

Cochran County to Hold Road Bond Election

Voters To Decide On New Paving In Election Slated Saturday, Feb. 7

Commissioners Court met in special session on January 5th to receive petitions that had been filed asking them to call an election for the purpose of voting on bonds to build a network of farm market roads for Cochran County. The petitions were signed by J. W. McDermott and 348 others. The election was called for Saturday 7th, 1948.

RAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR



Howling wolves were on hills above the mesquites. It was the silence between each howling outbreak that weighed the lone woman's heart with fear, the fear that a claw would reach out of the darkness and snatch the dugout door, hanging leather hinges against a cold frame. Moonlight, white gold, outlined the door and seeped through the thin cloth that veiled four small squares of light in the room's single window. The dugout was filled with the mingled odor of earth, mesquite smoke and coffee. Coals in the earthen fireplace had ceased to glow and the blackened coffee pot no longer simmered. Closing her eyes the woman lay back on her bed and partially covered herself with a heavy saggan. She could hear the coyotes again, the silence with their howls, and tearing open the scars. She arose and went to the door, pressing her head against a rough panel. The door opened and she looked at the city of the night before fear would stun her thoughts. Except for the coyotes, the world was silent; moonlight laying like silver mist on the horizon and light stars hanging in its web. She walked to the door, the wire coral and listened in the silence for the sound of a wagon wheeling over the distant rocky road. There was no sound now. She could see the moonlight shimmering on the valley her husband had cleared and plowed. A dim vista like the beginning of a dream. She went back to the dugout, and leaving the door open, prepared for bed. When she awoke a small fire was burning with cheerful flames. A heavy, tender hand touched her shoulder.

Men were measured by their words instead of their deeds. Kindness would be so common at the supply would destroy demand.

Emotionless, the moving van rolled away from the gate. The young woman stood for a moment and looked at the house and glanced at the bleached circles on the ring finger of her left hand. She opened her purse and dropped the key inside, searching for a small handkerchief. She closed the gate gently and with painful finality, then walked away from the rocks in a garden where a vase of dreams had been dropped and broken.

Understanding the humor of the cowboy requires a knowledge of sharp thoughts that often conceal the true meaning of their phrases. Once I shared the brief after meal cigarette with a group of riders, stretched on the grass near a chevron fly tent. The conversation had drifted to a wealthy man, recently deceased, who was widely known for his evil ways. Striking a match against the buckle on a bed-roll, the tall, reclining cowboy remarked that the man should have been buried with a couple of fire extinguishers.

Often in paying for my mistakes I have felt that life owed me the trade custom of a regular customer buying in quantity lots.

We frequently continue to talk about ourselves after the subject is so thoroughly exhausted that it fails to revive for applause.

Women's hats do not go out of style. They, instead, reach that station in their brief existence, where too many women have seen them.

paying poll tax is January 31st. If these roads are built now, Cochran County will be eligible for State aid on the following roads and amounts respectively: From Whiteface west to Lehman, eleven miles, \$63,000.00 State Aid plus all engineering services by State and State maintenance after completion. From Lehman west to Bledsoe and on to the State line to connect with a proposed hard surfaced road from Tatum, N. M. This road is about 16 miles in length and will draw about \$33,000.00 State Aid plus all engineering services and State maintenance after completion.

From a point one mile north of Morton and four miles east or at the end of the new Federal and State farm to market road to the Hockley County line to connect with a new farm to market road in Hockley County, a distance of 6.6 miles. This road will draw \$13,200.00 State Aid plus all engineering services and State maintenance after completion.

The above roads are designated by the State Highway Commission and they have refused to participate in any other roads in Cochran County, except the one running south from Whiteface, built by Road District No. 1 in 1946, which they will take into the State Highway System and maintain.

The road starting from a point four miles north of Morton on the Muleshoe Highway and running west six miles to J. W. Marshall farm, thence south to the Star Route Grocery Store and State Highway 290, thence south 4 1/2 miles, to the N. H. Steed farm, thence west to the E. L. Polvado farm. This road will be 100 percent county built and maintained for at least the present time.

The road running east from Morton by the gins and to Oklahoma Avenue on the east side of the county, thence south to W. F. will be 100 percent county built and maintained.

The road running east and west through the oil field connecting with Highway 214, and Woodley Spur south of Whiteface will be 100 percent county built and maintained.

Maurine Rowden Added To Modern Beauty Shop Staff

Mrs. Maurine Rowden is the newest member on the Modern Beauty Shop staff. She moved here recently from Brownfield.

Mrs. Rowden, the former Maurine Buchanan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Buchanan, attended schools here, graduating from Morton High in 1944. She is a graduate of Arlene's Beauty School in Lubbock and was formerly employed as beauty operator at Jane's Beauty Shop in Lubbock.

Other members of the Modern Beauty Shop staff are Mrs. Dorothy Weekes and Miss Inez Culpepper.

Modern Beauty Shop operators take particular pride in their permanent wave work, suiting the type wave to the individual's requirements.

The shop also handles a nice line of modern cosmetics including the well known and popular Revlon nail polish, with matching lipstick, and La Tone cosmetics.

Morton Schools Dismissed Wed. Because Of Snow

Morton schools were dismissed Wednesday, December 31, because of weather conditions. A heavy snow, driven by a north-east wind, began early in the afternoon and continued into the night.

School was resumed Thursday but icy roads and the drift snow kept the busses in the sheds.

SON BORN TO MR. AND MRS. VERNON PIERCE JANUARY 6

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Pierce are parents of a son born Tuesday morning, January 6 at West Plains hospital.

The baby was delivered by Caesarean section. Babe and mother are reported as doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Huddleston are the maternal grandparents.

CORP. ROLAND BRUNSON VISITED MOTHER HERE

Corp. Roland Brunson visited here recently with his mother, Mrs. O. R. Brunson.

Corp. Brunson served three years in the Navy but is now in the army at Camp Kilmer, New Jersey. He was scheduled to sail for Germany on Tuesday, January 6.

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Fire Destroys McDonald Gin Wednesday Morning

Thirteen Cochran Farmers Receive 12,115 Eastern Red Cedar Seedlings

Thirteen farmers of Cochran County received 12,115 Eastern Red Cedar seedlings for windbreaks late in 1947. These windbreaks are furnished without cost by the Department of Agriculture Soil Conservation Service through the Soil Conservation District to cooperators who apply for them.

The local district expects more than 10,000 Elms by March and 19 applications have been received for these trees.

Windbreaks are one phase of soil conservation. Wind must rise to pass the break and the velocity is thereby decreased. A row of trees around each labor in the county would show a marked decrease in soil erosion due to wind and other soil conservation measures, permanent pastures, leaving a cover crop and contour farming, will mean the salvation of our land, the most valued natural resource.

Texans Will Pay Poll Taxes More Promptly Since 1948 Is Election Year

Since 1948 is election year, Texans will pay their poll taxes more promptly than in other years, and many persons will pay the tax because of the presidential election.

Generally speaking, all voters in Texas must pay the poll tax. Exceptions are for persons over 60 years of age and those who become 21 years of age between January 1 and the 1948 elections. There are special exemptions for physically handicapped persons and those who render a state service like the National Guard.

The poll tax is one tax that people do not wish to abolish. Movements have been underway for years to eliminate this tax but have never gained popularity among citizens of Texas. Since the \$1 tax goes to schools we are in favor of it.

When the poll tax was put into the state law it was not aimed to deprive anyone of the right to vote. Some contend that the negro was deprived of his vote intentionally and primarily by this law. In reality the law aimed at the political machines who were accused of voting dead men and repeaters.

The last day to pay the tax and retain the right to vote in the state elections is January 31.

The poll tax lists take the place of voters registry lists used in many states, but there is nothing on the poll tax form to indicate party affiliation. By March 10 the county tax collectors are required to furnish the county clerks a statement of the number of receipts issued, and by March 31 he must deliver the poll tax lists of voters to the election officers.

Precinct conventions will be held May 1, county conventions May 10, and the state convention to name delegates to the national convention on May 25.

Filing time for candidates for nomination for state and district offices is May 17 in districts made up of more than one county. June 7 will be the last day to file notice of candidacy for United States Senator and for state offices in which the choice is by state-wide voting.

Candidate for county offices and district offices that do not include more than a single county have until June 19 to have their name placed on the primary election tickets.

Since July 4 comes on Sunday, voters who expect to be absent on primary election day, July 24, will begin balloting on Monday, July 5. Absentee voting can be continued until July 20. The runoff primaries will be held on August 28.

If any candidate has a majority of all votes on July 24, he will become the party nominee without waiting for the August 28 balloting. In county races, the county executive committee may decide whether nomination shall be by majority or by a plurality of the votes cast in the first primary election.

The general election will be held on Nov. 2, when the party

Byron's Auto Supply Moves To New Location

Byron's Auto Supply, owned by Byron Willis, has announced the removal of stock and fixtures from the former location, northwest corner of square, to the new Hargrove Building, southeast corner of the square.

Byron's Auto Supply will occupy two of the four sections contained in the new structure. The north section will be occupied by a filling station and the south portion will be the new home of Curtis Beauty Shop, according to information received early this week.

McDonald Gin was almost completely destroyed by fire which broke out early Wednesday morning.

Herman Crockett, Fire Marshal, reported the blaze started in the press room. The gin had closed down earlier in the night. Members of Morton Volunteer Fire Department answered the alarm about 4:30 o'clock and were still on the job at noon.

The seed house and contents were destroyed but a pile of seed near-by was saved. The machinery room housing the power supply and controls suffered slight damage. No cotton, either in bales or on trailers, was reported damaged.

An estimate of the loss has not been determined.

Cox Irrigation Well Producing Over 1,100 Gals.

A new irrigation well producing over 1,100 gallons per minute, was completed on the Willard Cox farm southeast of Morton last week.

Drilling was started on a well on the M. A. Silvers farm, also southeast of town, early this week, and since this farm lies near the Cox place a good well is more than a probability.

Any well producing over 800 gallons per minute is considered excellent and very few will supply a thousand gallons per minute.

Cox and Silvers are among those confident that irrigation is more than an investment; it is insurance against drought, worst enemy of the farmer.

1581 Instruments Filed With County Clerk During 1947

During 1947 a total of 1581 instruments were filed for record with County Clerk Joe Pierce.

A breakdown includes 961 Chattel Mortgages; 32 civil cases tried in District Court; 57 criminal cases heard in County Court; 4 civil cases in County Court; 16 probate cases filed; 96 marriage licenses; 64 birth certificates and 20 death certificates.

MR. and MRS. BERL RUSH have moved to Gladewater, Texas.

POLAR RENDEZVOUS



The far-flung activities of American submarines during World War II that brought the undersea craft to the home waters of the Japanese Empire in the van of the fighting fronts, are continued into peacetime as the submarines, like the USS Sennet (above), penetrate the Arctic and Antarctic. Submarines are important units of the Navy's postwar expeditions and projects probing the mysteries of distant oceans for scientific data to be used for future planning. (Official U. S. Navy Photograph)

Free Feed and Entertainment Party Slated Jan. 15 By American Legion

First State Bank Deposits Reach 3 Million Mark

Patrons of First State Bank, Morton, have almost \$100,000.00 more money now than they had a year ago, according to the Statement of Condition issued by the local bank.

At the close of business December 31, 1946 deposits amounted to \$2,218,191.87. A year later deposits totaled \$3,057,607.17, a gain of \$839,415.30.

Net worth of the bank is well over three million dollars with undivided profits slightly less than thirty thousand. U. S. Government Securities total \$903,846.67; other bonds and securities, \$75,333.39; Commodity Credit Certificates, \$20,575.76; Bills of Exchange (cotton), \$128,453.80 and Cash and Due from other banks, \$1,678,047.23.

Amarillo Brothers Overturn Car Near Lingo, N. M.

U. D. and C. P. Madison, of Amarillo, were discharged from West Plains Hospital Wednesday morning. The brothers were brought to the hospital early Tuesday morning following the wrecking of their car near Lingo, New Mexico.

Neither was injured seriously, although one of the brothers was pinned under the overturned car for three hours. The car, a new Buick, was demolished.

Boy Scouts Slated To Meet Every Monday Night

Boy Scouts will meet every Monday night, 7 o'clock at Veterans Hall.

Any boy not a scout is invited to attend these meetings. All scouts are urged to be present for each meeting.

NEW FIXTURES

New Fixtures are being installed in the St. Clair Variety Store.

Sheriff Hancock Repeats Warning To Motorists

Sheriff Mac W. Hancock has issued warnings repeatedly to the general driving public to lock their automobiles when leaving them. Failure to do so leaves the car wide open for theft. In the past few weeks five cars have been stolen in Cochran county, all were left by their owners with keys in the cars.

Latest car reported stolen was a 1946 Chevrolet belonging to Professor Harvey of Whiteface. The car was left in front of a Whiteface Church Sunday while Mr. Harvey attended services. A '36 Ford that had been stolen in Littlefield Saturday night was left in place of the Chevrolet.

Hancock in issuing the warning said, "It costs the tax-payers money every time I have to make a trip to recover these stolen cars and often the stolen car is damaged considerably which means the owner is out money on repair bills."

Work Completed On County Court House Rest Rooms

Work has been completed on the rest rooms in the County Court House and are now open to the public.

The repairs were under the direction of Jake Minor, Contractor.

Brick and tile were used in the repairs and modern equipment replaces the discarded rest room articles.

Goods Valuing \$200 Stolen From Igo Car Recovered

Goods valuing approximately \$200.00 stolen from the Igo car here sometime around Christmas has been recovered, according to Sheriff Mac W. Hancock.

Jack Wilson, now in Lubbock jail admitted the theft. He was tried in Justice of the Peace Court and \$2,000.00 bond set pending action of the Grand Jury in April.

Rev. W. C. Wright Principal Speaker At ENMC Meet

Rev. W. C. Wright, pastor of Morton's First Baptist Church, was principal speaker Monday afternoon at Eastern New Mexico College when the Ministerial Alliance and Religious Education Society met.

His topic was "The Challenge of the Church Today."

MR. AND MRS. STRICKLAND RETURN FROM 10 DAY TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Strickland returned Sunday from a ten day trip to Hamilton and Meridian, Texas. In Hamilton they visited Mrs. Strickland's mother, Mrs. W. A. Wilson and in Meridian they were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. F. Strickland.

Eddie Marshall of Konperl, Texas nephew of Mr. Strickland is now a guest in their home.

Swing Of Southwest Farm Markets

Strong markets for cotton, grains, cattle and sheep offset even to lower trends on most other southwest farm products last week, according to the Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Cotton sales dropped by a third during the holiday-shortened week. Demand eased some, but prices scored net advances of 50 cents to a dollar a bale.

Grain markets partly recovered from the Christmas week slump to register net gains. Corn and oats met particularly active request and prices advanced around five to ten cents per bushel. Wheat movement continued rather heavy.

Egg prices continued downward the past week in anticipation of seasonal increases in production, despite good demand. Active request sustained poultry prices, and fowl advanced four or five cents a pound at New Orleans. Most current receipt eggs sold at 45 to 50 cents a dozen, and heavy hens 23 to 26 cents a pound.

Strong cattle markets showed gains of mainly 25 cents to \$2 for the week. Calves and weaners led the advance. Houston paid \$23 to \$26 for good calves, as Oklahoma City took choice lots to \$26. Good and choice calves brought \$24 to \$25 at San Antonio, \$23 to \$27 at Fort Worth, and \$20 to \$23 at Wichita. Denver gave a top of \$25 for calves and weaners late in the week.

Butcher hogs and sows sold unevenly 25 cents to \$1.25 lower during the past week except at San Antonio where opposite trends held sway. San Antonio and Fort Worth paid \$27.50 for top butcher hogs, as Oklahoma City reached \$28.25, Wichita \$27.15, and Denver \$29.40. Bulk of sows brought \$23 to \$25 at most markets.

"What kind of toothpaste do you use?"
"Never use it, My teeth ain't loose."

Veterans of Foreign Wars

Howard Martin Post No. 5074

Meets 2nd and 4th Thurs. night at Veteran's Hall

Every overseas veteran invited to attend.



From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Thad's Feet Hurt

After a long, hard day's work on the farm, Thad's idea of how to spend an evening is to take off his shoes, and relax with a mellow glass of beer.

But his missus has other ideas. After being in the house all day, she's all for walking to the village, if it's only for a soda. Likes to see people, catch the latest gossip. But Thad says, no, his feet hurt! Begun to cause unpleasantness in Thad's home.

Then Bill Webster comes up with an idea. If Thad takes the missus to

Andy's Garden Tavern, Thad can relax with his glass of beer, and the missus can also chat with all the neighbors there. Each gets his (or her) own way.

Worked, too! In fact, now the missus likes an occasional temperate glass of beer herself. And Thad finds it's pleasanter to enjoy his beer with good companions, rather than alone. In fact, his feet stopped hurting too!

Joe Marsh

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2. Rip out all that electric wiring in your home, and go back to candle-light. It's SO romantic you'll hardly even mind the inconveniences. Since it would cost about \$200 for the quarter-ton of candles you'd need to light your house each month—you won't be able to BUY candles. But with a little time and ingenuity, you can MAKE your own out of old bacon drippings—if you can get the bacon. And by the time you're through, you'll just about break even—or break down!
3. Turn off your radio during the Electric Hour—"Hour of Charm"—Of course, you'll miss the All-Girl Orchestra under the direction of Phil Spitalny, with Evelyn and her Magic Violin—but you'll actually save one-sixth of a penny every time you do! In a year you'll be almost 9c to the good—and think what all that money will buy today!

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Keep Your Body In Good Physical Condition

AUSTIN—"Keep your body in good physical condition," advised Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. While colds, influenza, and pneumonia are different conditions, all three may be brought on or made worse by lowered bodily resistance, and all three may often be prevented in the same ways.

"When these communicable diseases are prevalent, avoid crowds as much as possible and plan your work and recreation so that you will not overtax your strength and get tired out. Be sure that the room where you are is always well ventilated. Drink plenty of water and don't let your system get clogged.

Sufficient rest, cleanliness of hands, mouth and teeth, fresh air while at work and during sleep, regulation of meals and bodily functions, wholesome food and freedom from anxiety will increase bodily resistance and help avoid contracting these diseases.

One attack of cold or influenza does not confer immunity. Individuals have been known to have several attacks during an epidemic. Segregation of the patient is desirable to avoid giving the disease to others.

If you develop symptoms of colds or influenza, consult your doctor early and follow his advice.

LEHMAN NEWS

Mrs. J. W. Pond—Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Pond returned home Sunday after spending a week with relatives at Spade.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pond visited the former's brother, Rev. L. T. Pond in the Amherst hospital last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Freeland and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Freeland, returned home the past week after a 2 weeks visit with relatives in California. They reported a nice time.

Miss Wynell Prather left Sunday for Lubbock where she is entering Draughon's Business College.

Guests in the home of Mrs. L. W. Marlar during Christmas week were her sister, mother and brother, Mrs. J. M. Matsler, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Matsler and family, and Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Gilmore, all of Post, Texas.

Miss Lou Hickman, sister of Mr. Charlie Hickman, left Friday for her home in Waxahachie, after an extended visit here. Mr. Hickman is doing fine at present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pond and children spent Friday night in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Don Boles and children of Clovis.

Mr. and Mrs. Chapman and children spent the first of the week with the latter's mother, at Post. She is very ill.

LOVE'S LABOR SAVED!

Miss J. was just sure that bashful bachelor would pop the question if somehow in a nice maidenly way she could let him know she was willing. So on his birthday she presented him with a pair of pillowslips embroidered in large flowery letters, "His" and "Hers."

He took the hint all right. Last week he married the blond secretary next door, and they are keeping the pillowslips.

SHORTAGE OF TIN!

It was the Blanks' tenth wedding anniversary. No candy. No flowers. No nothing!

"At least," sniffed Mrs. B. "you could have spent a dollar for a small bouquet!"

"Can't spend money for foolishness, now," B. told her. "Don't you know that new huntin' dog is gonna cost me fifty bucks?"

REMOTE CONTROL!

As a first-grade teacher, I have my problems. One of them was the gentle young mother who brought in her little Johnny to start midyear term.

"Don't ever punish Johnny," she warned me as she tearfully prepared to leave. "Just slap the child next to him. That'll frighten Johnny."

During the first seven months of 1947, cotton mills consumed more cotton and turned out more goods than in any corresponding period for the last three years.

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"THE FOUNDATIONS"

If the foundations be destroyed, what can the righteous do? Ps. 11:3. As you notice the subject and the text is in the plural and not the singular sense. Since the Foundations mean so much to those who live today, it would be well for us to notice then in their proper places. It is true that the writer recognized the fact that there are more than one foundation. If through and on these foundations hinges the future of the world, then they must have an important place.

First: The recognition of God is the foundation of all civilization. This is set forth in Rom. 1:18-24. The nation that does not recognize God is one that in whom civilization is not popular. Second: The recognition of Christ is the foundation of Christianity. Acts. 4:11:12 and I Cor. 3:11. That is the reason that Christianity has no place in the hearts of many today. They are not willing to accept Christ but want to lay another foundation. Third: The recognition of the Bible is the foundation of our Faith and Practice. The Bible is God's word and despite the things that you and I do it will stand forever. The Bible is truth. Truth is an outstanding factor in life. Truth is eternal and unchangeable. Fidelity may waver, constancy may fail, loyalty may falter and faith may grow dim but truth never changes.

Fourth: The Church is the foundation of christian co-operation. This fact is set forth in Eph. 3:9-11. Fifth: Surely we would say that the Resurrection is the foundation of our future hope. Paul gives that assurance in I Cor. 15:12-21. If Satan was able to destroy the foundation of the Resurrection then our hope would be in vain; our faith would also be vain and we would be yet in.

ENGLISH PLUM PUDDING

1/2 pound butter
1 pound light brown sugar
5 eggs
1 pint milk
1 pound fine brea derums
1 glass grape juice
1 1/2 pounds raisins, floured
2 pounds currants
1/2 pound citron
1 ground nutmeg

Cream the butter and sugar, add beaten eggs, milk, bread crumbs, grape juice, raisins, currants, finely sliced citron, and spice. Steam in a buttered mold for five hours.

Have you ever made your fruit cake in little fluted paper cases for individual servings? It's really very easy and saves on baking time.

MR. and MRS. T. K. WILLIAMSON and son, WARREN W. spent the week-end in Kirkland, Texas.

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State Baptist Evangelistic Conference Planned To Be Held In Dallas Jan. 12-14

A state-wide Baptist evangelistic conference designed to give inspiration and aid to churches planning simultaneous revivals will bring an estimated 2500 pastors, singers, and evangelists to Dallas January 12-14.

Inaugurated by the department of evangelism of the Baptist General Convention of Texas last year, the program of simultaneous evangelistic campaigns has been adopted by all the states of the Southern Baptist Convention. Dr. C. Wade Freeman, Texas evangelism superintendent, said. He explained the program as a series of simultaneous evangelistic meetings held in all

the churches of a Baptist association, which usually include one or more counties.

The Dallas conference, which will have as speakers leading Baptist ministers and educators from throughout the South, will be in preparation for association-wide simultaneous campaigns usually held in the spring. More than 75 campaigns are already scheduled for 1948.

Among the ministers to appear on the program will be Dr. R. G. Lee of Memphis, Tenn.; Dr. J. H. Jackson to Chicago, pastor of the largest Baptist church in the world; Dr. J. Dean Crain of Greenville, South Carolina; Dr. J. D. Grey of New Orleans and Dr. Willis Howard of Oklahoma City.

Conferences will be led by representatives of state Baptist headquarters in Dallas, and music will be under the direction of W. Plunkett Martin, director of the school of sacred music, New Orleans Baptist Seminary. Dr. J. Howard Williams, executive secretary of the State Baptist Mission Board will preside.

Texas pastors bringing messages are Dr. W. Marshall Craig and Dr. W. A. Criswell of Dallas; Dr. J. Ralph Grant, Lubbock; Dr. Guy Moore and Dr. W. Fred Swank of Fort Worth; Dr. George Sagen, Greenville, Dr. E. D. Head, president of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, and F. Ivy Boggs, Dallas estate analyst, will also speak.

42 Party at Veterans Hall, Thursday night, January 8, at 7:30 P. M.

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Swine Raisers Can Profit By Saving Grain

Hogs, largest users of grains, offer a major opportunity to save grain profitably in the Cotton Belt, where it is practical to make maximum use of pastures and other available feeds, livestock authorities point out.

Good management and sanitation, feeding balanced rations to thrifty, well-bred hogs, and limiting market weights to 200 to 225 pounds are recommended for profitable pork production under today's conditions.

Ample protein, vitamins and minerals are essential in swine rations, and Experiment Stations have found that one pound of protein supplement in a balanced ration saves five to six pounds of grain.

A practical protein supplement mixture, suitable for any swine but especially good for bred sows, nursing sows and young pigs, is: 40 pounds of tankage or other animal protein; 40 pounds of cottonseed meal or other vegetable protein; and 20 pounds of alfalfa leaf meal. After hogs weigh 90 pounds, it is economical to reduce the tankage by 20 pounds and increase the vegetable protein by 20 pounds. Where skim milk is available, one gallon will supply as much protein as 3/4 pound of this supplement mixture.

Protein supplements may be self-fed, free choice with grains; or may be mixed with grains in a balanced mixture, self-fed or hand-fed. When bred or nursing pigs, sows need a mixture of 20 pounds of the supplement and 80 lbs. of grain. Young pigs need 25 pounds of the supplement with 75 pounds of grain, with the proportion of supplement gradually reduced until at 150 pounds pigs receive 15 pounds of supplement to 85 pounds of grain.

Liberal feeding, from birth until sale at 200 to 225 pounds, makes the most rapid and usually most economical gains. Pigs should have access to a self-feeder during weaning, and may be self-fed throughout the fattening period. Clean, fresh water and a mineral mixture should always be available.

Only well-bred sows, selected for their ability to farrow and raise large litters, should be kept for farrowing. Proper feeding before and after breeding of sows will increase the weight and vigor of the litter, and sows that are gaining in weight for about ten days before being bred are likely to farrow larger litters. Good pasture provides needed vitamins and minerals, reduces costs and encourages sows to exercise.

Good swine management is especially important this season to reduce costs and save feed. Feeding on the ground is wasteful; well-constructed troughs, feeders and feeding floors should be provided. Clean, fresh water and sanitary lots and housing aid health and reduce losses from diseases and parasites.

Swine raisers are advised to consult veterinarians or other authorities on cholera vaccination and other disease control measures. Experiment Station recommendations should be followed in using sodium fluoride to control round worms, benzene hexachloride for mange, and DDT for lice.

Winter Driving Tips

1. Get the "feel" of the road on starting out.
2. Adjust speed to weather and road conditions.
3. Slow down well in advance of intersections and curves.
4. Use tire chains when snow or ice prevail.
5. Keep windshield free of snow, ice, fog and frost.
6. Follow vehicles at safer distances. Signal intent of turns or stops.
7. Apply brakes with a gentle pumping action on glare ice.

COCHRAN COUNTY OIL NOTE

Anderson-Prichard No. 1 Veal, south-central Cochran county exploration to 4,900 feet, 13 miles south of Morton, and about one and one half miles north of the nearest production in the Dean sector of the Slaughter field, had progressed under 3,316 feet in anhydrite, and was continuing to make hole.

China was once a strong nation until her best soil washed away.

Coke Stevenson Throws Hat In Senatorial Ring

AUSTIN—Ex-Gov. Coke Stevenson of Junction observed New Year's Day by announcing to the people of Texas that he expects to be a candidate for United States Senator in next summer's Democratic primaries.

Stevenson followed his usual campaign custom of not presenting a specific platform.

"I do not believe the average political platform is worth much of anything," he explained in his Thursday address, delivered in Austin. "My candidacy is based on certain fundamental principles of sound government. It is based on my record as your public servant in the past."

The former Governor declared that if he is sent to Washington he will continue to follow the pattern set by him in his service as Governor, Lieutenant Governor and Speaker of the Texas House. "As your United States Senator I shall hope not only to be for the right things," he said, "but to be able to do something constructive about getting the right things done."

He hit hard at Federal extravagance and pointed to the record of Texas during his administration as Governor when a General Fund deficit of more than 30 million dollars was transformed into a cash balance of more than 35 million dollars. "I say that if the State Government of Texas can do that, the Federal Government can do the same," he commented.

Government bureaucracy and Federal infringement upon the rights of the States came in for strong criticism by Stevenson. He recalled that 10 years ago, when he was a member of the Texas Legislature, he went to Washington to testify against a proposal that the Federal Government take over title to tidal lands owned by the States. He added, "That proposal was defeated."

The Junction man put himself on record as a vigorous and unrelenting foe of Communism. On European aid, he labeled himself no isolationist, but urged that Americans not be shortsighted in extending aid to Europe.

"The greatest service the United States can render the world today is to survive and prosper as a nation governed by the democratic ideal," he said. "Let's not give the fruits of our labor to the undeserving. Let's not give them our crops. Let us give them instead a hoe and a plow to they can produce their own crops."

Stevenson ended his talk with a solemnly uttered New Year's resolution: "If you the men and women of the sovereign State of Texas choose to send me to the United States Senate, I resolve here and now to serve your interests and the interests of constitutional government to the very best of my ability and in accordance with the principles of American democracy, so help me God."

Wash Automobiles Frequently During Winter Months

Automobiles should be washed frequently in the winter time to avoid damage from salt-abrasive mixtures extensively used to melt street ice and snow, according to E. L. Harrig, national service manager of the Chevrolet Motor Division.

Street brine when splashed on a car, Harrig said, may not only damage the body paint, but also is harmful to the chassis. A weekly car bath not only improves the appearance of the vehicle, but also will add to its life.

Salt is used by many highway departments, because it decreases the freezing point of water to approximately seven degrees above zero.

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McKay Brother Act Paces Whiteface To Court Win

WHITEFACE, Jan. 6.—Jack McKay and his brother Joe went on a scoring spree tonight, keeping the meshes hot with a total of 29 points, as they led the Whiteface quintet to a 38-33 victory over the visiting Bula five.

Jack McKay rolled up 16 points and his brother pitched in 13 to top all scorers, while J. C. Snicker notched 11 points for Bula. In spite of the scoring party, Whiteface had to come from under a 19-17 deficit at the half to win in the last stanza.

Meanwhile the Whiteface girls had opened the evening by handling the Bula girls their first defeat of the season, 25-19. Bonnie Lewis and Mary Lou Moss each had 11 points for Whiteface, while Oleta Hall nipped the basket for scoring honors with 14 points.

HOLIDAY VISIT

Rev. and Mrs. T. L. Bullard spent the Christmas and New Year holidays visiting friends and relatives at Gilmer, Henderson, Lufkin and Nachadoches, Texas.

FROM CALIFORNIA

Elvis Brunson of Chico, California and Corp. Travis Brunson of San Francisco, California left Tuesday after spending the holidays here with their mother, Mrs. O. R. Brunson.

42 Party at Veterans Hall, Thursday night, January 8, at 7:30 P. M.

Drillpipe Worth \$11,000 Stolen In West Texas

FORT STOCKTON.—West Texas officers have been alerted in the search for thieves who removed drillpipe worth \$11,000 from an oil test on the Hinyard Ranch last week-end.

Harper-Turner and McDaniel, Oklahoma City, drilling contractors, reported drillpipe, a blowout preventer and other equipment had been stolen.

Veteran's Hospital Contract Awarded El Paso Contractor

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M.—Robert E. McKee of El Paso Tuesday was awarded a contract on a bid of \$5,712,739 to build a 250-bed Veterans Administration hospital at Big Spring, Texas, Col. Henry F. Hannis, district Army engineer, announced.

The hospital is to be located on a tract of 31 acres, 1½ miles south of Big Spring on U. S. Highway 87. Hannis said that the contract provides 550 days construction time and that work should start this month.

A spicy cookie put into the cookie jar with a plain vanilla wafer will ruin both. Fill the jar with one kind and use another jar for other cookies.

MR. and MRS. BILL HARRIS were week-end visitors in Muleshoe, Texas.

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--annegrams-- by ann england--

In lieu of New Years resolutions we sort of promised ourselves to start the year fresh by cleaning our desk, advertising files and our purse but after doing the latter came to the following conclusion:

I've always agreed at characters who save up foil and strings. But every time I clean my purse I find the darndest things.

A Christmas list for 'forty one A thumb tack, paper baby shoe. And many other treasures Which I doubt I'll ever use.

A ration book, an emery stick. Notes on a party held in spring. I guess it really makes more sense.

To save up foil and string. About the most annoying thing we've found is to have our friends drop in unexpectedly and find the house looking like it usually does.

We wanted to say something about Margaret Ann Webb and her operation but had hardly heard about it until we saw her back at her job in the bank. Think she had the emergency surgery on Sunday (bad appendix) and was out of the hospital on the following Tuesday. Suppose the next thing we know a prospective surgical case will announce, "I may be a little late getting back as I'm stopping by the hospital for an operation during my lunch hour."

Lawrence Taylor was kind enough to drop by and tell us that the classified ad we ran for him in the Tribune really got results. Lawrence said that within three days after the ad appeared everything was sold except a breakfast set, anyone want that? Feel sure it could be had at a bargain.

Ethel Mae Harris of the photo-shop tells this one, in trying to make a picture of a child, she said, "Now smile and watch for the little birdie." But the modern youngster replied, "Oh, drop that 'little birdie' stuff! Get out your light meter and make some tests, adjust your lighting properly, and set your lens correctly so you won't ruin a sensitized plate."

Members of the V. F. W. Auxiliary are very anxious for a large crowd to come out for the 42 party to be held at the hall Thursday night. They didn't say but we imagine they will serve refreshments of some kind. That is always more or less an induce ment.

We can't seem to get the park idea out of our mind and just wonder why we can't do something about a park with public recreational facilities instead of just talking about needing one so badly?

Morton is growing pretty fast and we certainly need some kind of a central meeting place as well as recreational area not only for the youngsters in our community but for adults as well.

However right now we are so involved in a new bookkeeping system that we hardly see how we can take on anything else, even a playground, guess we will just leave it and let John do it. Think that is customary anyway. Just want something and expect the other fellow to get the job done.

We didn't actually ever learn the old bookkeeping method we were using but once out of 22 months we got our check stubs to match the bank statement.

After a two weeks stay in the hospital Mrs. N. J. Russell is back at home. We are happy to hear she is much improved.

Mr. Graham dropped in from Ruidoso the other day to tell us

that just after we left it came a 12 inch snow. There was no fresh snow for skiing purposes while we were there. Not that we planned to ski but the spouse had intimated his intentions of trying it.

Kirby Smart goes around all dressed up since taking that new job at Willard Cox.

We always advocate shopping early—that is for Christmas—and try to practice what we preach but have decided that we lack a lot being the earliest bird since little lulu (Mrs. L. W. Ray) has already turned in an order for four boxes of Christmas Cards for NEXT CHRISTMAS.

We heard that lies don't live as long as the truth, but their birth rate is whole lots higher.

Did you ever try to justify your existence by contributing something to the well being of others?

TO GLADEWATER

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wartes and daughter, Charlotte, left Monday for Gladewater, Texas, where they will make their home.

Wartes was formerly employed here by Allsup Chevrolet and Mrs. Wartes as secretary to Glenn W. Thompson, County Judge.

CLARA TAYLOR ADMITTED TO WEST PLAINS HOSPITAL

Miss Clara Taylor, daughter of Postmaster and Mrs. Walter Taylor, was admitted to West Plains Hospital Wednesday morning. Miss Taylor was quite ill at time of admission.



This charming hat and purse combination made by the young lady herself is untouched by needle and thread—hot iron mending tape holds the seams on the starched cotton bag material used in the accessory pair. With a couple of empty cotton flour bags, nine packages of hot iron mending tape, and a pair of scissors—plus a little effort and ingenuity—she has new accessories for an afternoon party.

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Whiteface News

A. M. Walker

Christmas is past and the New Year has already made a good start. If we have not made any new resolutions it might be well for us to stop and make some. I am sure most of us can make some improvements over 1947.

Some folks are opposed to new resolutions or pledges. For after all a resolution is nothing more than a pledge. To be sure we want to be careful about the kind of pledge we make. I have made some pledges that it hurt to keep. Most of them were foolish. I should not have made them. Many pledges I should have made that I didn't make. I am sure most people are guilty of that very thing. But I am sure that most things worth while that has come to us has come by us having pledged ourselves in a most serious manner and then by sacrificial service we were able to keep them. The kind of pledges we make determine our lives.

Pledges are worth while. Let's make some good ones and then strive to live up to them.

Mr. R. L. Condray has been confined to his bed with a light attack of pneumonia. Bad colds seem to be the order now. Most everyone seems to have one.

Mrs. J. T. Lawrence has been on the sick list but seems to be back to normal.

A. D. Walker, James Walker and wife and daughter visited relatives in Cleburne and Hillsboro last week.

Rev. Roy Patterson, wife and son, Charles, visited their parents at Merkel during Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Gresham from Quitman, La., visited their son, J. D. Gresham, wife and baby during the holidays.

Mr. Harvey's Chevrolet was stolen Sunday while the Harveys were at church. The car was found wrecked near Socorro, New Mexico.

Rapid progress is reported on the new Refinery south of Whiteface. Work on the Spur railroad is moving along nicely too.

Mr. John Moss is circulating a petition for a bond election. The proceeds to be used in building farm-to-market roads. It is to be county-wide. There is nothing that helps develop a country like good roads and good schools. I shall be very happy when every child in Cochran county may have the privilege of a high school education.

Two things I haven't voted against: that's good roads tax and school tax. The home of our country is in our children. Let's give every child in the county a chance by building good roads and better schools.

Pay your poll tax before February 1. It is election year!

SMALL FRUIT CAKE

(Light)
¾ pound butter
1 pound sugar
12 eggs
1 scant pound flour
1 to 1½ pounds grated coconut
1 pound citron, sliced fine
1 pound blanched, sliced almonds
1 pound raisins, cut fine
1 pound candied pineapple, sliced fine
1 3 cup orange juice
½ teaspoon mace
Proceed as in recipe above.
Both children and adults like peanuts, and there's nothing better or easier than to include them in a bar type of cookie made delicious with brown sugar.

When removing a frock, place it on a hanger immediately and hang it in the air so that it may be thoroughly dried out. A fragrantly scented sachet hung beside the dress will leave its essence with your garment as it dries.

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FORTY PERSONS ASSESSED FINES FOR INTOXICATION DURING DECEMBER

During December 40 persons charged with intoxication were assessed fines of \$14.50 each in City Court, according to Tom Neil, City Marshall.

MRS. McBEE ASSISTING IN COUNTY JUDGE'S OFFICE

Mrs. Jaunita McBee, stenographer in county clerk's office, is assisting in the county judge's office since the resignation of Mrs. A. J. Wartes, who moved this week to Gladewater.

A brilliant polish can be given to cleaned glass such as mirrors, picture glass or door glass by rubbing with a lintless cloth which has been dampened with cold vinegar.

After washing your face with warm water and rinsing with cold, pat on witch hazel. This will close pores and make your skin smooth and soft.

42 Party at Veterans Hall, Thursday night, January 8, at 7:30 P. M.

Experiment Firing Of 25th German Rocket In N. M.

WHITE SANDS, N. M.—A German V-3 rocket which will feature a "flash-and-sound explosion" will be fired here at 10 a. m., Thursday, it was announced Tuesday by White Sands proving ground officials.

The missile will be No. 32 of the experiment series. It was originally scheduled for firing December but the experiment was postponed because of technical reasons.

Explosive charges will be propelled from the warhead of the rocket when it reaches maximum height. The purpose of the "flash-and-sound explosions" will be to wind sound, army authorities said.

The warhead of the rocket will contain six one-half pound charges and six four-pound charges for the experiment. In addition there will be the usual upper atmospheric experiments, the announcement said.

Tribune Want-Ads Get Results

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LOOKING AHEAD

By George S. Benson, President, Harding College, Searcy, Ark.

FOR ALL THE PEOPLE

America, we sometimes say, is made up of Fords and Frigidaires, Kodaks and Coca-Colas. We like brands and trade-marks. We respect the successful products of industry, and have confidence in them. We're even likely to take these things for granted, without knowing the how or why behind them. America is the only land where initiative, enterprise, and competition have allowed to work for the good of all the people.

Yet, to view our industry as comprising a few great names and trade-marks only, is to have a confused and off-balance picture. To think that manufacturers of goods we all like to buy—automobiles, for instance—are the "great monopoly" is to fail to see how big and how productive the nation really is. Neither General Motors, nor any of the others, could get by without their hundreds of helper factories that make everything from cotter-pins to hub-caps.

Where The Supplies?

These helper factories are in turn supplied with parts and materials by hundreds of other firms. A supply line may even go back to a simple "alley shop," where three or four men grind or polish a part. Or take a town like Worcester, Mass. The total wage bill there for workers in plants supplying the automobile industry was almost \$40,000,000 in 1946. That's a good sized payroll.

Or consider one of the comparatively small producers of passenger cars. The firm spends more than \$7,000,000 a month for parts and supplies. It deals regularly with 1,071 suppliers, located in 243 cities and towns and in 25 different states and Canada. The company itself employs only 9,000, but it helps create jobs in

other places throughout the nation.

Big Little Business

Or take the whole parts industry, of which there are more than 1,000 companies, with plants spread all over America. Most of these parts producers are small businesses, employing less than 500 workers each. Usually their origin may be traced to fertile minds that invented an idea for improving automobiles. Many newcomers are still getting into the parts and equipment field. Under the American system, this is possible.

Mistaken in their complaint about monopolies, in the next breath some folks berate the "machine age" for not offering the worker a chance to take pride in his work. Just putting in day after day in the same old assembly-line position, they say, is poor substitute for craftsmanship. Right here, I want to go on record as praising the free and responsible American who put the cotter-pins firmly and safely in the chassis of my automobile! He did a good job.

Each Has A Part

I'll give the average American worker the praise that is his due. He has the intelligence to see his place in our method of mass production of goods for the use of everybody. Not so long ago, war workers were being told they were "right behind the man behind the gun." Indeed, the lowliest assembly-line worker or file-clerk is a part of peacetime production. And it is this production that makes America the best land in the world in which to live.

Yes, hundreds and sometimes thousands of suppliers and fabricators are the craftsmen behind the automobiles we drive, the radios we hear. As workers in a free America, we can never overlook the importance of the place we have behind the name tags on the products of our skill. As we work, and to the extent that we understand and depend upon that system, so shall we succeed in preserving American ways and liberties.

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NOTICE OF ROAD BOND ELECTION

The State of Texas)
County of Cochran)
TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED
PROPERTY TAXPAYING VOTERS
OF COCHRAN COUNTY, TEXAS,
WHO OWN PROPERTY SUBJECT
TO TAXATION THEREIN AND
WHO HAVE DULY RENDERED
THE SAME FOR TAXATION:

TAKE NOTICE, that an election will be held within and throughout the boundaries of Cochran County, Texas, on the 7th day of February, 1948, the same being the first Saturday in February, 1948, at the places and upon the proposition more particularly set forth in the "ORDER AND NOTICE OF ROAD BOND ELECTION" which was passed and adopted by the Commissioners' Court of Cochran County, Texas, on January 5th, 1948, which order is substantially as follows:

ORDER AND NOTICE OF ROAD BOND ELECTION
The State of Texas)
County of Cochran)
IN THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF COCHRAN COUNTY, TEXAS.

BE IT REMEMBERED that on this 5th day of January, 1948, the Commissioners' Court of Cochran County, Texas, convened in special session, pursuant to call by the County Judge, at the Courthouse in Morton, Texas, with the following members present, viz:

G. W. Thompson, County Judge and Presiding Officer; L. M. Baldwin, Commissioner Precinct No. 1; E. C. White, Commissioner Precinct No. 2; John Kennedy, Commissioner Precinct No. 3; C. G. Shaw, Commissioner Precinct No. 4; T. W. Pierce, County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court.

constituting the entire court, whereupon the following, among other proceedings, were had, to-wit:

There came on for consideration by the Commissioners' Court of Cochran County, Texas, the petition submitted by J. W. McDermott and 348 other qualified property taxpayers voters of Cochran County, Texas, who own property in said County and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, requesting that an election be ordered by the Commissioners' Court of Cochran County, Texas, to determine whether or not the bonds of said County shall be issued in the amount of Five Hundred Thousand and No/100 Dollars (\$500,000.00), bearing interest at a rate of not exceeding three per centum (3%) per annum from date and maturing serially over a period of not exceeding ten years from the date thereof, in conformity with the Constitution and Statutes of the State of Texas, particularly Section 52, Article 3, of the Constitution and Chapter 16, of the Acts of the First Called Session of the Thirty-ninth Legislature in 1926, as amended, for the purpose of the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, in Cochran County, Texas, and, whether or not ad valorem taxes shall be levied on all taxable property within Cochran County, Texas, for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity; and

It appearing affirmatively to the Court that said petition is

signed by more than fifty of the resident qualified property taxpayers voters of said County, who own taxable property therein and who have duly rendered the same for taxation and is otherwise in conformity with the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas and that therefore such petition should be granted and said election should be ordered as requested; and

It further appearing affirmatively to the Court that the amount of bonds proposed to be issued under the request contained in said petition, in addition to all other road bonds now outstanding and issued for the same purpose in said County will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of real property of said County and that the 7th day of February, 1948, the same being the first Saturday in February, 1948, is not less than thirty days from the date of this order and is the proper time for holding such election:

BE IT THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED BY THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF COCHRAN COUNTY, TEXAS:

I. That an election shall be held within and throughout Cochran County, Texas, on the 7th day of February, 1948, the same being the first Saturday in February, 1948, and said date being not less than thirty days from the date of this order, at which time there shall be submitted to the resident qualified property taxpayers voters of Cochran County, Texas, who own taxable property therein and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, for their determination thereof, the following proposition:

PROPOSITION
Shall the Commissioners' Court of Cochran County, Texas, be authorized to issue the bonds of Cochran County, Texas, in the amount of Five Hundred Thousand and No/100 Dollars (\$500,000.00), bearing interest at a rate of not exceeding three per centum (3%) per annum from their date and maturing at such time or times and in such amounts as may be deemed most expedient by the Commissioners' Court of Cochran County, Texas, serially, not later than Ten (10) years from their date, for the purpose of the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof in Cochran County, Texas; and shall ad valorem taxes be annually levied, while said bonds or any of them are outstanding, upon all taxable property within said County at a rate sufficient in amount to pay the annual interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity?

II. said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter Sixteen, General Laws of the State of Texas, enacted by the Thirty-ninth Legislature at its first called session in 1926 and all acts amendatory, complementary and supplemental thereof. All persons who are legally qualified resident property taxpayers voters of Cochran County, Texas, who own taxable property therein and who have duly rendered the same for taxation shall be entitled to vote at said election; and the ballots for said election shall have written or printed thereon the following:

OFFICIAL BALLOT
FOR THE ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF.

AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF.

As to the foregoing proposition, each voter shall mark out with black ink or pencil one of the above expressions, thus leaving the other as indicating his vote on the proposition.

III. The polling places and presiding officers of said election shall be respectively as follows:

(1) In Election Precinct Number One (1), at the Courthouse in Morton, Texas, with Tom Arnn, Paul Arnold, D. C. Bowman and Byron Willis, as Presiding Officers of the Election.

(2) In Election Precinct Number Two (2), at the Schoolhouse in Whiteface, Texas, with J. A. Taylor, Melvin Woodley, T. A. Keith and L. W. Bills, as presiding officers of the Election.

(3) In Election Precinct Number Three (3), at the Schoolhouse in Bledsoe, Texas, with J. W. Marr and Everett Nichols as presiding officers of the Election.

(4) In Election Precinct Number Four (4), at the Schoolhouse in Neely Ward, Texas, with E. E. Alexander, Brad Stovall and W. J. Weeks, as presiding officers of the Election.

(5) In Election Precinct Number Five (5), at the Schoolhouse at Lehman, Texas, with C. H. Hickman and W. E. Prather as presiding officers of the Election.

IV. The manner of holding said election and making and canvassing the returns thereof shall be

governed by the general election laws of the State of Texas, when not in conflict with the hereinbefore mentioned Statutes. The Commissioners' Court will furnish all election supplies and ballots for said election.

A substantial copy of this order shall constitute proper notice of said election and notice thereof shall be given by publication in a newspaper of general circulation in Cochran County, Texas, for three consecutive weeks prior to the date of said election and in addition thereto, notice of said election shall be given for three weeks prior to the date of said election by posting a copy of such notice at four public places within said County, one of which shall be posted at the Courthouse door of the Courthouse of Cochran County, in Morton, Texas. The County Clerk shall cause such notice to be given as hereinabove stipulated.

Immediately after said election has been held, the officers holding the same shall make returns of the result thereof to the Commissioners' Court of Cochran County, Texas, and return the ballot boxes to the County Clerk for safekeeping.

The County Clerk shall submit due returns of the posting of such notices and the publication of the same to this court.

The above order having been introduced by Commissioner E. C. White and having received the second of Commissioner L. M. Baldwin, was passed by the following vote:

AYES: Commissioners Baldwin, White, Kennedy and Shaw.
NOES: None.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED, this 5th day of January, 1948.

G. W. THOMPSON, County Judge, Cochran County, Texas.

L. M. BALDWIN, Commissioner Precinct No. 1.

E. C. WHITE, Commissioner Precinct No. 2.

JOHN KENNEDY, Commissioner Precinct No. 3.

C. G. SHAW, Commissioner Precinct No. 4.

Attest: T. W. PIERCE, County Clerk.

(Commissioners' Court Seal)

THE STATE OF TEXAS)
COUNTY OF COCHRAN)

I, T. W. Pierce, Clerk of the County Court and ex-officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of Cochran County, Texas, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing instrument is a true and correct executed copy of "ORDER AND NOTICE OF ROAD BOND ELECTION" as the same was approved, adopted and passed by the Commissioners' Court of Cochran County, Texas, on the 5th day of January, 1948, and now appears of record in volume 4 at page 49 et seq. of the minutes of said Court. I further certify that such order has not been amended, altered, repealed or rescinded in any manner and is now in full force and effect as an order calling an election within said County on February 7th, 1948.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court, this 5th day of January, 1948.

T. W. PIERCE, Clerk of the County Court and ex-officio

PEGGY HILL AND FRIEND SPENT CHRISTMAS HERE

Miss Peggy Hill of Cochran County, Texas, and her friends, Autry Beene, San Antonio, Texas, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hill and brother Waydell, during the Christmas holidays.

Other holiday guests in the Hill home were his sister, neice, Mrs. R. S. Richardson and Mr. Richardson of Eldorado and Mrs. Raymond Leese and daughter of Wichita Falls, Texas.

TO NEW YORK

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond L. S. left here a few days ago for New York upon receipt of a message that her mother had died in the state.

Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of Cochran County, Texas.
(Commissioners' Court Seal)

DR. B. Z. BEATY

DENTIST
Muleshoe, Texas

JUST RECEIVED—

Large Shipment

Chrome, Plastic Topped

DINETTE SUITES

TODD Furniture

North side of square

JANUARY STOCK-UP SALE

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY and SATURDAY

FREE Free With Each \$10 Purchase
5 lb. sack Meal and 5 lbs. Flour

BEEF ROAST

Grade AA
Pound 45¢

SYRUP

White Karo
Gallon \$1.15

HAM

Half or Whole

POUND

69¢

RAZOR BLADES

Schick—20 for . . 70¢

RAZOR BLADES

Pall—10 for . . . 23¢

STEAK

Baby Beef

POUND

53¢

SCHICK RAZOR

With
20 Blades . . . \$1.00

APPLES

Delicious
Pound 12¢

SUGAR

10 LBS.

95¢

GRAPEFRUIT

6 for 25¢

ORANGES

6 for 25¢

BREAD loaf . . . 15¢

Can
PRINCE ALBERT 10¢

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Ella Katherine and George Keith Report On Trip to 4-H Club Congress

Ella Katherine Keith and her brother, George, attended the 26th National Congress of 4-H Clubs, held in Chicago in December. They were both delegates from Cochran county work. Narrative reports of both Ella Katherine and George are given below:

26TH NATIONAL CLUB CONGRESS

Ella Katherine Keith

One November 28 my brother, George and I went to Lubbock to catch the train which would start on the trip to the 26th National

Report of Condition of

FIRST STATE BANK

MORTON, TEXAS

at the close of business December 31, 1947, a State banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$1,678,047.23
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	903,846.67
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	75,333.39
Corporate stocks (including \$1,500.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	1,500.00
Loans and discounts (including \$607.27 overdrafts)	492,054.96
Furniture and fixtures	5,000.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises	8,000.00

TOTAL ASSETS 3,163,782.25

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$2,684,080.25
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	5,160.45
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	351,282.30
Other deposits (certified and officer's checks, etc.)	17,084.17
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$3,057,697.17
Other liabilities	2,500.00

TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below) 3,060,197.17

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital *	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	28,675.08

TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS 103,675.08
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS 3,163,782.25

* This bank's capital consists of:
Common stock with total par value of \$25,000.00

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes \$ 196,600.00

I, T. K. Williamson, Cashier, of the above-named bank, hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. — T. K. Williamson.
Correct—Attest: W. W. Williamson, Joe Nicewarn, James St. Clair, A. T. Taylor—Directors.

State of Texas County of Cochran ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of Jan., 1948.
Fred Brock, Notary Public.

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land, Poland and Canada. Many famous people were introduced to us at our banquets. We were also entertained by such famous stars as Spike Jones and His City Slickers, Bob Burns and The All Girl Orchestra. Most of the banquets and programs were in the Stevens Hotel in Chicago. The Stevens is where the Texas delegation of thirty-four had rooms.

The trip to the National 4-H Congress which is held annually in the Windy City is an honor which every 4-H'er tries to win and one which no one can ever forget. The adult leaders who go with the 4-H'ers to Chicago seem to enjoy the trip as much as we do.

This was my second trip to the National 4-H Congress and I learned more this time than I did the first time. Maybe it was because I was too excited last year.

REPORT FROM A WINNER

George Keith

Ella Katherine and I met Carter White from Post and boarded the train for Amarillo. Henry Neil Schacht and Jackie Brook joined us in Plainview. Upon arriving in Amarillo we joined Mr. Glass, an adult leader, Alan Davis, David Acker, Gayle West, Sammy Bowers, Edward Pyatt, and had our pictures made while boarding the train. Jack Haile was already on the Pullman we were to ride, and therefore, he didn't get his picture made. We ate supper on the diner and got acquainted with each other. Of the group going from Amarillo, I previously had known all except three of the boys.

The first night we slept on the Pullman, but I didn't get much sleep because of this being my first train ride and knowing that I was on my way to Chicago.

We arrived in Chicago at 7:00 P. M. Saturday evening and went directly to the Stevens Hotel where we had reservations. As soon as we had cleaned up a bit, we went to the 8th Street Theater and saw the National Barn Dance.

We slept late Sunday morning because we had nothing to do except to get out and see part of the town.

Sunday night we went to the Sunday Evening Club held in Orchestra Hall.

Monday we got into full swing with the Firestone Banquet for breakfast, then a general assembly, the International Harvester Banquet for lunch, a tour of the Museum of Science and Industry, and for dinner we were guests at the annual Thos. E. Wilson Banquet.

I will not describe the rest of my stay so fully because we did so much. Tuesday morning the Santa Fe winners attended a banquet for Santa Fe winners, only this was very special to me since I was a Santa Fe winner.

The boys and girls from Texas were very popular because everybody seemed to think we should be dressed like the old Frontiersmen and wear six-guns. We didn't tell them the whole truth about Texas, because we didn't want to ruin their beliefs in the things we had here in Texas.

The trip was very delightful and educational because we toured many interesting sections of Chicago and met people from all over the United States.

Tribune Want-Ads Get Results

Patsy Ann Walden Honored With Birthday Party

Patsy Ann Walden was honored with a party on the occasion of her fourth birthday, Wednesday afternoon, December 31, by her mother, Mrs. Mike Walden at the Walden home.

Upon arrival each guest was presented with a party favor by little Miss Walden. Enjoying an hour of games and refreshments of pop corn balls and soda water were:

Vivian, Mary and Betty Ledbetter, Beth and Carol Walden, Carrie Ann Mullinax, John Edward Lawrence, Gary Coffman, and Norton Willis.

Morton Basketball Teams Defeated By Springlake

Morton High School basketball teams, both boys and girls A, lost to the Springlake teams Friday night, January 2, at Springlake.

The boys team dropped their game by a score of 28-24. The girls from Springlake found the basket quite frequently and won 21-13.

QUOTES ON COTTON

Machines Succeeding—"The successful harvesting of the cotton crop mechanically has been challenged by many over the years, but in certain areas under favorable conditions, cotton is being successfully harvested by machines today. We believe that the time is approaching when this can be done universally."—John W. Service, The John Deere Company.

Five Times More Cotton—"Lee Colvin, Lafayette County, has multiplied his cotton yield by five on a 24-acre field by planting and turning under crops of Austrian winter peas for four successive years."—Arkansas Extension Service.

Greatest Possibilities—"More efficient production must be adopted if cotton is to maintain an important place in the farm economy. The greatest possibilities for increasing efficiency seem to let in further expansion of the one-variety cotton improvement plan."—Monthly Review, Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta.

Can Do As Well—"We have never discarded the machine. We master it and its implications. Surely we will do as well with cotton at the present time in its history."—J. M. Eleazer, South Carolina Extension Service.

Wouldn't Have Jitters—"If as much money had been spent on cotton uses research as has been spent on synthetic fiber research, it is not at all unlikely that the cotton industry would never have had any cause for jitters over competitive synthetic fibers."—"Farming for Profit", Childress, Texas.

Mills Need More—"The textile industry thinks cotton farmers need encouragement as regards planting of the next crop, and a large crop. Everybody in the industry seems in agreement that the United States cannot delay another year its restoration of something like a normal carry-over of cotton."—"The Cotton Digest".

42 Party at Veterans Hall, Thursday night, January 8, at 7:30 P. M.

MUST GO

All Wool 1 Oz.

RED HEART

Yarn

In Popular Colors.

LOVELY FOR—
Knitted and Crocheted
Sweaters, Scarves and
Baby things.

per skein 29c

5 for \$1.00

The Fair

Enochs H. D. Club Christmas Party Held December 18

Enochs H. D. Club met December 18 at 2 p. m. in the home of Mrs. C. W. Vanlandingham for the annual Christmas party. Upon arrival guests were presented with lapel pins of miniature Santas.

Seated around a beautiful Christmas tree, guests sang carols and watched a portrayal of the Christmas story by H. D. members. Club members exchanged gifts and the identity of the secret pal was revealed.

The Vanlandingham home was beautifully decorated throughout in traditional holiday decor.

About thirty members and guests enjoyed refreshments of home made candy, fruit and nuts.

FROM RUIDOSO, N. M.

G. A. Graham, formerly of Morton, now living in Ruidoso, New Mexico, was in town a few days last week attending to business and visiting his children, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Graham, Jr., their infant son, George III, Mrs. Babe Vanlandingham and Miss Mary Graham.

FORWARD IN '48

By a firm resolve to reach new heights in spiritual attainment;

By a clear-cut decision to give my best in service to God and man.

By making my contribution to the betterment of the spiritual, social, and moral life of my community and of the world.

By seeking to fill my place in every effort and movement that will honor God, advance the Truth, and bless humanity.

Take a new start—take a new hold on life. Bring the best in service to Christ in '48.

Welcome to all services. Come and worship—find a place to serve.

9:45 Sunday School—6:30 p. m. Training Union

11:00 a. m. Sunday—"The Challenge of Following Christ."

7:30 p. m. Sunday—"Why Believe In Christ"

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

W. C. WRIGHT, Pastor Morton, Tex.

VARIETY FOODS

Hunt's—No. 2 1/2 Can

Fruit Cocktail . . . 39c

Heart's Delight—No. 2 1/2

SPINACH . . . 15c

Rio Star—46 Oz. Can

Tomato Juice . . . 23c

1/2 Gallon

REX JELLY . . . 75c

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GREEN—
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NO. 2 CAN

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MUSTARD OR TURNIP GREENS

While They Last

1 Gallon Size . . . 35c

MARCAL HANKIES

100 Sheets

2 Packages . . . 23c

Morton's SUGAR CURE

With or Without Smoke

7 1/2 Pound Size . . . 85c

JERGEN LOTION

50c Size with 50c size Dryad

Both for . . . 39c

BEETS

Sliced—

NO. 2 CAN

10¢

GRAPE JUICE PUNCH

100 percent Pure Juice

Pint . . . 9c

BESTYETT GELATIN

All Flavors

6 Oz. Bottle . . . 18c

ORANGES

8 lb. sack . . . 35c



GRAPES

Pound . . . 15c

LEMONS

Pound . . . 14c

WEEK-END

MEAT FEATURE

SAUSAGE

Home Made

Pound . . . 59c

HAM—Cured

Sliced

Pound . . . 73c

PORK ROAST

Pound . . . 55c

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SPECIALS for FRIDAY and SATURDAY

Shock-proof, Water-proof—Guaranteed
MILITARY WATCHES, 17 Jewel . . . \$34.50

Mattresses Complete
BUNK BED SETS . . . \$17.50

GLOVES, leather flying . . . \$2.95

SUN SHADES . \$5.00 Canvas COTS each . . \$3.25

O. D. Wool SHIRTS . . . \$3.95 OVERSHOES . \$3.50

We now have in stock several pieces of—

FURNITURE—LIVING ROOM SUITS
all are used but in excellent condition.

Kerosene Cook Stoves and Heaters

Gas Heaters and Ice Boxes.

WE FEATURE ANY TYPE OF TRADING, THANKS.

WAR SURPLUS STORE

B. F. RHODERICK—Manager

Political Announcements

The Tribune is authorized to publish the following announcements for political offices under which names appear, subject to the Democratic primary, Saturday, July 24, 1948.

SHERIFF, TAX ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR:

MAC W. HANCOCK
(re-election)

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NEEDS MORE LISTINGS. IF YOU WANT YOUR LAND SOLD, GIVE IT TO US. WE GET RESULTS. BUY, SELL, TRADE OR EXCHANGE ANYTHING THROUGH THE LONE STAR TRADING POST. TUNE IN KSEL IN LUBBOCK, 950 ON YOUR DIAL AT 6:45 A. M. WHERE SERVICE IS NOT A MOTTO, IT'S A BUSINESS.



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Morton, Texas

WANT ADS

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Living Room Suite, Vanity Dresser, and Bed, priced to sell—Mrs. L. B. Childs at Minnie's Shop. rtnc

FOR SALE—Monarch Piano, good condition—See Mrs. Alf Taylor, 9 miles northeast near County Line Gin. 45p

FOR SALE—F-20 Farmall, complete four row equipment—See O. W. Cunningham, 1 1/2 miles south Morton. 47p

FOR SALE—A complete set of modern Bath Room Fixtures, these fixtures have not been uncrated—See Arlie Barnard at Cobb's Dept. Store or O. L. Tilger. 46c

FOR SALE—Living Room Suite—See Mrs. H. D. Crockett, on 5th block south of Ford House. 45p

FOR SALE—Modern 3 Room House with bath, for sale or trade; includes 3 lots; Patton Addition—Cortie Coffman, 2 1/2 miles south Neely Ward School Building. 46p

FOR SALE—John Deere 6 ft. One-way, like new, on rubber—Cortie Coffman, 2 1/2 miles south Neely Ward School. 46p

FOR SALE—39 ft. 10 inch pipe, 80 ft. 3 inch black pipe; new Buick; Fireball Irrigation Engine with Butane carburetor, 165 H. P., '38 model F-20 Tractor, 4-row lister and planter; 2-row cultivator; 4-row Stalk Cutter; 3 Feed Mills. I sold those two 320 acre tracts of land and I need some more listings. I only have a 590 acre tract listed to sell, good improvements, good land—See Edwin Neutzler, 4 miles northeast of Maple, Box 571. 45c

FOR SALE—320 acres, 120 in cultivation, six miles west of Seminole, good land, no improvements \$16.50 per acre—See Edwin Neutzler, northeast of Maple, Texas, Box 571. 45c

Adding Machine Paper at the Tribune Office.

FOR SALE—200 young Hens, Cornish White—B. W. Bolton, 14 miles west of Morton. 45p

FOR SALE—640 Acres good red Catclaw Land, 272 acres in cultivation, balance in grass, all can be farmed if desired; 100 acres in wheat; Good six room house; well, windmill and large steel storage tank, good water; F30 Farmall tractor and four row equipment; 500 gal. butane tank, all goes with place at \$30.00 per acre. Located 3 miles south Highway School, 12 miles south Dora on paved state 18. If you are looking for a bargain, look this place over. Must sell by Feb. 1. Off market by this date—S. T. Jeffries, Pep, N. M. 45p

FOR SALE—New M-M 6-8 ft. One-way Disc Plow; also Furrow Guide—H. J. Andrews, 12 miles west Morton. 46p

FOR SALE—354 acres level sandy Land, all in cultivation, small improvements, priced to sell, 1/2 cash, balance terms—Standard Abstract Co. 45c

FOR SALE—Hotel with 8 furnished bedrooms, 8 lots, block 189, on Lubbock Highway, will include 3 room residence if desired. Priced for quick sale—L. E. Fields Box 533, Hereford, Texas. rtnc

FOR SALE—Lots in Evan's restricted addition—See O. D. Vernon. rtnc

FOR SALE—Reconditioned apartment size electric range—J. W. McDermott Liquefied Gas. rtnc

FOR SALE—Roller Bearings, Baldwin Combine repairs and belts for AC or JD Combines. Signal lights and reflectors for trucks. Sleeve assembly and gas manifolds for almost any make tractor. Also mix filters for tractors. At your Friendly CONSUMER'S SUPPLY CO., in Morton. rtnc

FOR SALE—Stewart-Warner Radio and Record Combinations in both light and dark finish. Dearborn and Thompson clay back heaters. Also hot water heaters—J. W. McDermott Liquefied Gas Company. rtnc

FOR SALE—Four lots in the Patton Addition—See Jiggs Baker at The STEAK HOUSE. rtnc

WANTED

SALESMEN WANTED—Be independent. Sell Rawleigh Products. Good nearby locality open. Write today. Rawleigh's, Dept. TXA-370, D. Memphis, Tenn. 45p

WANTED—Nurses aids and housekeeper—Apply at business office West Plains Hospital. rtnc

WILL BUY CLEAN RAGS—Allsup Chevrolet. rtnc

WANTED—Real Estate Listings—Edwin Neutzler, Box 571, Maple, Texas. rtnc

WANTED—Mechanic and Mechanic's Helper—Arnn Motor Company. rtnc

LOST

LOST—Small, yellow, femal rat Terrier, answers to name of Bobby—Child's pet; \$5.00 will be paid for her return—W. K. Whitman. 45c

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR LEASE—97 2 10 acres good farming land, 3 room house, lot, sheds, for lease 1948. \$400.00 net to me and the party that leases to put four new post at bottom of windmill tower and have sand slushed out of well, known as Ray Watson place, 7 miles southwest of Morton, Mr. Pierce at Morton will draw up the contract. —H. E. Powell, 1305 second Ave., Dallas, 10, Texas. 46p

FACILITIES AVAILABLE for Recleaning field seed. Also have Certified Seed in stock—Lindsey Feed and Seed. rtnc

AUCTION—Book your sales now for best Auction dates—Specializing in farm sales. Book your tractors to be sold at private sales on a 3 percent commission basis. All benefit auctions free—we appreciate your business—HANCOCK BROTHERS. rtnc

SEWING MACHINES REPAIRED: Motors and Lights for Electric. Work guaranteed. Old Machines rebuilt into modern Portables and Consoles—Rays Hardware and Furniture. rtnc

For Sale—

Gin Equipment:

5-80 Continental Electric Gin Complete with F E C Mitchell Extractor Feeders, 14' Wichita Burr Machine and After Cleaner Attached. Gin Building, Seed House and 150 Bale Cotton-House Included.

— call —

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— Phone 523 —

Farmers Cooperative
Grain and Cotton Co.
Frederick, Okla.

SHIP RETURNING VETS

CHERBOURG, France.—The U. S. transport Eric Gibson sailed for home today bearing the bodies of 1,700 American service men killed in the Normandy campaign. A brief ceremony was held at sailing time.

PRINTING OFFICIALS NAMED.—PRESSMEN'S HOME, Tenn.—President George L. Berry and other officers of the International Printing Pressmen and Assistants' union of North America (AFL) were re-elected without opposition for four-year terms, it was announced today.

ALF TAYLORS WILL MOVE TO SHALLOWATER

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Taylor have bought an irrigated farm near Shallowater, Texas, and will move to it in the very near future.

WHAT'S NEW DEPT.

An automatic lighter and cigarette dispenser, attachable to the steering gear of automobiles and trucks. It delivers an already lighted cigarette to the driver and operates as a road safety factor since the driver's attention and hands need not be diverted from the highway.

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GREEN BEANS

Fresh Pound . . . 19c

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Fresh Stalk Each . . . 19c

SQUASH—Fresh

white or yellow Pound . . . 15c

GRAPES

Fresh, Tokay Pound . . . 15c

Grapefruit Juice

Red and White NO. 5 CAN . . . 15¢

— PRUNES —

No. 10 Can 49c

PEAS — Colorado

No. 2 Can 15c

— ORANGE JUICE —

(Bona Fide)—2 No. 2 cans 25c

— CRACKERS —

HI HO'S — Box 27c

SUGAR

Pure Cane—

10 LB. SACK

95c

— TOMATOES —

No. 2 Can 15c

— SWERL —

The Magic Suds — Box . . 27c

— HOMINY —

Brook's — Can 10c

DUZ — Does Everything

Large Box 38c

SHORTENING

Armours—

3 LB. CARTON

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BACON — Smoked

Pound 65c

PORK CHOPS — Nice Lean

Pound 55c

CHILI — Texas Brand

No. 2 Can 39c

CHEESE — American

Pound 49c

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FRIDAY and SATURDAY—Jan. 9-10



Also—Cat Trouble—Brick Bradford

SATURDAY

PREVUE

Ken Taylor

— In —

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SUN. and MON.

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TUESDAY

Jan. 13



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LOUIS HAYWARD-BRITTON

GEORGE MACREARY

— also —

Wife Tames Wolf

WED. and THURS.

Jan. 13-14

"Song of the

South"

— also —

Uncle Tom's Cabana