

November 15 is pick-up date for the Jaycee Christmas campaign for toys and clothes.

Up-to-date information regarding the oil situation in Garza County, as recorded with the Railroad Commission, was announced this week as follows:

A suit has been filed in New Mexico based on the use of a picture in the Panhandle Publisher, official publication of the Panhandle Press Association of which Clyde W. Warwick is secretary.

John Paetzold, who is a strong believer in diversified farming and one of the most successful practitioners in these parts, has found a new crop to turn Deaf county soil and water into cash.

Two Scurry County permits were among the locations for 59 tests for oil listed in 15 West Texas counties last week. Ten wildcats, equalling the year's record, featured in permits. Ten of the locations in 16 counties during the seventeenth week of 1947 were for wildcats.

These bids are more than doubled the amount of money Land Commissioner Giles had estimated would be offered for the leases, and he was highly elated over the results of the sale.

Cotton continues to pour into gin lots in Petersburg and gins are clipping away night and day, with just enough let-up to clean up and oil up occasionally.

Five families have moved into the new FHA homes in the Woolam subdivision. They are Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Ingram, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wheeley and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jackson.

He's First on the Dotted Line



HENRY CAIN of Austin gets the aid of Asst. Adj. Gen. Will H. Martin, center, and Miss Dorothy Mae Arning of the Adjutant General's Department as he signs the first application for membership in the Texas State Guard Reserve.

Over the Wire



There are a number of cotton picking machines being used in this section. Charley Austin, William Kitten, E. J. Kahlich, Sug Robertson, and many others have them.

So far the Christmas buying in Slaton has been slow, but in other towns the Holiday spirit is going strong.

Turkeys will likely be more scarce and high in price again this year say dealers in this area but not as scarce and high in price as they will likely be in the East.

Bargain rates on daily newspapers are now available and a great many subscribers are having their subscriptions renewed at the Slatonite office to take advantage of the reductions that may be discontinued at any time.

Whether anything can be done about a modest expense, or not would require the advice of an engineer but if possible something should be done about the lake that forms in front of the Post Office every time it rains or snows.

MRS. JEFCOATS MOTHER DIES

Mrs. C. B. Martin returned this week from Oklahoma where she took her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Jefcoat where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Jefcoat's mother, Mrs. J. D. Brown.

Mrs. J. M. Porterfield spent last week end with her son and family, of Belen, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Courtney Sanders from Morton are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Teague, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Sanders this week.

A Lubbock County Truck Grower Makes Eight Crops This Year

COLLEGE STATION, Nov. 17—Jack R. West, farmer near Monroe, Lubbock county, sounds like he might be one-man competition for the Rio Grande Valley.

Plans Made For Extension Of Slaton Mail Deliveries

TUBERCULOSIS ASSOCIATION IS ACTIVE HERE, ASKS SUPPORT

J. P. Spears Made Train Master Of Slaton Division

T. J. Anderson, who has been Train Master for the Slaton Division of the Panhandle and Santa Fe for the past year, left for Dodge City, Kansas, last Wednesday morning, where he will be Train Master for that Division.

A Tribute To A Man Who Will Be Missed

Due to confusion in the Slatonite office the account of the death and funeral of H. E. Cavanaugh was omitted from this paper at the time that his passing occurred.

For the omission we wish to apologize and to pay tribute to this worthy citizen who died on November 6th, at the age of 70.

Mr. Cavanaugh will long be remembered by the people of this area for his service as caretaker of the Slaton Club House, where he arranged for the schedules and cared for the grounds.

Mr. Cavanaugh is survived by his wife, daughter Mrs. J. W. Henry and other relatives.

COTTON GINNING REPORT

Census report shows that 84,807 bales of cotton were ginned in Lubbock County, Texas from the crop of 1947 prior to November 1st, as compared with 22,083 bales for the crop of 1946.

Mrs. H. G. Stokes and daughter, Mrs. W. H. Mudgett are spending the week in Lamesa with Mrs. Stokes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McDonald.



Born on November 14 at Mercy Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Chester Williams a boy weighing 6 lbs., 5 ounces.

Born on November 15 at Mercy Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Henderson a girl weighing 7 pounds, 11 ounces.

Born on November 17 at Mercy Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Louie Melcher a boy weighing 7 pounds 11 1/2 ounces.

Born on November 17 at Mercy Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Edwards a girl weighing 6 lbs., 5 ounces.

The local postmaster has obtained authority from the Post Office Department to make adjustments in City Delivery boundaries looking to extension of service to areas adjacent to present delivery where sufficient houses have been constructed to meet the requirements of the Department.

That the Lubbock County Tuberculosis Association, which is affiliated with the State and National Tuberculosis Association, was active in the Slaton area this year is evidenced by the fact that the students in the Slaton Schools were all given an opportunity to take the patch test and by the fact that 21 patients from Slaton were given free x-ray examinations by the Lubbock County Tuberculosis Association.

The strictest of these requirements is the marking of streets and numbering of the houses. If Slaton residents will drive through the town and imagine they were trying to locate a residence only by street and number, they will soon realize how completely lacking we are in an adequate street marking system.

This organization has supervision of 420 active cases of tuberculosis in Lubbock County and there are 788 known cases of active tuberculosis cases in this County at the present time.

The Lubbock County Tuberculosis Association is carrying on its work every day of the year, they are able to do this work only through the support of the people of this area and the campaign is now in progress to raise funds for this worthy cause.

Postmaster Kirby Scudder says some one, probably young boys, are going to get into serious trouble for damaging United States property. For several weeks some one, or a group, has been turning over mail boxes on the paved highway leading West out of Slaton.

This is a much more serious offense than some folks might realize for long jail sentences may be imposed on anyone caught damaging United States Government property. Several years ago several youths were apprehended in the same locality for this kind of offense, and were out considerable expense before they were released.

Slaton Woman Celebrates 94th Birthday, Wants Airplane Ride

Honoring the birthday of one of the oldest citizens of the South Plains, friends and relatives of Mrs. Cornelia Marable visited at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. Merrell, 825 West Garza St., last Saturday.

Mrs. Marable was 94 years of age on that day and she is as much interested in what happens now as she was when she was a girl. Born in Kentucky she came to Texas at the age of eighteen. She is still a Kentuckian and considers that state the center of culture although is not a bad place either.

The requirements of the Department. These requirements are in part, six houses per block of travel, that streets and houses be numbered and marked, that 75% sidewalks be installed, and that all houses taking delivery have acceptable mail boxes or receptacles installed.

In checking the present delivery boundaries and possible extensions it is found that about 100 houses may be added to delivery service. It is also found that about the same number of houses have been built within the present boundary. This would show almost 30% increase in residence, compared to former check of our city delivery service.

This extension is only made possible by having only one delivery per day. The one delivery however will carry all incoming mail for the day since all mail trains arrive at night and early morning. It is hoped that patrons will bear in mind that someone is going to have to be on the last swing of delivery which will be in the afternoon, though you may now be on the first swing in the morning.

There are a lot of things she would like experience, among them would be an airplane ride and a sight seeing trip to the parts of the nation that she has never visited, but she knows that none of them would be as nice as the State of Texas and she doubts that an airplane would ride much better than a drive down the main street in a rubber tired phaeton behind Kentucky thorough bred horses.

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Rat Kill Chicks

In addition to eating or spoiling feed, rats have been known to kill baby chicks and damage farm buildings with their teeth.

One of the first things you should do to get rid of rats is to eliminate all rat harbors. Such precautionary measures as plugging holes in buildings or using metal strips on walls at places where rats might gnaw an entrance will be helpful. Get rid of junk piles or other heaps of refuse in which rats would be likely to make a home. Take particular pains to rat-proof your feed storage rooms or buildings.

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New DAV Commander


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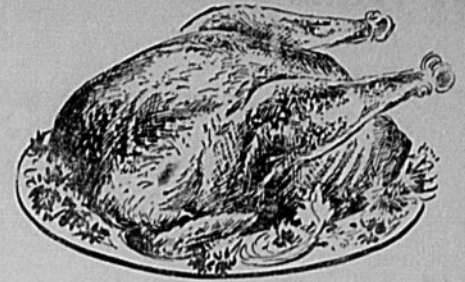
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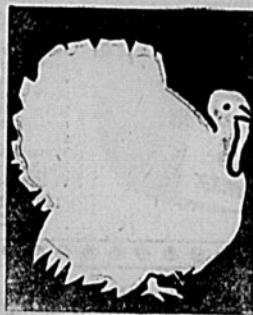
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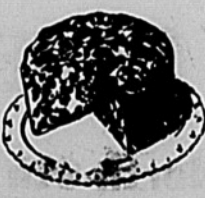
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Rev. Ray Cox will be present next Sunday to hold Morning and Evening services.

Nanna Lou Elder of Slaton spent Sunday with LaVerne Gentry.

Tom Pennington has been visiting his brother J. P. Pennington.

The Posey Gin has been able to clear the yard of cotton during the recent wet weather.

The REA lines are being extended north as far as the I. J. Kempf home.

L. K. Hart, S. N. Gentry and Magnus Klattenhoff served part of the last week on a 99th District Court Jury.

The superintendent and three other officers and teachers were absent from Sunday School, at which a small group was present.

It has been rumored that a new gin will be built about the

location of the old New Hope school house. It would be located nearer to the irrigation district.

J. H. Stone and F. B. Tudor were Pallbearers of Mrs. J. W.

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JUST TALK
 by
 A.M.J.

Postmaster Kirby Scudder has a sad story to tell about John Gordon who has labored so long and so hard at the Slaton Post Office. John came down in his usual good humor last week on the day that the regular five year clean up is made of the Post Office building. While working John ran across a Slatonite dated 1941, a paper no doubt that some subscriber failed to get and blamed the newspaper publisher, and John thumber thru the old edition. It was a mistake for he found a number of grocery advertisements. He got a current edition of this paper and compared the prices. His blood pressure and temper blew up, he screamed and waved his fists and has been growling and counting his pennies ever since. This proves said Kirby that it is a terrible mistake to clean up a Post Office for there is no telling what disturbing material may show up and besides the price comparison has also upset the Postmaster and he counts every bite he takes and figures out how much it is costing him to butter his bread, fry his eggs and keep his wife in luxury.

If there is anything that is worse than fishing it is hunting and there are more hunters, fishermen and wives that feel mistreated in Slaton than most anyplace that I know of. Whether it love, lonesomeness or perversity that causes women to be this way I have no idea but I feel sure that it is going to cost Doc Crow and Harry Stokes a lot more than the hunting trip to get a chance to kill a deer, yep I'm sure you'll see Mrs. Stokes and Mrs. Crow in some mighty fine togs very soon.

Newspapers and other advertising mediums are hard at the old

Holiday propoganda and the picture of the ruby faced old whiskered gentleman will be with us from now until he slides out of his pants.

To me Christmas is the high mark of the year and January the first, the low. It has always been a mystery to me how free hearted most business men can be from November 1st until on Christmas day and get so hard in the few days between Christmas and January 1st. It has been my intention for a long time to go into this matter and see if an ordinance could be passed on it but have never gotten around to it. Most folks spend money like millionaires up until Christmas and the day after they get out their pencils and start figuring on how they can reduce expense, usually by firing some one, cutting out some conveniences and by jumping on the family for spending too much money on food and clothing.

Right now I've got a number of such things in mind and on the first of the year I'm going to scream about the high taxes, including income tax, City tax, Co. tax, gasoline tax, poll tax, tobacco tax, although I do not smoke, alcohol tax, neither do I drink, and beauty tax. Especially beauty tax.

It certainly is queer to meet a man Christmas day and have him grin at you and say "Merry Christmas" and on the first day of the year have the same guy stop you in front of the crowd at the Post Office and want to know when you are going to pay your September bill. Some folks sho are mean.

The rainy season has started

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and from now on we are going to wade around in a lot of slush and snow, I hope, and it would not surprise me if we don't have a white Christmas.

This prediction I am making on the assumption that something like this is apt to happen at least twice in a lifetime. I saw a white Christmas once in Amarillo although it was a little black in spots as the snow had been on the ground several days and the Amarillo winds had not helped the appearance of the snow.

It has never been quite clear to me why a white Christmas is desirable for I don't like cold weather, the snow usually means that ones feet are going to get wet, that ones nose is going to drip and that you will be thoroughly uncomfortable most of the time, but if it is necessary to have a white Christmas and I can wrangle one for this section I am going to use all my influence with the weather to have a good fresh snow here on that day and not a slightly brown one like I saw in Amarillo. Better get out your handkerchiefs or paper nose wipers, for I may get this job done.

The farmers I talk to all have a look in their eyes like a cat that has swallowed a canary, and

when I ask them if they have made some money this year they all admit that they have cleared a very little and go on to explain that they made a big cotton crop but that the cost of living and the cost of labor has just about taken it all up. This explanation does not convince me very well for I notice that none of them have tried to bargain or try to get me to go down on the prices of subscriptions and a lot of them are taking both the Slatonite and some daily paper too.

Given Name
 Little Roalie, a first-grader, walking with her mother, spoke to a small boy. "His name is Johnny and he is in my grade," she exclaimed.

"What is the little boy's last name?" her mother asked.
 "His whole name," said Roalie, "is Johnny Sitdown—that's what the teacher calls him."

Speak Carefully
 Mary had a little lamb,
 Its foot was black as soot.
 And right on Mary's bread and jam,
 His sooty foot he put.

P. S.
 A visitor at the asylum saw a man sitting at a desk writing. Wishing to be friendly, he re-

marked, "What are you doing?"
 "Writing," replied the inmate without looking up.
 "To whom are you writing?"
 "To myself."
 "Writing to yourself!" said the visitor, smiling. "Well, what are you telling yourself?"

The inmate looked up with an annoyed air, and exclaimed, "How do I know? I won't get the letter until tomorrow."

Import Russian Furs
 During the first six months of last year, the United States imported 41 million dollars worth of furs from Russia. Mink Breeders association of the United States reports that importations from Russia will continue to increase.



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Society - Clubs

Child Study Forum To Meet Nov. 26th.

The Child Study Forum will meet Wednesday, November 26, in the home of Mrs. Sag Robertson.

Mrs. Melton Fields will give a lecture on "Selecting Toys For Pre-School Age Children." And have tops on display to demonstrate with.

The hostesses will be Mesdames H. E. Wollard, Pat Patterson and J. S. Edwards, Jr.

Mrs. Clifford Simmons left on November 14 for Detroit, to visit her sister Mrs. Charles E. Travis and friends in Canada.

Blue Bonnet Club Met November 12

The Blue Bonnet Club met on Wednesday, November 12 in the home of Mrs. H. S. Crews. The ten members were present made plans for the annual banquet to be held December 4 at 7:30 at the Slaton Club House.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Carl Evans, 905 S. 14th St.

Rainbow Girls Are Presented With Charter By Texas Supreme Deputy

Engagement Miss Shaw Announced

Mrs. Carter Shaw entertained with an announcement tea at her home, Sunday, November 16, from 2 to 5 p. m. announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Elizabeth Shaw to Dan Garner.

The marriage will take place in the Shaw residence Sunday, November 29, with Rev. W. F. Ferguson performing the ceremony.

Hostesses were Mesdames Fred Stottlemire, Lowell Merrell, Bob Fondy, A. R. Keese, R. C. Hall, sister of the groom, Mrs. McFarland of Lubbock, Misses Billie Tucker, Frances Sikes, Margret Hudson of Lubbock and sister of the bride Sara Ann Shaw. Approximately 60 guests called.

Meading - Curry Wedding Is Held

In a double ring ceremony in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Meading, on Friday, November 14, at 6:30 p. m., Miss Miriam Meading became the bride of Albert LaVerne Curry of Scotts Bluff, Nebraska. Rev. W. F. Ferguson officiated to a candle-light service.

The bride given in marriage by her father, wore a brown gabardine suit with brown suede accessories and a corsage of tailsman roses.

The brides attendant, Mrs. Billy Ball, and sister wore an aqua suit with black accessories and a corsage of red roses. Mr. Billy Ball was the best man.

After the wedding a small reception was held for the family and a few close friends.

The couple plan to make their home in Scotts Bluff, Nebraska, where the bride is dietitian at the hospital and the groom is going to school.

Future Homemakers Hold Third Meeting

The Future Homemakers of America held their third meeting of the year at the High School at noon Wednesday, November 19.

Plans were discussed for the activities for Christmas and for the F.H.A. Convention to be held some time in April at Galveston.

The active officers are: President, Joyce Sexton; Vice President, Kathlee Eidson; Secretary, Lena Schmidt; Reporter, Daunia Dowell; Treasurer, Phyllis Leach, Club Sweetheart, Joe Tucker; Sponser, Mrs. Carlton of Lubbock.

The club also plans to sell corages at the Post football game.

DE MOLAYS MEET

The Slaton DeMolays held a stated meeting on November 12. Before the chapter opened they were entertained by Mrs. Alma Caldwell's Speech Class. A group of six girls spoke on National Education week.

They were: Phyllis Hunter, Phyllis Leach, Daunia Dowell, Lucille Caldwell, Johnnie Peebles and Betty Stroud.

At a regular meeting of the Rainbow for Girls held November 15 at the Masonic Hall at 7:30 p. m., Mrs. Martha Marie Whitfield, Supreme Deputy of the Rainbow for Girls, State of Texas from Dallas presented Slaton Assembly No. 164 with their Charter in an inspiring ceremony. Assisting with the Constituting ceremony were as follows: Mrs. Joe Miles, Marshall, Mr. Joe Miles, Secretary, Mrs. E. E. Culver, Chaplain, and Miss Myrtle Teague, organist.

The presiding officer of the meeting was Miss Lena Schmidt, Worthy Advisor. Five girls were initiated into the order, Misses Maybelle Pember, Mary Jo Meeks, Mary Francis Porter, Betty Childress and Betty Clark.

There were 40 visiting girls from out of town Rainbow Assemblies. Amarillo, Lorenzo and Levelland were represented by the visitors, also two grand officers from Amarillo of Grand Assembly were here.

After the initiation Miss Joyce Pember presented Mrs. Whitfield with a gift from Slaton Assembly and Miss Betty Gentry sang "Let Me Call You Sweetheart."

The Chapter gave a rising vote of thanks to Mr. J. L. Benton and Mr. W. R. Dean of Lubbock for making seven white tables for initiatory work.

Refreshments were served in the dining room by the Order of Eastern Star members. The table was laid with a lovely blue Chiffon table spread and a centerpiece of red carnations furnished by the Worthy Advisor's mother. Approximately 125 guests were served.

WMU Meets With Mrs. W. A. Tucker

The W.M.U. of the First Baptist Church met Monday, Nov. 17 in the home of Mrs. W. A. Tucker for the Monthly Royal Service. An interesting subject on the people of Africa was discussed by Mesdames R. L. Smith leader, Carter Shaw, J. M. Fondy, Fred Stottlemire, W. F. Ferguson, and E. E. Culver.

Mrs. A. C. Strickland brought the devotion and Miss Fannie Patterson brought an interesting report of the Baptist Convention at Amarillo. Refreshments of pumpkin pie topped with whipped cream and coffee was served to 16 members.

Baptist Beginners

The adult members of the Beginners Department of the Baptist Sunday School were entertained last Friday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Young. Mrs. A. C. Strickland played several piano selections. Those who were present were: Messrs. and Mesdames: T. E. McClanahan, L. B. Wootton, B. A. Hanna, and Haskell Lasater and Mesdames: A. C. Strickland, Joe Tate, and Robert Lee. Those who attended the dinner who were not members of the Beginners Department were: Rev. and Mrs. W. F. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. King and Cliff, of Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Hudson of Washington, D. C., Miss Jolene Tate, John Fondy and Ethlyn Young.

Famous Orchestra To Be In Lubbock

Ted Fio Rito who brings his world famous orchestra and floor show to the Lubbock Supper Club for one night's entertainment on Friday, November 21st, is known in show business as the "Finder of Stars." Included among those he discovered and started on the road to fame and fortune are such favorites as Betty Grable, June Haver, Dave Rose, Evelyn Keyes, Victor Young, Leif Erickson and many others.

Fio Rito is also rated as not only one of the outstanding band leaders but he has composed one hundred and fifty songs during his time as a band leader and composer. Among such favorites as "Table For Two," "King For A Day," "Roll Along Prairie Moon," "Harvest Moon," and many others. Among his latest recordings are such as "Boogie Woogie Lullaby," "Kilroy Was," "Elmer's Done It Again," "Mama Says No," and others.

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MARY MARTHA CLASS MET WITH MRS. C. A. WELLS

The Mary Martha Class of the First Baptist Church met on Thursday, November 13 in the home of Mrs. C. A. Wells for its regular business and social meeting.

The devotional was brought by Mrs. Fred Stephens. Bible games pertaining to Thanksgiving were

played. Refreshments of pumpkin pie and coffee were served to Mrs. Fred Stephens, Mrs. Ira McCarter, Mrs. Charles Felly, Mrs. J. C. Leach, Mrs. C. E. Hogue, Mrs. Allen D. Crowley, Mrs. C. A. Brown, Mrs. Dave Draper, Mrs. M. O. Singleton, Mrs. Leon Waiston, Mrs. Elbert Custer, Mrs. T. H. Shelton and the hostess.



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FOR SALE: No. 1 Sweet potatoes bushel, field run \$2.25 per bushel, canners, \$1.25 bushel. See League, Jr., at Teague farm on highway. 11-21

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FOR SALE: Two small size inner mattresses at Slaton Mattress Co. 435 N. 9th. Phone 121. 11-21

FOR SALE: Pure blood beautiful male cocker spaniel, 3 years old. Cecil Long Garage, So. 12th. 11-21

FOR SALE: circulating oil heater, flame oil brooder stove, washing machine, gasolene lamp, salad lamp, fruit jars, 12 gallon crock jar. Mrs. J. J. Long, 840 So. 7th. St. 11-21

FOR SALE: Farmall Tractor, 12 and a business lot. W. H. Seideman, 1220 West Lubbock, phone 440J. 11-28

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 The sixth grade of West Ward and the third grade of East Ward went to the Lubbock High School Auditorium last week to see "Sleeping Beauty," which was presented by the Clara Treat actors of New York.
 Mrs. Leroy Holt, Mrs. Audine Watson, Mrs. Hunter and seven mothers went with these students

CARD OF THANKS
 To those who were so thoughtful of us and so kind during the illness and at the death of our husband and father, H. E. Cavenar, we wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation. We thank all of you who sent flowers and food, may God's blessing be yours.
 Mrs. H. E. Cavenar
 Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Henry

CARD OF THANKS
 We wish to express our deep felt appreciation to those who were so kind to us during the illness and death of our loved wife, mother, and sister, Mrs. J. W. Boyce. The floral offerings were consoling and the efforts of the doctors and of the Mercy Hospital attendants are greatly appreciated.
 J. W. Boyce and children
 Ethar Orell

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Based on prewar statistics (1929). Source: H. DeGraff in Steelways Magazine November, 1947

The American mastery of modern farming techniques gives us a big edge in strength over any potential aggressor, according to Dr. Herrell DeGraff, outstanding Cornell University agricultural economist.

This is because farm productivity is an accurate measure of a country's industrial strength as well as the health of its population, he said. Writing in Steelways Magazine, Dr. DeGraff said, "Russia, for instance, has yet to win the war of steel plows and the efficiency which they symbolize."

Comparing the agricultural systems of the two countries, he said, "America's basic advantage makes Russia look like a 14-year-old boy pitted against a brawny blacksmith in a weight lifting contest."

"We have to go back to shortly before the Civil War," he added, "to find when the American farmer's productivity was as low as the Russians' in 1938. American agriculture in prewar years turned out six times as much as each worker on the land in Russia."

The use of prewar figures was necessary, Dr. DeGraff explained, for the reason that the Soviets do not give out statistics now. He also said that "even if we had the information, it would hardly be satisfactory to draw a comparison since Russia's agricultural production was far more disrupted by the war than ours was."

Although Russia is the largest nation in the world, containing one-sixth of the world's land area, and with a population one-third greater than that of the United States, agriculturally speaking, Dr. DeGraff pointed out, this nation's output of farm produce in the years for which we have a comparison exceeded Russia's by 60 per cent. Both countries had approximately the same harvested crop acreage, prewar.

"Except in a few operations, Russia's claim to have the most mechanized agriculture in the world is a gross exaggeration," Dr. DeGraff stated. "The bulk of Russian farm work is done by hand while the American farmer, using machines

made mostly of steel, supplied by an aggressive American industry, never ceased to expand the effectiveness of his work."

Dr. DeGraff quoted figures to show that the Russian farmer worked 63 hours before the war to grow one acre of corn, while in this country American farmers worked only 15 hours and obtained double the yield.

Russians, according to the article, required 330 hours to raise and harvest an acre of cotton. American producers do the same in 91 hours. While the farmer in this country labored 9 hours to raise and harvest an acre of wheat, the Russian farmer took 47 hours and even then got less wheat. Sugar beets, potatoes, milk and poultry production all followed the same pattern.

"The great vitality and productivity of American agriculture has been the basis of the rising strength of the nation and the rising standard of living," Dr. DeGraff said. "We now use only one-sixth of the nation's productive effort to provide for this country and still ship 10 per cent of our farm produce overseas."

Production levels in the United States are ever-increasing, Dr. DeGraff explained, "because individuals have had freedom to work and enjoy the fruits of labor. Under that system we have built an economic system that has stimulated production, individually and in the mass."

"The steel industry and other allied industries, making possible such machines of increasing efficiency, constantly reduce still further the manpower needed to produce food and thus release more men to devise and produce more ways to build higher the level of our civilization."

"Whatever else may be behind the Iron Curtain, we know it hides great weaknesses. Our strength is in plain sight. The steel coming from the mills, the machines from our factories and the production from our farms make it possible to get 'from each according to his ability' in increasing measure, the stuff of life."

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Metropolitan Papers Please Copy!

Folks here were burned up over an article on Our Town I reprinted from a city paper. Made us sound like a bunch of "hicks" who whit-tled sticks and wore chin whiskers. (Last person I saw with chin whiskers was passing through on his way east.)

much different, underneath. City folks work hard; like to come home at night to their families; and relax with a moderate glass of beer, like we do.

From where I sit, it doesn't matter if you live in an apartment house or on a farm—work in an office or a cornfield—the American tradition of quiet home life, temperate habits, and neighborliness is common to all of us.

Joe Marsh

So I ran an editorial on how we spoke of city "slickers"—as over-dressed wisecracks, only interested in making money, and spending it in night clubs.

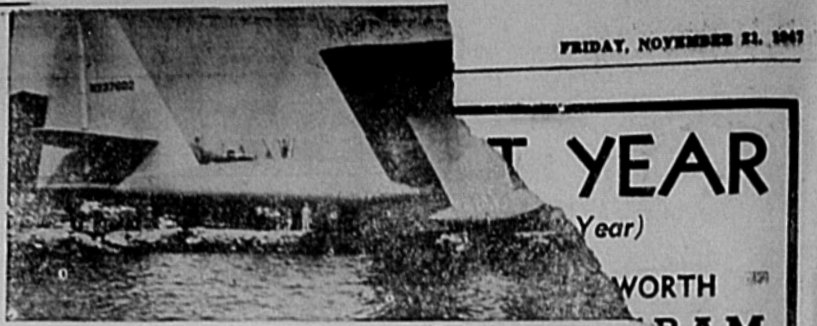
Fact is, if we got to know each other we'd probably find we're not

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High Price of Timber
The market value of the 588,526,000 board feet of timber cut out of the national forests the past year was \$2,946,505, an all-time high. The average price paid by bidders for this type of timber rose to the record peak of \$4.84 per thousand board feet, highest average price the forest service ever received and 12 per cent higher than the previous year. Although demand for saw timber is unprecedented, sound forest management on a sustained-yield basis is gaining ground.



MAN OF NOTE — Eddy Howard, with his head not in the clouds but in a barrage of notes resembling balloons, is caricatured by Sam Berman. Howard, band leader and singer, headlines NEC's "Sheaffer Parade."



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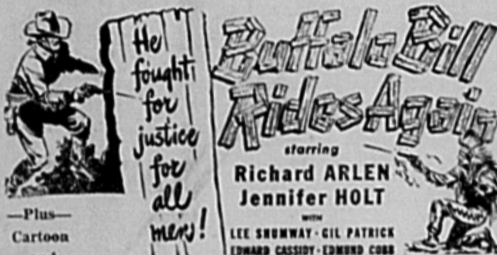


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WEDNESDAY — THURSDAY



Native Grown Shrubs Best For Planting

COLLEGE STATION, Nov. 17—A native of an area is usually considered hardier than a newcomer because he is adapted to the climate and country.

The same principle holds true for shrubbery. Native shrubbery is generally dependable in growth where some imported stock may have to be pampered to get a good start.

Sadie Hatfield, extension landscape gardening specialist for Texas A. & M. College, says that fall months, before frost causes leaves to fall, is the time to hunt native shrubs. They can be marked for transplanting later or very tiny plants, a few inches high and taken with an unbroken ball of soil, can be transplanted into cans or cardboard boxes and never show that they've been moved.

Give transplanted native shrubbery the same surroundings they had where they were found growing. Some shrubs like half-shade, while others need full sun. Some thrive on thin soil, and others need deep rich soil.

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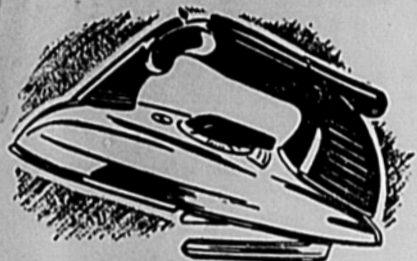
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The Southland high school football team beat the Bula high School eleven here Friday afternoon 25-7. Fullback Larry Tankersley led his squad in winning by scoring 13 points himself.

Southland and Wilson paly this Friday night at Slaton.

The Southland basketball girls team, played Post at Post last Wednesday, November 12. The scores 36 to 5 in favor of Post. Post is to return the game here this Tuesday, November 18.

Coach and Mrs. Green gave the football boys and the pep squad girls a party in their home on Friday night.

Mary Frances King is under the doctor's care with her side.

Fireman 3/c Elmer Trimble left last Monday for San Diego.

On November 8, a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Young of Lexington. Mrs. Young is the former Helen King of Southland.

Mr. Lonnie Collinsworth, Mr. R. B. Loveless and Mr. Roy Williams all went to Mason Saturday to hunt deer.

Mrs. Myers sister, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cades and family of Seymour spent the week end here with them.

Visiting the J. F. Winterrows Sunday were their son, Paul Eddy and family of Lubbock, two nephews Clyde and Howard Anthony of Brownfield and Mrs. G. W. Basinger and daughter, Mrs. E. O. Boyd of Ralls.

Mrs. Edd Martin is still on the sick list.

Robert Melcher and I J. Kemp have recently purchased new cotton mechanical harvesters.

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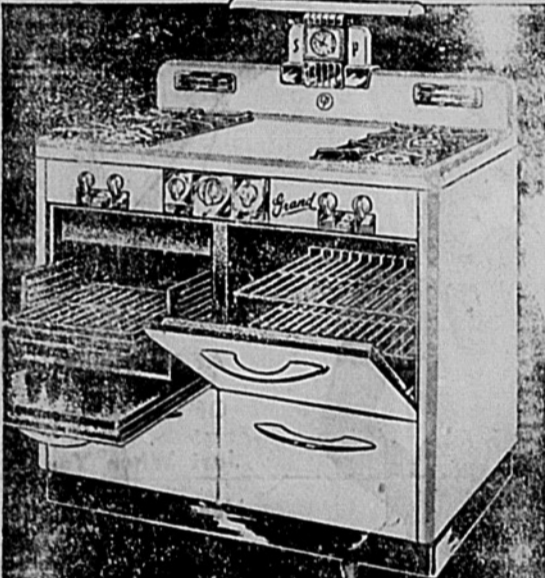
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Texas Tech Notes
LUBBOCK, Teaxs, Nov. 17 — Construction is to begin immediately on a small building that is to house a seismographic station at Texas Technological College, it has been announced by W. T. Gaston, college business manager and chairman of the campus building committee.

The new station, to be capable of recording earthquakes and seismic disturbances at any point in the world, is the only one of its kind in operation between St. Louis, Mo., and Tuscon, Ariz.

LUBBOCK, Teaxs, Nov. 17 — Member of the Texas Technological College senior crop judging team will compete with teams from agricultural colleges over the United States and Canada at the National Collegiate Grain Judging contest in Kansas City, Mo., November 24 and the Inter-collegiate Crops contest in Chicago November 28 have been announced by Cecil Ayers, coach.

LUBBOCK, Teaxs, Nov. 17 — Danger of fires in cotton gins may be reduced to a great extent by installation of a humidifying system, either to treat air throughout the entire gin or to treat cotton early in the ginning process, according to L. E. Parsons, head of the Texas Technological College textile engineering department.

For treating air throughout the gin, he suggested that water atom-

izers utilizing compressed air be installed, or jets constructed in conjunction with fans be used to disperse moisture. Some ginners find it practical to direct steam sprays into the area.

LUBBOCK, Teaxs, Nov. 17 — In an effort to see if high school graduation is the best criteria for predicting success in college, a nation wide study of records of students who entered college without completing high school in comparison with records of the students of the same age group who received high school diplomas is being conducted, according to W. P. Clement, Texas Technological College registrar.

LUBBOCK, Teaxs, Nov. 17 — Four fine animals, including a Quarter horse mare, a registered Hereford bull and two purebred Aberdeen Angus steer calves, have been given to Texas Technological College recently, according to Dean of Agriculture W. L. Stang-el.

The six-year-old mare, Bright Eyes, was donated by R. L. Underwood of Wichita Falls, owner of an outstanding band of Quarter horses.

The bull, Carlos Domina Anxiety, was received from Frank Carter, manager of the Combs & Worley, a registered Hereford ranch near Pampa.

LUBBOCK, Teaxs, Nov. 17 — Approximately 600 persons are expected to attend the 20th annual Pig Roast at Texas Techno-

News Summary
Featured Weekly

"You'll Be Sorry." Psychologists say there's little difference between an adult's fake suicide attempt and a youngster's threat to run away from home. Both dramatize the "You'll Be Sorry When I'm Gone," attitude of self-pity. Read this fascinating report in the American Weekly, that great magazine distributed with next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

"Folklore—Made In U. S. A." See Walt Disney's colorful cartoons of great heroes of American Folklore. Read John Erskine's entertaining article about Johnny Appleseed, Paul Bunyon and Pecos Bill in the American Weekly, that great magazine distributed with next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

Mrs. James Vannoy was a Sunday visitor of Mrs. C. E. Birdwell.

For the period 1942-46, 500 million bushels of wheat were used for flour in the United States, and 8 million bushels for breakfast cereals.

logical College November 18th, sponsored by the college Aggie Club.

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