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NOTICE TO PUBLIC

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SENIOR NEWS

The value of an efficient and workable class organization cannot be over estimated. Functioning as a group, with the unity of purpose and unity of action much can be contributed by the class to the welfare of the entire school and student body. We, the Seniors, are endeavoring to fulfill our obligations and responsibilities as a class. Each member is making some contribution in the activities of the school.

Librarians; Betty Miller, Johnnie Neil Rogers
Jaybird Chatter Staff; Alma Joy Koonce, Jackie Underwood, Joy Jean Hunnicutt.

Study Hall; Frank Sandell
Athletics; Naylan Vencil, Billy John Harrison, John Allen Kelley, Frank Sandell, Juanelle Harrison, Ima Jo Healer, Nancy Donoho, Mary Ella Barbee.

F.F.A. Sweetheart; Ima Jo Healer.
F.H.A. Officers; Juanelle Harrison, Alma Joy Koonce.

F.F.A. Officers; Jackie Underwood.
In order to attend the Jayton High School Helen Abercrombie and Jackie Underwood travel 110 miles daily to an from school.

Each member of the class has accepted a task to make the 1949-50 Jaybird Annual a bigger and better Annual than we have ever had. The grade school has been allotted more pages than ever before. To allow the increase we must increase the expenses and our own personal work.

Our representatives for the Halloween Carnival are Juanelle Harrison and Naylan Vencil. We are working as a class to have them crowned King and Queen of the Court.

Mrs. Opal Jones, our sponsor, is working diligently to make this the best Senior Class in the history of Jayton High School.

FRESHMAN NEWS

The Freshman Class is very proud to say that our representatives for the Halloween Carnival are Jodie Black and Chester Shafer, and we are going to put forth every effort that we have to crown Jodie Black as the Carnival Queen of 1949-50.

Halloween has really sneaked up on us this year and we are really going to have to work hard to put over the program that has been planned for Friday night, October 28.

We are very proud of the new member of our class, Charlie Sue Barbee from Pasadena, Texas. We thought at the first of school that our class wasn't going to be very big, but it is gradually increasing in number. We hope that it will continue to grow.

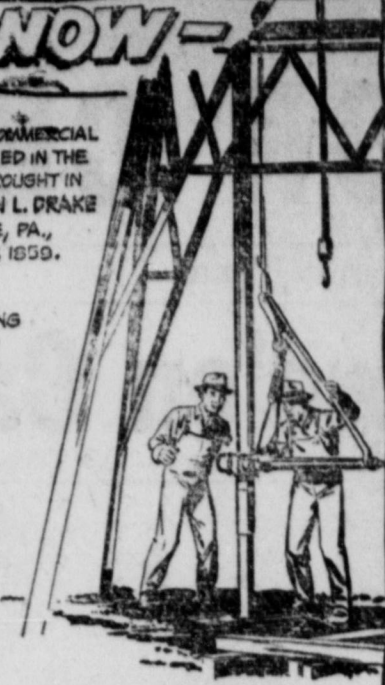
We are looking forward to the Masquerade Ball at the Community Center next Monday night.

Mrs. Maurine Dibrell spent last Monday in Burkett, Texas, with her mother who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Floy Barfoot of Lamesa spent last week end in Jayton with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barfoot.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Meador and son of Jal, New Mexico, spent last week end in Jayton with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Meador.

DID YOU KNOW -



THE FIRST COMMERCIAL OIL WELL DRILLED IN THE WORLD WAS BROUGHT IN BY COL. EDWIN L. DRAKE IN TITUSVILLE, PA., ON AUGUST 27, 1859.

SINCE THEN, OIL MEN COMPETING WITH ONE ANOTHER HAVE DRILLED 1,500,000 WELLS IN THE UNITED STATES IN THE SEARCH FOR OIL.

1900
ALL OTHER POWER


TODAY
OIL POWER
ALL OTHER POWER

THAT WHILE THE AMOUNT OF ENERGY OBTAINED FROM COAL HAS INCREASED ONLY 140 PER CENT SINCE 1900, THE AMOUNT OF ENERGY OBTAINED FROM PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS HAS INCREASED 2700 PER CENT.

THE UNITED STATES HAS PRODUCED TWO-THIRDS (27 BILLION BARRELS) OF ALL THE OIL PRODUCED IN THE WORLD AND STILL HAS THE GREATEST PROVED RESERVES IN HISTORY, 27 BILLION BARRELS.

TOTAL USE OF ENERGY IN THE UNITED STATES.

THE YEARS OF THE GREATEST INCREASE IN OUR AMERICAN STANDARD OF LIVING CONCEIVE WITH THE 90 YEARS OF PETROLEUM'S PROGRESS.



COTTON QUIZ

HOW MUCH OF OUR CLOTHING IS MADE OF COTTON?



ANS - COTTON SUPPLIES 3/4 OF ALL THE APPAREL FIBER USED IN AMERICA!

NOTICE:
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FOR SALE OR TRADE:
1936 model Chevrolet truck. Good cotton or Stock bed in first class condition. W. J. Patterson, Peacock, Texas 43-2tp

FOR SALE:
1940 model 4 door Desota. Heater, radio, good tires, seat covers, and overdrive. Rink Cave 43-2tp

FOR SALE:
Model A. A-1 condition. See Gulf Lafoon at the Lafoon Wrecking Yard. 43-1fc

Mrs. O. A. Oats and Fieth Franklin visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Furb and Mrs. M. O. Pugh last week.



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Notice Patrons

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And Don't Forget-

Have those winter clothes cleaned Now.

Davis Cleaners

HAPPY JACK

FAY

-Items From Girard-

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hunnicutt spent the past week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hunnicutt and Mr. and Mrs. Dink Hunnicutt of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hunnicutt of Dumas. They also attended the football game at Amarillo Friday night.

The Girard Halloween Carnival will be held in the gymnasium Friday night. Come and enjoy the good food, thrills and spooks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brown and Nancy of Amarillo were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Carr this past week end.

The Cardinals of Girard played the Peacock Peafowls last Friday night. The girls were defeated 12 to 16, but the boys won 33 to 25. They are to meet again on the Peafowl court this Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Gunn and family of Post have moved back to Girard. We are proud to have them back in our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Jenkins and children of Garland, Mr and Mrs. Ardell Jenkins and baby of El Paso and Mr. and Mrs. Arvis Gilbert of Abilene were visiting Mrs. Joe Jenkins this past week end.

Elise Hunnicutt of Dumas is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hunnicutt this week.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson of Andrews was buried at Jayton Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Owens are in Vernon this week visiting Mr. Owens' sister.

Mrs. George Kenady of Aspermont visited her daughter, Mrs. Wesley Robbins and family and her mother-in-law Mrs. C. S. Kenady last Thursday.

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Tom Wade

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FLOUR, 25 lbs. print	\$1.69
CATSUP, 2 Bottles	29c
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CORN, 2 No. 2 Cans	25c
TOMATOES, 3 cans	25c
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COFFEE, Vacuum Packed, 1 lb.	45c
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PORK and Beans, 2 cans	25c
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GARDNER

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Barney - Wallace - Darwin



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Some go North for winter fun—and we know exactly what to do to get your car ready for frigid temperatures. Come in here before you go.

Lots of us just stay home and enjoy the winter season here—and we are ready to winter "season" your car now. Smart advice is:

Come in now and Beat the Rush!

ALL UPHOLSTERY NEEDS A THOROUGH CLEANING AFTER A SUMMER SEASON

TUNE UP FOR FINER PERFORMANCE...

CHANGE TO WINTER SEASON LUBRICANTS

COTTON QUIZ

HOW CAN COTTON HELP SHUT OUT UNWANTED NOISE IN RADIO STATIONS, THEATRES, ETC.?

NOISE TEST ACUSTICAL TILE



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Dress Hats
Men's dress felt hats for fall. Tans, browns, greys, and blues. All genuine fur felts. All sizes.
\$5.00 Value
\$3.95

Leather Jackets
Men's leather jackets. Flight and Cossack style. Sizes 36 to 44.
\$12.95 and \$13.95

Men's Shorts
Men's broadcloth shorts. Good quality, sizes small medium and large.
49c

Men's Briefs
Men's ribbed knitted cotton undershirts. Sizes 34 to 46.
49c Value
39c

25% Wool Blankets
25% Wool 75% Cotton double blankets. Size 72x84. Warm plaids of blue, pink and green.
\$6.45 Value
\$5.95

Outing
Good quality striped outing. 36 inches wide. Colors, blue and pink.
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24c yd.

Indian Blankets
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\$2.49

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Permanent finish organdy curtains. Four slitch ruffling. Handkerchief roll hem. Size 42x90.
\$3.69

Ladies' - Children's Anklets
Ladies' and children's anklets. Colors, brown, white, pink, maize, blue and red. Sizes 5 to 10 1-2. Slightly irregulars from regular 99c values.
4 Pair
\$1.00

Ladies' Hose
Ladies' cotton hose and rayon hose. Good quality and serviceable. Sizes 8 to 10 1-2.
49c Value
39c

Nylon Hose
Ladies' 51 gauge — 15 denier nylon hose. All new fall shades. Slightly irregulars from regular \$1.55 hose. Sizes 8 to 11.
89c Pair

Ladies' Panties
Cotton tuck stitch panties. Sizes small, medium and large.
49c Value
19c

Ladies' Gowns
Cotton knit gowns by Kayser. Tie neck and waist. Colors blue and rose. Sizes 16 and 18.
\$2.98 Value
\$2.49

5% Wool Blankets
5% Wool and 95% Cotton double blankets. Full 3 pound weight. Size 70x80. Plaids of pink & blue.
\$4.95 Value
\$3.98

Pillows
Size 21x27 white goose feather pillows. Floral ticking.
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Large size Cannon towels. Plaid patterns.
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I. F. MURDOCH

DR. W. F. PATRICK

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State Fair Closes After Records Broken

The greatest state fair ever produced in Texas or anywhere else, for that matter, closed up and locked its gates Sunday, October 23, after breaking practically every existing record for state fairs.

Despite four days of rain and almost continuous threats of rain, more people visited the exposition, won more livestock premiums, saw more exhibits, enjoyed more shows and more football games, heard more music and ate more food than at any previous state fair in history.

Attendance for the 16-day show was 2,947,540, which was 155,690 more than attended the largest previous fair. Rural Youth Day set the record for number of farm and ranch youth ever assembled at a single spot when 75,000 swarmed the grounds Oct. 15. This was also the largest single day in the history of the fair. 276,984 visitors arrived from every corner of the Southwest to enjoy the fantastic exposition.

The livestock show made history too. Its beef, cattle, swine and quarter horse shows were the largest ever held at the Fair. Twenty states were represented, as the show broke all records for entries and interest.

Even the hens in the egg-laying contest caught the spirit. The winning pen of eight, belonging to George M. Heberer of San Antonio, obliged with 112 eggs during the 15 day derby and topped a record which had stood for 36 years.

More than 125,000 people viewed the glamorous Ice Cycles in the Ice Arena. After the first few days, the Fair gave up trying to count the people who visited the Atomic Energy Exhibit.

As the current fair closed, State Fair officials and directors were already planning a bigger and better fair for 1950.

Next year's will feature dramatic shows in the Auditorium and in the grandstand, more foreign exhibits, a new and more understandable atomic energy exhibit. It will have the American Jersey Cattle show, the largest of its kind in the world, and many new permanent improvements in the physical plant. It will again be "the greatest state fair in earth."

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10 POUNDS SUGAR	89c	PICNIC, WHOLE OR HALF, 1 POUND HAM	35c
RED AND WHITE, 1 POUND CAN PEARS	25c	BOTTLE CATSUP	15c
NO. 2 1/2 CAN PEACHES	22c	14 OUNCE CAN BLUE BERRIES	29c
GRAPEFRUIT, 46 OUNCE CAN JUICE	19c	LARGE BOX TIDE	29c

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**SMU
HOMECOMING
QUEEN
NOMINEES
1949**

FOURTEEN BEAUTIES, favorites of student organizations at SMU, will vie for the crown of Homecoming Queen for the three-day reunion of SMU ex-students set this year for October 28-30. The Queen will be selected from this array of nominees by an alumni committee and will be presented at half-time activities in the Cotton Bowl Homecoming game between SMU and Texas University October 29. The beauty candidates are, left to right, first row: Ruth Ann Virtanen, Dallas; Jeanne Hall, Carrollton; Dorothy May Oglesby, Ennis; and Margaret Malitz, Dallas. Second row: Alice Harris, Longview; Jayne Hodge, Ruston, La.; Sadyeann Strawbridge, Dallas; Jo Wood, Dallas; and Ann Kerr, San Antonio. Third row: Marilyn Myers, Dallas; Virginia Ward, Dallas; Jinx Lee, Gladewater; Barbara Boedeker, Dallas; and Genie Watkins, San Angelo.

COTTON QUIZ



CARD OF THANKS

It is our desire to extend our most sincere thanks and appreciation, to our many friends who aided and sympathized with us in our time of sorrow.

Words are inadequate at this time but we hope that you will accept this as an expression of appreciation for the lovely floral offering, the cards and the words of sympathy.

The family of H. A. Crider



**BE IN JAYTON SATURDAY
\$55.00 In Cash Will Be Awarded**

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Tanner and grand daughter Camelia and nephew Bobby Evans of Abilene spent last Friday in Jayton with Mrs. M. O. Pugh.

**TEXAN THEATRE
JAYTON, TEXAS**

MATINEE AT 2:00 P. M.
EVENING SHOW AT 7:15 P. M.

LAST TIME TONIGHT, THURS.
"Big Jack"

Friday and Saturday
"Canadian Pacific"

The story of a Rail Road which would not be built starring Jane Wyatt and Randolph Scott. Men, western mountains and also a woman. Savage love and savage hate. A great combination. The Canadian Rockies in natural color. For amusement terrific see "Canadian Pacific".

Sat. Night Preview
And Tuesday Night

"John Loves Mary"

Comedy starring Ronald Regan and others. A rousing, romantic rampage of merriment. All because John Loved Mary. — Mary Loved John. This grew and grew until it exploded. The most daffy, romantic mixup two people ever got into.

Sunday and Monday
"The Snake Pit"

Olivia De Havilland, 108 minutes of Drama, rated 13x. The Craziest Picture ever screened. You are crazy to see it and a lot crazier after you see it. Truly adult but children will be admitted. If your health is bad it should be better if you survive this prize package.

SPECIAL HALLOWEEN SHOW
"Cats Claw Murder Mystery"

We have "The Cat's Claw Murder Mystery" for Halloween. No advance story but highly recommended for the whole family. Children will want to hold their grandma's hand.

Wed. and Thurs.

"That Wonderful Urge"

A first class comedy starring Gene Tierney and Tyrone Power. The gal who is afraid to marry. She has \$50,000,000 and a figure to match. Wary of every man until the right guy comes along. The guy who didn't want her dough. Meet Sara Farley next Wednesday and Thursday.

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- SPANISH RICE, 10 oz. can 15c
- BLACKBURN MADE SYRUP, Cane or Maple flavor, qt. 55c
- VIENNA SAUSAGE, 2 cans 25c
- DRIED APPLES, Calif. sliced, pkg. ... 20c
- MACKREL, tall can 25c

C. V. WRIGHT

GROCERY SERVICE STATION

COTTON QUIZ

WHERE DID COTTON DUCK GET ITS NAME?



YEARS AGO CANVAS SAILS WERE IMPORTED. LIGHT WEIGHT FABRICS WERE MARKED WITH THE EMBLEM OF A RAVEN, AND HEAVY FABRICS WITH A DUCK. DUCK CAME TO MEAN HEAVY COTTONS.

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