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AROUND THE COUNTY by



ARTHUR BARLEMANN, JR. COUNTY AGENT

Sterling County wheat growers will join with other producers throughout the nation on August 24, to decide if marketing quotas will be in effect on their 1962 crop. Quotas will be in effect only if at least two-thirds of the producers vote "yes" in the referendum. Here are the options in a nutshell. If farmers vote "yes":

1. The price of wheat will be pegged at \$2 per bushel or about 84 per cent of parity for those who comply with program provisions.

2. There will be mandatory acreage reduction of 10 per cent.

3. Payments will be made for diverting wheat acreage and for devoting it to a conservation use.

4. Additional voluntary reductions may be made. If farmers vote "no":

1. Price support on wheat will be \$1.19 per bushel or 50 per cent of parity for those producers planting with acreage allotments.

2. There will be no limit on marketing.

All farmers who have produced more than 13.5 acres of wheat in at least one of the last three years is eligible to vote. Complete information on the proposed wheat stabilization program can be obtained at the county agent's office or by contacting Eddie Braswell, Sterling county ASCS office manager.

We do not have a 1962 wheat program now. That will be up to farmers to decide on August 24.

W recently received a letter from Quarter Horse Association of West Texas that will be of interest to some 4-H club members in Sterling county.

The Association has been working on a horse program for club members along with the Agricultural Extension Service. A couple of months ago the Extension Service completed plans for a horse program for club members. Just recently, the Quarter Horse association worked out plans with the Sand Hills Show Association at Odessa for them to have a colt class in their 1962 show in January. They hope that one or two other shows will put in colt classes for the club members.

Presently, that is about all the information we have on the project. If you are interested, contact me and I will keep you posted on the developments.

Work on the brucellosis certification program has just about moved out of west Texas area. The western portion of the state has just about completed work with nearly all counties certified in July. Three counties in the southern portion of the area, Val Verde, Edwards, and Kinney, have not completed work.

Extension Service District 7, a twenty-two county area of which Sterling county is the north west corner, is the first district to complete certification. All counties in the district were certified on July 1. The district's southern boundaries are Bander and Borne while San Saba and Llano are the eastern boundaries.

Interested Sterling county ranchers are urged to make the range tour of the Barnhart range station on Tuesday, August 29. The tour is part of the range committee's recommendations for this year.

This is not a field day at the station; only Sterling county ranchers will be there. Don Huss, an assistant professor in the Range and Forestry Department at Texas A&M College, heads the work at Barnhart. He will be present to discuss brush control, grazing systems and the livestock work on

the station as well as answer any questions.

Details of the trip will be contained in a letter to be mailed soon and in this column next week.

Let's Keep Up The Brand Inspections

Texas cattle raisers are protesting the doing away with the inspection of cattle at the sales rings by the Rangers. Texans are letting the Secretary of Agriculture know how they feel about stopping the inspections by writing letters to the secretary.

Sheriff Jim Cantrell says that livestock thefts are more prevalent now. He says that 13 head of cattle are missing here in our county along with about 250 sheep. Inspections at the sales rings help locate such missing head of livestock.

The cattlemen's association files and keeps records of sales in a master file at Ft. Worth for years following sales. All pertinent data is filed said Jeff Dunham, inspector.

UNWITTING INVITATION TO CATTLE THEIEVRY

Unwittingly, the U.S. Department of Agriculture has put itself on the side of the cow thieves. It still has a chance to get loose from this unhealthy alliance.

The USDA has ordered the Texas & Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association to stop its brand inspection system at Texas terminal markets and auctions. The termination date was originally set for Sept. 1 but has been postponed for a new hearing.

Under the present system, a brand record is made and kept on every animal that passes through a Texas sale ring or market. Not only that, but records will show the name of the seller and his license number in case it later develops—the next day or the next year, it makes no difference—that the cattle were stolen. An eight-cents-per-head fee is exacted for this service.

Although the work is done by the cowmen's own organization (and who could do the job better than the cowmen themselves?). The inspectors carry a Texas Ranger commission which makes them official state law enforcement officers. No one has to be a member of the TSCRA to enjoy benefit of this protection.

This brand inspection system has put a lot of thieves behind bars. More important, it has prevented an untold number of thefts simply because the thief knew he couldn't get away with his crime.

To take away this system now would be to swing the gates wide open and invite the thieves to take over.

The association has participated in the successful prosecution of 396 cattle theft cases in the last three years, many of these involving unbranded cattle identified by markings or other means. New Mexico has a state inspection system that costs 15 cents a head. Texas, with 8 cents, is the cheapest in the nation.

The USDA has proposed no system to take place of this one. It is extremely doubtful the federal government could do as effective a job or do it as cheaply.

The Horace Donaldsons of Sterling City and the Bill Barbees of Richardson are in California on a vacation trip. They planned to take in Disneyland for little Hull Barbee's sake while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Horwood returned home from a vacation trip to Las Vegas, Nev.

Football

Sterling Eagle coach J. R. Dillard has been working out the 1961 team—each day of this week and the boys are well over the chore of hardening up the muscles. The boys have toned up and are now ready for some real workouts, said the coach.

Eighteen boys have been out for practice this week. Two or three have missed some of the practice sessions due to colds and bruises.

Dillard said that he is impressed with the boys' willingness to really work out this season and he has high hopes for his relatively light team.

Eagles backs this year include C. L. King, Clayton Stewart, David Durham, Jerry Payne, Eddy Coleman, Royce Sparks and Bill Foster.

Ends include Leroy Churchill, Bill Coleman, Danny Bailey, and Crisp Williams.

Reynolds Lee Foster and Charles Daves are listed as centers for this year.

Guards include Johnny Augustine, Vernon Asbill, Bill Dees, Billy Bauer and Billy Joe Tindall.

Kickoff Rally Saturday Night, August 26

A barbecue and pep kickoff rally for the Eagles will be held in the city park on the night of August 26 at 7:00. It has been announced. A barbecue supper is planned by the mothers club. Members of the club will be asked to bring or furnish certain foods and all other people of the town are asked to bring a salad or cake, please.

The meal, an introduction of the team, etc. and some short talks will make up the rally. Everyone is invited.

Film Follows Rally

The showing of the film, High Noon, will follow the rally. It will be shown at the school auditorium and stars Grace Kelly and Gary Cooper. It will also be shown on Sunday afternoon, it was announced.

Couch J. R. Dillard has announced the 1961 season schedule. The first game will be with Gail there on the night of September 1. It is, of course a non-conference game.

There is one new team in the conference this year. Imperial has been added and a game with Imperial will be played there October 27, according to the schedule.

EAGLES 1961 SCHEDULE

The schedule as released by Dillard is as follows: Sept. 1—Gail There Sept. 8—Loop Here Sept. 15—Wellman There Sept. 22—Grandfalls There Sept. 29—Dawson Here Oct. 6—Open Oct. 13—Klondike There Oct. 20—Garden City Here Oct. 27—Imperial There Nov. 3—Forsan There Nov. 10—Grandfalls Here (Homecoming Game) *Marked Games Conference

School To Open on September 5

School will open here on Tuesday, September 5, said school superintendent O. T. Jones this week. Opening will be at nine o'clock that morning with assembly in the auditorium.

Teachers' workshops will be held on September 1, 2 and 4, said Jones.

This year birth certificates of all beginning students will be required, said the superintendent.

New Teachers Hired

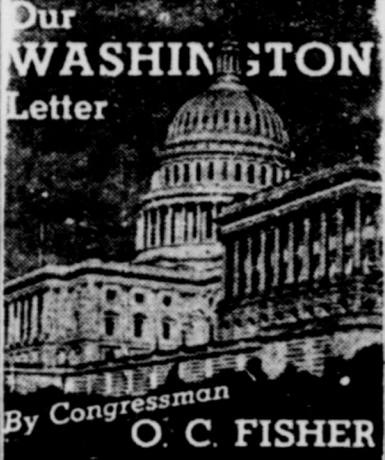
Mr. Jones said that two new high school teachers had been hired. Fred McDonald, who has been teaching at Allen Military Academy near Bryan, is the new high English teacher. He will also serve as assistant coach here, it was said. He and Mrs. McDonald have three children.

Ben Brown, who has also been teaching at Allen Academy, is a new teacher. He will teach social science and 8th grade math, said Jones, as well as serve as a counselor. He and Mrs. Brown have one child.

HOSPITAL NOTES

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

Mrs. Alice Gaitan Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week include: Dr. J. D. Leonard, deceased Mrs. E. A. Medart Mrs. Ruth Allen Richard Gaitan Mrs. Pat Holland Louie Alexander Rosa Gonzales Mrs. Trine Medina



By Congressman O. C. FISHER

Fidel Castro's Communist regime in Cuba has aroused a widespread demand that the United States have a showdown with the Red dictator. Never in history has a nation tolerated so many insults and restrained itself in the face of so many provocations. Aside from becoming a military base for the Soviet Union only a hundred miles from our shores, Castro's Cuba has become a haven for pirates and thugs wanted for major crimes in the United States.

Brazen confiscation of American owned property without any semblance of compensation is in itself intolerable. And the holding without any legal right of a commercial plane stolen at the point of a pistol by a Castro agent adds insult to injury.

It is time for action. The hour is growing late. The security of this Nation and of the Western Hemisphere is being seriously jeopardized every day that action is delayed. Can we afford to stand idly by and permit Cuba to become a Soviet missile and submarine base?

A total economic embargo should have been imposed long ago. There is ample justification for a military blockade, following an ultimatum calling for return of the plane and the hijackers. The time is overdue when the Castro regime should be treated for what they actually are -- a band of murderers, thieves, swindlers, and Russian puppets.

Among recent visitors from our district have been Lang C. Martin of Coleman; Bill Dixon, Ralph Logan, Bob Ford, Dr. Henry L. Ricci, Sgt. James L. Strain, the C.R. Barafars. Mr. and Mrs. C.P. Tubbs and daughter, Barbara Anne. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Late and daughter Jan; and E. S. Mayer -- of San Angelo.

Other visitors have been Robert Hardgrave of Sonora; Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred Perry of Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. R. Wilton Holley and Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Stephens, also of Brownwood; Dan Rus of Del Rio, Arthur Stehling of Fredericksburg; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scofield and daughter Kay, of Lampasas; The Glenn Wethermans and daughters, Margaret and Sarah, of Del Rio; Jim Watkins of San Saba; Shannon H. Ratliff of Eldorado; Col Don White, formally of Water Valley; Grady Lowrey, Dallas A. Johnson and R.W. Hodge, of Del Rio; the J.B. McCords and daughter Nanetta, of Coleman; the J.D. Jordans and daughters, Janice and Joyce Ann, of Mason; and the E.J. Mosses and daughters, Coila and Lisa, of Llano.

A budget hearing for the Sterling County Public School will be held Monday at 6 p.m. in the school auditorium here. Budget to be approved is for the year beginning Sept. 1 and ending August 31, 1962.

North Concho River Soil Conservation News Column

J.W. Cox who ranches in Glascock County portion of the North Concho River Soil Conservation District was successful in getting a stand of native grasses on 16 acres of rangeland this year. Cox pitted the land and seeded a mixture of sideoats grama, plains bristlegass and green sprangletop. Cox also controlled 100 acres of mesquite by aerial spraying. He is a cooperator with the Great Plains Conservation Program.

J.B. Calverly has a fair to good stand of sideoats grama and green sprangletop in two waterways. The grass was seeded in 1960 and apparently was a failure but good rains in 1961 increased the grass to a good cover.

Gene Alley has a good stand of blue grama and sideoats grama on 8 acres of rangeland which was pitted and seeded in 1956. The seeding was an apparent failure until this year. Gene ranches in the southern part of Sterling County.

The Claude Collins Estate (Hackberry Ranch), in northern Sterling County, has recently entered into the Great Plains Conservation Program. The contract includes aerial spraying of approximately 8,000 of mesquite, treedoing 400 acres of cedar and development of 4 new livestock watering facilities.

The Merrill system of deferred rotation grazing was developed by Dr. Leo Merrill of the Sonora Experiment Station.

22,500 acres of aerial chemical control of mesquite was done in Glascock County in 1961 with assistance of the Great Plains Conservation Program.

STOCK FOR BOYS RANCH DONATIONS TO BE RECEIVED MONDAY

Riley King wagon boss for the Boys Ranch of Tankersley, has announced that all stock donations for the ranch from Sterling people will be received by him next Monday August 21 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Santa Fe stockpens. All stock will be sold at the auction rings with all proceeds going to the Boys Ranch.

Riley said that any kind or any condition would be gladly accepted for the ranch and all was needed and will be appreciated.

HAVE Mower, will mow lawns. John Cooney Ph. 8-2741

LIONS CLUB

A U.S. Navy film on Polaris carrying submarines was presented Wednesday noon to members of the Lions Club by A. J. Barge of the Navy.

President Arthur Barlemann announced that livestock to be donated for Boys Ranch was to be accepted by Riley King at the Santa Fe stockyards before 3 p.m. Monday. He said any kind of livestock would be welcome for sale for the ranch, and that any type of money donation would be welcomed.

Barlemann announced the Sterling County Game Management Association annual meeting and barbecue at the Nick Reed river park Friday night.

A committee was named to look into the Little League park field for next year. Barlemann named H.A. Chapple, Leslie Payne and Marvin E. Churchill.

Guests present were Bill McCree, Billy Bauer, Tommy Williams and Carolyn Frank. The prize went to Frank Jackson.

BUDGET NOTICE

On this 14th day of August, A.D. 1961, it appearing to the Commissioners' Court of Sterling County, State of Texas, in regular session, that House Bill 768, Chapter 206, Section 12 of the General Laws of the State of Texas, that the Commissioners Court in each county shall, each year, provide for a public hearing on the County Budget, which hearing shall take place subsequent to August 15th, and prior to the levy of taxes by said Commissioners Court.

Acting by virtue of an order passed by the Commissioners Court of Sterling County, State of Texas, made on the 14th day of August, A. D. 1961, notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be had on the BUDGET of Sterling County, Texas as provided for the year A.D. 1961, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., on September 11th, 1961, at the Courthouse in Sterling City, Texas (Commissioners Court Room), at which time any taxpayer of Sterling County, Texas shall have the right to be present and participate in said hearing.

Given under my hand and seal of office in Sterling City, Texas this 17th day of August, A.D. 1961.

W. W. DURHAM
County Clerk, Sterling County, Texas

The Ross Fosters and the Clyde Reynolds returned home Monday from a stay at Ruidoso, New Mexico.

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**HIGH NOON
Picture Show Here
August 26**

High Noon, a film starring Gary Cooper and Grace Kelly will be shown at the school Saturday, August 26, it was announced this week. The local PTA is sponsoring the affair, and money raised will be used in paying for the field-house restrooms at the football field.

Also playing in the film are Thomas Mitchell, Lloyd Bridges and Katy Jurado. The film is a high class western in which Cooper plays the part of U.S. Marshall.

The show will start at 7:45 p.m. it was said. Admission is 50c for adults, 25c for students and pre-school children are admitted free.

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Any worker who has reached the retirement age and has not applied for Social Security insurance should get in touch with the Social Security Administration right away, according to Floyd B. Ellington, District Manager.

"Under a change in the retirement provisions, some benefits can be paid even though a worker's earnings may exceed \$1200 a year by a substantial amount," he says. As an example, a worker whose family is entitled to the maximum monthly payment of \$254, can earn more than \$4,000 a year and still receive some benefit.

As in the past, benefits can be paid for all months to an insured older worker who does not earn more than \$1200 a year, Ellington says. When earnings are more than \$1200 a year, payments can be made for those months in which the worker does not earn wages of more than \$100, or work in his own business. Payments can be made at age 72 no matter how much is earned thereafter.

Earnings—what you work for—are the only income which is considered in applying the retirement test, Ellington explains. A worker may have any amount in sav-

ings or investment income such as rent, interest, or dividends, and such income will have no effect on his social security insurance.

All older workers are advised to inquire, since there is a distinct advantage for many to apply for the payments even though they expect to continue working.

Interested persons may get exact information from the Social Security Administration, 204 Continental Building, San Angelo, Texas.

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posed location and the economic effect of such location by delivering a written request to J. A. Snell, District Engineer, P. O. Box 1841, San Angelo, Texas, on or before the 22nd day of August, 1961. In event such request is received, a public hearing will be scheduled and adequate notice given as to its time and place.

CARD OF THANKS

To all whom this may concern—For all the kind and generous gestures of friendship during our recent hospital stay—we thank you. Louie and Rebecca Alexander

Getting Sul Ross Degree

Darrell N. Flynt is getting an MA degree in English at Sul Ross College on August 20. Darryl will be the principal at the Elbow elementary school this fall, but he was the high school English teacher here the past several years.

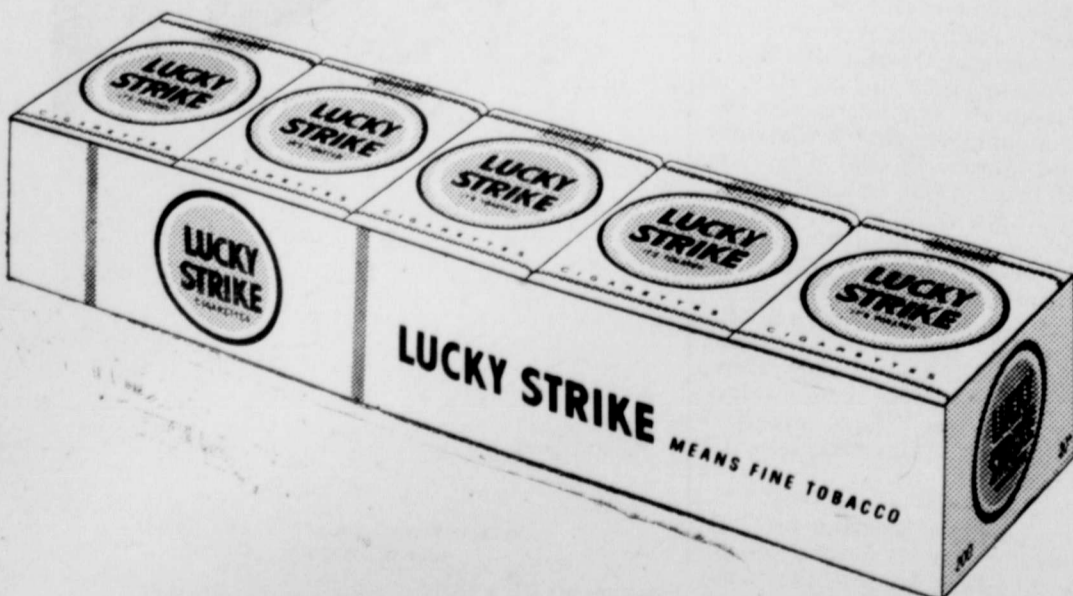
Gets Weather Observer Award

Clifford H. Gaston has received a ten year certificate in recognition as a volunteer weather observer. The certificate was from the Weather Bureau of the Department of Commerce, and commended Clifford for his faithful services of reporting the weather the past ten years.

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 Marion H. Hays, Minister
 Bible school — 10:00 a.m.
 Morning worship 11:00 a.m.
 Night Worship — 7:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Mid-Week
 Service — 8:00 p.m.

ST. PASCHAL BAYLON CATHOLIC CHURCH
 Fr. Bertram Tiemeyer, O.F.M., Pastor
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 (Apr. thru Sept.) 12:15 p.m.
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FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
 John Gibbs, Pastor
 Church school — 10:00 a.m.
 Morning worship 11:00 a.m.
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FUNGI... FRIEND AND FOE OF MAN!

ESTIMATES INDICATE 100,000 DIFFERENT SPECIES OF FUNGI... FUNGI CANNOT MANUFACTURE FOOD THEMSELVES, SO MUST FEED ON LIVING THINGS. FORTUNATELY, FARMERS NOW HAVE THE TEAMED-UP POWER OF MODERN AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS TO FIGHT DESTRUCTIVE FUNGI.

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RESEARCH BY COLLEGE AND INDUSTRY SCIENTISTS SHOWS ONE FUNGICIDE... GLYODIN... CONTROLS HARMFUL DISEASES ON APPLES, PEACHES, PEARs AND CHERRIES. IT ALSO SPREADS AND STICKS TO PLANT SURFACES, THUS, TEAMED WITH COMPATIBLE PESTICIDES IN THE SAME SPRAY MIXTURE, GLYODIN HELPS PROVIDE PROTECTION LONGER AGAINST MORE DISEASES... AND ALSO IMPROVES INSECT CONTROL.

Public Notice of Right To Nominate By Petition

The Sterling ASC County Committee Election will be by mail September 1, 1961 through September 11, 1961.

Petitions for nominations for membership on the County Committee must be signed by at least 10 eligible voters in the county and will be received at the County Office at any time up to August 21, 1961.

Names of persons nominated will be included in the slate of nominees if found willing to serve and are eligible.

If a person nominated by petition is found ineligible he will be notified of such determination prior to completion of the slate of nominees and he may appeal to the County Committee any time prior to the date set for completion of the slate of nominees.

The County Committee may make such additional nominations as are required or as it determines are desirable.

Eddie R. Braswell
 County Office Manager

State Highway Work in Glasscock County

The Texas Highway Department has announced a new construction project in Glasscock County on State Highway 158 from Garden City to 9.353 miles West. Proposed work consists of grading, drainage structures and resurfacing. The Texas Highway Department and the contractor, Cecil Ruby Co., Inc. of Austin, stated that construction began July 18, 1961 and will be completed by October 1961.

H. L. Bailey, Sr. Resident Engineer in charge of construction on the project, stated that traffic will be routed through the construction on oil treated caliche detours. Although adequate barricades and warning signs will be prominently displayed, and the project has been zoned for 45 m.p.h. speed limit, the motorist should use extreme caution while passing through the area as it will be heavily traveled by large construction equipment.

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I shored spent A wonderful two hours, last Saturday night. One of the old time Rodeo hands, Buck Edwards come by to see me. We come to the Clip Joint and relived some of the big rodeos that we played. Detroit, Michigan, St. Louis, Missouri, New York and many smaller ones. We had a lot in common, both small and going against A big game and big men. But we had the guts and that is half the battle.

A brahama bull put him off of the game some thirty years ago. He drifted to Arizona and is bossing A cow ranch there now. He has me beat in one respect. He has two boys. I ain't got any kids that I know of. But you can't blame me. I done the best I could with what I had to work with.

We brought into play the old timers and most of them are dead. And if I had to guess where they are I would make only one guess. According to the good book they took the south bound train. What A life! We was living and what fun we had. We eat when the good Lord killed. And he ain't as fast on the trigger as some of these T.V. and movie picture cowboys.

The law pulled Buck off of A freight train in Missouri. Took him before the Judge. The judge said, "young man, if I turn you loose will you catch the next freight out of here". Buck said, "if you turn me loose I will catch the one that just left".

Yes, we seen the time that the sweat on A restaurant window looked like beef gravy. But look at the education we was getting and the fun we was having. Things that you shore don't learn in classrooms and lecture halls. We done anything that come in handy. And legality was A foreign language to us. We had to face two kinds of Judges. One, the police judge, he was the one that either put you in or you stayed out. The other was the bucking horse judge that was the one that made the decision as to winning money or getting it some other way.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS FOR VETERANS

Q — Will the Veterans Administration reimburse me, or the undertaker involved, in connection with the burial of my son in 1956? He was a war veteran.

A — Although payment not to exceed \$250 is made by the VA toward the expense of the permanent burial or cremation of a veteran, the claim must be filed within two years after the burial or cremation. It would appear that the time limit for this claim has expired in your case.

Q — Since \$15,000 may now be obtained through a direct GI loan and since the house I am buying by this method will only cost \$13,500, can I get improvement loan for the remaining \$2,000 at the same time?

A — You can file for a direct loan to cover the cost of the house and for an improvement

School

Registration Dates Set

Seniors will register Wednesday morning, August 30 at 9:30—11:30 a.m., said Jones. Juniors will register that afternoon from 1:30—3:30 p.m. Sophomores are to register Thursday morning, August 31 from 9:30—11:30 a.m. and the freshmen will register that afternoon from 1:30 on.

New students who will be sophomores or above should have their former school send a transcript of their credits to O. T. Jones, superintendent at Box 26, Sterling City.

All beginning or other new students should have a small-pox vaccination or proof of having had one.

First grade students are expected to present a birth certificate when enrolling on September 5, it was said.

Swiss Visitors

A Swiss family, the Haesens-Dalaumachers, visited at the Herbert Cope ranch last week. There were three teen-agers in the family and they were heard to remark as they got on the plane for New York — at Midland — "To think we've been at a real ranch horse riding! They'll never believe it at home. It's like in the movies and too, we've seen Neiman-Marcus!"

THE EMPTY BUTCHER SHOP

Entering into a business of your own, either in your spare time or on a full time basis, is a bigstep. Careful consideration should be given every part of such a venture. However, John did not bother to find out what his rights were, and he lived to regret it.

While in the Military service, John learned the butcher trade. Upon returning to civilian life, he decided to open his own shop. After looking for some time, John learned of a small meat shop in a good neighborhood that was for sale. The shop was doing a thriving business, and seemed to have a substantial number of regular customers. The owner, Amos Jones, showed John the books which indicated a good return. This appeared to be just the opportunity that he had been looking for so John bought the shop.

Business went on briskly for about two weeks -- just long enough, in fact, for Amos to open another butcher shop right around the corner. All of Amos' customers followed him to his new location. John, a newcomer to the town, saw his trade practically vanished. Yet he could do nothing.

John might have prevented this situation from arising. He could have put a clause into the contract of sale prohibiting Amos from opening another butcher shop within a given area around his old shop, or even in the same town. This clause could also have provided against Amos returning to the operation of a meat market for a certain length of time.

By his failure to discover and exercise his rights, John had lost them. In entering a new business, as well as in most other ventures in life, it is still a good policy to look before you leap.

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loan at the same time, if the total will not exceed \$15,000.

Q — Is it necessary that I finish high school in order to enter training under the War Orphans program?

A — Certain vocational programs can be entered upon under War Orphans Act provisions without a high school diploma. Consult the nearest VA office for more complete details.

Q — Has Congress granted any special benefits to peacetime veterans yet?

A — Although several proposals of peacetime benefits have been discussed in Congress, none has been enacted into law thus far.

Department of Health Column

It's been a great year for the chiggers, State Health Department entomologists say. And for tens of thousands of itchy Texans that's the understatement of the decade.

Texas probably has the nation's longest chigger season, entomologists report. The pernicious little parasites are a year-around menace in the southern part of the state, and elsewhere survive until frost. The season is now at its height.

If you're susceptible to chigger depredations--and it is almost a sure thing you are--here is the very best thinking of state and national authorities on how to avoid being attacked in the first place, or, failing that, how to ease the itching.

There are several highly effective repellents on the market now. Some of them act against mosquitoes and other insects as well as chiggers. Particularly useful repellents are those containing diethyltoluamide, dimethyl phthalate, dimethyl carbate, ethyl hexanediol and benzyl benzoate.

Since these chemical names are difficult to remember or even pronounce, clip this article and take it with you when you purchase your repellent. Apply the repellent lightly with your fingers to uncovered skin surfaces on arms and legs. Treat socks after you put them on. Run a ring of repellent around the tops of shoes, and treat openings that are buttoned, zippered or otherwise fastened.

On trousers and slacks, treat cuff and waistband; on shirts and blouses, treat armholes and neckbands.

If you go into a chigger-infested place without the protection of a repellent, it is almost certain you will be attacked. If that happens, the experts advise taking a bath as soon as possible. Alternate lathering and rinsing with a germicidal soap several times.

Next, apply a dab of antiseptic to each welt to kill any chiggers not washed off or killed by the bath. This will also help prevent infection. Destroying the chiggers will reduce the itching, but will not stop it altogether. The fluid injected by the chiggers to dissolve tissue is the itching agent and there is no known way to remove it or to get permanent relief from the itching. Your physician can recommend a local anesthetic for temporary relief.

Remember, the quicker you get into soapy bath after exposure the better. If you can make it within an hour after the attack, chances are good most of them will be killed before they can attach. (A weekly feature of the Health Education Division, Texas State Department of Health.)

Don Harris from Abilene is visiting the Jack Douthits. He is spending this week with them.

The Methodist Youth Fellowship met last Wednesday night. They had a lesson and played a few games. About 15 youths attended the meeting.

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Survivors May Be Eligible For Social Security Payments

Social security benefits may now be paid to survivors of workers who died between March 31, 1958, and January 1, 1940, if the worker had at least a year and a half of social security work before he died, says Floyd B. Ellington, manager of the San Angelo Social Security Administration District Office.

Before the Social Security Amendments of 1960, no monthly benefits were payable to the survivors of a worker who died before 1940.

Under the new law, if such worker had worked under social security for at least a year and a half, benefits are payable to his widow and dependent mother at age 62, to his dependent father at age 65, and to his disabled children who were disabled before they became age 18. This is true even if the family had collected the "lump sum" at the time he died.

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