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Swing Of Southwest Farm Markets

(USDA) — Many southwest farm markets showed considerable easiness last week, but some held firm, and corn and milo rose to even higher levels, according to the Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Market for East Texas tomatoes weakened, and many shipments moved out unsold. Most late-week f. o. b. sales went at \$2.75 to \$3 per lug box for 6 by 6 and larger U. S. No. 1's. Denver's wholesale market noted a general easing of fruit and vegetable prices. New Orleans held mostly unchanged. Potatoes showed recent firmness at St. Louis, but cantaloups and lettuce declined there, as well as at Kansas City.

Eggs held firm last week, but poultry showed slight easiness at some places. Eggs brought 37 cents per dozen at Denver, Amarillo, and Austin; 37½ at New Orleans; around 38 at Fort Worth, Dallas, and San Antonio; and 44 at Houston. Dallas bought fryers at 35 cents per lb., and heavy hens at 24 and 25. Fort Worth paid 33 to 35 for fryers, and 21 to 23 for heavy hens. New Orleans took fryers at 33 and hens 26.

Corn values rose rapidly last week in response to unfavorable planting weather in the corn belt states. Total advances of around 30 cents per bushel brought No. 1 white to \$2.62 Friday, and yellow to \$2.40 at Fort Worth and Galveston. Wheat and oats eased down another nickle or so, and sorghums gained about the same amount.

Milled rice met slow demand. Early plantings made good progress under favorable conditions. Most feeds held fully steady; bran gained \$6 per ton, and shorts lost \$4. Trade expects prairie hay movement from North Texas and Oklahoma next week. Peanut exports through April 1947 neared ten times the volume for the same period in 1946. Texas 12-months combing wools and the finer territory wools continued in good demand.

Cotton prices fluctuated wildly, but closed a little lower. Extremely light supplies and demand for only special qualities sharply restricted trading.

Lambs dropped from 50 cents to \$1.00 at San Antonio to around \$3.00 at Wichita last week. Aged sheep and feeder lambs remained steady at Fort Worth, but sold generally lower at other markets. Good spring lambs closed at \$20 to \$21.50 at Fort Worth and medium to good \$17 to \$19 at San Antonio, and \$18 to \$22 at Oklahoma City.

Cattle markets weakened materially on practically all classes, with the better grades of cows, steers and yearlings holding up best. Good cows closed the week at \$15.50 to \$16.50 at Houston; \$16 to \$17.50 at Fort Worth; \$16.50 to \$18 at Wichita; and up to \$18 at Oklahoma City. Medium to good cows brought \$17 to \$18 at San Antonio; and common to good \$15 to \$17.50 at Denver. Medium to good steers and yearlings moved at \$17.50 to \$23.50 at Fort Worth; and steers \$21 to \$24.50 at Oklahoma City.

Butcher hogs closed the week steady at Oklahoma City, but fell mostly 25 to 50 cents or more at other southwest terminals. Sows sold generally 50 cents to \$1.50 lower, and feeder pigs dropped at San Antonio. Late high prices on butchers was \$24.50 at San Antonio and Fort Worth; \$24.75 at Oklahoma City and Wichita; and \$26 at Denver.

Mrs. Bernice Walker of Albuquerque, New Mexico is spending this week in Jayton with friends.

ALMANAC



Tail-bearers are as bad as the tale-makers.

JUNE

- 25—First of Seven Days' Battles, 1862.
- 26—Virginia ratified constitution, 1788.
- 27—Helen Keller, born, 1880.
- 28—Island of Luzon liberated, 1945.
- 29—General Goethals, builder of Panama canal, born, 1858.
- 30—U.S. pure food and drug act passed by congress, 1906.

JULY

- 1—Bottle of San Juan Hill, 1898.

A Letter To The Editor

Girard, Texas
June 18, 1947

Dear Mr. Editor:

As you know there was a meeting at Girard last Tuesday night to talk over our tax and Farm to Market Roads, and it was decided to circulate a petition asking our Commissioners' Court to order an election to see whether we want a 15c per \$100.00 valuation special Road Tax or not. Every citizen should be interested in this and I am in favor of this special tax to be used for no other purpose other than the up keep of our roads. I believe the first thing we ought to do is to vote a Road Bond to buy equipment to build and maintain these roads with. Especially do I believe our own district, Jayton and Girard need to vote bonds and a 15c per \$100.00 valuation tax to hire a man to handle this machinery and take care of the new equipment and keep on the job of road building and maintaining, which is so badly needed.

We citizens of Kent County are entitled to the best and I believe it to be to the interest of our county to go in debt in order that we might make money by saving our people the expense of wear and tear of their cars, trucks, tractors and combines which have to go over these roads every day. I believe we ought to work to get all the roads possible that the State will help us build and keep up, but we need equipment for the upkeep of its side roads leading into the main State roads.

If we don't go in we will never get out. So I am in favor as one citizen of going in debt for something that will save us money and bring us out and make us feel that our County is on the upgrade. We have as good a County as any people on earth, but we need to have more of a progressive spirit and program, think it over citizens and let's do the best thing we can for our County and the coming generation. If the whole county does not want to vote a bond and a tax let Jayton and Girard district get together and vote for what we need. I would like to see all of our County have good roads.

I am sorry there was not more at the meeting the other night and hope in the near future we may have a County Wide Meeting to discuss these problems. I believe if we as citizens will show we want to do something to help ourselves the officers of our County will do all they can to help us. I as only one of the least of you citizens speaking what I believe to be the best for all concerned.

Thanks,
M. A. Darden.

Ed. Note:—The above article was intended for publication last week, but failed to reach us in time, so we are publishing it this week hoping it is better late than never. Our information is that most all Kent County roads are in a deplorable condition.

Notice To All Water Customers Of The City Of Jayton

On July 1st all water customers who do not have up a water meter deposit will be billed for same. The amount of meter deposit being \$10.00. This is returnable at any time the water is disconnected at the request of the customer.

Quite a few water users have up a \$5.00 deposit and they will be billed for an additional \$5.00.

The water department desires to have every water customer on the same basis and your co-operation in this matter will be appreciated.

The City Council.

NOTICE BLUE BIRDS

There will be a Blue Bird meeting, Saturday, June 28th at 3:00 o'clock in the basement of the Methodist Church.

All Blue Birds who have paid for socks and suspenders are urged to be present in order that you may get yours.

—Leader.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Fuller took Mrs. Kenneth Todd and son back to Salina, Kansas last Friday and returned to Jayton Sunday.

Miss Martine Moore of Aspermont, Texas spent Monday in Jayton with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Moore and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Carman from Anson, Texas is visiting his sister Mrs. Lee Rice and family.

Salvation Army Launches A State-wide Fund Drive

The Salvation Army State Headquarters in Dallas has launched a state-wide appeal for \$260,000. This announcement was made by Colonel Charles H. Dodd, divisional commander, from the Dallas headquarters this week. Mr. Nathan Adams, chairman of the board of The First National Bank of Dallas, is serving as treasurer of the fund and other state-wide committee members are to be announced at a later date.

Included in the overall campaign is \$50,000 toward a new state-wide hospital for unwed mothers in San Antonio; also \$25,000 for better facilities at the State Youth Camp at Irving. A portion of the fund will be used for rehabilitation of Salvation Army buildings in war-torn Europe. Part of the fund will go to retirement allowances for Salvation Army officers who reach the age of 65. Some of the money will be used for disaster work in Texas. The Salvation Army prison and parole work will benefit as well as the Training program for Salvation Army officers.

Letters are now being sent to some of the wealthy residents of the state, asking for their co-operation.

It is hoped that before the campaign is finalized, which will not be until some time in 1948, that every resident of the state will have an opportunity to give something. Checks may be made payable to Nathan Adams, treasurer, at the First National Bank, Dallas, Texas.

The campaign at present is not being projected in cities of the state where the Salvation Army is a participating agency of the Community Chest. In these cities the appeal will be handled in harmony with existing relationships in Community Chests. The organization at this time participate in chests in some 25 Texas cities.

Health Notes From Austin

Austin. — Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, endorsing the observance of June as National Dairy Month, today released a statement congratulating Texas dairymen on the remarkable progress they have made in the past few years.

"It is gratifying to note that where 20 years ago there were no evaporated milk, powdered milk, or cheese plants in Texas, now this State produces all 6 of the major dairy products: buttermilk, ice cream, butter, evaporated milk, cheese, and powdered milk."

Dr. Cox pointed out that last year Texas made 25,396,000 pounds of butter, 13,599,000 pounds of cheddar cheese, and over 30,000,000 gallons of ice cream.

"Milk is our most nearly perfect food," Dr. Cox said. "It is rich in proteins, Vitamins A and G, and the minerals, calcium and phosphate."

"The State Health Department is indeed glad to join with the Texas dairymen in celebrating June as Dairy Month," Dr. Cox said, "and to urge that from a health protection angle, at least a pint of milk be included in the daily diet of all adults and an even larger amount provided for children."

The Methodist Church Jayton, Texas

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Preaching Services:
Morning 11:00 a. m.
Evening 8:15 p. m.
Midweek Service:
Wednesday Evening 8:15

There is a good enrollment in the Vacation Bible School, and a good interest is being shown in all departments, Thanks to all who are helping in any way in the work.

Come let us worship the Lord together.

J. D. Ramsey, Pastor.

Mrs. Earl Alley of San Angelo, Texas and Mrs. Earl Martin of Levelland, Texas are visiting their aunt Mrs. C. V. Wright and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Healer and daughter left Tuesday morning for Vallejo, California where he is employed at the Fairfield Army Air Base as a build-up airplane mechanic.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stavely of Fluvana, Texas visited his sister Mrs. J. W. Sewall last Sunday.

Mr. W. J. Patton of Rotan, Texas is ill and in the Rotan Hospital.

Magdalene Scoggin And Barb A. Healer Wed Monday

Magdalene Scoggin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Scoggin of Claremont, and Barb A. Healer, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Healer of Jayton, were united in marriage Monday, June 23, 2:30 p. m. at the Methodist parsonage in Jayton with Rev. J. D. Ramsey performing the single ring ceremony.

The bride wore navy blue trimmed with white lace and white accessories.

Those attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Royce Healer of Vallejo, California and Mr. and Mrs. Odell Harrison of Jayton.

The couple left immediately for Post, Texas where they were served a wedding supper in the home of the bride's sister. They returned to Jayton Tuesday morning and then left for Vallejo, California where they will make their home. The groom is employed with the C. and H. Sugar Refinery in Vallejo.

New Speciality Act At Stamford Reunion

The Texas Cowboy Reunion, held on July 2, 3, and 4, has billed a speciality act which is expected to attract wide attention this year.

A sheep dog act, of trained Border collies under the direction of Mr. Dewey Jontz of Des Moines, Iowa, will be shown in the south for the first time. The act resembles the field trials of the Bird dog fraternity and is a favorite sport in Scotland. The shepherd, working with trained Border collies and two groups of sheep, puts the dogs through several gauges, hurdles, and chutes. As a concluding feature either ducks or bantam roosters are substituted for the sheep and are herded by the trained dogs.

Mr. Jontz is superintendent of the Sheep Division of the Iowa State Fair each year. He will be accompanied to Stamford by his wife and nine year old son.

Lucius Johnson In Train-Car Accident

Monday evening about 7:30 at the second railroad crossing north of the city limits of Jayton the local train, on its return trip from Spur, crashed into Lucius Johnson's (colored) car knocking it off the track, turning it over, but doing little damage and injuring no one.

The story goes, as Lucius was crossing the track he noticed the train advancing upon him about 20 feet away, so he whipped the car down the track and tried to outrun the oncoming train, but seeing he was losing the race he left the car by the door window.

Asked if he was scared he replied, not until he came to about 50 yards from the place the train struck the car.

FRENCH STUDENT ASSISTING TEACHER

Fort Worth. — The TCU foreign language department has acquired a new student assistant, one who has even Dr. Josiah Combs, department head, watching his "parley vew."

He's Jean Novier, blond and blue-eyed newcomer from Paris, France, who is assisting Miss Mary Gillespie the first six weeks of the Summer Session on the campus.

Before the war, Jean attended the University of Paris to study French literature, but on entering TCU, he has taken up English as his major subject.

Before the fall of Paris, he joined the American forces that fought in the Battle of the Bulge. He became buddies with Lt. Frank Thompson of Fort Worth, and through the Thompson family was later able to come to the United States.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Kenady and children of Post, Texas were transacting business in Jayton Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bryan Nash of Peacock, Texas were seeing friends in Jayton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kellett of Midland, Texas spent last week end in Jayton with their parents Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Kellett and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Cade.

Mrs. Rena Smith of California and Mrs. C. O. Sutton of Carbon, Texas are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Burkett and Mr. and Mrs. Dude Burkett this week.

Spur Trim Jayton 6 To 1 Last Sunday

After gaining a one run advantage in the first inning in the game played at Spur last Sunday, the Spur team rolled over the Jayton nine to the tune of 6-1. This was the second time Spur has defeated Jayton in as many contests.

Jayton's game was marred by several untimely errors and their inability to hit when needed, which resulted in at least a dozen men left on base, and the lopsided score.

Next Sunday afternoon Jayton will play Roaring Springs on the local diamond. This is the first time these two teams have played, as the first scheduled game was postponed because of rain.

The schedule for the rest of the Caprock League is as follows:

Spur at Turkey.
Afton at Dickens.
Midway at Croton.

Record Crop At Perryton, Texas

Perryton, Texas. — Radio stations WOAL, San Antonio; KGNC, Amarillo; KSEL, Lubbock; KWHW, Atulua, Okla.; KPND, Pampa, and HUZK, Borger; gathered here over the week-end to verbally portray "The Bread Basket of the Nation" picture of a potential 10,200,000 bushel bumper crop from 340,000 acres of golden wheat.

Photographers from a five state area registered to compete for the \$1,000 cash prizes offered by the Perryton Chamber of Commerce, Lee Little, manager, announced. The contest closes July 25.

Combine crews, from as far distant as Canada, including caravans of trucks, combines, laborers, mechanics, blacksmiths, and even medical units and cook shacks, stood by awaiting the green light to enter fields which growers say will be ready Sunday.

Some of the largest growers within the county, awaiting harvesting conditions are, Luther Wade, 2,000 acres; J. H. Neufield, 1,700 acres; Reece Taylor; L. L. Lance and Sons, 3,500 acres; W. W. Blackburn; J. L. Blackburn and Ray Wright, All predict a better than 30 bushel per acre average.

Ochiltree county, defending champion of producing the most grain of any county in America, is feuding with adjoining Mansford county, Deaf Smith county, former national shamp; Texas county, Okla. and Ford county, Kans. One of these counties will unquestionably be crowned the national champion for 1947.

The "Bread Basket of the Nation" is host this week to dignitaries and celebrities of the nation. The city is also telling the world that wheat, the staff of life, is coming in record quantities. Bread for a hungry world, is originating in this area.

WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN SOCIETY MEETS AT METHODIST CHURCH MONDAY, JUNE 30TH

The fifth Monday meeting of the Women's Christian Society will meet at the Methodist Church, June 30th at 4:00 o'clock. The committee has planned a very interesting program and women of all churches are invited to be present. Come one and all and let us do what we can for the Master's service.

SNOW SLEDS TESTED IN DESERT SANDS

Washington, D. C. — The army may have to change the name of the snow-sled to "snow-sand sled," if it passes desert tests being conducted by Task Force Furnace. The sled, which weighs only 450 pounds without payload, is back from the Arctic and is now sliding over hot sands in Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wallace Jay of Lubbock, Texas spent last week end in Jayton with his parents Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Jay.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Owen King of Weatherford, Texas on June 21st a boy weighing eight pounds and twelve ounces, and named Owen Albert Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hall of Lubbock, Texas spent the first of the week in Jayton with relatives.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Benton last week end were: Mr. Joe Jay, Mrs. J. W. Benton and Bessie of Abilene, Texas, Irene Jay Arden and son Joseph of New York, and Judge and Mrs. Milton Ramsey and daughter Betty Frances of Andrews, Texas.

Notice To All Veterans In Kent County

Two county wide meetings will be held in Kent County this week for all Veterans living on the farm or who are farming that are interested in organizing and setting into operation a Vocational class for G. I.'s.

The first meeting will be held at the Girard High School on Thursday night June 26th at 8:30, and the second meeting will be held at the Jayton High School at 8:30 Friday night June 27th. If you are a Veteran and are interested in Vocational Training in General Farming, and earning while you are learning, attend one of these meetings. A few individual notices have been mailed out, and your local postmaster will have additional information concerning the meetings. Notify any interested Veteran of the meetings or better still bring him along with you. The size of the classes will be 20 Veterans and the length of the Course is 36 months. A veteran is entitled to 1 year plus his length in service or a maximum of 4 years. Subsistence payments run \$90.00 for married Veterans and \$65.00 for single. Subsistence payments will not effect any pension payments will not effect any pension payment the disabled Veteran might be drawing, but will be made in additional. The two meetings will be held by Wm. W. Gregory, Coordinator of Dickens County Vocational Schools, and Judge Peck of Kent County. For further information attend one of the meetings, and be sure and bring with you a certified copy or a photo-copy of your discharge papers. Classes will begin July 1st if sufficient number of Veterans are interested.

New Chevrolet Truck To Be Shown June 28

The new Advance-Design line of Chevrolet trucks and commercial cars will be shown to the public June 28 in Jayton it was announced today by L. H. Mason.

"All over the nation on that date, Chevrolet dealers will be exhibiting the new trucks," Mr. Mason said. "We are having a special showing in Jayton and cordially invite truck owners, fleet operators and others interested in trucks to visit our showrooms."

Advance information on trucks, Mr. Mason said, indicates that the line will be the most comprehensive in the history of Chevrolet and will feature driver comforts and conveniences not heretofore available in motor trucks.

"For the first time in the history of the automotive industry, a truck has been designed which has as a basic concept the comfort and safety of the driver," Mr. Mason said. "We predict that the result will have the complete endorsement of truck owners and drivers."

Re-styled and precision-engineered, the Advance-Design line of trucks, Mr. Mason declared, provides an efficient, dependable, safe and low-cost unit for practically every type of hauling and transportation requirement.

The display at the Mason Chevrolet Company will open at 9:00 a. m. and close at 9:00 p. m. daily. Trained truck men will be on hand to explain the features of the vehicles.

NEW HISTORICAL SERIES ANNOUNCED

Washington, D. C. — "The Organization of Ground Combat Troops", first volume of an historical series titled, "The United States Army in World War 11", sponsored by the War Department, will be released to the public in August, according to Brigadier General Harry J. Malony, Chief of the historical Division.

Volumes in the series may be purchased from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C., and will be shipped postage free. The first volume will cost \$3.25. Advance orders are now being accepted.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Gardner had business in Lubbock, Texas last Saturday.

Ivey F. Murdoch and Tom Murdoch had business in Spur, Texas Monday.

Mrs. O. E. Page spent two weeks in Shamrock, Texas with her husband who is employed with a construction company.

Mrs. Jess Hall and Judy McKinzie of Lubbock, Texas spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Jayton with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Moore and family.

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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.

BOYCE HOUSE



Nothing which has been touched upon in this column in months has attracted as much comment as the recent criticism of the incident in Pawtucket, Rhode Island, or former Rhode Island, citizens and they took your columnist over the coals.

Their letters criticized Texas. In other words, the writers denied that I had the right to criticize their state but they had the right to criticize mine.

If Texans have faults—and of course we do have—that would be no excuse for the Pawtucket outrage—for that is what it is, an outrage. Our forefathers wrote into the Bill of Rights the assurance of freedom of speech, freedom of press and freedom of worship; they did not provide for freedom of laughter for the reason they never dreamed that anyone would question that right.

I have before me a letter from the mayor of Pawtucket who admits the man was arrested and fined for laughing but the fine was paid back, so that ought to make everything just ducky. The reason it was paid back was because editorial writers and columnists by the scores all over the nation protested. Was the chief of police fired or even reprimanded for making the arrest? Was the judge who levied the fine kicked out of office?

When the letters protesting against the criticism made in this column came from men, I replied by mailing them a timetable showing the trains that leave Texas, northbound.

Those who don't like Texas ought to go back to the place they do like, then both they and we will be happy.

The first edition of "Cub Reporter", your columnist's new book, is 1,001 copies, numbered and signed by the author. Hightower Press, 610 E. 10th Dallas, is the publisher.

Sue Newberry went to the Rotan hospital Monday for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis and family of Lamesa, Texas visited in Jayton last week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Tom King.

Mr. and Mrs. Audie Armes and children of Oklahoma City spent last week in Jayton with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Lee Armes.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Mason and son of Baldwin Park, California are visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Mason.

Mrs. C. S. Kenady and 5 sisters met at her nieces' in Swazewater last week and visited for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Carrell of Stamford spent last week end in Jayton with her father Brace Lafoon.

Mrs. Ellison Bybee and family of Phillips, Texas spent last week end in Jayton with Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Wright and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bybee.

Mrs. Melvin Jackson and three sons of Phoenix, Arizona visited Jeff Whately and friends in Jayton last week.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Sallie Jerden of Amarillo, Sunday were, P. F. C. Eddie Jerden, U. S. M. C. and Mr. and Mrs. George B. Pace Jr. of Hereford, Texas.

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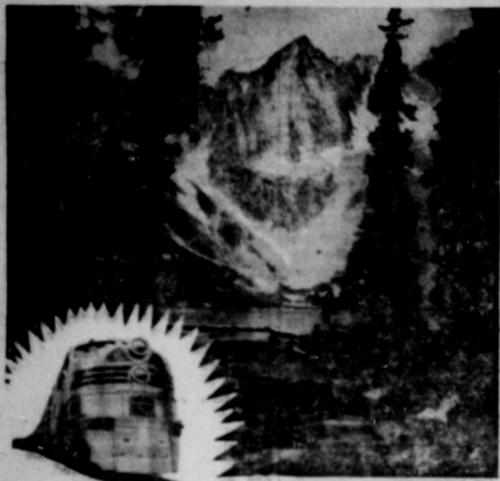
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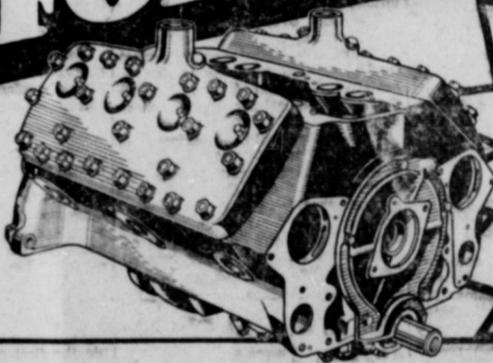
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\$5.75 Value	Sale \$3.85	\$11.95 Value	Sale \$7.95
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SHOWDOWN FIGHT ON JOHNSON GRASS

College Station, — Farmers and other local folks in Lynn County are ranging up this summer to fight Johnson grass, which is threatening to do a lot of damage to crops this year.

Civic clubs, the commissioners court and everybody in the county who is interested in bettering local agriculture are joining the farmer in a drive to kill out the grass pest. A Johnson grass committee has been formed in the county to spark the movement.

Lynn County Agricultural Agent William B. Griffin reports that when the groups are ready to go into action, they plan to set aside several days to concentrate on killing grass, and spurring local interest in getting rid of the pest.

The county agent says that the local commissioners have purchased a power sprayer for each precinct and 200 drums of poison to use in the Johnson grass eradication drive.

AGF PLANS INDIVIDUAL PILOT TRAINING

Washington, D. C. - Army Ground Forces revealed tentative plans for proficiency flight training of AGF Organized Reserve Corps liaison pilots. The training program calls for a maximum of four hours flying time per month for each officer. Approximately 1,200 Reserve officers are expected to receive training under this program.

Mrs. Mattie Owens of Anson, Texas is visiting her daughter Mrs. O. V. Healer and family in Jayton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Goodrich and children of Ft. Worth, Texas visited her mother Mrs. A. E. Boucher in Jayton last week end.

Mrs. M. V. Jay and her mother Mrs. C. O. Fox of Post, Texas had business in Lubbock, Texas last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hallaway of Ft. Worth, Texas spent last week end on their ranch in Kent County.

Mrs. Charlie Dunlap and Ray Jr. of Girard visited in Jayton Monday.

Mrs. Altha Patton and Don went to Rotan, Texas Monday to visit his grandfather W. J. Patton who is ill.

Raising food for the two billion people of the world is a big job, and already millions of those people are going hungry because the soil was not cared for properly.

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TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY

WALLY BROWN and ALAN CARNEY in
"GENIUS AT WORK"

THURSDAY and FRIDAY

GEORGE RAFT and LYNN BARI in
"NOCTURNE"

Veterans News

More than two and a quarter billion dollars has been spent to provide education and on-the-job training for veterans of World War II.

This was revealed today when VA reported cumulative expenditures of \$2,283,000,000 by May 1 for education and training under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act and the Vocational Rehabilitation Act.

The number of veterans claiming readjustment allowances for unemployment dropped over 35 percent in the past three months, effecting a savings of nearly \$8,000,000 a week over the rate of expenditure for February of this year, VA announced today.

The 728,000 claims filed during the last full week in May represent the smallest number received in any week since January, 1946, when, in the wake of widespread demobilization of the armed forces, the number began to climb toward the all-time peak of nearly 1,800,000 reached in April of that year.

More than 300,000 veterans have exhausted all of their readjustment allowance rights, having drawn the entire 52 weekly payments of \$20 each specified by law.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q I am a World War II veteran and plan to go to school under the G. I. Bill for the first time next fall. When should I arrange for my entrance into school?

A. You should arrange for your entrance into college or other institution of learning at the earliest possible moment.

Q What benefits, other than subsistence allowance, is a veteran entitled to while pursuing a course of instruction under the G. I. Bill or under the Vocational Rehabilitation Act?

A. Veteran's Administration will pay for his tuition, books, supplies, fees, and other authorized expenses within certain limitations. A disabled veteran may receive a pension or compensation and subsistence allowance concurrently.

Q In getting a guaranteed loan under the G. I. Bill, must my loan be secured by a lien?

A. Not invariably. Under most circumstances a lien will be required as security for a loan, but there are a few conditions under which a loan may be unsecured.

Q Do the veteran's rights to a loan guaranty extend indefinitely?

A. No. A guaranty may be had if applied for within 10 years from the termination of World War II which has not been declared yet.

NO DRESS AT ALL

College Station. — The ideal work dress would be so comfortable that the wearer would not know whether she had on a dress at all.

Clarice Scott, USDA clothing specialist, has designed four summer work dresses which come pretty close to this ideal.

The Texas A. and M. College Extension Service clothing specialist, Mrs. Dora R. Barnes, says Miss Scott's designs offer complete freedom of movement with no pulling or binding anywhere. "They are made for an easy fit, which is quite different from oversize," she points out.

The designs are based on studies on safety and comfort in dresses for such jobs as gardening, canning and washing. The four dresses were scientifically planned for convenience and durability; they flatter the wearer, too.

Since the dresses are for summer use, they have no collar and no sleeves. Wings used in place of sleeves are double-layered to hold shape and crispness. Pockets are at hand level, with the openings slanted for convenient use. Ties, belts and sashes are made to fit closely and to fasten out of the way at the back.

Skirts are about calf length and not wide enough for the normal stride—long or full skirts drop about the feet when the bearer stoops and may be caught on shoe heels or stepped on.

Each dress is easy to put on and take off, and easy to wash and iron.

Paper patterns for the four new dresses are now being put out by commercial firms, according to Mrs. Barnes. They may be identified at pattern counters by the credit line: "Designed by the Bureau of Home Economics, U. S. Department of Agriculture."

The right time to do something about the future is now. The right thing to do about the future is to buy U. S. Savings Bonds.

The biggest Texas wheat crop in history, estimated to be more than 112,000,000 bushels by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, is now being harvested.

Texas' poultry industry is one of the state's largest—worth \$200 million dollars.

Jimmie Johnston, III visited his aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. Olan Wilson at Cross Plains last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Edwards have been vacationing the last 2 weeks in Arkansas and Fort Worth, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Black and Jody visited his mother in Clovis, New Mexico last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Murdoch and Carolyn of Hamilton, Texas are visiting in Jayton this week. Their son, Billy Martin will return home with them.

Mrs. Grady Jones was carried to the Rotan hospital last week for a check up at the clinic.

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- JELLY, Rex, qt. 49c
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