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Girard POT SHOTS

A few days ago in Dickens City a few cow hands had come to town from two of the big spreads in this area and the same day three long-haired hipplers and boarded, arrived in the County seat. After viewing the hipplers one of the cow hands told the others: "If you will hold them long haired creatures I'll get my horse clipper and clip their hair and whippers." The cowboys took him up on the proposition and he clipped them clean. Somewhere there are three more hipplers and the playful cowhands are back on the ranches punching cattle.

Have been reading "The Spurs" this week by W. J. Elliot, a real fine account of the cowboy days of this part of the country and as a kid, I remember some of the cow men named in his book.

The Spreading reunion was held last weekend on a lake near Eastland, and from here attending were the Glenn Spreading and the Pete Shores.

J. C. (Pete) White is seriously ill at this writing in a Lubbock hospital.

Wren Darden has returned to New Mexico after a two week visit with his mother, Mrs. Ted Darden.

Did you know that back in 1890 before Kent County was organized that the land now the town site of Girard was called the "Mouth of the Jordan"? Well that night, neighbor, you may read about it in the book of the "Spurs" by W. J. Elliot.

Whether or not you know it, the Dickens-Kent Fair in Spur is going to be a big deal for this part of the West.

Mrs. Eva Childress from Baldwin Park, Calif., and a sister of Raymond Hooper is visiting in the Hooper home attending funeral services here August 3rd for John C. Hooper a brother of Raymond and Mrs. Childress. He was 76.

Twenty Kent County Grandparents in their regular monthly meeting last Thursday night in the Home Ex. Cottage enjoyed cake and home made ice cream as well as a lot of dominoes.

The next meeting will be held at the Butler Community Park with Bill Q. hot dogs and hamburgers.

Mrs. Eva Childress from

California was a guest and a visitor at the Grandparents Club Thursday night.

The George Dardens had business in Jayton, Rotan and Snyder last Friday.

Mrs. Jo Ann Seal from Okla. City is visiting in the home of her brother Mr. and Mrs. George Willis. Other visitors in the Willis home last week were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Morley, Debby and Tompey of Clovis, N. M., and Mrs. Erna Key and children of Abemathy, Mrs. John Willis and Cliff, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Porter and family of Willington, the L. J. Johnson family of Spur, and Temple and Quincy Arneaki. Also Mrs. Erna Bural.

On the prowl again on the Colorado River are Logan Williams and George Willis, those old boys are really after the fish these hot days.

Mrs. John Mayfield, nee Ethel Ward died in an Abilene rest home last Thursday. Funeral arrangements are pending at this writing. She was a teacher of piano in Girard back in 1914 and 1915.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Williams who have resided here many years were moving to Spur last Sunday. They have remodeled their home on Hill Street. Mrs. Williams was a long time first grade teacher in Girard School system.

We community correspondents of The Texas Spur welcome to the fold Mrs. Carner Young who is now working for the Steel Hill Community.

See in the Abilene Reporter where our niece, Jamie Clayton is quitting as Farm Editor of the Reporter. We have a notion she is expecting her second child.

It was nice to have Mrs. Marvin Fuller and Mrs. McClure at the Grandparents club Thursday night.

Mrs. John Boland from Apperment attended church Sunday in Girard and spent the afternoon with the Blue Stephens in Spur.

Mrs. Davil Williams and children from Apperment were recent visitors in the home of her parents, the Logan Williams.

From the Free State of Kent, that's it, folks.

THE FAMILY LAWYER

Fighting City Hall

To the elderly Baldwins came distressing news: after 27 years, the city was going to change their house number. The explanation, that it was because of a street widening, did not mollify them at all. Finally they took the matter to court.

"It's not just a question of sentiment," they contended. "Such a change would also be a serious inconvenience, an invasion of our property rights. If they must take away our number, let them at least pay us compensation—just as if they were taking away part of our frontage."

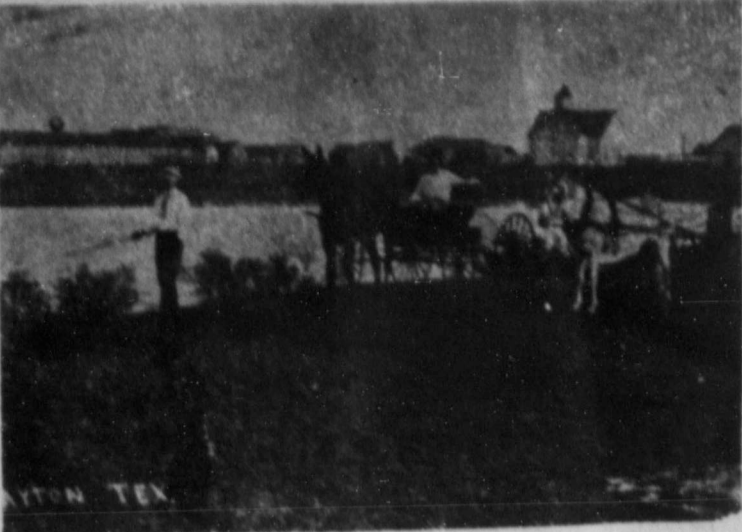
But the court decided it could do nothing for the Baldwins. Even if the change was irksome, said the



court, it was still within the proper scope of a city's discretion.

Fighting city hall through court action is not easy. Generally speaking, because of the doctrine of separation of powers, courts do not have a right to "second guess" city officials in the way they run the community.

Accordingly the city, if acting within its lawfully granted authority, may deprive you of advantages even more valuable than



This is an early day picture of "Credit Lake" in the western part of Jayton. This picture comes to the Chronicle by Doipnus Moreland.

your house number. For example: In another case, a home owner insisted that he had a right to park on the street in front of his own driveway. He said this was none of the city's business, since, by blocking the driveway, he would be blocking only himself.

But again, a court said the city had a right to forbid all such parking without making exceptions—in order to give equal treatment to all members of the motoring public.

Still, you are entitled to a court's help against the city if the city takes what the law calls "arbitrary action." Consider this case:

A city ordinance banned all back yard fences more than three-and-one-half feet high. This time a disgruntled home owner, determined to have a higher fence, won a court fight to knock out the ordinance.

Unable to find any rhyme or reason in such a drastic limitation, the court ruled that the city's ban was simply too arbitrary to pass the test of constitutionality.

SAVES FOR FUNERAL
CINCINNATI—A 73-year-old spinster school teacher lived in poverty to save for her funeral. Miss Ruth Hooke's will revealed she wished that all but \$7,000 of her estate be spent on her funeral—she wanted an inexpensive maids in her casket and \$5,000 for a memorial window.

NO GROUNDS FOR DIVORCE
LONDON—Mrs. Dorcen Baker sought a divorce on grounds that her husband did all the cooking, leaving her to shop. For the 13 years of her marriage her husband had let her go shopping one time and had checked her purchases. The judge turned down her request.

NIXON ON HOSPITALS
The Nixon Administration has called for a "radical reorganization" of federal efforts to help modernize hospital facilities that are obsolete and expand community health services. The federal aid would be allocated to the states on a basis of financial need and population.

Recipe of the Week

By Sarah Anne Sheridan

Carrots have a high vitamin A content. With their lovely color, delicate flavor, and properly cooked, they can be an asset to any meal.

- Carrot Custard**
- 3 eggs
 - 1 1/2 c. grated raw carrots
 - 3 c. milk
 - 1 t. salt
 - 3 T. butter or margarine

Beat eggs slightly and add remaining ingredients. Pour into a greased baking dish, place in pan of hot water and bake in an oven 350 degrees for one hour or until a knife inserted in center of custard comes out clean. Serve hot.

- Mint Glazed Carrots**
- 3 medium sized carrots
 - 1/2 c. margarine
 - 1/2 c. sugar
 - 1 T. fresh mint leaves
 - 1/4 c. peas, cooked
 - Butter
 - Salt and pepper

Slice carrots lengthwise, 1/4 inch thick. Cut in strips. Cook and drain. Add butter, sugar, and mint. Cook slowly until well glazed. Add peas. Season with butter, salt and pepper.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank all of the sponsors of the Red Sox Baseball team for all of their effort and all the time they gave to the team.

Teddy Turner

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Moselle Nash, daughter of Ceigle Hays, died Monday evening. Services were held in Houston on Wednesday. Mrs. Hays is hospitalized in Houston receiving medical treatment.

Mrs. L. D. Rogers, Mrs. Myrtle Conners, and Mrs. B. J. Stanley are in Rotan Hospital receiving treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ford from Polar Community were in Jayton, Tuesday attending to business.

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Charles Yeager, Pastor

- Sunday School 10 a. m.
- Morning Service 11 a. m.
- Evening Service 6 p. m.
- Wed. Prayer Meeting 8 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Girard, Texas
Mike Cox, Minister

- Bible Classes 10 a. m.
- Morning Service 11 a. m.
- Evening Service 6 p. m.
- Wed. Bible Service 9 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Girard, Texas
Rev. Victor Crabtree, Pastor

- Sunday School 10 a. m.
- Worship Service 11 a. m.
- Evening Worship 7 p. m.
- Wed. Prayer Meeting 8:30 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Claremont, Texas
Rev. Charlie D. Nowell, Pastor

- Sunday School 10 a. m.
- Worship Service 11 a. m.
- Evening Worship 7 p. m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Jayton, Texas

- Sunday School 9:15 a. m.
- Morning Worship 11 a. m.
- Young People Meeting 6 p. m.
- Evening Worship 7 p. m.
- Wed. Prayer Meeting 8 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Jayton, Texas
Rev. Joe Gilmore, Pastor

- Sunday School 10 a. m.
- Morning Worship 11 a. m.
- Training Union 6 p. m.
- Evening Worship 7 p. m.
- Wed. Prayer Meeting 8:15 p. m.
- Choir Practice 7:30 p. m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Jayton, Texas
Rev. Tommy Ewing, Pastor

First Methodist Church (Corner Schedule)

- Church School 10 a. m.
- Morning Worship 10:30 a. m.
- Bible Study 6 p. m.
- Evening Worship 8:30 p. m.
- Choir Practice 7:15 p. m. (Wed.)

Love is trust. It is belief. It is faith, and like faith it is the substance of all things hoped for. Faith is a young man and woman standing before the altar to be united in holy matrimony. It is a little child holding his mother's hand. It is a patient looking into the eyes of the doctor. It is a mother or father sadly waving goodbye to a son, off to war.

Faith is all this and more! It is trust in divine providence, a belief in joyful reward. It is all mankind kneeling before God in quiet prayer... at home... in church... or under the canopy of heaven.

Church is for all of us—a place to strengthen, to increase, to confirm our faith. You can make your faith stronger by going to church this Sunday.



"In Thee Have I Hoped..."

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Ask Amy

BY AMY ADAMS



I'M TOLD THIS IS NORMAL

It's time you faced the facts! You can get in touch with him if you wish, but I wouldn't.

Dear Amy:

I love my husband and I believe he loves me. He says he does. We have been married 16 years and he never did anything like this before until he hurt his eye.

Since his accident, he will take off for a couple of days then come home again. He says he does not know why he takes off and that he does not want us to break up.

Do you think I am wrong in staying with him or should I call it quits? I have 3 sons and they tell me that they like their father the way he is.

I think a lot of this is his nerves and he doesn't want to believe he could be doing this because of nerves. He has always been so strong.

His Mrs.

Dear Mrs.:

If you think that your husband's behavior is due to his accident which resulted in disturbing his nervous system, accompanying him to the doctor, perhaps there is more damage than you realize, and if you love your husband, you will make every effort to help him with his problem.

Dear Amy:

I am 13 and I am in the 8th grade. I live with my aunt. She doesn't think I should baby-sit for four children at one time. Three are boys and one is a girl. Their ages are 10, 8, 6 and the little girl is 4.

What is your opinion about it?

J.C.

Dear J.C.:

I agree with your aunt, dear. One at a time is quite enough of a responsibility for a 13-year-old.

PERSONAL TO TONI:

Electrolysis is fine for some people, but, in my opinion, for a teenager there are other ways to minimize the problem without such extreme measures.

Address all letters to:
AMY ADAMS
c/o THIS NEWSPAPER
For a personal reply enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Big Plans For Fair

Lubbock--Approximately 5,000 copies of a handsome new catalog listing a record \$37,235 in premiums is being distributed for the 1969 Panhandle South Plains Fair.

The premiums, boosted some \$2,652 over last year, includes some \$3,900 for three horse shows.

An open horse show is being added along with the Quarter Horse and Appaloosa shows on the last three days of the exposition, slated Sept. 22-27.

Red and White dairy cattle--once the black sheep of the Holstein breeders and now one of the most popular strains--replaces Guernsey cattle in the livestock judging events, according to the catalog listings.

The center layout highlights the country and western variety spectacular that will be presented in Fair Park Coliseum during the weeklong run.

Marty Robbins, Charley Pride and Buck Owens and his Buckaroos will be presented in two-day runs while Roy Clark and stage attractions will be on stage for all six days.

Noon shows will appear here on Sept. 22-23, Pkrie will headline the middle two days and Owens will be featured on Sept. 26-27. Clark, Gentle Ben of TV fame, Peggy Ann Nielsen, the Congregation, and comedian Mike Caldwell will appear at all 12 performances.

Tickets are priced at \$2, \$3, and \$4 for evening performances and all persons will be admitted for one-half price at daily matinees. Improved seating arrangements are planned also.

The catalog cover is a handsome color show of the Gene Ledel Carnival, which will once

WONDERS OF THE WORLD

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Court Has Light Day

Very little business went into the minutes in Monday's session of the Commissioner's Court. Hal Sandefer of the Edwin E. Merriman firm was present and presented the audit of the books for 1968. This, and paying the bills, was all the orders passed.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. McElwain (Paula Avant) and daughter, Lana, were here visiting her parents, the Bud Avants.

Hubert Roach, Aspermont was in Jayton attending to business on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Meadors, of Hobbs, N. M. were here over the weekend to visit her parents, the L. C. Smiths. They also visited in Lubbock on their way home.

The Joe Gilmores and son left this week to vacation in Durango, Colorado.

Earl Hall was home visiting with his family for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Gregory and family, Louisiana, were here visiting her parents, the Earl Halls, this week.

Tommy D. Wilson, Roaring Springs was attending to business this past week in Jayton.

It's all in the way you look at things. A flea is perfectly happy to see her children go to the dogs.

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Away August 5th? Vote Absentee Between July 16 and August 1

Pd. Pol. Adv. The Governor's Committee of 500
Allen Shivers, Price Daniel, John B. Connally, Co-Chairmen
William E. Berger, Campaign Director

Gospel Meeting

By C. W. (Abe) Lincoln of Lubbock, Texas

July 21st thru 27th
Time 8:00 P. M.

WELCOME TO EVERYONE TO ATTEND EACH SERVICE

Jayton Church of Christ

JAYTON, TEXAS

Mrs. Abe Ham is in Sweetwater visiting her daughter, Mrs. Gladys Cobb.

Consolidated Report of Condition of Kent County State Bank of Jayton in the State of Texas and Domestic Subsidiaries at the close of business on June 30, 1969.

	DOLLARS	Cts.	
ASSETS			
1. Cash and due from banks (including \$2,254,111 unposted debits)	395,985	17	1
2. U.S. Treasury securities	183,250	00	2
3. Securities of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	None		3
4. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	9,518	24	4
5. Other securities (including corporate stocks)	None		5
6. Trading account securities	None		6
7. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	195,000	00	7
8. Other loans	684,319	00	8
9. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	28,666	50	9
10. Real estate owned other than bank premises	None		10
11. Investments in subsidiaries not consolidated	None		11
12. Customer's liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	None		12
13. Other assets	5,501	71	13
14. TOTAL ASSETS	1,502,272	89	14
LIABILITIES			
15. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	521,829	35	15
16. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	289,621	78	16
17. Deposits of United States Government	6,115	88	17
18. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	326,913	53	18
19. Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions	None		19
20. Deposits of commercial banks	162,538	23	20
21. Certified and officers' checks, etc.	4,890	41	21
22. TOTAL DEPOSITS	1,311,909	18	22
(a) Total demand deposits	1,022,287	40	(a)
(b) Total time and savings deposits	289,621	78	(b)
23. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	None		23
24. Other liabilities for borrowed money	None		24
25. Mortgage indebtedness	None		25
26. Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding	3,750	00	26
27. Other liabilities	1,315,659	18	27
28. TOTAL LIABILITIES	1,315,659	18	28
29. MINORITY INTEREST IN CONSOLIDATED SUBSIDIARIES	None		29
RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES			
30. Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to Internal Revenue Service rulings)	8,880	83	30
31. Other reserves on loans	None		31
32. Reserves on securities	8,880	83	32
33. TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	17,760	66	33
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS			
34. Capital notes and debentures (specify interest rate and maturity of each issue outstanding)	None		34
35. Equity capital, total	177,732	88	35
36. Preferred stock-total par value (No. shares outstanding None)	None		36
37. Common stock-total par value (No. shares authorized 750) (No. shares outstanding None)	75,000	00	37
38. Surplus	62,000	00	38
39. Undivided profits	40,732	88	39
40. Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	None		40
41. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	177,732	88	41
42. TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	1,502,272	89	42
MEMORANDA			
1. Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	1,329,238	15	1
2. Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	896,608	20	2
3. Unearned discount on installment loans included in total capital accounts	11,359	62	3

Mrs. Leona Kidd, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly [SWEAR] that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Cashier: *Leona Kidd*

Directors: *[Signatures]*

Notary Public: *[Signature]*

State of Texas, County of Kent, Notary Public, expires 6-1-1971

July

CLEARANCE! SALE

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Accent On Health

Sooner or later everyone will find the need for a family health record, and if you don't have one, now is the time to start keeping it, advises the Texas Department of Health.

If you have a youngster about ready for school, you'll realize the necessity of having accurate and current records. The health record can be of permanent value for the children's school records, for insurance data, and for your family doctor's use.

An individual personal health record can be had free of charge from the Texas State Department of Health in Austin.

Too, you can start by jotting down the basic information you already have at hand concerning the injury and illness history of each member of your family.

Start it off with a brief listing of family history. Enter the date and place of birth of each person, and the place and date and cause of death of any deceased. Also enter pertinent information and the medical facts about each family member, such as the presence of chronic illness or physical handicap.

Next, start a section for dates of immunizations, being sure to provide space for each member of the family. Allow room for entering dates of immunizations against whooping cough, polio, smallpox, diphtheria, Tetanus, measles and typhoid fever. Don't forget to include the dates of booster shots.

In a section of general information, list such things as the type of blood each member of the family has, and the drug

sensitivities of special allergies of each. If the RH factor is known to be present in anyone, be sure to record it prominently.

To Our Many Jayton Friends

To the citizens and students of Jayton. The decision to leave Jayton did not come easy for Caroline and me. But we feel that we cannot pass up the opportunity which has come our way.

We wish to publicly thank everyone for your kindness, friendship and support. Our experience in the Jayton school, community and the Methodist Church will never be forgotten.

To the students in the band, we wish every success next year. The next band director will surely be a fine one.

You owe it to yourselves, and your school and parents to give him your sincere efforts and cooperation.

Again, thanks to all of you for helping make the past two years in Jayton meaningful for us.

Jim and Caroline
Van Zandt

NEW PASTOR

Rev. and Mrs. A. D. Steen pastors of the First Assembly of God Church have moved to Jayton and we extend a welcome to those who do not attend church elsewhere to come and worship with us.

T. N. Sanders,
Secretary



"It just so happens I have some right here with me."

NEW FILM HAILS YOUTH WITH GRIT



Hailed by critics as an instant classic, *True Grit*, one of the most entertaining and original books to come along in recent years, has been made into a major motion picture released by Paramount Pictures.

True grit, according to author Charles Portis and *The New York Times*, is when you are a 14-year-old girl from Yell County Ark., and you hire a tough, one-eyed U.S. Marshall to track down the dangerous outlaw that shot down your father and robbed him of his life and his horse and \$150 cash money...and you don't lose your nerve. That's true grit.

Shot on location in Colorado, *True Grit*, was produced by Hal Wallis, who has made over 400 films and directed by Henry Hathaway, whose many credits include, *How The West Was Won*.

How do you transfer the gritty freshness of the book to the screen? One sure-fire way is to cast the movie with actors

who have the same natural qualities as the characters in the book.

For the role of the spunky, quick-witted Mattie Ross, Wallis signed a slight, brown-eyed and virtually unknown young woman named Kim Darby. Yet this delightful character should soon join those great American legendary figures such as Kit Carson, Wyatt Earp and Jesse James. And whether or not John Wayne influenced author Charles Portis when he brought U.S. Marshall Rooster Cogburn to life will probably never be known, but the fact remains that Wayne's rolling walk and un-theatrical American voice is Rooster Cogburn and there wasn't another actor in the world that was more right.

It's interesting to note that John Wayne was prominent among the bidders for the screen rights to *True Grit*, losing out to Mr. Wallis and then joining forces with him to star with Kim Darby and Glen Campbell in this rare and unforgettable film.

A Sailor Goes Up And Down at The Fair

LUBBOCK--A soaring Sailor who has his ups and downs will thrill crowds at the 52nd annual Panhandle South Plains Fair here September 22-27.

Danny Sailor, world champion tree climber, will present twice daily free performances of pole climbing throughout the week-long engagement. The former Canadian lumber-

jack scales a 100-foot pole in about 25 seconds and can make a round trip--up and down--in 35 seconds.

Sailor is faster than a falling hat coming down. Often he'll drop his hat and beat it to the ground. In addition, he does a headstand atop the pole and dances the Charleston on a 12

inch perch. "It sure beats working in the woods," Sailorsays. The daredevil used to work in the woods, topping and rigging some of those giant trees in the British Columbia forests.

But one day he heard some old timers talk about how great a time 65 seconds was for going up and down a 90-foot pole. Knowing he could better that time, Sailor joined a dozen others in competition.

"I went up and down in 36 seconds," he recalled. "After they saw me do that, nine of the contestants disappeared."

Sailor holds the official world record for climbing a 90 foot pole 23 seconds. By using lightweight aluminum spurs he's already achieved a couple of 18 second days in the past year. He uses a 100-foot pole in his fair performances.

"I don't really get the last 10 to 15 feet. But then I really get it. Every day I try to improve my record. I really get a kick out of doing that."

SPD Offers Shot In Arm to Economy

Plans were devised and guidelines and tools were discussed here today for giving the entire economy of the South Plains a "shot in the arm" through the South Plains Development (SPD) Program.

More than 200 key agricultural leaders and agri-businessmen from throughout 19 South Plains counties were on hand at the Plains Cooperative Oil Mill to set up an "action program" for boosting agriculture and related industries, according to Billy C. Gunter, SPD coordinator and district agricultural agent for District 2 of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"Purpose of the meeting was to revitalize efforts initiated at the outset of the SPD Program some two years ago," said Gunter, who presided at the gathering. "We wanted to get the program into the hands of the people and instill in them a desire for action. County Program Building Committees will particularly play an important role in implementing the program."

We would like to express our sincere appreciation to the fire department of Jayton and also to our neighbors for their help and concern in the fire at our place.

Jeff and Dorothy Nash

Fire caused extensive damage to the bunk house on the Jeff Nash ranch Sunday. Fire had been set to some trash and sparks started the house fire. The Jayton Fire Department was called and had the fire extinguished in a short time.

Funeral services for Mrs. T. J. Culwell, 58, were held Tuesday at the Revival Center at Cross Plains. She is the mother-in-law of Karen (Shafer) Culwell of Eastland.

It doesn't complicate your life. Maverick is the simple machine—simple to own, simple to repair, simple to service, simple to drive.

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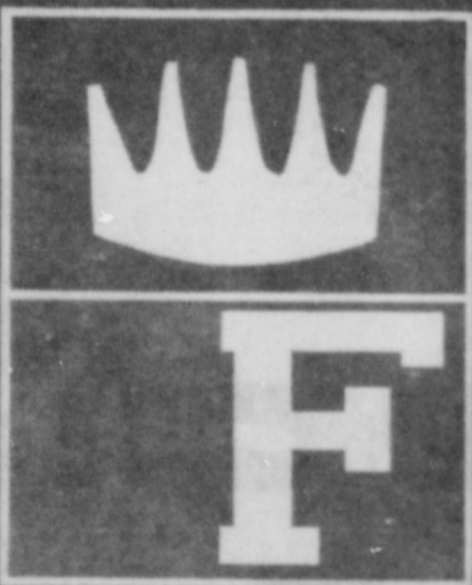
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ON ALLIGATOR POACHERS
Washington--Secretary of the Interior Walter J. Hickel has declared war on poachers who are illegally killing Florida alligators. Ten additional National Park Rangers are being assigned to Everglades National Park in an effort to stop the slaughtering and selling of the illicit hides at a high price.

DRIVING & HEART ATTACKS
New York--Dr. Samuel Bellet of the Philadelphia General Hospital has reported that the stress of driving a car may contribute to fatal heart attacks among drivers with a history of coronary heart disease. The doctor said electrocardiograms taken in the act of driving merited further study.

BANANA PEELS NO DRUG
Charlotte, N.C.--Although the Federal Food and Drug Administration kept it quiet, Dr. Daniel Banes, director of the division of pharmaceutical sciences, said that government chemists have spent months testing claims of drug effects from smoking roasted banana peels and have found no truth in the claim of psychedelic effects.

LIVING COST CLIMB
The Bureau of Labor Statistics has reported living costs are continuing to climb at the swiftest pace in 17 years. Hardest hit by the February rise was said to have been the homemaker, who paid more for everything from mortgage payments to baby sitters fees.



HAIR-RAISING CUSTOMS
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A fortnightly shampoo was enough for the well-groomed woman of fifty years ago who believed that combing and brushing--not washing--was the last word in hair care. In the 20's, flappers washed and set their bobbed tresses once a week while today's cool mods spend so much time shampooing, tinting, frosting, and combing their free-swinging locks that men wonder how they have any time left over for homework and hobbies.

But no matter how lovely a girl looks, she spoils her good appearance every time she combs or fuses with her hair in public.

"Of course, every girl must carry a comb wherever she goes, but she should use it in the ladies room not the library--and never, never at a restaurant or near food," cautions Ann Evans, grooming consultant for Ace Comb Company.

Miss Evans adds the following useful tips to young men and women who are job hunting.

1--Take a comb with you but don't let it show at the interview.
2--Don't run your hands through your hair when being interviewed, as this indicates a lack of interest or confidence.

Whether you're looking for a job or just want to make a good appearance, it pays to pay attention to your hair. People may be looking you over with a fine-tooth-comb.

Dr. John W. Kimble
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