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## Owls Play Lakeview Here Tomorrow Night

The Owls romped over Flomot on the tune of 13 to 0 last Friday night. Coach L. R. Bailey reported here yesterday.

The first score of the game came in the first quarter when Silverton took the ball and marched 60 yards with John Arthur Arnold leading over for the touchdown. During the next two quarters the Owls rested.

During the last quarter, Carl Tidwell (better known as Peevee) intercepted a pass and went over for the Owls second touchdown. John Arnold passed to Fred Arnold for the extra point.

The outstanding player for the Owls was L. B. Garvin.

### Meet Lakeview Friday

Tomorrow night, November 7, the Owls will meet Lakeview here for this week's tussle. The game, which is scheduled to start at 7:15, will offer football fans some real excitement, Coach Bailey said.

The probable starting line-up for this week's game will be: Fred Arnold, left end; Stanley Price, right end; Jerry Simpson, left guard; L. B. Garvin, center; Walter Bean, right guard; Jim Mercer, left tackle; Hubert Brooks, right tackle; Carl Tidwell, quarterback; Jett Mason, right half; John Arnold, left half and Clayton Woods, fullback.

Tomorrow afternoon the football boys will go to Happy and see the Happy Cowboys play Turkey as the guests of the Quarterback Club before they meet Lakeview tomorrow night.

All persons who intend to see the Happy-Silverton game which is being played at Tulia are urged to buy their tickets in Silverton because if the tickets are bought here, the Owls get all the money. Should they wait until they get to Tulia the Owls will only get 50% of the money. Tickets will go on sale the first of next week.

## Health Doctor Urges People to Eat Good Food For Health

Commenting on the food conservation program now being stressed throughout the nation, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer today emphasized the importance of including the proper food requisites in the daily diet, as being important to the maintenance of health.

"Food conservation is an absolute necessity and all Texans are eager to assist in this program; but eliminating needful basic foods will only result in undernourishment and illness, which can be avoided by observing the Texas Food Standard in daily meals," Dr. Cox said. "This food standard will enable Texans to utilize available foods, eliminate waste cooperate in conserving food and spend their food dollar wisely."

The Texas Food Standard, recommended by Dr. Cox, provides all necessary food elements, and for each individual includes daily servings of: 1 pint to 1 quart milk; 1 egg or substitute; 1 serving meat, poultry or fish; 1 serving potatoes; 1 serving green or yellow vegetables; 1 serving citrus fruit or tomatoes; 1 serving other fruit; 1 serving whole grain products; other enriched cereals or breads; small amount butter or margarine with vitamins added; some sweets or desserts in moderate quantities.

"Good nutrition is based upon the observance of good food habits, practiced every day," Dr. Cox declared. "This is important at any time, but especially now, when it will not only maintain good health but assist in the conservation of food supplies."

## THE WEATHER

"Whether it's cold or whether it's hot, we gotta have weather—whether or not."

Dusty  
Weatherman predicts the temperature will drop to 25 degrees above tonight. It will be warm at the Womanless Wedding.

## Paralysis Chapter Has First Meeting With New Officers

At the first meeting of the newly elected officers of the local Infantile Paralysis Chapter, which was held last Friday night in the Red Cross Room of the Court-house, plans were made for the functioning of the organization during the coming year.

In the past, the county-wide organization met in Silverton when a polio case was had in the vicinity of Quitaque. Under the latest plans a committee has been appointed to serve the Quitaque community and should a polio case arise there, the committee in that community has the power to grant funds for the payment of bills resulting from a Polio case. A like committee will serve Silverton and community.

Carver Monroe has been named to head the 1948 March of Dimes Drive for Briscoe County.

## Amarillo Daily To Accept New Subscribers

The Amarillo Daily News has this week authorized the Briscoe County News that they now have enough newsprint to take 1,000 new subscribers. First come—first served.

Due to the fact the Amarillo Daily will soon have their 1,000 new subscribers. It is advisable, if you are one of those people who want to take the Amarillo Daily, then come in to the Briscoe County News office in the very near future and give us your subscription.

The Amarillo Daily has also stated that their bargain rates for daily and Sunday paper per year will be \$10.95. This bargain offer is scheduled to end the last day of November.

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Purina Research Farm, Gray Summit, Mo.

## Carl Crow Visits Purina Farm in Gray Summit, Mo.

Carl Crow of the Farmers Grain Company was one of a group of 225 Texas feed dealers who traveled by special train to visit the 738-acre Research Farm of the Ralston Purina Company at Gray Summit, Missouri, recently.

One of the largest privately-owned livestock and poultry research projects in the world, more than 45,000 birds and 3,000 ani-

## Crosbyton Editor is Confused About Meatless Days

Meatless Tuesdays and Poultry-less Thursdays has the editor of the Crosbyton Review, Hubert Curry, all confused it was noted this week by the editor of the News.

The following is the article as it appeared in Mr. Curry's column entitled, "Trends."

"We are asked not to eat any meat on Tuesdays because cows and hogs eat grain, and we want to save the grain to ship to Europe. Personally we don't have anything against shipping all the grain we can spare to the nations of Europe if in some far-fetched way that will prevent war with Russia.

But how does this thing work? If I make an agreement not to eat any meat next Tuesday, does that mean that the cow I didn't eat meat agree not to eat any grain that day. To save any grain, the cow and I have got to make some such agreement as this: If I don't eat you, will you promise not to eat any grain? If she doesn't eat any grain, she loses weight, and nobody gets the benefit of that steak I might have had. Eat more meat Tuesdays would make a lot more sense to us if grain is what we are trying to save.

I was talking to a farmer friend the other day and found both him and his pigs confused. He had three pigs weighing about 150 pounds apiece and he had 30 bushels of grain to feed them out on. Now the problem, in the light of saving grain, was: he could not eat any pork and feed all the pigs on the grain until they would weigh around two hundred, or he could butcher one of them now and have a lot of nice pork to eat and save ten bushels of grain right off. Also he could eat another one in about a month and save another five bushels.

We figured it every way we could think of and to not eat meat just didn't seem to save this farmer any grain. But maybe it is a "Catch Problem," and probably would be very simple for some of our Experts to solve. I'm surprised that someone hasn't come up with the depression program of "killing every fifth piggy" again.

mals are studied each year. The Purina Research Farm has pioneered many advanced practices such as year round production of turkeys, dry feeding for calves, life-cycle feeding program for dairy cows, complete dry feed for dogs, special starting mash for baby chicks and other poultry, and many others.

Crow saw the grade-stock dairy herd which has doubled its production under the Purina program of careful sanitation, sound management, good breeding and good feeding.

Jeanne Dudley of Lubbock, spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Dudley.

Dillard Scott was a business visitor in Lubbock Monday of this week.

Mrs. A. L. McMurtry returned home Tuesday by plane after an extended visit with her niece, Mrs. W. T. Wickware of El Paso. She also visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burleson of Rodium Springs, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCracken, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Byrd, Waynell and Joy Ann McCutchen were visitors Sunday in the homes of R. B. Byrd and family of Wayside, and J. W. Byrd and family of Happy.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McCutchen and two daughters visited in Robert Lee Friday and Saturday. B. W. McCutchen accompanied them home after a visit here.

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## SWING OF THE SOUTHWEST FARM MARKETS

Many southwest farm markets declined in value last week, though most sheep and cattle sold higher, the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration reports.

Wheat prices fell sharply during the week and most other grains also suffered losses. Weakening factors included uncertainty concerning possible price programs, European shipments, more favorable weather in the corn belt, and increased supplies of new corn. No. 1 wheat closed Friday at \$3.03 1/4 per bushel at Texas Common points.

Rice held generally firm with demand active from domestic and export trade. Prices of many feed ingredients followed the downward trend of grains. Alfalfa hay showed a slightly easier undertone this week, while prairie hay remained strong. Rains interrupted peanut picking at many points with little damage to the crop. Wool buying continued active in Texas and the Southwest at firm prices.

Southwest egg prices dropped mostly 1 to 5 cents per dozen last week. Hens lost a cent or two per pound but fryers and broilers sold firm to a little higher. Best mixed colored eggs brought 45 to 50 cents at Dallas and 48 to 55 at Fort Worth. Denver bought current receipt eggs at mostly 43 & 1-3, and New Orleans 53 & 1-3.

Hog markets registered sharp declines of mostly \$1.00 to \$2.50 per hundred for the week. Closing top prices for good and choice medium weight butchers stood at \$25.50 at San Antonio, \$26 at Fort Worth and Oklahoma City, and \$25.85 at Wichita.

Sheep and lambs gained mostly 25 to 75 cents, but lambs dropped 50 cents to \$1.00 at Oklahoma City and Wichita. Medium and good lambs sold \$18 to \$21 at Oklahoma City, and \$20 to \$21.50 at Fort Worth. San Antonio bought good to low choice lots at \$19.25 to \$20. Good and choice brought \$22.75 to \$23.25 at Wichita.

Southwest cattle closed the week generally steady to 50 cents higher compared to a week earlier, except at Oklahoma City losses ranged from 25 cents to \$1.00, with cows and heifers losing most. Common and medium cows sold at \$12 to \$14.50 at Houston, while medium and good grades cashed at \$15.50 to \$16 at San Antonio, \$13.25 to \$16 at Fort Worth, and \$14 to \$17 at Oklahoma City. Wichita bought good weighty cows at \$16 to \$18.50, and Denver paid \$14.75 to \$18.25 for common and good kinds.

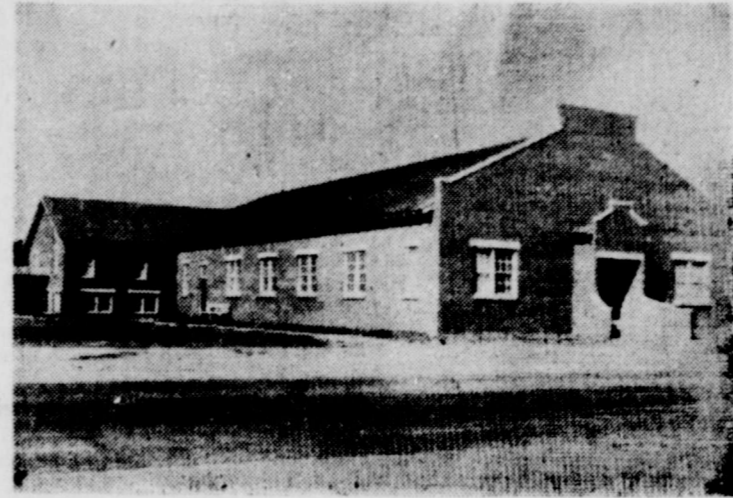
Potatoes and tomatoes sold a little higher at Fort Worth the past week, while most other items held steady to firm. Prices remained unchanged at New Orleans in slow trade, and Louisiana sweet potatoes found steady markets. Potatoes and onions gained strength at Colorado shipping points, but Texas oranges and grapefruit weakened at Denver. St. Louis bought lettuce, beans and oranges lower, but paid more for cabbage, potatoes, sweet potatoes, cucumbers and onions.

Spot cotton markets saw another active week with large volume of sales. Prices declined mostly 50 cents per bale. Rains delayed harvesting in many sections.

The United States produces about nine tons of soft coal for every ton of hard coal.

## Womanless Wedding To be Presented Tonite

### Silverton First Baptist Church



## Baptist Church Is Dedicated Last Sunday

### Saturday Scheduled As Poppy Day In Silverton

"Honor the war dead and aid the wars' living victims," will be the theme of the annual observance of Poppy Day here Saturday. Every person in Silverton will be asked to wear a memorial poppy Saturday and to make a contribution for the welfare of the disabled veterans, their families and the families of the dead.

Preparations for Poppy Day were being completed today by a large committee of American Legion Auxiliary women, headed by Mrs. Tom Bomar, poppy chairman. Volunteer workers from the Auxiliary and Senior Girl Scout troop will be on the streets at an early hour day after tomorrow distributing the poppies and receiving the contributions.

"Although the second World War is slipping rapidly into the past, we believe that the memory of the young men who gave their lives in that conflict is still fresh in the minds and hearts of all of us," said Mrs. Bomar. "The dead of the first World War have been gone for 29 years, yet we remember their service and sacrifice. The poppies which we put on Saturday will show that we have not forgotten and are grateful for their defense of our country."

"We must not forget, either, those who live in suffering and hardship because of war wounds and illness, the disabled veterans, or their children and the children of those who have died. The contributions we make for the poppies go for their welfare, for help which can come to them only through this means."

The poppies to be distributed here have been made by disabled veterans at near by hospitals. Auxiliary workers will all be unpaid volunteers, permitting the full amount of all contributions to go into the Auxiliary's rehabilitation and child welfare work.

Poppy Day here will be part of a nation-wide observance in which an estimated 125,000 Auxiliary women will distribute approximately 25,000,000 poppies.

Persian horses, though handsomer than those of Arabia, are less fleet.

The First Baptist Church of Silverton was dedicated last Sunday, November 2nd, during an all-day meeting with an attendance of more than 500 persons, Rev. G. A. Elrod, pastor, reported here this week.

Lunch was served at the church during the noon hour and tables were laden with good food. It was reported that enough food was on hand to feed at least 200 more persons than were present.

Several former pastors of the Silverton Church were present during the day. They were: Revs. R. E. L. Muncy, Floydada; C. Ross Payne, Ralls; W. L. Brian, Sudan; R. C. Payne, Ralls; and Arvie Richardson of Cotton Center.

Visiting pastors at the services were: Revs. J. E. Cobb, Lockney; Travis McMinn, Silverton; Roy Clayton, Plainview and F. E. Swanner, District Missionary from Plainview.

Rev. G. A. Elrod preached the dedication sermon, his theme being "The Church Triumphant," while Rev. Swanner brought the closing message with the theme "What Think Ye Of Christ."

Miss Doris June Brow brought the special song during the morning and Miss LaRue Gilkeyson played at the piano. Doris June and Mrs. Lola Fern Gregory brought the special music in the afternoon and Mrs. A. A. Heard presided at the piano.

The spirit of the meeting was good and the song and testimonial service was inspiring and enjoyed by all, Rev. Elrod concluded.

## Quarterback Club To Have Meeting Monday Night

The Quarterback Club will have their next regular meeting on Monday night, November 8, it was reported here this week by Dillard Scott, reporter for the club.

A football movie will be shown the members and the usual discussion of business matters will be held.

The club plans to sponsor a show at the school auditorium every Tuesday night in an effort to raise money for further improvement of the football field. The first movie will be shown next Tuesday night.

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Following a week of jumbled nerves and two rehearsals the merchants and various individuals of this community will return to town-to-earth living tomorrow morning after their presentation of a Womanless Wedding at the local high school auditorium tonight.

The cast which numbers better than sixty, all appropriately dressed in costumes, is probably one of the largest yet assembled for a single performance in this community.

Other than songs, readings, music and the dance of the Fairies, in which six men will step off the "light fantastic," the audience will also see the funniest wedding ever to be witnessed.

Ware Fogerson and Durward Brown, little flower girls, both of whom will be neatly dressed, will toss rose petals daintily about so as to form a fragrant path on which the bride, Carver Monroe, may approach the altar.

Bridesmaids, all dressed in evening gowns, etc., will approach at their designated time to the tune of traditional wedding marches.

Earl Brock, the bride's little baby sister, who sucks a bottle is scheduled to offer many laughs as his two brothers, Perry Whittemore and John Earl Simpson take care of him and pull everything contrary to etiquette.

Starting time for the affair is scheduled for 7:30 p. m. and admission prices will be 30c for children and 75c for adults.

For an evening of laughs you shouldn't miss the Womanless Wedding. Proceeds will go to the hospital fund.

## News Office Gets New Christmas Card Samples

The Briscoe County News has just received its New 1947 Christmas card samples which will be found on display in the News office.

Due to the small margin of profit in this line of Christmas cards the News isn't pushing the sale of them, however, there are some very beautiful cards in the samples and those interested in purchasing cards with their names imprinted upon them are invited to come in and look over our stocks.

Prices, for 25 cards, including your name printed on them range from \$2.50 up.

### Business Firm Cards

A special assortment of Christmas cards for business firms is also on display and should any merchant desire to send out cards to his customers he will probably find what he is looking for at the News office.

Orders for all cards will be accepted until December 8th. No orders will be accepted after that date.

## Congratulations To:

Mr. and Mrs. Warner Grabbe on the birth of a son, James Orlin, at the Plainview Hospital, Wednesday, October 8th. The baby weighed 7 lbs. 13 1/2 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Self on the birth of a son, born October 26th in Lubbock. The baby was named Joe.

## WELCOME, NEW SUBSCRIBERS

We welcome the following new and renewal subscribers to The News this week. No restrictions are placed on weekly newspapers concerning the acceptance of new subscriptions, so if you are not now a subscriber, we hereby invite you to become one:

- Mrs. Jim Burleson
- Carroll Garrison
- C. A. Grewe
- Curtis King
- G. M. Smith
- W. H. Steele
- J. L. West
- Albert Rowland

## PERSONAL ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCracken were in Tulia Saturday night and visited Mrs. Bud Posey, who is in the hospital there.

Visitors in the home of William Malone Sunday were. Mrs. Porter Anderson, Mrs. Lee Wright of Red Hill, Mrs. Ember Wright and children of Canyon, Mrs. Dewey Beavers, Mrs. Lute Hyatt, and Mrs. Buff Heims.

Miss Sudie Waldrop, of Clarendon, spent Saturday night as the guest of Mrs. Pearl Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Bomar and Don, of Lubbock, spent the week-end with relatives in Silverton and community.

Attending the Workers' Conference last Tuesday at McCoy, were: Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Elrod, Mrs. Pearl Simpson, Miss Eunice Cox, Mrs. C. C. Garrison, Mrs. R. C. Bomar, Mrs. Jim Bomar and Mrs. G. R. Dowdy.

Mrs. J. S. Fisher was dinner guest of Mrs. Pearl Simpson Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edsell Hutsell, of Fort Worth, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hutsell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Brookshier and Martha spent Sunday in Hereford, where they attended a birthday dinner honoring her father, H. C. Doak.

Jaunita Edwards was a dinner guest of Joy Davenport last Sunday.

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### The Price We Pay . . .

There is a growing complaint in the Far West that Eastern Congressmen are deliberately holding back Western power development by the Federal government, on the grounds that it might result in a shift of industries from the Atlantic Coast to the Pacific Coast states. The complaint is heard most loudly in states such as Oregon and Washington, whose Congressional representation is too small to prevail against the big delegations from the heavily populated East.

That situation is the inevitable consequence of the Federal power policy that was started fifteen years ago. The threat of unmeetable, subsidized competition and expropriation of property virtually stopped power development by the private industry. Entire regions became dependent on the Federal government for dams and other facilities. Local control, local initiative and local pride were lost.

Prior to that time, new sources of power were developed in the West, and everywhere else, as rapidly as the region could absorb the output. Construction was always well ahead of demand. Private power companies aggressively sought new customers. Investors were eager to put their savings into a stable, expanding business. No one had to deal with Congress or some "authority" when they wanted electricity. Local money and local enterprise, under public regulation, did the job.

Now the West is seeing what always happens when centralized government becomes the dominant economic and industrial factor in our lives. All other parts of our country and the rest of the world which have looked to socialized enterprise instead of free enterprise for progress are in the same boat. The decisions as to who can have what, and when, are made by public officials far removed from the areas of individuals affected. That is the tremendous price we pay when we surrender our rights and responsibilities to the socialists.

### Behind The Scenes in AMERICAN BUSINESS

By REYNOLDS KNIGHT

NOTE TO READERS—The information contained in this weekly summary of happenings in the world of business and industry has been obtained from sources we consider reliable but is not guaranteed. Opinions and forecasts are based upon careful analysis but are subject to change without notice.

—The Editor

NEW YORK, Nov. 3—You do not hear much about thrift these days. It seems to be an old-fashioned word as well as an old-fashioned virtue. But the Christmas Clubs as an example of thrift—and as a means of storing up purchasing power for the gift season—are thriving as never before. More than two million Americans saved almost \$150 million this year through mutual savings bank Christmas Clubs. The average sum of \$74.54 is now at the disposal of each man and woman participant. Some of this gladsome money, at least, will jingle through merchants' cash registers all over the U.S. The Christmas Club as a means of saving was started in the mutual savings banks, which are largely concentrated in the east. But other types of banks took up the idea quickly, and now people all through the country make use of their convenience. There is a moral here somewhere. It seems to be simply this: give the average American a specific purpose for saving and he can be counted upon to act as thriftily as any New Englander.

BATTLING FLU—The statement that influenza vaccine is helping to build freight cars may seem a bit facetious to most people, but that is just what it is doing, in sort of a roundabout way in the plants of one of the nation's largest manufacturers of freight equipment—Pullman-Standard Car Manufacturing Company. A year ago, Pullman-Standard sponsored free flu shots for its employees in 80 percent of the cases. Actually, the results were much better, for in one plant alone, where 710 persons were inoculated, more than 98 percent kept off the sick list. With the nation's railroads badly in need of new freight equipment, Pullman-Standard is sponsoring influenza shots again this year, to provide workers a deterrent against the illness and to reduce resultant losses of wages and production. The program is entirely voluntary, workers filling out cards stating their preference. Those who sign up are called from their work and given the vaccine by nurses under

the supervision of plant physicians.

THINGS TO COME—They are still making new things out of plastics: Here comes a new plastic curler which bends with the contour of the head and allows a lady a good night's sleep with her hair "up"—you can keep your live bait alive longer by putting the minnow in a plastic case perforated in such a way that the water passes through—at least four more companies are getting out plastic that the youngsters use for blowing bubbles. . . . Through electronics they are now able to locate leaks in pipelines, valves and tanks; while General Electric announces an improved version of the "electric eye" which can see up to 1,000 feet. . . . Latest kitchen gadget is a pair of stainless steel pliers for gripping hot pans and other utensils. . . . A new sun lamp folds under the bed and is equipped with a built-in automatic timer. . . . Not alone the motor car companies but the motor cycle manufacturers are introducing new models now complete with all types of accessories.

AVIATION—Howard Hughes' gigantic Flying Boat, which has figured so prominently in the news of late, is expected to provide unavailable scientific information about the construction of large airplanes. As the noted flier-industrialist himself explained to the Senate War Investigating Committee in Washington, it is believed that there is somewhere a barrier in size, perhaps comparable to the sonic barrier in speed, where the flight characteristics of an airplane cannot with certainty be projected in theory, but must be determined through the actual construction and operation of a flight article. The Hughes Flying Boat, by far the largest ever built, may actually have passed the size barrier at which efficiency begins to diminish in relation to size, instead of to increase with

size as has been true as larger and larger airplanes have been built to date. So convinced is Hughes that aeronautical science will benefit enormously through knowledge gained by testing the huge craft, he has voluntarily put more than \$7,000,000 of his own funds into its development and construction. He was not obligated to put a penny into it under his contract to build it for the government.

BITS O' BUSINESS—The amount of paper devoured in this country each year is simply staggering—some 25 million tons. Most people think of newsprint consumption when they think of paper. Actually newsprint—now a commodity that is too scarce for the welfare of the American people—takes the smallest share of American consumption. Paper-board and building papers account for the largest consumption, with wrapping paper second and book publishing third. Americans use more paper than any other material except wood and steel. . . . The 43 million workers in non-agricultural pursuits did all right in September, according to government figures. Average weekly pay was \$50.42, which was 112 percent better than in 1939. Cost of living, meanwhile, has risen only 30 percent. . . . Corporate business in 1946 earned 4.7 cents on each sales dollar, which was less than in 1929 or 1941. . . . The CED, an organization of large

business men, is plugging a program to help small business. Program is based on three points: 1) help in problem of management; 2) help on taxes and financing; 3) help on competitive opportunity.

It is estimated that U. S. motorist pays taxes to operate a new its first year.

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brother entered the service of the Armed Forces Voluntary Recruitment Act of 1945 and wonders if his rights are protected by the law effective on July 25, 1947, as veterans benefits are extended?

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Tell me which non-connected disability benefits are available to World War I and which to peacetime veterans.

Law provides that a pension for non-service-connected disability may be payable to a veteran and totally disabled by such a pension for veterans.

Change the beneficiary insurance policy by a last will?

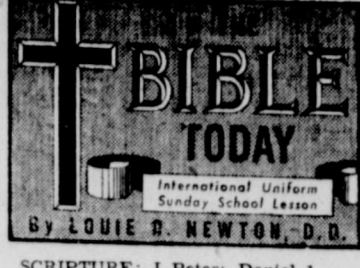
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for your insurance policy must be made by written notice to the Veterans Administration over your signature and it shall not be binding on VA unless received and endorsed on the policy by VA.

**Q. I am in receipt of peacetime benefits for disability incurred prior to December 7, 1941. Why am I not entitled to wartime benefits for this period?**

A. Since the World War II did not start until December 7, 1941, veterans with disabilities incurred in service prior to that time are not entitled to wartime benefits unless their service falls under the provisions of Public Law 359, 77th Congress, which provides that wartime rates would be authorized if the disability was the direct result of armed conflict or was received while the veteran was engaged in extra hazardous service including such service under conditions simulating war.

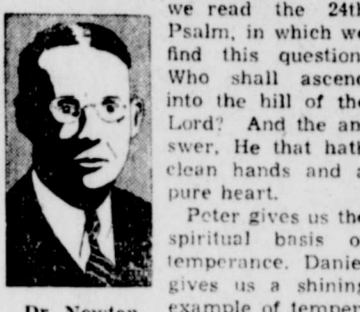
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SCRIPTURE: I Peter: Daniel 1.  
DEVOTIONAL READING: Psalm 24.

**A Call to Right Living**  
Lesson for November 9, 1947

SUNDAY'S lesson is based on the First Epistle of Peter and the first chapter of Daniel. It is a temperance lesson. It is suggested that we read the 24th Psalm, in which we find the answer to the question, 'And the answer, He that hath clean hands and a pure heart.'



Dr. Newton

Psalm gives us a dramatic concept of what it means to face God in the right attitude of life.

**How to Grow Strong**

OUR doctors tell us how to grow strong, sound bodies. We are to eat the right food, sleep regularly, breathe deeply, etc., etc. Daniel did all of these things, and something more—"Daniel purposed in his heart that he would not defile himself with the portion of the king's wine which he drank; therefore he requested of the prince of the eunuchs that he might not defile himself." Daniel 1:8.

Daniel was challenged by the prince of the eunuchs. He predicted that Daniel and his companions would become pale and weak if they refrained from eating the king's meat and drinking the king's wine. Finally he agreed for them to refrain from meat and wine for ten days, and at the end of the ten days, behold, Daniel and his companions appeared fairer and fatter than those who had eaten intemperately.

**Every Youth Must Choose**

AS DANIEL chose to grow strong through temperate habits of eating and drinking, so must every youth choose between right living and lustful living. We have laws against drunkenness for example, but legislation alone cannot produce a generation of temperate young men and women. Each boy and each girl must choose for himself and herself between temperance and intemperance.

And this lesson sets out the ways by which such choices can be made and sustained. I find a helpful word in I Corinthians 10: 31: "Whether, therefore, ye eat or drink or whatsoever ye do, do all to the glory of God."

As we make the choice between drunkenness and sobriety, let us remember that we are choosing between God and Satan—between the example of honorable parents and the example of people who have desecrated every sanctity. This lesson is a call to right living.

**Disciplined Lives**

WHICH calls into mind a word that we have not always treated fairly. I am thinking of the word "discipline." Too often we have regarded this word as something very austere, when, as a matter of fact, it is one of the really fine words of our language. It means "one taught." It is the word which with slight difference in spelling, gives us "disciple."

The immediate followers of Jesus were called disciples. They were young men, gathered up from the everyday pursuits of life. Most of them were fishermen—men who faced hardships every night as they confronted wind and wave. And yet these rough and tumble fishermen became "the taught" ones of Jesus. They yielded to his discipline. They were pupils in the school of Christ.

That is what this lesson is aiming at—to enlist many, many pupils in the school of Christ.

**The Test of Time**

MAKE this test in your community, whether you live in the city or in the country. Look at the lives of the men and women about you, and draw your own conclusions regarding the worth of temperate living. Study the lives of the drunkards against the lives of the men and women who have refrained from strong drink. Study the lives of the gamblers and see if they have really won.

I appeal to the verdict of history—the test of time. Not only in the case of Daniel, but in the lives of the men and women in every community in America is daily borne out the truth of Sunday's lesson—that God giveth us richly all things to enjoy, but we must use his gifts with disciplined minds.

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## Instead of Meat, What? Is Question Of Homemakers

Homemakers are as anxious as anyone else to help out in the government's food conservation program, but when it comes right down to planning menus for meatless days, the questions that are hard to answer are "What will take the place of meat? Will the family like it?"

Louise Mason, food preparation specialist of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, says that meatless Tuesdays may develop into more of a problem in the home than poultryless Thursdays, because most families plan two and sometimes three meals a day around meat. Take the meat away and the gap that is left in the menu is mighty hard to fill.

Wholesome menus for meatless days are not impossible, however, and to prove her point, Miss Mason has several suggestions. Irish potato pancakes can be substituted at the breakfast table for the usual main dish . . . they are delicious with either honey or syrup, and take the place of toast, flour pancakes, or bacon-and-eggs. For a noon-day meal, there's macaroni ring with creamed salmon. The 8-oz. can of salmon will serve six, which is an important thing to remember in these days of high prices. For supper, few people can resist the sight of a fluffy, piping hot cheese omelet.

The addition of fruit, fresh and cooked vegetables to each of these main dishes will provide appetizing as well as nutritious meals.

## Veterans News

The Veterans Administration is appealing to veteran students and job-trainees, as well as to schools and job training establishments in which veterans are enrolled under the GI Bill, for assistance in preventing subsistence overpayments.

The veterans and their training establishments are asked to notify VA immediately when trainee-veterans abandon their training programs. When veterans know in advance the definite date on which they will complete or discontinue their training, they should advise VA at that time instead of waiting until they actually stop their training.

Failure to notify VA of training discontinuances usually results in overpayments of subsistence allowances, VA said. Such overpayments must be refunded to the government.

A recent survey disclosed an average lapse of 23 days between the time the veteran stopped his training and the time VA was notified of his discontinuance. As a result, the veteran continued to receive subsistence allowance payments to which he was not entitled.

Immediate or advance notice of training discontinuances will assist VA materially in reducing the amounts of overpayments. In many cases, such notices will eliminate overpayments and the necessity for refunds by veterans. Veterans who fail to make arrangements to repay subsistence allowance overpayments may be prevented from re-entering schools or job-training courses under the GI Bill.

Veterans are not being forced to turn back full amounts immediately. They need only make arrangements for monthly repayments that cause them no financial hardship and thus become qualified to resume training.

The Veterans Administration now is custodian of more than 53,000,000 Army chest X-ray films of World War II veterans, which it will use in its long-range anti-tuberculosis program.

VA records show that about 23,000 veterans of World War II are drawing compensation for tuberculosis contracted in the service. Included in the state figures are Texas 817, Louisiana 390 and Mississippi 332.

The deep sea fish, chiasmodon Niger, can swallow a fish three times as long as itself.

It has been estimated that 80 percent of the world population normally suffers to some degree from malnutrition.

First successful gasoline truck was a custom-made sight-seeing bus made in 1900, and which ran for 17 years.

## W. M. U Enjoys Meeting; 15 Ladies Were Present

The W. M. U. met Monday, November 3rd at the Church with 15 members present.

The president being absent, Mrs. Grady Wimberly, vice president, was in charge of the meeting.

A song, "Take Time to be Holy," and Prayer by Miss Eunice Cox, was followed by a brief business session.

Mrs. L. K. Gilkeyson presented a program in Royal Service with the following members taking part: Mrs. R. C. Bomar, Mrs. J. C. Bomar, Mrs. G. R. Dowdy, Mrs. Grady Wimberly and Mrs. J. E. Wheelock.

Closing prayer was given by Mrs. R. C. Hutsell.

## Car Industry Has No Control Over Prices Of New Used Cars

DETROIT—Two factors, both of them beyond the immediate control of the industry today were advanced by T. H. Keating, Chevrolet general sales manager, as underlying causes of the problem of profiteering on the inadequate supply of new cars produced by the auto industry.

Insufficient supply and continuing heavy demand for the industry's products, plus the willingness of the public to resell and rebuy legitimately obtained new cars at a bonus price are the two basic reasons for the appearance of current models on used car lots throughout the country, Mr. Keating declared.

His assertions, based upon thousands of individual investigations conducted by Chevrolet in response to complaints from all parts of the country that new models are appearing upon used car lots when dealers are still more than 14 months behind, throw light upon the present unprecedented situation within the automotive field.

"We maintain a distinct interest in the eventual use of the product we build," Mr. Keating said, "and are likewise concerned with public reaction to Chevrolet dealers' retail policies and the good name of Chevrolet itself."

Mr. Keating praised Chevrolet dealers for the positive action they have taken individually and collectively in an effort to stem the flow of new cars to the so-called "gray-market."

"Chevrolet dealers are working actively to protect the public interest," he said. "Many of them are using re-purchase agreements which the buyer agrees to retain the car or to sell it back to the original dealer and thus keep it out of the 'gray market.' Nearly all dealers have repeatedly advertised exact local delivered prices. A concise and comprehensive statement of policy by Chevrolet dealers has been advertised and displayed at dealerships. And almost without exception, dealers make a thorough-going investigation of the individual before placing a new car in his hands.

"The Chevrolet wholesale organization has investigated thousands of complaints. Our most recent analysis of their reports indicates that more than 98 percent of the new Chevrolets on used car lots have been sold by individuals who bought from Chevrolet dealers in the normal course of the retail operation.

"But no organization selling a product to the public can be certain of what that buying public will do with the product, once it has been bought and paid for legitimately.

"So long as the demand for new vehicles continues unabated, and so long as the buyers of new cars are willing to part with them for a profit . . . or buy them at inflated prices from used car operators—just that long will current conditions exist," Mr. Keating added.

The Chevrolet case histories, Mr. Keating said, indicate that no single group of buyers is responsible for the appearance of the new units on the nation's used car lots. Used car dealers, he admitted, have stimulated the situation, but he added, they in turn have been

## Helps Save Daily Slice of Bread



American housewives can take a conservation tip from Gloria Whalen, popular Walter Thornton pin-up model, who carefully recloses the waxed paper wrapper on a loaf of bread immediately after preparing her "between exercise" snack. Reclosing protects the freshness of the loaf, prevents waste, and lends support to President Truman's "Save Food for Europe" program. One slice of bread saved by each housewife, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture, means a national saving of one million pounds of bread daily.

abetted by their customers.

The Chevrolet records show that some veterans—among them amputees who have been provided with specially-equipped cars—have re-sold their cars after purchase from dealers, often within a few days after the purchase.

## Pointers Given on How to Save Feed Grains

It's going to take plenty of winter and spring grazing to fall in line with the government program of saving grain.

E. A. Miller, Extension agronomist of Texas A. and M. College, offers a few pointers on planting winter grain crops. He says that as soon as there is enough moisture in the ground, forage crops can go into the soil. If the land is not too hard, it's safe to go ahead and plant even in dry soil. The seed will germinate when it finally rains.

Grain planted for grazing can be planted a lot thicker to provide more forage. Oats, wheat, barley, rye and Italian rye grass are good winter grazing crops. A mixture of oats, wheat and barley makes a good combination for grazing when no harvesting is planned. In this mixture, barley provides more grazing in the fall and early winter, while the oats and wheat will usually offer good grazing in the spring. Rye, especially abuzzi and balbo are good crops on the sandy soils of East Texas and the West Cross Timbers area.

Vetch or other winter legumes can be planted with grain to improve the grazing. Over a large area of Texas, hairy vetch is planted with rye or other grain crops for seed production and soil improvement as well as grazing.

In the southern half of Texas, when enough moisture is in the soil, hubam and annual yellow blossom sweet clover are first-rate crops, good for grazing, seed and soil improvement.

Mr. Miller says that winter and spring grazing not only will help to save badly needed grain, but will also cut down on the cost of livestock production.

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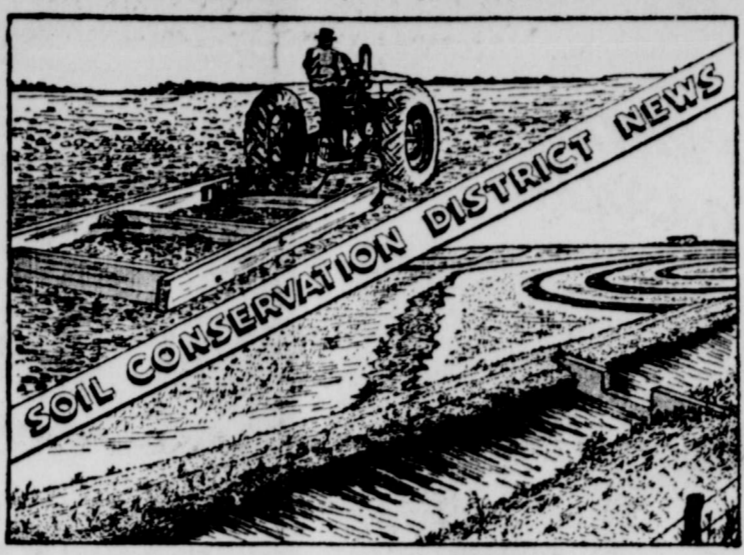
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very attractive for the young girl.

Miss Carabel Biffle entertained delightfully Friday night, Oct. 30. The house was profusely decorated with dozens of Halloween witches, cats, bats and moons. Pumpkins and Jack O' Lanterns gleamed in the firelight from shocks and sheaves of grain, from windows and stairway. The following guests were present: Misses Fry Christopher, Anna Lee Anderson, Reba Brown, Lois Berry, Maud Dean Burson, Marie Dodson, Bess Grigg, Bertha Mae Stevenson and Helen Fort; Mesdames Walter Lee Bain, Hugh Lusk and Dick Cowart; Messrs. Walter Bain, Hugh Lusk, Dick Cowart, Clarence Anderson, Elmer Allard, Wood Harcastle, Clyde Todd, Neil Crawford, Emmett Puckett, H. D. Norris, Ike McClendon and Tony Burson.



SUPERVISORS FOR CAP ROCK DISTRICT—Earl I. Cantwell, Chairman, Obra Watson, Bray Cook, L. A. McJimsey, and Bill Helms.

Meeting to Promote Soil Conservation to Be Held in Lubbock

Over 100 of the nation's leading business men will visit Lubbock, November 13, on a special train which will make a week's tour of Texas promoting soil conservation. The train, which is sponsored by the Second National Bank of Houston and the Burlington Railroad, will leave Houston November 9, and will make all day stops at Corsicana, Fort Worth, Amarillo, Wichita Falls and Abilene in addition to Lubbock.

Earl Cantwell, a cooperater living in the Rock Creek Conservation Group, has a crop of winter peas that is serving as a soil building crop as well as a winter cover crop. Mr. Cantwell, who is one of the Supervisors of the local Cap Rock Soil Conservation District, used the Dixie Wonder variety and from all appearances, they are doing mighty well. Grazing will be provided this winter from these peas. They will cover the soil up to control blowing and at the same time build up the soil.

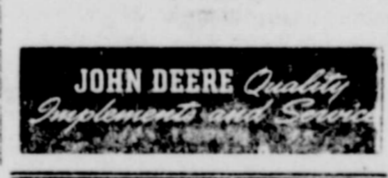
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18 Years Ago Today

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The opening of an exclusive farm implement house, handling only the lines and accessories of the International Harvester Company is announced by M. C. Tull and T. T. Crass, who opened for business on the first of the month in the Northcutt building on the south side of the square, under the firm name of Tull & Crass Implement Company.

Joe E. O'Neal and Miss Gracie Parker were issued a marriage license here this week.

Material for the new telephone system, to arrive within the next few weeks, has been ordered. For some time the telephone exchanges here has been in poor condition and deteriorating every day, the town feels more assured of having an up-to-date exchange in operation sometime this winter.

11 Years Ago Today

The heavy Flomot team fought, roughed and passed their way to a 21-0 victory here Friday over the Silverton Owls.

By the largest majority ever given a candidate for President of the United States, Franklin D. Roosevelt was returned to the White House Tuesday. Only two states over the entire nation, New Hampshire and Maine, carried for Mr. Landon. Roosevelt received 523 electoral votes, Landon 8.

One Year Ago Today

According to reports, a large crowd attended the Halloween Carnival last Friday night at the high school building. A third grade pupil, Little Miss Mike Reid, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warner Reid, was crowned Carnival Queen.

Loafer Type Shoes Responsible for Girls "Sloppy" Walk

Loafer type shoes are often to blame when girls develop the habit of dragging their heels when they walk, according to Miss Sue Rainey, associate professor of physical education for women at Texas Technological College. Miss Rainey pointed out that when shoes do not snugly at the heels, many girls drag their feet rather than exercise toe muscles to hold shoes on. The habit persists even when dress shoes are worn, causing some coeds to "look like they are walking through loose sand or a plowed field all the time," she stated. Suggestions: Walk through loose sand or a plowed field all the time so you'll look natural; or, exercise those toe muscles; or, buy a new pair of shoes.

It is estimated that Russia has more than 200 million people.

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Soil Conservation Group and on the Tony Burson ranch below the cap.

Joe McWaters, farming in the south Silverton Group, had District technicians locate a high point last week.

Oscar Weeks, a cooperater in the Rock Creek Soil Conservation Group had a ditch line run for irrigation last week.

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All Saints' Day was instituted by Pope Boniface IV in the 7th Century.

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According to an estimate by the Fish and Wildlife Service, rats are destroying grain at the rate of 200,000,000 bushels each year.

"Frost-proof" vegetables simply means that the seed has been planted in open field plant-beds and as the weather becomes colder, the plants become "frost-proof" or toughened to cold weather.

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Upon what little things, great achievements sometimes depend. Many years ago, there came to the mining rush town of Virginia City, the most famous humorist of the day—Artemus Ward. After the lecture that night, Ward and several newspapermen did a little celebrating which climaxed with Ward and a young and obscure reporter walking over the roof-tops in the business district. They were almost fired upon as burglars. The reporter was Mark Twain.

Did you ever hear the "rebel yell?" I Hardin, secretary of the Kentucky Historical Society, wrote your columnist, asking for assistance in preserving the battle-cry of the Confederacy for posterity. . . . The distinction of being the youngest member of a Chamber of Commerce goes to Vanessa Sharyl Bryan, one day old. Her father, Vance Bryan, a former Texan, is owner of the luxurious Jack Tar Courts in Hot Springs, Ark. . . . Neal Estes, Carthage editor, stops his car at all railroad crossings. He said that he once drove across soon after a train had passed and his brother, an attorney remarked, "It's true that one train went by just a little bit ago but the railroad owns the line and it reserves the right to run a train every minute."

And that reminds me of the story of the young ranchman who

was strolling along with a pretty girl when they saw a calf on one side of a fence thrust its head through the fence and rub its nose against its mother's face, in the adjoining pasture. The rancher sighed romantically and said, "I wish I could do that." The girl said, "Well, why don't you?" It's your cow, isn't it?"

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There are about 190,000 railroad bridges in the United States.

### FARM FACTS WORTH KNOWING

**Q. How long must hens be confined in a broody coop, and after they are cured of setting how soon will they lay again?**

A. Tests conducted at Massachusetts State College show that an average of six days in the broody coop is necessary to break hens of setting, with individual hens taking from three to eight days before they are ready to be released. After release from the broody coop, it takes an average of seven days for a hen to resume laying, with individual hens varying from three to thirteen days.

**Q. What is the most common cause of stiffness in pigs when there is no actual disease present?**

A. Such stiffness is usually due to a nutritional deficiency, chiefly calcium, and occurs among swine that are fed almost entirely on grain. Grains are low in calcium even though they contain plenty of phosphorus. Feeding a supplement to give hogs a balanced diet will usually overcome this trouble, and a good supplement can also save grain—an important item to consider in the present conservation program.

**Q. What is the proper age for breeding Jersey heifers?**

A. Heifers should be bred by body size rather than age, according to experiments conducted at the Ralston Purina Company's Research Farm. Purina recommendations, by breeds, are as follows:

Jerseys	500 lbs.
Guernseys	550 lbs.
Ayrshires	650 lbs.
Holsteins	750 lbs.
Brown Swiss	750 lbs.

**Q. Is there an effective treatment of swine-crypsidias in turkeys?**

A. Yes, the U. S. D. A. has announced that penicillin is apparently highly effective against the swine-crypsidias organism in turkeys. Experiments showed that penicillin reduced mortality of infected birds to 10% while mortality of untreated turkeys was 100%. Suspended in peanut oil, the drug was given in doses of 20,000 units four times, with one-day intervals between doses. Injecting the drug into the wattle was found to be best.

Send your questions about livestock or poultry problems to FARM FACTS, 815 South Eighth Street, St. Louis 2, Missouri. Questions will be answered without charge, either by mail or in this column, as a service of this newspaper.

Over two-thirds of the body weight of human beings is water.

### Weekly SURPLUS NEWS WAA

Marking a new era in Texas industry, the multi-million dollar Lone Star Steel plant near Daingerfield, completed near the end of World War II, rumbled into continuous pig iron production last week under privately managed, independent operation. At ceremonies commemorating start of production, Robert M. Littlejohn, administrator of War Assets Administration, hailed the operation as particularly gratifying since pig iron is in such short supply throughout the country. The company holds a three-year lease with option to buy the plant from WAA. All of the first iron output is destined for the Federal Housing Authority and will go into new housing throughout the country, according to E. B. Germany, Company president.

Simple sales procedure will mark the sale of 132 surplus buildings at the Blackland Army Airfield near Waco, November 13. The public is invited to buy structures eight by eight feet to 20 by 160 feet, including storage type buildings, lavatories, quarter-master warehouses, squadron operations, lumber storage shed, administration, post exchange, barracks and various other types. It is announced by War Assets Administration as a streamlined sale wherein would-be purchasers only have to be at the sale, bid, pay and receive title "then and there." Buyers may remove buildings the day of the sale and shall remove them within 60 days. Inspection continues until November 12 between the hours of 8:00 a. m. and 4:30 p. m., Saturdays and Sundays excepted.

War Assets Administration is preparing to clear airfields throughout the country of 405 surplus aircraft, including 29 Stearman trainers at the Dallas Naval Air Station, by means of a fixed price sale to Veterans and other buyers opening November 12. Veterans may buy from November 12 through December 3. Remaining planes will be offered to other priority groups until December 11, when the residue will go on sale to the general public. Public inspection of planes at all locations has been scheduled for November 10 and 11. The WAA has lowered prices on virtually all of the surplus craft in order to speed their transfer to private owners. All of the aircraft are divided into two categories,

set-aside planes which may be purchased for personal use by any possessing honorable discharge papers from World War II, and non-set-aside planes which may be purchased by veterans who have been issued WAA aircraft purchase certificates.

Seven buildings from the Dalhart Army Airfield and two auxiliary fields were recently purchased by West Texas and Panhandle public schools and cities in a recent priority sale of structures. The sale was held by WAA's office of real property disposal. Schools purchasing were Cotton Center in Hale county, Stratford high school, and Dalhart public schools. Cities purchasing were Dumas and Sunray. At a later date, the remaining buildings will be advertised for public bidding, and sale for off-site use.

### Texas Family Adopts Texas Family At Higgins, Texas

There have been many stories of the adoption of destitute European families by Americans. But here is a story of the adoption of a Texas family by a Texas group.

When a tornado hit the little town of Higgins last spring, the destruction was equal to any "blitz." Assistance for the stricken town poured in from all over the country.

Members of the Rehm Home Demonstration Club in Hartley county knew that it would take time for family life to recover from the loss of home and property. So they decided to "adopt" a Higgins family.

The ladies of the club met together last month and canned 100 quarts of corn and 30 quarts of green beans to be delivered to their adopted family, a concrete example of the kind of help they are giving.

The project has been very popular with every one in the community. Norma Lee Lantz, county home demonstration agent, says, and other clubs in the county are adopting families, too.

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State to Help Save Nations Millions of Tons In Lost Foods

Texas may soon provide a hungry world with 2,600,000 tons more food than during the state's bumper crop years.

New refrigerating systems, technical developments and faster transportation will make that goal possible, according to engineers, without increased sowing labor and harvest yields.

"These developments are well beyond the blueprint stage," said R. L. Mallory, Texas regional engineer for Brown Instrument Company, Philadelphia manufacturer of electronic precision instruments for controlling food processing and carrier and storage temperatures. "New techniques will affect meats, fish, fruits, vegetables, dairy products, poultry and grains. They will conserve food and food nutrition and flavor."

"The 2,600,000 extra tons of food from Texas are based on U.S. Department of Agriculture estimates that at least 25 percent of all food produced in the country, or 50,000,000 tons, is wasted in transit or in homes.

"Instead of adding to grower and processor financial burdens, said the engineer for Brown, a division of Minneapolis-Honeywell Regulator Company, "the increase in available foods should reduce costs for everyone and also prices to the consumer. We have reached that period where, from frozen foods to home equipment, we can build stocks in times of plenty for years of scarcity."

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Wayland College Football Season Opens Nov. 8th

PLAINVIEW — According to Harley Redin, Wayland Jackrabbits will travel in fast company when basketball season opens.

Playing their last year in junior college status, the Jackrabbits will be engaging a large number of senior colleges with the hope of establishing themselves among the larger colleges. Although Wayland will play in the Texas Junior College Conference, many of their non-conference opponents appear to be way out of their class.

Coach Harley Redin has announced the following tentative dates for games before Christmas for his varsity club:

Nov. 18, Hardin-Simmons University, here.

Nov. 25, Sayre Junior College at Sayre, Oklahoma.

Dec. 5, Cisco Junior College, here.

Dec. 9, Clifton Junior College, here.

Dec. 13, N. M. M. I. at Roswell, New Mexico.

Dec. 19, John Tarleton at Stephenville.

Wayland boys "B" team and girls' team will play Shallowater at Shallowater on Nov. 12 and a return engagement will be held here on Nov. 19.

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FOR SALE—Living room suite, dining room suite, 2 bedsteads, 1 innerspring mattress, one dresser, and 2 9 x 12 linoleum rugs. See J. S. Watson. 43-2tp

FOR SALE—1941 Ford with radio and heater. See Bill Long. 43-2tc

FOR SALE—60 head of 3 year old Ramboulet ewes. Also a small house to be moved. See Bailey Hill. 44-2tp

FOR SALE—9 room 1 1/2 bath brick and tile home, with 10 acres of land. See Mrs. Una Burson. 44-2tp

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FOR SALE—Extra good brown enamel kerosene heater, Holly-wood bed and Murphy roll-a-way bed. See Mrs. Albert Mallow. 44-2tp

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FOR SALE—One brown enamel Superflex oil heater with 3 gallon oil tank. See Louie Kitchens. 44-4tp

New Radio Station In Amarillo Starts First Week Programs

Amarillo—(Special) Panhandle radio listeners are finding a new voice filling the 1010 spot on their radio dials with KAMQ, new 1000 watt standard broadcast station in Amarillo, beaming its first week of regularly scheduled broadcasts.

KAMQ is owned by the Top Of Texas Broadcasting. J. W. Dickerson has assumed the duties as station manager.

KAMQ went on the air for the first time Saturday, November 1. The station manager said that nothing had been spared in securing talent which will have the utmost appeal to the Panhandle and southwestern listeners served by its transmitter.

In addition to a well planned entertainment schedule, KAMQ will feature full coverage of local and national news, sports and special events.

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A little time and trouble now, plus some rotenone, can put Texas cattle and dairymen on the road to saving \$5 million.

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Statistics show that forty-two percent of all Texas cattle are grubby. Grubby cattle are discounted on the market at about one cent a pound. The total loss to Texans in the cattle and dairy business in terms of milk, meat and leather each year comes close to five million dollars.

Most farms and ranches cause their own trouble with grubs, Extension entomologists for Texas A. & M. College points out. Heel flies are the parents of grubs, and the flies seldom migrate over half-a-mile. So treatment for grubs in the fall and winter will control the heel fly on the farm and ranch in the spring.

Spray on the backs of the animals with a mixture of 7 1/2 pounds of 5 percent rotenone in 100 gallons of water at about 30-day intervals in the fall and winter, the entomologists say. Rotenone dust can be used on small herds.

Control now will help to save feed next year, too, as it takes from 10 to 15 percent more feed to fatten a grubby steer than one free of grubs.

Kenneth Davis now Vice President of New Oil Company

Kenneth Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis, who graduated from Silvertown high school in 1932 and Texas Technological College in 1936 with a degree in geology, worked for several specialty companies and oil companies in the field for a year near Hables, New Mexico.

In February of 1937 he was employed by the El Paso Natural Gas Company as a geologist and engineer for the Western Gas Company, a subsidiary of El Paso Natural Gas Company, with offices in Jal, New Mexico. In the ten years he was in Jal he was advanced to superintendent in charge of drilling, production and geological work.

In May of 1947, Western Gas Company was merged with Gulf States Oil Company, a producing company with properties in south Texas; and the name was changed to Western Natural Gas Company with main offices in Houston, Texas.

The employees of the new company were made up of personnel originally employed by Western Gas Company and Gulf States Oil Company.

The new company has operations in South Texas, West Texas,

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