

# The Meadow Star

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## Offside

By The Editor

Not too long ago a couple of well dressed gentlemen came storming into our office, and before they had time to introduce themselves one of them burst out with great enthusiasm, "We are going to sell some advertising for you, or let you sell it." And immediately they began opening their volumes of display, showing us what they had done for other papers. Their idea (which they had patented) was a large full page lay out on the advantages of people trading at home, with home merchants. This page was to run in the paper once a month, and they were to sell advertising space on that page to local merchants at about four dollars a throw, and for a years contract. Of course for their trouble they would get a very liberal percentage, which would be cash in advance.

The ideas were good. People should trade in their home communities. By buying from home concerns, they help build up the community, and patronize their neighbor instead of strangers. But, at the same time we did not feel under any obligation to pay these fellows any enormous sum of money to take it and high pressure local firms with it.

There are just two reasons why people should trade with their home merchants. In some towns it is their obligation to buy from local merchants, and in other towns it is a privilege.

If you have to pay more for your needs from local businessmen, then it is your obligation to trade there, because by so doing you help build up the town, and help maintain local institutions. If you do not intend to help build a community, why not move to a place you do want to build up? That is what U. S. officials have been asking people who are trying to tear down our country, and build up some other country. Why not just go to that beloved countr you are wanting to build up?

If you can save money with local merchants; if they sell quality merchan-

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## FFA Fat Stock Show Draws Large Crowd

People of this community who went to the Big Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth last week to see the fine cattle and hogs on exhibit, just drove about 700 miles too far, because some of the finest fat stock in Texas were shown right here in Meadow Saturday in the FFA Spring Project show. Something like thirty fat beeves were on exhibit, and even the poorest one of the bunch would have made very delicious eating. They were all good.

The Grand Champion Steer, weighing around 950 pounds, was shown by J. C. Preston.

Also in the hog division, some very fine animals were shown, most of them being Berkshires and Hampshires.

Several lambs were entered. The lamb shown by Terrel Bell won the blue ribbon.

Premiums were donated by the merchants, ranging from \$2.50 as top premium, down to low of 50c to most of the entries. Ribbons were given down through fifth place.

## Buck Beall Leases Station

I. A. (Buck) Beall Tuesday morning of this week took charge of the old Farmers Fuel Station, and invites his friends to come around and trade with him.



OLIVA de HAVILLAND is the lovely leading lady in "Santa Fe Trail," the picture which is currently playing its second successful week at the Rialto Theatre, Brownfield.

## Streets In Much Better Condition

Commissioner Bill Settle, in connection with the City government has done quite a bit of street improvement during the past few weeks. On some of the streets down town large holes had been worked out, and when it rained they caused bad looking scenes, as well as hazards to proper driving. These holes have been filled with rock and caliche and as a result the streets are in much better condition.

Leonard Chessir is now employed at the Jordan Motor Co. in Brownfield.

P. T. Deckard made a business trip to South and East Texas this week.

Louis Peeler made a business trip to Pecos the first of the week.

## H. D. Club Meets With Mrs. Finley

The Meadow Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday afternoon March 18 in the home of Mrs. Jim Finley.

Miss Hollaway, home demonstration agent was present and gave a very interesting and beneficial talk on wood work of all kinds and gave a demonstration of them.

There will be a Comfort Demonstration in the District Court Room at Brownfield at 2:30 March 22. Everyone is invited to attend. The Extension Service puts on an educational picture show April 1 at 8 p. m. in the court room also.

The Home Demonstration Council meeting will be March 29 at Brownfield in the court room and the district meet will be April 19 at Painview. Everyone, that can is urged to attend these meetings.

After a worthwhile meeting refreshments were served to the 17 members, the agent and one guest.

The next meeting will be April 1 in the home of Mrs. G. F. Parker with Mrs. Mary Fare as hostess. All members be present and bring a penny with you.

J. L. White purchased a car this week.

Mrs. Bill Settles was in Lubbock Wednesday morning.

F. C. Lowrey has been ill this week.

## America's Position In The World Today

America occupies a queer, insecure position in world affairs of today. She is a friend; she is an enemy, and she has proclaimed herself to be a neutral power. At such times as these, we may recall the immortal message of Lincoln—"A house divided against itself cannot stand." True, we are divided. There are those among us who would aid the conquering German, even to the point of destroying America; but these humans are either fanatics who have no idea of the soul-crushing qualities of dictatorial rule, or they are murdering brigands who drive toward money and power. Such base human desires can never hope to acquire permanent foundation on which to build a lasting world empire.

A singular quality has always made its appearance in our nation at times of extreme danger; this quality being unity. What a world of meaning the word carries! Victory, friendships, and tranquility!

Before the World War different factions were disputing throughout the nation; after the war had begun, everyone helped to win the battles. Lets not be so pessimistic about the outcome of the present war! Lets ally ourselves wholly with the side on which justice reigns! Lets help prove the statement that "justice always triumphs!"

—Wallace Finley.

## ALLIES!



Among the Royal Air Force's most fearless, versatile flying fighters, the Czechoslovak Squadron has downed more than 250 planes. Fighting indomitably on from one country to another—their own, Poland, the Low Countries, France—they now make their final stand on the British Front. A favorite character in the Squadron is the Adjutant (above), a war-scarred veteran admired by British and Czechoslovak fliers alike.



ERROL FLYNN — Hero of so many thrilling screen adventures tops them all with the thrills of his newest, "Santa Fe Trail" at the Rialto Theatre, Brownfield.



# James Rucker

Red & White Grocery

Buy at the Red and White and Save

P & G Soap **.25**  
7 BARS . . . . .

Pure Grape Jam 4 lbs 59c

Pork & Beans B & W 6 cans 25c

25c size DREFT . . . 18c

Print Bag FLOUR, 48 lbs \$1.25

Rucker's Special Coffee **.25**  
1 lb package 2 for . . .

Supreme Vanilla Wafers **.15**  
25c size . . . . .

25 oz K C . . . . .17

PURE APPLE BUTTER **.15**  
QUART . . . . .

Swift's Jewel OIL gal .99

SOUR PICKLES, quart . . . 9c

Good Tomatoes **\$1.70**  
No. 2 cans, case . . .

NATIONAL SHREDDED WHEAT **.09** Bananas Dozen **.10**

Groceries Given

**FREE SATURDAY**

1 basket at 2 . . . . . 1 at 4

Ask for Particulars

Mrs. C. O. V. Woods and Elbeck were in Big Spring last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Chessir attended the funeral of Mr. McGee in Portales, N. M. last Sunday.

Mrs. Floyd Copeland and Hazel Copeland were in Lubbock Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. White left Wednesday for Ruidoso, N. M. for a stay of three weeks.

Woodrow Mitchell made a business trip to Lubbock Tuesday evening.

Jack Lyles of Garland has been visiting in Meadow this week. He is to enter training Monday.

## George Bros. Feed Store

EVERLAY MASH, 100 lbs. . . . . \$2.10  
DIAMOND DOT LAY MASH, 100 lbs. . . \$1.95  
CHICK STARTER, 50 lbs. . . . . \$1.35  
SUPPLEMENT, 100 lbs. . . . . \$2.75

### TRACTOR OILS

HICK STAR, 5 GALLON CAN . . . . . \$2.19  
25 lbs. GREASE and GUN . . . . . \$4.39

See Us Before You Buy Your TIRES!

## Noah Beery At Art Names Show

The show which Art Names is putting on in Meadow every Saturday night under the auspices of the Meadow merchants are drawing a larger crowd every Saturday night and are pleasing fine. Art is getting better and better shows all the time. Children of twelve and under are free and adults are only a dime. Get your tickets from the Meadow merchants.

Fred Hinson was seen in Whiteface Sunday.

The Santa Fe Railway System carloadings for the week ending March 15, 1941, were 18,053 compared with 17,240 for the same week in 1940. Received from connections

# Attention!

FARMERS -- STOCKMEN

Lubbock Production Credit Association

Announces

Branch Office Serving Terry, Gaines and Yoakum Counties

Investigate for Crop, Livestock, General Purpose and Feeder Loans.

OUR INTEREST RATE IS NOW 4 1-2 Per Cent  
Office located across street west of Postoffice in Brownfield.

**A. E. (DICK) MCGINTY**

BRANCH MANAGER

were 7,585 compared with 5,280 for the same week in 1940. The total cars moved were 25,638 compared with 22,520 for the

same week in 1940. The Santa Fe handled a total of 25,060 cars during the preceding week of this year.

## GOLD CROWN

Flour 48 lbs. **\$1.30**

Gold Crown Flour, 24 lbs. **.68**

HOMINY large size **.09**

Preserves Pure Apricot 2 lb. jar . . . **.32**

PEANUT, BUTTER, pint **.16**

Grapejuice, pint **.16**

TOMATOES No. 1, 3 cans . . **.11**

CRACKERS 2 lbs SALTINE **.24**

3 Minute Hominy Grits<sup>2</sup> for **.15**

Crystal White Toilet Soap 4 Bars **.13**

PRUNES, gallon **.25**

# Jones Hardware

22 Years In Business In Meadow



# YOUR FOOD STORE W. H. HAND

Brown or Powdered 1 lb.

**Sugar** .07

P. and G. 8 bars

**SOAP** .25

**Bananas** EACH .01

**Spuds** 10 lbs .12

**Lettuce** .03

K. C. 25 oz can

**Baking Powder** .17

Bliss 1 lb

**Coffee** .18

**Peanut Butter** qt.22

No. 2 Country Gentleman

**CORN** .11

**Meal** 10 Pounds .24

20 Pounds .42

Wapco 14 Oz. bottle

**Catsup** .09

Penick's Golden 5 lbs

**SYRUP** .29

Bewley's Best 24 lbs

**Flour** .73

48 Pounds 1.40

The Cafe fixtures in the hotel were moved Wednesday.

Duane Bell, who is attending school in Lubbock was home last week end.

Vernie Decker made a business trip to Lubbock Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Jimmy Gammill of Jal, N. M. visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Short last week end.

Two good model A Fords. They are nice and can be bought right.

See them today.

**Jordan Motor Co.**

## Used Tires

Used Car and Trailer Tires Largest Stock in West Tex

First Line Tires

**GORDON BROS.**

Safety Tire Shop Brownfield

## Used Cars

1937 Buick with heater, Good tires.

1939 Chevrolet Coupe.

1940 Hudson Coach.

1940 G. M. C. 1-2 ton pickup, 9000 actual miles, See this one before you buy

**Kee Auto Exchange** Brownfield

1939 Dodge 4 door sedan. '39 motor. Completely overhauled. Priced below the market and on crop payment plan. See us today.

**JORDAN MOTOR CO.**

N. S. Daniel, Pastor of the Methodist Church in Rochester and former Meadow resident was visiting here over the week end. He was wearing a badge on his nose, and gave as explanation that he ran under (almost) a clothes line.

## Winners In Stock Show

Some of the places taken in the F. F. A. Project Show held in Meadow Saturday are as follows:

Hog division.

Gilts. Windell Jones 1st J. C. Preston 2nd.

Sow and Litter. Robert Lyles 1st, J. C. Preston 2nd.

Fat Barrow, Edwin Nettles 1st, Jack Bundrant 2nd.

Aged Sow. Jack Bundrant 1st. Robert Lyles 2nd

Other boys who won ribbons on their entries were Willie Blair, Jesse Brooks, Tom Gibson, Joe Henson, Kenyon Banks, Ellis Ray Walker, Jimmie Mackey, and James Warren.

Lambs. Terrell Bell 1st, Johnnie Deekard, Nathan Jones, E. D. Gossett, Ellis Ray Walker.

Heavy Calves. J. C. Preston 1st and 2nd, Calvin Bartlett 3rd, Wink Warren 4th. Robert Lyles, Edward Warren. Lynn Murray, Duane Norman.

Light Calves. Aubrey Williams 1st, D. J. Yowell, 2nd, Billie Tilger 3rd, Homan Moorhead 4th, Ellis Ray Walker 5th.

United States has the largest number of high-speed passenger trains of any country in the world.

Allen Winningham has recently finished the construction of a new dairy barn on his place.

## Prices Reduced On Feed

Sunray Laying Mash	\$2.00
Co-Op Laying Mash	2.05
Meadow Maid Laying Mash	1.85
X-L Laying Mash	1.85
Purina Laying Mash	2.65
Sunray Growing Mash	2.25
Co-Op Growing Mash	2.25
Purina Growena	2.90
Sunray Chick Starter	2.55
Co-Op Chick Starter	2.55
Purina Startena	3.20
Purina Startena	Feeder free
Sunray Laying Mash Supplement	2.75
Co-Op Laying Mash Supplement	2.75
X-L Laying Mash Supplement	2.35
Everlay Laying Mash Supplement	2.90
Purina Laying Chow	3.00
Sunray Growing Mash Supplement	3.25
Co-Op Growing Mash Supplement	2.75
Purina Chick Growing Chow	3.10
Everlay Growing Mash Supplement	2.90
Wheat Gray Shorts	1.40
Wheat Bran	1.30
Limestone	.80
Stock Salt	.85
Block Salt	White .50
Block Salt	Sulphur .60
Cotton Seed Meal	per sack 1.75
Five Sack Lots	1.70 Per ton 35.50

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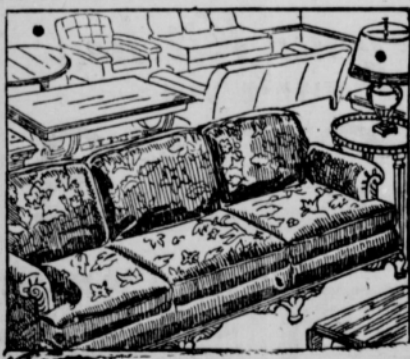
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For All Your Stock and Poultry Feeds

STUDIO DIVAN, Upholstered Arms . . \$27.50 up



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**Suites**  
BLONDE  
OR  
WALNUT  
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**\$34.50**  
UP

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# RIALTO

BROWNFIELD

FRIDAY SATURDAY

IT'S A LOVE-LIFE LAUGH PANIC!



**LOMBARD**  
ROBERT **MONTGOMERY**

**Mr. & Mrs. Smith**

with **GENE RAYMOND**  
JACK CARSON  
PHILIP MERIVALE  
LUCILE WATSON  
Directed by **ALFRED HITCHCOCK**  
RKO RADIO Picture

**Come and Let Yourself Go!**

Story and screen play by **NORMAN KRASNA**

SUNDAY MONDAY  
PREVUE SATURDAY

A Thousand Miles Of Danger... A Thousand Thrills a Mile!



**OLIVER GRAY**  
**FLYNN-DeHAVILLAND**

**Santa Fe Trail**

**MASSEY · REAGAN · HALE**  
WILLIAM LUNDIGAN · VAN HELEN · GENE REYNOLDS  
HENRY DONNELLY · GURIN · TAYLOR · WILLIAMS  
Directed by **MICHAEL CURTIZ** · A WARNER BROS. Production  
Original Screen Play by Robert Buckner · Music by Max Steiner

## FRIERS

Tender milk fed fryers for sale Tom Barron Strin English White Leghorn Pullets 3 to 5 weeks old. Prepared to brood any strain Baby Chicks for Public. SEE---

E. L. MCCOY

2 blocks South Roberts Hatchery  
Pay Highest Prices For Hens

**Dr. A. F. Schoefield**  
Dentist  
Brownfield, Texas

## CHISHOLM HARDWARE

**John Deere**  
Tractors and Equipment  
A Full Line of Parts  
**Hammer Mills**

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dise cheaper than the out of town competitor, then it is your PRIVILEGE to trade with them.

It is a privilege for Meadow people to trade in Meadow. Are you availing yourself of this privilege? If not, you should do so.

And speaking of privileges, it was the privilege of ye editor, wife and daughter Sunday to take dinner (lunch) in the H. C. Stephenson home. I didn't know Red was such a good provider until we sat down to the table. Boy! talk about good things to eat, they were there. And once we got started eating, it did not take long to find out that Mrs. Stephenson knows

her cooking; chicken and dressing, with oyster gravy, several kinds of fresh vegetables, cake, pie-a-la-mode, etc., etc.

When I finished eating I felt about like I imagine Wimpy would after attending a hamburger eating contest.

I have an inkling that it will be a good while before Red invites any more kentry editors out his way for dinner.

FOR SALE—Hi Bred Cotton Seed, 70c per bu. in bulk. First year from Lockett. 300 or 400 bu See Tom Toombs or go to Lockett Gin.

J. B. Millsap, Jr., grandson of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Millsap, from Borger, underwent a minor operation in the Lubbock Sanitarium Sunday morning. He is reported as getting along nicely.

The number of freight cars in need of repair is now less than at any time in the past 20 years, according to the Association of American Railroads.

Miss Fern Toombs, Secretary, visited home folks over the weekend.

Vida J. Cleveland visited Teddy and Conrie Lucas Sunday.

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\$3.00 Quart	\$2.25
\$3.50 Creme Oil	\$2.75

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The Cheapest Place In Town

To Buy New & Used Tires

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FOR HIGH QUALITY CHIX  
FROM

FLOCKS RIGIDLY CULLED and BLOOD TESTED BY STATE ACCREDITING AGENT  
SEE

## ROBERTS HATCHERY

MEADOW

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No longer is it necessary to spend long hard hours over a hot stove in order to cook foods. Today thousands of modern-minded homemakers have found kitchen freedom with the new Roper Gas Range.

Beautiful to look at, it is also delightful to use. Modern features galore save time, food, fuel, money—make cooking a carefree lark. For complete information, stop in. It's easy to buy a new Roper Gas Range right now.



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