

Lay Plans For 4-H Spring Stock Show

Irrigation Specialist Coming Thursday

Red Cross Campaign Opens Next Monday

The 1949 campaign for funds, conducted by the American Red Cross, will get underway in Farmer county next Monday, February 28th, and is slated to continue throughout March.

The month of March has been designated as Red Cross "membership" month, Campaign Chairman W. E. Williams, of Bovina, said today.

Williams, who was in Farwell the first of the week lining up workers to handle the solicitations, stated that individuals had been contacted in each area of the county to push the drive for Red Cross funds, but added, "We earnestly urge all of you to contact your community solicitor and make your donations to this worthy cause, rather than leaving it up to the workers to seek out each resident for a contribution."

The county quota for 1949, Chairman Williams went on, is \$792.00. In the past, Farmer residents have always exceeded the goal assigned them by the Red Cross, and officials said "We are certain this will be the case again this year."

The following workers have been announced for the communities:

- Farwell—H. Y. Overstreet.
- Bovina—W. E. Williams.
- Frona—Frank Spring.
- Black—Mr. Deaton.
- Lakeview—Mrs. M. B. Buchanan.
- Lazbuddy—Mrs. Otto Treider.
- Rhea—Mrs. F. T. Schlenker.
- Lariat—Boone Allison.
- Oklahoma Lane—Mrs. Bill Foster.

Mechanic Burned As Gasoline Flares Up

Oden Smith, mechanic at the repair shop of Ralph Humble, local M-M dealer, was pretty badly burned about the right arm, Tuesday morning, when gasoline ignited on a tractor as he was working on the machine.

Humble said that a leaky carburetor flared up when Smith touched a battery cable with a wrench, causing sparks to flare from the battery. Unable to cut off the carburetor because of the flame, fire threatened the building and contents for a time.

The fire department was called and soon had the flames extinguished by the use of chemicals. No damage was done the building, and the tractor was damaged only slightly, Humble reported.

County Boys To Show Stock At Amarillo

Several Farmer County 4H clubbers will take fat stock to Amarillo this weekend, entering the Amarillo Junior Fat Stock Show, which opens on Monday the 28th, and ends on Friday, March 4th, County Agent Ollie Liner said today.

Larry Ezell, of Bovina, will show three Chester Whites; Clyde Hays, of Black, is to exhibit three Hampshires; Max Crim, of Lazbuddy, will compete with three Poland-Chinas; James Tidenberg, of Bovina, is slated to show three Spotted Poland-Chinas; and Kenneth Lowery, of Bovina, will take one Spotted Poland-China to the show.

Scout Fund Drive Comes March 2

Scouting executives from the New Mexico Area and the Plains District met with local Scout leaders and business men here last Thursday, and outlined plans for the annual campaign for Scout funds to be made on Wednesday, March 2.

Plans call for a kick-off breakfast to be held at the Legion Hall at 7:00 a. m. that morning and the drive launched immediately, in the hope that solicitations may be completed in one day. About 20 local Scout leaders and business men have been selected to conduct the drive in Texico and Farwell.

Council Administrator Howard Braun of Roswell addressed a small group of men at the meeting last Thursday night, in which he outlined the Scouting program and gave a break-down of the financial budget for the Area. The budget for this year has been set at \$44,395.00, and he expressed the belief that this amount would be raised for the Scouting program in the area.

C. C. Cagle, of Clovis, who said that he had been connected with the Scouting program for 27 years, made an interesting talk in which he observed that "even though some of us do not have any boys of Scout age, we still have a responsibility to the boys of our communities."

Braun made the observation that although there were more than 3,000 boys receiving Scouting in the New Mexico Area, "the thing that concerns me is that we are reaching less than 50 percent of our boys with our program," and he pleaded for a financial program that would make certain that all boys desiring Scouting may have it.

The financial campaigns for the Boy Scouts and the Girl Scouts in Texico-Farwell will be carried out separately, but the local Men's Club sponsors of Scouting in the Twin Cities, are pledged to support both programs. The quota for the Girl Scouts in Texico-Farwell has been set at \$600.00, while the Boy Scout drive will be made on a no-quota basis. "Get what you can and we will be satisfied," Braun said.



FELLER FOOLING HERE—REALLY DOESN'T LIKE PAY CUT . . . All the amiability showing on the face of "Rapid Robert" Feller, Cleveland Indian hurler, is just for the cameraman and the occasion. This conference over pay came to naught after two hours. Here, Feller and Cleveland prey Bill Veck are holding the ends of a bogus dollar bill. Feller was reported to have been asked to take a cut in his estimated take of \$82,000 last year.

Date Set For Chamber Of Commerce Feed

FROM THE HOPPER

Ed McGuire and his wife were off to California the other day, and crawled in the back seat was their feather bed. Mrs. McGuire explained that she always took her bed when she went visiting in order to be sure she had a place to sleep.

A Bovina housewife was doing some shopping last Friday and made inquiry about the fresh meat on display in the meat counter. She wanted to be assured it was beef and not horse meat, explaining that she had recently purchased some meat that in her opinion was horse meat. "It smelled just like a sweaty horse when I cooked it," she declared. Needless to say that she dumped it out, although she had paid \$2.80 for the choice roast.

Reports reaching here through Uncle Tom Randol, recently returned from sunny California, tell of the plight of Wesley Osborne and family marooned at their Sugar Pine Ranch in the central part of that state. Thirty inches of snow had blocked all highways in that region, he said. Which would lead us to believe that Wesley is not enjoying a rush business just at this time with his fried chicken and pan biscuits.

Some people are so conceited about their own importance that they tear their bills up and throw them away when they receive them from the postoffice.

NEPHEW DIES

Marvin Parrack, nephew of Mrs. Effie Johnson of this city, died at his home in Albuquerque Thursday last week and was buried at Clayton the following Saturday.



PFC. W. J. PALMER

Military Services Held For Pfc. W. J. Palmer

Funeral services were conducted for Pfc. William J. Palmer on February 11th at 10 a. m. in the national cemetery at Fort Bliss with Army personnel in charge of services. The remains of young Palmer were returned here from Germany, where he was killed on April 25, 1945, while driving a tank.

Palmer was born February 10, 1925 and had entered service in March of 1943.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Palmer, two brothers, Cecil and Arnold; four sisters, Wilma Cox, Earlene, Alma, Virginia, all of Lazbuddy except Arnold, who is serving with occupation forces in Germany. All the family attended the services at Fort Bliss with the exception of Arnold Palmer.

Prior to this, memorial services were conducted at the First Baptist Church in Lazbuddy a few months following the death of young Palmer.

Revival Is Announced For Baptist Church

Announcement was made today of a coming revival meeting, which will be held at the Texico-Farwell Baptist Church the latter part of March, opening on March 25th and concluding on April 3rd.

Rev. O. O. Holladay, pastor of the church, will be in the pulpit for the evangelistic series, with Rev. and Mrs. Oliver Riley of Lela Lake, Texas, on hand to direct the singing.

FARM BUREAU MEETING SLATED, FEBRUARY 28

Monday, February 28th, is the date on which the Farmer County Farm Bureau will hold a meeting at the Bovina school, at 8:00 p. m.

President Charley Thompson said today that the meeting is not restricted to members, and everyone in the county is invited to attend. Members are especially urged to be present, as their is some important business to be transacted.

Raymond Akins, of Plainview, will be present as guest speaker. He is a long-time Farm Bureau member past president of the Hale County organization.

Harry Hatch, of Amarillo, now the Blue Cross representative for that district, will outline and explain the Blue Cross hospitalization plan. "It will be well worth your time to hear this explained," said Thompson, in urging a good crowd.

ROTH FUNERAL HELD

Funeral services for T. E. Roth, age 40, were held at the Baptist Church in this city last Friday morning at 10 o'clock, with the pastor, Rev. O. O. Holladay, conducting the service, assisted by Rev. Virgil Hunton of Clovis.

Burial was made in the Texico cemetery at 3 p. m. on Friday, the interment having been postponed from the forenoon to the afternoon, awaiting arrival of relatives.

Bob Thurmond, irrigation specialist from the Extension Service, will be the guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Texico-Farwell Men's Club on Thursday evening of this week.

Due to interest in the irrigation program throughout this section, it is expected that a large crowd will be on hand to hear Thurmond discuss generalities of artificial watering, in addition to answering questions which may be posed by those in attendance.

The meeting is to be held in the Justice-Williams American Legion Hall, and all men of the community are invited to attend. Supper will be served at 7:30, with attendants asked to bring their regular contributions of sandwiches, beans and pie for the meal.

Thurmond conducted special irrigation schools in both Frona and Lazbuddy the fore part of the week, and is scheduled to return later to Farwell for a similar instruction course.

Mrs. Sikes Mother Dies In El Paso Hospital

Mrs. S. C. Smith, mother of Mrs. O. C. Sikes of this city, died at the Providence Hospital in El Paso, Texas, last Saturday afternoon, following a brief illness.

Burial was made in Roswell at 4 p. m., Monday.

Mrs. Smith, who would have been 77 years old on February 25, was well known here. During the past several years she has made numerous visits here in the home of her daughter, and had formed many lasting friendships among the people of the community.

She is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Payne Sears, Silver City, N. M.; Mrs. Claude Woods, Roswell; Mrs. O. C. Sikes, Farwell; and Mrs. Gene Fry, Wichita, Kansas; three sons, Clifford Smith, Roswell; J. D. Smith, Artesia; Frank Smith, Farwell. Ten grandchildren and four great-grandchildren are also listed among the survivors.

Widow To Carry On In Business Here

Mrs. T. E. Roth, widow of the late Mr. Roth who died of a heart attack last Tuesday night while attending a wrestling match in Clovis, announced the first of the week that she would continue to operate the small Texico business, which her husband took over last August after coming here from Oklahoma.

Mrs. Roth said that she had no other means of providing for her four small children, and had decided to undertake the operation of the business. At present, in addition to handling groceries and meats, a gasoline station is operated in connection with the business. A plan is under consideration to lease the gas station, she said.

New Fire Plug Offers Protection To County

County property in this city was given additional fire protection the first of the week, with the installation of a new fire plug 420 feet from the courthouse and jail.

The new plug has been cut in on a six-inch main in front of the county property on the alley between Second and Third Streets. Insurance regulations require that at least one plug be within 500 feet of the property in order to be classified as a "protected" risk.

Installation of the new fire plug will cost the local water company approximately \$300, but will mean a saving to the county in insurance rates on the county property.

LAY NEW SIDEWALKS

The Brotherhood of the Texico-Farwell Baptist Church is busy this week, with members leveling the ground around the church property, preparatory to laying concrete sidewalks. Rev. O. O. Holladay, minister, said the walks would extend from the front entrance to the back of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Lovelace and Dianne visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mayfield, near Frona.

Plans for the annual spring fat stock show, held for Farmer County 4H and FFA clubbers, are now in full swing, officials reported this week, with the one-day show to be held in the Frona FFA Stock Barn, on March 19th.

L. M. Hargrave, of the Texas Tech agriculture department, has been secured as judge of the show, and an auction ring will be open to all bidders who wish to dispose of their stock at the conclusion of the affair.

Agent Ollie Liner and Frona agent J. T. Gee, who serve as superintendents of the affair, reported today that fat steer classes would be established for both light and heavy weight animals. The fat barrow classes, also listed for both light and heavy, will be divided into breeds, providing there are four of a breed; and the same distinction applies to the class for open gilts.

Officials said today that all entries must be at the show barn in Frona by 10 a. m. on the morning of the show, with judging slated to get underway at 11 o'clock, beginning on the barrows. Open gilts will be judged following the noon hour, with the calves being rated last, following which prizes will be awarded and the auction held.

Asked as to the prospects of the show Agent Liner said on Tuesday that he expected the number of animals would exceed that shown last year.

Pioneer Bovina Man Buried Last Sunday

Friends and relatives from far and near gathered at the Bovina Methodist Church last Sunday afternoon to pay tribute to Orren Jacob (Uncle Jake) McLean, who would have been 70 years old next July. Services were conducted by Rev. J. E. Baker, assisted by Rev. J. J. Spurlin, nephew of the deceased.

Burial took place in the Bovina Cemetery, under the direction of the Steed Funeral Home of Clovis. Mr. McLean died at the family home in Bovina last Friday afternoon, following a long illness. For the past two months he had been confined to hospitals in Amarillo and Frona, and was removed to his home only a few days before his passing.

In the death of Uncle Jake, Farmer County loses another of its true pioneer citizens. He came to this county in the spring of 1866, following other members of his family, who had migrated here in December of 1902. Shortly after coming to Bovina he became associated with Frank Hastings and Luther Barnes in the operation of the Bovina Mercantile Company, a general merchandise establishment. At that time there were only three families living in Farmer County, and all were residents of Bovina.

Shortly after leaving the mercantile business, four McLean brothers—Jake, George, Mart and John—ventured in the sheep business and established what was then termed "squatters' rights" on land located north of Texico along the Frisco Draw, before the land along the eastern side of New Mexico had been surveyed. Later, McLean homesteaded on the land he had occupied as a "squatter."

At the time McLean came to Bovina in 1903 the three families living there were Mr. and Mrs. Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cuming, and the McLeans. Two young men, Paul and Bill Merstelder, operated a small store in a dug-out. Mr. Nichols was section foreman, while Mrs. Nichols operated a boarding house and Mr. Cuming was in charge of the Santa Fe pump house.

McLean was married to Astella Beckworth of Amarillo on April 22, 1913. Three children were born to the couple, all of them dying in infancy.

Other than the widow, survivors include three brothers, George of Frona; Mart and John of Bovina; three sisters, Mrs. Hattie Allsup, of Evergreen Park, Ill.; Mrs. Katie Queen, Bovina; and Mrs. Mattie Spurlin, Texico. A number of nephews and nieces are also listed.

ATTEND FUNERAL

Mrs. Stanley Stewart and daughter, La Donna, attended funeral services for Mrs. Stewart's nephew, Cpl. Francis Bailey, held at Amarillo last Thursday. Cpl. Bailey, who was a member of the U. S. Marines, was killed on Okinawa in 1946, and his body was shipped home for reburial.

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Health Notes
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AUSTIN.—Throughout the United States the week of February 14-21, will be observed as National Heart Week, and Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer has announced that the State Health Department will cooperate to the fullest extent in stressing to the public the necessity for full information and intelligent action in attempting to control this nation's major killer, heart disease.

From a national level, heart disease is the leading cause of death, and yearly takes a greater total number of lives than the next five leading causes of death combined. One out of every three deaths in the United States is due to diseases of the heart and blood vessels, and it is estimated that one out of every twenty persons suffer from some form of heart of blood vessel disease.

A great amount of research in the causes and treatment of the heart diseases has established the fact that some of them can be materially helped by certain drugs, or even surgery, and it has been proved beyond

doubt that the heart patient who places himself early under competent medical care, has for the best chance of survival. In many instances the patient can, under competent care, lead an almost normal life, with only certain restrictions as to activities and indulgences which might adversely affect his condition.

"Consult your doctor for a physical check-up at least once a year," Dr. Cox advises. "If heart disease occurs, he will have an opportunity to find it, and begin proper treatment in the early stages, thus assuring you a better chance to finish a normal, comfortable life span."

Start Your Tomato Seeds In Hotbeds Now

COLLEGE STATION.—In order to get an early start with tomatoes, it's necessary to plant the seeds now in a plant box or hotbed.

The tomato seedlings can sprout from seed now and spend the next six to eight weeks under protection from the cold, growing big enough for transplanting, when all danger of frost has passed.

For the average home garden, says J. F. Rosborough, extension horticulturist of Texas A. and M. College a small plant box can be built 18 inches wide, 30 inches long and four inches deep. The soil should be made up of equal parts of compost material and good garden loam soil, thoroughly pulverized and packed.

It's suggested that the rows be four inches apart, and the tomato seed planted three per inch in rows running the width of the box. Cover the seed one-fourth inch deep and sprinkle the soil well with warm water to speed up germination. On



De Witt Wallace, left, editor of The Reader's Digest, hears George I. Hall, Grand Exalted Ruler of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, outline the Order's campaign to help the nation's schools teach democracy. Elks lodges are equipping their local schools with sets of "Our American Heritage", filmstrips that dramatize the birth and development of our democratic freedoms from Magna Charta to the present, bring the Freedom Train right into school rooms. The campaign is part of Elks' program to "make democracy work." The Digest produced "Our American Heritage" at request of the National Education Association and The American Heritage Foundation, sponsor of Freedom Train.

warm days the plant box may be left in the sunlight on the porch, but brought inside when the temperatures drop below 40 degrees F.

When the plants get to be two or three inches high, it's a good idea to thin them to a spacing of four inches high, it's a good idea to thin them to a spacing of four inches between plants. But don't throw away the ones you thin out. Shift them over to another box, or give them to a neighbor who may have also prepared a tomato box.

After growing in the plant box for six to eight weeks, the seedlings will be about eight inches high. Then they're ready for transplanting into the open garden when all danger of frost is over, and water them good before setting them out, suggests Rosborough.

In order to have your tomato seedlings ready to set out in the garden on time, it's a good idea to start the plant box preparation around seven weeks before the usual date of the last killing frost.

Jefferson Caffrey, Ambassador to France: "Our world policy is based on the existence in Europe of free nations, faithful to Democratic principles."

Landscaping And The Ladies

COLLEGE STATION.—Landscaping and the women's home demonstration clubs went a long way last year.

There were over 20 thousand women enrolled as demonstrators who improved their own home lawns. Of this number, more than 1,300 gave demonstrations and assisted in conducting training meetings for their clubs. The leaders assisted in making 34 study tours to Experiment Substations, and they opened their own homes and helped conduct 351 Achievement Day Tours to see neighbors' accomplishments.

Sadie Hatfield, extension landscape gardening specialist of Texas A. and M. College, says in her annual report that 65 tours were also made to homes of garden club members. Control of insects and plant diseases were among the landscaping programs conducted. Other accomplishments for the year included teaching their neighbors how to prune trees and shrubs, build barbecue pits and outdoor living room furniture, and arrange flowers.

The demonstrators say they learned more than the people they taught, reports Miss Hatfield. Not only were they benefited materially, but here are the figures to show the actual number of yard improvements made. There were nearly 4,500 outdoor living rooms arranged and furnished, over 2,300 drives and 2,700 walks built. And nearly 29,300 shrubs and trees were grown from seeds and cuttings.

Not all of the 20,000 demonstrators who enrolled reached demonstration status, says Miss Hatfield, but 669 achieved that honor during the year.

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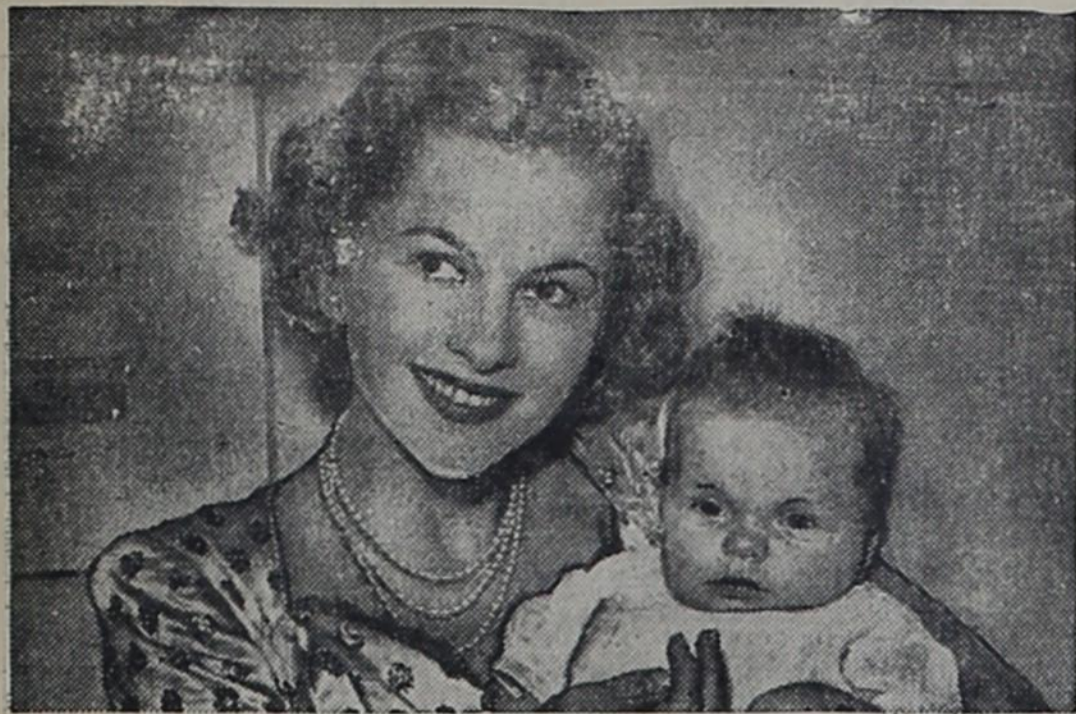
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DAUGHTER OF STAR MAKES CAMERA BOW . . . Making her camera bow with her famous mother is Deborah Leslie Dozier, who was born November 5, 1948. She is cuddled in the arms of her mother, screen star Joan Fontaine. Deborah's father is motion picture producer William Dozier. Already the little lady is giving promise of such beauty as may win for her in later years something of the recognition her mother has won in her screen career.

Congress Is Asked To Simplify Exemptions On Wage-Hour Law

DALLAS.—Substitution of a single, limited overtime pay exemption for the "complex and overlapping" minimum wage and overtime exemptions now applicable under the Fair Labor Standards Act (Federal wage and hour law) for the handling and processing of agricultural and fisheries products is being urged of the new Congress.

This was pointed out here today by William J. Rogers, regional director of the Wage and Hour and Public Contracts Divisions, U. S. Department of Labor, in the five Southwestern states.

Citing a renewed recommendation for Congressional action just made by William R. McComb, Administrator of the Divisions, Director Rogers said experience has demonstrated that the varying exemptions have resulted in "uncertainty and confusion" and are responsible for "many inadvertent violations."

The exemptions, which include those applicable under the Administrator's definition of the "area of production," affect approximately 1,200,000 employees, Director Rogers pointed out.

"In the light of experience gained during the 10 years of enforcement of the Federal wage and hour law,"

he added, "the exemptions have been found to be not only administratively difficult, but unjustified. This has been particularly true with respect to the effect of exemptions dependent upon the area of production definition, which the Administrator states cannot be applied without creating severe competitive discriminations."

"For these reasons, the Congress is asked to simplify the entire problem by eliminating the minimum wage exemptions now applicable to employees in those occupations. The Administrator suggests that the overtime pay exemption for such employees be reduced to the 14-weeks-per-year seasonal type of partial exemption now provided for in the Federal wage and hour law."

Branch offices of the Divisions, he said, are located in New Orleans, Little Rock, Oklahoma City, Albuquerque, San Antonio, Houston and Dallas.

SOMETHING NEW ADDED

AUSTIN.—Something new is being added in the advertising world—billboard signs that are supposed to last forever.

University of Texas Ceramic engineering department chairman F. K. Pence says porcelain enamel industries are building up a good business manufacturing signs from porcelain enamel.

Honor Roll Students Named This Week

CANYON.—Names of students who achieved the honor roll for the fall semester as released this week by the registrar at West Texas State College.

Those topping the list with six A's are: Herschel Allen, Plainview junior; Edwin Davidson, Channing sophomore; Thelma Mercer Fulton, Canyon senior; Martin McMurray, Canyon freshman; Ellen Sanders, Canyon senior; and Earlene Eustace Walton, McLean senior.

Students achieving five A's were Bennie Dawdy Airhart, Canyon sophomore; Tommy Airhart, Dawn freshman; Dorothy Evans, Broadway, Canyon senior; Robert Claunch Amarillo senior; Ann Crawford, Canyon sophomore; Rosemary Edwards, Amarillo freshman; Mary Alice Foster, Wayside junior; Wilma Lee Francis, Silverton senior; Bobby Lee Graham, Happy junior; Frances Alice Harp, Canyon senior; Verna Jo Hopkins, Plainview freshman; Laura Ruth Lamb, Spearman freshman; Corrine Joy McCauley, Phillips freshman; Jean McManigal, Happy junior; Ruth Patman, Clarendon junior; Francis Perdue, Amarillo freshman and Dorothy Joyce Phillips, Shamrock freshman.

Three students made five A's and 1 B. They are Leonard Gerhardt, Canyon senior; Jim D. Pavillard, Amarillo senior and Mystis Sargent, Floydada senior.

Students making 4 A's and 1 B are Kathryn Brooks, McLean senior; Betty Sue Brotherton, Littlefield sophomore; James W. Caldwell, Miami junior; Jack Cooper, Canyon sophomore; William M. Cotton, Vega sophomore; Mrs. Cortez Dowlen, Canyon senior; Robert Dunaway, Canyon senior; Jeanette Euler, Summerfield freshman; Frances Findley, Quanah junior; Paula Frazier, Waco senior; Bob Goodwin, Canyon sophomore; Mavis Hardy, Perryton sophomore; Charles Howard, Amarillo sophomore; Marthalang Hunter, Canyon freshman; Mitchell Jones, Canyon freshman; Wilton Lillard, Friona senior; Wynell McFerrin, Hale Center freshman; Patsy Ruth McIntyre, Skellytown sophomore; Elizabeth Ann Miller, Canyon so-

phomore; Alice Morgan, Canadian sophomore; James E. Morgan, Vega sophomore; Homer Paul, Friona junior; Louellyn Bennington, Borger Junior; Marcella June Pingel, Amarillo freshman; Ola Faye Kuss, Panhandle freshman; James F. Scoutt, Canyon senior; Bob Word, Ashtola junior and Jacqueline Wright, Hereford junior.

Those with 4 A's and 2 B's are Grace Almeda Boyd, Canyon sopho-

more; Micheal Chumrey, Canyon senior; Loraine Davidson, Channing junior; William O. Latson, Amarillo senior; Sue Ann Moreman, Canyon senior and Mary Ann Parker, Canyon sophomore.

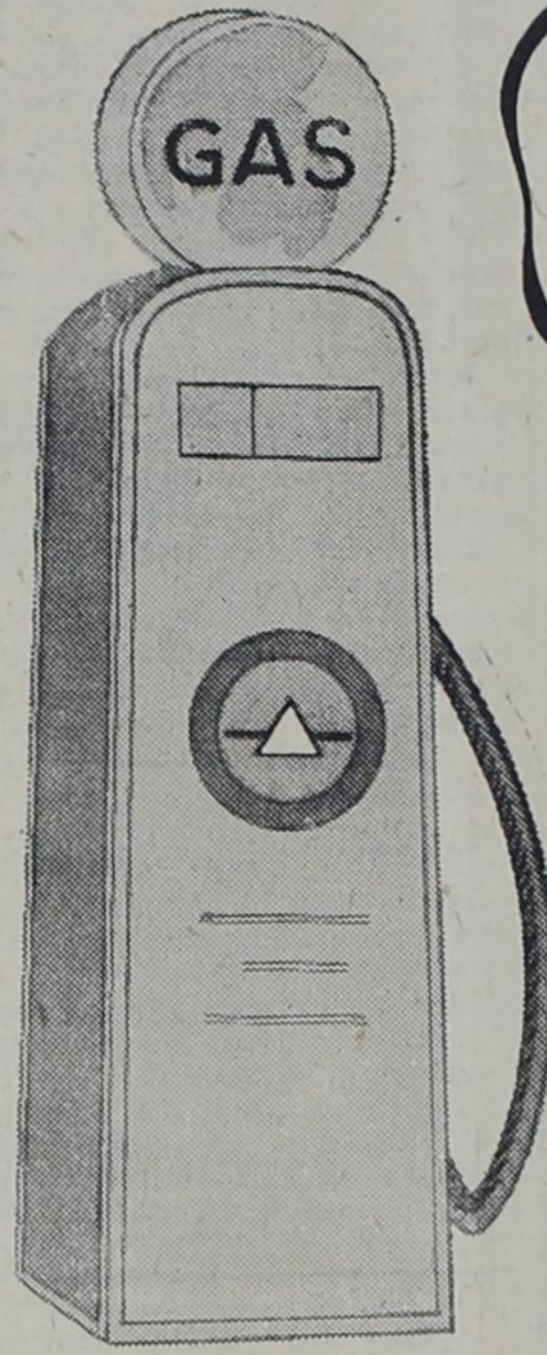
J. C. Frisby, Amarillo senior, made 5 A's and 1 C.

There is an abundant supply of carrots, lettuce, onions, cabbage and citrus fruits now.

NEW RECORD ENROLLMENT

DENTON.—A new record enrollment for a spring semester has been set at North Texas State College, where 4,681 students have enrolled during the first week of registration.

The total shows an increase of over 200 above the previous record of 4,447 set last spring. Included in the enrollment this spring are 1,465 veterans.



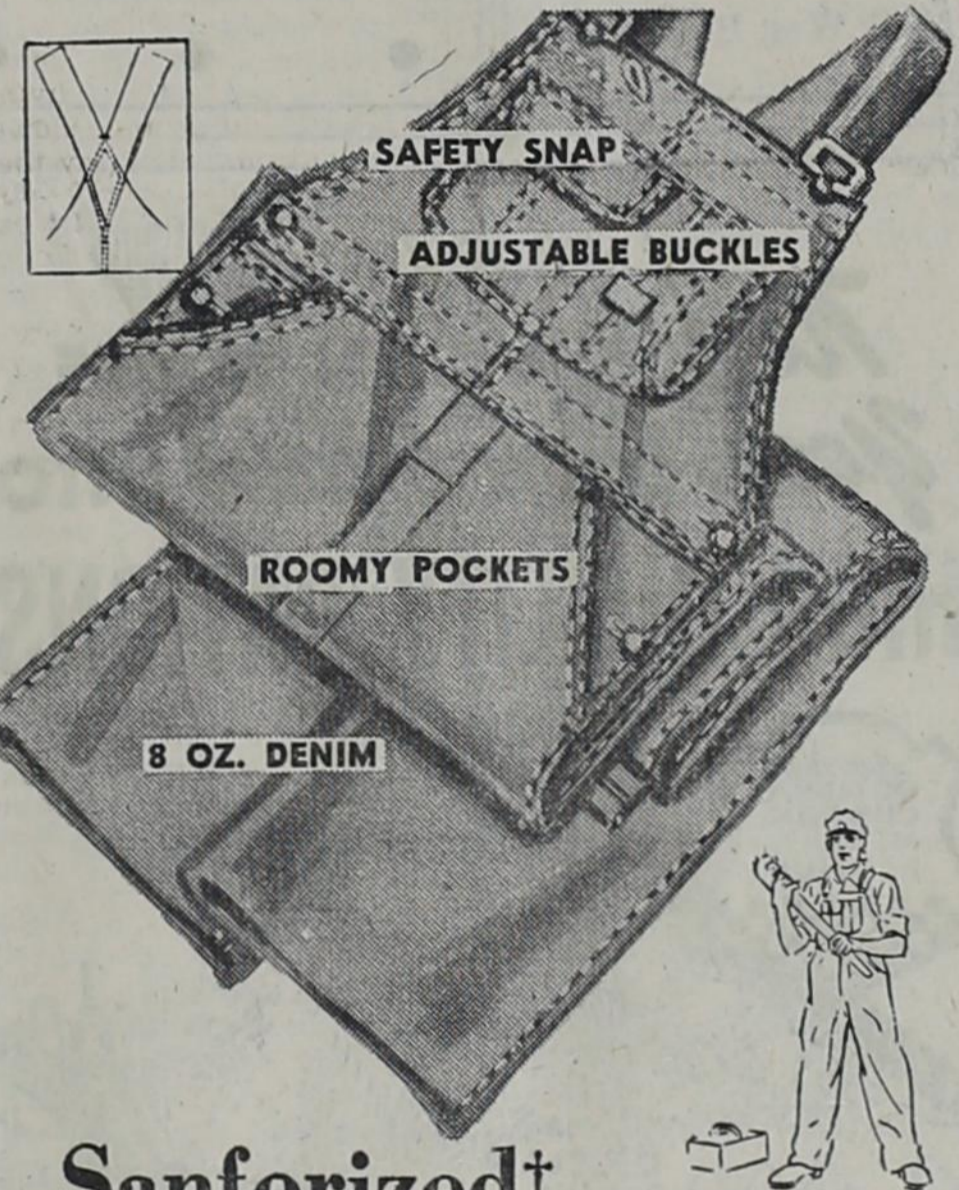
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Increased Interest In Clothing Construction

COLLEGE STATION.—Of the 190 Texas counties with country home demonstration agents, 156 carried active clothing programs in 1948. Twenty-two additional counties did some clothing work as a carry-over from active programs in past years.

Continued high prices of clothing was no doubt one of the reasons why home demonstration club women and 4-H Club girls showed so much interest in clothing construction, planning and care, say the extension clothing specialists of Texas A. and M. College. Articles made at home netted a savings up to 1/2 the price of like garments ready-to-wear.

They report that more than 871,000 garments were made by home demonstration women, and 18,356 families improved their clothing by better planning. Additional thousands improved the family clothing by changing their sewing methods and by using better sewing equipment.

Accessories came in for their share of the attention. More than 9,000 bags and 4,400 pairs of gloves were made.

The outstanding event in girls' 4-H Club clothing work was the dress shows held in 126 counties. Representatives from 96 counties

participated in the State 4-H Dress Revue which was held during the State Fair of Texas. Some 5,200 girls participated in these dress revues.

4-H girls, conclude the specialists, made almost 101,000 garments during the year.

Range Management Pays, Advises Walker

COLLEGE STATION.—About 40 percent of the Texas agricultural income is derived from livestock and livestock products. Some 93.5 million acres or about 60 percent of the total area of the state is devoted to the grazing of livestock, says A. H. Walker, extension range specialist of Texas A. and M. College.

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that livestock live longer and produce bigger offspring when plenty of good grass is available for them.

Programs are now underway that have as their objectives a sound and practical approach to the problems of range management. Two range management schools for county agents were held by the A. and M. department of range and forestry the past two summers, and the class rooms used were the ranges where something was wrong. Demonstrations have been established to show what can be done if proper stocking rates are observed and if the good grasses are given a chance to reseed.

The record drought has forced many ranchmen to reduce their herds from 25-75 percent and still supplemental feeding is necessary. Too many livestock for too long has caught up with the livestock man and this added to the recent drought has further aggravated the situation. Those demonstrators who have practiced good range management still have pastures that are in good condition.

Brush control and eradication demonstrations are underway. These include mechanical and chemical methods. Some results have been good but more information is needed on cost and practicability before practices can be recommended.

More ranch operators are practicing deferred and rotation grazing for range recovery and this coupled with stocking rates and plenty of fences should add to the ranch income, concludes Walker.

SANTA FE CARLOADINGS

Santa Fe System carloadings for week ending Feb. 19 were 21,997 compared with 22,946 for same week in 1948. Cars received from connections totaled 10,787 compared with 10,293 for same week in 1948. Total cars moved were 22,789 compared with 33,233 for same week in 1948. Santa Fe handled a total of 33,172 cars in preceding week of this year.

March Of Dimes Fund Continues To Climb

With reports from Bovina and Lazbuddy now in, the March of Dimes fund in Farmer County continued to swell this week, and at the last accounting had mounted to \$1,315.12.

Previously reported contributions totaled \$1,031.81. This week Lazbuddy and Bovina filed their reports with County Fund Chairman Dan Ethridge. Contributions from Bovina reached \$223.32, and the Lazbuddy workers turned in \$59.99.

Due to weather conditions, the special program planned at Oklahoma Lane during January was not staged, but information from that community is that the program will still be held and contributions taken, which is calculated to swell the total. Also, the receptacles placed in the business houses in Farwell are yet to be tabulated before figures for the county are available.

Clifford McDonald, of Bakersfield, California, visited the latter part of last week with his mother, Mrs. Leona Bailey, in Texico.

Mrs. Luther Moss and Mrs. O. O. Holladay are spending this week in Temple, Texas, where they are receiving medical check-ups at Scott & White Clinic. They are expected to return to their homes in Texico the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Moser and family visited Sunday with her parents, the Fred Barkers, near Friona.

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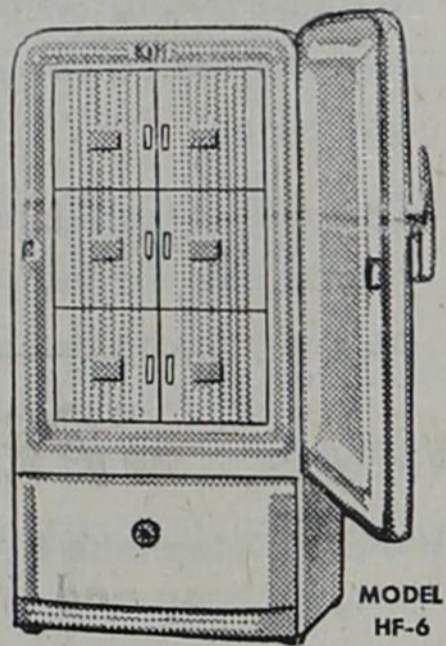
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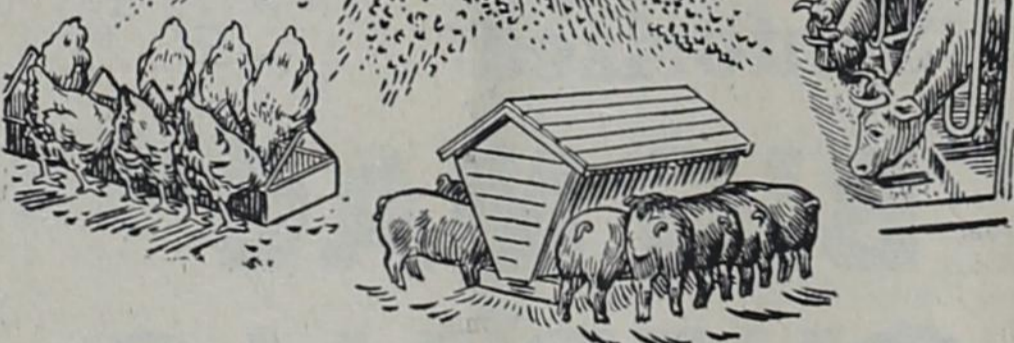
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Spring-like Weather Stimulates Activity

Spring-like weather that has prevailed over this section since the latter part of last week has been responsible for sending farmers to their fields in full force, getting land in shape for planting operations just as soon as the ground warms up.

Although actual planting season is yet some several weeks in the future, farmers are taking advantage of the good moisture received from the snow, sleet and rain during the past six weeks. Actually, the early soil-turning operations have stemmed from the fear of wind erosion with the coming of the season of spring winds. Alternating freezes and thaws since early in January have created a "puffy" condition of the top soil, making it very susceptible to wind erosion.

The mild cold front that moved in to the north panhandle last Sunday, accompanied by a freezing drizzle, did not extend to this section of the South Plains, which has enjoyed spring-like weather the past week.

With the arrival of warmer weather, wheat fields, which have been dormant for many weeks, due to extreme cold, have taken on new life with a fresh covering of velvety green.

Train Schedules Get Some Changes Here

Changes on local train schedules were announced by local Santa Fe personnel the first of the week, and are already in effect.

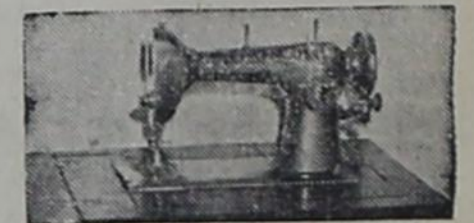
No. 24, fast eastbound to Chicago, which does not stop in Texico, now comes through at 3:54 p. m. Its counterpart, No. 23, running west to Los Angeles, which also skips a stop here, goes through town at 11:36 a. m.

No. 38, to Galveston, is now listed at 4:15 p. m., while the train from Lubbock, No. 97, comes in at 11:15 a. m.

The Scout to Chicago, No. 106, is scheduled at 4:05 a. m., stopping if flagged in Texico, while the other night train, No. 105 westbound, is due in at 1:40 a. m.

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Local Happenings

Americanism Week Is Noted Monday Night

Observing "Americanism" week, a large number of local people gathered in the Justice-Williams Legion Hall, Monday night, to enjoy a special patriotic program sponsored by the local American Legion Auxiliary.

Mrs. Mae Porter, Auxiliary president, was in charge of the opening, with the group being led by Mrs. Shelby Jobs in "The Star Spangled Banner", with Mrs. Carrie Lane Martin at the piano. Mrs. Claude Dyer, flag bearer, presented the flag, and the salute to the flag was given, after which Mrs. Dyer, as program chairman, took charge.

A paper on "Washington's Views on Education" was given by Mrs. Ed Meeks, and Mrs. Raymond Martin read Lincoln's immortal Gettysburg address. Mrs. Dyer gave Lincoln's second inaugural address and Mrs. John Getz gave a reading "Home Again", following which two numbers were sung by the Farwell school chorus, directed by Mrs. Jobs.

Mrs. Anna Cook, of Clovis, Girl Scout area program chairman, was the guest speaker of the evening, choosing as her topic "Values of America to Life". In her discussion she led up to the work of the Girl Scouts in promoting friendship around the world, and repeatedly stressed "Don't stare at the steps, but step up the stairs." The program closed with the group singing "America, The Beautiful."

Pink And Blue Shower Honors Mrs. Goldsmith

Mrs. Willie Goldsmith was honored with a pink and blue shower in the home of Mrs. Russell Johnson Saturday afternoon, with Mrs. John Gant acting as co-hostess.

Mrs. Herschel Morgan, Mrs. Roscoe Burris and Mrs. Jim Young assisted the hostesses with the serving.

Many lovely gifts were received by the honoree, after which delicious refreshments consisting of cake and coffee were served to the ladies present.

Those present were: Mesdames: Noble Goldsmith, Grandma Goldsmith, Henry Jacks, Jim Young, Walter Curd, Booth Deatherige, Olan Schleuter, Leona Bailey, Jesse Hudson, M. F. Parton, Joe Crume, Charlie Lunsford, Buster Lunsford, Leroy Wilkerson, Herschel Morgan, Roscoe Burris, Orval Francis, Bob Hines, A. D. Bell, Homer Dykes, Jack Wilmethe, E. M. Roop, Ollie Williams, Douglas Landrum and Miss Jeanne Lunsford. Those sending regrets included: Mesdames: John D. Lewis, O. S. Allred, Joe Morgan, P. R. Thornton, Perry Crawley, Kenneth Jackues, Beatrice Harris, J. A. Jones, Rip Snodgrass, Ray Mears, Paul Huber, Jim Moore, Jud Stone, Jim Moss, M. C. Roberts, and Miss Delpaine Johnson.

42 Party Slated For Tuesday Night, March 1

A 42 party will be held next Tuesday night, March 1st, in the gymnasium of the Texico school. Pie and coffee will be served throughout the evening, and the proceeds of the affair will go to the curtain fund of the Texico school.

Mrs. F. D. Stout spokesman for the curtain committee, stated this morning that everyone was invited and urged to be on hand Tuesday night. She stated that the school was badly in need of a new curtain, and that a great effort was being made to obtain the money for the curtain.

Reunion Of Former Club Mates Held

Thirty-five years ago, in Bend, Oregon, a group of young ladies, employed as clerks, stenographers and school teachers, formed a club called "The Priscillas". Last week, four of the group, now mothers and grandmothers, staged a reunion in the home of a former "Priscilla", Mrs. W. H. Graham, of Farwell.

Visiting here were Mrs. Anne Forbes and Mrs. Clint Vandervert, both of Bend, and Mr. and Mrs. Phineas Beasley, of Portland, Oregon. Mrs. Forbes is the former Anne Markel, while Mrs. Beasley is her sister, the former Gertrude Markel. Mrs. Vandervert was known to her club mates as Harriet Dodson, and Mrs. Graham was then Arrie Black. "The Priscillas" spent their reunion catching up on their divergent lives and indulging in reminiscences, one of the highlights being their recollection of seeing the actual golden spike driven in the railroad tie preceding the arrival of Bend's first locomotive.

The group of westerners had been on vacation the past several weeks, enjoying a winter visit to Florida. Enroute through the various states they stopped in a number of towns to see former acquaintances and relatives. They spent Wednesday evening in the Graham home, recounting their trip to Oregon on the following day.

"Honesty, Sincerity" is Theme Of Address

Using the lives of George Washington and Abraham Lincoln to illustrate his points, Rev. Harvey E. Carrell, local Methodist minister, delivered a brief and inspiring talk on "Honesty and Sincerity" at a patriotic assembly program held in the Farwell school on Monday morning. Rev. Carrell pointed out that "Washington is known as the man who said that he could not tell a lie," while "Lincoln is remembered as 'Honest Abe,'" in stressing the theme of his address.

Music for the program was furnished by the grade school chorus of the school, under the direction of Mrs. Shelby Jobs.

Star Entertains Guests At Bovina Hall, 17th

Members of the Bovina chapter of the Eastern Star entertained their husbands, the Masons and their wives, last Thursday evening, February 17th, with a covered dish dinner, which was served in the Bovina Masonic Hall at 7:30.

Some 105 chapter members and guests were seated at the tables and Mrs. Winnie Dunn, Worthy Matron of the group, asked grace before the meal was served.

Mrs. A. D. Smith gave two clever readings pertaining to the lives of George Washington and Abraham Lincoln, and an extremely clever playlet, "Women Must Talk", was presented by eight of the Stars.

Visitors were present from Clovis, Craig, Colo.; Littlefield, Dimmitt and Hereford.

Home From Oklahoma

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stone returned to their home in Texico, the past Tuesday night, from Carnegie, Oklahoma. They had been visiting in the home of their daughter for the past month.

Beryl Brown, Peggy and Jean Rogers and Sonny Graham, all students at ENMC, were weekend visitors in the homes of their respective parents.

Training Union Study Courses To Be Held

A special Training Union enlargement campaign is planned for the local Baptist Church, beginning next Sunday evening and continuing through Thursday night, March 3, Rev. O. O. Holloday, local Baptist pastor, said today.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Polston, of Albuquerque, will be here as special workers with the local group, the pastor said. Rev. Polston is assistant BTU training worker for New Mexico Baptists. In addition, study courses will be taught for the different age groups by Rev. and Mrs. Holloday, Mrs. Roy Cook and Mrs. Verney Towns.

The study will begin each evening at 7:30, and the public is invited to participate.

Texico PTA Food Sale Is Reported Success

Officials of the Texico Parent Teacher Association today expressed their appreciation to the public for the patronage extended the food sale, sponsored by the organization, the past Saturday.

The sale was held in The Furniture Mart, and approximately \$40 was realized by the sponsors.

Mrs. Ira S. Levins, of the group, said today that the money would go into a fund for improvements at the school.

Covered Dish Supper And Meeting Held

A covered dish supper was held at the Baptist Church in Texico, Monday night, when officers and teachers of the Sunday School held a business and social gathering.

Some twenty-one representatives from the various departments were on hand, and the group discussed plans for the month of March.

Home From Shreveport

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hambrick returned to their home here the past Tuesday from Shreveport, La. Hambrick underwent major surgery there about two months ago, and is reported as much improved. They were accompanied here by a brother of Mr. Hambrick, who resides in Shreveport.

Baby Girl Arrives

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wimberley of Lordsburg, New Mexico, announce the arrival of a baby girl, last week.

Mrs. Wimberley, is the former Wanda Lee Huber, and she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Huber of south of Texico.

Mrs. Huber has gone to Lordsburg to care for the new grand-daughter.

Returns Home

Uncle Tom Randol returned to his home here, from Lynwood, California, the past week. Mr. Randol has been in California for the past three months visiting with his daughter.

Uncle Tom said he pulled off his overcoat on returning home for the first time since he had left here, for "Sunny California", and continued by saying "they are having an unusually cold winter, there, this year."

HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients admitted to the Parmer County Community Hospital:

Mrs. Vernon Jack, Friona, Surg.; Mrs. H. T. Magness, Friona, Medical; Billie Weldon Franks, Bovina, Med.; Mrs. Bertie Stowers, Friona, Med.; Mrs. P. N. Lawton, Friona, Medical; Sandra Jefferson, Bovina, Medical; Gail Knight, Friona, Medical; Patsy Ruth Anthony, Friona, Surgery; Mrs. C. B. Hansen, Friona, Surgery; Charles Lee Love, Friona, Surgery; A. D. Stowers, Friona, Surgery; Glen B. Bush, Carlsbad, N. M., Accident; Garnette Elkins, Bedford, Indiana, Medical; Mrs. J. A. Richards, Bovina, Medical; Mrs. Lee Sudderth, Farwell, Medical; Mrs. E. V. Isham, Bovina, Medical.

Patients dismissed from the Parmer County Community Hospital: Billy Franks, Mrs. Bertie Stowers, Mrs. P. N. Lawton, Sandra Jefferson, Mrs. W. E. Thornton, Mrs. O. B. Moyer, Mrs. Joe Wilkins, Garnette Elkins.

Jim Bob Roop and Kenneth Jacks, students at Texas Tech, were here from Lubbock over the weekend.

Here From Missouri

Mrs. Mollie Carter, whose home is in Missouri, is here visiting in the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. G. F. (Ma) Green. Mrs. Carter arrived here from California Sunday, where she had been visiting in the home of her brother for some time. She plans to go to her home in Missouri after an extended visit here.

Visits With Parents

Mrs. John Hadley and children have gone to Peacock Texas, to spend a week visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. T. North. The Norths formerly lived in Texico, where he served as Baptist ministers.

Move To Abernathy

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Drace and daughter, Mona Lynn, moved the past Thursday to Abernathy, Texas, where Drace has employment as a parts man for an implement company. They have made their home in Texico for the past several years.

Here With Parents

Mrs. William Thornton, of Bovina, who underwent surgery at the Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona, some ten days ago, is recuperating at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Graham, in Farwell.

Sunday Guests Here

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bob Smart in east Farwell included her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Sanderson and family, of Portales; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Lewis of Texico; Miss Winnie Mae Martin of Clovis; Rev. Leon Nelson and Mr. Akins, both of Portales.

Marriage Performed

Miss Elvira Baca and Frank E. Aragan were married at the Parmer County courthouse in Farwell, the past Wednesday, February 16th. County Judge A. D. Smith performed the civil ceremony.

Back To Amarillo

Mrs. Bob Lietner, of Amarillo, left for her home the past Saturday morning, after having spent several days visiting in the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ben O. Smart.

Clovis Visitors Here

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Townsend, of Clovis, spent several days this week in the home of Mrs. Bettie Smart, in Farwell. Mrs. Townsend is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Smart.

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Leave For Denton

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Jones and Mrs. Roscoe McBea departed overland on Tuesday for a visit with relatives and friends at Denton, Texas. They plan to return home about March 1.

To California

Mr. and Mrs. Ed McGuire left here by auto last Friday for Redlands, Calif., where they expect to make an extended visit in the home of their son, Clifford.

Mr. and Mrs. Jason O. Gordon and children, of Lubbock, spent last Sunday in the John Armstrong home.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Pipkin and son were in Canyon and Amarillo the past Saturday. "Little Pip" remained in Canyon with his brother, Jess Herbert, who attends WT, to attend a WT cage game Saturday night.

Miss Minnie Marie Smotherman of Clovis, spent Saturday night visiting Miss Hazel Dishman in Texico.

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Mrs. T. E. Roth & Children.

Mrs. Orville London, of Amarillo, was a weekend visitor in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Newton, in Farwell.

Rev. and Mrs. Harvey E. Carrell and children visited in Seminole, with relatives and friends, the past Friday.

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Bovina Happenings

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Mrs. Frank Wilson and Mrs. Pat Kunselman and Mrs. D. C. Looney were Clovis visitors Tuesday.

G. C. Danner and daughter have moved into the Consumer's manager house, recently occupied by Cayson Jones, who has moved to Friona.

J. A. Loflin made a business trip to Friona, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Henry, of Craig, Colorado, spent the past few days with friends here.

Mrs. Oscar Venable and daughter, Sarah Marie, visited in the Vester Venable home in Farwell, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Mary Waltman has been on the sick list the past week, but is reported as improved.

Mrs. Bill Kyle underwent a tonsilectomy at a Clovis hospital last Friday, and is going nicely.

Miss Sandra Jefferson has been in the Friona hospital receiving care for a strep throat. She is improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hawkins and children, of Mineral Wells, visited friends and relatives here last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Davies and sons were Clovis visitors, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Langer and daughter, of Clovis, spent the past weekend in the Joe Langer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Terry and son, of Friona, visited here Saturday.

Mrs. Elton Venable and son and Mrs. Joe Langer made a business trip to Clovis, Tuesday.

Jackie Barnett and Martha Williams, of Canyon, spent the past weekend visiting their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McDonald and girls, of Clovis, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ashcraft, Sunday.

Leon and Johnese Richards, children of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Richards, are confined to their home with the measles.

Sam Jones, of Friona, visited in Bovina, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert White and family, of Hereford, attended the funeral of Jake McLean, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cason Jones, formerly of the Consumers, have moved to Friona.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Moore, Jr., of Amarillo, visited his parents, last weekend.

Mrs. Barney McKinney received word this week that her father is critically ill. Her children have the measles, also.

Harry Turner is confined to his home with the measles.

L. C. Moore made a business trip to House, N. M., Saturday.

Mr. Hall, of Lubbock, visited in the C. H. Jefferson home, Monday.

Mrs. Elmer Venable has been on the sick list this past week.

PTA MEETING HELD ON FEBRUARY 14TH

Mrs. Mildred Kimbrough, principal of the Eugene Field School, Clovis, was the featured speaker at the regular meeting of the Bovina PTA, held last Monday night, February 14th, at the school.

Mrs. Kimbrough stressed some of the objectives of the organization and showed why it is essential for the school and home to cooperate in their efforts to prepare children for a well-rounded well-adjusted future.

Speaking briefly, as a parent, Mrs. B. B. Laughlin, president of the James Bickley School PTA and the PTA Council of Clovis, expressed her approval of the work of the organization.

Other features of the program included a skit by Mrs. Buck Ellison and Mrs. E. H. Moody in celebration of the 52nd anniversary of the founding of the PTA, which occurs this month. A cake with candles formed the center of the skit.

Under the direction of Mrs. W. E. Williams, a group of fourth grade pupils of Miss Grace Paul presented several musical numbers.

Mrs. Buck Ellison presided at a short business session. Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the program.

BIRTHDAY SUPPER HONORS CHARLIE JEFFERSON

Charlie Jefferson was honored with a surprise birthday supper on

February 14th, at the Legion Hall when Mrs. Jefferson entertained.

A complete fried chicken dinner was served, after which table games were enjoyed and Mrs. John Wilson played several piano numbers. The honoree was the recipient of several gifts.

Attendants included Messrs. and Mmes. Charlie Calaway, John Wilson, J. T. Jones and children, Frank Wilson and daughters, Jack Wolman and son, Ashcraft, Earl Richards, Hubert Ellison and son, John Kimbrow, George Trimble, Elton Venable, and Charlie Jefferson and daughters; Mr. Hall of Lubbock, and Mrs. Jessie McSpadden.

Want To See Cotton Bowl Games? Get Name on List Now

Football tickets for the major college games in the Southwest are going to be more scarce than ever before. This despite greatly increased facilities for the accommodation of fans.

The largest stadium in the entire area will be more severely taxed than any of the others, judging by early indications. This is the Dallas Cotton Bowl, which now has a seating capacity of 57,435, and which may be added to appreciably before the opening of the 1949 schedule if

a program instituted by the State Fair of Texas is accomplished.

State Fair of Texas is offering to the public 20 year Cotton Bowl Stadium registered ticket purchase options for a flat price of \$50 each. In plain language, this means that for the sum of \$50 a person may obtain a guarantee on the right to purchase at face value one seat for any or every game played in the Cotton Bowl for the next 20 years. Broken down, the cost of this ticket insurance is \$2.50 per year and the buyer will not be obligated to take tickets to games he does not wish to attend. The New Year's Cotton Bowl Classic is included on the list, as well as the annual Texas-Oklahoma spectacle, this year's Southern Methodist-Notre Dame extravaganza, and all others played on this site.

There is no limit on the number of options an individual may buy but the deadline is Monday, Feb. 28th.

The plan, if consummated, is that one new seat will be built for each option sold. Tentative plans call for a double decking of the East side of the Bowl, matching in some degree at least, last year's addition on the West side. Allotment of seat locations in this construction will be determined by an annual drawing conducted by State Fair of Texas.

The 1949 Cotton Bowl schedule already includes eight games, with the New Year's scramble. Others are

SMU-Missouri, Oct. 1; Texas-Oklahoma, Oct. 8; SMU-Rice, Oct. 15; SMU-Kentucky, Oct. 22; SMU-Texas homecoming, Oct. 29; SMU-Arkansas on Nov. 12, and SMU-Notre Dame, Dec. 3.

Applications for requests for further information should be mailed to State Fair of Texas PO Box 7755, Fair Park Station, Dallas 10, Texas.

Make Your Grocery List From The Plentiful List, It's Cheaper

COLLEGE STATION.—It's cheaper to make up the family grocery list from the list of plentiful foods. Scarce items are generally more expensive.

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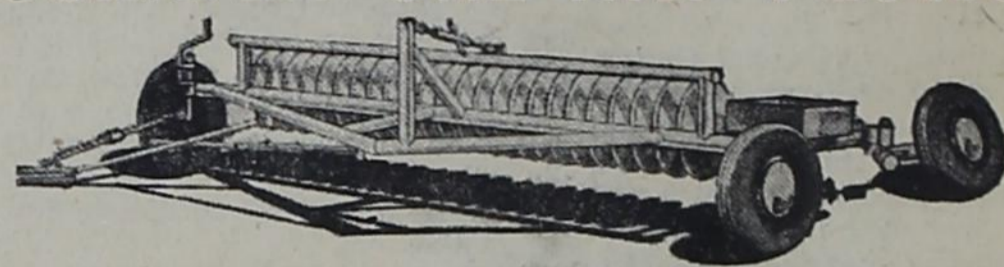
cery bill lower by shopping from the monthly food list issued by the Production and Marketing Administration, USDA. They have just released a new list of plentiful foods for February.

Fresh foods featured for this month are citrus fruits, winter pears, cabbage, carrots, spinach, potatoes and onions. The high quality protein foods on this list include cheese, eggs and fresh and frozen fish.

The dried prunes and raisins offer excellent variety of uses with oat and corn products, which are also abundant. Reasonably priced canned foods include corn, lower grade peas, cranberries, and citrus juices and segments, says PMA.

The other foods nearly always found on the monthly plentiful list are pecans, honey and peanut butter.

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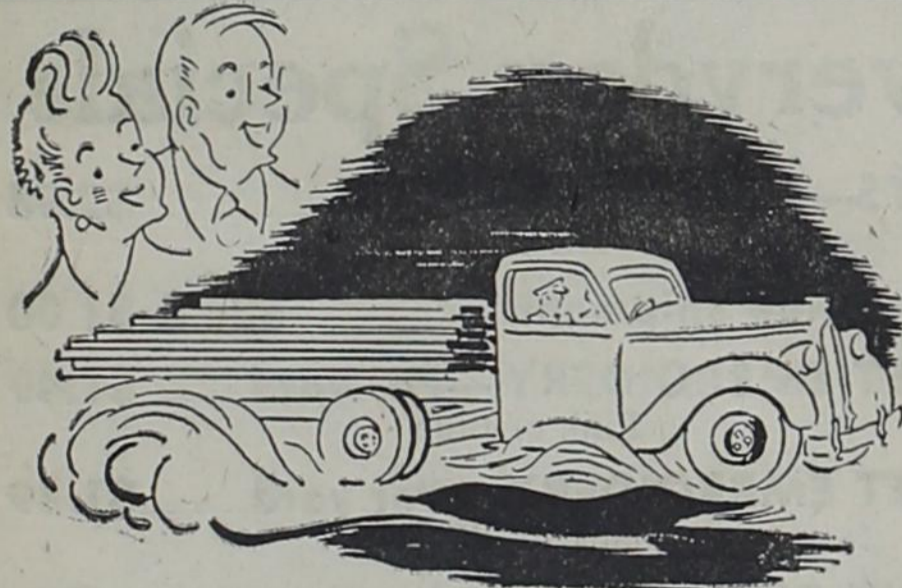
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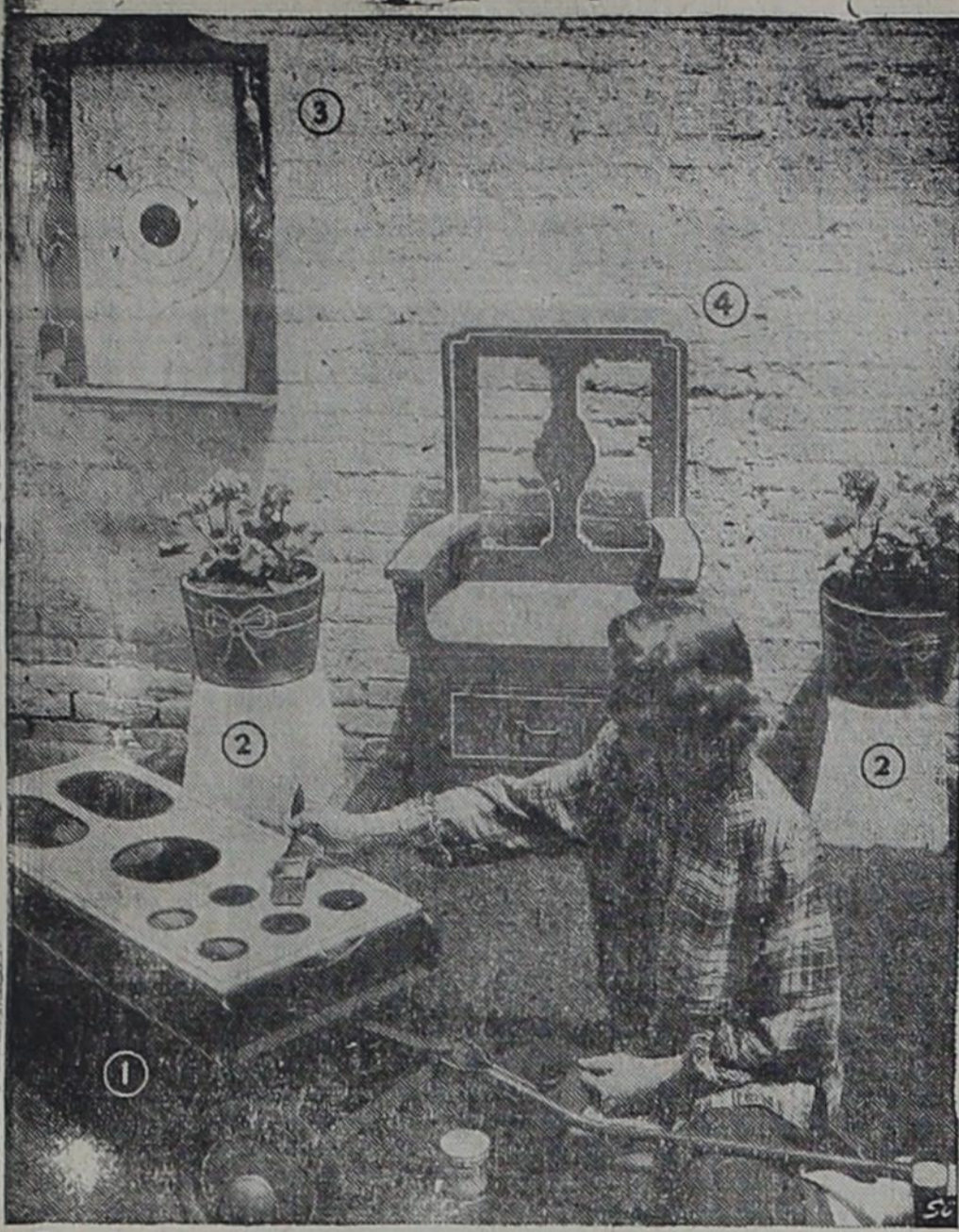
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Don't throw away those seemingly useless attic pieces acquired over the past years. Look them over with an imaginative eye, add a little handiwork, put on a coat of paint and come up with something useful and attractive like this terrace outfit. Ray Hookway, color consultant for Sherwin-Williams, produced this setting by (1) remodeling Junior's old express wagon into a server for ice-bucket, pitcher and glasses; by (2) converting two old pickle barrels into attractive flower pots; by (3) turning an old discarded mirror into a gay dart board; and by (4) modernizing an old vestibule chair into a gay seat and storage unit. Hookway says, "Combining good ideas with a bit of painting skill makes for good fun and good sense these budget-conscious days."

VETERAN'S QUESTION BOX

Q. My husband, a World War II veteran holds a bad conduct discharge. Is he entitled to benefits under the GI Bill?

A.—Since you husband holds neither an honorable nor a dishonorable discharge from the armed services, it will be necessary for him to ask his nearest VA office for a decision as to whether he was discharged under conditions other than dishonorable. He also may apply to the Army or Navy for revision of discharge.

Q.—Is my aunt, the daughter of a Civil War veteran, eligible for pension? She and her mother were dependent on the veteran at the time of his death. The widow received a pension until her death leaving her daughter aged 75.

A.—Unless your aunt was permanently helpless by reason of physical or mental disability prior to reaching the age of 16, she could not now qualify for pension based on her father's service.

Q.—Is there any time limit to the duration of a business loan?

A.—Yes. A non-real estate business loan must be repaid in 10 years or less; real estate loans may run up to 25 years.

Q.—Am I eligible for a GI loan to buy a share in a going business in another city?

A.—You are eligible if you devote your personal labor or supervise the business either on a full-time or part-time basis.

Q.—Sometime ago I heard that the 4 percent rate of interest on GI guaranteed loans would be increased to 4 1/2 percent. Has this been done?

A.—No. The Administrator of Veteran Affairs announced recently that there will be no increase in the 4 percent rate of interest at this time.

Q.—I have an opportunity to go into the business of raising frogs for

several well known restaurants. Can I get a GI guaranteed loan for this type of business?

A.—Veterans Administration will guarantee loans on any kind of legitimate business, but it will be up to you to find the lender and make your arrangements with him.

Q.—Is it true that VA will only

guarantee business loans up to \$4,000 or less?

A.—VA will guarantee 50 percent of the loans up to a maximum of \$4,000 if the loan is for the purchase of business real property, and up to \$2,000 for non-real estate business loans. The veterans may borrow whatever the lender will advance,

but limits are placed only on the VA guaranty.

Q.—I am a World War II veteran. Is my wife eligible for treatment at a VA hospital?

A.—Not unless your wife is an ex-service woman. Dependents of veterans are not entitled to hospitalization under the VA.

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COLLEGE STATION.—"Many families do not realize that portable electric fans can be used in the winter as well as the summer," Mrs. Bernice Claytor, extension home management specialist of Texas A. and M. College, points out. "Usually at the end of summer, the fans are put away until the next warm season. But actually they can be put to use in several ways during the winter months."

For instance, a house that is improperly insulated is usually unevenly heated, cooler at the floor than near the ceiling. A fan placed near the heater or heating unit, aimed at an adjacent wall toward the ceiling and set at a slow speed, will circulate the warm air around the room.

Another winter use for an electric fan is for drying clothes indoors. Winter weather sometimes makes it difficult to dry clothing even in the house. "Set a fan at one end of the line of clothes," Mrs. Claytor says, "and it will speed the drying process. Or use it to dry coats and over-shoes soaked by rain or snow."

Portable electric fans can be used any season of the year to carry off cooking odors from the kitchen. "If your home does not have a large ventilating fan in the wall or window, you may face a portable fan toward a slightly open window and allow it to run while foods with strong odors are cooking. The odors will go out the window," Mrs. Claytor concludes.

The housefly carries typhoid, tuberculosis, dysentery and intestinal worms. Many folks wonder why Noah didn't take advantage of the situation and kill both flies when he had a good chance.

Properly Store Your Eggs in Refrigerator

COLLEGE STATION.—If you can't drop an egg into the frying pan without breaking the yolk, perhaps you aren't storing the eggs correctly in the refrigerator.

There's a right and wrong way to store eggs in the refrigerator. And the right way, Myrtle Murray, extension home marketing specialist of Texas A. and M. College, says is standing on the small end with the large end up.

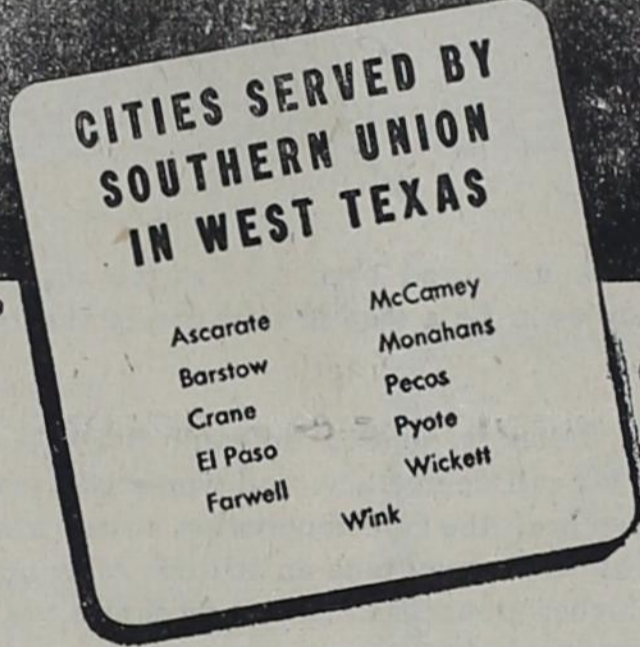
Here's why. The large end contains an air cell just inside the shell. If this end is down, the weight of the egg presses against this air cell, causing the air cell to rise and gradually loosen the membrane. At the same time, the yolk, because it's heavier than the "white" part, rises from its normal position in the center of the egg to the top, or small end.

When the yolk floats to the top, it becomes attached to the membrane and may stick there. This is why it's often so hard to break eggshells and drop the yolks out without breaking them.

Yolks in eggs stored large end up will remain in the center, and not float to the top where they'll stick to the membrane.

Miss Murray says that 640 farm wives from 35 Texas counties report selling eggs on a grade basis directly to the consumers. And the women guaranteed these eggs on their grade basis.

The way eggs are candled before they are packed and marketed has quite a bit to do with maintaining their quality too, she says.



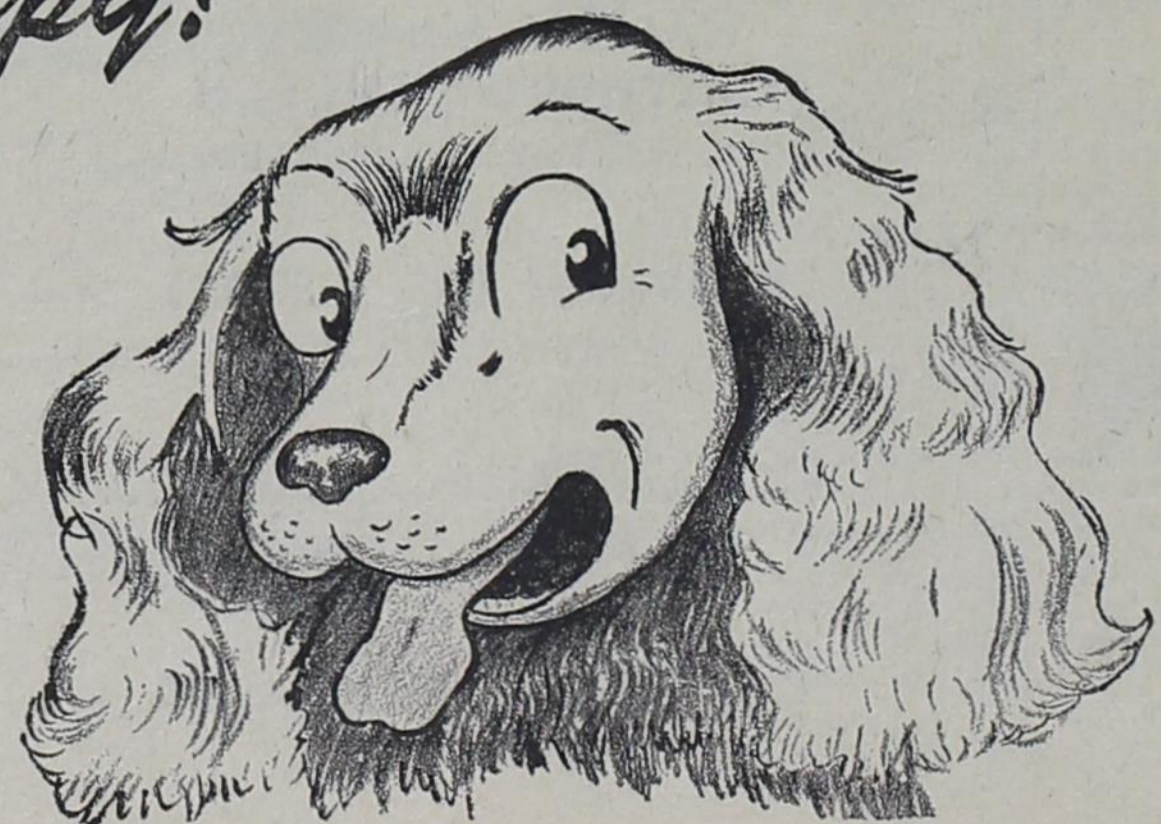
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**More Interest Shown
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COLLEGE STATION.—In this period of mechanization, farmers are showing more and more interest in the selection and care of farm machinery. Texas A. and M. College agricultural engineers find special machinery for highly specialized farm and ranch jobs require large investments and depreciation of this machinery eats deeply into the operators profit margin if it is not properly cared for.

During the year, Texas county agents held numerous farm machinery field days. As a result, farmers were given an opportunity to become acquaint with new machinery and to actually see it perform, says W. L. Ulich, extension agricultural engineer, in his annual report.

Five area tractor maintenance clinics were held in the state last spring. County agents and local 4-H Club leaders from 73 counties were given training at these two-day clinics. Those trained in the area clinics returned home and they were responsible for holding 105 county tractor maintenance schools. The attendance of these schools was 4,183. Savings can be made in the amount of gasoline used and the life of the tractor increased, if the principles taught at these schools are followed. These two items can materially increase the farm income, especially in areas where the investments in power machinery is large.

Farmers continue to build needed equipment. In 1948, 24,788 blueprints were sent to 218 counties and 19,346 pieces of equipment were built from these plans. Welding schools were held in 26 counties and 1,426 farmers were taught the techniques of welding. Machinery repairs by welding was stressed in the schools, concluded Ulich.

**Vitamin B12 Important
To Poultry and Swine**

COLLEGE STATION.—The newly discovered vitamin B12 gives promise of being of great practical importance in swine and poultry production. Carl M. Lyman and J. M. Prescott, of the Texas A. and M. College department of biochemistry and nutrition, report. A recent study reported to the Journal of Biological Chemistry, is looking forward to the establishment of a reliable method for determining the vitamin B12 needs for swine and poultry.

Hog feeding tests the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station workers have under progress are showing marked increases in growth rates as the result of adding a commercial preparation of B12 to their regular rations.

No satisfactory way has yet been established for analyzing this vitamin in feedstuffs and animal tissues, though a number of scientists over the nation are working on the problem.

The full possibilities of B12 cannot be developed until a practical system of analysis of the new vitamin is perfected. Texas A. and M. research workers report progress in the determination of this vitamin through a microbiological method.

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Communism in Russia deserves to be measured over against the intolerable tyranny and oppression of the Czars; it may even be a step in advance of that which it replaced.

But Communism within the United States is quite a different thing. Here it appears as a threat to that great good that we call democracy; and worse still, it seeks to overthrow the Christian religion which has been the sure foundation of our freedom and our integrity. Toward Communism in Russia we may take an attitude of sympathy, hoping that a great nation will move on to higher ground, though we recognize the right of the Russian people to choose their own political and economic system. So we say to each other, "Hands off" of the internal affairs of other nations. But we ought to be mightily concerned with the appearance of Communism in the U. S. A. Perhaps here, however, we ought to be on our guard against the reality rather than the name. It is one thing to belong to the Communist Party, which looks us squarely in the face and announces its position. It is quite another and a more dangerous thing to be a Communist and not let it be known. It is the *under cover Communism which threatens us most.*

Communism sets itself up as a religion, denying God and the Christian Faith; it would close the doors of the Church. Do you support the Church, or could its doors close so far as you are concerned? There are sixty million people in this country who are not members of any Church; they are the Communists we should fear. Godless women and men, intent on themselves or some political party as the chief good, irreverent and devoted to material ends—these are the Communists whom we Americans should fear and seek to change.



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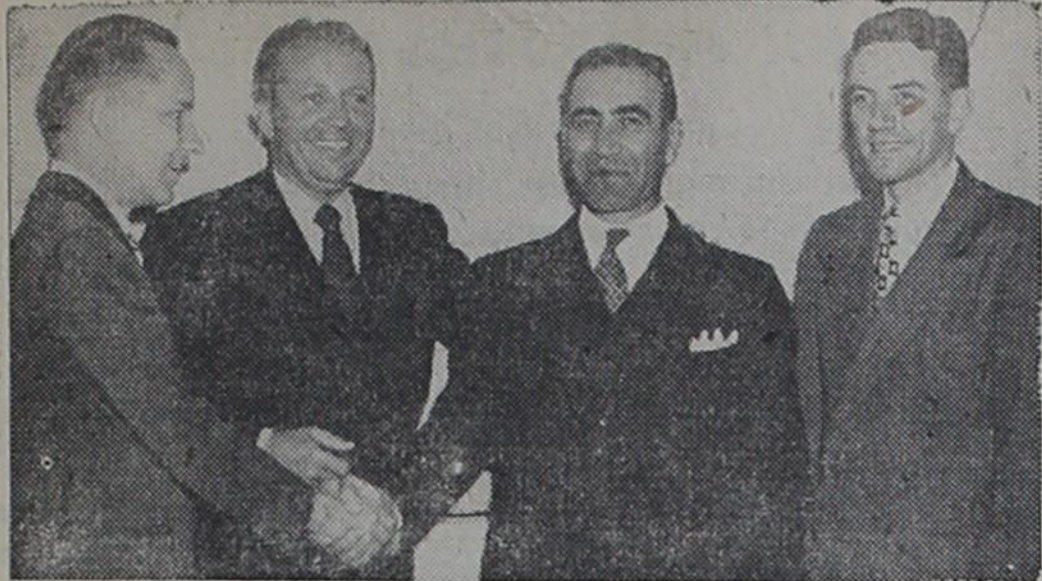
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PROFESSOR IS GREETED

One of the latest additions to the Wayland College faculty, Professor Theodore F. Boushy of the history department, is being welcomed by his colleagues. Those pictured are, from the left, Robert L. Dobson, head of the Bible department; President J. W. Bill Marshall; Boushy, formerly a citizen of Syria; and R. H. Falwel, Jr., director of religious activities, who also teaches in the Bible department.

VETERAN'S NEWS

World War II veterans receiving educational or training under the GI Bill are urged by the Veterans Administration to include the name and addresses of their school or training establishment in all correspondence with VA.

This information should be included in addition to the clearly legible, complete name and address of the veteran and the extremely important claim number.

Student-veterans and job-trainees who follow this advice will expedite any action on their case by VA and avoid delays often caused by lack of sufficient information contained in correspondence from veterans.

Veterans Administration has conducted a training program or corrective therapists at the Winter VA hospital in Topeka, Kansas, to broaden their understandings of the needs and problems of neuropsychiatric patients.

The course—the sixth given for corrective therapy personnel in VA hospitals—was a joint program of the Division of Physical Medicine Rehabilitation of VA's Department of Medicine and Surgery, and the Division of Adjunctive Therapy of the Institute of Psychological Medicine.

Training programs previously were conducted at VA general medical and surgical hospitals in Richmond, Virginia; Hines, Illinois; and Los Angeles, California. Two previous courses also were held at the Topeka hospital.

Future training programs are planned for the Topeka VA hospital and for other general medical and surgical hospitals, to keep corrective personnel informed of the latest developments in their field.

Hospitalization and outpatient treatment provided by the Veterans Administration are not available to members of veterans' families, VA said in response to a number of inquiries.

Many wives of veterans were treated by Army and Navy doctors while their husbands were in service. Some wives now erroneously believe they also are entitled to medical treatment from VA physicians.

Only ex-servicemen and women, if discharged under conditions other than dishonorable, are entitled to hospital treatment under the following priority system:

- First—Emergency cases.
- Second—Those suffering from injuries or diseases incurred in or aggravated by military service.
- Third—Those who state under oath they are unable to pay hospital charges for treatment of nonservice-connected disabilities or illnesses. These veterans, if not in the emergency category, must wait until a bed comes available.

Outpatient treatment is available only for veterans with service-connected disabilities. Each veteran's eligibility must be determined by VA before treatment of this type can be authorized.

Veterans of World War II who were discharged on or before July 25, 1947, can apply for readjustment allowances up to July 25, 1949, under present legislation, VA reports.

Men discharged after July 25, 1947, are entitled to readjustment allowances until two years after their date of discharge. No readjustment allowances are payable after July 25, 1952.

More than 9,000,000 World War II veterans applied for education and training under the GI Bill and Public Law 16 since the two laws went into effect in June, 1944, and March, 1943, respectively.

A report is being circulated that a 60-year-old man has a new tooth. But it may be false.

President Truman is letting it be known quietly that he is undecided whether to be a candidate for re-nomination in 1952. The President

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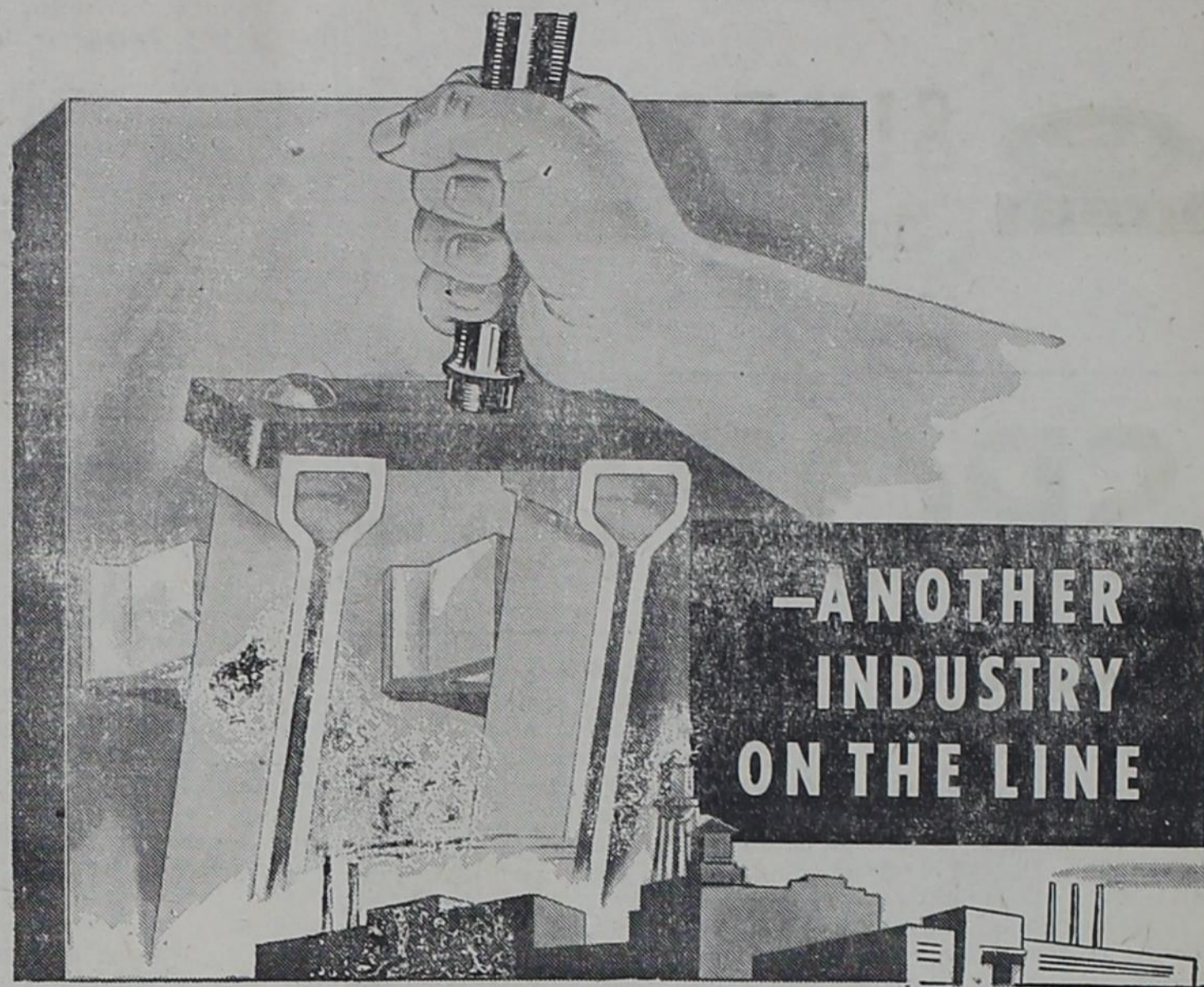
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District Meet Starts Thursday, Portales

Fans from over a wide area of New Mexico are expected to congregate in Portales this weekend, when the annual District 6 boys basketball tournament is held in the Eastern New Mexico college gym.

Play begins on Thursday, continuing through Friday and winding up with the finals on Saturday night. Comer of Melrose, Wollard of Clovis, Wilson of Roswell and Morrison of Tucumanari, have been approved as officials for the meet.

Fifteen boys' teams will participate, with Clovis, Portales, Grady and Rogers the current favorites, in that order. Trophies will be presented to the champions, the runners-up, and the consolation squad, with individual all-stars also being named and honored with special awards.

In the upper bracket, Rogers and Field meet at 2 p. m. Thursday, and Dora plays Melrose at 4:40 that afternoon. Clovis faces Causey at 3:30 Thursday, while Floyd and Fort Summer take the court at 10:30 Friday morning. Winners of the first two matches play at 2:20 Friday afternoon; the second group playoff is at 8:30 Friday night.

The lower bracket puts Portales against Rosedale at 8:30 Thursday night, Ranchvale opposite Elida at 9:50 Thursday evening; Grady vs. Texico at 11:30 Friday morning, in the first round. Winners of the first two games play at 3:50 Friday afternoon, and the Texico-Grady champ meets Pleasant Hill, in on a bye, at 9:50 Friday night.

The above schedule is given on Texas time, one hour earlier for those using New Mexico time.

The semi-final game, upper bracket, starts at 2 p. m. Saturday, with the second semi-final at 3:20 that afternoon. The consolation match begins at 8:30 Saturday night, with the tournament final to come up at 9:50.

The Texico boys, who tangle with the Curry champions, Grady, in their opening game, have been doing some heavy work this week, and have hopes of upsetting the favorite Coach C. E. Sanders stated that his first string would be composed of Blain, Stewart, Pearce, Bridges, and Tucker, with White, A. Doolittle, Hale, Harding Reed and Gant as the subs.

Conference Games Are Concluded On Friday

The last conference games of the 1948-49 season were played by the Farwell squads last Friday night, as the locals took a last swing at Adrian, on that court.

Opening up the evening, the lo-

cal girls finished a good season by handing Adrian a sound 46-14 defeat, while all the subs got into action and practically every girl in uniform had a crack at the basket. Grisom paced Farwell by bagging 17 points, while Jacobson took the lions' share of the Adrian score, running up points.

The Steers, who had previously bowed to Adrian, were unable to imitate the girls' performance, and took a 18-31 spanking at the hands of their opponents. Banks came in with 13 to lead Adrian, while Thomas scored 7 to pace Farwell.

Play Saturday Night
On Saturday night, the Steer bounced back into form and pounded the daylight out of Roaring Springs, champions in their district, in a post-season match at Roaring Springs.

Grabbing the lead in the first seconds of the game, the Steers continued to pour in the goals, and led 36-21 at the end of the game.

Junior, Grade Teams Play This Weekend

Grade and junior high boys' and girls' teams from Farwell, Friona, Lazbuddy, Bovina and Texico are holding their own cage tournament this weekend, with the Farwell school playing host on Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights.

Coach Shelby Jobs said today that trophies would be given the champions in each bracket at the wind-up of play Saturday night. Local referees will be used for the games, he added.

In the junior high boys' bracket, Farwell and Texico play at 9 Friday night, with Bovina and Lazbuddy tangling at 9 Thursday night. For the junior high girls, Farwell and Friona are cast at 8 Friday, as Lazbuddy and Bovina play at 8 Thursday.

The grade school boys' bracket puts Farwell opposite Lazbuddy at 7:15 Thursday, Texico vs. Friona on Friday night at 7:15. The grade girls' drawing shows Farwell opposite Lazbuddy at 6:30 Thursday, Texico vs. Friona at 6:30 Friday.

Finals start at 7 Saturday night, with the grade girls first up, to be followed by the grade boys at 7:45. The junior high girls take over the court at 8:30 and the junior boys finish up the met with their game, beginning at 9:15.

Admission will be 35c for adults and 20c for children.

Junior Teams Stage Cage Games Here

Four junior teams from Lazbuddy and Farwell paraded their wares at the local gym the past Thursday

night, with the Farwell teams taking three games while Lazbuddy only got one win out of the series.

The local eighth grade girls got the first win, dumping the visitors 30-3 with Verne Beth Christian scoring 16 for Farwell. Next up were the eighth grade boys, with Farwell again the winner, out-pointing Lazbuddy 44-6. Ronnie Dial bagged 10 for the locals.

The third match pitted ninth grade boys from the schools, Lazbuddy taking the decision, 10-8, as Spurlin and Jordan each got 3 for Farwell. The local girls turned in a better performance, winning 17-5.

Shelby Jobs and Louis Purvis act as coaches for the local youngsters.

Rosedale and Texico Split Cage Matches

The Texico Whirlwinds and the Rosedale boys took decisive victories at Texico, the past Friday night when the squads met for their final matches of the current season.

Score for the girls' game wound up with Texico holding only a three-point lead, 41-44, out a wider margin had prevailed until the final minutes, when subs went in to relieve the first string and finish out the match.

The boys' game, on the other hand, was a landslide for Rosedale, who counted up 53 points while the locals only managed 29. Coach C. E. Sanders reported that Rosedale was basket hot, borne out by the fact that Massey led his team with 18 points, while Blain was high for Texico with 9.

Farwell Wins Two, Loses One To Pleasant Hill, Tuesday

The Farwell cagers took two wins, and lost one to Pleasant Hill Tuesday night when the locals acted as host to the Pleasant Hill squads. The boys won an easy victory, as did the 'B' girls, while the 'A' girls lost their scrimmage by five points.

The 'B' girls teams were first to take the court, to tangle with the Pleasant Hillers, taking a win of 3 points. The final score of the match showed Farwell with 36, and Pleasant Hill with 33.

Half time score showed Pleasant Hill in the lead with 24, and only 21 for the Farwellites.

Randol sacked up 16 points for high scoring honors for the locals, and Smith made a total of 15 for the visitors.

Next to take the court were the 'A' stringers, with Pleasant Hill proving to be the stronger, winning by 5 points.

Half time score read Pleasant Hill 20, Farwell 15. And the final score

stood at 34-29 favoring the visitors.

High pointer for the Farwell aggregation was Dial with 14, and Boco of Pleasant Hill had 14 also.

Last but not least, the boys tangled in a game "not very well matched", with Farwell taking an easy 12 point victory over the visitors as the final whistle sounded.

cores at the half showed a sure victory for the Steers, reading Farwell 24, Pleasant Hill 19. Final score of the game booked Farwell with 48 to the visitors 36.

Thomas made 26 of Farwell's total for high scoring honors, while Chandler of Pleasant Hill took in 11.

School Men Set Dates For Athletic Events

Dates for various pending athletic activities of the spring season were set last Thursday night, when the Curry County Schoolmaster's Club held a regular meeting at the Pleasant Hill school.

The final cage tournament of the year was scheduled for Friday and Saturday of next week, March 4th and 5th, when grade boys and girls and second string boys are to gather in Clovis, Supt. B. A. Rogers said today.

Texico will be host to the girls' volleyball meet, on April 14th and 15th, and dates were also considered for track activities, which will not get underway for a few weeks.

Boys Take Places At Hereford Stock Fair

Facing exceptionally stiff competition, Parmer County 4H and FFA club boys showed fat hogs and calves at the Tri-County Show held in Hereford the past Saturday, and came home with several cash prizes.

County Agent Ollie Liner stated that the Hereford show featured unusually good stock, and as the majority of local boys feed out for the Lubbock show, which comes off in March, local entries were not exactly up to standard at Hereford.

Max Crim, of Lazbuddy, placed third with a Poland China barrow; Clyde Hays, of Black, had a fifth place Hampshire barrow; Troy Christian showed sixth in the Duroc barrow class; Wayne Massey, of Friona, placed eighth in the lightweight calf division; Marvin Massey, of Friona, was eighth in the heavy-weight class with his calf; and Ross Miller, of Friona, was fourteenth with his light calf.

The Miller calf was sold at auction, bringing 34c and weighing 835 lbs., Liner said. Five of the local swine entries went into the auction ring, averaging 25c per pound. Cash prizes were presented the winners.

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Miss Dott McGann, formerly of this city, who now resides in Glendale, Calif., is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. O. Barnett in Clovis. She spent Tuesday here renewing old acquaintances.

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