

Texas Grass Reported Now At Worst Level

AUSTIN, Texas, July 11.—The grass in Texas had been parched down to its worst level in history on July 11, the United States Department of Agriculture reported Saturday. The nature promising no immediate relief from conditions that saw sheep and cattle reaching near all-time low counts, state officials were groping for some kind of an artificial way.

Men on the controversial question of price supports. He didn't think the Federal Government would do much about it as long as cattlemen couldn't agree. "Texas agriculture hasn't anything wrong with it that a good three-day rain wouldn't solve," White said.

Local Items

Can the cattle industry be free of controls and subsidies? Should all controls and subsidies be abolished? Those are some of the questions tied up in the big question of a price support program for cattle.

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Recent visitors in the T. E. Cammack home were their daughters, Mrs. W. W. McDowell of Goodnight, and Mrs. Mrs. H. M. Wagle left last Wednesday for Holly, Colo., where she is visiting a daughter and family.

Friends, Relatives at Fogerson Rites

In addition to the large number of Matador relatives and friends who attended recent funeral rites for Victor Fogerson held at Silverton, many others from surrounding areas were present.

Local Items

Several of the Governors, speaking to reporters, expressed their personal opposition to such a program. In group statements issued late yesterday they skirted making any commitment on the issue.

Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Rattan spent the week-end in Amarillo, where they visited their children and families.

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Visiting Mrs. Ivy Cooper Sunday, were her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Drace and their son and family.

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Overnight visitors Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Q. Carson, were her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Cass and son, Paul, of Columbus, Ga.

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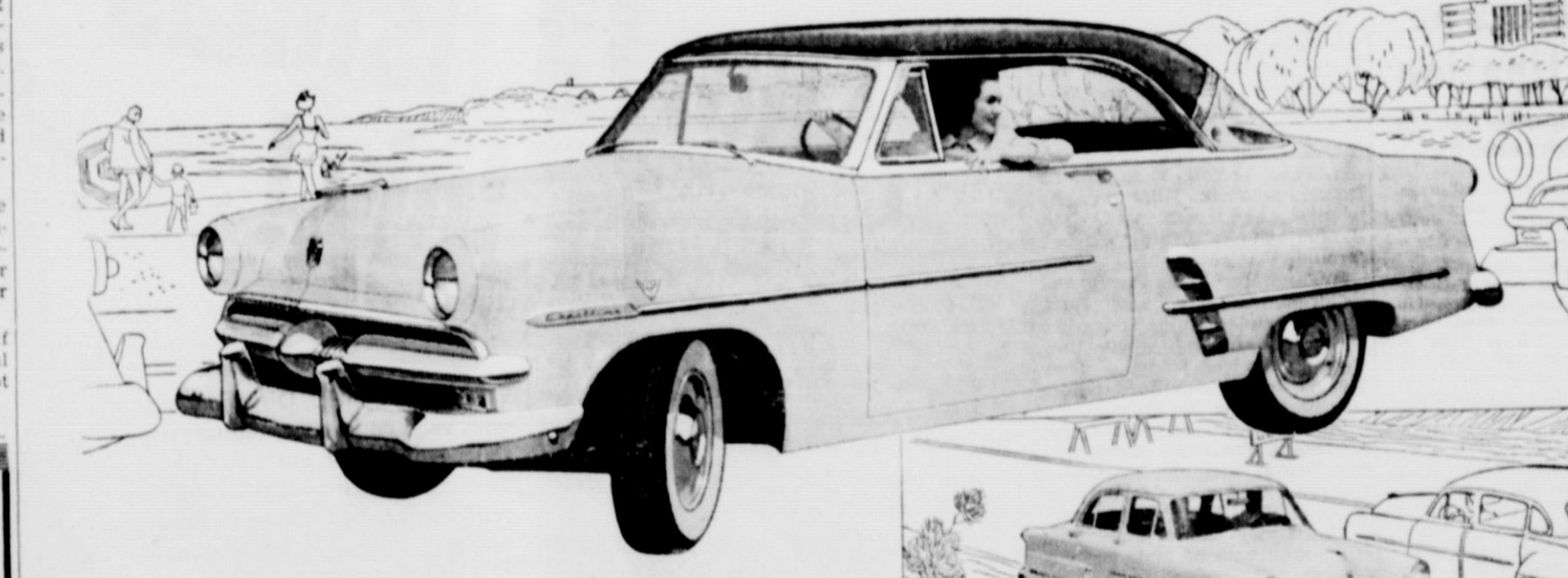
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**Marshall Formby
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Marshall Formby, first Commissioner of the State Highway Department 16 years ago, was appointed to the position in 1937. He moved to Plainview in 1940 and has since been engaged in the practice of law. Formby was a member of the Texas Bar and the University of Texas Law School. He is a member of the State Highway Commission and the University of Texas Law School. He is also a member of the State Highway Commission and the University of Texas Law School.

Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Merle Pitts, of Austin, visited here from Thursday until Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Pitts, sr., as they were en route to Aspen, and other vacation spots in Colorado.

H. C. Duncan of Crowell, former Matador resident, was visiting friends and attending to business here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Casey and son, Bill, have returned from a vacation trip to Santa Fe, Albuquerque and Ruidoso, N. M. They visited his mother, Mrs. A. N. Casey, sr., in Albuquerque.

Alvin Stearns, Gus Bird and R. E. Campbell, jr., returned Sunday night from a fishing trip to new Mexico and Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Estes of Fountain, Colo., are visiting here this week with their daughters, Mesdames Bill Pipkin, Robert Darsey and R. E. Campbell, Jr., and at Roaring Springs with Mr. and Mrs. Bobby York.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Jacobs and small daughter, Laura, left Sunday on a vacation trip to Red River, New Mexico. His brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jacobs of Dallas, were to join them there.

Mr. and Mrs. Brad C. Rowland and small son, Keith of Rowland, visited here Monday with her cousins, Mrs. Loyd Latimer and Charlie Keith and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Pitts, sr., and small grandson, Don, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ford drove to Lockney Tuesday evening, where they were dinner guests of former residents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Floyd Jordan, who will move to Slaton in the near future.

Mrs. M. L. Patton and daughter, Miss Rachel Patton, were accompanied to Amarillo Monday, by Mrs. J. A. Groves, and also Mrs. R. L. Patton, who has been visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Pitts, jr. and children, Kenneth and Judy are on a vacation trip which includes fishing in Colorado, and a trip to Yellowstone National Park in Wyoming. Their youngest son, Don, remained here with grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Pitts, sr.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Duncan and children, Cecil, Mary Beth and Phil, and Clyde Duncan all of Amarillo, visited here during the week-end with Mrs. Duncan's mother, Mrs. W. M. Wells, and with Mrs. Laila Duncan, mother of the two men.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Ed Russell from Thursday until Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Scales and children, Jackie and Sharon, of Paramount, Calif. Messrs Russell and Scales were World War II buddies while in training and also during overseas duty.

Jehovah's Witnesses Attend Convention

Seven delegates from the Quitaque congregation will attend the International convention of Jehovah's Witnesses in Yankee Stadium, New York City, July 19-26. 125,000 persons are expected at the convention, including delegates from 100 foreign nations.

Delegates from this area will be Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Tiffin and Mrs. A. D. Moseley and daughter, Wanda and Miss Naomi Smith all of Flomot, and Mrs. S. C. Kitchen of Silverton. They will travel by chartered bus, train and car.

This same local group attended the International convention in 1950.

Normal Life Span Now Within Reach Of Heart Patients

Worried about your heart? If so, it doesn't help to hear that deaths from diseases of the heart and the blood vessels are the leading cause of death in Texas. Yet, if you have heart trouble today, you are better off than you would have been at any previous time in the history of the world, says Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. Cases which in former years were considered hopeless, are now being treated successfully. Most heart patients who follow their physician's directions can lead relatively normal lives, carrying on most of the activities they did before they became ill with heart disease.

Over-fatigue, over-exertion, worry, and prolonged emotional disturbances also make additional work for the heart. The heart slows up somewhat when you lie down and a little more when you fall asleep, but the person who is constantly on the go, and gets too little sleep, does not give his heart much of a chance to rest. Whenever you become

worried or excited, your heart is the first part of the body to react. It immediately starts to beat faster. If you really become frightened or over exercise, it may start pounding.

Many people, when they realize they have heart trouble, fortunately learn a new way of living. They acquire a more wholesome and happier way of life. Their work is planned so that they do not get overtired, and are not pushed to get the job done; when they get tired they stop and rest. Few heart

patients have to give up all of their usual activities. They learn a different and better way of doing them that does not put such a strain on the heart, for they have found that it is the way they do things, rather than what they do that is so very important.

Early treatment for heart disease will help to relieve your worries and will set you on the right road to good health, with a chance for a normal span of life, if you obey your doctor's orders.

SATURDAY SPECIALS

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