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## THEN CAME THE DELUGE AND EXIT LONG DROUGHT

So far as Terry and vicinity are concerned the 1951 prolonged drought as well as the extremely hot weather is at an end for this year. Oh, yes, there will be hot days, but as far as the nights are concerned, they will be cool and pleasant. And before we forget the matter, you farmers can come in and get those turnip seed and plant them.

Beginning at something like 3:30 a. m., Tuesday, we were awakened from a pretty nice sleep by the Mrs. and daughter Sallie, coming through our room, to bring in a mattress left in the back yard—it was raining, they said. Rather hard to believe. At 8 o'clock a. m., the gauge showed a total of 1.05, and at 6 p. m., enough moisture had been added to total 1.25. Six p. m., is close-out time for the 24-hour period.

At around 3 p. m., the rains started again, and when we went to bed at 10:30, it was still going good. At 8 p. m., Wednesday, we had another 1.40 inch in the gauge, making 2.65 up to that time. Another hard shower fell after the measurement that has not been gauged, but will probably put the total close to three inches. It is still very cloudy and threatening.

If one could have been the boss of the elements, we don't believe it possible for them to have ordered a rain to fall nice to penetrate the soil to the maximum depth. The soil of this area is wet, and we don't mean maybe. Those old blown out spots can now be sown to wheat, and if we have any winter moisture as usual, except last winter, in the way of snow or rain, will turn out a lot of biscuits next spring.

And definitely the extreme heat, and the unusual night heat for the Plains area is over for this summer. We have had more days this summer in the immediate reach of 100 degrees than any year we can remember, including 1917, our greatest drought year. Reason: Extremely dry weather from May to late August this year, and the rest of Texas and adjoining states in the same boat.

But right now, we are setting on top of the world folks. Let's fight heck out of the worms and bugs. We need those 85,000 bales of cotton J. O. Gillham predicts.

## We Have Had 11.51 Inches Rainfall

After spending 42 years in this vicinity, some 20 of which we have had charge of the US Weather Bureau rain gauge, we don't think we have ever seen a year with as many dodge-spoken monthly records. For instance up to this 8th month, we have had only two that reached an average, May and August, and they have gone way over the average.

But up to August 22, we have had 11.51 inches, which, for the time of year, we believe will run near an average annual rainfall, which is just over 18 inches. But to do so, more than 6 1/2 inches must fall in the next four months. Here's the score:

January	.08
February	.52
March	.78
April	.07
May	4.74
June	.29
July	.35
August	4.68

At the close of records Wednesday afternoon at 6 p. m., the total rainfall for the period beginning about 3:30 a. m., Tuesday, and ending about 4 p. m., Wednesday, totaled 4.18 inches. To 6 p. m., Tuesday, 1.25, and to 6 p. m., Wednesday, 2.93.

## Youth Dies Sunday In Snyder Crash

Charles Duwaine McCollum, 17 son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McCollum of Brownfield, was killed instantly Sunday morning at 1:30 a. m. in a head-on collision 18 miles west of Snyder. His 1948 Mercury, of which he was the lone occupant, collided with a 1949 Ford convertible, driven by a youth from Center, Texas. The three youths in the Ford were also killed, one dying enroute to the hospital.

The youth, a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ross of Brownfield, had been employed in a body shop at Jacksboro since his graduation from high school.

Funeral services were held Monday morning at 10 o'clock from the First Baptist church. Burial was in Terry County Memorial cemetery under direction of the Brownfield Funeral home.

His parents, who live at 906 South Sixth Street, plan to move to Lubbock soon to make their home.

**FIFTEEN NEW CARS REGISTERED HERE**

The following 15 new cars were registered with the Terry County Tax-Collector's office last week:

W. W. Marchbanks, Buick; M. W. Fox, Ford; George T. Grisman, Ford; Earl Swain, Plymouth; Carlton Alexander, Studebaker; Mrs. Marion Bigman, Studebaker; J. L. Kemper, Chevrolet and Mary Marshall, Ford.

Cullen Forbes, Mercury; Clarence L. Kelley, DeSota; Logan T. Strain, Dodge; C. H. Dunaway, Mercury; F. B. Raybon, Studebaker; Carl C. Johnson, Pontiac and A. G. Green, Studebaker.

**YOUNG COUNTY REUNION**

The annual reunion of the former residents of Young county now living in Lubbock and adjacent counties, will meet in MacKenzie Park, Lubbock, about one mile north of highway 82, on August 26. Come with a basket dinner and meet your old friends of former years.—Geo. E. Mayes, president; Sallie Godfrey, secretary.

**ONE MARRIAGE LICENSE THREE DIVORCE SUITS**

Only one couple obtained license to wed last week, being, Newell A. Reed and Miss Marcelle Burleson.

On the other hand, three couples decided that they would go their separate ways and filed divorce suits.

## Church Of Nazarene To Have Revival



REV. HALEY MESSER

Reverend Haley Messer of Tulsa, Oklahoma, has been engaged to conduct the evangelistic campaign to be held by the Church of the Nazarene, Brownfield, from August 28 until Sept. 9, according to Reverend John R. Ferguson, pastor of the congregation.

Services will be held in the church of the Nazarene each evening at 8 o'clock. Everyone is cordially invited to attend these special meetings.

The Reverend Mr. Messer has made an outstanding record as pastor in California, Texas, and Oklahoma. The last five of his twenty years in the ministry of the Church of the Nazarene have been devoted exclusively to the field of evangelism.

Reverend Messer has developed an unusual talent of memorizing extensive portions of Scripture, a practice which is used very effectively in his ministry. You will be inspired as you listen to his Bible ministry.

## FIRST LOAD OF 1951 MAIZE RECEIVED

Elmer Edwards of the Forrester community had the distinct honor of having produced, combined and sold the first load of 1951 milo maize on the local market. This load of maize was delivered to the buyer, Goodpasture Grain & Milling Co., last Thursday, August 16th. Edwards received a premium of \$100 for the load.

The load weighed 11,480 pounds and had a moisture content of 12.22 percent. He received \$1.95 per 100 pounds for the load, aside from the \$100 bonus. The load brought Elmer approximately \$323.86.

## Industrial Meeting Held Thursday

Plans may be completed for a proposed Industrial and Sociological survey to be made in Terry, Gaines and Yoakum counties, at a meeting of representatives from the counties in Seagraves Thursday night.

Harmon Howze, Chamber of Commerce president, and Secretary Wayne Smith attended the meeting, along with members of commissioners' courts from the three counties, and city council representatives from Brownfield, Seagraves and Denver City.

The group met at 8:30 p. m. at the First National Bank in Seagraves, and went from there to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Henry for a barbecue.

If representatives from the counties decide to have the survey, information will probably be compiled by Texas Technological College. The purpose of the survey will be to compile facts and figures that will help induce industry to move to this area.

## MEETING CALLED AT COURTHOUSE TO DISCUSS CEILING PRICE REGULATIONS

All business men in Terry, Gaines, Yoakum, Lynn and Dawson counties whose firms are covered by Ceiling Price Regulation 34—consumer services—are invited to hear a discussion of the regulation at a meeting in the District Court Room, Terry County Court House in Brownfield at 8 o'clock Tuesday night, August 28, 1951.

L. R. Shaddix, an OPS representative in the services field, will conduct the five-county meeting, held under the joint sponsorship of the agency and the Brownfield Chamber of Commerce.

It will be of particular interest to operators of laundries, dry cleaning establishments, service stations and garages, building contractors, electricians, plumbers, appliance repair shops, interior decorators, shoe repair shops, watch and clock repair shops and all other type repair businesses.

"The purpose of the meeting," according to William A. Robertson, Chief of the Consumer Durable Branch of the district Office of Price Stabilization, "is to help merchants price under the regulation since they have met the filing requirements, and to help those who have not filed to do so immediately." Many of the questions which have been asked concerning the regulation by individual business men will be discussed in full by L. R. Shaddix.

Specific subjects to be covered will be discussions on the general pricing provisions of the regulation, pricing for new services and new sellers of the services; and services which cannot be priced under other sections. Other topics will include "special pricing provisions for long term contracts and cost plus contracts;" "transfer of business or moving of business;" "taxes;" "additional charges;" "the handling of records, sales slips, receipts, filing of statements with the OPS;" "posting requirements;" and "adjustable pricing."

Questions from the floor will be welcomed and answers will be provided.

The services regulation required a filing of ceiling prices with the district OPS office and posting of prices for the public to see by the middle of June. Those firms which have not complied with this requirement, are urged to do so immediately to avoid further violation of the provisions of the Ceiling Price Regulation, Robertson said. Assistance will be given those asking for it in preparation of statements.

**Chisholm Member Of The AIA**

Samuel Whitten Chisholm of 1021 Lubbock Road, Brownfield certified public accountant, has been elected a member of the American Institute of Accountants, national professional society of CPAs. He is employed by the certified public accounting firm of Merriman & Thomas.

Mr. Chisholm, a native of Brownfield and a graduate of the local high school, has received two degrees from Texas Technological College. He has also studied at Sul Ross State College, in Alpine, and at the University of California in Los Angeles. He holds a CPA certificate, obtained by written examination, from the State of Texas.

## FFA Has Diversified Farm Training



FRANKLIN BRANDT

The Texas Future Farmers of America elected Franklin Brandt, 17-year-old La Grange alumni member, as their president at the recent state convention in Houston.

Franklin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brandt of the Holman community where farming is diversified.

During his years in La Grange high school, Franklin was very active, both in his projects and also while serving his FFA chapter in various offices. In 1946-47 he was president of the junior chapter. In 1947-48 he served his chapter as historian and his area as vice-president. He was sentinel during the 1948-49 year, vice-president during 1949-50, and following graduation in 1950, he became a member of the FFA Alumni Association. He is also a member of the local Farm Bureau.

As chapter delegate he attended the FFA state convention in 1949 and last year, as a delegate, he attended the national convention in Kansas City.

In 1949 Franklin was selected as the Star Lone Star Farmer of his area and in 1950 Star Future Farmer of his chapter. This year his application for American Degree was approved both at the Lubbock committee meeting and the state convention in Houston.

Franklin has also participated in various activities of the chapter. He was a member of the Junior FFA quiz team in 1947 which placed first in the district and first in the area. The senior chapter conducting teams in which he participated as sentinel and as vice-president placed first in the district and first in the area twice.

Almost \$150 in prize money has been awarded to Franklin during his years of FFA work. He has shown at the Houston Fat Stock Show the last five years and at the Fayette County Fair and the Junior Livestock Show in La Grange six years. Two beef calves and 16 fat pigs at the Houston Fat Stock Show; four fat pigs at the San Antonio Livestock Exposition; six beef calves and 30 head of swine at the county fair in La Grange.

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**FORMAL OPENING OF HUMBLE STATIONS TO BE HELD SATURDAY**

Seven Humble Oil service stations will open formally Saturday—four being here in Brownfield.

George O'Neal, agent for wholesale gas and oil for four years, has been commissioned bulk agent in this district.

Everyone is invited to attend the opening of these stations here in town, Jack Ruark Service Sta., 1st & Hill St., Starnes Service Sta., Seagraves Rd., B & J Service Sta., 721 Lubbock Rd., Goldstone Service Sta., and Humble Warehouse, 1318 Lubbock Rd.

Favors for everyone attending and miniature orchids for the ladies.

## Registration Dates For Local Schools Set For August 28-29

School registration has been set for the Brownfield schools as follows:

High school students will register Tuesday and Wednesday, August 28 and 29. Byron Rucker, principal, asks that all seniors report Tuesday morning, juniors Tuesday afternoon, sophomores Wednesday morning, and freshmen Wednesday afternoon.

At the junior high school, O. B. Stammer, principal, will register the eighth grade Tuesday, August 28, and the seventh grade Wednesday, August 29.

The fourth, fifth, and sixth grades will enroll in the West Ward building (red brick) Monday, September 3. The fourth grade will report to the third floor, with Miss Gracey's room reporting to Mrs. Nelson, Mrs. Greer to Mrs. McBurnett, Mrs. Morgan to Miss Spencer, Mrs. Davis to Mrs. Mosely, and Miss Crouch's room to Mrs. Walker.

Fifth grade will report as follows: Mrs. Walker's room to 5A, Miss Spencer's to 5B, Mrs. Mosely's to 5C, Mrs. McBurnett's to 5D, and Mrs. Nelson's to 5E. The sixth grade will report to the home rooms corresponding to the section they had last year. New students should consult L. C. Davis, principal.

Gomez students will enroll on Monday, September 3. Henry Willis is principal.

At Jessie G. Randal, Vernon Brewer, newly-elected principal, and the first grade teachers will enroll all first graders Saturday, September 1, from 9 to 12 a. m. Second and third graders will enroll Monday, September 3. They are to report to the same room they were in last year and are to be directed from there. First graders are not to report on Monday.

All first graders are to present their birth certificates and small-pox vaccination certificates at the time of enrollment.

The Wheatley colored school will enroll Monday, September 3. Curtis Tucker is principal.

Buses will run their regular routes Monday. Students will be dismissed at 11 a. m.

Teachers for 1951-1952 are: Wheatley colored school: Ella D. Sayles, Beatrice Sneed, and Curtis Tucker, principal.

Jessie G. Randal: Wanda Barnes, Atha Lynne Adams, Minerva Chesher, Mrs. Joe Chisholm, Edith Creighton, Icela Crouch, Mrs. James Dallas, Helen Davis, Mozelle Fitzgerald, Marie Gracey, Virginia Greer, Norene Hudspeth, Fannie K. Miller, Gertrude Miller, Creola Moore, Ludie Morgan, Dorothy Rucker, Thelma Taylor, and Vernon Brewer, principal.

Gomez: Ruby Lee Arnold, Durwood Biggerstaff, Davida Burkhalter, Willie Van Hooser, and Henry Willis, principal.

West Ward: Beatrice Brown, Jo Couch, Marjorie Morehead, Mrs. Ray Summers, Maggie Nell White, Earl Foster, Laura Mae Hightower, Mrs. Bill Randles, Virginia Stowers, Mrs. L. G. Spradling, Mrs. E. B. McBurnett, Mrs. Perry Mosely, Mary Ruth Nelson, Gaster Spencer, Beulah Walker, Grace Wood, and L. C. Davis, principal.

Junior high: Phil Appling, James Burnett, Marie Cornett, Hazel Crouch, Dorothy Elam, Vivian Forbes, Stephen W. Miller, Olive Rackley, Bill Randles, Truman Sewell, Donald Hoagland, Harold Mulkey, Mary Price, and O. B. Stammer, principal.

Senior high: Kathryn Brown, Lester Buford, Wyatt Burkhalter, Aubrey Culp, Albert Greer, Bobby Hensley, A. B. Jenkins, David Miller, Sammie Miller, Mrs. Hazel Miller, Mattie Morgan, Farris Nowell, Dorothy Smith, Robert Webb, L. G. Wilson, Bernice Martin, Wanda Terry, Fred Smith, Glenn Esasley, Thomas Handley, Rachel Dunaway, Mary Jane Flatt, Christine Franks, and Byron Rucker, principal.

Visiting teacher: William Conlee.

**Criminal Court Justice Visitor Here**

We had a very pleasant caller this week in the person of Judge W. A. Morrison of the Court of Criminal Appeals in Austin. Judge Morrison stated that he missed us when he was through here during the campaign in 1950, and as he was making some of the rounds of Texas, he wished to visit places he missed last year. He traveled over 35,000 miles that year.

We did not ask the Judge if he was up for election next year. But to say the least, we believe he is the kind of man that wants to meet the people and see what their reaction is to measures that are coming before the body politic. However, we believe he will be guided in his opinions by the law and evidence.

Cameron is the old home town of Judge Morrison, he told us, where he served as county attorney and county judge, and perhaps in the district courts of that section.

**Old Timer Called, Lives At Comanche**

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Dobkins, who had been visiting out in this section, called by this week on their way home, as they wanted to read the Herald again. He was a resident of Brownfield for several years, but they now live at Comanche, Texas. Altitude too high here was reason they returned to Comanche.

By the way, he told us the true story of that old oak that stands on the southwest corner of the square at Comanche. Way back in Indian days, a young fellow had killed a deer, when he was jumped by a bunch of Indians. He took refuge behind the tree, killed four of the Comanches, and the others left.

When the highway came thru Comanche, they wanted to dig up that old oak. The man, now quite aged, took his old Winchester and told the highway engineers that the man that dug up that tree would be killed. "It once protected me; I'll protect it now." And he did.

**Terry Man Wreck Victim Near Canyon**

Oscar Leon Loftin, 24, Brownfield, died Sunday morning at 10 a. m., in a Canyon hospital, five hours after he suffered fatal injuries in an automobile wreck just north of Canyon.

Dewey Alsup, also of Brownfield, a companion in the car driven by Loftin, was thrown clear and escaped injury. The wreck occurred when the 1941 Buick failed to negotiate a curve and overturned three times at the four-lane junction of highways 60 and 87.

Loftin had been a resident of Brownfield for the past year, and was an employee of Southwestern Associated Telephone Company. His parents are dead, but he is survived by several brothers and sisters.

His body was taken to Griggs-Warren Funeral home in Canyon, and shipped overland to East Texas for burial.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Quinton and Mr. and Mrs. Sid Machen visited friends and relatives in Lubbock Sunday.

**DOVE SEASON OPENS AT NOON SEPT. 1st**

Notice will be found elsewhere in the form of an ad that the dove season in this county will be open Sept. 1, which comes on Saturday—but not till afternoon that day.

Dove hunters should keep this in mind if they wish to avoid trouble. Do not hunt until after noon, and stop hunting 30 minutes before sundown.

**Girls Attend Rah-Rah School In Dallas**

Included in the more than 100 girls—the noisiest and most attractive in Texas—meeting in Dallas last week on the Southern Methodist University campus, were Wynelle Webb, head cheerleader from Brownfield, Parlee Nelson, Kay Szydloski and Roxann Miller, other yell leaders from Brownfield high school.

The event was a cheerleaders' school, conducted by Lawrence Herkimer of the SMU physical education department. All the girls stayed in the SMU dormitories, and attended the three-day clinic.

After attending this school, where everybody yells in class, the girls returned home with a number of new ideas and yells which they plan to put into practice for this fall's Cub football games.

**Our Girl Friends Remember Us**

Our two little girl friends, Jonelda and Becky Oakley, of Lamesa, came through here with their mother, Ethelda (May) Oakley Wednesday, and left a birthday present for "Daddy Jack." By the way, Jonelda is no longer "very little." She is a young lady now, and Becky is now in school, and no longer would stand to be called a baby. The present was very nice, and entirely suitable to our business. There were twelve pencils in a very pretty wooden box, which Becky suggested could be used as a paper weight. Four of the pencils are purple, four yellow and four green, and each has printed on them the words, "Daddy Jack."

Now wasn't that sweet of our little girl friends?

**THESE FOUR AMONG THE NEWCOMERS**

The Herald welcomes the following new folks in Brownfield, and we hope they like our community:

J. M. Mathews, from Ropesville; M. A. Gibson, Fort Worth; John Ramsey, Slaton and John Morris, Odessa.

## Bread Ad Director Called Wednesday

Mr. Lew Purnell, of Dallas, was a pleasant visitor in our city on Wednesday of this week. He is the advertising director of Mrs. Baird's Bread, which has but recently been put on the market here. We found Mr. Purnell to be a very fine fellow.

He stated, however, that they had not been using weekly papers in their advertising, but because of a very fine letter of welcome they received from the Herald when they came to Brownfield, they thought they would make an exception for some advertising with us.

Anyway, we are glad that Mr. Purnell called, and hope he makes our place frequently on his rounds.

**LUBBOCK CONTRACTOR GETS SEAGRAVES JOB**

J. E. Reid, building contractor of Lubbock, was Monday awarded the contract for the construction of a new elementary school unit in Seagraves following the opening of bids which found Reid's figure of \$116,800 low.

Construction will begin immediately on the building, Ross Buckner, superintendent of Seagraves schools, has announced. No completion date was announced.



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Maybe we are way behind the times; maybe we are just an old meddler that does not know his okra, but it seems to us that the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, as well as some of those in this neck of the woods are becoming unduly excited over the farm labor situation, in getting Mexican nationals. This writer has not been all over the state, it is true, but we have talked with people who have been in various sections of the state, and they tell us that the cotton crop is poor, and deteriorating every day. In fact, the Commissioner of Agriculture, Mr. White, came out in a statement late last week, in which he stated that the government report of 5 million bales for Texas, as of Aug. 8th, could then be discounted one million bales. If the crops between Brownfield and Brownwood are any indication of those in west and central Texas, the Texas Latins from south Texas, assisted by the school kids on Saturdays, can get the crop out with all ease. We have reliable reports that south Texas, particularly the irrigated part of the lower Rio Grande valley, has the best crops in Texas this year. And they are at this time practically through gathering, as they usually begin in July. So, the surplus labor of that area may come on up to this section and help gather the crops. There are many, portions of Lynn and Dawson, usually heavy cotton producers, that the crop will be very, very light this year, and to that can be added south and southeast Terry, as well as Crosby, Lubbock, Hockley and Lamb where the crop has not been irrigated. So, where is that bumper cotton crop the chambers of commerce tell us about? Much of the cotton in Terry is not much over hand high, with two or three little bolls and blooms in the top. Of course a rain would make the bolls larger. We can see no more than an average crop here in Terry county. And even that hinges on that portion of the county that now has fairly good crops, west, north and northeast Terry. There are lots of worms and bugs, and not being anything much that is green, they will attack the cotton for all they are worth. Hope we are wrong, but we believe that all the hands we need to gather the crop can

be obtained from south Texas and New Mexico where they do not raise cotton. As for the grain crop, not much was planted, and unless rain comes soon, the small acreage will be light in yield.

We have reports from the dailies that the Truman Demos over in California as well as the Washington aggregation are now whooping it up because the Golden State bunch endorsed HST for re-election, recently. But no one knows better than the Queer Dealers that the organization over in California is nothing more than a shell of its former self, and this includes the president, himself. That was too well illustrated to leave any doubt whatever, two years ago this fall, when a general election was held out there for Governor and US Senator. The many times divorced son of the late FDR, little Jimmy Roosevelt, running for governor against Republican, Gov. Warren was hopelessly defeated, even in his own county, Los Angeles. And Gov. Warren got tens of thousands of Democratic votes. Then there was the good lady running on the left wing Democratic ticket, who had openly made many speeches for the leftist and the parlor pinks, running for the US Senate, who was just as hopelessly snowed under by her Republican opponent. And the Republican Senator acknowledged that it was not just Republican votes that gave him his tremendous lead. Unlike too many of the people and states of the South, California people don't always vote as pappy voted. They vote for men and measures regardless of the party label. Thousands of Democrats of that state, just as all over the South are sick and tired of the mess that we have had to put up with for the past several years, and they are ready for a change. They are tired of the way things are carried on in official Washington, where there seems to be a premium on dishonest and shenanigan tricks. If the people all over the nation don't wake up and vote for the good of their

country instead of mink coats, 5 percenters, deep freezes, etc., we are just not going to have what we have known as a Republic in this country for the past 175 years.

Again referring to the labor situation, no one, least of all we that live here want to see a single boll of cotton left in the fields, or a single maize head wasted. In the first place, they are too valuable, and the whole world stands in need of them. Yet, we cannot believe that the labor situation is as serious as the WTCC, or many of the local chambers of commerce seem to believe. Elsewhere in this paper, we are reproducing the program for the meeting to be held in Lubbock, August 31 by cooperation of the West Texas and the Lubbock Chambers of Commerce. We hope the article will be read by all those interested, as it gives an outline of the program. In a letter that accompanied the program, Mr. Otice A. Green, publicity manager of the Lubbock organization says the meetings will be held at the Hotel Lubbock, and that the noon meal will be a "dutch treat" at \$1.25 per plate. In the article, Mr. Green states that the acreage in cotton on the south Plains is at an all time high. And we believe just that. But farmers, and men of farm experience tell us that there has been a fearful deterioration in the past few weeks, except perhaps irrigated cotton, and in Terry county that acreage is comparatively light to that of dry land acreage. There will be little occasion this year for the migrant labor to stop in central west Texas, as they just don't have any crops where we've been, or where others have visited that we have talked with. The Herald hopes that the chambers of commerce know their okra, and that we'll need tens of thousands of migrant workers.

According to the Texas Game and Fish department, the number of people taking out licenses to raise game, showed an increase, particularly pheasants, and perhaps the Chucker quail. For the fiscal year 1951, ending August 31, the Game Dept. says that it will show more than 800 breeders, compared with 284 for the 1949-50 season. Ninety percent of the license fail for breeding the pheasant, as it is the only species of wild game that can be used for commercial purposes. The chief clerk of this department points out that there are many slips between the cup and the lip even raising this bird. In fact, the department has discouraged the idea as much as possible owing to the high rate of failures. A few want to raise wild duck, geese, mink and deer.

All of which reminds us that we noted a Littlefield paper stated recently that there was a chucker breeder in that vicinity, and intimated that maybe he was the pioneer for this section. This, however, is a bit overdrawn, as A. D. Repp and wife, while he was superintendent of the local compress in the 1930ties, bred and raised many chucker quail. We cannot say whether they continued breeding of this Indian quail after they moved from Brownfield or not. Like most other pets, these birds knew their own people, and the Repps could go into the net covered pens and move around among the birds like they were chickens. But if a stranger appeared, the birds would hunt a hiding place.

According to the Industrial News Review, President Truman is still pressing for government control of business profits. The excuse of course, control of prices of commodities. Let us just consider for a moment the disastrous effect such power given one man could have on the whole industrial outlook, as well as the old time American system of government. It would, to begin with, destroy all incentive that makes for growth of industry, expansions and better living conditions for the people as a whole. Why should any individual, firm or corporation take a chance on expansion or a new industry when his profits might be controlled to the fading point? Even if he were successful, his profits would be limited to the whim of one man, and if he failed, he would bear the whole loss. It is well known in the business world that the big concern, doing millions of dollars worth of business annually, can make a sizable profit on 2 to 5 percent



GOVERNOR ALLAN SHIVERS gets a smile from little Janalee Davis of Del Rio, formerly a patient at the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation for Crippled Children. The governor has accepted the general chairmanship of the Foundation's committee for the third successive year and will spearhead the fall campaign to provide additional facilities vitally needed for the rehabilitation of thousands of physically handicapped Texas little ones.

net. But such a low profit would wreck many of our small business institutions that are so necessary to our well being. It would be a blow to all our productive resources in the very time when the world expects and must have full production, especially the huge production strength of the USA. Such an economy control would be controlled by the government, and government control leads only to totalitarianism. Let our Senators and Congressmen know for a truth that we, the people, still stand squarely behind the free enterprise system and free competition. That is what has made America great. Controls will wreck what we have accomplished in the past 175 years.

## Laugh Of The Week—'Corporation Farmers'

Saw a headline this week that stated some one was opposed to the new labor agreement just concluded between the USA and Mexico. So just decided to see who the opposer was, and his reason. Well sir, it was the American Federation of Labor, and the speaker was denouncing the "wet back" agreement concluded between above nations.

So, we just wondered if the A. F. & L. aimed to send some of their members to the cotton fields of the South—their \$2 per hour, 40 hours, five days a week men—to clean them up? Surely not? Then why the opposition to others coming in to save the raw material of cloth the union men make up and wear? You answer that one.

Such a senseless position goes right smack dab into the idea of a lot of people we have read after in the "People's Column" section of the Dallas Morning News and other papers. They say the new Drivers Liability Law passed by the last legislature was the work of a lobby of lawyers and insurance people.

Rep. Waggoner Carr told us no longer than last week that there were no lawyers or insurance men before the legislative com-

mittee to speak for or against the measure. In fact, no one for or against appeared, so far as he was aware. In fact, we understand that insurance people are leary of this insurance.

It may be somewhat of a hardship on some of the poorer people to pay around \$35 per year for this insurance, we'll all admit. But something must be done to stop careless and reckless drivers, or half the people who venture on the highway will be killed. In fact, one does not have to take out any insurance, if worth what damage they cause to others.

It has happened thousands of times that some reckless maron comes tearing down the road in an old junk of a car, runs into another car that is brand new; causes the death or injury of people. But maybe he hasn't a dime outside his old pile of junk auto. So those injured do not get one penny for their wrecked car, or their dead or injured.

Nine-tenths of the States already have such a law, and it has had an amazing effect on the careless driver.

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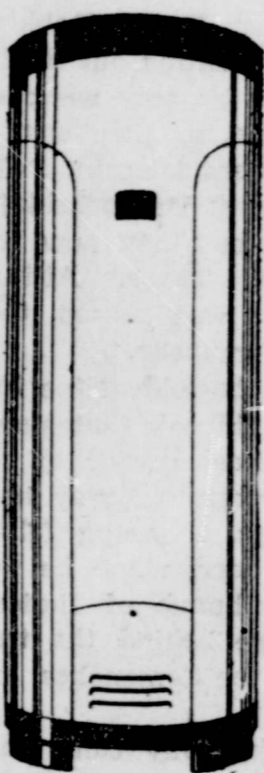
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### Farmers Cash Crop Income Higher

Texas farmers' total cash income for the first half of 1951 was 39 per cent greater than in the same 1950 period, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports.

Revenue from Texas poultry was up from \$5,951,000 (million) to \$7,651,000 in the most impressive gain. Egg profits were up, too, from \$18,595,000 to \$52,481,000. Incomes from grain sorghums and calves both increased more than 100 per cent.

Revenue from mohair and wool in the first half of 1951 increased 95 to 75 per cent, respectively, over the same period last year. The total value of both crops during January-June 1951, was \$43,172,000 — approximately \$18,000,000 more than the same 1950 period.

Milk and milk products (up 84 per cent), corn (up 54 per cent), hogs (up 46 per cent) and cattle (up 46 per cent) brought significantly larger sums to raisers. Cattle and milk and milk products, the two most important commodity classes during the first half of 1951, brought Texas cattlemen \$183,179,000 and dairymen \$103,957,000.

### UNION NEWS

A revival is in progress at the Union Baptist Church this week with Rev. M. D. (Shortie) Baker of Roswell, N. M., doing the preaching.

Those attending family reunions over the weekend were the L. A. and Carrol Scott families attending a reunion at Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Arp and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Arp and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Neighbors, all attending a reunion at Vernon, Texas.

Guests in the Henry Culpepper home the past week were Mrs. Sam Van Zandt of Cisco, Mrs. A. J. Nelson of Post and Ellen Fox of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Kay visited relatives at Goldsmith over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Herring are moving to Midland.

A shower honoring Mr. and Mrs. Joe Arp was given in the lunch room Thursday evening, with Mrs. Doyle Moss and Mrs. B. H. Evans as hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Gunter spent the weekend at Lenal, Okla.

Ella Mae Nevells of Levelland visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Newsom last week.

School will open on Sept. 3.

Herald Want Ads Get Results.

### PLAINS SCHOOL TO START TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1; FACULTY IS COMPLETE

School bells will ring for students at Plains Tuesday, September 4, and faculty meetings are scheduled for Monday, September 3, according to G. D. Kennedy, superintendent.

The following faculty for the coming year has been announced:

Elementary: Roger Harvey, principal; Mrs. L. O. Smith, first grade; Mrs. Thelma Ellis, second grade; Mrs. Roger Harvey, second grade; Mrs. Calvin Steveson, third grade; Mrs. Dovie Moreland, fourth grade; Mrs. Myrtle Patterson, fifth grade; Miss Ella Zinn, 6, 7, 8 social study; Mrs. Grace Wolfenberger, 6, 7, 8 art arithmetic; Mrs. Gerald Anderson, 6, 7, 8 language arts; Mrs. Hazle Lackey, music, art.

High school: Wayne Coffman, principal; A. C. Watson, math; Miss Josephine Verden, home economics; Wallace Randolph, agriculture; Glenn Dale Reynolds, band; Mrs. Billy Goad, English and girls' physical education; Billy C. Goad, commercial bookkeeping; Calvin Steveson, coach; Gerald Anderson, senior English, speech, assistant coach.

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### WELLMAN SCHOOL

J. T. Bryant, Supt.

Vacation time for the children of Wellman School District will soon be over. Registration for all students will be held on Tuesday, August 28th, beginning at 8:30 a. m. The buses will run on that day for the children who will register and take them home at 12 noon. School will be on a full day schedule Wednesday, August 29th, on which day the student council will be in charge of our first assembly at 8:45 a. m. Lunches will be served on this day at the new price of \$5.00 per month, paid in advance.

Teachers for the 1951-52 year are: High school—Ira C. Brackett, principal; Charles H. Jackson, English; B. H. Baldwin, history and assistant coach; Homer E. Jones, vocational agriculture; Miss Willie Mae Hines, vocational homemaking; W. B. Smith, coach and mathematics.

Elementary school—Lemuel R. Guest, principal and sponsor of eighth grade; Thomas George, Junior high coach and sponsor of seventh grade; Kenneth Wall,

sixth grade; Mrs. Juanita Lyon, fifth grade; Mrs. Geneva Bryant, fourth grade; Miss Nora Mae Kerby, third grade; Mrs. Pauline Wall, second grade and music; Mrs. Juanita Lanious, first grade; Mrs. Lorena Jackson, first grade; Mrs. Burleson will be the visiting teacher.

Mr. Guest, the new elementary principal, who is getting his Master's degree in elementary education from East Texas State Teachers College, Sunday, Aug. 19th, is coming here from Hermleigh, Texas, where he taught last year.

Mr. George, the new Junior high coach, holds both the Bachelor and Master's degree from Texas Tech and taught last year at Ralls.

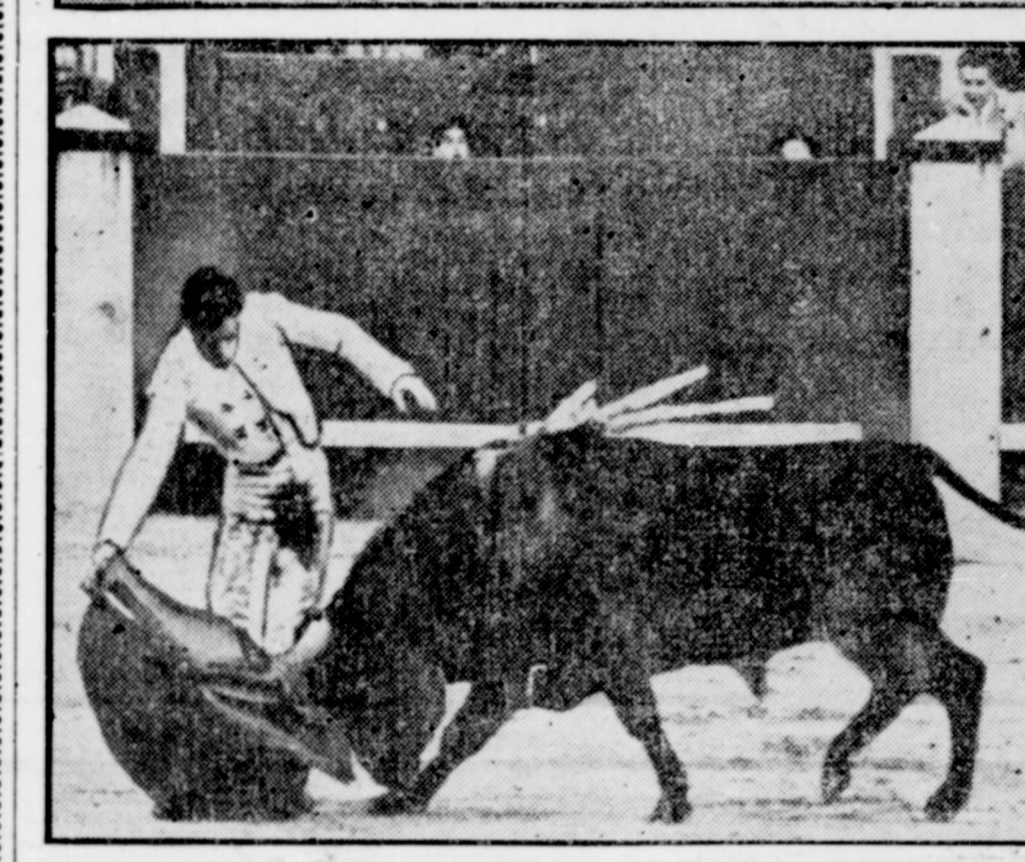
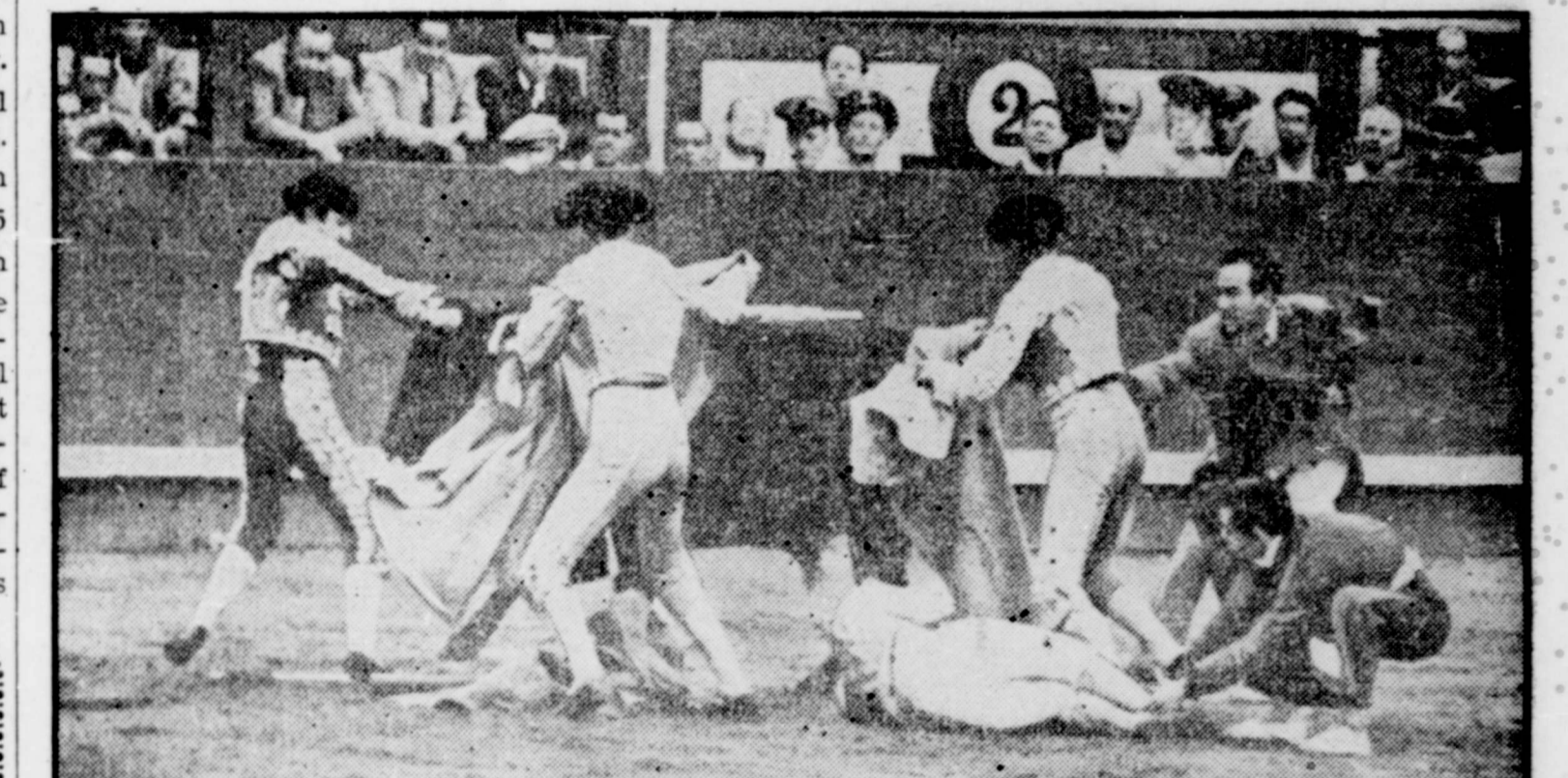
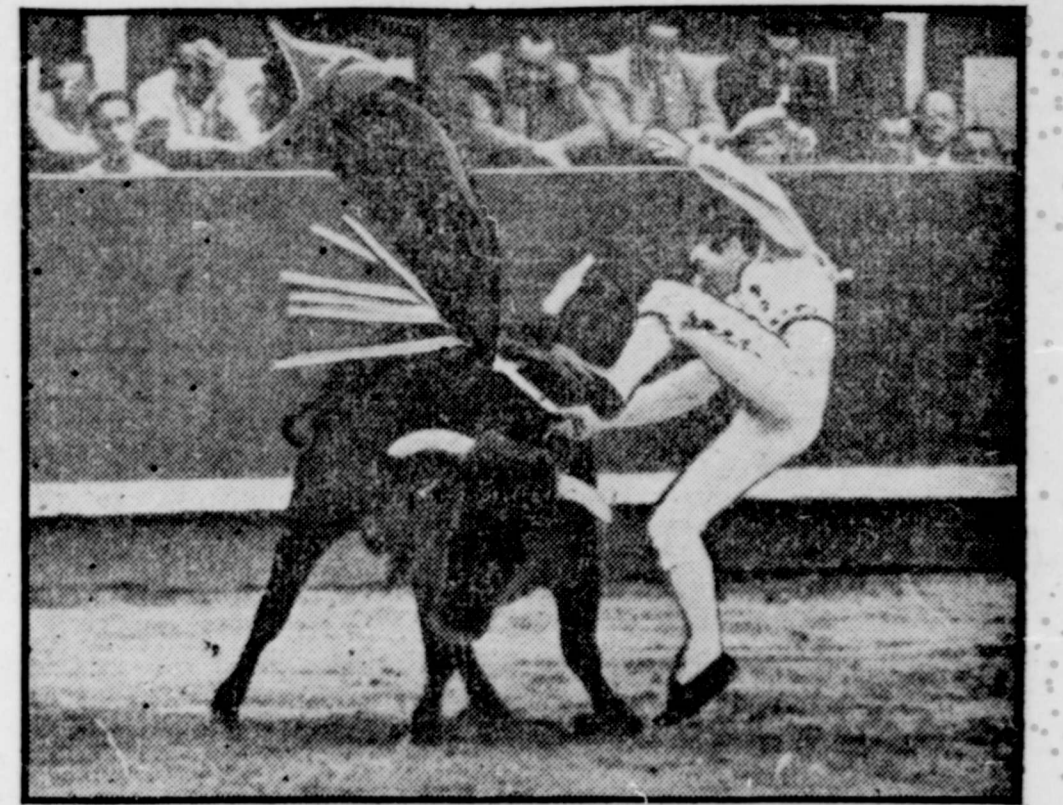
Miss Kerby comes here from Loop where she taught last year.

The first football practice will begin at 2 p. m. on August 27th.

Our school feels honored in being chosen as one of the 15 schools in Texas through which the Kellogg Foundation will make a cooperative study in educational administration. Our school will be on display for the next three years before the investigators from the University of Texas, Texas Tech, and the combined findings will be made public to the whole United States educational leaders.

### TENSE DRAMA OF LIFE AND DEATH IN OLD SPAIN

The shadow of death or serious injury hovers constantly over the bullring where man pits his skill with cape and sword against the sharp-horned, deadly brutes of the arena. But bullfighters are of a hardy breed and most always come out the winner in their battles with el toro, as shown in this series of pictures. In top photo, the Spanish matador Martorell, performing in the Plaza Del Toros, Madrid, Spain, has his cape



torn from his grasp as he is gored and tossed into the air by a wounded and enraged bull. In center photo, assistants—one of whom has the bull by the horns, another who has the beast by the tail—attempt to distract the raging animal while one of their number drags the wounded bull-fighter from under the animal's massive body. In lower picture, Martorell, moments later, still covered with his own blood, makes a graceful pass at the charging beast which he later dispatched along with others assigned to him for the day. Not until his task was completed would he allow himself to be given medical attention.

### Crusade For Freedom Fight Communism

Texas Crusade for Freedom Chairman Lieut. General Preston A. Weathered today announced goals of the 1951 statewide drive to quench the fire of Communist lies.

Quotas of 862,500 signatures and \$120,900 were set for Texas. Texans will be asked to sign pledges to "combat Communism and send more messages of truth and hope to millions trapped behind the Iron Curtain" to show their hatred of Red aggression.

Messages to enslaved people

will go via Radio Free Europe, a network of radio stations placed along Soviet borders operated by the Crusade for Freedom. RFE is not hampered by government restriction.

"The effectiveness of these stations in hurting the Reds is proved by them trying to blackmail us off the air," General Weathered said. "They have paid us two great compliments—protesting violently and trying to imitate our programs."

He said the freedom stations spike lies of the Kremlin, name traitors and Bolshevik collaborators by name and expose plots created by the Communist aggressors. They pull no punches, he

added. Contributions to the 1951 drive will expand the freedom network in Europe and establish a similar operation in Asia to thwart Red propaganda in the Far East.

The 137 chapters of the Texas Junior Chamber of Commerce will spark the crusade in every section of the state. Jaycees adopted it as a statewide project. Many other organizations have pledged active support.

The freedom drive is a nationwide program. It was originated by Generals Lucius D. Clay and Dwight D. Eisenhower.

The Crusade for Freedom will open Labor Day and run the entire month of September.

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## Society, Church & Club News

MARGARET BANDY COWARD, SOCIETY EDITOR

### Miss Winston Weds Calvin Steveson



MRS. CALVIN STEVESON

In a beautiful and impressive ceremony read Sunday at four o'clock in the afternoon at Crescent Hill Church of Christ, Miss Glenna Fae Winston became the bride of George Calvin Steveson. Carl Spain, head of Texas Tech Church of Christ Bible chair, read the double ring ceremony before an altar banked with arrangements of orchid gladioli and flanked with lighted orchid tapers in candelabra with a background of tropical foliage.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Homer Winston, 307 West Broadway, and the late Judge Winston. Mr. Steveson is the son of A. G. Steveson of Odessa.

The Lubbock Broadway Church of Christ chorus, directed by Horace Coffman, sang "I Love Thee," "Through The Years," and "Because," preceding the ceremony. They also offered the traditional wedding march.

Given in marriage by her brother, Johnny Winston, the bride wore a gown of white Chantilly type lace over satin with fitted bodice with long sleeves. The original was made by her mother. A yoke of illusion was set onto the dress by scallops outlined with seed pearls and rhinestones. A full ballerina skirt extended from the fitted bodice. Her Juliet cap of satin was covered with lace, dotted with rhinestones. From this fell a fingertip veil of bridal illusion. Her bouquet was of white roses dotted with stephanotis and lilly of the valley surrounded with orchid net.

For something old she wore her father's Royal Arch Masonic emblem pinned to her slip, next to her heart. For something borrowed and blue she wore a blue garter belonging to Mrs. Craig Lewis of Fort Smith, Ark.

Mrs. Harley Starnes of Brownfield was matron of honor, and bridesmaids were Misses Jo Ann Tilley and Hazel Verron of Lubbock, and Miss Jean Findley of Meadow. Linda Henshaw of Midland, niece of the groom, was flower girl.

Matron of honor wore a ballerina length dress of purple crepe, fashioned with a bodice neckline outlined with scallops. The fitted bodice was attached to the skirt with scallops. She carried a crescent shaped bouquet of orchid gladioli.

Bridesmaids wore identical dresses to the matron of honor, made of orchid taffeta and wore face veils of orchid net. They carried orchid net fans decorated with purple astors.

Candlelighters were Betty

Knight and Carlene Russell of Brownfield high school, and was graduated from Texas Tech in 1950, where she was a member of Theta Sigma Phi and Forum. She was a Tech Sun Princess, was in Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities, Who's Who on the Campus, and was head girl cheerleader two years. She was Brownfield's first Harvest Queen in 1947.

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### ATTEND WEDDING IN LUBBOCK SATURDAY

Mrs. J. A. Guest and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Dickson and daughter, Jane Elizabeth, attended the wedding Saturday night of Miss Frans DeNaune Guest and Jas. William Bloodworth, which was solemnized in Parkdale Baptist Church by Rev. John T. Allen. The double ring ceremony was read before an altar flanked with candelabra and fern.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Guest of 1417 Ninth, Lubbock, and granddaughter of Mrs. J. A. Guest of Brownfield. She is a niece of Mrs. Dickson's.

Miss Dickson was at the piano for the ceremony, and she accompanied Milton Wylie who sang "Because."

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a gown of white silk organdy over taffeta fashioned with a high neckline framed with a small collar. The fitted bodice had small sleeves and self covered buttons at center front closing and terminated with a white taffeta sash typing with a large bow at center back. Her bouffant skirt was ballerina length. A shoulder length veil of illusion fell from a halo of pink rosebuds. She carried a cascade bouquet of pink roses tied with pink satin ribbon.

Mrs. Herschel A. Martin, sister of the bridegroom, was matron of honor. She wore a dress of light blue organdy fashioned similarly to that of the bride, and wore a white rose corsage.

Mr. Martin served as best man. A reception was held immediately following the ceremony in the home of Mrs. E. B. Speck, 404 Fourth, Lubbock. The reception table was centered with a pear shaped wedding cake with arrangements of pink roses and baby breath surrounding silver candelabra. Miss Nellie Ruth Bloodworth, sister of the bridegroom, and Mrs. Arthur Burnett served.

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### Newell A. Reed, Bride On Honeymoon Trip



MRS. NEWELL A. REED

Honeymooning in the State of Washington and Canada, are Mr. and Mrs. Newell A. Reed, whose marriage was an event of Saturday at 8 o'clock in the evening at the First Methodist Church, Brownfield.

The bride is the former Miss Marcille Burleson, daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Marcus Burleson of Meadow, Texas. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reed of 704 South Club, Brownfield. They exchanged double ring vows under the direction of Reverend Dallas D. Denison, pastor of the church.

Featured decorations for the

wedding setting were arrangements of white gladioli and wood-wardia fern with a background of palms, and lighted by cathedral tapers. The bridal aisle was marked with arrangements of gladioli and white satin ties, centered with candles.

A musical setting was provided by Mrs. Roy Herod, organist, of Brownfield, and Mrs. Miles Pierce, soprano, of Alpine. Mrs. Herod offered "Moonlight Sonata" (Beethoven); "Because" (Guy d'Hardelot); "Liebstraum" (Liszt); "My Wonderful One" (Whitman); "My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice" (Saint-Saens); "To The Evening Star" (Wagner); "Largo" (Handel); and "Clair de Lune" (Debussy). Mrs. Pierce sang "If I Could Tell You" (Ida-bell Firestone); "Homing" (Teresa Del Riego), and "The Lord's prayer" (Malotte).

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a traditional gown of white satin and marquisette, fashioned with sheer yoke which extended into a small sleeve finished with appliques of satin. The fitted bodice of satin joined the sheer yoke with elaborate appliques and terminated with a slender point at center front waistline. Joining this, a voluminous marquisette skirt, with satin extending yoke depth and flaring into appliques on the marquisette, swept into a chapel length train. Her finger-top veil of illusion cascaded from a cap made of rhinestones and seed pearls. She carried a bible covered with a white orchid showered with stephanotis, into which was worked a gold wedding band belonging to her maternal grandmother.

The bride wore a strand of pearls, gift from the bridegroom, and a pair of heirloom pearl earrings belonging to her mother. Mrs. J. B. Patterson of Lub-

bock, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Vida Jo Copeland of Chandler, Mrs. Wayne Patton of Abernathy, sister of the bridegroom, and Miss Norma Faye Baird of Kermit.

They wore identical full-skirted gowns of pale blue satin, fashioned with sweetheart necklines, finished with rolled collars at back. The fitted bodices had small sleeves and a point at center front waistline, accenting its smallness. From this stemmed an immense skirt with hoops emphasizing the skirt's fullness, pleated drapery converging at center front and flowing into a graceful circular fullness at the back. Head dresses were Juliet caps of matching satin, and nylon illusion. Satin gauntlets completed the costumes and the attendants carried arm bouquets of yellow gladioli and macon daisies.

J. Olin Reed of Cheyenne, Wyo., brother of the groom, served as best man. Groomsmen and ushers were Joe A. Burleson of Meadow, the bride's brother, Carl Ellis Kelly of Lubbock, Donald R. Cade of Brownfield, and J. B. Patterson of Lubbock.

The wedding was followed by a reception at the Seleta Jane Brownfield Clubhouse, where the three tiered wedding cake was served from a bride's table laid with a white organdy cloth ornamented with white gladioli and attendants bouquets. Assisting in the house party were Mesdames Dallas D. Denison, Dan T. McDonald, Ira Lee Watkins, Donald R. Cade, Louis Peeler, Leonard Chesshir and Miles Pierce.

When the couple left for their wedding trip, the bride wore a navy suit complimented with navy suede shoes and bag and a navy felt hat, trimmed in rhinestones. After the trip, the Reeds will be

at home at 702 East Lous, Brownfield.

The bride is a graduate of Texas Technological College, and is a member of Delta Kappa Gamma. She has done Master's work at Juilliard School of Music, New York City, Fred Waring's Choral Workshop, Shawnee-on-the-Delaware, Pennsylvania, and Trinity University, San Antonio. For the past four years she has been choral director in Kermit high school, and last October came to Brownfield at choir director and secretary of the First Methodist Church.

Mr. Reed is a graduate of Texas Technological College, where he was a member of Delta Sigma Pi, Phi Eta Sigma and Kemas Social Fraternity. He was listed in the publication, "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities" for two consecutive years. The groom served in the Army Ground Forces for three years during World War II.

He is associated with the Brownfield State Bank & Trust Co., as assistant vice-president, and with the Brownfield Savings and Loan Association as secretary-treasurer.

### ATTEND FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne (Red) Smith went to Abilene Wednesday of last week, where they attended funeral services for Gene Bradshaw, 84, who was killed in a traffic accident near Ranger. Bradshaw, who was a personal friend of Smith's, was former past president of the Abilene Jaycees, and former regional vice-president of Jaycees.

Mrs. John Cloud and son, Johnny, and Tommy Hord and Mrs. W. L. Bandy went to Possett Kingdom Dam Friday for several days fishing.

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What the HECK is the matter with you? I got your card telling me my time is out, but I did think you would give me time to go to the bank and borrow two bucks to send for the "Headache" another year!

I have been taking your old paper a year and it did start out with some pretty good news but most of the issues have had no oil news or "dry" news. I want a paper that tells of a new big discovery in every issue—the closer to my farm two miles east of Seagraves the better.

I am sending you two bucks to try you another year. If you don't run some good oil news in that time I am done with you. What's the use to have a paper that don't say what you want it to say? However, on the other

hand I make you this proposition: If within the year you publish in your sheet that a 40,000 barrel well of 50 percent gravity oil has been brought in on my farm I will give you a LIFE subscription—your life or mine which ever terminates the sooner—provided your statement is verified by my bank statement through which the pipeline company sends my royalty.

Well, my dear friend, I think of you often, and wonder why two old men have to be in so big a hurry that they don't have more time to visit than we did when I was there close. I wonder why we took to each other anyway unless it was our common interest in one good man. V. E. Hargett was a true character whom any man should be proud to call a friend. When I held his funeral service I said something to this effect: "If a man proved himself unworthy of his confidence he did not seek trouble but simply gave such man a big 'letting-alone.'" Hargett was too big a man to quarrel. He simply attended to his own business and ignored the ignoble soul. Bless-

ings on his memory!  
I enjoy the Herald and always read every thing the "Old He" has to say, and a remarkably big percentage of it is good. Sometimes I differ with you but that is to be expected. "Great minds run in the same channel" but sometimes the channel forks out.

The other day I went in to see Wess Izzard—the News-Globe editor—to discuss the mess we are in. He quoted OLD TACK as saying, "If the Democrats nominate Truman and the Republicans nominate Bob Taft—God help us!" When I asked how that could be prevented he said, "Our only hope is to get the little men in EVERY PRECINCT convention to go and send men to the county convention, who, in turn, will send men to the state convention who will send men to the national convention instructed to NEVER vote for Truman." He says our only hope lies in the precinct conventions. I wouldn't object to Truman if he knew where he wanted to go; how to get there; and was not afraid to start.

Good luck, old boy, and God

### PERSONAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stanton and daughter, Trishia, are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Woodard from Austin. They are staying at the Deluxe Motor Inn, and are relatives to the Jess Woodards and others here. Miss Stanton visited the Woodard's in Austin during the summer. Stanton is publisher of the Socorro Chief-ton, in Socorro, N. M.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Pounds Sunday were their daughter, Mrs. Voris Myatt, and Mr. Myatt, and their granddaughter and great-grandson, Mrs. Max Myatt and Michael, all of Lubbock. Mrs. Max Myatt's husband is a 2nd Class Petty Officer in the Navy, stationed at San Diego.

bless you. I do appreciate you a lot—and to save my life I don't know why!

Truly yours,  
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P. S.—Don't you want me to run a line-o-type for you?

### Gen. Hodges Vice-Chairman USO

General Courtney Hicks Hodges who took a leading role in the defeat of the Japanese in World War II, today was named vice-chairman of the Texas United Defense Fund Committee.

Announcement of the selection of the retired San Antonio officer was made by Attorney General Price Daniel, general chairman, and Ben H. Wooten, chairman of the forthcoming Texas campaign for \$700,000 for the USO.

"I know of no force which serves as a greater builder of morale among servicemen than the USO," Gen. Hodges said. "USO did a fine job in the last war and our need for it now to build morale among our men and women in uniform is greater than at any time in our history. It is also needed to stimulate the folks on the home front and to provide them a direct way of identifying themselves with our global defense efforts."

### CLUB NOTES

#### Maids and Matrons

The first meeting of the Maids and Matrons Club for 1951-52, will be held at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, September 4, at Seleta Jane Brownfield Clubhouse, and Guest Day will be observed.

A Fine Arts program will be presented, and Mrs. Ernest F. Latham is program chairman. Hostesses will be Mrs. W. F. McCracken and Mrs. F. G. White. Officers for this year are: President, Mrs. Looe Miller; first vice-president, Mrs. Ernest F. Latham; second vice-president, Mrs. F. G. White; recording secretary, Mrs. A. W. Butler; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Eunice Jones; and treasurer, Mrs. W. F. McCracken.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Palmer and sons of San Bernardino, Calif., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McCraw, and her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Parker.

## Engagement of Miss Collier Announced



MISS WANDA COLLIER

Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Collier, 503 East Buckley, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Wanda Collier, to Pfc. Jimmie Keith Wade, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Wade of Lamesa.

Miss Collier attended Abilene Christian College after her graduation from Brownfield High School and her fiancé is a graduate of Abilene Christian College where he was a member of the Frater Sodalis, social club.

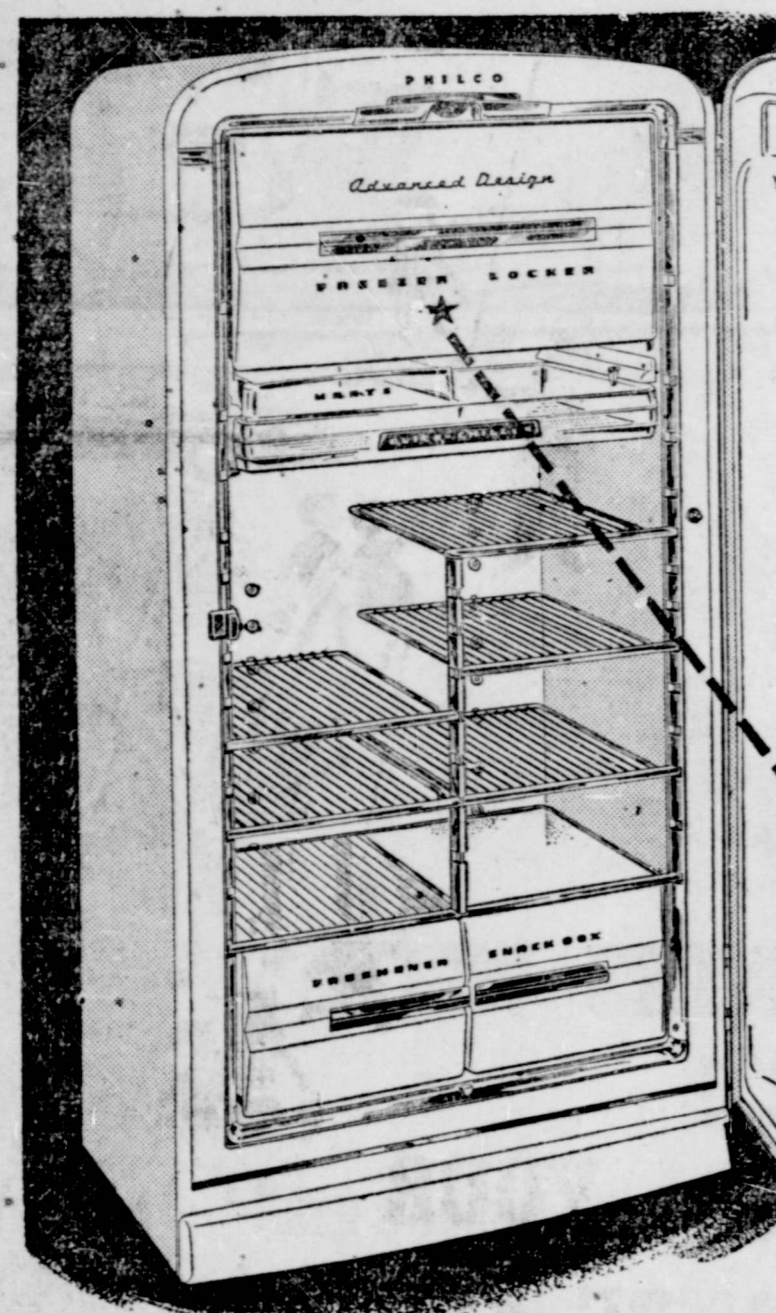
Pfc. Wade entered the Air Force on June 11th, of this year and is now stationed in Cheyenne, Wyoming.



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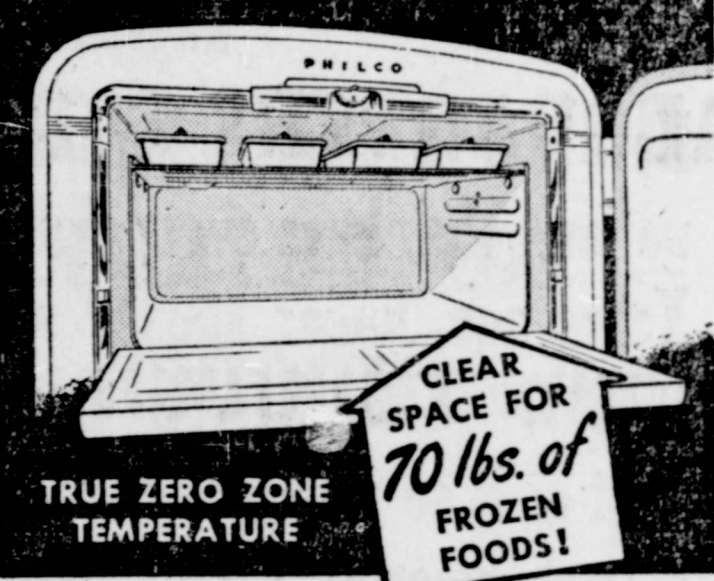
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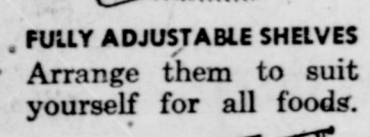


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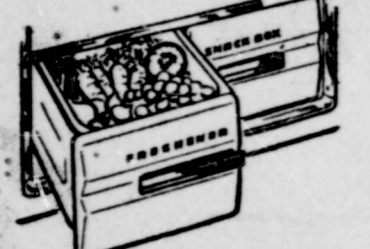
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### PERSONAL ITEMS

Willard A. Blair of Van Horn visited Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. (Mike) Blair, 407 W. Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Carpenter of Hobbs, N. M., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carpenter here last week.

E. L. Taylor of Lubbock and D. F. Ferguson of Plains were in Brownfield Thursday afternoon of last week.

Nicked Frank Jordan this week for a three year period that puts his Great Headache weekly up to May 1954.

Mrs. R. A. Johnson of Dallas is visiting in the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Goodwin, Jr., of Scotia, California, visited his father in the home of Mrs. Johnny Bowlin.

Mrs. Eula Bevel returned home last weekend after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Burnett, in Eureka, Ark.

Mrs. O. J. Clark left Monday for her home in Albuquerque, N. M., after a visit with her sister, Mrs. O. J. Jones.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Schillinger last week were Mrs. Carl May and son, David, of Lorraine.

Mr. and Mrs. V. B. Kelly of Brownfield had as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Freeman of Hobbs, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bowden of Hobbs, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Proctor of Brownfield for a supper at La Meradora Club, Hobbs, N. M.

### CARD OF THANKS

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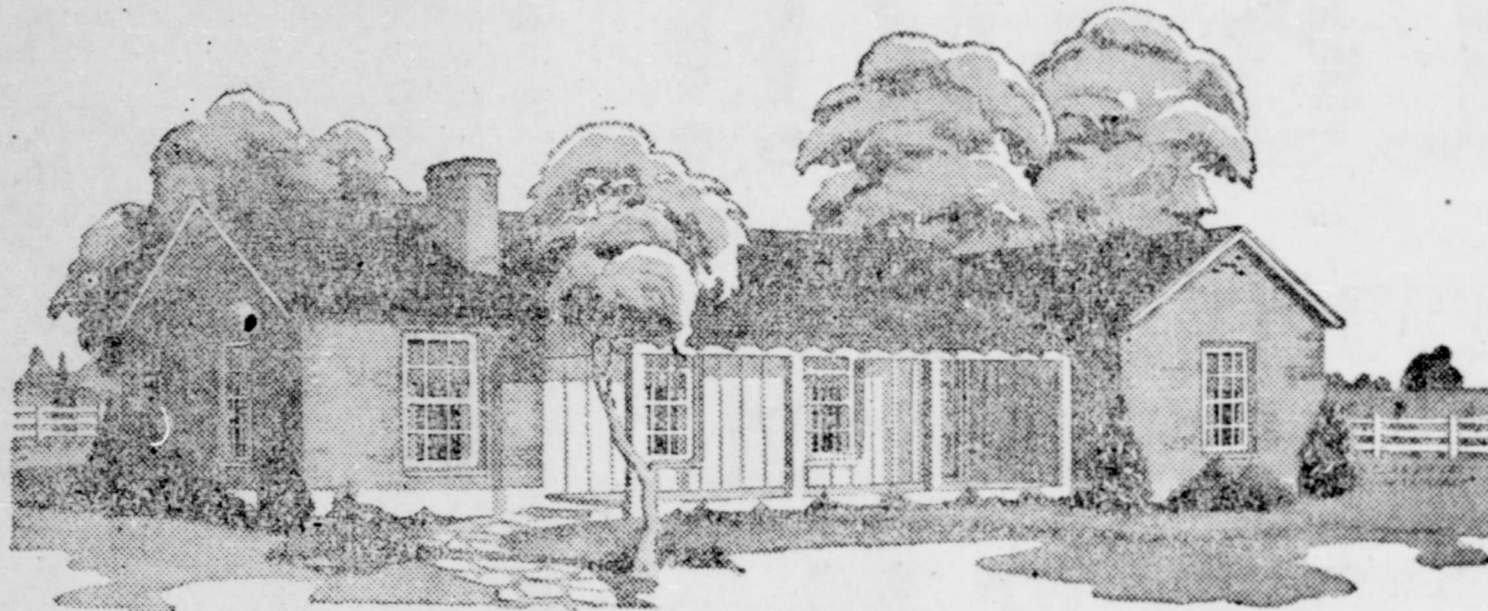
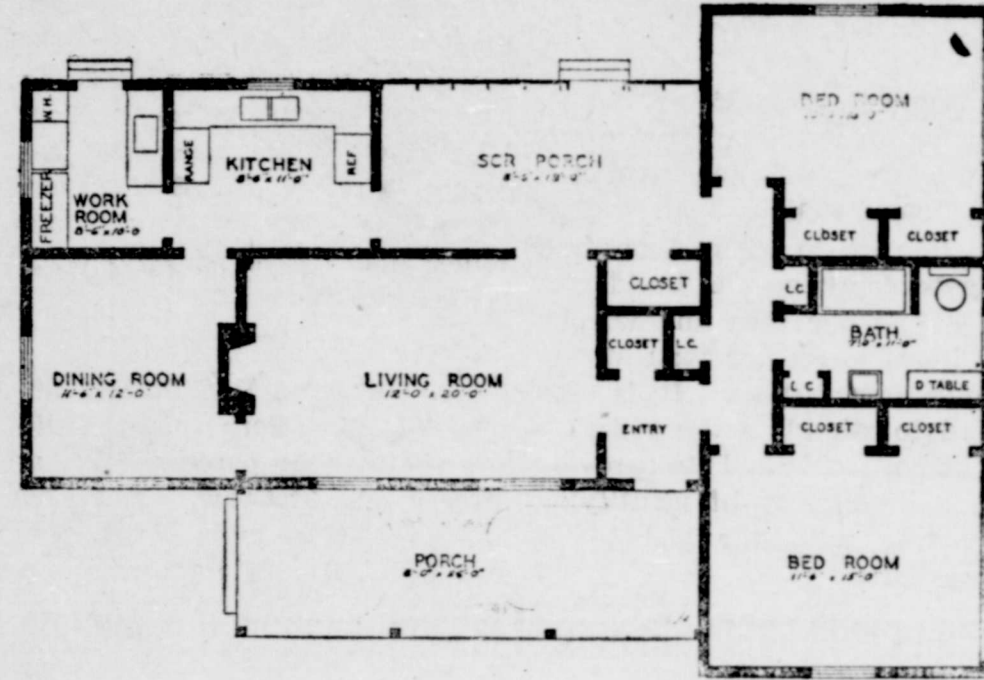
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## Watch For Vitamin A Deficiency In Stock

Present range and pasture conditions are conducive to the development of vitamin A deficiency among farm animals. The lack of green feeds, over a long period of time, may result in a condition that is characterized in the early stages by night blindness and later by a loss of energy and appetite, swelling at the joints, rapid breathing, staggering, all, convulsions, nasal discharge, watering at the eyes and complete blindness. This condition, says U. D. Thompson, assistant extension animal husbandman of Texas A. & M. College is caused by a lack of vitamin A in the animals' rations.

He points out that research work conducted by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station shows that cattle placed in the feedlot and limited to such rations as cottonseed meal, cottonseed hulls, white corn and other while grains are often affected by the condition. Following long dry periods, cattle placed in dry lots and on vitamin deficient rations may show symptoms of vitamin A deficiency in a relatively short time. Younger animals become affected sooner than the older ones.

Thompson says that calves born to cows which have been subjected to a shortage of vitamin A usually are in very poor condition at birth and unless placed on cows receiving adequate vitamin A, may die within two or three weeks.

Farm animals, he says, get most of their vitamin A requirements from carotene which is found in green range or pasture grasses and green hays. The carotene is changed to vitamin A by a process that takes place in the liver of the animal which is also the chief storehouse of both carotene and vitamin A in the body.

Both carotene and vitamin A are destroyed when exposed to air and light. The process is hastened by high temperatures, however, heat in the absence of oxygen has only a minor effect, says Thompson. Large losses of caro-

## BEST CROPS FOUND IN THIS AREA

We take the clipping below from the last issue of the Yoakum County Review, Plains. While the article did not explain just who H. F. Barnes was, or what was his position, doubtless he is an authority on cotton, and we are pleased to reproduce the following from the Review:

"There are fine prospects for a bumper crop in the west side of the county, irrigated farms. The people are rejoicing over the fact that the are but few worms. "In his rounds over this area of the South Plains, H. F. Barnes says that he has traveled 7,000 miles and has inspected many a field of cotton, in his work of reporting to the statisticians. He says that the best cotton he has seen is in Cochran, Gaines, Terry, Yoakum, Texas, and Lea county, N. M. Generally speaking the cotton is not good in many sections of the state."

tene occur during the curing of roughages, especially when they are cured in direct sunlight. The lack of green color in hays or fodder means that a large percentage of the vitamin A potency is lost. This fact emphasizes the need for preserving the color in forages at harvest time.

Thompson says that research has shown that the addition of a pound of good green alfalfa hay to the daily ration will protect the animals from a deficiency of the vitamin when they are receiving a deficient ration. The giving of codliver oil to effected animals will also correct the situation.

To guard against any occurrence of the deficiency condition, he advises watching for night blindness. If symptoms of night blindness are noted, start feeding immediately from one to two pounds of good quality, leafy green alfalfa hay per head per day in addition to the regular ration.

Thompson suggests that you ask your local county agent for a copy of C-171, "Control of Vitamin A Deficiency in Feeding Beef Cattle." The bulletin contains information that can help you avoid trouble in the feedlot as well as on the range.

## Still Time To Plant Winter Legumes

The continuing dry, hot weather over much of Texas is not conducive to getting a big acreage of fall and winter legumes planted but as the old timers say, "it has always rained." So despite the drought, farmers should be making plans now for getting the seed and fertilizers they will need for their legume plantings.

According to E. A. Miller, Extension agronomist of Texas A. & M. College, there is still lots of time for planting legumes. In

most areas of the state, the best time for fall planting is from the middle of September to November 1st and not later than November 15th.

For the High Plains and the El Paso and Pecos valleys, the principal adapted legume is alfalfa under irrigation, but the biennial sweetclovers, hairy vetch and Austrian winter peas can also be grown if irrigation is available.

Miller suggests that you check with your local county agent for information on the best legumes for your particular area as well as on fertilizing, inoculating and seeding operations.

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## FARM LABOR CONFERENCE TO BE HELD IN LUBBOCK NEXT FRIDAY, AUGUST 31

County Agent Jim Foy, Wayne Smith, secretary of the Brownfield Chamber of Commerce, R. N. McClain of the Brownfield State Bank, and Dennis Q. Lilly of First National Bank, plan to attend an important farm labor conference at Lubbock Hotel next Friday, August 31.

The following program has been announced:

Theme: "Harvesting West Texas' Largest, Most Valuable Cotton Crop."

9:00-9:30—Get Acquainted and Coffee Hour. (Courtesy Sponsors.)

9:30-9:45—Welcome and Response: "Why We Are Here." (Outline program for today, exploring situation, pooling experiences, and outline a recommended course of action.)

9:45-10:30—"Use of Mexican Nationals." Legal background of problem — explain agreement — W. B. (Bill) McFarland, USES, Farm Placement Division, Commercial Building, Dallas. "Communities' Responsibility"—Consul General, Sr. M. G. Calderon, San Antonio (Wichita Falls); Consul General Col. Raul Mechel, El Paso (Big Spring and Lubbock.)

10:30-11:10—"How We Got 'em, Kept 'em Happy and Harvested the Crop." A representative of an association or marketing group with successful experience.

11:10-11:30—"How a Blacklisted County Prepared for Mexican Nationals and Received the Help and Cooperation of the Mexican Government"—Mrs. Matt McCall, manager, Lamesa Chamber of Commerce.

11:30-12:00—"Rulings on Wages and Employment of Children of School Age"—Mr. P. D. Riley, Wage and Hour Division, Department of Labor, 1109 Burk Burnett Bldg., Ft. Worth, Texas.

12:15-1:30—Luncheon: (Dutch

Treat, \$1.25 per plate)—Honored Guests: Consul Generals and Vice Consuls of Mexico present. Speech by the Hon. John C. White, Commissioner of Agriculture, State of Texas. Subject: "Good Human Relations Mean \$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$ and Sense."

1:45-2:30—"Migratory Farm Labor Problems." A crew leader will discuss "What I Look For on a Farm for my Crew." A farmer will discuss "What I Want a Crew to do for Me."

2:30-3:00—"What We Need to Get the Job Done in a Farm Labor Field." Mr. Henry LaBlanc, Farm Labor Division, State Headquarters TEC, Brown Building, Austin, Texas. (Discussion of labor camps, local crews, sphere of action and responsibility of various agencies.)

3:00-4:00—Discussion of "Cotton Harvest Questions." Panel composed of representatives from the following groups to answer questions from the floor on questions turned in during the day: Texas Employment Commission; USES, Farm Bureau, Wage and Hour Division, Consul General of Mexico, Chambers of Commerce, and Texas Cotton Ginners' Association.

Alaska, long known as "Seward's Folly," has returned in gold, salmon, furs, lumber and other products about 200 times its purchase price.

## KANGAROOS MENACE AUSSIE SHEEP HERDS

SYDNEY.—(AP)—Thousands of kangaroos are moving in great mobs in the inland part of southeastern Australia and causing hundreds of sheep to die.

They are eating the grass and driving the sheep from water-holes. Feed is so scarce in some parts that sheep are being moved by road transport. One reporter who traveled 200 miles through grazing country along the Darling River saw hundreds of kangaroos, but few sheep. Permits to shoot kangaroos have been refused, but farmers and graziers are reported

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### Drought Conditions Threaten Texas



Drought conditions equalling any previously experienced threaten Texas, the U. S. Geological Survey says in its monthly Water Resources Review. The Guadalupe river at Spring Branch dropped 4.7 cubic feet per second in July compared with a record low of 2.2 cubic feet per second in 1939; at New Braunfels the river was the lowest since the station was established in 1928. The Nueces river below Uvalde was dry most of July, and the North Concho river in West Texas was practically dry all of July. There was insufficient runoff in the lower Brazos river for irrigation. Irrigation was curtailed on the lower Nueces river. Ground-water levels continued to decline heavily in the heavily pumped Houston and El Paso areas and in the water-table and water bearing strata of Travis county. A new July low was observed in the key artesian well near Bunn. (AP Map)

### POOL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lewis and family are visiting relatives in Wichita Falls.  
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barrier and family are visiting relatives in Big Spring.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Allen of Tahoka visited in the home of his sister, Mrs. Jim Trussell.  
Mrs. R. A. Drennon visited in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ervin Duncan. Mrs. Drennon is from Spur.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Joplin and girls, and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hartgraves visited relatives in Brownwood over the weekend.  
The 4-H Rally Day was held Monday. Twenty-one girls were present and two leaders. A talent program was given that night. There were guests from Brownfield, Slaton, Wellman and Gomez.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Terry, Wanda and Coy spent a few days with their son and family at Dalhart.  
Billy Thorton and family of Albuquerque, N. M., spent a few days with his mother, Mrs. W. E. Patton.  
Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Heaslett and family of Wasco, California, and Miss Narine Solsberry of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Solsberry and family of Hico, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Godwin and family of Gomez, all spent Sunday in the home of their brother, Thurman Solsberry.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bud Forbus and boys visited relatives in Dallas and Denton for the past few days.  
Mrs. Rob Huddleston and her two daughters, Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Rogers, have gone to California to visit her sister, who is ill.  
Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Smith and daughter of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Moore and family of Tahoka visited their sister, Mrs. Thurman Solsberry.  
The Baptist revival at Pool is to begin Sunday, August 26. Everyone is cordially invited to attend any and all services.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jody Nichols and family visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Stokes over the weekend.

**SANTA FE CARLOADINGS**  
Santa Fe carloadings for week ending August 18, 1951, were 23,467 compared with 24,418 for same week in 1950. Cars received from connections totaled 13,233 compared with 12,907 for the same week in 1950. Total cars moved were 36,700 compared with 37,325 for same week in 1950. Santa Fe handled a total of 34,288 cars in preceding week of this year.

**BRIEF-LY SPEAKING**  
If only a woman's mind was as easily made up as her face. Thank Heaven this is still a free country where a man can do as his wife pleases. Success consists of getting up just one more time than you fail. —Santa Fe Magazine.

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### DRIVES INTO JAIL

POMONA, Calif.—(P)—A man walked up to the desk sergeant in the police station and said: "Please lock me up, officer. I've got an urge to run into a telephone pole."  
The sergeant explained that he couldn't oblige because there was nothing to charge him with. The man left. Fifteen minutes later came a report that a man had knocked over a lamp post at a nearby intersection with his car. This time the cops accommodated him. He was locked up on a charge of destroying city property.

der priorities, he had to buy materials in the black market. It quotes a West Coast producer as complaining, "You can get people all right, but not workers. They haven't any skills; they haven't any interest. They just stand there." This manpower problem, in all probability, will be the toughest nut to crack in the long run. It is estimated that by the end of the current year about 8,000,000 civilians will be needed in defense jobs. A very substantial part of them will have to leave work in what is considered non-essential enterprise and move into the essential industries.

However, few think that severe civilian shortages will develop, save in a few specialized lines, unless a big war comes along. The belief is that American productivity can handle the defense load and the normal civilian load at the same time. Many kinds of goods are actually in surplus supply now, as the recent price wars in New York and other cities demonstrated. Those wars were largely the consequence of excessively large inventories — consumer buying had not been as great as had been anticipated. So, when the Supreme Court knocked the Fair Trade laws on the head, dealers began unloading at prices people would pay.

At any rate, the sad fact is that war is again dominating our whole economy. Military buying is now running at the rate of \$28,000,000,000 a year. It will rise swiftly and sharply. —Industrial News Review.

### Flourine Does Not Effect Cancer Growth

Cancer does not develop any earlier in areas where the water contains a high proportion of fluorides than it does in fluoride free areas, morbidity statistics compiled by the Texas State Department of Health and the M. D. Anderson Hospital for Cancer Research in Houston show.

State Health Officer George W. Cox, in a statement flatly refuting claims by a University of Texas biochemist that fluoride in municipal drinking water might speed up the development of breast cancer, said the M. D. Anderson cancer research center, an adjunct of the University of Texas as completely supported the State Health Department's contention that fluoride additions to city water supplies does not accelerate the trend toward mammary cancer.

The state health agency has for the past two years recommended that municipalities add fluoride in the amount of one part fluoride to one million parts of water as a deterrent to tooth decay among children.

Also in support of the health department's position is the word of Dr. H. Trendly Dean, director of dental research, National Institute of Health.  
Dr. Dean says he and "Dr. Howard B. Anderson (unidentified)" have carefully evaluated the data in respect to the alleged relation of fluoride water to an accelerated rate in the development of mammary tumors, and are of the opinion that the evidence... does not warrant modification in the policy of recommending fluoridation of public drinking water supplies."

Dr. F. A. Bull, director of dental health in Wisconsin, in a letter to Dr. Cox, wrote that the Wisconsin health department has been accused of contributing to the cancer incidence for the past six years.  
"We're going ahead, despite these deterrents, with fluoridation," Dr. Bull said.  
Dr. Cox said the same bone of contention came up years ago when chlorine, now a common addition to drinking water, was first used to disinfect water supplies.

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### TO VOTE ON UNDERGROUND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT IN SEPTEMBER

The fate of a 21-county underground water conservation district will be decided by Panhandle-South Plains voters in an election tentatively set for late September.

Plans to hold the water district election are being made by five directors who head the temporary district created Aug. 9 by the State Board of Water Engineers following a hearing in Plainview.

The election date will be announced by the directors, E. C. Hatton of Lubbock, A. C. Chesher of Littlefield, Jess Osborne of Muleshoe, Tom McFarland of Hereford and Tom Bostic of Plainview. Duties of these temporary directors are confined solely to holding the election, at which West Texas citizens may approve or reject the district proposal.

The election will be conducted under the local option system, with municipalities, counties and segregated irrigation areas voting separately.

The vote of one such political subdivision cannot affect the vote of another. Under this system, a town can vote itself out of the water district while the surrounding rural area joins the district, or vice versa. The working district, when created, may thus consist of one or more counties, parts of any of the counties, or the entire area of the 10,049-square-mile reservoir.

The temporary district includes all of Lubbock, Hale, Parmer and Swisher counties and parts of Armstrong, Bailey, Briscoe, Castro, Cochran, Crosby, Deaf Smith, Dickens, Floyd, Garza, Hockley, Lamb, Lynn, Oldham, Potter, Randall and Terry counties.

### Arkansawyer Sells Out; Seeks Gold

We believe we printed the following a few years ago, but for the benefit of some who have not seen the sale as SALES went in 1848, just 103 years ago, we reprint it. Many will still wonder what the sales served for "drinks."

The following ad appeared in the Green Forest, Ark., paper on March 17, 1848. It speaks for itself:

"SALE: Having sold my farm and I am leaving for Oregon territory by ox team, will offer on March 17, 1848, all my personal property, to-wit: All ox teams except two teams — Buck, Ben, Tom and Jerry; two milk cows, one gray mare and colt, one pair oxen and yoke, two ox carts one iron plow and good mold board, 300-1000 fence rails, one 60 gallon kettle, 85 sugar troughs made of white 3-foot clabboards, 1500 ton ft., ash timber, 10 gal. maple syrup, 2 spinning wheels, 80 lbs. of mutton tallow, 1 large loom made by Jerry Wilson, 300 poles, 100 split hoops, 100 empty barrels, one 32-gal. barrel of Johnson Miller whiskey, 3 years old; 200 gallon apple brandy, one 40-gal. copper still, one dozen reep hooks, 3 cythes and cradles, one dozen pitchforks, one half interest in tan yards, .32 calibre rifle made by Ben Mills, 50 gal. soft soap, hams, bacon, and lard, 40 gal. of sorghum molasses, six head of fox hounds all soft mouthed except one.

"At the same time I will sell my Negro slaves, two men 35 and 50 years old, two boys, 12 and 18 years old, two mulatto wenches, 40 and 30 years old. Will sell all together to same party, as will not separate them.

"Terms of sale—cash in hand, or notes to draw 4 per cent interest with Bob McConnell as security.

"My home is two miles south of Versailles, on the McCouns ferry pike. Sale will begin at 9 a. m. Plenty to eat and drink."

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### Radio Disc Jockey Picks Cotton



Beads of sweat replace his usually fast quip as Ed (Boll Weevil) Keane of Harlingen, Tex., concentrates on making good his boast that he could pick a bale of cotton in a week. Skeptics in the Valley put up about \$2,000 in prizes if he can do it. Keane kept close to his schedule for two days. Then he was halted by rain without penalty. (AP Photo).

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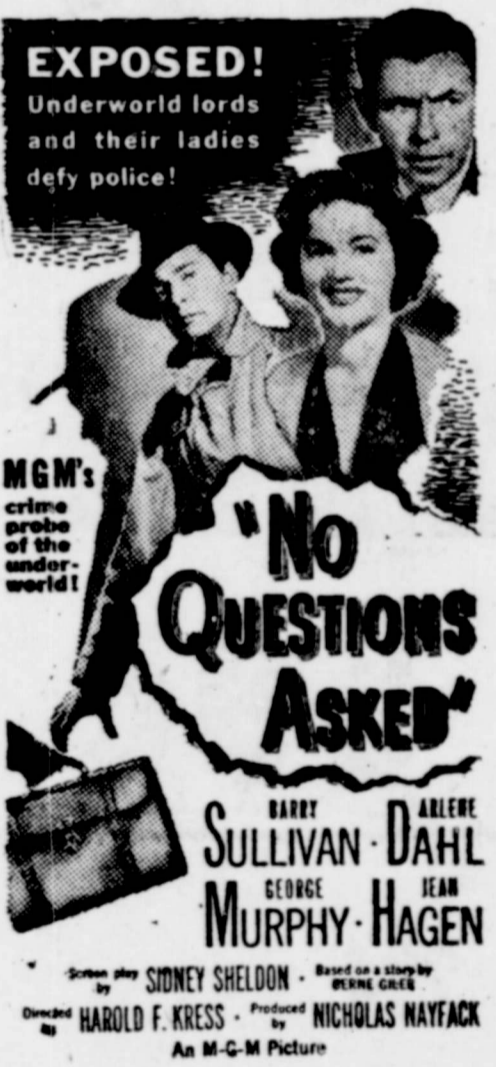
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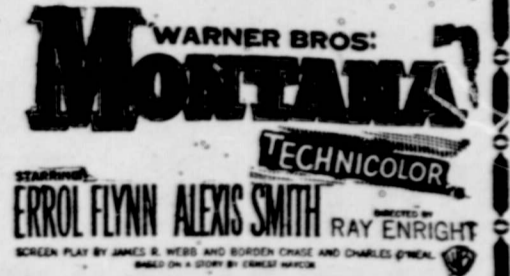


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### Stricklinly Speaking

By Old He

Well, by heck, they just want to see what fool thing we're going to say next. Sent Rev. A. A. Brian a notice recently that his time had expired, and you know what the preacher said? "Thought at first I would not renew, but I cannot afford to miss reading a single issue of the Stricklinly Speaking by 'Old He.'" He also enjoys the little personal things we have to say about our visits to Brownwood.

Rev. Brian is Vice-President and General Manager of Howard-Payne College at Brownwood, and as all who were here a few years ago, know he was for several years pastor of the First Baptist Church here. But here's a warning to Alfred A. Brian. Next time he comes to Brownfield and falls to call on us, we're going to go down to Brownwood and throw him in Pecan bayou.

But he's a Baptist, and what-ud-he care to be plunged in water. Now, if we should on the other hand threaten a like plunge of Rev. O. B. Annis, Methodist, whose tirade appears elsewhere in this here religious journal, he'd faint. Don't know just how far we'd have to carry pracher Annis to find "much water" to throw him in up Amarillo way.

Then there is J. E. Turney in this city who has failed to get his paper of late by some hook or crook. He says, "when we miss the paper it feels like some of the family are away from home." Last but not least by a jug full, comes one J. E. Michie, up at McAlester, Okla.

He took a number 10 envelope with a three cent stamp on it, and addressed it to "Texas Leading Newspaper," and wrote just

one line on his beautiful real estate letterhead: "Can you please explain why I am not getting my Terry County Herald?"

We can. Fact is, we have recently found that a goodly portion of the mailing list was in a shoddy condition, and we are working as fast as possible to get it back to normal. In the meantime chew us out if you like, but we'll do our dumbdest to get your paper straightened out as soon as possible.

Then there was Charles Leonard way out there in old California, Watsonville, that is, who enclosed a check and said guessed his paper was out as he missed the last issue. Well here she comes again, Charles. The oldesters here will remember that Charles used to carry rural mail on one of our routes.

Speaking of California reminds us that we got a birthday greeting card from sister Sallie Hime, out there at Santa Ana. Very pretty card, and all that could be expected of the nice poetry printed thereon, as well as the scenery (probably California) but she ends the matter up by writing this postscript: "Love to the best man I ever knew." Hope her hubby was not looking over her shoulder.

But that's not the first time she has written a sentence like that. So, we spoke to the Mrs. in this fashion: "Have often wondered what we, the Old He, has ever done to make that gal write that way—or is she trying to kid us?" Mrs. S. maintains Sallie means just what she says. We've got Sallie badly fooled.

Then there is the daughter, Sallie Trigg. She saw the old wreck of a hat we aimed to wear to church Sunday a. m., and brought out a new one for her birthday gift, which happened

Thursday this week. The new one didn't have a bit of dirty looking sweat in the top. Thanks!

Now for a bit of stuff that Homer Nelson pulled off. He says the incident either happened in our old state, Tennessee, or his, Arkansas — forgotten which. Anyway the native had built his home jamb up against the mountain in order to have at least two or three acres of level ground to work, and to further save space, the front of the house being several feet off the ground, he put his hog pen there- under.

Soon a health authority called to inspect the premises of the nester. After an inspection, the sanitarian announced that he "didn't believe the arrangements you have here are very healthful." Says the settler: "Wal, I've had that pig pen under my house for five years and haven't lost a hog yet."

Then there is the case of our cousin, Phillip Rogers out in east Terry. He stopped by tother day to tell us that his No. 4 in 4 years, Miss Mary Beth had been born to he and wife at a Lubbock hospital slightly after midnight last Friday the 17th, weight 8½ pounds. Our Mrs. remarked that she was quite a large child, as they generally average around 7 lbs. Yep, says Phillip, she's the largest SO FAR.

We asked if he was trying to set some kind of a record. Phillip is both good natured and quick to catch on, and gave us a big ha, ha! We don't expect Faybelle to boil over either, as she's just as good natured and appreciates a joke same as Phillip. Faybelle and the little Miss are doing well, and expected to come home early this week.

Thinking of Phillip makes us

### BEEN FISHIN'

Paul Campbell, accompanied by O. L. Beach, Hubert Rutherford and Miles Rutherford, all of Levelland, returned home last Friday night after a week's vacation and fishing trip at Lake City, Colo. Mr. and Mrs. Campbell and daughters, Charlotte Ann and Linda Sue, went to Levelland Sunday night for a fish fry at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Beach.

### TO TEACH IN ARKANSAS

Sam Chisholm, son of G. W. Chisholm, who has been teaching in Texas Tech this summer, will go to Searcy, Ark., in September to teach accounting at Harding College.

think of Tennessee. This week we got another shock from the pages of the Bolivar Bulletin, the county seat paper of Hardeman county, Tennessee. But we have had several things to come out of that paper, some of which we have mentioned heretofore, that were puzzles to us, having left there as a youth. This one is, can a town be a town and city all the same time?

In one place there was a display advertisement concerning Old Age and Survivor Insurance for city employees. This notice was signed at the conclusion of it by Mayor Malcolm Vincent and M. G. Isbell, City Clerk, CITY of Bolivar, Tennessee.

Then right on the opposite page was another advertisement concerning the collection and removal of garbage in the TOWN of Bolivar. This ad was signed by A. S. Williams, Mayor and T. S. Ransom, Recorder, TOWN of Bolivar, Tennessee. Help!

P. S.—On second reading we found the ordinance about the TOWN of Bolivar was first printed way back in 1944, and probably reprinted for the benefit of those who had forgotten. So, the town was a town back then, and of course they had a different mayor and recorder. So, all the excitement for naught.

Editor Hale finally led us into a peck of trouble with Editor Nyles Morris of the Ropes Plainsman. We bit like a sucker, attacked Morris, week before last he came back like a mad bull in a cane break. We had made out he passed a barber shop and did not see us. He didn't—wasn't expected to do so, as Morris is not the kind to stop outside a barbershop and peep in to see who's in there. But those inside looking out can readily see those passing on the sidewalk.

Then he goes on to tell his readers — glad our wife doesn't read this column — that he saw us flirting with a good looking gal about her hairdo down at the Brownfield State Bank and Trust Co., one day recently. And that we didn't see him (Morris.) Shore didn't. But that lady, Bro. Morris has known us since she was a baby, and she has actually sat in our lap many times.

She was Mrs. Gene (Thompson) Carr until recently, when she married J. C. Yeager. Gene was the very efficient Secretary at the Bank, and the daughter of people we have known since old Heck was a pup, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thompson of the Harmony community. Yep, Gene has been used to our loud mouth for 20 odd years.

Right here we enter another controversy with the Hon. Clyde Warwick of the prize winning Canyon News. Clyde started himself a column last week, as he stated that seemed to be the fashion. But at the outset he handed all us columnists an under-ripe lemon, but himself a bunch of big red, red roses, along with another guy over at Wellington.

The Old He likes to see people think something of themselves. It is a good indication, if they are not too verbal about the matter. In that issue, Editor Warwick in his column, editorially and in the news columns reminded his readers that his was a prize winning paper; that he'd been called on to judge a bunch of Arkansas weekly papers; reminded us for about the twenty-eleventh time that he was once a legislator, and that he is a director of the Canyon bank.

Like many preachers, who come to hold the revival, we don't think Warwick bore down too much in his first effort. Like he is by most of us, we didn't think his first "home run Kelly" was so hot.

As the old darkey said: "Dat man shore thinks a lot of hisself."

### MEADOW NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Fore and family of Seagraves, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fore and boys spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Fore.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Saffell and children and his mother of Lubbock were visitors in the Leon Saffell home Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer of California were visitors over the weekend with her sister, Mrs. Jesse Brooks and Mr. Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Saffell and Ted and Anita were in Hereford Monday on business.

Mrs. Kempston and Miss Ruby and Mrs. Leola Petty and daughters of Gomez, visited Mrs. Edd Peek, Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Peek and Ora Parker and Mrs. Essie Gray of Brownfield, spent Thursday in Littlefield with Mrs. Gray's son,

Alvin Gray and wife and Mrs. Peek's nephew, T. R. Collins and wife and son, Terry.

Mr. and Mrs. Winford Horton of Union spent Wednesday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Horton.

Mrs. Bob Castleberry and son Aubrey, were in Lubbock Tuesday on business.

Mrs. J. W. Carroll of Crowell, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Carroll and son, Melvin spent their vacation visiting in the home of their daughter and sister and family, Mrs. C. C. Grinland and family of Ruidosa also visited at Cloudcraft and White Sands.

Mrs. J. W. Carroll of Crowell and Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Carroll visited in Levelland Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sandlin and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Verner and Carolyn returned Saturday from several days vacation.

### CATTLE SHIPMENTS SHOW DECREASE

Texas cattle shipments decreased 46 per cent in June, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports. The cumulative total for the first six months of 1951 was 3 per cent below that for the like 1950 period.

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GILLHAM PLACES THE TERRY COUNTY COTTON YIELD AT 85,000 BALES

Generally speaking a banker is regarded as a very conservative person. So, Tuesday afternoon while at the Crownfield State bank and Trust Co., one could have almost knocked us over with a feather, when President J. O. Gillham announced with a perfectly straight face that Terry county would gather 85,000 bales of cotton this year.

The trip had taken him down in the Union community, thence west to the south Terry oil fields; north to Wellman, and then by F-M roads back to the County Experiment Farm; then to Johnson, Pool, Needmore and on to Meadow. Then home.

Those were about our figures before the rain too, and we found a farmer or two that had about the same idea of the matter. In fact one stated that he and another farmer discussed the matter recently and arrived at the conclusion that there would probably be more cotton made than then expected.

By the way, Johnny had a stalk of cotton near his desk that was from a dry land farm north of town that had twelve grown bolls and a number of forms. They tell us that blooms until September 10, will usually make a boll that will open.

HOME ACCIDENTS RUN HIGH IN THIS AREA One out of every 37 persons in the United States was disabled one or more days by injuries received in home accidents during 1950.

Home injuries totaled 4,100,000, according to the 1951 edition of "Accident Facts," the statistical yearbook of the National Safety Council, and these included 110,000 permanent impairments.

The home death toll was 27,500, of which about half resulted from falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Johnson arrived Monday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wood Johnson, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Dickson.

THREE NEW READERS, LOTS OF RENEWALS

Since our last issue, we have added Mrs. R. L. Hamm and Mike Kelley of this city, and I. Mack Wood of Waco, to our list of new readers.

The following are renewals, one year unless otherwise noted: L. L. Bechtel, city, 3 years; Matt Smith, city; South Plains Health Unit, city; Jessie G. Randal for herself and sister at Seymour; H. A. Crowder, Wellman; Mrs. W. S. Crowder, Memphis; G. Chapman, Rush Springs, Okla.; Mrs. W. T. Patton, city.

FFA Has Diversified

(Continued from Page One) five beef calves, 20 head of swine and three sheep shown at the livestock show in La Grange were the results of his projects. Other projects were poultry, corn, and dairy cattle.

At the present he is living on the farm with his father with whom he is in partnership on 10 head of bred Holstein heifers which are the embryo of a Grade A dairy they will start operating following completion of the dairy barn and after the heifers calve. In addition, Franklin has twenty acres of cotton, seven acres of corn, 20 fat pigs, three sows, one boar, 15 sheep and five beef cows which, together with his dairy investment, have an estimated value of \$3,726.

It is boys like Franklin who up successful FFA chapters. The La Grange chapter itself placed third in Texas in achievements for the past year.

Vice-presidents for the coming year are George Petrus of Harrold, Richard Atterbury of Lamesa, Ben Pendleton of Breckenridge, Alton Clement of Whitesboro, Larry Moore of Mount Pleasant, Werner Philipp of Clifton, Alvin Hancock of Timpon, Jerry Snell of Jasper, Jackie Schwab of Mercedes, Dwain Smith of Hale Center, and J. M. Auld, Jr., of Kerrville.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 8 proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas amending Article III, Section 51a, providing that the Legislature shall have the power to provide assistance to and provide for the payment of same to residents of the State of Texas who are aged persons over the age of sixty-five (65) years, or aged persons under the age of sixteen (16) years; providing for a limitation of Forty-two Million Dollars (\$42,000,000) limitation upon expenditures for such purpose and providing for a limitation of Forty-two Million Dollars (\$42,000,000) limitation upon expenditures for such purpose; prohibiting payment of assistance after disposition of property under certain conditions; providing for acceptance of financial aid from the Government of the United States for assistance; providing that the payment of such from State funds shall never exceed the payment from Federal funds; providing for the necessary election, and providing for the form of ballot, proclamation and the manner of its submission.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. The Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended, and the Legislature shall be amended so that the same shall hereafter read as follows: Section 51a. The Legislature shall have the power, by general laws to provide, subject to limitations and restrictions herein contained, and under such conditions, regulations, and restrictions as may be provided by the Legislature, to provide for the payment of assistance to:

(1) Needs aged persons who are over the age of sixty-five (65) years; provided that no such assistance shall be paid to any inmate of any State institution, while such inmate; and provided that any resident of the State, if otherwise eligible, may not be excluded from the aid hereunder for five (5) years during the nine (9) years immediately preceding the filing of the application for such assistance; and provided that any person who is continuously residing in the one (1) year immediately preceding the filing of such application, shall be eligible for such assistance; provided that the maximum payment per month from State funds shall not be more than thirty dollars (\$30) per month.

(2) Needs blind persons who are over the age of sixteen (16) years; provided that no such assistance shall be paid to any inmate of any State institution, while such inmate; and provided that any resident of the State, if otherwise eligible, may not be excluded from the aid hereunder for five (5) years during the nine (9) years immediately preceding the filing of the application for such assistance; and provided that any person who is continuously residing in the one (1) year immediately preceding the filing of such application, shall be eligible for such assistance; provided that the maximum payment per month from State funds shall not be more than thirty dollars (\$30) per month.

(3) Needs children who are under the age of sixteen (16) years; provided that no such assistance shall be paid to any inmate of any State institution, while such inmate; and provided that any resident of the State, if otherwise eligible, may not be excluded from the aid hereunder for five (5) years during the nine (9) years immediately preceding the filing of the application for such assistance; and provided that any person who is continuously residing in the one (1) year immediately preceding the filing of such application, shall be eligible for such assistance; provided that the maximum payment per month from State funds shall not be more than thirty dollars (\$30) per month.

(4) Needs children who are under the age of sixteen (16) years; provided that no such assistance shall be paid to any inmate of any State institution, while such inmate; and provided that any resident of the State, if otherwise eligible, may not be excluded from the aid hereunder for five (5) years during the nine (9) years immediately preceding the filing of the application for such assistance; and provided that any person who is continuously residing in the one (1) year immediately preceding the filing of such application, shall be eligible for such assistance; provided that the maximum payment per month from State funds shall not be more than thirty dollars (\$30) per month.

(5) Needs children who are under the age of sixteen (16) years; provided that no such assistance shall be paid to any inmate of any State institution, while such inmate; and provided that any resident of the State, if otherwise eligible, may not be excluded from the aid hereunder for five (5) years during the nine (9) years immediately preceding the filing of the application for such assistance; and provided that any person who is continuously residing in the one (1) year immediately preceding the filing of such application, shall be eligible for such assistance; provided that the maximum payment per month from State funds shall not be more than thirty dollars (\$30) per month.

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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 22 proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding to Article XVI, Section 51a, the following: and authorizing the Legislature to provide for a statewide system of retirement and disability benefits for appointive officers and employees of the several counties of this State; providing that participation therein by counties shall be voluntary, and authorized by the qualified voters of such county; providing the Legislature shall not be authorized to make any appropriation to pay any retirement or disability benefits authorized herein; and providing that administration of said system may be committed to the same body set up to administer the statewide municipal retirement system authorized under Section 51f of Article III; provided, for the purpose of this section, the publication and issuance of the proclamation therefor.

FOR THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. The Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended, and the Legislature shall be amended so that the same shall hereafter read as follows: Section 63. The Legislature shall have the authority to provide for a statewide system of retirement and disability benefits for appointive officers and employees of the counties of this State under such a plan and on such conditions as the Legislature shall determine; provided that participation therein by counties shall be voluntary and shall first be authorized by vote of the qualified voters of such county; provided further that the Legislature shall not be authorized to make an appropriation to pay any retirement or disability benefits authorized herein. Administration of such system may be committed to the same body set up to administer the statewide municipal retirement system provided for by Section 51f of Article III.

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors at an election to be held throughout the State on the second Tuesday in November, 1951, and at said election the ballots shall have printed thereon the following: FOR THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING A STATEWIDE SYSTEM FOR RETIREMENT AND DISABILITY BENEFITS FOR APPOINTIVE OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE SEVERAL COUNTIES OF THIS STATE; and AGAINST THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING A STATEWIDE SYSTEM FOR RETIREMENT AND DISABILITY BENEFITS FOR APPOINTIVE OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE SEVERAL COUNTIES OF THIS STATE.

Section 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall cause the foregoing proposed Amendment to be published in the official gazette of the State of Texas, and shall have the foregoing proposed Amendment published in the official gazette of the State of Texas, and shall have the foregoing proposed Amendment published in the official gazette of the State of Texas, and shall have the foregoing proposed Amendment published in the official gazette of the State of Texas.

Sgt. Don Beaver and Gilbert Nunn left last Wednesday a. m. for Dallas for a visit with Gilbert's sister, Mrs. Frank Chappard. Miss Jeanette Hester, cousin to Gilbert, who has been visiting here the past two weeks, accompanied them to Dallas, and returned to her home in Fairburn, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Hasey Key and son, accompanied by Mrs. Hamilton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Black of Clovis, N. M., vacationed last week in Cals, New Mexico. Cals is located north of Santa Fe.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Brownlee and daughter, Dorothy, accompanied by Miss Joan Free of Lubbock, visited in Amarillo last weekend.

On-The-Job Training Given In Distributive Education In Brownfield H. S. Again This Fall

Thomas C. Handley, newly-elected coordinator of distributive education will have a meeting of all juniors and seniors, and other interested persons, at the Brownfield high school distributive education room at 7:30 p. m., August 24, 1951.

Distributive education is a course of interest to all junior and senior students who wish to investigate careers in the field of distribution — the retail, wholesale and service vocations. Both boys and girls are eligible, and students who enroll will be placed in training in jobs in Brownfield business houses. Students may train for any of the numerous types of work in the distributive fields; stock work, selling, credit office work, personnel work, display, advertising, etc.

D. E. students will go to school in the morning and will study D. E. along with other school subjects. During the afternoons and on Saturdays, they will receive practical training, for which they will receive pay, in Brownfield business firms.

Mr. Handley finished high school at Clifton, Texas and spent four years in the military service during World War II. He is a graduate of North Texas State College with a Bachelor of Business Administration Degree. For the past year he has been teaching in the Bosque County Vocational School, Meridian, Texas.

Government Officials Aiding Back-To-School Movement

With most public schools opening next month, officials of the U. S. Department of Labor are turning their attention to the labor and employment of young citizens, particularly those under 16.

Despite the national crisis, they want boys and girls to continue their education because prominent figures everywhere contend that good schooling makes a happier adult, a better wage earner, a finer citizen, and, if necessary, a more efficient soldier.

P. D. Riley, supervisor of the Wage-Hour and Public Contracts Divisions of the U. S. Department of Labor here, points out that Federal laws prohibiting child labor now apply in all states to all children under 16 years of age employed on farms producing crops for interstate commerce (other than their parents' farm) when school is in session.

Local resident alien children are covered by the law, he said. Neither may be employed in agriculture during school hours if they are under 16.

By "school hours" is meant the hours when school is in session for the district where the child under 16 is currently living, he explained. The law, amended by Congress in 1949, gives children in agriculture its full protection during school hours if the crop is for interstate commerce.

Officials figures show that more than three million teen-agers held summer jobs this year. In the past, two-thirds of those employed in the summer continued to work full or part-time during the school year. They didn't go back to school.

"When the school bell rings in September this year, we want as many as possible of those children to be back in school and not to be employed illegally on farms or in factories," he said.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to our friends for the many deeds of kindness rendered during our hours of sorrow in the death of our son, grandson and nephew, Charles Duaine (Chuck) McCollum—Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McCollum and family, son and brother; Mr. and Mrs. L. E. McCollum and family, Snyder; and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ross and family, cousin.

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