

Stock Show Features Good Quality

Parmer Wheat Prospects In Balance

Christian Takes Cup For 4-H Production

Wendol Christian, of the Oklahoma Lane community, added more to his 4-H club work laurels the past week by winning the cup for best club boy dairy production during 1943, at the Plainview Dairy Show.

Agent Garlon A. Harper, in making the report, stated that Christian had an outstanding production record and was highly commended by officials and visitors at the show.

In addition, the club boy entered one of his Jersey heifers, which placed second in production and then took third place for his showmanship ability at the exhibition.

W. M. Donaldson, also of Oklahoma Lane, took 3rd 9th, and 10th places in one class of Jersey heifers; while John R. Hadley, of near Texico, placed animals at the show as follows: 9th in female calves between Oct. 1, 1942 and March 31, 1943; sixth on females calved between April 1, 1943 and Dec 31, 1943; and sixth on bulls calved before April 1, 1943.

Stock is Purchased

At a dispersal sale of registered Jersey stock, belonging to Sid Paine, some eight animals were purchased by Parmer County dairymen. Billy Joe Foster acquired four cows in production and two heifers, and Tom Foster bought two cows.

Speaking of the show today, the county agent stated that the largest entry list and some of the best quality stock ever shown at Plainview was on exhibit there last week with competition exceedingly close.

State Line Singers Meet Here Sunday

The State Line Singing Convention, comprising the counties of Parmer and Bailey in Texas, and Curry and Roosevelt in New Mexico, will hold its annual convention at the high school in Farwell on Sunday, April 23, it was announced here today by S. E. Morris, official of the convention.

In making the announcement, Mr. Morris extended a cordial invitation to everyone to be present. Contrary to the usual custom of spreading a basket dinner at the scene of the convention, Mr. Morris states that this feature will not be carried out this year, and advises attendants to "bring a sandwich and spend the day".

Destructive Coyotes Proving Real Menace

Increased packs of coyotes are proving a real menace to the poultry raisers in this section, it is reported by farmers this week. More coyotes are being reported than in the memory of long-time residents.

They are preying on the poultry flocks of the county to such an extent that some farmers are reporting large losses among chickens and turkeys.

The increased number of coyotes is believed to be the result of insufficient ammunition to combat the beasts. They are reported exceeding numerous south of this city, where, it is believed, they have migrated from their breeding haunts in the sandhill section farther on to the south.

While the coyotes are dealing sudden death to the poultry flocks on the south, the swift fox are being reported in increasing numbers to the north of here and they, too, are making serious inroads on poultry.

SEVEN ADDITIONS

Seven new members were added to the Texico-Farwell Baptist Church as the visible results of the revival meeting, which came to a close on Sunday night, it was announced by Rev. W. C. Wright, pastor.

The preaching was done by Rev. R. L. Jenkins of Friona.

Fifty five million dollars worth of Texas farm products were sold by farmers during February, or 9 per cent more than in February, 1943.

Mercury Tumbles Here Monday

The mercury took a tumble here Monday night to sub-freezing readings, to blast what little hope had been entertained for any fruit this year.

Readings of 20 to 26 were reported by local residents, and moderately thick coatings of ice were in evidence early Monday.

Little hope is held for fruit this year, including cherries, which were in full bloom.

Association Cancels Meeting This Spring

The West Texas Judges and Commissioners Association will have no spring meeting this year, it was announced here today by County Judge Lee Thompson, president of the association.

Judge Thompson said that this decision was reached after contacting a number of the members, who expressed the opinion that it would be better to cancel the spring meeting and make plans for a bigger meeting in the fall.

Gasoline and tire rationing, combined with the shortage of labor on the farms, was given as the main reason for calling off the spring session. Judge Thompson explained that for the most part, the county commissioner members of the association were farmers, and they felt it impractical to leave their work at this season for an association meeting.

The selection of the convention city and the date of the spring meeting had not been definitely set by the executive committee, Judge Thompson said.

Plan To Have Hatch Address Mens Club

Plans are on foot to have United States Senator Carl Hatch, of Clovis, address the local Mens Club when it meets in its regular monthly session on Thursday evening of this week, Chairman C. M. Henderson of the club, announced today.

"Senator Hatch has promised me that he will be present, if he is not unexpectedly called to Washington in the meantime," Henderson said, adding that in event the distinguished visitor fails to appear "we will discuss local problems among ourselves to our mutual interests."

Local attendants are requested to bring the usual contributions for the light luncheon.

WRIST FRACTURED

Carl Noack, employed at the Farmers Supply Company, sustained a fractured wrist Monday morning while attempting to start the gas engine that operates the feed grinder. The engine backfired and resulted in the fracture.

The prospects for a wheat crop in this region this year were lessened a considerable degree early this week by high winds and accompanying cutting sand.

It may be said that the weather during the next two weeks will determine the fate of the crop. This is particularly true along the west side of Parmer County and throughout most of Curry County, N. M. Most fields along the eastern side of Parmer county, and in Deaf Smith and Castro counties have not reached that critical stage, according to reports.

Rain May Make Yields

On a 100-mile tour last Sunday afternoon, this writer saw many fields of wheat lying north of Bovina, in the Rhea section, and in western Deaf Smith county around Bootleg store, that give promise of good yields providing rain is forthcoming at an early date.

Most of the wheat in these localities was planted with sufficient underground moisture last fall. Many crops in this immediate section and to the east were not so well favored, with the result that some fields are already doomed.

Most observers agree that rain during the month of April will save a good portion of the wheat throughout most of the eastern half of Parmer County, but they are not so optimistic about the west side of the county. "A good rain right away would change the picture considerably," was the way one observer put it as he discussed the wheat prospects in the eastern side of the county.

Wind Damaging

The high winds of the past few weeks, particularly the sandstorm from the southeast of last Sunday did untold damage to Parmer county wheat fields. Farmers generally prepare their lands against the ravages of winds from the west and north, but Sunday's storm, coming from the southeast, caught them unawares and wrought damage against which no precautions had been taken.

There are literally thousands of acres of good wheat to be found from Bovina northeast to the Bootleg store, and 20 miles beyond. None of the fields have suffered for lack of moisture up to this time, but wheat men agree that the heavy growth and the high winds will tend to sap the moisture at a rapid rate and rain will be needed before long to insure a good crop.

"The old wheat is badly hurt by the dry weather, and the young wheat has been damaged by sandstorms," is the way one observer sized up the prospects in western Parmer county.

Brother Local Woman Is Killed In Action

Mrs. Henry Jacks, Texico resident, has been advised by the War Department that her brother P. B. Johnson, Jr., had been killed in action in the Italian campaign.

Young Johnson was a paratrooper and had been in foreign service for the past several months. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Johnson, Sr., of Chickasha Okla., and was unknown locally.

The best quality stock, in the opinion of men in the know, that has ever been entered at the Parmer County Fat Stock Show was on exhibit the past Friday and Saturday at Friona, when 4-H and FFA club boys entered their animals for competition.

Due to the fact that show dates conflicted with other stock shows in the area, no dairy cattle were on exhibit. The show was made up of some 50 to 75 hogs sows, and litters, County Agent Garlon Harper reports, with three beef breed bulls also entered.

Monroe May, of the Dimmitt extension office served as judge of the show, and placed the various entries on Friday afternoon. Prizes were given winners of each event.

Rector Has Champion

Floyd Rector, of Friona, took the grand champion award of the day with his sow, while the reserve champion sow was owned and exhibited by C. L. Calaway, Jr., of the Rhea community.

Judging in several classes was exceptionally difficult, officials admitted, due to the almost equal quality of the stock. Exhibited at the show were Hampshire, Berkshire and Duroc breeds.

Winners in the various divisions were as follows:

Sow and Litter—First, Lloyd Rector; second, Leroy Johnson, third, Jack Moseley.

Bred gilt—C. L. Calaway, Jr., first; David Johnson, second; Hugh Moseley, third; Raymond Slabs, fourth.

Open gilt—Friona FFA chapter, first; Jimmie Baxter, second.

Gilt pigs—Friona FFA first; Leroy Johnson, second; Hugh Moseley, third; R. B. Miller, fourth.

Weaning Litter—Jack Moseley, first; Bruce, Coleman second.

Sows — Robert Laceywell, first; Bruce Coleman, second.

Boars—Leroy Johnson, first; C. L. Calaway, Jr., second.

Pen of 3 fat pigs—Floyd Rector, first; James Smith, second; Leroy Johnson third and fourth.

Fat pig—Floyd Rector, first; James Smith, second; Floyd Rector, third; James Smith, fourth.

Beef breeding bulls—Johnnie Roberts, first; Bill Buchanan, second; Floyd Rector, third.

Sees Prosperity In Post War Period

America will have a period of continued prosperity long after the war is over, in the opinion of E. W. Hickman of Fort Wayne, Ind., who is here this week looking after some land interests he has in Parmer county.

Mr. Hickman bases his prediction on the belief that thousands of workers, both men and women, are accumulating vast sums of money now that will go into new homes, new conveniences and automobiles after the close of the war. The demand for these items will in turn afford abundance of work in factories that are now devoting all their output to implements of war.

He said that thousands of workers in the Fort Wayne section are accumulating nice little "nest eggs" that are being invested in war bonds in preparation for investments in the post war period.

Romany is the language of Gypsies.

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Melrose Takes First at Track Meet

With a freshly graded track taking a good deal of speed out of the dash events, the Cury country track and field meet was held at Texico the past Saturday and the crown went to Melrose performers, who stepped far out in front with a 20 point lead over their next opponent, Texico.

During the afternoon, Melrose scored 93 3/4, and Texico came in for second place with 73 3/4; Grady had a tally of 30 1/2, while Rosedale was at the bottom with 2.

Field and track events brought out a good crowd for the day. The discus throw by Bowers came nearest to upsetting records, at 130 feet 1 inch. The district record is only slightly higher.

High man for the meet was Bowers, who had a score of 36 3/4 for his work during the contests.

Placements in the senior events were as follows:

100-yd. dash (11.1)—Pinkston, Melrose; Bowers, Texico, and Gant,

Melrose tied for second; Bradley, Melrose, Stout, Grady.

220 (25)—Bowers, Pinkston, Bradley Gant, Roop, Texico.

440 (58.4)—Bradley, Mulliax, of Grady; Rees, Melrose; Roop, M. Doolittle.

880 (2:23.6)—Drace, Texico; Bureson, Texico; Beatty, Melrose, H. Doolittle Texico; DeGraftenreid, Melrose.

1 mile run (5:14.8)—H. Doolittle, Drace, Bureson; Williams, Grady; Long, Melrose.

Low hurdles (25.9)—Pinkston, Bowers, Gant, Bradley, Mullinax.

High hurdles (18.1)—Bowers, Gant; Clayton, Melrose; Stout, Grady; Bradley.

Shot (37.6)—Bowers, Clayton, Pinkston, Stout; Rees and Baker tie for fifth.

Discus (130-1)—Bowers, Pinkston, Clayton, Drace, DeGraffenreid.

Javelin (249-6)—Gant, Rees, Bowers, Stout, Lannet, Melrose.

Broad jump (18-7 1/2)—Bowers,

Gant; Snyder, Grady; Stout; Pinkston.

High jump (5-6)—Drace, May and Clayton tied for second; Stout; tied for fifth, Frances, Texico Hepler of Melrose, Mullinax and Snyder.

Vault (9-6)—Stout Williams of Grady; tied for third Harris of Melrose, Younger of Rosedale, Mullinax.

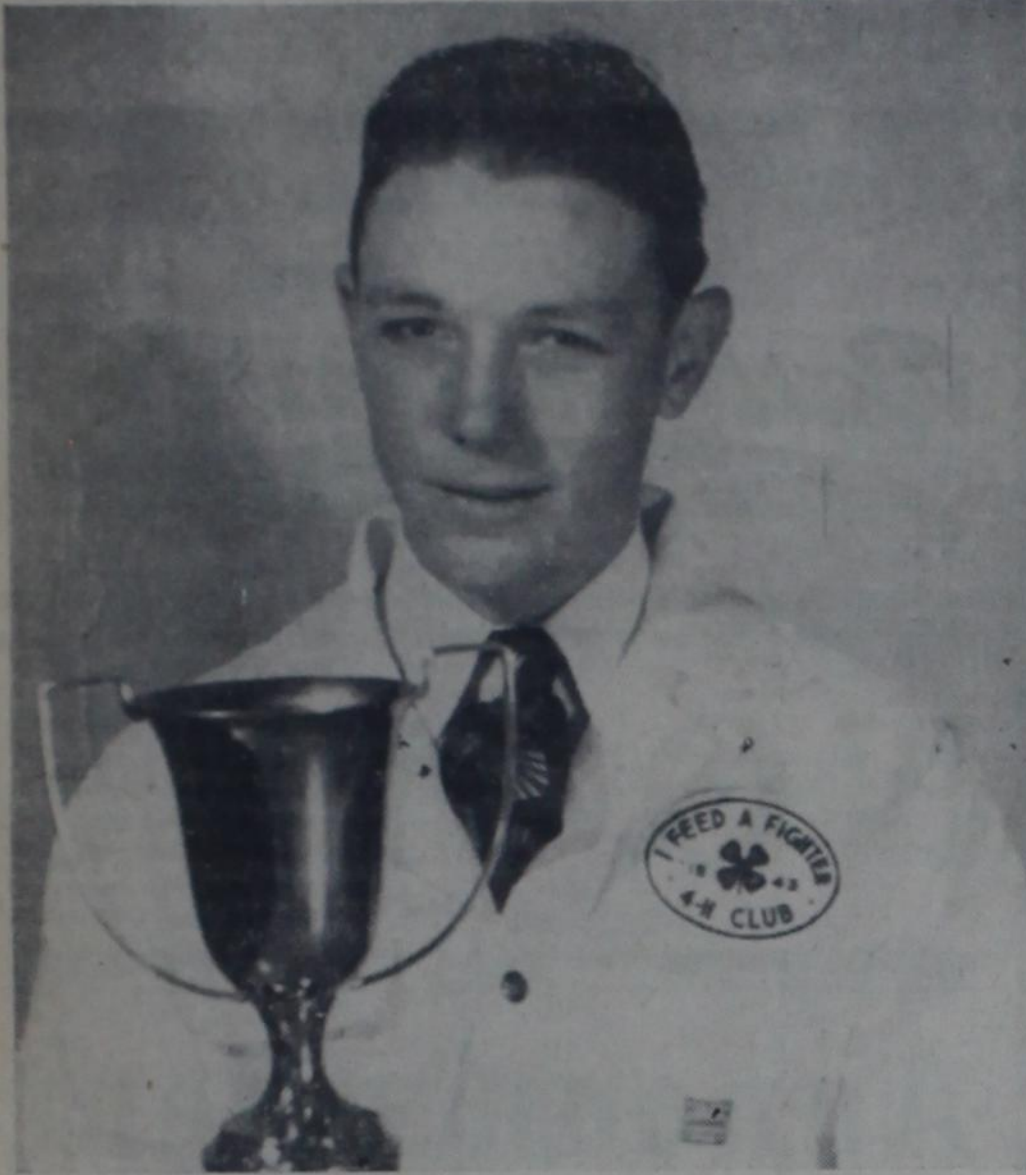
Relay (1:45)—Texico (Drace, Roop, Bowers, White); Grady (Williams, Mullinax, Stout, Snyder).

Texico Juniors Win

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TOPS IN 4-H PRODUCTION—past week, for an outstanding record in dairy production during 1943. He is an Oklahoma Lane 4-H club boy.

Lt. Tom Caldwell, Prisoner of War, Reported in Good Health

Mrs. J. R. Caldwell, of near Farwell was in receipt of a very welcome letter this week from Lt. R. C. Barton of Hooks, Texas, who was one of 35 men repatriated from Germany in March bearing news of the Caldwell's son, Lt. Tom Caldwell, who was shot down over Europe last year and later put in the same prison camp with Barton.

Lt. Barton begins his letter by saying the he and Lt. Caldwell were roommates, and goes on to add that Tom was not injured when shot down saying, "When you see him I think you will agree with me that the food certainly agrees with him. He is definitely getting fat."

Lt. Caldwell has received several letters and two packages from home, Lt. Barton continued, stating "He asked me to send you an order for some pictures. All the boys want snapshots. When you send them, put his name on the back."

"The routine is dull at times, but other than that, the boys have a high morale—cooking, reading, playing bridge, baseball and basketball—and of course, sleeping takes up most of their time."

Lt. Barton closed by stating that he would be in Walter Reed General Hospital in Washington, D. C., after April 20 and invited Mrs. Caldwell to correspond with him if he could give any more details of interest.

STORM DEMOLISHES HOUSE

A small adobe house on the Dimmitt Berry farm northeast of this city was completely demolished during the height of Sunday's storm that swept this region. The wind lifted the roof and carried it some distance and the walls toppled without the support of the roof.

Little damage resulted for the reason that the building was used only for storage.

Another Community Sale at Lariat, 20th

Col. Dick Doshier, local auctioneer, has arranged another one of those big community sales, to be held at Lariat on Thursday, April 20th.

This will be an all-day affair, with the Baptist ladies of Oklahoma Lane serving the lunch at noon. The ladies are making preparations to feed at least 1000 persons at the noon hour.

"We are expecting a larger crowd than we had the last time," Doshier said in discussing plans for the sale.

Included among the goods to be offered will be a two-room house and two acres of land, 33 head of cattle, a large collection of exceptionally good farm machinery and household goods. A fairly complete list of all the offerings to be sold is printed in this issue of The Tribune. "But there will be lots more stuff brought in," Doshier reminded readers. At least another \$1000 worth of good farm machinery has been consigned to the sale that does not appear on the listing, he said.

The terms of the sale will be cash and Orville Francis will act as clerk.

Eight Acceptable For Armed Service

Out of a total of eleven selectees sent to Lubbock for their pre-induction physicals by the Parmer county local board early last week eight of the number were found acceptable for service in the armed forces, with four qualifying for the army and a like number passing the navy tests.

Those found acceptable for the navy were Albert Clayton Taylor, Alvin Kenneth Gaines, Samuel Vernon Estes and Wilbur James Charles.

Accepted for the army include Jack Melvin Stagner, Doyn Merriam Jessie Marion Vestal.

ASSISTANT HERE

Miss Graham Hard, War Food Administration assistant, is in Parmer County this week, meeting with women of the several communities in regard to preparing equipment for the coming canning season. Miss Hard stated that she would be glad to meet all women who have questions concerning their equipment, and will be in the office in Farwell all day Saturday, April 22, for this purpose. She will spend one week each month in Parmer County.



MARINE DIVE BOMBER PILOT—First Lieutenant Kenneth G. Grissom, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Grissom of Farwell, is on duty with the Marines as a dive bomber pilot.

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BOVINA NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Nat Reid and children left Saturday for a visit in Fort Worth and Cottondale, Tex.

Mrs. Albert Turner and daughter of Portales visited her parents, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Johnson left Wednesday for Fort Worth to be with their daughter, Mary Will, who sustained a major operation.

Mrs. Reagan Looney and Mrs. Howard Looney and daughter were Farwell visitors Thursday.

Mrs. Oscar Venable and Mrs. Henry Wilkerson returned Thursday afternoon after a month in Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Denny and family are visiting in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Goldia Horton and son have returned from Oklahoma.

Mrs. Clyde Pomroy and son and Mrs. Beulah Pomroy left Monday for a visit with Pvt. Clyde Pomroy, at Temple.

Rev. Bulah and Eulah Taylor, of Wichita, Kansas, are holding a meeting at the Pentecostal church.

D. H. Wilkerson spent the weekend in Childress.

Mrs. Jerry Spurlin, of Texico, visited Mrs. Stacy Queen, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster McChurchin and son, of Dalhart, visited over the weekend in the Joe McChurchin home.

Mrs. Rollin Farmer of Amarillo, visited relatives here.

Rev. Roscoe Trostle is helping to conduct a revival in Dimmitt.

W. O. Cherry and daughters visited in Lorenzo, over the weekend.

PLEASANT HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Crump Melugin visited with Mrs. Trichell of the air base last week.

The ice cream social at the Methodist church last Friday evening was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ellison and Aubrey Ellison left for Georgia, on Monday.

Clovis visitors last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Jason Langford, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Mason Neely, Mrs. Peggy Singletary, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Langford and boys, Mrs. R. Snoderly and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bell and son.

The meeting is continuing at the First Baptist Church this week.



FOR SALE—Hybrid cotton seed. Have lots of it. J. B. Shirley, 4 mi. south Synicate Hotel. 16-6tp

CON-D-MENTAL

Mr. Chicken and Hog Raiser: If you believe in vitamins for your family, then you need to buy Con-D-Mental for your poultry and animals, all ages. They like to stay well, too. Get it from your local dealer. 19-6tp

FOR SALE—One 1940 Ford, long wheel base, heavy duty truck, good tires; also one 1941 Chevrolet long wheel base, heavy duty truck with good tires. Being offered at bar-

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The State Line Tribune is authorized to make the following political announcements, subject to the action of the Democratic primary:

For County Judge: LEE THOMPSON (Re-election)

For County and District Clerk: D. K. ROBERTS (Re-election)

For Sheriff-Assessor-Collector: EARL BOOTH (Re-election)

For County Attorney: A. D. SMITH (Re-Election)

For County Treasurer: ROY B. EZELL (Re-Election)

For Representative, 120th District: JOE W. JENNINGS (Floyd County)

For County Commissioner, Pct. 3: J. P. (JIM) MILLER

For County Commissioner, Pct. 2: F. T. (FLOYD) SCHLENKER (Re-Election)

gain. Henderson Grain & Seed Co., Farwell. 19-tfc

FOR SALE—25 tons of Calo maize bundles with good grain, in stack. Harold Carpenter, 15 miles NE of Farwell. 21-3tp

FOR SALE—Young registered Milking Shorthorn bulls. F. L. Wenner, 14 miles E of Lariat, 7 miles NE of Muleshoe. 21-3tp

FOR SALE—Good single P&O lister, horse drawn; good 2-row P&O lister, horse drawn; good disc harrow; good 2-row John Deer go-devil with knife attachments; good 4-row scratching harrow. J. F. Pesch, 5 mi. W Bovina on 80-ft. road. 21-3tp

ESTRAY—A Jersey cow has been at my place since Feb. 6. About 2 yrs., horned. Owner may have same by paying for ad and feed bill. Bill Hanna, 1/2 mi. S. Oklahoma Lane school. 2-3tc

ESTRAY—2 barrow hogs, white spotted, wt. 170 lbs.; 1 spotted gilt, wt. 90 lbs, came to my place in Farwell April 2. Owner may have same by paying for this ad and the feed. John Porter. 21-3tc

FOR RENT—Two room house in Texico, has toilet but no bath. Suitable for small business or living quarters. Red Cross Pharmacy, Texico. 22-tfc

CHILDREN'S handmade dresses, sizes 6 months to 4 years. See in window at Hoyles Radio Shop. 1005 Main, Clovis, N. M. 23

FOR RENT—3-room house in Farwell, available May 1st. See Elb Randol. 23-tfc

Garden Contest For Phillips Employees

Meeting the government's plea for more victory gardens to help combat the growing food shortage, Phillips Petroleum Company has announced a \$6600 victory garden contest for employees and their families, with awards for best gardeners, canners, essayists and photographers.

Contestants will be classed according to their individual talents and can enter any of the four separate divisions with a chance to win war bond prizes for best entry. In addition, Frank Phillips, chairman of the company who is a sponsor of the National Victory Garden Institute and a member of the Industrial Advisory Garden Committee, will present a trophy to the top-ranking canner, while a similar award will be made by K. S. Adams, president of the company, to the best gardener.

The contest has been designed so as to appeal to every member of the family. A total of \$2000 in war bonds will be split up among best gardeners, \$800 among children writing winning essays on "Why Raise A Victory Garden?", \$800

among employees, submitting best photos of gardens, and \$3000 among best canners. Judging will be by an impartial board not connected with the company.

Although the contest is just getting underway, response has already been spirited and Phillips expects to contribute substantially toward the government announced goal of 22 million victory gardens this year.

Lincoln Ellsworth was the first man to fly across the Anartic continent.

SANTA FE CARLOADINGS

Santa Fe System carloadings for week ending April 15 were 21,528 compared with 21,766 for same week in 1943. Cars received from connections totaled 11,679 compared with 12,747 for same week in 1943. Total cars moved were 33,207 compared with 34,513 for same week in 1943. Santa Fe handled total of 34,170 cars in the preceding week this year.

The least developed of the five senses among lower animals is taste.



Get Your Seed Now For Greater Production

Responding to the demand of our patrons, we are stocking a large collection of re-cleaned and certified planting seed, which are due to arrive the latter part of this week. In this shipment we will have:

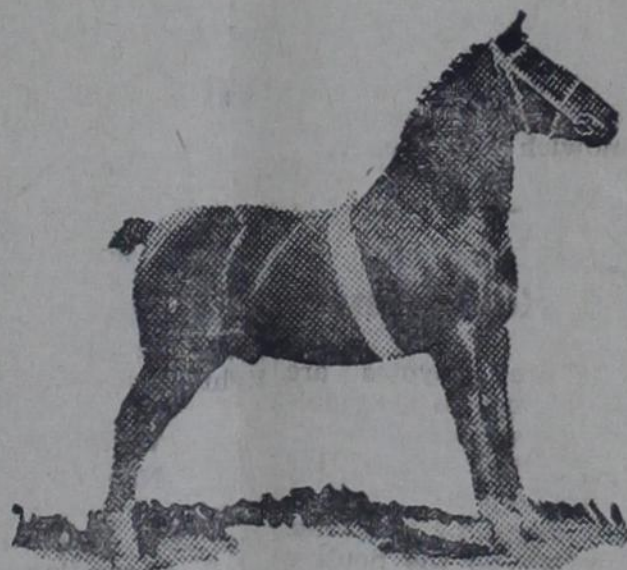
Certified Texas and Arizona Hegari, Re-cleaned Hegari, Martin Milo, Plainsman Milo, Red Kafir and African Millet.

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NOTICE and Announcement

I wish to announce that after our partnership (Gaines & Elliott Hardware Company) dissolution and division of our partnership interest is completed, I will continue in business and be located on the north side of Main St. in Bovina under the name of C. R. ELLIOTT COMPANY.

Beginning next week, I will be in position to offer Gas Cook Stoves, Bathroom Fixtures, Baldwin Combines and Parts, Propane Gas in Drums (exchange) Plumbing and all Pipe, Pipe Fittings and Sewer, which goes with plumbing, Well Supplies Complete, Kitchen Sinks, Water Heaters, Gas Circulators and Space Heaters, Electrical Supplies, including Wire and Multibreakers, Complete line of Sherwin-Williams Paints, also Glidden House, Barn and Roof Paints. I have approved orders for Pump Jacks, Windmills and other items, which I expect soon and as circumstances and war will permit I will have many other items in the hardware line.

We will be ready to make Butane Gas system installations and offer official licensed inspections, and will render service on butane appliances. We will contract any kind of plumbing and hope to be in a position in the near future to offer butane underground tanks and a complete line of butane appliances, also Refrigerators, Coolerators, Ice Boxes, Floor Furnaces—in fact everything which may be needed to complete a new home after the last nail is driven.

SEE US IF YOU ARE INTERESTED TO CONTRACT PAINTING AND PLUMBING

I have instructions from Baldwin Combine Co. to furnish the names of any and all farmers who contemplate needing a combine for the year 1945. This information to be passed on to government authorities with the hope of obtaining a larger allotment of combines. See us if you expect to need a combine next year.

TRADING POST

We are establishing a TRADING POST for the benefit of all farmers and others who are now or who will be interested in buying, trading or selling anything. If you have anything for sale or trade, or if you want to buy anything, call or write us, giving the description, which will be posted and advertised throughout the trade territory—without obligation or charge. Furnish us with your address and location.

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FARWELL, TEXAS

Farming Talk

By GARLON A. HARPER
County Agricultural Agent

Texas A. & M. Extension Service

Farmers are finding during these tense war time days that they are facing many problems, such as shortage of farm machinery and repairs, shortage of some essential feeds, unfavorable price ratios and many other problems. One of the most serious of these war time problems is that of farm labor. Agriculture, like all other industries, has lost a lot of its most competent labor to the armed forces. In addition to this, it has lost many of its best farm laborers to higher paid industrial jobs. In order to meet the demands which are being made on agriculture during the coming year, much planning is going to have to be done by farmers.

Although some of our farmers may be forced to curtail farm production because of the lack of labor none of them want to do this. Curtailment of production means a loss of badly needed farm products and a loss of income. These are two very good reasons why real study and planning are needed to solve this problem.

Just off hand I could think of several things which might partially solve this problem. On the other hand, some of these things might serve to cause still more confusion and create still other problems. Anyway, here they are for your thought and study. A survey might be taken to enlist all farm operators with extra labor (if any) and machinery which might be custom-used by other farmers during certain seasons. Farmers in each neighborhood might meet and make plans to assist each other during rush seasons. Schools and business men might agree to close up for short periods varying from a day to a few weeks during rush seasons. War prisoners might be used by those who want them. Special efforts might be made to bring in migratory labor during certain rush periods.

As I have said before, none of these are going to be completely satisfactory.

They will not and cannot replace the good dependable labor we once had. But if they will help just a little to keep production of agricultural products going without a net loss to the farmer in either money or gray hair they will be worth trying.

The Congress of the United States has charged the Extension Service with assisting farmers with farm labor problems. This does not mean that Congress has given the Extension Service a heretofore untouched source of laborers. It isn't as simple as that. The way I see the matter is that the Extension Service cannot help farmers with this problem unless farmers help plan the program and outline the things they think will help most under prevailing conditions.

With all this in mind I am going to call meetings in the various communities of the county to discuss this and other problems. Your attendance and assistance in these planning meetings will determine the success of our program of working with you to help solve the farm labor problem.

Health Notes

By Texas Department of Health

AUSTIN—Commenting on the seasonal rise in the incidence of measles, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, said today that the treachery of this disease should be recognized by all parents.

"Measles is a dangerous, widespread and highly contagious disease, and with various complications results in more than 10,000 deaths every year among very young children," Dr. Cox said. "It is impossible to foretell at the onset of measles just how serious the attack will prove to be."

The first signs of this disease are those usually associated with a cold: red, watery eyes a profuse nasal discharge and a harsh, dry hacking cough. It is most contagious at this point and can be readily spread by droplet infection from coughing or sneezing. About the second day fever is present and often a tender sore throat; on about the fourth day a red splotchy rash appears.

Contrary to widespread belief, it certainly is not "better for a child

to have measles early in life and get it over with". Statistics show that nine-tenths of all measles deaths occur in children under 5 years of age and that the older the child is the less he is likely to suffer a severe, or fatal, attack of this disease. It is obvious therefore, that a baby or a very young child should be protected from exposure to measles.

During an outbreak of measles, Dr. Cox said, it would be well to keep the child under 5 years away from all children since they are most likely to carry the infection.

RURAL ELECTRIFICATION EXTENDED

COLLEGE STATION—Value of electricity is increasing the amount of food produced and processed on the farm is revealed in the current expansion of rural electric cooperatives in Texas.

Funds for extending lines and services have been granted to six REA co-ops in recent weeks, the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service has been advised. The list includes allotments for expansion to rural electric cooperatives at Navasota, Muenster, Cleburne, and Livingston. In addition, the Cap Rock Refrigeration Cooperative at Stanton has been loaned funds for the construction of a 500-locker capacity cold storage locker storage plant with facilities for food processing and slaughtering, and a similar amount for the same purpose has been loaned the Taylor County Refrigeration Cooperative at Merkel.

A complete photographic laboratory and a complete sound studio has been developed at the University of Texas School of Dentistry, at Houston, as new and vitalizing aids to teaching students.

Approximately 50 women are enrolled in a University of Texas war training short course to prepare them as engineering aids for the Aircraft Radio Laboratory at Wright Field.

More than 200 men in the armed forces are taking courses by correspondence from the University of Texas, a recent survey shows. One-fifth of these are in overseas theaters of action.

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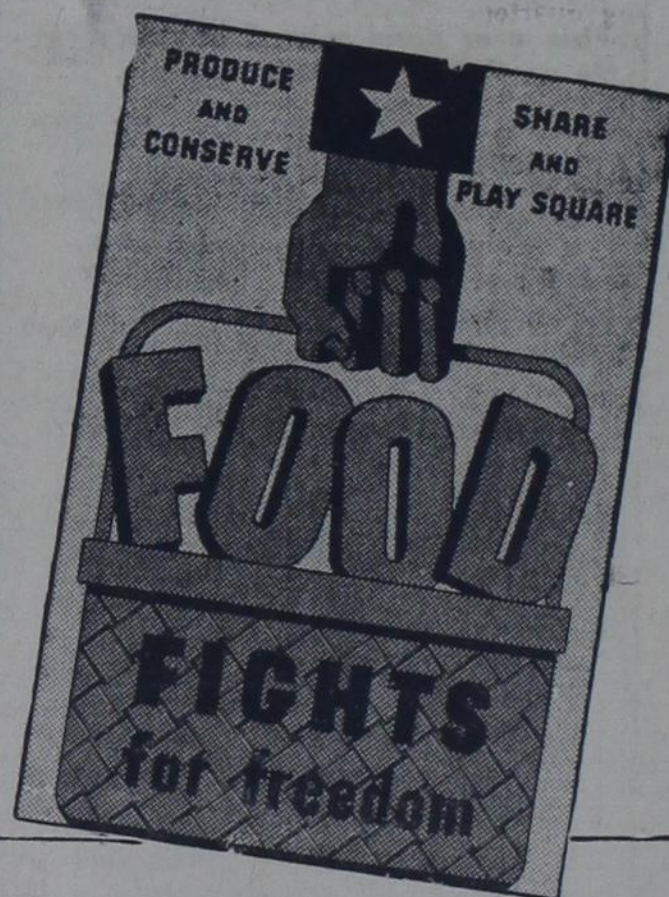
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TRY THIS MEAT-STRETCHER RECIPE

If you have any left-overs from that cherished fifty-four point roast from last Sunday's dinner—and if you have any lard in the larder—you can still serve a meat dish without using additional points. Lard is a rich source of unsaturated fatty acids so necessary for health, so use it for its nutrients as well as for its shortening power in this novel recipe.

MEAT PASTRY RING

3 cups sifted flour
2 tablespoons baking powder
3/4 cup water or milk
1 teaspoon salt
2/3 cup lard

Sift together flour, baking powder and salt. Cut in lard, add water until dough will hold together. Roll into rectangular shape 5 inches by 12 inches. Spread meat filling over entire surface. Roll up like jelly roll and shape into ring. Cut into two-inch pieces, reassemble in ring shape on greased baking pan. Bake at 375 degrees Fahrenheit for 25 minutes. Serve with tomato sauce or plain.

MEAT FILLING

2 1/2 cups chopped, cooked meat
1/2 cup mashed, cooked carrots
1/2 cup cooked peas
1 teaspoon salt
1 egg
2 tablespoons chili sauce
2 tablespoons Worcestershire sauce, dash of Tabasco sauce

Blend chopped meat with seasonings and vegetables, add egg to bind together and use for filling pastry ring.

This recipe may also be used for stuffing green peppers. Choose well formed peppers of uniform size. Be sure they are not hot ones. Remove all of the seeds and membrane. Fill with meat and vegetable filling and bake at 375 degrees Fahrenheit for 45 minutes. A tomato sauce is quite essential with this service.

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Tire Inspection To Be Discontinued April 20

Compulsory periodic inspection of tires on passenger cars will be discontinued after April 20, J. Doyle Settle, District rationing executive, has announced. Motorists, however, must have inspected any tire they wish to replace.

Inspection of truck tires will continue as before.

It is important that motorists retain their tire inspection records because OPA will continue the use of them in issuing gasoline rations.

Discontinuance of the inspections does not mean that the tire picture has become any brighter. It simply means that the inspection provision has fulfilled its primary objective—to make motorists conscious of the extreme need for tire conservation and care, Settle stated.

He also pointed out that a shortage of civilian passenger tires still exists and production this year will run below civilian needs. According to latest estimates from the Office of Rubber Director, 22 million tires will be produced for civilians this year as compared with more than 34 million new replacement tires produced in 1941.

Hospital Corps Needs Increased Personnel

With the need for hospital corps personnel becoming more and more acute as the war draws closer to its climactic stage, the Dallas Navy recruiting district currently is emphasizing a program for the recruiting of 17-year-old boys for enlistment as hospital corpsmen, Lt. Comdr. L. H. Ridout, Jr., officer in charge, announced today.

Seventeen-year-olds may volunteer immediately, and if the applicant has a reasonable education and adaptability for the work, he will be enlisted directly in the U. S. Naval Reserve as hospital apprentice, second class. This is equivalent to the army rating and pay of private first class, an unusually good beginning.

Boys interested in serving in the hospital corps are invited to visit Room 438, fourth floor, of the PO building in Dallas, or Navy recruiting stations in Abilene, Amarillo, Fort Worth, Lubbock, San Angelo, Wichita Falls.

NEW BOOK ISSUED

AUSTIN—Dedicated to "The Small Business Man of America", a new edition of "Divided We Stand" by Dr. Walter Prescott Webb, University of Texas historian, has just come off the press.

"The Story of the Texas Milk Bottle" a chapter omitted from the 1937 printing, has been included in the volume, which deals with the North-South present day economic sectionalism.

ON PAY DAY, BUY BONDS!

LEGAL NOTICES

THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO J. W. Williams, Tempie Thomas, Tom Williams, Jack Williams, Sam Williams, Jim Williams, Jiggs Williams, and the unknown heirs, devisees, administrators, and executors of Paloma Williams, deceased,

Defendants, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Farmer County at the Court House thereof, in Farwell, Texas at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-one days from the date of issuance of this citation, same being the 27th day of March, A. D. 1944, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 27th day of March, A. D. 1944, in this cause, numbered 1286 on the docket of said court, and styled Raymond Davies, Arthur Davies, Anna Davies Wertz, Fred Wertz, Ada Davies Brink, Harry Brink, Wilbur B. Ishom, Harold T. Ishom, Ruth Ishom O'Reilly, Jimmy E. O'Reilly, Beulah Ishom Pearman, Cecil H. Pearman, June Ishom Benjamin, Richard Benjamin and Jesse M. Osborn, administrator of the es-

tate of Theodosia Davies, deceased, and Guardian of John Davies, non compos mentis,

VS: J. W. Williams, Ellen Paul, Tempie Thomas, Tom Williams, Jack Williams, Sam Williams, Jim Williams and Jiggs Williams, and the heirs, devisees, administrators, and executors of Paloma Williams, deceased.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

This is a suit in trespass to try title wherein it is alleged that the Plaintiffs on date of March 1, 1944, were lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land and premises situated in Farmer County, Texas, holding and claiming the same the Fee Simple Title, to-wit:

All of Lots seventeen (17), eighteen (18), nineteen (19) and twenty (20) of Block Number Three (3) of the original town of

Bovina, Farmer County, Texas.

That on this day the Defendants unlawfully entered on said premises and ejected Plaintiffs therefrom and unlawfully withhold the possession thereof to their damage to the sum of \$1500.00; that the reasonable annual rental value of said land and premises is \$240.00; as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Farwell, Texas, this the 27th day of March, A. D. 1944.

ATTEST:
D. K. ROBERTS, Clerk,
District Court, Farmer Co., Tex.
By Dorothy Lovelace, Deputy.
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- 1—Roan cow, 2 yrs., 2 gals.
- 1—Good 2-yr.-old heifer, bull calf by side.
- 1—Brindle Durham cow, 3 yrs., calf by side, 3 1/2 gals.
- 1—White roan cow, 3 yrs., white steer calf by side, 3 1/2 gals.
- 1—Roan whiteface cow, with heifer calf by side, 3 1/4 gals.
- 1—Red bull, 1 yr., extra good.
- 2—Jersey heifers, 1 yr
- 1—Jersey heifer, 9 mos.
- 1—Black steer.
- 1—Spotted heifer.
- 1—Spotted heifer, 5 mos.
- 3—Good steers.
- 1—Jersey bull.
- 1—Good Jersey heifer.
- 1—Brown Jersey cow, 4 yrs., fresh.
- 1—Roan heifer, 1 yr.

Farm Machinery

- 1—1-row John Deere team cultivator.
- 1—4-row monitor godevil, in good shape.
- 1—2-row knife sled with knives.
- 1—1-row P&O planter, almost new.
- 1—Good 2-wheel stock trailer, with good rubber.

- 1—Corn sheller.
- 1—Good 2-wheel trailer, with 700x20 tires, real tires
- 2—Universal guides for A. C. tractor.
- 1—Good 2-row monitor with tractor hitch.
- 1—Wagon.
- 1—Disc harrow.
- 1—2-row John Deere go-devil with knife attachments.
- 1—Disc harrow, 8-foot.
- 1—Weber wagon.
- 1—2-row P&O team cultivator.
- 1—1-row Oliver lister.
- 2—Extra good 2-row knife sleds.
- 1—2-row knife sled, in good shape.
- 1—Regular Farmall tractor, with power lift, lister, cultivator, and 3-row sweeper. Motor in A-1 shape, good rubber.

Household Goods

- 1—Half-section harrow, 70 tooth.
- 1—Broadcast binder in good shape.
- 1—2-row Monitor in good shape.
- 1—Good small 2-wheel trailer with good rubber, 600x16 tires.
- 1—Bedstead and springs.
- 1—Good chair.
- 1—Clothes basket.
- 1—Baby chair.

- 2—Sets good bed springs.
- 1—5-burner Coleman gasoline stove, with built-in oven.
- 1—Baby bed, springs and mattress.
- 2—Good rockers.
- 1—Good dining room suite with 8 chairs.
- 1—Kitchen craft colander, practically new.
- 3—Good chairs.
- 1—Good dining table.
- 1—Majestic range stove.
- 1—Living room table.
- 1—Bedstead and springs.
- 1—Chair.
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- 1—Chifferobe.
- 2—Iron bedsteads.
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- 2—Good blood white boars.
- Several head of shoats.

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- 2—20-rod rolls of hog wire almost new.
- 1—House jack.
- 4—Good gas barrels.
- 1—Roll chicken wire.
- 1—Garden plow.
- 1—Extra good stock saddle.
- 25—Cross ties.
- 1—DeLaval cream separator, No. 17
- 1—Good speed jack for feed mill.
- 4—Disc covers for International planter.
- 1—International feed mill in good shape.
- 1—6-foot International power take-off.
- 1—DeLaval cream separator, No. 12.
- 1—Royal Blue cream separator, table model.
- 1—Hammer feed mill.
- 1—Bicycle, pre-war, a good one.
- Several cans of canned vegetables.
- 1—DeLaval cream separator, No. 16, good shape.
- Several fence panels.

Two Room House and 2 Acres of Land

"Shorty" Milstead is offering his two-room house and 2 acres of land in Lariat to the highest bidder. This house was built of new lumber only three years ago. It is frame and stucco construction, finished on the inside with sheet rock. Size 14x20. Title on land up to date and ready for delivery.

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Local Happenings

Nuptials Read 12th In Local Church

In a formal ceremony held at the Baptist Church Wednesday evening, April 12, at 8 o'clock, Rev. W. C. Wright united in marriage Miss Betty Jo Gilson and S. C. Douglas Hall, both of Texico-Farwell. The double ring service was used.

Background for the wedding was beautifully arranged with palm fronds and tall baskets of white gladiolas and pink snapdragons, and four candelabra sprays of white tapers used for illumination. Preceding the ceremony, Mrs. Carl McGuire sang "I Love You Truly", accompanied by Mrs. Richard Anderson. Miss Twila Mae Strickland was at the piano for other music.

To the strains of the familiar "Bridal Chorus", the wedding party entered the church, with Scott Billingsley accompanying the groom. Bridesmaids were Miss Alverda Hall, Miss Irene Burgess, Miss Maples and Mrs. Scott Billingsley, all of whom wore floor length dresses in pastel spring shades, and had corsages of carnations.

The maid of honor was Miss Jane Key, who was dressed in a gown of blue and had a corsage of sweetheart rosebuds. Ring bearers were young Gaylon Joy Ezell and Jim Carter.

The bride was beautiful in a white satin gown with a short train and lace insets. Her shoulder corsage was of pink sweetheart rosebuds and gardenias, and her hat was a tiny white halo, from which fell a sheer white veil. She was given in marriage by her father, Tony Gilson, of Lubbock.

Ushers at the wedding were Gilbert Watkins and W. A. Hancock.

Reception Held
Mrs. Steve Jesko, sister of the groom, honored the wedding party with a reception at her home in Texico following the ceremony with intimate friends as guests.

A beautiful wedding cake was used as the table centerpiece.

The couple left shortly after for Amarillo, where they spent several days. For her traveling costume, Mrs. Hall chose a spring weight suit of navy blue, with white accessories.

A graduate of the local school, Mrs. Hall has been employed at Barry Hardware in Clovis for several months, and will continue her work there. She is the daughter of Mrs. C. F. Bieler of Farwell.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Hall of Texico, Seaman Hall entered the navy some eighteen months ago, and is currently on transport duty. He left today (Wednesday) for California.

Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Graham visited the first of the week with their daughter, Mrs. Raymond Ross, in Morton.

Wedding Anniversary Celebrated Sunday

The home of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Bozeman was the scene of a family gathering, Sunday, when relatives and friends gathered for a dinner party in celebration of the eighth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Bozeman.

The gaily decorated dining table was centered with a large cake, prepared and decorated for the occasion by his sister, Mrs. Viola Cook, of Tipton, Okla.

The guests were Mrs. Viola Cook, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Wagoner and children of Frederick, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bozeman and son and Mrs. Bert Ezell and son, of Lubbock; Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Pittman and son and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cook and son, of Muleshoe; Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Tipton and daughter, of Lazbuddy; Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Bozeman and family of Muleshoe and Clara May Cain of Lazbuddy. Mr. and Mrs. Martin of Farwell called in the afternoon.

Golden Will Review Book on Tuesday

President Floyd D. Golden, of Eastern New Mexico College, Portales, will be the guest speaker at a joint meeting of the Wesleyan Guild and the Texico-Farwell Woman's Club on Tuesday night, April 25, when the group will meet at the Methodist Church at 8:30.

Golden will give a review of Dr. Laubach's book, "The Silent Billions Speak", which concerns the struggle against illiteracy in the Philippines. The review will serve as the regular mission study conducted by the Guild of the Church.

A special invitation has been extended to husbands of Guild and Club members.

Visit Here

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Hall, of Amarillo, visited here the first of the week in the W. W. Hall home. Weldon, a registered pharmacist in Amarillo, has been found acceptable for navy service and expects to be called at an early date.

Mrs. Kendrick Green and baby, of Lamesa, visited the past weekend with her father, D. K. Roberts, in Farwell.

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Sunday School Workers With Local Church

Two outstanding Sunday school workers of the Baptist Church are meeting with the local Baptist workers this (Wednesday) evening at the church.

Miss Mattie Leatherwood, head of the primary department of the Southern Baptist Convention of Nashville, Tenn., and Miss Jewell Kirkpatrick, New Mexico State Sunday school worker, of Albuquerque, will give talks to local Sunday school workers.

Returns From Denton

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Carter returned Sunday night from Denton, Texas, where they were called by the serious illness of W. E. Lovelace, father of Mrs. Carter. Mr. Lovelace was considerably improved Sunday.

Cubs Have Meeting

Dens 1 and 2 of the Farwell Cub Scouts held regular meetings Monday afternoon spending the majority of their time working on converting nail kegs into stools for the dens. Bobby Poteet served as host for Den 1 and Mrs. Lenton Pool served the Cubs of Den 2.

Lights And Action At Farwell, Monday

Donning grease paint and costume the Farwell seniors will make their stage debut next Monday night, April 24, when they present "Meet My Wife", a hilarious three act comedy, at the school auditorium.

Billy Zanders (Junior Harding) under takes to play Cupid by working up a romance by correspondence between his uncle, Zebediah Zanders (Wilbert Kalbas) from the wild and woolly west with his fiancée's old maid sister, who is "uglier than an ant eater with the scurry."

Miss Prudence Whitney (Margaret Bigham), the old maid agrees to meet the Uncle, provided there is a married woman present to act as chaperone. Uncle Zeb fails to show up and all goes well until Mrs. Thurston Thwacker (Mary Bobst) and the real uncle show up as complications set in, especially for the real Zebediah, since the substitute has stirred up a peck of trouble.

Masquerading as the wife of Alix Ware (Bert Williams) is Cuddles La Rose (Marilyn Anderson), a chorus girl while Loretta Ware (Tommy Ruth Shelly), has deserted Alix after ruling the roost for a month.

Other characters are Hank Evans, pal to Billy Zanders, Muggins Graham; Tessie Heimberger, the Dutch cook Theda White; Ann Whitney, younger sister to Prudence, who is in love with Billy, Peggy Williams; and Olaf Swanson, Tessie's matrimonial agency boy friend, Pete Booth.

The play will begin at 9 o'clock, with admission prices of 10, 25 and 35 cents charged. Miss Leith Neil is directing, assisted by Mrs. Ruth Joss and Miss Berthanae Thomas.

NEWS FROM OUR BOYS IN CAMPS



THOMPSON IN INDIA

Lt. Charlie Thompson son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Thompson of Farwell, is now in India with the AAF, his parents have been informed.

AT FORT SILL

FORT SILL, Okla.—Cpl. Robert W. Anderson of Farwell, has entered the Field Artillery Officer Candidate School at this post. Cpl. Anderson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Anderson. Upon completion of the 17-week course he will be commissioned a second lieutenant of field artillery.

MORSE IS LIEUTENANT

Rollin E. Morse, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Morse of Linn Creek, Mo., has recently won his wings with the AAF, being commissioned a second lieutenant at Williams Field Ariz. Lt. Morse was commissioned as a pilot. He is a former student of the local high school and well known here.

VISITS IN CINCINNATI

Sgt. Jake McLean of Bovina, recently visited with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hermes and family, former local residents, in Cincinnati, Ohio. Sgt. McLean is stationed at McDill Field, Tampa, Fla.

WANTS TO JUMP ON P. I.

Cpl. T. Jess Herbert Pipkin, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Pipkin, who is here from Camp McCall, N. C., on a brief furlough, expresses the belief that he is soon to see foreign service.

Cpl. Pipkin, a paratrooper, hopes his first jump will be on the Philippine Islands. "It is my highest ambition to jump on the Philippines," he related in discussing his desire to see action in the present conflict.

GOES TO CALIFORNIA

Mrs. B. A. Rogers left Sunday for California to spend a few days with her son Lt. Alan Rogers, of the Navy air force.

BEING TRANSFERRED

Cpl. Loren West son of Mr. and Mrs. John West, is here spending a few days with relatives while en route from his former camp in Florida to Kingman, Ariz., where he will serve as an instructor in the air corps.

EXPECTING ACTION

Cpl. George H. (Blackie) Poteet, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Poteet, is here spending a few days with home folks before leaving for overseas. His wife, who accompanied him here from Camp Runnels, Pa., expects to remain here while her husband is away.

Okla. Lane Senior Play on Friday Nite

"George in a Jam", a three-act comedy-drama, will be presented by the Oklahoma Lane seniors at that auditorium on Friday night, April 21st.

The play will begin promptly at 9 o'clock and admission charges are 10, 15 and 25 cents. Proceeds will go to the athletic fund to buy sweaters.

Rosamond Booth was a weekend visitor in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Nally have returned home from Amarillo, where they have been the past several weeks while she was receiving treatment for her eyes. She is considerably improved.

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Pioneer Shriners To Be Honored, May 22nd

Khiva Temple, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, will honor the pioneer Shriners of the Panhandle at its pioneer ceremonial in Amarillo, May 22. A special invitation has been extended to all charter and early members of the Temple to attend the ceremonial. A John Snider barbecue will be held at noon and the entire ceremonial will be held in the Masonic Temple building the Shrine recently purchased.

John McCarty is the illustrious Potentate of Khiva Temple and Fred Galle is Recorded. The Potentate's aides of Parmer county are J. C. Wilkerson of Farwell C. S. Bainum Jr., of Friona, and L. F. Lillard of Friona.

REVIVAL AT OKLA. LANE

Rev. Roscoe Trostle, pastor of the Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church, today announced a series of revival services to be held at the church, beginning on May 3 and continuing through May 14. Services will be conducted twice daily, at 11 a. m. and 9 p. m. Rev. U. S. Sherrill will do the preaching. The singing will be directed by Rev. Trostle.

Dr. G. A. Foote, formerly of this city but now of Lubbock, is here for a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kepley. He is recuperating from injuries sustained in a recent

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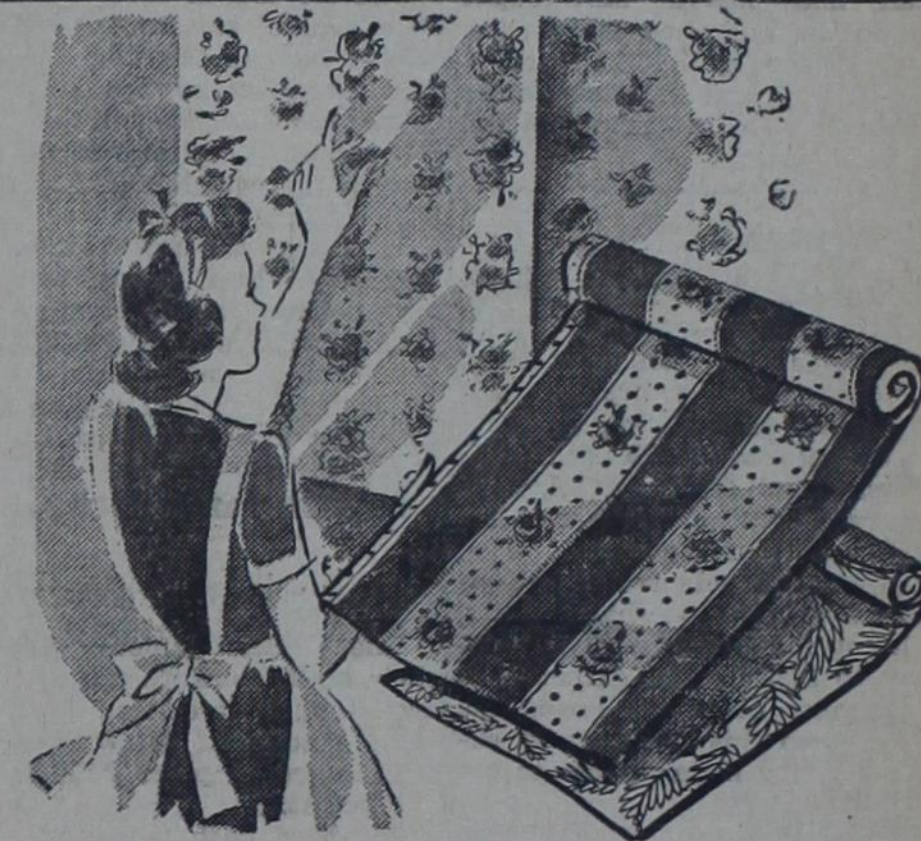
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Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Banks Jr., and family of Clovis, spent the weekend near Farwell with his parents.

J. P. Mills, of Lubbock, spent the weekend with his son Ellis M. Mills, and family, in this city.



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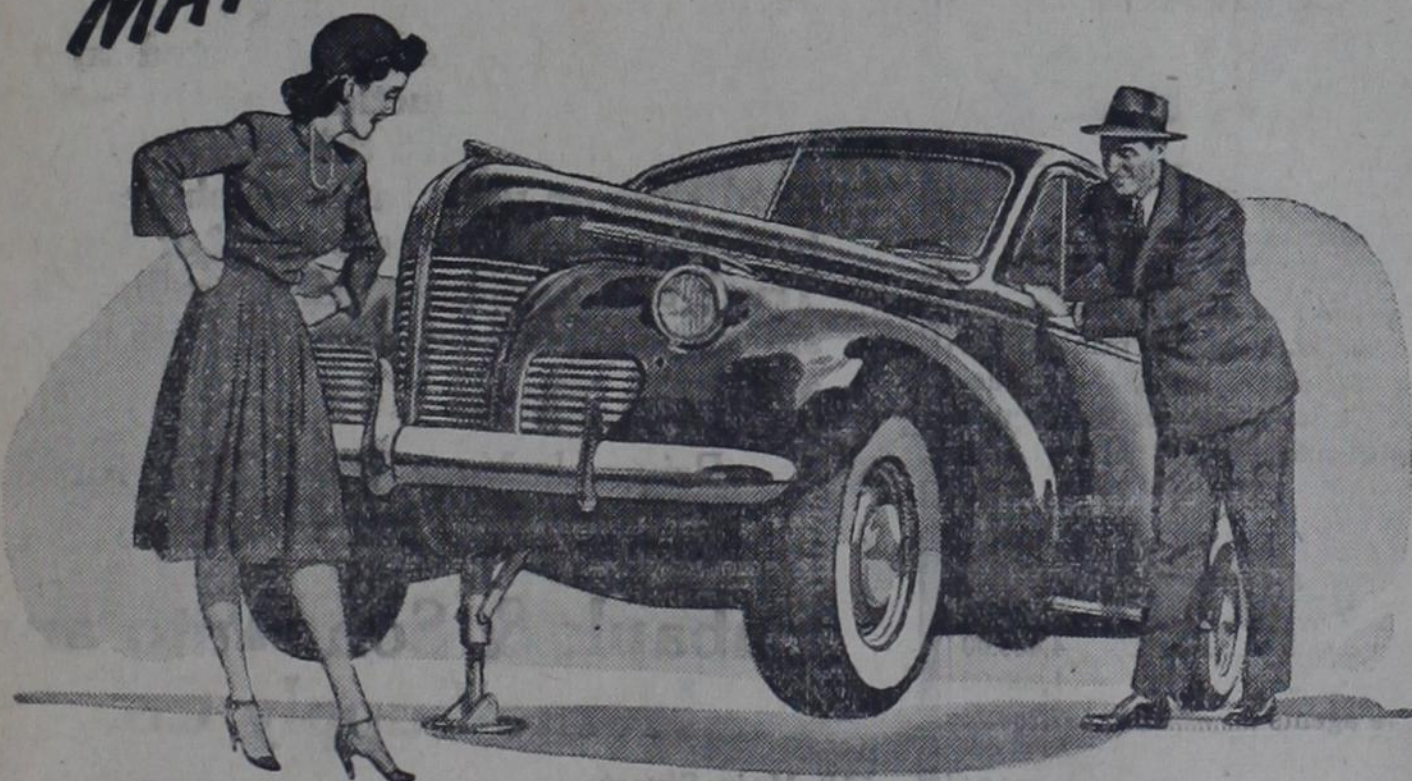
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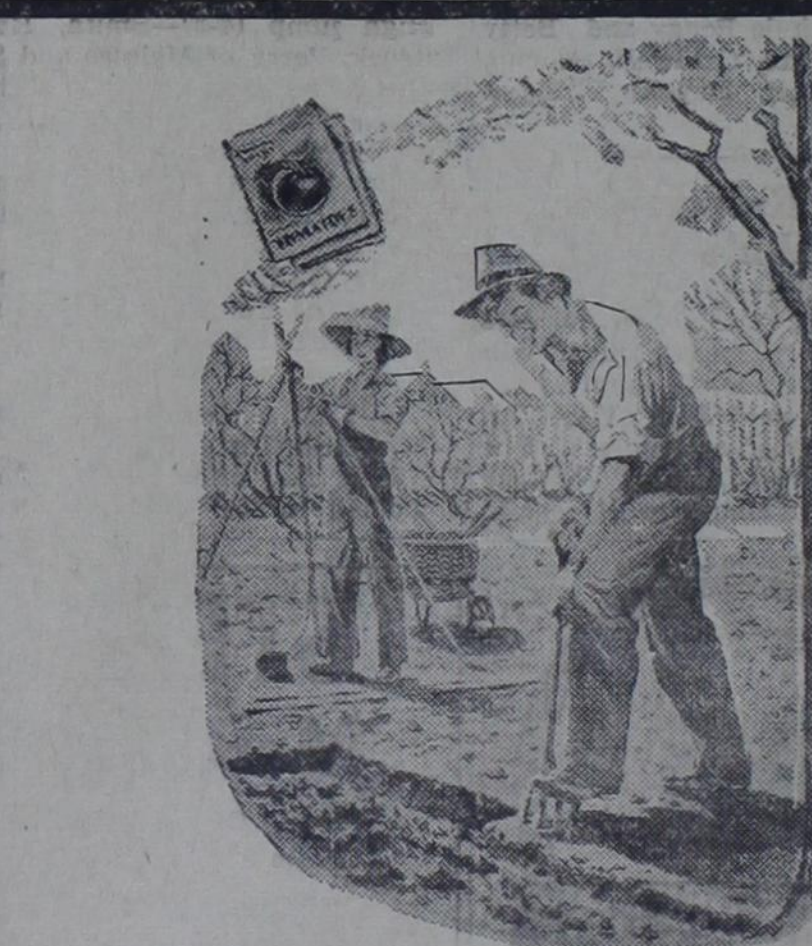
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Farwell Girls Take Volleyball Matches

The Farwell volleyball team, comprised of high school girls, won a set of three out of five games last Friday, when they contested the Bovina team on that court.

The girls will wind up the season with the county tournament, which is to be held at Bovina on April 29. Saturday of next week.

Boys of the school are playing softball, and lost a hard-fought match to the Muleshoe aggregation the past Friday, by a 15-22 score. A county tournament for such teams will also be held in Bovina on the 29th.

Fox Relays Will Get Entrants From Here

The annual Fox Relays, a track and field meet sponsored by the Fort Sumner school, will be held there on Saturday and Coach C. E. Sanders, of the Texico school, indicated today that he would have several entrants at the meet.

In two meets held recently, Texico has been high on the winning list, losing the county meet last Saturday to Melrose but garnering a high number of points during the activities and this weekend is expected to bring more ribbons to the local boys.

Bowers, Drace, Eoop, Doolittle, Francis, White and Baker are expected to be entered.

Curry Volleyball Meet on April 22

A volleyball tournament for girls' teams will be held Saturday, April 22, at the Pleasant Hill school, with a number of teams from over Curry county lined up for play.

Coach Viola Rodewald, of the local school, stated that her girls were priming for the meet with hopes of carrying one of the coveted trophies home. In a set of games last week, Texico defeated Farwell three in a row, she added.

Players include Peggy and Betty Flye, Blair, Hall, Caldwell, Selman, Baker, Calouet, Haynes Williams and Murphy.

Farmers Responsible For Edible Fats, Oils

Now is the time when farmers make the crop plans which will make or break our oil supply position for 1945, said B. V. Vance, of the AAA at College Station. "We are fixed all right for 1944. We have had the biggest slaughter of hogs in

history. We have turned out the oil from the 1943 crop of soybeans, peanuts and flax—the biggest ever grown here. We are going to be able to import more from foreign countries than earlier in the war.

"But what about 1945?" Vance goes on. "Farmers will give the answer with plantings of oil crops this spring. We will need even more fats and oil in 1945 than in 1944. That will be a year of heavy demand for explosives and other military products of the oil crops for great demands for fats as food. But it will be a year of smaller production of animal fats, as the hog population declines under need of adjustment to feed supplies. We will have 400 to 500 million pound less of these fats than in 1944 which must be replaced with oil crops. That replacement will require the full national goal acreage of these crops. Should oil crop acreage fall short of the goal for 1944, the nation risks falling shy of a critical war material in 1944." Vance concluded in urging farmer to plant more oil crops.

MELROSE TAKES FIRST

(Continued from front page.)

The Texico juniors outstepped their senior constituents of the day by taking their division of the meet with a score of 88, while Melrose was in second place with 71.

Placements:
100 yard dash (13)—House, Melrose; Dickinson, Melrose; McDonald, Texico; Foster, Melrose; Smart, Texico.

220 (31.1)—McDonald, Dickinson, Smith, Texico; Foster, House.
440 (record, 71 seconds)—House, Foster, Smart, Curtis of Texico; Burdine of Melrose.

Shot (32-6)—Smith; Baldock, Texico; McDonald, House; Gonzales of Melrose.
Discus (81-10)—Smith, Gonzales, Baldock; Wade, Melrose; Petefist, Melrose.

Javelin (105-4)—Smith, Baldock, McDonald, Wade, Gonzales.

Vault (7 ft.)—Baldock, A. Doolittle, Texico; Dickson and Sprinkle, Melrose, tied for fourth; May.

High jump (4-6)—Smith, House, Baldock, Pery of Melrose and Saxton of Melrose, three tied for third.

Broad jump (15-6)—Burdine, Baldock, Smith, Sprinkle, House.

Low hurdles (20.5)—McDonald, Baldock, House, Dickinson, A. Doolittle.

Relay (59.2)—Texico, Melrose, Smith, of Texico, was high man with a total of 26.

The English flag of St. George, the Scottish flag of St. Andrew, and the Irish flag of St. Patrick are all embodied in the Union Jack.

Another 4-H Contest Begins Next Month

Another production contest for 4-H club boys will open in Parmer County around the 15th of May. County Agent Garlon A. Harper has announced, upon receipt of information from Sears-Roebuck Co., sponsors.

Under the rules, eight boys in the county will be selected to participate. A registered gilt is given to each contestant by Sears-Roebuck, and in addition, one registered boar is placed in the county, to be used for breeding purposes.

In the fall, a show of the gilts will be held, with the county winner placing himself in position to receive a registered heifer as prize. Second place winner will get a choice of 125 baby chicks, 63 turkey eggs or 31 baby turkeys; and third, fourth and fifth place winners will have a choice between 100 baby chicks, 50 turkey eggs, or 25 baby turkeys.

Following the county judging, each county winner will participate in a district show at Amarillo. At that time the registered heifers will be on hand and the boys will select their animals according to the way they place at the district show.

Second, third and fourth place winners also receive the same prizes as those given for county placements.

In the spring, each boy who has received a gilt this year will be required to return a gilt to the company, to carry on the contest to other clubbers. Chester White stock will be used exclusively, Harper said.

Factory Seconds Are Available to Drivers

New passenger tire "factory seconds" are now available to motorists who have heretofore been eligible for only Grade 3 passenger tires, J. Doyle Settle, district rationing executive, announce.

Likewise, new passenger tube "seconds" may be acquired without certificate as they have been removed from rationing.

New "factory seconds" are tires or tubes which manufacturer has found to be imperfect and upon which he has placed special identifying mark or from which he has removed the brand name. The tires have a price ceiling 25 per cent less than for perfects.

16 ADDITIONS AT BOVINA

A revival meeting which had been in progress for ten days at the Methodist Church at Bovina, came to a close Sunday night with 16 additions, Rev. Roscoe Trostle, pastor, announced today. Fourteen of the additions were by conversion and two came by letter he said.

Rev. Hubert Bracher, of Ralls, did the preaching during the services.

Five University of Texas students from as many Latin-American countries were recently interviewed in a "Vox Pop" radio program carried over 126 stations on a national hook-up. The program was also recorded by the War Department for rebroadcast to Latin-American countries on shortwave.

Price Panel Makes Restaurant Check

Price panel representatives checked all restaurants and cafes in the county this week in the second major phase of their current price program, J. B. Mooney, district price executive for OPA, states.

The visits were part of the national anti-inflation program for developing understanding and compliance with price regulations governing all restaurants and other types of eating establishments.

"Consumers spend about one of every eight dollars in eating and drinking establishments, so you can readily see that the check was one having a direct bearing on the cost of living. Americans today are spending three times as much in restaurants and cafes as they did on the average in the period from 1935 to 1939," according to Mooney.

IN HOSPITAL AT LUBBOCK

Mrs. Frank Phillips and Mrs. L. T. Utzman, both living southeast of this city are recovering in a Lubbock hospital from major operations, which they underwent several days ago. Both are reported to be progressing nicely, but it will likely be some time before they will be discharged.



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RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, including overdrafts	\$ 429,923.75
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	527,500.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	6,000.00
Bank premises owned	4,400.00
Furniture, fixtures and equipment	1,000.00
Cash on hand and due from approved reserve agents	597,780.33
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check on demand	20,238.73
TOTAL RESOURCES	1,586,842.81

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	25,000.00
Surplus: Certified \$25,000; not certified \$10,000	35,000.00
Undivided Profits	5,228.99
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check on demand	5,209.97
Demand individual deposits	1,439,211.84
Demand public funds, including postal savings and U. S. government deposits	46,619.25
Time certificates of deposit	30,572.76
Total all deposits: \$1,521,613.82	
TOTAL LIABILITIES	1,586,842.81

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Parmer, I, L. S. Pool, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

L. S. POOL

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of April, 1944.

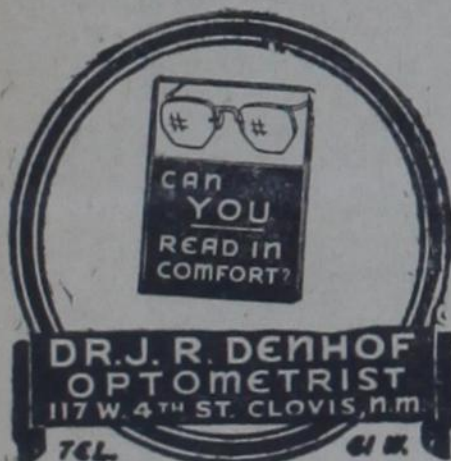
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