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sev Cows Prefer Green Grass To Rainbow Hues of World's Fair



han do the and ce of the 1940 New York mous, and five baby calves. One silo in the backizon. And the ctrical milkmovie cameras that a mejor agricultural exred Jersey herd, which advertising

the compact little dairy Farm is the home of more than 500 until June 26, is really head of purebred Jersey cattle and, The family is in the half-century since it was Island of Jersey established with a small family on bull. Rochette's It herd, has exerted a great influence et), classified "Excellent" upon the dairy industry of the na-

INTEREST IN THE DEVELOP- Who Remembers MENT OF ONE VARIETY COTTON The Days When . IS SHOWN IN FLOYD COUNTY By R. E. L. McLAIN,

Special to the Plainsman:

the Victoria classing office. That Latest developments in the one cotton which met the requirements variety cotton export program in of the program was purchased for ex-Floyd County have been very favor- port and the remainder was purable. Congressman Mahon's wire to chased by local buyers in these the Floydada Cooperative Gin Assosamples station indicated that he was giving

In the Jackson County One Vathe movement 100% support in riety Area, 87 one variety commu-Washington. Another ruling which nities sent samples to the governhas been cleared up in the matter is ment classing office for classification that each gin wishing to cooperate in under the Smith Doxey Act, 29 of this movement must sign up under which cooperated in the program, toe Smith Dorsey Act and it is unand, therefore, sent in press-bix samderstood that a government cotton ples. When the first lot of 17 bales classing office will be established in was classed, the government classers Floyd County. called in the buyers in the vicinity

Information has been received that and asked them to class the same t will not be necessary for a gin to The result was that when bales. 100% one variety but that under they compared notes all agreed on the Smith Doxey Act for 1940 all the classification and none of them producers who are growing cotton apparently knew they were classing under application of the one variety press box samples until lated ad will be able to receive free government classificatio nand will be per All three exporters cooperating in

mitted to participate in the one va the program reported that the pressriety cotton export program. It i box samples were satisfactory for understood that immediate action their purposes. Experience with the will be taken in Washington within press box samples during this past the next few days and cotton farm. eason indicates that they perhaps ers of Floyd County are hopeful that will be feasible and practicable for trade purposes when properly drawn this action will be favorable. and their integrity safeguarded.

The one variety cotton export pro gram attempts to solve that phase of the competitive situation of American cotton caused by improvement in foreign production and handling. It attempts to unify and coordinate both production and marketing with. | nary estimates indicate that these in areas where soil and growing con-

per bale more for their cotton than did growers who sold like cotton The program endeavors to show through the regular channels of by practical demonstrations and trade. For short periods at different tests the advantages of standardized intervals during the marketing seaproduction, selling on quality, and im on, some local buyers paid higher proved methods of handling, which prices for cotton than the prices paid have for years been an approved poli. cy, not only of the various units of for cotton going into the program. The extra allowance of 10 points the Department of Agriculture conhowever, enabled cooperating exportcerned with cotton, but also of a number of experiment stations and ers to buy most of the cotton needextension services in the cotton grow. ed for this demonstration. In some instances, the exporters paid more ing states.

tion will be encouraged.

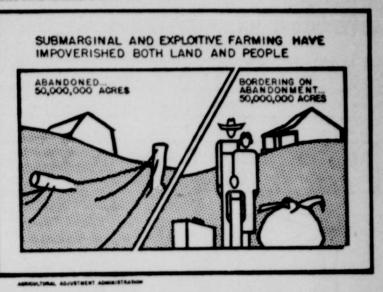
ance with these instructions.

of cotton than was required under

3924 Avenue M, Fort Worth, Texas.

Sammy Chadwick, John Smith, Coley McWhorter, Walter Brady, John K. Fullengim, John Frosty Fullengim, Albert Latham, Coke Fullengim, the horse wrangler and the cook. comprised the fence crew in the Matador in 1887, and one day at noon some of the boys-some laid it on Sammy Chadwick-let the fire get out; the wind was pretty high from the west, and the grass blazed up and made for the brakes at a speed faster than a horse could run Jim McLain, Seg Bradford, Dock Wilson and one of the Bainster boys and myself saddled our horses and went out to help extinguish the blaze. We fought fire almost to Goose tank, along the south fence of the Matadors, and then the wind vered to the south and then to the east and the fire started back west toward Dellaplain. By this time sev. eral other cowboys from under the caprock came to our aid and john practices that mine the soil of its Smith, wose regular job was trail boss, ordered some old cows killed and split open, ropes were fastened to the horns and two horsemen on either rope spread out (one pair on either side of the blazing grass) and In practically all instances, the began dragging the carcas, flesh side growers who sold their cotton under down, along the rim of the fire; the the program were rather highly other men fell in behind with leather pleased with the prices which they leggins, saddle blankets and what

ever they could secure, began beat. ing out the stray fires that were not smothered by the dragging carcases ing far west of Dellaplain, almost to Runningwater draw before the dew of the evening slowed down the racing prairie fire, which up to nightfall had traveled as fast as a good cow pony could gallop. Every one was exhausted and famished for the fresh air and, hungry-great We must have traveled over guns. complained of his physical discom-



PROBLEM IS EXPLAINED HERE AMERICA HAS A FARM

farm problem is that too much land spreading to include pastures and that should never have been farmed has been put into cultivation and too much land has been farmed under

fertility As a result, about 50 million acres of American farm land are now worthless, and another 50 million acres border on abandonment. Conservation of the Nation's soil

solving the farm problem. In Texas, courage use of practices which build more than half of the cropland has fertility and prevent erosion.

been protected by soil and water con One reason why America has a serving practices and the work is range lands.

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The state soil and tion district law gives farmers and ranchers a tool whereby they can cooperate to speed up their conser. vation work. Assistance from many sources, including county agricultur. al agents, teachers of vocational ag riculture, the SCS, CCC, FSA, and NYA is available, and the first purresources is one of the first steps in pose of the AAA program is to en

LOANS ON 1 40 WHEAT TO BE We fought the fire all that even. MADE SUBJECT TO CALL

to recall on demand, the Commodity county offices. Credit Corporation has announced.

loans arises, warehause storage loans forty miles that afternoon in fight- will mature eight months from the dealing directly with the Kansas City ing that fire; suffocated by smoke date of execution but not later than regional office of the corporation in and dust and singed all over from April 30, 1941, while storage loans order to speed up the work. There also is reason to believe that for certain grades and staple lengths the terrible heat. Yet not a man will mature ten months from the date of execution. Interest will be at

College Station, June 12.-Because gages are to be paid by the county of unsettled world conditions, loans AAA offices and since all wheat on 1940 wheat wil be made subject loan forms will be executed in the

This year, for the first time, the If ni occasion for liquidating the county AAA offices will handle the wheat loans from start to finish

> Another innovation in this year's paid producers on crop insurance

contracts will be eligible for loans

A tremendous increase in farm

architectural Jersey breed of dairy cattle is facow, La Sente's Trevessa 1057580, ditions are similar.

to impress them more gave birth to a bull calf immedi-Trylon and Peri- ately before arrival, and the youngseme buildings of the Fair, ster came along with his mother. The other calves are granddaugh ters of Mourma 1147847, national them more than grand champion Jersey cow in 1937. The herd is owned by Meridale their arrival at the Electri- Farms, Meredith, N Y., which was established 51 years ago by the late F Wayland Ayer, celebrated executive. Meridale

Jersey Cattle tion through its importation and includes Holmdale Lad breeding of the dairy cattle that alme registered Jersey cows, originated hundreds of years ago line" milk for which the English Channel.

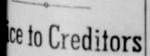
e Designated Control Committee ational Dairy Are Working On Grasshoppers

ation of June as Nation. Month brings out the point ymen have an obligation to of dairy products.

dea back of the proclama. ourse, is to increase milk ton," E. R. Eudaly, dairygents. "I would like to add f good quality milk."

mary 1, 1940, there were milk cows on United ows and 308,000 heifers s of a year ago.

the people in the United a recommended for an ade. here would be a shortage



ESTATE OF EUGENIA LINS, DECEASED

IS HEREBY GIVEN that Letters Testamentary upon of Eugenia Collins, Degranted to me, the un-Teras. All persons having ast said Estate are hereby present the same to me ime prescribed by law. and Post Office Ad-1810 Colorado, Street, Aus-

ETH WADE SMITH, Executrix of Estate of agenia Collins, Deceased.

irst

n, of Lubbock, visited Mand E. Hollums, his

them a fountain of the rich on the Island of Jersey in the

As grasshopper infestation has become noticeable in the past few dasy, tually delivered to foreign spinner the Floyd County Control Committee,

composed of W. H. Nelson and A. S. as provided for under the One Va Cummings, Floydada, and Ed Teuton, riety Cotton Export Program, it is Carl Lemons and M. H. Taylor, of Lockney, with the cooperation of the duction and handling of American te Texas A. and M. Exten- Commissioners' Court and the Farmhas pointed out in a ers Co.op Gin have made it possible tairymen and county agri- for Floyd County farmers that have grasshoppers to receive poison mathele aim and object of any terial free of cost, it was announced from should be the pro- at the county agents office early this purpose, "Official Instructions for by several successive dry years in

week At this time it is not believed that each area, producers, cooperating the infestation will be serious and an That is an increase of the plant in operation for more than a period of one week or 10 days and it is hoped by the committee that farmers will take advantage of this as much milk and milk poison immediately as it is expensive

to keep the plant in operation over a long period of time. Everyone havad of a surplus," Eudaly ing hopper infestation is requested to call at the Co op Gin at which place the poison, bran, and sawdust are was accumulated, excluding trim-

distribution by the farmers over the less than six ounces each. The stack. infested areas.

that the best time to put out poison of the bats and trimmed, then each grasshopper bait is early in the such sample was identified by placmorning before 9:00 and late in the evening after 5:00 and that it, is ing tags therein. After being trimmuch easier to control hoppers when they still are along the fence rows at least six inches and the narrow

on the 10th Day of June, after they become of size to migrate he County Court of Floyd to the cotton and other fields.

atives.

daughter, Linda Gay, of Matador, wrapper with an indelible pencil or and Mrs. W. O. Jones. pond with the samples.

Mr. Mrs. Sarah K. Dun. Dallas, are visiting Mr. Harmon's approximately 8,000 bales, or 70 per Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Harmon, Jr., of mon, Sr. here.

some foreign spinners now using the program because of demand for other growths of cotton are doing so because they are not familiar with these particular qualities.

It was the opinion of the growers, the better qualities of cotton being buyers, and agricultural leaders that country. The obvious remedy for the prices paid by local buyers for to the United States Department of this situation is to encourage the production of the more desirable cothigher than the prices they paid in ton for spinning, to insure its propother mixed variety areas for similar er ginning and handling, have it assembled into even running lots of the grades and staples of cotton.

same grade and staple lengths from the same one variety areas, and keep these lots intact as they pass through Problems of Can the channels of trade and are even

ning You Need to If such practices are carried out, Remember expected that improvements in pro

College Station, June 12 .- If home cotton will result, and its exporta- makers are to have high-quality canned products and reduce spoilage to

eccived for their cotton. Prelimi-

growers received about two dollars

a minimum there are several prob-The program also provided that the lems they need to recognize. These samples from the bales be drawn from the gin press box. For this problems are brought on principally some portions of the states, accord-Sampling Cotton" were issued. In ing to Grace I. Neeley, specialist in ginners, and exporters participating food preservation for the Extension ms, with 5,533,000 heifers that it will not be necessary to keep in the program sponsored the use of Service of Texas A. and M. College. For instance, vegetables produced press box samples drawn in accordna dry season have less moisture The instructions required that content.

"This means," Miss Neely points samples be drawn from at least two out, "that they will soak up liquid places in the bale from the gin press press box in bats as formed by the during the canning process. Theregin condenser. The bats were tacked fore, loiser packs or use use of less food and more liquid in the can, stacked carefully one upon the other should be the general rule with vegeuntil a sufficent quantity of cotton tables during a dry eyar." Foods being mixed in proper proportion for mings, to form two samples of not canned in this way, especially corn and root vegetables, will keep bet. ed bats were then divided so as to ter. The specialist also recommends Experience in the past has taught form two comparable samples, tight adding a few minutes to the precook. ly rolled so as to conserve the layers ing time of vegetables such as cirn, root vegetables, and field peas in excessively dry seasons.

Another suggestion to home can med, each such sample was unrolled ners is that they can all vegetables during the early stages of producas it becomes much more difficult edge of a piece of wrapping paper tion; that is, when the vegetables or inserted therein, and then tightly fruits are in prime conditions for

re-rolled and sealed with gum paste eating and canning. Time tables for pressure coikers in such a manner that it could not be Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Glover returned opened or substituted for without appearing in the Extension Service home the latter part of the week breaking the seal. After sealing, the publication, B-85, "Canning Fruits from Abilene where they visited rel- title of the sampler was stamped and Vegetables," which Miss Neely over the sealed edges of the wrapper, prepared, are those tested and recommended by experiment station the initials of the sampler were writ. Mr. and Mrs. Dorris W. Jones and ten over the sealed edges of the laboratories over the nation. These are available free upon request from spent the week end here visiting Mr. ink. After such samples were drawn, county home demonstration agents the bales were identified to corre- or from the Extension Service head. quarters.

In the Victoria One Variety Area, All grass that grows is not good parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Har- cent of the total production were grass some has seven times the feed sampled by this method and sent to ing value of others.

forts during the greueling experience.

In a report on honey sources made cotton in the one variety areas which Agriculture, Texas beekeepers listed catclaw, and marigold.

Horses can stand heat better if

the rate of 3 percent instead if 4 percent, last year's rate, according to P. C. Colgin, state wheat loan supervisor

storage loans is expected, Colgin No preliminary fee on warehouse said. If the wheat is stored on the did not go into the program were cotton, horsemint, mesquite, huajillo, storage loans will be required, the farm, the corporation pays the prosupervisor explained, but the loan ducer seven cents per bushel providfee has been raised from one fourth ed the wheat is stored for the period to one-half cent per bushel. The in- of the loan and is delivered to the they have free access to common crease was made necessary since the corporation upon maturity of the recording fees on the chattel mort. loan.

Where 48 Families Will Spend Vacations

FHA's No. 1 Inspector

New York, N. Y .- This Summer 48 typical American families in homes of their own for a week will live among the wonders of the New York World's Fair.

Administrator, recently inspected the two homes now being built on the Fair Grounds which will house the lucky families from every State in the Union. Joining him was Harvey D. Gibson, chairman of the board of the World's Fair.

The homes are typical of thousands in the \$2,500 to \$3,500 range being built this year under the FHA's 1940 program. They comply with FHA minimum construction requirements and would be eligible for FHA-insured mortgage financing.

Families who will live in them during their stay at the Fair will receive all expenses from the time they leave home until they return. The families are now being chosen through local contests.

and World's Fair Chairman Harvey D. Gibson inspecting FHA's two typical low-cost dwellings.

Checks World's Fair Homes

Stewart McDonald, Federal Housing





things to buy, so many more things you want and can't buy because there is just so much money. Now there's nothing less glamorous than the concrete footings and foundation. One doesn't show them off to one's friends, but if you skimp on either, you'll be busy for years to come trying to cover up cracked walls that all your friends will see.

actress." "Now dear I don't think you have house. Yes, and you'll find that the anything to feel sorry for at all." extra cost was money well spent

Time Out for 'Mourning'

A mountain woman was eating

er.

"I suah don't know," was the reply, "but I expect it makes him

Webb?' "Spiders, sir,

he questioned one of the boys.

"What were your ancestors,

LOCATED SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SOU

Don't Skimp On Framework

Likewise the timber skeleton or frame of your house is going to be all covered up, but if you skimp on it you'll have sagging floors that squeak at every step.

And how about those great big holes in the wall, the rough win-dow openings. You can buy win-

SKIMPING IN WRONG PLACES

OFTEN COSTLY IN LONG RUN

TROUBLE AND EXPENSE IN YEARS TO COME

CRACKED WALLS-Often caused CREAKY FLOORS - Very often

by uneven settling of footings and the result of skimping on size of foundation. Skimping on footings floor joists. Another example of in either size or concrete mix is the wrong place to cut costs.

repair bills ause of heat and redecorating bills saved.

Can't Replace Windows

Good windows are a permanent part of your walls. They protect your investment in insulation and quality construction. Any home without weathertight windows is only one-half insulated. So when you build, get down to fundamentals. Always remember-you can add the gadgets any time, but you can't replace footings or timbers or windows. They've got to be good right from the start.

pig's feet one day at the door of her "Yes, sir," boasted the hotel procabin when a neighbor came to tell prietor, "that dog's the best rat her bad news. Her husband had got catchin' dog in the state." Even as into a fight at one of the town sahe spoke two big rats scurried loons, a bullet had lodged in his across the office floor. The dog merelung, and he had died soon after. ly wrinkled his nose. "Rat dog!" The woman, a pig's foot held midscoffed the traveling man. "Look at

ing onto her pig's foot vigorously. she said: "Jest you wait till I finish this pig's trotter, an' ye'll hear some hollerin' as is hollerin'."

way to her mouth, listened to the

harrowing tale in silence. Then, fall-

So It Seems

"Mother, isn't it funny that hate cost more than radios? Mother-But they don't, dear, What makes you think so? "Well, a sign in a window back there said, 'Hats, \$10 up,' and we CUTTING COSTS ON FUNDAMENTALS MEANS ENDLESS just passed another window with . sign that says, 'Radios, \$10 down.' "

All Set!

Caller-Won't you walk as far as the street car with me, Tommy? Age Seven-I can't Caller-Why not? Age Seven-'Cause we're goin' to have dinner as soon as you go.

Disconcerting Lad-Why is that man shaking his stick at the lady on the stage?

Mother-Sh-sh. He's not shaking it at her. Lad-Well, what's she hollerin' for, then?

No Speller

Dad-I don't understand why you were kept after school just because of perseverance. Son-I couldn't spell it.

AGAINST THE GRAIN



new leaf? "I think he fears that it will be

volve some manual labor."

Each for Himself Pat and Mike were having din-Pat helped himself to the larger fish, and Mike said: "Fine manners ye have, Pat. If I had reached out first I'd have taken "Well," Pat replied, "ye've got it,

forget what he was thinkin' about.

Well Acquainted

landlord. "He knows them. But

just you let a strange rat come in

VOCABULARY ENLARGED

here once!"

Tough Job

"Pat, didn't you tell me that a brother of yours is a lawyer?" "Yis, sor," replied Pat. "And you a hod carrier! The good things of life are not equally divided, are they?' "No, sor," said Pat. "Poor fellow-my brother couldn't do this to that, will you?" "Huh!" snorted the save his life!"

PROVISION



Life Insurance Agent-Have you made any provision for those who come after you?

Victim-Yes, I put a sign on the door saying "No Agents" and I have a dog in the cellar for those who can't read.

On the Fence

Small Son (to father)-You never know where you are with women, do you dad? Mummy says I'm too big to cry and then she says I'm too small to sit up late.

Knowledge

Willie-Please, Teacher, what did I learn today? Teacher-Why, Willie! What a pe-

culiar question. Willie-Well, that's what they'll ask me when I get home.

Encouragement

Harriet-When, Frank grumbled that you did not give him any encouragement, what did you say? Mabel-Why, I told him I preferred a man who didn't need any.

Intelligent Fighting Blim-Fighting is all right pro-

viding you do it intelligently. Slim-Yes, but you can't always find a smaller opponent.

Toothache Cure Sufferer-Say, Old Man, can you tell me something to cure toothache?

Friend-Sure, I can-the sight of my dentist.

'Better-Half'

Small Son-Dad, what does better-half' mean? Dad-Just what she says, son.

Property Cautions "Willie, don't go too near that lion's cage. Can't you see the paint's wet?"

Weter Alexa August



It's Cheaper to Send it to the Floydada Laundry

This housewife, just as many other enlightened Floydad wives, has found that "amateur" home laundering cannot a with "professional" laundering. We can do your laundry because we are organized solely for that purpose. Give Bi

HERE'S WHY THE LAUNDRY CAN DO IT BETTER

- We have all the latest scientific laundering equipons Our personnel is thoroughly trained, capable is
- 2 experienced!

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We do a volume business, and use large scale method

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Where is it wise to cut costs in ur new home and where is it wise buy the best? This is a problem nost home builders face more han once during construction. And what is the answer? It is a probthat every home owner must of his contractor and

Replacement Big Factor

. . .

peer economy.

There is one general principle at can be set down here, how-Four Briefly, it is this. Any part of your house that it is not practi-to replace should have the best nstruction and materials. By we mean such items as footand foundation, timber skele-on and foundation, timber skele-on and frame work, windows and rindow frames, which are really art of the bouse frame, concealed note and wiring. All these things has last the life of the house.

Wiser to Wait

wiser to wait for some of mactive furnishings and fixmore money is avail-



DRAFTY WINDOWS-Result of poor fitting and cheap construction. A few dollars extra spent for precision built windows and frames would save enough in fuel costs to pay for slight extra cost.

fundamental parts of a house which will only mean costly repairs, excessive heating bills and disgust and discomfort in years to come. Remember: if you can't recome. Remember: if you can place them, make them good.

ner together.

the smaller fish." haven't ye?"

Stout Person (engaging room)-The window is a bit small. It wouldn't be much use to me in an emergency. Landlady-There ain't going to be no such emergency! My terms for actors is in advance. Unsound Collateral

Professor of English-So you've

recently made quite an addition to

your vocabulary of English words?

lessly told a woman she looked

No Emergency

young for her age.

College Student-Yes-I thought-

Mike-'Tis a fine kid you have there. A magnificent head and noble features. Say, could you lend me a couple of dollars?

Pat-I could not. 'Tis my wife's child by her first husband.

Post Desired Veteran-I'd like to take Persh-Recruit-What do you mean?

Veteran-I'd like to retire from it for life.

Times Have Changed Marie (dreamily) - Oh, George, remember, it was on just such a night as this that we met.

George (married to her)-Yeh,

"The juvenile lead is great to-

Mistaken Dot-You remind me of the sea. Dave-Ah, deep, restless and ro-

One Who Knew "Yes, I doubt if she has done bet-

ter acting in the last 20 years."

mantic, eh? Dot-No. You make me sick.

rotten night, ain't it. night."

ing's place in the army.

TWIN TROUBLE

With the coming of the twins the entire household arrangements were sadly disorganized. Master Bobby and Miss Dorothy were relegated to the background, where they moped and sulked.

Bobby, more militant than his sister, was scouting through the hall one morning when he discovered the twins being prepared for their bath. Having in mind the fate of several litters of kittens within his knowledge, he rushed to the head of the stairs, and, beckoning to his sister, cried, in a hoarse whisper:

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"Dottie, come on up, quick! They're goin' to drown one of 'em."

OBLIGING



Mabelle expects a ring "Expects a ring, ch? I'll give her

an alarm clock-it's time for her e wake up."

Wrong Again

Her father accidentally met her young man in the street. "I say, young fellow," he said. "you have been calling on my daughter for well nigh a month. What are your intentions?" The suitor gulped nervously

"Well, sir," he replied, regaining his confidence, "I hope to become an addition to your family." Father was well prepared.

"Oh, no!" he said, with a vigorous shake of his head. "You'll have to subtract, not add, young man."

Paraphrased!

Teacher turned away from the blackboard, where she had been writing "Read out that sentence. Willie,"

she said. 'He was bent on seeing his old school,' " read Willie. "Now, children," continued teach-

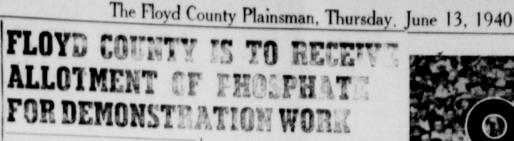
er. "I want you all to paraphrase that sentence." Chewing his pen, Willie regarded

the blackboard. Then his face lit up. Busily he wrote, "The sight of the old school doubled him up."

Oh, Blessed Reticence! Charles II of England once asked duced in Teaxs. Stillingfleet, the famous clergyman, why he read his sermons from manuscript.

"Why do you read your speeches from the throne?" countered the

minister.



STRATION WORK IS

paid.

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nination contest held Monday.

had teams entered in the contest.

REGULAR SESSION MONDAY

he court.

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\$164,000,000.

Texas oil workers.

as early as 1790.

tal oil production.

year.

COMMISSIONERS COURT MET IN

The Floyd County Commissioners

Court met in regular session Mon-

lay morning. Reports from various

ounty officials were approved by

An order passed authorized the

County Judge to purchase a number

given the contract to audit the coun-

TEXAS OIL FACTS THAT EVERY

More than one fourth of all the

petroleum produced in the pative

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ties books for year 1940.

ONE SHOULD KNOW

SELECTED BY COUNCIL

4 H TEAM IN DAIRY DEMON. Special to the Plainsman: Floyd County agricultural agent. F. Bredthauer, was notified last w

by M. K. Thornton, extension ag Junior Cummings, son of O. F. cultural chemist, that Floyd Count

Jummings, and Carroll Johnston, son has been chosen as one of the We of Sidney Johnston, Floydada, were Texas counties which was to receiv selected by local 4-H sponsors and an alotment of super phosphate fer nembers of the County 4-H Council tilizer for soil-building demonstra as the outstanding 4.H team entered tions. In setting up this program in the Dairy Demonstration, "The the county land use planning com Value of Milk as a Food" contest mittee will have the responsibility of held Monday in the agricultural secleting 8 or 10 demonstration farms bindding. This team will represent and in no instance will they be allow Floyd County at the state contest | ed to select more than 15. which will be held at short course at

In formulating the demonstrations, College Station on July 6th. Win- the soil-building feature will be kept ners in the state contest will make in mind. Each of the demonstrators trip to the National Dairy Show. chosen will make an annual report Junior Cummings and Carroll and keep records. In starting this ohnston, both active members of the work, a statement of the farm con-McCoy 4-H Club, will make the trip ditions and plan of the farm program o College Station with all expenses must be made out. This fertilizer

will be furnished for five years, For several weeks Floyd County therefore in making a farm plan, H boys have been working on the this must be kept in mind. The law lemonstration, "The Value of Milk states that this fertilizer is to be is a Food" . Two boys compose a used for soil-building and its effect team in this demonstration and with on the social and ecoonmic status of the aid of charts, and white rats the farm family. This feature is which have been on special diets for fundamental and must be followed in approximately 90 days, all club mem strict accordance with the law.

The county's allotment amounts opportunity to enter this contest and to 40,000 pounds or one car of T. V. put on the demonstration at the eli- A. phosphate 43%, and the cost to the farmer will not be over \$9.00 per Several of the clubs in the county ton. The \$9.00 cost figures the actual freight charges and the only cost of the phosphate will be what the freight amounts to per ton.

In making out the plan of work for the demonstrators, we will take as an explanation a 60 acre lfarm with 90 acres in cultivation. The plan calls that 70% of the farm acreage have phosphate applied in the five year period. The farm may have a 20 acre cotto anllotment which will folow complete crop rotaof new ballot boxes that are needed tion as follows: Cotton in 1940, plant by the county. Leslie Surginer was ed to soil building crop in 1941 which would have acid phosphate added, this acreage folowed by sorghum in 1942, and back to cotton in 1943.

We would say also that this farm has a 20 acre general allotment which is planted to grain sorghum in 1940, cotton in 1941, soil-building crop with acid phosphates in 1942 and

United States to date has been pro- back to grain sorghum in 1943. If this should be an irrigated farm we may have 0 acres plan1ted to al-

This farm may have 20 acres of

For every dollar spent for Texas falfa in 1940, continue to stand in government in 1929, the State spent 1941, '42 '43 and in 1944 be planted \$1.80 in 1939, or nearly twice as to grain sorghum.



One million Texans would have to find other means of livelihood if the Texas petroleum industry were to shut down tomorrow.

Steady employment, good working conditions, reasonable working hours and fair wages are the industry's responsibilities to its workers and their families-a million Texans in all.

It must maintain production, find and develop new fields, meet competitive markets for its products and pay its total expense bill of 750 million dollars a year, which includes its payrolls.

The Texas petroleum industry now has to pay 97 million dollars a year in taxes to Federal. State and local governments before it can consider wages and employment

When expenses must be cut to satisfy increasing tax demands, employment suffers, and with it, the buying power that employment creates in our State.



"Because," replied the king, "I have asked the people so often for

money I am ashamed to look them in the face."

Overlooked Drummer-I don't feel a bit like playing today. I ate a dozen oysters last night.

First Sax-Weren't they fresh? Drummer-I guess so. First Sax-Well, what did they

look like when you opened them? Drummer-Do you have to open them?

Impatient The doctor walked brightly into his waiting-room. "Who's been waiting longest?" he asked cheerfully. "I have." said the tailor, as he

presented his bill.

DOUBLE TROUBLE



ou think it is possible for a love two girls at the same man time? "Not if they know about it."

Suspense "I'd like to propose-" "This is so sudden!" "-that we go to the movies-" "Oh, I love the movies!" "-later on in the week."

Double Advantage "Don't you think that twins have and Hillsboro. an advantage over the average per-

"Why?" "Well, they can at least see themselves as others see them."

Shortcut Wife-Oh, George! Bridget went to light the hot water heater and it blew her out of the window! Hubby-Well, it was her night out in any case.

Guess Again Policeman-Where are you going? Unsteady Pedestrian (at 3 a. m.)-Don't tell me. Let me guess.

Full Time Job Helen-When is Christy thinking of getting married? Mary-When isn't she?

idle or summer fallowed land which could be handled under the soil-For every 100 barrels of oil probuilding program for 1940 by adding duced in Texas during the past five years, the Texas oilman found 193 acid phosphate this fall, planting some kind of winter cover crop turnbarrels of new oil reserves. ed under in the early spring, planted to sorghum in 41, cotton in 42, and Texas consumed 1,340,893,000 (billion) gallons of gasoline in 1939. back into the soil-building program

An average of 181/2 new oil wells in 1943. per day were completed in Texas This farm may also have 40 acres permanent pasture which could also last year.

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companies drilled 30 per cent.

ditures of \$550,000,000.

year over 1938.

be carried under the soil-building Texas produced 48 barrels of oil program starting in 1940 with an in 1889, compared with 480,000,000 application of acid phosphate this barrels last year, or ten million times fall. It will not be necessary to put fertilizer on the entire acreage. It is

hoped that 1/4 of the acreage com-In 1929 the cost of Texas govern- prising the permanent pasture receive nent was less than \$92,000,000. In an application of fertilizer at the 1939 it amounted to more than rate of 200 pounds per acre.

This farm may have 20 acres of temporary pasture which could come under soil-building program or re-Texas refineries produced 185,616,ceive acid phosphate at the rate of 000 barrels of gasoline last year. 100 pounds per acre this fall, follow-

For every barrel of petroleum pro- ed by barley, rye or some of the duced in Texas last year, 46 cents clovers until April, turned under and was paid in wages and salaries to then planted to some kind of maize or sorghum crops.

It must be kept in mind that we Oil from seeps near Nacogdoches will be unable to receive this fertiwas used to lubricate axles of wag- lizer for the purpose of applying it ons traveling the old Spanish trail directly to a wheat, cotton, or maize crop, but we can receive this fertilizer for the demonstrations by use-

Texas oil and gas operators drill- ing a crop rotation method and by ed 2,459 dry holes in this State last that is meant that we will be able to apply the acid phosphate to some kind of cover crop which will stimu-

Texas oil refineries refined 400,- late the growth of this particular 000,000 barrels of petroleum in 1939, crop and this will be incorporated in. or over four fifths of the State's to- to the soils by the turning under of the entire crop; then this acreage can be planted to whatever crop the dem. The first use anywhere of oil as onstrator may choose. This would fuel for a locomotive was in 1898 on give the soil additional food value

a train operating between Corsicana which was supplied by acid phosphate and the humus and residue which was turned under. Individual Texas oil operators drill

As Floyd was the only county seed 70 per cent of all the oil wells lected in this program west of Young drilled in Texas last year. Large county, it is hoped that the land use planning committee will receive the Texas oil workers and Texas farm- proper cooperation from the demoners and landowners receive over strators so that accurate information \$403,000,000 a year from the Texas can be collected and this information oil industry. This is nearly three be dissimated to the agricultural infourths of its total operating expen- terests of this county to the extent that more profitable land use pro gram planning can be expected in

One third of all the oil and gas the future. wells drilled in the United States last year were drilled in Texas.

After producing hearly one and a half billion barrels of petroleum since Gasoline consumption by Texas 1937, Texas crude oil reserves are 68 motorists increased $5\frac{1}{2}$ per cent last per cent larger today than at the beginning of that year.



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SUSPICIOUS

"Decidedly a suspicious-looking felow," muttered Mr. Smith. All the mith family gathered in the drawng-room focused their attention on a shabby man who was eyeing the house furtively.

"I guess he's a burglar reconnoitering." Thus 16-year-old Charlie. "More likely one of Madge's ad-

mirers," drawled 20-year-old Albert.

think the young man looked a crim-

"Tather," whispered Charlie, "he's making for the side door.' Father looked uneasy. "Come on,

lbert," he said with forced sprightliness. "Let's see what his game is." They found the young man lean-

ing over the side gate-sniffing. 'You the boss here?" he asked Mr. Smith

"I am."

Well, I fancy the back of your bouse is on fire." It was.

EDEN'S CHILDREN



-This is the best apartment we've ever had, John. If children vere allowed it would be a perfect Paradise.

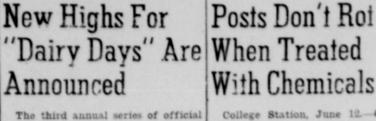
Hubby-But the landlord knows ther than that.

Happy Boy

The father was shaving a heavy rowth of beard. His small son med what he was doing.

"Shaving, my boy," he returned. Your father must look presentable of Agriculture. when he gets to the office." Fascinated, the lad watched the

sshing razor.



sappy posts of such nondurable dairy days" reached new highs in 1940 as 23 shows were held in as many dairy centers of the state. The post oak will last from 10 to 15 shows drew a total attendance in ex. years, possibly much longer, when treated with Zinc chloride. ess of 10,000.

Classification of dairy animals ac. cording to type rather than on a show basis grew increasingly popular as 1,233 head of cattle were exhibit. types of fence posts.

"It is evident that dairymen are demonstrated the practicability of earning more about dairy types,"

G. G. Gibson, assistant dairyman of the Texas A. and M. Extension Ser. vice, commented. In 1939, 7 percent of the animals shown did not quali-Mother, always charitable, did not fy for classification. This year every animal exhibited received a ribbon in one of the four grades. The requirements for the ribbons have been the same each year.

A like improvement was shown in the quality of dairy products exhibited, W. V. Maddox, extension dairy manufacturing specialist, reported. In 1939, 33 percent of the products shown fell below the minimum classification; this year the number was reduced to 20 percent. The dairy cattle judging contest, held in connection with each dairy day, drew 3,622 entrants, while 1,826 people took part in the dairy pro-

incts judging contests. Judges included representatives of A. and M. College, the U. S. Department of Agriculture, and both the Texas and American Jersey Cattle Clubs.

Dairy days were held at Houston, La Grange, Dallas, Brownwood, San Angelo, Robstown, Austin, Temple, Eastland, Lamesa, Floydada, Childress, Wheeler, Tulia, Vernon, Bowie, Henderson, Sulphur Springs, Bon ham, Tyler, McAllen, San Antonio, and Victoria.

Grease muffin pans lightly. Over. creased pans may give muffins a heavy crust and cause the rims to rise higher than the center, or to fold in from the sides of the pans.

In the Southeastern states the farm population has doubled since the Civil War, although there is less land under cultivation in those states now than there was in 1860, according to Henry A. Wallace, Secretary

Miss Mary Francis Jones spent in Matado brother, Dorris W. Jones and Mrs. Jones.

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College Station, June 12 .- Green,

this system of post treatment in co-

ricultural agents. hindered because the chemical was loans to rural electric cooperatives. not available, but supplies are now being sold in commercial quantities.

The U. S. Department of Agricul. A number of Texas farmers have College Station, Texas.

operation with C. W. Simmons, farm In five years the Rural Electrififorester of the Texas A. and M. Ex. cation Administration has financed tension Service and with county ag. the building of a quarter of a million miles of new rural power lines. This Wide use of the method has been was brought about mainly through

Recent research has shown that the ture Forest Service has compiled a summer decrease in egg size is due woods as sap pine, cottonwood, and 1940 edition of complete directions largely to the high tempertures enfor post treatment by the tire tube countered during the season. Protec. method, as a result of considerable tion against the excessive summer experiment during the past two heat, especially in the form of floor years, and copies of this booklet can line ventilation, will pay dividends called tire tube method, and is in be obtained through coutny agents in the form of larger eggs. County expensive as compared with many or by writing to C. W. Simmons. agricultural and home demonstration Farm Forester, Extension Service, agents have information on floor line ventilation.

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that every day? you saked the lad. "Absolutely," said the parent. The hair keeps growing back, so

I have to shave every day." "Tm glad I wasn't born with a face like yours!" cried the youngster happily.

Barrels and Barrels!

A much beloved minister, who preached good sermons, had a habit d exaggerating-always, however, m the side of good. But finally the Eders decided that they would have b speak to him about it, which, e course, they disliked very much they got through, he said: "Oh, Brothren. don't I know it? And it has caused me to shed barrels and arrels of tears."

A Mind Reader

The Sire-I am punishing you not much for what you have said and to as for the evil thoughts you thinking of me. The Son-How do you know what

m thinkin' of you? The Sire-You couldn't think anyelse after the walloping I've n you

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an interested listener.



to to express what I think of sweet sister. tr-Oh, is it only words you 's find? Sister said you'd lost

Loveller Still Our sunt used to come and see wory year-it was lovely." n't she come now?' she's living with us."

Overdid It his salad tastes terrible. Did wash the lettuce, Milly?" les, even with soap."

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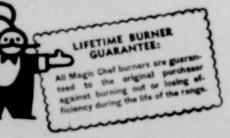
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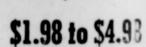


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