

Absentee Voting Gets Underway Monday

Absentee voting for the July 28th Primary will begin Monday, July 9, and continue through July 24th, Hugh Moseley, county clerk announced this week. Actually the date is July 8, but since it falls on Sunday, it will not begin until Monday, Moseley says.

Applications for absentee ballots may be obtained at the clerk's office.

Gabe Anderson, Democratic chairman of Parmer County, announced the names that will appear on the ballot. Local, county, and district races will include:

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: Forrest W. Osborn, re-election; E. R. Day Sr., A. L. Carlton, and E. G. Phipps.

Commissioner, Precinct No. 3—J. H. Johnny McDonald, re-election; E. F. (Earl) Billingsley, and

A. N. Walls.

For sheriff, incumbent Chas. Lovelace is unopposed as is Bill Sheehan, candidate for county attorney. For the new county office, assessor-collector, Lee Thompson is also unopposed.

For state representative of the 96th district, incumbent Jesse M. Osborn is unopposed, and Joe L. Cox has no opposition in his bid for the re-election as district attorney.

In the state-wide races, the following candidates will appear on the ballot:

Governor—Price Daniel, Liberty, J. Evetts Haley, Canyon; J. J. Holmes, Austin; W. Lee O'Daniel, Dallas; Reuben Senterfitt, San Saba; and Ralph Yarborough, Austin.

Lieutenant governor—A. M.

Aiken Jr., Paris; C. T. Johnson, Austin; Ben Ramsey, San Augustine; and John Lee Smith, Lubbock.

Attorney General—Ross Carlton, Dallas; Curtis E. Hill, Dallas; Tom Moore, Waco; and Will Wilson, Dallas.

Associate Justice of Supreme Court (Place 1)—Meade F. Griffin, Plainview.

Associate Justice of Supreme Court (Place 2)—Robert W. Calvert, Austin.

Associate Justice of Supreme Court (Place 3)—James R. Norvell, San Antonio; and Robert G. Hughes, Austin.

Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals—W. A. Morrison, Austin; and Jesse Owens, Vernon.

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LEAVE FOR HARVEST—Edd Hardage's custom combine crew lines up in front of two loaded trucks prior to leaving for the wheat harvest last Thursday morning. They planned to first stop in Colorado and later head for points northward.

Jerry Spurlin Wins 4-Year Scholarship

Jerry Robert Spurlin, 14-year-old son of Rev. and Mrs. J. J. Spurlin of Tatum, N. M., has received a four-year preparatory school scholarship valued at \$1,600 per year.

Jerry received word of his award from the Scholarship Committee of Phillips Exeter Academy of Exeter, New Hampshire. This grant is made in recognition of a student's scholastic attainment, character, promise and financial need. Jerry qualified by taking a competitive examination last year while living at Sanderson, Texas.

Phillips Exeter Academy was founded in 1781 and through the years has sought students of intellectual promise from every geographical, social, and economic group.

One of the first boys from the state.

state of New Mexico to have gained admission into the academy, Jerry is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Spurlin, long-time residents of Texico.

Sam Lewis Tries 10 Cases During June

In his Justice of the Peace Court in Texico, Sam N. Lewis tried 10 cases during the month of June.

Included were eight cases for violations of State Corporation Commission Laws, Rules and Regulations, and two cases for operating a motor vehicle without driver's license.

"Seven entered pleas of guilty and were assessed fines from \$10 to and including \$50, plus court costs," Lewis says, and "one case was continued at the request of

Deposits Are Up At Security State Bank

Mid-year report of the financial condition of the Security State Bank is the best ever had, says R. W. Anderson, vice-president. In comparison to a year ago, loans are down and deposits are up, Anderson says.

This is a very unusual situation, as farming is the chief industry of this area, and farm prices are down, while farm products are up. "Farmers are better off than many people seem to realize," Anderson says.

Total assets at the bank are \$3,848,820.61 as compared to \$3,712,566 a year ago. Deposits this year are \$3,562,070.55, while a year ago at this time, they were \$3,455,878.

Loans at the Security State this year for the last quarter were \$1,248,247.10. The figure at this time last year was \$1,403,448.

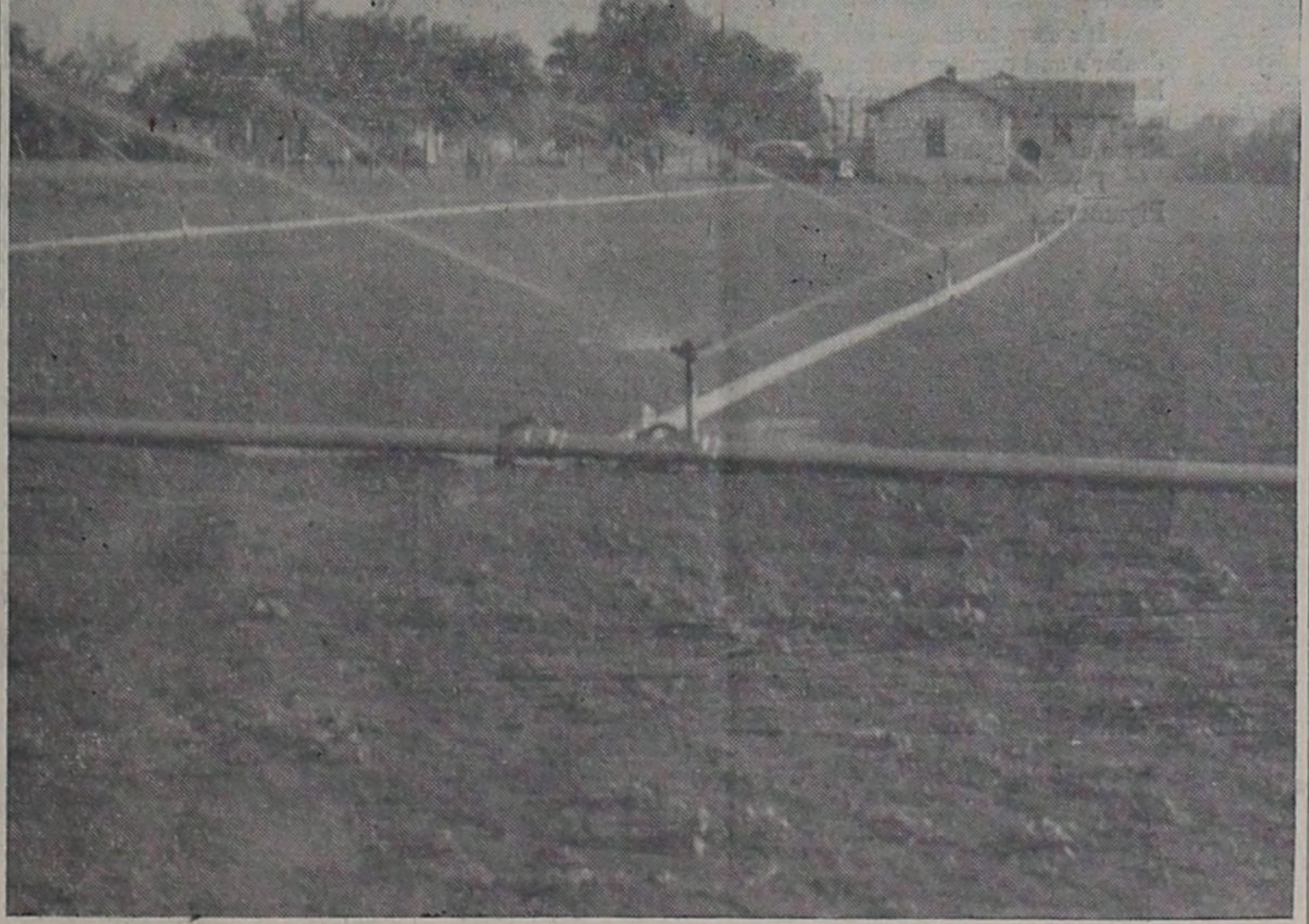
Two Cases Tried In Municipal Court

Two cases were tried in Texico's Municipal Court over the weekend with Sam N. Lewis, police magistrate, presiding.

A Texico man was charged with reckless driving and being involved in an accident. Entering a plea of guilty, he was fined \$75 plus court costs, according to Lewis.

Another Texico man, a Spanish-American, entered a plea of guilty for operating a motor vehicle under the influence of intoxicating liquor. He was assessed a fine of \$150 plus costs of court and had his driver's license revoked for one year, Lewis reports.

"Being unable to pay his fine he was committed to jail and will remain until fine is paid," Lewis says.



NEW PLAYGROUND—This is the site of a new playground at Farwell Schools, to be put into use this fall. It is located across the street from the grade school building. Bermuda grass has been planted and the "nice stand" is being watered by the school's recently-acquired water system. In operation here are 600 feet of pipe and 16 sprinklers.

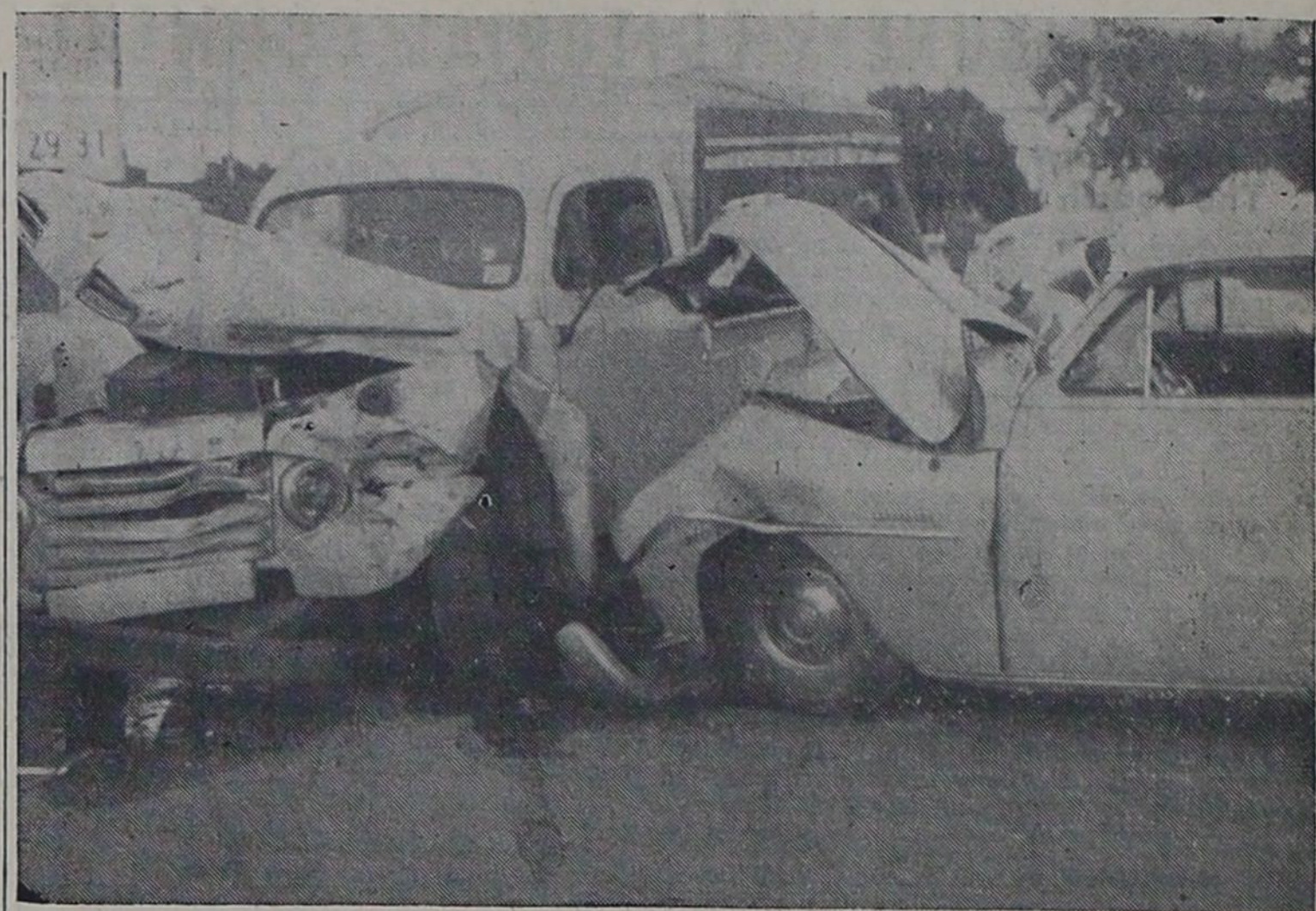
New Playground Added at Farwell

A new playground for grade school children is being added at Farwell Schools this summer, announces Jack Williams, superintendent. It is to be located directly across the street from the grade school building.

The ground has been leveled and Bermuda grass has been planted. It should be in good shape at the start of school, Williams says.

The old playground, located behind the grade school, will not be used next year. "Grass is going to be planted there and we want it to get a good start," Williams states.

Other improvements made at the school this summer have been the planting of new grass on the football field, sanding of desks, and just general cleaning, Williams says.



HEAP BIG SMASHUP—This was the result of a collision that occurred in Texico Friday afternoon. Bill Hudson, driver of the Plymouth car collided with the Ford pickup, loaded with Spanish-Americans, turning from a day of cotton-hoeing. No serious injuries were reported. Hudson was fined \$75 for reckless driving in Police Magistrate Sam N. Lewis' court Saturday morning.

Kater Crume Joins McKillip Motor Staff

The addition of Vance "Kater" Crume to the staff of McKillip Motor Company in Farwell was announced this week by L. E. McKillip, co-owner. Crume will serve as bookkeeper and parts manager.

Crume, who has been residing in Hereford for several years, is a former resident of Farwell. He will commute between Hereford and Farwell at present, but plans to move here when housing is available.

Crume is the son of C. E. Crume of Texico.

Texico Waterworks Praised by State

In a letter from the Department of Public Health of the State of New Mexico, the City of Texico was commended this week on the new water and sewer systems. The letter, written by Robert P. Lowe, associate engineer of environmental sanitation services, was written following a survey of the Texico system on April 26.

The survey of the new municipal water and sewerage facilities was made with Russell Johnson, water and sewer superintendent of Texico, and Mr. L. Cade Lancaster, state sanitarian.

Following are excerpts from Lowe's letter:

Our contact with Mrs. F. E. Autrey, clerk, revealed that there were 226 water connections and 191 sewer assessments. On the basis of these connections there are some 900 persons using the water facilities, and 600 persons using the sewage system and treatment facilities. On the basis of the design, 1200 persons can make use of the sewage treatment plant, so it is ample in capacity for future growth.

The survey of the water system revealed that an excellent system is now in operation for the Village of Texico. Adequate elevated storage is available in the new storage tank, since the capacity of this tank is 50,000 gallons, and a satisfactory supply of water is available from the new well and from the connection to the Santa Fe Railway's well that is only used for emergency purposes by the village.

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City of Texico Wins Suit Against Pierce

In a suit, styled the City of Texico vs. Lewis Pierce, tried in Texico Municipal Court Tuesday afternoon by V. G. Sullivan, Clovis, defendant Pierce was found guilty of violation of Ordinance 97, Section 302. The section of the ordinance calls for a special permit from the city before constructing a private sewage disposal system.

It was charged by the city that Pierce unlawfully dug a cesspool on his property in Texico and was served a notice to stop on March 27. The cesspool was completed and connected to an old cesspool by a ditch, according to the city's charge.

Pierce has 10 days in which to appeal the case. If the case is appealed it will be taken to district court.

Attorney for the City of Texico was Earl Hartley of Clovis, and the defendant furnished his own

counsel.

Before the charge was read, Hartley pointed out that the plaintiffs were willing to withdraw the charge if the defendant would tie on to the city's sewer system. "I will tie on when the city gets right," Pierce said, adding that "The septic tank is still in litigation and does not even belong to the city."

First witness called to the stand was Russell Johnson, Texico water and sewer superintendent. Johnson testified that a hole, approximately 39 or 36 inches in diameter, was being dug on the premises of Pierce, around the latter part of March. At the time he was there, Johnson said he also noted that his old cesspool, some six or seven feet away, was leaking. T. L. McLeod, town marshal, was sent to Pierce's place with a notice to cease digging, on March 27, according to Johnson.

Pierce pointed out that several days prior to the time Johnson was there that the water had been turned on, for new tenants, by

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Fourth of July Quiet For Texico-Farwell

With the exception of noisy fireworks, the Fourth of July was a quiet one in Texico-Farwell. The majority of the wholesale and retail merchants were closed. All service stations and a few grocery stores remained open.

No special observances of the holiday occurred locally.

Smarts Go To Meeting In Minneapolis, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smart and daughter, Betty, and Barbara Akin of Clovis, returned early Monday from Minneapolis, Minn., where they attended the Full Gospel Business Men's International Convention.

Smart, who is president of the chapter in Clovis and also a director of that group, was a delegate. Mrs. Smart reports "a marvelous time," and says that representatives were there from most states in the union and from many other countries. The organization has members from all Protestant churches.

This is the third convention for the Smarts, who have attended sessions in Washington, D. C. and in Denver, Colo.

Texico Farm Bureau Scheduled to Hear Report on Soil Bank

The Texico Farm Bureau is scheduled to have a meeting Monday night at 8:30 in the Texico School lunchroom. Scheduled for the program is a report on the Soil Bank plan, says B. A. Rogers, chairman.

Also, a report will be heard from Texico's Boys' and Girls' State representatives. Susan Levins represented Texico at Girls' State and Dick Lockhart was the Boys' State representative.

James Gillian is in charge of the program and refreshments will be served, Rogers says.

Border Service No. 1 Builds Bunk House

Work on a bunk house for truck drivers is scheduled to be completed this week, at the Conoco Border Service Station No. 1, announces Alton Berry, proprietor. Work on the addition was started last Tuesday and Bill Garrett is the contractor.

"The building is to have six bunks and a shower and it is to be offered free to truck drivers for rest stops," Berry says.

Another addition to the Border Service Station is the sale of groceries. To be included will be bread, milk, and luncheon meat, Berry says, adding that "We are doing this so that local people can buy food necessities late at night and on Sundays."

Also, beginning this week, Berry announces the giving of S&H Green Stamps with every purchase.

Texico City Council Meets Monday Night

Texico's City Commission met in the City Hall Monday night and numerous items were discussed. Presiding over the meeting was Mayor Scotty Levins.

Present were Judge Stone, Joe Helton, and Olan Schlueter, councilmen; Juanita Autrey, clerk; Russell Johnson, water superintendent; and T. L. McLeod, town marshal.

The four-hour meeting included the purchasing of a street sweeper for the city and a chlorine tester for the waterworks. At present, both the sweeper and chlorine tester in use by the city, have been borrowed.

Texico's recreation fund, received from a state cigarette tax, was

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Pirates, Pony Team Remain Undefeated

The first half of the season for Parmer County's Little and Pony Leagues has been completed and Texico-Farwell's entries are leading the field. The Pirates, Little League entry, stand at 5-0, while the Pony League squad has compiled a 3-0 record.

The third entry from Texico-Farwell, the Little League Yankees, are still undefeated against out-of-town competition, but have dropped one game to the Pirates, to stand at 4-1.

Mobile Sales Adds Service Garage Here

Mobile Mansion Sales of Clovis has installed a service department in the garage west of the Texico hotel, it was announced this week. Lowell Atchley of Clovis is in charge of the department.

Service of the Spartan trailers is all that is to be conducted at the Texico business, and "It is one of 11 authorized service centers of Spartan homes in the United States," Atchley says.

In games last week, the local Pony Leaguers romped to a 19-10 decision over Lazbuddie. Scoring seven runs in the first inning, the locals were never headed. Mickey Rundell was the winning pitcher.

On Friday, the Little League teams met Bovina's two league entries in a doubleheader at the Farwell field. In the first game, the Yankees had little trouble in roaring to a 14-6 victory. A seven-run first inning gave the locals a lead which was never threatened. Winning pitcher was Maurice Smith.

In the second game, the Pirates were involved in a closer contest, but emerged on top by a 6-3 count. Van Crume went the distance in recording the win.

The second half of the season is scheduled to start next Thursday with the Pony Leaguers going to Bovina, say Curtis Miller and Calvin Murray, coaches.

The Little League teams begin the second half on Friday with both the Pirates and Yankees going to Lazbuddie for games with the Red Sox and Dodgers.

THE TRIBUNE'S EDITORIAL COMMENT

How Many Knew What The Fourth of July Meant?

Yesterday was the Fourth of July, another birthday for the United States of America. Sad, but true, probably very few were aware of what it means to America today.

It was probably just another day to most. Another day of work to some, and to others, a day of relaxation and just a little more leisure time.

As the American people paused yesterday, they should have remembered the early statesmen of our nation, the hardships they faced in giving the people of the nation today, the freedom they have today.

It was on July 4, 1776, that the 13 American colonies declared their independence from their mother country, England. The early Americans were tired of being pushed around by George III of England. They disliked the unjust taxes levied against the colonies, the limits on trade and industry, and when the British sent troops to compel obedience, the Americans revolted.

The early Americans were willing to fight for what they believed to be right. As it was written in the Declaration of Independence:

"When in the Course of human events, it becomes necessary for one people to dissolve the political bands which have connected them with another, and to assume among the powers of the earth, the separate and equal station to which the Laws of Nature and of Nature's God entitle them, a decent respect to the opinions of mankind requires that they should declare the causes which impel them to separation. —We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are



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Life, Liberty, and the pursuit of Happiness."

That was the reason, and because a small handful of people believed in something that was truth, and were willing to sacrifice much for that which they believed, Americans today have more freedom than any other country.

As yesterday was the 180th year since the Declaration of Independence, it should have been a day of thanksgiving. And, in so doing, Americans should have remembered the forefathers of this nation, and the principles on which they stood.

commented. Looks like Barry has been to a few parties and has a good memory.

A party was held and all had fun, we hear.

We were speaking of some of the attractive yards in town in this column last week, and failed to mention Mrs. Hattie Gerie's yard on second street.

How, we don't know. Every time we drive down that street, we slow down a little to get another glimpse of the neat, perfectly kept lawn and colorful attractively arranged flowers.

Even the back yard, which can be viewed through the openings in the fence is a study in symmetry.

Now we've heard everything. A

picture in one of the daily papers Sunday, showed a woman admiring the ring her husband had given her for her birthday, we couldn't tell if the ring looked unusual, but it was.

According to the story, the woman had been admitted to the hospital for surgery for gallstones. So her husband took one of the gallstones and had it set into a mounting and gave the ring to his wife for her birthday.

Whew!

We read this week that a speech expert estimates that an average four-year-old child asks 400 questions a day. We would imagine that our Ronny is an average four-year-old at the age of three, if the above is a gauge.

His observations about the daily routine of life keep the Graham household members on their toes.

We don't know what Ronny thinks about Snuffy, but we know that he idolizes the teen-ager's car. Before the Gabe Andersons moved to their new home, Grandson Snuffy parked his ancient auto in front of the residence on third street.

Every time we passed, Ronny had some comment. For days, it was "mommy, Nuffy has a fat (flat) tire," and when this was remedied, he just added "dere's Nuffy's car."

He still does—we just don't see the car as often.

A man who discovered the joys of fishing rather late in life became even more insistent than ordinary anglers upon recounting his triumphs to skeptical acquaintances. When these friends inferred that he was a liar, he bought a pair of scales, installed them in his library and made his friends watch while he actually weighed his fish.

One evening a neighbor rushed in excitedly to borrow the scales. He was back in 10 minutes, his face flushed with delight. "Congratulations, me, boys!" he cried. "I'm the father of a 24-pound baby boy!"

Boss (to stenographer): "Congratulations, Miss Jones—this is the earliest you've been late!"

Miss Frances Tunnell of Silvertown visited Friday afternoon with Miss Billie Heckman.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The State Line Tribune is authorized to make the following political announcements, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Election in July, 1956:

FOR SHERIFF

CHAS. LOVELACE (re-election)

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY

BILL SHEEHAN (re-election)

FOR ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR:

LEE THOMPSON

FOR COMMISSIONER, PCT. 1:

E. R. DAY SR.

A. L. CARLTON

E. G. PHIPPS

FORREST W. OSBORN (re-election)

FOR COMMISSIONER, PCT. 3

J. H. (Johnny) McDONALD (re-election)

E. F. (Earl) BILLINGSLEY

A. N. WALLS

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 96TH DISTRICT

JESSE M. OSBORN (re-election)

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

JOE L. COX (re-election)

Russell Young At West Texas State

CANYON—Russell W. Young Farwell, is attending the first summer term at West Texas State Col-

lege, which closes July 14, and opens again for the second six-weeks team on July 17.

About half of the 1100 students enrolled at WT are graduates working toward the masters degree, but several are freshmen beginning college work for the first time. The summer session ends August 22 with commencement.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Young of Harlingen, Russell is a graduate student in education at WT. He received his B. A. degree from Texas Western College.

Susan Levins New MYF Prexy

Miss Susan Levins was elected president of the senior Methodist Youth Fellowship of Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church at a re-organizational meeting held Sunday evening at the church.

Members of the MYF met for a fried chicken supper at the church prior to a business and worship meeting. After supper, all new officers were elected for the organization.

Elected to serve with Susan as MYF officers were Alan Price, vice-president; Mikala Faville, secretary-treasurer; Sam Pool, reporter; Loyd A. Cain, chairman of faith; and Johnny Armstrong, recreational chairman.

Adult leaders for the group are Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hart and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Phillips.

Other items of business discussed by the group included the planning of a monthly supper to be held at the church on the first Sunday evening of each month. Following church services on the first Sunday, the group will enjoy a recreational period.

The first Monday night of each month has been set aside as recreation night. The group will enjoy swimming, picnicking and other phases of recreation on these

nights.

Among the projects discussed by the MYF'ers was a nursery for the church. More details on this project will be announced later.

The group voted to set the MYF pledge at \$55 for this year. Included in the age group of those eligible to belong to the senior MYF are all young people who will be freshmen in high school next year on up to those 23 years of age. All interested persons are invited and urged to attend the meetings of this group.

Robert Armstrong Returns to Base

Engineman Third Class Robert Armstrong left here today (Thursday) to report back to San Diego where he is stationed with the U. S. Navy.

Armstrong, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Armstrong, since Sunday of this week, will leave aboard the submarine USS Rock on July 9 for another tour of duty.

Armstrong reports that he enjoys being a member of a submarine crew and relates many interesting happenings about his duties.

Here to visit with Robert on Wednesday were his aunt and uncle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jason Gordon and children from Plain-

Miss Billie Heckman visited during the weekend with her aunt, Mrs. Mary Cross, and her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ellis, in Silvertown.

Father of H. R. Crook Buried in Oklahoma

Funeral services were held Sunday, July 1, at the Quinlan, Okla., Methodist Church for John Wesley Crook, father of H. R. Crook of this city.

Crook died at the hospital in Mooreland, Okla., Friday morning after suffering a stroke early Thursday.

He is survived by his wife; two sons, H. R. Crook, Farwell and F. M. Crook, Bovina; and four daughters, Mrs. Floyd Whitcomb of Trinidad, Colo., Mrs. Amon Quarard of Laramie, Wyo., Mrs. Steve Shuck of Chester, Okla., and Mrs. Cleo Simmons of Quinlan, Okla.

Accompanying H. R. Crook to the funeral on Sunday were his daughter and son-in-law, Airman and Mrs. Loyd Smith. They returned to Farwell late Sunday.

TEACH AT ENMU

PORTALES, (Special)—Hattie Lee Coffey and Marye Whitley of Farwell are among 32 students at Eastern New Mexico University doing student teaching this summer.

Both are teaching third grade in Portales public schools.

Dodavah Lawrence, Lazbuddie, is teaching secondary education in the junior high school.

Visiting during the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Doolittle and Debbie in Texico were Mr. and Mrs. George Dean and family of Belen, N. M.

jottin's from jeanne

There is nothing like the truthfulness of children. Mark Williams was quite interested in his brother, Barry, having a party on his third birthday last week.

But Barry stoutly maintained that he didn't want a party. When mother LaMoine questioned the little fellow closely, she learned the reason. "I don't want all those kids playing with MY toys," he

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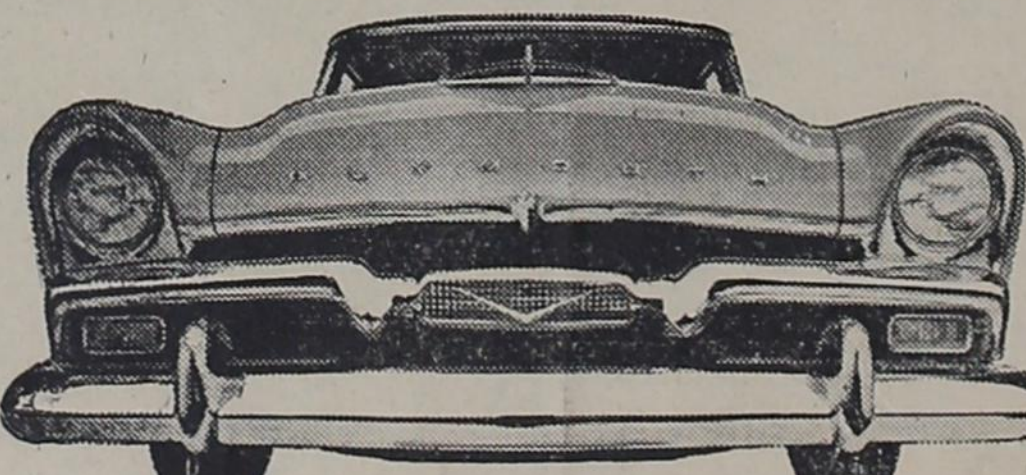
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Time's running out in Plymouth's colossal \$100,000 Solid Gold License Plate Jackpot! You must register your car's license number by Saturday, July 14, to be eligible to win up to \$50,000 in cash! You can win if you own ANY car—any make, any model, any year. Hurry! Enter today!
HERE'S HOW TO ENTER—AND WIN!
IF YOU HURRY, your car's license plate may be worth (in cash) its weight—or more—in solid gold! You can win up to \$50,000 in cold cash—if you own any car at all, and if you visit your Plymouth dealer and register its license number by Saturday, July 14.
It's easy to enter—and easy to win! Just go to your Plymouth dealer's and register your car's state license number on the FREE entry blank. (Be sure to bring proof of ownership.) Then complete the simple entry blank and drop it in the official box. Now you're set to win your share of the \$100,000 Jackpot—there's nothing to buy!
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LETTERS
To The Editor

one on skis.
Of course I stopped to look, since I came from dry West Texas, and was almost late to work. I have seen pictures of things like that, but this was the first real thing. It was just beautiful. The water here is as blue as the sky there.
We will have been here a year in July, and we are liking it better all the time. We didn't mind the rain all winter. Bill said to tell you all that thunder and lightning you folks are having there, is just him blowing stumps.
Here is a check for our subscription for another year. Thanks for the reminder. Just can't miss the paper.
Sincerely yours,
Bill and Helen Johnson
Redmond, Wash.

Dear Grahams,
Just a few lines to let you know we enjoy the paper and look forward to receiving it each week. There is one thing wrong. Your Oklahoma Lane reporter just doesn't have enough news for us. No, seriously we enjoy her reporting, but having known Avis for years, just had to mention her.
This is wonderful country to live in. Never too hot or too cold. You need a coat or sweater every night, though. The breezes from the sound have a slight nip to them.
Last Sunday on my way to work, I was driving by Lake Washington and have never seen a sight so pretty. The lake was a solid sail for both large and small boats. Where there wasn't a sail there was a motor boat with some-

be back in the pulpit for Sunday morning's worship service, and Jerry Potet preached at the evening service.
Members of the WMU met last Wednesday afternoon at the church for a regular business meeting. The group discussed plans for the juniors to attend camp at Inlow Baptist Camp and a counselor to go with the group.
Present for the WMU meeting were Mesdames D. J. Brown, Barney Kelley, Olan Schlueter, J. O. Ford, Nora Day, S. G. Billington, Ed Henry and C. C. Morgan.
Departmental reports were given by chairmen of the various departments of the WMU organization.
Sgt. Jim Hurst of Clovis was guest speaker at a meeting of the Brotherhood at the church on Tuesday evening. Sgt. Hurst has been in the service for 16 years, and those present at the Brotherhood meeting report that he gave a most

interesting talk. Eleven men were present.
The Golden Circle Class held its regular monthly meeting on Monday night. The Busy Bee Class met for a party Tuesday.
FARWELL BAPTIST NEWS
Rev. E. J. Keith, Pastor
Sunday School attendance on July 1 was 125.
Robert Widener was the speaker at a meeting of the Brotherhood at the church on Monday night, July 2. Seven members were present.
Both circles of the WMU met at the church Monday afternoon to act as a reviewing council for members of the Girls' Auxiliary. Several members of the Auxiliaries will be going to camp at the Plains Baptist Assembly near Floydada July 16-20.
Rev. Keith was at the Assembly grounds for the annual general camp day on Wednesday of this week.
July 9, 10 and 11 are the dates set for the intermediate Royal Ambassadors to attend camp. The junior R. A.'s will be at camp July 11, 12 and 13.
On July 12, the Avenue Baptist Church of Hereford will be the scene of the regular quarterly meeting of the Women's Missionary Union.
A youth rally will be held Saturday night, July 7, at Frio. The youth rally is for all juniors, intermediates and young people of the church.
Everyone is reminded of the summer revival which will begin at the church on Friday evening, July 20, and will continue through Sunday, July 29. Rev. Bruce Giles, pastor of the Flint Avenue Baptist Church, Lubbock, will be the guest evangelist.

CLASSIFIED ADS

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wish her a speedy recovery.
It is nice to see Mrs. R. E. Barnett looking so well after her recent illness.
Mrs. Houston Ruff of Albany who underwent surgery Tuesday of last week was released from the hospital on Monday. Mrs. Ruff is an aunt of Mrs. Ellis Tatum.
Friday evening dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Rockey were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stewart of Friona and their daughter and family, Mrs. J. R. Chandler and children of Arizona.

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Social Events of Interest



Curtis-Weiman Vows Repeated Saturday In Church Ceremony

In a lovely setting at the Church of Christ, Lariat, on Saturday evening, June 30, at 8 o'clock, Miss Betty Curtis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Curtis, became the bride of Lt. M. J. Weiman of Gladwin, Mich.

Forming the wedding setting at the altar of the church were white pillars holding arrangements of white gladioli, white carnations and greenery, in the center of the altar was a huge fern. Flanking the pillars and floral arrangements were stands of graduated candelabra holding tall white tapers. White roping joined the candelabra and pillars, and large white satin bows marked the family pews.

Performing the double-ring ceremony was Lewis Cox of Clovis, Church of Christ minister.

Providing music for the ceremony was a choral group composed of Capt. and Mrs. John H. Gabbard, Miss Barbara Moore, Bill Boone and Marguerite Spradlin, all of Clovis, Miss Jeannette Hughes, Miss Carolyn Cantrell, and Charles and Dick Felts.

The group sang "Oh Promise Me," "Through the Years," "The Wedding March" and accompanied Wiley Baker as he sang "Whither Thou Goest." Capt. Gabbard, accompanied by the group, sang

"Bless This House."

Misses Glenna Ruth Davis and Betty Hubbell were bridesmaids, and Mrs. Jerry Sharp was bridesmaid. Miss Jo Elaine Magness served as maid of honor. Junior bridesmaid was Kathy Baker, and Marcia Baker and Maudie Stancell were flowergirls.

All of the bride's attendants were attired in identically styled street length dresses of powder blue crystalline. The dresses were fashioned with fitted bodices and full skirts. The high necklines were accentuated with bows which tied on the shoulders. The candelights were wrist corsages of small white carnations tied with blue while the bridesmaids and maid of honor carried nosegays of six white carnations with blue streamers.

The flowergirls carried blue baskets which held white carnations.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was lovely in a full length gown of bridal satin and lace. The bodice of satin featured a moderated V neckline which was set off by applied lace dotted with seed pearls and rhinestones, and short sleeves.

The full overskirt of lace was dotted with rhinestones. Her veil of silk illusion fell from a tiara of seed pearls and rhinestones. A white orchid, surrounded by white stephanotis, and streamers

atop a white Bible composed her bridal bouquet.

For the traditional something old, the bride wore a gold angle chain belonging to her mother. Her wedding ensemble was something new; something borrowed was the white Bible, and something blue was a garter.

Attending the groom as best man was Lt. Roger J. Mathiasen, Clovis Air Force Base. Groomsmen were Lt. Bob Owens, Lt. William P. Hullinger and Lt. Dallas Sherman, all of Clovis Air Force Base. All these attendants were attired in dress uniform of the U. S. Air Force. Ushers were Gerald Curtis, uncle of the bride, and Dick Felts.

The bride's mother chose a dress of beige chanting with white accessories for her daughter's wedding. She wore a corsage of pink carnations.

Forming the receiving line at the church prior to the reception were the bride's parents, the bride and groom, the bride's brother, Bobby Curtis, and Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Baker. Miss Linda Kube registered the guests.

A reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Thompson after the ceremony. The bride's table was laid with white net over blue and was edged with a white net ruffle.

Presiding at the crystal punch service was Miss Betty Routon. Miss Jeannette Hughes served cake.

A three tiered wedding cake, decorated with white and blue, and white tapers completed the table decorations.

For a wedding trip to the east coast, the bride chose an all over embroidered dress of pink cotton-satin with white accessories. She wore the orchid from her wedding bouquet.

After a visit to Niagara Falls and other points of interest, Lt. and Mrs. Weiman will be in Michigan to visit his relatives.

After the wedding trip, they will be at home at 316 Wallace in Clovis where he is stationed with the Air Force.

Mrs. Keith Hostess To Class Meeting

Mrs. E. J. Keith was hostess to a regular meeting of the Rebecca Sunday School class of First Baptist Church, Farwell, at her home on Monday evening, July 2.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. Irene Henson, and Mrs. Fern Hardage gave the devotional.

After a business meeting, the group played several games. Refreshments of pops and cookies were served by the hostess, and secret pals exchanged gifts.

Those present included Mesdames Dickie Magness, Clytie Dial, Estelline Billington, Beulah McWilliams, Pearl Gerles, Lois Smith, Juanita Garrett, Ollie Utsman, Marie Keith, Mabel Kesner, Irene Henson, Elsie Hardage, Leona Moss and Fern Hardage.

Relatives Visit In McFarland Home

Recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McFarland and sons were his parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. McFarland and Gail of Pierre, S. Dak., his sisters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Don Campbell and family of Columbus, Ohio, and Mrs. W. R. McBrayer and daughters of Denver, Colo.

Thursday night guests besides the above mentioned were Miss Lora Mae McFarland and Bill Wampler, both of Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Baxter, also of Clovis, and Mr. and Mrs. Everette Christian, Barbara and Belva of Farwell.

Saturday night, Mrs. McFarland's sister, Miss Laverna Christian, and a friend, Miss Barbara Covington, both of Amarillo, visited with the McFarlands.

McFarland's relatives visited relatives in Bovina, Friona, Clovis and Killeen before returning to their respective homes.

ESA Members Begin Plans for Style Show

A call meeting of ESA members was held Monday afternoon to make plans for a style show scheduled in August, and featuring clothing from Fern's.

Initial plans were discussed and a second session is planned for Monday evening at 5:30 to further discuss the show. Details will be announced at a later date.

Attending the Monday meeting were Dorothy Quicquel, Irene Dyer, Wilma Limer, Sylvia Watkins, La-Moin Williams, Irene Jones, Fern Hardage, Elizabeth Kaltwasser, Jo Ann Williams, Maxine Williams, Joann Getz, Nell Walling and Jeanne Graham.

Pleasant Hill HD Meets Thursday

Meeting Thursday afternoon, June 28, in the Pleasant Hill Community Center were members of the Pleasant Hill Home Demonstration Club. Hostess for the meeting was Mrs. Rozaltha Clark.

Visitors present for the meeting were Mrs. Dorothy Pierce and Kay; Bob, Alice and Tommy Gooch, Gary Eskew, and Genene and Betty Clark.

Mrs. Pierce thanked the club for their donation to the girls' 4-H Club.

Members present for the meeting were Mesdames Allene Jameson, Rozaltha Clark, Gestrude Hopper, Thelma Eskew, Johnnie Belle Thornton, Maurine Horton, Elsie Neely and Martha Gooch.

Next meeting of the group will be on Thursday, July 5, with Mrs. Martha Heinz as hostess.

Busy Bee Class Has Hamburger Party

Members of the Busy Bee Class of Texico Baptist Church were entertained Tuesday afternoon with a "hamburger party" at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Murray White with Miss Carol White as hostess to the group.

After they prepared hamburgers on an outdoor grill, the group, accompanied by Mrs. White and Mrs. Ray Sharp, went to the park in Clovis.

Attending were Misses Doris Jean Webster, Jean Morris, Judy Sharp, Betty Ruth Lockhart, Wanda Morgan, Beth Ellen Peyton, Carol White and Juanita Langley, and Mrs. White, Susan, Kathy and Martin, and Mrs. Sharp.

Daughter Visits In Hall Home

Visiting in Texico in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hall and family is their daughter, Mrs. Edwina Peters, of Charon, Ohio. She arrived here two weeks ago and will stay here until mid-July.

The Hall family and their daughter are planning a trip to Carlsbad, N. M., this weekend to visit another daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lee.

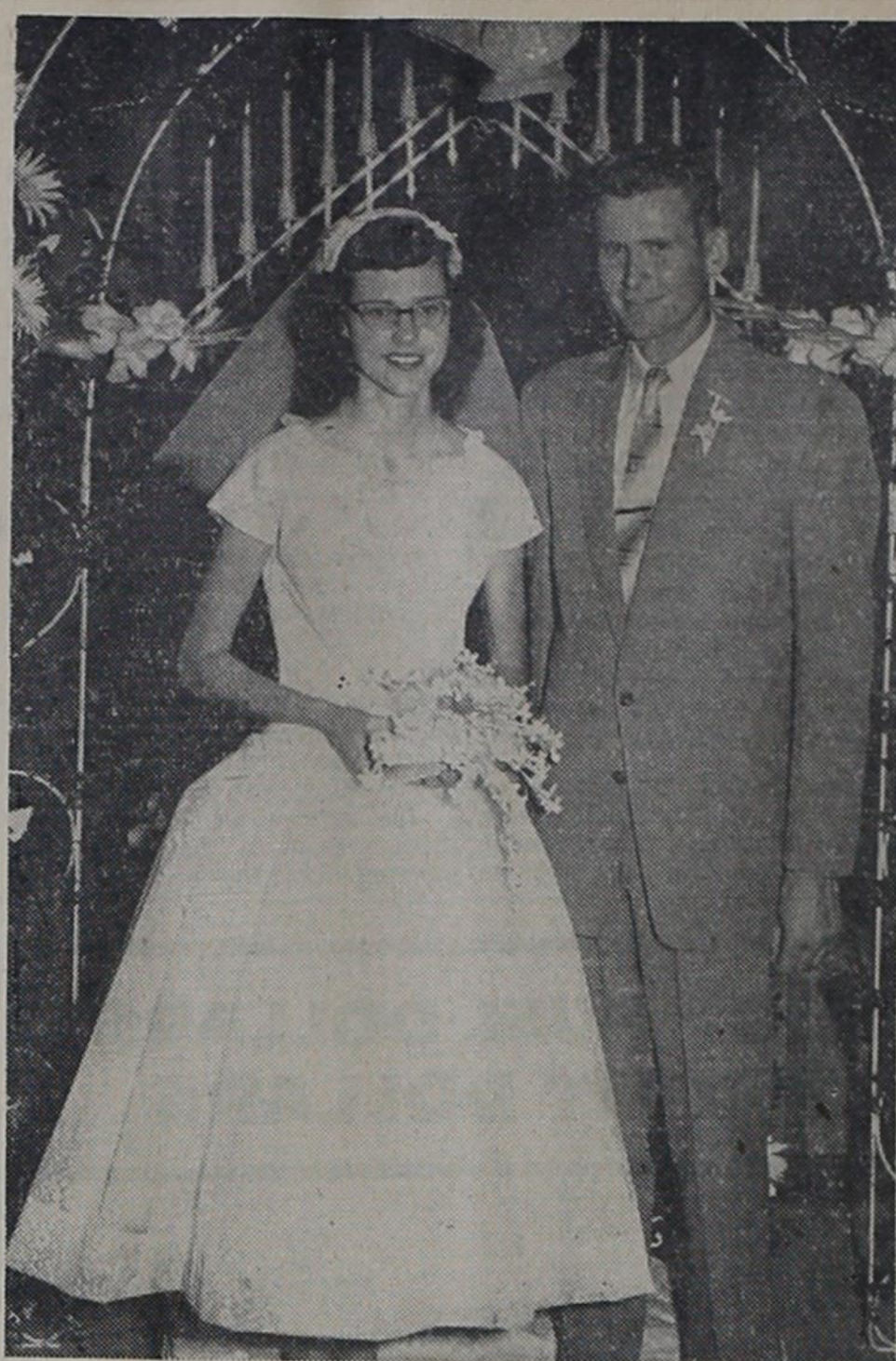
Mrs. White Hostess To Class Meeting

Mrs. Murray White was hostess to a regular monthly business and social meeting of the Golden Circle Class of Texico Baptist Church on Monday night, July 2.

Mrs. Velma Kelley gave the devotional and regular business was conducted.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Marie Webster, Velma Kelley, Mabel Sharp, Juanita Pruitt, Aileen Pearce and Lena Henry.

Next meeting of the group will be held on Monday night, August 6, at the home of Mrs. Kelley.



Clovis Girl Weds Howard L. Hudson

Miss Katherine Parrish became the bride of Howard L. Hudson, E. M. 3, U. S. N., in a recent ceremony at the First Nazarene Church of Clovis.

Officiating at the double-ring service was Rev. Ernest Armstrong.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Parrish of Clovis, and the groom is the son of Mrs. Monty Parsons of Texico and Eddie Hudson of Melrose.

The bride's chosen colors of pink and white were carried out in the decorations for the wedding setting. Centering the altar was a white wrought iron archway, en-

twinning with green huckleberry and centered with pink lace wedding bells. In front of the arch was a white wrought iron kneeling bench decorated with green huckleberry entwined with daisies.

Baskets of white daisies and pink gladioli flanked the archway, and a background of palms flanked by pink candelabra completed the wedding setting.

Miss Wanda Laney, organist, played nuptial selections prior to the ceremony and accompanied

Mrs. Vern Nelson who sang "I Love You Truly," "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a waltz length gown of white embroidered nylon organdy over taffeta. The scooped neckline of the gown was edged with lace which matched the edging of the scalloped long torso. Her shoulder length veil of illusion was edged in seed pearls and was attached to a small lace cap.

She carried a satin covered white Bible topped with a cascade arrangement of pink sweetheart rosebuds surrounded by stephanotis and lilies-of-the-valley. Her only jewelry was a pearl necklace, a gift from the bridegroom.

Something old and borrowed was a handkerchief belonging to the groom's mother. Something new was her wedding dress and something blue was her garter.

The bride's only attendant, Miss Rosa Lee Turner, wore a waltz length ensemble of pink lace and tulle over taffeta. She carried an arrangement of white feathered carnations and pink streamers centered with pink carnations.

Earl McDaniel, Texico, was the groom's only attendant.

Mrs. Parrish wore an aqua suit of dacron with white accessories and a corsage of white rosebuds. Mother of the groom, Mrs. Parsons, wore a floral print dress of nylon with a corsage of white rosebuds.

Miss Laura Harrison registered the guests.

The home of the bride was the scene of a reception following the ceremony. Laid with a lace cloth over pink, the reception table held a crystal and silver epergne of pink demur roses and white asters, intermingled with bisque cupids.

Pink candles in crystal holders flanked the floral arrangement. The three tiered wedding cake trimmed in pink and topped with a miniature bride and groom; and a crystal punch service were on either side of the centerpiece.

Miss Betty Lou Sparks presided at the punch service and Miss Dorothy Harrison served the cake.

For a honeymoon trip to Ruidoso, N. M., the bride wore an



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West Camp HD Club Has Regular Meet

The West Camp Home Demonstration Club held its regular meeting Wednesday afternoon, June 27, in the home of Mrs. Virgil Nowell. The group discussed and made plans for the annual family picnic to be sponsored by the club. Mrs. S. L. Busbice gave a demonstration of how to make an ice cream pie. The delicacy was then used as a part of the refreshments.

Members present for the meeting were Mesdames S. L. Busbice, Kenneth Nesbitt, Gerald Byrd, Jack Hough, William Flowers, E. A. Walker, E. E. Hughes, Guy Austin, Everett Roark and Partin Austin.

Mrs. Guy Austin will be hostess to the next regular club meeting at her home on Tuesday, July 10.

G. A. Girls Pass Forward Steps

Several members of the Girls' Auxiliaries of First Baptist Church, Farwell, passed their forward steps when they appeared before a reviewing council composed of WMU members at the church on Monday afternoon.

Taking and passing the Maiden step were Vickie Moss, Barbara Bieler, Linda Langston, Sandra Rundell and Mary Coffey.

The Lady-in-Waiting is Darlene Hromas, and Princess is Jean Reed.

To Ruidoso

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Utsman and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Blain, Gary, Vickie and Kent spent the weekend in Ruidoso, N. M., where they enjoyed attending the horse races. The group returned to Farwell late Sunday.



Miss Irene Schueler Weds Eugene Graham

In a recent ceremony performed at the Lutheran Church of Rhea, Miss Irene Schueler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schueler, and Eugene Graham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Markwald of St. Joseph, Mich., were united in marriage.

Rev. Reuben Meissner, brother-in-law of the bride, performed the double-ring ceremony. Rev. Meissner is from Appleton, Minn.

Decorating the church altar for the ceremony were baskets of white stock and blue carnations with a seven branched candelabra backed by emerald ferns. Two branched candelabra with strands of ivy decorated the bridal aisle.

Arnold Schueler, brother of the bride, played traditional nuptial selections and accompanied Gene Murrey who sang "My Heart Ever Faithful" and "The Lord's Prayer."

Sister of the bride, Mrs. Eleanor Meissner, was matron of honor. She wore a princess styled dress

of powder blue crystalette. Her headdress was a fitted hat of matching crystalette. She carried an arrangement of white and blue carnations with cascades of green ivy and blue baby breath.

Miss Sharon Graham, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid. She wore a gown identical to that of the matron of honor. She also carried an arrangement of white and blue carnations with ivy and blue baby breath.

Serving as flower girl was Terri Schueler, niece of the bride. Her gown was of white crystalette with lace trim of baby blue. She carried a miniature arrangement of white carnations, ivy and blue baby breath.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a full length gown of white tulle over satin. The fitted bodice was of embroidered tulle styled in princess lines. Embroidered medallions on the full flowing skirt matched the bodice.

Her veil of illusion was attached to a hat of satin, bordered with tiny leaves edged with seed pearls.

Her bridal bouquet was a satin covered Bible topped with a white orchid surrounded by green ivy and stephanotis.

Attending the groom as best man was Joseph Vega of St. Joseph, Mich. Groomsman was Raymond Schueler, brother of the bride. Ushers were Norbert Schueler, brother of the bride, and Walter Schueler, cousin of the bride.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Schueler chose a dress of powder blue silk crepe. Her accessories were white and she wore a corsage of white gardenias. Mrs. Markwald, mother of the

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		Cucumbers lb.	10c Nice Slicers
		Lettuce	lb. 10c Nice Crispy
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aqua linen dress styled in princess lines with a white jacket. She wore pink accessories and a corsage of pink rosebuds.

After their honeymoon, they will be at home at 839 E. Seventh St. in National City, Calif., where Hudson is currently stationed with the U. S. Navy.

Kay Hall Honored On 11th Birthday

Miss Kay Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hall of Texico, was feted on her 11th birthday with a party at the home of her parents on Tuesday, June 26.

A group of Kay's friends gathered at the Hall home for a "tacky party" in honor of her birthday. They enjoyed playing games throughout the evening.

Refreshments of birthday cake and ice cream were served to the honoree and the following guests: James, Linda and Roger Hudson, Peggy and Pauline Taylor and Kenneth and David Chappell.

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groom, wore a dress of pale blue lace with white accessories and a white corsage of gardenias.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Parish Hall. Blue carnations, ivy and white baby breath garlanded the five tiered wedding cake. Presiding over the bride's book was Miss Zelma Allmon.

Out of town guests registering were the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Markwald, Henry Fester, Miss Anne Steele, and Miss Adele Houch, all of St. Joseph, Mich.

For a wedding trip, the bride wore a two piece suit of navy blue shantung and white accessories and a white orchid.

The bride was graduated from Friona High School and attended St. John's College in Winfield, Kans., and Concordia Teachers College in River Forest, Ill. For the past two years she has taught in the Trinity Lutheran School in St. Joseph, Mich.

Graham is a graduate of St. Joseph High School and served in the U. S. Air Force. He is presently employed by the New Era Electric Contractors Co., with headquarters in Whiting, Ind.

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Silverton Is Scene Of Get-Together

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Young Lady Visits Here on Birthday

July 3 was a busy day for little Priscilla Crume, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vance Crume of Hereford. To celebrate her fourth birthday, she and her two sisters, Judy and Betsy, were guests of their grandmother, Mrs. W. H. Graham, in Farwell.

They arrived early in the morning and had a popcorn popping party in the morning. They had a birthday dinner at noon, with their cousin, Ronny Graham, as a

guest. In the afternoon, the group went to Clovis to the zoo, and watched swimming at the park. The children returned to Hereford during the late evening. Prissy had her party in Hereford on July 4.

Return Monday From Wilson

Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Harding, J. T. Harding, Mrs. W. J. Matthews, and Mrs. H. H. Carlyle of Muleshoe returned Monday night from Wilson where they attended a homecoming.

The group reported a good time and a fine trip. On the return trip they visited with Rev. and Mrs. Nathan Harding, former Farwell residents.

With Monroes

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ham and children, Sharon and Gary, of Fort Smith, Ark., are here visiting his mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Monroe. They arrived here

last week and plan to remain here for several more days. They are also visiting Ham's grandmother, Mrs. J. M. Nally, while here.

In Henson Home

Visiting last Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Clay Henson and sons were Henson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Henson of Brownfield, and Jessie Marie McClellan of Brownfield, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Johnson, Mrs. S. T. Sharp and Mrs. Jewel Perkins, all from Donna.

From Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Sikes returned home Friday from a two week trip to Wichita Falls where they visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Sherman. They also enjoyed fishing while there and reported good luck on the trip.

Companion Class To Meet Tonight

Regular meeting of the Companion Class of the Texico Baptist Church will be held tonight (Thursday) at the home of Mrs. Reta Dollar. Mrs. Patricia Watson will have charge of the worship for the evening.

All members and associate members are urged to attend.

Visit Tuesday

Mrs. C. C. Morgan and Wanda, and Mrs. Amos Shockley and daughter, Myrtice, of Bovina, were in Lubbock on Tuesday of this week to visit Mrs. Morgan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Reese, who were observing their 58th wedding anniversary.

Reese, who has been in ill health for the past several months, remains in the same condition, according to reports from Mrs. Morgan.

Visit This Week In Phillips Home

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Phillips and children this week were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Yeary of Fort Worth, and her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Yeary and Billy of Crane. Her parents returned to Fort Worth Tuesday afternoon and her brother and family left for Santa Fe today (Thursday).

Fowlers Visit Relatives Here

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Fowler, Ronny and Sandra, arrived Sunday night from Carnegie, Okla., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stone; her sister and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Williams; and her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Judge Stone. They plan to remain here about 10 days.

Have New Son

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Zinn of Santa Fe, N. M., are the parents of a son, Damon, born recently at Santa Fe. The fifth child of the Zinns, Damon weighed six pounds. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Williams of Clovis, former Farwell residents.

Vows To Be Read Sunday for Couple

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Gregory announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Rita Joy, to 2nd Lt. Bud Norrod, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Norrod of Hico. Vows will be read Sunday, July 8, at the country home of the bride's parents, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. No written invitations

are being sent, and the families take this means of inviting all friends and relatives to attend the ceremony, and the reception immediately following the wedding.

Miss Gregory is a senior student at Farwell Schools, and the bridegroom-elect lacks only a few hours having his Masters degree from the University of Texas. He plans to continue his studies on his release from service.

The young couple will make their home in Norfolk, Va., where he is stationed at Langley Air Force Base. The bride-elect plans to continue her high school studies there.

Mrs. Painter Returns To Kansas City Friday

Mrs. Milton Painter returned to her home in Kansas City on Friday after visiting here with her aunt and family, Judge and Mrs. A. D. Smith.

Mrs. Painter was enroute home from a sorority convention in Coronado Beach. While visiting here she was a guest of Mrs. Smith at a DAR coffee given at the home of Mrs. W. R. Alexander in Portales.

Honoree at the coffee was Mrs. John D. Brown, past state regent, who gave a report of the annual continental congress.

Party Marks Child's Third Birthday

A third birthday was celebrated with a small party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Williams Tuesday, when son Barry was the honor guest.

Punch, cake and ice cream were served to the three-year-old Barry; his brother, Mark; Mrs. Glen Fowler, Ronny and Sandra of Carnegie, Okla.; David Anderson of Bovina; his grandmother, Mrs. Johnnie Williams; Mrs. Glen Phillips, Cindy and Craig; Mrs. Bill Yeary and Billy of Crane; Judy and Johnnie O'Neal of Ft. Worth; Mrs. Orie Jones and Connie; Miss Jo Ann Williams; his great-grandmother, Mrs. J. H. Stone; and his mother.

Committee Meets

A brief committee meeting of five members of ESA was held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Nell Walling, to discuss a theme for a style show planned by the organization in August. Ideas will be presented to the group at a meeting Monday.

Attending were Jeanne Graham, Jo Ann Williams, Irene Jones, Maxine Williams and the hostess.

Mrs. Johnny O'Neal and children of Fort Worth are here visiting her mother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Aldridge and Pat.

Attend Club Opening In Clovis Saturday

Among those attending the formal opening of the Officer's Club in Clovis on Saturday evening were Capt. and Mrs. Carthon Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Don Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hargrove, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Williams; Also, Miss Jo Ann Williams, Marilyn Edwards, Penny Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Bunk Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Phillips.

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(Continued From Page 3) ey and family of Adams, Tenn., Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nave and family of Taft, Calif. Also, Mrs. B. H. McDonald and children of Farmington, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Dale Reid and family of Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. John Key Jr. and son of Stewart, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Rocky of Black.

To Housewarming

Those from Black who attended the housewarming honoring Mrs. James McLean in Friona last Thursday were Mesdames John Bengert, R. E. Barnett, Fern Barnett, J. R. Braxton, T. J. Presley, Lloyd Prewett, Dick Rocky and Ellis Tatum.

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Corn Looks Pretty, But Earworms Hurt

"Corn in Parmer County is sure looking good," reports Agent Joe Jones this week, but this optimistic report is dimmed by the presence of corn earworms which are showing up in considerable numbers in some fields.

"This is not the old Southwestern corn borer which attacks the stalk and causes the corn to fall over," points out Agent Jones, "but he is doing his damage where he is hard—if not impossible—to control."

"A lot of holes are showing up in the leaves, and indicates that the worm is working in the bud in rolled-up leaves," says Jones. "It is causing the farmers a lot of concern."

The agent added that it is well that farmers be concerned over the potential threat of the worms, but he cautioned against the impulse to rush in with control measures that might prove ineffective.

"It is doubtful if poison will reduce the number of worms, simply because the worms are down inside the plant where the poison can't get to them," warned Jones.

"My advice is not to poison, but if a farmer feels that he must, then I surely recommend that he check with someone else who has sprayed to see what kind of luck they report. Also, the best time to try control is when the miller is depositing her larvae on the corn silk.

The county agent this week checked two fields which had been sprayed, and found only one dead earworm.

Up against a worm over which no effective (and practical) control measure is known, Jones added a note of optimism. "Now I don't deny that the worms are doing damage—but it's not as much as farmers might tend to think at first."

The agent checked with the Hereford area, which has been fighting earworms for six years, and found out that farmers there too believe that it is impractical to spray field corn.

In the case of sweet corn that is being cared for carefully and will

sell by the ear, it is possible to make hand application of insecticide and profit from the operation. Not so commercial corn, however.

13 New Irrigation Wells in County

Statistics released by the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District office at Lubbock revealed that 13 new irrigation wells were completed in Parmer County during the month of May. In the same period, 12 permits to drill were issued.

This is considerably off the pace of a year ago at the same time, but is considerable drilling activity to be this time of year, when a new well could hardly be expected to make a crop.

Also during May, Bailey County finished 29 wells, Castro 11, and Deaf Smith 18.

Cotton Spraying Ending in County

Most cotton farmers of the Parmer County area checked their calendar and halted spraying of their fields for trips and fleahoppers this week, with the view in mind of letting beneficial insects build up.

A month-long buildup of these insects is recommended in order to control the bollworm, which will be showing up about three or four weeks from now.

Early season control programs whereby farmers spray their fields by the calendar instead of by insect count have been gaining in popularity in the area as a means of insuring setting of early fruit.

Today the oil and gas industry consumes almost eight per cent of the nation's steel output. It goes into well equipment, pipe lines, refineries, storage tanks, and many other items.

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It thrills us to see the potato men of the area—few as they are—on the verge of making some real money this year. However, we have seen them hopeful before when things didn't work out so well, so perhaps it's still best not to count unhatched chickens.

Wondering if there are any "sour grapes" fellows around who had a hard time with potatoes last year and feel they might be missing out for not planting this year, we phoned up Walter Kaltwasser out at Oklahoma Lane to get his sentiments.

Although Walter admitted that if he could have foretold the prospects things might have been different, he said, "Well, you know, it took a lot of maize to make up for what we lost on potatoes last year."

Buck Gregory of down West Camp way was scheduled to start digging today (Thursday), and had the strange paradox of digging his spuds at the same time he was planting.

Pleased with the summer market, he is getting another crop in for fall, hoping that prospects will still be good.

In driving through the country, we notice that farmers are making good use of staggered planting dates with their crops this year—particularly milo.

Often, they tell us, it is helpful to be able to water a crop in one stage while part of the rest of the acreage is in an earlier stage and can stand waiting its turn for a long drink on hot summer days.

Also, it amazes us to see the difference that 30 or 40 miles in a north-and-south direction can make in over-all crop development. There is really an apparent difference between growth along the Lazbuddie-Farwell southern part of the county, as compared with the northern end.

Of course, as the season wears on this difference diminishes considerably, but the variation is extremely noticeable when crops are just getting started.

Common weeds in field crops such as the careless weed and tumble weed have been a real problem for many farmers this year. Showers have been largely responsible for this condition.

However, even as this is being written, the fields are being swiftly cleaned out by our industrious High Plains farmers. By this week-end, most fields should be much neater looking—and of course have much more potential for this fall.

What ever happened to all the fuss everyone was making over artificial rain-making?

We noticed in last week's Mule-shoe Journal that Lazbuddie has been chosen as the site of a quarter section experiment station for the Texas Research Foundation of Renner.

If this pans out, it will bring a lot of well deserved publicity to one of Texas' most productive regions, not to mention the benefits in plant research that one would naturally expect from such a project.

We side with county Farm Bureau officials who are concerned about the effects of the lobbying of organized labor. The most recent threat to our farm economy are several pending bills which, if made law, would make labor on our farms an almost unbearable expense.

The tendency of the government to discount the time-proven laws of supply and demand, and to arbitrarily determine what a Parmer County farmer must pay for the hands he hires, is detrimental to the soundness of our agricultural economy.

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FIGHT BINDWEED—Residents of Farwell have discovered that they have a bindweed fight right in their own front yards—not just on area farms where they might expect it. Here Wilfred Quickel, left, and Bob Anderson, right, of the Farwell Chamber of Commerce; and Frankie Coffman, center 4-H Club boy, team up to treat an infestation near Second Street and Avenue C.

Bindweed Spreads Like Human Cancer

Another warning was sounded this week that pointed up the fact that Parmer County fight against the spread of bindweed is only beginning. The spread of this noxious plant might be reckoned to human cancer in its destructiveness.

Joe Jones, county agent, this week had proof that bindweed is not the concern of farmers alone—but is the responsibility of town residents as well.

For infestations of the creeping,

land-devouring plant have been spotted in Texico-Farwell, Bovina, and Friona. And all of the infestations are serious.

"Someway or another," warned the agent, "it needs to be brought home to the people of the county that the bindweed problem is becoming increasingly serious, and is the responsibility of everyone."

"It's showing up everywhere: behind buildings, along highways and railroad rights-of-way, in the

towns' bar ditches, farmers' fields, and even in the lawns of the county's cities."

Up until the last few years, Parmer County has been able to brag that it was virtually free from noxious weeds. However, things are changing fast, warns the agent, and the challenge to control this weed needs to be met.

Irrigation with its intense farming methods has been largely responsible for the spread of bindweed (and Johnson grass, too), and there are still farmers who don't recognize the weed and plow through it, scattering seeds all over their field.

Of course, there are many other ways of spreading bindweed, too, but the one that can be controlled by residents is the one that needs the most prompt action.

222 which is the most popular control chemical. However, because of the possible fire hazard involved, polybor chlorate, borasco, or karmex W is recommended for in-town use in fighting the plant.

The agent urged that farmers make use of the current ACP program for government support in controlling the weed.

Bureau Directors Hear Reports

At the monthly Farm Bureau director's meeting Monday night in Friona, 4-H boys and girls who attended the round-up at College Station recently reported on the trip.

Home Demonstration Agent Jimmie Lou Wainscott introduced the girls who were Beverly Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith of Lazbuddie; and Margaret Mabry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Mabry of the Hub community. Mrs. Mabry and Mrs. Smith accompanied their daughters to the Monday night meeting. Mrs. Mabry accompanied them to the State Roundup and attended some of the classes.

County Agent Joe Jones introduced James Stevens of Bovina and Mike Ellis of Lazbuddie. Mrs. Eugene Ellis, mother of Mike, was in attendance with her son at the Monday night meeting. All of these young people gave enthusiastic reports on the venture and expressed their appreciation to Farm Bureau for assisting them financially in going.

Following a committee report on FFA and FHA school activities, the directors voted to provide \$15 each year to each chapter in the county to be used in helping finance delegates to those state conventions. Roy Crawford, vocational agriculture teacher of Bovina, had asked consideration of this action at a previous meeting.

Other business discussed was: Opposition to the 1/2c per gallon increase in farm used gasoline which followed enactment of exemption of Federal Road tax of such gasoline; discussion of so bank provisions; opposition to federal aid to education legislation now being considered; ways and means of informing members.

Hybrid Hits Town--Goes in a Hurry

A shipment of 40 bags of Texas Hybrid No. 620 from Asgrow Seed in San Antonio went fast when farmers got the word the new stock had arrived. That's the report of C. M. "Heinie" Henderson of Farwell.

The seed arrived at Henderson Grain & Seed Friday two weeks ago, and by Saturday evening, it was all gone. "I didn't call anyone on the telephone or advertise it," said Henderson, "It just went to fellows who dropped by."

Hybrid grain sorghums, a new development for Southwestern farmers which holds high promise for increased yields, is just now beginning to trickle down to farms.

Next year will be the first year of wide-scale production.

This shipment, the first known on a commercial scale in the area, came from stock produced this year in the Lower Rio Grande Valley, according to the Farwell seedsmen.

"It is a cross of Kafir 60 and Redbine Milo, and should be an early maturing variety," said Henderson.

Largest purchasers of the seed were Bob and John Spearman of Pleasant Hill, who are seeding 100 acres to the hybrid.

Henderson said he has since received a small additional shipment, but expects it to go fast, too.

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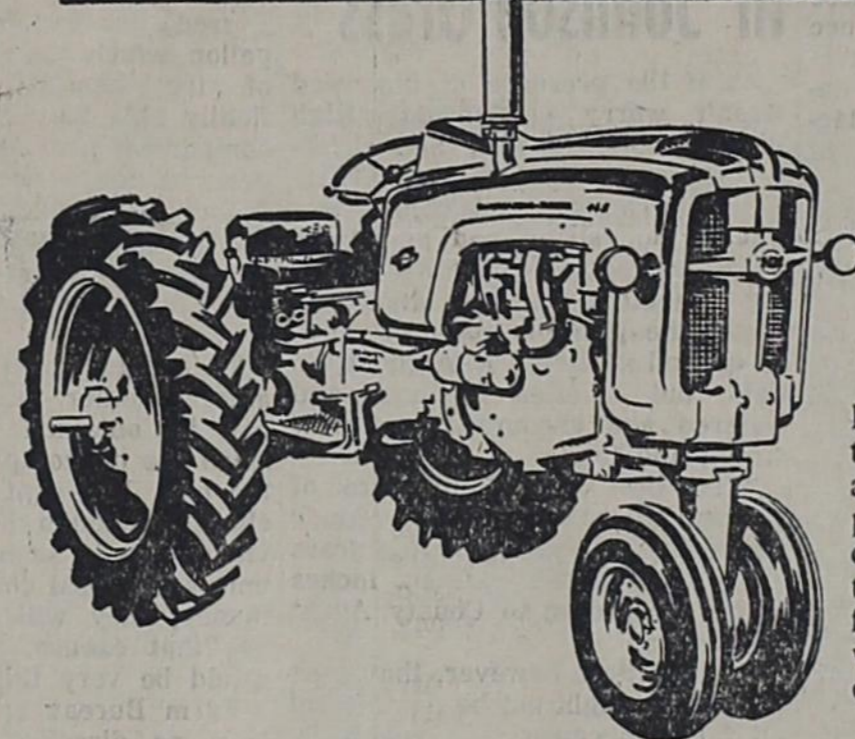
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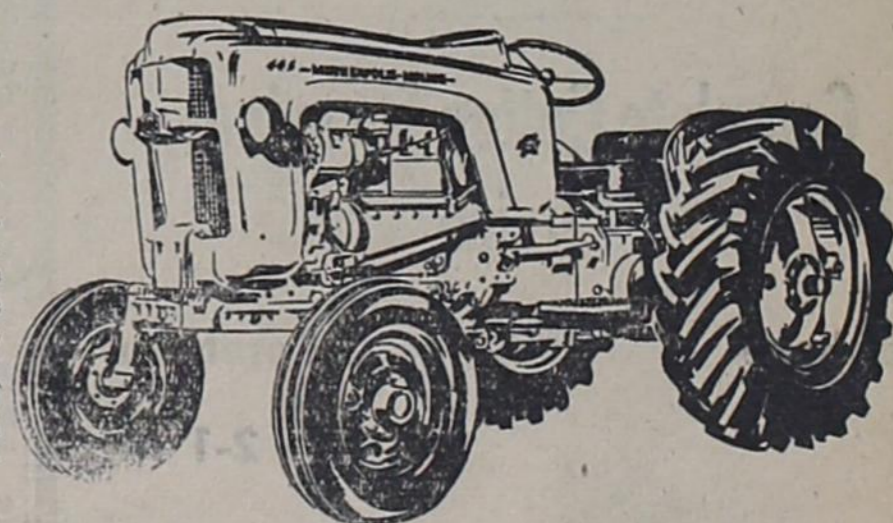
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NATIVE PASTURE—These two pictures made by the Parmer County SCS technicians illustrate native rangeland in the county Soil Conservation District. In the top is pasture on the farm of Carl Schlenker 10 miles west, two north of Friona. Lower photo was taken on the farm of Clarence Byers seven miles north of Bovina.

Attention Called To Native Grasses

Native ranges or native pastures are no longer Parmer County Soil Conservation District's most important agriculture product. However, what native pastures that still exist will bear some attention, says Floyd Crume work unit conservationist.

For the most part there are two significant range sites in the district. One is the hard land range site and the other is the mixed land range site. The hard land site consists of those lands containing tighter, less permeable soils. In good condition these ranges will contain unlimited amounts of blue gramma, side oats gramma, western wheat, and little blue stem with about 25% buffalo grass.

In poorer condition, these grasses will be in less abundance and less vigorous. Invading plants such as loco, broom snakeweed and other harmful or less palatable plants will be present.

Mixed range lands in the district are those more sandy lands, that absorb water more readily. In an excellent or good condition they may contain blue gramma, side oats gramma, hairy gramma, black gramma, little blue stem, Indian grass, and switch grass, in unlimited amounts with buffalo grass, three awns, sand dropseed and tabosa grass making up about one third of the cover.

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In fair or poor condition these grasses will be in less abundance and show less vigor and an invasion of annual weeds, less desirable grasses will take their places with a great infestation of yucca and sagebrush.

To improve the condition of a range or pasture, a farmer should pick out his most desirable grasses, find out about their growth habits, and manage grazing so that they are allowed to make a seed crop every year or so. It is never a good practice to graze more than half of the current year's growth of those more desirable grasses.

A good method of determining the carrying capacity of a pasture is to select a spot where conditions are average, measure off a plot 3.1 feet square, clip all the vegetation on the spot and weigh it in grams. The weight in grams multiplied by

ten gives the pounds of forage an acre has produced.

This figure divided by the number of pounds of forage (20 to 30 pounds) a cow will eat per day will give the number of days that an acre will last for a cow.

Some of the pastures in the district utilize runoff water from irrigation from surrounding fields. As far as the pasture is concerned, this allows greater production if handled properly. On those hill-sides where buffalo grass is about the only thing present, some method of holding the water on the land so it will have time to soak in should be used. Chiseling or pitting the land is a good way to do this initially.

Until a good amount of grass is present, grazing should be very limited on these areas and then should not be grazed when wet.

Increase Noted In Johnson Grass

As if the presence of bindweed wasn't worry enough for High Plains farmers, most are discovering that this year more Johnson grass is popping up than ever before.

It's a result of intensified farming methods under irrigation where the grass is not only plowed up and scattered throughout the field, but is often fertilized and watered and encouraged to grow strong and tough.

"The best control measure of Johnson grass is still to summer fallow the land and plow the grass every time it gets over six inches high," according to County Agent Joe Jones.

He admitted, however, that such conditions might not be possible on all farms because it is necessary to keep the land in production.

Generally speaking, chemicals that are suitable for the control of bindweed will work on Johnson grass. Naptha and sodium dalpon are new chemical preparations which are proving effective in many cases.

Sesame Raising Due Big Decline

Production of Sesame seed, a new crop to the Parmer County area last year, apparently is due a reversal this year, according to reports from both farmers and the area's only seed dealer, Cummings Farm Store of Friona.

"I doubt if there will be 1,000 acres harvested in the county," said E. H. Cummings, this week. He pointed not only to light sales of seed, but also to the difficulty farmers have had obtaining a satisfactory stand.

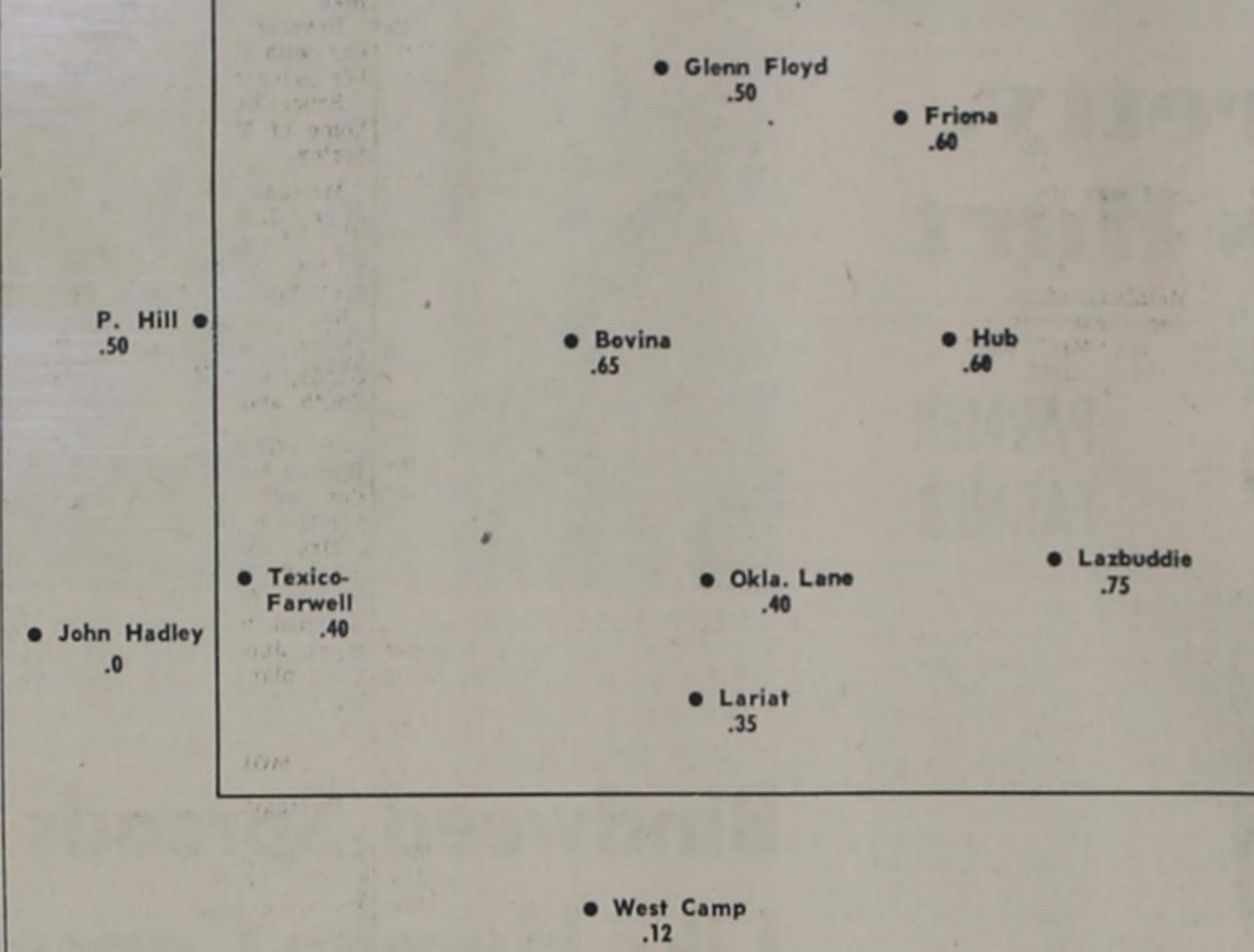
C. W. Sanders of the Oklahoma Lane Community, who again has about 300 acres this year, is the largest sesame seed producer in the United States. At least, that was the title he held last year.

Billy Marshall and James Borden of Hub are two other sizeable producers who are trying the oil-seed crop again.

Last year, yields ranged from 400 to 1,100 pounds of seed per acre, with the price being about 10 cents per pound. About 2,500 acres were raised.

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NEWS FROM THE FARM BUREAU

By RAYMOND EULER

Now is the time for farmers to file for refund of the two-cent federal road use tax on all farm used gasoline purchased between January first and July first. A year from now, when you file again, you will be filing for three cents per gallon. Farm Bureau thought the one cent increase would soon go into effect, when it was working on the law allowing farm exemption. Forms, which are very simple for filing on this tax refund, are available in the Farm Bureau office and at most banks and the county agent's office.

Since passage of the above mentioned law, oil companies have raised the tank wagon (farm delivered) gasoline price 1/2 cent per gallon, which means that this much of the benefit farmers were finally able to get goes to the oil companies instead of the farmers, who fought for the exemption. Walter Hammond has wired Lyndon Johnson and Price Daniel, asking an investigation of this new act of discrimination against farmers.

They have both replied favorably. Whether the desired action can be obtained is not known, since the oil companies can claim the one half cent is a delivery charge, although they have not previously made such a charge. But unless the local consignee gets the money, they will not be able to use that excuse, which we think would be very thin, anyway.

Farm Bureau is also taking action, as directed in county and state resolutions, against proposals for federal aid to public schools. Unless kids are getting dumber, which we don't think they are, even the Gilmer-Aiken deal has been a detriment to the real education of our children. Federal aid would multiply this deficiency no telling how many times. Most people know by now that federal aid means federal control, whether it is admitted by proponents of federal aid laws or not.

It's as simple as this: if you pay a man's wages, you are going to tell him what to do, as a condition of your continuing his pay. Federal moguls are certainly no less demanding than the average individual.

In considering the good and bad points of the soil bank program, we should remember this: The fact that few farmers of this area

are putting land in the bank does not mean that it is of no use. In less productive areas, and areas of smaller acreages, it appears that many farmers are going to participate. The end result is reduced production on a nation wide scale. This means that our county can actually profit more from the plan than if there were many participants. A year from now we will know more about the possibilities of the program. Let's hope it works.

Consider this: When thou sittest to eat with a ruler, consider diligently what is before thee: Proverbs 23:1.

4-H Encampment Last of July

The annual summer encampment of county 4-H Club boys has been scheduled for July 30-31, and August 1-2, announces Joe Jones, county agent.

Plans for the earlier affair are only in the formative stages, but already a list of leaders willing to make the trip is being prepared. Clubbers will soon be receiving a letter, advises Jones, with complete information on the outing.

Eligible to participate will be clubbers who have completed a project this year, or who are now managing one.

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THE HAPPY HOMEMAKER

Someone has said, "The busiest people are the happiest people." If that be true, and we feel sure it is, homemakers should be the happiest people in all the world. Most of the ones with whom we are acquainted are very busy the year around.

If any college ever decides to offer a course in homemaking, we'd like to offer some suggestions on what should be included in it. To be a really successful homemaker, it would be very helpful if each woman could be a specialist in about a dozen different fields of learning.

The average homemaker should be able to cook, sew, wash, iron, clean, plan wholesome menus for her family and do any number of other things in order to be able to keep her house running smoothly.

Then in addition to these accomplishments, it would be very helpful if she had some training in nursing, interior decorating, bookkeeping and teaching. Of course, any mother needs to be an expert in public relations. Landscaping and gardening should be "musts" on the list of accomplishments for prospective homemakers.

Several years ago we read an article that stated, "Every woman needs three husbands." One should provide a living for the family, one should do chores that need to be done around the house, and the third should go places with the family. At the time, we made a resolution to write a similar article on the subject, "Every child should have three mothers." Maybe we will get around to writing it one day.

The canning and freezing of fruits and vegetables will take a great deal of time in the next few months. Think we need some new instructions on how to freeze green beans. The ones we froze last year are inedible. There will be some to can from the garden next week.

Last summer Helen Potts gave us a tip on canning okra that we enjoyed as long as the okra lasted. Wash okra and cut it in small pieces just as if you were going to fry it. Then without salt or meal, pack it in jars and pressure it 20 minutes at 10 lbs. You don't even put water over it.

Of course, when you take the jars out of the cooker, they are just about half full. When you are ready to cook it, remove it gently from the jars, roll in meal which has been salted and fry. Sure tastes good in the winter time.

A recipe that we have used for several years for a simple dessert is for white gingerbread. It is easy enough so that a beginner need have no difficulty using it.

The ingredients are:
2 cups flour
1 cup sugar

- 1/2 cup shortening
- 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1/4 teaspoon nutmeg
- 1 teaspoon baking powder
- 1/2 teaspoon ginger
- 1/2 teaspoon soda
- 1 cup milk
- 1 well beaten egg

Sift together flour and sugar. Combine with shortening. Mix until crumbly. Reserve 1/4 cup of the mixture. To the remaining mixture add spices, baking powder, soda, egg and milk. Mix well. Pour into well greased loaf pan. Sprinkle reserved crumbly mixture over top and bake in moderate oven.

If your daughter's dress need the hems let down and you hesitate to do it on account of the faded line it leaves where the bottom of the present hem is, you might try Edith Hannold's method. She stitches near the hem line with the machine before letting the hem down. Then when the job is finished there is a neat tuck where the faded line would have been.

"Plan your work, then work your plan" was the title of one article we read a few years ago. After reading it, we made a decision that should have resulted in making us a very efficient homemaker. It didn't work, though, and after a few weeks we were back in the same old rut. There wasn't any time in the schedule to take care of the emergencies which arise in most homes from time to time.

Maybe we could make a schedule work if it were flexible enough. There should be some time in each hour to allow the mother of small children to remove stickers, repair broken swings, get cats off the roofs and act as referee over disputes which have arisen. We have reached the conclusion that the only way to get things done is to do them. The method isn't so important.

There are a lot of homemakers we know and admire who keep things done in ship-shape order all the time. Their method of management would be interesting to read about, but it probably wouldn't work for us. If there are two categories of homemakers, the ones who keep things done and the ones who don't, we fall in the latter.

As long as we keep trying and have fun at the same time, we feel we will have won in the long run, even if we have lost out in the efficiency race.

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BANK'S OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION of the Security State Bank

at Farwell, Texas at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1956, pursuant to call made by the Banking Commissioner of Texas in accordance with the Banking Laws of this State.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, including overdrafts	\$ 1,501,000.59
United States Govt. Obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,193,937.50
Obligations of states and political subdivisions	94,891.87
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	5,000.00
Cash, balance due from other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection (including exchanges for clearing house)	1,053,988.65
Banking house, or leasehold improvements	1.00
Furniture, fixtures, and equipment	1.00
TOTAL RESOURCES	3,848,820.61

LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Common Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus: Certified	100,000.00
Undivided profits	\$ 135,080.11
Capital reserves (and debenture retirement account) (Not to include specifically allocated reserve for expenses, or valuation allowances)	1,669.95
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,930,091.41
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	185,532.09
Public funds (Incl. U. S. Govt., states and pol. subdivisions)	441,447.05
Deposits of banks (excluding reciprocal balances)	5,000.00
Total all deposits	\$3,562,070.55
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$3,848,820.61

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Parmer, I L. S. Pool, being 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 16th day of April 1956.

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BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS Rev. Irving Looney, Pastor

Attendance at Sunday School on July 1 was 108. Present for training union Sunday evening were 56.

Members of the Adult Training Union Class met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Verner on Thursday night, June 28, for a chicken fry and ice cream social.

Present besides the host and hostess were Mrs. Lora Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Garner, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Watkins and Coretta, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Roach, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Blevins, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hukill and Carol, Rev. and Mrs. Irving Looney and daughters and Jesse Estinoso.

The newly organized junior choir of the church presented special music at the Sunday evening worship service.

METHODIST CHURCH NEWS Rev. Vernon Willard, Pastor

Ruth and Naomi Circles of the WSCS of the church met at the church for a joint meeting this week. The meeting was opened with the group singing "Follow On" and "To The Work." Eight visitation reports were given.

Roll call was answered with members naming a mission work in Florida. Mrs. Fred Bolton was elected secretary of the general society to fill a vacancy in the organization, and Mrs. Lawrence Cooper was elected as youth secretary.

Mrs. Doyn Merriman was director of the day's program, and each officer in the group gave the goals of her respective office for the coming year.

Mrs. James Roach and Mrs. Fred Bolton then presented a skit "You Are The Key." The devotion, "Being Christian," was given by Mrs. Sam Billingsley who used as her text, 2nd Cor. 5:14-21.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Mrs. T. L. Kent. After the meeting, members of the Naomi Circle served refreshments of Ritz cracker sandwiches, cookies and punch to Mesdames T. L. Kent, Sam Billingsley, Wayne Foster, Fred Bolton, James Roach, Lee Jones, C. C. Christian; Also, Mesdames Don Christian, Doyn Merriman, Melvin Sudderth, W. P. Shelley, Claude Primrose, R. E. Blankenship and one guest, Mrs. Troy Christian.

July 1 Sunday School attendance was 105 with approximately 120 present for the worship hour. Special music for the morning worship was given by Mrs. B. J. Foster and Mrs. Donald Christian.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Morrow, Wesley and Karen visited during

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the weekend at the home of her aunt and family, Rev. and Mrs. Vernon Willard.

Mrs. Earl Routon and daughters returned this week from Knox City where they had been visiting Mrs. Routon's mother, Mrs. Bud Reeves, and daughters. Mrs. Reeves and girls returned home with the Routons for a few days visit here.

Mrs. Lillie Green, mother of Mrs. Lloyd Routon, recently returned to her home here after visiting with another daughter in Munday.

Family Reunion Held in Clovis

The park in Clovis was the scene of a reunion of the family of Mrs. Dan Routon of the Oklahoma Lane community on Sunday, July 1.

Five of Mrs. Routon's sisters, one sister-in-law and three of her brothers and families were present for the occasion.

The group enjoyed a basket lunch at noon and visited during the afternoon. The children present enjoyed swimming in the afternoon.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Dan Routon, Mrs. Alice Gregory of Lubbock, Mrs. Benny Newsome of Waxahachie, Mrs. Bessie Tyler of Abilene, Mrs. Gladys Guy of Amarillo, Mrs. Ollie Fudge of Dallas;

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fudge and Pat of Abilene, Joe Fudge of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Fudge of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Don Fudge of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Gregory of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. Hardin Burrow and children of Elida, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Johnson and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Routon and family, and Earl Routon, all of Farwell.

News From LAZBUDDIE

Mrs. Bert Gordon

Attend Funeral

Those attending funeral services for Ross Vanlandingham in Hollis, Okla., last Wednesday were Rev. and Mrs. C. K. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ivy, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Jones, J. T. Mayfield, Buster Morgan, Claude Heath, Wesley Barnes and Clayton Graef.

Gary Matthews, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Junior Matthews, who underwent surgery in Lubbock last week, is at home now and is doing nicely.

Clarence Henderson and Mrs. Bob Titus from Oklahoma City visited in the John Agee home over the weekend and took Mrs. Mary Henderson, their mother, who has been here since the last of April, back with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brownlee are visiting relatives in Tyler and other points of East Texas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Deaton and family have returned to California after a two week visit with his mother, Mrs. Lora Brown, and other relatives. They were accompanied on the trip by Mrs. Deaton's mother, Mrs. Atkinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bates Jennings spent the weekend in Dallas. Mrs. Dixie Barnes had as guests the first part of last week her niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Crockett and boys, of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Barnes and family visited his mother, Mrs. Dixie Barnes, on Sunday night.

Mrs. J. S. Menefee, Mrs. E. V. Crain, Mrs. McCurdy, and Mrs. Dixie Barnes visited Mrs. Laura

Treider Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rails of Muleshoe spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Freeman.

Beverly Smith spent the weekend with Coretta Watkins to help her celebrate her birthday.

Bruce Phillips is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Wimberly.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith, Katherine, Jack Finley, Carolyn and Terry Scott and Wanda Steinbock visited in Portales Sunday with Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Gerald Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lovett and children of Clovis, N. M., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lavern Smith and children.

Beverly Smith attended a Farm Bureau meeting in Friona on Monday night and gave a report on her trip to the state 4-H meeting.

Mrs. Odell Press, who has resided in the Lazbuddie community for several years, was married in Lubbock on Saturday night, June 30, to Mr. J. W. Stout. They plan to make their home in Lubbock.

MOISTURE REPORT

Damaging hail and heavy rain fell over parts of the community late Monday afternoon. Those reporting heavy rain damage were Raymond Treider, Melvin Treider, Wesley Barnes and Earnest Merriott. Rain measured from one to three inches where the hail fell. At the store at Lazbuddie only a light shower fell. Last Thursday morning about 80 fell at Lazbuddie with amount varying over the community.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Parham, Terry and Sharon, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Gleason, Bobby, Linda, and Jerry, and Mr. and Mrs. Y. B. Mayfield have recently returned from a trip to Conchas Lake in New Mexico. They caught some fish and enjoyed boating and water skiing.

Paul Jesko, Mina Jennings, Jerry Gleason and Patsy Weaver spent Sunday on an outing to Buffalo Lake. They enjoyed boating and water skiing.

— LEGAL —

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: PRISCILLA LEE PERKINS
Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Parmer 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-two days from

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the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 16th day of August A. D. 1956, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 18th day of June A. D. 1956, in this cause, numbered 1858 on the docket of said court and styled William F. Perkins Plaintiff, vs. Priscilla Lee Perkins Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: For divorce on the ground of cruel treatment, and for custody of Jacquetta Lee Perkins and William Lynn Perkins, the minor children, and for the other and further relief found to be proper 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 18th day of June A. D. 1956.

Attest: Hugh Moseley Clerk.
By Dorothy Quickel Deputy.

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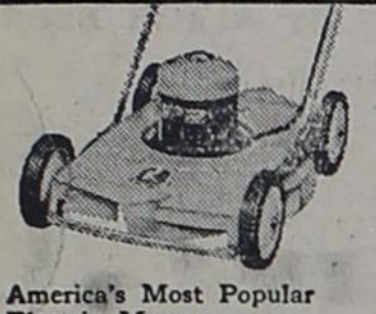
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Gold Medal Flour 10 Lb. Bag	92c
Kim Dog Food 3 Cans	21c
Shortening Mrs. Tucker's 3 lb. can	79c

City of Texico Wins Suit Against Pierce

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Johnson, and that a check had not been made to see if the faucets were open in the house.

"Did you examine the pipe?" Pierce asked Johnson.

"No," Johnson replied, "the house was locked."

"If it was, that's the first time it has ever been locked," Pierce said.

Johnson said that he checked the meter and no water was running through it. Pierce said that all the faucets in the house were open and that the water ran all night and up into the next day, that being the reason for the seepage around the old cesspool.

At a later date, Johnson and Dan Buzzard, Clovis attorney, were at the place and the old cesspool no longer leaked, Johnson testified.

When asked if the new hole was connected to any other cesspool, Johnson said, "Yes, by a ditch filled with rock."

"You're under oath and you had better be telling the truth," Pierce

said.

"I am telling the truth," Johnson remarked.

"We'll see whether you are or not," Pierce said.

Pierce testified that he did have a hole dug six or seven feet from the old cess pool.

Another witness called was Buzzard. He confirmed Johnson's testimony about the ditch, adding that they probed the ditch on May 30 and discovered water seeping through the rocks into the new hole.

Pierce later testified that there was a ditch with rocks there, and it was some 20 to 30 feet in length. He said that it had been there for eight or 10 years and it was for seepage from the old cesspool. He added that if the new hole had been dug in its path, he didn't know it.

Judge Sullivan, after hearing all testimony, found the defendant guilty and assessed a fine of \$150. Judge Sullivan presided at the trial after Texico Police Magistrate Sam N. Lewis disqualified himself. Lewis withdrew after Pierce filed an affidavit several weeks ago, saying that he did not think he could get justice in Lewis' court.

CITY COUNCIL—

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discussed. Two local men had asked that it be used for nets and screens on a couple of tennis courts near the water tower.

Helton said that he would rather see the money used for concrete courts rather than invest it in something that wasn't permanent. It was voted to investigate the distribution of the recreation fund more thoroughly before making a decision. The amount in the fund at present is around \$400.

The Council also voted to pay Frank and Silas Jones 90 percent of the garbage fee collected for their hauling service.

Bills for the month, approved by the Council, were as follows:

Street Improvement Fund—Mileage for a Santa Fe trip, \$41.04.

General Fund—Withholding tax, \$37.80; Insurance on building, \$60.37; Clovis Printing, \$33; Houston Lumber, \$34.03; Southwestern Public Service Company, \$31.73; Waterworks, \$7.55; Janitorial work, \$10; City of Farwell, \$20; Texico Cemetery Association, \$90; Mountain States Telephone, \$24.35; and C. L. Rogers, \$50.

Water and Sewer Fund—Withholding tax, \$69.30; Farwell Waterworks, \$19.82; Clovis Printing, \$89.10; Southwestern Public Service, \$120.04; Hauling of salt to sewer grounds, \$80; Hill Lines, \$4.58; Southern Meter and Repair, \$49; and Mountain States Telephone, \$3.35.

Fire Fund—Texico-Farwell Fire-boys, \$156.75; Southern Union Gas, \$3.00; Texico Waterworks, \$32; and Meter Refunds, \$100.

Texico Water System Praised by State

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giving satisfactory service.

The Village of Texico is to be complimented on the effort that has been made to provide an adequate supply and a satisfactory sewage collection and disposal system. These facilities were constructed from plans that were approved by the New Mexico Department of Public Health.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cannon made a weekend trip to Roswell, N. M., returning to their home Sunday after going to Roswell early Saturday.

UNDERGOES SURGERY

M. H. Potet, Texico, underwent major surgery at Clovis Memorial Hospital Tuesday of last week. He returned to his home Wednesday and his condition is reported as good at the present time. Mrs. Potet says that he is able to be up some now.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our sincere appreciation to our many friends for the cards, flowers, and words of encouragement given us during my recent stay in the hospital and convalescence at home.

M. H. Potet and family

Work Progressing On State Highway 108

Work on state highway 108 in New Mexico is progressing this week as black-topping gets underway. Paving of this seven-mile strip from Texico to the Pleasant Hill community has been in the state's paving program for quite some time and it has been postponed several times.

Construction of the road has been going on for a couple of months and it should be completed within 30 days, according to a workman.

Home Ec Department Gets New Appliances

Two new appliances have been added to the Farwell home economics department, announces Jack Williams, superintendent. They are a Frigidaire clothes washer and a range.

The appliances are being furnished by Bill Snyder of Snyder Furniture and Appliance of Clovis, Williams says.

ELECTION—

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Railroad Commissioner—William J. Murray Jr., Austin.

Comptroller of Public Accounts—Robert S. Calvert, Austin.

State Treasurer—Warren G. Harding, Dallas; and Jesse James, Austin.

IS HOSPITALIZED

Jim Perkins, Farwell, remains in serious condition at the hospital in Clovis this week after being confined there last Thursday following a stroke. Family members report that it is not known when he will return to his home.

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