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Stamford to Stage Rodeo May 18th

Stamford, May 14.—A real old-fashioned rodeo awaits the pioneers and Army Air Corps officers when they gather in Stamford on Friday and Saturday, May 17th and 18th, for the "Plane Wranglers" rodeo, a two-day program which will open the Army Air Corps Detachment and dedicated to the Stamford Airdrome.

The affair has gone to the Southwest and address is was posted, and those who do not get through the mails and urged to come on and be guests of the Stamford Chamber of Commerce. The field is located five miles west of the city and consists of 100 acres of land, every foot of which is available for landing. The field is "L" shaped, allowing miles of space in practically every direction and the largest ship can be landed with plenty of room.

Transportation Association Meeting

May 14.—The Texas Motor Transportation Association will hold its convention at Hotel Dallas, for three days, May 22, it has been announced by Henry English, past president of the Association and general manager of arrangements. The speakers scheduled for the convention are: Mr. English, president of the Texas Motor Transportation Association; Ted V. Rogers of Washington, D. C., president of the National Trucking Association; and W. Garrison, director of the Department of Public Safety; and W. E. Turner, secretary of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Washington, D. C. Mayor Rogers Kelly of Ed.

Mrs. G. C. Tubbs and Mrs. E. W. Turner visited with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Richard

John Bird Henington Dies Friday In Floydada

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Harmon Funeral Chapel for John Bird Henington, age 89 years, who passed away Friday morning at 2:30 a. m. at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Finley, after an illness of several months. Rev. R. T. Breedlove, pastor of the First Methodist Church officiated.

Mr. Henington was born in Mississippi February 27, 1852, and had lived in Bell County most of his life. He had spent most of the past three years in Floydada at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Finley. He was married to Miss Eliza Rhodie Hoover in 1871, who preceded him in death.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. W. H. Finley, Floydada; and Mrs. Lawson, San Angelo; two sons, W. H. Henington, of Columbia, California; and J. J. Henington, of Douglas, Arizona; one sister, Mrs. Bettie Mathews, of San Angelo.

Burial was made in the family cemetery 10 miles east of Holland in Bell County, Texas. The remains were carried overland by Harmon Funeral Home Saturday and services were held Sunday afternoon. Mr. Finley accompanied Mr. Harmon to Holland with the body.

Free Motion Picture Shows Are Scheduled

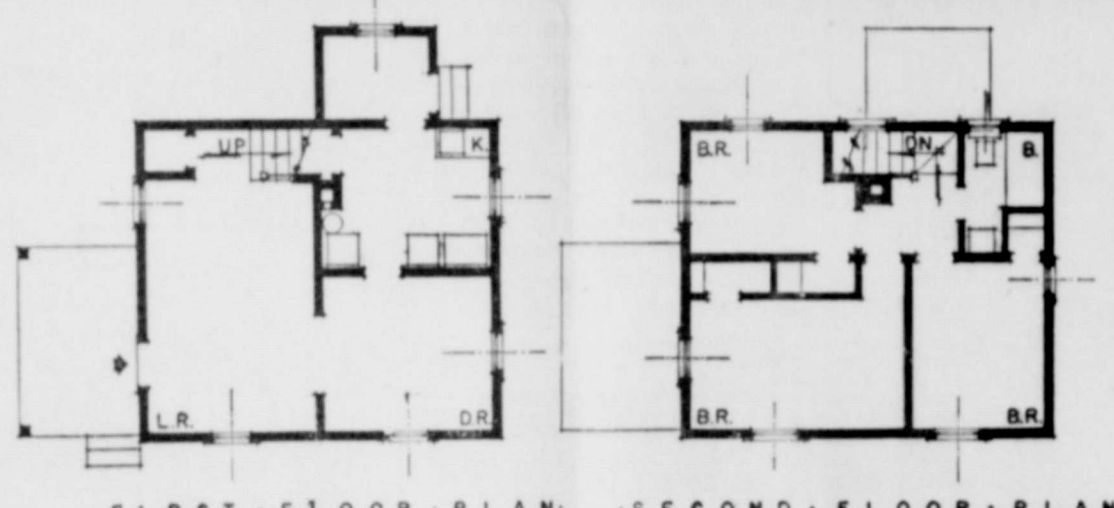
A free motion picture show of the following films: "Salt of the Earth", "Plows, Planes, and Peas", and "Men Who Grow Wheat" will be held in the county at the following places and time:

- Sandhill School Auditorium, Thursday evening, May 15, at 8:00.
 - Baker School Auditorium, Friday evening, May 16, at 8:00.
 - Lockney Grammar School Auditorium, Saturday afternoon, May 17, at 2:00.
- Bring all of your family and attend the show at one of the above mentioned places, as we feel sure that we have something worthwhile.
- ALCYE A. HOOTS,
Secretary, Floyd County ACA.

The Agricultural Adjustment Administration has announced that a farmer can increase his acreage of tomatoes for canning this year without taking a loss in his Triple-A payments.

Nearly 700,000 farms and other rural units in the United States are connected with REA power lines operated by farmer cooperatives.

Texas has produced more than 27 per cent of all the oil produced in the entire United States to date. Approximately two-thirds of all the oil produced in Texas to date has been produced in the past ten years.



A two-story home containing three bedrooms which sells for less than \$4,000 is likely to be highly popular with the thousands of moderate income families who, under the FHA plan, are now able to own their own home. The first floor is composed of the living room, dining room, and kitchen, while upstairs are three bedrooms and bath. Located in the East, this property is valued at \$3,890 and was financed with an FHA-insured mortgage of \$3,100. Average monthly payments on a 25-year mortgage of this amount total approximately \$18. The cost of the property will vary in other localities.

Crop Losses of Winter Wheat are Smaller

Losses of winter wheat in the field, at least in areas where the crop is insured, are expected to be smaller this year than last, officials of the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation say. Complete losses are reported in only a few cases, and the chief cause to date in Texas and six other western and southwestern states is attributed to wind, winter-kill, freezing and rabbits. Damage so far is fairly well scattered in most of these states, instead of being concentrated in a few big producing counties as was the case last year.

Soil Conservation Service surveys show that 282,000,000 acres of crop and range land in the United States have been ruined or severely impoverished by erosion.

Plainview Man Is Killed by Train Accident

Lockney, May 12th.—Conductor Samuel H. Johnston's Santa Fe train killed him today. He was standing behind cars on a siding. A switch engine and cars bumped into the cars. Brakemen on the train saw the conductor's mangled body under the wheels.

There was no witness to the accident, which happened in the Lockney yards. Johnston was 56 years old. He had been with the Santa Fe 26 years and was a veteran on the run from Plainview to Floydada.

The body was taken to the family home at Plainview after Justice of the Peace Frank Perkins returned an inquest verdict of accidental death. The wife and a son survive.

Time Extended to May 20 On Disposition of Wheat

A wire was received from B. F. Vance, administrative officer of the AAA in Texas, stating that where weather conditions prevented farmers disposing of volunteer wheat and wheat planted in excess of their wheat allotment, but within the tolerance, that such time could be extended to May 20 but in no case beyond that date. Therefore any farmer who has failed to dispose of his excess seeded wheat or volunteer wheat in excess of his seeded wheat or volunteer wheat in excess of his allotment should do so immediately, as the county office will start checking the disposition of the volunteer and seeded wheat May 21.

ALCYE A. HOOTS,
Secretary, Floyd County ACA.

MRS PEARL FAGAN WILL PRESENT PUPILS IN RECITAL MAY 19

Mrs. Pearl Fagan will present her music pupils in recital Monday evening, May 19th at the High School Auditorium at 8 o'clock p. m. The Floyd County Choral Club and pupils from Mrs. V. Andrews' class will assist Mrs. Reagan. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Funeral Services Held for Jessie F. Ruddick

Last rites were held at the First Christian Church Monday afternoon for Jessie F. Ruddick, age 73 years, who passed away at his home Sunday, May 11, at 9:30, by Rev. Lawrence Bridges.

Mr. Ruddick was born November 24, 1867 at Banger, Iowa, and moved to Colorado City, Texas, in 1901, and from there he moved to Floyd County in 1911. He was married to Miss Emma Addie McCoy. He had been a member of the First Christian Church since he was 24 years of age, and was an active member until his health failed him several years ago.

Besides his wife he is survived by two daughters, Mrs. A. H. Franklin, of Colorado City, Texas; and Mrs. Miles Frost, Artesia, New Mexico; three sons, J. I. Ruddick, Dublin; Carlton Ruddick, Abernathy; Floyd Ruddick, Lincoln, Arkansas.

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

Irvin Bishop, of Long Beach, California, is visiting in Floydada this week with Thurmon Bishop and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Griggs Bishop and daughter, of Dallas, spent the week end with Mrs. Bishop's mother, Mrs. W. M. Houghton.

Waldro Houghton, of Pampa, visited his mother, Mrs. W. M. Houghton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hollingsworth and son, of Lubbock, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Hollingsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Somer Hollingsworth of Amarillo, visited Sunday with Mr. Hollingsworth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Hollingsworth.

Corp. Watson Jones, of Camp Bowie, Brownwood, arrived Sunday for several days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Jones.

Advance Payment For Farm Storage Construction

College Station.—Wheat farmers who construct new farm storage bins or substantially repair old storage structures will be able to obtain an advance storage allowance of seven cents a bushel from the Commodity Credit Corporation if a loan is offered to result in greatly increased construction of farm storage facilities in Texas, Fred Rennels, assistant state administrative officer in charge of the AAA in Texas, declared.

The large carry-over of wheat and other grains and the prospects of large crops in 1941, combined with the national defense transportation requirements, may result in grain storage becoming quite a problem this year. Rennels said "Limited available elevator storage space at terminal, sub-terminal, and country points would seriously interfere with the orderly handling of the grain and would reduce the effectiveness of the Ever Normal Granary."

The administrative officer pointed out that the advance rent plan would be in force only if a loan were offered on the 1941 crop. If marketing quotas are proclaimed, as is anticipated, and voted down, then no loan will be available on this year's crop.

Under the plan, the Commodity Credit Corporation has agreed, if loans are made available, to advance a storage allowance of seven cents a bushel at the time the loan is made to any eligible producer who has provided additional approved farm storage facilities for the storing of the 1941 wheat crop by the construction during 1941 of new storage space or by substantial repairs during 1941 on existing structures which are not now suitable for storage of wheat. The advance would be made only on the number of bushels which would be stored in the additional storage facilities.

Report of NYA Progress

The NYA girls of group I met on May 7, and organized a club for the purpose of arranging for recreation and council for the group. The following officers were elected: President, Eloise Langley; Vice-President, Loydas Stanton; Secretary-Treasurer, Edith Hightower; Reporter, Berty Hillburn; Social Chairman, Katherine Pharis; Recreational Chairman, Maxine Hill; and several of the girls were appointed to assist in writing the constitution.

Recently two of the girls have married and the group had a party honoring the brides, Mrs. Cecil Ray (Ira Ruth McCAda), and Mrs. R. C. Davis (Muriel Gilbreath), when the entire group presented the honorees with a gift for their kitchens.

The NYA Homemaking Project was organized in November, 1940, sponsored by the City of Floydada and Floyd County, with Mrs. B. Marshall (Margaret Benn) as supervisor and only seven girls employed. On February 3 Miss Allie Henderson, Homemaking teacher, reported for work. After Mrs. Marshall's resignation, March 31, Mrs. Maud Merrick became supervisor for the group. The number of girls has since increased to 24, working in two shifts of two weeks each. The girls have completely remodeled the kitchen and bathroom; all work being done by the girls themselves. The paint was taken off the wood-work and then completely refinished in white enamel. New wall-paper was hung by the girls and white wainscoting put up, making a very attractive kitchen. Besides this work, many garments have been made for the Red Cross and coveralls were made for the NYA Boys. A frame and field garden have also been planted.

In the very near future, the girls plan to have open house so that the public can see what the girls are actually doing. Everyone will be cordially invited.

South side Singing Convention to Meet at Campbell

The South Side Singing Convention will meet at Campbell Sunday at 2 o'clock. It had been previously announced that the convention would meet in an all-day convention, but due to weather conditions, plans have been changed and they will convene in the afternoon. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Let Cavanaugh do your Printing.

Center School Children to Make Educational Trip

About thirty school children and their teachers from the Center School will take an educational trip on the Santa Fe train from Floydada to Plainview Friday, May 16th. For many of the children this will be their first time to make a trip by train and will be quite an experience for the youngsters.

Boys Trained in Michigan Industry Help to Put China Back on Her Feet

DEARBORN, Mich.—A hundred young Chinese students who received a technical education a few years ago in Henry Ford's automobile plants today are using this training to help put China back on her industrial feet. The Ford-trained youths have become first lieutenants to Rewi Alley, the New Zealander who originated the unique idea of vest-pocket industries to revive a nation left helpless by military invasion.

Equipped with a mechanical, engineering and administrative knowledge acquired in the Ford school system, the students started working with Alley in 1938 to put across the system of Chinese Industrial Cooperatives. At last count, these small "pocket" industries numbered 3,000 units, producing 100 different items ranging from shoes to chemicals.

Kuan Pei Liu, former Ford student and now general secretary of CIC at Chungking, China, communicated recently with Ford officials, explaining the important part his fellow students are playing in the cooperatives. "Most of our key men are Ford men," he said. "All over China you will find Ford-trained men making use of their training. Most of them are on the road in technical work, some of them occupy high administrative positions."

Liu explained that the boys were sent to Michigan from China for training between 1922 and 1930 through the efforts of Joseph Bailie, a Californian who was in China building roads. Feeling the Chinese youth needed greater technical skill, he arranged with Henry Ford for the training of 100 students in the Ford plant.

A 'Bailie-Ford Boy'



DEARBORN, Mich.—One of the original "Bailie-Ford Boys" who came from China to get a technical training in Henry Ford's factories is Hsiang Kai Li (above). Now a draftsman in the Ford power and construction department, Li hears frequently from his fellow "Bailie-Ford Boys," knows all the details of their success in helping rehabilitate China by means of "vest-pocket" industries. Boys' after their sponsor and the man who trained them. Today, as they work to rehabilitate China, they still refer to themselves as the "Bailie-Ford Boys."

TEXAS JOINS IN COTTON WEEK



W. Lee O'Daniel, chief executive of the greatest cotton-producing state in the world, signs a proclamation urging Texans to make National Cotton Week, May 16-24, "an outstanding success." All cotton organizations interested in the sale of cotton and cotton products—farmers, ginners, textile manufacturers, chain stores and independent merchants, civic organizations, the extension service and others—are sponsoring National Cotton Week as a means of building the domestic market to aid an industry badly crippled by loss of foreign markets. Watching the governor sign the proclamation in Murray of Waco, general manager of the Texas Cotton Week Committee; Elmore Torn of Longview, general director of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce; Luther Sharp of Dallas, vice president of the National Cotton Week Committee; Governor O'Daniel; C. Jackson of Hillsboro, chairman of the Texas State-Wide Cotton Committee; A. M. Goldstein of the Texas Retail Merchants Association; and Will Bond of Hillsboro, representing the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

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ADVERTISING RATES GIVEN ON APPLICATION

NOTICE!

Any erroneous reflections upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of The Floyd County Plainsman will be gladly corrected upon its being brought to the attention of the publisher.

Notice to Bidders

Sealed bids will be received by the Commissioners Court of Floyd County, Texas, on the 9th day of June, 1941, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the Court House in Floydada, Texas, for the following machinery:

Three Tandem Drive Road Graders with Diesel Engine, with approximately 12 foot blade; pneumatic tires, regular tubes front and low pressure (single) pneumatic tires, puncture-proof tubes, rear muffler, jack, leaning front axle, and dual brakes, and accessories.

Said County offers in trade as a part of the consideration to be paid for the above described machinery the following:

- One Austin Western 99 Diesel Motor Grader, Serial Number Ds1120.
- One Austin Western 99 Diesel Motor Grader, Serial Number _____
- One Caterpillar Model No. 11, Diesel Motor Grader Serial Number 6K461SP.

The Commissioners Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

If purchase is made pursuant to said bids, Floyd County will issue time warrants for the payment of all or a part of such purchase price, such time warrants to be issued in the maximum amount of \$15,000.00, bearing interest at the rate of six (6%) per cent per annum and maturing serially, the maximum maturity of final maturity being not later than ten (10) years from the date of said warrants.

Executed this 13th day of May, 1941.

G. C. TUBBS,
County Judge, Floyd County, Texas.
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Texas Petroleum Industry Will Pay New Taxes

Austin, Texas, May 14.—The Texas petroleum industry will pay new taxes almost equivalent to the additional funds for old age assistance raised by the omnibus tax bill, figures obtained from the State Comptroller's office show.

New taxes imposed on the Texas petroleum industry by the bill total \$10,990,617, it was estimated. The Texas old age pension fund will get an additional \$11,253,121 from new taxes levied by the omnibus bill. Of course, not all the new petroleum taxes go for old age assistance, as teacher retirement, dependent children, needy blind and the general revenue fund all get their share.

Although the petroleum industry will be paying much of the increased cost of the new Texas pension program, its employees will receive virtually no benefit. Its workers are beneficiaries of the Federal old age insurance law with benefits which usually disqualify them from any State assistance. Furthermore, approximately half of the petroleum

by the Texas petroleum industry will make a State total of \$50,409,839 a year for this one industry. This is 48.8 per cent, or practically half, of all State business and property taxes paid by all classes of business and property in Texas, including the new levies of the Omnibus bill. This does not include gasoline taxes paid by the individual motorist on the petroleum industry's principal product.

In addition to its State taxes, petroleum pays \$36,470,211 in local taxes and approximately \$20,000,000 in Federal taxes, or a total of \$106,880,050, a year, not counting gasoline taxes paid by the motorist. The total of nearly \$107,000,000 is equivalent to an annual tax of \$483 for each of the 221,150 employees of the Texas petroleum industry.

Dolton Jones, of Lubbock, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Jones.

Mark Duncan and Elder and Mrs. Chas. W. Watkins of Lubbock, visited Sunday with Mrs. Sarah K. Duncan and other relatives.

Mrs. Maude Merrick, NYA Supervisor, attended a district meeting in Lubbock last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Jenkins, of Lubbock, visited Sunday with Mrs. Jenkin's parents, Judge and Mrs. Jeff D. Ayres.

Miss Ruth Jenkins, of Lubbock, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jenkins.

Miss Allie Henderson visited over the week end in Hollis and Lawton, Oklahoma, with friends.

Miss Laura Hart spent the week end with her parents at Shallowater.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pitts, of Amarillo, visited Sunday with Mrs. Sarah K. Duncan and other relatives.

Private Ben P. Ayres, of Fort Bliss, Texas, spent the week end here visiting his parents, Judge and Mrs. Jeff D. Ayres.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture bought 554 tons of grapefruit and 12,936 boxes of oranges on the open market during the week of April 13-19.

According to the Census Bureau, there are fewer sharecroppers in the U. S. now than at any time in the last two decades. The 1940 census found 541,291 sharecroppers in 16 states—234,987 less than in 1930.

Waldo Houghton, of Pampa, visited his mother, Mrs. W. M. Houghton, on Sunday.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF ESTATE OF W. M. HOUGHTON, DECEASED:

Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of W. M. Houghton, Deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 21st Day of April, 1941, by the County Court of Floyd County, Texas. All persons having claims against said Estate are hereby required to present the same to me as the law directs. My address is 208 East Crockett Street, Floydada, Floyd County, Texas.

This 21st Day of April, 1941.
HOWARD HOUGHTON,
Executrix of Estate of W. M. Houghton, Deceased.

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We invite you to visit the greenhouse. PALK FLORISTS—Mrs. W. S. Goen. Phone 78. 46-tfc.

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Announcement Dinner Honors Miss Selma Lider

Miss Selma Lider was honored with an announcement dinner at the Commercial Hotel Coffee Shop Thursday evening, announcing her approaching marriage to Rex Johnston, June 1. Hostesses for the occasion were: Mesdames E. C. Patton, Earl Crow; Misses Bernice Patton and Gladie Goins.

The table was decorated with eight blue and white tapers, and the centerpiece was white carnations and

blue cornflower. Corsages of roses were at each place and the announcement was made on tiny white bells tied with blue ribbon, which read "Selma and Rex June 1". A three course dinner was served to the following guests: Misses Lois Fouts, Emma Louise Smith, Reba Copeland, Ann Ston, Lida Bell Weiding, Lider; Mesdames Herber,monds, Buck Sims, Truett McWilmer Jones, Jr., and the



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No Fifth Columnists Here!

Pictured above is Congressman Martin Dies congratulating John Wilson, left, President of the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce and President of the Wilson Manufacturing Company, and D. H. Bolin, President of the Wichita Engineering Company Aviation School on their part in training mechanics and machinists for the National Defense industry.

SPECIAL SALE!!

Spring Coats, Suits, Redingot Suits, Dresses, Hats, Hose, and other items mentioned in this ad. Our Prices made only on our earlier Spring merchandise. These Special Sale prices are for a few days only, we urge you to come in and take advantage of these values.



Coats, Assorted Styles and Colors, Special Sale!

\$7.98 Coats, Special Sale	\$5.89
\$10.98 Coats, Special Sale	\$8.69
\$12.75 Coats, Special Sale	\$9.89
\$16.95 Coats, Special Sale	\$12.75
\$17.50 Coats, Special Sale	\$13.75
\$19.50 Coats, Special Sale	\$14.75

Spring Suits, Solid Colors and Plaids, Special Sale!

\$10.98 Suits, Special Sale	\$8.69
\$12.75 Suits, Special Sale	\$9.89
\$16.95 Suits, Special Sale	\$12.75
\$17.50 Suits, Special Sale	\$13.75

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\$4.98 Dresses, Special Price	\$3.49
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\$14.95 Special Sale	\$11.49
\$16.95 Special Sale	\$12.75
\$17.50 Special Sale	\$13.75
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\$10.98, Special Sale	\$8.69
\$12.75, Special Sale	\$9.89
\$14.95, Special Sale	\$11.49
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Large Increase in Dairy Cattle is Shown

Data gathered by E. R. Eudaly and G. G. Gibson, extension dairymen for A. and M. College, shows that the number of milk cows in Texas increased about 100,000 in 1940. The specialist attributes this to better prices for butterfat, dairy cows and dairy heifers. Since 1937, about one half of the cows kept for milk have been bred to beef bulls as a means of offsetting the price spread between beef and dairy products. However, he deducts from the number of dairy bulls bought in 1940 that cross breeding will be substantially reduced in 1941.

According to records, the average production for each cow in Texas in 1935 was 136 pounds, but in 1939 the average had increased to 144 pounds. Eudaly says that the best information available places the 1940 average to 146 pounds, and expresses the opinion that the increase was due to better feeding and management. In 1935 about 100,000 Texas farms had no milk cows, but in 1939, the situation had improved about 25 percent.

The phenomenal expansion of trench silos in the past five years has largely solved the dairymen's problem of a sustained supply of good cheap feed. At the end of 1939, there were 5,841 feed containers of this type in the state, but in the succeeding four years the expansion was so rapid that at the end of 1940 they numbered 37,811. In addition there were 2,190 silos of other types, such as upright, pit, stack and picket fence.

About 2,500 of the trench silos are filled with threshed grainsorghums, grain sorghum heads, threshed barley and ear corn. The average capacity of the silos is 116 tons and the average cost of the silage, including cost of growing and storage, was \$2.15 a ton. The amount of feed in silos at the end of 1940 was 4,640,000 tons, which at current prices was worth \$23,200,000. This aggregate store house contained enough feed to maintain the 1,400,000 dairy cows in Texas 153 days.

Last year 2,338 4-H Club boys enrolled in dairy calf club work owned 2,293 animals. Records kept by 423 club boys on their heifers showed that the average production of the animals was 4,465 pounds of milk and 245 pounds of butterfat.

Training Course For Youth Leadership June 9-28

Texas 4-H Club leaders and prospective ones as well are invited to attend a three weeks' intensive youth leadership training course which will be held for the first time this summer at Texas A. and M. College. Dates for the special course have been set for June 9-10.

When the new plan was announced recently by Daniel Russell, head of the college department of rural sociology, L. L. Johnson and Onah Jacks, state 4-H Club agents for the Extension Service, said they hoped large numbers of men and women interested in 4-H Club work could attend.

During the first week, O. J. Benson, who helped establish 4-H Club work in the United States, will give intensive instruction to persons interested in rural youth groups such as 4-H Clubs, Future Farmers chapters, rural Boy Scout troops and F. S. A. groups. Mr. Benson is now national director of rural scouting for the Boy Scouts of America.

The other instructor obtained for the school is V. K. Brown, director of the playgrounds of the Chicago Park Board. Mr. Brown will give attention to recreational problems and leisure time activities for employed and unemployed youth. Teachers and recreational workers for governmental and private organizations such as the NYA, WPA, YMCA, and YWCA, are expected to be particularly interested in the June 23-28.

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Stretching Limited Food Budgets Suggested

College Station.—Texas families with limited budgets who want to get the most for their food dollars will soon be benefiting from exhaustive research by scientists members of the Texas State Nutrition Committee.

Safe and satisfying menus which can be prepared for as low as from 10 to 35 cents per person per day are being developed by a subcommittee and will be distributed through the various nutrition minded groups represented on the Texas State Nutrition Committee, according to Mildred Horton of the A. and M. College Extension Service, who is chairman of the State committee. Not only menus, but recipes and necessary grocery shopping lists as well, have been compiled by the subcommittee which is composed of Dr. Jet Winters of the University of Texas, Dr. Ercel Eppright of the Texas State College for Women, Dr. Florence Scouler of the North Texas State Teachers College and Dr. Jessie Whitacre of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, Mina Wolfe of Texas Technological College.

At a meeting of the committee held in Denton last week, Bess Heflin, University of Texas professor, who is president of the Texas Home Economics Association, reported that county units of home economists are being organized in 224 counties in an effort to help Texas families become better fed. In cooperation with the State Nutrition Committee these county units present a series of educational radio programs during the next few weeks. The nutrition series will be called "Eat the Right Food."

State and Federal agencies, organizations, and educational institutions represented at the Denton meeting included the Farm Security Administration, WPA, Surplus Marketing Administration, State Department of Health, State Board of Vocational, Texas Home Economics Association, Texas Dietetics Association, Texas State College for Women, North Texas State Teachers College, Texas Technological College,

New Use For Toothpicks Is Revealed

U. S. Department of Agriculture scientists have found another use for toothpicks than decorating the lips of easy-mannered diners.

They have found that the tooth-clearing splinter is an aid in getting a higher survival of transplanted pecan trees the first year. Pecan growers have been having high losses because not enough new roots are formed the first year to support the top. The toothpicks are soaked in a growth promoting substance and a hole bored in a pecan root is plugged with the treated toothpicks. This

puts the "growth promoter" into the circulation system of the tree. Treated trees produce more new roots and make more rapid growth than untreated trees. More of them survive the critical first season, too.

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