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Wrecks and Taxes (new ones) seem to be the chief topic of confirst of the week is a perfect exwreck that occured Sunday night left little evidence, as far as damage to the vehicles involved, yet two negroes suffered broken legs and the third had a piece of strap steel through his foot. The other wreck which left a totally demolished truck torn up bridge and a scattered load of feed resulted in only a few bruses and small cuts to its driver and only occupant. It must be that there is something to that intangable thing called fate.

As for taxes. The School Board has called a meeting for Friday night to discuss the necessity of raising the School Taxes in order to comply with the program set forth payers and voters had better attend this meeting so you will know what is taking place. The next tax question is a proposed 15c road tax construction. for Kent County to be voted but Saturday, August 6. Whether you Services Held Monday are 'fer' of 'agin' the proposal it is best that you make plans to cast your vote so you can blame no one but your self for the final decision.

Scattered showers throughout the county this week have brought a I smile to the face of many farmers. The hot dry weather was beginning to take its toll of feed and the cot- for some time. His body was reton in parts of the county was beginning to suffer. The showers ranged from light sprinkles up to .70 in Breckenridge from 1918 to 1931 of an inch in Jayton to as much as two inches in the north east part of the county.

The minister of the Old Kirk asked a Scotch fisherman if he knew the First Commandment.

the fisherman.

"Well do you know the Second Commandment?" asked the minister. "You've got me again," replied the fisherman: "but can you te'll me this-how many hooks are on my fishing line?"

The minister was unable to an-

"Well, minister." said the fisherman, "it's like this: Every man tae

### Local 4-H Club Boys Receive Cash Awards

A total of \$32.50 was won by four members of the Kent County 4-H Club who participated in the Heavy Litter Contest of the Sears Foundation Program. These four members competed against 48 other 4-H members in the contest from Nolan, Scurry, Mitchell, Stonewall, and Fisher counties

Billy Gene Harrison placed 3rd in the overall contest and won \$12.50 in prize money. Billy had eight pigs which weighed 342 pounds at eight weeks of age. John Allen Kelley placed 10th in the contest and won \$10.00 in prize money. John Allen had nine pigs in the contest weighing 297 pounds at 56 days of age. Edward Brook took 14th place and won \$5.00. Charles Stinnett placed 15th and also won \$5.00.

Leads Elks



mett T. Anderson of Tacoma, ash., new Grand Exalted Ruler of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, warned that struggle against "communist imperial lem" may last for generations.

### New Farm-to-Market

The following is a notice received from the Texas Highway Department designating a Farm-to-Market road for Kent County. Designation of this road has just been passed versation this week. First we will by the Texas Highway Commission for the tax situation will be with us provisions of Senate Bill 287,, passed rest. from now on and there is no need by the 51st Legislature. Funds for to get in a rush about it. The dif- the roads to be built under this bill ference in the two wrecks that hap- will become available in September pened in the county during the of this year, but the Commission has taken immediate action to program charged. ample of the opposit exteremes. The roads in order to insure quick work as construction funds accrue.

> IN KENT COUNTY a Farm-to-Markket Road from F. M. 643, 2 miles west of Girard South to road intersection, a distance of approximately 4.2 miles, is hereby designated subject to the availability of funds under the terms of Senate Bill no. 287 and subject to the condition that Kent County will furnish all required right-of-way free of cost to the State.

> Upon acceptance of the provisions of this Order by the proper officials of Kent County the State Highway Figineer is directed to proceed with the preparation of plans for con \$31,500 and when right-of-way and funds are available to proceed with construction and to assume the road for maintenance upon completion of

### For J. W. Darden

day afternoon at 3:30 at the First Baptist Church in Breckenridge for Judge John W. Darden, 69, who died morning. He had been in ill health turned to Breckenridge Sunday afternoon. Judge Darden practiced law when he moved to Tyler. He was Stephens County Judge from 1919 through 1922. At the time of his death he was a practicing attorney in Tyler.

He is survived by his wife, two sons, R. W. Darden of Olney and "Ave, but that's a teaser," said John Darden of Midland; two daughters, Mrs. C. A. Bennett . of Oklahoma City and Mrs. Lamar Monkress of Houston, his mother, Mrs. George Darden of Girard and seven brothers.

Six brothers served as pallbearers, Sam, Frank, Earl, Ted, Will and Claude Darden, Honorary pall bearers were named as Matt Darden, E. R. Maxwell, Ben Grant, Fred Ferguson, J. W. Castleman, Jake Robbins, R. E. Lee, O. L. Alexander, L. T. Woodall, S. A. Cotner, Lyndsay D. Hawkins, Jessie R. Smith, Claud? Bandy, C. J. O'Conner, J. E. Hickman, C. M. Calwell, Dr. A. L. Johns and Judge Nat Brooks, Tyler, Judge Floyd Jones and Frank Roberts.

Interment was in the Breckenridge Cemetery under the direction of the Kiker Funeral Home.

### Kelley, Edwards, New Implement Co. Owners

O. L. Kelley and M. M. Edwards have recently purchased the Spur Implement Company, distributors of International Harvester products. Oldsmobiles and Krouse Plows. The establishment will be known at the Kelley-Edwards' Implement Com-

No personnel changes will be nade, according to Kelley. He will serve as business manager of the firm. The same quality merchandise and effecient service will continue.

Kelley is well known to the people I this area having been connected with a real estate, oil and loan business in Spur for many years. He taught for 12 years in Spur and Croton schools, and served eight years as county school superintendent of Dickens County.

Edwards resides in Clyde and operates extensive ranch interest in West Texas including the Edwards

ranch northeast of Spur. Invoicing is being completed this week in the new implement company and the next month will be spent restocking and reorgainging the business.

Recent visitors in the Tom Hunnicutt home were their children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hunnicutt and Lynda, Mr. and Mrs. to be present and the discussion will Dink Hunnicutt of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hunnicutt and Elise of Deputy Superintendent. Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. Garlon Hunnicutt and Julie of Chicago, Mr and Mrs. Dale Hunnicutt of Girard and Jack Sewers of Chicago.

Mrs. W. D. Cave and Mrs. Sibble Terrell returned home from Eric. Oklahoma, Sunday after an extended has been very ill.

#### Spur Constable Kills Road For Kent County Farm Laborer Sunday In Bridge Mishap

SPUR, July 25-Wilmer Earl Burger.

day for an investigation of the shooting. Burger was not held or

the heart. Burger said he was aiming for Braddy's shoulder. The sheriff said Burger fired after Braddy attacked the constable, cutting him on the left shoulder and

left wrist. Burger said he warned

Braddy once not to charge him

again and that he fired when Braddy

gnored the warning. Witnesses told the sheriff that Burger persued Braddy into the alley after attempting to arrest him on a downtown street.

### To The Voters Of Kent County

I have just learned of the election alled for August 6 to determine whether the county shall levy an additional 15c road tax in Kent County. This election has been called at a time of the year when most people have little time to discuss and consider the matter, or mangled foot. even go to the polls to vote. This election can mean an additional tax urden on an already overburdened tizenship, and should go in favor of the proposition only after the voters fully understand the matter dditional tax. The voters should inderstand before they vote that the roads in the county.

The question of this increase in taxes has been coming up from time to time for several years, and I carefour years I was county commission- to Hamlin for medical attention. but will mean a substantially higher own power.

tax to be paid every year hereafter. good roads from the election carrying. I would be one of the strongest for it.

A few years ago, before the state tricts covering the entire county in Texas. and voted enormous bond issues. A large portion of the highways built have now been abandoned but we are still paying the tax and will continue to pay it for many years to come. The state and federal governments are now entering into a vast program of building and maintaining farm-to-market roads. Kent county will pay her part of the cost of this program whether she wets the roads or not. It looks as if we are again trying to put the gate up after the horse is out.

Most of those I have talked to about this matter either say hey on't understand what it is all about or if they do understand it they wholeheartedly oppose the proposi-

There is little time before this election and everyone who realizes the facts of the matter and the use lessness of the added tax should get busy and get out as large a vote as possible. If all understand the matter there is no doubt but that the proposition will be defeated.

I feel it is my duty as a citizen and former commissioner of the county to give my views in the matter and to warn the voters of what they are getting into.

Respectfully, J. M. HALL

### NOTICE:-

A meeting is called by the Board of Trustees of the Jayton Independent School District Friday, July 29. 1549, at 8:30 p. m. in the School Auditorium to discuss the necessity of raising the rate of School Taxes. All qualified voters are urged to at-

Senate Bills 115, 116, and 117, (Gilmer-Akin Bills) make this meeting necessary. Visiting speakers are the led by R. H. Eculter, Stul

Happy Jack Davis and family of Big Spring, Texas, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. T. L. King this week

Johnny Millwee and son, Scottie. who have been visiting his parents visit with Mrs. Minnie Hoard who in Idaho, returned home last Fri-

### Truck Demolished

Monday afternoon a truck loaded Braddy, 29, farm laborer who lived with feed from the Stanton Milling near here, was fatally shot in an Co. at Lubbock, and driven by J. D. alley here Sunday by Constable H. T. Belcher also of Lubbock, crashed through the river bridge between Sheriff C. C. Kimmel said Brad- Jayton and Clairemont, overturned give a short resume of the wrecks. This road is to be built under the dy was shot when he resisted ar- and finally came to rest upsidedown in the ted of the river with the Kimmel said Burger would appear drive penned inside the cab. Withbefore a grand jury in Dickens Fri- in a few minutes passing motorists had freed the driver. By some miraculous method the drive escaped with only slight bruses on his face Dr. P. C. Nichols of Spur said and left shoulder and elbow. The Braddy was killed by a shot through truck was a total loss.

When questioned as to the cause of the accident Belcher stated, "That bridge was just a little rough for

He stated that when he hit the bridge the truck began bouncing and before he could gain control he was in the ted of the river. The bridge is known to people of this area as the roughest bridge in the

### Three Negroes Injured In Truck Collision

Shortly after midnight Sunday night a truck loaded with hay enroute to Coleman, Texas, collided with a truch carrying negro farm workers to the plains. The accident occured a few miles north of Girard. Two of the Negroes suffered broken legs and a third Negro a very badly

It seems, according to Sherif Negroes caught the front finder o impact tore a 3 foot section of the metal binding from the bed of th hay truck. This metal strip, some 3 inches wide by 1-4 of an inch thick the tax will not materially improve flew across the bed of the Negroe. truck with such force theat it stuck completely through the foot of one of the Negroes.

The ambulance from Robinson fully studied the matter during the Funeral bome carried the injuried

er. I am thoroughly convinced that The trucks showed only slight the tax will not make any practical damage and were able to leave improvement in the county roads, the scene of the accident under their

### If there was a chance of getting Elliott Askes People To Be Own Patrol

Hundreds of Texans are likely took over the building of highways. to be killed or injured because of Kent county formed three road dis- the farm-to-market road program

> This will happen, the Texas Safety Association and the Texas Highway Patrol said today in a joint statement, unless rural people learn quickly to use these roads properly and to police themselves.

Last year 221 persons were killed in country road accidents in Texas. For the first half of this year, only 77 were killed, for a 37 per cent reduction in the death rate.

"This is National Farm Safety Week," said Charles A. Miller of Houston, President of the Safety Association, "and its observance centers attention on rural traffic as one of the most important of farm safety problems.

"As rural roads are improved, raral people must remember that a good farm road is a sub-standard highway, likely to be narrower and to have sharper turns and grades," Miller said. "Another dangerous factor is the tendency people have to think that they have the road all to themselves. This is revealed especially in failure to observe proper precautions at intersections, coming to a full stop and proceeding cau-

ticusly when entering a highway. W. J. Elliott, chief of the Highway Patrol, said his force has more than it can do to patrol 31,000 miles of principal highways and can not possibly patrol additional miles of farm roads. "We're praying that rural people won't start making racehorses out of plowhorses on these reads," Elliott said. "Our only hope is that the people will be their own safety patrol, for the sake of self preservation. Unless they do, enough blood will be spilled on these roads to paint a red stripe down the center of them from one end to

### Colored Women Stage Fist Fight

Two colored women gave the local citizens a bit of entertainment last Saturday afterneon by staging an old fashioned fist fight in the street just east of the Conoco Service station. Sheriff Koonce stopped the display before any great amount of customary fine for such outbursts of

### Mrs. J. A. Suits Passes Away July 22

Funeral services were held Sun day afternoon, July 24, at the Bantist Church in Jayton for Mrs. J. A. Suits who passed away July 22 at the home of her daughter in Slaton, Texas. The services were conducted bby Rev. Pierce Burns, of the First Christian Church of Slaton. He was assisted by Rev. C. C. Beaty, pastor of the Jayton Baptist Church. Burial was in the Jayton cemetery with the Robinson Funeral Home in charge

Mrs. Suits was born Februrary 12. 1867, at Liberty Hill, Williamson County, Texas, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Seward. She was married to J. A. Suits, April 12, 1889 Mr. Suits preceeded her in death on November 12, 1939 at Jayton.

To this union was born three children, Mrs. J. D. Norris, Slaton Texas: J. L. Suits, Petersburg, Texas: and A. A. Suits. Post, Texas. All three of the children were present for the funeral services.

Mrs. Suits moved to Jayton with her husband in 1911 and lived berg until 1942 when she moved to Slaton to make her home with he daughter.

Survivors other than the three children include two brothers. Tor Seward of Albuquerque, New Mexco, and Poe Seward of Brownwood Temas; five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren and a number of neices and nephews.

Out of town relatives and friends attending the fuenarl were: Rev. and Mrs. T. N. Gillham, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cass, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Terry, Mrs. J. B. Faulkner, Mrs. F. A. Gilley, Mrs. L. A. Borrow, Mrs. R. P. Tomdinson and Mrs. Ivan Clary of Post, Texas; S. P. Seward M'ss Gladys Seward and Mr. Thomas of Brownwood, Texas: Mr. and Mrs. Tem Suits, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Terry of Petersburg, Texas; Mr. and Mrs Dan Torpley of Lubbock and Walter Suits of O'Donnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lucas of Artesia, N. M. and M. Whatley and family of Blythe, Calif. were visiters this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ivey Murdoch and other and Mrs. H. J. Whatley.

### Revival At Girard Church Of Christ



The Revival Meeting of the Girard Church of Christ will begin Friday Night, August 5, and will continue through August 14. There will be two services each day; the morning service at 10:00 a .m. and the evening services at 8:30.

Bro. McClish of Burnet, Texas will do the preaching for this meet-

The membership of the Church we extended an invitation to come nd meet with them in these ser-

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Walker attended the Walker reunion at Abilene last Sunday.

R. E. Beaver of Girard attended the Annual State Convention of the Natonal Rural Letter Carriers Association at Tyler, Texas, last week end. Mr. Beaver stated that more than 500 rural carriers attended the convention.

Mrs. Tom Murdoch and son of Jonesboro, Texas, visited friends and relatives in Jayton last week. Carolyn returned home with her mother after a week's visit with Mr. relatives.

## LOOPHOLES

By WILL WILSON

Past President, Texas District and County Attorneys Association

### New Policy Adopted In Renewing Licenses

AUSTIN, July 22-Colonel Homer Garrison, Jr., Director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, announced today a temporary relaxation in the policy of renewing expired drivers licenses. Pointing out that the action is being taken or cause of inadequate field and office personnel to handle the procedure in the normal manner, Colonel Garrison stated that the temporary measure, which becomes effective immediately, will preclude excuses on the part of motorists for not having obtaining a renewal of their

licenses. This should come as good news to a half million Texas motorists since the records indicate that there are 3 1-2 million drivers in the State and only 2 1-2 million current licenses are on file. Estimates show that of the one million drivers who do not hold presently valid drivers licenses about half have had one at some time but have failed to renew them. The other half million have either moved from the State. ceased driving or died since the records were compiled or have never

possessed a license to drive Under the new program, Colonel Garrison outlines the following steps for obtaining a renewal of expired have a license that was issued since ! January 1, 1944, you may secure a renewal of same by mail from the Department of Public Safety, without examination. Second: if you have a license that was issued prior to January 1, 1944, you may renew same by presenting the old license to a Drivers License Examiner in your locality and executing and eraginal application. License in the latter case will be issued without examination.

Fermerly, those applicants for renewal who had allowed their licensy to expire were required to stand a re-examination. Now, under the in the home of Garlon's parents, Mr. temporary set-up, you may reinstate your permit to drive without damage was done and collected the taking the test, regardless of how long it has expired, provided it is boys spent last Sunday in Rule not now suspended or revoked.

(Editor's Note: This is one of series of short case histories, all taken from court records, showing how legal loopholes often enable criminals to escape punishment in Texas. Will Wilson is chairman of a special steering committee of the State Bar, which is working for revision of the ant queted Criminal Code of Criminal Procedure in order to eleminate these loopholes.)

Fred, accompanied by a friend, rae driving an automobile on a public highway, he had a collision with another car in which John and a companion were riding. John's car turned over and John was injured. Fred and his friend did not stop to offer help. Instead, they hurriedly drove away.

Fred was charged with failing to stop and render aid, an offense for which could be sent to the penitentiary for as much as five years. The indictment against Fred alleged in legal language, "That the said Fred on or about the 18th day of April, 1931, was then and there the driver and the person in control or a motor vehicle, to-wit; an automo-

upon a public highway and that the said motor vehicle did then and there strike and cause injury to a person, to-wit: John

Fred was convicted.

But the decision was reversed on appeal. The higher court ruled that. although trial testimony showed Fred's automobile collided with Texas drivers licenses. First: if you | John's automobile, there was no proof that Fred's car acutally struck the person of John. Therefore, said the higher court, the charge in the indictment was not proved.

So long as legal loopholes exist, criminals will takke advantage of them. That is why the State Bar is working to bring about revision of Texas' criminal statutes. Every time a criminal goes free of punishment, liberty dies a little.

Mr. and Mrs. Garlon Hunnicutt and daughter, Julie, and Jack Sewers have returned to their home in Chicago following a three weeks visit and Mrs. Tom Hunnicutt of Girard.

Mr. and Mrs. Glover Engledow and

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### CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Jessie Mae Alexander: Greet

You are commanded to appear and answer the plantiff's petition at on before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 15th day of Agust, A. D. 1949, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Kent County, at the Court House in Clairemont, Texas.

Said plantiff's petition was filed on the 2nd day of July, 1949.

The file number of said suit being No. 808-D.

The names of the said parties in said suit are: Rex Lin Alexander as Plaintiff, and Jessie Mae Alexander as Defendant. The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Suit for Divorce on the grounds of cruel treatment.

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this the 2nd day of July A. D., 1949. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Clairemont, Texas, this the 2nd day of July, A. D., 1949.

EUEL D. HARRISON, Clerk District Court Kent County, Texas

#### Notice Of Election

NOTICE is hereby given that there will be held an election on August 6, God bless you 1949, to determine whether the Com- The family of Mrs. H. A. P. Lafoon ssioners' Court of Kent County Texas, shall levy upon the property in Kent County a road tax not to exceed 15c on the \$100 worth of property in said county.

County Judge, Kent County, Texas

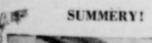
Mr. and Mrs. E. Raney of Stamford, Texas, spent last Sunday in Jayton with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Bill Vencil visited her parents in Carbon, Texas, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Lee and family visited relatives in Mason last week

Maury Darden of Hobbs, New Mexico, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Darden, in Girard last week end.

Mrs. Julia Byers of Lockney is visiting her brother, J. M. Kelley, and family this week.







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#### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank those who were bereavement. Especially do we never be forgotten. want to thank Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Lowrance for their kind deed. May

Mr. and Mrs. John Nelson Kelley of Dallas are in Jayton with his mother, Mrs. J. M. Kelley, who is seriously ill.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of thanking all of the people of Jayton that were so kind and thoughtful during the death and burial of our den a son, July 10. The boy weighed mother. Especially do we wish to 9 pounds and 13 ounces. The proud thank Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Jackson for the use of their home where the body lay in state for a few hours in her old home that was so dear to her heart. The floral offering was Grace Hall, Sue Barfoot, Rhoda beautiful, the luncheon served by Lou Kelley and Joyce Brantner of her many friends and neighbors was Lubbock spent the week end in wonderful. It makes our hearts glad that she was permitted to live so many years among such fine popple. The music by the choir and the special number were beautiful.

May God's richest blessings always so kind and helpful during our be yours, and your kindness will

> Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Norris, Slaton Mr. and Mrs. J, L. Suits, Petersburg Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Suits, Post

"bo was going to run for a State office accepted an invitation to speak at a high school graduation in a small town. As he entered the building, he greeted a friend, who as a member of the legislature. The lawmaker said, "I want to be frank with your I am going to have to support Joe Doakes because we have served together in the House."

The State candidate, in beginning his speech, said, "I am happy to see my good friend, your representative, here tonight. I want to bear testimony to the fact that there is not a hard-working and more sincere member of he legislature than he is and he enjoys the respect and the affection of his colleagues and of the press. I want to thank you citizens of this district for giving Texas such a fine public servant.'

Then he launched into his speech. The hall was crowded, even the walls were lined with listeners and others were massed outside the windows and peering in. The address was received most enthusiastically and afterwards many flocked up to shake the speaker's hand. Among them was the member of the legislature. The visitor said, "Well, Henry, don't hurt me any more than you

"Hurt you!" exclaimed the renresentative. "Thunder, I'm for you!"

Will Rogers' coments after World War I are by no means untimely today:

"The conference is off to a flyin; start. There is nothing to prevent their succeeding now but human

"The United States never lost war or won a conference." "Our foriegn dealings are an

open book-generally a check book.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenwood Derdon and family of Stamford visited their and Mr. nd Mrs. Doss Derden, in S. Kenady. Jayton last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Briminstool and family of Carlsbad, N. M., visited her sister, Mrs. Roy Clark, and family and her brother, Melvin Lee in Jayton last Saturday and Sunday.

Boyce Kenady and son, Horton, of Lockney, Texas, spent the week end parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Barbes in Jayton with his mother, Mrs. C.

> Mrs. J. H. Deaver of San Antonio is visiting old friends in Jayton this

Mr. and Mrs. Ivey Murdoch and Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Mayer attended the Stamford Production Credit Cor-Sunday for New Mexico on a vaca- poration barbecue at Stamford Wednesday of this week.

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OLEO, 1 lb. Red Rose	27c
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TOMATOES, Vine Ripe, 2 lbs	25c
SUGAR, 5 pounds	
HONEY, 5 lb. bucket, Comb,	
CHILI BEANS, 2 cans	
TOMATOES, 3 small cans	
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## Week=End Specials

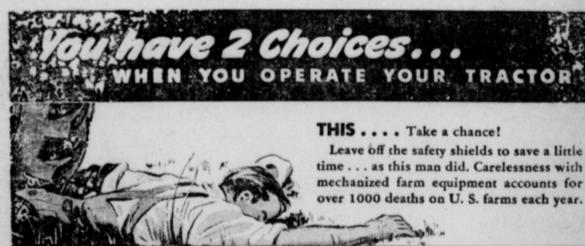
LARGE BOX POUND OF CHUCK ROAST SUN SPUN, NO. 2 CAN CORN 15c SMOKED, FLAT CAN SALMON

CRISCO

NOTICE MILK CUSTOMERS:-

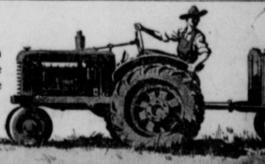
Please bring all milk bottles that you have on hand . . , We cannot furnish you with milk unless you heed this request.

HALLS RED and WHITE STORE



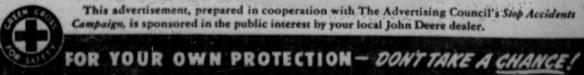
OR THIS . . . . Be careful!

Check your farm equipment-then watch yourself. By being careful you'll not only save time and the crops you would lose if you're injured, but perhaps your life as well.



Be Careful . . . . what you save may be your life!

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### Markets Continue To Weaken In Southwest

Despite advances on some products during the past week, most southwest farm markets paid unchanged to lower prices, according to the Protion, U. S. Department of Agricul- specials, dressed meat found gener-

Many fruits and vegetables found weaker markets. Arkansas peaches sold \$1.25 per bushel lower than a widespread weakness, with cows week ago, and Colorado peas \$1 low- calves and stockers down the most

cucumbers and watermelons were burdensome at New Orleans. West Texas potatoes held steady at Fort Worth, but tomatoes, cantaloups and watermelons lost.

Despite lighter receipts of all kinds of livestock, most prices turned downward last week. As consumduction and Marketing Administra- er demand shifted to hot weather ally slow outlets, and many cuts sold lower than a week earlier.

Cattle markets continued to show er. Supplies of peppers, squash, at Texas terminals. Odd lots of good

## Our Great America & by Mack



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stocker calves changed hands at \$21 to \$22 at San Antonio Monday, and medium Brahmans \$17.50 to \$18.50. Medium and good stocker steer calves turned at \$17 to \$23 at Fort

Hog prices broke sharply about he middle of last week after several days' steady climb. Net changes from Valley spring lambs ek ago varied by class and markket, but most were lower for the week. Top butchers closed Moday at \$21 at San Antonio, \$21.25 at Fort Worth, \$21.75 at Oklahoma

further declines this week at most Medium and good spring lambs brought \$20 at San Antonio, and \$19 to \$21 at Fort Worth. Good and choice spring lambs cashed at \$22 at Oklahoma City. Denver paid \$25

Little trading took place in woo or mohair this week.

Barley prices advanced 10 to 11 cents a bushel during the past week, and wheat and oats around 4 cents. White corn declined almost 5 cents.

Children's

Pajamas

One group of children's

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1-2 Price

Children's

Dresses

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children's dresses and sun-

suits. Reduced for quick

Children's

Panties

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panties. Colors white and

tearose. Sizes 2 to 14. Reg-

29c

Infants' Sandals

One group of infants' san

dals. Sizes 0 to 3. Colors of

white, pink, red and blue.

\$1.29

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Size 27x27. Soft absorbent

per dozen

\$1.98

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Regular \$2.98

Regular \$3.95

Regular \$4.95

Regular \$5.95

ular 39c. Now

14. Values to \$3.95

Monday at \$2.20 1-2 at Texas common points. No. 2 yellow mile brought \$2.15 to \$2.25 a hundred

Rice showed little change in pric? from last week although the market was fairly active for this time of year. Feed prices were strong to higher this week with oilseed meals, meat scraps and tankage in he lead. Hay markets took on a firmer tone. Peanuts met with light demand but prices remained firm.

Very good demand for spring at 30 cents a pound Monday, and weighed 7 pounds and 13 ounces.

change. No. 1 ordinary wheat closed Fort Worth gaid mostly 27 to 28 Hens held barely steady to wear Candled eggs moved in good demand. North Texas markets paid 45 for

ranged from \$1 to mostly \$3.50 m bale. Middling closed Monday 22 30.55 a pound at Dallas and 31.05 New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. (Slim) Brown chickens pushed prices up a cent are proud parents of a girl born or two higher than a week ago. Wednesday morning. The young may Arkansas fryers delivered to Dallas has been named Mary La Rue. She

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Men's 8 oz. army twill pants. Sanforized, boat sai! drill pockets, cuffed. Sizes 28 to 44.

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### Khaki Shirts

6 oz. sanforized to match. Sizes 14 to 17 1-2

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Men's short sleeve sport shirts. Leno weave. Sizes cmall, medium and large. Regular \$3.49 Value \$2.37

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\$7.88

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Men's good quality white T-Shirts. Sizes 32 to 42. Regular 79c value

59c

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Men's fine quality white dress shirts. Sizes 14 to 17.

\$1.98

### Ladies' Slips

Reduction on better slips. Crepes, satins in tailored ard lace trimmed styles. Regular \$3.95 Regular \$4.95 \$3.98 Reguler \$5.95 \$4.49 Recular \$6.95 \$4.93 Regular \$7.95

### Nylon Panties

Ladies nylon panties, colors white, pink and blue. Sizes 5, 6, and 7. Regular \$1.49 \$1.19

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39c

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have returned home after visiting in San Angelo with their daughter, feet Mrs. Jerry Dye, and family.

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Ray and Scottie Dunlap are visit- 13%" 2'8"x6'8" each \_\_\_\_\_ing their grandparents, Mr. and FLINTKOTE VULCANITE Mrs. Charlie Dunlap, in Jonesboro, Texas, this week.

Bob Engledow returned home Wednesday after attending the Abilene Reporter-News encampment at Pine Flooring, Kiln dried, Austin, Texas, the first of the week. After an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Barfoot, and her brother, Ed Brown, Mrs. Maud Barfoot returned to her home in Dallas

Mr. and Mrs. Foy Rinker of Rotan visited Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Cave the first of the week.

Mrs. Guy Brown went to Haskell, Texas, Wednesday morning to see her latest grandchild, Mary La Rue Brown the new daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Slim Brown.

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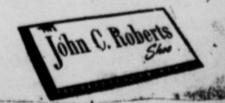
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