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Swing Of Southwest Farm Markets

(USDA) — Southwest farm markets remained generally firm to strong last week, but easiness cropped up on some types or classes of nearly all commodities, according to the Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Movement of new crop wheat, oats, and barley had gotten well underway and trade sources expected sorghums to join the parade in two or three weeks. Wheat prices sagged steadily, and lost about 20 cents per bushel, closing at \$2.25 Friday. Corn and sorghums advanced several cents, while oats and barley changed very little.

Low market stocks of rice consisted mostly of packaged lots in the hands of retailers. Feed markets showed a stronger tone last week, with higher prices for oilseed meals and corn feeds. Southwest alfalfa growers had about finished harvesting the first cutting. Most peanut areas enjoyed favorable conditions for the growing crop and for late planting. Texas wool sold from 47½ to 52c per pound, grease basis.

Cotton scored-market net advances again last week despite late easiness. Good spot demand for the better grades brought early scant offerings. Most crop areas needed rain.

Slow demand for East Texas tomatos resulted in slightly lower prices. U. S. No. 1 6 by 6 and larger sizes sold late in the week at \$3.25 to \$3.50 per lug box. North Texas onions held fairly firm at around \$1.90 for 50 pound sacks of U. S. No. 1. Shipments of watermelons and cantaloupes increased, with some price declines reported on the Fort Worth and St. Louis markets. Good quality green beans from Arkansas and Okla. took over the Kansas City market, where first trump potatoes found slow sale.

Eggs remained firm last week, while poultry held steady with declines of the week before. At Dallas and Fort Worth, heavy hens brought 22 to 25 cents per pound, light 18 to 21, and fryers 35 to 36. At Denver, New Orleans, Houston, and Bryan, heavy hens ranged from 22 to 26c, light hens 16 to 21, and fryers and broilers 30 to 35. The Arkansas, Oklahoma, Kansas area brought heavy hens at 20 to 25, and broilers at 25 to 31.

Cattle sold generally strong to \$1.00 or more higher last week, but easiness developed on lower grade cows at San Antonio, and on lower grades of all classes at Fort Worth. Common to medium steers and yearlings brought \$14 to \$20 at Houston, while medium to good kinds realized \$19 to \$23.50 at Fort Worth. San Antonio brought medium steers at \$23 to \$23.25. Oklahoma City moved good and choice steers at \$24.50 to \$25.50.

Hogs scored net advances of 25 cents to \$1.00 or more at most southwest terminals last week, but butcher hogs lost mostly 25 cents at Oklahoma City, and sows dropped \$1 at San Antonio. Bulk of good and choice butchers brought \$24.75 to \$25 at Fort Worth, and \$24.75 to \$25.50 at Denver. Late top was \$24.75 at San Antonio and Oklahoma City.

Some sheep and lamb markets made small to sharp gains, but lambs dropped \$1 to \$3 at Fort Worth, old crop lambs fell at San Antonio, and ewes weakened at some places. Good spring lambs moved at \$20 at San Antonio; while good and choice kinds turned at \$19 to \$23 at Fort Worth; \$24.75 to \$25.25 at Wichita; and \$24.50 to \$26 at Denver.



FOR A SAFER TEXAS—Effective Sept. 5, some 3 million drivers and almost 2 million vehicles will travel under the Uniform Traffic Code of 32 states. Sponsored by the Texas Safety Association and endorsed by Governor Jester, the measure is signed in presence of its authors: Sen. Fred Harris, left, and Rep. Joe Kilgore, right. Center is George Clarke, Association director.

Sponsors Contest At Cowboy Reunion

Entries in the Cowgirl Sponsors Contest to be held in connection with the Texas Cowboy Reunion at Stamford on July 2, 3, and 4, continue to pour in according to A. C. Bishop, Chairman Sponsor Committee.

Mrs. Russell Crowover, Hostess to all visiting sponsors and Miss Patty McDonald, Stamford's host sponsor, have planned an extensive round of entertainment for the three days. The Sponsors Ball, for sponsors and their escorts will be held opening night at 11 o'clock and will be broadcast over Station KD-WT. A breakfast for sponsors only will be held the morning of July 3, at 9:30 at the guest cabin on the Reunion grounds. Sponsors and their escorts will be admitted free to the chuck wagon dinner at noon July 4. All sponsors will ride in the big opening day parade at 11 o'clock July 2. Open dances will also be held the nights of July 3 and 4.

Five Cars Of Wheat Shipped From Jayton

According to G. E. Russell 5 cars of wheat have been shipped from Jayton via the Fort Worth and Denver City Railway.

The harvest has been slow in this area because of late wheat and unfavorable weather conditions and because of these reasons it is believed that the harvest will last another two weeks.

It has been reported that there are enough local combines to take care of Kent County's harvest.

The Jayton Methodist Church

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Preaching 11:00 a. m.
Evening 8:00 p. m.
Wednesday Evening—
Bible Study 8:00 p. m.
Vacation Bible School, registration will begin Saturday morning, 9:00 a. m.

All workers are urged to be present for this first meeting of the school, all pupils will please be present and get yourselves ready for the school, there will be study, fun and recreation for all, do not let anything hinder you from attending.

J. D. Ramsey, Pastor.

Mrs. Margaret Jackson of Levelland, Texas spent the first of the week in Jayton with her brother Mr. L. F. Wade and family.

Mrs. Glen Peters and sons Bill and Warren Wade left Monday morning for their home in Mesa, Arizona after spending a week in Jayton with her parents Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Wade.

Mrs. Grady Jones was in the Rotan Hospital last week for treatment.

W. J. Garrett returned home Sunday from Van Texas where he has been helping his son Dr. W. J. Garrett build a new home.

Lee Parker visited his parents at Crosbyton, Texas last week.

Mrs. W. D Hancock Honored With Gift Party

Mrs. William D. Hancock, the former Gale Jones, was honored with a gift party Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Less Matthews. Hours were from 4:00 to 6:00 o'clock.

The rooms were decorated with gladioli, roses, and sweet peas from the hostess garden. The table was laid with lace and centered with a crystal bowl of sweet peas and flanked by white tapers.

Miss Sue Matthews greeted guests and Miss Joyce Vardiman presided at the brides book where 95 names were registered. Assisting in the house party were Mrs. Sam Matthews and Miss Rhoda Lou Kelley. Co-hostesses were: Mesdames M. D. Fuller, P. D. Allen, W. D. Vencil, I. F. Murdoch, J. H. Fulcher, G. H. Brown, H. D. Black, W. D. Cave, Dallas Kenady, O. C. Lawrence, Thos. Fowler, M. V. Jay, Bill Daniels, B. J. Kelleit, C. R. Kelley, and G. W. Branch.

Texas Rated Fifth In Wave Of Crime

Austin. — Texas ranks fifth in the present crime wave, largest in the nation's history, Maurice W. Acers, special officer in charge of the San Antonio FBI field office, said here Monday.

Acers made the statement to law enforcement officers of twenty-six Central and Southwest Texas counties attending an FBI law enforcement conference.

He expressed concern over the public attitude toward the wave of crime.

"In some respects the national behavior pattern indicates a general breakdown of the American home, and when that happens there is real cause for alarm," he said.

WINDSHIELD STICKERS ILLEGAL AFTER JULY 15

Austin. — Windshield stickers, which were issued by the Highway Department in some counties in lieu of metal license plates, will be illegal after July 15.

The stickers must be exchanged between now and then for regular metal plates at the office of the county tax assessor-collector where the temporary licenses were issued.

The windshield stickers were issued in March and April, when delivery of metal plates was delayed.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Allen were called to Clovis, New Mexico Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Allen's brother who passed away Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Davis visited her brother at Slaton, Texas last Sunday.

Mrs. H. B. Patterson and daughter were brought home from the Rotan Hospital last Thursday.

L. H. Mason had business in Abilene, Texas Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Smith and Ginger Butler and daughter spent last week end in Haskell, Texas with relatives and friends.

Weekly WAA Surplus News

A pre-Fourth of July offering for the benefit of World War II veterans will be made at the Red River Arsenal when 450 trailers, trucks, sedans and jeeps are put on the market by the War Assets Administration. Inspection of the vehicles may be made Friday, June 27, and Monday, June 30, with sales during July 1 and 2. Sales will be limited to one vehicle to a veteran, and order of purchase is to be determined by a drawing held at gate three of the arsenal at 9: a. m. July 1. Admission qualifications will be discharge papers or accepted proof of honorable World War II service. WAA location sales officials declared that veterans attending the sale will be able to inspect, complete purchase and drive their vehicle home before the holiday.

Light Showers Fall In Jayton

Last Sunday afternoon proceeded by high wind and sand, 45 inch of rain fell in the Jayton area.

Farmers report very little damage to the wheat not yet harvested, but row crops were greatly benefited by the light shower.

Again Wednesday afternoon Jayton received another light shower which brought relief from the sweltering heat, but furnished very little moisture.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES TO BE HELD FOR GIRARD VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Commencement Exercises for the Girard Vacation Bible School will be held Sunday night June 22, 8:00 o'clock at the Girard Baptist Church.

Each department of the Vacation Bible School will have part on the program. Certificate of award will be given to students and teachers in recognition of service rendered.

NATIONAL SERVICE LIFE INSURANCE

Washington, D. C. — Payments of premiums on National Service Life Insurance may be made by veterans on a monthly, quarterly, semiannual or annual basis. Bonds received in payment of terminal leave may also be applied against insurance.

Zephie Brown and Mrs. Floyd Hall who are attending E. T. S. T. C. at Commerce, Texas spent last week end in Jayton.

Mrs. Hattie Sincerbaux of Nashville, Tennessee visited her niece Mrs. W. J. Garrett last week.

Barb A Healer and Mr. and Mrs. Royce W. Healer and daughter of Vallejo, California are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Healer.

H. B. Yoakum and Wallace Gardner were transacting business in Aspermont, Texas Monday evening of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hamilton and son, Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Hamilton and family spent last week in Laredo, Corpus Christi, Houston and other points south.

Be Alive On The Fifth

Chicago. — The biggest traffic jam in the nation's history will occur during the Fourth of July week-end holiday this year, the National Safety Council predicted today.

To meet the threat of a record-breaking traffic toll, the Council appealed to motorists and pedestrians to "Be Alive On The Fifth" as the keynote of a nationwide campaign against accidents during the holiday.

Close to 30,000,000 vehicles are expected to pack the highways over the Fourth of July, the Council said, and their speedometers are expected to clock nearly four billion miles during the three-day holiday. This estimate is based on gasoline consumption, which shows mileage this year exceeding even the previous record level of pre-war 1941.

One hundred and thirty other national organizations have joined with the Council in a united effort to prevent a jamboree of carelessness over the Fourth.

The campaign is designed to help public officials, traffic officers and safety leaders in their efforts to curb the holiday death toll.

In asking for public support of the campaign, Ned H. Dearborn, president of the Council, pointed out that a similar coordinated effort last year helped to reduce the July traffic toll 23 per cent below the previous high in 1941.

"Nevertheless," he said, "8,300 persons died from accidents of all kinds in July last year, and as usual the Fourth of July celebration contributed substantially to that figure."

"This year we have many dangerous factors—a three-day holiday, increased mileage, relative prosperity. It adds up to a big celebration—and a big pile-up of dead and injured—unless we all make it our business to do something about it."

"We can do something about it, because these tragedies result from things we can control—haste, selfishness, thoughtlessness, the desire to show off."

"Take it easy on the Fourth. Be alive on the Fifth!"

These Ads Appeared In 1823

To the Editor of Labor: I have been looking over some issues of the "Western Post," printed in Wheeling, W. Va., in March of 1823. That's almost 125 years ago. I find the following prices quoted:

Bacon	5 cents lb.
Butter, in keg	10 cents lb.
Flour, super-fine	\$3.00 barrel.
Grain wheat	50 cents bushel
Cigars, American	\$1.50 per 1000
Eggs	6 cents dozen
Potatoes	37 cents bushel
Pork	3 cents pound
Corn	20 cents bushel
Hams	7 to 8 cents pound
Whisky from wagons	32 to 34 cents gallon.

Equally interesting is an advertisement headed, "Six Cents Reward," and reading as follows:

"Ran away from the subscribers, in February last, an indentured apprentice to the chair-making business, named Lewis Cordell, who is about 18 years of age, five feet five inches high, stout made and dark complexion. The above reward will be paid for his apprehension, but no charges allowed for bringing him home."

"J and C. Tacher." This is evidently a white boy, not an African slave. It was the "draft labor" idea, but operated by the employers, instead of the government. —Tokoma Park, Md. R. C. (The above article was handed to the editor this week by Ivey Murdoch.)

ASSOCIATION MEETING AT CLAIREMONT GREAT SUCCESS

The workers meeting of the Stonewall Baptist Association at Clairemont was in every way a great success. Every speaker was greatly inspired for their messages were so soul stirring and the fellowship was wonderful. Those not attending missed a very inspirational meeting.

We are indebted to the people of Clairemont for their fine spirit of cooperation and the Cafe for the dinner served. We stop and bow our heads to thank God for each of you.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Kenady and son and Johna Joy and son of Lockney, Texas visited relatives in Jayton last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hardgrove and son of Sanderson, Texas spent last week in Jayton with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Williams.

Jayton Team Wins Over Croton

The local nine unloosed a barrage of hits behind tight relief pitching Sunday to defeat the threatening Croton team 13 - 8.

The big runs came in the sixth inning when Jayton jumped on Croton's relief pitcher for 5 runs after trailing the first part of the game 6 - 2. Again in the seventh for three and three in the eighth. Croton got their other two runs in the bottom half of the ninth.

Next Sunday afternoon Jayton will play Spur at Spur.

Afton at Turkey.
Croton at Roaring Springs.
Dickens at Midway.

Summer Enrollment Record Set At Texas Tech

Lubbock. — Topping all previous summer enrollment records at Texas Technological College, 2703 students are now attending classes, the registrars office has announced. Registration for the first term was completed Monday.

Men are decidedly in the majority at Tech, with 1956 males and only 747 women. The student body includes 1648 veterans.

The housing situation is good. Four college dormitories are open this summer, including two for men, one for women and one for married couples.

Previous high enrollment record for the summer session was in 1946, when 267 persons registered. During the first term the figure was 2310.

Health Notes From Austin

Austin. — A statement released today by Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, indicates that the incidence of whooping cough in Texas is at present almost three times as high as the seven year median.

"Prevention and control of whooping cough, especially among infants and small children, may be accomplished through use of approved vaccine and convalescent serum," Dr. Cox asserted, "and it is important that such measures be taken to protect them. Neglecting to do so, and allowing the young child to suffer an attack of this disease, may seriously impair his future health."

"The infectious agent or germ of whooping cough, is transmitted by droplets expelled in coughing, sneezing, or speaking," Dr. Cox said. "The discharges from the nose and throat are dangerous to susceptible persons; the need for early recognition and careful isolation of whooping cough is obvious."

The first sign of this disease is usually a dry cough, which persists day and night and tends to become increasingly severe. The disease is fully developed when vomiting of food and whooping accompany the paroxysm of cough. Dr. Cox stressed the fact that children who have whooping cough should not attend school and should be isolated so that they will not come in contact with other children until three weeks after the appearance of typical signs of the disease.

Boy Scout News

Last Thursday afternoon the following Scouts left for Lake Sweetwater: Johnny Kelley, Bill Sartain, L. E. Browning, Harold Dean Thomas, Larry Dean Wright, Naylan Vencil, Billy Gene Harrison, Bob Engledow, Ronnie Brantner, Freddie Ray Jones, Carl Gardner, Kenneth Pearson, R. A. Moreland, and Scoutmaster, Check Thomas.

We stayed two nights and really had a nice time.

Most everyone fished but the fish must not have been biting.

We went swimming Friday afternoon and really enjoyed it.

We slept in bunks; it wasn't unusual for someone in a top bunk to get thrown out.

We hope to go back to the camp in the near future.

We have our weekly Scout meeting at the school house on Tuesday nights.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Beaver of Fort Worth, Texas visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Beaver in Jayton last week. a/c his brother and two sisters at Lubbock, Texas. Charlie has been working for the National Supply Co. of Texas for the past 28 years as Auditor. His company has transferred him to Pittsburg, Penn. where he will be employed in the head office.

ALMANAC

I am at the end of my tether.

JUNE

- 18—War declared on Great Britain, 1812.
- 19—First Virginia assembly, 1619.
- 20—West Virginia admitted to Union, 1863.
- 21—First day of summer.
- 22—Resistance on Okinawa ends, 1945.
- 23—Battle of Springfield, 1780.
- 24—Battle of Rannochburn secured Scottish independence, 1314.

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NOTICE TO PUBLIC

Any erroneous reflection upon the reputation or standing of any individual, firm, or corporation that may appear in the columns of The Jayton Chronicle will be gladly corrected when called to our attention.

I GIVE YOU TEXAS

Many years ago when Tom C. McRae was running for governor of Arkansas, one of his opponents was assailing him. McRae's only comeback was, "A wise hunter doesn't waste ammunition on a dead duck." McRae was elected and made a great chief executive.

In these days when so many best sellers are filled with filth, I am so old-fashioned as to count it a real tribute when someone says, "None of the things in your books have to be fumigated."

And a speaker can be humorous without being vulgar.

Touring Texas: At Guthrie, a big rock house enthroned on a hill is visible for miles. The castle-like mansion is the main ranch house of the 6866.

On west is Red Springs. I didn't

see the springs but in nearly every yard were red flowers that looked like tulips.

It is a scenic drive. To one side is broken country which is the bed of the Wichita River. Then there is picturesque Blanco Canyon.

And in Plainview is a "honey house", a store where nothing but honey is sold. And a little ways north of the town is a row of trees half a mile long, beside the highway. One house is surrounded by trees taller than it is and the house is two stories high. I can remember when it was said that trees wouldn't grow on the Plains. Now, they have big nurseries up there.

Between Abilene and Coleman during May there were several miles of hills and valleys clad in solid sheets of light yellow flowers.

Hollywood has its Brown Derby—and Bangs has its Sombrero, a little cafe built in the shape of a Mexican hat.

And approaching Brownwood on the highway from the west your car drops down on the city almost as though you were coming in on an airplane.

ENTIRE WING NOW RADIO AERIAL

Wright Field, Ohio. — Aviation's most formidable foe - weather - has received another blow from the Army Air Forces Material Command, with the development by engineers at Wright Field of a new system utilizing the entire wing as radio aerial.

Machinery, research and better soil are designed to let us grow cotton so cheaply in the future that its production is bound to head to new places in the sun, comments Dr. Henry G. Bennett, president of Oklahoma A. and M.

Cowboy Band To Play At Stamford Rodeo

The Hardin Simmons University Band will not only participate in the opening day parade at the Texas Cowboy Reunion on July 2, but it will play concert and introductory music for each performance. The colorful organization will be under the direction of Mr. Marion B. McClure who has been with the band since 1934 except for a four year period spent in the army from 1942-46.

Johnny Regan, trick rope and whip artist, returned to the United States with the band in 1930, when the group toured Europe. He was featured with the band until the war. During the war Regan traveled all over Europe and the Middle East giving performances for Allied troops. He is now back with the band and will appear at each per-

formance of the Texas Cowboy Reunion and Rodeo.

Johnny Sedwick, feature soloist for the band, is the latest find of Director McClure. He has been soloist only a few months but in that time he has become one of the most popular singers the organization has ever had. Tall and lanky, a typical cowboy, Sedwick thrills the girls with his renditions of "Gal in Calico", "Cowboy Serenade", and "My Adobe Hacienda".

Twelve million dollars worth of meat was lost during 1946 from

SCALP TROUBLES RELIEVED!

The 75c bottle of DURHAM'S RESORCIN TONIC must relieve itching scalps or loose dandruff better than any \$1.50 Tonic—or your money back. Worth \$1.50 but costs only 75c at

ALEXANDER DRUG

dead, crippled and bruised livestock at leading markets, reports the National Livestock Loss Prevention Board, which says much of this loss can be prevented by better handling in transportation.

Ban's disease vaccine developed by the U. S. Department of Agriculture is effective in preventing the disease, but of no value as a cure, Dr. C. K. Mingle warns.

TRAIN CREWS IN ARTIC RESCUE

Washington, D. C. — Looking to increased use of the polar route in air travel and operations, the Army Air Forces is forming parachutist rescue teams to be used in operation of the 10th Rescue Squadron in Alaska.

High blood pressure is the leading cause of death and four times as deadly as cancer.

FOR YOU

3,000 ft. Window Type Air Conditioner \$49.95

Standard Universal Vacuum Cleaner \$69.95

De Luxe Universal Vacuum Cleaner \$79.95

Proctor Electric Irons
Standard \$10.95 Never-lift \$13.95

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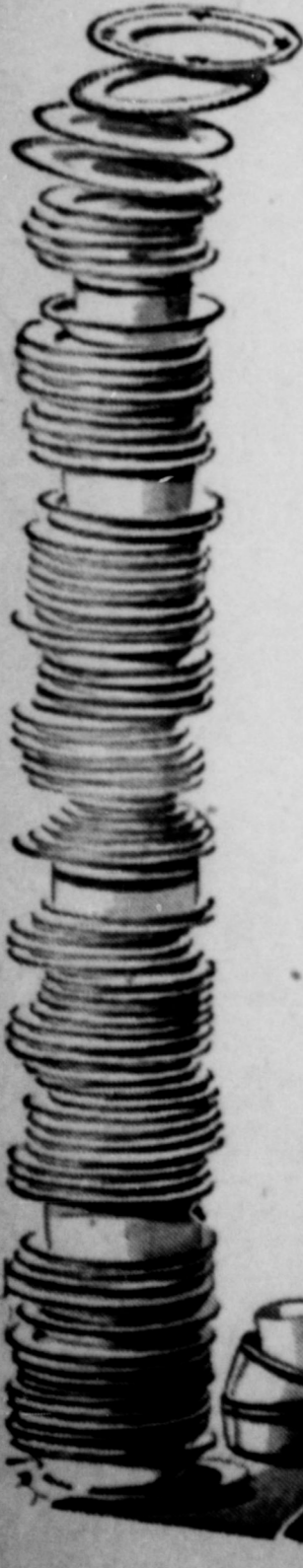
Career Woman!

MEET the greatest career woman of all! She doesn't manage a business, write novels, paint portraits, or sing over the radio. But her job's big and it's important—she runs a home!

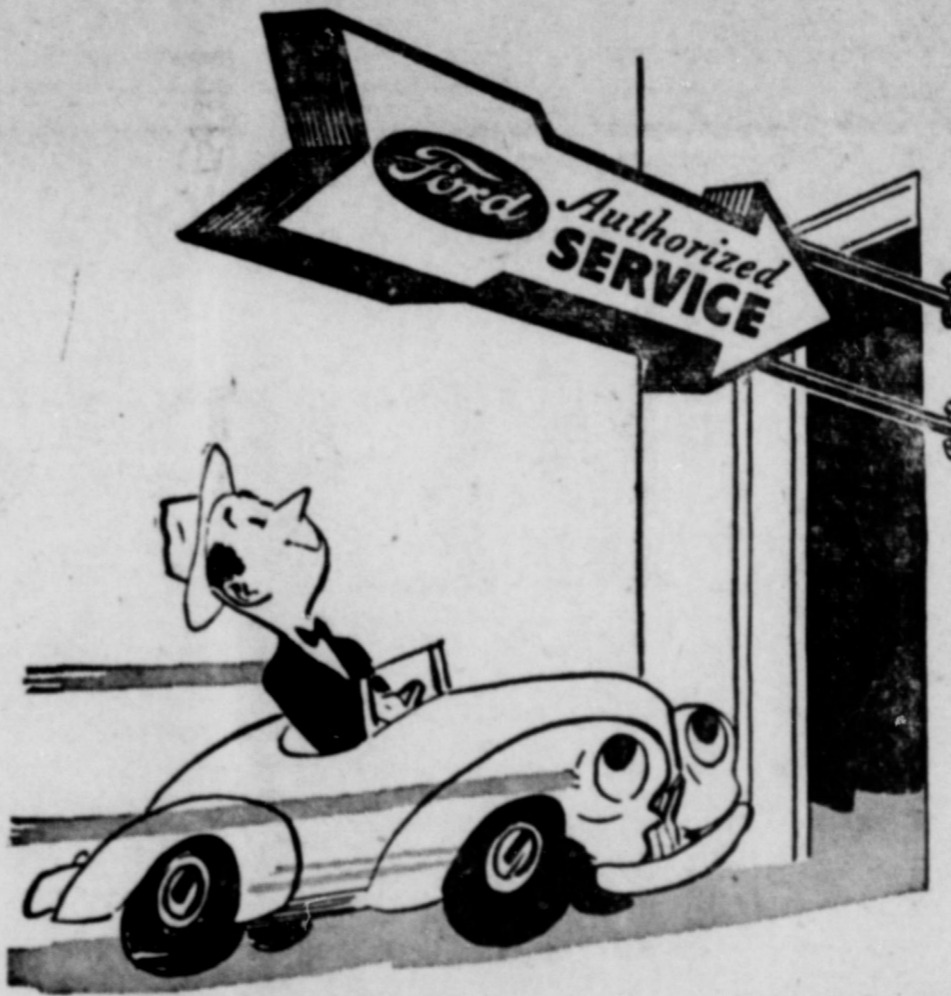
What a job that is! In a year she washes more than 6 tons of dishes, cooks more than 1,000 meals, wades through mountains of laundry, trundles her vacuum cleaner across acres and acres of rugs!

The more Mom depends on electric service, the less work is in her housework. And how little electric service costs! A penny's worth a day will rescue Mom from the drudgery of dishwashing. A few more pennies will cook her meals. Electricity will help her wash and iron for less weekly than the cost of a bar of soap.

And when Mom balances her budget, she's bound to note that electricity is one of its smallest items. Actually, the average family now gets twice as much electricity for its money as it did about 20 years ago. This bargain comes to Mom—and to you, too—through the practical experience of your friends and neighbors in this company, under sound local business management.



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Get some real Ford service to "renew" the life of your car. We'll see to it that battery, generator, radiator, crankcase, brakes and other parts are all set for trouble-free driving. And with our 4-way Ford service (which only Ford dealers can give you) you'll save time and money.

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3. Genuine Ford Parts
4. Special Ford Equipment



Get better service for your Ford and better service from it!

ESTIMATES FREE—USE OUR BUDGET PLAN

BLACK MOTOR COMPANY

JAYTON, TEXAS

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HERE'S ADVANCE NEWS

ABOUT THE NEW ADVANCE-DESIGN CHEVROLET TRUCK

These are the trucks you'll want to see—today's newest trucks—on display soon at the Mason Chevrolet Company. The Advance-Design Chevrolet trucks have increased load-space . . . longer wheelbase . . . stronger, sturdier frames. Chevrolet's new flexi-mounted cab is cushioned against road-shocks, torsion and vibration. Chevrolet's fresh-air heating and ventilating system, the Cab That "Breathes" (optional at extra cost) "inhales" fresh air . . . "exhales" used air, for greater driver comfort.

Chevrolet trucks are powered by the famous Chevrolet valve-in-head truck engines world's most economical for their size—to give you extra power with greatest economy.

If you're a truck operator—interested in the plain facts of payload and operating costs—plan to see the new Chevrolet trucks. Consult the Mason Chevrolet Company. We can help you select a Chevrolet truck to fit your hauling needs.

Mason Chevrolet Company
Phone 113 Jayton, Texas

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barfoot this week were: Mrs. Royce Barfoot and son John of Abilene, Texas, Mrs. F. M. Coker and son of Wilmer, Texas, Mrs. Doc Barfoot and daughter Beckie of Wilmer, Texas and Mrs. Maude Barfoot of Athens, Texas.

Mrs. Tenie Wilson spent a few days last week at Peacock, Texas with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kenady and Harold Arden.

About a year ago, the United States planned to export 400 million bushels of grain to the needy people of foreign countries. By July of this year, 525 million bushels will have been shipped. The famine overseas still exists.

It was said 23 hundred years ago by the Greek, Xenophon, that "When agriculture flourishes, all other pursuits are in full vigor; but when the ground is forced to lie barren, other occupations are almost stopped, as well by land as by sea."

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Holmes and children of Clyde, Texas visited her sister Mrs. Lee Parker last Sunday.

Wanda Bybee of Borger, Texas is visiting her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bybee.

Mrs. Jimmie Johnston and son and Pat Kelley visited her parents at Stamford, Texas last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Grice of Jal, New Mexico visited her mother Mrs. Bill Matthews last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Parks went to Sweetwater last Friday afternoon to meet Miriam Alva Parks.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Coleman of Kilgore, Texas visited Mrs. J. H. Donoho last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dansby of Aspermont and Mrs. Ann Murdoch and Mrs. Minnie White of De Leon, Texas visited relatives in Jayton Sunday.

Mrs. Jack Smith and baby daughter Marsha Ann left Sunday for Wilmington, California after visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Morland, R. A. Jr., and aunt Lula Moreland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Lee left Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Clark for Bisby Arizona to visit Mr. and Mrs. Lon Goodall.

Clay Beaver and family of Stamford, Texas and Rollie Beaver and family of Girard, Texas visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Beaver last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Meador visited his brother at Slaton, Texas last Sunday.

Mrs. Lee Parker and children visited her sister at Clyde, Texas last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Cox and children of Stamford, Texas spent last week end in Jayton with relatives and friends.

Nina and Marvin Jean Hall visited in Lubbock, Texas last week and took in the rodeo.

Joyce Brantner is visiting friends in Sudan, Texas this week.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lane this week are, Mrs. D. C. Allen and son of Bryan, Texas, Mrs. Houston Young and children of Hearne, Texas.

Mrs. Melvin Herzik and Mrs. H. D. Wade had business in Sweetwater, Texas last Friday.

Strips of sunflowers and corn provide both shade and feed that are needed for poultry.

Is Your Baby Registered,

The law requires that the birth of every baby born in Texas shall be reported to the local Registrar.

A birth certificate may be needed to prove right to property inherited. Prove citizenship, prove the age of consent.

Prove legal age for marriage.

Prove age for military service.

Establish proof for pensions, insurance, compensation and many other things. The physician must file the birth certificate with the local registrar within five days after the birth occurred.

The law requires that every death which occurs in Texas shall be reported to the local registrar, and that a permit shall be secured from the registrar before any body is buried or removed for burial.

Death Certificates are needed to—

Establish property rights, establish insurance claims, establish claims of widows and orphans of ex-service men. Establish legitimacy of children, settle inheritance claims, and other reasons.

The certificates are forwarded to the State Registrar at Austin to be placed in steel, fireproof vaults for permanent records.

Tom N. Sanders, Local Registrar.

The long-time value of legume crops is the fertility that they add to the soil, and the fact that they prevent erosion by holding the soil in place.

Farmers in the United States are being asked by the U. S. Department of Agriculture to have 15 per cent more farrowing sows this fall than a year ago, to meet the 35 million head fall pig crop.

BARGAINS

- 40% Bran Flakes, Large Box 10c
- Strawberry Jelly, 1 lb. jar 29c
- Tea, Admiration, 1/4 lb. 19c
- Peaches, Heavy Syrup, No 2 1/2 can .. 29c
- Treet, Armours, 12 oz. can 39c
- Tomato Soup, No. 2 can 10c
- Rib Roast, 1 lb. 25c
- Jergens, \$1.00 bottle 89c

Hall Grocery

GIVE HER A BREAK

Give your wife a break and bring her down and eat with us. The best food money can buy is prepared right in our kitchen by experienced cooks.

COFFEE POT CAFE

D. O. Smith

Ginger Butler

MEAD'S

FINE

BREAD

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The Red and White Store

- Maryland Cup Coffee, 1 lb. 35c
- Chase and Sanborn Coffee, 1 lb. 35c
- Wes-Tex Syrup, 1 gal. \$1.20
- Ranch Style Beans, No. 2 tall, 2 for .. 25c
- Seedless Raisins, 35c value 25c

For your picnics - we have paper plates, cups, knives, forks, and spoons.

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Vivian Blaine, Perry Como, Harry James, Carmen Miranda in "IF I'M LUCKY"

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Texas Editors Eat Turkey Steaks



AMARILLO, TEXAS, June 19. —Texas Editors in annual convention in this Panhandle City lunched here today on turkey steaks, a new taste treat, which is in the process of development in order to make turkey a year round instead of a seasonal delicacy. The editors, members of the Texas Press Association and the Texas Newspaper Publishers Association were guests at a luncheon at the Amarillo hotel. Arrangements for the turkey steak luncheon were made by Ralph E. Janes, president of the National Turkey Federation, and C. S. Pryor, manager of the Amarillo Hotel. Shown above is Mrs. Oswald Wolf of the Alvin East Produce Co., of Austin, who processed the steaks. Turkey steaks are boneless and there is no waste. The steak was developed by Texas A. & M. College, the Luling Foundation, and officers of the National and Texas turkey federations.

Questions And Answers

Q. What income provision is attached to the pension that I will get as the widow of a soldier who died in a German prison camp?
A. As the widow of a soldier who died in line of duty, you are pensionable under the law regardless of income.
Q. I divorced my wife on grounds of desertion and would like to know if she can claim part of my pension?
A. The divorce discontinues the marital relationship and your wife could not successfully claim a portion of your pension unless she successfully contests the divorce.
Q. How much is allowed for a child whose father is taking a G.I. college course? We are divorced and

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—See, C. D. McCurry.

SHERIFF'S SALE

Whereas, it appears of record as shown by a deed from the Sheriff of Kent County, Texas, to the State of Texas, recorded in Volume 33, page 254, of the Deed Records of Kent County, Texas, that on the 7th day of November, 1929, the Sheriff of Kent County, Texas, did convey to the State of Texas the land hereinafter described by virtue of an order of sale issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Kent County, Texas, on a certain judgement rendered in said Court in favor of the State of Texas against Unknown Owners, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 2384, for the sum of \$40.78, the same being for taxes, penalty, interest and costs due on said land; and,

Whereas, it appeared to me as Sheriff of Kent County, Texas, that more than two years have elapsed since the date said land was sold to the State of Texas as aforesaid, and that same has not been redeemed;

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, I will, on Tuesday, the 1st day of July, A. D. 1947, proceed to sell, at the principal entrance to the courthouse of Kent County, Texas, in the town of Clairmont, Texas, between the hours of two and four P. M., at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, the following described real estate:

All of Lots Nos. 1, 3, 5, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, and 22, in Block No. Fourty-one in the original townsite of Clairmont, Kent County, Texas, according to the official dedication map or plat of said townsite.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks preceding said day of sale.

Witness my hand, this 2nd day of June, A. D. 1947.

H. J. Whatley
Sheriff, Kent County, Texas.

he claims that he is receiving only \$65 a month.

A. A veteran going to school under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act (G. I. Bill), if single and without dependents, may receive an allowance of \$65 monthly; if he has a dependent or dependents, he may receive \$90 a month. If the child is dependent on your former husband, he would be entitled to the higher rate.

Q. How long after discharge from armed services is readjustment allowance available to a veteran?

A. Readjustment allowances are available to an eligible veteran at any time after his discharge or release until two years after the date

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of his discharge or release or until two years after the official termination of the war, whichever is later.

Doris Brantner is spending the week in Levelland, Texas with Juanell Cerley.

Mr. and Mrs. Mabry McAteer and daughter left Monday morning for Bay City, Texas to visit Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gardner and family visited Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lafoon and daughter in Haskell, Texas last Sunday.

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