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Health Notes

By Texas Department of Health

AUSTIN—Contrary to the popular belief that pyorrhea is incurable, this is only true in the most advanced cases. Dr. Goe. W. Cox, State Health Officer, advises those persons who even suspect the presence of pyorrhea to seek an early diagnosis from their dentist so that proper treatments can be instituted while the disease is still curable.

"Early detection and proper treatments of pyorrhea represent the formula for a successful cure. This means that the dentist must have an opportunity to discover the presence of the disease at the earliest possible moment since the symptoms are often so vague that the patient is unaware of its existence," Dr. Cox said. "Regular visits to the family dentist are therefore extremely important."

The treatment of pyorrhea is not an involved procedure. In the average early case one of the main therapeutic features is the proper hygienic case of teeth and gums as outlined by any reputable dentist. Carelessness regarding mouth hygiene is usually the basic cause for the condition.

The family dentist can usually remove the cause of the trouble, Dr. Cox said, and when this has been done, intelligent routine homecare of the mouth by the patient will effect a cure in the majority of early cases.

CHICKS MAY BE SCARCE

COLLEGE STATION—"You can get baby chicks this year, but it may be hard to get them when you want them" is the warning issued by extension poultry husbandmen of Texas A. and M. College.

They base their prediction on the December hatchery production report of USDA's Bureau of Agricultural Economics office in Austin. The report shows that commercial hatcheries in Texas produced 1,100,000 chicks during the month, which is just about half of the production of a year ago, and 28 percent below the 10-year average.

Hatcheries are generally starting their main hatching season later than last year, the report says. The egg-feed price ratio is not as favorable for regg production as last year, and most hatcheries are setting eggs according to orders placed with them. The exception is broiler chicks, as the demand for them has been fairly stable.

With such a situation, orders for baby chicks should be placed well ahead of the delivery date desired, the poultry husbandmen say. Otherwise, there may be an unexpected delay in delivery.

Benefits Of Parasite Control Recognized

COLLEGE STATION—Livestock men throughout the state are becoming more and more convinced of the necessity for control of external parasites in their herds in order to get the most profit from their operations.

Reports to headquarters at Texas A. & M. College from county agents in Floyd, Donley and Dickens counties are good examples of the work that has been done in this field during the past year.

The cattle on the TM Bar Ranch in Floyd county were treated for grubs in January of 1947. A check was made of the demonstration at heel fly time, and A. L. Hartzog, county agent, says the results were excellent, even though the first application of rotenone and dsulphur was not of the recommended strength due to lack of materials. J. V. Daniel, ranch manager, told the agent that "This is the first time our cattle have ever grazed at will and contentedly throughout the heel fly season." Hartzog believes at least a thousand head of cattle in the county have been treated for grubs as a result of the TM Bar Ranch demonstration.

H. M. Breedlove, county agent of Donley county, reported that he had sprayed 18,000 head of beef cattle, 2,200 head of dairy cattle, 35 dairy barns and many cowlots and barns during 1947 in demonstrating the ef-

fectiveness of DDT in controlling horn and stable flies. The local bank bought a power sprayer to be used by the agent in the demonstrations and farmers and ranchers of the county own 15 sprayers.

Breedlove says that ranchmen have reported to him that spraying cattle with wettable DDT powder for horn flies will control the parasite for as long as five weeks. Oil base DDT was used in spraying barns. The control of flies and lice on cattle will be a major item of work in the county during 1948.

Many Dickens county ranchmen are treating their cattle with a wettable powder DDT spray at least twice a year, Charles A. Taylor, county agent, reports. Dairymen are using it more often. "One ranchman told me," he says, "that spraying for flies is down in his book as a job to be done just as dehorning, branding and vaccinating is done". A DDT spray used on barns and other farm buildings for the control of stable flies has also been very successful.

Paul Gregg, assistant extension entomologist for Texan A. & M. College, says that similar reports have come to him from all over the state. An effective grub and heel fly control program, he says, starts in the early fall and four applications of rotenone with sulphur are recommended at 21-day intervals. Spraying or dipping cattle with a mixture of four pounds of 50 percent DDT wettable powder per 100 gallons of water two or three times in the spring and early summer and once

in the fall will usually protect cattle against hornflies for the year.

Half Million Vets Buy Homes During 1947

More than a half-million World War II veterans in 1947 bought homes of their own with the aid of government-guaranteed loans under the GI Bill, the VA reports.

VA said 540,000 GI home loans were made to veterans during the year compared with 410,000 in 1946. This brings the total number of GI home loans approved since the program started late in 1944 to 1,056,771.

VA found that the average home bought by veterans in 1947 carried a price tag of \$7,300. Four of every 10 veteran-purchasers paid over \$8,000 and one in 20 upwards of \$12,000 for the homes they chose.

Of 490,000 first-mortgage loans guaranteed during the year, 290,000 were for the purchase of existing homes at an average price of \$6,700. About 160,000 were for newly-constructed houses averaging \$8,200 each.

Eligible veterans, estimated to number more than 14,000,000, still

have nearly 10 years in which to exercise their loan guarantee rights under the GI Bill. Real estate loans carry a government guarantee of 50 percent of the amount of the loan, up to a maximum guarantee of \$4,000.

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True Stories of West Texans

(By N. H. KINCAID)

THE DEFENSE OF SANTA

An air of tenseness filled the courtroom as the state brought to a close its case against Santanta and Big Tree.

The judge cleared his throat to give his charge to the jury, and not a whisper was heard. Would he dare call for the death penalty?

The Indian Chiefs had admitted guilt; in fact they had even boasted of it. They had eluded the guards at their reservation in Fort Sill, Oklahoma, and attacked a supply train near Jacksboro, Texas, torturing and killing the guards.

But the question in the mind of the court, as well as the spectators, was whether severity would be the

best course. Even Laurie Tatum, chief witness in convicting the prisoners, had not been in favor of hanging them.

"I am afraid for the settlers along the border," he had explained. "For it's the Indians nature to seek revenge.

This trail at Fort Richardson in Jacksboro was attracting far more than local interest, and was proving to be one of the most sensational ever held in Texas. For the first time in American history, Indians were being tried before a civil court. Judge Soward knew that the case might well set a precedent.

Thus the judge weight his actions carefully as he faced the tense, packed courtroom on that warm July day in 1871.

"Does the defendant wish to speak in his own behalf?" he solemnly inquired of Chief Santanta.

Slowly, arrogantly, arose Santanta, Chief of the Kiowas. "If you will let me go back to my people, I will withdraw my warriors from Tehanna," he said, speaking distinctly. "I will take them all across the Red River and that shall be the line between us and the palefaces. I will wash out the spots of blood and make it a white land, and there shall be peace; and the Tehannas may plow and drive their oxen to the banks of the river. If you kill me it will be like a spark on the prairie—make big fire—burn heap."

Thus ended Chief Santanta's plea for his life. Nevertheless Judge Soward asked for the death penalty should they be found guilty, and the jury gave the verdict of murder in the first degree. This was later modified to life imprisonment.

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NEW STUDENT OFFICERS

FORT WORTH—New student body officers for the year were elected recently at TCU.

President is J. W. "Red" Brothers, varsity basketball player from Mt. Pleasant, Ben Hearn, economics major from Jackskonville, is vice president, with Miss Charlotte Childress geology student from Fort Worth, secretary; and Wayne Pitcock, senior business major and former student body president, of Denison, treasurer.

For the years 1934 through 1938, the U. S. supplied 4.6 percent of all grains for world export. In 1946-47, with almost no change in the amount of grains moving in world trade, the U. S. supplied 52.4 percent.

Over 10,330 Texas peanut farmers favored acreage allotments and marketing quotas on their 1948, 1949, and 1950 crops.

LEGAL NOTICE

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Alta Bolton, the unknown husband of Alta Bolton, and the unknown heirs, assigns, and legal representatives of said Alta Bolton, their unknown heirs and assigns, GREETING:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 1st day of March A. D. 1948, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Farmer County, at the Court House in Farwell, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 15th day of January 1948. The file number of said suit being No. 1425. The names of the parties in said suit are:

Rochelle Christian as Plaintiff, and Alta Bolton, and if married, the unknown husband of Alta Bolton, and if deceased, the unknown heirs assigns and legal representatives of said Alta Bolton their unknown heirs and assigns as Defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit:

Suit in Trespass to Try Title, plaintiff alleges that on Jan. 2nd, 1948, he was and still is the owner in fee simple of 160 acres of land out of Capitol League Number 551, described as the N. E. 1/4 of Section No. 1, Twp. 16 South, Range 1 East, of a Capitol Syndicate subdivision of Farmer County, Texas, as shown by Plat of Such Subdivision of Record in the Deed Records of Farmer County, Texas, Vol 3, at page 558, and that he was also on such day in possession of same and that on January 3rd, 1948 the defendants unlawfully entered upon and disposed of him of such premises and withheld from him the possession thereof.

Plaintiff alleges damages for such unlawful use in the sum of \$75.00, and prays that the defendants be cited to answer this petition, and that he have judgement for title and possession of said land, for his damages and costs of suit, and for such other and further relief to which he may be entitled either at law or in equity, and plaintiff's petition is endorsed "This action is brought as well to try title as for damages".

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this the 15th day of January A. D. 1948. Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Farwell, Texas, this the 15th day of January, A. D., 1948.

Loyde A. Brewer, Clerk
District Court, Farmer
County, Texas

(SEAL) 14-4tc

Rats found in Texas are the Norway or common rat the Alexandrine or roof rat. The Norwa rat lives on the ground, under buildings, heaps of rubbish or in burrows, while the Alexandrine rat lives in attics lofts, under roofs and eaves and in double walls.

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TRAFFIC SAFETY

(First Of A Series)
What is your T.L.Q.? Your traffic law quotient, that is. Do you know the laws that help protect you from an automobile accident?
To familiarize the public with traffic laws and the necessity for obeying them, the Texas Department of Public Safety is cooperating in a nationwide "Learn and Obey Traffic Laws" program during February.
"In almost every accident, one or more drivers were violating some traffic law," said Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., director. "Better voluntary observance of traffic laws would save a lot of lives."
One of the most common causes of accident is driving in the wrong lane, according to W. J. Elliott, chief of the Texas Highway Patrol division. He pointed out that National Safety Council statistics show driving on the wrong side of the road to be the second most frequent violation reported in traffic mishaps.

Keep right and you'll be left—to drive another day, he said, and listed these rules:
1. Drive to the right of the center line. On 3-lane roads, never drive in the far left lane, and on 4-lane roads never drive to the left of center.
2. Drive to the left on a two-lane road, in the center lane on a 3-lane road, or in the lane next to the center on a 4-lane road only to overtake and pass a slower moving vehicle, and then only when you are sure that everything is clear.
3. On multiple lane roads, drive in one lane. Don't change from one to another without looking back and on both sides. Be sure a car is not overtaking you at the side and to the rear—a blind spot in many automobiles.
4. In some cases it is legal to overtake and pass on the right, but this is not a universal rule. Even where it is legal, it should be done with care because many drivers are not expecting it. Overtaking and passing on the right may be made when:
a. The driver in front is making a left turn.
b. On one-way streets.
c. On a pavement wide enough for two or more lines of moving traffic in each direction.
The new Uniform Act regulating traffic requires that all movements must be made "in safety". All drivers are therefore required by law to be alert at all times.

The US produces more than 28% of the world's oranges.

Farm Co-ops Gather At Dallas For Meeting

AMARILLO—More than a thousand southwestern farmers and their families are expected to attend the regional meeting of their Farm Co-ops in Dallas, February 16-17, when the shareholders of Consumers Cooperatives Associated meet at the Baker Hotel for their 18th annual session.
Principal speaker for the occasion will be I. Harvey Hull, president of the Indiana Farm Bureau, of Indianapolis, who will address the farm delegates at the evening meeting on February 16 in the Crystal Ballroom of the Baker Hotel. Other speakers will include Jerry Voorhis, executive secretary of the Cooperative League of Chicago; George B. Blair, secretary of the Texas Federation of Cooperatives, Dallas; Leonard F. Cowden, executive vice-president of Consumers Cooperatives Associated, Amarillo; and William N. Stokes, Jr., president of the Houston Bank for Cooperatives, FCA, Houston.

At a special luncheon for women in the Texas Room of the Baker Hotel at noon on February 16, Mrs. Viola Armstrong, director of Women's Activities of the Indiana Farm Bureau, will be the principal speaker.

The convention will be highlighted by an old-fashioned square dance in the Crystal Ballroom following the evening meeting. Music will be furnished by "Les" Lester and his Dude Ranchuckaroos, WFAA dance orchestra, and the dance will be led by members of the "Gay Nineties" Club of Amarillo with Cecil Hefley as caller.

Consumers Cooperatives Associated is the regional organization of 307 farm cooperatives in seven states, including Texas, Oklahoma, Colorado,

do, New Mexico, Arkansas, Louisiana and Mississippi. Over 100,000 farm families make up its membership.

Career Guidance Plan Instated By Army

WASHINGTON—The career plan for Warrant Officers and enlisted men previously announced has been published by the Department of the Army.

There are now four grades of Warrant Officer, whose pay scales correspond to those of the first four commissioned ranks. A Chief Warrant Officer will, under the new system, draw the pay and allowances corresponding to the rank of Major. The grades of Warrant Officer begin with Warrant Officer, third class, and range through second and first classes to Chief, which is the top pay bracket.

In general, the plan seeks to (a) identify all jobs in the Army and

their analysis in orderly descriptions, (b) appraise in an orderly manner the Army's manpower, and (c) to use the information thus determined so that those best fitted for a given job will be properly assigned.

The plan as recently announced is inducement to men planning to make the Army a career since it offers new opportunity which had not been available before its publication. The Air Force is joining the plan with the Army so that its provisions will apply to airmen as well as soldiers.

VETS TAKE EDUCATION

One in every three World War II veterans has taken some form of education or training under the GI Bill or Public Law 16 since both laws went into effect, VA reports.

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- 1—Brown Jersey cow, 7 years, springer.
- 1—White cow, giving 3 gals., 3 years.
- 1—Blue Jersey cow, 3 years, 3 gals.
- 1—Brown Jersey, 4 years.
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- 1—Bull calf.

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- 1—Iron wheel wagon with bundle rack.
- 1—Allis Chalmers guide.
- 1—4-row Monitor go-devil.
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