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According to Mr. Kirby Clayton, County Agent, the Sears pig show will be held Saturday if the weather permits. In case of additional rain the show will be held some time next week.

The rain we received this week amounted to 2.65 inches. This report comes from Mr. J. W. Sewalt, foreman of the Highway Department in Kent County. Mr. Sewalt has an official rain gauge at the warehouse in Jayton.

The rain, while beneficial to many farmers, stopped others from their cotton harvesting activities. The local gin reported 87 bales of cotton ginned late Wednesday afternoon.

Weather permitting, the boys of Jayton High School will go to Girard Friday afternoon for a game of flag football. The game played in the same manner as regular football with the exception of the elimination of pads and tackling, should be an interesting one.

For those who want a bargain in a daily newspaper the Chronicle is now offering a year's subscription to the Abilene Reporter-News for only \$9.95. Without the Sunday paper only \$8.95.

From The Bleachers

By Doss Taylor

The grid-iron campaign will almost be in full swing this week end. Three Southwestern Conference teams have tilts scheduled. Texas, Texas A. and M. and T. C. U. see action this week end. The Texas A. and M. - Villanova and the T. C. U. - Kansas clashes will be of national interest while the Texas - Texas Tech game will serve to find out just what these two teams can do.

Down in Aggieland everyone is anxiously awaiting the arrival of the Villanova eleven. The Aggies are having to depend on sophomores entirely this year. Harry Stiteler has only a few holdovers, and most of the strength for this year's team appears to rest with the sophomores. The Villanova Wildcats are gringing a team to College Station that is loaded with veterans. This game will match Villanova's power and experience against the Aggie youth, inexperience and ambition. Glenn Lippman, although he has never played varsity ball, is already regarded as one of the greatest runners in the Southwest Conference. Villanova will probably win over the Aggies by two touchdowns.

The revengeful Kansas Jayhawks will tangle with T. C. U. Dutch Myer is planning strategy to stop the Kansas team. The Horned Frogs have a crop of lettermen waiting for the Kansans. The Jayhawks, though tough, cannot equal the power of the Frogs. This game will be a mighty close affair with T. C. U. taking the edge by a touchdown.

The Texas Longhorns will open their season at Memorial Stadium against Texas Tech. The Longhorns will be experimenting to find out what prospects they have for the year. The Longhorn line is experienced and their backfield is also filled with proven men. In spite of their 20-0 win over A. C. C. last week end Texas Tech shouldn't have scheduled this game. The Red Raiders will be rated the underdogs by approximately three tallies.

There is another top game slated for a Border Conference team. The Hardin Simmons Cowboys will clash with the North Texas Eagles. The Eagles are tough but so are the boys from H. S. U. It's the Cowboys by a touchdown.

McMurry plays Tulsa. The Tulsa team was beaten by just about everybody last year but should do much better this year. The Hurricanes, by rights, should breeze to a two touchdown victory over the Indians.

Here are a few more predictions: A. C. C. over S. W. T. Okla., (played at Stamford by the way), Texas Western, (formerly known as Texas School of Mines), over Brigham Young, William and Mary over the University of Houston, and Howard Payne over Louisiana Tech.

Now we will take a look at the baseball picture. In the American League there is a very tight race at the present. Included in the neck and neck race down the home stretch is New York, Cleveland, Boston and Detroit. In spite of numerous injuries the New York club has managed to stay on top.

The National League is dominated by the St. Louis Cardinals and the Brooklyn Dodgers. There's a real race between these two ball clubs. The third place team is trailing by 15 full games.

The Spur High School 11 will travel to Hamlin Friday night to play the strong Pied Pipers. Spur lost their opener last week to Haskell while the Hamlin team defeated the boys from Stamford.

Methodist Revival Begins Sunday



Rev. S. A. Sifford

The revival services at the Jayton Methodist Church will begin Sunday, September 18, with Rev. S. A. Sifford of Tuscola, Texas, doing the preaching. Rev. Sifford is known by most of the older people of Jayton as he live here for some time several years ago.

Rev. L. B. Taylor, pastor of the Methodist Church has extended an invitation to all to attend these services.

Annual Prison Rodeo Opens October 2

HUNTSVILLE, Sept. 9—Opening day at the greater Texas Prison Rodeo will be known as "Governor's Day". French M. Robertson, Abilene prison board member and chairman of the board's rodeo committee, announced today.

He said that Governor Allan Shivers has accepted the prison board's invitation and will appear as guest of honor at the opening of the Prison Rodeo on Sunday, October 2, in Prison Stadium, Huntsville. It will also be a day in honor of the members of the Texas Legislature. Each member has been issued a personal invitation by prison General Manager O. B. Ellis.

In a farther display of honor to Governor Shivers, Mr. A. C. Turner, prison rehabilitation director and rodeo publicity chief, has asked all Texas newspaper and radio men to be his guest on "Governor's Day". He expects about 2,000 newshawks and their wives to be present, and has arranged a special "press section" for the visitors.

Mr. Robertson promised many special features for the "Governor's Day" ceremonies and Rodeo manager Albert Moore insists that he'll have the fastest, wildest show ever staged during his 16 years of Prison Rodeo experience.

Activities begin promptly at 2 P. M. on opening day and each Sunday thereafter during October. A Wednesday performance is also scheduled for October 19. Reserved seats are now on sale at the ticket office in Huntsville. Prices are the same as last year: two dollars for reserved seats and one dollar for standing room. "Early ticket sales are brisk," says L. J. Craig, chief cashier at the prison rodeo ticket office.

Girard Organizes Parent Teachers

On Thursday afternoon, Sept. 8, Girard organized a Parent-Teacher's Association.

The group met at the school building and Mrs. Ben Boland, Mrs. Bernie Smith and Mrs. Robert Moore from the Jayton P. T. A. helped in the organization.

Mr. Davis, Superintendent of the Girard School, presided until officers were elected. Mrs. Pete Sherer was elected president of the new organization and immediately took charge of the meeting. Other officer elected were: Vice-president, Mrs. John Boland, Sec., Mrs. G. H. Brown, Treasurer, Mrs. Glenn Spradling, Historian, Mrs. Fletcher Ritch, Reporter, Mrs. Weldon Owens, Chairman of Hospitality Committee, Mrs. Ollie Bural, Program Chairman, Mrs. Rogers, Chairman of Finance Committee, Mrs. Alton Clark, and Membership Committee Chairman, Mrs. Gerald Fincher.

It is hoped that the officers elected will do their part to make a fine P. T. A. in Girard.

The next meeting of the Girard P. T. A. will be held Tuesday, Sept. 20. At that time the District President will be present. The meeting will be held in the High School auditorium.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Walker last week end were his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Walker of Plainview.

Jayton PTA Holds First Meeting

The P. T. A. had its first meeting of the new year on the Homemaking cottage lawn Friday night, September 9. A large crowd was welcomed by Supt. Hinds and Mrs. Ben Boland, president of the P. T. A.

New Teachers and their families were given special recognition. Mrs. Beryl Murdoch was on the job soliciting members and collecting dues.

After a watermelon feast, made possible through the generosity of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Long, was enjoyed by young and old, tables were set up and games played. The children played games on the lawn and many just sat in groups and just visited. A very nice time was reported by each one present. It is really true, "The more we get together the happier we'll be."

The next meeting will be held September 23.

Cotton Defoliation Aids Harvesting

Cotton has made exceptionally good growth in most sections of the State this year. Right along with a heavier set of bolls there has been rank growth of leaves. Many cotton growers are turning their attention to cotton defoliation—that is, using chemicals to make the leaves fall off so cotton will mature faster and be easier to pick.

The chemical which has been used the longest and has given good results is finely ground calcium cyanamid, according to M. K. Thornton, extension agricultural chemist of the Texas A. and M. College System.

Thornton says cotton should be dusted with calcium cyanamid at the rate of 30 to 35 pounds per acre. It can be dusted from airplanes or with ground dusting machines. The dust must stick to the leaves in order to get good defoliation. Early in the morning, while dew is still on the leaves, is a good time to dust, says Thornton, or after a rain while the air is still moist. He adds that defoliation is likely to be a failure if dusting is done during extremely dry weather or when there is no dew on the cotton leaves.

A spray of ammonium thiocyanate dissolved in water and applied at the rate of 10 pounds per acre gives good results in dryer sections of the state. This spray has not been tested thoroughly under Texas conditions and therefore cannot be definitely relied upon.

Removing leaves from cotton has several advantages. It makes picking easier—whether it's done by hand, by spindle picking machines, or by mechanical strippers. There is less leaf stain on lint. Bolls open more uniformly and earlier. And there's less greenstuff left for boll weevils to live on.

Thornton suggests that you see your county agricultural agent for more information on chemical defoliation of cotton.

W. S. C. S. Meeting Held In Church

The Women's Society of Christian Service met Monday afternoon in the basement of the Methodist Church with seven members present.

After a brief business meeting, conducted by Mrs. J. S. Hinds, Mrs. Grady Jones opened the program with a very inspirational devotional. Mrs. L. B. Taylor brought the introduction to the new Bible study, "The Bible and Human Rights."

October the third was set as the date for the Birthday Tea for the women of the church. We urge that all women of the church meet with us. We need your prayers and your support to help carry on the work of the church.

Remember, from four 'til five in Monday afternoon at the church.

"Family Party" Set For Monday Night

The Edwards-Kelley Implement Company of Spur will hold their annual "Family Party" at the Spur High School auditorium, Monday night, September 19, beginning at 8:30.

A superlative program of comedy, magic and other specialties is in store for the evening. The stage stars included on the program are, John Ellis, magical master of ceremonies, King Brothers, sensational hand balancing team, Evelyn Hill, queen of the accordion and Ed Coatney, harmonica virtuoso, formerly with Spike Jones and Bob Wells. In addition to these outstanding stage performers color movies will be shown.

This party is free to the friends and customers of the Edwards-Kelley Implement Company and a special invitation is extended to the farmers and ranchers of this area.

Services Held For Mrs. W. A. Gillham

Funeral services were held in Jayton, Tuesday for Mrs. W. A. Gillham who passed away Sept. 11 at Goldthwaite, Texas.

Mrs. Gillham was born Mary Stone, on May 2, 1883. In 1908 she was married to W. A. Gillham. To this union was born six children, five of whom survive.

She is survived by her husband, and five children; Mrs. A. B. Roberson of Sundown, Jesse Gillham of Odessa, Mrs. Velma Wilson of Sundown, Mrs. Claricy Spence of Brownwood, and Will A. Gillham of Seminole. Besides these immediate survivors she leaves sixteen grandchildren, four sisters and one brother.

The body was brought overland from Goldthwaite, in the Robinson funeral coach and interred in the Jayton Cemetery.

Rev. W. T. North of Peacock, and Rev. C. C. Beaty conducted the services.

Haskell Fair Opens October 6

HASKELL (Sp)—Final plans for the renewal of the Central West Texas Fair which is to open in Haskell on October 6-8, are being completed this week according to officials and department heads of the association.

Buildings and grounds are being placed in condition for the opening day which is expected to be the largest single day in the Fair's history. School children of the area will be admitted free on that day, and several area schools have indicated they will dismiss classes.

The parade, always a colorful event in the past, will officially open the Fair at noon on Thursday, October 6. Advance entries for the parade indicate a spectacular array of high school and college bands, decorated floats, horses and riders, and school pep squads that will make this West Texas' finest parade.

Advance requests for exhibit space this year have exceeded those of past years, and one of the largest assortments of agriculture, livestock, culinary, textile, art, hobbies, curio, and poultry will be on display at this year's exposition.

Expected to lead the show will be exhibits of the area's 4-H and FFA Clubs. Elaborate displays will depict the work and development of the various clubs who will compete for increased premiums this year.

Plans were completed this week for an expanded automobile and implement show that will display the latest farm equipment and the newest models of all makes of automobiles.

Open competition in the various divisions of the Fair will attract entries from over the state, and officials are utilizing every available space to take care of the expanded program.

A major event this year will be the Horse Show with judging of quarter horses on Oct. 6 and the Palomino division on Oct. 7.

Included for the second year will be the Special cowboy events which include junior cowboy and cowgirl contests, and senior cutting horse, roping and reining contests.

On the midway will be one of the largest carnival attractions ever presented by the Fair.

Dove Wings Wanted By Wildlife Unit

An appeal is being made to Texas hunters to send mourning dove wings to the Texas Cooperative Wildlife Unit, Texas A. and M. College, College Station. From these wings it is possible for wildlife technicians to determine how many of the birds were hatched this past summer, and thereby know if a successful nesting season occurred.

Collecting dove wings at A. and M. is part of a coordinated research program initiated by the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service due to a noticeable decline in the dove population during the past few years. All wildlife conservation agencies in the Central and Southwestern United States are cooperating in this program.

Hunters are urged to aid in this program by sending the RIGHT wing of doves to the Texas Cooperative Wildlife Unit, A. and M. College, College Station. Each wing should be marked with the date and location where each dove was taken.

Mrs. Mertle Thomas of Vernon, and Mrs. Tenie Findley of Rochester visited their brother Jim Barkley in Clairmont this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Mayer have returned home after a vacation in south Texas.

Local Grocery To Hold 10th Anniversary

Hall's Red and White Store will celebrate its 10th anniversary Saturday, September 17.

Earl Hall, owner of the store, said that while many people did not think he would be in business for more than a year when he first opened ten years ago, others had faith in his undertaking. He expressed his gratitude to the people of this trade territory for their patronage through the years.

From a very small beginning in 1939 Mr. Hall has built up a large volume of business, installed many fixtures and now has one of the finest grocery stores in this area.

A special invitation has been issued by Mr. Hall to his many friends and customers to come in Saturday and visit, enjoy the free coffee and cake.

Back To School Safely Month In Texas

AUSTIN, Sept. 14—Readin', 'ritin', and 'rithmetic time is here again for Texas youngsters.

"This is 'Back to School Safely' month in Texas and once again we must increase our vigilance while driving." This was the warning issued today by Ross Rommel, who heads the school safety program of the Texas Safety Association.

"School time," Rommel said, "takes the child away from his mother's apron strings for a few hours a day and during part of that time he is a potential traffic accident victim unless we adults protect him."

Emphasis on child safety is particularly appropriate in September, according to the Texas Safety Association, because at no other time of the year are so many young children exposed for the first time to the dangers of our streets.

The bumper crop of war babies now entering first grade not only tax school room facilities but school crossings as well.

Despite careful teaching by their parents of correct pedestrian habits, children are still immature in their thinking, and warnings have very little meaning to them, the Association says.

"We can't over estimate the importance of conscientious traffic training on the part of the parents," Rommel said, "but we shouldn't forget that the responsibility for child safety will always lie heavier on the shoulders of the motorist than the parents."

"Motorist must not forget to expect the unexpected while driving near schools, playgrounds and residential areas. When a child's life is at stake we can't afford the luxury of laxness."

Fertilizer To Be Available This Week

According to Mr. Elsworth Jones, Secretary of the Kent County A. C. A., a car of 20 per cent Super Phosphate is due in Jayton about the last of this week. This is the first car to be shipped to Kent County. There is still two tons of the Phosphate that has not been spoken for. This fertilizer must be used on land planted in Vetch, when planted as a winter cover crop. The Government payment on phosphate is \$20.40 a ton and the price of the phosphate is \$34.00 a ton.

Any farmer interested in obtaining any of this fertilizer is asked to contact the AAA office or Mr. B. J. Kelleff.

Prices Steady To Higher in Southwest

Most southwest farm products brought steady to higher prices during the past week, the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration reports.

Monday's active hog trading found prices mostly 50 cents to \$1 higher than the Thursday before on holiday-lightened receipts. Dressed pork ranged from unchanged to \$4 higher for the week at New York. Top butcher hogs brought \$21.25 at San Antonio, \$22 at Fort Worth, \$22.25 at Oklahoma City and \$23.75 at Denver.

Last week's holiday lowered cattle receipts below the week before. Texas markets showed little change in prices, but Oklahoma City and Denver gained mostly 50 cents to \$1. Choice steers reached \$29.65 at Denver, and fed heifers \$26.50 at Oklahoma City. Wholesale beef advanced 50 cents to \$2 at New York.

Last week's twelve market sheep totals equaled the week before despite the Monday holiday, but Texas receipts fell off. Spring lambs sold \$1 to \$1.50 higher for the week in Texas and Oklahoma, and ewes and feeder lambs slightly lower. Denver recorded little change in sheep price. Goats varied from unchanged to 50 cents higher at San Antonio. Cull and common nannies brought \$6 to \$6.50.

Trading improved in fruits and vegetables at southwest terminal markets last week. Cooler weather stimulated demand, while supplies of many summer products tapered off. At Colorado shipping points, potatoes and cauliflower sold higher, and onions held about steady. Sweet potatoes were barely steady in Louisiana.

Egg prices inched upward a cent or two per dozen last week, especially on the better grades. North Texas markets paid 55 to 58 cents for best candled white eggs Monday, and around 50 cents for mixed colors. Denver bought large white eggs at 52 to 57 cents. Poultry remained steady to firm. Local hens sold from 21 to 23 cents a pound in Dallas, and 20 to 25 at Fort Worth, according to weight. Fryers varied from 24 to 30 cents at Dallas, Fort Worth and Denver, according to type.

White and yellow corn advanced about 3 cents a bushel since last Tuesday, oats and white corn a cent or less, and sorghums 4 to 5 cents a hundred pounds. No. 1 ordinar wheat closed Monday at \$2.31 3-4 basis Texas common points. No. 2 white corn \$1.52 1-2 to \$1.54 1-2, yellow corn \$1.41 1-2 to \$1.44 1-2, Milo \$2.17 and \$2.22.

Cotton lost 30 to 70 points. Middling 15-16 closed Monday at 29.15 at Dallas, 29.40 at Galveston, 29.30 at Little Rock, and 29.90 at New Orleans.

Culture Club Holds First Fall Meeting

The Jayton Culture Club had

their first fall meeting in the home of Mrs. M. D. Fuller, on September 7.

Mrs. Claude Kelley, President, was in charge of the meeting. Mrs. Duncan read the minutes and gave the financial report, which was approved. Mrs. Allen gave the outline of the new year book. The course of study for the year will be "Adult Education." Mrs. Kelley brought the president's message for the year, "Object of Club Work." Members paid their dues and answered roll call with interesting topics.

For the recreation program the 12 members enjoyed games of 42.



"Very good, comrade professor—now if we could only duplicate the State Fair of Texas!"

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WITH THE CHURCHES

The Methodist Church

Sunday School 10 a. m.
Sermon 11 a. m.
Message: "A Touch of the Master's Hand"
Evening Services 8 p. m.

Our revival begins Sunday morning. Rev. S. A. Sifford needs no introduction to this community for he began his work in the ministry at Girard. He has many friends in this community, and we invite everyone to come to the services. You are always welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sewalt visited friends in Tahoka last Sunday.

Mrs. W. D. Vencil had business in Lubbock on Monday of this week.

A number from Jayton left this week to enroll in various colleges for the fall semester; Billy Bolch, R. A. Moreland, Johnny Davis and Billy Glenn Vencil will be students at Texas Tech; John Henry Mayer and Roy Engledow will attend A. and M. and Evelyn George will enroll at A. C. C. in Abilene.

Roots of Culture *Good Taste THEN and NOW*

SEPTEMBER-BACK TO SCHOOL AND COLLEGE



NEWTON STUDIED IN A TURRET ABOUT TRINITY COLLEGE, CAMBRIDGE. HIS BACK-TO-SCHOOL GIFTS WERE SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS: WATCHES, SCALES, TELESCOPES, ASTROLABES... ALL HIGHLY EXPENSIVE THEN.

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Cotton Prices Continue Decline During Week

Increased ginnings in Texas and Oklahoma brought increased sales at spot cotton markets last week, reports the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration.

Cotton prices began to decline after the September forecast of 14,943,000 bales. From Friday through Friday, they dropped \$1.85 per bale at Dallas, \$2 at Galveston and 25 cents at Houston.

Current prices for grades higher than Middling 15-16 inch quotations were \$9.75 higher per bale at Dallas \$9.25 higher at Galveston and \$7.50 higher at Houston.

Domestic mill demand continued to be mainly for high grades and for prompt shipments. Forward demand was slow. Export demand for ECA purchases increased. However merchants reported only high grades were specified.

West Texas and Oklahoma reported beneficial rains last week.

The nation's biggest display of farm implements is scheduled for the State Fair of Texas October 9 through the 23.

Only three countries top the accidental death rate of the United States, Iceland, Egypt and Austria rate in that order.

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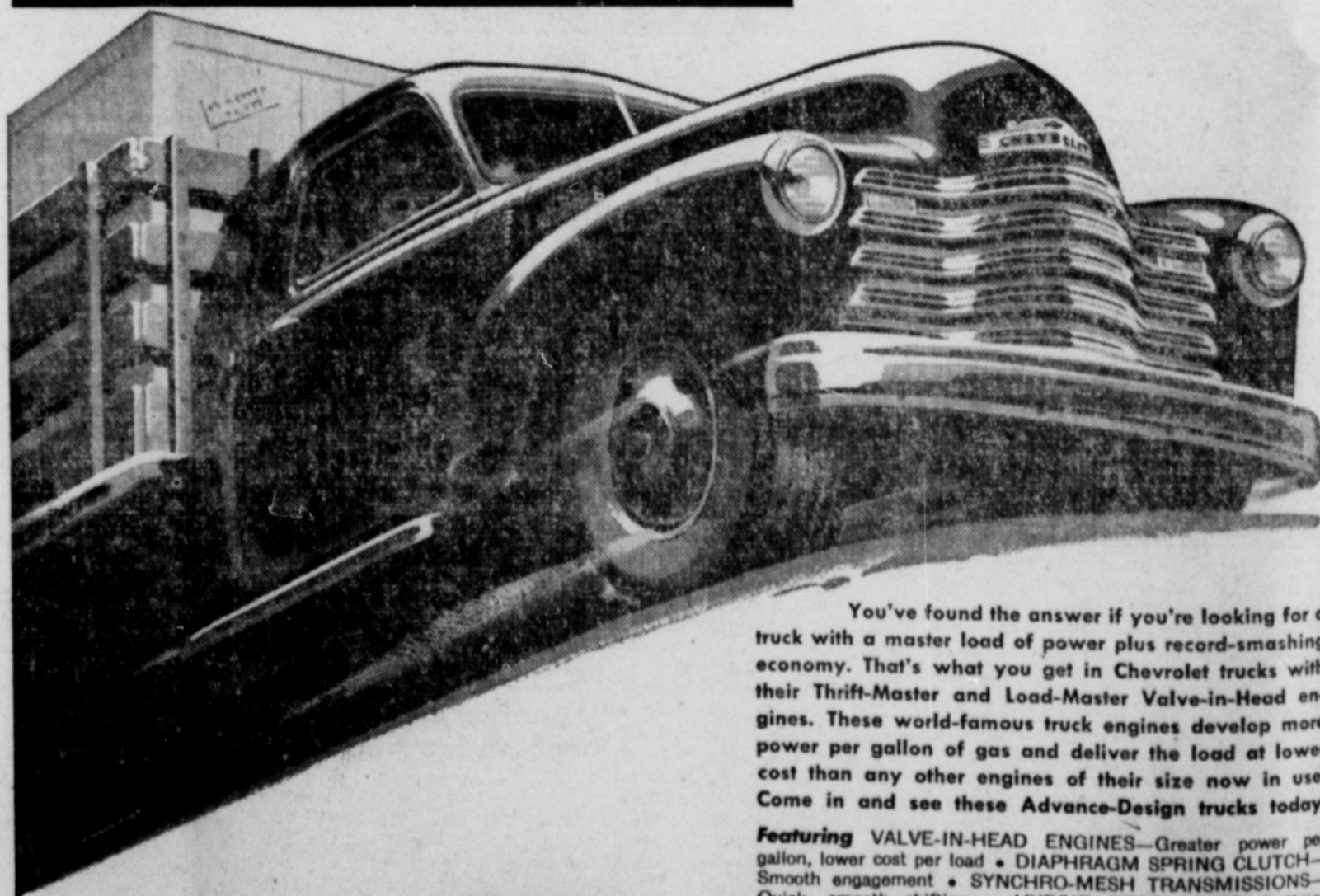
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Edwards-Kelley Implement Co.
Spur, Texas



Several years ago when your columnist was giving a broadcast each Sunday, I told about Mrs. Almaron Dickinson, who survived the fall of the Alamo. Then a letter came to me from E. A. Masur of Lockhart, saying:
"I knew this lady the last 10 years of her life—from 1873 till Oct. 7, 1883, when she died. She married my mother's brother and thereby became my aunt. Many is the time she kissed me, when as a little boy I would go to see them in Austin."
The letter continued, "The young wife of Lt. Dickinson, after going through every minute of the hellish bombardment, crouched in a dungeon-like room in the old building,

was specially delegated by Santa Anna in derision to convey the news to Gen. Sam Houston. The messenger of defeat was a woman with her babe in her arms."
Mr. Masur stated that while there is a handsome monument at the grave, there is not a line identifying her as the heroine of the Alamo and he suggested the legislature authorize a modest marble slab giving the historical facts. Such a memorial not only would honor her but would be an inspiration to all who visit the cemetery.

G. L. English who, for so long was editor of the Stamford Leader, once told of the biggest crowd that Stamford ever saw—40,000. It was when the Sells-Floto circus came to town with Buffalo Bill as the star attraction. Of the 40,000 who saw the parade, 12,000 attended the circus. Those close to the ring lay flat on the ground so that others could see; the second tier being seated and the last ones standing.

Bill Cody said he would be back the next year but before another year had elapsed, he had passed away and was buried on Lookout Mountain—but Buffalo Bill will be remembered as long as people re-

member the great old West, and especially will Stamford remember the man who attracted 40,000 people there.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation to our many friends for every act of kindness shown us during our recent bereavement.

We are grateful for the lovely floral offering, and to Mrs. Browning and Mrs. Cox for the hospitality of their homes.

W. A. Gillham and children

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Dyer are the parents of a 6 pound son, born September 7, at the Jayton Clinic. He has been named Russel Darel.

COTTON QUIZ

WHERE WAS MARGARINE FIRST MADE?



ANS. MARGARINE WAS FIRST MADE IN FRANCE AT THE TIME OF NAPOLEON III, WHO WAS SEARCHING FOR A NUTRITIOUS, CONCENTRATED FOOD FOR HIS ARMY.



Texan Theatre

Jayton, Texas

EVENING SHOW BEGINS AT 7:45

(LAST TIME TONIGHT, THURSDAY)

TED DONALDSON and SHARYN MOFFETTE in
"RUSTY LEADS THE WAY"

FRIDAY and SATURDAY

GEORGE O'BRIEN in
"PAINTED DESERT"

SUNDAY and MONDAY

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Jayton School News

SENIOR NEWS

Here we are with the latest news. One of the most exciting moments in our lives occurred last Saturday when we received our class rings. Of course, we have been showing them to everyone.

We have started working on our annuals. We are hoping it will be the best and the largest annual the Jayton High School has ever published.

Here is what the last year's graduates are doing. Evelyn George is attending A. C. C. at Abilene, Johnny Davis and Wylie Hall are going to Texas Tech, John Henry Mayer to Texas A. and M., Hugh Kissick and James Moize are farming and Jimmy T. Cave has made no plans for the year.

We elected our class officers last Monday. They are as follows: Billy John Harrison, President, Alma Joy Koonce, Vice-president and Nancy Donoho, Secretary and Treasurer.

JUNIOR NEWS

Speaking for the Juniors, we are really glad to see this cool weather. It has been so hot we couldn't even concentrate on geometry, as if we could understand it any way.

We are really happy to see Mrs. Jones back home after having been away for a while. We hope that she will be back with us before long. Mrs. Hall should have been a home-making teacher. She really knows the business.

Seniors! We think your rings are very pretty, but just wait until we get ours. Oh Boy!

Our room mothers for this year are: Mrs. W. D. Cave, Mrs. W. M. Smith, Mrs. M. V. Jay, Mrs. Mad Wade and Mrs. Earl Hall.

FRESHMAN NEWS

We, the Freshman class of '49-50 started off Monday morning with hopes of doing better this coming year. Our hopes are encouraged by our sponsor, Mr. Cooper.

We are expecting our class officers to keep the class busy and wide awake. Our officers are as follows: President, Patricia Fowler, Vice-president, Pat Kelley, Secretary and Treasurer, Charlene Peek, and Dorothy Long Reporter.

Our room mothers are: Mrs. Erma Back, Mrs. E. V. Peek, Mrs. C. H. Long, Mrs. R. G. Goodall, Mrs. Geo. Branch and Mrs. Lee Parker.

EIGHTH GRADE NEWS

Ronny Brantner has been chosen to head the eighth grade for the new year. Other officers elected include: Vice-president, Jimmy Byrd, Secretary, Johnnie Lou Koonce, Reporter, Martha Jones. The sponsor of the eighth grade will be Mr. J. S. Hinds.

Members of the class are: Jo Babbie, Ronnie Brantner, Jimmy Byrd, Bob Engledow, Anne Fuller, Dan Gallagher, Carl Gardner, Delza Hall, Martha Jones, Delton Jackson, James Moore, Johnnie Koonce, Ollie Pugh, Wanda Peek, Charlie Scogins, Eldon Smith and Donna Sue Thomas.

HOME MAKING NEWS

The high school girls met in the Home Making cottage Wednesday the purpose of electing officers and club parents for the new year. Officers elected are as follows:

Officers elected are as follows: President, Nina Hall, Vice-president, Lue Cave, Secretary and Treasurer, Jonnell Gallagher, Reporter, Dorothy Long, Corresponding Secretary, Alma Joy Koonce, Song Leader, Patricia Fowler and Parliamentarian, Juanelle Harrison.

Our club parents are: Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Long, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pugh, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hunnicutt.

The Home Making girls are planning lots of things for this year. We are looking forward to the area meeting November 2.

LUNCH ROOM

Do you know that the busiest place around our school is the School Kitchen? Here about 160 lunches a day are prepared and served. Modern in every detail, from the huge refrigerator to the spotless linoleum on the floor and the stainless steel dishes on the shelves, this very efficient cafeteria is under the supervision of the same capable workers we had last year; Mrs. L. E. Browning, Mrs. Bill Harrison and Mrs. Elbert Cox.

Balanced and nutritious meals are served warm each day to the small children for 20c and to the older children for 25c.

Menus For The Week

Monday:
Lima Beans --- Salt Pork
Spinach --- Boiled Eggs
Onions --- Catsup
Cabbage, Apple and Carrot Salad

Cornbread -- Milk -- Butter
Tuesday:
Meat Loaf --- Tomato Sauce
Creamed Potatoes
Butter --- Rolls --- Milk --- Jelly
Wednesday:
Green Beans --- Buttered Corn
Lettuce --- Tomatoes
Bread --- Butter --- Muffins --- Milk
Thursday:
Potatoes Au Gratin
Blackeyed Peas

Cornbread --- Butter
Gingerbread --- Milk
Friday:
Macaroni and Tomatoes
English Pea Salad
Hot Rolls --- Butter
Cake Squares --- Milk

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Long and children spent last week end at Vernon, visiting his sister, Mrs. Lettie Matinee.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Benton and children of Andrews visited Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Lorange last week.

Richard Jay of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Lorange last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Kelley and Claudine had business in Plainview last Sunday.

Mrs. Beryle Murdoch and Dianne had business in Spur Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Jones returned home Friday from Rochester, Minn. and a short visit in Canada.

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RED PERCH, FROZEN, 1 LB. FISH	35c	TOKAY, LB. GRAPES	10c
		FRESH, FROZEN, 1 LB. STRAWBERRIES	45c

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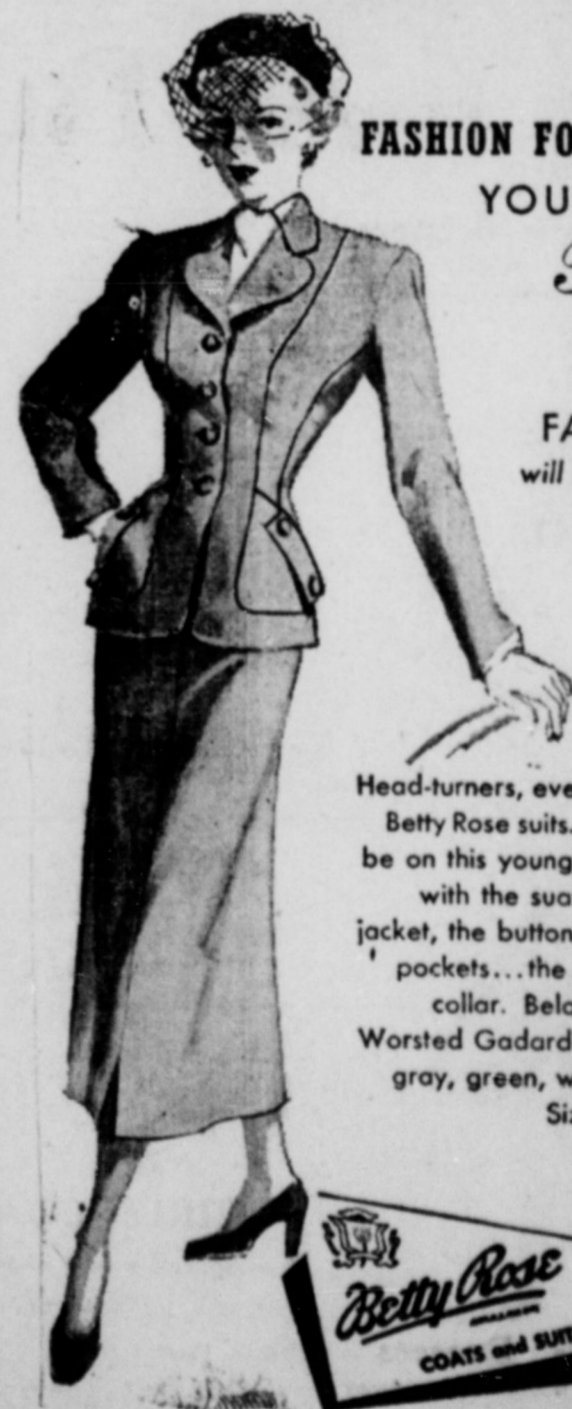
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