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Poage Writes On Cotton Prices

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Waco, Texas
September 6, 1939

Honorable C. E. Alvis
Gatesville, Texas
Dear Sir:

With further reference to our conversation of this morning, I am glad to advise that there is no immediate justification for the apparent panic that you describe among cotton producers.

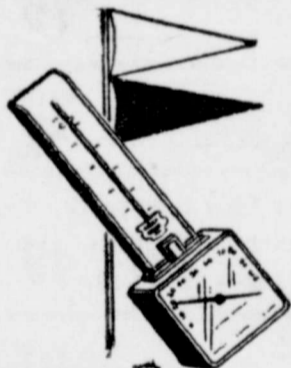
I realize that at the beginning of the war in 1914 the price of cotton did drop very materially and remained low for several years. It is also true that present war conditions are quite likely to still further reduce the foreign takings of cotton for some time to come.

Congress has, however, made provision for such a crisis in the cotton market through the Commodity Credit Corporation. The Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 carries a provision in Sub Chapter 2, Section 1302 of Title 7, U. S. Code, which provides for the making of loans on spot cotton when the average spot price on the ten markets designated by the Secretary of seven eighths middling cotton is below 52 per centum of the parity price of cotton. This means that when the price of cotton drops on the designated spot markets below about 8.30 cents per pound that Commodity Credit Corporation will begin to make loans equal to 52% of parity or approximately 8.30 cents per pound.

The Commodity Credit Corporation has made cotton loans for several years as well as loans on wheat, corn and other commodities. The resources of the Commodity Credit Corporation were almost exhausted but the last session of Congress, on August 5th, passed an appropriation bill, H. R. 7462, which provided \$119,000,000.00 for additional capital for the Commodity Credit Corporation. This should take care of all of the reasonable demands that are made on the Corporation for commodity loans this Fall.

The recent increase in the price

The Weather



Barometer reading 30.10
Temperature (inside) 92
Rain 00
Forecast: fair and warmer.

Markets

(As of Sept. 7)

Wheat	70c
Wool	18-20c
Corn, ear	50c
Corn, shelled	60c
Mohair	38-48c
Cottonseed, ton	\$15
Cream, No 1	18c
Cream, No. 2	16c
Oats, sacked	32c
Oats, loose	30c
Eggs, white infertile	16c
Eggs, No. 1 candled	14c
Eggs, No. 2	8c
Hens, light	8c
Hens, heavy	10c
Fryers	12c

War Map of Europe



The above map shows nations involved in the present European struggle, with the military, naval and air strength of each of the contestants. England's navy of 2,079,863 tons is considerably greater than the combined navies of Germany and Italy, which total 541,023 tons and 717,920 tons, respectively. France's navy totals 815,531 tons, larger than that of either of the dictator nations.

of wheat has made it unlikely that any of this money will be used for wheat loans. Some of it will doubtless be used for corn loans, but the great bulk of it will be available for cotton loans and should the price of cotton drop much further the Commodity Credit Corporation will begin making loans. So, there is no necessity for any of our farmers sacrificing their cotton crop at this time.

I do not want to be understood as suggesting that our farmers are safe in planting excessively large crops next year with the idea of disposing of it at profitable prices. There is grave danger that farmers may, relying upon a war demand which is not at all certain to materialize, plant a larger crop than may be disposed of next year. I simply want to make it plain that so far as cotton that is now being picked is concerned, there is no reason for sacrificing it. The government loan will be effective if the price drops.

I, therefore, suggest that you urge all farmers not to let their cotton go at a price lower than the loan value. You are at liberty to make this communication public.

Thanking you for your interest in this important matter, and with best wishes, I am

Yours very sincerely,
W. R. Poage,
Member of Congress
11th Texas District.

P. S. You will understand that "parity" price fluctuates and that the figure "8.30" will probably not remain stationary but will change with the change in parity price.

W.R.P.

Rev. Bayless To Attend Meeting

Edward S. Bayless, local minister, and a Ruling Elder from each Presbyterian Church in the County will leave Tuesday for Waco to attend the fall meeting of Central Texas Presbytery. Several important matters are expected to be brought to the attention of Presbytery, including General Assembly's plans for special effort this year on evangelism. Sessions will likely be held thru Wednesday night.

Oglesby Schools Open Monday

Oglesby Public Schools open Monday, 11th, according to news received from Superintendent C. D. Boyer. New teachers for the school are Truett Shults, principal and coach, Clarence W. Powell, commercial work, and assistant in athletics; Mrs. Loreen Keller, home economics; Miss Frances Hackler and Miss Rowena Scott in the elementary school.

All pupils will assemble in the auditorium Monday morning at 9 o'clock for a brief opening exercise, after which they will be assigned to their rooms and classes to receive books and assignments for regular school work on Tuesday. Beginning Tuesday, school work will begin actual working, starting at 9 a. m. and closing at 3:45 p. m.

County Board To Meet Monday

County Superintendent W. D. Stockburger, announced yesterday morning the County School Board will meet Monday morning, September 11, in the court house, to iron out school matters.

All bus driver's bonds and contracts should be in for approval on Monday.

DeVaney Holds Revival, Union

Everyone in and around Tabernacle Baptist Church, Union Community are invited to attend services this week end, Friday and Saturday night, Rev. Harry DeVaney conducting the services.

Song service will begin at 8 and the preaching service at 8:30. E. E. Autry of the Friendship church invites those that will, attend church there Sunday for both services.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Johnson and Mrs. Till Walker of Denton, who have been visiting here, left Tuesday for Corpus Christi, where they joined Mr. and Mrs. Lewellyn Walker of McAllen.

Fellowship Hour Baptist Church

On Tuesday evening at eight o'clock on the lawn of the First Baptist Church will be given an "All-Church" fellowship social. All the families of the church and their immediate family relatives of other churches are cordially urged to be present for this occasion, which shall provide entertainment and good fellowship for the youngest and the oldest members alike. Large and interested committees are busy planning all the details. Come!

More Parities To Farmers, Here

Four hundred ninety-five checks amounting to \$21,307.31 have been received in the AAA office since Friday's issue of the News.

This brings the grand total to 1490 checks, and total amount to \$51,807.38.

Mrs. Rufus McKinney and daughter, Jeffery Ann, left Wednesday for their home in Dennison after a delightful visit with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bates.

Leonard Derden of Houston has returned to his home in Houston after having visited his sister, Mrs. A. L. Chollar. Edwin Derden of Houston is a guest in the Chollar home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McDaniel of Houston were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Brown Wednesday. Mrs. McDaniel is the former Miss Helen Bentley.

Mrs. W. A. Melton and Mrs. Doris Melton spent a few days in Tyler last week with Miss Margaret Melton, who is in school there.

Miss Betty Jo Stewart returned the first of the week from Hamilton, where she had been a guest of her grandfather, Mayor P. T. Lemmons, and her aunt, Miss Bertha Lemmons.

Guests of Mrs. Rosser Sanders and Mrs. Kermit Jones Thursday were Mrs. H. V. Aderhold and daughter, Miss Angeline Aderhold, of Waco. Miss Margaret Ann Jones returned home with them for a visit.



Canada's in now, they say.

Have you heard of any Jews raring to get in to "get" Hitler?

Britain's war on Notsies goes Economic.

U. S. sets up force for sea patrol. 1918 destroyers are taken out of "bone yard".

Swiss report first Notsie Pill Boxes Fall and Notsies are re-treating.

Tommies arrive in France to support French as wounded French are brought to former American hospital near Paris.

If we make a mistake in this column, we just got the "wrong propoganda."

U. S. declares neutrality and stops war shipments; also searches ships using Panama Canal and adds defenses.

Prices of farm products advance as well as "groceries".

S. S. Washington, American liner, has rescued 33 members of the British freighter Olive Grove, torpedoed off the Spanish coast 200 miles yesterday afternoon.

BERLIN, 4:20 yesterday: Germany is 20 miles of Warsaw. Still nothing from Western Front. Notsies say British sank Athenia. Peace, after Poland, Berlin says, and wants. No air raid alarms.

LONDON, 4:25: Darkness has added to it, "no noise". Gibraltar has first air raid warning. Maginot line is 200 feet under, hospitals, trains, electric kitchens. Pneumatic tubes carry shells to guns. Off duty, men play cards, knit, tell stories, rest and sleep.

PARIS, 4:30 French Communiqué says Germans bringing up fresh troops for the Limes (German) Line. Committees of French Cabinet formed to study commercial, social and international problems.

Italian peace proposal is being ignored—at least, it is not being taken up. England reported to be determined to fight to the finish.

Proposal (unofficial) to evacuate the Rhineland where the French big guns are, in the region opposite Strasbourg, France.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Dyess and daughter, Linda Gale, of Austin were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hollingsworth Wednesday.

Jack Hestilow, who is attending Texas University at Austin, is spending a few days with friends and relatives in this city.

HOSPITAL NOTES



Patients in the Hospital: Mrs. Rosser Sanders and baby daughter.

Miss Annie Lee Kiger
Mrs. Floyd Latham

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NOTICE: Any erroneous reflection upon the character or standing of any person or firm appearing in its columns will be gladly and promptly corrected upon calling the the attention of the management to the article in question.

JIMMIE HULL AND COMPANY HERE THREE DAYS BEGINNING MONDAY

The advance department of the Jimmie Hull Stage Show was very busy the early part of this week, advertising their coming to Gatesville for three days engagement, beginning Monday, September 11.

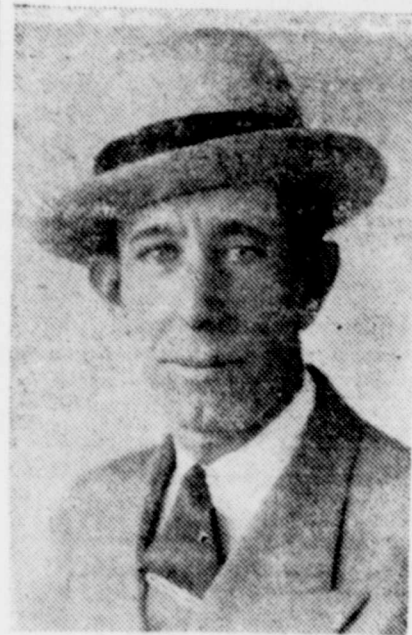


JIMMIE HULL

Walter Rourk, business agent for the company, stated that he was very proud to obtain the cooperation of the firemen in presenting their show here. It was further stated by Mr. Rourk that this city and vicinity have a real treat in store. The show, he said, is carrying twenty people this season, including two of America's foremost tent show comedians, with H. B. Warner, leading man,

and little Miss Tiny Patton, the personality girl, as leading lady.

The program will be changed nightly. The tent is new and large and will accommodate almost 1,000 people. Nothing has been left undone that will add to the comfort of patrons. The tent is beautiful and the chairs have beautiful



SKINNIE KIMLING

backings of orange while the stage settings are carefully attended so as to create an ensemble of beauty, blending with perfect harmony and comfort.

On opening night "The Question of Marriage" will be presented in three acts.

Curtain rises at 8:15.

LONG ILLNESS IS FATAL TO MRS. PAUL KINDLER

Funeral services for Mrs. Paul Kindler, age 71, who passed away Monday, September 4, at 1:30 p. m. after an illness of about four years, were held Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the German Lutheran Church at Copperas Cove.

Mrs. Kindler, the former Miss Bertha Haedge, was born October 14, 1867 in Nelsonville, Texas in Austin County. She was married to Paul Kindler in November 1891, and to this union were born four children, all of whom survive.

Mrs. Kindler, a member of the German Lutheran Church, had lived near Copperas Cove the past 43 years. She moved there after she and Mr. Kindler were married.

Surviving are three sons, Albert, Walter, and Edwin Kindler, of Copperas Cove; one daughter, Mrs. Leo Frase, of Copperas Cove; five grandchildren; four brothers and two sisters.



BOBBIE METCALF

Pearl

Mrs. H. C. Pogue, Cors.

Miss Ona Jones was hostess to the Pleasure and Profit Club last Thursday. Eleven members spent the afternoon quilting after which delicious refreshments were served. Next meeting will be with Mrs. H. C. Pogue. All members are urged to be present and bring visitors or prospective members with you.

Mrs. Clara Self and daughter, Kenneth, left last week to spend the winter with her son, Lloyd, in Kermit, Oklahoma, where Kenneth will attend school. They will be missed in the community.

Misses Cora King and Mary Beth Clifton of Austin were guests in the Leo Brown home last Sunday.

The Whitt families met in Cherokee for their Annual Reunion Sunday. A large attendance and lots to eat was reported.

Mattie Frances Strange from Dallas was calling on her kin the Edmondson families last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Blackstock and nineteen children and grandchildren called on Mrs. H. C. Pogue Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taylor of Dallas visited her sister, Mrs. Armo Hedgepeth, Sunday.

Miss Merle Jones, an employee of Montgomery Ward at Houston, spent her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jones.

Mrs. Fred Robinson and daughters, Fredonia and Jo Ann, spent last week in Waco guests of her sister, Mrs. Ola Parrett.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Shook from Canyon visited the Shooks here last Tuesday.

Mrs. Toral Oney accompanied her sister, Mrs. Betty Oney, to Mountainair, N. Mexico recently returning Tuesday.

The Tom Harper and Dan Manning families from Port Arthur visited relatives here recently.

Mrs. Lee Franks Bailey returned to her home in Fort Worth Sunday after visiting relatives and girlhood friends.

Pawnee Cox, student nurse in King-Daughters Hospital in Temple, has returned after spending her vacation here with her mother Mrs. F. B. Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Arnold were Dallas visitors early this week.

Joe and Claire Jaworski of Houston have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Ward during the past week.

Clarence King and wife of Denton visited with his mother, Mrs. W. W. King and family of Plainview community Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. George Robinson and daughter, Caroline, and Miss Elsie Morgan of Ranger are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wiegand.

Mrs. Arthur Schloeman, Mrs. Sanders Dowty, and Mrs. E. C. Lay attended the Study Leaders meeting at the municipal club house in Waco Tuesday. It was a meeting of the Waco district W. M.S.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

The State of Texas
County of Coryell.

To those indebted to, or holding claims against the Estate of G. A. Vandiver, Dec'd No. 2031.

The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the Estate of G. A. Vandiver, Deceased, late of Coryell County, Texas, by Floyd Zeigler, Judge of the County Court of said County on the 22nd day of August 1939, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to her within the time prescribed by law at her residence 7 miles East of Gatesville, Texas, in Coryell County, she receiving her mail addressed to herself at Gatesville, R.F.D. 1, Given this 23rd day of August, 1939.

Administratrix of the Estate of G. A. Vandiver, Deceased.
Mrs. Maggie Jones,
71-73-75-77

LEAIRD'S Dept. Store

SEPTEMBER



Thousands of September values are assembled at attractive low prices. Schools will be open next week and every little boy and girl will have to have both school clothes and school supplies. Shop at Leaird's tomorrow and all next week.

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Heavy Mattress 14^c

Tick, in several attractive patterns 14^c

\$1.00 Wine of Cardui, 79^c

Hundreds of drugs at saving prices 79^c

9-Foot Cotton Sacks, 79^c

Special, made of good duck 79^c

Boys' Hickory Stripe Coverall. For this low price, we have never seen a garment that is more generously cut than these. Full range of sizes to 8 yrs. 49^c

Fine Broadcloth, regular 12¹/₂c yard. Complete assortment solid colors 10^c

Large Bath Towels in pastel and border patterns 10^c

Aluminum Perculators. This week we received a large shipment of 1 quart size perculators, Special 39^c

Double Blankets, Extra large 70x80 size. In a large assortment of patterns. Regular \$1.19, special 98^c

Soap Sale, Saturday Only, Lux, Palmolive, Lifebuoy, Camay, each cake 5^c

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Levita

Mrs. P. H. Permenter, Corresp.

Still having hot dry weather. The farmers are getting out their cotton in a hurry, but there isn't going to be a large crop. It will be very short.

Rev. G. L. Derrick filled his regular appointment Sunday and brought the people a good message both morning and evening.

Mrs. Mattie and Ethel Rogers were in Gatesville Mon. visiting Ethel's aunt, Mrs. Frank Mayhew, who is very ill. They also did some shopping while there.

Mrs. Kate Permenter spent the day with Mrs. Jocie Ditton. She is some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Webb and children were visitors in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Webb, Sunday and Monday. They returned to Ranger Tuesday morning.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Rogers and Permenter Tuesday evening were Mrs. Mary Fields, Mrs. S. A. Dickie, Mrs. Ethel Rogers, and Mrs. Louise Watts of Ater, and Mrs. Earlean Manning and son, Charles, of Fort Worth.

Mr. Ceave Lauder milk is not doing so well. He is confined to the bed most of the time.

There will be preaching at the Methodist Church Sunday evening at 4 o'clock. Everyone is invited to come, and bring someone with you.

Mound

Mrs. E. T. Lightsey, Correspondent

Hellen Davidson spent the week end with Pauline Martin of Gatesville.

The Misses Jo Ann Brown and Sara Harwell of Dallas are here visiting their aunts, Mesdames J. Q. and H. A. Davidson.

Mrs. Ted Mayberry and children of Gatesville spent the week end here with relatives.

Mrs. H. M. Fellers and Miss Ima spent Monday night with Mrs. Ted Mayberry of Gatesville.

Miss Vera Sams of Gatesville visited relatives here the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Draper visited his mother, Mrs. George I. Draper, Sunday.

Mr. J. A. Childers spent the

NEWS!

ANNOUNCE-O-GRAM

BARGAINS

Painter's Sta. 158P To Everybody

OVER 4500 EIGHT PAGE CIRCULARS MAILED TO THE HOMES IN CORYELL COUNTY THIS WEEK, TELLING YOU OF THE SAVINGS WE HAVE FOR YOU IN EVERY DEPARTMENT. OVER \$30,000 IN NEW FALL MERCHANDISE NOW OPEN AND READY FOR YOUR INSPECTION, IT WAS BOUGHT AT THE SEASON'S LOWEST PRICES AND OUR ADVICE IS FOR YOU TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF IT WHILE THE STOCK IS COMPLETE. IF YOU DID NOT GET ONE OF THESE 8-PAGE CIRCULARS, CALL 301 AND WE'LL RUSH SAME TO YOU.

Painter's

COMPARE - YOU'LL BUY HERE AND SAVE

week end with his folks here.

Mrs. C. A. Mayberry and daughters of Bay City were here a short time the past week.

Mrs. George I. Draper visited relatives in Oglesby the past week. Work will be finished on our school building soon, and it will be something to be proud of.

Mrs. Sam Whigham and son of Flat spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. H. M. Fellers.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Dixon Sr. attended church at Little Flock Sunday.

Maple

Mrs. R. M. Phillips, Corresp.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Gotcher of Rock Springs visited in the homes of their mothers, Mrs. L. A. Gotcher and Mrs. A. M. Patter, last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brookshire of Gatesville visited in the J. L. Brookshire home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Seward and daughter, Rae, of Purlmela called

in the R. M. Phillips home Sunday morning.

Rev. and Mrs. John Childers of Waco spent Saturday night with Mrs. L. A. Gotcher and family.

Mrs. Arvil Barnes and children of Killeen visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bass recently.

Miss Naomi Shults returned home last Wednesday from San Angelo where she had been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Levy and children of Killeen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. David Paul of Copperas Cove visited Sunday in the W. L. Paul home, and all attended church at Little Flock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray King of Killeen spent Sunday in the J. R. Stevenson home.

Master Jack Norris Beasley was carried to Temple last Thursday for examination. We hope his condition is soon improved.

with Mr. and Mrs. Bern Conner of Bee House.

The M.W.M.W. Club of this community met Saturday night and entertained the community with a play entitled "Fun On the Podunk Limited", and served the crowd with cookies and lemonade.

LOCAL FIREMEN

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Peabody

Janese Upton, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Murrah are the proud parents of a small son, Charles Danell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Murrah and Katie and Mrs. Edara Ballard of Bee House, Mrs. George Manning of Pearl, Cleo Reece of Izora, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rhodes and boys, and Orvellee and Nona Upton of Harmon, and Mrs. John Upton and daughters of Izora were recent visitors of Loraine and Danell Murrah in the Ira Upton home.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Little of Purlmela spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Self.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Lawrence of Pearl and Mr. and Mrs. Floy Cooper and children of the Mountain are visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Chambers.

Mr. David Guthrie of Dallas visited Mrs. Andy Guthrie recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Groves of Waco were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Carroll over the week end.

Mrs. Jim Smith attended the bridal shower of Miss Beatrice Lovell at Bee House Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Whatley and family visited relatives in Moshem Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Werna Hammock and child of Port Arthur visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hammock recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Moseley and family took Sunday dinner

Society

Morris Federation Has Re-Assembly

Meeting in the home of the president, Mrs. W. C. Guggolz, last Saturday afternoon, members of the Morris Federation were informed of the programs for the coming year, 1939-40. The program committee outlined the new year book, and the programs for the year were discussed.

During the social hour, the new members were welcomed.

V. O. Wrights Entertain With 84 Party

Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Wright entertained with an 84 party last Saturday evening at their home in the White Hall community to compliment the new teacher, N. L. Douglass, and his wife. Mr. Douglass will replace L. A. Holmes in the White Hall school.

Refreshments consisted of iced punch, cookies, and pop corn, and were served to the following members of the Club; Messrs. and Mesdames A. B. Graham, Fred Schloeman, A. D. Chesnut, the honorees, the host and hostess.

Bridge Club Members Are Joint Hostesses

Six members of the Friday Nite Bridge Club, Misses Bess Holmes, Mary Oldham, Jewel Witcher, Leah Dale Franks, Thelma McGilvray, and Mrs. Bailey Curry,

acted as joint-hostesses when they entertained other members of the club with a treasure hunt Tuesday evening. The group met at 7:30 o'clock at the C. H. McGilvray home on Fennimore street, where they received instructions pertaining to the hunt.

Misses Minnie Lou Witt and Ruth Yongue were the winners of the treasure, which was hidden in the Raby Park. After all the guests arrived at the park, delicious refreshments were served.

Those attending were: Misses Louise Hall, Vera Sams, Bess Faris, Zela Faris, Lois Grantham, Doris McGilvray, Minnie Lou Witt Ruth and Aurora Yongue, Mamie Sue Halbrook, Maude Alyce Painter, Neva Parsons, Ann Hill, and Mrs. Ola Mae Parks, and the hostesses.

Open House Held At Roy Flemmings Home

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Flemmings, who have just completed their new home in the White Hall community, entertained their friends Saturday evening when they held open house. Members of the White Hall Club and their families composed the house party for the affair.

Games of 84 and 42 formed the diversion for the older folks, and the young folks were entertained on the beautiful lawn with various games. Later in the evening music was furnished by Mr. James and Roy Lee Maxwell and was greatly enjoyed by all.

Beautiful red roses and ferns decorated the home throughout. Delicious ice cream and cookies were served.

Those sharing the courtesy with Mr. and Mrs. Flemmings were: Mr. and Mrs. John D. Moore and children, Dorothy Nell and Jerry Bob; Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Hardie and Marcie; Mr. and Mrs. Iland Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Flemmings, and children, Floyd, Alvin, and Florence; Mrs. Oscar Jones, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Crawford and sons Kirby, Eugene, and Irvin; Weldon Jones, Mr. J. C. Taylor and children, Darnie Lee, Oleta, and Loraine; Doris Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maxwell and children, James, and Ray Lee; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McCarver and family, J. L., Peggy Sue, and Glendel Earl; Mrs. Will Leonard and Stanley, all of White Hall; Mrs. Eula Gunn of Dallas; Mr. Lee Roy Baker of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Jones and sons, Billy Joe and Dean of Waco; and Mr. Curtis Vernon of Waco.

Baptist S. S. Class Has Business Meeting, Social

Members of the Young Matron's Sunday School Class were entertained Tuesday evening when they met in the assembly room of the First Baptist Church for a business meeting and social with the teacher, Mrs. Dan E. Graves, acting as hostess.

The president, Mrs. Cyril Hudson, presided at the business meeting at which time each officer

gave her report; this concluded the church year.

Refreshments consisting of sandwiches, cake squares and punch, were served at the conclusion of the business session. The lace laid table was centered with a bowl of rosebuds placed on a reflector, and serving were Mrs.

John Hodges and Mrs. Ernest Bauman.

Approximately 25 members and a few additional guests attended.

—REPAIR Sewing Machines also have a few good used machines to sell here for a couple of weeks. Carl Rutledge. Cottage Hotel, Gatesville. 75-4tp

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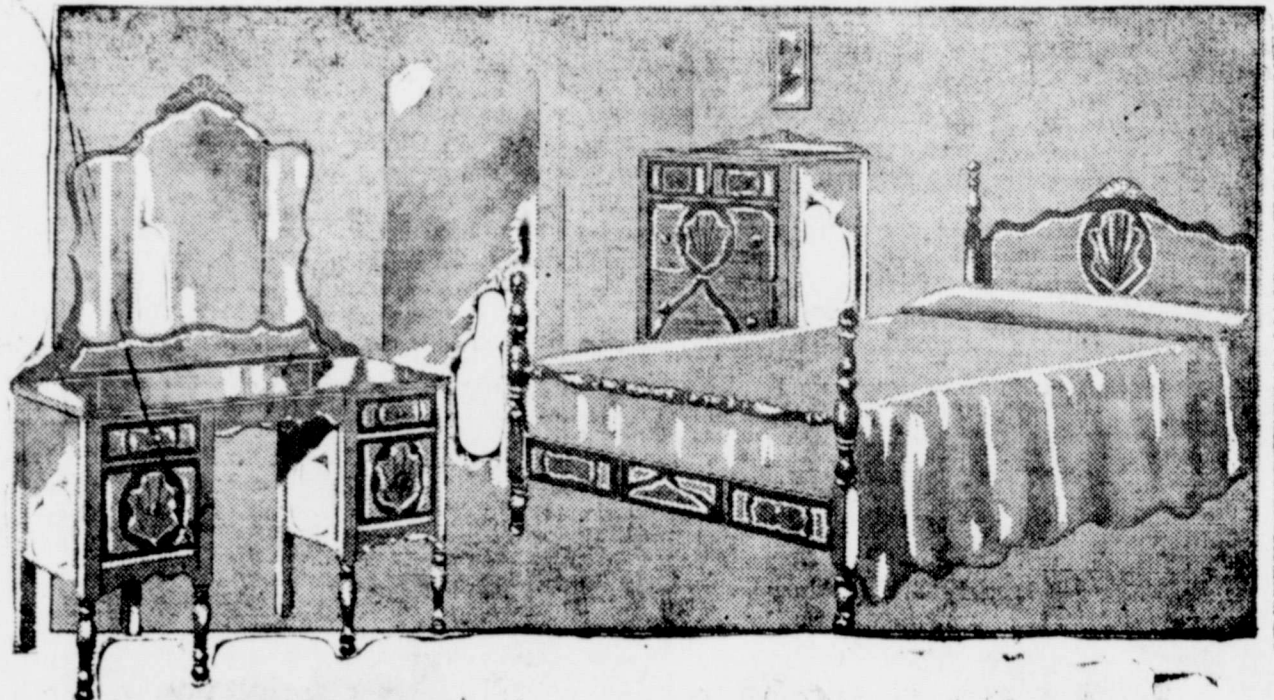
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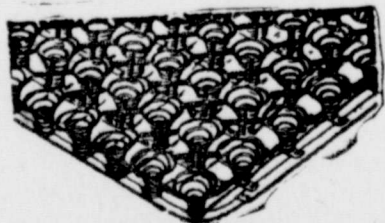
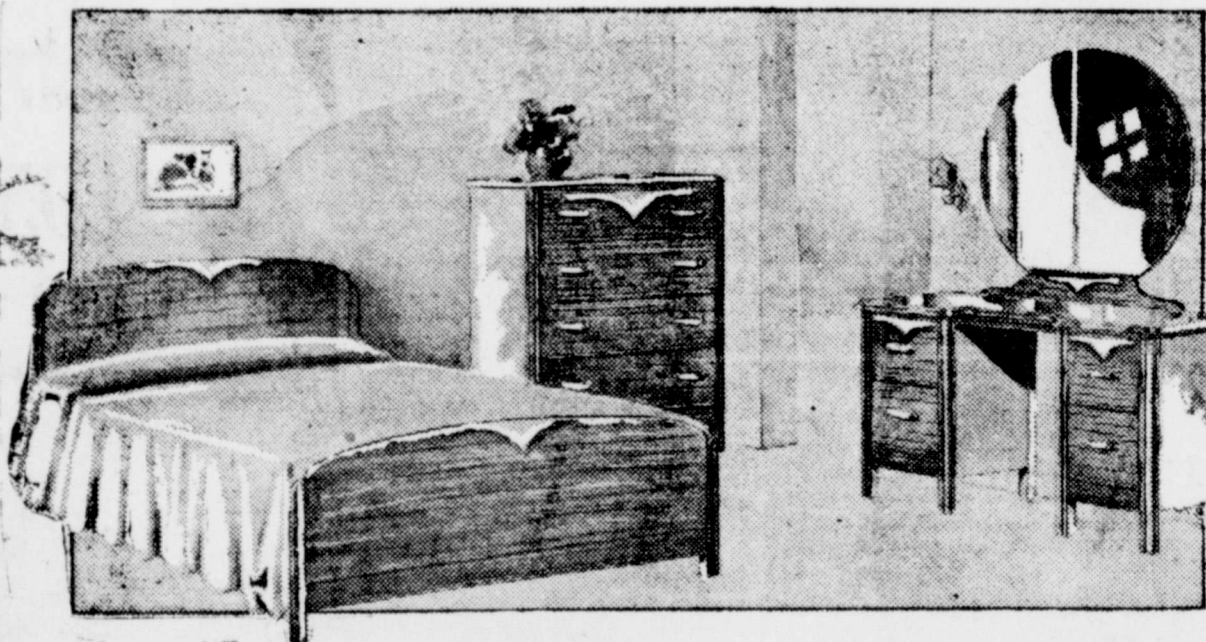
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Weaver-Sellner Nuptials Performed in Waco

Miss Freida Weaver, daughter of Walter Weaver of this city, became the bride of Ed Sellner of College Station Saturday evening, September 2, at 6 o'clock at the Austin Avenue Methodist Church in Waco.

The bride wore a lovely blue suit with black accessories, and carried an arm bouquet of pink carnations.

Mrs. Sellner graduated from Gatesville High School in 1933, and was employed by Robert Brown in

this city for several years. For the past few months, she has been employed in the Farm Security office in Meridian, where she will continue to work. Mr. Sellner is an instructor in Texas A. and M. College.

The couple left immediately after the ceremony for a short honeymoon trip.

Two Showers Honor Recent Bride

Wednesday afternoon, August 23, Mrs. G. C. Voss entertained with a miscellaneous shower for

Mrs. E. W. Krempin Jr., the former Miss Lilly Maye Wiegand.

Many beautiful and useful gifts were received by the bride. Delicious cake and punch were served to the following: Mesdames Charlie Wiegand, A. E. Whisenhunt, George Wiegand, Charlie Beall, Ed Necessary, J. W. Mayberry, C. Curry, Henry Wiegand W. D. Newton, Carl Goodwin, Joseph Krempin, and Misses Minnie Krempin, Mary Elizabeth Newton, Arna Mae Davis, Rosalie Koch, Leona Faris, Hermione Whisenhunt, Azalea Whisenhunt, Ethel Wiegand, Inez Davis, Sophia Voss, Frances Koch, Pauline Voss, Avadell Wiegand, and the honoree.

On Friday evening, August 25, the members of the Home Demonstration Club at Topsey were hostesses at a delightful social and shower honoring Mrs. Krempin.

Delicious ice cream was served to approximately 125 guests. The couple received many beautiful and useful gifts.

Personals

Pat Holt saw the Dream Game in Dallas Monday night.

Mrs. H. B. Davis and daughter, Jerry, were business visitors in Waco Tuesday.

Mesdames Raby Richardson, E. C. Lay, and Travis Laxson were Waco visitors Thursday.

Miss Martha Jean Pattillo of Denton is a guest of friends and relatives in this city.

Jack Gray of San Pedro, California has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gray in this city.

Miss Margaret Dixon will leave Monday for Bellville, where she will teach school the coming year.

Mack Shelton, Editor of "The Daily Texan" at State University was a guest of friends here Wednesday.

Mrs. R. J. Murrell visited Mrs. Emma Shipman, who is ill, in Waco Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Everett and daughter, Nannie Sue, spent Wednesday at Lake Waco fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Berry and children have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Pat Olsen.

Horace K. Jackson of Gatesville, accompanied by H. Burks of Comanche, were in Abilene Wednesday on Highway 36 business.

Miss Aurora Yongue, who has been making her home in Brownwood this summer, returned to her home here the past week end.

SPORT SCRAPS
By JONES

Now, with baseball, softball, and golf salted away for the winter, there's two more top sports to "chatter" about, namely: Bowling and football, with boxing to come up later.

Nothing so far is happening in football, except the boys are being conditioned by Coach Earle Worley, and, as yet, many of the boys outside the city limits are not yet working out, and will not till school opens.

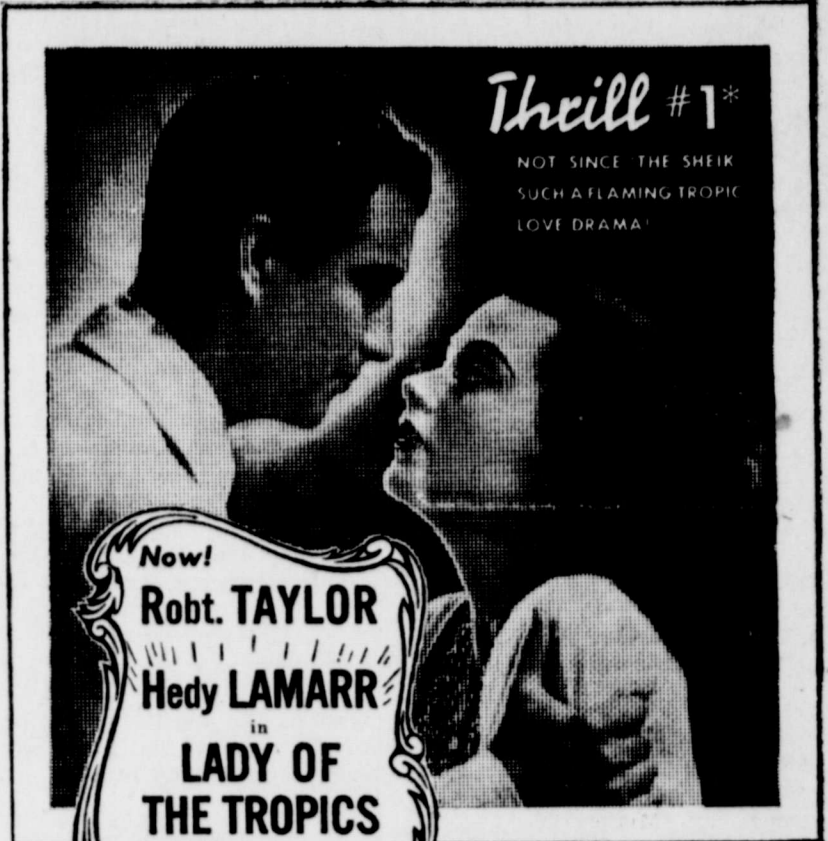
Then it must be bowling to take the lead at this time, and Lieut. Faulk has just informed us there is one league already organized, and more due. The first, the "Monday Night" league composed of four teams sponsored by Martin's Cleaners, Double-Cola, Coca-Cola and The Gatesville Messenger. Others, probably a "dry-goods" league, a "grocery" league, or even possible, a "doctor's" league or "Banker's" league, not to mention the possibility of a Ladies' League.

Now, high score, so far this week is Gayle Sasse's 223, which might be broken by Saturday nite, when the contest ends weekly. This gives the individual bowlers "10 lines," FREE!

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Since our sports writer "dropped everything" we can't name the All-County Baseball team, or Soft Ball team, as we don't know the players well enough. So, as badly as we'd like to, we'll have to pass this up. Maybe the manager's of the two sports could fill in on this with their pickings. That would probably be better, and we'd adopt it for News selections.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

"The Church at War" is the subject for the morning sermon at the First Presbyterian Church.

The text, Matthew 10:34, is the verse which gave title to a current best seller "Not Peace, But a Sword".

Vesper sermon will be on "Second Mile Folks." The pastor will preach both morning and evening.

Program for the day and week follow:

- Sunday School, 9:45.
- Morning Worship, 11:00.
- Vesper Worship, 5:00.
- Boy Scouts, Monday at 7:30.
- Woman's Auxiliary, Tuesday at 4:00 in the home of Mrs. J. P. Kendrick.
- Mid-week worship, Wednesday at 8:00.

PRAIRIE VIEW SERVICES

There will be regular worship at the Prairie View Community Church Sunday night at eight o'clock. The pastor will preach.



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SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 12

(NOTE:—This is an actual presentation of the resolution below. This controversial measure has been a bombshell in Texas politics and affairs since its first appearance in the Legislature this year. We are presenting it in full, so that you may know the various provisions of this resolution.

SECTION 1

That article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas is hereby amended by adding thereto a section to be known as "Section 51-E," as follows:

SECTION 51-E

The Legislature shall provide for the collection of the taxes levied by this Section of the Constitution and the revenue derived therefrom shall be used by it and for the purpose of financing the following governmental functions, viz:

Old Age Assistance as authorized by the provisions of Section 51-B of Article 3 of this Constitution.

For Assistance of needy individuals who are blind, as authorized in Section 51-C of Article 3 of this Constitution.

For Assistance of Destitute Children, as authorized in Section 51-D of Article 3 of this Constitution.

For the payment of the State's contribution to the Teacher's Retirement Fund as authorized by Section 48-A of Article 3 of this constitution.

SECTION 2

In order to provide the revenues for the purpose set out in this Amendment, taxes to be known and designated as Social Security Taxes are hereby levied upon transactions, services, activities and natural resources as follows:

Upon every retail sales transaction of tangible personal property in this state the tax shall be (1c) one cent upon each Fifty (50c) cents or fractional part thereof of the sale price.

Upon every sale in this State of electric energy, and gas (natural or artificial) by private utilities, municipalities and governmental agencies, except on sales for industrial purposes, the tax shall be One (1c) Cent on each Fifty (50c) cents, or fractional part thereof of the sale price.

Upon all sales of service to telephone subscribers for the transmission of messages and conversations, both local and long distance, and upon the sale, rental or leasing of all equipment or services pertaining or incidental thereto in this State the tax shall be One (1c) Cent for each Fifty (50c) cents or fractional part, thereof of the sale price.

SECTION 3

The taxes levied under Subscribers (1) to (3) inclusive shall be collected from the purchaser by the seller, provided that the seller may, at his option, refrain

from collecting the tax on sales of twenty-five (25c) cents or less but in such case, seller shall pay the tax to the Comptroller as herein provided; and, except as herein otherwise exempted on or before the 10th day of each month every such seller shall compute the amount of his total cash gross receipts for the preceding month from all transactions described in Subsection (1) to (3) inclusive and in settlement of the taxes thereon he shall pay to the Comptroller of this State two (2%) per cent on the amount of such suitable laws to enforce the collection of all taxes levied in the Amendment.

SECTION 4

Each person who owns, controls manages, leases or operates, any sulphur mine, or mines, well or shafts, or who produces sulphur by any method system, or manner within this State shall pay a severance tax of Twenty-Five Cents per long ton, or fraction thereof, of all sulphur so produced within this State.

SECTION 5

A severance tax equivalent to three-fourth (¾) of one (1%) per cent of the market value of the total amount of gas produced and saved within this State is hereby levied.

SECTION 6

There is hereby levied a severance tax on all oil produced within the State of three-fourth (¾) cent per barrel of forty-two (42) standard gallons, said tax shall be computed upon the total barrels of oil produced or salvaged from the earth or waters of this State without any deductions; provided, however, that the severance tax herein levied on oil shall be three-fourths (¾) of (1%) per cent of the market value of the said oil whenever the market value thereof is in excess of one (\$1) Dollar per barrel of forty-two (42) standard gallons.

SECTION 7

Severance tax herein imposed shall be paid to the Comptroller of this State; said taxes shall be the liability of the producer and such taxes shall be borne ratably by all interested parties including royalty owners. The Legislature shall enact laws prescribing the method of reporting and collecting all severance taxes and may require the purchaser of oil, gas and sulphur to deduct the tax on all oil, gas and sulphur purchased and pay same to the Comptroller of this State. Until the Legislature shall otherwise provide, the provisions of the existing law providing for an occupation tax, the records to be kept and records to be made in regard thereto, and all other administrative provisions of said law, insofar as they may be given application consistent herewith, shall apply and be followed in the enforcement and collection of the severance taxes herein levied.

All of the revenue accruing to the State from the taxes herein levied shall be collected by the Comptroller of this State and paid to the Treasurer of this State and the Treasurer shall set up his office a special fund which shall be known as "The Social Security Fund" and he shall credit to this fund all money received from the Comptroller of this State from the taxes herein levied. Out of the revenue accruing to said fund the Legislature may appropriate for the fiscal year beginning September 1, 1939, and for each fiscal year thereafter not to exceed One Million Five Hundred Thousand (\$1,500,000) Dollars annually to finance Assistance for Destitute Children as provided for in Section 51-D of Article 3 of the Constitution of this State; not to exceed Five Hundred Thousand (\$500,000) Dollars per annum for the purpose of providing assistance to the Needy Blind as provided for in Section 51C Article 3 of the Constitution of this State; not to exceed Two Million Five Hundred Thousand (\$2,500,000) Dollars per annum to supply the State's contribution to the Teacher's Retirement Fund as provided in Section 48A of Article 3 of the Constitution of this State, provided that in addition to meeting current obligations to the Teacher Retirement Fund beginning September 1, 1942,

and annually thereafter during the succeeding five (5) year such amounts as will be necessary to bring this fund in balance not later than September 1, 1947. After meeting out of the "Social Security Fund" each year the appropriations herein authorized for Dependent Children, Needy Blind and Teacher Retirement, all of the remainder of such funds or such much thereof as may be necessary shall be used for the purpose of paying Old Age Assistance as authorized in Section 51-B of the Constitution of this State. The Forty-Seventh Regular Session (Continued on page 7)



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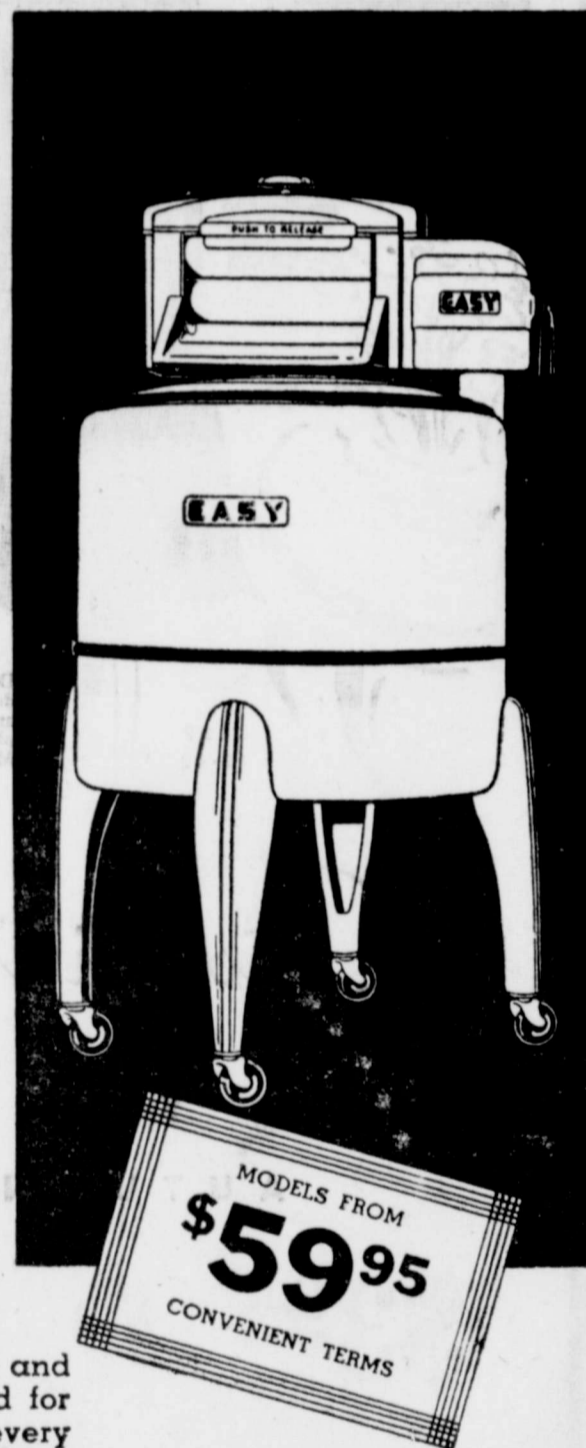
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MAPLE CLUB NEWS

The Club met with Mrs. James Manning on Thursday, August 31. Some quilt piecing and embroidering was done. Refresh-

ments were passed to the following members: Mesdames Sam Shults, Finnis Carroll, Bailey McBride, R. T. Brookshire, J. L. Brookshire, Bert Bass, and Ellie Lindaver.

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Miss Bertha Neely, Corsp.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maxwell and boys, Roy Lee and James, visited in the Latham home of Coryell Valley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Graham and children, Damon Harold and Lillie Mae, visited in the A. D. Chesnut home Sunday night.

Mrs. Eula Gunn and little grandson and Granny Fulton of Gatesville spent a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Preston Fleming and family.

Peggy Ann Latham of Coryell Valley is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maxwell, this week.

Miss Bertha Neely visited Granny Fulton and Mrs. J. W. Bankston of Gatesville awhile Tuesday.

Jim Chambers, Robby and Tralada, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Chesnut and Roland Wright took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Graham Sunday.

S. J. R. NO. 12—

sion of the Texas Legislature and each succeeding Regular Session of the Texas Legislature is hereby authorized to examine the condition of the "Social Security Fund" herein established and when, after meeting all obligations for the preceding biennium, it is found that the taxes herein levied are producing revenue in excess of the amount to meet the obligations of the State herein authorized to be paid out of said "Social Security Fund", then, in that event, the Legislature may ratably reduce the rates of taxation herein levied so as to produce as nearly as possible only so much revenue as necessary to meet the actual requirements under this Amendment, likewise any Regular Session of the Texas Legislature subsequent to the Forty-Seventh Regular Session of the Legislature shall restore ratably any reduction made in tax levies by a previous Regular Session of the Legislature in the rates of taxation levied, if an examination of the "Social Security Fund" reveals the fact that it is necessary to do so in order that the revenue going into the "Social Security Fund" be adequate to meet the State's obligation to pay social security services herein authorized to be paid out of the "Social Security Fund", provided, however, that the Legislature shall never increase the taxes herein to a rate higher than the rates fixed by the respective tax levies in this Amendment, provided further that nothing herein shall be construed as preventing the Legislature from levying additional taxes for other State purposes on the sources herein taxed.

If at any time the revenues derived from the taxes herein levied are inadequate to meet in full all of the obligations of the State to pay Old Age Assistance, then in that event the payments for Old Age Assistance shall be ratably reduced so as to avoid a deficit occurring in the "Social Security Fund".

SECTION 9

The Legislature shall not abate, amend or repeal any existing law which imposes taxes to supply revenues now allocated to the Texas Old Age Assistance Fund until such time as said taxes supply revenue which is allocated to said fund shall have produced the sum of Twenty Million (\$20,000,000) Dollars after January 1, 1940. On and after January 1, 1940, that portion of existing taxes which now provides revenue for the payment of Old Age Assistance shall be used exclusively for retiring the deficit now existing in the General Revenue Fund, and the Legislature shall provide for the collection of such taxes and the impounding of the revenue therefrom for the payment of the said deficit, until such time as Twenty Million (\$20,000,000) Dollars accrues after January 1, 1940. When said sum of Twenty Million (\$20,000,000) Dollars shall have accrued, the Legislature may repeal said tax laws or use the revenues therefrom as it sees proper.
(Continued next Tuesday)

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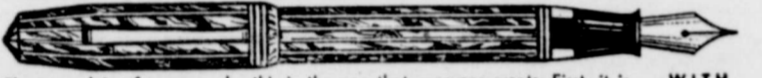
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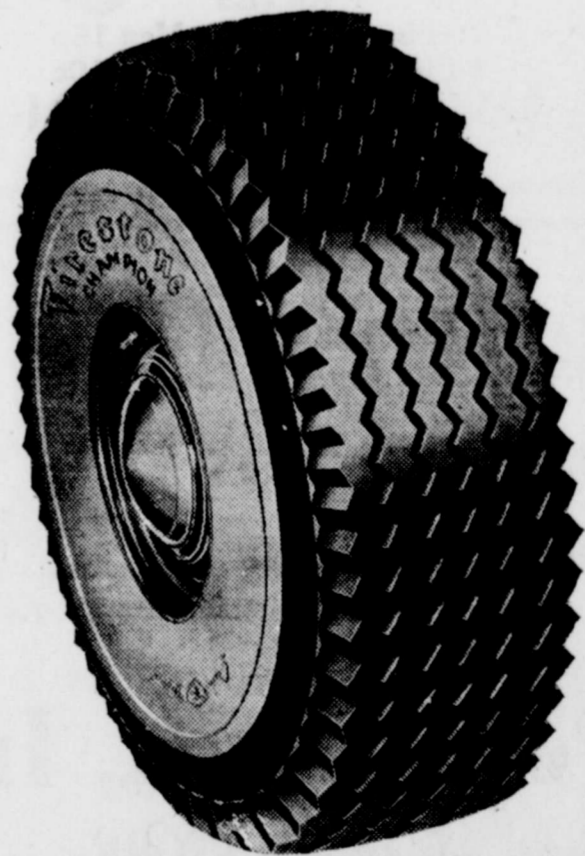
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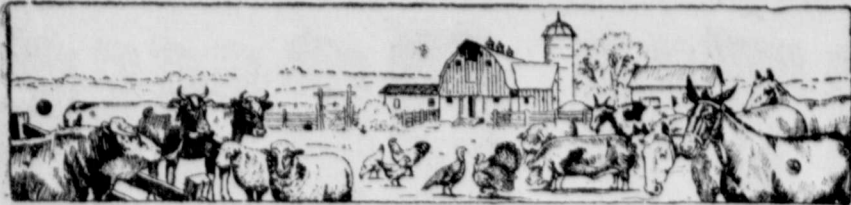


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Give The Cows a Real Chance

By T. C. RICHARDSON, Associate Editor
Farm and Ranch
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Most of the four-gallon cows are found in the classified "For Sale" columns of the daily and weekly newspapers. There's many a potential four-gallon cow growing up on Southwestern farms but a four-gallon cow is only a two-gallon cow when she is given the feed material from which to man-

ufacture only two gallons. We have wonderful sunshine and a balmy climate in the Southwest, as compared with, say New York, Michigan or Wisconsin. But sunshine doesn't fill the milk pail, any more than moonshine does. It takes food and water, plenty of it at the right time, to bring out all the milk-making facilities of the cow, here or in the north.

Once a year on July 1 the Department of Agriculture asks its thousands of volunteer crop reporters, mostly farmers, throughout the country to report the average daily production of their cows. This date in the Southwest is in the heat of the mid-summer, and after the flush milk flow of early summer has declined, while in the northern states the season corresponds more nearly to our May. The figures therefore are somewhat weighted in favor of the northern states.

The sad fact remains, however, that (with the sole exception of Mississippi) Texas and Arkansas stand at the foot of the class in daily production per cow, with 10.7 pounds. Even South Carolina bests this by a fraction. Oklahoma with 14.1 pounds daily per cow, or about six and one-half quarts. The most significant point is that Oklahoma has raised her average about a quart per cow during the past few years, while Texas and Arkansas have raised their average daily production only half a pound, or less than a pint per cow during the same period.

Maybe we shouldn't expect to stand up by the side of Minnesota, (23.0 pounds) Wisconsin (22.5 lbs.) New York (21.4 lbs.) or Oregon (20.3 lbs.), but there's something radically wrong when we fall so far below North Dakota (19.7 lbs.) South Dakota (16.9 lbs.) and Kansas (15.7 lbs.)

Don't blame it on "Old Bossy" until you give her a chance to "do her stuff". We have some pretty poor cows in the Southwest, but we also have a high percentage with good Jersey blood, and we have some as good as the best anywhere in the United States. But we have been much more negligent in feeding than in breeding. The majority of our cows have never had a fair chance to prove themselves, because we have not furnished them enough of the right kind of feed and water for an entire lactation period to test their capacity for production. We have condemned many a cow as a poor producer without giving her the materials with which to produce.

There are a number of dairy cow testing associations in the Southwest, and ought to be a great many more. The average herd under test in Texas produced last

year about 26 pounds of butterfat per cow in May and less than 22 lbs. in September, October and November, averaging about 23 lbs. per month for the year. One association (Central Plains) averaged 33 lbs. in May and never fell below 24 lbs. in the fall months, averaging 30 lbs. for the year. It raised the average annual production per cow 16 lbs. in one year, mostly by better feeding, though a few "culls" were sold after the first year's test proved they did not have the manufacturing capacity, even when supplied with the essential raw materials for milk and butterfat production.

This same association produced butterfat last year at an average feed cost of 13.4 cents per pound. Since home-grown feed constituted most of the feed-cost, the feed was really "sod" to the cows on the farm and hauled to town in cans. It brought two profits—one for the growing and harvesting, and one for the feeding and milking.

It does not pay to keep a five-quart cow; but it is worse to hold a ten or twelve quart cow down to five quarts by refusing to give her the raw materials for her full capacity.

LONG FALL NIGHTS PLACE A PREMIUM ON GOOD LIGHT

With fall here and winter just around the corner, it's time to consider the lighting problem.

Approximately 10 hours of the average person's day in fall have sufficient sunlight to render artificial lighting necessary (from 7 a. m. to 5 p. m.) Setting the retiring time at 11 p. m., artificial lighting is required during 6 hours of the average fall day.

Unless proper lighting is provided, fall and winter nights impose a serious strain on even the healthiest of eyes. In the case of youngsters, who must do their homework, adequate lighting is doubly essential!

Check your home's lighting now to make sure that the long fall nights do not have a chance to impair your family's eyesight.

CONSIDER ALL PHASES IN PLANNING A HOME

Contrary to one of the primary laws of mathematics, the whole is not always equal to the sum of all its parts. At least not when this maxim is applied to the aesthetic side of home planning and building.

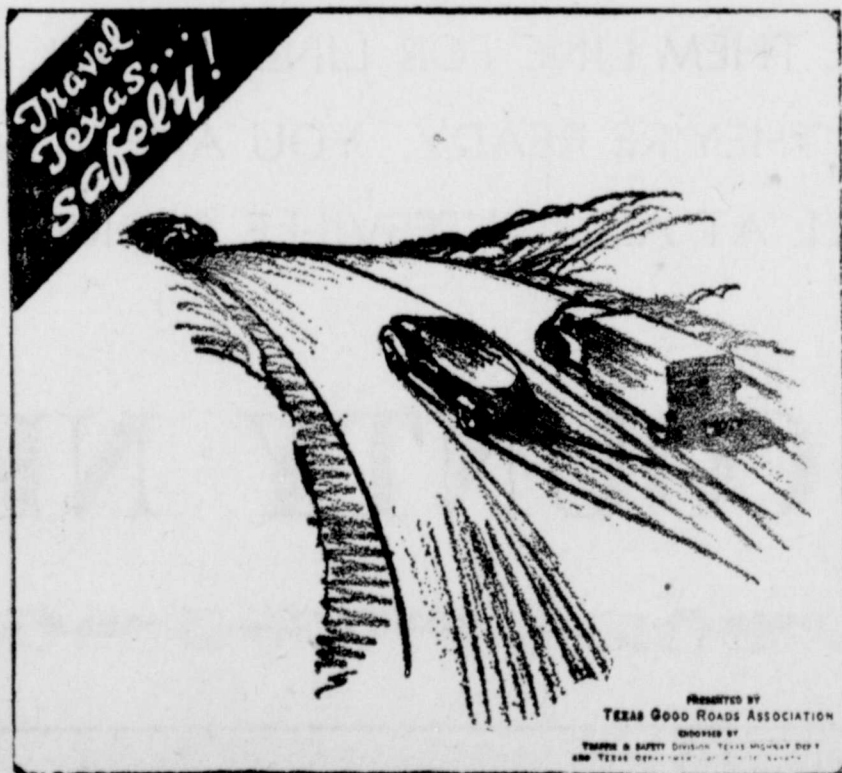
For many times it happens that a prospective homeowner selects a home site . . . builds a beautiful home on it . . . and surrounds it with costly landscaping . . . only to find that he is not as pleased with his home as he expected to be.

That happens in many cases, because the various units of his home are at variance with each other. Instead of harmonizing, they conflict with each other.

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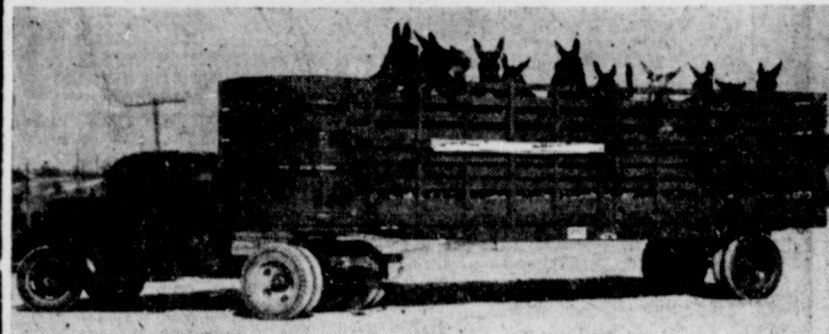
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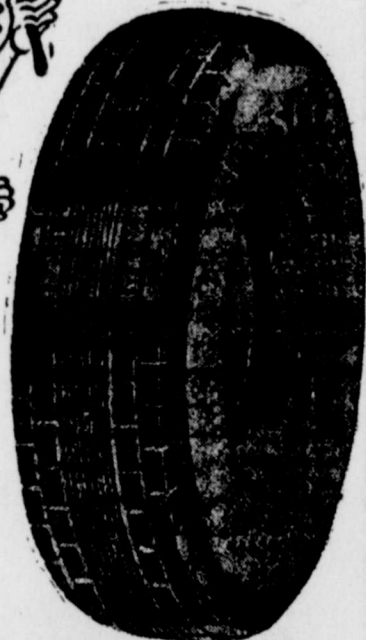


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Chapter One

"Ahh, this is comfortable," thought Everard Logan, and he gazed with satisfaction over his suite at the Royal Parks. What mattered the delay and the broken appointment? To the devil with the fog that had stopped his journey home! Now he was going to get a real night's sleep after two days on that miserable railroad. What sort of an affair were they having downstairs, he wondered, with all the costumed women and frock coated men clustered about the desk? He was lucky to get the suite. The waiter prepared to go.

"Worst fog in many years, sir."

"Yes. Wake me at eight. Breakfast at the same time."

He settled down to his sandwiches and drink. There was a timid knock on the door. "Come," he said, and in came a pink-cheeked, baldish little man, with concern written all over his face.

"I am the manager, sir," he introduced himself. "Excuse me, but due to the fog, many of our guests who've been at the costume ball find themselves unable to go home. I thought you might be able to help me." His voice hung in mid-air with an interrogation mark at the end.

"What way?"

"Well, the manager began cautiously. "There are several sofas in the lounge and they are really very comfortable —"

"You want me to give up the suite," ejaculated Logan. "Now let

you burst in. When are you going to burst out?"

"I didn't burst!" she cried. "After the usual eight hours and breakfast."

Logan tried a new tack. "So we are going to bunk together?"

"Not together," she was patient. "There are two rooms. There's a couch in there. You can have the couch." She smiled, savoring the humor of her own suggestion.

"Of all the impudence!" he shouted. "Trying to filch my bed. Knowing that I have been up two days. Assuming that I can't resist you. Will you go!"

"You don't mean that. You're too nice to throw me out."

"Nice?" he echoed. "The trouble with me is that I am weak. A charming woman like you can put anything over on me. So I force myself to be rude. Sometimes even brutal. Will you go?"

"You really don't mean that?"

"Oh, yes I do. I've seen too many women like you — conceited, ruthless, selfish," he advanced toward her. "You're married aren't you?" he suddenly asked.

"Why — why — yes!"

"I knew it." There was a note of triumph in his voice. "There's some poor husband sitting at home grieving his heart out over you. But for once he's wrong. You're with a man who's not in the least stirred by your charms."

"How do you know so much about women?" she queried.

"My profession. I have to see what's behind those deceiving lips."

"Oh, a dentist."



She persuaded him to move one of the beds.

me make myself clear — I've been travelling for two days. I am wild with fatigue, and I intend to defend this suite with every legal means at my disposal."

"If you would surrender your sitting room, sir, I could accommodate two ladies."

"No," said Logan, attempting to be friendly. "I know myself. Within five minutes they'd have me out of here."

The manager sensed defeat, proceeded to bow himself out. In the hall, Logan could dimly see the clustered shapes of "the ladies." They had overheard. "Cad! Brute! Beast!" they said. Logan smiled grimly. "And by the way, would you mind hanging the 'Don't Disturb' sign on the door?" he shouted after the manager.

Logan retreated to the bedroom. He had to call his home; he had to call a lady. Five minutes and another knock came. This time on the door that divided the bedroom from the sitting room. He went out to see who the intruder was, and his gaze met a pair of the most appealing brown eyes in an oval face framed by wild brown curls.

"Can't you read?" he growled. "It says 'Do Not Disturb'."

"No, it doesn't," she corrected him. "It's more polite. It says 'Please!'"

His quick gaze told him that she was evidently one of the guests at the ball. He couldn't guess the cost of her extremely delectable costume, but he could gauge the effect on himself. He liked her. There was a pause while they silently measured each other.

"Well," he broke the silence. "To what am I indebted for the pleasure? I mean, what's the general idea?"

"I'm very tired and I'm looking for a place to sleep." She eyed the beds enviously. "This seems practically ideal."

"That's what I was thinking when

"No, a barrister. And I expect to meet your poor husband in court soon, suing for divorce."

Her laugh tinkled. "Oh, no, he'd never do that, Mr. Logan."

"How did you know my name?" he asked, startled.

"It was on your trunk."

"Well, may I ask you yours?"

She held her breath for an instant. "You may call me Lady X."

"Good," he spoke. "You have some discretion. You may have my couch."

But Logan had not accurately measured his opponent. A few minutes later she had persuaded him that the couch was not fit for her. And that one of the beds should be moved into the sitting room. Then it was a pair of his pajamas to replace the gown in which she simply could not sleep. Finally, just as he was about to don his own pajamas and jump into bed, she knocked again. The bathroom. She persuaded him to sit in her room for the time. She seemed to take an unconscionably long time.

Finally he summoned up his courage and pecked into the room. There she was slipping into his bed! She smiled shyly.

"I wanted to be near the telephone. In case — in case anything happened."

"Do you imagine I am the type of a man who would take advantage..." he raved.

"Yes, I do. You admitted that women have power, but they don't use it until they find a man worth the effort. And — and I don't think I could resist making the effort with you," she concluded in a muffled voice.

"Well, at least you're honest," he grunted. And strode back to his bed in the sitting room.

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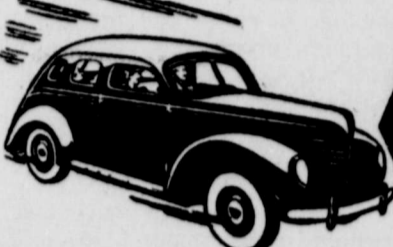
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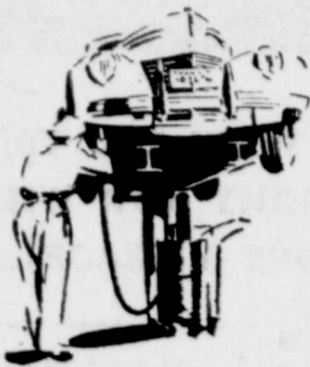


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4 tbsp. fat
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Speck cinnamon
1-4 cup water
Marshmallows

Cut pared sweet potatoes into pieces, lengthwise. Arrange in layers in an oiled baking dish. Sprinkle each layer with salt, sugar, cinnamon and fat. Add water. Cover top layer with marshmallows. Cover and cook for two hours or more, basting with liquid in the pan while baking—it may be necessary to add more as the baking progresses. Serve with chicken or pork. Cubes of pineapple or apple may be added to the various layers for variety.

BAKED SQUASH

Wash squash, cut in pieces of suitable size. Remove seeds and stringy portions. Bake until tender about 1 hour. Season with salt, pepper and butter and serve in the shell.

MASHED TURNIPS

Wash pare and boil turnips. Force through a vegetable ricer, season with salt, pepper and a generous amount of butter.

SAUTED PARSNIPS

Scrub and scrape parsnips. Cut into quarters—lengthwise, removing woody centers. In young parsnips this may not be necessary. Boil until tender drain then saute.

CANDIED PARSNIPS

Cut parsnips in convenient lengths and cook until tender in slightly salted water. Drain and sprinkle very generously with brown sugar and bits of butter. Dust over with nutmeg. Place on stove or in oven until sugar begins to caramelize. Serve very hot.

EXCITEMENT IS HUB OF HOLLYWOOD LIFE

"THE Hollywood social secretary must be a human dynamo, moving in an atmosphere of volcanic activity," says one of them in an interview with Palma Wayne in October Cosmopolitan. "The first establishment I entered was one of the most brilliant in the cinema world. 'See my secretary' was the household password and everything from selecting the ermine carriage robe for Joan Blondell's new baby to deciding the color of the new car, was left to me."

"My office was in the upper hall of the house," the Hollywood social secretary continues. "About me, the Hollywood scene, cyclonic and spectacular. I was the center of incessant voices, demanding, clamoring, tearing the air. There was no privacy and no retreat. Here I was served my luncheon on a tray which might be shared by some visiting star because it looked appetizing. There were thirty-two house telephones, the control board centering on my desk. All calls were handled by me personally. That was my job."

"Large dinners are planned on the spur of the moment," she writes, "and all dinner invitations in Hollywood are sent by telegraph. The telegraphic 'dinner-at-eight-black-tie' has become Hollywood Emily Post for invitations. Dinners are elaborate and may be followed by pictures in the projection room of the house—almost a Hollywood rite. After coffee, liqueurs and pictures, the guests settle down to the real business of the evening—gambling. Hollywood lives on excitement and its peak expression is gambling. High-salaried film folk will bet any amount on anything from the number of gallons of water in a swimming pool to the sex of someone's expected baby."

"The Hollywood social world is composed of two distinct sets. One includes the stars, successful producers, ace directors and their wives. The other, dovetailing with it at times—in it but not of it—consists of women with Social Register backgrounds who have married into the film colony. In this group are Mrs. Gary Cooper, Mrs. Henry Fonda, Mrs. Fred Astaire, Ellin Berlin, Whitney Bourne and Madeleine Carroll who were presented at the British Court."

SWEET POTATOES WITH APPLES

Select 4 large round sweet potatoes. Boil until tender. Core and pare 4 apples and cut in round slices. Place 1 slice of apple on each potato and sprinkle with brown sugar and salt. Dot generously with butter and place in oven and bake until apples are tender. Brown under broiler.

FRIED SQUASH

Cut squash in thin slices. Season with salt and pepper, egg and crumb, and fry until brown.

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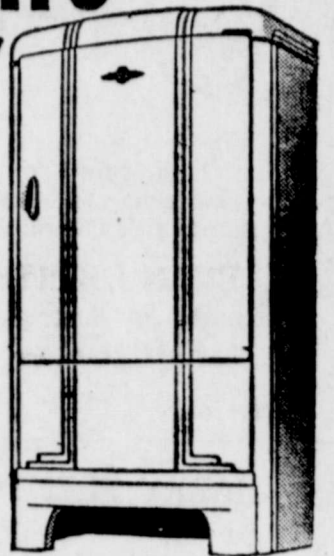


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