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P.T.A. CARNIVAL MONDAY NIGHT

The annual P.T.A. Halloween Carnival will be held Monday night, October 30, at the high school. Supper will be served in the Home Economics Department from 6 to 8 p.m. Sandwiches, hot dogs, home-made chili, pie, cake and coffee will be served. The evening meal is being sponsored by the ninth grade and the home economics department.

At 7 p. m. other activities will open in and around the gymnasium. A costume parade will be conducted by the first grade. Other activities include fish pond, second grade; cold drinks, pop corn and candy, third and 7th grade; white elephant sale, 4th grade; country store, 5th grade; game room, sixth grade; cat chunking, eighth grade; bingo, tenth grade; spook house, 11th grade, and cake walk by the 12th grade.

The coronation, under the direction of Miss Pam Sanderson and Mrs. Bill Barbee, will be held in the gymnasium at 9:30.

The following duchesses from grade school are running for the title of LADY:

- 1st—Lynda Allen
 - 2nd—Elizabeth Cole
 - 3rd—Jeannine Jones
 - 4th—Beverly McCollum
 - 5th—Glenda Sparks
 - 6th—Barbara Dunn
 - 7th—Virginia McCarty
 - 8th—Lydia Rodriguez.
- This contest will close at 3 p.m. Monday.

The high school Princesses in the race for Queen of Halloween are: Madell Benningfield, Freshman; Charlotte Berry, Sophomore; Charlene Drennan, Junior; Darlene McEntire, Senior. Voting on this group will end at 8 p. m. Monday.

Bill J. Cole Buys Emery's Butane Business

Bill J. Cole bought out the Joe Emery butane gas company here, and began operating it the first of the week. Cole plans to operate the business under the practiced formulas already set, and asks the continued patronage of the customers.

Joe Emery has been visiting O. D. Emery down in the Rio Grande Valley. He will return home this week-end. Mrs. Emery and Jodie plan to meet him in San Antonio and return with him.

TWO HURT IN CRASH

Two men were hurt seriously in a two-truck crash here early Wednesday morning. The injured men were Rodney Eugene Keese, 25 of Lampasas; Charles T. Wood, 28, of San Antonio, and Joe L. Sanchez, 42, of San Antonio.

Wood was driving north on Highway 87 in a truck and semi-trailer. Keese was a passenger. Sanchez alone, had driven off the Robert Lee cut-off road, just east of the city when the collision occurred about 12:30 a.m.

Sanchez was trapped in the cab of his truck for more than an hour while J. B. Atwell cut him out with a torch. Meanwhile the truck caught fire from gasoline spilled on the ground. Sanchez lost consciousness before he was finally released. Sanchez suffered a fractured left hip and jaw and other injuries. His condition was described as "fair" after having undergone surgery at a San Angelo hospital.

Keese sustained a fractured skull and was in "poor" condition in the hospital.

Wood, employed by the Mathews Trucking Co., Hagerman, N. M. was released from the hospital after treatment.

A Lowe Funeral Home ambulance took Keese and Wood to the San Angelo hospital, while an Ellis Funeral Home ambulance took Sanchez after he was cut out of the truck an hour later.

The Midland ambulance was returning from Austin and stopped to give assistance.

Mrs. A. G. Davés is on the sick list this week.

Man Hurt on Hospital Job

Bravo Rodriguez, laborer on the Sterling County hospital, fell and broke his wrist and several ribs Thursday afternoon. A Lowe ambulance took him to a San Angelo hospital.

Clinton Hodges Named Champion 4-H Sheep And Wool Producer For 1950

COLLEGE STATION, OCT. 27.—The winner of the 1950 4-H award that designates him as the champion sheep and wool producer for the year is Clinton Hodges of Sterling County. The announcement was made today by Floyd Lynch, state 4-H club leader of the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service. The award, an all-expense trip to National 4-H Club Congress, is provided by the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association.

Clinton is the son of L. F. Hodges of near Sterling City; is 16 years of age; a senior in high school and has been a 4-H member for six years. All of his demonstrations have involved sheep and wool production. Special emphasis has been placed on building up through a breeding program his flock of registered Rambouillet ewes and rams.

He is a Gold Star boy and has received the county Wilson Meat Animal medal and the Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers county medal. Last year he participated in the first range management contest sponsored by the North Conch Soil Conservation District and was awarded second place. He says, "this contest was very helpful to me. I learned much about range utilization and how to use the range to get the greatest production from it. I also studied grass identification and was a member of the range management demonstration team."

A check of Clinton's records reveals that during his six years in 4-H he has become a well known breeder of fine Rambouillet sheep, and it all started with a "dogie lamb" when he was five years of age. He joined the 4-H club when he was ten and his first demonstration involved the feeding of six registered Rambouillet ewes and two registered rams of the same breed. One of the rams was later sold for \$500 and the money was used to purchase 10 yearling ewes. Each year he has saved the ewe lambs to increase his breeding flock. At present, he has 63 ewes and 35 lambs in his breeding flock and is feeding six lambs.

Clinton is a member of the American Rambouillet Sheep Breeders Association and has attended several of their annual meetings and shows since he became a member. He will be in Chicago from November 26-30 attending National 4-H Club Congress and the International Livestock Exposition.

Records show a total of \$4,383.52 in profits and prizes. In six years he has won 65 ribbons, 4 grand champion ones, and 2 reserve champions.

Clinton is senior class president, 4-H president, and staff photographer for the school annual.

Mrs. Chesley McDonald Noratadata Hostess

Mrs. Chesley McDonald was hostess to the Noratadata Club members Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Bill Reed. A buffet supper preceded the business session.

Mrs. Worth Durham presided. The "Build a Better Community" contest was discussed and the material is to be placed in the library. Mrs. Worth Durham was elected delegate to the Federation Convention in Houston. The club voted to donate a dollar per member to the Federation Convention expenses as Texas hostess.

Mrs. J. S. Cole was in charge of a program on local color.

The club adjourned and bridge followed with the following present:

- Mrs. Fred Allen, Mrs. Dayton Barrett, Mrs. Alvie Cole, Mrs. Bill Cole, Mrs. J. S. Cole, Jr., Mrs. Nan Davis, Mrs. Worth Durham, Mrs. Joe Emery, Mrs. Forrest Foster, Mrs. Reynolds Foster, Mrs. J. Q. Foster, Mrs. William Foster, Mrs. Garlyn Hoffman, Mrs. Ewing F. McEntire, Mrs. G. C. Murrell, Mrs. Foster S. Price, Miss Sue Nelson, Mrs. Martin C. Reed, Mrs. Neal J. Reed, Mrs. Finis Westbrook, Mrs. Trinton Revell, Mrs. Hubert Williams, Mrs. Anna Lee Johnson and Mrs. Ross Foster.

Mrs. Sallie Wallace was taken to the Clinic-Hospital Tuesday with a case of pneumonia. She will remain for treatment several days.

Sterling Mauls Water Valley, 64-6.

By Harry Blaneck, Sports Reporter

Seven players had a hand in the scoring as Sterling City mauled Water Valley, 64-6, in a District 7 six man football game played here Friday night.

Leroy Butler scored 24 points for the Eagles while his brother, Elroy, collected seven. Charley Davis crashed over for two touchdowns and an extra point. Earl Blair and Buzz Bliznak had a touchdown each as did Bobby Blair, while Donn Gann accounted for two points.

Sterling led at half-time, 34-6. Water Valley collected its only score when Pope raced 60 yards to pay dirt in the second period.

Sterling made 391 yards through the air and on the ground. Water Valley gained 104 yards.

DISTRICT STANDINGS

Team	Won	Lost
Sterling City	5	0
Forsan	3	1
Rankin	3	1
Mertzon	4	2
Garden City	2	2
Paint Rock	2	3
Christoval	2	3
Water Valley	1	4
Courtney	0	5

Since Water Valley is our closest neighbor, the pep squad girls decided to form the letters H-I and sing the song, "Hi, Neighbor."

GRANDFALLS TAKES GAME 25-7, HERE THURSDAY

The Grandfalls Cowboys came to Sterling City Thursday night and wrapped up a ball game 25-7. The game was tight the first half. In fact, Sterling supporters could say it looked like another Sterling win. Don Gann intercepted a pass and took the ball into pay dirt and Leroy Butler took it on over for a tally. He then circled the end for the extra point. Grandfalls' Frank Hare took the ensuing kick-off and raced 70 yards for a score. A pass for extra point was good and the score was tied. There the score remained until after the half. But after the half got underway, it was Grandfalls' ball game the rest of the way. They have a large, well-balanced team that hardly brook defeat. They are playing 11 man ball this season, as well as 6-man.

All the Sterling boys turned in good performances. Leroy Butler and Henry Bliznak gave the Cowboys lots of trouble all through the game.

The game was a non-conference one, and does not count on the Eagles' district record. It was the fourth in a series of annual games with the Cowboys, from another district.

Wimodausis Club

The Wimodausis Club met at the Legion Hall on Wednesday, October 18, with twelve members present.

"Visual Beauty" was the topic for the day. Following the program, an art exhibit was held. It was arranged by Mrs. J. C. Reed and Mrs. H. L. Hildebrand. The club is indebted to Mr. O. T. Jones for an exhibit by the old master painter.

Mrs. Harvey Glass gave her poem "The Antique Walking Cane" which was the prize winning poem of the sixth district in 1950.

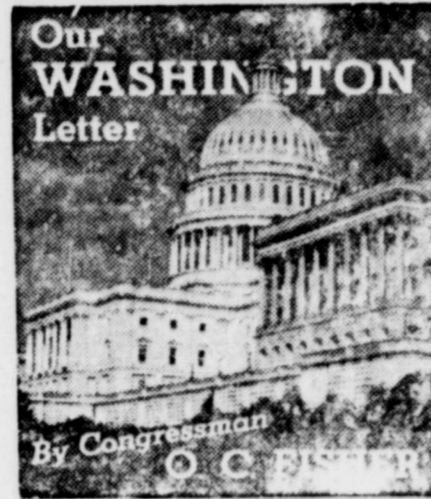
Mrs. Fowler McEntire was elected delegate to the State Convention from the club.

Brattons Honored With Dinner

The Roland Lowes, the Sims Prices and Mrs. Sue Knight were hosts Wednesday night with a dinner honoring the A. T. Brattons. The buffet dinner was held in the Community Center. Games were played following the dinner.

Present were the honorees, Mr. and Mrs. Trinton Revell, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Hoffman, Mrs. Charles Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hildebrand, Bonnie Ruth King, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Lowe, Foster Sims Price, Mr. and Mrs. Riley King, Mrs. Knight, Gene Alley, Pete Easley and Mrs. Jack Douthit.

The Brattons are moving to Brownwood in November. Mr. Bratton, with the Soil Conservation Service here for a number of years, will teach a veteran's agriculture class there and stock farm a place he has leased there. The Brattons have two children, Jackie and Clementine.



BERLIN

It's nearly 300 miles from Frankfurt to Berlin, an outpost 120 miles inside the iron curtain. Along the route can be seen some evidence of Russian military activity. Directly in the center of the air corridor is a jet air field. At another point, the Reds are busy building a new runway, presumably for use by fighter planes.

Berlin, which before the war had 4.3 million people now has about a million less. About 40% of the city was totally destroyed by bombs, including nearly every factory. At present, there are less than 300,000 unemployed here, and that number is being steadily reduced as more public works and reconstruction is attempted.

The Soviet-occupied zone, which takes in about a third of the city, is a shambles, and there has been very little re-building going on. Berlin people pass freely into the Soviet sector. There are no guards and ordinarily no questions are asked so long as the visitor does not go beyond the city limits.

But the difference in the two areas is amazing. In the Russian zone there is much less work going on, the shops are poorly stocked and the people actually look more haggard and distressed. On that side everything is rationed except what is bought in H-O stores. These stores are government operated and the prices are much higher. They are actually government-sponsored black markets.

The schools in the East sector are government-dominated. Every text book must be approved by the Russians. The Reds are making a terrific drive to enlist young people in the Communist Youth organizations. And they are making some progress.

When the Russians sponsored the youth "invasion" of the Western zones a while back, they actually transported a half million young Germans from all parts of the East into their section of Berlin. But the big march fizzled, thanks to the German police force recruited to meet the threat.

A high industrial exhibit sponsored by the Berlin Germans and ECA is to take place soon. It will include manufactured products from over Germany and nearby countries. An estimated 300,000 will attend. The Russians don't like this. It gives the people a view of what can be done under private enterprise. A model pre-fabricated American cottage was being put together, completely furnished to let the people see how small homes and conveniences are being used by Americans.

In their attempt to slow down and embarrass the whole project, the Reds have been stopping trains, imposing travel restrictions and the like in Eastern Germany in an attempt to keep those people away from Berlin while the big exhibition is going on. They even cut the electric power off, but the generating plant in the West Zone was able to meet the requirements without the aid of the plant in the East Zone.

This power plant was damaged by bombs and the remaining part was dismantled by the Russians when they first came in and shipped to Russia. By December, however, it will have a capacity of 1.2 million kilowatt hours and will be able to provide ample electricity for the Western zones.

A high light of our visit in Berlin was a visit with Ernst Reuter, the Mayor of Berlin, recently, described by TIME as "one of the few authentically big figures in Western Europe."

Himself a former Communist in his younger years, Reuter is today regarded as Russia's Public Enemy No. 1, in Germany. He was once a close friend of Lenin and an intimate of Stalin years ago. But he changed with experience. And after his exile from the Nazis during the war, he was permitted to return to Germany from Turkey in 1946 and was twice elected Mayor

Lions Club Luncheon

A program on the United Nations was given Wednesday when the Lions had the regular weekly luncheon in the community center. Garlyn Hoffman was in charge of the program. Sue Lowe acted as mistress of ceremonies. Elizabeth Hildebrand gave a prayer for the organization and world peace. Darlene McEntire talked on the U. S. flag and Barbara Garrett spoke on the United Nations flag. Virginia Hicks lead the group in a verse of "America, the Beautiful."

President Tillerson told of the P.T.A. Halloween carnival which will be held at the school Monday night.

The prize went to Lion Swann.

Mrs. W. T. Conger Has Birthday Dinner

Mrs. W. T. Conger was honored with a dinner at her home here last Sunday in observance of her 77th birthday anniversary.

Those present for the dinner included Mr. and Mrs. James Conger and son, Jimmy, of Fort Stockton, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Conger, and William and Betty of Forsan; Mrs. Bill Little and Billy of Pecos; Mrs. John J. Cole and Judy of McCamey; Mr. Joe E. Conger and Jodie and Roland of McCamey; Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson of Ranger; Mr. Pink Wilson, Miss Lenore Wilson, and Miss Beulah Wilson, San Angelo; Madge Conger of Crane; J. T. Conger and Virgil Brownfield, both of Sterling City.

VISITORS AT THE CHARLEY WADDELLS

Visitors at the Charley Waddells last week end were his brothers and sisters and their families. They were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Waddell of Devine, Mr. and Mrs. John Waddell, their daughter, Mrs. Paul Mooney and her son, Paul; Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Faulkner of Socorro, N. M.; Mrs. D. Higgins of Curvo, N.M. and her son, Charley; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Waddell of Denver City; and a friend of the family, Frank Spencer of Breckenridge. He came with the John Waddells of Fort Worth.

Mrs. N. A. Waddell, mother of Charley Waddell, was taken to a Big Spring hospital Wednesday for treatment and observation.

Mr. and Mrs. Henton Emery visited relatives in Crowell last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Augustine returned Monday night from a four day trip to the valley where they visited Mrs. Augustine's brother and family in Kingsville. They visited in Corpus Christi and McAllen and went across the border for a short trip.

Horace Donalson is having wrestling matches at his Palace Theater in Snyder each Wednesday night. The card is made up of two or three events each time. He invites his friends up to see the events — so wrestling fans, here's your opportunity to see some good matches.

or of Berlin.

We had lunch with Reuter at the Berlin City Hall. He talked freely of the Communist peril and of what may happen.

Will the Reds communize the East Germans? He doesn't think so. There's too much compulsion, he thinks, and the German people can see thru it.

Speaking of Berlin, Reuter said said he wasn't worried about his own safety there. "Berlin is the safest place in the world right now", he commented, "because if the Russians march into Berlin they know it would mean war and Stalin isn't yet ready for that to happen."

Is war inevitable? No, not if we prepare and the free people unite together in a common front, he thinks.

"Those Russians recognize but one thing", he said, "and that is force. They'll respect it if it's virorous."

In general, the Berlin Oberbürgermeister appeared optimistic. "A lot of things can happen", he reminded. "The biggest danger after the victory in Korea is that we will go to sleep. But if we don't, well, let's let's some time pass and then look."

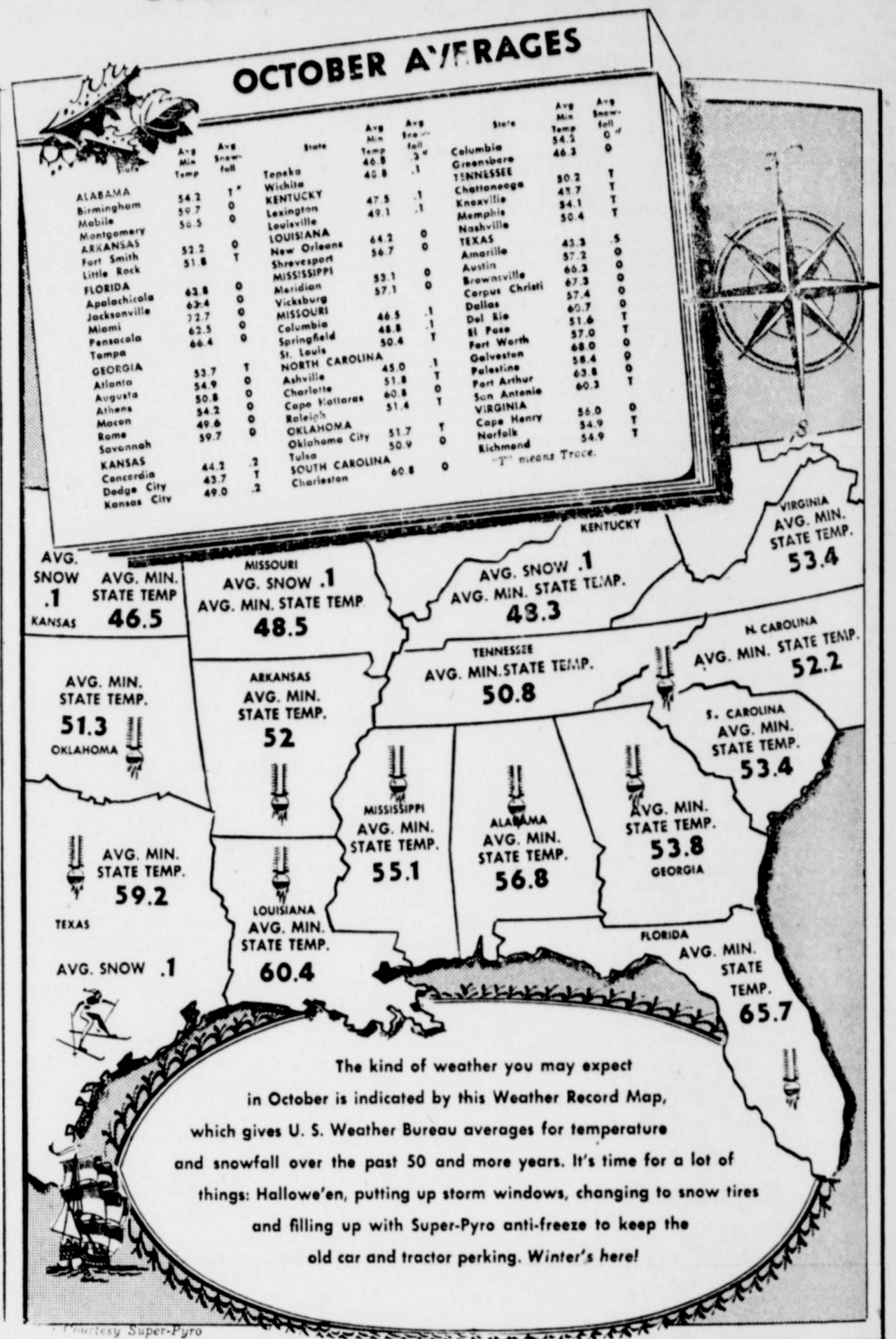
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HOME OWNERS' QUESTION BOX

Q. Can linoleum be painted?
A—Yes. Any good grade of floor paint or floor enamel should be satisfactory. Two coats probably will be needed. Before painting, the linoleum must be cleaned thoroughly. Paint won't stick to grease or wax.

Q—Will painting damage wood veneer?
A—Not at all, but why paint it? Hardwood veneers are carefully cut to reveal all the natural beauty of the wood grain. A finish that will protect the wood without hiding the grain is usually considered best. Wood veneer can be finished with wax, stain and varnish, shellac, lacquer or any other standard wood finishing material.

Q—Porch floor boards sometimes are painted before they are put in place. Why?
A—If only the top is painted, moisture will enter the boards through the unpainted surfaces. Eventually some of this moisture will collect under the paint and cause it to blister. Painting all the surfaces, including the hidden ones, keeps moisture out, and the paint will last much longer.

Q—Will a chimney spark arrester eliminate the possibility of chimney fires?
A—No. Sparks come from many other sources, too. Sparks from other chimneys are still dangerous, and flaming sparks from outdoor fires of any kind can be carried hundreds of yards by the wind. A roof of fire-resistant asphalt shingles is always an advisable safeguard.

Q. What causes stucco to crack?
A—There are three possibilities. Stucco might crack if the house settles. Improper mixing or application of the stucco could be another reason. A third cause is that the lath, or other base on which the stucco has been applied, has moved. Metal lath, instead of wood, should always be used in stucco work. If moisture penetrates to wood lath, it will expand.

Q—How can a paper lamp shade be cleaned?
A—Sponge the shade with skim milk. The milk won't penetrate the paper as much as water would.

MY CHAIN hoist is gone. Would borrower return it please.
 Joe Emery.

Announcement
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"Covering the County"

By Garlyn Hoffman, Co. Agent.

Clinton and Billy Ralph really had a chance to see all of the State Fair. Both boys stated that it was very educational if you studied the exhibits. The State Fair is the most desirable show that boys and girls can attend.

Billy Ralph placed 8th with one of his Southdown-cross lambs. This was a good placing as the lamb show was the largest in several years. Billy's lambs sold for 41c a pound and weighed 83 and 88. Clinton's lambs sold for 35c and weighed 90 and 98 pounds.

Last Monday's meeting at San Angelo covering insecticides and other new developments in livestock remedies was very interesting. For scroto worm smears and killers Lindane mixtures appear to be the best. New and different kinds of materials for sprays were covered and we should hear more about them in the near future. Sprays for cotton seemed to be better than dusts as sprays can be put on under most any weather conditions.

Toxaphene appeared to be the most successful all-around spray and dip for parasite control. Lindane is good for blue bugs, mites, and other parasites on chickens. D. D.T. and other toxic insecticides are still not recommended for use on dairy cattle.

As for mineral supplements for cattle in Texas there is still only two minerals that are deficient in Texas. Besides common salt they are phosphorus and calcium. In West Texas the only one that appears to be deficient is phosphorus. It was stated that there could be trace mineral deficiencies but none have been found at present. So be your own judge about feeding trace minerals. If you get good results from feeding mineral salts with trace minerals, then continue to use it. The old rule still holds true—if you obtain good results with a particular kind of material and others do not, well use what you get the best results with. The granulated salts are more effective than the block salt as livestock eat salt rather than lick it—that is nature.

There is still no effective way of killing horse bots other than carbon disulphide. A kerosene damp cloth wiped over the bot eggs on horses legs will kill the eggs. Horse bots cause lots of damage. They are on the inside and it is hard to see the effects of them.

Everyone should have by now sprayed their cattle for grubs. If you have not it is advisable to do

so before November 1. Use 7½ pounds of 5% rotenone per 100 gallons of water. This can be added to the regular spray mixture. Rotenone is harmless to warm-blooded animals.

On November 1 at 8:00 p. m. in the Veteran's workshop a slide picture will be shown about Sulmet for the treatment of livestock diseases. The county agent is making arrangements for this picture and all interested people are encouraged to attend. A Sulmet booklet will be given to every one attending. This is an important picture as this medicine can save your sick animals.

Coffee and donuts will be served that night courtesy of Long Drug Co., Boots Williams, and M.C. Reed.

An election for a Supervisor for the S.C.S. District will be held at 8:00 p.m. Saturday night in the court house. The district is north of the Concho River, south of the Robert Lee Road, over and west to the county line and the south part of Howard County. Anyone owning land within this area and living in the county is entitled to a vote. Everyone should attend as it is important that a good man be elected to a job such as a supervisor has to fulfill.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC:

I have bought Joe Emery's butane gas and appliance business, and am now operating it. I would like to retain your business and will handle tanks, gas, appliances both gas and electric.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh



You Can't Build A Better Mousetrap!

"They're not the best-looking boarders a man ever had," Hack Turner said one day, "and they've got awful tempers. But I've found it pays to have 'em around."

Hack was talking about a family of barn owls, nesting in his silo this year. Some folks believe those little white-faced screechers kill chickens—and ought to be shot on sight. But Hack disagrees.

"Up at State University they've studied barn owls for years—and never known one to eat a chicken. On the other hand, a daddy owl will clean up around 300 mice a

month. Farmers that kill barn owls are throwing away the best mousetraps known to man!"

From where I sit, when someone shows a prejudice against a group of animals or humans—it's usually just based on misunderstanding. For instance, some folks are plumb intolerant about those of us who enjoy an occasional quiet glass of beer. Get to really know us and you're liable to find we're pretty good birds at that!

Joe Marsh

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Yours very truly,

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County Treasurer's Quarterly Report
Tabular Statement of W. W. Durham, County Clerk, Sterling County
Quarter Ending June 30, 1950

JURY FUND, 1ST CLASS		
March 31, 1950	To balance last quarter	\$2,731.66
	To amount received during quarter	.75
	By amount paid out during quarter	\$2,732.41
June 30, 1950	To balance	\$45.25
	To amount received during quarter	\$2,487.16
ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND, 2nd CLASS		
March 31, 1950	To balance last quarter	\$1,783.07
	To amount received during quarter	\$21,582.63
	By amount paid out during quarter	\$23,365.75
June 30, 1950	To balance	\$19,215.38
	To amount received during quarter	\$4,150.37
GENERAL FUND, 3RD CLASS		
March 31, 1950	To balance last quarter	-\$1,145.64
	To amount received during quarter	\$3,076.94
	By amount paid out during quarter	\$1,931.30
June 30, 1950	To balance	\$7,093.20
	To amount received during quarter	-\$5,161.90
COURTHOUSE & JAIL FUND, 4TH CLASS		
March 31, 1950	To balance last quarter	\$5,108.27
	To amount received during quarter	1.99
	By amount paid out during quarter	\$5,110.26
June 30, 1950	To balance	\$850.66
	To amount received during quarter	\$4,259.60
COURTHOUSE SINKING FUND, 5TH CLASS		
March 31, 1950	To balance last quarter	\$1,970.27
	To amount received during quarter	1.76
	By amount paid out during quarter	\$1,972.03
June 30, 1950	To balance	.00
	To amount received during quarter	\$1,972.03
ROAD BOND SINKING FUND, 6TH CLASS		
March 31, 1950	To balance last quarter	\$560.00
	To amount received during quarter	.00
	By amount paid out during quarter	\$560.60
June 30, 1950	To balance	\$560.50
LATERAL ROAD FUND 7th CLASS		
March 31, 1950	To balance last quarter	\$2,034.57
	To amount received during quarter	.00
	By amount paid out during quarter	\$2,034.57
June 30, 1950	To balance	\$1,993.69
	To amount received during quarter	\$40.88
PERMANENT SCHOOL INTEREST ACCT. FUND, 8th CLASS		
March 31, 1950	To balance last quarter	\$75.00
	To amount received during quarter	\$635.75
	By amount paid out during quarter	\$728.75
June 30, 1950	To balance	\$75.00
	To amount received during quarter	\$633.75
HOSPITAL FUND, 9th CLASS		
March 31, 1950	To balance last quarter	\$33,100.07
	To amount received during quarter	.00
	By amount paid out during quarter	\$33,100.07
June 30, 1950	To balance	\$3,795.22
	To amount received during quarter	\$64,394.85
June 30, 1950	To Cash balances various funds	\$103,631.04
	Less: Overdraft, General Fund	\$5,181.90
		\$98,449.14

Report as revealed by the Finance Ledger of Sterling County, Texas, as of June 30, 1950.

Respectfully submitted this 10th day of September, A.D. 1950.

(Signed) W. W. DURHAM
County Clerk, Sterling County, Texas.

By Mrs. R. F. Brock, Deputy

(Seal- Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of September, A.D. 1950
JOHN BROCK,
Notary Public, Sterling County, Texas

Texas History Club

The Texas History Club met on Thursday, October 26. President Mims Reed presided. Secretary Bernice Green read the minutes of the last meeting. Treasurer Wade Cutright gave the treasury report.

The program committee entertained the group with games. Refreshments were served by Wade Cutright, Robert Garms, Kent Greathouse and Mary E. Huff. Mims Reed then adjourned the meeting.

Reporter Shirley Cole.

Hector Long, student at Arlington State College spent last weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Long.

The United Nations flag flew from the flag pole at the courthouse Tuesday of this week in observance of United Nations day.

I have four good butane gas stoves for sale. They were all replaced with new Dearborn heaters and will sell at good price—all or one.

Jack Douthit.

Miss Sue Nelson and Mrs. Finis Westbrook attended the State Fair in Dallas last week-end.

Jim Butler killed a skunk at his house Tuesday night. He killed the varmin tin his front yard. Said he would like to have chased him off a little piece before shooting him, but the kitty chased him almost in to the house, so he had to shoot him right at the porch.

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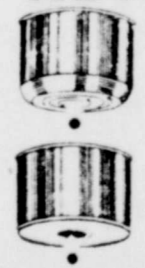
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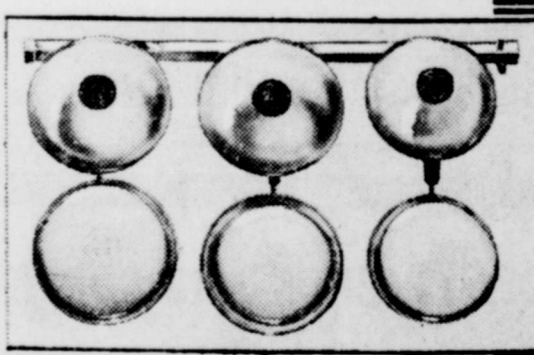
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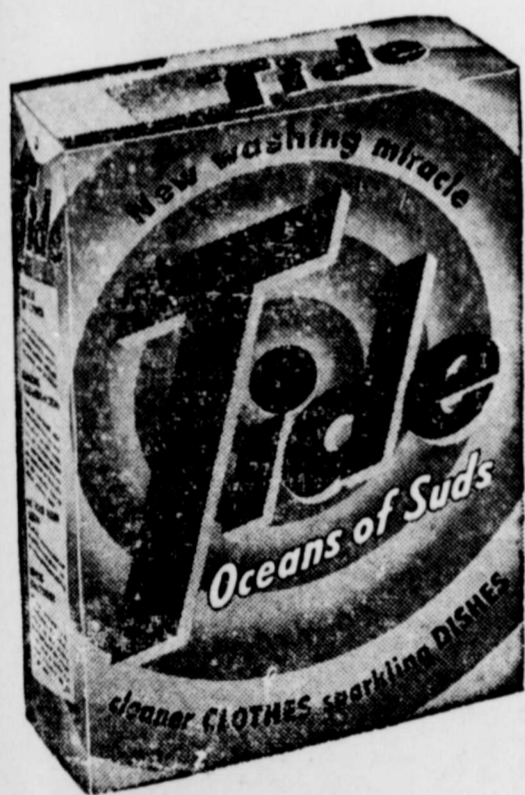
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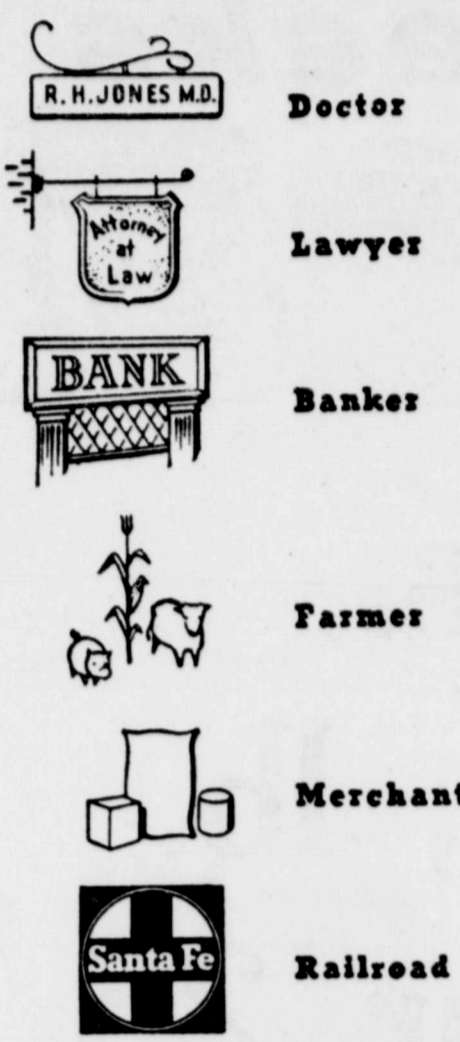
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The senior class is sponsoring a bake sale at the Palace Theater Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. The proceeds from the sale will go toward helping the candidate of the class (Darlene McEntire) in her race for Queen of Halloween at the Carnival to be held next Monday night at the school. Mrs. G. W. Tillerson, sponsor, is helping with the sale.

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"Montana"
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The Enochs Bros. have been doing spraying here for some time, and are known among the ranchers. Harzke formerly lived here. Their phone number is now 198.

BAPTIST W. M. S.

Benevolences were studied at the Baptist W.M.S. met at the church Monday afternoon. Mrs. J. A. Revell led the program in the absence of the chairman, Mrs. Lee Augustine.

Mrs. Mud Allen gave the devotional. Mrs. Lee Hunt spoke on "What Are Our Benevolences?". Mrs. Revell gave a report on the Buckner's Orphan's Home. Mrs. C. D. McEntire told of the home at Round Rock, and Mrs. Roy Morgan gave a report on the Baptist hospitals.

Others present were Mrs. Jack Douthit, Mrs. C. N. Crawford and Mrs. D. C. Durham.

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