

Few Deferements In View for Under '6

There will be few men under 26 years of age left on the farms of Farmer County if the new Selective Service regulations, as interpreted by State Director J. Watt Page are complied with by local boards.

This was the conclusion reached here last Thursday, when the Farmer board, in a special meeting to talk over classifications, heard Capt. B. C. Caldwell representative from State Selective Service headquarters.

Capt. Caldwell, speaking in behalf of the State Director, gave an interpretation of the new regulations to mean that unless it could be definitely shown that the farm on which a boy under 26 years of age was employed would go out of production, such a man should be made available for the armed forces.

He pointed out that already more than 90% of the men under 26 now engaged in industry are soon to be in uniform, and left a strong intimation that such a program might not be asking too much of the men in agricultural pursuits.

Capt. Caldwell reiterated the provisions of the regulations in calling attention to local board members that "manpower needs for any activity aside from the armed forces are secondary".

Meanwhile, board members pondered the recommendations of Capt. Caldwell as they looked forward to a meeting to be held Saturday afternoon at which time classifications will be up for consideration.

Five Leave Sunday For Army Training

Five Farmer county selectees were inducted the first of the week to begin receiving their training in the army with two of them shipped out of here on Sunday morning and three being transferred to other boards for induction.

Leaving here Sunday for Fort Sill, Okla. were Herman Hugh Henson, Jr., and Leonard Martin Gee. The three others inducted the first of the week include Carl Leo Manns, James Perry Patterson and Donald Gene Hastings. Manns was inducted in California, Patterson was transferred to Childress, Texas and Hastings went from an Oklahoma board.

A navy call of only one man will be filled here on Thursday of this week.

SANTA FE CARLOADINGS

Santa Fe System carloadings for week ending April 22 were 21,455 compared with 22,446 for same week in 1943. Cars received from connections totaled 13,957 compared with 13,894 for same week in 1943. Total cars moved were 35,432 compared with 36,340 for same week in 1943. Santa Fe handled a total of 33,027 cars in the preceding week this year.

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Gives Trench Concert in Italy



Corp. T. Gallacher, at the organ. Seated at the console of a captured organ in a trench in Italy the corporal is about to begin an impromptu entertainment for the English Tommies seen with him. Just 800 yards from the soldiers' position another concert-shellfire—is being given for the Italians by the British Fifth army.



REVIVALIST—Rev. O. W. Carter, pastor of the First Methodist Church at Childress, Texas, and brother of Supt. J. T. Carter of this city, who has been engaged to do the evangelistic preaching in a revival meeting at the Methodist Church in this city, August 6-20.

Ford High Individual In Tech Crop Judging

Making the highest score in the history of the Texas Tech sponsored FFA judging contest, Ray Ford, of the Farwell agriculture department, last weekend stepped off with high individual honors in the crop judging contest.

Ford's high rank was established over sixty-nine boys participating in the contest, according to T. A. McCusiston local director, with three divisions included in crop judging program. J. W. Herington placed as third high individual in seed identification.

Ford, Herington and Sam Young, the third member of the local crop judging team, placed fifth in the contest involving 23 teams. The boys from Friona, whose names were not learned here, placed as the second high team in the contest.

The poultry judging team from Farwell, made up of E. D. Harvey, Hershel Harding and Bobbie Jack Barlow, placed ninth in competition with 37 other teams.

TIME TO RENEW SERVICE SUBS

Persons who are sending papers to the following service men are advised that the subscriptions have expired, or will expire in the near future:

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Failure to renew within two weeks will cause these papers to be dropped from our subscription list.

Action Ordered on Delinquent Taxes

Texico Man Announces for Congress

Sudan Program Is Outlined for Farmers

Payment for the harvesting of sudan grass seed as a conservation practice was made possible late in March by the Southern Region AAA director, who approved the practice for Texas at the request of the State Committee.

However Ellis M. Mills, local AAA supervisor, pointed out today that there was considerable misunderstanding about the program, and today set forth the following facts:

When sudan grass yielding 300 pounds or more per acre and testing 90% purity is threshed, payment may be claimed within the limits of a specified 25-acre per farm allowance at \$3.50 per farm. If the yield falls below 300 pounds per acre, payment will be made on a "double-up" plan. Thus, a plot yielding only 150 pounds would be eligible for payment on the basis of two acres for one, with the 300 pounds base maintained.

Does Not Affect Acreage

This program definitely does not affect the farm's acreage Mills said, adding, "the limit of 25 acres for payment under this practice is in no sense a limit on the amount of sudan which may be planted."

A farmer who threshes 100 acres of sudan is eligible for the payment of 3.50 per acre only on the first 25 acres, provided he has not already earned the full limited farm allowance through other practices, but if he wants to plant 500 acres of sudan he can do so.

Entirely apart from this conservation payment for harvesting sudan seed is the announced government loan and purchase price of six cents per pound for the sudan. Neither of these programs affects the other, it was stressed. Loans or outright sale of sudan to the government can be had by farmers who collect the incentive payment.

The government will purchase the crop outright at the set price on a basis of 98% purity and 85% germination or it will offer non-recourse loans. Complete specifications on the loans have not yet been announced.

"There is an acute shortage of sudan seed over the nation," Mills said in conclusion, adding, "this area in Texas produces the highest germinating sudan seed in the nation, and we are anxious that farmers plant plenty of the crop this spring."

Good Representation Attends Convention

A good representation from the four counties embraced in the State Line Singing Convention was present here Sunday to enjoy the all-day program. Most of the attendants put in their appearance in the afternoon to fill the Farwell school auditorium to capacity.

At the business session, S. E. Morris of this city was named president; M. C. Morgan of Portales, vice president; and Earl Edwards, Clovis, secretary-treasurer.

Two counties in Texas—Parker and Bailey—and two in New Mexico—Curry and Roosevelt—comprise the bounds of the association, which holds its annual meeting in Farwell every spring.

Former Homesteader Passes In Illinois

Mrs. S. C. Hunter has been advised of the death of her brother, M. B. Bowles, age 68, at Hallsville, Ill.

Mr. Bowles homesteaded a few miles west of Texico back in 1907, but left shortly after proving up to return to Illinois, where he has resided since that time.

Mrs. Hunter was unable to attend the funeral of her brother on account of Mr. Hunter's condition. He is recuperating from an illness of three weeks ago.

A special petroleum coordinator has been added to the staff of the University of Texas Industrial Teacher-Training Bureau to help the petroleum industry with its worker-training program.



CANDIDATE—M. C. Roberts, Texico grain dealer, who has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination to Congress from New Mexico.

Republicans of County Planning To Organize

A movement has been on foot in Farmer county for the past several weeks to form an active Republican organization in this county with the view of combatting the influences of the New Deal, it was announced here on Tuesday by F. W. Reeve of Friona, active Republican leader of the county.

"It is not our intention to make any attempt to put a county ticket in the field this year," Reeve said. "On the other hand, we are enlisting the support of substantial Democrats of the county in our organization who are opposed to the policies of the New Deal and join hands with us to help defeat Roosevelt for president."

Reeve said that already he had succeeded in lining up a number of good Democrats of the county, who have agreed to act as Republican committeemen in their respective precincts.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. Junior Crume were weekend visitors at Hobbs, N. M.

Tribune Job Printing Is Best

M. C. Roberts, Texico grain dealer who styles himself as a "Texas-born Democrat", formally announced his candidacy for the office of congressman from New Mexico on the Republican ticket over the past weekend.

In announcing his candidacy, Roberts said that he planned to test a state law in New Mexico if it became necessary to permit his name to appear on the Republican ticket, and would carry the fight to the supreme court of the state if necessary.

Under the law in New Mexico, party affiliations cannot be changed and a candidate allowed a place on a party ticket unless he has registered under the banner of that party for at least a year in advance of his becoming a candidate.

In making his announcement, the Texico aspirant explains that although a Texas born Democrat, he has "been working and voting for the Republican party since 1936 when John L. Lewis gave Mr. Roosevelt the half million dollars for a deed to the White House and became the invisible dictator of the Democratic party".

Roberts was recently elected Mayor of Texico, the first Republican to ever be so honored by local voters.

Young Mother Buried At Bovina, Tuesday

Funeral services for Mrs. Ruth Imogene Kersey, age 28, and the mother of three small children, were held at the Pentecostal Church in Bovina Tuesday afternoon, and burial took place in that city.

Mrs. Kersey, who lived with her family in the Oklahoma Lane community, died in Clovis on Sunday following an operation. She is survived by her husband, Alvon C. Kersey, and three children Allan Dale, nine, Jimmie, six, and Glenna Ruth, two.

Other survivors include her father, W. E. Parson of Albuquerque, N. M.; and seven brothers and sisters, Carl Parson, Mrs. F. L. Reddout, Mrs. M. E. Vaughn, Mrs. Edith Fitzgerald and H. H. Parson, all of Edmond, Okla.; M. E. Parson of Oklahoma City; and Mrs. George Karns of this city.

LIGHT SHOWER SATURDAY

A very light shower, accompanied by some fine hail fell here early Saturday morning. The shower appears to have been fairly general, but too light to be of much benefit to the wheat, which is needing rain badly.

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Senator Hatch Discusses Post-war Responsibilities of United Nations

United States Senator Carl Hatch of Clovis, in keeping with his amiable disposition, declined to discuss politics when he appeared before the Men's Club here last Thursday evening in its regular monthly meeting.

Rather, he launched into an earnest discussion of a resolution he and three other U. S. Senators had introduced in the Senate with reference to post-war plans and the part the United States as a member of the United Nations, must play in the adjustment of world affairs.

"We simply took the position that a definite understanding should be reached now when the United Nations are demanding our munitions, our ships and our boys," he observed in opening the discussion.

He said that the first and primary consideration of all the members of the United Nations was the winning of the war in the shortest possible time. Then turning to the point of rehabilitation, Senator Hatch admitted that this was the part of the resolution that was being contested. "Those opposed to the resolution claim that to undertake to rehabilitate the impoverished people of the world would only result in a worldwide WPA," he said, adding that it was his opinion exactly the opposite would be true.

"We take the position that to as-

know better. We must be guided by these examples."

Finally, he said, in order to maintain a world-wide peace, "we must set up the necessary machinery and back it by force, or we will have another war." At this point he observed that European nations have never abided by treaties, and said that Hitler would never have made his march into Poland if the League, backed by necessary force, had been in operation.

In conclusion he made the passionate plea "I am not asking you if you are Democrat or Republican. I am asking if we will be willing to sacrifice if need be for the benefit of our country and mankind."

Senator Hatch was accompanied here by A. W. Skarda and Joe Winkerson both of Clovis, who were introduced as visitors. Both men expressed a desire to meet with the local Club on other occasions.

The County Commissioners Court has instructed Tax Collector Earl Booth to begin immediate steps to collect all delinquent taxes in Farmer County.

Acting on these instructions, Booth stated the first of the week that he was making preparations to bring suit to force collections on all delinquent taxes immediately. He said he planned to begin work at once, so that the suits might be filed in time for the forthcoming session of the district court in July.

At this point he modified the statement "all" to explain that "Certainly we do not intend to bring suit on such parcels of land as town lots, listed on the tax rolls as belonging to unknown owners". Such action, he explained, would only result in huge court costs piling up on many tracts that have no appreciable value.

Continuing further on such tracts, Booth said that suits could and would be instituted against such lands "when we have an interested party who will agree to buy the lands."

He would not attempt to estimate the amount of delinquent taxes now appearing on the Farmer county rolls, except to observe that "this county can boast of 100% collections".

Governor Recommends Action

The action of the County Commissioners in deciding to crack down on delinquencies crystallized at the meeting last fall of the West Texas Judges and Commissioners Association, when Governor Coke Stevenson, in an address before the assembly, pointed out that delinquent taxes in Texas stood at the appalling total of more than twenty-four million dollars, and laid the blame of this condition in the laps of the county commissioners.

According to County Judge Lee Thompson, the Governor pointed out that now was an opportune time to force these collections, "when everybody's got the money to pay up."

Interest and Penalty Added

Examinations reveal that in many instances the accrued interest and penalties that have been added to delinquencies will amount to more than the taxes themselves. As Judge Thompson pointed out that the Commissioners Court was without authority to "knock off" any of these added costs.

AWNING REMOVED

Weather beaten and dilapidated beyond repair, the awning of the Fox Drug Store was removed the latter part of last week as a public safety measure.

DRAFT BOARD TO MEET

Mrs. Bessie Lee Henneman, clerk of the local board, today announced a meeting of the draft board to be held Saturday April 29. Members of the board have been requested to assemble at 2 p. m., she said.

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PLEASANT HILL

Lt. Jimmy Spearman is home visiting his mother and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hopper.

The junior-senior banquet will be held Friday night at the school. Rev. Dearmore will preach at the Fundamental Church, Sunday.

Egel Bocox fell while at play last week, and cracked a bone in his arm near the elbow.

Mrs. Homes and baby daughter are here visiting her sister, Miss Bernice McCormick.

Mr. Hopper of Carlsbad, is here on a visit with his family.

The First Baptist Church closed its meeting Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Singletary returned recently from Hot Springs, N. M.

Word has been received that Mrs. A. M. Caldwell, who moved from here to Kansas last spring, has had an unsuccessful operation, and her friends are asked to send cards.

The ladies club will have its banquet, Saturday night, entertaining families of the members.

Marjory Whitener spent Sunday with Evelyn Parker.

Meat Advisory Group To Consult With OPA

Formation of a national meat industry advisory committee to advise and consult with the OPA was announced this week by Howard R. Gholson, district administrator.

The committee is made up of members who represent virtually every segment of the meat industry, including the farmer, the feeder, and the producer of cattle, lambs, and hogs along with the wholesaler, packer, retailer, and restaurant operator. All members were selected by members of the meat industry.

Functioning much like a board of directors, the new committee will occupy a position unique in food rationing. It will offer suggestions for improvement in rationing methods and will thoroughly discuss any suggestions offered by OPA officials having a bearing on the meat industry.

Seasonal Increases on Chickens and Fowls

Acting to get a better distribution of poultry throughout the year and to permit the surplus crop to be carried for distribution into the period of short supplies, the OPA through the Lubbock district office, has announced seasonal increases in prices for chickens and fowls.

These premiums, effective April 21, mean an average increase of two-thirds cents a pound in prices paid by the ultimate consumer of poultry over a year. For 1944 this is an estimated increase of \$15,000,000. The increase was authorized by the Office of Economic Stabilization to encourage production of live poultry during the short months and to encourage processors to store for these months.

Premiums are effective from April 21 through the balance of April, May and June this year, and for January through June, 1945. Schedule or January is 1/2 cent; February, 1c; March, 1.4 cents; April, 1 1/2 cents; May 2.2 cents; and June, 1 cent.

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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)



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

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

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 Ebb Randol. 23-tfc.

FOR SALE—640 acre improved stock farm, 7 N. one E. of Farwell. \$30 per acre. Will trade for land east of here. Jason Langford, Texico. 2tp

FOR SALE—1/2 section, 6 3-4 W., 1 1/2 N. Bovina, improved, 70 acres grass, rest cultivation. \$40 per acre. See or write Mrs. R. Snodderly, Rt. 2, Texico, N. M. 24-tfc

FOR SALE—2-room house, screened porch; not modern. Has 2 lots, 30 ft. barn. In Farwell. See Mrs. C. A. Long, next door to Bertie Osborn, in Farwell. 24-3tp

FOR SALE—3 milk cows, 1 fresh 2 heavy springers, 4 gallon cows. R B. Summers, Farwell. 24-3tp

FOR SALE—Re-cleaned sudan, free from Johnson grass and sacked at \$10 cwt. J. D. Thomas, Farwell. ttc

FOR SALE—International 4-bar side delivery rake. Odas Murphy, first house west Texico cemetery. 1t cent.

FOR SALE—Simmons studio couch, will make double bed. D. K. Roberts, Farwell. 24-tfc

ESTRAY—I have a light colored brindle heifer with an unintelligible brand on right hip; could be a lazy crutch. Has horns, and weighed about 200 when came here, June 20, 1943. Was freshly branded and painted at that time. Roy Williams, Route 2, Friona, 16 mile N.V. 24-2tp

ESTRAY—One roan filly, about year old. Owner please call and claim her, at the Dr. Johnson farm 1 mile north of town. 24-1tp

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WANTED—12-foot Baldwin combine. Ollie Williams, Farwell. 24-3t

SERVICEMEN ENROLLED

AUSTIN—A number of ex-servicemen, who enrolled for the spring semester in the School of Law at the University of Texas, has raised the low war-time enrollment considerably, Dean C. T. McCormick reports.

The 19 new students entering for this semester pulled the total registration of the school to 60.

Kind words are the music of the world.

WACS May Serve In Surrounding States

SPAAF, LUBBOCK—Women of the South Plains area may now choose any one of the numerous states, in Louisiana, New Mexico or Oklahoma at which to serve as members of the Women's Army Corps, it has been announced.

With the tempo of the war stepped up every day, more and more women are needed to take over essential jobs which will materially help speed the day of victory. Enlisted WACS has been notified that they may now wear a summer uniform of khaki tropical worsted material, similar to the summer uniform worn by WAC officers.

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But this year, upon our 42nd Anniversary, we celebrate simply with a reaffirmation of the Penney spirit—a determination to remain as homelike and neighborly as our many friends expect us to be.
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J. C. PENNEY, 1902, 1944

Experts Advocate More Victory Gardens in '44

COLLEGE STATION—A record number of victory gardens is imperative this year because there is a very real need for all of the food Texans can grow, says J. F. Rosborough, horticulturist for the A & M Extension Service.

Governor Prentice Cooper of Tennessee recently telegraphed Governor Coke R. Stevenson of Texas that a survey by the National Garden Advisory Committee, of which he is chairman, indicated lagging interest in planting gardens. He explained that maximum production of gardens will ease a series of critical wartime emergencies. For example, nearly 50 per cent of the 1944 commercially canned vegetables and 70 per cent of processed fruits have been reserved for government requirements. Moreover, the food needs of our allies have in some cases, doubled. Home grown food, Governor Cooper adds, helps to hold down living costs, and save transportation, manpower and scarce packing materials.

In the south half of Texas, Rosborough says, cold, wet weather has delayed or prevented planting cool weather vegetables such as English peas, spinach, cabbage, carrots and head lettuce. But these still can be planted in the northern half, with the possible exception of English peas. In areas where late April and May are likely to be hot the peas may mildew, but application of dusting sulphur will hold this disease in check.

In all areas sweet corn and white potatoes still may be planted and in central, east and south Texas green beans, squash, cucumber, swiss chard seed and tomato plants should go into the ground now. He suggests waiting until the soil has warmed thoroughly before planting butter beans and okra, or setting pepper and eggplant plants. Gardeners also should wait until both days and nights are warm before planting blackeyed peas, cantaloupes and watermelons. Inoculation of green and butter beans and blackeyed peas before planting will stimulate early growth and greater production.

"With a little effort and management most Texas families can produce an abundant supply of fresh vegetables for home use during the summer and fall," Rosborough says. "It's economical and patriotic to have a garden."

TWO TRAINING COURSES

AUSTIN—Inns Lake will be the site for two University of Texas teacher-training courses for public school and industrial vocational teachers to be held July 31-August 26, T. H. Shelby, dean of the Division of Extension, has announced.

The University's Industrial Teacher-Training Bureau will operate the extension school, jointly with Texas A & M and the State Department of vocational training.

Students—who will use workshop, dormitory and dining room facilities formerly used by NYA project—may obtain credit at either the University or A & M for work completed.

A World War I stratosphere flying suit—electrically wired, bear furlined and leather-covered—is one of the latest gifts to come to the Texas Memorial Museum on the University of Texas campus. This suit was rescued from the salvage drive, to be added to other World War I relics.

Cotton Acres Pay the Producer Big Return

DALLAS—Higher revenue per acre, as well as the acute need for products of cottonseed and lint cotton, should encourage farmers who have land, equipment and experience best adapted to this crop to increase acreage in 1944, says A. L. Ward, Educational Director, National Cottonseed Products Association.

Returns from marketing the 1943 crop of lint and cottonseed will average about \$62 per acre of cotton harvested, the USDA estimated in the February issue of "The Cotton Situation". This is the third highest return per acre on record and compares with the 1920-29 average of \$36 and the 1930-39 average of \$27 per acre.

Index of purchasing power of the returns per acre from cotton lint and seed in 1943 is estimated at about 140, compared with only 81 during the decade of the 1920's and 67 during the decade of the 1930's, the government report shows.

"Profit and patriotism combining as reasons for increasing cotton production this year," Ward pointed out, "because there is a critical need for cottonseed feed products and cottonseed oil for food, as well as for many products made from lint cotton including more than 11,000 used by the armed forces of the United States and our Allies."

"By increasing planted acreage, and using better planting seed, fertilizers where they are adapted to the soil, effective insect control measures and other proven methods of increasing yields and total production, thousands of farmers can contribute more to the war than by anything else they can do. They will also contribute more to their own income, make the best possible use of the limited labor supply, and insure their livestock a supply of essential and scarce protein feed which is necessary for efficient use of pastures, ranges, and farm grains."

"Cotton offers the individual grower and the nation more than any substitute crop that can be produced on the majority of farms in the Cotton Belt," Ward added. "Larger production is essential for a better balanced crop and livestock program."

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The Texas flag which accompanied the Texas 36th Division to Casablanca, Oran, Algiers and on to Italy was honored in a memorial service on the University of Texas campus recently in a program sponsored by the Austin Women's Victory committee

Seven University of Texas experts on community planning recently were called to serve as an advisory committee in assisting the Gainesville Chamber of Commerce and citizenry of Cooke County in setting in motion that country's post-war planning program.

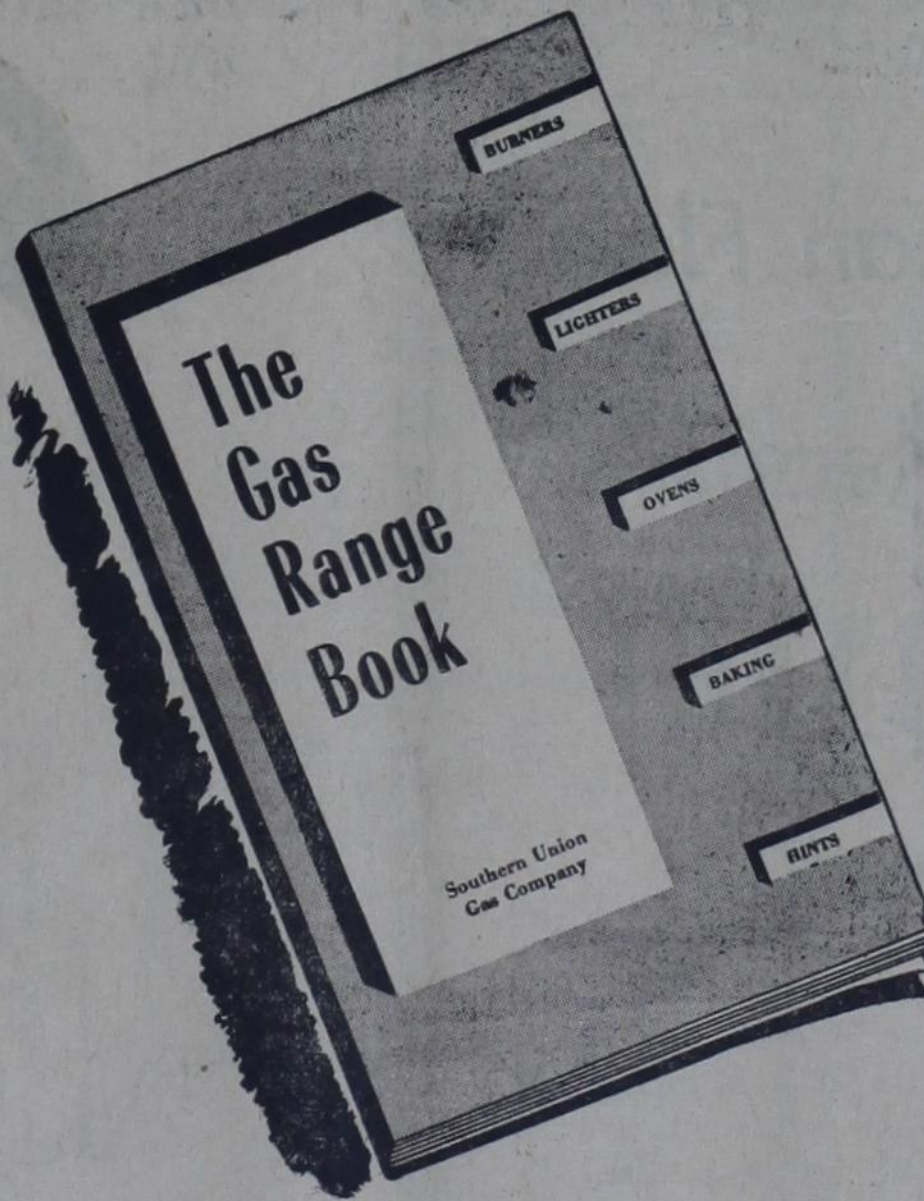
Two courses in retail merchandising—one for experienced sales persons the other for owners and executives—are available without cost to retailers of any city or community in Texas through the University of Texas Bureau of Industrial Teacher-Training. Itinerant teachers from the University bureau will set up courses or clinics to help retailers solve their problems including those centering around wartime tax matters.

Sigmund Freud is known as the founder of psychoanalysis.

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BOVINA NEWS

Mrs. C. N. Pipes, of Birmingham, Ala., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Tom Lloyd.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lloyd of Friona, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Lloyd and children, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Kelly of Childress, visited in the G. E. Free home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Vestal and daughter spent the weekend in Amarillo with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollin Farmer, of Amarillo visited here Sunday.

Donald Norton returned Sunday

from a trip to El Paso.

The two weeks revival at the Pentecostal Church closed Wednesday.

Mrs. U. B. Wheeler visited her son, J. H., in Amarillo Tuesday. He is in an Amarillo hospital recovering from a car wreck.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson and daughter have returned home.

M. and Mrs. Haskell Sudderth returned Sunday from Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kelly, of Clovis, visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jones of Denver, visited here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Denny returned

Friday from a visit in Fort Worth.

Sgt. L. C. Moore, of Amarillo, visited his parents, over the weekend.

Kenney Williams, son of Sgt. and Mrs. L. K. Williams, underwent a minor operation Sunday.

Mrs. Leola Hudson and son, of Oklahoma City, are visiting Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Howard of Bovina.

SHIP TO BE NAMED FOR FORMER EXTENSION MAN

COLLEGE STATION—The name of a former director of the A & M Extension Service, O. B. Martin, will be carried to the seven seas after a liberty ship now nearing completion joins the swelling American merchant marine. Mr. Martin died in 1935.

The cargo carrier will be launched and christened the O. B. Martin under the sponsorship of Texas 4-H clubs on April 27, wind, tide and weather permitting, at the yards of the Houston Shipbuilding Corporation. Grace Evelyn Constantin of El Campo, Wharton county, will name the vessel as the representative of the Texas 4-H club girls, and Billy Sol Estes of Callahan county, winner of the National Blue Ribbon award for achievement in 1943, will represent members of boys' clubs. Mrs. Grace M. Martin, widow of the honoree and present Montgomery county demonstration agent, will be matron of honor. Delegations of four club members from counties with a radius of 150 miles of Houston have been invited to the launching.

In recognition of their fine record in food production, the National Extension Service at Washington, through the Maritime Commission, last fall offered 4-H club members in the states an opportunity to select names or Liberty ships. More than 9,000 members of boys' and girls' clubs submitted nominations for a Texas sponsored ship and from the five leading the name of O. B. Martin was chosen.

Martin, director of the Texas Extension Service from 1928 until his death, was born on a small South Carolina farm in 1870. During a 6-year term as state superintendent of education in his native state, he put agriculture into the course of study in the common schools, and in other ways displayed interest and leadership in agricultural education. In March 1909, he was called to Washington to promote boys' demonstration work in the south.

His first task in the new position was to instruct county farm agents in the technique of organizing and conducting boys' corn clubs. Subsequently, he started girls' tomato clubs as a "direct attack" on the problems of the farm home, and introduced demonstration work with farm women. Moving to Texas, he set himself resolutely to making this state "the center of real farm and home demonstration work."

Industry is still booming in Texas to judge by its increased demand for electricity. In February industrial consumption of electric power was up 33.1 per cent over February, 1943.

NEW WAYS ARE FOUND FOR EGG STORAGE

COLLEGE STATION—Recent research has caused food preservation experts to change their minds about which part of the refrigerator eggs should be stored in. Put them in the hydrator.

The studies which led to this conclusion were made by the Utah Experiment Station, according to Mrs. Winifred Leverenz specialist in food preservation for the Texas A & M College Extension Service. Formerly, home economists recommended that eggs be stored in wire baskets in the refrigerator.

In the project, 10 homemakers cooperated by storing refrigerated eggs in open containers, in pasteboard cartons and in hydrators. Additional eggs were stored in a kitchen cupboard. At the end of a week the scientists found most of the eggs in the cupboard had deteriorated from Grade A to C, while some were not fit to eat.

The refrigerated eggs did much better, even though the grades for them went down also. Almost half of the eggs in cartons and open containers went down to Grade C, and the remainder became Grade B. However, only 5 per cent of the eggs in the hydrator went down to C, and 95 per cent of them were grade B at the end of the testing period.

Mrs. Levednz explains that the hydrator probably provides the most successful storage space since eggs contain a great deal of water and they require storage that is cool, fairly moist, and free from objectionable odors and movement of air. She warns that the natural "bloom" on an egg is necessary to its keeping well, so dirty eggs should not be washed. They may be wiped with a rough dry cloth.

Incidentally, with the current surplus of eggs, Mrs. Leverenz hopes most Texas families are eating so many they need not be kept in the refrigerator long.

FEBRUARY SHOWS GAIN IN FARMERS INCOME

AUSTIN—Substantial gains in Texas farmers' incomes during February came from fruits and vegetables, milk products, rice and hogs, helping to increase the total receipts from farm products by more than 9 per cent over February, 1943.

Texas farmers sold 55 million dollars worth of farm products during February, Dr. F. A. Buechel, analyst for Texas University's Bureau of Business Research, pointed out. Though drops occurred in income from cattle, calves and a few products of minor importance at this season of the year, the declines were not heavy enough to off-set gains in the other products.

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Local Happenings

Golden Addresses Joint Club, Guild Meeting

President Floyd Golden of Eastern New Mexico College, Portales, was the guest speaker, Tuesday night, at a joint meeting of the Wesleyan Guild and the Texico-Farwell Woman's Club, held at the Methodist Church.

"The Silent Billions Speak", a book by Dr. F. C. Laubach, was discussed by President Golden. Dealing with the fight against illiteracy, the review told of the work in the Philippines, at Singapore, in India and Africa among the illiterate peoples of those areas.

A large crowd comprised of members of the two groups, their husbands and other special guests, gathered to hear the program.

Mrs. Ellis Mills was in charge of the short devotional following which Mrs. W. H. Graham sang a solo. The speaker was introduced by Mrs. J. T. Carter.

After the program, the Woman's Club held a short business meeting, voting to give the old bandstand in Farwell to the Boy Scout troop of the city, which the Scouts may turn into a hut for their meetings. The ladies also voted to sponsor the lyceum programs at the Farwell school next year, naming as a committee Mesdames W. B. LeVeque, Carter, and Claude Rose.

New members accepted by the Club were Mrs. D. K. Roberts, Mrs. Tom Foster and Mrs. Lenton Pool.

Baptist Church Observes Intermediate Week

Many of the 30,000 Baptist churches throughout the Southern Baptist Convention are observing the week of April 23-30 as "intermediate" week, Rev. W. C. Wright, local pastor, said today, with special emphasis being placed upon the place of intermediate boys and girls in the life of the church.

The local Baptist's contribution to the campaign will be an intermediate banquet in the church basement on Thursday night of this week. Intermediates will also have charge of the worship service in the church Sunday morning, with the pastor bringing a special message.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner Paine announce the arrival of a 6 lb. 11 oz. daughter, born April 21.

FFA Boys Hold Annual Celebration, Tuesday

Dr. E. E. Kraus of Clovis, was the visiting speaker at the annual father-son banquet of the Texico FFA department, which was held Tuesday night of this week at the school.

Belvin Freeman served as toastmaster for the evening, first introducing W. E. Martin, who delivered the invocation, after which the welcome was given by Kenneth Jacques, and the response made by Mr. Martin.

Guests of the chapter were introduced by Victor Siour, sponsor. FFA accomplishments were reviewed by Francis Smotherman and a solo was sung by Supt. B. A. Rogers. James Paul delivered the FFA creed, and the chapter officials closed the program.

Clever programs, bearing place-cards and the "FFA" insignia on the outside, were used as table decorations. The majority of class members, with their fathers, were in attendance.

Carter Will Speak at Methodist Church

J. T. Carter, superintendent of the Farwell school, will speak at the Methodist Church on Sunday morning April 30, in the absence of the pastor, it was announced today.

Services the past Sunday were conducted by Ellis M. Mills, at the morning hour, and District Superintendent Sims, of Clovis, at the evening hour.

Farwell Father-Son Banquet On Friday

A roast pork dinner will be given at the Farwell school, Friday night, when the local FFA boys treat their fathers to their own product.

T. A. McCuiston, head of the group, stated the first of the week that a special program would be arranged, but details were not complete.

Superintendents Meet

Superintendents of all Parmer county schools are meeting tonight (Wednesday), with R. E. Everett, Lazbuddy school head, as host, at that school. An oyster fry will be enjoyed for the social and business matters attended.

NEWS FROM OUR BOYS IN CAMPS



PIPKIN LEAVES

Jess Herbert Pipkin, serving with the paratroopers, left here Sunday after spending a week with his parents Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Pipkin, to return to duty at Camp McCall, North Carolina.

AT FORT DIX

Word has been received here that Staff Sergeant Kirt Crume, son of C. E. Crume of this city, is now stationed at Camp Dix, New Jersey. His wife, the former Mary Carrington of Clovis, is there with him.

SCOTT IS PROMOTED

W. E. Williams, of Bovina, writes that he has heard recently from Thomas Elmo Scott, son of Mrs. Edna Scott of Bovina. Scott is stationed in England, and has recently been promoted to captain. He adds that he likes England very well.

JAP MONEY, SHARK FISHING IN THE SOUTH PACIFIC

Ensign Forest Bell, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bell of near Texico, is having a number of new experiences "somewhere in the South Pacific", judging from recent letters his parents have received.

In one Bell tells of some of the crew going shark fishing. "Caught a couple about 4 or 5 feet long, and weighing about 150 lbs. They are really mean looking. I wouldn't want to get tangled up with one. . . . Another bunch tied a 5-gallon can to one of the shark's tail and sealed the can up then threw him back. He tried to go under, of course, but couldn't, as the can wouldn't let him. He disappeared over the horizon still dragging the can."

Bell also relates the experience of a Marine, who discovered a Jap safe and blew it open—revealing some \$15,000 in good American money. The group Bell is with had been without mail and fresh fruit and vegetables for some weeks, he says but adds that "The navy has found us and we have had mail, fresh fruit and vegetables. We also have some fresh milk, real, honest cow's milk. It's sort of lumpy because it has been frozen several months, and it doesn't taste at all like milk, but it's good because it comes from cows and not from cans."

Marriage Performed

Miss Lillie Bee House, of Clovis, and Pvt. Wm. J. Hyatt, Jr., of Pennsylvania, stationed at the Clovis Air Base, were married here Saturday by County Judge Lee Thompson.

The ceremony was performed at the courthouse. It was understood that the couple would make their home in Clovis.

Mrs. Therese Hancock, of Lubbock, visited over the weekend with relatives in Farwell.

Mrs. Raymond Ross and daughter, of Morton, visited the first of the week with her parents in Farwell.

Packed House Greeted Farwell Class Play

A packed house greeted the Farwell seniors on Monday evening of this week when their stage attraction, a three-act comedy entitled "Meet My Wives" was presented at the school auditorium.

Based on the misadventures of Billy Zanders (Junior Harding), who is in love with Ann Whitney (Peggy Williams) and must get her old maid sister, Prudence (Margarete Big-ham) safely married before he can wed Ann, the comedy rolled along to its finale, with the lovers finally straightening things out to everybody's satisfaction.

Comedy highlights of the play were provided by Olaf Swanson (Pete Booth) as the matrimonial agency boyfriend of Tessie, the cook, played by Thea White, while Muggins Graham, switching blithely from the character of Hank Evans to an impersonation of Uncle Zebediah Zanders, did good work. The best character part of the play was that of the marrying-minded Prudence, with Miss Big-ham giving a good interpretation of a typical old maid.

The play was cast in the home of Alix and Loretta Ware, newlyweds of a month, played by Bert Williams and Tommy Ruth Shelly, Cuddles La Rose, chorus girlfriend of Hank Evans, who poses as Alix' wife in the mixup, was played by Marilyn Anderson; Mary Bobst acted the part of Mrs. Thurston Thwacker, allergy-minded mother of Loretta; and the real Uncle Zebediah was Wilbert Kalbas.

Home From California

Mrs. Walter Moeller and baby son visited in Farwell with relatives, on Tuesday. She was enroute to Muleshoe to make her home after spending some time in Encino, Cal. with her husband. Lt. Moeller is now flying a P-38 in overseas action.

Visitors Here

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Rollins, former local residents who have engaged in airplane construction work on the West Coast for the past several months, have been visiting relatives and friends here for the past few days.

On Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Davis left here Tuesday morning for points in East Texas where they will spend the next several days visiting relatives and friends. They went from here by auto to Palestine, Texas and expect to be gone about a week.

To Illinois

Mrs. V. Scott Johnson and children, accompanied by Rev. and Mrs. Paul H. Tripp, left Sunday morning for Cairo and Carmi, Illinois. Mrs. Johnson was called to Carmi by the illness of her mother. They expect to be gone through the current week.

Sgt. John A. Graham, of Lubbock, was a weekend visitor in the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Graham.

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Processed foods: Book 4, blue stamps A8 through K8 good for 10 points each valid indefinitely.

Shoes: Book 1, No. 18, expires April 30. Book 3, stamp 2 with airplane picture, valid May 1, indefinitely. Book 3 stamp 1 with airplane picture, good indefinitely.

Gasoline: A coupons, 3 gals., No. 11 expires June 21. B-2, C-2 and C-3 books, 5 gals.; R, 5 gals.; red T designated second quarter, 5 gals.; D, 1½ gals.; E, 1 gal.

DINNER PARTY HELD

Guests at a dinner party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lenton Pool on Tuesday evening were President and Mrs. F. D. Golden of Portales, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. LeVeque, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Mills, all of Farwell, and Mrs. John R. Pool, who was enroute to Oregon to join her husband at Camp White.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Sterlyn Billington on Sunday, April 23, a son, who weighed 7 pounds. Mother and baby are doing fine.

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RANCH STYLE BEANS	11c
1 lb. can	
DIAMOND MATCHES	25c
6-box carton	
RIPE OLIVES	17c
Pint can	
WHITE SWAN CATSUP	19c
14 oz. bottle	
AUNT JEMIMA CORN MEAL	25c
5 lb. bag	
CLABBER GIRL BAKING POWDER	19c
2 lb. can	
STOKLEY'S BABY FOOD	15c
Assorted kinds, 2 for	
POST TOASTIES	09c
11 oz. box	
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BRIMFULL GRAHAM CRACKERS	29c
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Farming Talk

By GARLON A. HARPER
County Agricultural Agent

Victory Gardens

Victory gardens this year in Parmer County are going to be larger in numbers and size. Our present problem is to make them larger in total production. There are many factors which are important for the victory gardener to consider, such as the proper location, use of proper fertilizers, watering, time to plant different varieties of vegetables, and insect control. Probably the last mentioned is one of the most important.

Yesterday I heard a specialist in entomology make a statement that is entirely logical, yet I had never exactly thought of the matter that way. This man said that the care and attention a gardener gives a garden to make it the most productive provides ideal living conditions for garden insects and is just like loading down a Thanksgiving dinner table for these insects. This, of course, is very true. When you give your vegetables a good start and get them off right you are providing the type and kind of food these insects best thrive on. SO THIS INCREASES OUR PROBLEM IN CONTROLLING THESE INSECTS AND MAKES IT NECESSARY THAT WE LEARN HOW TO CONTROL THEM AND PUT OUR KNOWLEDGE TO PRACTICAL USE.

With this in mind every gardener should be ready for the war on garden insects just as soon as he starts planting. To be ready to fight these insects and to promptly start on them will go as far in producing a successful garden as anything you can do. There are some items of equipment and insect killers you will need on hand to be ready. You should have access to a sprayer or duster. Either a spray or a dust will kill most insects but a dust is us-

ually recommended since it is easier to apply and will do a much better job when not too much care is taken in applying the poison.

As to poisons, you will likely need some rotenone dust, which is absolutely safe to use on all vegetables. Some nicotine sulphate (better known as Black Leaf 40) will come in handy to kill an early infestation of plant lice. Some calcium arsenate or cryolite should be on hand to poison chewing insects or plants where such poisons are safe. Some poison bait which is put out on the ground before the vegetables come up will take care of the cutworms.

Come by the office or write for a copy of our leaflet, "Save Victory Gardens from Insect Pests" for more information. Remember that an early start in fighting garden insects is half the fight.

Volleyball, Softball Tournaments At Bovina

The finals of the sports calendar for 1943-44 will be written for both boys and girls of the Farwell school on Saturday, April 29, at Bovina, when softball and volleyball games are staged between the teams of the county.

In the softball division, Farwell plays Oklahoma Lane as the opener, with Lazbuddy drawing a bye and Friona contesting Bovina. The games will progress in order, with the first players on the field at 10 o'clock.

Supt. J. T. Carter, as coach for the Farwell boys, stated today that he did not have a definite lineup. The Farwell and Lazbuddy girls are first on in the volleyball contest, with Oklahoma Lane drawing the bye and Bovina taking Friona. A round-robin style of play will be conducted. Up to the finals, two games out of three will be decisive, but in the final games a ratio of 3 out of 5 is required.

Coach Berthamae Thomas did not have a lineup ready to announce. No prizes will be awarded, officials said today, the meet being arranged strictly for entertainment.

Victory is Everybody's Job.

Locals Leading When Weather Halts Meet

Grabbing four first places out of five events staged, the Texico boys track team was out in front by a good margin the past Saturday, when the invitation meet at Fort Sumner was halted due to unseasonable weather.

At the time the meet was called, Texico had a total of 27 points, and Melrose was in second running with a score of 20.

Star track man Bowers took three of the four firsts, and tied the state record in the high hurdle event, with a time of 15.8. Other wins by Bowers were the 100-yard dash, time 10.3; and the broad jump, with a distance of 19 feet 4 inches. He also placed third in shot put.

Drace scored first in the mile run, with a time of 5:12 in bad weather, while H. Doolittle was second in the same race.

Second Place Taken By Volleyball Team

Beaten out in the finals by Pleasant Hill, the Texico girls' volleyball team took second place in the county tourney, last week, when the Pleasant Hill school was host to the tournament.

Score of the final game was 25-27, with both teams turning in a hot match, Coach Viola Rodewald reported today.

Round-robin style of play was used with only three teams participating, Texico, Pleasant Hill and Ranchvale. The Gray team, entered in the meet, failed to put in an appearance.

Texico took a wide win over the Ranchvale team, 18-31 while Pleasant Hill also toppled Ranchvale, 33-12.

Trophies were awarded the first and second place county teams.

Local players included Peggy and Betty Flye, Williams Hall, Blair, Calouett, Selman, Caldwell, Baker and Murphy.

Texco Grade Program Scheduled for Friday

Students of the grade school of the Texico school will present their annual program on Friday evening of this week, with an assorted program announced by the various teachers in charge.

Members of the first, second third and fourth grades take the stage at the opening. The welcome given by Lucile Williams, followed by rhythm band numbers, a reading by Paula Sue Arnold, "Dutch Duet" by Gail Groves and Vernon Lewis, and solos by Gloria Jean Sanders and Jerry Johnson.

Representing the fifth and sixth grades, John White will read, after which a playlet, "Len Heck Horses" will be given by the group, and a piano solo played by Bette June Lewis.

A play, "No Suit for Bill", will be given by the seventh and eighth graders, with the primary groups taking the stage for the closing by Jack Brown and the final song.

No charge will be made for the program and the public is cordially invited to attend. Time, 9 o'clock, Texas war time.

District Track Entries Are Named for Texico

Track men who will carry the Texico colors of green and white at the district track and field meet to be held Saturday in Portales, under the auspices of ENMC, were listed today by Coach C. E. Sanders.

The locals are expected to make a good showing at the meet, having been well up in the running on invitation meets held previously this season.

Unquestionably, the versatile Bowers is the strong man of the Texico team, starring both in track and field events. Drace, who has been taking the high jump and mile event seriously, is expected to add points, as are Doolittle, Roop and White.

Preliminaries will be held during the morning, beginning at 3 o'clock, Texas war time, with the finals opening up at 3 o'clock, Texas time.

A list of awards was not available here the first of the week, but it was expected that trophies would be offered high teams, in addition to individual ribbons to winners.

The Texico entries are:

High hurdles—Bowers, White, Martin.

Mile run—Drace, H. Doolittle, Martin.

Low hurdles—Bowers, White, M. Doolittle.

300—H. Doolittle, Drace, Baker.

Shot—Bowers, H. Doolittle, Baker.

Discus—Bowers, Drace, Baker.

Javelin—Baker, Bowers, May.

100-yard dash—Bowers, White, Roop.

440—Roop, White, M. Doolittle.

220—M. Doolittle, White, Bowers.

Relay—Bowers, White, Roop, H. Doolittle.

High jump—Drace, May.

Broad jump—Bowers, White, M. Doolittle.

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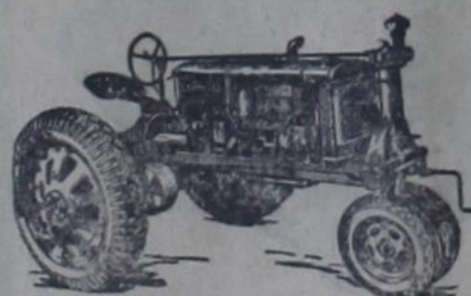
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