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Through My Eyes

The Roundup this week has been authorized to announce the candidacy of Sid Reeder for re-election to the office of Sheriff and Tax Assessor-Collector for Borden County. Mr. Reeder's name appears this week in the Political Announcement column of the Borden County Roundup. A more complete story will be used in our next issue of the Roundup.

Next week the Roundup will reach every poll tax holder in Borden County. Any candidate or prospective candidate wishing to announce in the Roundup, is invited to send your announcement and story or information notes for a story to be used in this issue of April 13. Send at once and take advantage of this County-wide poll tax edition coverage of our next week's newspaper. We need your copy early in the week, preferably Tuesday, not later than Wednesday. Your letter should be mailed Monday or possibly early Tuesday directly to M. E. Gaines, Gen. Del., Robert Lee, Texas.

Borden County has three offices to be filled in the forthcoming July primaries, namely Commissioners Prec. 1, in which three contestants are out for the office; Prec. 3, in which we learn there will be two in the race, P. A. Ware of Knapp, being the second man and asking for a first term in office; then the Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector's office, in which Sid Reeder is asking for re-election. All the contestants in the races are fine men and the only difference in who is elected is the matter of our choice as to qualifications. Its wonderful, the quiet manner in which politicians conduct their campaigns in Borden County. They never resort to small tactics, which is commendable. They run on their merits and allow the fellow opposers the same privilege of a race of dignity.

If you have lawn mower problems, you will find expert service of sharpening or repairing at Shepherd Battery and Electric, at 213 N. 1st in Lamesa.

Lamesa's new fruit market, the Valley Fruit & Vegetable, located in the former Rhodes Service Station building at 202 N. Dallas on corner of Dallas and N. 1st streets, was recently opened with weekly trucking of produce from the Valley and Colorado. The owners, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Ulery, from Brownfield, will be glad to have you visit them when in Lamesa.

After a remodeling and redecorating job on their building at 2304 Ave. S. in Snyder the City Radio and TV Service is again ready to serve you in their expert way.

Charlie York at 610 S. 2nd, next door to Tune Refrigeration, in Lamesa, does sharpening of lawn mowers and tarp and canvass repair, and invites you to visit him when in need of such service.

The Lord thy God in the midst of thee is mighty; he will save, he will rejoice over thee with joy, he will rest in his love, he will joy over thee with singing.---Zephaniah 3:17.

Wouldn't it be grand if we could always remember that criticism stalks in the shadows, ready to pounce upon us for every noble deed we ever hope to bring forth. We can be enriched and ennobled by criticism or we can let it destroy all our future usefulness.

Sheriff Reeder, Follows Clues, Finding Man

Sheriff Sid Reeder has at last solved the mystery of a crime committed in Borden County about a year ago, in which some \$160 was taken from the sheriff's office in Borden County. After working on this case for over a year, Sheriff Reeder, always on the alert, following every lead, and tracing down all clues, in his quiet way, has found the offender.

Recently, Sheriff Reeder, accompanied by Sheriff Buster Cox of Glasscock County, made a trip to Ramsey Farm of the Texas Prison System, where they contacted three public offenders from Brazoria county, Dallas and Raymondville, who had committed four burglaries in Garden City, one in the school building, a service station, a grocery store and the Sheriff's office there.

The purpose of the officers visit to the farm was to investigate and in doing so, statements were drawn from these offenders, and it was in this manner after questionings that Sheriff Reeder found the person who burglarized the the Sheriff's office in Gail a year previously.

Mr. Reeder is, as always, on the lookout for his county, and through patience and quiet working, has unearthed this crime, which was a tough one to work out, since there was so little to go on—nothing definite to work from.

Local News Items

Dinner guests of Mrs. Billy Holly, Tuesday, were Mrs. T. C. Tyer and children, of Seminole, Mrs. Joe T. Rudd, Miss June Creighton and Mrs. Attie Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sealy were shopping in Snyder Wednesday.

Hubert Walker was in Gail Wednesday transacting business.

Mrs. Bert Dennis was a Snyder visitor Wednesday.

Sunday guests of the Allen Stephens were Mr. Stephens' nieces and families, the John Loftins of Midland, and Mrs. Marion Olancy and Maurine, of Odessa, and his brother, Jess Stephens of Snyder.

Mrs. Elwood Hamilton and daughter, Dinah Lynn, returned home Sunday from a visit with relatives in Lamesa.

Dewey Everett of Snyder was a Gail visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Holly and Mrs. Joe Rudd and son spent Friday night in Hico, Texas, with the M. J. Taylors. While away they attended a performance of the Ice Capades, returning home Sunday.

B. B. Wise Rites Are Held In O'Donnell

Funeral services for B. B. Wise, 76, who succumbed in death at the Price-Black hospital in Lamesa March 30, were held at 10 a. m. last Saturday in the First Baptist Church at O'Donnell.

Rev. Ernest D. Stuart, pastor, conducted the services, with Rev. Marvin J. Menefee of the First Methodist Church in O'Donnell, assisting. Internment was made in Dimmitt with graveside services conducted there at 4 p. m. Saturday.

The arrangements were under direction of the Higginbotham Funeral Home of Lamesa.

Pallbearers were W. M. Stephens, Sid Reeder, E. L. Edwards, Truett Sloan, W. J. Gass and D. L. Craig, of Borden and Lynn Counties.

B. B. Wise was a retired farmer. In 1949 he moved to O'Donnell from Dimmitt, where he had spent many years.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Minnie Wise; a daughter, Mrs. Buford Powers of Wilson; a son, J. A. af Dimmitt; four sisters, Mrs. Les Lawler, Yuma, Ariz., Mrs. Nettie Price, Cove, Ark.; Mrs. Bill Loë, Albuquerque, N. M., and Mrs. Jim McFatrige, Comanche, Okla.; a brother, John Wise, of Friona, Texas, four grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

Borden School Board Election On April 7

Three places on the Borden County school board are to be filled in the April 7 election.

The following names are on the ballot: Milton Davis and O. D. Jackson, incumbents; other candidates are Bob Beal, John Denuis, James E. Smith and Alton Milliken. Frank Beaver, whose term is expiring is not a candidate.

Every voter should cast their ballot for their favorite candidates in this important election.

Political Announcement Column BORDEN COUNTY

The Round-Up is authorized to announce the following candidates for public office subject to action in the Democratic primaries.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:

JOHN STEPHENS

For County Sheriff and Tax Assessor-Collector:

SID REEDER

More Black Gold News For Grandoldborden

After testings were made at the Midwest Oil Corp. No. 2 Joe H. Scott in the recently opened West Myrtle-Strawn pool of north-eastern Borden County, a swab was run four times and the well kicked off to flow 54 barrels of oil in one hour on 18-64-inch choke. Choke size being reduced to 8-64-inch brought flowing tubing pressure to 425 pounds. Hole was bottomed at 9,213 feet and drilled out to 8,010 feet. Sample top of the Strawn is about 7,845 feet.

J. M. Huber Corp., Borger and John P. Wagner, Exploration Account, Midland, have filed application to drill a 4100 foot rotary exploration on Borden Gray. The site is seven and one-half miles south-east of Gail in Block 97, Section 228 H. & T. C. Survey.

Mmes. J. C. Chorn, C. L. Harrison and Sam Skeen were shopping in Snyder, Thursday.

Mrs. Sid Reeder was a shopper in Lamesa Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Weathers were among Borden County visitors to attend the Terry reunion in Towle Memorial Park at Snyder on Easter Sunday.

Loyd Murphy and family, of Grady, N. M., spent the week-end as guests in the Ed Murphy home.

Mrs. Allen Stephens and Mike were Snyder visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Hudson visited relatives in Big Spring, Monday.

Mrs. W. T. Long and Mrs. D. Dorward were shopping in Snyder, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Logsdon and Glenn were Big Spring visitors, Tuesday. County Agent Byron Pierce attended an agent's bi-district meeting in Amarillo last week.

Mrs. Bessie Bullard returned to her home at Mineral Wells, Monday, after spending a week as guest of her sister, Mrs. D. Dorward.

O. W. Cathey of Cisco visited his mother, Mrs. Geo. Cathey, over the week end. While here they visited the Snooks Catheys in Denver City.

Mrs. Aubrey Rogers was shopping in Lamesa, Saturday.

Raymond Daugherty of Fluvanna was a Gail visitor, Monday.

Mrs. Jesse Slms of Fluvanna was a Gail visitor, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Terry staged a picnic in Towle Memorial Park on Easter Sunday in honor of their son, Don, who was home on leave from his Air Corps base in New York.

Survey Discloses American Family Buys Above Budget

MINNEAPOLIS — A growing number of U. S. families are in debt "over their heads" and need emergency help in working out, according to a survey of consumer credit.

Debt adjustment companies consulted in the survey report an increasing case load of insolvent families, overloaded with installment obligations. Some of the bank personal loan officials consulted comment that a larger proportion of their applicants for loans are found to be already too burdened with debts to qualify as acceptable risks, unless they can find co-signers or put up special collateral.

Installment credit continues to reach new record totals, and recently passed the 20-billion dollar mark, while total consumer credit now approximates 27 billions. After having leveled off in its long post-war climb, installment credit began a tremendous new upsurge upon the suspension of Regulation "W" in May of 1952, the report points out.

Concealed in over-all statistics of total consumer debt vs. total consumer income is the vital fact that the bulk of the debt is concentrated among a minority segment of the population. Like business credit, the institution of consumer credit has made great contributions to American well-being. But past experience has demonstrated, says the report, that no form of credit—government, commercial or personal—can be continuously and indefinitely ballooned without eventual trouble.

Tulip Time In Normal

NORMAL, Ill.—A large number of women were busy here recently getting more than 9,000 tulip bulbs ready for distribution among the pupils of the schools and the townspeople who ordered them. The tulips were ordered last spring during the drive to "make Normal a beauty spot of Illinois."

The bulbs came from Holland. They are Darwins in red, yellow and white colors. The price was eight cent a bulb. Some children ordered one bulb of each color, some several bulbs of one color; while grown-ups gave orders for from one to 100 of one color. Many homes and vacant spots here will be beauty spots next spring.

Smart Prairie Dogs Build Huge Towns

BAR HARBOR, Me.—If anyone ever tells you that your home town is going to the dogs, consider some towns that have always belonged to the dogs—prairie dogs. These squirrel like rodents are as capable in many ways of forming livable communities as man is.

Their social behavior, which has been studied by the staff of the Roscoe B. Jackson Memorial laboratory here, resembles that of clannish human communities. Prairie dog towns are often enormous, covering tens or even hundreds of square miles and providing homes for thousands of animals. Despite the continuity of the towns, cliques of as many as 40 dogs are formed. The members keep out strangers. Young and old dogs of both sexes do the excluding.

Members of a clique are happy when they are not fighting a war. They groom one another, play among themselves, defend one another against strangers, and work together to build their burrows in peace.

The advantages of social harmony are shown in adaption to the environment. Amount and kinds of food available are controlled. The "dogs" cooperate in furnishing themselves with numerous homes and refuges. Such advantages might easily be lost by overpopulation, which could cause mass starvation and disease. But the smart prairie dogs exercise and control the density of their numbers.

Feed Good Hay

Be sure to save some of the highest quality legume hay for the poultry. Such hay can take the place of some expensive grain. Before feeding the hay cut it into one to four-inch lengths with an ensilage or straw cutter. Then it can be fed on the floor or in racks.

Good Outlook in '60

AKRON, O.—Here's an optimistic outlook to balance worries about disappearing resources, the migration of some farmers to the cities, and the steady increase in the nation's population:

By 1960, the average breadwinner will be working fewer than 40 hours a week and still will be able to buy his family more and better things than he can today, according to an economic study by a rubber company.

Long-range trends, the economists say, indicate that the output of goods and services will continue to increase faster than the population. New methods and machines by 1960 will help each worker increase the amount of goods he can produce, the study shows. On the farm, for example, the number of tractors is expected to increase from more than 3,500,000 today to 5,500,000 in 1960.

The analysis, compiled by the rubber company to evaluate the prospects and trends in the rubber, automotive and allied industries, predicts a 27 per cent increase in goods against a 15 per cent rise in population from 1950 to 1960. The economists estimate that American industry will spend 200 billion dollars for new plants and equipment to bring about the expected increase in productivity.

America in the Soup But Likes the Flavor

NEW YORK—U.S. farmers and canners have put this country in the soup—and the nation's populace loves it.

In fact, Americans like canned soup so much that they consume 2300 per cent more today than they did less than 50 years ago, a can company reports. Canned soup, just a specialty item on the shelves of a few grocers in the early 1900's, today is one of the nation's leading packs with approximately 1,080,000,000 cans produced annually.

The growing popularity of the product is shown by the increase in per capita consumption from 0.3 pounds in 1909 to 7 pounds in 1951.

Over 200 canned soup recipe combinations now are available to consumers. Improved agricultural and canning methods and faster can-making machinery—which raised production of soup cans from about 60 per minute a half-century ago to over 400 a minute today—have contributed to the development of the canned soup industry. These mass production techniques also have helped keep the price of canned soups to a minimum, the can-making firm said.

'Whirlpool Bath' May Have Place on Farm

The American Veterinary Medical Association reports the "whirlpool bath" treatment used by athletes for sore pitching arms or football knee injuries may have a place on the farm.

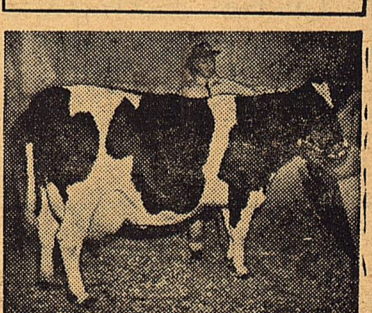
Similar hydrotherapy has been used in the experimental treatment of mastitis in dairy cows with "favorable" results. The experimental work was carried out under the supervision of the Florida Livestock Sanitary Board.

The report stated the treatment involves a metal device which fits around the infected quarters of the cow. Water is forced through a special valve and swirls around the damaged quarter.

Although the experiment was limited, hydrotherapy cleared up or improved mastitis cases in five to 12 treatments. The date obtained, however, so far is insufficient for definite conclusions, but is quite "favorable."

The AVMA said the experimental work will continue.

World's Champion



Homestead Daisy Madcap has just smashed the world's butterfat production record, giving more than seven times the amount of milk obtained from an average cow. In the 365-day test she gave about 46 quarts of milk daily, containing enough butterfat to prepare more than five pounds of butter. Henry Duve, cattle superintendent at Carnation Dairy Farms, Carnation, Washington, is the handler.

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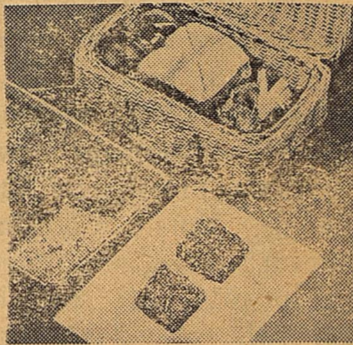
WOMAN'S WORLD

Good Box Lunch Is Nutritionally Complete, Filling

SCHOOL days bring youngsters back to full activity, and that means that Mom must be on the job too, with lunches that are complete nutritionally and satisfying, also.

Good box lunches should include a hot soup for the nippy days, fruit juice for not-so-cold days, a hearty sandwich or two, fresh fruit and a good tasting dessert. Pack a surprise in every lunch box, too, to keep it interesting such as a piece of candy, some special cookies, a gay napkin, stuffed celery, favorite pickles or even a small gift.

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they stay fresh and moist long after baking, and they're nourishing, too, because of the rolled oats:

Coconut-Pineapple Squares (Makes 20)

- ½ cup sifted enriched flour
- 1 teaspoon baking powder
- ¼ teaspoon salt
- ¼ cup shortening, soft
- 1 cup brown sugar
- 1 egg, unbeaten
- ½ cup drained, crushed pineapple
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- ½ cup rolled oats (quick, or old fashioned, uncooked)
- ¼ cup shredded coconut
- Few slices maraschino cherries

Sift together flour, baking powder and salt into a bowl. Add shortening, sugar, pineapple and vanilla and beat until smooth, about 10 minutes. Blend in rolled oats. Spread into a greased 7 x 11-inch

pan. Bake at 350° for 25 to 30 minutes. Cool thoroughly and cut into squares.

baking pan. Sprinkle coconut and cherries over top and press lightly into dough. Bake in a moderate (350°) oven for 25 to 30 minutes. Cool thoroughly and cut into squares.

Personal Daintiness Is a Daily Concern

Although bathing is done primarily for cleanliness, it can also add luxury, stimulation and a sense of restfulness to every woman who is truly desirous of being fastidious about her person.

There are soaps for every type of skin as well as lotions, perfumed salts and other bathing aids to make every bath a real joy. Choosing the aids which appeal most to you, as well as a proper time for the bath can make your daintiness a luxury instead of a drab task.

Wake Yourself Easily

Early morning baths or showers, especially for those who must be off to work, should be quick and stimulating. They're intended to remove sleep and sluggishness from the system.

Whether you take the tub or shower variety, have the water moderately hot. This makes soap lather freely and you can wash easily. Follow with a brisk cold splash, if you can take it, and dry briskly by rubbing to speed circulation.

You may not have time to apply lotion in the mornings, but a few pats of fragrant dusting powder will do wonders for your morale.

Pick-Up Bath

A "pick-me-up-bath" is wonderful if you want to relax after getting home from work, or after a trying, busy day around the house. They're excellent, too, when you're planning to go out for dinner and the evening.

For true refreshment, run hot water into the tub, add your bath salts and then let warm water run to the depth you want.

While the tub is filling, pin or tie back the hair. Wring out a pad of absorbent cotton in cold water and on this place cleansing cream to run over your neck to cleanse thoroughly. Wipe off with tissues, then use astringent on another pad for face and neck.

Make a lather of scented soap suds in the wash bowl and lather yourself all over. Now, step into the tub and just relax. When you feel calm and clean, get out slowly, wrap yourself in a big towel to absorb the water.

While your body is still moist, pat on your cologne or lotion, gently and easily. Use dusting powder if desired, as well as a deodorant.

Clean Air Cleaner

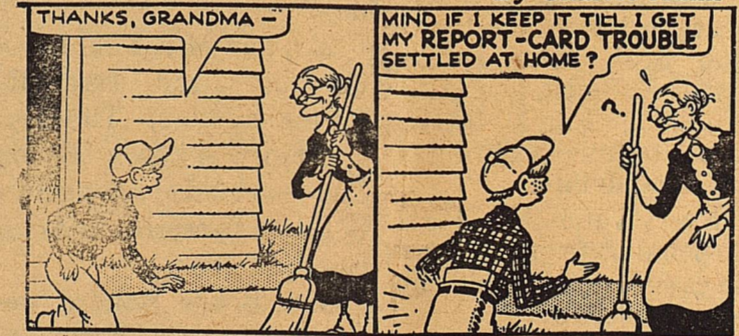
Working in dusty fields is hard on the tractor. Cleaning the air cleaner will aid efficient operation.

A mixture of vinegar and salt will help remove burned spots from iron skillets, pots and pans.

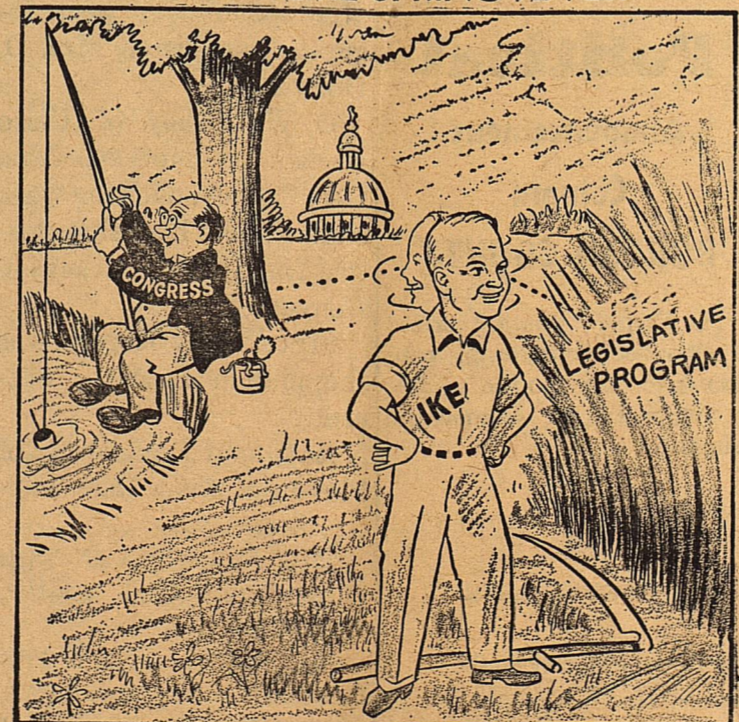
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Ye are bought with a price therefore glorify God in your body, and in your spirit, which are God's.—1 Corinthians 6:20.

Look up, and not down; out and not in; forward, and not backward; and lend a hand.—Edward Everett Hale.

A man's heart deviseth his way: but the Lord directeth his steps.—Prov. 16:9.

And the Lord said, Go in thy might... have not I sent thee?—Judges 6:14

All things, whatsoever ye ask in prayer, believing, ye shall receive.—Matthew 21:22.

When we cried unto the Lord, he heard our voice and sent an angel, and hath brought us forth out of Egypt.—Num. 20:16.

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All of your short news items in any community of the county will be appreciated. That means all over the county, town or country. This is your newspaper.

"Isn't it strange that prince and kings
And clowns that caper in sawdust rings
And common folks like you and me
Are builders for eternity?
To each is given a set of tools,
A hapless mass, and a book of rules
And each must build, ere life has flown,
A stumbling block, or a stepping stone."

The sunset on which we gaze
... is a sunrise on the other side of the world, and the vanishing days can take from us nothing that may not be restored by some day yet unborn. — Eliza Calvert Hall.

God delights to work miracles for his trusting ones; but only the babes in spirit (Matt. 11:25) walk closely enough with Him to see them.

The longer I live the more my mind dwells upon the beauty and the wonder of the world... The hum of the wind in the tree-tops has always been good music to me, and the face of the fields has often comforted me more than the faces of men. — John Burroughs.

"Difficulty is the very atmosphere of miracle—it is a miracle in its first stage. If it is to be a great miracle, the condition is not difficulty but impossibility."

Have you feared that God did not love you because He was leading you by a way that was full of difficulties and trials? Remember that He knoweth the way (Job 23:10), and that He can do the impossible.

"A true walk with God will do more to awaken awe, wonder and amazement in your soul than would a century of travel thru the sights of earth."

If ye forgive men their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you.—Matt. 6:14

There are many beautiful things on this earth, and a child of God sees in all of them the works of his Father's hands; but the spiritual vistas seen in secret communion with Him are even more entrancing.

No picture is admired which is all sunshine and brightness; it is the combination of light and shade which brings out the loveliness of the landscape.

Thus in the pathway of our lives, God has to combine sunshine and shadow, prosperity and adversity, and He promises to give us the treasures of darkness. Isa. 45:3.

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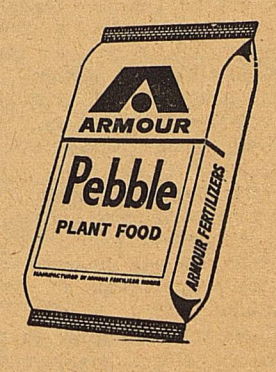
Your real life is your thoughts. Your thoughts are of your own making.
Your character is your own handiwork.
You have to be captain of your own destiny.
You have to see through your own eyes.
You have to solve your own problems.
You have to form your own ideals.
You have to steer your own course.
You have to educate yourself. Your success depends upon you.
Your happiness depends upon you.

You have to create your own ideas.
You must make your own decisions.
You must abide by the consequences of your acts.
You alone can regulate your habits and make or unmake your health.
You have to do your own thinking.
You have to live with your own conscience.
Your mind is yours and can be used only by you.
You may have spread before you the wisdom of the ages, but unless you absorb it you derive no benefit from it; no one can force it into your cranium.

HUMILITY
Nothing sets a person so on out of the devil's reach as his militiv—Jonathan Edwards.

News from the county agent's office or any business meetings arising from time to time is welcomed, whether the news is county wide or in some particular part of our county.

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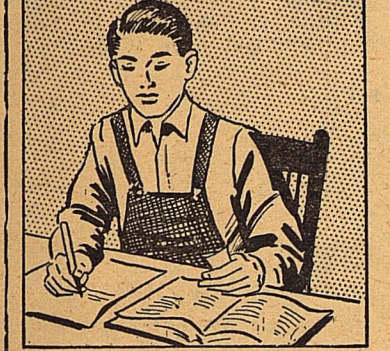


You Can Defeat Cost-Price Squeeze
There Are Many Ways To Keep Profits Up

The cost-price squeeze has many farmers in a bad spot. As a result some must take adjustment in their farming methods and thinking.

Here are a number of things a farmer can do to maintain profits:

1. Study market reports and the outlook information available in making future plans.
2. Look for places to cut cash expenses—but don't overdo it. You can still get machinery by trading fewer farm products than in 1939. Big machinery can be owned jointly with neighbors to cut overhead.
3. This is no time to "economize" on fertilizer. It is one of the farmer's "best buys".
4. Take advantage of every opportunity to qualify for a support-price unless it interferes with other good management practices.



The best way to find "soft" spots in your business is by a complete and adequate set of records. One operation may be making you money, but another may be losing you twice as much.

5. Keep a good set of records and study them carefully for the "soft" spots in your business.
6. A dollar spent to retire a debt is always a "good buy". But that can be carried to extremes. If your payments on short-term debts are burdensome and cut you short on operating capital, consider consolidating them into long term mortgage debt at lower interest rates.

Wormy Pigs Cost More to Produce

The University of Illinois reports it costs from three to four more bushels of corn to raise a wormy pig. In addition, it may take as much as an extra month to get wormy pigs to market weight.

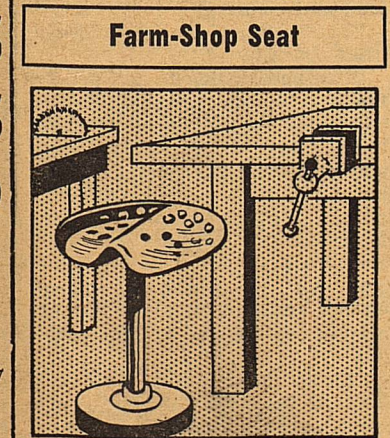
The key to raising worm-free pigs is to farrow them under sanitary conditions and keep them clean. These suggestions are recommended:

1. Put the sows in farrowing pens that have been thoroughly cleaned.
2. Wash the sows' udders before you put them in the pens.
3. Haul the sows and litters to pasture rather than letting them run down the same lane you have used year after year. The young pigs can easily pick up worm eggs from the dirt in the lane.
4. Use rotation pasture on ground that did not have pigs running on it the year before.

If you are certain that your pigs have worms, you can treat them by mixing 1 per cent of sodium fluoride in the mash ration for one day. However, if there is any doubt, a veterinarian should be consulted.

Most wormy pigs will not show visible signs of infection other than the slow-up in growth rate.

Farm Production
U. S. farm production for 1953, both crop and livestock, is expected to be about the same as the record set in 1952. Among livestock products, the largest increase in production is shown in cattle. Meanwhile cash receipts of the farmer from sales of products in the first half of 1953 were off 5 per cent from a year earlier.



Farm-Shop Seat

An old disc seat welded to an iron pipe and an old truck brake drum makes an excellent seat for a farm-shop bench. The iron pipe can be cut to any length to give desired height.

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A man of gentle kindness was Ralph Waldo Emerson. Of him it has been said: "He never forgot to be genuinely courteous." Once someone apologized to the great philosopher for having taken possession of his study for a little while; whereupon Emerson replied: "It will be all the brighter that you have thought it worth coming to."

If any of you—anywhere in Borden County—have news that we might publish, please write it clearly as possible and mail to The Round-Up, Gail, Texas.

God is glorified, not by our groans but our thanksgivings; and all good thought and good action claim a natural alliance with good cheer.—Edwin Percy Whipple.

The name 'Magdalene' is derived from the Galilean village of Magdala, which is situated near Tiberias on the shores of the Sea of Galilee.

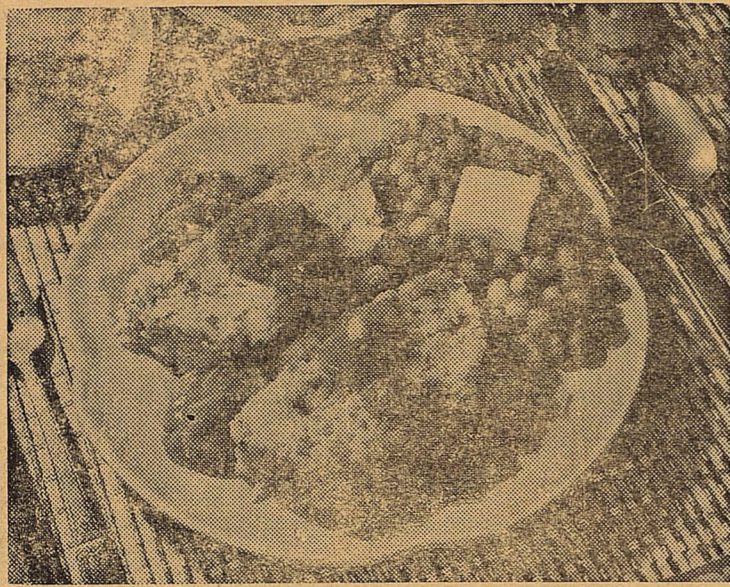
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Really Delightful Eating — Easy Egg Loaf With Quick Creole Sauce

Something special for a main dish in this egg loaf. Mighty pretty to look at too, and oh, so good!

This loaf is so easy to make that you won't just save it for a party but will have it as a menu standby. Colorful to look at, this is a main dish which will entice the most listless eater to help himself to second servings. The tasty sauce is just the right compliment for this inexpensive and wonderful tasting egg loaf.

INGREDIENTS FOR LOAF

- 1 egg, beaten
- 4 cups hot cooked white rice
- ½ cup chopped whole canned pimiento
- ½ cup grated sharp cheese
- 1½ cups grated American cheese
- 4 hard cooked eggs, coarsely diced
- ½ teaspoon salt
- ½ teaspoon pepper
- 1 tablespoon butter or margarine

INGREDIENTS FOR CREOLE SAUCE

- ¼ cup butter or margarine (½ stick)
- ½ cup chopped onion
- ½ cup chopped green pepper
- 2 tablespoons flour
- ½ cup water
- 1, No. 2 can tomatoes
- 1 teaspoon salt
- ½ teaspoon pepper

QUICK METHOD FOR COOKING FLUFFY, WHITE RICE:

- To make 6 cups of white, fluffy, perfectly cooked rice:
1. Put 2 cups uncooked white rice, 4 cups cold water and 2 teaspoons salt into a 2-quart saucepan and bring to a vigorous boil.
 2. Turn the heat as low as possible. Cover the saucepan with a lid. Do not remove lid or stir rice while it is cooking.
 3. Leave saucepan over this low heat for 14 minutes. Turn heat off. The rice is now ready to use. However, leave

the cover on the saucepan to keep the rice warm if you are not ready to use it immediately.

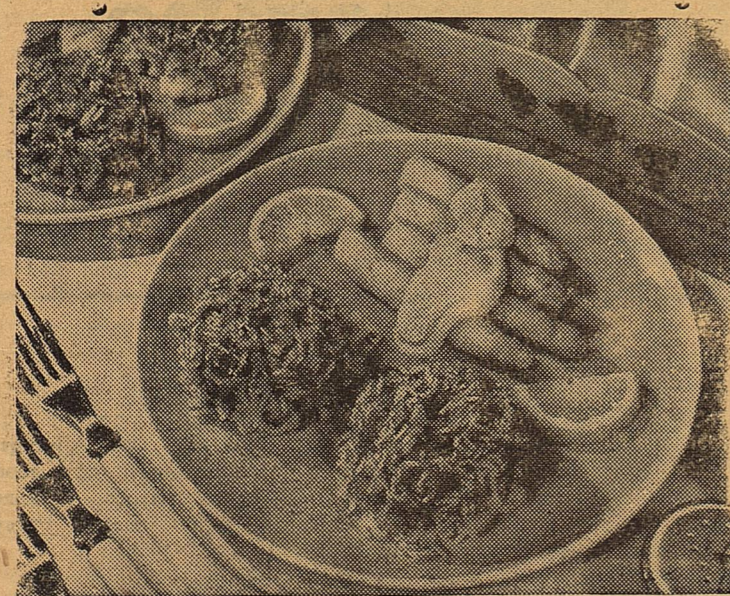
For extra fluffy, tender, separate grains—allow the rice to steam for an additional 10 minutes—with heat off, but without removing lid.

The above will make slightly more cooked rice than is needed for this recipe. Keep the balance of the ready-cooked rice in the refrigerator in a covered container. You'll find it mighty handy for adding to many quick, delicious and inexpensive soups, salads, casserole dishes, hot breads and desserts.

METHOD FOR PREPARING THE LOAF: Mix together the beaten egg, rice, pimiento, cheese, hard cooked eggs, salt and pepper. Thoroughly grease a loaf pan (9¼" x 5¼" x 2¼"). Be careful to grease the bottom thoroughly. Cut up the 1 tablespoon of butter or margarine and distribute it over the bottom of the loaf pan. Pack the rice into the loaf pan. Press in firmly. It is important that the rice mixture be well packed into the loaf pan. Place in a preheated 350°F. oven and bake for 45 minutes. Remove from the oven. Cut around the edges to loosen the loaf from the sides of the pan. Place the serving platter over the loaf pan. Invert pan and platter together. Lift pan off the platter.

METHOD FOR PREPARING CREOLE SAUCE: Melt the butter or margarine in a sauce pan over a low heat. Add the onion and green pepper and cook, stirring occasionally, until the onion is tender. Place the flour in one corner of the saucepan. Gradually blend the butter or margarine into the flour. Cook, stirring, several minutes. Gradually add the water, stirring constantly. Gradually add the tomatoes. Add the salt and pepper. Cook until thickened. If the tomatoes do not have very much juice, add additional water to make the sauce the desired degree of thickness.

Serve the sauce over and around the loaf or in a separate dish. This recipe makes 9 servings.



Rice and Salmon Porcupines

- INGREDIENTS:**
- ½ cup uncooked rice
 - 1, 16-ounce can salmon and liquid
 - ½ cup grated carrot
 - 1 egg
 - 2 tablespoons finely chopped onion
 - ¼ teaspoon curry powder
 - ½ teaspoon salt
 - ½ teaspoon pepper
 - 1, 10½-ounce can cream of mushroom soup
 - 1½ cups water

METHOD: Mix together the rice, salmon, carrots, egg, onion, curry powder, salt and pepper. Press the mixture into six balls. Place in a greased baking dish allowing space between, since balls expand during cooking. Mix together the soup and water and heat to boiling. Pour over the rice and salmon balls. If a very large baking dish is used, almost all of the soup mix-

ture may be poured over the balls. But if the dish is somewhat small and shallow, use only half of the soup mixture since it is likely to cook over the sides of the dish. Cover baking dish and place in a preheated 350°F. oven. Bake about 1 to 1¼ hours or until the visible rice is tender. Pour more soup over the balls as the rice absorbs the liquid. Serve with additional sauce made of mushroom soup plus water, if desired. This recipe makes 6 porcupines. Porcupine meat balls may be made with ground beef as well as with salmon. Uncooked rice and beef are mixed together and during the baking, the grains of rice absorb moisture and pop through the surface to make "white quills." These little fellows, porcupines, are certain to please and satisfy every family.

SHORT STORY

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Revenge

By Louie E. Spivey

JIM was dead. She had planned it all very carefully, and Mary smiled inwardly as the police sergeant directed the dragging of the river. They would find him shortly. They had to. But there was no way the police would know she had killed him. He had been doped and dragged into the car. No one saw her. At the edge of the cliff she had slit a hole in a tire that blew to bits.

The sergeant came towards her. "Mrs. Smith," he said, "We've dragged every inch of the river in this area. Are you sure he was in the car when it plunged into the river?"

"Positive," she looked up, her eyes tear-dimmed. "How could I be mistaken over something like that?"

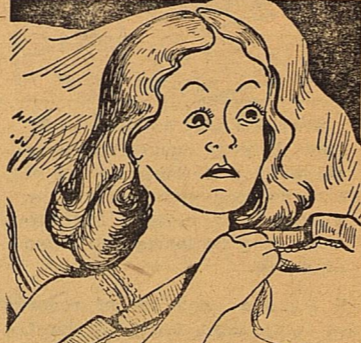
"Well—I dunno. We've got the car, you know, and he's no where near."

"A door must have come open and let him fall out when he hit the water."

"Could be. But I'm thinking that he might have jumped out of the car when he saw it was going over the bank."

"Could that have happened? No! She knew Jim was out cold when that car went over the bank."

"It's getting late, Mrs. Smith. You need some rest. I'll get in



Somebody or something was coming up the stairs! She heard the steps above the crashing of the wind and rain.

touch with you as soon as I find the body—if I find it." The sergeant ended on a note of uncertainty.

She was bitter as she left the scene. Where was Jim's body? The insurance company would hold up payment until the body was found. And she was sure he would be found in the car just as he had been left—under the wheel where she had pulled him as she jumped out.

But he couldn't be alive. Would the water have any effect on bringing him out of his stupor?

Sleep—that was what she needed. Once she arrived at the large house that had been hers and Jim's she went immediately to the bedroom and fell across the bed. She was aware of a slight peel of thunder in the distance as she lost consciousness.

The roar of the storm brought her out of her slumber with a start. But above the roar of the storm she thought she heard another noise. The front door? Had she forgotten to lock it? Jim! No, she was only scared.

There—there it was again! Somebody or something was coming up the stairs! She heard the steps above the crashing of the wind and rain. It had to be Jim! He wasn't dead! He was coming for revenge!

She tried to scream. She only uttered a hoarse cry. The steps stopped at her door! Then slowly it began to open. The lightning outlined a man's head.

"Jim! Jim! I didn't do it! It was an accident!" she wailed.

The man just stood.

"All right, Jim—I did it!" she suddenly broke down. "But don't kill me. You're all right now. You'll live. Don't hurt me, Jim. I love you. Don't do it. We'll go away together. I'll forget about the insurance. Honest, I will. Listen to me, Jim. Please, say something. Tell me you will. Don't just stand there! Jim! Jim!"

"Where's the light switch, Mrs. Smith?" the sergeant's voice was loud and clear.

"You!" Mary was bewildered. "But—but why—?"

"I've been trying to call you for the past several minutes. But the storm has downed all the telephone lines. Since there was no other way of getting the message to you about our finding your husband's body, I decided to bring it to you in person. The door downstairs was unlocked and the bell didn't ring loud enough to bring you out of that slumber, so I took the liberty of coming on up. Good that I did."

"Funny how things work out, isn't it, Mrs. Smith? Had I not come up here I would never have suspected murder. One's conscious has a queer way of acting sometimes, doesn't it?"

WOMAN'S WORLD

Get Longer Life, Better Service From Your Appliances

If you've been plagued with many electrical repairs for appliances, resolve to take better care of them in the future.

That dreadful buzzing sound which your vacuum cleaner starts making spells trouble usually, and trouble which might have been saved if you'd just picked up loose hairpins, marbles, buttons or string before starting to use it.

This and other simple measures add longer life and better service to appliances.

Protect Electric Cords

Do you have an electric cord to disconnect? Don't pull it out of the socket by gripping the cord. Hold the plug and pull. Should the plug stick, and they sometimes do, if the cord has been plugged in for any length of time, rock the plug gently from side to side, pulling gently as you do so.

Electric cords to your irons can amount to a great deal of money if you're careless about them. Not only can you pull the cord loose from the plug, but the cord frays because of its use.

Remove the cord from the iron by gripping the plug rather than the socket, just as in the case of a cord attached to a wall outlet.

A cup hook, a piece of cord and a plumb weight can be attached to the wall where you iron to hold the ironing cord out of the way while you iron. This will still give free play when you need the cord at different locations on the ironing board.

Overloading Appliances

One of the major appliances to be overloaded frequently is the washing machine. Either weigh the load or check in some receptacle like a basket so that you can avoid making the machine work too hard. The manufacturer usually gives specifications as to the weight the machines does efficiently.

You can overload the refrigerator with ice if you don't defrost regularly. This may, of course, vary with the season. When the frost becomes a quarter of an inch thick, it's time to defrost!

Always wipe spilled foods or grease from the gasket or rubber seal around the door. Keep your fingers off the rubber when you open the door so it does not become sticky.



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Fresh Berries Give Glamor to Desserts

Strawberries are the first of the lovely berries to arrive, bringing with them a colorful magic to your table. Use them whole and sugared for simple desserts, combine with other fruits for salad, or mold them into delicious pastries for supremely luscious desserts.

Here's a modern version of an old-fashioned strawberry cream pie made with fresh strawberries, coconut and packaged vanilla pudding.

Strawberry Cream Pie

- 1 package vanilla pudding and pie filling mix
 - 2 cups milk
 - 1 baked 8 or 9-inch pastry shell
 - 1 cup fresh, sliced strawberries
 - ½ cup heavy cream, whipped
- Place pie filling in saucepan. Add milk gradually, blending well

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