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Whoa, Now!

By Gandy Leaky

WANTED:
Several good, reliable hospital patients. Apply in person to Ed Suddath at the Spur Memorial Hospital.

Here we've had a big, modern hospital, completely staffed and ready to go for nearly two weeks now, an nary a paying customer yet - not even a baby born in it yet.

We're proud of our healthy little city where nobody ever gets sick, but it would be nice if we could get a little business out there.

We took a few days off last week end to try our hand at a little trout fishing up in northern New Mexico. The refreshing showers, the chilly mountain air and the good fishing offered a few days of unslaking away from the de of salt mine.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Paris at the El Vado Ranch added to our trip with warm hospitality and guidance to the good fishing spots on the Chama River.

We welcome two Spur men back home this week who have recently tried their hand in other places and seem to be glad to be back home.

Billy Bigham, former manager of Alderson's Variety and the man who many refer to as the No. 1 booster of the Spur Bulldogs, announced this week that he's taking over down at Willis Smith Texaco next Tuesday. Everyone seems glad to have the Bighams back.

And then there is Loyd Womack who has this week purchased the Jenkins Barber Shop. Womack has recently been barbering in Crosbyton and was formerly in the Dyess Barber Shop.

With the drought conditions compelling so many families to leave this area, it really makes us feel good to see a couple of fine men come back.

REVIVAL IS IN PROGRESS AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

The fall revival is now in progress at the First Baptist Church. The meeting opened last Friday and will close Sunday night, August 30. Rev. Hubert Foust of Graham is doing the preaching and Tim Magness of Friona is leading the singing.

Rev. T. B. Allen, pastor, extends a cordial welcome to all. The morning services are at 7 a. m. and the evening services are at 8 p. m., with prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. Sunday morning Sunday School will be at 9:45 and preaching at 11.

"Come hear a good message by a great man of God," urges the pastor.

Hospital News Notes

(Editor's note: It will be our policy in the future to bring to our readers news notes each week pertaining to our hospital and its patients.)

(However, this week, with the absence of any patients, we are bringing you a list of the nursing staff. Most of these ladies are new in our city, so go out and meet them - after all, we're paying their salaries.)

Ed Suddath reports this week that so far the new Spur Memorial Hospital is still looking for its first customer.

Several out patients have received treatment here, he adds, but so far no one has yet been confined to the new plant.

The administrator points out that the hospital offers 24-hour nursing service, seven days of the week.

The nursing staff includes Mrs. Pauline Barrett R. N. of Spur; Mrs. Ann Hart of Spur; Mrs. Pearl Rankin from Seminole; Mrs. Jennie V. Koonce from Ball; Mrs. Norma Howard from Crosbyton; Mrs. Grace Finney from Girard; and Mrs. Mildred Sandlin from Girard.

Refreshments For HD Club Furnished

Last Thursday, August 13, the Spur Chamber of Commerce had the privilege of sending refreshments to the ladies of the Home Demonstration Clubs of Dickens County.

The meeting was held in the American Legion Hut in Spur. During the day there were 68 people from the different communities on hand to help in making their meeting a big success. Every club was represented.

The chamber office had several out of town visitors this week: from Snyder, Floydada, Ft. Worth, Abilene, Afton and Dickens. It was a pleasure to have these visitors. This is your chamber of commerce and if we can be of any service to you, please call on us. Our phone number is 488.

We are all looking forward to September 7 when another auction sale will be held.

Kenneth Bozeman is coming back to again help us with our sale. Bring your merchandise to the lot across from the John Deere house.

Please have it there by 2 p. m. Monday, Sept. 7. If it does not bring what you think it should, you have the privilege of passing it out.

Posse Scheduled To Ride At Roby Today

By "Woody" Woodward
Last Sunday we all met out at the ranch of Thurmon W. Moore. (Who said nobody reads my column?)

Anyone who missed the ice cream and cake out at Red's cow farm sure did miss a good feed and an enjoyable day. There was ice cream for everybody but some of us only got two helpings.

Our new hats were delivered, and the pictures were taken as per schedule with a nice green background of goat heads and mesquite brush, typical of West Texas. I, for one, am thankful for the moisture to make these green.

After our practice ride we had a little business meeting and a sufficient number of riders said they would go to enable us to accept the invitation to attend the rodeo at Mineral Wells - so we guess Johnnie Scudder will have some one to go with.

We will go to Roby today. I hope that a good showing will be made over there because they have written us several times insisting that we attend their show.

Delegates were selected to attend the meetings of the West Texas Association of Sheriff's Poses and Riding Clubs of which our posse is a member. The men selected were Ike McArthur and Horace Wood. Alternates are Bill Wyatt and Johnnie Scudder.

Though we would not mention any names, somebody's horse tried to buck him again Sunday, but boy, we rode 'em, didn't we? Where was that movie camera, anyway?

FINAL PLANS ARE TAKING SHAPE FOR HOMECOMING, OCTOBER 9-10

With Homecoming only a few short weeks away, final plans are being made for the big two-day event, Friday and Saturday, October 9 and 10. The Association is growing daily and many out of town exes are planning to attend. The Board of Directors will have their final meeting September 14 in the Chamber of Commerce office.

Nadine Head, chairman of the Reservations, has made several reservations and expect many more as the homecoming date draws near.

W. D. Blair and his staff of twelve people will register ex-students beginning Thursday night, October 8, after the pep rally and then continue through-out homecoming.

Mrs. Betty Lelew has arranged for nursery facilities for those ex-students who bring their children.

Richard Ensey and his decorator committee have made elaborate plans to decorate the town for homecoming. This committee was one of the first to function.

Spencer Campbell is planning a parade. He expects an entry from every class that has graduated from Spur High School. The local business firms are invited to participate in this parade. The local Sheriff's posse will ride. The parade will be on Friday night, October 9.

Mrs. Clarence Foreman and her committee are working on final details of the assembly program to be held at the high school Friday, October 9, at 10 a. m. All local ex-students are urged to make plans now to attend the assembly program and also business meeting Saturday at 10 a. m.

The Spur Bulldogs play Crosbyton Friday night, October 9. After the game a dance will be held at the Spur Inn, sponsored by the ex-students. Bob Lamont and his orchestra from Lubbock will play.

Saturday noon, October 10, plan to meet all your friends in the City Park for a big barbecue. Plates will be sold for \$1.25 and the public is invited to attend.

Saturday night a big barn dance will be held at the Spur Inn terminating the ex-student activities for 1953. If you have not paid your ex-student dues, send one dollar to Billy Ray Barrett, Spur, and come join in the fun.

SHARP IS SELECTED TO ATTEND OFFICERS SCHOOL

Arthur C. Sharp Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sharp, Rt. 1, Spur, Texas has been selected as a Candidate to attend Class No. 47 of the Officer Candidate School at Fort Sill, Oklahoma. Upon completion of the Twenty-two weeks course, Candidate Sharp will be commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the Artillery of the U. S. Army.

Pvt Sharp qualified himself for the course through a series of written and physical tests and personal interviews before a board of officers which indicated that he has the necessary leadership capabilities required of a commissioned officer.

WOMACK BUYS LOCAL BARBER SHOP THIS WEEK

Loyd Womack, who has recently been barbering in Crosbyton, has purchased the barber shop next door to the Palace theatre from Byron Jenkins and is now operating the shop as the Palace Barber Shop.

Womack formerly barbered in D. J. Dyess' shop here in Spur.

Mrs. E. G. Mobley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Franklin, has recently undergone a serious operation in Amarillo, but is reported much improved this week.

Miss Sue North left today to accept a teaching position in Clovis, New Mexico. Miss North was a teacher in our East Ward School last year.

Dickens Schools To Begin Monday

Pupils have been enrolled and classes will begin Monday, August 31 in the Dickens schools, announces Supt. Harry Martin.

The faculty will include Mrs. Henrietta Byrd, 1st and 2nd grades; Mrs. Ola Donaghe, 3rd and 4th grades; Mrs. Ella B. Lane, 5th and 6th grades; Mrs. C. V. Smith, 7th and 8th grades. In high school will be Mrs. D. H. McGinley, Wayne Ogle and Harry Martin.

The buses will make their regular run Monday. The lunch room will be open for the first day of school.

Favorable Growing Weather Spurs Feed Crop In County

Row crops and careless weeds are growing by leaps and bounds in the area now, with warm days and a little moisture in the ground spurring the growing process to the maximum.

However, there are spots around the county where the recent rains were lighter that will be needing more very soon.

Temperatures this week have considerably mild as compared with recent weeks with a high for the week only 90. The only moisture not previously reported was .14 last Thursday morning.

The Weather in a Nutshell

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THURSDAY	80	63	.14
FRIDAY	83	60	.00
SATURDAY	87	60	.00
SUNDAY	88	60	.00
MONDAY	90	60	.00
TUESDAY	90	62	.00
WEDNESDAY	90	63	.00

LIONS HEAD COACH HAWKES IN PREVIEW OF FOOTBALL

Coch Sam Hawkes gave the Spur Lions club a preview of the 1953 Spur football team at the Tuesday noon meeting of the organization.

Visitors at meeting included Rev. Williams, brother-in-law of Coach Hawkes, and Bill Barnett, sports equipment salesman.

Billy Bigham was recognized as again being a member of the club after having dropped out several months ago when he and his family left Spur.

Bob Reed, student pastor of the First Christian Church for the summer and who has been leading the singing for the club while here, reported to the club of his approaching departure and expressed words of appreciation for the local club.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Franklin of Chickasha, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Franklin and Ronnie of Lubbock, visited the J. W. Franklins of Spur over the week end.

Schedules Announced For School Opening Sept. 7

A parent or guardian is urged to accompany a child who was not registered in the Spring Round-Up. This will enable the school officials to obtain complete and accurate information for the school.

Girl Scout Day Camp Is Reported Success

Because of a very welcome rain on the night of August 17, the opening of Day Camp was postponed until Wednesday, August 19. At that time 41 girls had registered.

On Wednesday the program plans had to be changed. Most of the morning was spent in the house on the golf course. Scout songs and other indoor recreations had been planned. The other days of the camp period were very pleasant. The girls enjoyed many outdoor activities and took part in flag display programs and group singing.

The following leaders directed the work of the camp: Mrs. Cecil Durham, Mrs. John Ledbetter, Mrs. Joe Powell, Misses Faye and Unelle Middlebrooks. The following Scouts or ex-scouts gave valuable assistance to the leaders: Misses Alice Jo Crockett, Paula Foreman, Barbara Foreman, Rita Williams, Lois Ann Callan, Lois Williams, Lanell Marcy and Rozelle Marcy.

FOOTBALL EQUIPMENT TO BE ISSUED TUESDAY

Coach Sam Hawkes announced this week that football equipment will be issued to Spur Bulldogs hopefuls Tuesday, September 1 at 8:30 a. m.

The coach states that he expects approximately 40 boys out, including eleven lettermen.

At a report given to the Spur Lions Club Tuesday noon, he expressed high hopes for the 1953 club, going so far as to say that this year's team will be a two or three touchdown better team than last year's. Along this topic, however, he reminded the men of the injuries that plagued the team last year.

The Bulldogs will have only nine practice sessions before the opener up at Matador on Sept. 11. The first home game will be against Ralls on the following Friday.

Season tickets for Spur's four home games are to be available this year for \$3.50 - a savings of 50 for the season.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Nick Adams, formerly Naomi Franklin, and her three children from Chicago, Ill., visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Franklin, this past week.

Mrs. Otie Chambers of Oklahoma has been here visiting Mrs. Myrtle Whitwell. The two ladies were former school mates.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Karr had as Sunday guests Mrs. L. D. Beadle and children of Lubbock, Pvt. Clifford D. Karr of Fort Bliss, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williamson and family of Spur.

Hester Whitner has gone to Gruver to visit her sister who lives there.

Joe Webb left Tuesday for Fort Sill after spending a ten-day leave here with relatives. Webb will complete his basic training and then probably be shipped to Korea.

William Cole plans to leave this week end to visit his sister and brother in Fort Worth. He plans then to go to Terrell, Texas to see his father who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Goodwin of Archer City visited with Mrs. Ida Lee Sunday.

New Subscribers

We welcome the following new and renewal subscribers to the Texas Spur recently.

The expiration date of your paper is indicated opposite your name as printed above. The first figure designates the month and the second figure the year of expiration.

Mrs. J. C. Mann
Gladys Wade
Mrs. L. W. Langston
Gless Smith

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BUSSES, LUNCH ROOM TO FUNCTION FOR OPENING DAY AT SPUR SCHOOL

The Spur schools will open for classes at 8:30 a. m. Monday, September 7, states Supt. C. F. Cook.

Buses will run at the regular time and with very few changes in routes. These changes will be announced next week.

"The Spur community has always had a good school because the people have always demanded such," states Supt. Cook.

"We think that we have the personnel to have another good school year. We have always received the best cooperation from the children and parents of this community and we know that this will continue this year.

"Members of the school board have given a great deal of their time in helping to formulate good school policies and then seeing that these policies are carried out by the administration. It takes everyone helping to have the kind of community and the kind of schools that the children need.

"We have repaired our buildings the best we can under the drought conditions. We are securing three new buses and will have them on the routes the first day of school.

"We will have three teachers less than last year due to the loss of children. The Spur schools lost 121 children last year and we are sure others that we do not know about have moved off during the summer. Because of this, teacher assignments will not be made in some grades until school opens," states Cook.

The following are grade assignments by buildings: Primary building will house the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th grades. The 4th grade has been moved to this building because we have room and will save on the cost of fuel.

East Ward building will house the 5th and 6th grades. Junior High School will house the 7th and 8th grades and the High School will have the upper four grades.

All teachers will meet in the high school study hall Thursday afternoon, Sept. 3 at 2 p. m. for general faculty meeting. Friday morning at 8 o'clock the principals will meet their teachers in their respective buildings for a regular meeting and to make assignments for the opening of school.

Lunch rooms in each school will be open the first day of school. Prunes for the East Ward schools will be 25c and for High School will be 30c.

As principals H. M. Allison and Guy Dickson prepare for the new school year for the Primary and East Ward schools, the following announcements come from their offices:

The faculty will meet Friday, Sept. 4, at 9 a. m. in the East Ward school.

On the first day of school the children are requested to report to the rooms which were assigned them last spring, with the exception of the 4th grade. These children will report to the auditorium in the Primary school and room assignments will be made there.

Books will be issued, regular classes will be conducted, and school will be dismissed at 3:30. Children who are in the 1st and 2nd grades will be dismissed at 2:30.

Need Birth Certificates
It is important that each 1st grade child bring his birth certificate and the slip which he received at the Spring Round-Up.

MISS FORMBY RETURNS FROM CALIFORNIA VISIT
Miss Mary Sue Formby has returned from an extended visit in the state of California. While there she visited in various parts and states that she still likes her home town of Spur best.

Miss Formby will make her home in Muleshoe with her sister, Panny Hicks, but she will still visit all her friends in Spur at every opportunity.

NEW ARRIVAL
Doyle Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Reed of Muleshoe, was born August 24 at the Crosbyton Hospital. Doyle weighed nine pounds and two ounces at birth. His maternal grandmother is Mrs. M. L. McCluskey of Spur.

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High School Schedule Given

A detailed schedule for the opening of the six upper grades has been announced by Weldon Skinner, principal.

7th and 8th Grades: These grades will report to West Ward building at 8:30 on Monday, Sept. 7 for room assignments and issuance of books. An ink fee of 10c per semester will be charged and should be paid at the time of enrollment. Workbooks will be required in some subjects. These workbooks may be purchased from the respective classroom teachers.

Seniors: Members of the senior class will register Friday morning at 8:30. Sept. 4. Senior rings should be here the first day of registration and will be issued to those making the necessary arrangements.

Juniors: Members of the Junior class will register Friday morning at 10. Sept. 4.

Sophomores: Members of the Sophomore class will register Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock, Sept. 4.

Freshmen: Members of the Freshman class will register Saturday morning at 8:30, Sept. 5.

New Students in High School: New students registering in high school should register Saturday morning at 10:30. All students will report to the high school study hall for registration.

The following fees should be paid at the time of registration: Ink fee, 10c per semester; high school paper (Rowell), 15c per semester; typing fees, \$4.00 per semester or 50c per four week period.

Workbooks and laboratory manuals are required in social and natural science and book-keeping courses. These books are purchased by the school at the time sold to the student at cost. Prices range from 75c to \$1.00 each.

The school day will start at 8:50 a. m. and will dismiss at 4 p. m.

Personnel Listed
C. F. Cook, Supt.; Weldon Skinner, HS prin.; Mrs. Ira Johnston, soc. science; Miss Wanda Rhine, homemaker; Miss Jean Gallagher, commercial; Mrs. O. M. McGinty, English and speech; Miss Rena Noack, English; James Jay, math; Curtis Boase, science; R. L. Peters, voc. ag.; W. W. Gregory, voc. ag.

Billy Hahn, math and coach; Sam Hawkes, math and head coach; Cecil Green, band and music.

In junior high: Principal not yet employed; Lester Ball, math and coach; Miss Willie Hampton, soc. science; Mrs. H. M. Allison, language arts, 8th grade; Mrs. Guy Dickson, language arts, 7th grade.

East Ward: Guy Dickson, prin. and 6th grade; Mrs. Ethel McArthur, 6th grade; Mrs. Ruth Harwell, 5th grade; Miss Unell Middlebrooks, 5th grade; J. E. Bachman, 5th grade; Miss Faye Middlebrooks, music.

Primary building: H. M. Allison, prin.; Mrs. Bula Whitaker, 1st grade; Mrs. Anne Blumberg, 1st grade; Mrs. Homer Marcy, 1st grade; Mrs. Doris Moore, 2nd grade; Mrs. John Abbin, 2nd grade; Mrs. J. W. Waggoner, 2nd grade; Mrs. Norton Barrett, 2nd grade; Mrs. John Floyd; Mrs. Inez Hamilton, 4th grade; and Mrs. A. M. Walker, 4th grade.

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Checks and Bank Accounts

Here are the answers to a few of the general questions on checks and on bank accounts that people ask. Should a check be made payable to "cash," "bearer" or to designated payee? The answer is that it should be made payable to a designated payee. If made payable to cash or bearer, and the drawer loses the check or it is stolen, anyone finding it might cash it, and in the hands of an innocent holder it may be enforced.

What if a check is made payable to one or more payees, can any one of the named payees cash the check? That depends upon the way it is written. If it is payable to John Doe, Richard Doe, and Mary Doe all must endorse it before the bank may cash it. If it is made payable to John Doe or Mary Doe, then either may obtain the cash by a single endorsement.

Every depositor has certain contractual relations with his bank. In the case of a "checking account," the contract is contained in the signature card which the depositor signs when he opens his account with the bank and in the deposit slip which he uses to enter his deposit. These documents govern the duties and obligations of the bank as well as the rights of the depositor.

A "demand deposit" is subject to withdrawal at any time by the depositor on checks written and delivered by him to others. Such deposits, under the regulations of the Federal Reserve Board are not permitted to draw interest. If the deposit is a "time deposit," the money is deposited in the bank certain specified time for which a certain rate of interest is paid if the money is left there for such specified time. The depositor receives a certificate of deposit as evidence of his deposit.

A "savings account" is money deposited at a certain rate of interest for no specified time, but which can be withdrawn in accordance with the rules and regulations set forth in the depositor's pass book in which the various deposits are entered as made. If a checking account stands in the name of two persons in a joint account, payable to the survivor in case of the death of one of such depositors, may the bank pay out the money on the demand of the survivor? Yes, under Texas law, part or all of the deposit may be paid in or on order of the survivor. And under the terms of a contract for use of a safe deposit box, two or more persons may jointly lease a box and provide for access and entry and right to remove the contents

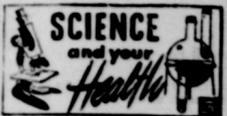
such box whether the other party or persons be living, incompetent or dead; and in case of such removal the bank shall not be liable.

What if the safe deposit box is in the name of one who dies? In the event that only one person is named in the lease agreement and that person dies, then the box may be opened at the request of persons claiming an interest in the contents. The contents are carefully inventoried and are delivered into the custody of the administrator or executor of the estate of the deceased who is appointed by the acts under the supervision and direction of the probate court, and who distributes the estate as provided by law.

Ships from Norway, Great Britain, South Africa, Japan, the Netherlands, Russia and Panama hunt whales annually under an agreement which limits the total catch.

Monticello, Thomas Jefferson's home, has three stories and a basement.

Arctic musk oxen are easily brought to bay by dogs.



SCIENCE and your Health
THE TRUTH ABOUT EPILEPSY
By Science Features

Perhaps more than any other disease today, epilepsy is misunderstood by the general public. Epileptics are sometimes discriminated against by laws forbidding their marriage or attending public schools, but more often by public opinion, which denies them jobs and a normal place in the community.

Yet scientists know that this disease is never dangerous to anyone but the sufferer, even when it ends in a violent seizure. It is not contagious, and is no more hereditary than diabetes. With the aid of drugs it can be successfully treated in a large number of cases.

Epilepsy apparently occurs as a result of some damage to the lower brain, which may be brought on by infections or injuries to the unborn child, or as the result of an accident or war wound. At the present time, about 75 per cent of all cases can be attributed to a definite physical cause. The big news about epilepsy today is that with modern drugs doctors can to some degree control the seizures in 80 per cent of all cases. Of these, 50 per cent can be completely controlled. In certain types of epilepsy surgery has been helpful.

In several cities groups have been organized to promote a better public understanding of epilepsy. These groups encourage frank and open discussion of the disease, consider that when the scientific facts are correctly reported will be accurate and right. I plan to discuss

3-WAY DESSERT



Not only summertime fare, soft drinks can be the basis for many glamorous desserts such as this Southern Pluff. Simple enough for a beginner to master, it can be used three ways: as a sherbet, pudding, or pie. After preparation, it can be stored in the refrigerator without loss of flavor or appearance.

SOUTHERN PLUFF
2 bottles Dr. Pepper
1 envelope unflavored gelatin (1 tbp.)
Juice of 1/2 lemon
2 egg whites
1/4 tsp. salt
4 tbp. sugar

Pour one bottle Dr. Pepper in saucepan, add gelatin, let stand few minutes to soften. Heat, stirring until gelatin dissolves, only letting liquid get warm. Remove from heat, add second Dr. Pepper and lemon juice, chill until thickened. Beat egg whites with salt added until fluffy. Slowly add sugar, beating until whites are very stiff. Blend in gelatin mixture, and mix well. Pile into sherbet glasses, top with whipped cream. Serves four. For variety, pile Southern Pluff in dessert dishes, and cover with chilled vanilla custard, as shown above. Or try Graham cracker crust pie, filled with Southern Pluff, and wreathed with whipped cream.

Recreation For You & Your Community

Recreation for you and your community was the purpose of special sessions conducted by Mrs. Dawn Duncan, Burnett county home demonstration agent for 250 members of the Farm Bureau Institute held at Texas A. and M. College, August 2-26.

As president of the Longhorn Recreation Laboratory, an annual gathering of persons interested in learning ways and means of wholesome recreation, Mrs. Duncan can not only conduct daily classes for the farm leaders, but directed social events for the fifth annual session of the Farm Bureau Institute.

During a general discussion period, the Institute members learned the purpose of the Laboratory held each year at the Christian Youth Foundation Camp at Athens. Mrs. Duncan told them the Laboratory was designed to assist organizations such as Farm Bureau as well as individuals in developing recreation techniques of values to community life for farm and ranch families, and encouraged county organizations to send representatives. The Board of Directors for the laboratory will

plan the 1934 session when it meets at Granite Shoals Youth Center at Burnett, August 15-16. Other officers for the laboratory are: John L. McPherson, Lavaca, vice-president; Mrs. Enid Jones, Beaumont, secretary; and John I. Pawling, Hale Center, treasurer. Members of the Board of Directors also include: Mrs. Jackie McLeroy, Dimmitt; Lucille Moore, recreation specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, College Station; William G. Rogers, Floydada; Myriam Kelso, Austin, and Mrs. Fred Hopkins, Jr., Krum.

Don't Wait To Marry Says Gordon MacRea

Postponing marriage until the man has acquired a "nest egg" is not a sound idea in the opinion of singing star Gordon MacRea, who stars in Warner Bros.' Technicolor musical "By The Light Of The Silvery Moon," which opens Sunday at the Palace Theatre.

MacRea's role in the musical comedy is that of a young man who asks Doris Day to set back their wedding day until he can feather their nest with some downy "green."

"Actually I don't think that is a wise attitude," theory is "early first" and save the "nest egg" later," declared MacRea. "If you wait, you'll miss happy years and may even lose the girl of your choice. In fact, I am convinced that it is easier to save money after you're married provided you are lucky enough to pick the right girl."

MacRea's own case is proof of his theory. He met his beautiful blonde wife, Sheila, when both were students at a dramatic school in New York City. Not long afterwards he popped the question. There was no money in the bank and Gordon's sole income was the \$50 a week he was earning as a member of Horace Heidt's quartet. Sheila also felt that love meant more than security, so they were married in Cleveland where Heid's band was playing at the time, even though Gordon's and Sheila's parents recommended that they wait until they had acquired that "nest egg."

Soon after their marriage MacRea enlisted as an Air Force navigator during World War II. By the time he had finished his stint with the Armed Forces as a lieutenant there was a first addition to the family—a daughter, Meredith—but not a "nest egg." It is only during the last few years that Gordon MacRea as a top movie star has been able to really get down to saving money. "But what a mistake it would have been, if I had waited until I could afford to get married," he reasoned. "I would have missed some wonderful happy years. The chances are that I would have neither Sheila nor the nest egg today. Now I have both as well as three fine youngsters."

Plan Now For Your Winter Grazing

There are many reasons why every farmer should make plans now for winter pastures. According to E. M. Trew, extension pasture specialist, pastures provide the cheapest feed for livestock and less labor is required to handle the animals when they are on good pasture. This adds up to lower costs and more efficient meat and milk production. Winter pasture also supply the needed green grazing when the summer grasses are dormant; provide needed vitamins and protein; gives an opportunity for putting the permanent pastures and that improves their vigor; reduce the cost of wintering livestock—a study made in central Texas by the Experiment Station showed that without pastures it cost about \$10 more for supplemental feed to winter an ewe and \$24 more for a cow. Winter pastures, adds Trew, pay off from the standpoint of soil protection and improvement. They provide a cover for the soil and prevent washing and wind erosion and the roots add organic matter to the soil. Trew suggests planting at least one acre for each animal unit on the farm.

Moisture conditions in parts of the state are now more favorable, says Trew, than at this time last year while other sections are still in the clutch of the drought. Regardless of moisture conditions at planting time, Trew says, do the planting job. Dust the seed in if necessary. Dry planting will pay for no time will be lost after the rains come and grazing will become available earlier. Put down fertilizer, too, says Trew, for it will not be lost.

Trew likes to use a combination of grasses and a legume. He says the combination gives greater total production; that the ergot produced is higher in protein and minerals and the grazing season is extended over a longer period. Trew suggests checking with the local county agent for the latest information on the best adapted varieties of grasses and legumes for your section of the state. Generally, the small grains, oats, rye, barley and in some areas wheat, are the best bet for winter grazing. Italian ryegrass does well in east Texas, the Gulf Coast region and in the Blackland and Grand Prairie areas. Vetch, crimson clover, Hubam and Madrid sweetclover

are among the legumes which can be grown successfully in combination with the grasses. A check with the county agent will provide the best combination for the particular section.

Last but not of major importance, Trew says, the best fertilizer dollar which can be spent is the one going for soil analysis. The analysis will show whether fertilizers are needed and if so, the type and amount required to make

the winter pasture tops. "Put down the fertilizer if it is needed," says Trew, "for it pays big dividends and even if the crop is dusted in, the fertilizer will not be lost but will be there for use of the succeeding crop."

It will be a good idea to inoculate legume seed, explains the specialist, especially if the crop is on land which has not been planted to a legume recently and because of the effects which may

have come about as a result of the prolonged drought. The cost of inoculating the planting seed is small compared with the returns of more production and the development of the nitrogen-fixing bacteria on the roots of the plants.

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Roaring Springs News...

By Mrs. L. E. Cooper Phone 981

Mrs. D. W. Hughes is visiting her son, Mr. and Mrs. Vance Hughes, in Strathmore, Calif.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Goss were his sister, Seals and Harold Williams of Muleshoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Henry and Mrs. Fred Henry of Halls looked after business in Glenn and visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Greenwood, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. McDorman and granddaughter, Miss Ada McDorman, spent the week end in Tahoka attending the Primitive Baptist Associational meeting. Their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McMillan of Corpus Christi, met them there.

L. Lefevre and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hill of Vernon were week end guests of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Lefevre.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Wright and children of Edmond, Oklahoma were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Rigby and children of Oklahoma City and Mr. and Mrs. Otho Rigby and children of Blanchard, Oklahoma spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rigby and Mr. and Mrs. Forest Ragland.

Mrs. Hansel Pierce and Mike and Randy returned to their home in Jacksonville Friday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Gray.

Mrs. Johnny Freidrich of Croton visited with her parents recently.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Fuller and children of Los Angeles, California are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Simpson, Sunday the group drove to Lubbock to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis and Ronny returned Tuesday from a visit in Hearn with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stanley.

Mrs. Mary Simpson is visiting in Hereford with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Miller returned Tuesday from a trip to Arkansas and Whitesboro where they visited with her mother, Mrs. I. N. Sanford.

Rev. and Mrs. Virgil Lawrence and Peggy of Donaldson, Arkansas are here visiting relatives.

While Mr. and Mrs. P. H. McDorman and their granddaughters were enroute to Nevada they had a wreck near Hereford and completely demolished their car. No one was hurt.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Durham and Francis Gunner drove to Palo

HUMANS RISK LIVES FOR MEDICINE

Science can only go so far with rats, rabbits, hamsters, guinea pigs and other assorted laboratory animals. There comes a time when the only reliable testing object is the human animal itself.

Strange tales of humans who are risking their lives to further the cause of good medicine are revealed in the September issue of *Mechanix Illustrated*, now on the newsstands. For science's sake men sleep to have the volume of their arteries calculated, have their chests shaved to see how fast the hair grows back and kiss girls of various sizes and coiffures to test their emotional responses. Believe it or not one man even crawls inside Army tanks to measure the shock intensity of an exploding shell!

Thus science learned, for instance, in a recent Colorado experiment, that redheads sent male blood pressure higher during kissing than brunettes and the lighter shade blondes. Medium sized girls beat out the tall ones and short ones trailed in the size test.

Of more significance, reports *Mechanix Illustrated*, were the findings of a few months ago when 23 volunteers remained aboard the submarine *Haddock* for fully 60 days at Groton, Conn. The test revealed vital facts which will be used to strengthen the nation's defenses.

Much less known was a quiet, intensely dramatic human test in a prison farm eight miles east of Jackson, Miss. More than 100,000 persons yearly were being attacked in the Southland by the dreaded disease pellagra. Prisoners, with pardon as their reward, took diets lacking proteins and came down with the disease. Pellagra was conquered thanks to the human guinea pigs.

Mechanix Illustrated's September issue also includes a story from the nation's top scientists about the effect of atom blasts on the weather. It features useful tips for the farmer, fisherman, motorist, amateur photographer and home-maker.

A pastry blender will save time and be easy on your arm when a recipe tells you to cut the shortening into the flour.

A vegetable brush has more than one reason for existence. Keep an extra one handy when you're washing up to remove cooked-on milk and egg.

Rains have ended Costa Rica's first 1953 compulsory power shut-offs.

Increasing use of diesel locomotives is aiding Australia's far-flung railroad system.

There are no natural harbors on the Gold Coast of Africa.

Costa Rica faces further electrical power trouble in the next dry season, as the proposed new thermal plant cannot be in operation before mid-1954.

Miss Bessie L. Medlin returned Monday from a visit with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Farmer and her mother, Mrs. Lillie Freeman, were recent visitors here.

Hooper Kingery is a patient in the Stanley Clinic at Mañador.

Mrs. Charles Mabry and Mrs. I. N. Fletcher have been patients in the Stanley Clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clevum and daughter visited through the week end in Lorado with his

SMALL BUSINESS

There is growing Washington concern over increased business failures. With more than 700 firms a month going to the wall, failures now exceed 1950 before Korea.

Naturally, there are many differing schools of thought in Washington on the problem. Economists imbued with big business reasoning, seek to sell the very concept of competition, lack of experience or capital in major failure reasons.

But facts do not agree. Normally, business failures are due to lack of trade, with retailers hit first. But in the present situation, wholesalers show biggest failure increase.

This is an important fact because wholesalers, by and large, are not shoe string operators. The very nature of the wholesaling business requires considerable capital and experience.

This condition was inevitable. There are two major reasons.

One is wholesalers must stock goods made by firms who closely control supply and prices.

But many wholesalers, instead of representing these manufacturers, find they are actually competing with the manufacturers on a different price basis.

Manufacturers are more and more putting in their own retail outlets who buy direct from factories on favored deals, and undercut the wholesaler's own customers. In other cases, big retailers are sold direct.

Sometime ago, in tire discount case, Federal Trade Commission advised of this.

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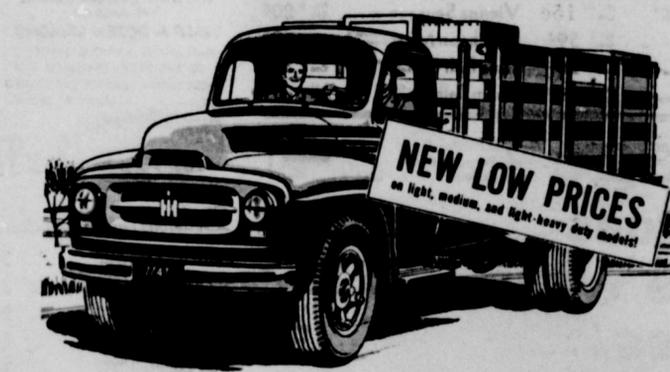
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Harmony Club To Begin New Year Of Study Soon

The Harmony Club officers, program committee and program directors have completed the programs for the 1953-1954 season of the 40 member group.

The first meeting will be on September 10 when members meet in the home of Mrs. D. E. Swenson with Dinner Group I as hostesses.

Program topics for the year include opera, music in the home, Federation Day, Texas composers and religious music.

The principal project for the year is the organization of a Junior Harmony Club.

This club will accept for membership anyone who has attained the ninth grade of high school and who has studied music seriously.

The club officers this year are:

President—Mrs. J. E. Berry, vice-president—Mrs. J. E. Swenson, corresponding secretary—Mrs. Jerry Ensey, recording secretary—Mrs. J. C. Reear, treasurer—Mrs. Joe B. Long, pianist—Miss Faye Middlebrooks, parliamentarian—Mrs. R. E. Dickson, publicity chairman—Mrs. R. E. Williams, chorister—Mrs. Sam Hawkins, delegate to city federation—Mrs. Nell Davis, counsellor—Mrs. W. T. Andrews.

The yearbook is being printed and will be completed by the first meeting date.

Temperatures in the Antarctic average 40 degrees colder than those of the Arctic.

The University of Virginia at Charlottesville was founded by Thomas Jefferson.

A litter of armadillos is invariably of the same sex, says the National Geographic Society.

Shower Honors Miss Duffy Austin

Miss Nancy Julia Austin, bride-elect of Arnold Rathel of Crosbyton, was named honoree when a miscellaneous bridal shower was given at O'Byrne's Tearoom on Friday, August 21.

Hostesses were Meses. W. B. Lee, S. K. Mihal, Floyd Barnett, T. B. Watson, O. C. Arthur, Harvey Holly, George Nalley, Tom Kiser, E. S. Lee, Adrain Rickels and O. M. McGinty.

Mrs. Holly received guests and presented them to the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Jay Austin, and the mother of prospective bridegroom, Mrs. Horace Rathel of Crosbyton.

The bride-elect's chosen colors of pink and white were used in decoration and refreshments. A cut-work white linen cloth covered the table which was centered with a white star foam heart, faced with ribbon and bordered with pink Horace Reed daisies.

Mrs. George Nalley presided at the table where punch and cookies were served while Mrs. Adrain Rickels registered the guests who called. Other courtesies were in the hands of Meses. T. B. Watson, O. C. Arthur and E. S. Lee.

Putman, Hahn Are Married Saturday

Miss Anita Evelyn Putman and Larry Gene Hahn were married Saturday in the Highway Church of Christ with C. V. Allen reading the double-ring ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Tree, grandparents of the groom, were the only attendants. Mrs. Tree wore a navy blue nylon dress and carried pink carnations.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a street length dress of white sheer nylon and lace jacket. She wore a white hat with a small face veil. She carried a white Bible topped with white carnations.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Putman and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hahn of the Highway Community.

A reception was held in the home of the bride's parents following the ceremony. Miss Nelda Nan Hahn, sister of the groom, registered the guest. Mrs. Wilbur Tree cut and served the wedding cake. Mrs. Casey Aldridge took pictures of the couple.

Guests included were the parents of the couple, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Tree, Mrs. Jim Hahn, Mrs. Casey Aldridge, Mrs. Ellis Draper, Mrs. Earl Thomason and Wanda Ann and Lois Putman and Nelda Hahn, all of Spur, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fry of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Tree and Wanda and Gary of Los Angeles, Calif.

When the couple left for Carlsbad Caverns, N. M. where they will spend their honeymoon, the bride wore a brown and tan checked suit with brown accessories.

Mr. and Mrs. Hahn will reside in Lubbock.

Mrs. J. L. Williamson and daughter, Louise, spent Monday in Lubbock shopping and visiting relatives.

Garner-Keith Hold Reunion In Lubbock

The fourth annual reunion of the Garner and Keith families was held at Mechanics State Park, Lubbock on August 16.

Attending were: Meses. W. L. Hyatt, Horace Hyatt, Fatsy, Billy Brad and Sue; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Garner; Mrs. Loreta Beeson and Robert; Mr. and Mrs. Bunk Garner, Bunkie and Patricia; Mr. and Mrs. Elton Garner, Marianne and Suzanne; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Morrison Sr.; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Morrison Jr.; Don and Karen; Jeff Smart and Mrs. Fronia Bingham, all of Spur, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Luker; Mesdames Beth Anderson, Gay Collett, Esther Grady of Dallas; Miss Beatrice McKnight of Fort Worth; Miss Collette Collett of Jayton; Mrs. Velma Spradling and Connie of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Patton and Keith; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Keith and David; Miss Mary Keith, Ned Ewers, all of Matador; Mrs. M. L. Jones and Jack; Miss Ella Garner of Morton; Mrs. L. L. Jones, Jeff, Jill, Fronia of Bledsoe; Mrs. Jonabeth Evans and Jennifer of Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Smith of Roswell N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McFarland and daughter, Mesdames E. Miller, M. Patterson, all of Lubbock; Mr. Laren; Albert Jackson, C. L. and Mrs. Brad Rowland and Keith of Rotan; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Warf of Corona, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Garner, Dalhart; Mr.

Dickens County H D Day There, Aug. 20

The Croft Day for all the Home Demonstration Clubs of Dickens County was held Thursday, August 20, at the American Legion Hut in Spur.

The program committee was composed of Mrs. Billy Dan Bingham, EEE chairman, Mrs. Dee McArthur, council chairman, Mrs. Arner Watson, THD chairman, and Mrs. Jess Powell, recreation chairman.

Each club was responsible for demonstrating one craft. Rug-making using a toothbrush as a needle was demonstrated by Mrs. Bill Calvert, Mrs. Lon Bass, Mrs. L. S. Decker and Mrs. W. E. Ballard of the Dry Lake Community. Mrs. Donnie Pace of the Highway Club demonstrated how to braid a rug and she also demonstrated metal work.

Woodwork was the craft displayed by the Espuela Club. The ladies demonstrating this craft were Meses. F. B. Crockett, Harold Karr, John Sharp, and Dalton Lebew.

Mrs. Ceel Welch, Mrs. Roy Ward and Mrs. E. V. Arthur of Dickens demonstrated textile painting.

How to make lamps was explained by Mrs. Jess Powell and Mrs. Roy Nance of the Steel Hill Club.

Advance basketweaving was demonstrated by Mrs. Henry Gruben of the Soldier Mound Club and basketweaving for

MRS. J. E. BERRY WILL PRESENT MUSIC STUDENTS

Mrs. J. E. Berry presents her summer elementary students in a recital Sunday afternoon, September 1, at 4 p. m., in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Godfrey.

Mrs. J. E. Berry, local music teacher, will present elementary students who have studied piano through the summer months.

Mrs. Berry will give a story on different kind of music which will be illustrated by the following students: Rusty Burnett, Jim Barron, Lynda Gail Morrison, Milla Marion, Norma Ruth Gruben, Fred C. Haile, Ann Godfrey, Rita Gay Johnson, Lubbock and Joyce Morris, McAdoo.

Miss Nell Francis and Driver made a trip to Lubbock Wednesday.

BAPTIST CIRCLES

LOCKETT CIRCLE
The Lockett Circle of the W. M. S. of the First Baptist Church met Monday with Mrs. L. W. Langston. Mrs. J. A. Marsh, missionary chairman, had charge of the program.

The seven members present were Meses. L. C. Ponder, E. J. Bilberry, H. L. Burham, Henry Gruben, L. A. Welborn, Marsh and the hostess, Mrs. Langston.

BAGBY CIRCLE
Mrs. Hattie Turvan was hostess to the Bagby Circle when it met Monday morning at 8 a. m. in her home.

Mrs. T. J. Seale presented a chapter from the stewardship book entitled, "Sacrifice and Song" by Mrs. Foy J. Farmer.

The hostess served refreshments to the 12 ladies present.

CAUTHEN CIRCLE
beginners was demonstrated by Mrs. Floyd Barnett and Mrs. Hade Condon.

Christmas gifts were the East Spur project. This demonstrated by Meses. Lane Bachman, Arner Watson and W. B. Steele.

There were 35 club members attending the all day affair, with 18 visitors.

A covered dish luncheon was served at noon.

CIRCLE FOUR HAS ALL DAY MEETING WITH MRS. NALLY

Circle Four of the First Methodist Church met Monday, August 24, with Mrs. S.H. Nally for an all day meeting. The ladies present quilted a quilt and pieced on another one.

A noon luncheon was enjoyed by the 14 members and three visitors present.

The circle will meet again next Friday.

DICKENS HD CLUB MEETS MONDAY WITH AGENT
The Dickens Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday morning, August 25, in the county agent's office. After a brief business meeting the agent gave a demonstration on how to cut plaids and how to alter a pattern.

The ladies present were Meses. Wayne Ogle, Holly Harkey, Harry Barton, Ava Johnson, Cecil Welch and Benny Nichols.

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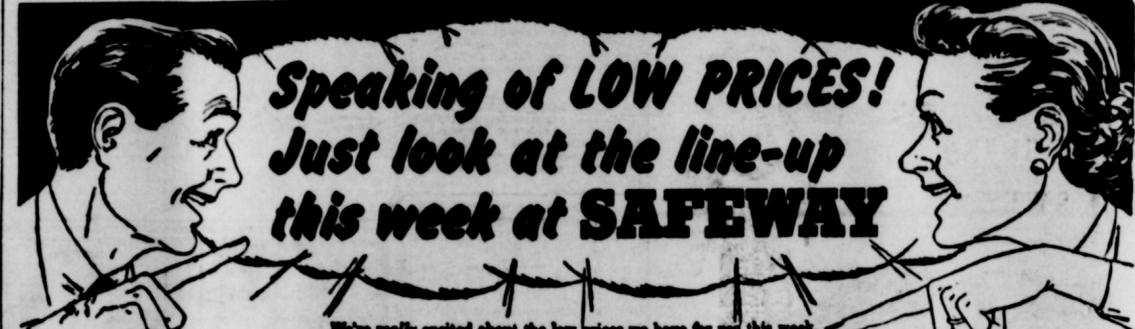
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- Potatoes 39¢
- Texas Yams 25¢
- Grapes 15¢
- Calif. Corn 15¢

- Chuck Roast 29¢
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- Round Steak 63¢
- Sirloin Steak 59¢
- Shortribs 23¢
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- Chuck Roast 49¢
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SAFEWAY

Girl Scouts

TROOP VII met with the Brownies of Troop IX on Monday, August 24. Day Camp was reviewed and those present went to town to inspect the exhibits of Day Camp work. Plans were begun for a fly-up ceremony. Those girls not present will need to secure information about this program if they wish to be a part of it. Several girls were absent and missed announcements they will want the troop has a nice exhibit in town.

TROOP VI met on Wednesday, August 26, and made plans for a new schedule of Badge Work. Some badges, finished recently by these girls, will be presented at a court of awards in the near future.

TROOP VIII met at Mrs. Ledbetters home on Monday, August 24, in a regular meeting. There was a good attendance and all were on time. The butterfly project was finished. This was Day Camp project not finished because of rain. Also coaster sets of cork were finished. The coasters were gifts made for mothers.

McAdoo News

Clayton Baum and his buddy from Spur, Jerry Calvert, left Sunday to return to Camp Hanford, Washington after spending a furlough with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Eldredge and Mrs. Eldon Williams and baby spent the week end in Mart visiting in the Norman Eldredge home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hickman have returned from a vacation with relatives in Indiana.

Louise Adams of Dallas spent Sunday night in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Phifer.

Carol Jean Lyles of Dallas is visiting Nocona Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Phifer and children of Plainview visited Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Katie Phifer.

Mr. and Mrs. Danzil McMillan and Ronnie of Lubbock spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Pitts.

Weldon Cypert, who is employed in Dallas, spent the week end at home.

Mrs. Leslie Garrett of Hillboro spent the week end in the O. T. Boucher home.

Mrs. Viva Griffin returned home Friday after a vacation to the Black Hills of South Dakota with her sons, the Wald and Lee Griffin of Albany and San Angelo and a daughter, Mrs. Wilma

COUNTY AGENT TO ATTEND FALL WORKSHOP SOON
Mrs. Lou Jeffers, county HD agent, will go to Seymour Thursday and Friday to attend a clothing demonstration workshop taught by a clothing specialist, E. N. Roberts, from the extension service of A. and M. College.

Then on September 1 and 2 Mrs. Jeffers will attend a fall meeting for agents of District 3 in Wichita Falls.

Go to Church Sunday

Who, ME? by Robert Osborn



Three out of four accidents in 1952 happened in clear weather on dry roads. Only YOU can prevent traffic accidents!

WHITE-WINGED DOVE OPEN SEASON

White-winged doves are open season in the following areas:

- McMULLIN COUNTY: (State law, Mar. 1 to Dec. 15 Federal law, season closed)
- OPEN SEASON: September 11, 12, and 13, inclusive, only in area indicated.
- SHOOTING HOURS: 4 p.m. to sunset.
- BAG LIMIT: Not more than 10 per day and not more than 10 in possession.

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Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Hickman accompanied by their daughter and family, the Ross Parkinsons of Lubbock, are vacationing in Colorado.

Sunday visitors in the Dick Edinburg home were her mother, Mrs. Mattie Hughes, a brother, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hughes, a daughter of Comanche, a niece, Grace Mackiel of Dublin, and Mr. and Mrs. Winifred and children of Abernathy.

Mrs. L. B. Huchabay and boys of Littlefield visited Wednesday to Friday in the G. G. Allen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Stephenson and daughters of Fort Worth visited friends and relatives here during the week end.

Mrs. W. K. Johnston and Sidney visited last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Rich.

T. R. Wallace has gone to California where he will be employed.

Sunday visitors in the D. E. Allen home were Mr. and Mrs. Sherry Constock of Lubbock, Bill McCelvey of Matador, Mrs. T. R. Wallace and Kenneth and Terry Delahanty.

Louise and Jerry Johnson spent the week end in Crosbyton with their mother, Mrs. Lorene Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Woods celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on Sunday, August 16. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Woods, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones and children, all of Lubbock, Mrs. Bessie Holmes and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Holmes of Hereford, Sam Stinnett, Mrs. Barney Waldrop of Roswell, Oscar Woods, Mrs. Laverne Hartman and baby and James Weatherford of Hereford, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brown and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Formby visited in Crosbyton Sunday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. McDuff.

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McMurry College Has Many Subjects

McMurry College in Abilene, sponsored by the Methodist churches of the Northwest Texas and New Mexico Conferences, will open its thirty-first formal session on September 4. First and foremost objectives of the college is education, training, and preparing teachers, ministers of Christian faith, and well-adjusted laymen in every walk of life.

McMurry is a West Texas bulwark of man's faith in God, America, and individual initiative. It is a focal point of Western Methodism.

Dr. Harold G. Cooke, president of the college and the man largely responsible for its noteworthy progress over the past decade, has further strengthened McMurry's religious life and education program. An outstanding religious leader has been secured for the dual capacity of directing student religious life and serving as minister for the Methodist Church on the campus. A head of the Bible department, an associate professor of Religion, and a Director of Town and Country Life who guides the field word of McMurry's ministerial students and deputation teams, round out the staff of the Department of Religion.

Education for Teaching

Many McMurry graduates are currently employed as teachers in public schools throughout Texas, and more go forth from the college to teach each year. The college's graduate degree program in education was approved permanently last spring by the Texas Board of Education, after McMurry had strengthened its library, curriculum, and faculty to meet the exacting standards set by that board. McMurry offers B. A., B. S., and M. Ed. degrees. Course work is given in religion, education, social science, science, mathematics, fine arts, applied arts, letters, and languages. McMurry is a fully-accredited member of the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools.

Journalism

A director and assistant director of public relations will be on hand at the McMurry "Indian Reservation" this year to keep the public informed about the college's plans, progress, actions, and aspirations, and to offer courses in journalism. McMurry journalists are looking

forward to a role as West Texas ambassadors of good will on a trip to Mexico City University next spring, when that institution will play host for the annual meeting of the Texas Intercollegiate Press Association. Mexico City U. is the only out-of-state member of the Texas collegiate press group.

Speech and Dramatics

A thorough program in forensics, debate, and public speaking will be inaugurated at McMurry this year. The department of Speech came in for a fair share of recognition from afar last spring with premier showings of its technical movie "Medea," filmed at McMurry. The first Greek tragedy ever filmed, "Medea" is now being booked with an educational film company for viewing all over the United States.

Also last spring an original musical, co-authored by two McMurry professors, was presented, titled "Them Lovely Hills," the production attracted some 2,000 play-goers to McMurry's Radford Memorial Student Life Center. That gothic structure, a gift of the late Mrs. J. M. Radford of Abilene, has provided a place of entertainment and enjoyment not only for McMurry, but to Abilene and West Texas as well, with many cultural, social, and educational programs held there in the public interest.

Physical Education, Sports

McMurry College maintains a well-balanced program of physical education for men and women, and prepares many young people for teaching physical education and coaching athletics in the public schools. The McMurry "Indians" participate in football, basketball, and track competition in the Texas Conference each year.

The National Intercollegiate Track Meet was held last spring on McMurry's fine cinder track for the second time in its two-year history.

Band and Chanters

The McMurry Band and the Chanters, a mixed choral group, traveled a combined total of more than 6,000 miles throughout Texas, Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico last year, performing in high schools and churches. The showmanship of these two musical groups, under top-notch leadership, is one of the brightest feathers in the McMurry Indian headpiece. And they're always on the look-out for new talent. Many Texas public school band and

choral directors received their training at McMurry.

Growth and Progress

Ten years of progress under Dr. Cooke's presidency was the theme for McMurry's annual Willson Lectures last March, which drew upward of 3,000 visitors to Abilene. Total value of McMurry College when Dr. Cooke became president in 1923 was \$345,568. Since then it had added four new permanent buildings to its physical plant. Its capital assets are approaching the four million mark. Successful capital endowment and living endowment campaigns are under way, and long-range plans for new construction and extensive grounds improvement are being carried forward.

McMurry College continues to grow physically, academically, with the growth of the great financially, spiritually-in pace Southwestern region of which it is a vital, Christian part.

Chemicals will kill flies but they will not eliminate the fly problem. A clean up and strict sanitation program must be followed to eliminate their breeding places.

There is still time in most sections of the state to do some fall gardening. Use the varieties of vegetables that are adapted to your section. County extension agents can provide information on the subject.

For your own protection and safety's sake, stop machines before trying to adjust or unclog them.

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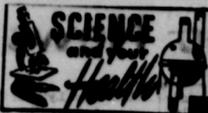
"It's a beautiful day in Chicago!" Although his famous greeting isn't as old as the program, farm commentator Everett Mitchell celebrates the 25th anniversary broadcast of the National Farm and Home Hour on the coast-to-coast NBC radio network Saturday, September 12.

Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Taft Benson joins Mitchell in observing the anniversary of America's oldest network farm radio program, which is celebrating 25 years of service to agriculture. Broadcast continuously since 1928 and produced in cooperation with the U. S. Department of Agriculture, the National Farm and Home Hour reaches the largest farm audience in broadcasting history. It has aired on-the-spot coverage of hundreds of major agricultural events at home and abroad and provided entertainment and information to rural and city audiences alike.

Many of today's big names in radio, including Fibber McGee and Molly and Fran Allison, appeared on the program in the early days of Chicago radio. Mitchell, a pioneer in the field of farm radio and known to millions of farmers through his many cross-country tours and speaking engagements, has been m.c. of the program since 1928.

Drouth damage ranges should not be restocked until the plants have had a chance to make adequate root growth and regain some of the vigor which they have lost.

Storage holdings of shell eggs on June 30 were the lowest on record for the date. The egg-fresh price ratio is the most favorable for the producer since 1949.



GUARDING BABY'S EYES by Science Features

New-born babies come into the world with relatively few defenses against disease germs. Modern science has devised a number of procedures to guard against infection during the first days of life, one of the most important of which is the application of silver nitrate to the new-born's eyes.

Routinely applied within a few minutes after birth, silver nitrate has proved extremely effective in reducing the incidence of blindness due to eye infections. Occasionally, however, it also causes irritation to the delicate eye membranes. Recently obstetricians at the Sacred Heart Hospital in Yankton, S. D., requested Dr. T. H. Wilcockson and C. D. Cox to determine what could be used to replace silver nitrate. The scientists tested two eye ointments, one containing terramycin alone, and the other this antibiotic in combination with another, polymixin-B.

They concluded that no difference could be determined in the effectiveness against eye bacteria of the antibiotic ointments vs. silver nitrate. However, they added that nursery personnel "soon prided themselves on being able to distinguish the difference between the two drugs as to the effect on the babies' eyes."

The eyes of the infants treated with silver nitrate, the scientists reported, were reddened and the babies kept their eyes closed for three or four days. But the eyes of the children treated with antibiotic ointments were bright, open and free from irritation.

The Texas A & M College System Soil Testing Laboratory last year analyzed 7,790 soil samples. They were submitted from every section of the state with the largest number coming from the Gulf Coast area.

It is time now to submit soil samples from the field on which legumes and winter pastures are to be planted. A soil analysis should be the foundation for all soil building an improving programs.

The Yoruba tribe of Nigeria is divided into many clans, which identify themselves by varying patterns scratched on members' faces.

The Palio, a three-lap horse race around the square of Siena.

Italy, has been run every year since the 14th century.

Men of Jesenwang ride their horses to the church alter for the annual "Blessing of the animals" ceremony.

Izalco, a volcano near the coast

of El Salvador, erupts so regularly that sailors call it the "lighthouse of the Pacific."

In pioneer days, Americans had to supply their own leather.

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Dry Lake Community News...

By Mrs. E. J. Lasseter
 Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dopsen Tuesday were Rev. and Mrs. Muriel Abbott, Rev. Bergin Watkins, W. E. Mayhew and Mrs. J. R. Cole and children.

Jeanne Kay Cole helped Karen Lassinger celebrate her birthday Tuesday by spending the day with her.

Mrs. Ethel Ballard spent the day with Mrs. E. J. Lasseter Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. Muriel Abbott, Rev. Bergin Watkins and Mr. W. E. Mayhew were dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. John Aston Wednesday.

John Aston drove to Lubbock Tuesday with a load of cattle market.

Mrs. Bob Pickens was a guest Mrs. Ethel Ballard Friday.

Miss Jo Ann Wilson visited the Wanda Wright Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Bergin Watkins, W. E. Mayhew and Rev. and Mrs. Muriel Abbott had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pickens Thursday.

Nine out of the thirteen club members from the Dry Lake Home Demonstration Club attended the Craft Day at the American Legion Hut Thursday.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Ethel Ballard Friday for dinner were W. E. Mayhew, Rev. Bergin Watkins and Rev. and Mrs. Muriel Abbott.

The Dry Lake Progress Committee meeting will have their

annual picnic Thursday, August 27, at 8 p. m. in the city park.

Mrs. W. E. Mayhew and Tommy drove from Winters Saturday to accompany Mr. Mayhew home.

The Foreman Chapel revival closed Sunday night. There was good attendance all week and Sunday a basket dinner was served. During the week meeting there was one converted and one joined by letter.

Mrs. Coy Dopsen drove to Floydada Sunday afternoon to accompany her sister, Mrs. Jack Lackey, to the Lubbock Memorial Hospital where she will undergo surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Mabe Hudgins of Van, Texas, are visiting her sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Coursey.

Kenneth Coursey and Russell Williams were home over the week end from El Paso where they are working.

Miss Inita Kidd was a Sunday dinner guest of Miss Clovis Ann Coursey.

Miss Strela Calvert spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Wanda Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy McMahan of Levelland were supper guests of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Ivy McMahan, Sunday night.

A group of relatives gathered in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Draper Sunday for a dinner honoring their grandson, Royce Saxon, on his third birthday.

The regular monthly social will

be held at the Foreman Chapel Friday, August 28 at 8 p. m.

Those on the refreshment committee are Mrs. Billy Dan Birmingham, Mrs. Coy Dopsen, Mrs. Kenneth Coursey, Mrs. E. J. Lasseter, Mrs. Ethel Ballard and Mrs. Willie Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Draper attended the wedding of her nephew, Larry Hahn, last Saturday in the Highway Community Church. After the wedding they drove to the Putman home for the reception.

Jimmy Draper has returned to Seagraves where he will teach school again this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Bass entertained their son, Mr. and Mrs. Graden Bass and Wayne, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Pickens were week end visitors of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pickens.

Mrs. Lon Bass visited Mrs. E. J. Lasseter Monday afternoon and the two planned the program for the next six months for the Dry Lake Neighborhood progress meetings.

The Big Ten boxing championship will be held at Iowa City, Iowa, next March 6.

It is said that the first commercial electric sign was put up on a New York theatre in 1894.

Regardless of moisture conditions, when planting time for the fall and winter pasture come, do the planting job. Dust in the seed if necessary. For when it does rain, these pastures will be up and growing and use fertilizer in the sections of the state where the practice is profitable.

Vaccination Call in India



Loadpushers mounted on rickshaws call the people of Delhi, India, to visit specially established vaccination centers at the nearest street corner, to get their anti-TB inoculation. This is part of the tuberculosis control program now being carried out by India with aid from the U.N. International Children's Emergency Fund (UNICEF).

Clear Smooth Skin Is Date-Bait Come



Do blemishes spoil your fun? Bid the blues goodbye and rate an "A" with the big wheels on the campus? Are you a teen-ager with a problem... skin, that is? Then you're on the lookout for help. A problem skin usually is one that is excessively oily and, as a result shows blackheads, conspicuous pores, blemishes, and frequently the more severe stage, pimples of acne. Don't feel helpless... help yourself with meticulous daily care. A problem skin must be correctly cleaned and properly treated. Medicare, the tax free double-action combination of medicated creamy masque and medicated lotion, is designed to give this service. Both contain hexachlorophene which reduces and inhibits skin bacteria. "Double cleanse" the skin with the water "soluble" cream. It actually "washes away" excessive oil and grime that so many blackheads, whiteheads and pimples thrive on. Follow with a cold water application to mildly stimulate the skin and to aid in refining the appearance of pores. Then, apply the medicated lotion. Greaseless, it is blended to a natural skin tone to conceal unsightly blemishes as it aids in drying and healing them. Apply with fresh cotton, using the lotion as a spot cover-up or as a covering for an over-all oily face. Equally important for boys and girls! If the condition is severe, consult a physician. Otherwise, a program that includes correct cleansing and medication routine, plus proper diet, proper elimination, fresh air, and a full quota of sleep should be carried out. Take time for daily care of your skin. The results will be rewarding... at home, at school and at play.

Girard News

Linda Wright and family from California are spending a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Wright. Russell Wright is in Houston on his vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Kimmell have had his mother and two sisters here visiting this week.

The Girard Community will have a picnic at the school house Friday night at 7 p. m. Everyone is invited to attend.

A shower honoring Mrs. Carolyn (White) Bayer will be at the home of Mrs. Jim Wyatt Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bayer from Lubbock visited here Sunday.

Kenneth Peak from Hobbs, N. M. and his mother are visiting Tyle King and family.

Mrs. Rollie Beavers has her daughter and family from Kermit visiting her this week.

Mrs. Lemore Page has been visiting her brother, LeRoy Page, in Amarillo.

Wanda Cheyne has been visiting in Modesto, California this summer.

Mrs. Barbara Johnston and Ray Williams made a trip to Ruidoso, N. M. Friday.

Mrs. Julian Peak from Barstow, Texas is here visiting her father, E. Peak. Also Donald Wood and wife are here visiting with them.

Shirley Hatfield visited Wanda Cheyne.

Rev. and Mrs. Hollis and Wanda from Midland spent the week end here with friends.

The Dardens had their reunion at Possum Kingdom Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. A. Murphy has returned from a visit in Fort Worth with her daughter and family.

Mrs. Jewel Cooper from Spur was a visitor in Girard this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Ripple from Oklahoma City and Mr. and

Mrs. Sipes from Oklahoma City are visiting Mrs. Will Ripple.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Phillips from Nobel, Oklahoma and Mrs. Clarence Phillips are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Amos Fincher.

Lorene Ann and Dick Hunnicutt are visiting here from Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Yett from Midland visited her parents this week end.

The women of Nigerian Yoruba tribe dress their hair elaborately and ornament their bodies.

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In 1951 61.2 percent of the total gross income in Texas from poultry came from the sale of eggs; broiler sales represented 27.3 percent and turkeys 11.5 percent.

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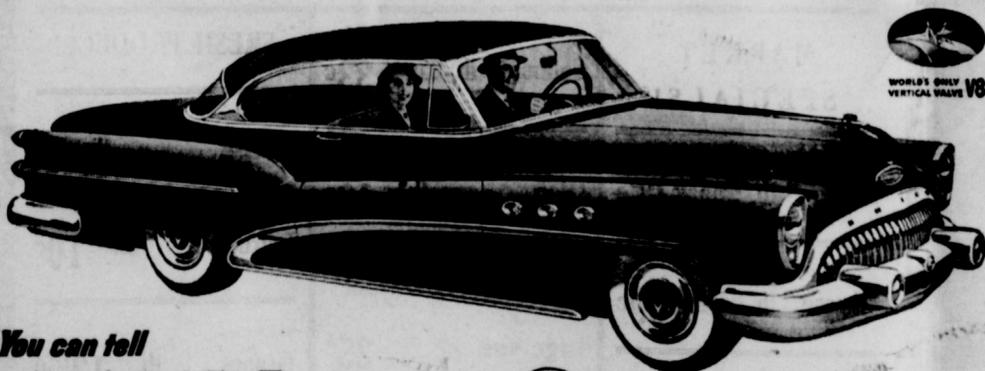
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FOR SALE: new sewing machine. Mrs. Fred Kinney, Ph. 721. 43-3tp

FOR SALE: Electric Kelvinator Refrigerator. \$30.00 Call 700-W. 42-2tc

FOR SALE: Watermelons at 2 1/2¢ per pound. Pages Produce, formerly Little Diner. 42-4tp

FOR QUICK SALE or TRADE: Helpy-Seify Laundry with living quarters in rear. Lovington, N. M. Call Mrs. Billie Powell, 276 after 5 p. m. Spur, Texas. 43-4tp

LIZIERS FINE COSMETICS: Selected for your individual requirements by an experienced consultant. Myrtle Whitwell, call 768-W. 52-ctfn

SEE OUR Tropical Fish and Aquarium supplies at Garner's Grocery. 30-ctfn

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FOR SALE: 8 room house with bath and half bath. Flower shop. 73 N. Carroll. Ph. 451. 47-ctfn

FOR SALE: Allis Chalmers irrigation engines. Reasonable prices. Garner's, Spur, Texas. 28-ctfn

FOR YOUR AVON Cosmetics: See Mrs. Carl Penninger, 508 Keeler or Phone 3561J. 41-4tp

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Three-room furnished house 515 West Harris. 44-ctfn

FOR RENT: 160 acre farm. Mrs. W. M. Hazel. Phone 37. 43-ctfn

FOR RENT: Good 4 1/2 room house. Mrs. W. M. Hazel. Phone 37. 43-ctfn

FOR RENT: Two-room furnished house near high school. Call 127-W. 524 N. Calvert. 43-2tp

FOR RENT: Air conditioned furnished apartment. 3 to 6 young chicks. \$15 each. Water and light bills paid. Call 82 or evenings 232. 42-ctfn

FOR RENT: Furnished and unfurnished houses. Modern, refinished, ideal location. One and two bedrooms. Call 29 or 680. 23-ctfn

FOR RENT: 2 Bedroom furnished apartment. Bills paid. 307 W. Hill. 38-ctfn

Miscellaneous

NOTICE: I will teach a class in piano, voice, and expression at my home at 719 North Carroll St., beginning September 7. Mrs. J. W. Henry. 44-2tp

NOTICE: I will begin the kindergarten classes Monday, Sept. 7 at my home. Mrs. A. G. Dunwoody 312 East Harris. Phone 365. 44-2tc

DO YOU have troubles? Need a plumber? Phone 12 for prompt efficient service. Wallace Day, Willson and Young Lumber Co. 43-ctfn

NOTICE: The W. J. Patterson tank will be closed for fishing after August 30th for restocking. W. J. Patterson. 43-1tp

Bells and Buttons Covered: Mrs. Joe Watson Dickens Highway. Call 2143 Dry Lake. 18-ctfn

MIXED FEEDS and Field Seeds at Rand's Feed Store. 11-ctfn

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DIRT CONTRACTOR: Locations, Roads, Tanking, Deep-plowing, Leveling. Honest and efficient work. Day or night phone 699 or 728. Garner Bros. 42-ctfn

WANTED: Farm Loans 4% interest payable on or before maturity. Spur National Farm Loan Assn. Spur, Texas. 27-ctfn

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Limited space prohibits telling you more here but if you will write me I will reply at once and tell you how I received this wonderful relief.

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Use T-4-L for 3 to 5 days. It actually rids of the outer skin, exposed buried fungi and KILLS ON CONTACT. If not pleased with instant-drying T-4-L, your foot back at any drug store. Today at.

CITY DRUG STORE

CARD OF THANKS
We want to thank you good people for your business at the East Ward School Store. We will not be able to operate the store this year on account of taking care of our aged aunt who got her knee broken July 4. Mrs. Griffiths will be there.

Again we thank you.
Mrs. M. Yandell

We're All for One — On A Tray



Designed for a time-of-your-life meal — our Barbecued Corned Beef Hashburgers. They are easy to cook, attractive to serve and the proof of it all is in the eating. It's a one-tray meal in keeping with modern ranch house living. Let the man-of-the-house carry it triumphantly to porch or yard for popular outdoor eating. It will match the appetites of good neighbors assembled for impromptu get-togethers.

Menus which include foods that can be arranged on one large serving platter or tray are most suitable for transporting to a cool, breezy dining spot. The hashburgers, on toasted buns, are prepared color and here it is in the sparkling green of fresh or frozen stringless beans and the relish garnishes.

Barbecued Corned Beef Hashburgers

1 (#2) can corned beef hash 1 teaspoon vinegar
1/4 cup tomato catsup 5 sandwich buns
1 teaspoon prepared mustard

Open both ends of can and push hash out, leaving it whole. Slice hash crosswise into 5 equal size rounds. Place hash slices in a greased baking dish and brown them in a hot oven (400° F.) for ten minutes, turn hash slices and brown them on other side for ten minutes. Combine catsup, mustard and vinegar and spread over top of hash slices during last ten minutes of baking. Cut buns in half and toast both cut sides. Place a slice of barbecued hash in each bun. Yield: 5 Barbecued Corned Beef Hashburgers.

HIGHWAY Community News

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Smith have been visiting their children, Buster and Preston Smith, at Fort Worth for several days this past week. Misses Geraldine and Linda Thomason went with them to visit their sister, Mrs. Buster Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hahn had their children visiting with them over the week end. The Hahns have just returned from a vacation.

Jimmie Hahn, Wilbur Tree and M. E. Tree went on a three-day fishing trip and brought back a good bunch for a fish fry at the Tree's.

The F. F. A. and 4-H boys going to Roaring Springs from this community were Billy, Bob, David Morgan and Jerry Thomason.

Mrs. Walter Thomason spent three days in the home of her son, Earl this past week. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Thomason went to Hereford Tuesday to visit their children there.

Mr. J. H. Marchbanks, a former resident, is reported very ill. He has suffered from another stroke. The Marchbanks live in Azle, Texas, now.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Whitford and Paul had lunch with Mrs. Earl Thomason Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Poole and Sherin of Lubbock were visiting in the community Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Martin, children and grandchildren, attended the Garrett reunion at Floydada over the week end. Most all of the Garrett grandchildren were present.

Menu Pomagic

HAMBURGERS DELUXE
For casual evening get-togethers or for quick lunches, here is an idea for making hamburgers—Deluxe style. The secret of these different and tasty burgers is the generous dressing featuring parsley and bleu cheese. Your kiddies will go for these nutritious hamburgers in a big way.

Hamburgers
2 pounds ground beef
1 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon pepper
2 hamburger buns
Mix beef, salt and pepper together. Shape into 4 flat hamburger patties. Split hamburger buns and spread margarine generously on bottom halves. Place hamburger patties on broiler rack. When ready to turn, place hamburgers broiled side down on margarine buns. Finish broiling about 5 minutes. Spoon Gourmet Spread over each hamburger and return to broiler for a few seconds. Just long enough to melt spread. Remove from broiler and place other half of bun on top and serve immediately. If desired, the top half of the bun may be omitted for more formal table serving.
Yield: 4 Hamburgers De Luxe.

Stop Taking Harsh Drugs for Constipation

Avoid Irritating Laxatives! Get Relief This Gentle Vegetable Laxative Way!

For constipation, never take harsh drugs. They cause brain cramps and griping, disrupt normal bowel action, make repeated doses soon needed.

Get sure but gentle relief when you use temporarily constipated. Take Dr. Caldwell's Senna Laxative contained in Syrup Peppin. No salts, no harsh drugs. Dr. Caldwell's contains an extract of Senna, one of the finest natural vegetable laxatives known to medicine.

Dr. Caldwell's Senna Laxative tastes good, gives gentle, comfortable, satisfying relief for every member of the family. Helps you get on schedule without repeated doses. Even relieves stomach sourness that constipation often brings.

Buy Dr. Caldwell's laxative today. Money back if not satisfied. Mail bottle to Box 280, New York 18, N. Y.

NOTICE

\$100 reward will be paid for the apprehension and conviction of any one caught trespassing, hunting, or fishing on the SMS Ranch without written permission from the management.

Swenson Land & Cattle Co., Inc.

TRANSITIONAL



Fashion designers have styled a new group of cotton fashions for the transitional season of summer-into-fall, the National Cotton Council reports. This one-piece cotton dress by Laura Lee of St. Louis, lightweight but dark in color, is patterned like a fine tweed.

Fifty per cent of Germans living in Great Britain became naturalized compared to 20 per cent of Russians and 13 per cent of Poles.

Duane Johnson played in the All-Star basketball games in San Angelo last Friday.

Time Now To Make Pre-School Plans

Most parents are already thinking about school clothes for their children and getting supplies and equipment selected. Equally essential for this annual preparation, is the physical check-up and emotional preparedness that mother and father can provide the young people.

According to Mrs. Eloise Johnson, family life education specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the ready and anxious feeling children have about starting to school is good insurance for happy and successful school years. Children need complete physical examination by the family doctor if this has not been done within the past six months. Especially those children beginning school need dental examination and thorough eye, ear, nose and throat check as well as inspection of heart and lungs. Dental defects should be corrected even though they occur in the baby or milk teeth.

An early examination may detect other ailments that require medical attention before school opens. In addition, children attending school for the first time must have small pox vaccination and diphtheria immunization.

with its safe play area, and pointing out safe play habits can reassure the parents as well as the children. Playing school at home helps children learn activities they will share.

Mrs. Johnson says more opportunities children have for making choices in selection of food, clothing, and play, and assuming responsibilities for health and safety habits, helps build good foundations for this first big adventure in independence.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Guyer and son left this week for a vacation in Arkansas. They will visit her parents.

Clifford Karr of Fort Bliss spent the week end in Spur visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Karr.

**Open for business!
Palace Barber Shop**

Lloyd Womack, Owner

Located just next to Palace Theatre. (Formerly Jenkins Barber Shop)

We invite all our friends and old customers to visit us in our new location...

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Pure Cane **SUGAR** 5 lbs. **45c** | **SNOWDRIFT** 3 lb. can **79c**

Flour PURSNOW 25 pound bag **1.98**
10 pound bag **79c**

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Libby's PEACHES
5 303 cans **1.00**

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5 303 cans **1.00**

FRESH PRODUCE!

Yellow **Spush lb. 7c**

Lettuce lb. 10c

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A western picture of the finest stars you have ever seen in a long time.

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