



Mesquite, which is becoming a problem in parts of Texas where it was previously unknown, is sometimes spread by animals. Animals transported from infested areas carry the mesquite beans in their digestive systems. Confinement of animals to a drylot for three to five days after they arrive in a new area will allow mesquite seed to be eliminated from their systems.



Those valuable old books you inherited or bought at auction... Do they have leather bindings that are slowly disintegrating.

If so, take a tip from Thelma Wirges, county home demonstration agent and give them a lacquer treatment. Lacquer will improve their appearance and postpone, perhaps indefinitely, the necessity for re-binding.

Here's how — from leather specialists of USDA's Agricultural Research Service:

Gently rub the leather smooth with a fine emery cloth, giving special attention to scuffed, peeling or powdery places. If you want to oil the leather, apply the oil next; oil can't be applied after leather is lacquered. Touch up light colored areas with a leather dye if necessary.

Ready made lacquers are on the market in aerosol bomb and liquid forms. The aerosol spray

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Reagan Brown, sociologist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, has announced that the "Texas Rural Minister of the Year Award" will again be made in 1964. Its objective is to honor those ministers who are making outstanding contributions to rural life. The program is sponsored by the Progressive Farmer magazine, the Texas Town and Country Conference, the Extension Service agents and detailed information is available on award, Brown said.

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is easier to use. Be sure the lacquer is recommended for leather, cloth, or other flexible material. Spray or brush on this coat, let dry, apply a second coat.

Lacquer protects leather bindings very well. However, it does change the natural leather appearance, giving it a rather shiny finish.

Handle lacquers with caution. They give off vapors and fumes which ignite easily and burn freely. Apply them in the open or where fresh air circulates freely. Keep away from fire, and don't smoke while using them.

Time management is a problem for many people. They worry about failure to get things done, without making a plan for better use of time, says Thelma Wirges, county home demonstration agent.

"Time use can be analyzed in terms of the familiar questions of what, where, why, who, and how," she says.

Persons interested in improving the use of time should plan what they are to do and how much time they allocate to accomplish it. Where they spend their time relates to the question of place, and a worthwhile well-arranged work area can save considerable time.

Knowing when to do things may pay off in terms of increased productivity immediately, or it may be a matter of "A Stitch in time saves nine." An hour for planning early in the day may be worth more than later when one is tired or interest is divided.

Homemakers also need to determine if they are providing a balanced distribution of time among the many planned tasks. They should analyze to see how effectively they are using their time, and if they have the correct environment. Interruptions by telephone calls and visitors can change the work schedule considerably.

Time is available for all — and how well it is used to obtain daily goals depends on each individual, the agent says.

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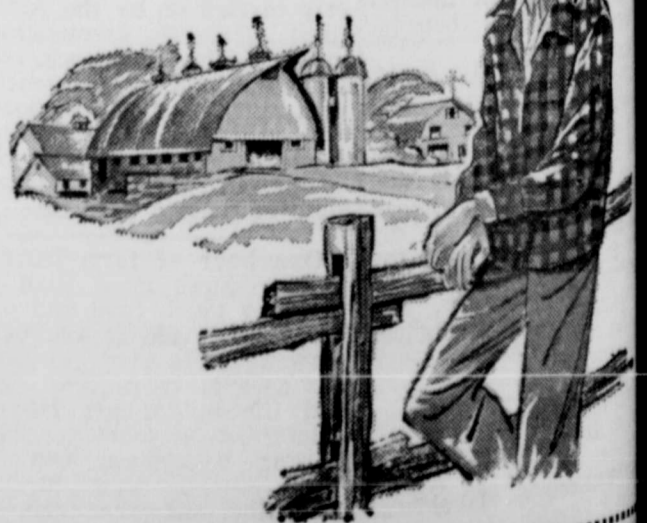
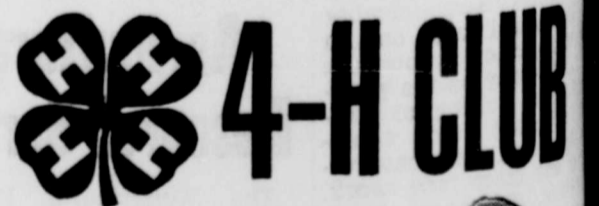
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Chemurgy has been important in the development of synthetic, or artificial rubber. Corn is used to make the alcohol needed for rubber, as well as for smokeless powder. The guayule plant is raised to use in rubber manufacture. Milkweed floss is used to make fillings for life preservers, and its seed is used for oil. Peanuts have been used by chemurgy in the manufacture of many articles. Chemists have learned how to use the sawdust from lumber and many other articles formerly wasted. The income of farmers has been greatly increased by the sale of articles to be used by chemists in making new products.

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At harvest time the grain was cut with crude sickles. It was threshed by falls or by driving oxen back and forth over the grain. Improvements in farming methods were slow. Old systems persisted for centuries. It is said that a grain farmer from the fields along the Nile of 8,000 years ago, transplanted to an American wheat field in 1800, would have found himself familiar with most of the work. Methods of cultivation were very primitive. Nevertheless, some ancient peoples came to know a great deal about the soil and the things it could be made to produce. Books written before the time of Jesus Christ tell about the fertilization of the soil, crop rotation, soil drainage, and irrigation. They explain how to cultivate, harrow, and weed, and how to select seed for planting.

In Europe, agriculture was developed by a system in which great areas of land were held by the ruling class. Work on the land was done largely by slaves. Later, the landowners lived in towns and left the work of farming to slaves and serfs. When feudalism went out, a system developed in which free tenant farmers took over the

work on the land. Under this system, peasants either work the land for the owner for a share of the crops, or they pay rent and own their own produce. A farm might be held for a long time under one lease, even for generations of the same family. In France, Denmark, England, and several other countries, there came to be a strong middle class of farmers who owned their land. After World War I, many of the large estates of Europe were broken up.

The United States Department of Agriculture was established in 1862 for the purpose of encouraging and spreading knowledge of agriculture among people.

IT'S UP TO YOU

By **Howard E. Kershner, L.H.D.**

RUSSIAN youth are writing letters to Radio Moscow defending their right to believe in God. The discussion was started by an eleven-year-old girl, named Tania, who sent a letter to the radio editors informing them that she believes in God and that she is offended when people laugh at her. "Why is it bad," asked Tania, "that I believe in God?"



Dr. Kershner

Tania's letter invoked a wide response, and the radio editors continue to receive many letters from young people such as the one from Oleg Obalensky an eighteen-year-old "believer" from which we quote as follows:

I graduated from high school, but after completing the entire school curriculum, I cannot (as you express it) free myself from "religious prejudices," surprising as that may appear to you. I continue to believe in God. Of course you, as usual in cases like this, will dispute my religious belief. Prepared for that, I will warn you that together with my faith in God I also have faith in the new discoveries and achievements in the world of science and technology. If you are astonished that I have faith in science and technology, then I will ask you: Has not science proved that the world is an infinite universe? It is known to everyone that the cosmonauts and the rockets never penetrate beyond our solar system. Even when they may eventually penetrate other systems they nevertheless will encompass only a very small fraction of the immensity of the universe. The universe never will be bounded.

I write you all of this to show you that God is not some sort of an effigy which sits in the seventh heaven and manages the affairs of the world. I want to tell you that God is incarnate in people, as well as in everything that surrounds them.

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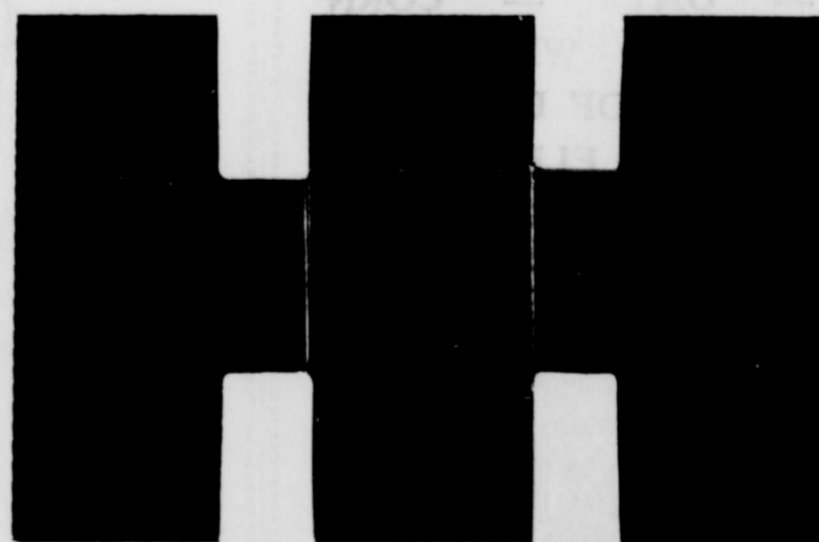
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Shopping Scene

By Dorothy Owens Wright

Do you have the idea that those things we think of as convenience foods are more expensive to prepare than their old-fashioned counterparts? A recent USDA study showed that such things as instant coffee, frozen orange juice concentrate and cake mixes are actually less expensive than ground coffee, fresh orange juice and homemade cake.

Whether you're counting pennies or calories or food values, you can count on cottage cheese. Just three-quarters of a cup gives you about half the protein you need for an entire day, the Fairmont Food people remind us.

Ever wonder how much of the American food supply comes from abroad? Last year, 33 per cent of the total food supply used by civilians in the continental United States was imported. Coffee accounts for more than half the imports.

Americans are eating twice as much sausage today as they did just 20 years ago, according to Armour and Company. Franks, weiners and bologna lead the popularity parade, but with more than 100 varieties being marketed, it's not hard to find one for every taste.

Are you aware that vanilla ice cream and chicken have replaced apple pie and hamburger as the most popular American menu items? The abundance of low-priced broilers and fryers accounts for the latter replacement.

Speaking of chicken, the Shenandoah Valley Produce Company supplies us with some information on those inspection and grading marks that you see on so much poultry. They're two different operations, both carried on during slaughtering and processing. Inspection is required by law for all poultry in interstate commerce, to determine its wholesomeness. Poultry grading determines its level of quality and about half of all poultry sold is federally graded.

You may want to stock up on beef for the freezer in the near future. The number of cattle on feed January 1 was less than a year ago and prices may be expected to advance by March.

Potato processing operations continue to grow. One of the largest processors in the country, Ore-Ida Foods, Inc., says that only 73 per cent of today's potato crop is sold in its natural unprocessed state. Potato chips, frozen french fries and other frozen forms and dehydrated products take better than a quarter of the crop.

The National Cotton Council reports that more all-cotton stretch fabrics will be seen in ready-to-wear sportswear this year. A number of major manufacturers are featuring garments made of such fabrics in resort and summer lines.

It appears that 1963 was a record year for tree nuts. The crop of the four major edible nuts — almonds, filberts, walnuts and pecans — was estimated at 308,000 tons, 80 per cent higher than 1962 and 38 per cent higher than average.

Choose New Range With Care— It's a Sound, Lasting Investment

If you're shopping for a new range this year, don't be an impulse buyer. Remember you may be using it for up to 15 years, so take time to look around carefully before you buy.

This advice is given by Constance Burgess, Extension Home Management Specialist of the University of California, in a new bulletin, "Choosing and Using Your Household Range," who points out that probably no other large appliance offers so many choices of size, style, accessories, and price.

New electric ranges, for instance, may have pushbutton or rotary infinite heat controls. Some have a high-speed surface element that gives instant heat for short, fast cooking at high temperatures. Many new ranges have one or more of the thermostatically controlled surface elements that maintain the right cooking temperature without being watched.

Some ranges have low-temperature controls that turn oven heat down when food is cooked and hold it for several hours at serving temperature. Electric oven thermostats can be set as low as 150 degrees, Miss Burgess points out.

Although on and off oven timers are not new, they've been improved to be easy to use. Removable automatic rotisseries, automatic meat thermometers, and griddles are also among the features to look for on new electric ranges.

As for styles, "New trends in ranges are exciting," Miss Burgess says. "You'll see an amazing array of sizes, shapes, and colors." Electric ranges give the highest heat efficiency, which means



HERE ARE FOUR BASIC TYPES of electric ranges to consider if you're updating your cooking: top left—free-standing unit with double ovens; top right—high-oven range with double ovens and slide-out surface elements; bottom left—built-in double ovens and separate counter cook-top; bottom right—one-piece built-in.

the kitchen stays cooler. Manufacturers of electric ranges point out that many of the deluxe features introduced a few years ago are now found on medium-priced models.

Ask yourself what you like about your present range and what would you like to change? You may want a double oven,

more automatic controls, or a range that's easier to clean.

Appliance manufacturers have made the new electric ranges easier than ever to clean. Food burns off the cooking elements, automatic controls help prevent burn-ons and spill-overs, and improved design makes them easy to clean inside and out,

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Senator Ralph Yarborough of Texas, right, is host in his Washington office to Judge J. E. Sturrock, left, the 1964 winner of the Department of Interior Conservation Service Award. In the center is Harry Eurligh, head of the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation Office in Austin, Texas. The award was presented by Secretary of the Interior Stewart Udall for Judge Sturrock's outstanding contributions to conservation goals. Judge Sturrock, general manager of the Texas Water Conservation Association, is from Austin. Senator Yarborough, a Vice-President of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, said, "Some of the major achievements in water conservation in Texas are directly attributable to the leadership of Judge Sturrock and Texans like him who have made the state's future their business." The award is one of the nation's highest.



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Very few farmers find it altogether practical to make their own tests of new crops. For this reason the United States Department of Agriculture, the agricultural colleges, the state experiment stations, and the state extension services pass along to farm people the results of their tests. They keep a large staff of scientific experts, and the story of their discoveries fills many books.

The Department of Agriculture was established by an Act of Congress of May 15, 1862. This department has many divisions, each doing research or helping in some phase of improving agriculture. It has an annual appropriation of many millions of dollars. This money is used largely to work on agricultural problems affecting the entire nation. It also handles problems which require money and equipment no one state can supply.

A great deal of scientific experimental work is done by the experiment stations of the state agricultural colleges. Abraham Lincoln signed the bill making possible the first "land grant" agricultural college to teach the science of farming and related subjects. Now every state maintains at least one such free institution, where men and women are prepared for intelligent work upon the land and educated in every phase of rural life. The regular four-year course leads to the degree of B. S. Two or three year courses are also available, and agriculture is a standard subject in many public schools of the United States.

THE EXTENSION SERVICE

The college extension service has a staff of people trained in the science of farming and keep up-to-date on new developments. They are also in touch with farm people and are able to supply answers for their questions. Some colleges have an accountancy department with experienced bookkeepers who help the farmers. The bookkeeper or accountant goes over the farmer's books, and analyzes the figures with him. The farmer thus knows, like any other careful businessmen, where he has lost money and where his business has been most profitable. He can plan future work accordingly.

A most beneficial phase of extension service is the county-agent system, which has now become a county-wide institution. The county agent is maintained as expert advisor for the farmers of the county, and is paid from federal, state, and county appropriations. He will test a farmer's soil and tell him what sort of fertilizer it needs.

He holds demonstrations of new farm practices. He tells the poultryman where they can get the sort of breeding stock they need. He acts as messenger to bring to the farm any new knowledge or development which will improve farming or farm living.

April Brings Shower of Plentiful Foods

Texas A&M University Agri. Extension Service COLLEGE STATION, Texas—April brings a shower of foods, along with traditional rain showers, as seven foods are especially plentiful, reports the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Such items as beef, cottage cheese, eggs, rice, canned ripe olives, dried beans and canned corn are expected to be abundant, according to the Agricultural Marketing Service, the U. S. Department of Agriculture agency that compiles the monthly list of plentiful.

Egg prices paid to farmers dropped more than 10 percent between mid-January and late February. April supplies are expected to be above those of a year ago, with prices below last year's attractive retail level. As of January 1, canned corn stocks were at a record high, and heavy supplies also should be much in evidence during April.

Substantial January-to-March increases in the number of fed beef cattle have resulted in a much larger meat supply.

Creamed cottage cheese production is expected to exceed last year's 878 million pound record. Dry bean production netted a record 12 percent above average. A record rice crop and the possibility of a record canned olive supply make these big items for April.

Most of these foods are produced extensively in Texas, says the Service.

Foods listed as "plentiful" by AMS are expected to be more than adequate to meet normal trade needs.

Good Eggs Rate Lots Of 'T.L.C.'

There's nothing so all-purpose as an egg. Eggs have been sculpted, thrown, worn, used in painting, hidden and rolled at Easter, and hung on trees at Christmas. But mostly they're eaten.

Soft-boiled egg yolk is baby's first solid food, and eggnog—with or without "an ounce of bounce"—may sustain him in his old age. In between, he eats thousands of eggs—boiled, fried, scrambled, creamed, deviled, shirred and souffléed, to say nothing of the hundreds of foods eggs are mixed into—ice cream, cakes and pancakes, meat loaf, mayonnaise and Hollandaise, for instance.

Nutritionists recommend an egg a day for everyone because they're high in protein and supply iron and vitamins A and B-2. And they're inexpensive to serve.

There's only one drawback to eggs—they're delicate. They need tender, loving care.

"If you submit eggs to high temperatures, the value is destroyed," says Adelle Davis, renowned nutritionist, in her book, "Let's Cook it Right." And any homemaker who's had a soufflé fail or a custard separate can tell you that temperature is vital in egg cookery.

That's why homemakers find eggs and automatic electric ranges a natural go-together. Accurate heat controls and automatic timers on today's electric ranges take the trick out of egg cookery. Even beginning cooks, with the help of a good cookbook and a new electric range, can turn out delectable, nutritious egg dishes.

Eggs should be fried or scrambled in a lightly oiled skillet on a thermostatically controlled surface element set at 250-300 degrees. For poached eggs, water with salt or vinegar added should be brought to a boil, then the control should be set at 175-200 before the eggs are slipped in.

When making a soufflé, custard, angel food cake or other egg dish in the oven, the housewife with a new electric range has only to follow the recipe carefully, set the oven control at the right temperature and the timer at the correct cooking time. She can be assured that the food will turn out perfectly every time, with no failures from uneven heat.

3 To Be Elected City Election Tues., April 7th

There will be a City election Tuesday, April 7, to elect three City Commissioners.

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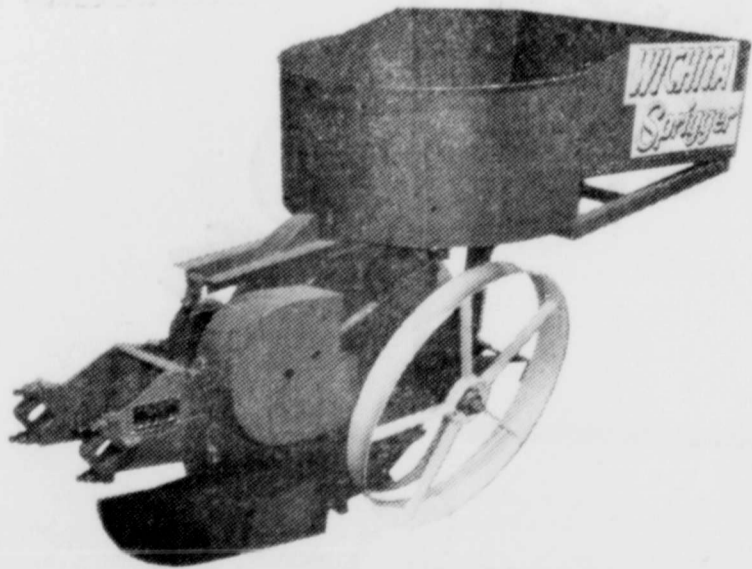
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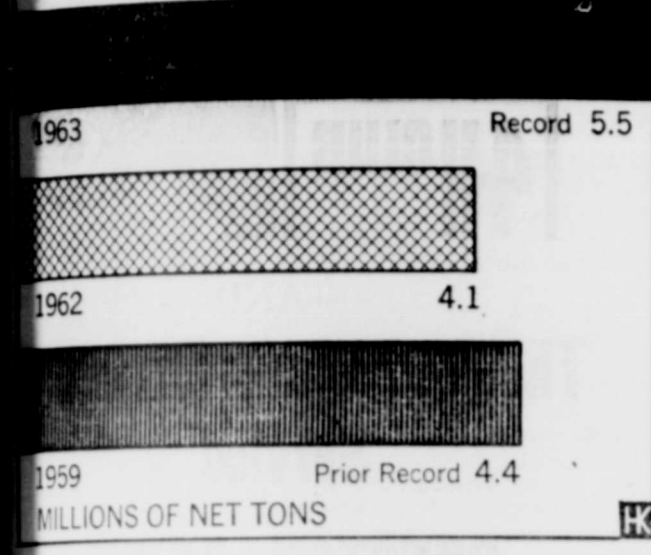
New York — (HK) — College costs are at an all-time high today but more students and parents are able to finance these costs than ever before.

A recent study of source materials by the Savings Banks Association of New York State shows that a college education is certain to cost more in the future, with experts predicting that by 1970, costs of tuition, books, fees, room and board expenses will double. And, they point out, these costs have just about doubled since the end of World War II.

A full, four-year college education at a private eastern college today costs about \$12,800 to \$10,000; and at a state university from about \$6,400 to \$6,400.

By 1970, the U.S. Office of Education predicts, a college education at a private school will cost from \$14,400 to \$20,000, and at a state university from \$9,600 to \$12,800.

FLOOD OF FOREIGN STEEL HITS NEW HIGH IN '63



A record total of foreign steel — 5.5 million net tons — entered the United States during 1963. This surpassed the old record of 4.4 million tons, established in 1959, and was 23 per cent ahead of the 4.4 million tons imported in 1962, as shown in this chart prepared by American Iron and Steel Institute.

While imports were rising to a new high in 1963, U.S. exports stayed at about 2.0 million tons, the same as the previous two years.

A record tonnage of 775,000 tons of wire rods were imported in 1963, and hot and cold rolled sheet imports reached 500,000 tons, up sharply from the 1962 total of 174,000 tons. Galvanized sheets totaled 200,000 tons.

Japan retained its position as the largest single source of steel imports, accounting for about one-third of the total. Other major exporters to the U.S. were Belgium, Luxembourg, Canada, West Germany, France and the United Kingdom.

PORTABLE TYPEWRITERS:

'more at home than in office'

New York — (HK) — The portable typewriter may become as much of a household necessity in the home of tomorrow as the telephone and television set is today.

F. P. Ryan, president of Royal McBee Corp., makers of Royal typewriters, said a study by his company indicated that the use of portable typewriters in the home was on the upswing and predicted that an estimated 1,400,000 will be sold in 1964. It is estimated that 20 per cent of all homes now are equipped with portables. The study also showed that even though the portable is usually associated with high school and college student use, 40 per cent of all these writing machines are actually used by people under the age of 25.

Among the functions the portable is used for in the home include writing of personal letters by the housewife, typing recipes, preparing shopping lists, students doing homework and the businessman who has office work to do after hours. One sidelight of the study: women seem more attracted to the portable typewriters than men, accounting for about 60 per cent of the machines in use.

The "Good Old Days" of Farming

"Those were the good old days." How many times have we heard these words? What about the "good old days" of farming?

The use of farm animals for power. The weeding of fields by hand and by hoe. Up one row — down the next. Hour after back-breaking hour.

The 19th century brought the mechanical age: the reaper, invented by Cyrus McCormick, followed by a succession of powered machines to help the farmer increase his productivity.

One hundred years ago one farmer produced enough food and fiber to support five people. By 1940 he could produce enough for 11 people.

And then came the chemical age. During World War II our country was called on to help feed half the world. Our scientists were pressed to produce newer, more effective agricultural chemicals to raise crop yields and quality — and they responded.

Today, one farmer can produce enough for 25 people. And as newer and still MORE effective chemicals are produced, this figure will continue to grow.

What are the enemies of the farmer that these chemicals control, insects, rodents, weeds, and plant diseases — to name just a few.

Chemicals are also fertilizing and amending the soil, making plants stronger, and increasing plant yield. In short, they are helping the farmer make his entire farm more productive, more useful, more profitable.

Today, one of the most expensive cultivating practices in farming is the control of grass and broadleaf weeds. USDA estimated that in 1952, weeds cost farmers \$4 billion a year. This high loss figure is attributed to the fact that many farmers are still not making use of the most efficient weed control methods.

Recent reports, for example, indicate that many farmers are still employing both hand weeding and machine cultivation methods to rid their fields of destructive vegetation. Both of these methods are costly for several reasons. Too often weather prohibits either method. Use of machinery presents the

constant threat of damage to roots.

No wonder, then, that the search has been expanded for new ways to reduce infestations of weeds which compete with desirable plants for food, light and water.

A Colorado onion grower, for example, found that his hand hoeing costs were approximately \$35 an acre and had to be done three times a season. The very first season that he used DACTHAL (r) herbicide, he found that a single application was sufficient for season-long weed control — and at a cost of only \$20 per acre. The net savings — 85 per cent.

A diversified truck farmer in Wisconsin reports DACTHAL saves him \$500 weekly by eliminating costly hand weeding formerly required. He raises such crops as peppers, onions, cabbage and egg plant among others.



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What is significant, the experts note, is that paralleling the sharp increase in college costs is the equally sharp increase in college enrollment. Tight budgets seem to have little effect on the overall total college enrollment.

The biggest single source of college funds for the student is his, or his parents', savings. Thousands of families with college-bound children start early on a systematic savings program.

Another major source of funds is scholarships, including governmental, corporate and private organizations. In the U.S. nearly a quarter of a million scholarships worth \$66 million are awarded annually to qualified students.

STATE SCHOLARSHIPS

Many states, through acts of their legislatures, grant official state scholarships to worthy high school students. In New York State, for example, the Board of Regents awards each year more than 16,000 general, four-year scholarships, without regard to the recipient's race, creed or planned curriculum, each with the annual worth of from \$250 to \$700, depending on need.

A recent and successful development in college education financing is the student loan through a financial institution.

A number of states have set up a guaranteed loan system, with low interest rates to be paid, along with the loan, after college graduation. In New York State, the Higher Education Assistance Corporation, created by the legislature and administered by leading citizens, has underwritten loans made by financial institutions of the state to more than 104,000 students since it began operations in June 1958. These loans have totaled nearly \$78 million.

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No interest is paid on the money borrowed by the student while in college. After graduation, he then pays 3 per cent interest and has up to six years to repay the loan.

Most New York State financial institutions are cooperating in the HEAC program. A typical viewpoint was expressed recently by Charles W. Carson, president of the Savings Banks Association of New York State and also president of The Community Savings Bank of Rochester: "It's a good plan, not only from the student's point of view, but also from our country's, for no greater contribution can be made to our state and nation than to lend assistance to our young people who seek the benefits of a higher education."

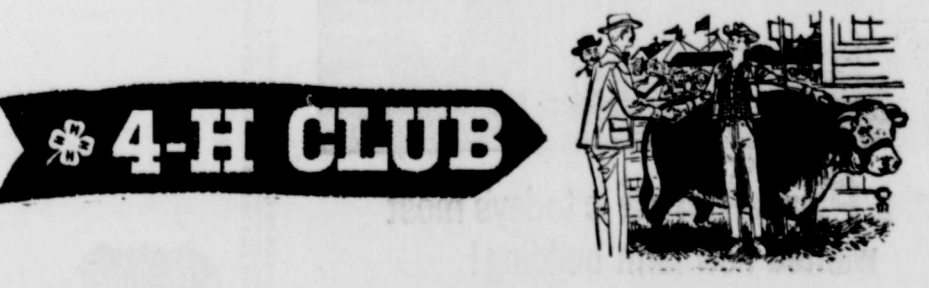
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Homemaker's Memo

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Young America is on the move. Most brides, for example, will move at least three times during the first five years of marriage — and some of them will move as often as every six months.

1. Pack for common sense, not sentiment. Great Aunt Susie may be quite loving about her gift of fragile family teacups, but if you like them, leave them — until the day when you have proper and safe storage space and the teacup life. The same rule applies to fancy linens and glassware suitable only for party use as well as breakables that require extra care.

2. Pack first for every day. Take all the small appliances you can accommodate: electric skillet, coffee pot, mixer, toaster. Appliances of stainless steel are durable, good travelers and easy to care for — soap or detergent and hot water, plus a stainless steel scouring sponge, if needed. When you're on the move you may often find yourself in a poorly equipped temporary kitchen which you can transform in a twinkling with versatile portable appliances.

3. Pack for a pretty table. Here, too, you can be practical, and have convenience and beauty at the same time. Good stainless steel flatware, now made in heirloom patterns, survives the mobile years — and the settled ones to follow. Pack it — and repack it. It will never tarnish, is easy to care for, and will look just as good if you want to pass it on to your daughter.

4. Pack for a slim pocket-book. The first years probably will be budget years. So take along a practical trousseau of linens, sheets and tablemats you can launder yourself with the help of a communal or apartment house do-it-yourself laundry.

5. Pack for a purpose. You'll know in general what kind of a life you'll be leading at first — so pack for it. If your bridegroom is in the service and you can go with him, your life will be informal and informal. Take along serving dishes for one-dish meal parties. If your husband's on his way up the business-career ladder, entertaining — even on the move — may have to be a little more lavish. Certain items, however — like stainless steel serving dishes — are adaptable to either an informal supper or a candlelight dinner.

These are just five hints for the new bride who is packing up her household for the first time — and probably not the last.

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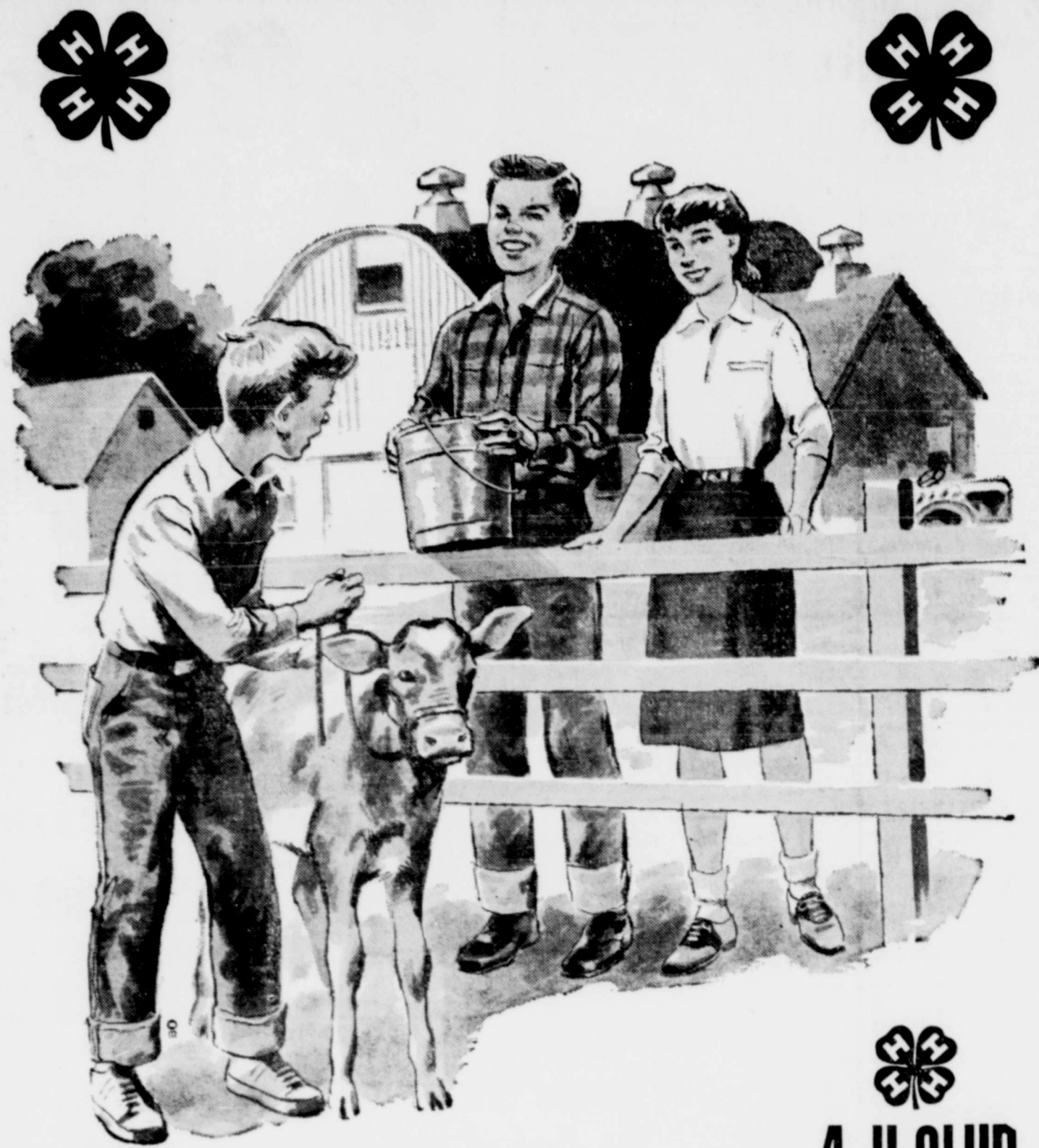
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with lye and hot water before the sow is moved in. Wash the sow, he advises, with warm water and soap before the move and give special attention to her underline.

The move to the farrowing house should be made two to three days in advance of the expected farrowing date and decrease her feed to half normal ration and half wheat bran. Provide the needed bedding for the farrowing house, he adds.

Be present at farrowing time to clean up the baby pigs and to place them under a heat lamp which can be placed in a corner of the pen. He adds that the pig's needle teeth should be clipped during the first 24 hours to about a fourth of their original length. The naval cord should be clipped about two inches below the belly and dipped in a solution of 2 percent iodine to lessen the chances for an infection.

The sow should not be fed during the day she farrows but should have plenty of fresh, clean water. The second day after that she should get two to three pounds of feed and then a pound per day increases until she is again on full feed.

As an aid for preventing anemia, the county agent suggests placing a pan of clean fertile soil in the house for the pigs to root in or iron shots may be given on about the third day.

The pigs should be creep fed from the first week until should be castrated at 2-3 weeks if they are weaned, the county agent says. The male pigs of age and all should be vaccinated for cholera at six weeks of age. Pigs should be weaned at six weeks and wormed when ten weeks of age.

Make this farrowing season a real pig harvest by following good management practices, concludes the county agent.

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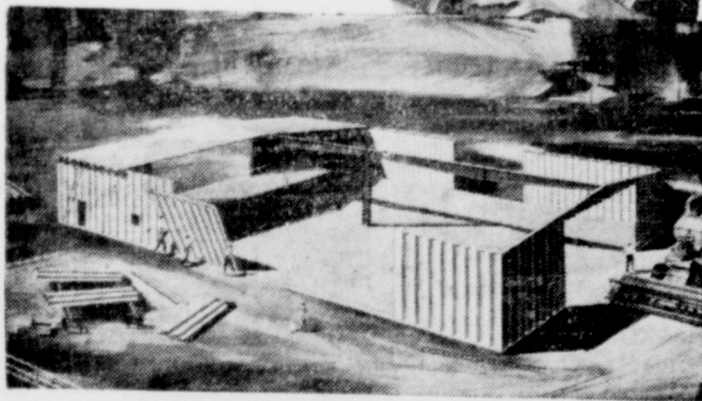
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The listing, which is revised twice each year, is available for study at all county Extension Service offices. County Agent B. T. Haws and those interested in obtaining publications from the list or from those he has available in his office have a special invitation

to come by his office.

The publications available are written specifically for Texas residents, he said. The range of subjects includes practically every phase of agriculture and homemaking.

Good management is a must during farrowing time because success or failure for the swine enterprise depends on it says County Agent B. T. Haws. And, he adds, its that time again on the hog farms in Wichita County.

He offers these suggestions for making the season a successful one. Increase the sow's feed during the last 30 days before farrowing to allow for maximum development of the pig embryos. Clean the farrowing house thoroughly and disinfect

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