

JUNE 9, 1949

# THE JACKSBORO GAZETTE-NEWS



The senior class of the Antelope school are on a trip into Arkansas, Missouri and Oklahoma. In the picture they are: Bottom row left to right—Delores Colbert, Varetta Harris, Delvena Jackson, Leda Garrett. Top row—Olan Ray Snider, Junior Maxey, John Prell, Arliss Jackson, and Miss Margaret Gillespie, sponsor. —Mixon Photos Studio



**All Champions:**—Champions of the three Beef Calf Divisions are pictured as they came out in the picking of Grand Champion. Each of the calves had previously won their weight classes in the Jack County Livestock Show. Right to left, Charles Felkner, Vineyard, and his Grand Champion and Medium Class winner; Mickey Maasen, Jermyn, beside the top heavy division calf; Don Shepard, Bryson, and his light division calf.

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**JANUARY 20, 1949**



**Grand Champ.**—Charles Felkner's medium weight steer was worth \$40.00 in prizes Saturday. After placing 1st in the medium class it was picked as the best calf in the Jack County Show. —Mixon Studio Photos

January 20, 1949

## *Chevrolet's 'Balanced Design' Adds Beauty and Comfort*



Progressive streamlining of the 1949 Chevrolet is in emphasis in this view of the Styleline De Luxe four-door sedan against a new Martin 202 passenger airliner. Notable in the roomier, lower cars is a balance in design that adds greater comfort and driving ease as well as smart appearance.

### 1949 CHEVROLETS ON DISPLAY SATURDAY

Chevrolet's 1949 passenger cars, completely restyled and possessing more mechanical improvements than any model within recent years, go on display at the Hull Chevrolet Co. show rooms here Saturday, January 22.

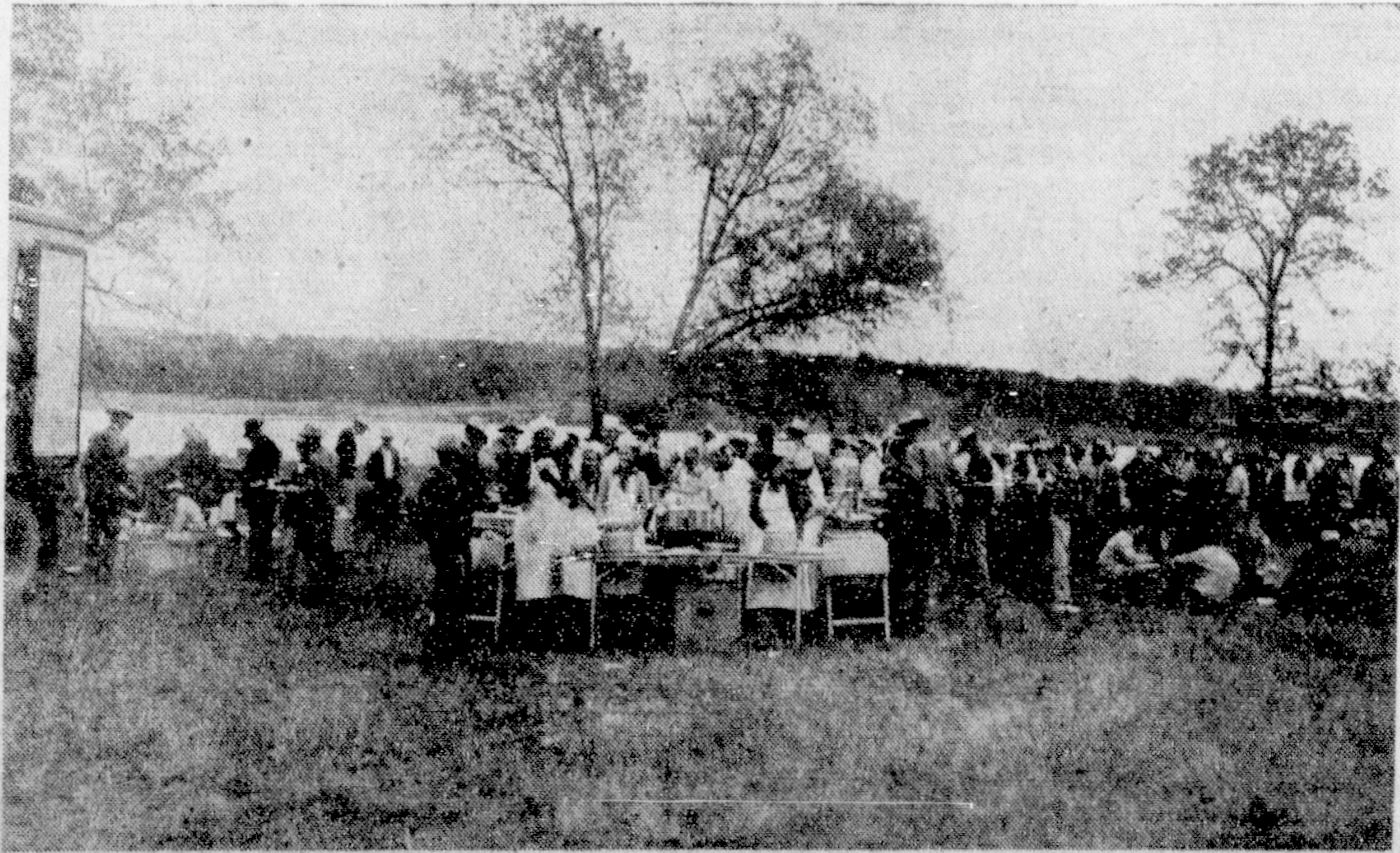


Girls in the Dress Revue, Saturday, winning top place, the four highest of the senior division and the three highest of the junior division, are shown: Left to right—Sherry Sinex, Jo Ellen White, Carol J. Jones, Jimmie L. Middleton, Kay Williams, Jo Alice Cannon and Ann Mitchell. —Mixon Studio Photos.

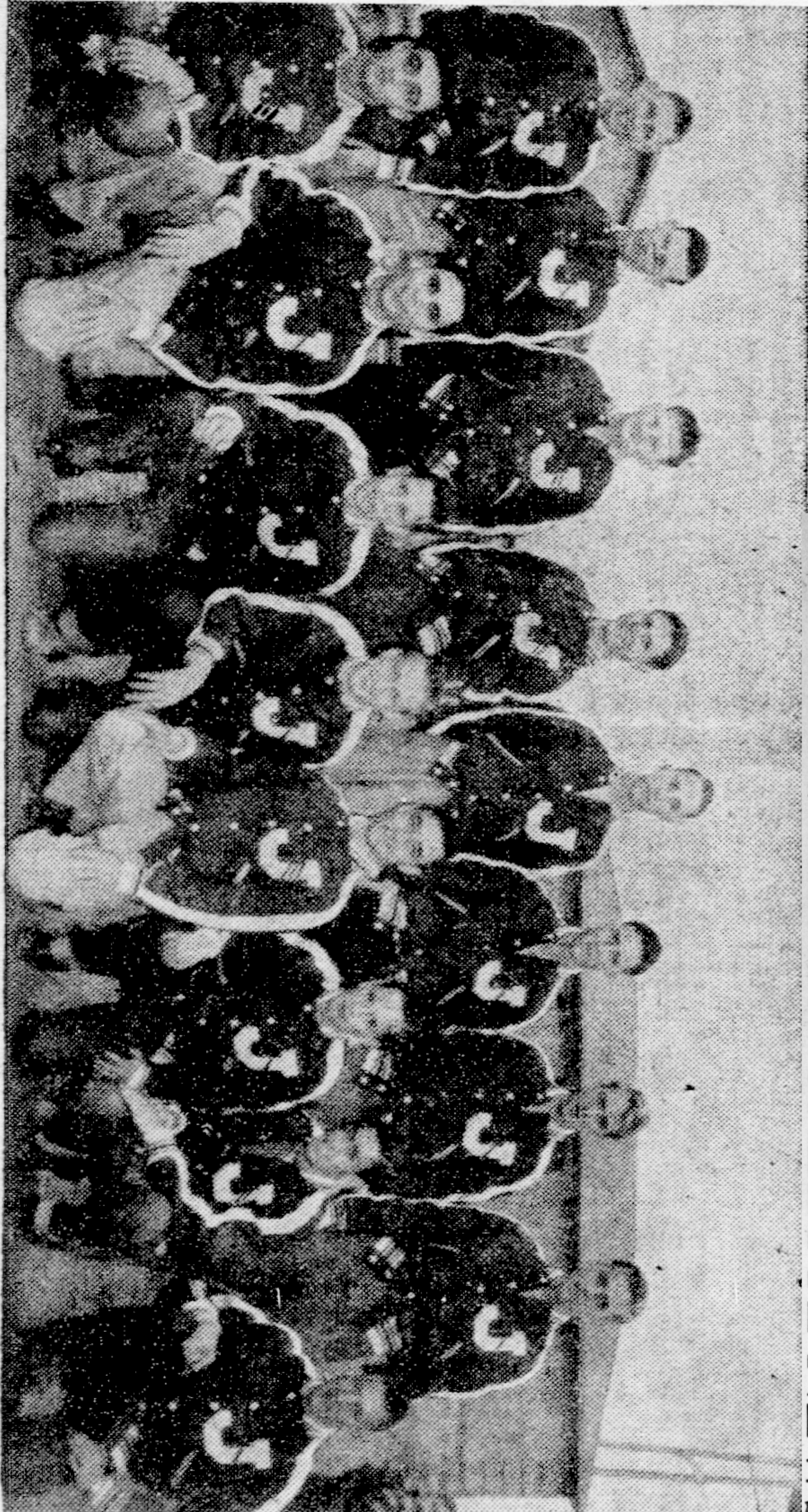


Miss Elizabeth Henderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Henderson, ranchers, will be the sponsor for the Jack County Day at the Fat Stock Show this Saturday, Feb. 5th. She is president of two clubs, the Future Homemakers and the Camera Club, and until recently was president of the Canteen; chairman of the Students Council; secretary of the Keen Age Book Club and of the Future Business Leaders of America; typist on the school yearbook staff; member of the Press Club and of the International Relations Club, and is on the Volleyball squad. —Mixon Studio Photo.

NOVEMBER 3, 1949 THE JACKSBORO GAZETTE-NEWS  
Dinner Was Served While The Airforce Band Played On



Over 1200 people attended the Agricultural Field Day and dedication of the Howard Creek Reservoir last Thursday. Upon arriving at the reservoir the guests were served a barbecue dinner by the Jaton Service of Fort Worth. The Carswell Airforce band furnished music during lunchtime. Photos courtesy Soil Conservation Service Publicity Section, Fort Worth.



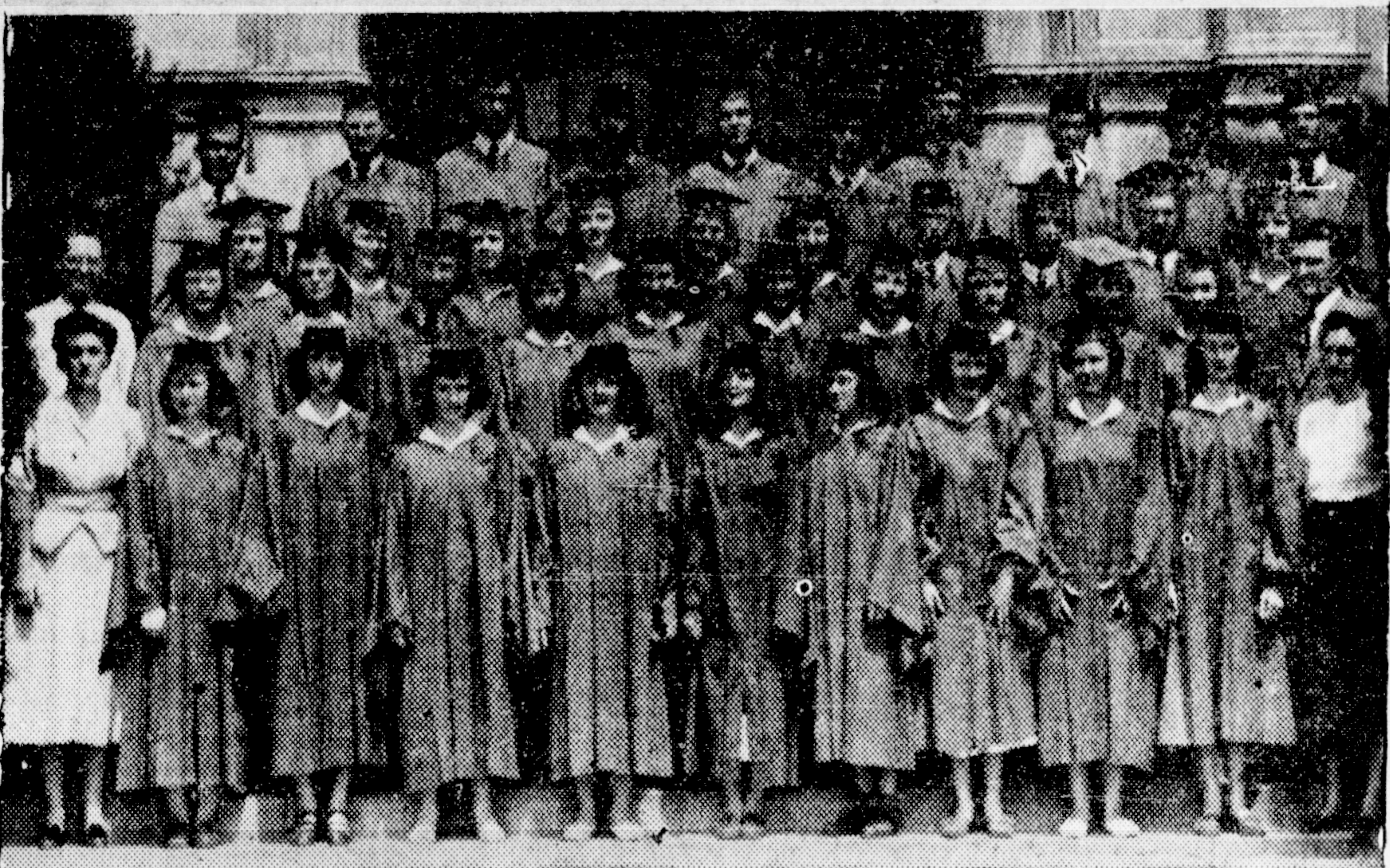
New flashy purple and white jackets mark 1948 football team members. Among those receiving—and still wearing—jackets are, from left to right—

Top row: Norman Pickett, D. L. Smith, Ed Stewart, Pat Myers, Ed Simpson, Everett Wilton, Bert Young, Billy Bob Garner.

Bottom row: John O. Oliver, Gene Shields, Clint Caldwell, George Jones, Billy Joe Oliver, Jerry Ledbetter, Lawrence Pewitt, and R. W. Patton. —Mixon Studio Photo.

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JACKSBORO, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MAY 26, 1949



**CLASS — Jacksboro High School Graduates**—Bottom Row, (left to right): Mrs. Martha Green (sponsor), Helen Little, Barbara Crum, Bessie Ruth Peterson, Mozelle Turner, Nancy Snyder, Edna Rose Hobson (valedictorian), Elizabeth Henderson, Helen Baker, Helen Isaacs, Miss Venita Briley (sponsor),  
Second Row: Mr. John Henderson (principal), Peggy Brantley, Dalphine Geer, James Singleton, Betty Via, Ann Swetnam, Billy Jean Weaver, Billy Jean Porter, Anna Belle Whitsitt, Gloria Weatherford, Jean Lail, Mr. J. B. Sharp (superintendent).  
Third Row: Aldie Marie Graves, Gaye Gaskin, Shirley Nunley, Onita Farris, Ula Dean Koone, Inez Hammer, Jimmy Teague, Lawrence Pewitt, James Spiller, Mary Sue Wood.  
Top Row: Joe Callaway, Ed Henry Stewart, Earl Ed Simpson (salutatorian), Clinton Easter, Robert Hamilton, Cliffort Morrow, Elzie Lewis, Patrick Myers, Steve Tilghman, Donald Beshear.

—Mixon Studio Photos.



# Water Engineers OK Lake, Clearing To Start

MAY 12, 1949

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The Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas approved Jacksboro's application for building a reservoir on Los Creek Monday. Homer Hunter, contracting engineer for the project presented the application for the City.

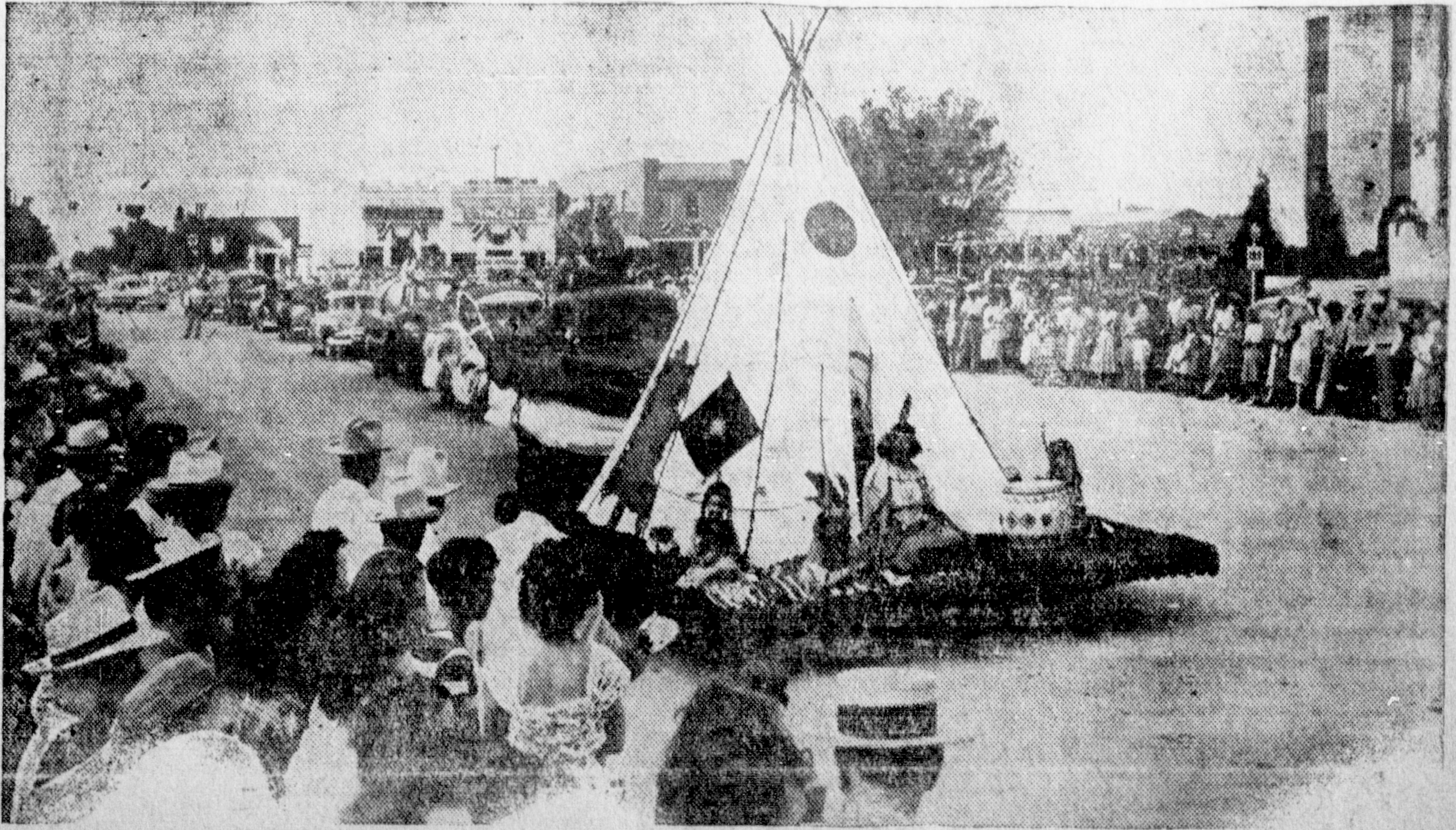
The approval will permit the City to appropriate water from Los Creek not to exceed 750 acre-feet per year by impounding 1,600 acre-feet of water for municipal water supply.

Mafor A. F. Little, Commissioners Leroy Henderson and Raymond Thompson, and C. of C. Manager A. A. Files attended the board meeting at Austin.

Bids on clearing land for the lake were received by the City Commission Wednesday.

Atchley & Fits of Olney turned in the low bid of \$4,985.00, and will begin work in ten or fifteen days.

Five companies submitted bids on the land clearing. Bids ranged up to \$17,640.00.



JACKSBORO'S BIGGEST PARADE—Some 10,000 people gathered Friday for one of the biggest parades in Jacksboro's history. The float in the foreground, sponsored by Jack County Truck and Tractor Co., won second place in the parade contest. The parade was one of the highlights of the Warren Wagon Train Massacre re-enactment. Another parade was held Saturday. — Wichita Falls Daily Times Photo.

# Jacksboro Schools Open Tuesday

## Perrin, Bryson, Antelope Schools To Begin New Term Monday, Sept. 5

The Jacksboro schools will officially open Sept. 6th, with possibly the heaviest enrollment according to the census enumeration, consolidations, and transfers. There are approximately 1,000 students in the school district. The teaching personnel will consist of 35 members and are listed as follows:

### Elementary School—

Howard Elenburg, Principal; Eliazabeth Clark, Avril Sartain, Edna Shields, Chrystine Boley, Edith Faires, Mary Ham, Ruth Callaway, Donna Faver, Dorothy Reagan, Neva Henderson, Cassie Isaacs, Ola Ady, Catherine Murphy, Alice Evans, Ava Elenburg, Jewell Moore. Nina Hulsey.

Roy Hensley, full-time band director.

### High School—

John Henderson, Principal; Ruth Whitaker, Stella Sharp, Mary Porter, Venita Briley, Mary Shown, LaVerne Ogle, Bernice Hill, Gus Bierman, Amos Turner, Evelyn Brammer, Ralph Faver.

### Colored School—

Linnie Shelton.

Superintendent of Schools, J. B. Sharp.

Two teachers will be employed some time this week.

School buses will be on regular schedule on Tuesday morning and will return by noon, since there will be no classes on this day. Textbooks will be issued and assignments made for the coming day. The classes will start at 9 a. m. and dismiss at 3:40 p. m. just as during the past school year.

The school cafeteria will reopen on Wednesday, Sept. 7, for regular operation with charges of 20 cents per person.

### School Improvements—

Several improvements have been made during the summer months on the grounds and buildings. A new roof has been put on the high school building and concrete walks leading out the north entrance. Shelves are being installed in the high school library and new tables and chairs will be used this year.

Concrete walks have been laid completely around the new elementary school building, metal lockers have been installed in each of the class

rooms and some new equipment has been added to the library.

An addition has been made to the colored school, and the entire school building has new paint. Playground equipment will be delivered soon for both the white and colored schools.

The football stadium has recently been painted and at present a concrete tile bus building is under construction which will accommodate ten buses.

The Jacksboro vs. Masonic Home football game will be Friday, Sept. 9, on the local field. Get your tickets now.

Schools over the county opening Sept. 5th, are Bryson, Jermyn, Perrin, Wizard Wells and Antelope.

Opening Tuesday, Sept. 6th, Jacksboro schools.

Opening Sept. 12th, Newport.

# Barton Chapel, Post Oak, Jacksboro Schools Vote On Consolidation

The schools consolidation election of the Post Oak and Keechi school districts with Jacksboro Independent District will be held Wednesday, Oct. 5.

The election polls will be at Jacksboro high school, Keechi (Barton Chapel), and at Post Oak.

The consolidation must be approved by votes in the two districts and Jacksboro to become effective.

The north part of the Post Oak school was recently annexed to the Midway, Clay County, school district.

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SEPTEMBER 29, 1949

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ALL FINISHED—Final touches have been applied and detour signs removed on South Main. The new, wide, curbed street, as seen from the Square, gives Highways 201 and 199 the best city entrance road in north Texas. —Mixon Studio Photo

**BUYS GWALTNEY STORE**

Ed Morris has bought the Gwaltney Hardware Store and is operating it under the name of Jacksboro Furniture and Hardware Store.

Mrs. Morris will join him here Sept. 1st. Both were teachers and young people's directors in the Free Will Baptist Church at Bryan, where they were in the same business as here. They want to meet all the people of the county.

The store is being re-arranged for new lines coming in.

