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"and!!"

The future of Jayton and Kent county never appeared brighter than at this time. Winter wheat and oats that are up are looking very promising. The winter moisture has been sufficient for spring farm operations. Of course the need for a good general rain to assist in repacking the soil loosened by winter freezes and to provide additional stock water is anticipated by most farmers and stockmen of the area.

With two wildcat drilling operations under way in the county and reports of numerous leasing deals by major and independent oil companies over all of this immediate territory, the dream that has fascinated many of us for years... the dream of Kent county taking its place as one of the important oil-producing areas of the state... appears nearer realization than ever before.

We repeat—the future of Jayton and Kent county has never been more promising.

We urge the parents of our community, the leaders of our civic and community organizations, the pastors of our local churches and everyone interested in the welfare and future of our town's young people, to give a few moments of serious consideration to the plea published in this issue of the Chronicle in the form of an open letter from Jayton's teenagers.

To this writer, at least, this letter strikes a most appealing note, and it is not, in our humble opinion, an unreasonable request. It is revealing, to us, at least, that conditions are such that this appeal was felt to be necessary by the teenagers.

Why, in the midst of our frequent deep concern over the plight of persons in some far away place, do we so little concern ourselves with the welfare, safety and development of our own young people?

While this writer does not presume to condemn foreign missions, China Relief, or fund raising campaigns to feed starving Slobovians, he is of the opinion that more organized effort and money has been donated liberally and freely by the people of this community to appeal of this nature than has EVER gone for the promotion of wholesome and beneficial recreation so necessary to the welfare and happiness of our own teenage boys and girls.

This is the second such appeal from the youngsters. In their first appeal, a request was published in this column for comments, for, or against, such a proposal. Not one comment has been received. Does this mean that our churches, our civic organizations and parents are simply too indifferent to do so? This is unbelievable. Rather, we suspect, it is the result of each one of us standing back, waiting for someone else to assume the responsibility of taking the lead. Surely such a frank and sincere appeal deserves a reply, one way or the other. Yes or No. And a reasonable explanation for such a reply.

Let us fulfill our responsibility as parents and as citizens; as church people and plain, every day people and at least consider the merits of their appeal. The future of our most valuable possessions is at stake.

Mrs. J. S. Hinds Club Hostess

The Jayton Culture Club met in the home of Mrs. J. S. Hinds Wednesday, March 2 for their "Texas Day" program.

Mrs. Sue Kelley, president of the club presided over the business meeting. Minutes of the last two meetings were read by Mrs. B. E. Dunbar, Club Secretary. Roll call was answered by several interesting responses. Mrs. Robinson, program chairman had charge of the program.

The following numbers made up the program: "I Am the Land of Peace and Happiness. I Am the Land of Glowing Sunsets and Golden Memories"—Lexie Dean Robertson.

"Texas, A World in Itself"—Mrs. Merle Jay. Story, "Following the Old Texas Trails"—Mrs. B. J. Kellett. Following the program refreshments were served to 13 members.

—Reporter.

Mrs. Gertrude Pursley and daughter Thelma of Spur spent the weekend in Jayton with Mrs. M. E. Bond.

Don Fincher was carried to the Veterans Hospital in Amarillo Sunday where he underwent an appendectomy.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wallace Jay and daughter of Lubbock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Jay in Jayton last Sunday.

They Became Farm Owners



Pictured above are Mr. and Mrs. Edwin E. Denson, Route 1, Spur, being presented with a check in the

amount of \$10,000, by W. T. (Bill) Andrews, Executive Vice-president of the Spur Security Bank. The (Photo by B. and H. Studio).

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin E. Denson, Route 1, Spur, who have been renting a 160-acre farm since he returned from service with the army, became owners of the same farm during a check delivering ceremony Tuesday night, February 15. They were presented with a \$10,000 check with which to purchase and improve the farm, by Mr. W. T. Andrews, Executive Vice-president of the Spur Security Bank in a high light of a Lion Club banquet program. The ceremony marked the closing of the first Insured Mortgage Loan in this area. Maurice P. Vannoy, local county supervisor of the Farmers Home Administration, presided at the presentation.

"We come to a point which will forever be close to the hearts of two young people," Vannoy said in introduction. "Tonight Edwin and Rose Denson leave the ranks of tenants and enter the ranks of home-owners. They are a typical young couple who have been operating under the handicaps of tenancy; they are in debt, like so many other young people who are starting out on their own. We, who have had a small part in helping them overcome that hand-

dicap are happy with them on this occasion," he continued.

Wallace W. White, Field Representative of the State Director of the Farmers Home Administration, gave a short background of the Insured Mortgage Loan Program. "Under the insured mortgage loan program borrowers must have ten per cent, or an equivalent equity in the land of the loan. The balance is secured from a private lending agency—a bank, an insurance company or an individual—and the United States of America insures that loan 100 per cent," Mr. White said. "The changes Congress recently made in our insured mortgage program were intended to help more farmers get Government-guaranteed loans to buy farms."

The amendment to the Bankhead-Jones Farm Tenant Act will undoubtedly make more opportunities for tenants, share-croppers, farm laborers and veterans in this State and throughout the country to get farm real-estate credit," he continued. "The lender gets 3 per cent return on his money and has an assured market for the mortgage. The loans are repayable in 40 years, but the lender, if he wishes, can turn over

the mortgage to the government after holding it for seven years and get paid in full. We congratulate the Densons and express great thanks to the Spur Security Bank for helping this couple become home-owners," he said in closing.

In presenting the check to Mr. and Mrs. Denson, Mr. Andrews remarked that the insured mortgage plan "gives us the chance to cooperate with families who do not qualify for regular real-estate credit, but who deserve the chance to become land holders." "I take great pleasure in presenting you with this check," he said in presentation, "and congratulations to you both."

In addition to Mr. and Mrs. Andrews, Mr. White and Mr. and Mrs. Vannoy, Miss Claynell Fowler, Mrs. Elizabeth Hoffman, Home Management Specialist from Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. F. Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar McGinty, Byron Haney and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gregory were special guests.

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Services Held Sunday for Guy M. Brown

Jayton and surrounding communities were gripped by the news late Friday evening of the death of Guy Brown, long-time resident of Jayton, who died in a hospital at Rotan after being taken there during the afternoon when his condition took a turn for the worse.

Funeral services, conducted by Rev. W. T. North of Peacock, assisted by Rev. L. B. Taylor, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Jayton, were attended by a great number of friends and relatives who came to pay their last respects to this beloved and respected citizen.

Interment, under the direction of McCombs Funeral Home of Rotan, followed at the Jayton Cemetery.

Guy Montgomery Brown was born Nov. 3, 1876 at Lafayette, Miss. In 1903, he was married to Miss Lula Wells and to this union were born six children; four sons and two daughters. Two sons preceded him in death, Doris at the age of 2 and Jeff, who was killed in action in the war in Europe in 1944. He is survived by his wife; two sons, T. H. of Jal, N. Mex., and O. O. (Brack), of Big Spring, Texas; and daughters, Mrs. Hilton Hicks of Albuquerque, N. Mex., and Zephie Brown of Jayton. Other survivors include four grandchildren, two sisters, Mrs. Maude Barfoot of Athens, Texas and Mrs. J. W. Barfoot of Jayton; one brother, Edd C. Brown of Jayton and unnumbered friends.

Mr. Brown was converted in 1893 at Harmony Chapel in Coryell county and united with the Presbyterian church. He was a member of the First Methodist Church in Jayton at the time of his death.

Pallbearers were nephews, Audrey Brown, Lubbock; Wayne Brown, Littlefield; Clayton Barfoot, Dallas; Floyd Barfoot, Lamesa; and John H. and Jimmy Montgomery of Jayton. Honorary pallbearers were H. K. Kearney, Euel Harrison, C. R. Kelley, Check Thomas, and Harold and Dallas Kenady.

Among out-of-town relatives present for the services were Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Coker and son of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Barfoot and daughter of Dallas; Mrs. Miles B. Smith of Dallas; Wayne Brown of Littlefield; Mrs. H. B. Brown and son Audrey of Lubbock; Mrs. L. H. Martin and daughter, Sue Barfoot of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Barfoot of Lamesa, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Thomas of Spur; Pauline Brown of Ft. Worth and Maude Brown of Lubbock.

Friends from out of town attending included Mrs. J. C. McCombs of Lubbock; Tom DeFee of Ralls; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Legg and Mr. and Mrs. Bidley Hicks of Afton; Mrs. Cora Hicks of Spur; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bilberry of Aspermont; Lochia McNeil of Rotan; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kenady and Mrs. J. A. Wilson of Aspermont; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wade of Lamesa; Eldon Wade of Falfurrias; Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Alexander, Mrs. Van North and S. C. Thomas of Spur; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Robertson and Mrs. J. B. Gipson of Haskell, Texas.

Services At Panhandle Tues. For E. P. Deahl

Funeral services for E. P. Deahl, of La Junta, Colo., were held at Panhandle, Texas, Tuesday March 8, at 2 P. M.

According to the latest reports received by the Chronicle, Mr. Deahl had sustained injuries in a fall from his horse after having participated in a parade at a celebration being held at Las Animas, Colo., Friday evening, March 4. Believing his injuries to be no more serious than a broken collar-bone, he had returned to his hotel room and retired for the night. He was found dead in his bed at 3 A. M. Saturday.

He is survived by his wife, the former Top Davis of Jayton and two children by a previous marriage.

Attending the funeral services were Mr. and Mrs. Walton Davis and son Johnnie, Mrs. M. V. Jay and Mozelle de Cordova of Jayton; Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Davis, Bill and Junior Davis of Lubbock.

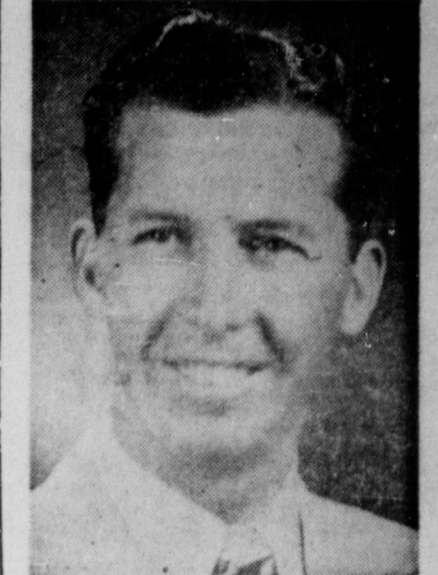
Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Joiner were in Lubbock last week for Mrs. Joiner to attend a district meeting for Selective Service clerks. While in Lubbock they visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Johnston.

Mr. B. J. Kellett, chairman of Kent Dickens and Stonewall Local Board attended a meeting in Lubbock last Thursday for board members of Selective Service.

Mrs. Gus Coleman of Kilgore is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. H. Donoho this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Leach had business in Rotan Monday of this week.

Revival Meeting Now In Progress



REV. JOHN OSTEEN Evangelist

The revival meeting now in progress at the First Baptist Church reports good attendance and interest thus far in the meeting. Rev. John H. Osteen, Evangelist from Amarillo, is the speaker and B. J. Kellett of Jayton is directing the music.

Mr. Jess Hines, local superintendent of public schools, invited the pastor and evangelist to conduct services at the school chapel exercises Tuesday morning. The church is announcing this Friday night as "School Night." All students are urged to be present for this service.

A paper chain is being made and displayed in the auditorium for a Sunday School attendance drive. Each link is signed by an individual who will try to be present. The public is invited to help reach the goal of 141 in Sunday School this Sunday morning.

Services are twice daily. At 10:30 A. M. and 7:45 P. M.

County Delegation Support Road Plan

A delegation of Kent county and Jayton officials and civic leaders trekked to the state Capitol at Austin last Sunday where they joined similar delegations from all over the state in an appeal to the Texas legislators to get Texas farmers and ranchmen "out of the mud and sand" by providing for a continuation of the program to improve rural roads of the state.

Headed by County Judge E. V. Peek, County Commissioners Arthur Perry, Joe Gilbert and Frank Stewart, Jayton's Mayor M. V. Jay, and accompanied by Wayne Williams, of Polar, Buddy Francis, Prof. Wooley and Tom Wilson of Girard, the Kent county delegation joined the biggest crowd to attend the present session of the Legislature Monday to hear Rep. C. S. McLellan of Eagle Lake urge his bill levying a tax of one cent per 1,000 cubic feet of natural gas as the means of giving farmers hard surfaced roads.

The crowd included hundreds of big-hatted, hard-handed farmers and ranchmen who swarmed the capitol throughout the day, seeking the good roads legislation.

"This crowd is conclusive proof that the rural sections of Texas are organized and ready to go to bat for all-weather roads," McLellan told the House Revenue and Taxation Committee.

The leaders of the Kent county delegations expressed gratification at the evidence of the wide support of the rural roads program and the progress being made by its proponents in the legislature. As one of the committee expressed it, "It looks like we made them realize that we mean business, and they are going to act accordingly."

McLellan told the committee there were 55,000 miles of mud school bus routes in Texas. He said that other pending bills for the construction of secondary roads would not "by any stretch of the imagination" furnish the type of road needed to correct this situation.

McLellan's bill calls for a production tax. The income would be devoted to building farm feeder roads designed to give as many farm houses as possible an outlet to secondary or primary roads.

Bon Raley of Valley Mills, vice president of the Texas Rural Roads Association, estimated that 5,000 farmers and ranchers were in the capitol for the Monday hearing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Parks had business in Rotan last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Matthews had business in Abilene last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Reynolds of Odessa spent last week end in Jayton with Mrs. Reynolds' parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Lee.

Last Rites Held For Mrs. W. L. Matthews

Friends and relatives of Mrs. W. L. Matthews were shocked by news that she had passed away last Friday afternoon at an Odessa, Texas hospital. Mrs. Matthews had been visiting her daughters, Mrs. Jessa-Grice of Jal, N. Mex., and Mrs. Ira Lee of Odessa when she became suddenly ill. Taken to the hospital, she succumbed a few hours later.

The body was returned to Jayton by McDonald Funeral Home of Lubbock and funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church in Jayton Sunday afternoon at 3:30. Rev. W. T. North, Baptist pastor of Peacock conducting the services. Interment was in the Jayton cemetery.

Pallbearers were J. D. Patterson, Elmer Renfro, Elmer Cade, James McAteer, Milton Sandell and Doyle Clark. The services were attended by a large number of out-of-town relatives and friends.

Mrs. Mary E. Matthews, nee Rash, was born Jan. 23, 1875 in Hood county, Texas. She was married to William L. Matthews and to their union was born nine children. Her husband, two infants and two sons, Joe and Chuff, preceded her in death. The five children and a stepson survive. They are Lester Matthews and Willie Rose of Jayton; Cecil Matthews of Slinnett, Texas; Mrs. Jesse Grice of Jal, N. Mex., and Mrs. Ira Lee of Odessa, Texas, all were present at the funeral services.

Mrs. Matthews, known as "Grandmother" Matthews to many of this community, was a wonderful pioneer mother, beloved as friend and true neighbor. She was a member of the Baptist Church at Double Mountain, having united with that church in her youth.

Besides her children, she is survived by five brothers, John, Ben, Tom and China Rash, of Peacock and Jim Rash of Monahans. All of the brothers except Jim, of Monahans, were present at the services.

MR. AND MRS. WALTON DAVIS CALLED TO COLORADO

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Davis were called to La Junta, Colo., Sunday afternoon by the tragic news of the death of their son-in-law, Mr. Phelps Deahl.

District Governor Speaks To Lions

W. R. Rutherford, District Governor of Lions Club International, spoke to the local Lions Club at a called meeting Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Rutherford, in his talk, outlined the fundamentals that are necessary for the success of any Lions Club, and emphasized that the services that can be rendered are almost unlimited. He gave examples of the programs that other small clubs have undertaken; programs that included everything from sight conservation to the paving of streets. By hard work, and the unselfish desire to be of service to their communities, these clubs have successfully carried out their programs.

Mr. Rutherford told the local club members that Lions Club International, with 400,000 members in 29 separate countries, is playing an important role in the struggle for world peace.

He concluded his talk by saying that a man is never too busy to be of service to his community and that a Lions Club in a town like Jayton, unopposed by any other such organization, can do almost anything they want to undertake.

Camp Fire Girls To Meet At Haskell

The annual dinner of the Camp Fire Girls will be held in Haskell March 18. This is during the Birthday 18. This is during the Birthday Week of Camp Fire. All Council members, girls and interested persons are invited. Mrs. R. F. Mahood, Stamford, is in charge of directing the Council Fire.

The program at this annual dinner will be an Area Council Fire. At this time girls from all over the Area will receive awards and honors.

Mrs. Sue Kelley is in charge of the ticket sale in Jayton and she has requested that purchases be made before Tuesday, March 15, in order that adequate preparations can be made in advance of the dinner.

Mrs. Altha Patton of Cleburn is visiting relatives in Jayton this week.

Mrs. L. H. Mason and daughter, Mozelle de Cordova had business in Abilene Monday.

Teen-Agers Request Help From Citizens Of Jayton

To the Citizens of Jayton:

We, the teen-agers of Jayton want, and need, some kind of a recreation center. We feel that we need to impress upon the citizens and parents of our home town the need of such facilities here at home.

Our sole recreation is the movie theatre; otherwise we must go out of town.

Going out of town for our fun and recreation is undesirable from a number of standpoints. It costs parents additional money for tires, gasoline, oil and wear and tear on the family automobile. But more important is the safety and welfare of the youngsters.

If we, the teen-agers had some other form of wholesome recreation besides the movies it would mean a great deal more to us perhaps than you have ever stopped to realize.

A few such facilities we might list, such as a Youth Center, concrete, outdoor tennis courts which could be lighted when so desired. Is there a chance that we could have a swimming pool for our use during the hot summer vacation?

There are some vacant buildings in town that could be turned into a good Youth Center. A little lumber for a few benches and tables; a table-tennis set, a coke machine and a booth to sell candy, etc., profits from the sale of which could in turn be devoted to improving the Center.

You parents who often worry about your children, this is something you should be interested in! You will know where your children are. With a certain set time for closing the Center you can know what time to expect your children home.

Teen-agers from nearby communities who lack such a facility would come down. This would help us build up our home town; the Center should show a profit for the club or organization willing to sponsor it.

We hope the citizens of Jayton see the need. If you can possibly do so, help us to interest others in this project in order that we may have some kind of wholesome recreation here at home; and especially during the coming vacation months. (Signed) The Teen-Agers of Jayton,

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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



The man on the street is a bit distrustful of college professors as being on the impractical side. And the man on the street isn't far wrong. For example

The dean of an Oklahoma university is writing a book about words and expressions used by the people of the Southwest, according to the papers, and in explaining the expression, "squirrel whiskey", he says maybe it's called that because it makes people act nutty.

Anybody ought to figure out a simpler and more logical explanation than that one. If the dean was joking, that was "un-scholarly" and such antics are likely to put him in bad standing with the professional Ph. D.'s.

Squirrel whiskey makes the imbibor frisky, like a squirrel. If the dean would go down and mingle with the boys in the barbershop, he would hear the story about the Swede who said he wanted to buy some liquor. "Do you want some squirrel whiskey?" he was asked. Old replied, "No, give me some toadfrog whiskey. I don't want to climb; I just want to jump around a little."

There is no charge to the dean for setting him right about this. But I still think he ought to stick to some subject like the amount of starch that Sir Walter Raleigh used in those ruffed collars.

(Ed's note:—Whassamatta, Boyce th' prof steal an idea you had fer another book?)

Dallas folks like to josh Fort Worth citizens about the stockyards and they tell the story of two men on a train. One said, "We are approaching Fort Worth" and the other replied, "Yes, I just got wind of it."

Also that when, a few years ago, there was a strike and the stockyards closed down, fliers had to use their instruments in finding Fort Worth; ordinarily, they just used the sense of smell.

Every now and then, you hear someone say, "Some of our biggest men came from small towns." Yes,—and some of the ablest stay there because they prefer the neighborhood of a small town to the rush and roar of a city.

A REMINDER

FRIENDS AND PATRONS

We are now ready to serve you with a new and complete stock of Sundries and Notions.

Our Prescription department is now ready to supply your prescription and medicine needs.

Come in, we'll be glad to show you around. Our new location is in the building across the street from the Conoco station on the Highway.

ALEXANDER DRUG

Veterans' News

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

(Information of Importance to All Veterans)

Q—I am a World War II veteran. Is my wife eligible for treatment at a VA hospital?

A—Not unless your wife is an ex-service woman. Dependents of veterans are not entitled to hospitalization under the VA.

Q—I want to give the beneficiary of my NSLI the right of choosing, in the event of my death, either a lump sum settlement or any of the available monthly payment plans. If I designate no option, will she have this right?

A—No. Payment in a lump sum may be designated only by the insured. However, if you provide a lump sum payment she may have her choice of available plans.

Q—The automobile furnished me by the VA was totally wrecked in an unavoidable accident. Will the VA give me another one?

A—There is no provision under the law to provide more than one automobile to an eligible veteran.

Q—must a disabled veteran go to a vocational school or may he go to a liberal arts college, a high school, or similar institution under the vocational Rehabilitation Act?

A—He may enroll in any VA-approved educational institution or training establishment offering the course of training which Veterans Administration has found that he needs to insure his proper rehabilitation in line with his own desires.

Prices Higher In Southwest Markets

Livestock prices averaged higher during the past week, but some other products suffered slight declines.

Cattle sold mostly unchanged to 50 cents higher for the week. Common and medium cows brought \$18 to \$19.50 at Houston Monday, \$16.50 to \$18.75 at San Antonio, and \$16.50 to \$18 at Fort Worth. Beef cows sold upward to \$18 at Oklahoma City, while common to good grades ranged from \$16.50 to \$18.75 at Denver.

Hog trends for the week ranged from unchanged to 50 cents higher, and feeder pigs unchanged to \$2 higher. Top butchers brought \$20.75 at San Antonio, \$21 at Fort Worth, \$21.25 at Oklahoma City, and \$22.25 at Denver. Sows moved at \$17 to \$17.50 at San Antonio and Denver and \$16 to \$17 at Fort Worth and Oklahoma City.

Sheep averaged around 50 cents to \$1 higher than a week earlier. Medium and low good lambs cashed at \$22.50 at San Antonio Monday. Good and choice shorn lambs with no. 3 pelts cashed at \$23.50 at Fort Worth. Top lambs moved at \$25.50 at Oklahoma City. Denver paid \$24.50 to \$26 for medium and good woolled lambs.

Estimated 1948 wool production is the lowest since 1923 and mohair production is the lowest since 1937. Little business was done during the past week.

Eggs eased slightly during the past week under heavier receipts. Current receipts brought 38 to 39 cents a dozen at Fort Worth and New Orleans, 39 at Dallas, and 37 to 38 at Denver. Fryers strengthened slightly,



but other poultry remained unchanged. Fryers cashed at 28 to 30 cents a pound at Fort Worth and 30 at Dallas.

Wheat gained 2 to 3 cents a bushel for the week, and white corn about a penny. Yellow corn, oats and barley lost to 2 and one-half cents. No. 1 hard wheat closed Monday at \$2.46 1/4 to \$2.50 1/4 at Texas common points. No. 2 white corn sold at \$1.75 1/2 to \$1.78 1/2, yellow corn \$1.59 1/4 to \$1.61 3/4, and white oats 88 1/4 to 92 1/2. Milo held steady.

Wheat millfeeds scored rather sharp advances again this week, but most other feedstuffs sold weak to \$3 lower. Hay showed little change in price in rather slow trade. Peanuts held about steady in dull trading.

Cotton advanced 75c to \$1 for the week. Spot middling 15-16 inch closed Monday at 32.50 cents a pound at Dallas and 32.55 at Houston and New Orleans.

John Nelson Kelley of Dallas brought his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kelley home to Jayton Saturday, returning to Dallas Sunday afternoon.

E. V. Peek, County Judge of Kent county and M. V. Jay had business in Austin Monday and Tuesday of this week.

FOR SALE:—

1- 500 chick Butane Brooder \$10.00
John Matthews. 9-2tp

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Rogers and daughter of near Snyder visited Mrs. Rogers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Sanders the past weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Brendle of Dickens are visiting Mrs. Brendle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rice this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wade of Lamesa and H. Cobb Wade of Lubbock were visitors in the L. F. Wade home over the weekend.

Mrs. L. F. Wade was taken to the Hendrick Memorial Hospital at Abilene Friday of last week where she is receiving treatment.

Notice, Landowners

I have producing oil companies interested in leases in Kent, Fisher, Garza, Crosby and Dickens counties. Anything from 160-acre tracts and larger.

If you have land you want to lease write me the legal description of it and the best price you would be willing to take.

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"MAID OF COTTON" SPARKS EARLY DUSTING DRIVE

Texas cotton growers are being urged by a state committee on insect control to begin fighting crop pests early. Since dusting should be started when cotton plants are chopped and plowed, insecticide manufacturers have moved up Texas shipment dates. Production of one Texas-recommended insecticide, toxaphene, which had sales of more than 30,000,000 pounds over the nation last year, has been stepped up to meet all the farmers' needs in 1949, the makers report. This early dusting campaign is being watched with interest throughout the Cotton South. Pretty Sue Howell, 1949 Maid of Cotton, points to one reason why Texas cotton growers should think of "killing 'em before they get started."

NOTICE

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Onion Sets, quart,	20c
Syrup, Penick, 1/2 gallon	55c
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Honor Roll For Jayton School

First Grade honor roll: Lester Pearl Tuberville, Wendell Raye Wade, and Sandra Spooner.

Second Grade honor roll: Earnest Cheyne, Ray Dunlap, Brenda Kay Moore, Larry Don Moore, Nancy Hinds, Linda Thomas, Beryl Murdoch.

Third Grade honor roll: Beth Harrison, Mack Lauderdale, Wanda Morgan, Shirley Harrison, Lyod Moize, Fourth Grade honor roll: Jimmy Parks, Jimmy Johnston, Geneva Lee, Arden Lee Walker, Sandon Sherer, W. D. Vickers.

Fifth Grade honor roll: Marvin Gene Hall, Don Fowler, Jon Fowler, Ladonna Spooner, Noralyn Miller, Sixth Grade honor roll: Patricia

Hunnicut, Laura Beth Harrison, Bobbie Florence.

Seventh Grade honor roll: Rosnie Brantner, Bob Engledow, Charlie Scoggins, Delza Hall, Wanda Faye Peek, Donna Sue Thomas.

Eighth Grade honor roll: Patricia Fowler, Pat Kelley.

High School honor roll: Nina Hall, Juanelle Harrison, Mickey Herman, Edith Jones, and Naylan Vencil.

Economic Highlights

The attention of many members of Congress seems to be wavering from Mr. Truman's long-range legislative program, and turning to the immediate problem of just what current declines in prices, employment and business activity mean.

Some of the drop can be attributed to seasonal factors. But that doesn't account for all of it by quite a ways. Congress wants to get a clearer idea of what is going on before it does much law making.

The House-Senate Economic Committee recently called in a number of leading economists and asked for their opinions and advice. As was to be expected, there were many differences. But the majority of these experts were agreed that we have passed the peak of inflation, and that a levelling off period is now at hand. However, there was little talk to the effect that a severe recession is imminent.

One of the, representing a large life insurance company, anticipated a long period of good times, though he added that the buyers' market is back and the consumer will have to be induced to buy. Another, from a publishing house which issues magazines dealing with industrial questions, said he doesn't fear that a serious downturn is coming, and warned against raising taxes. The economist for a steel company argued that a big backlog of demand, left over from the war days, is still in evidence, and was optimistic as to the future. A pessimistic note was struck by the economist from a national research organization, who was none too sure that we have an easy road ahead.

The point on which most agreed was that there should be no tax increases, either on business or on individuals. The reason: these burdens, they think, might prove to be sufficient to turn a moderate and temporary decline in business activity into a real recession. The President has said that nothing that has happened has changed his view on the tax problem, and Congress should approve his proposal for raising \$4,000,000,000 through new taxes. But there are many grave doubts among members of both parties.

Sentiment is increasing for making up possible budget deficits by reducing the cost of government. The Hoover Commission reports, which have been issued so far, have shown up serious waste which could be eliminated without touching any essential function. Duplication of bureaus, archaic procedures, the abuse of patronage—these are old vices which the Commission hopes may be cured. Mr. Hoover's idea is that the President should have far greater direct powers over the machinery of the government. It is not likely that all of the recommendations will be approved. But a start will be made.

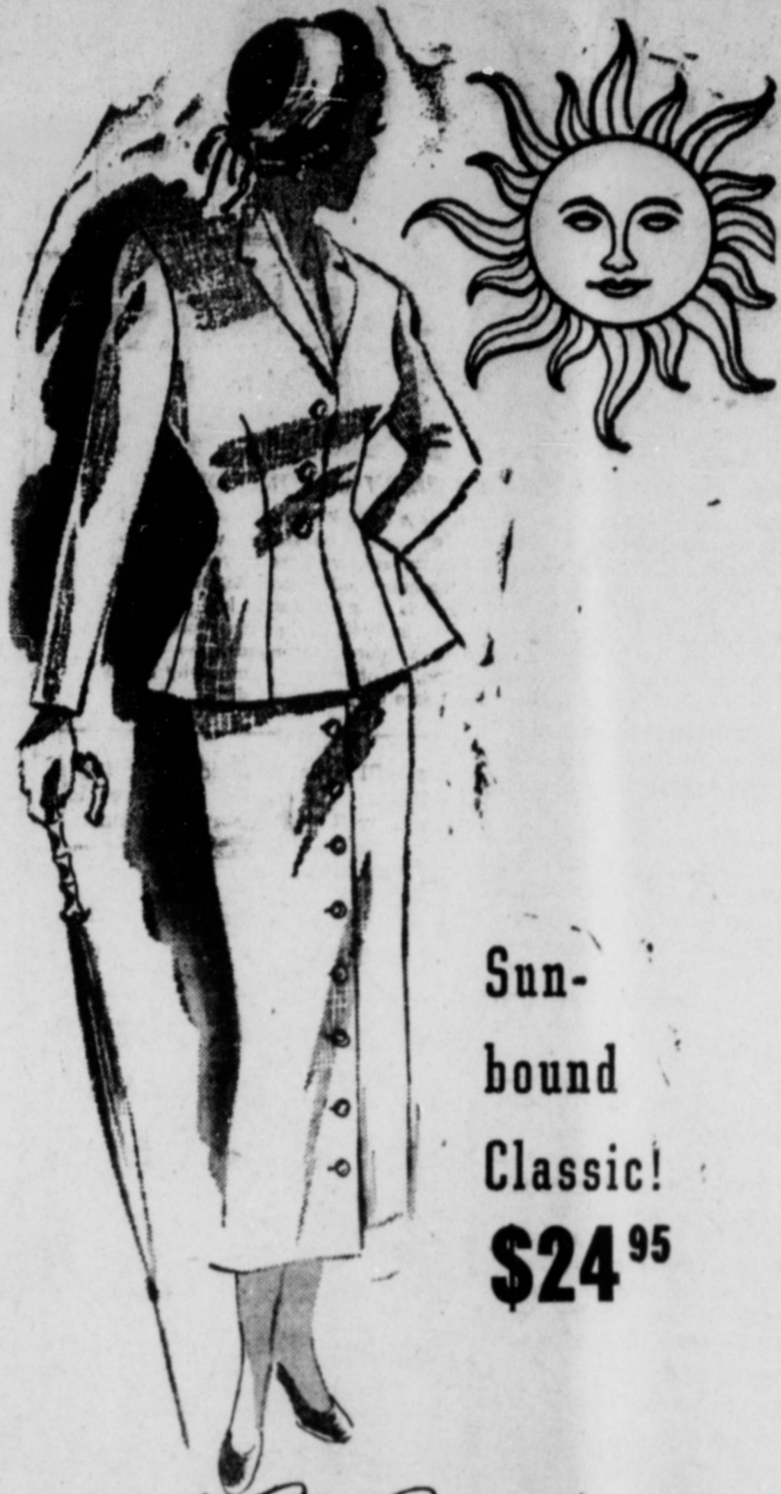
John Nelson Kelley of Dallas brought his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kelley home to Jayton Saturday, returning to Dallas Sunday afternoon.

E. V. Peek, County Judge of Kent county and M. V. Jay had business in Austin Monday and Tuesday of this week.



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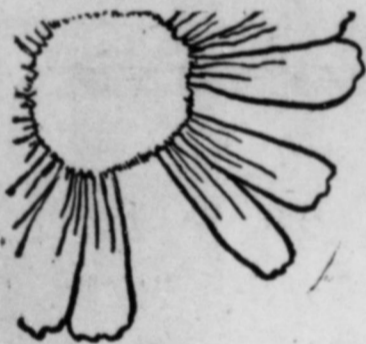
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He also explains that if the total bill for conservation carried out under the 1948 agricultural conservation program were evenly divided among people in the United States, it would come to just about \$1 per person.

This dollar per person is matched by another dollar which the farmer pays. Add to this the cost of the work which the farmer does, the additional conservation practices which he carries out on his own and for which he uses his own time and money and the total is at least \$3 worth of conservation for each dollar in assistance. In practice, Spradling asserts, the assistance under the AC Program serves as a leaven which stimulates a wide range of conservation practices.

As the vice chairman explains, "By putting up a dollar per person, the nation helps to build terraces that check the run-off in heavy rains and in the spring when the snow is melting. More of the moisture goes into the ground to grow crops and feed springs during the summer. Valuable top-soil is held on the farm to continue to produce food for the nation."

The dollar help to build dams that check erosion and furnish water for livestock. The additional watering places make it possible to get a better distribution on the range so that the grass is not all eaten up or

trampled to pieces around a few watering places. This protection to watershed helps keep soil from washing and blowing away.

These are just a few examples of how the "dollar per person" is being used to protect the soil of the nation—the source of our food supply. As Mr. Spradling states, "It's food insurance—for both the present and the future."

"If we lose our soil we can't produce food. If food isn't produced, it means empty plates and empty stomachs."

Farmers Advised To Buy Seed Now

Now is the best time for farmers to buy or engage seed for planting next year's crops.

By making arrangements now for next year's crops, farmers can be assured of bigger selections and a chance at the best seed available.

Seed selection should be based on high quality, high germination rate and the seed should be free from undesirable weed seed. There is time yet to be "choosy".

Those farmers planning to sow their own seed should have germination tests made immediately so if their seed is not the most desirable, they will have time to make other arrangements. Germination tests are made at the state seed laboratory in Austin and at many of the grain exchanges in larger towns.

Another precaution concerning early seed purchases is to buy enough to replant in case reseeded should become necessary.



"MAID OF COTTON" SPARKS EARLY DUSTING DRIVE

Texas cotton growers are being urged by a state committee on insect control to begin fighting crop pests early. Since dusting should be started when cotton plants are chopped and plowed, insecticide manufacturers have moved up Texas shipment dates. Production of one Texas-recommended insecticide, toxaphene, which had sales of more than 30,000,000 pounds over the nation last year, has been stepped up to meet all the farmers' needs in 1949, the makers report. This early dusting campaign is being watched with interest throughout the Cotton South. Pretty Sue Howell, 1949 Maid of Cotton, points to one reason why Texas cotton growers should think of "killing 'em before they get started."

Block And Bridle Club To Sponsor Rodeo

Lubbock, Mar. 9.—Annual rodeo and Western Days at Texas Technological College will be sponsored this year by the Block and Bridle club, honorary agriculture division organization, and the new college Rodeo association.

Permission has been granted by the board of directors to the two groups to stage the rodeo events on the campus. April 1 has been designated as the "main day" and the open space on the northeast extreme of the campus the rodeo site.

As in the past, the student body is expected to participate by wearing western regalia (and faculty, too) being liable to "reasonable punishment" for non-compliance.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Whitaker and son of Stanton, Texas were Jayton visitors the first of the week. While in town they stopped by the Chronicle office and renewed their subscription to the "old home town" paper. Thanks, Bob and Carmen.

Lochia McNeil of Rotan, Texas visited Mrs. H. D. Black over the weekend.

Brace Lafon of Andrews visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Lowrance last week.

Mrs. H. D. Black and daughter Jody had business in Abilene Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Reynolds of Odessa spent the past weekend here with Mrs. Reynolds' parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hall and daughter Evelyn Grace, Mrs. Pauline McKinzie and Judie and Patsy Hall, Rhoda Lou Kiley, Mrs. Harold Martin and Sue Barfoot, all of Lubbock were Jayton visitors Sunday.

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Sixth Grade honor roll: Patricia Hunnicutt, Laura Beth Harrison, Bobbie Florence.

Seventh Grade honor roll: Ronnie Brantner, Bob Engledow, Charlie Scoggins, Delza Hall, Wanda Faye Peek, Donna Sue Thomas.

Eighth Grade honor roll: Patricia Fowler, Pat Kelley.

High School honor roll: Nina Hall, Juanelle Harrison, Mickey Herman, Edith Jones, and Naylan Vencil.

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CARD OF THANKS

The loved ones of Mrs. W. L. Matthews wish to take this method of thanking, from the depths of their hearts, the many friends who came with kind and comforting words and deeds—the ones who brought flowers and helped in so many ways to lighten a burden that was almost too much to bear, at the passing of our dear mother, sister and grandmother.

The Children, Brothers, and Grandchildren.

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We should like to express our appreciation to everyone who was so kind to us during our recent bereavement. Words are inadequate to express our real feelings but we hope you will accept this as our expression of appreciation.

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Services at 11 A. M.
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No Sunday night services.
Young people and Juniors at 6:15 P. M.

Week of Dedication, March 13-20.
Sunday morning will be the first church-wide activity of the Advance for Christ and His Church. It will be a time for personal consecration and a time of rededication for every member of the church.

Services at the church Monday night by the W. S. C. S. and others who wish to come in connection with the Week of Dedication. Services also Wednesday night, March 16.

Every Methodist in America will observe the week of dedication.

Everyone is invited to attend these services at the Methodist church.

Let's make Jayton a church-going town.

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1. By going to church yourself.
2. By inviting someone to go with you.
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Remember, you are always welcome at the Methodist church.

L. B. Taylor, Minister.

First Baptist Church
GIRARD, TEXAS

We had a good crowd at all services, including some new faces that were greatly appreciated. There was unusually good attendance Sunday night. We had a very interesting discussion at B. T. U. The subject was "The Deacons and Their Duty To the Church." We had one addition to the church Sunday night.

It is a great thing to have a church home where God's people can meet and worship Him and train their children to honor Him and to live lives that will be an honor to their parents, their community, their country and the whole world.

Home is a name that we all love but there is a greater place for us in that home through the service we render in keeping home what it should be. We should be proud of our earthly homes and the home the Lord has given us. We should be proud to say we are a part of His home and want all people to come enjoy its blessings. If God has given us eternal life we should be glad to acknowledge Him as our Heavenly Father and His Son as our Elder Brother who gave His life that we might live forever with Him and His Father.

Come to our church and hear the Gospel. Come to Sunday School and learn the Scripture. Come to B. T. U. to train for service for the Master. Attend the brotherhood and women's meetings to pray for the advancement of the church and the Kingdom of God. Try these suggestions and I'm sure it will help you and yours.

Baptist reporter, M. A. Darden.

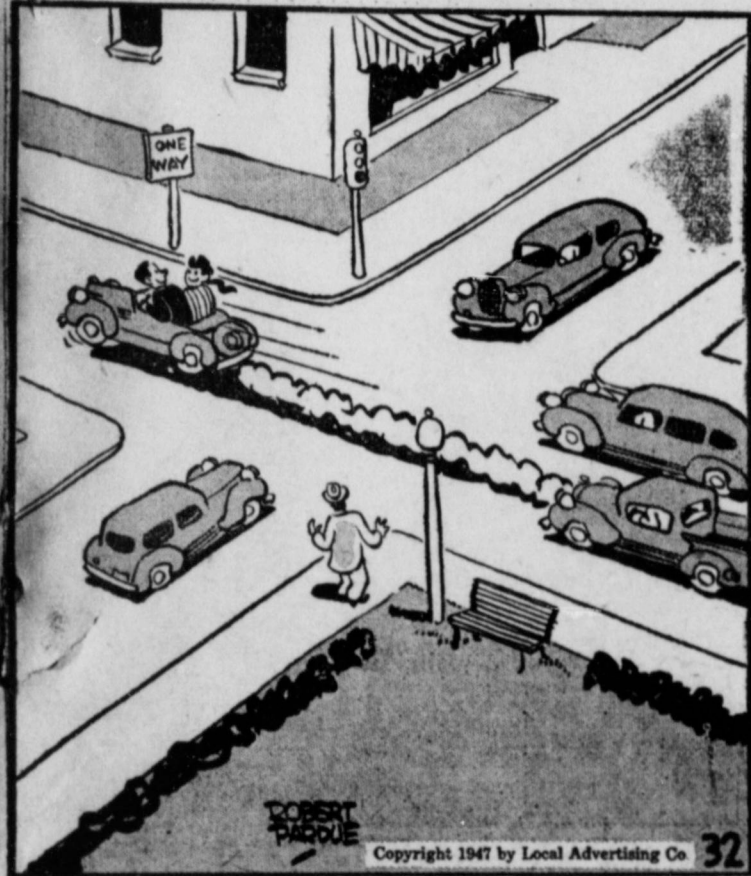
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Pyorrhea Not Always Incurable, Says Dr. Cox

Austin, March 9.—Contrary to the popular belief that pyorrhea is always incurable, this is only true in the most advanced stages, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer. His advice to persons who even suspect the presence of pyorrhea is to seek an early diagnosis from their dentist so that proper treatment can be instituted while the disease is still curable. Early detection and proper treatment of pyorrhea represent the formula for a successful cure. This means that the dentist must have an opportunity to discover the presence of the disease at the earliest possible moment. Since the symptoms are often so vague that the patient is unaware of having pyorrhea, regular visits to the dentist are extremely important in the control of this disease.

The treatment of this disease is not an involved procedure. In the average early case one of the main therapeutic features is the proper hygienic care of teeth and gums as outlined by any reputable dentist. Carelessness regarding mouth hygiene is usually the basic cause of the condition. The family dentist can usually remove the cause of the trouble and when this is done, intelligent, routine care of the mouth by the patient will help to effect a fairly quick cure in the majority of early cases.

Every farmer serving as chairman, vice-chairman or as a member of the Kent county agricultural conservation committee was elected to that position by his fellow-farmers.

P. T. A. Postpones Regular Meeting

According to an announcement by the club president, Mrs. Ben Boland, the local P. T. A. has postponed its regular meeting from Friday, March 11 to Friday, March 18. The postponement is being made to avoid conflict with revival services being conducted at one of the local churches, inasmuch as some members doubtless, wish to attend both affairs. Mrs. Boland stated that the program for the meeting is to be under the direction of the men of the P. T. A. and that local talent will comprise the cast for the night's entertainment. All members are urged by their president to attend this meeting on Friday, March 18.

Mrs. Maurine Dibrell took P. D. Allen to Abilene Tuesday for medical treatment.

Miss Grace Holden spent last week end in Clyde, Texas with her parents.

Elmer Renfro of Novice, Texas was seeing old friends in Jayton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Leech went to Ralls Wednesday to hear their daughter, Mrs. Allen Doyle address a B. T. U. group.

The farmer gets 35 or 40 cents for the cotton that goes into a shirt that sells for \$4.50.

Mrs. M. V. Jay had business in Spur Monday.

Dianne Murdoch spent last Thursday in Girard with Nancy Jo Beaver.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. York and son had business in Lubbock part of last week.

Mrs. K. P. Brantner had business in Lubbock last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen King and children of Seminole visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. T. L. King last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson and daughter of Girard visited Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Lowrance last week.

Mrs. Clyde Long underwent surgery at Haskell last week and was brought home Monday of this week, reportedly improving rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Cox of near Snyder visited Don's grandmother, Mrs. J. H. Donoho last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Maynard of Fluvanna spent last weekend in Jayton with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Donoho.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Boland and children visited Mr. and Mrs. John Boland of Girard, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kenady and Mrs. Tenie Wilson of Aspermont were Jayton visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones went to White Flat last Saturday with the ball team.

Mrs. Tom Murdoch and Charlie Dunlap of Jonesboro, Texas spent the past weekend in Jayton visiting and seeing after business affairs.

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