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## WORK OF 1939 AGRICULTURAL PROGRAM SAVES SMALL PORTION OF THE SOIL- BUILDING ALLOWANCES ARE EARNED

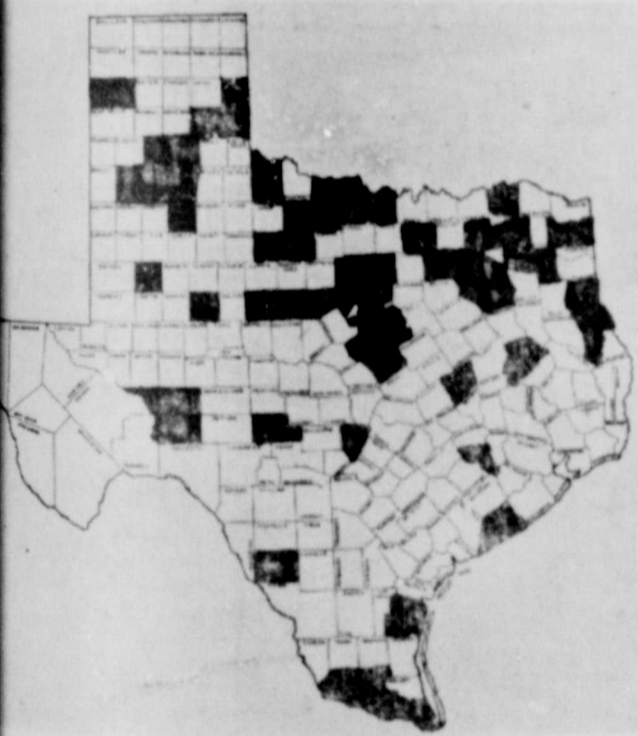
### 50 Cents For Each of the Diverted Acres Is Set As About Average Allowance Set for Work

The Plainsman: The Agricultural Conservation Program, it is an estimate only a small portion of the allowances or the payments have been earned by the Floyd County farmers. Mr. L. A. Williams, Chairman of the County Land Use Planning Committee, D. F. Bredthauer, County Agricultural Agent, and Mr. J. A. Taylor, member of the Floyd County AAA Committee, have inspected this type of terrace in the Soil Conservation District of the Panhandle and in Motley County where the Extension Service has fostered this type of work which has been in great demand by the farmers of that county.

type of terrace is no longer recommended. It is found that in the Soil Conservation Districts and wherever the Extension Service has spent much time in soil and water conservation that the broad base terrace, ranging from 45 to 60 feet wide at the base with gradual incline so that all types of farm equipment can be operated, is the type of terrace which is fast becoming adopted by the wheat farmers of the Panhandle Plains.

thousand of acres will be under a proper terracing system. Some farmers are hopeful that the State Soil Conservation set up will be able to go on the individual farm and give the land a complete terracing program without any cost to the producer, but it has been pointed out by Mr. V. C. Marshall, President of the State District Soil Conservation Board, that this is not available because men of proper training have already been absorbed in the work. (Neither men, money nor equipment are available to go on individual farms and give the complete treatment; so we may surmise that other than technical help, the landowner will get out of the program just about what he puts into it.)

## Will Display Texas Crops at State Fair



Map illustrates the wide diversity of county farm exhibits to be an outstanding feature of the Fifty-first State Fair of Dallas, October 7 to 22. Every element of soil, climate and water in the showings, which means that every agricultural product grown in Texas will be on display. The fair will be a handy meeting place for county reunions.

## FLYD COUNTY TO BE AMONG AS COUNTIES DISPLAYING STATE FAIR, DALLAS, TEXAS

been allotted in the ag- building of the State Fair Dallas, October 7 to 22 to this. This is one of 64 counties to be represented in the showings, which is the geographical distribution of Texas farm products. from the Panhandle to the Rio Grande and from the Rio Grande to the trans-Pecos range. This feature of the agri- building also will be the in- creasing of 4-H Club boys Future Farmers of Ameri- cian growers. The "displaying" committee will be \$25 cash to assist in de- expense of installing the display. Floyd County will be one of the counties now in the county, as well as for students who have moved to Floyd County for a home.

## Mrs. Arthur B. Duncan Home From Lubbock

Mrs. Arthur B. Duncan, who has been ill at Lubbock for the past six weeks, and who had been in the West Texas Hospital a part of the time, was brought home Sunday afternoon. She is much improved and it is thought she will soon be up again.

## Santa Fe Railway Announces Labor Day Rates

Labor Day Excursion rates have been announced by the Santa Fe Railway Company between all points in Texas and from stations in Texas to destinations in Louisiana. One one-way coach fare plus 25c for the round trip, approximately 1c per mile, good in coaches and chair cars only. Tickets on sale for trains scheduled to arrive destination September 2, 3, and prior to noon September 4, 1939, limited to reach original starting point prior to midnight September 6, 1939.

## J. Pat Horton, Plainview Pastor, And Aide Resign

Plainview, August 29.—Resignations of Rev. J. Pat Horton as pastor and D. Clyde Hamilton as educational director of the Plainview First Baptist Church were accepted by the church Sunday night. G. W. McDonald, chairman of the board of deacons, was instructed to name a pulp committee to consider filling the vacancies. Rev. Horton had been pastor of the Plainview church for 14 years. Hamilton had acted as educational director for the past two years. Neither Mr. Hamilton nor Rev. Horton had announced where their next posts would be.

## Jean Wester Recovering From Illness

Jean Wester, who has been ill for the past ten days in a Lubbock hospital with infantile paralysis is recovering slowly according to word received Wednesday morning from the hospital. Her father stated she could likely be brought home the latter part of this week if she continued to show improvement. Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Russell and Miss Nella Frances Faulk of Fort Worth, arrived Friday and will visit several days with relatives and friends. Mrs. Russell is a sister of Mrs. Roy Snodgrass and Miss Faulk a sister of Mrs. Frances Wester.

## Vice-President Garner— Will He Respond to Call As Presidential Candidate?



John Nance Garner presiding over destinies of United States Senate.

## Garner Organization Claims 461 Delegates on 1st Ballot

DALLAS, Texas. — John Nance Garner, vice-president of the United States, will go into the next Democratic national convention with over 461 votes pledged to him, according to E. B. Germany, chairman of the State Democratic Executive committee and co-chairman of the Texas Garner-for-President committee. "We are convinced, from the deluge of pledges we have received at the Dallas headquarters, that there is a genuine popular demand for the nomination of Mr. Garner on the Democratic ticket. This comes, not from one section or group of states, but from the entire nation. From Oregon and Vermont, and from Georgia to the Southwest, we are getting the most enthusiastic professions of friendship and admiration for our stalwart Texas statesman. "Mr. Garner's way of thinking has captured the public imagination of the middle ground of America's straight-thinking citizenry. If the politicians do not listen to the voice of the people in 1940, I predict that the Democratic party as an organization won't be worth shooting. I have heard many comments that the politicians are going to pick the next candidates for both the Democratic and Republican parties. My advice to them in both parties is to listen to what the people are thinking. If they don't heed the deep longings of the mass of America's citizenry, they will be politically dead after the next election. I repeat: If the Democratic politicians attempt to thwart the will of the people in the next convention, the party of Jefferson and Jackson won't be worth the effort to put it out of its misery." In outlining the strength that he claims for the Texan, Mr. Germany pointed out that out of 1,100 votes in the Democratic convention, the south and border states will furnish Mr. Garner with 286, the chief block of which is represented by the 46 votes from Texas. The southwest and western states, without counting California, and taking but two of the farm states, Nebraska and Wisconsin, will yield Mr. Garner a total of 461 votes. "Now I am not including in this forecast of 461 the 210 additional votes indicated from the states of New York, Pennsylvania and California," declared Mr. Germany. The Gallup poll in the last three weeks has printed definite forecasts of public opinion from these three states, which together have 19 percent of the total convention strength. These polls show, assuming that the President will not be a candidate which is the only way that Democrats believing in the continuance of its traditional party policies can think, that Mr. Garner is the choice of over 50% of the Democrats in New York and California and of over 60% of the Democrats of Pennsylvania. Out of these three states, two will give Mr. Garner a clear majority of the convention, the Texas leader pointed out. "There is no question in my mind," declared Mr. Germany, "that the people of the United States have very definite convictions on the coming presidential campaign. The principles involved weigh deeply on citizens everywhere. They embrace Mr. Garner because he stands for a principle that finds welcome reaction in every human being who worries and sometimes wonders on the future of his country. "Mr. Garner's nomination by the Democrats of this country is inevitable. It is ordained in the hearts of the American people, and I view his nomination and subsequent election as certain, with the present trend of events."

## Judge Hill Stewart to Preach At South Side Church

Judge Hill Stewart, of Lubbock, will preach at the South Side Baptist Church Saturday night, September 2, and Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and again Sunday night. Mr. Stewart is well known all over the South Plains, and is a practicing attorney of long standing in Lubbock. This will be his first time to preach to the Floydada congregation and the church urged that everyone who can, attend the services.

## 23 Will Receive Scholarships at Tech Next Year

Lubbock, August 28.—Twentythree youths will receive scholarships totaling \$2,900 at Texas Technological College next year, Ray L. Chappelle, head professor of agricultural education, has announced. Sears, Roebuck & Co. will award the scholarships. Freshmen who will receive scholarships of \$100 each are Truett Babb, Post; Travis Black, Olton; John Campbell, McAdoo; Edwin L. Dawson, Tulla; C. W. Dennison Jr., Floydada; James Dickson, Ropesville; Jarrell Fuller, Clyde; Robert Hargrove Jr., Roby; John N. Harrell, Lubbock; George Langley, Wellington; Buddy Levens, Rotan; Keith Levy, Farwell; Weldon McWhorter, Lubbock; LaVern Moss, Whiteface; Glen Nelson, Dimmitt; Ted Powers, Barksdale; O. H. Rahlfs Jr., Happy; J. F. Robinson, Seymour; Bill Vardeman, Slaton; James Welch, Crowell. Sophomore scholarship of \$200 was awarded to Frank Rapstine of White Deer and Junior scholarship of \$100 to Hughes Fish of Swearingen. Cleveland Littlepage, Rotan, receives the graduate fellowship of \$600. Ten \$100 scholarships were given to Tech freshmen in the 1937-38 session. Twelve \$100 freshmen scholarships, one \$200 sophomore scholarship and one \$600 graduate fellowship were given at Tech last year.

## Notables to Speak Convention at Lubbock

A number of well-known Texans, including Marvin Jones of Amarillo, chairman of the agricultural committee, House of Representatives, will appear before the Texas Home Demonstration Association convention to be held in Lubbock September 6 and 8th. Other speakers will include Clifford B. Jones, president of Texas Technological College; George T. Mahan, Representative for the Nineteenth Texas District; Mildred Horton, vice director and state home demonstration agent for the A. and M. College Extension Service; and C. E. Bowles, Extension specialist in cooperative marketing. Palo Pinto county was the first county to make reservations for its delegates, according to Helen H. Swift, Extension Service sociologist for rural women's organizations. Approximately 1,000 reservations for visitors and delegates are expected to be made before September 5 with Mrs. S. H. Robinson of Shallowater. Mrs. J. L. Morris of Lamesa, president, will direct the business sessions during election of officers and possible revision of the constitution and by-laws will take place. She will also report on the trip she made this spring to London, England, where she represented Texas at a conference of Associated Country Women of the World. The delegates will represent 2,197 home demonstration clubs from 183 counties which have an aggregate membership of over 40,000 women.

## W. M. Massie Being Treated In Lubbock Hospital

W. M. Massie is receiving treatment in a Lubbock hospital this week for an infected wisdom tooth. He went to Lubbock last Saturday and will receive treatment until the tooth can be extracted.

## Henry Anderson Self Passed Away Saturday

Henry Anderson Self, age 73 years, 4 months and 9 days, passed away at his home in Floydada Saturday afternoon, August 26. He was born April 17, 1866. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the First Methodist Church, conducted by Rev. Fay Hinton, of Quitaque, Primitive Baptist Minister, assisted by Rev. Jno. E. Eldridge, local Methodist pastor. Mr. Self was married to Miss M. E. Lattimer, December 26, 1886. She died November 18, 1899. To this union was born five children, they are: Mrs. Leon Queen, and Mrs. A. L. Clanton, Channing, Texas; T. E. and E. E. Self, of Rule; F. J. Self, of Haskell. May 15th, 1901 Mr. Self was married to Miss Charity E. Martin, who survives. To the second marriage four children were born, they are: Mrs. B. E. Springer, Jayton, Texas; Mrs. O. Meek, Floydada; Oran Self, Haskell, Texas; Dale Self, Floydada. Two brothers also survive, they are: P. D. Self, of Fairland, Texas; and N. B. Self, of Pipan, Texas. Mr. Self was converted to the Primitive Baptist doctrine October 25, 1925, and joined that church. He moved to Floyd county nine years ago after having lived in other places in Texas. Flower bearers: Mrs. Andy Fawver, Mrs. Ernest Holligan, Mrs. Mary Adams, Mrs. Hershell McNutt, Mrs. Florence Boothe, and Virgie Leatherman. Pallbearers were: Fred Nabors, Alpha Boothe, Shorty Barker, Burl Huckabee, Grady Freeman, and Ernest Holligan. Other out-of-town relatives were: Mr. and Mrs. Forman Clanton, Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Clanton, Dimmitt; E. L. and J. E. Martin, Weatherford; W. R. Martin, Electra; Mrs. A. J. Martin, Petersburg; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Martin, Petersburg; H. O. and Charlie Martin, Petersburg; Mr. and Mrs. Estus Martin and family, Clovis, New Mexico; Claude Martin, Electra; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Martin and family, of Petersburg. Out of town friends were: Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wilson, J. M., and Earl Cluck, of Rule, Texas; Mrs. Dan Bradley, of Jayton; Mr. and Mrs. Noland Cordor, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Springer and family of Lorenzo; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pettit, of Monroe, Texas.

## Floyd County Girls Receive Degrees From TSCW

Denton, August 30.—Completing their college work with the largest summer class in history, Misses Leona Jameson of Dougherty and Bert Ione Smith of Floydada were awarded bachelor's degrees at Texas State College for Women Saturday, August 26 at 9 a. m. The honors were conferred upon them by Dr. L. H. Hubbard, president of TSCW, who made the commencement address. Over 160 students received degrees. Miss Jameson, who did her major work in the department of home economics, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jameson. She minored in physical science and held membership in the Mary Swartz Rose Club. Miss Smith, a speech major and a minor in English, served as president of the James H. Lowry Club during her senior year in college. She also held membership in the Women's Recreational Association, the Speech Club, and the Round Table Association.

## First Sunday Singing at Fairview

The regular first Sunday Singing will be held next Sunday, September 3, at Fairview, beginning at 2:30. All singers are urged to attend. Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Crandell, of Crosbyton, visited Sunday with Mr. Crandell's sister, Mrs. Edwin Brazier. Miss Frances Crandell who had been visiting the past two weeks with her aunt, returned home with her parents Sunday afternoon.

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## Early Turkeys Will Require Attention

Texas turkey producers, faced with at least one early Thanksgiving, have been warned to begin thinking about getting their birds ready for market.

"I have handled a number of Texas turkeys recently and found many of them thin," Geo. P. McCarthy, poultry husbandman of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, has commented. "If they continue in this condition until market time it will be difficult to dispose of them on the eastern market."

Producers should start feeding their turkeys a complete ration by

September 15 and have them on full feed not later than October 1. The recommended ration consists of a developing or fattening mash plus grain. Tender green feed will add to the finish of the birds.

Many turkey producers have found that it is a good practice to worm the birds before putting them on full feed. At the same time it may be advisable to vaccinate against pox, especially in localities where this has been a hazard around marketing time. McCarthy suggests the stab method in the web of the wing, and recommends the pigeon strain vaccine, which gives temporary immunity.

Birds wormed and vaccinated before October 1 will be completely over the treatment before marketing time.

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## Preparation of Farm Grains for Fattening Hogs

By FRED HALE,

Chief Division of Swine Husbandry  
In the fattening of hogs, methods of preparing and feeding farm grains affect the net results about as much as does the kind of ration fed. We quite often receive letters relative to the method of feeding grain sorghum heads, threshed grain sorghum, wheat, and barley to fattening hogs. Does it pay to soak grain sorghum heads, or threshed milo grain before feeding? Does it pay to grind these grains for fattening hogs? Still another question is, what other feeds should be fed with farm grains to make a balanced ration? The Texas Station has made an extensive study of these problems, and the findings are set forth briefly as follows: It does not pay to soak milo heads before feeding to fattening hogs. The pigs used in the Texas tests actually made greater gains when fed dry milo heads in self-feeders, free-choice, than did similar pigs fed soaked milo heads by hand three times daily. The labor involved in soaking and feeding the milo heads was about five times greater than that for the dry milo heads. The milo heads should be fed on a platform of some kind, however. In our experiments pigs gained 16 pounds more per head in 90 days and required 58 pounds less grain and 8 pounds less protein supplement per 100 pounds grain where the grain was fed on a platform instead of in the dirt.

According to our experiments it is not necessary to soak threshed whole milo for fattening hogs. The pigs gained as fast and as economically on the dry as on the soaked milo grain, and besides, it requires more labor to feed the soaked grain.

Another interesting point is that pigs will make as fast and as economical gains when fed whole milo or whole kafir in self-feeders, free-choice, as they will when fed ground milo or kafir. Pigs that were fed at the Texas Station for 90 days on whole and ground kafir gained 1.93 pounds per day on whole kafir, and 1.94 pounds per day on ground kafir. Only 3.17 pounds of kafir was saved by grinding 100 pounds of kafir. The saving was too small in these tests to pay for the grinding. Observations made during these experiments show that pigs make many trips to the self-feeder during the day. The pigs in these tests made 23 trips to the self-feeder in 24 hours. Out of every 100 pounds of kafir fed to the pigs on self-feeders, only 2 pounds of whole kafir was undigested, while out of every 100 pounds of whole kafir fed to pigs by hand, twice daily, 10 pounds of whole kafir was undigested. This observation, together with the observation that the self-fed pigs made 23 trips to the self-feeder in 24 hours, shows why the pigs can profitably utilize the whole kafir fed free-choice in self-feeders. It simply means that when fattening pigs are fed whole kafir by hand twice daily, the pigs eat faster, eat more greedily, and consequently swallow larger quantities of grain before masticating or grinding it with their teeth than they do when fed by the free-choice self-feeder method.

If the self-feeder is placed where dust can blow into the feed, or if the pigs are permitted to carry mud on their feet and nose to the grain in the feeder, one can not expect to good results. In other words, the feed in the self-feeder must be kept clean and fresh for best results. But returns can be expected where fresh grain is put in the self-feeder every three or four days. Pigs are more inclined to eat too much protein supplement where the grain is dirty and unpalatable.

Barley should be ground for fattening hogs. Ground barley will give much better results than will soaked unground barley when feeding hogs for market.

In feeding wheat to fattening hogs, a coarsely ground wheat is better than finely ground or soaked unground wheat. Whole or unground wheat may be fed to fattening hogs when fed free-choice in self-feeders, but one will lose about 6 pounds of wheat for every 100 pounds of wheat fed.

All of these grains are deficient in protein and minerals. For best results, therefore, a protein supplement and a mineral mixture should be fed with these farm grains. A mixture of one-half tankage and one-half cottonseed meal by weight, provides a good protein supplement where green pasture is available. If green pasture is not available, use a mixture of 40 parts tankage, 40 parts cottonseed meal, and 20 parts of green alfalfa meal.

A simple mineral mixture composed of equal parts by weight of bone meal, ground limestone or oyster shell flour, and salt will usually furnish the necessary minerals.

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with the proposed base of the Garrow's Bend

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Early Colonists Were Alert Press Agents

Angler Recatches Fish That Broke His Line

Boy's Whistle Injures Five

DOG STRIPPING LATEST

To Bring Back Showboat Era

Plan Colorful Feature for River Pageant to Be Held in 1941.

MEMPHIS.—The colorful showboat era of a half century ago is to be revived on the Mississippi river

Negotiations are in progress for the purchase of a Hudson river steamer to serve as a showboat.

The boat which the exposition committee seeks to purchase is the Berkshire, largest of three steamers of the Hudson river night line

To Keep Staterooms.

Private capital from St. Paul, St. Louis, Louisville and New Orleans interests will be used to pay for the Berkshire if the deal goes through.

Logsdon said that if the Berkshire is purchased, the first presentation of the play, "Showboat," will be staged at the river docks here.

Logsdon said that Albert Johnson, one of the leading scenery designers of New York city, had agreed to inspect the Berkshire and determine if a stage and auditorium could be built without removing the staterooms.

Broadway Talent Likely.

The Oscar Hammerstein theater interests in New York are interested in the project and most of the actors and actresses will be imported from Broadway, according to plans.

Dog Demonstrates His Ability at Mathematics

RICHBUCTO, N. B.—Alfred S. Beers owns a dog that can count, add and subtract.

Rancher Fools Rattler; Tramples It to Death

YAKIMA, WASH.—Rancher Ralph Sundquist, rancher, was walking through one of his orchards when he heard a rattle near him.

Indian Gets His Cash

Angler Recatches Fish That Broke His Line

Early Colonists Were Alert Press Agents

DOG STRIPPING LATEST

Births Reveal World Decline

Population Growth Due to Drop in Mortality, Year Book Finds.

GENEVA.—Although the world's population at the end of 1937—estimated at 2,125,000,000—was 9,000,000 greater than at the end of the previous year, the 1938-39 edition of the League of Nations Statistical Year Book discloses that birth rates are declining in almost every country.

The increase of population in the face of declining birth rates is ascribed by statisticians to the very substantial decrease in mortality rates resulting from scientific and hygienic improvements.

England Faces a Decline.

According to present trends, the Year Book discloses, England and Wales are faced with a decline in population of approximately 22 per cent in the next 30 years.

Figures for the United States are more difficult to compute, owing to the fact that in many sections of the country birth and death records were not kept before the war.

Germany, despite the efforts she has made to increase her population, has not succeeded in reaching pre-war levels, the Year Book shows.

Italy's Effort Less Successful.

Italy's efforts have been even less successful. The number of births in that country averaged, in 1911-13, 31.7 per 1,000 population.

Spain to Give Morphine To Horses in Bullfights

MADRID.—Marcial Lalanda, famous bullfighter and president of the bullfighters syndicate, announced that morphine injections henceforth would be given to all horses used in bullfights in Spain in an effort to popularize the sport abroad.

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By L. L. STEVENSON

War between the police and New York's army of peddlers is never-ending. Peddlers are licensed by the city. But there are certain districts which the law says they must not invade.

At this season, the beaches are one of the main battle fronts between the law and prohibited commerce.

Recently an ice-cream peddler at Orchard beach thought he could outsmart the law.

Many New York cigarette smokers are rolling their own at present.

The result was a decrease in cigarette business in New York and a big increase over in New Jersey.

Commuters, especially those who drive to work, bring in hundreds of cartons daily.

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Fair Ice Ballerina



NEW YORK (Special) — Erna Andersen, Norwegian skating champion and star of the ice show at Sun Valley in the Amusement Area of the New York World's Fair, illustrates her prowess as a figure skater.

CONFEDERATE VETERAN DIES

Silverton, August 28.—Funeral rites were held here last week for Robert A. Watson, 93, who died Tuesday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Una Burson.

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### Texas Farmers Are Upholding Wheat Income

With wheat selling on the world market at the lowest level in modern times, more than 5,000 Texas wheat farmers this year have stored their products in the "Ever-Normal Granary" to await better prices.

Meanwhile they have maintained their buying power with loans averaging around \$800, and totaling approximately \$4,000,000 on August 15, a report by the State Agricultural Conservation Committee at Texas A. and M. College showed.

Farm bins and commercial elevators were reported to be bulging nearly to capacity in the Texas wheat belt, where around 6 million bushels are stored as collateral against loans. Last year only slightly more than 2,531,000 bushels were stored.

"Farmers this year have been getting from 20 to 40 cents more for their wheat than if no loan, export subsidy or acreage adjustment had been in effect," Charles Thomas of Pampa, wheat farmer and member of the state committee, surmised.

"I doubt if there is another major wheat surplus producing nation in the world that is doing so much for its producers."

P. C. Colgin, wheat specialist of the AAA, said that loans are being reported to the state office at the rate of 200 a day.

Loan application deadline is December 31.

### CONFEDERATE VETERAN DIES

Silverton, August 28.—Funeral rites were held here last week for Robert A. Watson, 93, who died Tuesday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Una Burson.

He was the last of Briscoe County's Confederate Veterans.

Rev. and Mrs. Vernon Shaw and son, Kenneth, are spending this week in Ruidoso, New Mexico, on a vacation trip.

Miss Maxine Fry left Wednesday for Grand Falls where she will teach in the school this year. R. E. Fry accompanied his daughter to Grand Falls.

Miss Gladys Hilton, of Amarillo, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hilton.

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION OF FINAL ACCOUNT

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Floyd County, Greeting: O. C. Curry and Lola C. Gallaway, Administrators of the Estate of D. T. Curry, Deceased, having filed in our County Court their Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said D. T. Curry, Deceased, numbered 686 on the Probate Docket of the County Court of Floyd County, Texas, together with an application to be discharged from their Bond and Trust as Administrators of said Estate.

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED, That by publication of this Writ once, not less than ten days before the return day of this Writ, in a Newspaper printed in the County of Floyd you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do, on Monday the 4th day of September A. D. 1939, at the Court House of said County, in Floydada, Texas, when said Account and Application will be acted upon by said Court.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND and seal of said Court, at my office in the City of Floydada, Texas, this 22nd day of August, A. D. 1939.

(Seal) A. B. CLARK, Clerk, County Court Floyd County, Texas.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Original Writ now in my hands.

FRED N. CLARK, Sheriff Floyd County, Texas. By Walter Hollums, Deputy.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Blank policies of the G. C. Tubbs, Floydada, Texas, local agency of the Commerce Insurance Company of Glens Falls, New York have been lost or stolen, including the following numbers:

Automobile policy AT 10777. The above numbered policies require for their validity the counter signature of a duly authorized, and licensed, agent. Since these policies have not been regularly countersigned, issued or accounted for, nor any premiums received thereunder by this Company, they will be valueless in the hands of whomsoever they may fall, and any claim thereunder would be illegal and fraudulent. COMMERCE INSURANCE CO. B. C. Carter, Secretary. Glens Falls, New York.

### Mary Lee Thacker Entertained Her Friends With "Back-to-School" Party Thursday Evening at 7 O'Clock

#### GREER CHRISTIAN IS ILL

Greer Christian who is ill in a Lubbock hospital is reported much improved and will likely be brought home today. Greer was taken suddenly ill last Saturday after having returned home Wednesday from a two weeks vacation trip to the mountains.

### Prairie Chickens Saved Farmers Cotton

Austin, August 30.—Because the Lesser Prairie Chicken saved several landowners as much as a bale of cotton per 8 acres, those fine game birds are going to get much more protection in the Texas Panhandle in the future, or at least in Wheeler County, it is reported by State Game Warden P. D. Moseley of Canadian.

The Prairie Chickens devoured huge numbers of army worms which seriously threatened the cotton crop in that section of the state.

T. D. Key, owner of large holdings in Wheeler County and many of his neighbors are now planning to plant food for the Prairie Chickens as a result of the birds having moved into their cotton fields and totally destroyed the army worms. The worms had eaten about one-third of the leaves from Mr. Key's cotton when the birds moved in. As many as 500 Prairie Chickens invaded the forty-four acre field at a time and the result is that Mr. Key estimates they saved him as much as five bales of cotton.

Many neighbors had the same experience and now have a higher regard for those game birds. They have announced there will be no hunting for prairie chickens in that section the remainder of the five-year closed season placed on the birds by the Forty-fifth state legislature in 1937.

Mr. Key has planted seventy-one acres of sudan and red top cane for the birds to feed on and plans to raise as much maize and kaffir corn for them. Other Wheeler County land owners are also going to provide feed for the birds.

#### HOME FROM VACATION TRIP

W. H. Henderson, N. W. Williams, and Olin Watson returned home Sunday from a three weeks vacation trip to the New York World's Fair and Canada. They reported a wonderful trip.

Fred Pillar, of Earth, spent the week end visiting his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Pillar.

Mrs. Joe E. Pitts, of Amarillo, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Arthur E. Duncan here this week.

Mrs. Gladys Miller and sons, Robert and Buddy, of Austin, visited from Friday until Monday with Mrs. C. M. Thacker and family. They left Monday for Chicago, New York World's Fair and Canada. They were accompanied by Mrs. Thelma Jones and Miss Mary Lee Thacker. They plan to be gone about three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Cline and children returned home last Friday from Colorado Springs, Pikes Peak, and other points in Colorado and New Mexico.

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Mary Lee Thacker entertained a number of friends with a "back-to-school" party Thursday evening, at 7 o'clock, at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Thacker, 708 South Wall street. Mary Frances Jones was assistant hostess, and acted as old-fashioned "school-mam" in which she directed the games played in the beautiful back yard of the Thacker home.

A teachers desk in the back yard and blackboard erected near by where the guests were directed by the teacher to register as they entered. On the desk was a school bell, chalk and Atlas, representing a school room. The school-mistress rang the bell as the children gathered, and they sang a school song after which they recessed and school lunches were served in paper bags in school day fashion.

Those enjoying the affair were: Doris Hill, Maurine Medlin, Lajanna Jo Sharp, Betty Yearwood, Minnie Kate Sparks, Ruth Elaine Harmon, Mary Frances Jones, Ada Belle Snodgrass, Marty Lou Bond, Ora Jean Willson, Betty Merle Botler, and Mary Lee Thacker.

Addison Barker, Johnnie Collins, Johnny Hammonds, Jimmy Tye, Jean Arwine, D. I. Bolding, Jr., Billy Wester, and Marcel Botler.

### Fry Chicken to a Golden Brown for Best Flavor

Since fried chicken is now probably "America's No. 1 dish," some tips for making the favorite drumsticks and wishbones more palatable have been offered by Nora Ellen Elliott, specialist in food preparation for the A. and M. College Extension service.

For improvement of technique in chicken frying, checking the temperature is suggested, for the meat will cook to a tender and juicy doneness of the heat is moderate throughout the frying period. The fat should be hot, but not to the smoking point, before the pieces of chicken are placed in the skillet, the specialist adds. A half-inch or more of well flavored fat in the skillet is preferable.

"Of course, the thickest pieces should be placed in the vessel first," she says, "and enough space should be allowed to let the fat rise around the edges of each cut. Party cover the plan to keep the fat from splattering, but allow the steam to escape. When brown, the pieces should be turned."

At least 20 or 30 minutes should be computed as frying time for the thickest pieces of a three-pound chicken. When a number of chickens are fried at a time she says the housewife might prefer to finish the cooking in a moderate oven, 300 degrees.

The well-browned pieces should be removed from the skillet and placed on a rack in a covered pan for finishing in the oven until there is no pink next to the bones. For the last 15 minutes of cooking the cover should be removed to dry out the brown crust, she advises. When the chicken is done it should be drained on paper to lose its excess fat.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Eubank and family returned home Sunday from California, where they had been on a two weeks vacation trip.

### Fruit For Home Use Is Not So Hard To Produce

"It isn't such a long route to the production of fruit for home use as farm people have often thought. For instance, strawberries like tomatoes will produce fruit the first season," says Jennie Camp, specialist in home production planning for the A. and M. College Extension Service.

Considering the fact that strawberry planting in Texas ordinarily takes place the last of October and the first of November, it's now high time for farm people to be making plans for securing the plant variety best adapted to their localities, Miss Camp believes.

How cheaply plants can be secured was demonstrated last fall by members of the Cass county home demonstration council, who secured more than 30,000 plants and sold them to individuals for 25 cents per 100 plants, or \$2 per thousand, less freight and postage, the specialist asserted.

Likewise Bosque county secured 2,650 and Robertson county 4-H girls set out 8,000 plants all purchased cooperatively, Miss Camp says. Nine Austin county families planted 13,500 strawberry plants.

While Klondyke and Missionary are the long accepted varieties recommended by Extension Service officials for the East Texas area, the Alamo, Ranger, and Rio Grande varieties are worthy of consideration.

#### MISS LORENE COPELAND WED TO HERMAN WRIGHT

Miss Lorene Copeland and Herman Wright, both of Lubbock were married in Clovis, New Mexico, by the Justice of the Peace, Saturday night, August 26.

Mr. Wright is the second son of Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Wright, and is well known in Floydada. The couple will continue to make their home in Lubbock.

#### 1934 STUDY CLUB WILL MEET TUESDAY NIGHT

Mrs. Walter Travis and Miss Oleta Owens will be hostess to the first meeting of the 1934 Study Club Tuesday evening, September 5, at the home of Mrs. I. R. Grundy, when they will entertain the club with a back yard picnic.

#### MRS. ROSA ELWEN AND T. J. McCLUNG WED FRIDAY

Mrs. Rosa Elwen and T. J. McClung were united in marriage last Friday evening by Judge G. C. Tubbs at the latter's home on South Wall street.

Mr. McClung has resided in Floydada a number of years and operates a blacksmith shop. The couple will make their home in Floydada.

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### Revival Closed At Sandhill

Rev. G. W. Tubbs closed a ten days revival meeting at Sandhill Baptist Church this week, with eleven additions. Baptism services will be held next Sunday afternoon at the Henry Graham home north of the school house.

Rev. Tubbs will fill his regular appointment next Sunday at Sandhill Sunday school at 10 o'clock, preaching at 11 a. m. Everyone is invited to attend all services.

### Save Back 50 Lbs. Of New Cotton for Your Mattress

As the cotton harvest in Texas spreads north and westward, enterprising farm women will be saving back 50 pounds of their high grade cotton to be made into a new mattress, says Mrs. Bernice Claytor, specialist in home improvement for the A. and M. College Extension Service.

Where funds are limited, the farm housewife will find it economical to make her mattress at home, for only a small cash outlay is required to secure necessary materials, she points out.

"It is especially important for health that the cotton to be used in a mattress be scrupulously clean and sanitary, and the lint should also be high grade for the sake of comfort," Mrs. Claytor says. Durability is especially desirable in a mattress since it is one item of home furnishing in use at least one-third of the time, and therefore receives hard wear.

Enough cotton to make one or more mattresses is probably wasted each year on the average farm, the specialist points out. So little material, equipment and time are needed to provide this improvement, surely no one need suffer from a lack of good cotton mattresses.

"Comfortable, healthful sleep is largely dependent upon a good mattress," she says. "The mattress may be considered as a cushion for the body. It should be sufficiently firm to support the body, yet it should be yielding enough to conform to every curve of the body and to the movements of the sleeper."

#### GROVER C. MILLER OF PLAINVIEW WILL SPEAK ON COURT HOUSE LAWN

Grover C. Miller, of Plainview, is scheduled to speak on the Townsman Plan Issue Saturday afternoon at 4:30. Interested people are invited to come out.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wells, of Amarillo, spent the week end here visiting Mrs. Wells' parents, Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Tubbs and other relatives.



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