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## Swing Of Southwest Farm Markets

(USDA) — Farm commodities moved to generally unsettled markets last week, with moderate to sharp declines on many products, according to the Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Wheat rallied at southwest markets for gains of around 12 cents per bushel, but corn sank steadily. White corn losses totaled about 35 cents, to close Friday at \$2.50 for No. 2, while yellow dropped to 20 cents to sell at \$2.35 at Fort Worth and Galveston. Oats, barley, and sorghum grains netted little change.

Rice demand continued slow at prevailing prices last week. Principal producing areas escaped major hurricane damage. Grain product feeds declined, but others sold unchanged to higher. Hay prices advanced \$2 per ton. Peanuts moved at government support prices. Texas fine wools sold actively at 42 to 52 cents per grease pound.

Spot cotton prices declined from \$4 to \$6 per bale during the week, and there was a further weakening of the basis. Demand was good for Army Purchase qualities but only fair for domestic purchases. Harvesting made rapid progress.

Cattle closed the week generally 50 cents to \$1 or more lower. Calves felt the heaviest pressure. Good calves sold at \$17.50 to \$19.50 at Houston, and choice heavy calves moved at \$21 to \$23 at Oklahoma City. Good and choice calves turned late in the week at mostly \$17 to \$19 at San Antonio, \$16.50 to \$19 at Fort Worth, and \$16 to \$18 at Wichita. Denver's practical top was \$21.50 for calves and wealers.

Hogs suffered losses of mainly 25 cents to \$1 for the week, and pigs fell as much as \$2 at some markets. San Antonio closed the week at a top of \$27.50, Fort Worth and Oklahoma City at \$28, Wichita at \$27.75, and Denver at \$28.75. Sows brought \$24 to \$25.50 at Fort Worth and Oklahoma City, and \$23 to \$26 elsewhere. Slaughter lamb prices dropped \$2 to \$2 per hundred at most southwest markets last week, while aged sheep and feeder lambs fell mainly 50 cents. San Antonio moved common and medium spring lambs at \$16 to \$19, and Fort Worth sold medium to good kinds at \$19 to \$21. Good and choice grades brought \$21 to \$22.50 elsewhere.

Liberal offerings of most seasonal fruits and vegetables moved rather slowly at Fort Worth, where lettuce and celery met dull demand, but cabbage held steady, and onions and cauliflower sold firm to higher. Carrots and cantaloupes brought better prices at Kansas City, while tomatoes stayed the same. San Luis Valley Colorado potatoes remained about unchanged, but cauliflower and Arkansas Valley onions showed strength. Local prices strengthened at New Orleans.

Good demand held poultry prices firm during the week, and young chickens tended higher. Some turkeys moved largely at government support prices. Eggs remained fairly steady. Seasonally best candled offerings sold mostly around 50 to 55 cents per dozen, but some areas including New Orleans paid up to 60 cents or more.

## Baseball Tryout Camp For Players Of This Vicinity



St. Louis Mo. — When the baseball tryout camp opens at Fair Park, Seymour, and City Park, Stephenville, after this month, scores of boys in this vicinity will have an opportunity to take their first step toward getting into professional baseball. The St. Louis Cardinals, who will conduct the camps, are on the lookout for many players to supply their minor league clubs for many more seasons to come.

All players who believe they have what it takes to become a professional baseball player are urged to attend. Work-outs at Seymour will be held at 1:00 p. m. Friday, October 10, and 10:00 a. m., Saturday, October 11. Those at Stephenville will begin at 10:00 a. m. Monday and Tuesday, October 13-14. They will consist of regular drills in running, fielding, hitting and throwing. There will also be actual games played, during which the pitchers will get a chance to show their stuff.

C. A. "Runt" Marr and Fred Hawn, veteran Red Bird scouts, will put the players through their paces. Every boy in camp will have an excellent opportunity to show what he can do at his particular position, and every move will be closely watched by these two experienced professionals of the National Pastime.

Players should bring their own gloves, baseball shoes, and uniforms if they have them. Those who are signed to contracts will be reimbursed for all expenses incident to attending the camp.

## Health Notes From Austin

Austin, Texas. — Every school should have a definite school health program. Situations such as the kind of drinking water, arrangements for the school lunch, the lighting, seating, ventilation and cleanliness of the schoolroom, the personal practices of the teachers and children are the bases of the school health program, said Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

Every school has tremendous opportunities to promote the health of its pupils and of its community. From early childhood to early manhood and womanhood, most children are enrolled in schools and are under the supervision of school staffs for a substantial part of the day for approximately half the days of the year. The conditions under which they live in school, the help which they receive and the information and understanding that they acquire of themselves are factors which operate to develop attitudes and behavior conducive to healthy, happy and successful living.

Schools alone however cannot enable children to attain all the desirable goal of individual and community health. Considering the magnitude and multitude of the diverse and continuing efforts that must be made to satisfy the health needs of children, it is fortunate that many people and groups, in addition to schools, are greatly interested in promoting health. Parents have a prime responsibility.

Physicians, dentists, nurses, health officers, social and welfare workers and their official organizations, such as medical, dental and nursing societies, health departments and voluntary health agencies are all rightfully concerned with health activities in their communities.

Mrs. Ira Moon of Troup, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Thos. P. Johnston of Spur, Texas spent last Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hancock.

## Street To School House Receives New Topping

Last Saturday the street from the highway to the school house was given a new topping of asphalt and gravel. This work was financed by several Jayton business houses, a number of citizens, the City, the P. T. A. and the School and cost about \$525.00.

The street was in great need of this repair work as several large holes had been worn out of the old road bed, and if it hadn't been repaired probably would have been completely ruined in a few more months.

The ones responsible for this work are to be greatly commended.

## Dallas Physicians To Be In Plainview October 11th

According to a letter received by Mr. C. R. Kelley, Kent County Chairman of the Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, Dr. Sim Driver and Dr. Eugene P. Legg, Orthopaedic physicians from Dallas, Texas, will be at the Plainview Sanitarium and Clinic on October 11, 1947. They will be there on that date only.

Dr. Driver and Dr. Legg will be called to examine all of their former Polio patients, as well as other Orthopaedic or Posture problems, on that date.

The Clinic hours are from 9:00 A. M. to 5:00 P. M.

Those who wish to get in touch with Mr. Kelley so that he may turn in the hour they will expect you.

## SUBSTITUTE RAILWAY POSTAL CLERK EXAMINATION OPEN TO VETERANS

An examination has been announced by the Civil Service Commission to fill Substitute Railway Postal Clerk positions in all States except New York and in Alaska and Puerto Rico. Competition in this examination is restricted to persons entitled to veteran preference. However, under Executive Order 9859, non-veterans serving continuously since August 28, 1947, in the position of Substitute Railway Postal Clerk under appointments not limited to one year or less may apply for the examination in order to be considered for a competitive civil service status.

The salary for the first year is \$1.14 per hour, which amounts to approximately \$2,300 a year for a 40-hour work week. An additional 10 percent is paid for any night work between the hours of 6:00 P. M. and 6:00 A. M. Salary is increased each year by 5¢ an hour, up to a maximum of \$1.54 an hour.

To qualify, applicants must pass a written test and be able to meet certain physical requirements. There are no age limits.

Further information and application forms may be obtained from the Commission's Local Secretary, G. W. Grimes, located at Sour, Texas, from most first- and second-class post offices, from Civil Service Regional Offices, or from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington office not later than October 28, 1947.

## DRY SEPTEMBER

September, 1947 goes down in the history of Jayton as the driest September in more than 25 years. Just two light sprinkles in Jayton during the entire month.

The City has plenty of water in spite of the drought and is supplying neighboring towns, farmers and stockmen and the railroad.

## FISHING IS FINE

A letter received this week from Wayman Lansdown who is visiting and vacationing on the Gulf at Bay City and other points, tells us the fishing is fine. In truth we are made to believe by the letter that he fishes all day, and stays up all night cooking and eating his days catch. We are glad to learn he was feeling fine and his appetite remains good for fish after a 10 day continual feast on them.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Kellett spent last week end at Midland, Texas with Almeda and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kellett.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lee and children of Spur, Texas visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Lee and other relatives in Jayton last week end.

Jack Patton of Sour, Texas had business in Jayton Monday.

## Leonard E. Browning Passes Away

Leonard Elliot Browning, 50, died at his home in Jayton Sunday, September 28, 1947. He had been in ill health for some time.

Mr. Browning was born near Annona, Texas, Red River County, on January 5, 1897. He was married to Lillian McGrager on September 26, 1915. Mr. and Mrs. Browning moved to Kent County in 1924 where they have resided since that time.

He is survived by his wife and two sons, Grady Browning of O'Donnell, Texas and L. E. Browning, Jr. of Jayton, Texas.

A daughter Mrs. Myrta Jean O'Fallon preceded him in death in April 1945.

Other survivors are: One brother, L. R. Browning of Dallas, Texas; three sisters, Mrs. Pam Jones, Mrs. M. T. Coafman, and Mrs. Les Wooster all of Annona, Texas; two half brothers, John Cozort of Annona, Texas and Tom Cozort of Clarksville, Texas; and two grand-children.

Funeral services for Mr. Browning were held at the Baptist Church in Jayton, Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. L. R. Stuckey, pastor, and assisted by Rev. J. D. Ramsey, pastor, of Methodist Church.

The pallbearers and flower girls were schoolmates of L. E. Jr.

Pallbearers were Jerold Stanley, David Simons, Larry D. Wright, Nayland Vencil, Billy John Harrison, J. D. Hamilton, John A. Kelley and Bill Sartain.

Flower girls were Nina Hall, Ima Jo Healer, Juanell Harrison, Marie Smith, Lou Cave and Nancy Donoho.

Interment was made in the Jayton Cemetery.

Out-of-town relatives attending the funeral included: John McGreggor of O'Donnell and George McGreggor of Avery, Texas, brothers of Mrs. Browning; Mrs. Johnnie Hemmingway of Midland, and Mrs. Ernest Goad and son Sammy of Stanton, Texas, nieces of Mrs. Browning; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Daniels and family, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Barnes, E. B. Daniels and Niel Flatoll of O'Donnell, Texas.

## North Family Meet In Reunion

Mrs. John L. Cahoon, Mrs. Betha Vandiver, W. Taylor North, and J. W. North, sons and daughters of Rev. and Mrs. Henry R. North formerly of Chattanooga, Tenn., met for the first time in 39 years at the McKinzie part in Lubbock, September 13, 1947.

Present to attend the reunion by families—

Mr. J. W. North and wife, Peacock Texas.

Rev. W. Taylor north and wife, Whiteflat, Texas; Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Cox, Fort Worth, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Van R. North and William Milton, Spur, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. W. Porter, Mike and Anna, Jayton, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Armes and Melarie Ann, Shallowater, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. W. T. North, Jr., Sona and Johnnie, Texico, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. John R. Hadley, Raymond, Gail, Jeanie, and Lenda, Texico, N. M.; Mrs. Harold Williams, Donna and David, Hobbs, N. M.; Mrs. T. H. Tipton, Balls, Texas; Betty Sue North, Post, Texas; Melva North, Whiteflat, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Cahoon and Dorothy, Tuscumbia, Alabama.

Mrs. Betha Vandiver and Robert L. Green, Spur, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Green, Jimmie and Dwain, Plainview, Texas.

Mrs. Gracie King, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Ruth Evett and two children, Littlefield, Texas.

Mr. Lee Armes and Mr. J. M. Johnston of Jayton, Texas, close friends of the family attended.

## North Family Meet In Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Jack King of Plainview, Texas spent last week end in Jayton with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Tom King.

Mrs. Bill Scott of Carlsbad, New Mexico is visiting Nanette and Edna Marie Donoho this week.

Mr. Obadiah Callaway and Mrs. T. W. Huges of Palestine and Mrs. H. M. Myers of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Ivoy F. Murdoch had business in Seymour and Munday, Texas last Thursday.

Mrs. Ralph Brantner and Becky and Mrs. Jimmie Matthews of Carlsbad, New Mexico are visiting relatives in Jayton this week.

Mrs. Bailes and Lo Lettia and Mrs. Hambright of Roby visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sewall last Tuesday.

## Lou's Bromfield To Speak At Conservation Meetings



LOUIS BROMFIELD

The noted author and lecturer and world-wide traveler, Louis Bromfield, will deliver afternoon and evening lectures on soil conservation and agricultural development under sponsorship of Burlington Lines and the Second National Bank of Houston throughout the territory served by Fort Worth and Denver City and Wichita Valley Railways, commencing in Corsicana, November 10th; then in Fort Worth, November 11th; Amarillo, November 17th; Lubbock, November 18th, Wichita Falls, November 14th; and Abilene, November 15th. Plans are being made for a large gathering of business men, bankers, and industrialists at these meetings as well as farmers and agriculturists.

## 526 Bales Of Cotton Ginned In Jayton

Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock the Jayton Co-op. Society No. 1 Ginn had ginned 526 bales of 1947 cotton, and still had 12 bales on the yard. 53 bales was the best days run so far this season, according to James McAteer, Manager.

Farmers were receiving from 27 to 30 cents for their cotton Wednesday and \$90 a ton for cotton seed.

Cotton pullers are still needed in the Jayton area, where farmers are paying \$2.00 and up per hundred.

## News From The County Agents' Office

**Dr. A. J. Lewis, State Veterinarian To Test For Bangs Disease**

Dr. A. J. Lewis, State Veterinarian from Lubbock, Texas will be in Kent County one day during the week of October 13th to 18th to do testing for Bangs disease. All persons desiring to have their milk cows tested are urged to get in touch with County Agent Kenneth Lewis as soon as possible. Charges for this work will be \$1.00 to \$2.00 per head depending on the number of animals tested for each individual.

**Put the "B" On Bangs Disease**

All Texas cattle that are tested for Bang's disease and found infected must be branded on the left jaw with the letter "B" and reported to the Texas Livestock Sanitary Commission, to conform with House Bill 525, recently made law by the State Legislature.

Dr. E. A. Grist, veterinarian of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, explains that it is now the duty of the veterinarians who do Bang's testing to place the brand on cows that react positively to the disease. A penalty will be fixed upon any person who refuses to allow the branding, or who sells or disposes of cattle for milk purposes when he knows them to be infected.

The branding of Bang's-infected cows will enable better control of the disease, says Doctor Grist, since control measure must be planned on the basis of individual herd problems.

In the fiscal year, September 1944 to August 1945, 133,891 head of cattle were tested for Bang's disease in Texas, with 9,435 showing up infected. Many of those reacting cattle probably found their way into other herds, says Doctor Grist. The requirements of the branding law will help hold down the spread of the disease.

W. D. Vencil spent last Friday in Stephenville, Texas with his son, Billy Glenn who is attending John Tarrant College.

Mr. and Mrs. Brack Little of Littlefield, Texas spent last week end in Jayton with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hall and family.

## Sidelights From Germany

—By George Mahon

In a previous report I made reference to England where food is scarce and where life is hard for the British. From London our Congressional committee on Foreign Aid proceeded to Germany for three days. This was not time enough to see much but one of our sub-Committees will spend three weeks in Germany.

Generally speaking, Germany after the lapse of two years since V-J Day is still a nation of rubble and ruin. It hardly seems possible that places like Berlin, Essen and Frankfurt could be rebuilt within a decade. Some progress is being made in clearing the rubble and reestablishing business and industry but Americans who have not seen the war damage in Germany cannot possibly visualize what German cities look like. At long last the German people know with complete certainty what war is like.

Here is one of our difficult problems in Germany: Russia and Poland have control of the pre-war bread-basket of Germany. The United States and British have joint control of the industrial heart of Germany but our area is far from being self-sufficient in food. Under our agreement with Russia, the Potsdam Agreement, Germany was to be operated as an economic unit but Russia has refused to live up to the agreement. Under the law of nations an occupying power must prevent starvation in the area occupied. We can escape this responsibility by pulling our troops out of Germany, but if we stay we must maintain order and prevent starvation. If we pull out of Germany, few doubt but that the vacuum would be filled by the Communist, which would mean that the full industrial capacity of the Ruhr would be at the disposal of the Russians.

I saw hundreds of German farms. I went into some of the farm homes and walked over some of the fields. The farms are extremely well cared for and, generally speaking, they have not suffered war damage. Fertilizer and equipment are needed but otherwise I doubt that there is much room for the improvement of European agriculture. The farmers apparently use every foot of ground to the best advantage. This year the crops are short because of the severe drought. Some of the Irish potatoes which were being harvested in Germany were little bigger than marbles.

German coal production is the key to economic recovery and coal miners are being given extra food rations to encourage output of coal. I visited a mine, talked with the miners and tasted some of the rations.

If the coal and industrial production in the British-American Zone can be sufficiently increased, this will enable the Germans to export enough to get the money to make up the deficit in food. That is the objective now being sought — to help the people help themselves.

There is no evidence of happiness in Germany. Indeed, there is little for these defeated people to be happy about. Yet they have no one to blame for their misery but themselves and their leaders. The people are not inclined to be friendly or to smile at passersby. Perhaps I misinterpreted a state of hopelessness and bewilderment for unfriendliness.

Rarely do you see a man or woman on the streets of a German city who does not carry a satchel or small handbag of some kind. They are black-marketing, trading, and trying to devise means for getting food and other necessities. We went into some of their homes in the basements and bomb shelters of their devastated cities where conditions are the worst. Their cupboards were almost bare. Of course, there are variations of misery among the people. Some of them live better than others. The people who live on the farms are in far better position than the rest of the population.

Prior to the war many of the nations of western Europe relied on Germany for coal and steel and heavy machinery. Germany's neighbors are now in difficulty because these products are no longer available to them. How to permit the revival of Germany without encouraging the future rebirth of German militarism is the big question. The French are very vocal in opposing the revival of German production. America and Britain are trying to work out a level of industry for Germany which will enable Germany to become self-supporting without becoming a menace to the peace of the world. Of course, the Big Three have not yet made substantial progress on the Peace Treaty with Germany and until the treaty is made, makeshift policies will have to be relied upon.



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### NOTICE TO PUBLIC

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### OBSERVE FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

By direction of President Truman, the week beginning October 5 will be observed as Fire Prevention Week. In his proclamation, the President invited all business, labor, civic, religious and charitable groups and organizations, and all agencies of the press, radio and the moving picture industry, to cooperate fully "with the object of initiating a fire prevention campaign continuing throughout the year."

The word "continuing" goes to the heart of the matter. It will serve no purpose if we think of fire prevention for a single week and then promptly forget it. The officially designated week must simply be a starting point. The fight against one of the worst destroyers of life and property must go unabated.

According to the National Board of Fire Underwriters, U. S. fire losses may exceed \$700,000,000 this year—the highest in our history. That is twice the destruction caused by the burning of San Francisco—and more than three times the devastation wreaked by the German air force on Britain in any single year. Deaths by fire will probably exceed 10,000 and may also set a new and ghastly record.

Those figures alone should be enough to awaken America to the fact that fire loss has become a grave emergency. And every one of us should remember that fire respects no one—your home, your life, may be taken next. During the week everyone will be given the opportunity to learn the cause of fire and how to prevent it. Then it will be up to the people.

—Industrial News Review.



On the general subject of relief for the war-stricken countries:

The war has been over for more than two years. They have soil and sunshine and manpower—the United States has no monopoly on these assets. It seems to me that we should taper off on relief and send them such things as seed and plows, so they can go to work and shift for themselves.

The Book of Books says that man shall eat bread in the sweat of his brow—and those people should begin to eat their bread in the sweat of their own brows instead of in the sweat of the brows of the American taxpayers.

That, in essence, is what we understand the Marshall Plan to be.

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## Men Vote For These



The lightweight wool dresses for fall shown above as pictured in the September issue of Cosmopolitan magazine won the unanimous approval of a jury of notables at Cosmopolitan's Male-tested fashion display at New York's Stork Club. Jury included Jean Hersholt, Edward Everett Horton, Carmen Cavallaro, Robert Rossen, West Coast publicist, and John Reid King, radio announcer. Dresses shown in photograph were designed by Henry Rosenfeld.

Your columnist felt highly flattered when an invitation arrived to speak to a convention of several hundred physicians from 11 states in Galveston. And when I found out that they are psychiatrists—and I don't know now whether they want to hear me or study me.

But that does remind me of the time that I said something rude to a friend and was sorry the next moment and his retort made me sorer. He had served in the army in World War I and he wrote a letter to a newspaper, complaining at the food in the training camp. The letter was published and the military authorities were going to discipline him. But somebody said, "Maybe he's crazy" so they held a hearing, found him to be sane and then sentenced him to k.p. duty for three weeks.

Well, several years later, he and I were having an argument and though we were friends, the dis-

cussion got a little heated and he implied I was not very intelligent. I said, "At any rate, I never have been tried for lunacy." He said, "Well, I have the advantage of you—I have been tried and was found to be sane."

And I couldn't think of a comeback to that.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Cagle and children of Littlefield, Texas visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Davis and Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Mayer visited Mr. and Mrs. Phelps Deahl in La Junta, Colorado last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones of Pampa, Texas visited relatives in Jayton last week end.

## Fashion Notes For The Ladies

Lubbock, Texas — Women and girls who are making an effort to lengthen their skirts to conform with new fashions should begin at the waist rather than at the hemline, according to Miss Mabel D. Erwin, head of the Texas Technological clothing and textiles department.

Light fitting skirts will hang lower and the seams are let out a bit. Inserts in the waist of dresses to lengthen the waist line usually look better than ruffles, pleats or bias cutting at the hem she stated.

If sleeves on old dresses are sufficient they may be removed and used for waist inserts and the necks converted to jumpers, she suggested.

However, any alteration on a dress must be done very carefully, the economics professor stated, and a great many people would be better to go ahead and wear an old dress as it is, rather than to risk making an unattractive "home made" looking affair.

Mrs. Clopia Mayfield of Lometa, California and Mrs. Louise Woodruff of Long Beach, California are visiting their sister Mrs. J. H. Donoho this week.

Mrs. J. H. Mann of Los Angeles, California and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Mann of Abilene, Texas visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barfoot in Jayton last Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Stanley underwent an operation at the Lubbock Hospital last week end, reports are that she is doing nicely.

Mr. Obahiah U. Callaway and Mrs. T. W. Hughes of Palestine, Texas and Mrs. H. M. Myers of Dallas, Texas visited Mr. and Mrs. Ivey F. Murdch last week.

Mrs. Herman Bush and children of Lubbock, Texas spent the first of the week in Jayton with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rice.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Evans of Snyder, Texas visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Harrison last week end.

Mr. H. B. Pugh attended the singing convention at Golden Pond last Sunday.

Jim Barkley of Clairemont and Luther Whatley of Paducah visited Jeff Whatley and friends in Jayton last Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Roy Clark and family left Tuesday morning for Robert Lee, Texas to take over the pastorage at the Assembly of God Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Miller and family moved to Plainview, Texas last week.

Mrs. Maurine Dibrell spent a few days last week in El Paso, Texas with her son Cleburne and Mr. J. B. Dibrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lemley and Doris Prantner of Lubbock, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McKay of Whiteface, Texas, Mrs. Elmer Cross of Spur, Texas were guests of Mr. and Mrs. K. P. Brantner last week end.

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- WHITE SWAN, CONDENSED VEGETABLE SOUP, 10 1/2 ozs. 15c
- SOFT A SILK CAKE FLOUR, Fresh Stock, box 43c
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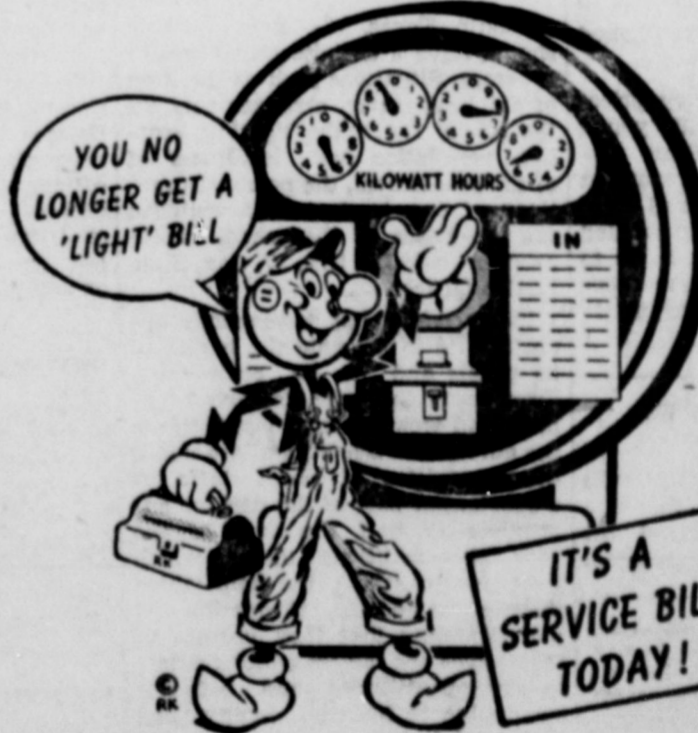
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The old-fashioned "light" bill, like the surrey with the fringe on top, is a thing of the past. Electricity for lighting is only one of many items represented by your electric service bill. Today, in most homes, you're likely to find two or more electric appliances in every room—many homes have a score or more. That's why your electric service bill can no more rightly be called a "light" bill than a "refrigerator" bill.

The cost of a kilowatt hour of service to residential users has decreased one-third in the last 14 years.

West Texas Utilities Company



SHOE REPAIRS:

Shoes repaired at my home, south of Jayton, across from the Highway Department Warehouses. —Frank Taylor.

FOR SALE:

2 Farmall Tractors, 12 and 14. —See, Dude Burkett.

Batteries recharged at Yandells, price only 50c. 1/2 mile east of Spur.

1601 STUDENTS ENROLLED AT ABILENE CHRISTIAN COLLEGE

When Abilene Christian College, Abilene, Texas, opened for its forty-second session on Friday, September 19, it was with an enrollment of 1601 students, which is the largest registration in the history of the college. The largest preceding registration was the 1455 students of the fall semester of last year.

Enrolled in Abilene Christian College this year as a junior student is Thomas J. Williams of Jayton. A graduate of Jayton high school, he is majoring in physical education in Abilene Christian College.

Mr. L. F. Perkins of Floydada, Texas is now employed at Mason Chevrolet Company as mechanic.

K. P. Brantner had business in Anson, Texas Tuesday of this week.

FOR SALE:

1938 John Deere Model B Tractor. See, Elbert Walker.

Ulysses Herman, Mrs. Floyd Hall and Zephie Brown had business in Abilene, Texas last Saturday.

Quality Merchandise at Lowest Prices. 1/2 mile east of Spur. —Morris Yandell.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Lee and children visited Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Reynolds at Odessa, Texas last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hinds and Nancy spent last week end in Hedley Texas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kendall.

\*\*\* Fashions \*\*\*



Against the background of a Ford convertible in pheasant red is shown typical best-dressed "lady in a suit" as pictured in the September issue of Good Housekeeping magazine. Suit consists of double-breasted jacket, buttoning into slim waist over slim skirt. Available in purple, brown or black plaid combinations.

W. M. Smith has purchased a new Mack transport truck for his Butane Service. Children playing with matches cause 26,000 fires every year.

Ask why he wanted to remain in jail after he had completed his sentence, a Main man answered succinctly, "I've been reading the papers for a while."

Bill Vencil had business in Abilene, Texas last Friday. Stop at Yandells, 1/2 mile east of Spur, the Coldest Pop in town.

School News

SENIOR NEWS

Well, here we are again starting the fourth week of school.

Everyone is very happy over Jayton's defeating Girard in baseball. Our boys won by a 14 to 6 score last Friday, and we are very proud of them. We play Peacock here Friday week.

The Juniors and Seniors are planning to go skating at Spur sometime this week.

We enjoyed the Junior's party which was given at Caves' last Thursday. It was a "come as you are" party, and we did.

A high school rodeo is being planned for the near future.

Members of the senior class are planning a rummage sale to be held Saturday week, October 11th in Jayton. We will also sell hot-dogs and lemonade.

So long until next week.

JUNIOR NEWS

The junior class can say with happy hearts that we had one more real time at Jimmie T's party. We invited the senior class, Mr. and Mrs. Hinds and Nancy, Mrs. Jones and Mr. Herman were the teachers present. They seemed to have had a swell time too; our party wouldn't have been complete with out them. Mrs. Cave saw to it that we had cake and punch after all our fun.

The juniors want to thank the seniors for helping us have a swell time, we plan to invite them again sometime.

We are doing fine in our studies and six weeks will be coming up in two weeks and we plan to make good.

Bill and Evelyn seems to be doing all the good here lately. See you next week.

SOPHOMORE NEWS

The sophomores and freshmen went skating Friday night at Spur. We ate supper at the park and enjoyed it a lot. Our supper consisted of barbecued weiners, pickles, cookies, apples, and ice tea. Several of us couldn't skate but we enjoyed trying. We want to thank our room mothers and Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Simons for the wonderful time.

Freshmen present were Nina Hall, Sue and Lue Cave, David Simons, Freddie Ray Jones, Larry Wright, Jimmy Grice, Peggy Chism, Maxie Rave York, Lavina Boland, J. D. Hamilton, Edna Donoho, Edith Jones, Jerold Stanley, Frank Sandell, Bill Sartain and L. E. Browning. The freshmen room mothers present were Mrs. Fred Jones, Mrs. Ceady Jones, Mrs. Ben Boland, Mrs. W. D. Cave, Mrs. T. O. Wade and their sponsor Mrs. J. D. Simons.

Sophomores present were Juanell Harrison, Ima Jo Healer, Nancy Donoho, Alma Joy Koonce, Bernadine Johnson, Johenie Nell Rodgers, Nayland Vencil, Billy John Harrison and John Allen Kelly. The Sophomore room mothers present were Mrs. Robert Harrison, Mrs. R. G. Donoho, Mrs. Bill Vencil, Mrs. Claude Kelley and our sponsor Mrs. Opal Jones. We missed those who were not there; they really missed a swell time.

We are sorry to lose Mrs. Simons as our English teacher. We are sure we will enjoy English under Mrs. John Fowler. —Reporter.

SIXTH GRADE NEWS

Today we enjoyed a very good play given by a splendid cast.

Though the High School don't know it, we are just as proud of them as any one in the good work they are doing in baseball.

Everyone has that good old school spirit.

J. P. NEWS

The Jayton Jaybirds defeated Girard in a base ball game last Friday with a score of 14 to 6. The boys played a good game and we are very proud of them. We wish them success in their game with Peacock Friday, October 10th. —Reporter.

F. F. A. NEWS

The F. F. A. boys had a meeting Wednesday night September 24th and initiated five freshmen boys. They were Flint George, Don Jay, David Simons, Larry D. Wright and Freddie Ray Jones.

Monday October 13th at Lubbock, Texas there will be held an area F. F. A. Banquet. We will have five representatives from the Jayton Chapter.

Hanford Long will receive the State Farmer's Degree at that time.

William D. Hall went to Carlisbad New Mexico last Wednesday to work in the oil fields.

Mrs. Earl Hall returned home last Friday from the Rotan Hospital after receiving medical care for nine days.

M. O. Pugh returned home Monday after visiting his brother in Dallas, Texas who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Beryle Murdoch and Dianne visited friends in Rotan, Texas last Thursday.

Boy Underwood of Caruthers, California is visiting his brother Ed who is ill.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation to our many friends and neighbors for their thoughtful kindness to us during the brief illness and death of our beloved husband, father and brother, Leonard E. Browning.

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Mrs. L. E. Browning and L. E., Jr., Grady Browning and family, L. R. Browning and wife, Mrs. Pen Jones, Mrs. Los Wooten, Mrs. M. T. Coffman, John Cozort, Tom Cozort and Roy O'Fallon.

Mrs. Bill Fite of San Angelo, Texas is spending the week in Jayton with her sister Mrs. W. D. Vencil.

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**A Report From Europe**  
—By George Mahon

This is being written from the city of Trieste, a town of about 300,000 on the shores of the Adriatic sea. I am here in Trieste with a Congressional sub-Committee charged with making a study of our foreign aid program. I had hardly heard of this city prior to the war and that is probably true of most Americans. It is now one of the danger spots of the world.

The place belonged to Austria before World War I and to Italy after World War I. The city and a small bit of land surrounding the city have now been set up as a free state which is to have a governor appointed by the United Nations. The city of Trieste is only five miles from Yugoslavia.

At the conclusion of the war, Yugoslavia and Russia demanded that the city be made a part of Yugoslavia—America and Britain refused to agree as most of the people in the city are Italians, and the Free State was finally agreed upon.

A force of 5,000 American troops and a similar number of British troops occupy the city of Trieste. The city is the dividing line which separates Russia and Yugoslavia from the western world. It may be our first line of defense against Russian aggression. In addition to maintaining our troops here, we are spending about \$800,000 per month to help feed the people of the area. A ship load of American wheat arrived recently and there are no signs of starvation here. The Port was heavily bombed during the war. Our government is supporting a program to make the place self-sustaining.

During the stay of our Committee in Trieste, Treaty provisions have gone into effect setting up the new state, and Ratification Day has been celebrated. It has been a very precarious time for American and British military forces.

The Commanding General of the Yugoslav Army served notice upon

our military headquarters that his army contrary to the provisions of the peace treaty was marching into the city of Trieste at 10 o'clock at night on Ratification Day. Our forces manned the roads to the city with instructions to prevent the entry of the Yugoslav army. The Yugoslavs engaged in some military maneuvers and threats, but when it became apparent that the American and British had called their bluff, they withdrew their forces.

There has been an air of uneasiness throughout the city during our stay here. There have been numerous riots and demonstrations by the Communists. Bombs have been exploded in the streets and a few people have been killed. The Yugoslav army outnumbered the Anglo-American forces in this area, but the presence of American war ships in the harbor and the flight over the city of our four-engine bombers have had a stabilizing influence on the situation.

One of the most spectacular demonstration was a Communist funeral procession through the streets of the city. The Communist claimed that the anti-Communist were responsible for the killing of a child who belonged to a Communist family. The casket was carried down the street on the shoulders of six young men, preceded by four huge red flags. The bands played and hundreds of flowers were carried in the procession. The marching crowd extended for several blocks and was estimated at 15,000 people.

In Trieste we have conferred at length with American and British military officials, where we have found considerable pessimism as to the chances for peace and stability. Trieste is headed for trouble unless the United Nations is able to pursue a firm policy and establish a strong civilian government. We have conferred also with local citizens and officials. The majority of the people in the city of Trieste are Italian, but there are also many Yugoslavs in the area.

**CROSSWORD PUZZLE**

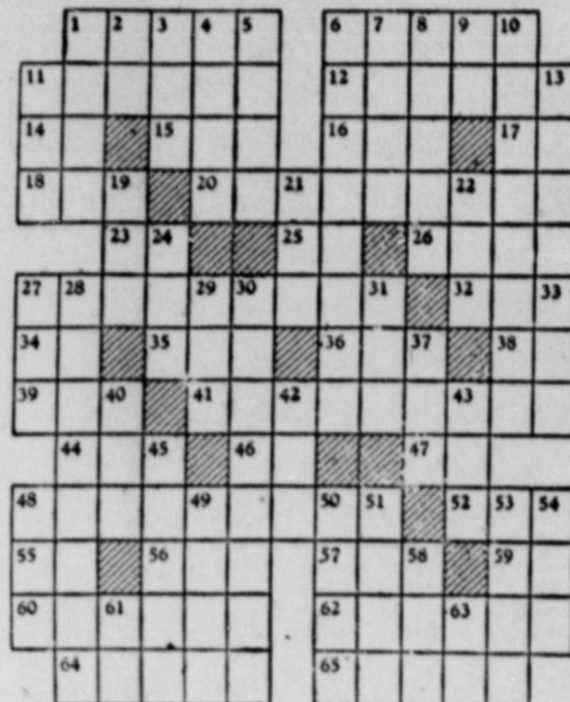
**Horizontal**

- 1 Coquette
- 6 Instrument used to decompose light
- 11 Shrewd
- 12 Trojan hero
- 14 Molten lava
- 15 Verily
- 16 Youth
- 17 Artificial language
- 18 To stain
- 20 Energetic
- 23 To exist
- 25 Pronoun
- 26 Skill
- 27 Complicated state of affairs
- 32 Unit of resistance
- 34 Egyptian deity
- 35 Difficulty
- 36 Assistance
- 38 Faroe Islands windstorm
- 39 Deed
- 41 Agitated
- 44 Young goat
- 46 55
- 47 To leave
- 48 To disown
- 52 To seize
- 55 Symbol for iridium
- 56 Prefix: not
- 57 Latin: hail!
- 59 Compass point
- 60 One who sells small wares
- 62 Ambassador
- 64 Slang suspicious
- 65 To eat away

**Vertical**

- 1 To criticize mercilessly
- 2 French article
- 3 Evergreen climbing plant
- 4 Tall grass
- 5 Shallow container
- 6 Magnificent
- 7 20 quires
- 8 Country in Asia

**Solution in Next Issue.**



No. 29

- 9 Symbol for selenium
- 10 Where the Athenians defeated the Persians
- 11 Rude fellow
- 13 The 200
- 19 To recede
- 21 Nothing
- 22 Ancient Scottish tax
- 24 Period of time
- 27 Man's name
- 28 Common food fish
- 29 Poem
- 30 Mischievous doings
- 31 To lubricate
- 33 Convented
- 37 To excavate
- 40 Gratitude
- 42 Indehiscent legume
- 43 Vast age
- 45 Stupid person
- 48 Edge
- 49 Agent
- 50 Enumeration
- 51 At any time
- 53 Poker stake
- 54 Industrious insect
- 58 The self
- 61 Note of scale
- 63 Colloquial: paid notice

**Answer to Puzzle Number 28**



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Among the 5,000 American troops in Trieste are 137 enlisted men from Texas. I had a pleasant visit with two of them from West Texas, Max Carpenter of Sundown, and Cecil Drake of Big Springs, Texas. All our troops seemed to be in fine shape and morale appeared to be high.

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