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F. Conger Has Top Herefords In Show-Sale

Foster Conger, local rancher, was the consignor of the champion pen of 20 Hereford steers to the Concho Hereford Show and Sale Monday in San Angelo. They sold for 21 1/4 cents a pound to Billy Bryant of Midland.

Conger also had the top pen of 10 Hereford heifers in the show. They were sold to Webster & Sons for 20 cents per pound.

Clyde Reynolds of Garden City consigned the top pen of 20 heifers to the show. They sold to Weir Cattle Company for 17 1/2 cents.

Tom Humble consigned the second pen of 10 heifers. They went to Joe Lemly at 17 cents.

Texas State Fair in Dallas October 6-21

More big shows and more big names sparkle through the pleasure packed entertainment program for the 1956 State Fair of Texas, Oct. 6-21.

There will be 24 performances in the Auditorium of the Broadway musical comedy hit "Damn Yankees", starring the famous comedian, Bobby Clark. Shows are scheduled nightly with matinees Saturdays, Sundays and Wednesdays.

The always-popular Ice Capades, featuring an unusual production of "Peter Pan", will have 23 performances nightly except Sundays, with matinees Oct. 6, 10, 12, 20, 21 and two matinees October 7 and 14. The Jolie Chitwood Auto Dare-devils will smash and crash their way through 27 thrill shows in front of the grandstand.

Famous entertainers appearing at the fair will include Elvis Presley, the rock n' roll star, Oct. 11; Jack Benny's Sportsman Quartet and Pianist Roger Williams in the big free East Texas Day show Oct. 16; and Victor Borge's one-man "Comedy in Music" show Oct. 20.

Louis "Satchmo" Armstrong and his band will give four free shows on Oct. 15, Negro achievement day, and Johnny Long and his orchestra will play free shows daily in the Automobile Building.

Free spectacles in the Cotton Bowl will include the Fiesta Mexicana on Mexico Day Oct. 8, and the colorful Statewide Music Festival Oct. 9, in which over 4,000 high school musicians will take part. There'll be free aerial acts twice daily over the Magnolia Midway stage, and Magician Mark Wilson will present free magic shows several times daily in the Dr. Pepper Theater.

The million-dollar Midway will have its usual allure for carnival fun-seekers. There'll be dozens of rides and shows, including some new-fangled thrill rides like the Rotor, Roundup, and Twister, plus old favorites like the giant roller coaster and the nostalgic old-fashioned carousel, plus an acre of midget rides in Kiddie Town for the small fry.

There'll be something for everybody at the fair and plenty going on all the time. Numerous exhibitors will present free entertainment, ranging from western music bands to variety shows to performing chickens. There will be band concerts, free movies, fireworks, radio and TV programs.

Every day of the fair will be crammed with fun; every day will offer something different to see and do.

Lions Club Luncheon

The Sterling City Lions Club met Wednesday noon at the community center for the regular weekly luncheon. Guests present included Marion Hays of Sterling, Jimmy McCree of Big Spring, Ross Hardy of San Angelo and Bill Clayton of Abilene.

Jim Butler said the committee on civic improvement was working on a move for more street lights in the main part of town.

The club again voted to order Christmas Cards from the company that gives the profit to the Lions Club Crippled Children's Camp at Kerrville.

Coach Diddle Young told the club of the football game with Ackerly and announced the game for Friday night with Jayton.

The door prize went to H. A. Chapple.

CIVILIAN PLANE CRASHES; TWO ARE INJURED

A light civilian aircraft on a balloon spotting project crashed near here Tuesday afternoon injuring the two occupants. Injured were Kenneth N. Frost, 45, pilot, of San Angelo. He was flying a plane owned by Guy Lavender of San Angelo. And Rupert A. Schafer, 37, civilian employee of Goodfellow Field in San Angelo.

Frost sustained a broken back, and a concussion and deep laceration of his head. Schafer suffered a broken back, broken forehead, a broken ankle and bruises.

Finis Westbrook, local rancher, saw the plane crash. The green Piper Cub either lost flying speed or went out of control after it completed a left turn over a low mountain. The two-place plane crashed into a small mountain, only skidding the length of the ship. The landing gear crumpled in the crash and the plane broke apart at the passenger compartment.

A Goodfellow Field Air Force Base troop transport helicopter, also on a balloon tracking project, was over a near mountain awaiting the large plastic balloon. When the small plane failed to appear over the horizon, the helicopter went in search of it and found it crashed. After landing, the helicopter took the men to Goodfellow Field Air Base where they were transferred by ambulance to Shannon Hospital in Angelo.

The rescue operation took about 20 minutes, said deputy sheriff Jake Martin. Westbrook and another nearby person took the men from the plane. Reynolds Foster and Buster Burson arrived at the scene shortly after the plane crashed.

The balloon landed about a quarter a mile from where the plane crashed. When it landed, it shorted out rural lines and telephone lines, cutting off service for about an hour.

Farmers and Ranchers Under Social Security

More than 100 self-employed farmers who have reached age 65 have in the past three months filed their claims for social security benefits in the 13 counties served by the San Angelo District Office, according to E. M. Bowers, Manager.

These persons, Bowers continued, filed their 1955 tax returns, paid the self-employment tax thereon, and have already grossed \$600 in creditable farm income in 1956. By a special provision in the law, farmers past 65 who meet the two conditions just outlined may file their claims now, without having to wait until the end of 1956, their second year of coverage under social security.

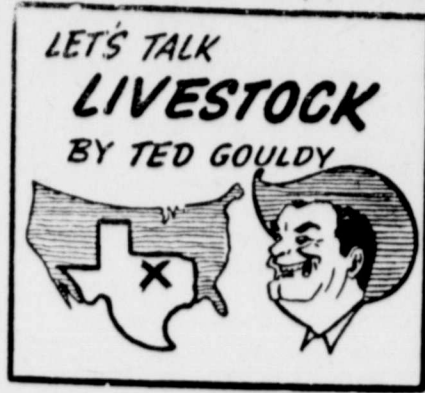
Payments are in the process of being certified to those who do not expect their net earnings this year to exceed \$1200, and to those other farm and ranch operators who have passed their 72nd birthday. If the farmer thinks he may net over \$1200, but cannot make a reasonable estimate of the expected net for 1956, his claim is still approved, but no checks are released until the end of the year when exact figures become available or at such earlier time as he can make a fairly accurate estimate.

As there may be advantages to having a claim filed at this time, Bowers urged all self-employed farmers who are over 65, who have filed their 1955 tax returns, and who are still operating their lands, to get in touch with the San Angelo social security office in the very near future. A copy of the 1955 tax return and cancelled check or money order stub showing payment should be presented when the claim is filed.

STERLING DELEGATE BACK FROM DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION

Worth B. Durham, the Sterling County delegate to the State Democratic Convention arrived home from Fort Worth Wednesday morning about 11 o'clock—tired and sleepy. He left the convention hall about two a.m. Wednesday morning and drove down to his brother's home in Eastland—where he slept till 6 a.m. Then he came on to Sterling City.

He said plenty of compromises, etc. had to be worked out to get anything done at the convention—anything done at the convention— which was a "stinker—or somepin".



FEEDER SALE PRICES REVEAL STRONG DEMAND

Fort Worth—Frank Reeves, dean of Southwestern livestock writers, in his account of the Angus stocker and feeder sale at Fort Worth last week said, "The supply was short of the demand and the pens were cleared early at strong prices."

That about tells the story except for a few details. A total of 1,361 head were sold for a gross of \$113,624.24, for an average per head of \$83.32. Choice steers drew \$18.00—26.00, and choice heifers drew \$17.00—22.00.

This was about 1,300 head fewer in the sale than a year ago at this date and reflected the early movement that has taken place in the calf crop in this part of the country.

H. V. Norton of Atoka, Oklahoma came in unannounced with some fancy steers and heifers and scored the first sweep of the series of shows and sales when his heifers and steers both topped grand championships. Norton's steers drew \$26 and his heifers drew \$22.

165,000 CATTLE AND CALVES AROUND MONDAY

Twelve major markets reported almost 165,000 cattle and calves Monday and the buyers sensed a lower market. However, after sparring around on the early rounds the trade at Fort Worth settled down to steady prices.

The offerings were mostly old cows and clean-up cattle and calves of various descriptions, indicating that cowmen in this territory are busily working pastures and getting herds shaped up for winter.

Buyers complained about the lack of high quality offerings in the run. However, some fed steers topped at \$24 and some fed heifers topped at \$23.

COMPARATIVE PRICES: Good and choice steers and heifers \$17.00—24.00; lower grades \$10.00—17.00; butcher and beef cows \$9.50—13.00; canners and cutters \$6.00—9.50; bulls \$9.00—13.00; good and choice fat calves \$15.00—18.00; lower grades \$10.00—14.00. Stocker steer calves \$14.00—19.00; choice quotable to \$20 or above. Feeder steers and yearlings \$14.00—20.00.

HOGS STEADY, FALL RUNS PICKING UP OVER COUNTRY

Hogs and sows opened steady at Fort Worth Monday. Choice meat hogs topped at \$17 and sows sold at \$13 to \$15. The off weights and less desirable quality hogs bulked at \$14 to \$16.50.

Recent days have seen a pickup in offerings of hogs over the country and this coupled with the reports that feed sales of pig and hog feeds featured stimulating growth factors has been very heavy, indicates the farms are rushing pigs to market to try and avoid the crush later this Fall and Winter.

Cornbelt experts in Iowa are predicting a low of \$13 to \$14 on hogs when the peak runs hit in late Fall or this Winter. Last year they hit pretty close with a dire \$11 to \$12 prediction. Hogs did get to \$11 and under at times in the Cornbelt last year.

FEEDER LAMB TRADE BRISK, CHOICE FATS SCARCE

Top on fat lambs was \$20 at Fort Worth Monday, but something fancy was considered eligible to sell above that figure. Feeder lambs were in broad demand, some 65 to 85 pound feeders in the \$16 to \$16.50 slot. Fat yearlings sold around \$15 to \$16. Old wethers sold from \$12.50 down. Slaughter ewes held in line with last week's better market with most sales \$4 to \$4.50, and a few shells less money.

BEEF BUYING PROGRAM ANNOUNCED BY BENSON

USDA Secretary Benson announced a 50 million pound ground beef purchase program last week (Sept. 7). The meat will be used for school lunch and other eligible federal relief programs. The beef purchase program was announced as movement of grass cattle became heavy all across the Western plains. The program had been advocated earlier at a Washington meeting between USDA Officials and members of the industry Beef Advisory

Eagles Down Ackerly 39-0 in First Game

TFWC President Honored By Local Clubs Last Week

Members of the Wimodausis and Noratadata Clubs honored the TFWC President, Mrs. A. J. House of Yoakum, with a coffee here last Friday morning. The affair was held in the community center at 9:30 a.m.

The affair was a chuckwagon breakfast. Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Templeton Foster, Mrs. Lester Foster, Mrs. Worth B. Durham and Mrs. Thomas Foster. The clubs gave Mrs. House a corsage of money. It was to go toward an educational fund of the state organization.

Mrs. House gave a short talk on what the clubs over the state were planning to do in the way of community work this year.

Mrs. Fowler McEntire presided at the joint affair. Mrs. Worth Durham served. Mrs. Chesley McDonald introduced the state president.

Thirty-six persons attended the coffee.

Breaks Arm in Fall Tuesday

Alfred Chapple, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Chapple, broke his left arm above the wrist late Tuesday afternoon north of town. Alfred was dove hunting and while walking across the railroad bridge in north part of town, he fell, breaking his arm. It was set at the hospital shortly after the accident.

First P.T.A. Meeting Held

The first meeting of the Sterling City Parent Teacher Association was held Thursday night at the school auditorium. Registration and visiting took up the opening time. Bill Young gave the devotional, and the high school athletic department gave a special feature. A social hour followed the meeting.

James Waite Swarts

James Waite Swarts, 83, a former resident of this county, died August 25 in Van Horn. He was given a military funeral at Fort Bliss, El Paso and buried there.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients in the Sterling County Hospital on Thursday morning of this week included—

Mrs. W. E. Allen
Mrs. Neal Reed
Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Glass
J. G. Bird
J. D. Leonard, M. D.
Kathy Haralson
Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week include:
Mrs. Marshall Blair and infant daughter, Marsha Sue
Mrs. Will Hanson
Esther Bird
Dan Glass

Roland Lowe made a business trip to Dallas Monday of this week.

Better Early Than Late! Choose your Christmas Cards now from the samples at the News-Record.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Knight and Hal, Jr. vacationed in Arkansas last week. They visited with relatives in Fayetteville and spent some time in Dallas on the return trip.

Mrs. Lee Augustines Brother Dies
Henry Claude Murtishaw, 67, a Coke County resident for 64 years, died Monday afternoon in Bronte Hospital. Burial was Tuesday afternoon. Murtishaw was a brother of Mrs. Lee Augustine of Sterling City.

Jenny Ruth Davis and Esther Bird are entering T.C.U. this fall.

Committee made up of retailers, packers, producers, etc. It is the first beef purchase program in about two years aimed at support of livestock prices.

Play Jayton There Tonight

The Sterling City Eagles tripped up Ackerly to the tune of 39 to 0 in the first game of the season last Friday night. The game was played at Ackerly and many local fans followed the Eagles to the first game. Coach Young's boys had no trouble at all winning.

The Eagles made two touchdowns each quarter during the first three quarters of the game. Ackerly did not seriously threaten.

Lynn Glass led the winners with 18 points to his credit. Melvin Foster got 7, Marvin Foster and Kelton Gaston chalked up 6 each and Bill Young and Jimmy McWhorter one each.

The score by quarters:
Sterling City 13 13 13 0—39
Ackerly 0 0 0 0—0

TO JAYTON TONIGHT

The Eagles journey to Jayton tonight on the second leg of this season's journey. The game is a non-conference one, but is expected to be closer than the game last Friday with Ackerly. Coach Young has a good group of players this year and high hopes are held for a repeat of district or regional winner—as in 1954.

Jayton is 117 miles, said Young, but he hopes for a large crowd to go tonight, backing the Eagles.

Among Sterling students who will be in Texas Tech this fall are Wanda Williams, Kent Jones, Dennis Bailey, Dan Glass, Mims Reed, Hal Knight, Jr.

The York Grunys have bought the old Ritter House from Foster S. Price. They plan to move into it around September 21.

Bill Swann has gone to Austin where he will enroll as a pre-med student in Texas University.

Constitutional Amendments

MORE ABOUT AMENDMENTS TO BE VOTED ON IN NOVEMBER

By Senator Dorsey Hardeman

This article concludes the brief resume of the proposed amendments of the Constitution to be voted on at the general election. It deals with H.J.R. 15 known as the "stock gambling" amendment.

A similar proposal was defeated in 1951 when it was submitted as a single and separate issue. Now, it is concluded with two other proposed amendments in a package-deal. Whether this was to mislead is not known. Certainly, it is "sugar-coated" in such fashion as to be hardly recognizable by the less discerning.

After embracing two lengthy proposals relating to the College Building Fund which are, more or less, window-dressing, although Lamar Tech at Beaumont and the Negro University at Houston are added, despite the allocation of certain other monies to these two schools for building purposes.

This "package-deal" is designed to provide a "legal" plan for "playing the stock market" with O.P.M. (other people's money), namely, one-half of the Permanent University Fund of \$250,000,000 with no other requirement than the exercise of "judgment and care under the circumstances then prevailing". Bad investments or losses will be borne by the children of this and future generations and the Regents will have enjoyed the thrill of playing the stock market and competing with Wall Street operators at no personal loss or responsibility whatsoever.

The proposal is presented as broadening the investment base of the Permanent University Fund "to increase earnings . . . without any increase in taxes." Sounds good. Suppose, however, there is a loss of capital, then will it not have to be restored by taxes?

The sensitivity of the stock market to the President's health is well known. His heart attack threw a five billion dollar loss in the market in September, 1955 (later recovered with inflation) and his

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What's Doing in Churches

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
L. S. Dubberly, Pastor
Church School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Marion H. Hays, Minister
Bible School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Young People's Class 6:15 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, Ladies Bible
Class 9:30 a.m.
Wednesday, Mid-Week
Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Claude B. Stovall, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 7:30 p.m.
Evening Worship 8:00 p.m.

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Lewis G. Petmecky, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

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BAPTIST WMS MEETING

The Baptist Women's Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. Roy Morgan Monday in an all-day meeting. A covered dish dinner was enjoyed by those present.

Mrs. Stovall, president of the group, was in charge of the morning session and Mrs. Tom Tumble was in charge of the afternoon portion.

Sixteen members were present and four visitors—Rev. C. B. Stovall, Roy Morgan, Mrs. Daisy Smith and Pam Young.

METHODIST CHURCH

Services at the Methodist Church will be held at the usual times on Sunday—Sunday School at 10 a.m., morning worship at 11 and the evening worship service at 7:30 p.m. Pastor L. S. Dubberly will do the preaching.

The Official Board of the church will meet at 6 o'clock in the evening. An evening meal will be served promptly by four members of the board and then business of the church will be transacted. The choir will have practice at 7:30 Wednesday evenings.

Women's Society of Christian Service News

Several members of the Women's Society of Christian Service went to Brady Thursday to attend an all day meeting of the San Angelo District organization. The purpose of the meeting was to gather material for the three study courses that will be taught this fiscal year. Mrs. Frank Milligan will teach the course on Home Missions; Mrs. O. T. Jones the course on East Asia; and Mrs. L. S. Dubberly will teach the course on Paul's Letters.

STERLING EAGLES 1956 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Sept. 14—Jayton There
Sept. 21—Lawn Here
Sept. 28—Imperial There
October 5—Paint Rock Here
October 12—Open
Oct. 19—Garden City There
Oct. 26—Water Valley Here
Nov. 2—Forsan There
Nov. 9—Christoval Here
Nov. 16—Mertzon There
The last five games are conference

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FOR YOUR FLOWER orders call Mrs. Harry Lawson at 8-2551, or Mrs. J. A. Revell—8-4501. Baptist Church. t-7-13

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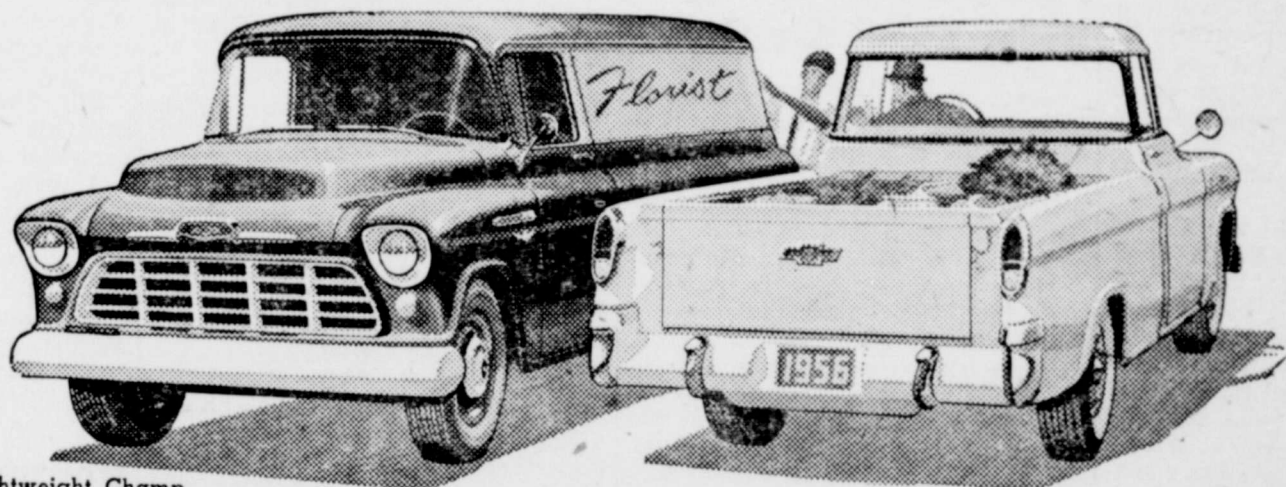
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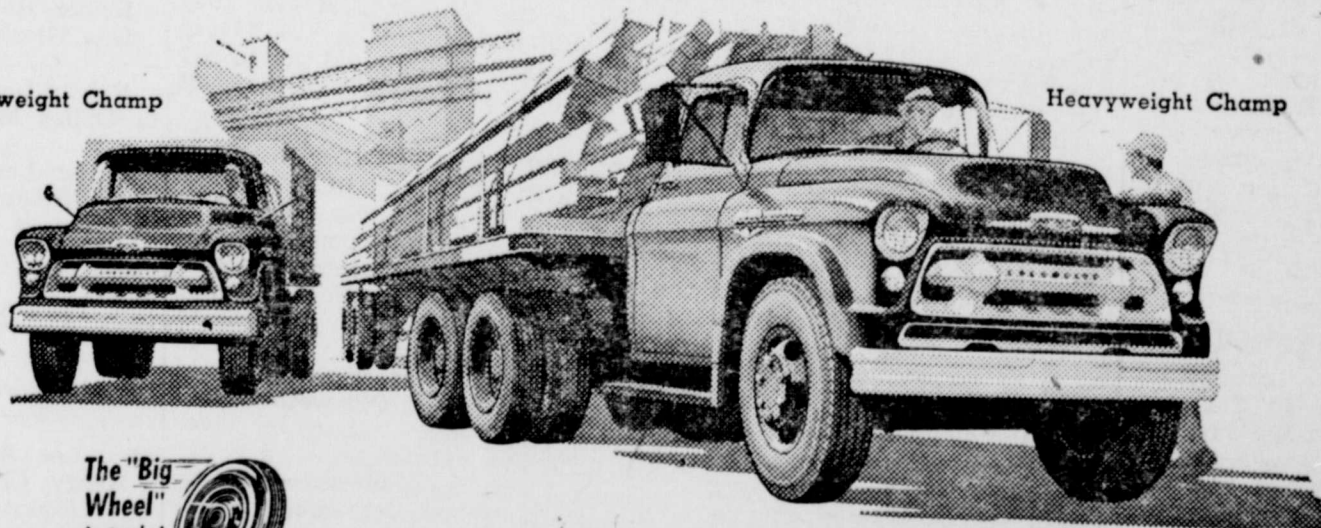
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Little Girls In Big Shoes

By Betty Barclay

CHILDREN have a great time playing "grown-ups." In fact, a favorite activity of little girls is to shuffle about in mother's shoes—and give a party to friends, similarly attired! A wise parent steers her daughter towards preparing wholesome milk drinks for refreshments . . . such as Strawberry Milk. Then, too, the pretty pink color of this drink, as well as the flavor, will be enjoyed, so everybody'll be happy.

Strawberry Milk

1 package Strawberry Kool-Aid; 1 cup sugar; 2 quarts cold milk.

Mix soft drink powder and sugar. Add milk and stir until sugar and soft drink powder are dissolved. Serve immediately. Makes 8 servings.

For 1 serving, use 1 level teaspoon soft drink powder, 3 heaping teaspoons sugar, and 1 cup milk

COUNTY HISTORICAL CHAPTER MEETS MONDAY NIGHT

The Sterling County Chapter of the Texas Historical Association met Monday evening at the News-Record shop. Present were Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Brown, Mrs. Rufus Foster, Mrs. Fowler McEntire, Mrs. Harvey Glass, Hal M. Knight and Jack Douthit, members.

Mrs. Brown was elected chairman and Mr. Brown vice chairman of the group. They were also elected as delegates to the State Historical Foundation meeting to be held in Austin Saturday, October 27.

SELECT your Christmas Cards now. Sample books now ready at the News-Record.

Yours With Gusto

By Betty Barclay

"BEAUTY is as beauty eats" gains new meaning via a jar of this pure, ruby-red jelly . . . which can be enjoyed exquisitely by both eye and palate.

Raspberry and Rhubarb Jelly
Yield: about 12 medium glasses (6 lbs. jelly)
4 cups juice (about 1 quart ripe red raspberries and 2½ lbs. rhubarb); 7 cups (3 lbs.) sugar; 1 bottle Certo fruit pectin.

First, prepare the juice. Crush about 1 quart fully ripe red raspberries. Cut in 1-inch pieces (do not peel) about 2½ pounds rhubarb. Place fruits in jelly cloth or bag and squeeze out juice. Measure 4 cups into a very large saucepan.

Then make the jelly. Add sugar to juice in saucepan and mix well. Place over high heat and bring to a boil, stirring constantly. At once stir in Certo. Then bring to a full rolling boil and boil hard 1 minute, stirring constantly. Remove from heat, skim off foam with metal spoon, and pour quickly into glasses. Cover jelly at once with ¼ inch hot paraffin.

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Chances that your tax form—of 60,000,000—would be picked for checking might seem low, yet the government does a surprisingly extensive job of scrutinizing, say the editors of *Changing Times*, The Kiplinger Magazine.

Not all returns get the same attention although every one is checked for arithmetic. Some 40,000,000 small wage and salary earner's returns have little more on them than notations of total income tax withheld and dependents. These are subject to only cursory examination.

But about 20,000,000 returns receive greater attention. If you earn between \$5,000 and \$50,000 or have a business that doesn't gross over \$30,000, it's likely your form will be reviewed. The probability is increased if you list unusually large medical deductions, interest payments or contributions. And, if you request a large refund, you can be sure your return will be audited. Even in the case of smaller refunds, increasingly greater care is being exercised in making payments.

New Ball Point Pens at Post Office

The Post Office Department has put in new ball point pens in the local post office. Hal Knight, local postmaster, installed the new ones this week. The new type pens replace the old pen staffs of former years. (But the regulations say to store the old pens in a safe place. Maybe they don't have too much faith in the new ones.)

Need A Reason To Frost?

By Betty Barclay

HERE'S a cake frosting that's nourishing as well as attractive and tasty. Which makes 3 top reasons to try it next time you bake a 9-inch layer!

Coconut Cream Cheese Frosting
1 tablespoon butter; 1½ cups tender-thin flaked coconut.

½ cup butter; 2 packages (3 ounces each) cream cheese; ½ teaspoon salt; 4 cups sifted confectioners' sugar; 1 tablespoon milk (about); ½ teaspoon vanilla.

Melt 1 tablespoon butter in saucepan. Add coconut and saute until golden brown, stirring constantly. Remove from heat.

Cream ½ cup butter, add cheese and salt, and blend. Add small amounts of sugar and milk alternately, beating after each addition. Add vanilla and ¼ cup of the coconut. Spread on cake, sprinkling with remaining coconut. Makes enough frosting to cover tops and sides of two 9-inch layers.

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Nothing To Beat It!

By Betty Barclay

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Banana Ice Cream
1 package vanilla pudding and pie filling mix; ¼ cup sugar; 2 cups milk; 1 cup heavy whipping cream; ½ cup mashed ripe bananas.

Combine pudding mix, sugar, and milk in a saucepan. Cook and stir over medium heat until mixture comes to a full boil. Remove from heat. Cool, then chill. Whip the cream; fold into pudding mixture. Then fold in bananas.

Pour mixture into freezing tray of refrigerator and set control for coldest freezing temperature. Freeze 1 hour. Then pour mixture into bowl and beat with egg beater or mixer until smooth, but not melted. Return to tray and freeze until firm. Freezing time: 3 to 4 hours. Makes 1 quart.

School Lunchroom Menus

- MONDAY, SEPT. 17
Grilled Luncheon Meat
Pinto Beans
Cabbage and Tomato Salad
Buttered Corn
Cornbread
Lemon Cake
- TUESDAY, SEPT. 18
Sausage and Gravy
Buttered Rice
Candied Sweet Potatoes
Lettuce and Tomato Salad
Rolls, Cookies
Peaches
- WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 19
Ham Sandwiches
Pimiento Sandwiches
Sliced Tomato, Lettuce
Fruit Cup, Rum Cake
- THURSDAY, SEPT. 20
Fried Chicken and Gravy
String Beans and Potatoes
Beets, Celery Sticks
Hot Biscuits
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- FRIDAY, SEPT. 21
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AMENDMENTS TO BE VOTED ON AT THE GENERAL ELECTION IN NOVEMBER
(Continued From Front Page)

stomach ache in the early summer, likewise, caused a violent reaction in Wall Street.

Did the founding fathers who wisely established this Fund and provided for its investment in tax-supported securities ever intend for a group of political appointees—9 Regents—should play the stock market or speculate with this Fund or any part thereof?

The yield from authorized securities—government bonds, etc, is now 2.7%. It is only proposed to increase the yield, assuming no loss, and all profit, to 3.4% of the magnificent increase of only seven-tenths of 1% if no loss is sustained.

The Regents are all men of highest integrity engaged in various pursuits and appointed for different reasons. I am not advised as to their financial wizardry or ability. I only know that "playing the stock market" is a hazardous undertaking, and, more so, with public money. If they're financial wizards their services would be snapped up" by investors everywhere.

An examination of the official reports of forty of the major life insurance companies of the United States for the first nine months of 1955 reflects that only 1.8% of their total investments of \$9,315,600,736.00 is invested in all corporate stocks, whereas, the University Regents want authority to gamble 50% of the Permanent University Fund on Wall Street. During the same period, these insurance companies invested 33.7% in tax-supported bonds.

A survey of 35 private colleges and universities with total endowment of 1.72 billion showed investments in common stock of 50.4%; bonds 38.8% and preferred stocks 6.5%. But remember this is private money not public funds.

Corporate entities must pay a high income tax before dividends are paid thus directly affecting the yield realized. The facts, as reported in recent authoritative publications, are that corporation stocks are higher—thanks to inflation—while the yield is down. With spiraling inflation as the result of guaranteed annual wages, the rising costs of living and increased taxes, there will be decreasing yield from corporate investments.

Perhaps the Regents propose to "buy 'em low and sell 'em high" and win all the time.

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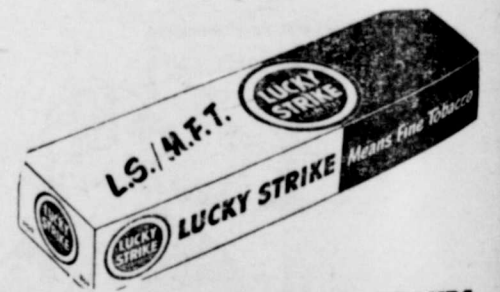
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