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AP News and Pictures

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Lt. J. C. Norris Has Been Missing In Action Since 2nd

Mr. and Mrs. Will Norris received word late Saturday afternoon from the War Department that their son, Lt. J. C. Norris had been missing in action over Hungary since July 2.

Lt. Norris had been overseas since April, and until recently was stationed in England. The last letter his parents had received from him stated that he had completed 12 missions, and that he was being transferred to another base. Lt. Norris is a pilot of a P-51 Mustang Fighter and had participated in the invasion.

He entered the service approximately 4 years ago, and received training at Denver, after which time he was sent to the Canal Zone, where he served in the Air Corp for approximately 2 years.

Upon his return from the Canal Zone he entered cadet training. He began this training in February, 1943, and received his pilot wings and commission as lieutenant in December, 1943.

He has two brothers in the service also. One brother, Nelson, is stationed in Sairo, Egypt, where he has been for the past 2 years. S-Sgt. Nelson Norris, is a member of the Signal Corp.

His other brother, Harold, is a member of the Air Corp, and at the present time is in Santa Anna, California, where he is training as a navigator.

One sister, Mrs. Joe Harrell and her husband, Captain Harrell are in this city at the present time. Captain Harrell is stationed at Durham, North Carolina. After spending a few days here the couple will go to Albuquerque, New Mexico, where his parents reside. Another sister, Miss Jessie Norris, is employed in this city at the First National Bank.

Pool Reports That Crop Out-Look Is Good At Present

"Dawson County has one of the best prospects for crops at the present time, than it has had in many years," asserted Lee R. Pool, county agricultural agent when discussing the crop out-look for this year.

"According to acreage, the county will not have as large a cotton crop as it has in times past, but the crops which have been planted here are doing fine," he continued. "Cotton crops, grain sorghums and other feed crops all look good."

County agent Pool stated, "I would like to take this opportunity to remind each of you to keep close check on flea hoppers or leaf worm damage. As a general rule, crops in this county are not bothered by boll worms, but you should watch your crops closely for them also."

MRS. HELEN COSTIN IS NOW EMPLOYED AT AAA OFFICE

Mrs. Helen Costin recently accepted a position as clerk at the local AAA office.

She assumed her duties there Friday of last week. Ecuador has 10 seaports.



TEXAS TECH — The Texas Technological College board of directors July 10 announced selection of William Marvin Whyburn, 43, as president of the college succeeding Clifford B. Jones, resigned. Whyburn, born near Lewisville, Texas, is a nationally known mathematician who has been on a special government mission for which he was on leave of absence as chairman of the mathematics department of the University of California at Los Angeles. Texas Tech is at Lubbock, Texas.

Local Money Order Office To Open at 9 And Will Close at 5

The money order office at the local post office will open at 9 a. m. and close at 5 p. m., beginning Thursday, July 20.

This information was received Monday morning from Owen C. Taylor, Postmaster, who reported that several changes are being made at the post office. He states that further information concerning the changes will be given at a later date.

Sgt. Hogg, In France, Pictured On 1st Page Of The Dallas News

On the front page of Friday's edition of the Dallas Morning News was a picture of Staff Sgt. Charles Hogg. He was shown with three other American soldiers as they paused in their vehicle at Trevieres, France to observe the destruction wrought by war.

The sergeant is the son of John Hogg, who resides in the Key community.

MAJ. PARKER WOODUL VISITED PARENTS HERE RECENTLY

Major Parker Woodul, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Woodul of this county, visited with his parents a few days recently.

Major Woodul a member of the Infantry, has been in the service for the past three years. He is now stationed in Arizona.

Born in Dawson County, he attended the local schools.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wright of Breckenridge and Jackie and Delores McWright of Sweetwater are visiting in the Joe Greene home for a few days.

W B Collins Spoke About Jackson at Last Rotary Meet

In an interesting discussion, W. B. Collins, prominent Lamesa citizen, presented the life history of Andrew Jackson at the Rotary Club meeting Friday, July 14. You will recall that Jackson was the seventh president of the United States, and served his country in that capacity from March 4, 1829 to March 4, 1837.

Mr. Collins gave the highlights of Andrew Jackson's colorful life, including his childhood days, when he was considered a "bad boy", and his life as a school-master, as a lawyer, a representative, senator, judge, shopkeeper, and a Major-General. He spoke of his marriage to Rachel Robards, and discussed his position in the presidential chair, his administration, retirement, conversion, and religious character, also giving the details of his death. The gifts which qualified Andrew Jackson to lead, both as a soldier and as a statesman, were emphasized in the talk given by Mr. Collins.

Rotarians reports that Mr. Collins talk was especially interesting.

Guest at the Friday session was M. E. Allen, new manager at Lamesa Cotton Oil Company.

Tuesday Is Final Day for Voting By Absentee Method

County Clerk, Howard Humphrey, reports that Tuesday, July 18, is the final day for casting absentee votes.

If you plan to be out of town on the date of the first primary election, July 22, you should go to the county clerk's office in the courthouse and cast your vote immediately.

Persons who are sick and will be unable to vote on July 22, and desire to have their ballot brought to them, should notify the county clerk at once.

Humphrey said Monday that 32 absentee ballots had been returned for the first primary. Approximately 100 have been sent out.

Kermit B. Jordan Gets Purple Heart

An announcement from the Public Relations Section of the United States Army, states that Pvt. Kermit B. Jordan, has been awarded the Purple Heart, for wounds received June 15, in France.

Pvt. Jordan, a member of the anti-aircraft division who has been overseas since February, is now in a hospital in England recovering from his injuries and is reported to be doing fine.

He sent his decoration to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Jordan of this city.

His wife, the former Miss Louise Ranson, makes her home in this city and is employed at Lamesa Meat Company.

Seventy per cent of Japan is mountainous.

Car Stamps Can Be Bought Until July 31

Owen C. Taylor, local postmaster, states that approximately 2,000 motor vehicle tax stamps have been sold in this county to date. According to statistics about 1,200 to 1,500 persons have not bought stamps here.

Postmaster Taylor reports that the post office has plenty of these stamps for sale. Persons who have not purchased their car stamps yet, may do so until Monday, July 31.

Lamesa National And Lions To Play Off Tie Monday

One of the liveliest matches of the summer games will be played this afternoon (Monday) when the Lions Club team and Lamesa National Bank Team play the tie-off for the first half of the city league. This match has been called for 6:30 p. m., and will be played at McDonnell Field.

Both Lions Club and Lamesa National teams have won four games and lost one throughout the season, and team members are placing much on this afternoon's game.

Score of the Thursday afternoon game when Modern Dry Cleaners and Lamesa National teams clashed was in favor of the Lamesa National group who had a 11-7 victory over the opposing team; thus placing Lamesa National in line with the Lions Club team.

Period For Issuing First Canning Sugar Will End July 31st

Officials of the local War Price and Rationing office wish to remind you that Monday, July 31st is the last day you can apply for your first allotment of canning sugar.

Do not confuse the first and second issuance period. The second period is slated to extend from July to December 1.

Public Is Warned About All Auto Lights

Roy King, local highway patrolman, requests that all citizens of this county, get their motor vehicle lights in order immediately, as a check on such lights will be made in the near future.

Patrolman King states that your car should have one burning tail light and two head lights.

If your auto lights are out of order, you should have them repaired as soon as possible.

Sidney Landers Is Promoted To Capt.

First Lieutenant Sidney W. Landers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Landers of this city, was recently promoted from that rank to Captain.

Captain Landers, who has been in the service for three years, is now in India, where he is a pilot of a B-29. He is with the 20th Air Force.

He has been overseas since April, and this is the second time he has been assigned foreign duty.

Captain Landers attended Texas Technological College.
BUY MORE WAR BONDS

Voting Places For July 22 Primary Are Listed Below

Voting places in Dawson County for the first primary, which will be held Saturday, July 22, have been announced by M. Q. Martin, chairman of the Democratic Committee for this county.

Precincts and voting places are listed below, along with the names of the persons who will hold the elections in the different precincts:

Precinct 1, District Court Room, Rev. David J. Murray; Precinct 2, northeast corner in basement of the courthouse, B. L. King; Precinct 3, northwest corner in basement of the courthouse, V. Z. Rogers; Precinct 4, County Judge's office, G. M. Roberts.

Precinct 5, Ackerly, Lester Brown; Precinct 6, Harmony, A. H. Furlow; Precinct 7, O. K., Bill Snellgrove; Precinct 8, Fairview, H. Holt; Precinct 9, Key, L. I. Dean; Precinct 10, Sunset, Ed Knox; Precinct 11, Welch, Frank Miers; Precinct 12, Sparenberg, V. Motley; Precinct 13, Klondike, Elbert Moss.

Precinct 15, Hancock, Ben Dopson; Precinct 16, Patricia, Roy Cox; Precinct 17, O'Donnell, C. H. Mansell; Precinct 18, Munger, H. L. Spruill; Precinct 19, Shumake, Buster Grissom.

An election board, carried in former years, will be erected by the courthouse, and the general public of this area is invited to attend the enumeration of unofficial returns.

Helen Barron Is Asked To Ride In New York Show

Helen Barron, local Chamber of Commerce representative and winner of second place in the recent Sponsor Contest at the Texas Cowboy Reunion, has been invited to compete in the Ranch Girl Contest in connection with the World's Championship rodeo in Madison Square Garden, New York City.

Other girls due to compete are Sug Owens of Ozona, Hollis Holt of Regan County, Mitzzy Laws of Fort Worth, Jo Ramsey of Oklahoma and Rosemary Colbern of Dublin.

Helen, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Erie Barron of this county, is a student at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, where she is a member of the famous Cowgirl Band.

Lions Enjoyed A Quiz Game Thurs.

A truth and consequence quiz program was enjoyed at Thursday's Lions Club program. Humes asked questions on the program and J. R. Earnest served as judge, and assessed penalties on those who were unable to answer their questions. Small cash fines, and vocal solos were among penalties assigned club members.

Guests at the meeting were L. Defflebach of Snyder, H. W. Walker and Calloway Huffaker, candidate for District Attorney.

Malta First Held The Title, Of 'Most Bombed Spot On Earth'

(AP) Features

MALTA, British bastion off the toe of Italy in the Mediterranean, held for a time the hardbitten title of "most bombed spot on earth"—a distinction later taken by some points on the French invasion coast.

Between June, 1940, and October, 1942, Malta absorbed—without flinching—1,660 bomb raids in which 1,386 civilians were killed and 6,704

buildings were razed or partially destroyed.

Between September 1941, and June, 1942, German and Italian planes dropped an average of 500 tons of bombs night and day with the dual purpose of downing Britain's tight little "eastern Gibraltar" and screening Axis troop and supply movements to hard-pressed Marshal Rommel in North Africa.

POLITICAL Announcements

The following are candidates for office, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary on July 22nd, 1944:

FOR CONGRESS:

George Mahon, re-election
C. L. Harris

STATE SENATOR

Sterling J. Parrish
Alton C. Chapman

Representative 119th District

Geo. W. Neill, of Brownfield
Jack Douglas

Preston E. Smith

DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Rollin McCord, (re-election)
Calloway Huffaker

DISTRICT CLERK:

W. W. Petteway, (re-election)

COUNTY JUDGE:

Kilmer B. Corbin, re-election
second term

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY:

Bob Huff

Staff Sgt. Vernon D. Adcock

COUNTY CLERK:

Howard Humphrey

TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR:

R. W. (Buster) Herndon

SHERIFF, DAWSON COUNTY:

A. M. (Buck) Bennett

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT:

P. K. Humes, unexpired term

COUNTY TREASURER:

Mrs. Roxie Gaines,

re-election, second term

FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER

PRECINCT NO. 1:

Mrs. G. W. Wyatt

W. L. (Bill) Vines

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE,

PRECINCT 1:

D. M. Campbell, re-election.

COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 1:

J. A. (Alvin) Hogg

Re-election, second term

Edd Williams

COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 2:

G. C. Aten, second term

R. L. (Bob) Butchee, re-election

second term

COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 3:

J. F. O'Brien (re-election)

Hazel Hancock

Frank Lane

COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 4:

J. E. Debnar, re-election

W. W. Beeman

'Mousetraps' In Inventory

WASHINGTON — The hurly-burly of a wartorn world has failed to distract some inventors from making a try for the "better mousetrap"—the thing that'll make the world beat a path to their door.

A check of the "incent-ory" discloses that patents for two mousetraps have been issued in recent weeks by the U. S. Patent Office. Both are of the "walk-on-nibble-the-cheese-and-get-your-neck-caught" type.

Here are some other inventions for which patents have been granted:

A submarine designed to duck right under ships and shoot its torpedoes vertically instead of horizontally.

A shock-absorber for parachute-jumpers, consisting of springs to be attached to boots and legs.

A fishpole mounting an electric light bulb which illuminates when there's a nibble.

A combination finger guard and nail holder — a thimble-like device to protect your pinkies if you aim wild with the hammer.

Wetproof cigaret paper, coated with aluminum stearate.

A combination beach robe, towel, cushion and general utility bag.

Several nursing bottle holders designed to give junior an uninterrupted feed and—

Pinless diapers, held in place with snap fasteners.

Hess Flight To Britain A Fantastic Legend

(AP) Features

Rudolf Hess, once termed the only man trusted by Hitler, created one of the fantastic legends of the war when he borrowed a Me-110 fighter plane and fled to England on May 10, 1941.

Why should Hess, the No. 3 Nazi, Hitler's alter ego and editor of "Mein Kampf," have flown the coop? The Germans said he suffered from "hallucinations," later branded him insane. The British maintained it wasn't desertion;

that Hess sincerely hoped to get Britain out of the war so that Hitler could attack Red Russia unmolested from the west.

Britain has always felt that when Hess came tumbling down in a parachute to be captured by a farmer with a pitchfork, it gained one of the important prizes of the war.

DRIVERS' DREAM COMES TRUE

SALT LAKE CITY (AP)—Herbert Diaz complained a police car went through a red light and hit his automobile, so he swore out a complaint was justified in that he was chasing a traffic violator.

To extract juice from an onion,

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**R. L. (Bob) Butchee
Makes Statement
To Voters Here**

TO THE VOTERS OF PRECINCT
NO. TWO, DAWSON COUNTY
TEXAS:

I wish to take this method of reaching each and every one of you to say that it has been a great pleasure to serve you this far into my first term of office as Commissioner of Precinct No. Two of Dawson County. I again sincerely solicit your vote and influence, and if elected I will thank you again for your trust in me. I will do my best to serve you in the most economical, efficient way possible under our war time program.

Thanking you in advance for your vote and influence at the election next Saturday, July 22, I hope to remain

Your Commissioner,
R. L. (Bob) BUTCHEE.

**Alvin Hogg Makes 3 Demonstrations
Announcement To
Precinct 1 Voters
County This Week**

THE THE VOTERS OF
PRECINCT NO. 1:

I want to thank each of you for your support in placing confidence in me as your elected official for this my first term.

I also, want to thank you for your patients, and consideration during this time, as labor, parts and tires have been hard to get, due to the fact that so much of this type of material that we use on the road is needed for our war effort which comes first to all of us. Because of this it was impossible to do justice to the roads.

If I do not see you in person, I wish through this means to solicit your vote and influence for the second term.

Thanking you again,
ALVIN HOGG.
54-55-56 c

**Elton (Tim) Boyd In
Race For Constable**

NOTICE TO THE VOTERS
OF DAWSON COUNTY:

Due to time passing so fast, I failed to get my name on the ticket, but I am in the race for re-election as your constable.

So write my name on the ballot.
Thanks,
ELTON (Tim) BOYD.
(55-56 pol. adv. c.)

**Next Club Meeting
Scheduled To Be
Held On July 27th**

The next monthly Cub Pack meeting will be held Thursday, July 27, according to an announcement made Saturday by Lee R. Pool, Cubmaster.

He stated that unless plans were altered the meeting would include a swim in the local pool, followed by "pot luck supper" and probably a baseball game. The session will be held in the afternoon, possible at 7 p. m., and all mothers and dads of Cub members are invited and encouraged to be present for the affair.

There are four Cub Packs in this city, and approximately seventy-five boys are members of this organization.

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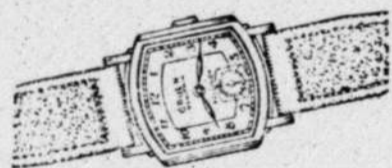
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TELEPHONE 363



Delegates For the THDA Meeting at Austin Elected

At the Home Demonstration Council meeting held Saturday afternoon, July 15, plans for the following years work were discussed.

After the council meeting a special session was called for representatives of the different clubs throughout the county to elect delegates to go to the Texas Home Demonstration conference which is slated to be held in Austin, August 1, 2, and 3.

Representatives chosen to attend were: Mrs. B. E. Miller of Union Club; Mrs. Buster Reed of Ackerly Club, Mrs. J. B. Speck of Midway Club, and Mrs. Noel Cooper was elected as an alternate delegate.

Women present at the Saturday council meeting were Mrs. Klyde Ray and Mrs. B. E. Miller, Union; Mrs. Virginia Reed, Ackerly; Mrs. Noel Cooper, Midway; Mrs. Claude Gowen, Central; Mrs. L. Thomas, Bartlett; Mrs. Motley of Sparenberg.

Cpl. E. V. Dunn, Jr., Is Aerial Gunner On A Flying Fort In Eng.

Cpl. Eric V. Dunn, Jr., former resident of this city, is now stationed somewhere in England, where he is an aerial engineer on a Flying Fortress.

Cpl. Dunn took his basic training at Sheppard Field; his airplane mechanic training in Amarillo; his aerial gunnery course in Kingman, Arizona; and his combat training in Alexandria, Louisiana.

Many of you will recall that he was president of the Dawson County Four-H Club at one time, and his picture appeared in this paper on several occasions with his prize calves.

Cpl. Dunn's home is in Grand Prairie, where his wife now resides.


Mrs. Ira Gabel and daughter, Cpl. La Vaile Gabel, visited friends and relatives in Slaton last week.

Miss Marjorie Greene is visiting friends and relatives in Breckenridge and Fort Worth for a few weeks.



THANK YOU! TEXAS VOTERS . . .
For Your Cooperation and Support
 I am humbly appreciative that I am unopposed in my candidacy for re-election as Railroad Commissioner in the July Primary. I pledge the continuance of my best efforts and service to the people of Texas and the important war demands upon the Railroad Commission.

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TEXAS HERO DECORATED — Lt. Grover C. Blissard (right), Big Spring, Texas, receives the Distinguished Service Cross from Brig. Gen. James A. Bethea (left) at McCloskey General Hospital at Temple, Texas. Lt. Blissard completed a bombing mission over northern Italy after his right leg was blown off and his left leg severely injured by shell fragments. (AP Photo from U. S. Signal Corps).
N E W P R E S I D E N T O F

Has Anybody Found A Bridge?

ST. JOSEPH, Mo. (AP) — Buchanan county officials have lost a 110-foot steel bridge. It fell into the Platte river during a high water period recently and disappeared without a trace. It's not the first time mystery has shielded the loss of large objects in this county. Forty years ago an elephant was stolen in St. Joseph. It hasn't been found yet.

If you use metal reflectors on study lamps, give them an occasional soap and water cleaning. They will then do a much better job of reflecting.

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**DISTRICT
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GEORGE MAHON

—TO—

CONGRESS



CONGRESSMAN MAHON

1. Occupies a key position in the war effort, being a member of a seven-man committee on Military Appropriations and is working for victory at the earliest possible moment and return of our boys to their homes.
2. Advocates American participation in positive program to insure lasting peace.
3. Is a strong supporter of the Pace Bill, which has passed the House requiring that all labor costs be included in fixing farm prices. The farmers of this District know him as a friend who has never failed them.
4. He was original supporter of Rural Electrification Program, and is on committee for appropriations for this project. When he was elected to Congress, there was no REA; now there are 10,000 farm homes served by electric lines in this Congressional District. Plans are already made for immediate expansion of REA at end of the war.
5. Is strong supporter of Soil Conservation program, and is confident that, at end of the war, Soil Conservation districts will receive quota of surplus dirt moving machinery from Army.
6. Stands for less regimentation of the people and abandonment of Governmental interference with private business after the war.
7. Contends that strikes have hurt morale and the war effort more than any one thing, and his voice and vote have always been against wartime strikes and profiteers, and he is therefore on John L. Lewis' blacklist.

(This ad paid for by friends of George Mahon)

(pd. pol. adv)

Final Rites Will Be Held Tuesday For Mrs. M. N. Bailey

Final rites will be held in this city Tuesday, July 18, for Mrs. Opal Ira Bailey who passed away here Monday at 2 a. m. Funeral services will be conducted at Higginbotham Chapel, with O. H. Tabor, minister of the Church of Christ, officiating. Burial will be in Lamesa Cemetery.

Mrs. Bailey, who was 30 years of age at the time of her death, was born February 22, in Jack County. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include her husband, M. N. Bailey; parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Savage of Palo Pinto; and four children, Aneta Lorene, 9, Thelma Lou, 7, Monte Earl, 5, and Pearl Rose 3.

Machinery Quota Expected By 20th

C. E. Tarter, administrative officer at the local AAA office, reported Saturday that although the farm machinery quota for Dawson County had not been received as yet, he had received information that it will be here by Thursday, July 20.

Many agriculturists have been anxiously awaiting the arrival of the quota. The local AAA office has been taking applications for machinery for several weeks, and will continue to do so.

Hint On How To Iron Rayon

By VIVIAN BROWN
AP Features Writer

You can achieve good results in ironing rayons — and make your job easier at the same time — by following a few simple hints.

Always be sure your rayon garment is washable before you dunk it. Usually informative labels will tell whether the fabric has passed a scientific washing test.

The surface texture of rayon fabrics can be preserved by ironing on the wrong side over a well-padded ironing board. When it is necessary to iron sections such as collars, cuffs or pleats on the right side, use a press cloth over the fabric. Try to avoid sprinkling rayons because this tends to distribute moisture unevenly.

The degree of dampness and the amount of heat best for ironing rayons vary with the type of fabric.

Washable crepes require a moderately hot iron and should be almost dry to the touch. Wrap crepes in a towel right after washing to take out excess moisture evenly and prevent dripping to the hem. Remove from towel immediately and hang on hanger. Don't use too much pressure with your iron and be careful not to pull or stretch the fabric while ironing.

Such heavier spun rayon fabrics as rayon gabardine and butcher linen-textured spun rayons, usually used for slacks and tailored sports clothes, should be ironed slightly damp with a hot iron, but not as

hot as for cottons.

Dress weight spun rayons should be ironed hot and dry.

Sheer, lawn-like spun rayons should be ironed hot, almost dry with just a trace of dampness.

Too hot an iron will cause rayon sharkskins to shine, wrinkle up or fuse. The iron should be warm and the garment noticeably damp. Sharkskins should be washed, rolled in a towel, taken right out and ironed slowly.

Roll rayon jerseys in a towel and knead out moisture, then hang on hanger. Iron slowly and lightly when somewhat damp with a warm iron. Be sure to avoid tension.

A Fish Story, But Frightful

KANSAS CITY (AP) — J. G. Ellis and Richard Staley, with Staley's son Billy, saw a commotion in the river. Then they saw a large fish chasing a one-pounder.

The little fellow was going so fast that he zoomed out of the water to the river bank. He flopped once and then was still.

When the fishermen picked him up he was dead, with no mark of injury. The men decided he died of fright.

Attractive Foods Will Sell Quicker

About 70 per cent of all food is bought because of its appeal to the eye, according to food salesmen.

Myrtle Murray, specialist in home industries for the A. and M. College Extension Service, said recently in a radio address that farm people would profit by taking this cue and making sure their produce for sale is as attractive as possible.

Home demonstration club women who sell on curb markets or to individual customers have learned the attraction of colorful, clean country fresh vegetables. Miss Murray says, farm families who contemplate selling fresh foods from their Victory gardens should gather vegetables at the right state of maturity, select those of good quality and sort them as to size.

In order to keep the vegetables at top quality, those for sale should be gathered in the cool of the evening, washed immediately, and sorted. If the vegetables are to be sold in bunches, they should be sorted and bunched at this time. Miss Murray also advises that the vegetables should be sprinkled and left out in

the open during the night.

When the vegetables are moved to market they can be packed in a tub. Moist straw or sand separated from the vegetables with a clean cloth, will help the produce stay fresh. And in any instance, the vegetables should be carefully handled to prevent their being bruised, Miss Murray says.

Erna Schmidt, Kerr County Extension cooperator, prepared her vegetables this way last year and found they sold readily.

Here are two other precautions for persons who plan to sell produce from their gardens. Don't plant more than can be gathered and sold at top quality. Plant every

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