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TEXAS TRIUMPH POTATOES, 10-LBS 15c
Yellow Onions 3 lbs 10c | Five String Broom 25c

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CONSTITUTION DOES NOT BAR TARIFF REVISION

"From The Texas Weekly:—Amid the clamor which has followed the AAA decision of the United States Supreme Court, ranging all the way from demands that the Court's power be "curbed" to proposals to amend the Constitution, we quote as the Federal Government complete control of American agriculture and industry, may we be permitted to make one simple suggestion. There is a perfectly constitutional way to deal, not with the cotton situation and with our economic situation generally. The American tariff wall is not sacred under the Constitution. Congress has complete power to revise it to any level it chooses or even to demolish it altogether. And it would require only a simple majority of the Democratic Congress and the signature of the President to get the job done. Any one of the various proposals to change the Constitution would require a two-thirds vote of the two houses of Congress merely to get the matter submitted to the States, and then affirmative action by three-fourths of the States would be needed to put it into effect. Why are the gentlemen of Congress and the farm leaders willing to undertake almost any legislative task, whether it be the enactment of drastic tax and other measures or the changing of our very form of government, rather than tackle the job of getting down the tariff wall? It is the American tariff system that has kept American agriculture in the deplorable condition for decades and that has made it impossible during the past six years to produce normal crops profitably. The American tariff system was created by Congress and it can be changed by Congress. Why rail at the Supreme Court and condemn the Constitution for evils by an act of Congress? The Democratic platform of 1932 declared that the "economic and social security of this country shall be the first care of the government" and that "the tariff has been used to aid the few at the expense of the many." Why not pick up the tariff wall? Is the tariff wall sacrosanct? Is it more sacred than the Constitution? Is it more sacred than the welfare of the people? Why not let the people have the benefit of the protection from an article he wrote in the summer of 1934. He said this article was written in cool deliberation, a year and a half before, the Court's decision was rendered, and might be quoted with propriety. And here is the quotation which Secretary Wallace read: "I would not mind seeing the processing tax and acreage control abolished in 1936 if we have something better to take its place. But unless we have built up greatly increased foreign purchasing power by reducing tariffs, or unless we start loaning money outside the United States to enable foreign nations to buy our surplus, I am afraid that dropping the processing tax and acreage control in 1936 would result in the ordinary run of weather in a repetition within a few years of the 1932 situation. In saying this I do not mean that if we have for the first year or two after the removal of the processing taxes, the result might seem quite happy, indeed. In the case of a product like hogs, I would anticipate that a sudden removal of the processing tax might result in some increase in cash prices. If this comes at the same time that there is a reduced production resulting from the previous production control, the outcome would be most unfortunate. Farmers to say, 'Isn't it fine without that processing tax? Look how much better off we are without it!' It is exceedingly important now to weigh all the possible substitutes for processing tax. If no substitute is provided, and foreign purchasing power has not been increased by reduced tariffs, I am very much afraid that farm product prices within three years will be down again to a level where they will buy only half as much city products as they should buy in order to give this country a balanced prosperity. No one wants a repetition of 1932."

In the matter of cotton, Mr. Wallace has expressed opinions even more pertinent to the present situation than the above quotation. In the above quotation he says in effect that if the processing tax and production control are to be abandoned, it will be necessary to reduce the tariff to prevent a repetition of the conditions of 1932. But with respect to cotton, he has said that tariff revision will be necessary, even though control continues. He said in an address in the magazine, Foreign Affairs, last summer, Mr. Wallace had the following to say of the cotton program: "The program thus far has worked unusually well, but the difficult time is now approaching, not because of any particular shortcomings in the cotton program itself, but because of the fact that the United States is a creditor nation with a high tariff, isolation, and a belief that it can hold on to a large volume of exports in spite of high tariffs and its creditor position. . . . Dooking to the future, the United States must make an effort to understand the necessity of a continuing adjustment between the needs of its export industries and the development of increased imports." It was in that article that Mr. Wallace made the striking remark that "the United States has continually proposed a game of the international poker game by the simple procedure of buying more chips and fattening the pot." And he pointed out that this sort of thing can not go on forever. "The showdown is coming," he said, "and cotton will typify the situation better than any other commodity because it is our greatest single export." Let it be understood that Mr. Wallace in saying all this was assuming that there would be no legal obstacles to prevent continuing the program of production control financed by a processing tax. What is to be said now, when the program which had worked "unusually well," but was approaching a more difficult time, has been knocked out entirely by a decision of the United State Supreme Court? What Mr. Wallace said in effect last summer was that even though it should be possible to continue the program, it would become absolutely necessary to get the tariff down. How much truer must this be today, when it is no longer to continue the program and when search is being made for a basis for a new program?

The farmer's tariff is what gentlemen have been calling the processing tax as a means of paying benefits under the cotton program. When the processing tax was attacked in the courts, there was even talk about bringing suit to attack the constitutionality of the protective tariff. Five months ago, Mr. H. O. Lucas, President of the Texas Agricultural Association, and Mr. W. H. Stovall, Mississippi planter, were in Washington giving out interviews to the Associated Press about the fight they were going to make on the tariff in the courts, if the fight on the processing tax continued. Discussing their move at the time, in our issue of August 3rd, 1935, we said: "What Mr. Lucas and Mr. Stovall seem to be chiefly concerned about just now is to preserve the processing tax by threatening the tariff. We think they will discover that they cannot seriously threaten the tariff in the courts, that the only place they can seriously threaten the tariff is in Congress. Well, suppose the Supreme Court should declare the processing tax unconstitutional and then uphold the constitutionality of the tariff, what will be their course then? Will they then take the fight on the tariff to Congress and to the people?" This becomes a pertinent question now, a very pertinent question. The farm leaders are meeting again in Washington at this writing for the purpose of working out a new program for agriculture, including cotton, one that will be constitutional. We readily admit that the immediate task is to find some temporary plan to apply before the next planting season is upon us. And we think such a plan will be worked out. But meantime, is there to be a move by the farm leaders against the tariff, which is the chief cause of agriculture's troubles?

Obstructionists come in for a full share of Secretary Wallace's criticism in an address before the assembled farm leaders at Washington, according to the dispatches. "The time has come," he said, "for those who believe that the balanced welfare of agriculture is essential to the general welfare to speak plainly about obstructionists. I am sure that most business men and consumers are friendly to the farmer, but there are certain small but powerful groups who have steadily fought all efforts on the part of this Government and preceding Governments to extend even a modest aid to agricultural welfare, as it relates to the general welfare. Hope and believe the present decision means the end of all effective governmental interest in the farm problem. Others are willing to buy the farmers off temporarily with unsound measures. A familiar method of opposition is to split the farm groups among themselves. Wherever the obstructionists to the future welfare of agriculture and the nation may be found, no matter how openly or how obscurely they may burrow in the service of special interests and outworn principles, they ought to be challenged." Secretary Wallace said that in drawing up any new agricultural program it is exceedingly important, sooner or later, to be in a position to convince the consuming population that the program is not merely for agricultural welfare, but also in the interest of the general welfare. "No agricultural program, I hope, will be sponsored by this group," he said, "which means scarcity to the consumer." All of which is well taken. But we feel impelled to remark that the greatest obstructionists in the way of real progress toward stable and lasting farm prosperity are the supporters of the high tariff system of the United States. And the next in line are those who are indifferent to the tariff, and who spend their time devising all kinds of impracticable schemes to deal with the evil effects of the high tariff system on the welfare of the farmers. Moreover, it is in order to remark also that the one program which will not mean scarcity for the consumer, but on the contrary will mean abundance for all, is the program of real tariff revision downward.

The Republicans, in any event, have not been very vocal about the Supreme Court's decision, evidently recognizing fully the political dynamite in the situation which it has created. An obvious answer to any thing they might say just now is that if they have a better plan than that which the administration has been following, and a constitutional plan, the time to bring it forward is right now, when it may be pushed into the breach created by the invalidation of the AAA, and not wait to use it for campaign material. Secretary Wallace warned the farm leaders Friday against the activities of those "who are more interested in the welfare of a particular political party than the welfare of the farmers." Nevertheless, we are certain that he would welcome practicable suggestions from any quarter, and give full credit where credit is due for helpful effort. However, one program which the Republicans will not suggest is that which Secretary Wallace himself has so frequently put forward—that of tariff revision. There are few Republican leaders, like former Governor Lowden, for example, who recognize that trade barriers must come down before world trade can be fully restored, and that world trade must be restored before stable and lasting prosperity can be brought to the American farmers. But these are conspicuous by their very scarcity and they do not represent the dominant view among the Republicans. The great bulk of Republican leaders, especially those in the two houses of Congress, take the same view of the tariff which impelled them to vote for the Hawley-Smoot monstrosity. They say "The time has come," he said, "for those who believe that the balanced welfare of agriculture is essential to the general welfare to speak plainly about obstructionists. I am sure that most business men and consumers are friendly to the farmer, but there are certain small but powerful groups who have steadily fought all efforts on the part of this Government and preceding Governments to extend even a modest aid to agricultural welfare, as it relates to the general welfare. Hope and believe the present decision means the end of all effective governmental interest in the farm problem. Others are willing to buy the farmers off temporarily with unsound measures. A familiar method of opposition is to split the farm groups among themselves. Wherever the obstructionists to the future welfare of agriculture and the nation may be found, no matter how openly or how obscurely they may burrow in the service of special interests and outworn principles, they ought to be challenged." Secretary Wallace said that in drawing up any new agricultural program it is exceedingly important, sooner or later, to be in a position to convince the consuming population that the program is not merely for agricultural welfare, but also in the interest of the general welfare. "No agricultural program, I hope, will be sponsored by this group," he said, "which means scarcity to the consumer." All of which is well taken. But we feel impelled to remark that the greatest obstructionists in the way of real progress toward stable and lasting farm prosperity are the supporters of the high tariff system of the United States. And the next in line are those who are indifferent to the tariff, and who spend their time devising all kinds of impracticable schemes to deal with the evil effects of the high tariff system on the welfare of the farmers. Moreover, it is in order to remark also that the one program which will not mean scarcity for the consumer, but on the contrary will mean abundance for all, is the program of real tariff revision downward.

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EDUCATION IN THE MOVIES

Ever since motion pictures were first shown, there has been a great deal of talk about their "education al value." To many well-meaning persons, "education" means "something they teach you in school," and the very word is, therefore, repulsive. That is why most efforts to produce and present pictures bearing the "educational" label have been failures. People don't go to the show to be educated; they go to be entertained.

But what after all, is education? Is it not the wide knowledge of history, of manners and customs, of the world and its people, which the motion pictures of these days are so increasingly giving everybody? The movie is proof that education can be entertaining.

Probably nobody would have gone to see a movie based on Carlyle's "History of the French Revolution, but how many millions have seen the films of Dickens' "Tale of Two Cities" and the Baroness Orczy's "Scarlet Pimpernel?" And who shall say that they have not absorbed all the history of that crisis in human affairs that anyone needs to know? They have been educated without realizing it.

Charles Laughton's "Henry the Eighth" gave even students of English history a new and realistic appreciation of "Great Harry," his times and his determination to free England from foreign domination. And the list of such pictures might be extended indefinitely.

As for travel, is there an American of any age who does not know all about the native customs of the Island of Bali, or felt the allure of the South Sea islands? There is no interesting part of the globe to which we cannot travel, while sitting in our comfortable theater seats, thanks to the films made in connection with applications for land bank loans, and the advantages of these credit institutions. He also commented upon this important part which the cooperative farmer-owned national farm loan associations play in the successful operation of the Federal farm loan system, and emphasized the fact that the Farm Credit Administration units offered the many types of credit needed by agriculture.

"Farmers generally should familiarize themselves with the types of loans available through these institutions, with the view of developing cooperative credit centers where deserving borrowers may secure both long and short term credit according to their needs," said Mr. Williams.

The Garwood National Farm Loan Association has helped more than 28 farmers and stockmen of Colorado and Wharton counties refinance their indebtedness on a sound basis. Since the creation of the Farm Credit Administration in May, 1933, this association has made land bank and commissioner loans in its territory amounting to $9,900.00 and totaling loans of $115,730.00.

Rock Island Items

Stanley Voorhees and family stopped over for a visit with Mrs. H. F. Carter, en route from their home in Rushville, N. Y., to spend the winter in the valley.

Miss Loetta Wilcox has returned to her home in Rock Island from an extended visit in Houston.

Bud Speck, who moved to Poteet one year ago, has moved on the Gordy farm, which was just vacated by James Teer.

Mr. Huggins, division Supt. of the S. A. & A. P. railroad, accompanied by Mr. MacMahon, was a business visitor to Rock Island Monday. Mr. R. E. Maze, the local agent, drove the visitors to the new well ten miles south of here, to make arrangements of the installation of leading facilities at Rock Island.

The partnership of John Baxter and W. H. Carson has been disolved, effective January 15th. Mr. Carson has moved into the Carson home temporarily.

Mrs. Chas. Baxter of Houston spent the week-end visiting her parents, the Hudsons.

John Hunt went to LaPorte Wednesday to visit his son.

Gilbert Baker went to Houston Wednesday with a truck load of poultry.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hahn of El Campo spent Sunday visiting in the city, guests at the home of their daughter, Mrs. C. M. George.

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NEW PACK SWEET Corn, 2 No 2 Cans 15c
NEW PHANTOM Kotex, 3 boxes 49c
CALUMET BAKING Powder, lb can 20c
Lettuce, 3 heads 10c
NO. 1 COLORADO Potatoes, 10 lbs 18c
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FULL PACK Tomatoes 6 No 1 cans 25c
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GARWOOD NATIONAL FARM LOAN ASSOCIATION HOLDS ANNUAL MEET

"The annual meeting of the Garwood National Farm Loan Association held at Garwood Tuesday, was one of the best meetings in the history of the association.

J. T. Pinchback, W. K. Lehrer, H. W. Huvar, F. J. Bouska and P. W. Goodell, all of Garwood, were elected directors of the association for the ensuing year Mr. Goodell was re-elected secretary-treasurer for 1936.

A feature of the meeting was a radio address by A. C. Williams, president of the Federal Land Bank of Houston, who spoke to the members of the 365 national farm loan associations in Texas who were attending similar meetings in cities and towns all over Texas at the same hour. The address was made possible through co-operation of the major radio broadcasting stations making up the Texas Quality Network.

Mr. Williams explained the types of credit available through the units of the Farm Credit Association, the basis upon which approval is made in connection with applications for land bank loans, and the advantages of these credit institutions. He also commented upon the important part which the cooperative farmer-owned national farm loan associations play in the successful operation of the Federal farm loan system, and emphasized the fact that the Farm Credit Administration units offered the many types of credit needed by agriculture.

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Chesterville News

Mr. and Mrs. Hey Crow and son of Nottawa have moved to the Anderson brothers' farm. Mr. Crow will work for them this year.

Mrs. Roy Winnett and mother, Mrs. Jim Crow and sister-in-law, Mrs. Bill Crow and Mrs. Hey Crow of near Chesterville called on Mrs. R. L. Graves last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Winnett is very anxious to start a Sunday school here. Vera Graves has Sunday school every Sunday morning, holding the service with her little sister, Mary Irene. She sings all of the songs she knows and says her prayers. Jesus said, "Suffer little children to come unto me and forbid them not, for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven."

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Clark and Norman of Sweet Home have been visiting here and at Eagle Lake. Miss Eleanor has been with her cousin, Mrs. Cordell Austin. Mr. and Mrs. Clark and Norman have been staying with their sister-in-law, Mrs. M. E. Larsen and son, Jack, in Eagle Lake. While in Chesterville, Mr. and Mrs. Clark spent Saturday and Sunday a week ago with Mr. and Mrs. Medsker and last Friday night they stayed with Mr. and Mrs. Tubbs. Mrs. Clark spent Saturday with Mrs. Chas. P. and Mrs. Russell A. Sallsday. Everyone was delighted to see this good family again. When they lived here, they were loved by all. We sincerely hope they will move back into this locality.

Saturday, Mr. Clark, John, and Jack Larsen and Norman Clark motored to Hempstead, where John took a load of feed.

Mrs. Fred Derison and young folks and her brother, Selman, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Selph, and young folks were in Eagle Lake Saturday night and later attended the dance here. On Sunday, they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lansing Ingram, east of town.

"Jiggs" Graves was in Eagle Lake Saturday night and attended the picture show.

Mrs. Lena Austin and Miss Pearl Duke of Eagle Lake spent Monday with Mrs. R. L. Graves.

Sheridan Items

Mrs. Louise B. Griggs.

Mark Sevier was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. A. M. Lundquist and family at Coulter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Reese of Sublime motored here Thursday to visit Mrs. Laura Selph.

Tom Eaton has returned here for an indefinite stay.

Miss May McCrary, county demonstration agent, received a cordial welcome here Tuesday. She spent the day in Sheridan in interest of the new clubs she will soon organize.

Mrs. Laura Selph and Miss Amanda Fuller spent Tuesday in Eagle Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Criswell and family drove to Eagle Lake Monday evening to see the Will Rogers picture.

Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Griggs motored to Columbus and Eagle Lake Monday.

Mentz News

(By Mrs. O. J. Class)

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Gaddy and son, Willard, have house guests this week from Illinois, Abilene and the Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Class and son had as their guests for supper Saturday night, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Heinecke of Bernardo, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Helfrich and Edward, Mrs. W. J. Braden and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Gloger of Mentz, the occasion being the sixth birthday of J. W. son of Mr. and Mrs. Class.

Mrs. Ed Miller and Cyril Gloger were Houston visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Meartz and baby and Mrs. Hodge visited Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Glueck at Bachelor Hill Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Class and Mildred Braden visited Adam Ritter in the Sealy hospital Sunday evening.

George Class, Sr., of near Eagle Lake, visited Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Class and son Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Wendel and family of Jones Creek spent Sunday in Mentz with relatives.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

"Life" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, January 19.

The Golden Text is: "This is the record, that God hath given to us eternal life, and this life is in his Son." (1 John 5:11).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? the Lord is the strength of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?" (Psalms 27:1).

The Lesson-Sermon includes also the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Life is without beginning and without end. Eternity, not time, expresses the thought of Life, and time is no part of eternity. . . . Life is the everlasting I AM, the Being who was and is and shall be, whom nothing can erase" (pages 199 and 250).

R. A. Walker, who is a Houston representative of Eaton and Horton, is confined to his home here by illness. He came out Monday night with his son, William, who returned the next morning.

Mrs. Will Cook of Newgulf spent Wednesday in Eagle Lake, visiting her mother, Mrs. A. H. Seybolm.

NATIONAL FARM LEADERS UNITE ON SEVEN-POINT FARM PROGRAM

Never in history have national farm leaders united so harmoniously in a declaration of a protective policy for agriculture as in the national farm conference in Washington January 10-11, according to reports received here from Texas farmers attending.

A seven-point platform embodying the guiding principles for building a new farm program was unanimously adopted.

Representatives of the Texas Agricultural Association and Texas Cooperative Council present at the conference declare that a new farm program can be framed that will protect farmers and at the same time meet the requirements of the Supreme Court decision.

"Whether such a program is enacted into law will depend on farmer sentiment," according to H. O. Lucas, president of the Texas Agricultural Association. "Business men should join farmers in demanding legislation to safeguard the gains to business and labor from the old AAA program.

"Farmers seek no selfish advantage for themselves, but demand protection from the damaging effects of the tariff. A fair deal for farmers means continued good business for everybody," he states.

Texas was represented at the conference by Lucas, C. H. Day, Plainview, J. R. McCrary, president of the Texas Cooperative Council, Calvert, C. H. Matthews, Eagle Lake, V. R. Marshall, Hedenheimer, Hayden Perry, Robstown, L. F. Maybugh, director of the National Grain Corporation, Kress, and Lamar C. Trousdale, American Rice Growers' Association, Houston.

The platform adopted by the conference includes seven points, abbreviated as follows:

(1) Rental of surplus lands by Secretary of Agriculture to conserve the soil, suggested rentals to be based on percentage of total cultivated acres where practicable, otherwise on basis of either volume production or combined acreage and volume production.

(2) That Congress provide adequate funds for such program.

(3) That reasonable taxes be levied on livestock and dairy products whenever approved by producers for purpose of expanding foreign and domestic outlets for these products in a manner to be profitable to producer.

(4) That all valid parts of AAA be retained and strengthened. This refers to marketing agreements and the use of 30 percent of import duties for expansion of foreign and domestic markets of farm products.

(5) That all farm products coming into hands of government through this program be sold or distributed wherever possible through cooperatives.

(6) That the American market be preserved for American farmers, and foreign markets be expanded for surpluses.

(7) That all farmers unite on the single problem of an adequate substitute for AAA, leaving other important agricultural legislation for later consideration.

Proposed Legislation Threatens Welfare of the South.

"The future of the cotton south is threatened again by a revival of national and state legislation that discriminates against the products of the cotton farmer," said J. R. McCrary, prominent plantation owner, President of The Texas Co-operative Council and the Brazos Valley Cotton Cooperative Association, Director and Member of Executive Committee of American Cotton Co-operative Association, Director of East Texas Chamber of Commerce, and member of Texas Cotton Committee, in an interview at Dallas.

"Certain Washington lobbyists, posing as representatives of the dairy industry, have begun a move against cottonseed oil as a food product, and unless cotton growers unite to defend this product of their's against unjust and discriminatory legislation, these lobbyists will succeed in having it classified as an insignificant by-product of Southern Farms and will have it driven out of all important food markets," said McCrary.

Mr. McCrary went on to say: "Cottonseed is the South's second most important money crop. It has an annual value of $150,000,000 if the full food value of cottonseed oil is utilized. Since cottonseed oil represents 40 of the value of cottonseed, it is important to every cotton grower to see that it goes into the best food products. They must rise up in indignation when any group tries to drive it out of the food markets. We have lost some of our foreign markets for lint cotton, we cannot afford to lose markets for other products. Surely cotton producers will not sit idly by and see the domestic market for cottonseed oil destroyed by a selfish group in the alleged interest of another agricultural commodity. Certainly the cotton farmer is entitled to as much consideration as any other type of farmer.

Cottonseed oil, when used in the manufacture of any food product, has demonstrated its desirability as an excellent vegetable oil of the very highest food value. Cottonseed oil shortening, margarine and salad oils have gained a fine and enviable reputation in the food markets of the world. The industries manufacturing these products furnish a market for nearly all our cotton seed. If legislation calculated to destroy any of these industries is passed it will have the effect of immediately destroying part of our market for cottonseed, and, if carried far enough, will destroy the entire market.

"A bill has been introduced in the Federal Congress by Congressman Gerald J. Boileau, of Wisconsin, known as H. R. 9865 taxing all margarine sold in this country 5c per pound," continued McCrary. "This law is sponsored by selfish interests who seek by this un-American legislation to do one of two things: Put the margarine industry out of business so as to eliminate its competition in the table spread field, or assess a penalty of 5c per pound on every consumer who exercises his right as a free born American citizen to buy margarine instead of butter. Cotton growers have lathered the value of markets for their products. They must resist any move calculated to destroy their markets or penalize any consumer who uses the things which they produce. With the curtailment of our cotton crop we must sell our cottonseed for the highest possible price. Any group which undertakes to prevent us from doing so will find that we know how to defend our rights.

"Cottonseed oil margarine is gaining in popularity every day because of its excellence. The American housewife is finding it very helpful in providing wholesome, healthful, inexpensive food for her family, adjusted to a reduced income. The margarine industry offers a potential outlet for 250,000,000 to 400,000,000 pounds of cottonseed oil a year. We must not let any group destroy this market, which we need so badly, or this product. If we do so their next move will be against cottonseed oil shortening and if both of these outlets are closed out of business, it will cost the cotton growers of the South untold millions of dollars annually.

"Cotton growers of the South claim a right as American citizens to be unpolitically unanimous for all the products of their farms," Mr. McCrary concluded: "The markets of the South are wide open to American farmers. It will be very regrettable if any agricultural group is induced to approve the proposed legislation. The cotton growers are not as well organized as other agricultural groups; they maintain no powerful lobby, but they are not asleep and will unite in applying the most effective means possible against any State or National legislation that in any way penalizes or discriminates against their products."

Garwood Gatherings

Mrs. Felton Ramsem and little daughter, Jo Jane, of Kerrville, spent Tuesday and Wednesday at the Priesmeyer home.

Miss Esther Boenisch was taken to the Rosenberg hospital Wednesday.

Mrs. E. J. Konescheck and Mr. and Mrs. Clement Richter visited at the Griffith home Sunday. Miss Irene Richter accompanied them to El Campo and Rosenberg Sunday afternoon.

Edward and Miss Alice Priesmeyer spent Wednesday in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harrison and baby of Houston spent Sunday in Garwood with Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Schilling.

Mrs. Sam Cooper and son, Ike, sell of Rock Island, visited Mrs. E. F. Grech Saturday.

Friends extend sympathy to Mrs. J. E. Coffell in the death of her mother, who passed away at her home in Kansas Sunday.

Arthur Abell was agreeably surprised on Monday night by a number of friends, the occasion being his birthday anniversary. Games of 42 were enjoyed and later, refreshments of pimento cheese sandwiches, pickles, buttef scotch slices and hot chocolate were serve. Those present other than the Abell family included Misses Josie Pinchback, Alice Priesmeyer, Ella Schiurring, Thelma Hughes, Messrs. Bill Arnold, Howard Harry, Noah Coffell, Delbo Schulte of Glen Flora and Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Schmeckle and Ruth Ann.

Otto, Walter and Elmer Horton of Danevang visited Garwood friends Sunday.

A. J. Kremling of Calverton made a brief visit to friends here Tuesday, en route home from a visit to his mother at Schulenburg who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Scott, Lolla Shoop, Miss Irene Hahn, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Frederickson, Jr., and Mrs. K. C. Frederickson and son and daughter were in Victoria, Tuesday, where they were present at the marriage of Miss Lorena Hahn and Louis Miller, which took place in the Lutheran church at 3 o'clock. Shortly after the marriage ceremony, they left for a wedding trip to San Antonio and New Braunfels. They expect to make their home at Victoria. Both young people are well known here. Their many friends extend congratulations.

Friends regret to learn of the illness of J. T. Chapman, cashier of the Garwood bank. He has been ill since Friday and on Monday was taken to a Houston hospital.

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Lissie Happenings

E. H. Causey made a business trip to Bay City Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Letts attended a meeting at Crescent Tuesday night. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss plans for Intersch[illegible] League work.

G. E. Cook went to Houston Tuesday.

Calvin Gertson and James Clipson moved some camp houses to Sandy Point for Mr. Leedy Tuesday and Wednesday.

The conference session opened Wednesday morning