5½ hours. They are happy to report that it rained from good rains to small floods from San Angelo which received 3 inches to Spearman Water was

standing in the fields from San Angelo north to Spearman. Abilene received 7 inches and other places received 7 and 8 inches along the route.

A banquet with crowning of the queen Mrs. Sims of San Angelo, along with full program was enjoyed by all but most of all that made everyone happy was the rain over a wide spread area.

## Control Hardwoods For More Grass

Right now one of the scarcest items in Texas is water. During times of adequate rainfall, says A. H. Walker, range specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the water problem doesn't often get the attention it deserves. And, he continues, something can be done during the wet periods to help overcome the drouthy periods.

He points out that now in many areas of the state, brush is being grown instead of grass. Even under drouth conditions, he says, areas treated for brush control will produce twice as much grass an acre as will untreated areas. Underneath trees and brush are using water and minerals which could be producing forage for livestock, he says. Controlling these undesirable plants, he continues, is only a part of a good range management program for it benefits are to be derived, then proper stocking rates, deferred and rotation grazing along with other practices must be carried out.

Chemical control of hardwoods, through research conducted by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, has been proved both practical and profitable. A.

circular, C-310, More Grass From Controlling Hardwood, has just been released by the Extension Service and it carries recommendations and information on how the job can best be done. The circular is available at the offices of county agricultural agents and is yours for the asking.

The tomato varieties which are tolerant to heat should be transplanted in the garden now or a little later for fall tomatoes, Summer Prolific, Porter, Fire-steel and Danmark are suggested varieties.

Beef tops the list of plentiful foods for August. Also on the list are fryers, potatoes, milk and other dairy products, lamb, vegetable shortening, salad oils and table fats.

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