



Turner And Brooks Purchase Master Cleaners Here

On Monday, Aug. 12, The Master Cleaners opened under the new management of Mr. J. R. Turner and Mrs. J. V. Brooks...

The new owners state that they intend to continue doing business in the same efficient manner...

Softball Title Playoff Next Week

The McCamey V. F. W. softball team, hot shot victors over Midland and San Angelo...

Fourth place winner was decided Thursday night, when West Texas, tied with Davis Bakery...

The four leading teams will meet next week to determine the league champion for the 1946 season.

Final standings, with the exception of Thursday night's game are as follows:

Table with 4 columns: Team, W, L, Pct. Rows include V. F. W., Shell, Moody Well Svc., Davis Bakery, West Texas, Oilers, Rec. Dept., Rio Pecos.

Cooper-Halamicek Well Comes In

Dr. James Cooper and "Doc" E. P. Halamicek are now "oil magnets." Their well, located on Hinds lease...

Halamicek said the well has not been tested yet to see how many barrels a day it would yield.

Softball Fever Runs High In Rankin

The softball fever is reaching an extremely high level in Rankin, according to Rev. R. L. Herring, an old softball pitcher.

Rev. Herring says the Continental Oil Co., fire department, Santa Fe and another oil company all have teams playing.

Paul Ashby, Rankin coach, has been serving as director of the program.

Rankin 4-H Club Meeting Held

The Rankin 4-H Club met on Wednesday, Aug. 7. The Club was organized with Fields Branch as Acting President.

The Club adjourned with plans to meet again when school starts. Those present were Tommy Chambers, Amaryllis Harral, L. B. Wartenbach, Mona S. Branch, Fields Branch and Frank Smith.

Taylor-Brasher Rites Read At San Angelo Tuesday, August 6th

Miss Ann Taylor and Bobby Brasher were united in marriage on Tuesday, Aug. 6, by Rev. Crenshaw, pastor of the Church of Christ in San Angelo.

The bride wore an aqua street length dress with white and black accessories and her corsage was of white carnations.

Rankin Recreational Program In Full Swing

The Recreation Program for Rankin sponsored by the county and under the direction of Mr. Paul Astby, is in full swing with a great deal of interest being shown.

V. F. W. Softball Player Has Bad Ankle Sprain

M. J. Crow, pitcher for the V. F. W. Softball Club, has a bad ankle sprain as a result of the game Saturday night with a San Angelo ball club.

Think You Have Troubles? What about the people who are really handicapped--those without arms or legs?

Pair Of Locations And Potential Field At Local Commission

Applications for two locations for the Todd field in Crockett County and a potential in the McCamey field in Upton County were filed with the local Railroad Commission early this week.

Continental Oil Co. filed for No. 33 Todd 669 feet from the S and E lines of sec. 28-WX-GC&SF, the test being contracted to 6,500 feet with a rotary and cable tools to start Aug. 17.

The test will be a quarter mile east offset to the same company's No. 30 and a quarter mile south of Continental No. 31.

The potential was filed for Rutter and Wilbanks Brea. No. 1 Rogers in the McCamey field. The well, 330 from the S, 990 feet from E lines of the 160-acre lease, sec. 4-3-GC&SF, made 66 barrels of 30 gravity oil in a 24-hour pumping test after acidizing with 1,000 gallons of acid July 30.

Jack Carr Wins Two Second Places In Motorcycle Races

Jack Carr won second place in two motorcycle races Sunday, Aug. 11, in San Angelo.

Jack rode in Class A and placed in the first two races in which he rode. He was in second place in the semi-finals when he fell from his motorcycle, which eliminated him from the finals.

Baptists To Begin Revival Meeting

The First Baptist Church of Rankin will begin a revival meeting on Sunday, Aug. 18, and continue through Wednesday, Aug. 22.

Some Interesting Facts On Texas Marines

From the office the re-training and re-employment administrator at the Department of Labor came a request for some interesting facts about Marines of Texas.

There are two Marine Generals from Texas, Brigadier General Oliver D. Smith of Menard, and Brigadier General Ford C. Roger of Waco.

During the month of June, Texas recruited 312 new Marines or 1-5 of all Leathernecks accepted in the U. S. during that month by the recruiting service.

McCAMEY SHORTS

"Pappy" Rogers is leaving for Los Angeles this week to stay for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Johnson and Kenneth are vacationing in San Antonio and Floresville.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rambo visited in Brownwood last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Thomason visited in Brownwood last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Stribling visited their daughter, Mrs. W. S. Kendall of Cisco recently.

Mrs. James Cooper and Judy, and Mr. and Mrs. Ogden Whitley went to Ozona last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carr attended the motorcycle races in San Angelo Sunday, Aug. 11.

Miss Joan Randel of Crane visited with Ginger Culwell last week end.

Dewey Jones and Mark Heasley were in San Angelo Thursday, Aug. 8, on business.

Mrs. G. W. Huffman left on Tuesday, Aug. 13, for Amarillo, to attend the THPA State Convention.

Mrs. Fred Gibson was in Ft. Stockton Sunday, Aug. 11, attending the funeral of a life-long friend, Waldo Williams.

Shirley Cullins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cullins, had a tonsillectomy Monday morning, Aug. 12.

Mrs. Marion Crew and son, M. J., visited her daughter, Mrs. Harold Jackson, in Monahans on Tuesday, Aug. 13.

Arthur and Lorraine Fleming, Ted and Jim Thornton, Johnny Spain, "Lib" James and Billy Weinland went to Odessa Sunday to play golf.

Mrs. H. R. Irvine and son, Robert, of New Orleans, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Irvine in the Humble Camp. They are on their way to El Paso and Phoenix.

Ernest Linsey and Ralph Brown went on a two-day trip to Abilene last week end to look over Herdin Simmons. Ralph may go to school there this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Jordan of Casey visited last week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Patterson. They have also been visiting in Midland.

Mrs. R. L. Brown is going to Fort Worth visiting George C. Allen. Her sister from Alabama will meet Mrs. Brown in Lubbock, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bick Tipton returned Friday, Aug. 9, from a vacation trip to Coleman and to Central Texas, where they visited Mrs. Tipton's relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Edwards, Marie, Eddie Mae Hogg, Faye Williams, Emma and her daughter, Carolyn Sue, went to Red Bluff to meet some friends last week end.

Amon Bailey of Graham spent last week with Howard Wolf. Saturday Howard returned to Graham with Willie to spend a few days swimming and fishing at the Possum Kingdom Lake.

Mrs. Johnnie Hyde and children, Billy Mac, Darla and Johnnie, are visiting relatives in Abilene. Mr. Hyde will leave the 19th to spend his two weeks vacation there with them.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Hendrix and daughter, Holly June Hendrix, of Crowley, La., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Braly Monday night, Aug. 12. Holly June is Mrs. Braly's niece.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd W. Nickson from Lake Charles, La., are spending a few days with the Oliver Jacobsens. Fred K. Willman of Abilene was a guest of the Jacobsens last week.

Jane Brown returned Sunday, Aug. 11, from Missouri, where she has been attending Western Union School. Jane is leaving Wednesday, Aug. 21, for Del Rio to take Manager's Training Course.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whaley have recently returned from a vacation trip in Bonham where they visited Mr. Whaley's mother, Mrs. D. C. Whaley. Mr. Whaley states that he did some fishing while he was away, but had no luck to brag about.

Crane Legionnaires To Play McCamey V. F. W. Ball Team

The Crane American Legion softball team, city champions of Crane and one time winner over the West Texas Champion Gulf Oilers of Odessa, will journey to McCamey Saturday night, Aug. 17, to take on the McCamey VFW nine, present leaders of the McCamey Softball League and winners of their last 15 games including a 7 to 5 decision over the San Angelo All-Stars.

The game will be played on the City Softball Diamond of McCamey and will begin at 8:30 o'clock.

A return game to be played in Crane will be announced at a later date.

Rankin Residences Being Remodeled

The Tommy L. Stephensons and L. Z. Titsworths are remodeling residences for their own occupancy in Rankin. The Stephensons are taking possession of their new home this week and Supt. and Mrs. Still and family are moving to Rankin to occupy the residence vacated by the Stephensons. The Stills come to Rankin from Meadows, Texas.

Texas 4-H Round-Up At College Station August 27 Through 30

The Texas 4-H Round-Up will be held at College Station, Texas, Aug. 27 through the 30th, according to Dorothy L. Snelling, County Home Demonstration Agent, and W. O. Adams, County Agricultural Agent. This will be the first state round-up since 1941.

Two boys and two girls will be selected from each county on a basis of accomplishment in 4-H Club work and who were 14 years of age on Aug. 1, 1946.

Those boys and girls will be accompanied by two adult leaders, County Agricultural Agents and Home Demonstration Agents from every county in Texas. From Upton County those attending are: Elmer House, Florence O'Callaghan, Frank Smith and Fields Branch. They will be accompanied by their adult leaders, Mrs. J. R. O'Callaghan and Buddy Calcutte.

A three-day program of instruction and entertainment is in store for the 1,200 boys and girls who will take part in the Round-Up. J. P. Schmidt, Supervisor of Farmers Institutes and Professor of Rural Sociology Extension with the University of Ohio, will be on hand to conduct leadership training for the adults and to direct panel discussions. Iris Davenport, representative from Southern Agricultural Magazine, will instruct the Club girls.

Classes for girls will include handicraft, good grooming and making corsages. Boys will receive instruction in beef and dairy cattle, swine, poultry, sheep and goats. Outstanding boys and girls will participate in panel discussions under the direction of Prof. Schmidt.

People from McCamey attending the softball game in San Angelo Saturday were Mrs. Harry Williamson, Mrs. Earl Stribling, Mrs. Helen Harding, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Walton, Mrs. J. E. Alexander and Mrs. Marye McColium.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleatus H. Brooks are the proud parents of a baby boy, Michael Francis, who was born Saturday, Aug. 10, at 5:09 p. m. in the Cooper Hospital. The baby weighed eight pounds and five ounces. Mrs. Brooks is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. McNamara.

Bring Back The Chaperon! A novelist with two daughters of her own says other parents should see to it that their daughters have less freedom. Read Taylor Caldwell's story in The American Weekly, the magazine distributed with next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

Annual Hilltop Meeting Held By Masonic Lodges Of West Texas, Aug. 10

V. F. W. Auxiliary Observes V-J Day With Silver Tea

The Women's Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars held a Silver Tea at the Girl Scout House from 4 to 6, Wednesday, Aug. 14, in observance of the first anniversary of V-J Day.

The highlight of the afternoon was a display featuring war souvenirs from many foreign lands that were brought back from overseas by Upton County servicemen. These souvenirs completely filled the Little House. So unique in nature was it that the Auxiliary plans to exhibit these souvenirs again in the near future with an even better display, in order that those who did not get to attend the tea will again have the opportunity to see them.

Beatrice Wolf played piano selections throughout the afternoon while many attended this occasion.

Wagon To Be New Badger Football Coach For 1946-47

Glen B. Wagon of San Angelo has recently been elected coach for the Badgers for the coming school year. Wagon has just recently been discharged from the service, during which time he was coach of football and basketball at Camp Pickett, Va., for two years. Upon entering the service in 1941, he attended the Washington and Lee University Army School for Athletic Directors. He attained the rank of major before his release in 1946.

Wagon was a letterman in football, basketball and track in San Angelo High School in 1932 and 1933, and at Daniel Baker College in 1934, 35, 36, 37. He has several years of coaching experience, having been head coach at Hutto High School for two years, head coach at Big Lake one year prior to entry into the service in 1941, and head coach of Army football, basketball, etc. at Camp Pickett, Va., for two years.

City Water Department Buys Transite Pipe

The City of McCamey Water Department has purchased 24,000 feet of ten-inch Johns-Manville Transite Pipe to replace the present six-inch line from the booster station into the city.

The pipe is due to be delivered during the first quarter of 1947. When this ten-inch pipe is installed, it will triple the present supply of water in the city. The maximum supply of water available now is approximately 325,000 gallons daily.

No bond issue will be necessary as payment is to be made out of the general fund. It is believed that twice the volume of water to be furnished the user will be double the present volume at the present cost.

Dr. McClish To Locate In McCamey

Dr. T. B. McClish, chiropractor and naturopath, plans to open an office in the building formerly occupied by the Cash Liquor Store around the first of the month.

Dr. McClish has previously been located in San Angelo for the past 15 months. He has had 15 years of practice in this business. When he opens his office, he will have all complete equipment necessary in his line of work.

Dr. McClish will move here with his wife in the near future.

MASONS FROM 18 STATES, 1 FOREIGN COUNTRY, 143 LODGES PRESENT; G. J. W. HUGH M. CRAIG MAIN SPEAKER FOR NIGHT

The annual open air Hill Top meeting of the Masonic Lodges of West Texas was held Saturday night, Aug. 10, between McCamey and Crane. These meetings were inaugurated in 1931 and had an attendance of 300 for that year. This was the first meeting of this kind to be held since the beginning of the war, since this traditional occasion sponsored by all lodges in this area was discontinued during the war. They were resumed this year upon special dispensation from the Grand Master, Pat M. Neff, to do so.

143 lodges were represented. Masons attended from one foreign county, Bermuda, and 18 different states with total attendance reaching a high of 1043.

A barbecue supper was served the crowd at 6 p. m. following which the meeting took place at 8 o'clock in the moonlight.

The Master Mason's Degree was conferred on Harold Pettit of Crane. Those from this section serving on the team that conferred this degree were Worshipful Master George Maley of Rankin and Senior Deacon Ray Puckett of McCamey.

The main speaker for the occasion was Grand Junior Warden Hugh M. Craig of the Grand Lodge of Texas of Fort Worth, Texas, who brought greetings from Grand Master, Hon. Pat Neff, of Waco.

Those attending this meeting from McCamey were as follows: I. P. Bearden, Johnny Summerhill, J. M. Reeves, J. H. Estes, Ott Haley, W. A. Holmes, Mack Strong and wife, Jack Elms, G. C. Pauley and wife, H. E. Sharp, C. C. Hawks, W. A. Hampton, Ray Puckett, Jimmy Cozzins, J. A. Taylor, J. W. Gaddy, S. R. Braly, C. B. Lee and wife, W. D. Stacy, C. S. Bond, L. R. James, Jr., W. E. Boyett, Chet Baird and wife, Willard Simpson, C. E. Horton, J. E. Burk, W. R. Tierce, I. L. Edwards and wife, Tom Simmons, J. E. Jones, G. H. Fisher, H. S. Huffaker, Jess Fincher, Carl Kedora, Wilbur Harris, O. O. Clark, D. J. Napier, and T. A. Rowell.

Those attending from Rankin were as follows: Messrs. Geo. A. Maley, W. H. Burleson, Rev. R. L. Herring, Tom Workman, Dunn Lowery.

Those attending from Iraan were as follows: Messrs. G. W. Chapman, H. N. Sandel, G. W. Cooley, W. R. Lanehart, J. W. Whitley, Val Gohmert, R. C. Miller, H. J. Hudson, Claude Arnold, G. H. Butler, E. L. Cowart, S. S. Smith, C. McGhee, Jack Davidson, B. A. Copass, Frankie Johnson, O. O. Holladay, Earl Winn, C. C. Schweikhardt, D. H. Edwards, T. N. Hesson, Bill Hull, Chick Dorris, M. M. Johnson, B. C. Lauderdale, C. B. Whitefield, O. J. King, Bill Estes, J. J. Ward, A. C. Beckham, Whitey Dukes, J. P. McConnell, Harry Parrott, Clyde Alexander, D. O. Elrod, Barney Lee, Oscar Cabe, C. S. Wood, H. E. Coburn of Alpine, J. B. Hilliard, Geo. Bevins, J. H. Livingston, Carl Bowman and Cecil Starr attended from Iraan Lodge No. 1267.

(Ed. Note: Names of Crane Masons were not available at press time. Will publish these names next week.)

C. E. Harris' Have Visitors

Visitors in the C. E. Harris home for the past week included Mrs. W. E. Harris and daughters, Lou Beth and Kay of Corpus Christi; Mrs. A. A. Fajkus and daughter, Jaynett of San Antonio; Miss Joyce Armistead of Ft. Stockton and Miss Barbara Harris of Odessa.

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RUMORS

Rumor is a vicious instrument. Many times, during recent months, we have urged that individuals hearing rumors investigate them fully before repeating them, even to personal friends.

Rumor can do great harm, in most cases unjustly. Rumor can cause suffering.

Currently, a rumor affecting one of the candidates for Sheriff has swept the county. According to the tellers of this tale, this candidate, presently serving as City Secretary, personally ramrodded F. D. "Shorty" Belcher into the position of McCamey Chief of Police.

Since this is a mild type of dirty politics, we wish to take exception. The writer of this editorial attended the Council meeting at which Belcher was made Chief of Police. The City Secretary did not open his mouth, even to sneeze, during the time that the change in Belcher's status was discussed and voted upon.

Secondly, the City Secretary does not have a vote in Council meetings.

Once again, we urge that you investigate rumor before passing it on to your neighbor, if you have to pass it on at all. You will eliminate a great deal of suffering and injustice.

Summer Recreational Program

FINANCIAL STATEMENT
SUMMER OF 1946
Milton L. Bryant, Director.

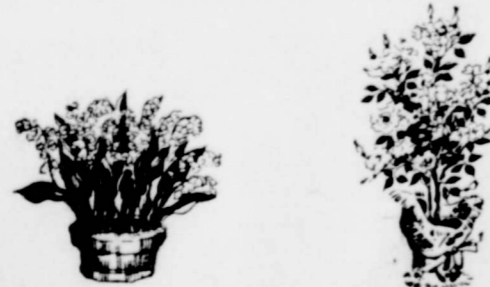
INCOME:	
County of Upton	\$300.00
City of McCamey	300.00
McCamey Ind. School Dist.	300.00
Contribution by Individual	5.00
TOTAL INCOME	\$905.00
DISBURSEMENTS:	
Milton Bryant, salary	\$562.50
Boxing Equipment	70.85
Striking Bags and Equipment	62.47
Softball Equipment	84.79
Miscellaneous	2.84
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REGIONAL ROUNDUP
BY JAMES CARLL

Two additional cabin rooms have been made ready for occupancy in the Basin, Big Bend National Park, recently. These are in addition to the four house-keeping cottages built several years ago.

The cabin rooms are 16 feet square and are fitted with double beds, dresser, chairs, vanity seat, wash basin, etc., and all linens are furnished. No cooking is permitted in the cabins, however. Rents range from \$2.50 per day for one person to \$5 for five occupants.

Eight more cabins are being made ready as rapidly as possible—at the rate of one every two days—and furniture will be moved into them as fast as the paint dries.

Limited meal service is also being provided at the Basin with a capacity of up to 10 to 15 person at one time. Rates are 75c for breakfast and \$1.25 for the other two meals.

A comfort station to service the cabin rooms is being provided, but at present only outside pit toilet is available.

Rodeo fans of West Texas will see some of the top hands in the roping business in action in the two-day show planned at Ozona Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 17 and 18. The celebration is sponsored by the Crockett County Fair

Association and is one of the oldest summer events in this area.

This year's show will feature calf roping, team tying, cutting horse contests, girls' flag races, girls' barrel races, boys' calf roping, boys' calf riding, and a number of special matched ropings between outstanding calf ropers of the area. A \$500 gray trailer is being offered as a prize to the winner of the best two-day time in the various girls' events.

Dancing Friday and Saturday evenings, Aug. 16 and 17 are expected to draw large crowds. Harrison's Texans of San Angelo will furnish music.

Good local rains and showers were reported in a number of localities of the Big Bend-Davis Mountains area the past week, the first moisture of any consequence in some spots since last June.

A total of about one inch fell in the Marathon section last week end and a good rain was reported south of Alpine.

A heavy rain fell in the Alpine area Wednesday afternoon, with a downpour west of that town, extending as far as Paisano. A good rain was also reported in Ft. Davis, down Limpia Canyon and south to the Henderson Ranch Wednesday.

The 26th annual session of the Paisano Baptist Encampment, said by many to have been the most outstanding one in its his-

tory, closed with the services held last Sunday night.

Actual registration during the session, which opened Monday of last week, was 1900 with many more attending one or more services who did not register.

427 were enrolled at the boys and girls camp, held in conjunction with the encampment.

About \$16,000 was subscribed to defray expenses of the encampment this year and to make needed improvements on the grounds before the next session.

Improvements for the coming year include a complete overhaul of the encampment's lighting distribution system and extension of sewer disposal lines. Forty new cabins will also be built if materials are available.

It was voted to hold the boys and girls camps separately next year—boys, the week of June 23—in order to relieve congestion during the regular encampment session.

Fragments of a meteorite which fell in a swimming pool at the Forker and Catto Ranch southeast of Marathon about 1:15 p. m. last Friday have been recovered, it was learned here yesterday. A Mexican employee saw the meteorite fall into the pool near the house and later the pool was drained and a fragment weighing 29 pounds and a few smaller pieces were found.

H. H. Morse and O. E. Monnig of Texas Observers, Ft. Worth, were notified of the meteorite

and came to investigate. They had a boy dive for the meteorite and he came up with the main part of the mass which weighed 104 pounds, making a total of 140 pounds of the meteorite recovered.

The two scientists are interested in finding persons who saw the meteor as it flashed across the sky, asking that any such person notify them at 1010 Morningside Drive, Ft. Worth.

Plans have been made for another antelope hunt this year in the Trans-Pecos Country of Texas.

The State Game, Fish and Oyster Commission scheduled hunting dates as follows: Brewster, Reeves, Pecos, Jeff Davis counties, 1, 2 and 3; Presidio and Jeff Davis counties, Oct. 5, 6 and 7; Hudspeth and Culberson counties, Oct. 9, 10 and 11.

The bag limit will be one buck antelope.

The deadline for applications in the Austin office is Sept. 1.

Each participating landowner is authorized to assign 20 per cent of the permits to his ranch to any one he wishes. He is also authorized to charge not more than \$40 for each hunter assigned to his ranch. This arrangement is to provide some recompense for livestock forage consumed by antelopes on the range.

Landowners of the Upper Pecos Soil Conservation District on Monday night heard supervisors

of the district and other conservation workers discuss practical methods of improving ranges, controlling erosion and conserving moisture.

Talks on those general topics were made at an educational meeting of the district conducted in the county court house by Chairman Neil Thompson. Other supervisors present were Walter Burkholder, Barstow, and Alva Carpenter, Grandfalls.

Thompson, County Agent Ted Johnston, Billie Prewitt, a supervisor of the Toyar-Limpia district, and Carl Eminger of the Soil Conservation Service, were speakers on the program. Eminger discussed vegetation condition classes and other practices that apply to the district, using grass specimens to illustrate his remarks.

At the conclusion of the meeting, Fern Tatum, Monahans, Johnnie Wilson, Barstow, and J. E. Echols, Barstow, requested aid from the district on their ranch conservation measures.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hutton are leaving Aug. 17 on vacation to Arkansas.

Mrs. F. R. Barnett has as her guests this week, her sister, Mrs. Ackman, and son, Dicki, from Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ellis and family, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brown went to Fort Davis and Alpine over the week end.

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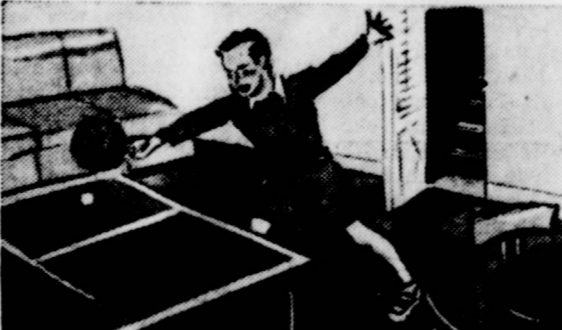
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State Health Officer Discusses Danger Of Inflation

AUSTIN, Tex.—In discussing the possible danger of inflation to the American way of life, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, has declared that he believes one phase of this menace which should not be overlooked is the danger of inflation in the incidence of disease.

"Just because we have won a war is no reason why we should allow the disease and death rates in the country to become higher than in recent peacetimes," Dr. Cox said. "Indeed, it is an urgent reason why we should sharply reduce these rates among our people and use every effort to keep the health levels among our civilian and military population at their highest possible peak."

The State Health Officer emphasized again, as he has often done in the past, the necessity for using the more easily accessible, common sense safeguards of health. Immunization against several of the more killing diseases is available at little or no cost. Such protection should not be neglected and the person who allows himself or his family to suffer from a preventable illness is, whether he realizes it or not, actually handicapping the nation's reconversion effort. Another health precaution which can and should be practiced in every home and community is

careful sanitation; clean clothes, a clean body, and clean home environments do much to prevent the appearance of illness in the home and the same sanitation practiced throughout the community will help to insure the good health of that community.

"Good, wholesome, nourishing foods, home and community sanitation, and the protection afforded by immunization can do a lot to prevent the needless inflation of the disease and death rates in this country," Dr. Cox asserted.

New Books Now On Library Shelves

According to Mrs. O. K. Furr, city librarian, the following new books have been added to the library:

- Then and Now Year One
- This Side of Innocence Our Own Kind
- Dutchess Hotspur
- Straw In The South Wind
- Snip, Snap, Snurr, and the Red Shoes.
- Chuckelbait
- Winning Tennis and How To Play It.
- Let's Visit Mexico Names On The Land.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Brown and family left Monday, Aug. 12, toward the Big Bend country. They were expected back some time Wednesday.

S. W. Livestock Show And Rodeo To Open on March 25 In El Paso

EL PASO, Tex., Aug. 14.—The 18th annual Southwestern Livestock Show and Rodeo will open March 25 in the El Paso Coliseum buildings and continue thru March 30, with the auction sale on March 31. The 1947 exposition will include both senior and junior divisions, and it is expected that total premiums will exceed the \$12,000 paid in 1946.

It is believed the American Hereford Association, the American Aberdeen-Angus Association and the American Shorthorn Breeders Association will again participate in the 1947 exposition.

Members of the 4-H Clubs and the Future Farmers of America from all over the Southwest are expected to exhibit an outstanding array of prize animals in the junior division. These exhibits will include fat calves, sheep and hogs. A new feature of the junior division will be the selection of the grand champion and reserve champion during the rodeo performance. Another new feature will be the addition of a junior commercial feeding class of a pen of five steers or five lambs.

The Southwestern Livestock Show will also include exhibits of Palomino and Quarter horses, poultry and rabbits.

The Southwestern Championship Rodeo will be held in conjunction with the livestock show. W. W. Wilson, former County Agent at Roswell, N. M., is the new secretary of the Southwestern Livestock Show.

Bill Wilson left for McAllen Monday, Aug. 12, for a two weeks visit with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Allred, Dale and Dale McCoy and Mr. and Mrs. Lovie Burnett spent the week end in the Davis Mountains.

Notes From Local Fire Department

Last Thursday night, Aug. 8, the local department made a test run to the Shell Production camp to test the new fire plug recently installed by the Shell for additional fire protection to the camp. The test proved satisfactory, and showed that sufficient water can be obtained for fire fighting purposes from this plug.

The following members of the local fire department were present: J. J. Boyd, R. A. Kee, Malcolm Reimers, H. H. Oney, Fritz Reimers, George Ramer, D. E. Wagner and J. W. Bryan.

Last night, Thursday (Aug. 15) the local department enjoyed a Dutch Lunch with all the trimmings at the fire station as a part of the monthly Social Night. Dominoes, checkers and "42" were played for recreation.

Next week on Thursday night, Aug. 22, a drill will be held. All members are urged to be present for this, as it will consist of four and six man pumper hose hook-up connection practices.

JayCees Hold Regular Meeting

The Junior Chamber of Commerce met last Friday night, Aug. 9, at the American Legion Hall at 8:00 for their regular weekly meeting.

The JayCees meeting was chiefly for the purpose of making preparations for their "Presentation of the Charter" Banquet and Dance which is to be near the first of September. They hope to have Buddy Watson and his band play for the dance. Local talent will present the program for the banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. Olan Cordes spent the week end in Big Spring with his brother and wife, Ed Harvey Cordes.

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BY SHIRLEY PULLEY

"Cordell Hull is the most outstanding person in America—by far," says Erle Bone, owner of Bones' Hardware Store and Bone's Ready-to-Wear.

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Mr. Bone likes the climate around McCamey, but he doesn't like the dust, which incessantly blows.

A member of Phi Delta Heta Fraternity, Elks, Lions, V. F. W., American Legion and Mayor pro tem, Mr. Bone likes to pass his few spare moments fishing. When he retires he hopes to live near a fishing resort. He hates to mow the lawn.

When I asked Mr. Bone his favorite movie star, he said, "Spencer Tracy! I like that man, and 'Boy's Town' was the best movie ever made."

Mr. Bone was born in Indiana, and he attended the Indiana State University.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McShan, Jerry, Peggy Jo and also Bill McFarland of Odessa, spent Sunday with the W. E. Pulleys of the Humble Camp. Peggy will stay in McCamey visiting friends until Tuesday.

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Sunday School, 9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship, 11:00 A. M.
Young People's Service, 7:00 P. M.
Evening Service, 8:00 P. M.
Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting, 8:00 P. M.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Bible Study, 10 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11-12 a. m.
Night Services 8 p. m.
Thursday, Ladies' Meeting at 2 p. m.
Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Reimers, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Reimers, Mrs. Mildred Martines and son, Roy John, spent Wednesday, Aug. 14, visiting in Marfa, Fort Davis and Balmorhea.

Joe McWhorter, David and Jimmy Workman left Monday morning for a several days camping and fishing trip on Devils River Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Wheeler and daughter, Kathleen, visited last week in Goldthwaite and were accompanied home by the Misses Janie Ruth, Jimmie Rita, Monette and Mohler Wheeler Simpson of Goldthwaite, who are nieces of Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Monroe of Quemada visited Mrs. Zack Monroe and Zackie last week.

Martha Etta Schlagal, who was accidentally injured recently when a bullet discharged from a revolver was lodged in her hip, has been discharged from the Texon Hospital and is recovering nicely.

Mrs. Billy Rankin, who has been quite ill for several weeks, underwent major surgery in the Cooper Hospital on Tuesday. Her condition on Wednesday was reported as being fair.

Miss June Carruthers is the house guest of John Ann Lowery.

Doyle Jones came in from Ozona Saturday, Aug. 10, quite ill with a severe throat infection. He has been under a doctor's care since that time.

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RANKIN PERSONALS

Mrs. C. G. Taylor who recently underwent an appendectomy at a San Angelo hospital, was brought home the first part of last week and is recuperating nicely.

W. E. Olinger, who has been seriously ill in Baylor University Hospital, Waco, the past eight weeks, is still confined to the hospital there, but it is thought he may be able to be brought home soon.

Louis Bennett, who has been in overseas service in Korea, has returned to the States and is now with his wife and children in the S. E. Scott home. Mrs. Bennett met her husband in San Antonio last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamp Carter have returned from a visit with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Webb, in Emporia, Kansas. Mrs. Webb is the former Margaret Ann Carter.

Clay Taylor was a business visitor in San Angelo on Friday.

O. R. "Doc" Adams has been visiting his parents and other relatives in Snyder the past ten days.

Misses Artimese and Zola Beryl Moore returned to their home in Rankin Saturday after a visit of two months in and near Kerrville.

SQUIBS
BY JAY

Don Cook and party journeyed to Independence Creek last week end on a fishing jaunt, catch unreported.

Old C. C. Carll ran into another eel the other day under the same rock. Mister Eel took another toothless nip at C. C., then sampled C. C.'s companion, Lee West. We understand that said Mr. Eel is champion biter of that particular rock in Independence Creek, since neither Carll nor West could get under the rock to bite the eel.

Frog Word, Junior Steele and C. C. trucked to the Rio Grande several days ago, returning home with a 40-pound, two 30-pound, two 20-pound and some smaller yellow cat. Caught most of them in the daytime.

Charles Chandler, whose ranch straddles Independence Creek and the Pecos River 89 miles south of McCamey, never worries about food for his table. Some of the items raised on his place this year include melons, cantaloupes, corn, tomatoes, peppers, sweet potatoes, peaches, pears, figs, dates, alfalfa and cotton.

The Dallas weather bureau says that it will take a tropical storm in the Gulf to break our current hot and dry spell. Let's hope she blows up soon.

Ranchers throughout the Permian area report that the feed situation is critical.

Erle Bone and John Menefee spent Tuesday and Wednesday on Devils River. We've heard all kinds of stories about the fish they brought home, but we didn't see any of them. How about it, Isaac and Isaac?

Tillie the Toiler Deatherage, our office manager and news ed., is a great gin rummy fan. We understand that she is good at it, too, but cannot trim hubby Hugh. She says he simply wears her down.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. McMillan of Iraan visited relatives in the Humble Camp over the week end.

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Good Old Summertime . . . BY ROSIE

**Meredith Courtney,
Roy D. Gibson Wed**

Miss Meredith Courtney and Roy Dan Gibson were married Saturday, Aug. 10, at 8:00 p. m., in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. I. Courtney, parents of the bride.

The bride wore a light blue suit with white accessories; her corsage was pink gladiolas. Patsy George attended Meredith as maid of honor with a corsage of white carnations. John West attended Roy Dan as best man. Mrs. Fred Gibson, Roy Dan's mother and also justice of the peace, married the couple in a double ring ceremony. Mrs. Gibson used Rev. Estes's ritual.

After the ceremony, the wedding party gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gibson, the groom's parents, and were served wedding cake and punch. Pictures were taken of the bride and groom as they cut the cake.

Meredith is a 1946 graduate of McCamey High School. Mr. and Mrs. O. I. Courtney have been residents of McCamey for the past ten years. He is an employee of the Humble Pipe Line.

Roy Dan graduated from the McCamey High School in 1943. He spent 34 months in the Sea Bees, 24 of which he served overseas. Since his discharge, he has been working in the oil fields. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gibson have lived in McCamey for over 20 years.

Out-of-town guests attending the wedding were Mrs. Homer

Powers and Mrs. R. Grossenbacher of San Angelo, Mrs. Maxine G. Cain and daughter, Carolyn Jo, Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bedell and Danny Lynn, Buena Vista, Texas, and Paul Mosley, Jr., Cisco. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Adams, Mrs. D. J. Jones, Mrs. Lenora Fields, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gibson, Mrs. Jack George, Beth Warfield, and Ike Courtney, brother to the bride.

The couple left immediately for Odessa where they had the bridal suite at the Elliott Hotel. They will be at home in McCamey.

MARY JAMES DISCHARGED FROM HOSPITAL

Mary James, who was discharged from the Cooper Hospital Sunday after having an appendectomy last Monday, Aug. 5, was entertained Sunday night, Aug. 11, when a few friends dropped in at her brother's house, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy James, and had a "Glad-You're-Home" party.

John William Wolf, Mary's cousin from Arkansas, who was passing through McCamey on his motorcycle, attended the get-together. The group played cards, danced, and "just had a fine time." They were served refreshments of cold drinks and bacon and tomato sandwiches about 11:30. The party ended at 12. Those attending were Billie De-Busk, Jimmy Porter, Virginia Hendrickson, Myrna Osborn and Guinn Pounds.

**Connie Rae Cobb
Weds Johnny Allison**

Connie Rae Cobb and Johnny Allison were married Saturday night at 10:00 in Rankin, Texas. Marie Elms was maid of honor. Wanda Elms and Susan Rowell were other attendants. Connie wore a blue dress with brown accessories.

Connie said they were planning to go to the show, but decided to get married. When the couple returned to McCamey, the Rowells, Elms, Billy Tierce, Kenneth Reynolds and Jackie Lambeth were waiting for them. They dressed Johnny in girls' shorts and red heels, and Connie was robed in Mr. Lynch's pajamas. The newly-weds were taken to Mr. Johnson where their picture was made, and afterwards to the Bluebonnet for refreshments.

The group left the Bluebonnet; took Connie and Johnny to the swimming pool and threw them in, clothes and all. The tormenters left the couple at 5:30 a. m.

Connie and Johnny both intend to go to school this fall. She plans to finish high school, and he is going back to Texas Tech.

**CHARLOTTE WILLIAMS
CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY**

Charlotte Williams celebrated her tenth birthday Monday night, Aug. 12, with a party from 7:30 to 9:30. The guests played games such as "Winkum" and "Clap In and Clap Out." Miss Williams then opened her many nice gifts, after which refreshments of cake and punch were served to the following guests:

Sheron Stacy, Pat Harris, Carolyn Lea, Barbara Sue Odom, Claude Barnett, Dicki Aikman, Johnny Poyner, Hiram Sharp and Robert Thompson. Sending gifts were Mrs. Hettie Womack, Mrs. Wilbur Harris and Lelysle, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Barnett, Eddie Mae Hogg and Marie Edwards.

The five girls spent the night talking about school. They raided the ice box at 12:00 midnight, though, some strange noise was heard at the kitchen window, and the "snack" was made as brief as possible. The girls ate breakfast there and left at 10 Tuesday morning.

**GEORGIA BROWN
GIVES SLUMBER PARTY**

Georgia Mae Brown gave a slumber party at her home on Saturday night at 7:00. During the early part of the evening, Dale Williamson, Jack Perry, Joe Bradbury and Bill Henderson of Crane were there with the girls, Nita Poyner, Erlene Husted, Mary Louise Strong, and Georgia.

The group played records, danced and enjoyed refreshments of cookies, candy and plums.

The girls stayed for a slumber party. After staying up all night, they went into town at 5:00 a. m. to have breakfast at the Elite Cafe.

**SUBDEBS HAVE PICNIC
IN FORT STOCKTON**

The Sub-Debs met at Mrs. Collin Gilbreath's house at 8:30 on Monday morning, Aug. 12, to leave for Fort Stockton on an all-day picnic. Four cars took the girls to the Fort Stockton

Park where they went swimming, staying in all morning. They ate a picnic lunch at 12:15 before a short business meeting, at which time they discussed rush week. After more swimming and dancing, the girls left for McCamey about 4:00. Sub-Debs going were Erlene Bone, Doris Jean Freeman, Clara Jo Green, Saralu Dillingham, Joan Cole, Betty Jo Guyton, Peggy Jo McShan, Polly Edwards, Patsy George, Mary Ruble, Shirley Kleinman, Ginger Culwell, Betty Jo Matejowsky and Beth Warfield.

**BARBARA SUE ODOM
CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY**

Guests assembled at 4:30 Wednesday, Aug. 7, to help Barbara Sue Odom celebrate her tenth birthday. They played all kinds of games, and then gathered around to see Barbara open her many lovely gifts. Ice cream, birthday cake, and lemonade were served to the following guests:

Charlotte Williams, Carolyn Lea, Vera Ellen Stone, Joe Young, Janie Mae Roberts and George Odom.

**MEREDITH IS HONORED
WITH KITCHEN SHOWER**

Meredith Courtney was honored with a kitchen shower Thursday, Aug. 8, in the home of Mrs. Fred Gibson. Erlene Bone, Patsy George and Betty Jo Matejowsky assisted Mrs. Gibson.

After refreshments of coffee and doughnuts, the gifts were presented to Meredith, and "Matilda Ann," a maid and helper, was introduced to her, "Matilda Ann" being constructed from a pail of sand and a mop. She was attractively dressed in flowered cup towels, a table cloth, and apron. Twenty-four girls attended the coffee.

JUST DATING

Friday night dates to Odessa were Billy Tierce and Martha Lou, Clyde and Sue, Guy and Molly, Curtis and Erlene, Tom Rowell and Betty Jo. Dating in McCamey were Dale Williams and Billie Williams, Ike and Claudyne, Coby Belcher and Le Anne.

Those couples together Saturday were Guy and Joy, Betty Jo and Tom, Dorothy and Dewey, married but celebrating, and Curtis and Erlene.

Sunday afternoon always brings out lots of dates. Last Sunday they were Jimmy and Polly, Clara Mae and Richard, Junior S. and Molly, Freddie Davis and Virginia H., Bill and Saralu, and Anna Lou and Whit.

EVERYDAY HAPPENINGS

Peggy Jo McShan was over here Sunday with Bill McFarland of Odessa.

Wally George, Malcolm Ramsey, Ruble, Gregory, Bob and David Pauley returned Saturday from a coaching school in Corpus Christi.

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**Eunice Faye Griswold
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Miss Griswold has attended the Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, Ohio, for two and one-half years, where she has been majoring in Elementary Education. Eunice Faye has been granted a teacher's temporary certificate, for teaching in the Ohio schools, by the State Department of Education. She will assume her position of teaching this Sept. 3, 1946.

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Sincerely yours,

H. E. "Gene" Eckols

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Why the Discrimination?

For a number of months the streets of the business district of McCamey, west of Crockett Street, have received the entire attention of the Street Cleaning Department.

Other sections of the business district have received practically no attention.

Why the discrimination? Are selfish motives involved? Or is it possible that the City Administration does not know that the business district extends east of Crockett Street?

If the latter supposition is correct, for their edification, we are submitting a list of the following business establishments in this section of McCamey:

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| Elite Cafe | McCamey Pipe and Supply Co. |
| Evans Sheet Metal Works | Continental Supply Co. |
| Rains Electric Service | McCamey Motor Company |
| Shell Service Station | Moore's Laundry |
| John R. Sumrall, Welding | City Laundry |

My place of business has been located in Block 44 for the past 11 years, and to the best of my knowledge the only time this part of Fifth Street has been cleaned is when the All-Seeing Eye in His survey of the universe, observing the deplorable condition, having compassion on us outcasts, favors us with a wind or rain storm that removes that part of the rubbish that is loose; however, some of it has been so embedded in soil curb deep so long that only an earthquake could jar it loose.

We have 16 busses in and out of McCamey every 24 hours handling several hundred passengers who only see this section of McCamey and the condition of this street no doubt leaves a lasting impression with them.

Perhaps the logical thing to do would be for that part of McCamey east of Crockett Street to secede from the rest of the city and form their own city administration, then we might get results.

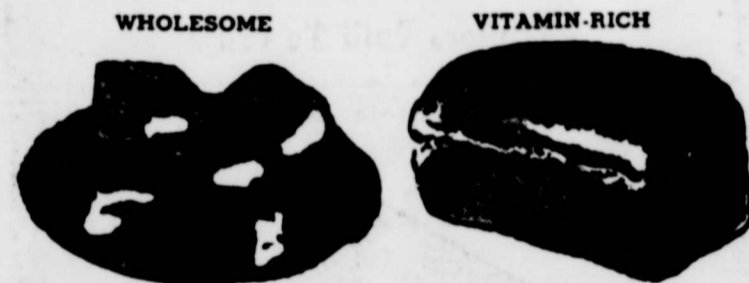
This is the second of a series of articles written in the interest of public welfare. Others will be written in the future as conditions demand.

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Marine Recruiting Officer In McCamey

Sgt. Egidien, Marine Recruiting Officer, came to McCamey last Friday, Aug. 9, and left late that afternoon after a day's recruiting. Egidien said the Marines were taking men from 17 to 30 to serve two, three or four years.

Ex-service men, including those from Army, Navy or Marines, will serve two, three or four years duty at one of two places—Naval Air Station at Dallas or Naval Air Detachment Station at Corpus Christi. Men who are enlisting for the first time will be sent to San Diego, Calif.

Sgt. Egidien gave this information to men interested:

If you enlist now in the Marine Corps before OCTOBER 5, 1946, you will be eligible for the many benefits that come under the provisions of the G. I. BILL OF RIGHTS. A few of these benefits that you can gain by enlisting now are:

1. The unemployment Compensation . . . you will receive this after discharge, which will give you \$20.00 per week for 52 weeks.

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3. If you intend to go to college, a two, three, or four year enlistment in the Marine Corps will entitle you to attend the college of your choice . . . free.

These are a few of the benefits you can receive under the G. I. BILL OF RIGHTS . . . if you enlist now before OCTOBER 5, 1946.

For further information, write or visit our office, Room 316, Post Office Building, San Angelo, Texas.

Ann Hawkins and Beatrice Wolf are taking voice and piano lessons from Mr. Swartz and Mr. Ardis at the San Angelo Junior College. They drive drive back and forth every other week.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q. How can a veteran get assistance with his unemployment problems?

A. The veteran may consult a veterans employment representative in a local office or in the state central office of the employment service, a local service organization, a school or a community veterans center.

Q. If a veteran is unable to find work, where can he obtain specific information concerning unemployment allowances?

A. Inquire at the public employment office or the office of the unemployment compensation agency in the state or territory in which the veteran resides.

Q. Are there any penalties in case the veteran accepts readjustment allowances to which he is not entitled?

A. Any veteran who knowingly accepts an allowance to which he is not entitled shall be ineligible to receive further readjustment allowances. Also, the law provides for fine and imprisonment for anyone who fraudulently obtains payment or makes a false statement in order to cause allowances to be issued under the act.

Q. Does a veteran who is partially unemployed have a right to readjustment allowances?

A. Yes. A veteran who works less than his normal number of hours and who receives less than \$23 per week should inquire at the nearest public employment office of the state unemployment compensation agency as to his eligibility for partial readjustment allowances.

Q. Can a veteran have a loan guaranteed or insured to buy or construct more than a single-family home?

A. Yes. But one veteran cannot get a guaranteed or insured loan to buy or build more than a four-family home. If more than one veteran is buying, then the basic four-family home is allowed for the group and this may be

increased by one additional family unit for each veteran participating; thus two veterans can buy or build a six-family home, three veterans a seven-family home, etc.

News of Interest To World War Veterans

Thirty-two of the 107 VA hospitals are now working under the new program of cooperation with leading medical schools, according to a report of the VA Medical Director. Within six months the program will be operating in 65 to 70 of the hospitals. The new program consists chiefly of using the VA hospitals as "teaching hospitals" for grade A medical schools. The Medical Director cited the known fact that best medicine is practiced in such hospitals.

One million of the 1,600,000 veterans who came from farms will return to the farm, 900,000 of them as farm operators, according to a VA estimate. Citing the many pitfalls in trying to obtain farms at this time which would support veterans and their families, alternatives of formal education in agricultural schools or on-the-farm training under the

VA program were suggested. A Department of Agriculture estimate which throws a brighter light on the long run outlook for farmer-veterans is that 160,000 farm vacancies per year will occur during the next five years. This means 800,000 farm vacancies by the end of the five years.

This week marks the first anniversary of V-J Day as well as the anniversary of the day Gen. Omar N. Bradley took over the reins of the VA. On V-J Day, there were 2,500,000 veterans of World War II, and it was evident that demobilization could turn into a flood. This was borne out by the fact that the number of World War II veterans has reached the 13,000,000 mark during the present year. The first job faced by the General was to ready the VA to handle the tremendous load of work created. Gen. Bradley states that he has spent a great part of the past year in this task.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Spain and Sterling are going to visit in Brownwood for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Tennyson, Clara Mae, Jessie and June left Tuesday, Aug. 13, to spend a vacation in San Antonio.

Scout Work Develops Some Interesting Correspondence

For the past five years Mrs. William Wolf, Girl Scout Leader here, has been corresponding with another Scout leader, Ann Hunyody, of New York. The two ladies have never seen each other but due to their common interest

in Scout work, have developed an interesting correspondence.

Mrs. Wolf has just recently received a letter from Miss Hunyody relating some of her experiences while attending Columbia University this summer. She states that there is such an overflow of students there and so many applications from people desiring to go there, that the tuition price will be raised in the

fall, and that the work in general has become more difficult.

Miss Hunyody told of attending concerts at the Lewishan Stadium and of seeing the play, "Annie, Get Your Gun."

Miss Laura Johnson of San Angelo has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Davidson for the past three weeks. She is Mr. Davidson's niece.

NOTICE

TO

Owners of Livestock

Owners of livestock are herewith notified that Jim Meeks, City Poundman, has been given full authority in all matters dealing with stray livestock and dogs.

Stray cattle and horses found within the City Limits will be impounded. In order to claim and receive delivery of such animals from the City Pound, owners will be required to pay a \$2 pound fee, plus \$1 per day for feed.

The pound fee for dogs will be \$1.00. All dogs will be destroyed after they have been held for three days.

Notice is herewith served that all cases involving the impounding of stock or dogs must be taken up with Jim Meeks, City Poundman. He may be reached by telephone No. 298. The City Council will not hear complaints from owners.

McCamey City Council



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REVOLT IN TEXAS!

These men fought against the election of Franklin Roosevelt in 1944:

- W. Lee O'Daniel
- Coke Stevenson
- Beauford Jester
- E. B. Germany
- Orville Bullington
- D. Frank Strickland
- Dan J. Harrison

These same men are now fighting against the election of Homer P. Rainey:

- W. Lee O'Daniel
- Coke Stevenson
- Beauford Jester
- E. B. Germany
- Orville Bullington
- D. Frank Strickland
- Dan J. Harrison

Why are these so-called Texas Leaders fighting Homer Rainey as they fought Mr. Roosevelt? Simply because they are afraid of a True Democracy. Henceforth, we, the people, refuse to be led around by these little rich men. We know that Homer Rainey is the friend of the common man just as Roosevelt was. Even if we didn't know that simple fact, we at least know enough to find out who the above-mentioned men want for Governor of Texas, and then vote the opposite ticket.

Let us bring this situation a little closer to home. We all have a few friends (not many) who voted against Roosevelt. They will vote against Homer Rainey, and in most cases, they will vote against any kind of progressive measure that is for the common good. And, we must never lose sight of the fact that they have a perfect right to do so. BUT, we must constantly be on guard lest we are persuaded by the minority to vote against our own best interests.

We know that Homer Rainey is the Best Man for Governor of Texas, and we, the people, intend to sally forth on August 24th and place him in the Governor's Chair.

Rainey For Governor!

(Political Advertisement)



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Eye specialists are doing a wonderful work in correcting defective vision. Because of their research and experience, people who formerly had no hope of better sight, now are seeing almost normally.

Once the proper lens has been fitted, these specialists agree that sufficient and glareless lighting are needed to make these corrections work properly.

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H. J. R. No. 10
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION
 proposing an Amendment to Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto Section 62 providing a Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund for the appointive officers and employees of the State; limiting the amount contributed by the State to such Fund; providing for investment of Fund with certain exceptions; prohibiting recipients of benefits hereunder from receiving other direct aid from the State; authorizing counties to provide and administer such a Fund for appointive county officers and employees after favorable vote in a county election for such purpose; limiting the amount contributed by the county to such Fund; providing for investment of such Fund with certain exceptions; prohibiting recipients of benefits from said Fund from receiving other direct aid from the State; and providing for an election, necessary form of ballot, and publication on the question of adoption of this Amendment.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto Section 62, which shall read as follows:

"Sec. 62 (a). The Legislature shall have the right to levy taxes to provide a Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund for the appointive officers and employees of the State; provided that the amount contributed by the State to such Fund shall equal the amount paid for the same purpose from the income of each such person, and shall not exceed at any time five per centum (5%) of the compensation paid to each such person by the State, and shall in no one year exceed the sum of One Hundred and Eighty Dollars (\$180) for any such person.

"All funds provided from the compensation of each such person, or by the county, for such Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund, as are received by the county, shall be invested in bonds of the United States, the State of Texas, or counties or cities of this State, or in bonds issued by any agency of the United States Government, and the payment of the principal of and interest on which is guaranteed by the United States, provided that a sufficient amount of said funds shall be kept on hand to meet the immediate payment of the amount likely to become due each year out of said Fund, such amount of funds to be kept on hand to be determined by the agency which may be provided by law to administer said Fund; and provided that the recipients of benefits from said Fund shall not be eligible for any other pension retirement funds or direct aid from the State of Texas, unless the Fund, the creation of which is provided for herein, contributed by the State of Texas, as a condition to receiving such other pension aid."

less the Fund, the creation of which is provided for herein, contributed by the State, as a condition to receiving such other pension aid.

"(b). Each county shall have the right to provide for and administer a Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund for the appointive officers and employees of the county; provided same is authorized by a majority vote of the qualified voters of such county and after such election has been advertised by being published in at least one newspaper of general circulation in said county once each week for four consecutive weeks; provided that the amount contributed by the county to such Fund shall equal the amount paid for the same purpose from the income of each such person, and shall not exceed at any time five per centum (5%) of the compensation paid to each such person by the county, and shall in no one year exceed the sum of One Hundred Eighty Dollars (\$180) for any such person.

"All funds provided from the compensation of each such person, or by the county, for such Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund, as are received by the county, shall be invested in bonds of the United States, the State of Texas, or counties or cities of this State, or in bonds issued by any agency of the United States Government, and the payment of the principal of and interest on which is guaranteed by the United States, provided that a sufficient amount of said funds shall be kept on hand to meet the immediate payment of the amount likely to become due each year out of said Fund, such amount of funds to be kept on hand to be determined by the agency which may be provided by law to administer said Fund; and provided that the recipients of benefits from said Fund shall not be eligible for any other pension retirement funds or direct aid from the State of Texas, unless the Fund, the creation of which is provided for herein, contributed by the State of Texas, as a condition to receiving such other pension aid."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of this State at an election to be held throughout the State in November, 1946, (being the 5th day thereof) at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"For the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide a Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation System for the officers and employees of the State of Texas and authorizing counties to provide such system for the appointive officers and employees of the counties of the State of Texas," and,

"Against the Constitutional

Amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide a Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation System for the officers and employees of the State of Texas and authorizing counties to provide such system for the appointive officers and employees of the counties of the State of Texas."

Each voter shall scratch one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution for Amendments thereto.

*According to an opinion by the Attorney General of Texas.

H. J. R. No. 49
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto a new section to be known as "Section 7-a"; providing that subject to legislative appropriation, allocation and direction all net revenues derived from the taxes, except gross production and ad valorem taxes, levied on motor fuels and lubricants and motor vehicles registration fees shall be used for the sole purposes of acquiring rights-of-way for and constructing and maintaining public roadways; for the administration of laws pertaining to traffic and safety; and for the payment of principal and interest on county and road district bonds or warrants voted or issued prior to January 2, 1939, and declared eligible for debt service prior to January 2, 1945; providing that one-fourth (1/4) of such net revenue from the motor fuel tax shall be allocated to the Available School Fund; providing and insuring that each county shall never derive less revenue from motor registration fees than the maximum amounts and percentages of such fees allowed to be retained by each county under the laws in effect on January 1, 1945; negating any interpretation of this amendment as authorizing the pledging of the State's credit for any purpose; providing for the submission of this amendment to the voters of this State; prescribing the form of ballot; and providing for the proclamation of the election and the publication thereof.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Section to be known as 7-a and to read as follows:

"Section 7-a. Subject to legislative appropriation, allocation and direction, all net revenues remaining after payment of all refunds allowed by law and expenses of collection derived from motor vehicle registration fees, and all taxes, except gross production and ad valorem taxes, levied on motor fuels and lubricants used to propel motor vehicles over public roadways, shall be used for the sole purpose of acquiring rights-of-way, constructing, maintaining, and policing such public roadways, and for the administration of such laws as may be prescribed by the Legislature pertaining to the supervision of traffic and safety on such roads; and for the payment of the principal and interest on county and road district bonds or warrants voted or issued prior to January 2, 1939, and declared eligible prior to January 2, 1945, for payment out of the County and Road District Highway Fund under existing law; provided, however, that one-fourth (1/4) of such net revenue from the motor fuel tax shall be allocated to the Available School Fund; and, provided, however, that the net revenue derived by counties from motor vehicle registration fees shall never be less than the maximum amounts allowed to be retained by each County under the laws in effect on January 1, 1945. Nothing contained herein shall be construed as authorizing the pledging of the State's credit for any purpose."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Amendment to the Constitution shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of this State at the General Election to be held in November, 1946, at which election each ballot shall have printed thereon the following words:

"FOR the Amendment to the Constitution of the State providing that subject to legislative appropriation, allocation and direction all net revenues derived from taxes, except gross production and ad valorem taxes, levied on motor fuels and lubricants and motor vehicle registration fees shall be used for the sole purpose of acquiring rights-of-way for and constructing and maintaining public roadways; for the administration of laws pertaining to traffic and safety; and for the payment of principal and interest on county and road district bonds or warrants voted or issued prior to January 2, 1939, and declared eligible for debt service prior to January 2, 1945; providing that one-fourth (1/4) of such net revenue from the motor fuel tax shall be allocated to the Available School Fund; providing and insuring that each county shall never derive less revenue from motor registration fees than the maximum amounts and percent-

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Sec. 2. The foregoing Amendment to the Constitution shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of this State at the General Election to be held in November, 1946, at which election each ballot shall have printed thereon the following words:

"FOR the Amendment to the Constitution of the State providing that subject to legislative appropriation, allocation and direction all net revenues derived from taxes, except gross production and ad valorem taxes, levied on motor fuels and lubricants and motor vehicle registration fees shall be used for the sole purpose of acquiring rights-of-way for and constructing and maintaining public roadways; for the administration of laws pertaining to traffic and safety; and for the payment of principal and interest on county and road district bonds or warrants voted or issued prior to January 2, 1939, and declared eligible for debt service prior to January 2, 1945; providing that one-fourth (1/4) of such net revenue from the motor fuel tax shall be allocated to the Available School Fund; providing and insuring that each county shall never derive less revenue from motor registration fees than the maximum amounts and percent-

ages of such fees allowed to be retained by each county under the laws in effect January 1, 1945; and negating any interpretation of this amendment as authorizing the pledging of the State's credit for any purpose.

"AGAINST the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing that subject to legislative appropriation, allocation and direction all net revenues derived from taxes, except gross production and ad valorem taxes, levied on motor fuels and lubricants and motor vehicle registration fees shall be used for the sole purposes of acquiring rights-of-way for and constructing and maintaining public roadways; for the administration of laws pertaining to traffic and safety; and for the payment of principal and interest on county and road district bonds or warrants voted or issued prior to January 2, 1939, and declared eligible for debt service prior to January 2, 1945; providing that one-fourth (1/4) of such net revenue from the motor fuel tax shall be allocated to the Available School Fund; providing and insuring that each county shall never derive less revenue from motor registration fees than the maximum amounts and percentages of such fees allowed to be retained by each county under the laws in effect on January 1, 1945; and negating any interpretation of this amendment as authorizing the pledging of the State's credit for any purpose."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have same published as required by the Constitution for Amendments thereto.

Section 1. That the Constitu-

tion of the State of Texas be amended by adding a new section, as follows:

"The Legislature is authorized to appropriate so much money as may be necessary, not to exceed Seventy-five Thousand (\$75,000.00) Dollars, to pay claims incurred by John Tarleton Agricultural College for the construction of a building on the campus of such college pursuant to deficiency authorization by the Governor of Texas on August 31, 1937."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at the next general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D., 1946, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"FOR THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING THE LEGISLATURE TO PAY FOR BUILDING CONSTRUCTED FOR JOHN TARLETON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE," and
 "AGAINST THE CONSTITU-

TIONAL AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING THE LEGISLATURE TO PAY FOR BUILDING CONSTRUCTED FOR JOHN TARLETON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE."

Each voter shall mark out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the treasury of the State, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expense of such publication and election.

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Jerry Murray, teacher of Manual Training in McCamey High School, returned to McCamey on Thursday from ETSTC where he is working on his Master's degree. He left Sunday, Aug. 11.

JOHN J. WATTS

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VOTE FOR RAINEY!

Texans don't like to hear that ANY kind of a machine is running their big state. Texans don't like the steam-roller tactics of fifth column TEXAS REGULARS. Freedom-loving, Texans are voting for HOMER RAINEY, plain Democrat, in the primary on August 24.

(Political Advertisement)

Shortages are holding him back...

SHORTAGES



We in the Bell System were adding telephones at the rate of three million a year until shortages started getting worse. Now it's harder and harder for us to get materials for manufacturing and building.

We aren't complaining for we are in the same boat as everyone else. But we thought you might like to know the supply situation on some of the biggest items in the telephone business.

LEAD—There is a world shortage of it. Even when conditions here straighten out, it will be some time before adequate supplies are available.

COPPER—It is in great demand but we shall probably have adequate supplies when the smelting, refining, and fabricating plants get going.

TEXTILES—A serious shortage exists in cotton and synthetic yarns and fabrics.

STEEL—Strikes in steel and coal industries have affected the supply in the face of unprecedented demand.

RUBBER—Synthetics are in fair supply, but natural rubber is on government allocation.

LUMBER—It is scarce, due to both unusual demand and dislocation of the lumber trade.

BRASS MILL PRODUCTS—These are used in telephone central office switches and other equipment. Supply will be short until disturbed conditions in the copper industry are settled, permitting brass mills to get back to full-scale production.

It's a tough situation, but we aren't giving up, any more than you have given up trying to get butter or sugar or shirts.

We're doing the best we can with what we've got and hoping these disturbed conditions will end, so that we can really go full speed ahead.



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Allan Shivers Is People's Favorite

Senator Allan Shivers, in thanking the voters of Texas for the heavy lead they gave him in the July Primary to make him



the favorite candidate for lieutenant governor, also warned citizens that attempts will be made by "scheming minority pressure groups" to defeat him in the Aug. 24 runoff.

The Jefferson County legislator, lawyer and farmer, pointed with pride to the overwhelming support which he received in his present home county and in the county where he was reared to manhood. Shivers, a World War II combat war veteran (the only veteran in this race), polled approximately 75 per cent of the votes in Jefferson County, his present home, and was a 25 to 1 favorite over his runoff opponent in Tyler County, where he spent his youth. Senator Shivers led his runoff opponent by approximately 100,000 votes in Texas.

"I am deeply grateful for the confidence the people of Texas have shown in me and the progressive program for Texas which I advocate," Shivers said. "I shall strive even harder to work for the welfare of Texas.

"Because I represent the masses of the people, there will be those in the runoff campaign who will conspire to defeat me," Shivers predicted. "I will not be swayed by these radical, minority groups—the C. I. O. noise makers in particular. My opponent is welcome to the support which they are giving him. I will continue to fight for the right and welfare and progress of our people who make up the backbone of Texas."

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE—Overstuffed Divan and one chair. Divan can be converted into a bed. Call 112, or see Hayes Bakery. 1tc

FOR SALE—One 7 1/2-in. Trailer House mounted on 6x6 inch skids. Priced to sell. See Cecil Lindsey, McCamey, Texas. 35-3tp

FOR SALE—1941 Chevrolet Truck with Tulsa Winch, good condition, 8-25 tires. Pole trailer with 700 tires. See T. L. Stephenson or call 84, Rankin, Texas. 1tp

FOR SALE—5 White Princess Style Uniforms, size 16. Almost new. Also 5 pair white pants, size 42. Half price. See J. B. Wright, Sanitary Barber Shop. 1tp

BABCOCK Radio Repairs—Philco refrigerators, Philco radios, Easy Washing Machines, Records, Radio Batteries, Record Players, and car radios. 1tc

CORG ROOFING—LUMBER—26 Ga Corg Plasteel Roofing 1x6, 1x8, 1x12 WP Shiplap (Subject to Prior Sale) ROCKWELL BROS. & CO., 112 W. Texas Ave., Midland, Texas. 30-4t

FOR SALE—Milk Cow. See Oliver Jacobsen. 34-1f

FURNISHED 2-room house without bath. P. Carpenter, McCamey, Texas. 34-2tp

WANTED—A second-hand piano in good condition. Write Robert Carter, Box 264, McCamey, Texas, or call 117-J. 34-2tp

FOR SALE—2 houses, both modern: 4-room, \$1750; 3-room, \$900. Also one Werner Piano, \$350. See Noble Welch at Magnolia Station, Grandfalls, Texas. 33-4tp

FOR SALE—Modern 4-room house. Newly papered and painted. C. G. Forester, Phone 38, McCamey. 1tc

LOST!

Approximately ten (10) members of the Methodist Youth Fellowship! If found, please return to the Methodist Church at 7:00 p. m. Sunday.

FOR SALE—1935 Oldsmobile—\$250. See Jack Andrew at Rio Pecos Plant or call 199J. 1tp

NOTICE!

Notice is hereby given that we, Gid Redding and J. T. Cousins intend to apply to the Texas Liquor Control Board for a package store permit to be known as the Red-Inn Package Store located in Upton County, Texas, Justice Precinct No. 4, on lot 1, block 19, at 404 North McKinney

Street, McCamey, Upton County, Texas. 34-2t

GID REDDING J. T. COUSINS

Mr. and Mrs. Claude H. Jones and granddaughter, Jacquelyn K. Stokes, who are former McCameyites, arrived in Crane Tuesday, Aug. 13, from Floydada,

Texas. They are visiting in home of Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. John Stokes. Mr. plans to return to Floydada few days while Mrs. Jones remain for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Br are on vacation for two weeks.

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The ring you place on her finger reflects the everlasting love in your heart. That is why you want a diamond with depth and sparkle . . . a diamond that will express the sentiments that words cannot. Here you will find just such a diamond—beautifully cut and brilliant. The best for the price you can afford to pay. Buy here with confidence.



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NOTICE!

Notice is hereby given that E. P. Halamicek and John E. Fox, owners of The Echo Drug Company, intend to apply to the Texas Liquor Control Board at its office in the City of Austin, Texas, for a package store renewal permit under the provisions of the Texas Liquor Control Act. The Echo Drug Company is located at 106 East 5th Street, Lot 9, Block 42, in the City of McCamey, Upton County, Texas. E. P. Halamicek and John E. Fox, owners. 34-2t

NOTICE—PHOTOGRAPHY

I make portrait pictures at my home in the Stanolind Camp located two miles east of McCamey on the Rankin Highway (center house). Quick delivery of pictures. All work guaranteed.

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