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Ginners Attend Variety Meeting

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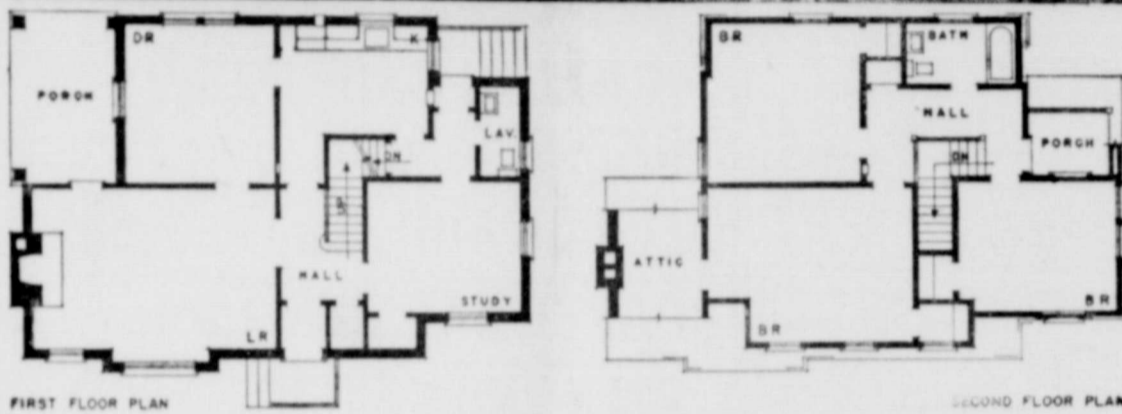
IN MARKET

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hagood and Mrs. Verne Elliott are in Dallas this week attending wholesale market, where they will purchase merchandise for Hagood's Dry Goods store. They plan to return home this week end.

Claudius T. Murchison, president of the Cotton Textile Institute, says it is futile to hope that this country can solve its cotton problem through export trade. The only hope is to utilize surplus cotton at home.

their responsibility that nothing but one variety cotton participate in the one variety cotton marketing program.

A committee composed of G. B. Johnston, W. L. Street, Joe Jennings, G. C. Collins, Bill Stanforth, Harry Hartman, Ben Quebe, Gilbert Bean and Herman Stone and John R. Gray were elected for the purpose of drafting resolutions requesting that the Surplus Marketing Administration extend to this area the one variety cotton marketing program for 1941. This committee will meet in the office of the county agricultural agent January 25 at 2 p. m. for the purpose of drafting these resolutions.



There is an atmosphere of warmth and friendliness about this house. Its spacious lawn and planting help to give it dignity. At one end of the rectangular living room is a fireplace, while across the hall is a reasonably large study, which has access to the first floor lavatory. The dining room and kitchen are located in the rear on the first floor, while upstairs are three bedrooms and bath. The Federal Housing Administration put a valuation of \$8,500 on this property, which is located in the north central area. The price may vary in other localities.

The Federal Land Bank is Owned by Farmers

Houston, Texas, January 23.—For the second time since its organization in 1917, Texas' largest bank, The Federal Land Bank of Houston, is owned entirely by the farmers and ranchmen of Texas. According to advice received from Sterling C. Evans, president of the bank, all government owned stock has been retired and all of the capital stock of this cooperative credit institution is in the hands of those who use its facilities.

Originally organized by Congress, The Federal Land Bank of Houston was established in 1917 to provide farmers and ranchers in Texas with a source of longterm, amortized, low cost farm mortgage loans made through national farm loan associations. Wise management of the cooperative credit system coupled with members' favorable repayment record made it possible to retire the capital stock invested in The Federal Land Bank of Houston by the Federal Treasury, it was explained.

This marks the second time that national farm loan associations have owned all of the capital stock of The Federal Land Bank of Houston. The first time was in 1923. To enable the bank to meet emergency refinancing demands in 1932, the capital stock of the bank was increased by treasury subscriptions.

A growing appreciation on the part of farmers of the advantages offered by Land Bank loans is indicated by the fact that the volume of Land Bank loans closed increased nearly two and a half million dollars in 1940 over 1939, and the volume of Commissioner loans increased almost two million dollars. At the end of December, there were outstanding \$189,289,645 in Land Bank loans and \$45,995,902 in Commissioner loans, or a total of \$234,385,547 in land mortgage loans to Texas farmers and ranchers.

Plans Under Way For 1941 Junior Livestock Show

The 4-H subcommittee of the land use planning group and local 4-H Club leaders with vocational agricultural teachers, E. K. McCoy of Lockney and H. G. Barber of Floydada, met with county agricultural agent, D. F. Bredthauer, Saturday, January 18 at 2 p. m. to take steps in preparing for the Floyd County Junior Livestock Show and adult dairy show which is to be held in Floydada this spring. A tentative date of April 4 was set. This date is one week before the Plainview Fat Show and with the selection of this date, it will give the Floyd County Junior Livestock boys an opportunity to show their projects at Floydada and exhibit at Plainview one week later and accompany the group of young livestock feeders from the South Plains area to market their livestock at Kansas City.

A steering committee was named composed of D. F. Bredthauer, H. G. Barber, Floydada vocational agriculture department and E. K. McCoy of the Lockney vocational agriculture department. A grounds committee is composed of H. G. Barber, Claud Fawver, and George McAllister. A committee composed of Ben Quebe, Providence community and Sidney Johnston, McCoy community, was named to work out the interests of the junior livestock boys in connection with the Plainview show.

Prizes are planned to be offered on fat lambs, fat hogs, beef calves, and dairy calves.

A committee composed of H. H. Graham, Virgil Williams, Henry Hinton, George McAllister and Judge A. B. Chapman was named to work out plans for the audit dairy show which is planned on being held on this same date.

Miss Rosa Childers Of Abilene, Dies of Heart Attack

Abilene, January 15.—Miss Rosa Childers, 66, died here Tuesday night of a heart ailment with which she was first stricken Sunday.

She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Childers, who gave the land on which Childers Classical Institute was built. This school, the forerunner of Abilene Christian College, was established in 1906.

Miss Childers was an aunt of J. H. Reagan and Mrs. W. U. White of Floydada and had visited here many times during her life.

A WEEK WITH HELEN HAYES



HELEN HAYES takes her average week with a mile-a-minute stride. For the petite and attractive star of the "Helen Hayes Theater" shows in that seven-day span, the lives of a radio star, mother, stage actress, housewife and club woman. (1) The actress holds script conference on Friday with Adrian Samish, producer, and Thelma Lewis, copy editor for her radio program heard over CBS Sundays. (2) One "home" day is devoted to setting the household routine for the coming week. (3) Monday Tuesday and Wednesday are "home" days. Miss Hayes and her playwright-husband, Charles MacArthur, see their daughter, Mary, off to school on these mornings. (4) Social life is not excluded from Helen Hayes' weekly schedule. The actress may invite five or four friends in for tea or play hostess to the 300 members of the Rockland County Rose Club. (5) Six evenings and 100 afternoons Miss Hayes on Broadway starring in "Twelfth Night."

4-H Club Work Is Big Business in Texas

College Station, January 23.—The 4-H Club work in Texas is a big business, according to the annual report of J. W. Potts, assistant state boy's club agent, Texas A. and M. College Extension Service.

Potts report reveals that 33,617 boys took part in 4-H Club work last year as compared to 31,528 the year before.

Looking at boys' 4-H Club work in Texas from the standpoint of demonstration and income, it can be readily seen that these boys conduct a very sizeable business. In 1940 there were held 190 local shows or fairs in which the 4-H boys participated. They exhibited 16,522 head of livestock at all of the shows in which they took part. Of that total, 4,505 were beef calves which weighed 2,679,149 pounds and sold for \$286,732.43 plus another \$15,797.46 in prize money. The 3,430 sheep shown included much breeding stock and all were not sold. However, 241,694 pounds of mutton were sold for \$29,172.50 plus \$4,157.48 in prizes. Sale plus premiums on dairy cattle sold amounted to \$7,007.95. Sale of swine added another \$46,010.04, including prizes, to the money earned by the boys in 4-H work.

The total sales of all livestock and poultry for 1940 reached \$391,132.60 bettering the 1939 record by \$105,125.00.

Christian Citizenship Subject of Lectureship

Abilene, Texas, January 23.—President Don H. Morris has announced that Christian Citizenship will be the general subject for Abilene Christian college's 24th annual Bible lectureship to be held in Abilene February 23 through 27.

Last year over 700 people from 15 different states were present for this event. Each year lectures are delivered by 35 to 40 of the church of Christ's more prominent ministers.

Seven of the ten speakers which will deliver the main addresses, two daily, have been chosen. Complete program should be released for publication within ten days.

In addition to the several lectures daily, there will be programs, exhibits, and social affairs sponsored by the various student groups for the entertainment of the out-of-town guests.

L. W. Chapman's Mother Dies In Amarillo

Mrs. Martha Anabel Chapman, age 76, of Amarillo, passed away Friday, January 17. The body was sent to Vernon Saturday where rites and burial was held Sunday. Mrs. Chapman was the mother of L. W. Chapman, local manager of the R. E. A. office.

Mr. and Mrs. Chapman were called to Amarillo and attended the funeral services in Vernon Sunday.

Mrs. Chapman was the widow of J. T. Chapman. Survivors include five daughters, two sons and one sister.

Surviving children are: Mrs. Besse Morgan and Miss Catherine Chapman, Amarillo; Mrs. Thurston Reed, Vernon; Mrs. Effie Turner, Center Point; Thomas Chapman, Laredo; Landrum Chapman, Floydada, and Miss Emma Chapman, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Announcement

This is to announce my candidacy for re-election to the office of City Secretary. There is nothing spectacular about the duties of the office of City Secretary, and little that is interesting to the general public, but the City Secretary, as the finance officer of the City and the keeper of all of its records, participates in and records every material action of the City and its officers and employees. Since completion of the City light plant, your City has become one of the largest business enterprises in Floyd County, and the City Secretary, as accountant, treasurer, and recording officer of that enterprise, must have skill, experience, and industry in order to render efficient service to you as a patron and "stockholder" of that enterprise. Without claiming any undue credit, I participated in the project to secure the City electric plant from its inception until completion of the plant, in the operation of the plant during its critical first year, in the 1935 Bond refunding operation, and in the 1940 Bond refunding operation. In standing for re-election, I have but one plank in my platform—my record; and if, after careful consideration of that record, you see fit to vote for me, I shall deeply appreciate it.

SILAS E. DUNCAN.
(Political Advertisement)

Mrs. Jess Brown and Mrs. Maud Burrus visited in Lubbock Sunday with relatives and friends.

Clyde W. Henderson Announces for City Secretary

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of City Secretary, Assessor and Collector, of the City of Floydada, subject to the City Election, Tuesday, April 1, 1941.

Between now and April 1, I will try to see each voter and solicit their vote personally.

Respectfully,
CLYDE W. HENDERSON.
(Political Advertisement)

Funeral Rites for Mrs. Mary Jane Westfall

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Jane Westfall, age 85 years, was held Wednesday afternoon at the Wall Street Church of Christ, at 2 o'clock. Elder Ohmer W. Kirk officiated. Mrs. Westfall passed away Tuesday, January 21, at 5:45 p. m., at the home of her son, C. L. Westfall, near Tullia, Texas.

Mrs. Westfall was born February 9, 1855 in Madison County, Arkansas. Married to Edward D. Westfall December 23, 1883. Her husband preceded her in death in 1929. Deceased had lived in Floyd county for eleven years before moving to Tullia about two years ago. Mrs. Westfall had been in ill health about three years, and recently fell and broke a limb which caused her death.

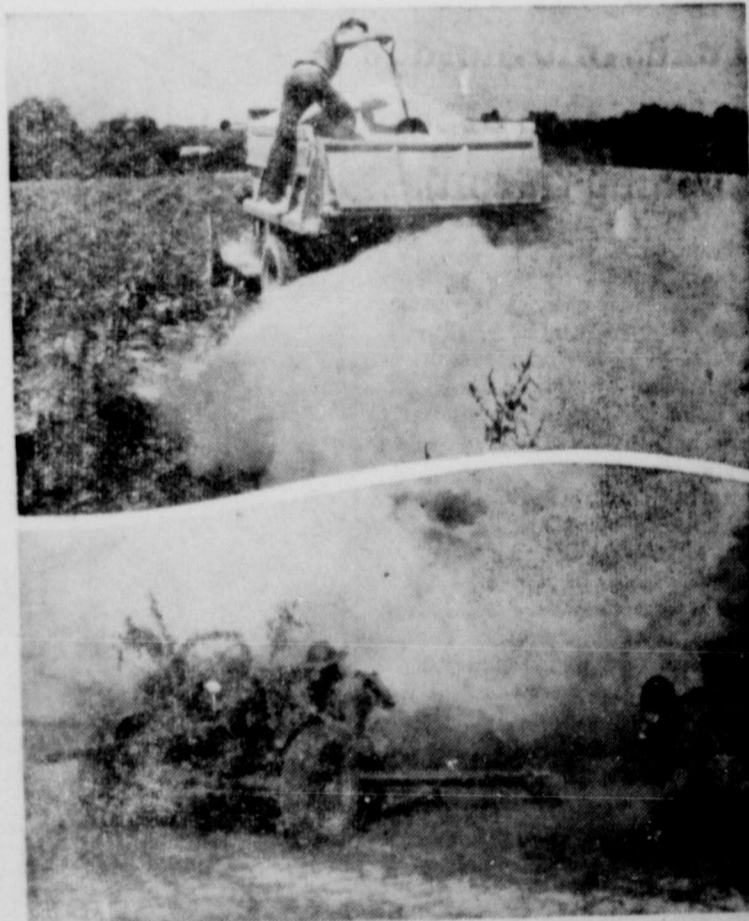
Survivors are: two daughters, Miss Della Westfall, Tullia, Mrs. E. B. Fee, Happy; two sons, T. J. Westfall, Floydada, and C. L. Westfall of Tullia. Nine grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren also survive. One sister, Mrs. Rhoda Neal, Arkansas, one brother, Taylor Thomas, of Oklahoma.

Interment was made in Floydada cemetery with Harmon Funeral Home in charge of arrangement.

University of Texas Engineers announce invention of a new fruit and vegetable freezer to help farmers preserve produce for an all year market. The machine uses ice crystals which heretofore clogged freezing apparatus of the immersion type of refrigeration.

The purpose of ranching is not to produce beef for the ultimate consumer but to make a living for the rancher and his family, a speaker said at the recent regional grassland conference in Amarillo.

These Clouds Mean Defense



Clouds arise as American farmers increase the fertility of their fields by sprinkling them with lime. Clouds arise as American soldiers increase their skill through artillery practice. Both fertile soil and skilled gunners are vital to the nation's defense. American farmers last year, cooperating with the AAA Farm Program, applied nearly six million tons of lime to their soil, enough to have powdered the face, at the rate of a ton per acre, of every acre of cropland in Maine, Vermont, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, and Connecticut.

Tree Planting On Boom; Large Increase over '39

Farm families cooperating with the Extension Service of A. and M. College in 1940 planted nearly twice as many trees in their farm and home landscapes as they did the previous year, it was announced this week.

Citing this trend toward increased landscape and beautification work, Sadie Hatfield, extension specialist in landscape gardening, says in 1939, 53,677 trees were reported set out to serve as windbreaks, to give shade, and to furnish background for homes, and during 1940 the figure jumped to 223,985.

The specialist's report showed also that there was more than a 25 percent increase in the number of alms seeded. Extension cooperators and demonstrators sowed 3,151 lawns in 1940, compared with 2,436 the previous year.

"Increased appreciation of native shrubs is also revealed in this year's report," Miss Hatfield points out. During 1939, 34,829 native shrubs were reported growing in landscapes around homes. In 1940 40,916 native shrubs were reported—an increase of 18 percent.

Nursery shrubs set out during 1940 numbered 50,636. Other studies revealed that 1,102 outdoor living rooms and recreation areas were provided by rural families during the year and 2,368 pieces of recreation equipment were added.

Cold Storage Lockers Offer Savings to Farmers

College Station, January 23.—While there are thousands of Texas farm and ranch families with access to cold storage and freezer lockers, there still remain thousands more who must wait until cold weather sets in before they have home-killed meat for the table.

Variety in preparation, even of the same food, keeps appetites keen, so farm and ranch families should plan for all possible ways of preserving their meat, says Grace I. Neely, specialist in food preservation for the A. and M. College Extension Service.

She suggests curing hams and bacon and storing them in cotton seed oil; making a generous supply of sausage,—canning some, freezing some, or curing some, according to the family's preference; making pickled pigs feet and head cheese, and canning or freezing pork roasts.

The loin, sometimes called the choice cut of any animal can be cured and made into Canadian bacon. Or it can be canned for roasts or frozen for pork chops, the specialist says.

Beef can be preserved in as many different and interesting ways as pork. Just now, chili seems to be one of the most popular canned beef products in Texas. Chili made from goat meat is also winning favor, as evidenced by orders for over 2,000 cans of chevon chili to be shipped to eastern states this year by home demonstration club women in Menard County.

Information on canning, curing, or freezing of meats can be obtained from the A. and M. College Extension Service at College Station.

Texas Silo Storage Represents Great Feeding Surplus

College Station, January 23.—Enough silage is buried in Texas to make a dam 15 inches thick across the Grand Canyon at an average place, says E. E. Eudaly, Extension service dairyman for Texas A. and M. College. The mighty gash in the earth in northern Arizona averages eight miles in width and 5,000 feet in depth.

There were approximately 38,000 silos in Texas at the end of 1940, with an average capacity of 115 tons each the specialist added. Translated into weight it gives 4,394,135 tons.

This colossal pantry contains enough to feed approximately 2,000,000 head of dairy cattle in the state for 143 days, which is the average period cattle are fed in Texas during the winter. But dairy cattle do not get it all. Beef cattle, sheep, horses, and even chickens, now are getting some of the silage.

Some of nearly every kind of feed known is stored in these trenches. The greater part is grain sorghums, sweet sorghums, corn, sudan and Johnson grasses. Mixed with these staple foods are threshed grain sorghums, grain sorghum heads, ear corn, cowpea vines, peanut vines, with and without the nuts, prickly pears, tumble weeds, sunflowers, and

grapefruit rinds and pulp. From this reserve a cow can set her table with grapefruit for breakfast, a big assortment of vegetables for dinner and pears for supper.

Eudaly said there was one case on record of trench silage keeping for 20 years.

"There are lots of cases, too, where it has been kept seven to ten years".

"The trench silo means feed insurance," he added. "The thing that has played the most havoc with the livestock business in Texas has been the periodical shortage of feed. We can never stabilize it until first we stabilize the feed business. The trench silo provides the means of doing that."

Grading of Mohair Gains Favor With Angora Raisers

College Station, January 23.—Mohair grading in Texas, began with the autumn clip of 1939 at the instance of many Angora goat raisers who desired to have their staple sold on merit, is making rapid strides, says W. R. Nisbet, Extension Service animal husbandman for Texas A. and M. College.

Several warehousemen have cooperated with growers in setting up proper grades, or standards, of quality and approximately 500,000 pounds of the 1940 fall clip were sold on a graded basis. Grading was done at Bandera, Eden, Fort Worth, Menard, Sabin, San Marcos and Sonora.

Sales of graded hair varied from a low of 35 cents to a high of 82 cents this season, Nisbet says. Two grades of kid and four of grown hair were made.

The sheep and goat specialist points out that through the sale of graded mohair growers can obtain concrete information regarding the quality and type desired by mills or other users of their product.

"That is especially important at present when synthetic fibres are being substituted for both wool and mohair to an alarming extent. Conforming to the desires of the mills in the kind of mohair they consume the growers would in large measure counteract the forces which encourage the use of substitutes."

The cost of grading is not prohibitive, Nisbet says, and through three seasons it has proved profitable

Cotton Comforts Is Next on Program

College Station, January 23.—A supplement to the Department of Agriculture's 1941 cotton mattress demonstration program will enable low income rural families in Texas to have cotton comforts—one for each mattress made under the program.

Every Texas family eligible to receive mattress materials under the current program will also be eligible to receive 10 yards of percale and four pounds of cotton for making a cotton comfort, according to regulations announced last week by R. T. Price, field man at large for the State AAA office.

Bess Edwards, assistant state home demonstration agent for the Extension Service of Texas A. and M. College, added this would probably mean the making of 400,000 new cotton comforts within the next few months.

Materials for the program will be furnished by the Surplus Marketing Administration.

Under the regulations, comforts must be made in community centers set up as in the mattress program. A family must first have received a mattress before it can obtain materials for making a comfort.

Quoting Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Grover B. Hill, Miss Edwards said that the comfort provision of the mattress program is another means of "turning the cotton surplus into a national blessing."

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harmon, Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Thacker and Miss Louise Hyatt visited in Lubbock Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hatley visited Sunday in Lelia with Mrs. Hatley's mother, Mrs. J. R. Cardwell and other relatives.

The Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock show at Fort Worth next March 7-16 will offer livestock prizes of \$31,760.

Dr. A. B. Conner, director of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, will be honored by the Southern Agricultural Workers' Association at a banquet in Atlanta, Georgia, early in February.

Harry Slattery, national administrator for the Rural Electrification Administration, has written a book titled "Rural America Lights up."

W. H. and Carroll McClung, of Perryton, visited in Floydada Sunday. Mrs. W. H. McClung who had spent the past week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Patton, returned home with Mr. McClung.

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LET CAVANAUGH DO YOUR JOB PRINTING.

Miss Gliesse Goins went to Amarillo Sunday where she will be employed with the Southwestern Finance Company as bookkeeper. Miss Selma Linder accompanied Miss Goins to Amarillo and brought her car back to Floydada.

Miss Mildred Olson, of Amarillo, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Olson.

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**The Texas Farm
Record Book
Preserve Facts**

In 1941, counsels Tyrus R. Timm,
Extension Service economist in farm
management for Texas A. and M.
College, "hitch up farm records with
your plans and you will have a win-
ning team."

The Texas farm record book, pre-
pared by specialists at the college,
discloses in the beginning the dis-
tribution of the farmer's investment.
In detail it shows a breakdown of
cash incomes on the basis of indi-
vidual commodity sales, allocation of
cash expenses as to new buildings
and machinery, tractors, automobile
and truck, feed bought, hired labor,
livestock purchases, miscellaneous
crop expense and fixed expense to-
gether with farm products furnished
the family. This represented in a
complete financial statement at the
year end, should qualify as a basic
"farm tool," Timm says.

Emphasizing that a farmer should
have spot answers concerning the de-
tails of his business, the economist
asks these test questions: What was
my butterfat production per cow in
1940? How much cash did I spend
on my tractor in the form of fuel
and repair? What did my feed bill
run this year? How much did we
take in from egg sales? The record
book would be a permanent file of
this information.

The book, based on recommenda-
tions by representative farmers, has
supplementary records for farmers
desiring fuller records. These include
a sheet for crops raised and land
utilization, rainfall record, enterprise
labor records. County agricultural
agents have full particulars, but,
Timm reminds, "it is a book just for
farmers; it won't fit any other busi-
ness."

**Where do we go
From Here in
Wheat?**

College Station, January 23.—
While the European war continues,
the American wheat producer will do
well to consider carefully the acreage
he intends to plant to wheat this year.

For millions of bushels of surplus
wheat are stored in the United States
and additional millions are piled up
in other exporting countries through-
out the world.

As long as such a situation con-
tinues the American wheat farmer is
in a precarious position and must
watch his step. Wilmer T. Swink,
state AAA committeeman and Young
county wheat grower, reported to the
state AAA committee meeting here.
He pointed to the 365,000,000 bush-
els of wheat which it is estimated
will be stored in the Ever-Normal
Granary to carry over into the com-
ing year.

"We wheat farmers will be faced
with the same problems as are other
exporting nations," the committee-
man declared. "In Canada millions of
bushels are piled up on the ground;
Argentina harvested twice as much
this year as last; Russia has a huge
supply on hand."

Fortunately, the American farmer,
has been protected from feeling the
full effect of the surpluses, Swink
continued, since the AAA program,
with its crop insurance, stabilizing
loans, acreage allotments, payments
and Ever-Normal Granary, has pro-
vided the machinery to store the sur-
pluses and maintain a price above
the world market.

But little hope is held out for
restoration of lost export markets
even after the war. Regardless of
who wins, the world will be different
and the export situation will be dif-
ferent, the committeeman said. Eu-
ropean countries which formerly im-
ported great supplies of wheat have
concentrated—and probably will con-
tinue to do so after the war—on
raising their own wheat supply in
an effort to obtain self-sufficiency.

**National 4-H Club
Encampment
Planned**

"Rural Youth's Responsibilities"
has been chosen as the theme for the
1941 National 4-H Club encampment,
which is held annually on the banks
of the Potomac at Washington, D. C.
Two boys and two girls from each
state and territory will be chosen to
attend the encampment. L. L. John-
son, state boys' club agent, and Onah
Jacks, state girls' club agent, both
of the Texas Extension Service, will
announce Texas winners of the trip
early in March.

One tree can make a million
matches; one match can destroy a
million trees.

**State Senator
Marshall Formby
Is on Committee**

One of five Senators named on the
committee to inaugurate Governor
W. Lee O'Daniel and Lt. Governor
Coke Stevenson Tuesday of this week
was State Senator Marshall Formby
of McAdoo, who took his oath of
office on January 14th, was on the
committee that escorted the Gover-
nor and Lt. Governor through the in-
auguration.

Secretaries named by Senator
Formby for the 120-day session are
Miss Fay Davis of Kent County, and
Miss Edna Elice Lasater of Lubbock
County. Miss Davis is the daughter
of a pioneer Kent County family.
Miss Lasater has been employed for
some time at Lubbock in the office
of Judge Homer Pharr and in the
office of a land company. Both are
experienced stenographers.

Senator Formby succeeds G. H.
Nelson of Lubbock. He represents 24
counties, including this county. Popu-
lation for the 24 counties, according
to the 1940 census, is 251,618, a dis-
trict which votes about 61,000 bal-
lots. Formby was county judge of
Dickens county for four years, re-
linquishing his office on January 1st
to Edwin H. Boekeker. He is a
farmer, a former newspaperman, and
at 29 is the youngest member of the
State Senate. He is unmarried.

**Rennels Named to
AAA Position
In Texas**

College Station, January 23.—Fred
Rennels, who for the past year and a
half has been in charge of the range
conservation program of the Agricul-
tural Adjustment Administration in
Texas, has been named assistant ad-
ministrative officer of the Texas
AAA.

Appointment of Rennels, was an-
nounced by the state AAA commit-
tee at its meeting in College Station.
He will succeed B. F. Vance who has
been named to the position of admin-
istrative officer resigned by E. N.
Holmgreen to become business man-
ager of Texas A. and M. College. All
appointments will be effective Feb-
ruary 1.

After farming and teaching school
in Foard and Wilbarger counties for
a number of years, Rennels became
Extension Service county agent in
Foard county from 1922 to 1936 when
he was named county agent of Wil-
barger county where he remained un-
til 1939. During these years he
studied at various times at Texas A.
and M. College and North Texas
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Since June, 1939, Rennels has had
charge of the range program of the
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have become 21 years of age since January 1, 1940 are required to
secure an exemption certificate during January, 1941, before they
may vote in any of the elections during the year; no charge is made
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Cross Breeding of Dairy Cattle Is Harmful to Dairy Business

College Station, January 23.—Reliable sources report 60 per cent of Texas dairy cows are being bred to beef bulls. But, cautions W. V. Maddox, Extension Service dairy manufacturing specialist for Texas A. and M. College, "This practice not only is greeding the state out of the dairy business but is hurting the beef industry as well."

Most producers who have adopted this course, he says, failed to figure where tomorrow's dairy replacements are coming from. Statistics for 1939 show a decline in dairy heifers of seven percent over the previous year, and it is estimated that 1940 will show a 15 percent decline. This will mean approximately 60,000 less dairy heifers in Texas at present.

The replacement of cotton acreage by feed has encouraged more livestock on the farm, but the price of beef has caused not only farmers to go into beef cattle business, but has induced many milk producers to breed out of the dairy business.

The 69 counties east of a line formed by Cooke, Tarrant, McLennan, Travis and Harris counties, which has been considered a large dairy cow section, has increased 119 percent in beef cattle in the last few years. A large percentage of this increase has been achieved by cross breeding dairy cows with beef bulls.

The specialist concludes that should cotton prices come back a swing from livestock to cotton production might be expected. Again today's encouraging level of beef prices may not stay, and today's milk prices may advance. It should be remembered that it is impossible to grow milk cows as rapidly as beef or cotton. Transforming a herd of heifers into profitable dairy cows takes years of proper management culling, feeding and breeding, and all this work can be erased in a short time by improper breeding methods.

MRS. S. L. RUSHING AND MRS. LEE RUSHING ENTERTAINED WITH TEA

Mrs. Lee Rushing and Mrs. S. L. Rushing gave a tea Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. L. Rushing's in the Fairview Community, announcing the approaching marriage of Miss Jaunita Rushing to Malcolm Bridges, of Big Spring, which will be February 2, at the Rushing Chapel. Miss Rushing is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rushing, and the granddaughter of Mrs. S. L. Rushing. In the receiving line were: Mrs. Lee Rushing, Miss Jaunita Rushing, Mrs. S. L. Rushing, Mrs. Len Davis, and Mrs. S. W. Ross.

Mrs. Jim Wilson poured tea from a lovely antique silver service, assisted by Mrs. Layton Dorrell and Mrs. F. O. Conner. The dining table was laid with Irish linen cut work table cloth. A beautiful bouquet of white and blue cut flowers was placed in the center of the table, and six white tapers were burning on either side. Miss Neida Fagan played soft ipano music throughout the evening. Mrs. Ray Taylor presided at the guest register.

Political Column!

Those whose names appear below have authorized the Floyd County Plainsman to announce their candidacy for nomination for the office under which their name appears, subject to the action of the City Election April 1, 1941.

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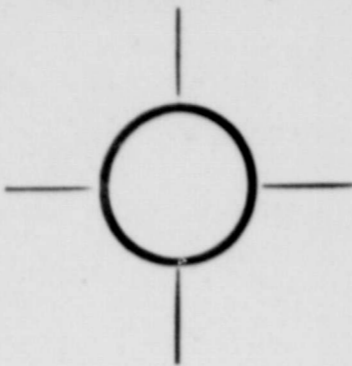
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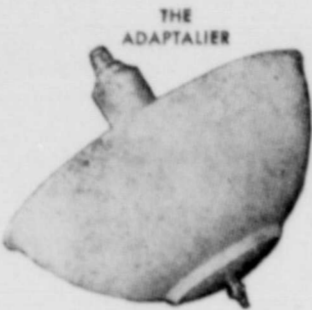
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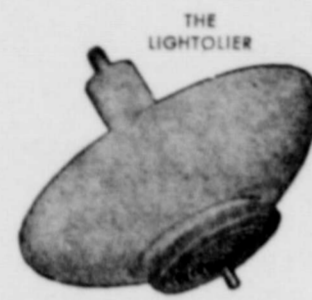
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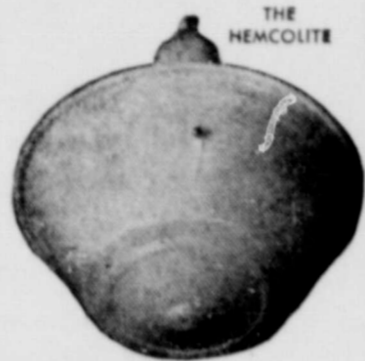
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