

From The Editors Window

BY MRS. J. S. YEAGER

Thousands of Jews in displaced person's camps in Europe are rejoicing over the birth of the state of Israel.

There are still some 240,000 Jews in Europe, most of whom are sailing from their long confinement and many are poorly clad and hungry.

Incidentally, the United States of America was the first country to recognize the new state.

Prince August Wilhelm of Prussia, son of the former German Kaiser and only Nazi party member of the family, has been convicted of being a Nazi offender.

The Prince, however, has already been interned since the end of the war and has been given credit for the time, so will be released immediately.

Princess Margaret Rose, second daughter of the King and Queen of England, has come down with measles.

She became ill while on a visit to Balmoral, Scotland and two doctors were called in to see her.

The Princess, now 17 years old, was getting along nicely at last, reports. She has been moved to Buckingham Palace in England.

It has been reported that King Michael of Romania has had more hard luck within the past few weeks. He has been deprived of his citizenship and all his property.

The former King Michael's mother, Elena, his aunts of Hohenzollern and Helena of Hapsburg and other relatives have all suffered the same fate as Michael and King along with him.

"How do you spell 'imbecile'?" asked the teacher.

"I-m-m-b-u-s-s-u-l", replied the student.

"The dictionary, corrected the teacher firmly, 'spells it i-m-b-e-c-i-l-e'."

"You asked me how I spelled the word, didn't you?" asked the boy, innocently.

"Just think," said the young groom, "a few words uttered over your head and you're married."

"Yeah," rejoined the cynic, "and a few words uttered in your sleep and you're divorced."

Four scientists at a hospital in Los Alamos, New Mexico were said to be suffering from burns on their hands caused by handling radioactive material in a recent atomic project in the Pacific Ocean.

The injuries of the men were described as limited and at last reports were resting well.

Establishment of a United States Air Academy at the Sedalia, Mo Army Airfield has been proposed by a Republican senator, James P. Kenn of that state, Missouri.

The air academy, according to the senator, would be comparable with the Naval Academy at Annapolis and the Military Academy at West Point.

One hundred thirty five cases of infantile paralysis, or polio, have been reported in Texas through May 8 it was announced and this number was said to be more than three times the number reported at this time last year.

Measles, mumps, whooping cough and chickenpox are also said to exceed the normal number for the time of year.

Clean up campaigns have been advised all over the state.

It is true that only two per cent of the people in the United States are morons, they sure do get around.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Announce Marriage Of Their Daughter, Jean, To Floyd Cottle

Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Ellis have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Jean Ellis, to Jerry Cottle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Cottle of Moran.

Rev. Joe Allen, pastor of the Moran Baptist church, read the single ring ceremony May 25 in the Morris Cottle home.

The bride wore a dress of aqua blue crepe with white accessories and carried a bouquet of white gladioluses and pink carnations.

She was attended by Eva Bailey, James Cottle, brother of the bridegroom, was best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Cottle are graduates of the Moran high school. After the ceremonies the couple left for a trip to Carlsbad, N. M.

The bridegroom will be associated with his father in the Texaco wholesale business in Moran.

The Ellises are well known here having lived North of town. Miss Jean attended the Putnam school.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McIntosh of Novice, former residents of Putnam, have announced the coming marriage of their daughter, Miss Jessie, to Floyd Clifton, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Clifton of Clyde.

The wedding is to take place in the Novice Baptist church July 10.

Miss McIntosh attended John Tarleton College at Stephenville and Sul Ross college and has taught

in the Novice school for the past three years.

Mr. Clifton, the bridegroom to be, attended Texas Tech college at Lubbock before entering the armed forces. Since returning from service he has been attending Sul Ross College.

The bride-to-be is very popular in Putnam and has many friends here who wish her much happiness in her married life.

Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh Announces The Coming Marriage Of Their Daughter, Jessie

The Citizens National Farm Loan Association of Baird has moved its location to a new building recently completed on Market Street there.

The public is cordially invited to inspect the new quarters at any time, the board of directors have said.

Organized in 1917 and chartered December 23 of that year, the Loan Association has been serving Callahan farmers and ranchers through the Federal Land Bank Loans.

The Association, it is announced, is in the best financial condition since its organization with surplus and reserve more than equaling capital stock. Dividends are paid regularly and all borrowers are stockholders and have a voice in operation of the association.

Board of directors is composed of H. C. Cotton of Clyde, president, who has been on the board 18 years; C. M. Johnson of Eula, vice president has served the project seven years; N. M. George of Baird with three years service; R. O. Nichols of route 1, Baird, a three year board member and R. E. Botland of Eula, a charter member with 31 years service to his credit.

Leslie Bryant, former county clerk of Callahan county, is secretary-treasurer and Mrs. Katie Brown of Clyde is office assistant. Mrs. Brown has been connected with the organization six years.

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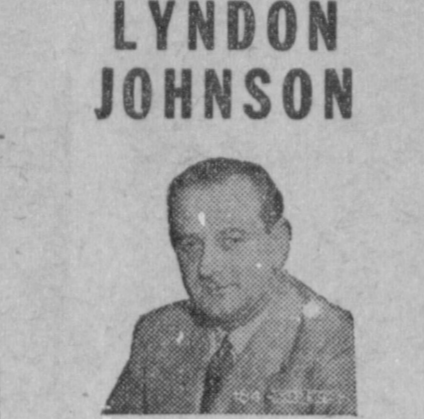
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Lt. Roy B. Kendrick Buried At Denton Valley Wednesday

Memorial services for Lt. Roy B. Kendrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kendrick Sr. of Denton, was held in the Denton Valley Methodist church Wednesday afternoon at 3 p. m.

Lt. Kendrick was killed in a B-24 Bomber in Australia on December 26, 1942. He had been overseas only a few months.

Burial was made in the Kendrick cemetery at Denton. The body arrived here on the Sunshine Special Tuesday at 7 p. m. and remained at the Wyle Funeral Home until time for the funeral.

Lt. Kendrick was born in Denton Valley, December 10, 1917, and attended school until his senior year when he attended the Clyde high school, graduating there in 1935.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kendrick, pioneer settlers of the Denton community, a son, Linda Roy, five; two sisters, Mrs. Anthony Hunt of Abilene and Quida of New York.

He was holding the position of a soil analyst when he volunteered for service in the army.

Pallbearers were Luther Caldwell of Denton, Edwin Ogle, Breckenridge, Winfield Kendrick of Gustine, Lee Groves, Tuscola, Orin Kendrick and Weldon Edwards of Clyde.

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Cross Plains Chosen To Host Old Settlers At Reunion In August

Annual reunion of Callahan County Old Settlers will be held in Cross Plains August 13, it was decided by members of the executive committee in session at Baird Saturday.

Invitation to come to Cross Plains was extended by Claude Foster, County Commissioner from precinct four, and after discussion of the matter the body voted unanimously to accept the Cross Plains proposal.

Committees named by R. P. (Bob) Stephenson, president, to handle various phases of the reunion are as follows:

Concessions: Fred Heyser. Registration and presentation of identification badges: Mrs. W. D. Boydston and Mrs. C. R. Cook.

Nominations: Roy J. Kendrick, S. F. Bond and H. H. McDermott, Sr.

Program: Mrs. L. L. Blackburn, Mrs. Fred Heyser, Mrs. Blain Odum and Earl Hayes.

Awards: B. H. Freeland. Masters of Ceremonies: Fred Heyser and Jack Scott.

Ice water: Callahan County Commissioners Court. Coffee: Mayor S. N. Foster of Cross Plains.

Belle Plain College committee: Claude Flores and Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Austin.

Old fiddlers contest, open to musicians of 50 years and older: Mrs. V. E. Hill. Prizes will be \$7.50, \$5.00 and \$2.50.

Publicity Committee: J. Marvin Hunter, Jr., J. S. Yeager, J. R. Ward and Jack Scott.

For the past two years the old settlers reunion has been held at Hickman Park, just East of Baird. Prior to that the gathering was rotated from one section of the county to another, having been held at Cross Plains twice before in the past.

THREE PUTNAM STUDENTS RECEIVE DEGREES AT NTSC

DENTON, Tex. May 30 — Mary Alice Brown, Robert L. Clinton, Jr. and Mrs. Wanda Clinton of Putnam are listed among approximately 332 North Texas State College students who have applied for degrees to be conferred in graduation exercises at 8 p. m. June 2.

Of the 332 candidates, 34 have applied for the master's degree and 298 for the bachelor's. Robert G. Storey, Dallas attorney, will be speaker for the commencement exercises, and Dr. William C. Jones, pastor of the Dallas Central Christian church, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon at 10:30 a. m. May 30.

Miss Brown, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Brown, route one, Cisco, will receive the bachelor's degree in clothing. She is a member of the Ellen H. Richards Club, House President's Club, Kappa Delta Pi and Alpha Chi.

Clinton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Clinton, Sr., will be awarded the bachelor of music degree. He is a member of Phi Mu Alpha and Alpha Chi.

Mrs. Clinton, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. U. L. Lowry, will receive her bachelor's degree with a major in elementary education.

Cotton Support Price Fixed At 27.50 For '48

The Agricultural Department at Washington announced interim loans on the 1948 cotton crop averaging 27.50 cents a pound for middling cotton of 1/8 inch staple "gross weight". The loans serve as a price supporting device.

The rates were set up for early harvested cotton. Regular rates for the full 1948 crop will be announced about August 1.

Loan rates vary with the freight charges from growing areas to mill centers.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen Pruet and baby of Cisco visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pruet, here during the week end.

Mrs. J. B. Brandon spent the week end visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Golsen and Mrs. W. M. Crosby near Eastland.

Joe Pierce of Baird was a visitor here one day last week.

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Third Round Of Increasing Wages More Difficult To Obtain Than First Round

As the San Antonio Press sees things: "Organized labor's third round of post war wage increase demands, spearheaded by CIO unions roughly shooting at 30 cents hourly raises, has run into substantial successful management resistance so far."

The upward wage price spiral is slowing down, but the necessary stabilizing readjustment may not be had without hurtful productions.

"The steel industry started the trend in mid-April, its 'no third round increase' policy countering with a price cut, followed by a similar move in the electric appliance industry. The key coal, automotive and railroad industries set against pattern forming worker demands now outstanding."

"CIO meat workers after a costly ten week walkout, voted to approve the companies 9 cent offer in contrast to 20 cents demanded. In the automotive industry test bid, significant of all CIO unions, Chrysler workers lowered their demand from 30 cents to 17 cents, only to strike against the companies stand at 6 cents. National foreign institute summerizes the trend, in the month following the steel industry decision, the average wage increase granted in 320 contracts negotiated ran around 7 cents, against the 11 cent pattern previously."

High boosts in manufacturing was 15 cents or just half the third round wage target.

"The latest announced major strike threat is by CIO telephone equipment workers, seeking 30¢ more an hour, with no company counter proposal. If the current trend holds that strike may not be averted, though it would be defeated under the Taft-Hartley Act's national emergency provisions in this instance also, but the present demand is not likely to be met."

"United States News records that strikes are becoming unpopular with most workers, as stopping wages too often are exceeding pay rate gains. Union officials generally blame the Taft-Hartley Act, but a major factor is that public opinion solidifying against further inflation to the point of harshly inconvenient temporary supply and services interruption to check it."

"Union officials may continue to demand short increases as hedges against the expected swing of the economic pendulum; but the area of lush and easy across the board increases is over. In return to popular support in that phase of the anti-inflation struggle, management's obvious responsibility for corresponding price, and profit readjustments favorable to the public interest."

R. F. Webb Given Place On Jr. College Conference

R. F. Webb former superintendent of the Putnam high school for many years and now Dean of the Junior College at Cisco, has been given a place on the Junior College conference at the University of Texas at Austin, June 3, at which time a program consisting of a panel discussion of the "evaluation of college instructors will be made."

The left is never right. That's not a political slogan, it's a warning by safety experts, that careless driving is dangerous. Last year 2,600 were killed in traffic accidents as a result of driving on the wrong side of the road.

Over 260,000 were injured, many of them permanently disabled. Drive right warns the Accident Prevention Association on casualty and Surety Companies, and you won't be left for the undertaker.

It's no fun to be statistic, if you're on the staggering annual accident records, the Accident Prevention Department Association of Casualty and Surety Companies. Accidents last year killed 100,000 persons and injured ten and one-half million. The death toll was up 2 per cent from 1946. Be careful, be safe, reminds the department.

Work is also under way on a higher compression automobile engine that will save an estimated 33 in fuel. Some laboratories propose to boost engine power by injecting water and alcohol mixtures into engine cylinders.

Engineers are being prodded to develop a cheap automatic transmission to eliminate the gears in lower cost cars. Research is also being done to develop curving one piece windshields, rear window ventilation, automatic window lifts, hydraulic steering aids, and built in jacks.

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### LYNDON JOHNSON WILL BE BACK IN CAMPAIGN SOON

Congressman Lyndon Johnson, was knocked out of the Senatorial campaign on account of illness several days ago, is now able to return to Texas in a short time and re-enter the campaign.

Murry College will begin June 14 and classes are slated to start on the 15th. 300 are expected to enroll for the McMurry summer session. The first session for the summer school will end July 23. The second session will open July 26 and end September 3.

Mrs. R. D. Brown of San Antonio is here this week visiting in the home of Mr. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Brown.

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**Q**—May I work while I am enrolled for rehabilitation and training under Public Law 16?  
**A**—A disabled veteran, while pursuing vocational rehabilitation training, should not engage in employment except with approval of the training officer, and in cases of serious disability, only as approved by medical authority.

**Q**—I am a World War II veteran and plan to go to school under the GI Bill for the first time next fall. When should I arrange for my entrance into school?  
**A**—You should arrange for your entrance into college or other institution of learning at the earliest possible moment.

**Q**—What benefits, other than subsistence allowance, is a veteran entitled to while pursuing a course of instruction under the GI Bill?  
**A**—Veterans Administration will pay for his tuition, books, supplies, fees, and other authorized expenses within certain limitations.

**Q**—May I take graduate work under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act?  
**A**—Yes, if eligible, you may take graduate work under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act (GI Bill).

Final selection of 320 out of 800 Navy and Marine Corps enlisted men is under way to determine who will receive Secretary of the Navy appointments to Annapolis next fall.

### Wheat Support Price Set At 1.96 Bushel

The Department of Agriculture, also offered support price loans on wheat at a rate averaging \$1.96 a bushel, farm basis. The rate for last year averaged only \$1.63.

Department officials stated these rates will be called "interim rates" and will be in effect until the department announces regular rates for the crop beginning July 1.

The regular rates will be determined by the parity prices of the grain as of July 1. Farm law requires that they be not less than 90 per cent of parity. Officials said should the regular rates be different from the \$1.96 average for the interim rates, adjustments would be made on any loans made in the meantime.

The department is setting up a loan rate of 70 cents a bushel on oats, as the national average, for oats for last year was 63 cent.

This year's average loan rates for grain sorghums will be \$2.31 a 100 pounds against \$2.12 in 1947.

### W.A.A. News

The clearance of surplus in the El Paso area by WAA and slated for June 10 will involve materials originally costing \$200,000. In addition to about \$100,000 worth of machine tools released by a government defense committee, some auto parts, cafe equipment, tents, heaters, coolers and medical furniture and supplies will be among 88 lots to be offered the various classes of buyers. Veterans will be invited to bid on two setside items at this big clearance: a revolving truck-mounted crane and a laundry trailer complete with equipment. Inspection will continue through June 9 at Warehouse No. 22, Fort Bliss. The selling period for veterans, all other priorities and commercial purchasers will commence at 9:00 a.m. June 10.

**W-A-A**  
Forty seven buildings and fixtures at Majors Air Field, Greenville, will be offered first to priorities, then to the general public in a disposal program announced this week by War Assets Administration. Schools and the other institutional and government groups will have until May 31 to make their claims, and remaining buildings will be marketed to non-priority purchasers by means of a sealed bid offering to close June 21. Offers should be directed to WAA's regional office of real property disposal. This property, including firnace, supply, barracks, post exchange, storage and similar structures, is for off-site use only.

**W-A-A**  
Some odd things still come up from time to time in WAA's inventory of government owned surplus. Buyers are now being solicited for 117 oil paintings and original water colors by leading American artists. This internationally famed collection was assembled by the government in response to requests from foreign countries for a showing of contemporary American art. Sale will be by sealed bid on each piece, subject to the standard priority sequence. The collection is on display at the Whitney Museum of American Art, New York City.

**W-A-A**  
Latest in the parade of Texas cities to acquire municipal airports under the provisions of Public Law 289 will be Harlingen, which will soon take over its adjoining surplus air force camp, the Harlingen Army Air Field. It has been pointed out that the Southwest is particularly fortunate in being able to secure fine airports for its municipalities, since the Grand Prairie War Assets Administration region contains nearly half of all surplus airport property in the United States.

**W-A-A**  
The sales program for war surplus personal property in Texas and four adjoining states has already been tentatively scheduled for 112 different locations. This advance scheduling carries WAA up to June 30, and involves virtually all such surplus in inventory, aside from real property and related material. The WAA has, partly by virtue of the withholding of new surplus declarations by the armed forces, already been able to reduce its inventories in the Grand Prairie region to approximately \$40,000,000 in personal property from approximately \$75,000,000 on hand in March.

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### Texas & Pacific Has 27 New Cars In Use

DALLAS, Tex. May 16 — Having put into service more new passenger equipment in the past two and one-half months than any other Southwestern railroad, Texas & Pacific Railway added up deliveries Saturday and announced that the half-way mark has been passed on the \$5,800,000 order for 48 cars. President W. G. Vollmer said that 27 new cars are now in use, 15 coaches and 12 sleepers.

This placing of cars in service as fast as they arrive from the manufacturers follows the policy announced by Vollmer at the end of February when the first unit, the sleeper Eagle Island, came off the production line. He said that time that the T&P was putting the new equipment into use immediately because of the public's desire for it and because of the large investment in it from the railroad's standpoint. (Cost of the new cars has doubled since it originally was ordered just three years ago.)

T&P's Passenger Traffic Manager, W. W. Fair, explained that the 27 cars are in service on three trains, "The Sunshine Special," "The Texan," and "The Louisiana Limited."

The "Sunshine" runs between El Paso and New York City, "The Texan" Ft. Worth-St. Louis, "The Louisiana Limited", Ft. Worth-New Orleans. All three trains serve Ft. Worth, Dallas, Marshall and intermediary stations. When the entire 48 car complement has been delivered, the trains using the new equipment will be christened "The Eagles", serving all T&P mainline cities in Texas and Louisiana. This means five complete trains in all, three between El Paso and St. Louis and two between Ft. Worth and New Orleans. July 1 now is the date expected for the first of the five trains to have its complete new consist.

Since "Eagle" sleepers are the all-room type with roomette, bedroom and drawing room accommodations, Fair said "delivery of our new equipment at this rapid pace means that we are fast satisfying the persistent public demand for additional private-room space."

If the present pace of deliveries is maintained, T&P officials said their entire new car order would be received by August.

Two locations in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, will be the scene of a War Assets clearance on June 3. Items such as electrical supplies, valves and fittings, cafeteria equipment, office machines and furniture, lumber and timbers, tenting, medical supplies, paints, hardware, pipe insulation and scrap metal, will be offered the bidders. The surplus stocks, worth about \$300,000 originally, will be inspected at the Baton Rouge Permanente Metal Company, and

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**ABILENE SCHOOLS WILL HAVE 1,800 SUMMER STUDENTS**

Approximately 1800 students are expected to enroll in the summer sessions of the Abilene colleges. Registration for the first summer term at Hardin-Simmons University begins Wednesday at 8:30 a.m.

In the Corral classes, will begin at 7:30 Thursday morning. Approximately 900 students are expected to attend.

Abilene Christian College registration will begin June 8 with classes scheduled to start June 9. The first session of the summer term will end July 16 and the second term will begin July 20. It will end August 27. ACC expects an enrollment of 600 students.

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Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands will abdicate her throne in favor of her daughter, Princess Juliana, toward the last of September it was reported.

The condition of her health was given as the reason. Queen Wilhelmina, now 68 years old, has been in poor health since the early days of the war and has twice before relinquished her work and forced to take a rest. The Princess both times took over the reins of government temporarily.

It's a sign of prosperity when men's pants bag at the pockets instead of the knees.

The typical Navy recruit is 17 years old, unmarried, has no dependents, comes from a rural area, left school at the age of 16, and joined the Navy to travel or to learn a trade, according to a recent survey conducted by the Bureau of Naval Personnel among 2,400 new enlistees.

**POLITICAL CALENDAR**

The News is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to the Democratic Primary, July 24, 1948.

- Associate Justice, Court of Civil Appeals, 11th Judicial District: Courtney Grey
- Representative, 107th District: L. R. Pearson, Billie Mac Jobe, Charles H. Dawson
- District Clerk: Mrs. Corrie Driskill Nelthercutt
- County Judge: J. L. Farmer
- County Clerk: Bruce Bell
- Tax Assessor-Collector: M. H. (Bob) Joy
- Sheriff: S. S. Nichols, Joe Pierce
- County Treasurer: Presley (Turk) Reynolds
- County Commissioner, Prec. 3: I. G. Mobley

**Local Theatres Are Vital Civic Forces In The Community Life**

How motion pictures are a part of community life and the civic responsibility of local theatres, was told yesterday by Harry M. Warner, president of Warner Brothers, in a specially prepared article for Box Office, trade publication for the cinema industry.

"A theatre in a community is a social unit designed to do the greatest good for all", Warner declared.

"The motion picture theatre, even while affording entertainment, has proved a notable focal point for many successful humanitarian causes such as Red Cross drives, war bonds, Salvation Army, and numerous trailers made from time to time.

"The great achievement of the motion picture in the community is that it has made history entertaining. It has given the American citizen more and more information from which he can make up his own mind.

"Because it attracts such masses of the population the motion picture theatre is the perfect headquarters for public service endeavors, because if you want to dramatize the need for fire prevention, or for periodic examinations to control tuberculosis, or for conserving fats, you do it through the motion picture theatre.

"The motion picture has a definite place in the lives of the people. School teaches them how to get along with their contemporaries. In the theatre they see how to get along with older and younger people. The great problem of the individual is to be with people—it sounds funny, but it is a real problem and those who don't solve it become misfits. Going to the movies has taught more than one person to get along with the rest of the world."

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McQuin and daughter, Cynthia Lu, visited her parents in Winters this week.

Mrs. Don McCall was in Brownwood Monday where she attended World Council of Church Women.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Howell visited friends in the county hospital at Baird one night this week.

Mrs. W. E. Hammett of La Feria will visit Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hammett this week end enroute to Denton to attend summer school at a college there.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Anderson were in Dallas this week.

Billy Anderson, student in Texas Tech, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Anderson, in Cross Plains.

Gerald Moon, who will attend Hardin-Simmons summer session, spent two days between terms here this week.

personnel figures shows that over 46% of the present Regular Navy officers are former enlisted men.

Rev. D. L. Barnes left Tuesday for Fort Worth to attend Methodist annual conference. He was expected to return Friday.

Neal Smith, who will enter the summer session at McMurry in Abilene in two weeks, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Smith.

Mrs. Charles Taylor was returned to her home here Monday afternoon from a Gorman hospital where she has been since breaking and ankle on South Main Street here last week. She is convalescing normally.

Paul Smith was an Abilene visitor Monday.

Location for a new Callahan County wildcat which may drill to the Ellenburger with cable tools has been filed by Great Lakes Carbon Corp., as the No. 1 Beulah Pyeat, four miles West of Clyde, 2,000 feet from the South and 1,400 from the West line of section 44 BBB&C survey.

On permit for 4,950 feet, the well's first objective is the Swastika. From that point it may be carried to the Palo Pinto and then to the Ellenburger if conditions appear favorable. Drilling is not expected to start for about two weeks.

On the East edge of the county, two miles Southeast of Putnam, operators have plugged and abandoned the Producers Development Company No. 1-B J. D. Isenhower (filed as the No. 1 Mrs. Doris Freeman) Ellenburger test 660 feet from the North and West lines of a 161.25 acre tract in BOH survey 7.

Total depth was 4,130 feet, and no shows were reported.

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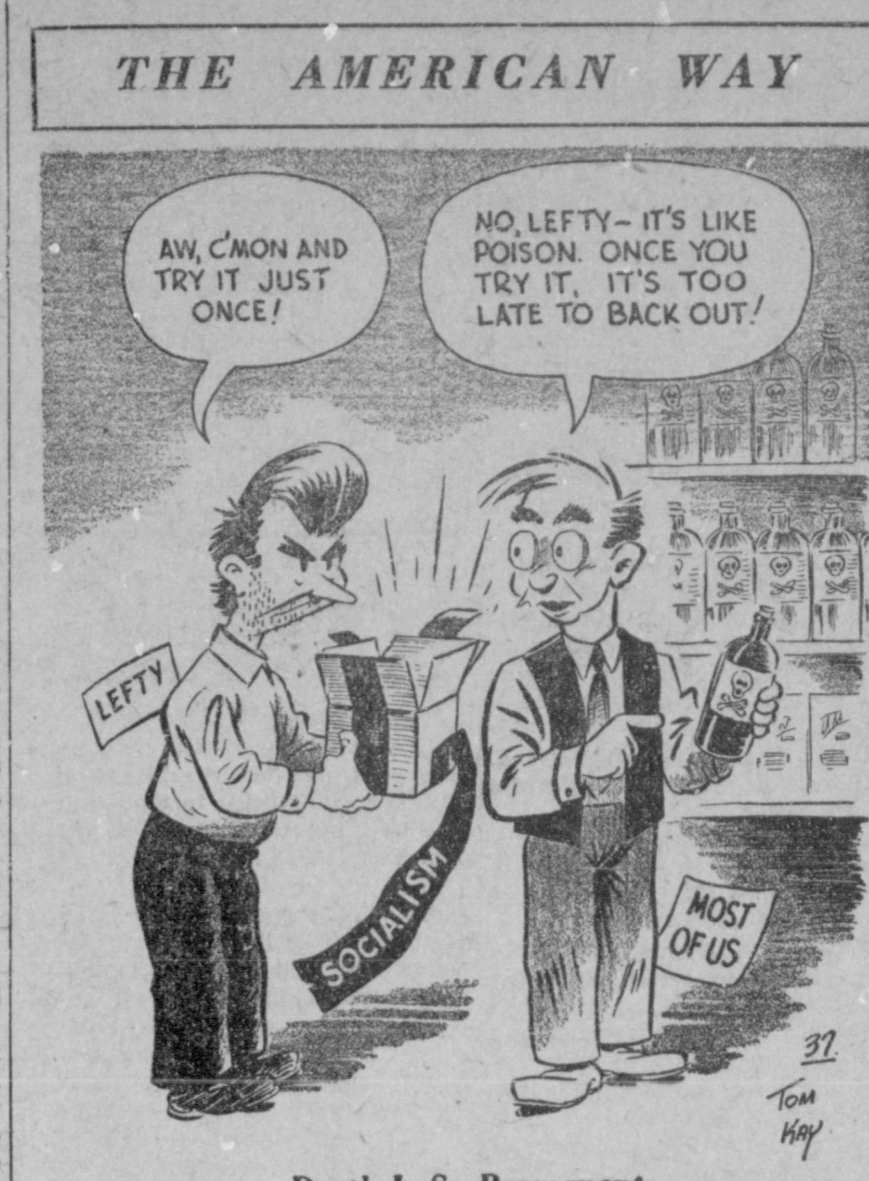
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**Abilene Wool Sells At 79 Cents Per Pound**

The Gordon McCann Wool and Mohair Co. at Abilene announced Tuesday the sale of 100,000 pounds of spring wool up to 69 cents per pound.

About 75,000 pounds of the wool in 24 lots, went at 65 to 69 cents per pound, with the larger clips selling at the top price. A car load of heavy wools, in some 25 lots sold at various prices up to 59 cents.

The warehouse previously had sold approximately 100,000 of early shorn wool, mostly of the heavy variety.

Wool has been moving at a rapid rate this spring and there remains little unsold wool in the state and virtually all of the CCC owned wools have been sold for the first time in four years.

Mrs. R. L. Clinton was a business visitor in Cisco Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Strickland of Truscott and Mr. and Mrs. Junior Balderee were visiting in the home of Rev. and Mrs. H. N. Balderee Sunday.

Mrs. George Damon has returned home from Crane where she had been visiting with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, for the past several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Cunningham of Garden City were here over the week end visiting in the home of his mother and other relatives and friends here.

Those attending the singing here from Scranton Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Spraws, Mrs. Orville Reese and Ples Ray and possibly others whose names the writer failed to see.

Joe Green of Bangs was up looking after business interest Wednesday afternoon.

The News received a letter from our old friend J. H. Burnam at Stanton enclosing check for his subscription for a year in advance. Thanks.

**Machines at Work**

We use the most modern machinery available in the maintenance of accurate and current records concerning the accounts of our customers. We cannot eliminate, however, the human equation, nor would we dispense with it if we could, for this factor lends emphasis to the spirit of service which characterizes the operations of a modern bank.

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**Officials Meet With Hiway Commission In Austin Monday Morn**

County Commissioner Claude Foster and other members of the Commissioners Court met with the Texas Highway Commission in Austin Monday in regard to the farm-to-market road from Cross Plains via Cottonwood to Putnam. The all-weather road which has long been a most sought-after project of the three communities and citizens along the route is yet in the problematical stage, however, local officials have expressed themselves as intending to work on the matter unrelentingly until the road is built one way or another.

**TEXAS PACIFIC REPORTS SLUMP IN CAR LOADINGS**

Texas & Pacific announces a seasonal slump in freight hauling has caused the Texas & Pacific railway to cut off five mechanics and curtail over time payments at its Lancaster shops in Fort Worth.

The line predicted the shops will return to normal when the California fruit movement starts soon. They said only eight thousand four hundred cars being moved daily this month as compared with 9,000 cars last month.

Oil movements out of the Permian Basin had slumped from 290 cars daily to 240.

Mrs. Mable Carrico, Miss Betty Mobley and their guest, Mrs. W. I. Browning, visited in Gorman Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reynolds and son, David, of Tulsa, Okla. visited their mother, Mrs. John Cunningham, and other relatives here the past week.

The first Wave assigned to overseas duty during peacetime was recently sent to the Navy's public relations office in San Juan, Puerto Rico.

Mrs. Hugh Vernon Smith of Lamesa was here over the week end visiting with her mother, Mrs. C. C. King. She returned home the first of the week with her sister, Marine King, returning with her to spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. James and Edward King were out from Fort Worth over the week end visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Pete King.

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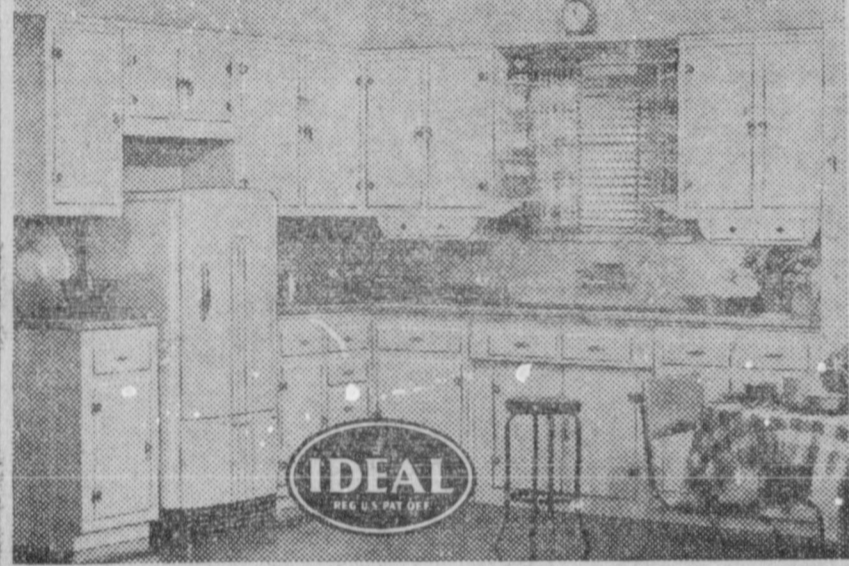
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H. D. Agent's Column

By Evelyn R. Wieland

Paint For Protection

Painting a house or a barn does make it look nice, but the real reason behind painting is to protect the building. If your home or farm building has not been painted during the past four or five years, now is the time to tend to that job.

Local conditions play an important part in the selection of paints, for example, in warm, humid climates harder types of paint that contain greater amounts of zinc oxide usually stand up better than soft paint.

There is a good supply of ready-mixed paint of high quality to suit local conditions, and it can be had in nearly any color.

Allen says to remember that a paint job is no better than the application. A good painter will take off all the old loose paint and make sure the surface to be painted is dry before he starts his job.

One of the important things to do before starting a paint job is to be sure the paint is mixed right. Too much oil causes the paint to dry slowly, get dirty and fade.

Two coats of paint is all right when the surface is in good condition and most of the old paint remains after sanding, brushing and scraping.

The dress you thought too long last summer may be still too short for the current style, but there are ways of making it longer and more stylish, too.

She says you'll find eyelet embroidered pique used in many ways. A skirt can be lengthened from 2 to 6 inches by using one or more bands of the pique.

A bias fold or a 'petticoat ruffle' added to the bottom of a full skirt can add 2 inches and fit into the current styles as well.

The specialist suggests that all dresses made this summer have a good hem, and all new clothing

bought or ready made have a generous hem in addition to being the proper length. This proper length depends upon the woman and her height for there is no definite number inches from the floor for all women to follow.

Personals

Benton Brown, who is employed at San Angelo, spent the week end here with his family and mother. Mrs. Brown returned to San Angelo with him, coming back to Putnam first of the week.

Jim Yarbrough was in town Thursday afternoon and said they had a fine rain in his community which halted grain harvest.

Lee Yeager of the Pueblo community was in town Friday morning and reported a good rain.

L. R. Pearson of Ranger, present representative and candidate for re-election, was in Putnam Friday morning doing a little campaigning. He said Ranger had fine rains recently.

Mrs. S. M. Eubank was shopping and visiting among friends and relatives in Baird Friday afternoon.

Mrs. D. C. Clark returned from New Braunfels Friday where she has been teaching school. She will spend the summer here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pruet.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Allen of Cisco were visiting in the home of Mrs. L. B. Moore and Mrs. Allen's sister, Miss Eva, last Saturday.

L. A. Warren of Cisco was in Putnam Saturday looking after interests here. He has drilled four wells South of town recently with one of the best producers in the shallow field.

Mr. Cook of Baird has a force employed here dismantling the old school building with a view of building a high school gymnasium before school begins this coming season. He has the old building torn down and ready to begin on the new one as soon as bricks are cleaned.

Mrs. Jessie Adair of Lubbock was here over the week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gunn.

Mark Barnum of the Union community was in Putnam Saturday afternoon and said a good rain fell in his community. The rain set grain harvesting back a good bit.

J. M. Ramsay of Arkansas has been here the past week and will remain for several days before returning to his home.

The best way to be satisfied with your lot is to build a house on it.

Cottonwood

By Hazel I. Respass

Joe McDonnah of Spur visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cross last week.

Rev. W. B. Gilleland is attending the Methodist Annual Conference at Fort Worth this week and Mrs. Gilleland is visiting her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kelly, at Lubbock.

John Lawler, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cross, returned to his home in Llano Tuesday.

Little Miss Vernetta Davis of Putnam is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coffey this week.

Misses Beulah and Hazel Respass and Mrs. G. H. Vlitton visited in the Roy J. Clark home in Abilene Monday.

Herman Heine attended the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Henry Heine, at Comfort Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schaffer of Tyler visited Mr. and Mrs. Herman Heine over the week end.

It was announced recently that the Ponca Indian tribe will soon present claims to the United States government for \$10 million based on a ninety year old treaty involving land in Nebraska and North Dakota.

The tribe was removed off the land by government troops in 1858 and only about \$1 million has been paid them since their removal the report stated.

Rowden News

By Patsy Crow

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Hornor attended a 5th Sunday singing at Putnam Sunday afternoon.

Miss Marjorie Jene Mauldin visited with Velda and Thelda Crow Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Gibbs were honored with a bridal shower Monday night at the home of Mrs. Blain Odum. Ice cream and cake was served afterwards.

Dean Gibbs visited with Leroy English Sunday.

Miss Cordelia Bains, visited with Miss Pearl Smedley Sunday.

Mr. Wallace Horner spent the day with Mr. Sonny Bains Sunday.

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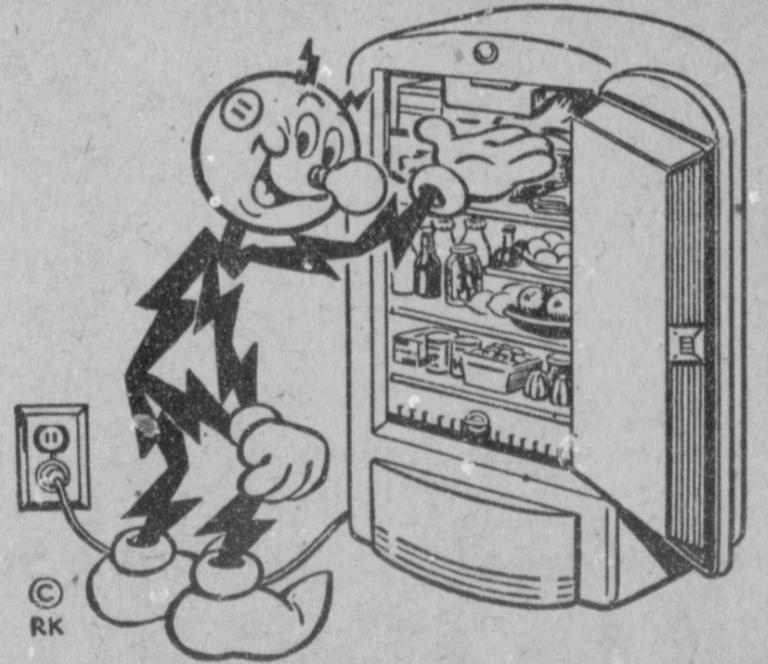
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By the way, your electric refrigerator will give you top service only if it is in top working order. We suggest that you have it checked over soon by a serviceman who specializes in the type refrigerator you are using.

And here's an encouraging thought for your budget! For just one penny, Reddy Kilowatt will protect the food in your refrigerator for five hours! That's less than a nickel a day—from midnight tonight to midnight tomorrow!

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