

Few Matters Taken Up By Dads Tuesday

Somewhere back in a course on the history of the U. S. constitution, we must have missed the boat.

Farwell's city dads had their regular monthly meeting early this month, meeting Tuesday afternoon in the city hall.

The meeting was originally scheduled for this Friday but was set up because all of the commissioners could not be on hand tomorrow.

One item of business talked about briefly was the adoption of an ordinance, organizing a fire department and delegating certain authority to the department heads.

Felix Winegeart, who is in charge of garbage disposal in the city, was present at the meeting, and explained why service had been slowed down during the past month.

We said that things were slowing down now and that he should be able to keep on schedule, hauling the trash from the residences every two weeks.

Other business for the commission included approving the minutes of the past meeting, paying the bills, and dividing the tax rate for the coming year.

This does not sound to us like the idea that we thought the founding fathers had in mind when they conceived America as a country having "government by law" and not "government by men."

The purpose of the judicial branch of the government is to interpret the law. Yet, the effect of these interpretations actually gives them the power to manufacture legislation.

Small wonder that the typical lay student of national affairs is befuddled over the controversy. We believe that government closest to the people is the best.

But threaded through this idea is the stark fact that America is a federation of states and that there must somewhere be a law supreme to all others.

Miss Joella Lovvorn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lovvorn of Farwell, is one of the new members of the Wayland College staff, at Plainview, this year.

After this school term, Miss Lovvorn plans to enter the mission work with the Indians here in the United States where she will use her training in the printing field.

She was graduated from Farwell High School in May of 1952 and has attended Wayland until this year.

We certainly think the president was justified in his use of troops to enforce the law. He didn't have much alternative.

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Proposed Swimming Pool Gets Big Boost

Special Meeting Called Tuesday

A special meeting of the Farwell Chamber of Commerce and other Texico-Farwell civic clubs has been called for Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in an effort to revive a drive to raise \$15,000 for a swimming pool here.

It is hoped that all persons interested in the swimming pool will be on hand at the meeting, so plans can be formulated to raise the remaining \$10,000 of the figure.

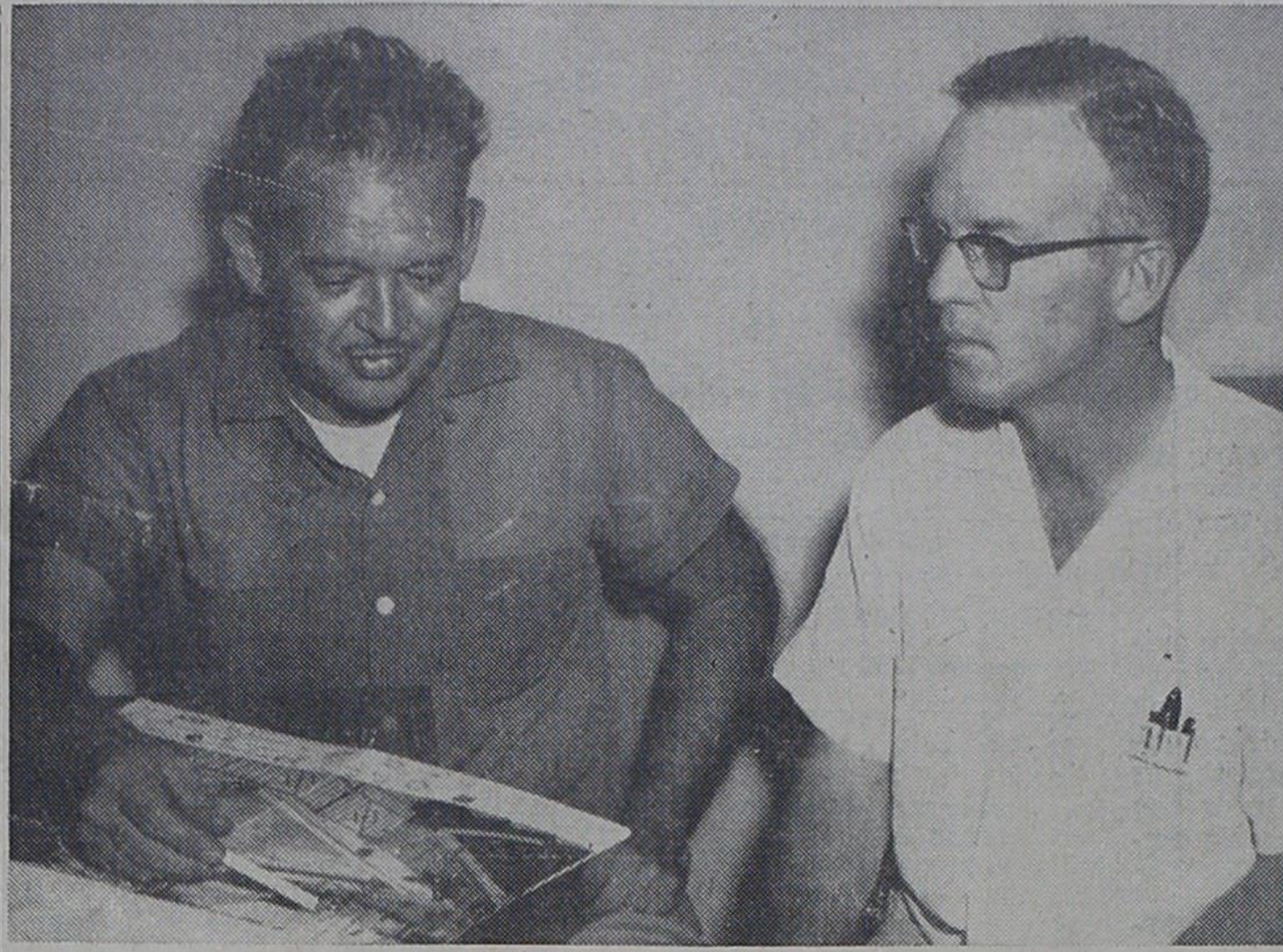
One event which is proposed to raise some of the money is a car give away and if enough interest is shown, steps will be taken to start such a project immediately, says Jess Landrum, a promoter of the pool.

Too, a final personal contact drive is planned so that the goal can be reached by January 1, the deadline set when the project was first started the first of this year.

"This is a good time of the year to raise the money and we should be able to do it within the next two months," Landrum says.

"More than \$5,000 has already been raised or pledged to the project and with the latest development on the pool, the possibility of it becoming a reality are brighter," Landrum adds.

In addition to mapping out a plan to raise the additional money, the question of how to operate the pool will be brought up. Some have suggested that it be turned over to the city and be a municipal pool and others have suggested that it be a private organization and membership be required by persons who use the pool.



LOOKING OVER THE PLANS — Louis A. Marot, who has done considerable work on the local swimming pool project for the past several months, explains some of the features of the Esther Williams swimming pool to Jess Landrum.

Can Now Get Turnkey Job For \$15,000

The proposed swimming pool project for Texico-Farwell took on a "new look" this week when it was revealed that a turnkey job could be done on a pool here for \$15,000, a figure which is considerably less than anything arrived at before.

The fund-raising goal for the proposed pool here, being sponsored by the Farwell Chamber of Commerce, has always been \$15,000 but in the past, that figure was to cover only the cost of the materials and not the labor.

After three months of extensive study by an interested area man though, the local situation is greatly improved, reports Jess Landrum, the instigator of the plan, which has been in the air since last January 1.

The person who has been investigating the pool building situation is Louis Marot of Bovina. Marot, a salesman since retiring from the army, has traveled all over the country in past months and has discussed swimming pools with almost every major pool building company in the country.

As a result of his efforts, he negotiated with the International Swimming Pool Corporation and the \$15,000 price was quoted. This is half the cost of any other company the Bovina man talked with and there are several reasons for the low figure, he says.

In the past, the International company in New York, of which Esther Williams is president, has dealt only in home pools. They are currently preparing to go into building commercial size pools and the one for the Twin Cities is the first to be bid on this far.

When such a pool was discussed with company officials, engineers of the company were at work mapping out costs for various size commercial pools, Marot says.

Since it is a first for the company, the price is probably lower than it will be later, Marot points out. Too, if the money can be raised here soon enough, it can almost certainly be the first commercial pool in Texas, if not the U. S., and with it can possibly be a gala dedication program.

Marot checked with the company on the possibility of having Esther Williams here to dedicate the pool if it is the first in the state, and indications are that this can be arranged. Presently the movie actress is making a picture in Italy, but if her picture making will permit when the pool is completed, Esther can probably be on hand.

There are many features about the Esther Williams pool which many of the other pool companies didn't offer, Marot says. First, the \$15,000 is for all the needed equipment for operation and maintenance of the pool.

Included are the diving board, ladders, a vacuum cleaner and other needed cleaning utensils, a three-tank filter system, under water lights, a strong pool safety cover, and many other miscellaneous items. The safety cover is for keeping the pool clean and also for protection against people falling in when

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Steers Host Foxes Friday

To Be Battle Of Unbeatens

Two undefeated strings will go on the line this Friday night when the Farwell Steers play host to the Ft. Sumner Foxes in a game which will see the Farwell team facing its first real test of the season.

It will be the first home game for Farwell since its season opener against Melrose which was played in pouring rain, so many Farwell fans will be seeing the undefeated Steers in action for the first time.

Fire Department Organizational Meeting Thursday

All persons interested in Farwell's volunteer fire department are asked to be on hand at a meeting next Thursday night in the city hall at 8 o'clock.

In order to meet state requirements, Farwell is going to have to have a department separate from the Texico-Farwell organization which has been serving the two towns in the past.

of the two teams is Bovina. Ft. Sumner recorded its 20-0 win over the Mustangs in their season opener and the following week the Steers handled them 38-12.

Two of the Steers will likely be sidelined this week because of injuries. They are Joe Hughes, sophomore guard; and Robert Carthel, freshman tackle. Both boys didn't see action against New Home because of the injuries.

H. H. Henson Dies Wednesday Night

H. H. Henson of Texico, 68, died at Clovis Memorial Hospital on Wednesday, October 2, at 7:30 (CST) after suffering a heart attack early Wednesday morning.

Survivors include his wife, Rilda Jane; two sons, Milton of Texico and H. H. Jr. of Cotton Center; two daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Hubbell of Farwell and Mrs. Roberta McGuire of Redland, Calif.; 14 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Backward Hobo Party Planned

A backward hobo party is to be the kickoff event for reorganization of the Methodist Youth Fellowship, with the party set for Saturday night, beginning at 6 o'clock in the evening.

"Hobos" will be transported from house to house for a progressive supper, with five different families acting as hosts and hostesses to the group.

Sponsors of the MYF are Mr. and Mrs. John Lovelace, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Graham Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Quickel.

"Any young person who is interested in MYF and who did not receive an invitation to the party, is invited," say the sponsors, "just call Ella Williams or Jeanne Graham and say you will be there."

The probable starters for the Steers Friday are as follows: Glyn McDorman, 140, end; Derrell Garner, 168, end; Johnny Gulley, 161, tackle; Mitchell Walls, 164, tackle; Leon Jamison, 143, guard; Wayne Jesko, 140, guard; Dickie Williams, 138, center; Johnny Lovelace, 150, quarterback.

Larry Pike, 140, halfback; Phillip Berry, 160, halfback; Tommy Lovelace, 170, fullback.

The Ft. Sumner game will be the first of three successive games in which the Steers will likely face unbeaten squads. Following the Foxes into Steer stadium will be Lazbuddie, who is a surprise team so far this year, having rolled up a 4-1 record in its second year in 11-man football.

Lazbuddie is idle this week, so they will bring the unbeaten record to Farwell next week. Following the Lazbuddie clash, the Steers will go to Morton for their first district clash, and presently the Indians are unbeaten in three games. They play Idalou this week.

Farwell Runs Wild At New Home, 60-0

Completely outclassing the undermanned New Home Leopards Friday night, the Farwell Steers rolled to their third straight win of the season on the opponents' field.

From the opening kickoff, when the Steers took the ball and marched to a touchdown in only five plays, the Blue and White scored almost at will. Coach J. D. Atwell started running reserves in during the second quarter and the second stringers played about half of the ball game.

Although the entire bench of the Steers saw considerable action, the scoring was done by four backs. Tommy Lovelace ran over for four touchdowns, Johnny Lovelace tallied twice, reserve Larry McDorman hit pay dirt two times, and Phillip Berry scored one time.

As the game opened, Berry set up the first Steer touchdown when, on the "belly series," he took the ball and raced 35 yards before being brought down on the two-yard line. Two plays later Tommy scored from the one. The extra point attempt failed.

New Home took the kickoff, but unable to move the ball on two plays, the Leopards tried a quick kick on the third down. The Steers took over on the New Home 47 and scored in three plays. Berry set up the second score with another 35-yard jaunt on a play identical to his first run. This time he was brought down from behind on the five and on the next play Johnny Lovelace scored. Again the extra point kick was no good and the 12-0 lead remained until the second quarter.

Early in the second period

STATISTICS table with columns for Steers, First Downs, Rushing Yardage, Passing Yardage, Total Offense, Passes Attempted, Passes Completed, Passes Intercepted, Fumbles, Fumbles Lost, Penalties, Yards Penalized, and NH.

Tommy Lovelace scored his second TD on a three-yard plunge. This score was set up by a pass play, from J. Lovelace to Glyn McDorman, which covered 39 yards, and a 28-yard run by Johnny. Johnny passed to Derrell Garner for the extra point.

The Leopards took the kickoff and on their second play from scrimmage, Tommy Lovelace intercepted a pass and set up the fourth score. Four plays later he scored on another three-yard plunge. Johnny kicked the extra point to make the score 26-0.

Later in the period with reserves playing, a blocked kick set up another touchdown. The punt was blocked at the 10-yard line and three plays later Larry McDorman ran across for the score. Johnny again kicked the extra point to make the half-time score 33-0.

In the third quarter, the Farwell team compiled 21 points, the same number as the second period, but oddly enough ran only three plays from scrimmage. The first two scores came before the Steers ran a play.

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Written Opinion Received on Texico Limit Extension Suit

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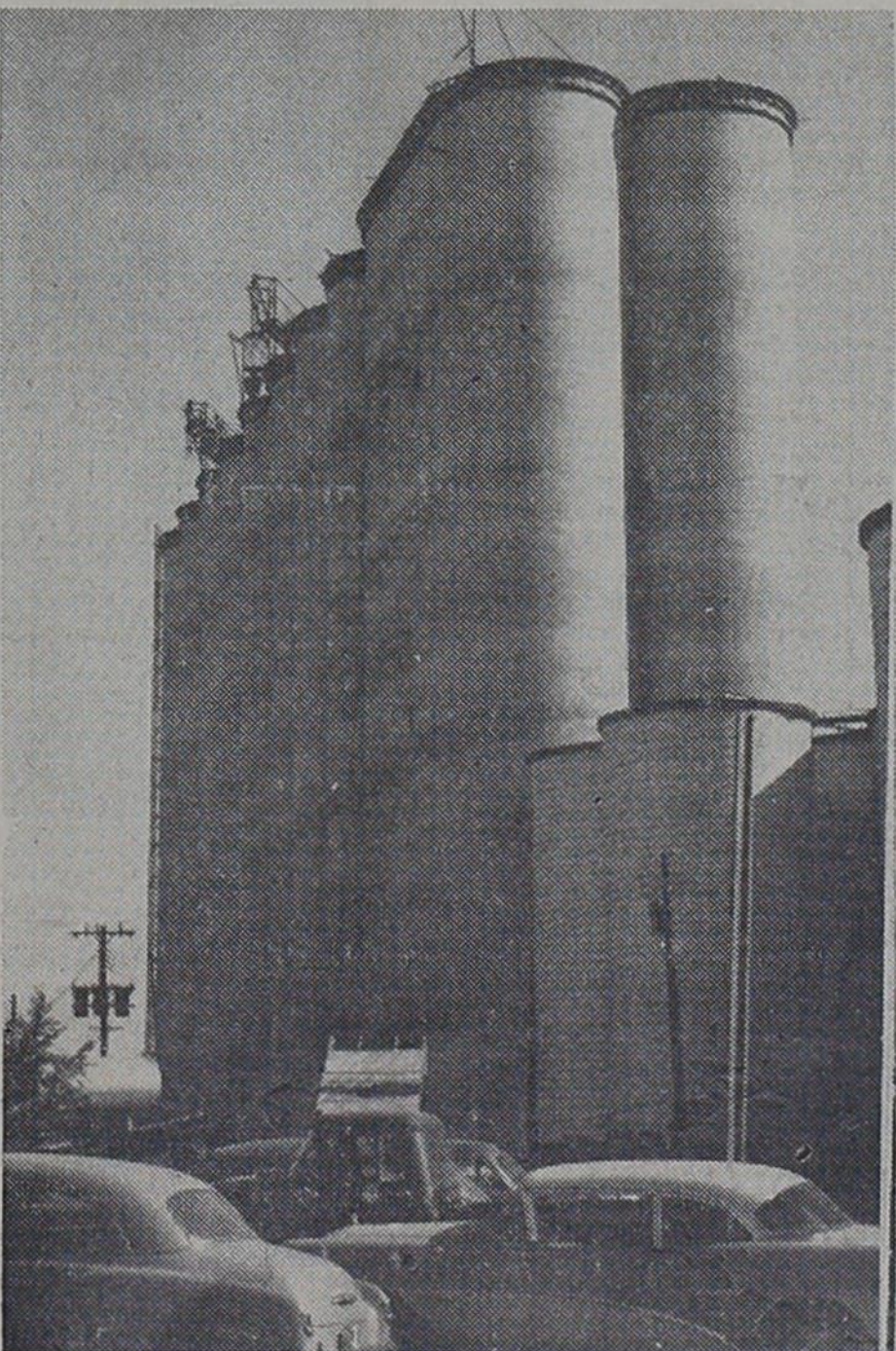
nicipal corporations, and to enlarge or diminish their boundaries is universally held to be solely and exclusively the exercise of legislative power."

The statute provided that any municipality had the authority to annex any adjacent property, providing the area had been platted into tracts containing five acres or less and had been substantially built up (two or more businesses or commercial establishments). Annexation could be done if the inhabitants were enabled to secure the benefits of fire protection and be furnished light and water by said town.

Any person owning property located within the area and feeling aggrieved by the action of the council could appeal the action to the district court by filing a petition within 30 days. Upon filing the petition the court would hear the evidence and determine whether the conditions set forth on the petition existed.

Action under the above statute on property west of the Texico city limits, to the old sale barn, was taken by the Texico commission on February 6, 1956. The appeal was not filed until May 5, 1956.

As for the second charge by the appellants, the court, listing other cases where similar appeals had been heard, gave the following opinion: "The appellants next argue (Continued on Last Page)



UP WITH THE TEXAS HOUSE — Sherley-Anderson Grain Company's elevator at Lariat is nearing completion, and bins have been erected to their full height. Still unfinished is the Texas house, and the head house, to be 40 feet higher than the bins, which are 148 feet high. The new expansion project, which was started back in July, will increase the capacity of the elevator by 1,300,000 bushels.

THE TRIBUNE'S EDITORIAL COMMENT

More Encouraging Now

Once again, an attempt is being made to get the swimming pool fund-raising campaign to going. Since it has been disclosed that a turn key job can be done on a pool here for \$15,000 the possibility of reaching the goal is certainly more encouraging than it previously was.

In the past, many people have looked at the proposal with pessimism and consequently the work of carrying on the project was left up to a few persons, who believed that it could be done even though it was a formidable undertaking.

The reasons for some of the dim outlooks could have been justified, as certain aspects of the project made it look somewhat like a far-fetched idea. During the past few months, though, things have been taking shape, and now the swimming pool situation is greatly improved.

The Tribune feels that Texico-Farwell is quite fortunate in that an area man has been devoting considerable time looking into the local situation. While his reasons for assisting with the local pool were partly personal, Louis Marot of Bovina has done the Twin Cities a great service.

All that is needed now for Texico-Farwell to have the swimming pool is for a few more people to take an interest in the project and assist with the fund raising. More than one third of the funds were raised back when the project seemed like twice the undertaking that it is now. With the latest developments, it should be much easier to complete.

Longhorns Win District Tilt On Penetration

Lazbuddie's Longhorns opened District 3-B play last week at Whitharral and barely recorded a triumph, winning the game on penetrations, 43, after the two teams had battled to a 7-7 tie.

The Longhorns led 7-0 until the final quarter when the Panthers pushed across a score and boot the extra point to tie the game up. Roy Van Lindingham, fullback, put Lazbuddie in front in the initial quarter with a two-yard plunge. He also ran the extra point.

The game was close in several ways as both the squads had nine first downs, and Whitharral had a slight advantage on yards gained rushing. The Panthers rolled up 159 yards and the Longhorns had 141.

The win was the fourth straight for Coach George Washington's Longhorns, who have an open date this week. Next game for Lazbuddie will be with Farwell next week.

CONFINED TO HOSPITAL

Mrs. S. J. Justice of Farwell is confined to Clovis Memorial Hospital for treatment this week and family members reported late Wednesday afternoon that her condition was "some improved" at that time.

Friends wishing to send cards or letters to Mrs. Justice may send them to Room 119, in care of the hospital. It is not known when she will be able to return home.

Visit in Portales

Mr. and Mrs. Dale McCuan, Barry and Bruce, visited Sunday afternoon with their son, John Gordon, and Roland Hillock in Portales. Mr. and Mrs. Buck Bradshaw, Louie and Janie, accompanied them.

John Gordon and Roland are freshmen at Eastern New Mexico University.



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The deal which is being offered the town now will probably never be duplicated, so now is the time to finish the drive if it is to ever be done. Much of the hard work has already been done and with a little effort on the part of more local citizens the project can be completed.

The meeting Tuesday will be the first step in the final drive. If better participation is not shown by Texico-Farwell-ites than has been the case in the past, the project will likely be dropped. Since a lot of the work has already been completed, this shouldn't be permitted to happen.

TEXICO BAPTIST NEWS C. C. Morgan, Pastor

Attendance was good for the morning worship hour and 152 were reported in Sunday School. Training Union attendance was 100.

WMU members met for their regular business and social gathering in the home of Mrs. C. C. Morgan last Wednesday. They voted to have the meeting in someone's home every fourth Wednesday, instead of having it in the church.

After the business meeting, Mrs. Morgan displayed souvenirs her son, Charles, had sent her from France. Refreshments of cinnamon apples, cheese cracker sandwiches, cookies, and spiced tea were served to the members.

Present for the meeting were Mesdames B. A. Kelley, D. J. Brown, Nora Day, S. G. Billington, Joe Morgan, Ed Henry, Bill Boling, Johnny and Sheryl, and the hostess.

Joy GA's met Wednesday, at 4:15 in the church. Kathy White called the meeting to order. The members then sang "We've a Story to Tell to the Nations."

Mrs. R. M. Walker, their counselor, told a story on missions. The group then discussed community missions.

Attending the meeting were Sarah Beth Walker, Wanda Morgan, Jean Morris, Judy Sharp, Betty Lockhart, and Carol White.

At the close of the meeting, Wanda Morgan and Sarah Beth Walker served Kool-aid and cookies.

Golden Circle Class will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Morgan Billington.

A special "Day of Prayer For State Missions" program is being planned by the WMU. This meeting will be held Wednesday of next week and will begin at 10 a.m. Lunch will be served at the church and the meeting will adjourn about 2 or 3 p.m.

Mrs. Bill Boling is the new

leader for the Sunbeams and Mrs. Buddy Pearce is the new YWA leader. Regular meetings of these auxiliaries are held weekly.

FARWELL BAPTIST NEWS Rev. E. J. Keith, Pastor

Sunday School and training union attendance for the past Sunday were 186 and 77, respectively. About 200 were present for the morning preaching hour.

Tonight (Thursday) a workers conference is being held at the Baptist Church in Bovina. Emphasis of the conference is on Sunday School and all officers and teachers of the local church school are urged to attend the meet which begins at 7:45.

Several members of the WMU are planning to attend a "Methods in Missions" meeting at the First Baptist Church of Hereford on Friday, October 4. WMU officers are to be installed in a joint installation program with the WMU of the Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church on Monday of next week.

Also meeting on Monday will be the Gleaners and Rebecca classes who will also install their new officers.

Regular Brotherhood meeting is also scheduled for Monday night at the church. Leroy McDonald, newly elected program chairman, will be in charge of the program.

Carl Scott Speaks To Brotherhood

Texico Baptist Brotherhood met Tuesday night, October 1, in the church for a regular monthly meeting.

Carl Scott, pastor of the Central Baptist Church of Clovis, spoke on "Approach to Soul Winning."

Members present were J. T. Lockhart, Joe Carpenter, Morgan Billington, Dee Brown, Frank Seale, Bill Boling, Sid Thomas, D. J. Brown, Ray Sharp and Lonnie Masters; Also, Olan Schlueter, R. L. Douglas Sr., Guy Cox Jr., C. H. Whitener, and Rev. C. C. Morgan.

The group enjoyed a supper after the program. Baked chicken and dressing, relishes, potato salad, pie and coffee were served to those present.

Visit in Jal

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Graham Jr. and sons were in Jal, N. M., Sunday to visit with the George Hill family. The Hills are former residents of this community and Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Graham were college roommates.

Farwell Junior Team Wins 6-0 At Springlake

Farwell Junior High football squad won its second straight game of the young season Monday night with a 6-0 conference decision over Springlake.

Quarterback Jerry Lovelace scored the lone tally of the game midway through the first period on an 81-yard run. The conversion attempt failed but the score was enough, as Farwell's stone wall defense kept the Springlake team outside the 30-yard line throughout the game.

The young Steers threatened to score again in the third period when they moved the ball to the Springlake 10 before a pass interception halted the drive.

Making up the local squad's starting lineup were Errol Johnson, left end; Max Field, left tackle; Jimmie Clements, left guard; Mike Getz, center; Dickie Gerie, right guard; Scotty Turner, right tackle; David Lindop, right end; Lovelace, quarterback; Van Crume, left halfback; Jackie Williams, right halfback; and Jimmie Cain, fullback.

The Farwell team has its first home game of the season this Monday night, when they play Morton. A 7th grade scrimmage is scheduled to begin at 6:30 and the junior varsity game will get under way immediately following, probably about 7:30, says Coach Shelby Jobs.

Mrs. Golladay's Condition Improves

Mrs. Florence Golladay is reported to be getting along fine this week at Jones Rest Home where she is presently making her home.

Mrs. Golladay has been at the rest home since suffering a broken hip in a fall late this summer.

Family members say that her condition is slowly improving. Anyone wishing to send her cards or letters may do so by addressing them to her in care of Jones Rest Home, Clovis.

Attend Tech-Aggie Game Saturday

Among those attending the Tech-Aggie game from the Texico-Farwell area Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ford, John Aldridge, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Terrell, Shelby Jobs, J. D. Atwell, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Anderson, Bob Scott and Meredith; and David Anderson.

Also, Charlie Christian, Edd Hardage, Merrill Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Phillips, Lt. and Mrs. Mark Liethen, Mr. and Mrs. Don Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Mose Glasscock, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hargrove, and Mr. and Mrs. Lenton Pool.

Visits Mother

Mrs. G. A. Garrett spent Monday night and Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Henry Ivy, in Muleshoe. Mrs. Ivy suffered a slight stroke Saturday and was confined to the Friona hospital for a few days. She is reported to be feeling some better now.

Class Meet To Be Monday

The Golden Circle class of the Texico Baptist Church will meet Monday night, October 7, at 8 p.m. Mrs. Morgan Billington will be the hostess for this occasion. All members are asked to be present for the regular business and social meeting.

In Colorado

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Thornton returned home Monday from Woodland Park, Colo., where they had visited since Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Cook and Mike Thornton. Mike is a grandson of the Thorntons.

Truitt Hardage, who is attending West Texas Barbers School in Amarillo, was home over the weekend to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hardage.

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Official board will meet in regular session on October 7 at 7:30 p.m. All members of this body are asked to be present. The chairmen of the four commissions will each give a report on the work and plans of each commission. There will be a special report given by the pastor that will be of distinct interest to every member of this body.

Commission on finance is asked to meet with the pastor and the chairman at 7 in the church basement. There are some items of business that need to be cared for prior to the meeting of our official board. The members of this commission are listed on the back of the Sunday bulletin.

MYF'ers have a real treat in store for them this coming Saturday evening. Look elsewhere in this paper for a full write-up on this project.

Choir meets each Wednesday

night at 7:30 to practice the great hymns of our faith and to prepare the special music. We are indeed thankful to have such a capable and faithful choir.

Young Adult Fellowship has ordered their 48 new chairs for the Sunday School unit. As soon as they arrive we will have them in the nave for all to see. This is an excellent accomplishment for this group and we are grateful to everyone who made this project a success. This Fellowship group will be having a family social right away. Keep watching for the announcement of the date, time, and place.

Laymen's Day will be observed in this church on October 20 at both services. The church lay leader, J. H. McDonald, will be charged with the planning and carrying out of this program. Watch for detailed information on this event.

Church school attendance was 104; our morning worship was attended by 116; and 48 were present for the night services.

Our MYF sponsors have asked that anyone having a good game they would like to give the MYF, please bring it to the church or notify Jeanne Graham.

Adult class that meets in the Border Theatre at 10 each Sunday is having a wonderful fellowship, yet it wants more active members. This class was established for those who asked for it and we would like for you to become a member. Watch for

the coming social evening of this group.

The pastor this week received a letter from the Methodist Children's Home in Waco stating that the children of the home will resume their series of radio broadcasts each Sunday morning. The theme of the programs will be basically inspirational and all persons of the church are sure to benefit from these programs presented by these young people. Radio station KCLV, Clovis, will carry these broadcasts at 9:15 (CST) and all persons of the church are urged to listen to these programs each week.

Schedule of Services
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11 a.m.
 MYF 6 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7 p.m.

Farwell Seniors Plan Breakfast

Farwell seniors announce that they will serve a breakfast on Saturday, October 12, in the school cafeteria. Serving will begin at 6 a. m. and will continue until everyone has been served.

The menu and prices will be announced later. They invite everyone to participate. Proceeds will go to the class treasury.

Fern Tipton visited over the weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Tipton. Fern is attending Draughon's Business College in Lubbock.

Relative of Local People Injured

Mrs. Jim Moss of Texico and her brother and father, Judge Barker of Farwell and Fred Barker Sr. of Friona, visited recently in Pampa with a relative who had been seriously injured in an automobile accident.

Benny Gale Sparks, a cousin of Mrs. Moss and Judge Barker and a nephew of Fred Barker Sr., was reported some improved this week. In Pampa to visit Sparks again this past weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Judge Barker.

Mrs. Buck Bradshaw Breaks Arm Monday

Mrs. Buck Bradshaw received a broken arm Monday when she fell down a flight of stairs. She received treatment in Amarillo and was returned to her home on Monday afternoon.

Friends reported that Mrs. Bradshaw was getting along fine Tuesday of this week.

Amos Tatum Home From Hospital

Amos E. Tatum, high school principal at Farwell, was released from Clovis Memorial Hospital Saturday and was reported to be "feeling a lot better" on Tuesday of this week.

Tatum, who was confined to the hospital for two weeks, is hoping to return to his duties at the school sometime next week.

IS RECUPERATING

Elaine Groff is reported to be recovering nicely this week after having a tonsillectomy last week. She was hospitalized in Clovis Memorial Hospital Thursday and Friday.

Visiting over the weekend with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Williams and sons of Texico, was Angela Williams. Angela is employed in Lubbock.

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NEWS FROM LAZBUDDIE

By MRS. CLYDE MONK

PTA Meeting Is Monday

Lazbuddie PTA will have its regular meeting Monday evening, October 7, at 8 p.m. The whole community is urged to come out and help make this the very best PTA possible. Plans are to have the rhythm band from the grade school on the program and a panel discussion is also being planned.

Lunch Room Menu Listed For Week

With the cooperation of Mrs. N. M. McCurdy, lunch room supervisor for the Lazbuddie School, we are able to print the lunch menu for the week beginning October 7. We realize this is extra work for Mrs. McCurdy but know the mothers will appreciate this in order that their evening meals may be planned to avoid duplication.

Monday—meat loaf, candied sweet potatoes, lettuce and tomato salad, fresh pear halves, milk, enriched bread, peanut butter.

Tuesday—pinto beans, buttered cabbage, brown potatoes, fresh sliced tomatoes, hot rolls, butter, milk, apricot halves.

Wednesday—barbecue pork, green beans, potato salad, carrot sticks, cornbread, butter, milk.

Thursday—hamburgers, sliced tomatoes, pickles, potato chips, onions, enriched buns, peanut butter, milk, fruit Jello.

Friday—fish sticks, mixed greens, hominy, prunes, hot rolls, butter, milk, ice cream.

SCHOOL FAIR FRIDAY

The school fair will be held at the school Friday, October 4, with the judging to begin at 9 a.m.

Those on the sick list last week with the flu were Mrs. John L. Seaton, Barbara Hinkson, Jerry Gleason and Jackie Brown. Doris Jean Horsley was out of school last week with the mumps.

Mrs. Agnes Brewer and son, DeWitt Brewer, from Albuquerque, were weekend guests in the Owen Broyles home. Other guests were their son, Eugene, from Amarillo, and a nephew, Jackie Dodson, also from Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Matthews left Sunday for a vacation trip to Sherman. They plan to be gone about 10 days.

R. L. Kimbrough attended an R.E.A. Board of Directors meeting in Denver, Colo., the first part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Pendergrass and Susan spent the weekend in Abilene visiting her mother, Mrs. C. L. Hester, and other relatives.

Keith and Preston Hinkson from Cairo, Neb., visited last week in the home of their brother and family, the Frank Hinksons. Keith returned home, but Preston remained here for a longer visit.

Mrs. Bearldean Broyles and daughter, Becky, are visiting

this week in Waco with her mother, Mrs. W. H. Hale, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Easley from Dumas were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gorden Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Carter left last week for a trip to California where they will visit relatives for about a month. They will visit a son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Carter, and a daughter in Tulare. They also plan to visit in San Francisco and the southern part of the state with other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spitzer and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Donald Spitzer and son, Gregory, spent the weekend in St. Louis, Okla., visiting relatives and fishing at Lake Texhoma.

Weekend guests in the J. B. Thomas home were his father, Fred Thomas, and his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Thomas and children, Darlene and Richard, all from Ft. Worth.

John R. Harris, who recently had major surgery at the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock, is now convalescing at home and is doing very well.

Mrs. R. A. Body from Grady, N. M., visited Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Engram. Sunday guests in the Engram home were her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray McCauley from Kress.

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Watkins and family were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Carpenter and son, Donnie; Jolene Donaldson; and Hugh Espanosa, all from Oklahoma Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Monk and Linda visited Saturday in Plainview and Hale Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Broyles and Eugene visited his mother, Mrs. J. F. Broyles, in Clovis Sunday afternoon. They report his mother is doing just fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe De Ment from Clovis were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Ford and children on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reece Wilterding, Shelley and Steve, from Tullia visited Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Daniels.

Mrs. John White and infant son from Grady, N. M., visited last Friday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Engram. Mrs. White returned home leaving the young man with his grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. White planned to attend the state fair at Albuquerque this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Gustin, Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Jennings and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Page had

as their guests over the weekend, their sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lanis Hughes from Jacksboro. They were accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Amy Page, also from Jacksboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Carpenter were overnight guests last Wednesday at Graham in the home of his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carpenter.

Attend Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jones and children, Bobbie, Johnny and Billy, spent the weekend in Lugart, Okla., visiting and attending a Mayhugh family reunion. Charles Mayhugh and Mrs. Jerry Kirk and children, Carolyn Sue and Jerry Mack, from Muleshoe, also attended the reunion.

Ralph Cox and son, Sammy, spent the weekend in Clayton, N. M., with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Floyd, Mrs. Jeannell Smith and Kaye Anne Smith visited Sunday in Memphis with Mrs. Floyd's mother, Mrs. Martha Hawkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Elgar Raper and family from Maud, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Clark and family from Brownfield spent the weekend here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Tartar and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Hutton and family from Portales were weekend guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Thorn. Saturday evening another daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Norton of Farwell, joined the group for supper.

W.S.C.S. met last Thursday afternoon in the fellowship hall of the Methodist Church with Mrs. Mel Smith bringing the devotional. Mrs. Aaron Mitchell was in charge of the study on "Christ, the Church and Race."

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Brown and son, Jerry Don, from Morton were Sunday guests in the Clyde Monk home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bloomshield and boys, Carl and Johnny, from Clovis, and Mrs. B. E. Johnson and Nancy were weekend guests in the home of their parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Carpenter Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Jennings were in Hereford Sunday, and visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Robinson, and also with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Whitaker.

Vaughans Honored Sunday Night

Sunday evening after church services at the Church of Christ, Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Vaughan were honored with a housewarming party. Group singing and visiting were enjoyed and refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Clark and Janice; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McGehee and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. John McGehee and son; Mr. and Mrs. Neal Bradshaw and boys; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gammon and girls; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mimms and family.

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Mimms and girls; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wilson and family; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Vaughan and boys; Mr. and Mrs. John Bond and boys; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Briggs; Mr. and Mrs. John Gammon, R. A. Hartsell and daughter, Mary; and the honorees.

Jerry Darby from Muleshoe visited Sunday with James Carpenter.

Mrs. Alton Morgan and Sharon from Amberst and Mrs. Glen Vining and Gil from Earth visited Monday in the Paul Templeton home.

Sunday guests in the Alfred Steinbock home were her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moss, from Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ivy were called to San Angelo on Tuesday morning after receiving word of the death of Mrs. Ivy's sister.

Judd Clark Confined To Muleshoe Hospital

Judd Clark was still confined to the hospital in Muleshoe the first of the week for treatment for injuries received in an auto-truck collision last Thursday morning.

Clark's new truck collided with a car driven by Chubby Dent of Earth. The car was demolished. Both men were hospitalized at Muleshoe with bruises and cuts.

In Jennings Home

Saturday evening guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jennings were Mr. and Mrs. Lanis Hughes and Mrs. Amy Page from Jacksboro; Mr. and Mrs. Alton Page, Mr. and Mrs. Rod Gwaltney, Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Jennings and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Nichols and family, all from Muleshoe; and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Page, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Gustin. Home movies of the families and pictures made in Hawaii and Nicaragua were shown.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morman, Dale and Sherry, from Clovis, visited with her brother and

family, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mimms and children, on Saturday. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Mimms and girls, Karen and Elaine.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Phillips and family spent the weekend in Portales with his mother, Mrs. Hazel Phillips. They were met there by a brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Phillips and children from Santa Fe.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Templeton were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Templeton and family of Earth Sunday, and helped Gene celebrate his birthday.

Recent guests in the Bill Lancaster home were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hallery from Hobbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ancel Ashford, Ronald and Linda, were dinner guests in Muleshoe with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Welch, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Austin from Tampa, Fla., visited several days last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Robinson and family.

Mrs. John McGehee and boys, Gerald and Kenneth, visited Sunday in House, N. M., with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wreathel Hendriks.

Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Hardage spent several days last week in Waco.

HAS SURGERY

Dorwin Hartsell, two-year-old son of the James Hartsells of Portales, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hartsell of Lazbuddie, is reported to be in fair condition this week after undergoing major surgery at the Clovis hospital on Friday. Family members say they do not know when he will be released.

Crims Attend Family Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Miller of Clinton, Okla., were recent visitors in the John N. Crim home. Mrs. Crim and son, Doyle, accompanied them back to Clinton, and visited last week with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Foster. Mr. Crim met Mrs. Crim and Doyle in Pampa on Saturday and they attended a family reunion in the home of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Peck.

Two of Mrs. Crim's sisters, Mrs. Albert Patterson of Antioch, Calif., and Mrs. Lavon Thompson of Pampa, came home with the Crims for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Purdy, Ken and Kim, from Littlefield were Sunday guests in the David Johnson home. In the afternoon the group visited with Mr. and Mrs. David Setliff and boys at Friona.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lancaster visited Sunday afternoon in Olton with her sisters and families, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gray.

Pete Mimms and Clay were overnight guests with relatives

in Ralls last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. John McGehee and boys visited in Lubbock with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. McGehee, Saturday.

Attend Meeting

Ladies from Lazbuddie attending the Tierra Blanca annual WMU meet in Dimmitt last Thursday were Mesdames Claude Heath, Bill Curry, Wesley Barnes, Carrie Withrow, Luther Ham, Raymond Houston and Eugene Redwine. The speaker for the occasion was Mrs. Aaron Hancock who is a missionary to the Indians.

At Ball Game

Attending the Texas Tech and Texas A&M football game in Lubbock Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Dee Chitwood, Pat and Dick; Mr. and Mrs. Dee Brown, Gary Mack and Jim; Mr. and Mrs. Eulan Parham, Terry and Sharon; Mr. and Mrs. Truman Gleason, Jerry, Linda and Bobby; Mr. and Mrs. Don Briggs; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Briggs, and Ronnie Briggs.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay McDonald and daughter Kim spent the weekend in Waco visiting relatives. They were accompanied back to Waco by Mrs. McDonald's grandmother, Mrs. J. O. Webb from Waco, who had been here visiting the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Mimms and girls were Sunday guests at

Sunnyside in the home of his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Blanton. Ronald Blanton, who was an overnight guest Saturday of Kelly Mimms, returned to his home with the Dalton Mimms family.

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Social Events of Interest

Local Women Hear Federation Prexy

Four members of the Farwell Study Club were in Muleshoe on Saturday, September 28, to attend a luncheon honoring Mrs. A. J. House of Yoakum who is president of the Texas Federation of Woman's Clubs. Mrs. House was guest speaker for the occasion which was held at Leigon's dining room, and her topic was on "Federation". Mrs. House explained what federation means and the work that federated women's clubs throughout the world are accomplishing.

The luncheon was sponsored by the Muleshoe Study Club and the Los Planos Study Club of Muleshoe. Other clubs represented at the luncheon included those from Farwell, Bo-

Ice Cream Social Termed Success

The ice cream social and evening of visiting sponsored by the Texico Woman's Club last Saturday night was termed a big success by club members.

Approximately \$132 was taken in at the social which was very well attended, and after expenses, the club netted \$110 which will be used to buy folding chairs for the club building.

Members of the club donated homemade ice cream and cake for the social.

Leroy Faville received the electric percolator which was given away and Janice Adams was recipient of the stuffed toy.

Mrs. Curtis Miller, president of the club, expressed appreciation to the members and others in the community for helping make the evening a success.

Last week the club received \$50 from Carl Penn and this money will also be used to buy folding chairs. Part of the money is a donation to the club and the other was payment for serving a turkey dinner to Penn's employees at the club building.

Club members served the meal for the employee dinner and furnished the food. Mrs. Ola Moore, local restaurant operator, and Mrs. Russell Johnson, club member, baked the turkeys.

A spokesman for the club says that the members will be available to serve other banquets and dinners at the club building, and anyone interested in having a meal served are asked to contact any club member.

Wesley Bible Class Meets Tuesday

Wesley Bible Class of Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church met Tuesday afternoon for the regular monthly meeting in the home of Mrs. W. N. Foster. Mrs. Grace Sanders was co-hostess.

Following the devotional on "Faith", given by Mrs. A. D. Smith, new officers were elected. To serve as president is Mrs. Ruby Dixon; vice-president, Mrs. Roy Thornton; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. E. G. Blair; assistant secretary, Mrs. Jess Newton; teacher, Mrs. W. N. Foster; assistant teacher, Mrs. N. L. Tharp; reporter, Mrs. W. H. Graham Sr.; and flower committee, Mrs. Grace Sanders and Mrs. B. N. Graham.

Refreshments of punch and a sandwich plate were served to the members.

Present for the regular meeting were Mesdames Claude White, E. E. Booth, Willie Lovelace, Jess Newton, Roy Thornton, Albert Thomas, Ralph Humble, J. A. Cox, Lena Yoder, B. N. Graham, A. D. Smith.

Also, Mesdames W. H. Graham Sr., Arthur Milstead, Grace Sanders, G. W. Atchley, E. G. Blair, Ruby Dixon, and Miss Laura Temple.

Mrs. Elmer Teel was the only visitor present.

Committee Report Planned for State ESA Council Meet

In a brief call meeting for members of Theta Rho chapter of ESA, plans were made for ideas to be presented at state council meeting in Los Alamos, the weekend of October 12. Mrs. Joe Helton of the local chapter is state ways and means chairman, and the local group serves as a committee to assist in performing the duties of her office.

Mrs. Helton is making plans to attend the meeting of state council and will be accompanied by other local members, although definite plans had not been made this week.

Next regular meeting of ESA is planned for October 14, in the home of Mrs. Don Williams, president. Delegates will give a report on the above mentioned meeting, and annual October functions, as well as initial plans for Santa Claus' trip to the Twin Cities in December. This project has been sponsored by ESA for the past five years. About 1000 treats were given to area youngsters in 1956, as well as toys for eight children and food baskets to several shut-ins.

Mrs. Wilson Hostess To Sorority Meeting

Mrs. Ruth Wilson was hostess to a meeting of the Tau Phi Lambda sorority at her home on Thursday evening, September 26, for a supper and business session.

Mrs. Wilson's home was decorated throughout with fall flowers. Highlighting the decorations was a centerpiece featuring a cantaloupe in a sunburst design.

Following the supper and social hour, new officers were elected. They include president, Wanda McWilliams; vice-president, Margaret Caulder; secretary, Carol Martin; treasurer, Donna Eck; warden, Phyllis Barnes; historian, Jackie Snyder; advisor, Lena Bell; honorary musician, Ruth Wilson; and honorary members, Mrs. Wilson, Irene Hopper and Ruby Hall.

Other business included planning a trip to Roswell where the new officers will be installed. They also discussed ways of supporting the sorority's candidate for Fall Festival queen. Candidate for this honor is Mrs. Briscoe West.

Wanda McWilliams received the door prize for the evening.

Visit Bartons In Abernathy

Visiting in Abernathy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Barton on Sunday and helping Mrs. Barton to celebrate her birthday were her parents and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Everette Christian, Barbara and Belya, and two other sisters and families. Mr. and Mrs. John McFarland and children and Mr. and Mrs. Durb Kittrell.

The Kittrells were also Saturday night guests in the Barton home. Mrs. Barton is the former Laverna Christian.

Texico Women Attend Clinic

Seven women of the Texico Baptist Church attended a workers clinic at the First Baptist Church in Clovis on Tuesday. The all-day meet was for WMU and auxiliary workers.

Miss Eva Inlow, state WMU worker, gave the group new ideas for the WMU and Auxiliary work of the local churches.

A covered-dish luncheon was served to approximately 50 persons. The Portales Association attended the clinic as visitors.

Members attending from the local church were Mesdames Nora Day, J. O. Ford, S. G. Billington, Bill Boling, Ed Henry, Buddy Pearce, and C. C. Morgan.

Companion Class Meets Tonight

Members of the Companion Sunday School class of the Texico Baptist Church are urged to attend their regular meeting tonight (Thursday) at 8:30. Class officers will be installed and a pink and blue shower will honor Mrs. Ysleta Kittrell.

Mrs. Inez Stone will be the hostess for this social and business meeting.

Son Born To Former Residents

Quintin Craig was the name given to the first born son of Mr. and Mrs. Buster Ham of 109 Highland Drive, Clovis. The little boy weighed six pounds and four ounces. He was born Tuesday, September 2, at Clovis Memorial Hospital.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Ham of Farwell, and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Vandiver of Clovis.

From Ft. Worth

Visiting in the W. J. Matthews home recently were his cousin and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Durham from Ft. Worth. While here they also visited with Rev. and Mrs. Ed Morgan in Amarillo.

Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Klump, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Carlyle from Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Harding and J. T. Harding of Texico.

Class Officers To Be Installed

Rebecca and Gleaner Sunday School classes of Farwell Baptist Church will meet for a joint meeting in the home of Mrs. Johnnie Williams, Monday, October 7, at 8 p. m. Joint installation of the class officers is the main purpose of this meeting.

Installing officer for the program will be Mrs. Jack McManigal. All members are urged to be present.

WMU Has Regular Meeting Monday

WMU of First Baptist Church in Farwell met Monday, September 30, at 9:30 in the church for the regular business and social meeting. Present for the meeting were Mesdames E. J. Keith, Sterlyn Billington, E. G. Williams, Calvin Blain, Elmer Scott, Joe McWilliams, and Jim Terrell.

Plans were made for the

West Camp HD Club Meets

West Camp Home Demonstration Club met September 25, at the home of Mrs. Kathleen Nowell. The opening devotional, "God's Glory Time," was given by the hostess. Members answered roll call with "Improvement on My Problems." Wanda Walker then read the minutes of the last meeting.

Members decided to have their Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Ethel Harding.

Present for the regular meeting were Mesdames Louise Roark, Mae Busbice, Wanda Walker, Etta Welch, Alta Hughes and the hostess. Homemade cookies and grape punch were served.

October 9, is the date of the next meeting of the club. The hostess will be Mrs. Louise Roark. The program will be achievements for the year, including sewing, canning, or freezing foods.

Farwell 4-H Girls Elect Officers

New officers to serve the coming year in the Farwell girls 4-H Club were elected at a meeting of the group on Thursday, September 26.

Officers elected include president, Joan Potts; vice-president, Zell Billingsley; reporter, Ann Barker; council delegate, Bonnie Cochran; and game leader, Sandra Hendrickson.

After a short program and a game session, the group was dismissed.

Attending the meeting were Judy Bates, Marilyn Wallace, Diane Barnes, Sandra Hendrickson, Kay Kube, Bonnie Cochran, Barbara Bieler, Mary Collins, Linda Black, Patsy Herrington, Dorris Donaldson, Glynda Cruse, Pat Landrum, Carolyn Watts, Joan Potts, Jolene Donaldson, Zell Billingsley, Ann Barker, Gloria Hillock and Diann Talet.

Visiting Relatives

Visiting relatives in Farwell and vicinity this week are Mr. and Mrs. Don Summers and family of Beaumont, Calif. Summers is a nephew of Mrs. L. R. Vincent and he and his family have been visiting the Vincents some this week. They are also visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Summers of Clovis, former residents of Farwell.

Visit Monday In Lubbock

Visiting Monday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Reese, was Mrs. C. C. Morgan of Texico. Mrs. Morgan's father, who has been critically ill for some time, is reported to be about the same.

Mrs. Morgan was accompanied to Lubbock by her daughter, Mrs. W. T. Watson of Lariat, and Mrs. Tom Watson of Muleshoe.

Here Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. George Martin and sons, Gary and Van, Mrs. W. W. Martin, and Mrs. Mary Cross, all of Silvertown, were Sunday guests of Miss Billie Heckman. Miss Heckman is formerly of Silvertown.

Mrs. Tipton Returns From Jacksonville

Mrs. Percy Tipton returned home Thursday, September 26, from Jacksonville, Tex., where she attended the funeral of a brother-in-law.

Accompanying Mrs. Tipton to the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Brown and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Wallace, all of Clovis.

Before returning home the group visited with Mrs. Tipton's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Wallace and daughter, and other relatives.

College Students Home for Weekend

Several young people from Texico-Farwell who are away from home attending college were home this weekend visiting with their parents and friends.

Among those visiting here were Elton and Manuel Kesner, sons of the Shirley Kesners; Jeanette Hughes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Hughes; Jerry Henson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Henson; and Jerry Poteet, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Poteet.

Others home were Jerry Utsman, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Utsman; Jerry Venable, son of the V. C. Venables; Don Pool, son of the Lenton Pools; Gerald Hardage, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hardage;

Also, Larry Cooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Cooper; Duane White, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam White; Donnie Carpenter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Carpenter; and Jo Magness, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Magness.

Bridal Shower Honors Mrs. Watts

An afternoon bridal shower held in the Fellowship Hall of the Lazbuddie Methodist Church on Wednesday, September 25, honored Mrs. Billy Watts, nee Mina Margaret Jennings, formerly of Lazbuddie, now of Farwell.

Hostesses for the courtesy were Mesdames Frank Hinkson, Virgil Teague, Deboe Carpenter, Artie Beavers, Alfred Steinbock, David White, C. D. Gustin and Walter Steinbock, all of Lazbuddie; Mrs. Glenn Dunn and Mrs. Herman White of Muleshoe; and Mrs. B. Whitt and Mrs. Douglas Bales, both of Route 5, Muleshoe.

Decorations throughout the hall consisted of fall floral arrangements and the lace covered serving tables featured the honoree's chosen colors.

The refreshment table was centered with a miniature white church decorated with blue ribbons and tiny blue flowers. Standing outside the door of the church, which was lighted from inside, was a miniature bride and groom figurine.

Other table arrangements included the crystal punch service and white napkins embossed with silver wedding bells. Fruit punch, nuts and white cake squares, hand decorated with "Mina" were served to the guests.

Attending were the honoree; her mother, Mrs. Finis Jennings; the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. A. T. Watts of Farwell; and Mrs. Al E. Jennings, Linda and Johnny; Mrs. Mitz Walling of Farwell;

Also, Mesdames John L. Seaton, Leland Gustin, Mel Smith, J. B. Jennings, Joe Briggs, John Gammon, J. G. Ward, Don McDonald and Donnie, H. L. Ivy, C. C. Graef, Bill Jennings, O. M. Jennings, Owen Broyles, Quinn Weaver, Jimmy D. Black and son, John Agee, Ted Treider and son, Mrs. Donald Runyon of Amarillo, Mrs. Rufus Gilbreath of Muleshoe, and Misses Nealy Steinbock, Pat McLeod, and Carolyn Hinkson.

Among those unable to attend but sending gifts were Mesdames Laura Treider, Kenneth Precure, E. T. Ford, V. H. Bewley;

Also, Mesdames H. A. Douglas Jr., Homer Waldrop, Woodie Lambert, Travis Reed, Raleigh Mason, Babe Barbour, Ed Myers, O. N. Jennings, J. A. Nickels, Ernest Brock, Fred Gallman and Truman Lindsey and Mr. Albert Carroll, all of Muleshoe;

And, Mesdames Charles Lewis of Dallas; Loren Howard of Odessa; John Hughes of Lubbock; Paul Pittman of El Paso; Ronnie Smith of Earth; Gordon Duncan, Kenneth Seales of Fort Worth, R. L. Bledsoe of Baileyboro;

Also, Mesdames H. W. Carpen-

Midway HD Club Elects New Officers

Midway Home Demonstration Club met September 17 for its regular meeting with Mrs. Dorothy Harlan. Members present answered roll call with a "Fair Experience." President, Elzada Gulley, was in charge of the business which consisted mainly of electing officers. Those elected were Grace Young, president; Dorothy Harlan, vice-president; Dorothy Brown, council delegate; and Louella White, secretary-treasurer.

The mirrors for the Lazbuddie School have been purchased and the club plans one more project before the year is over.

A demonstration on fruits for breakfast was given by Eileen Chitwood.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Elzada Gulley, Dorothy Mason, Dorothy Brown, Grace Young, Irene Watkins, Eileen Chitwood, Louella White, Viola Edwards and Billie Ruth Downing, by the hostess, Dorothy Harlan.

On September 24 the home of Mrs. Elzada Gulley was the scene of a workday for the club. Members present were Mrs. Dorothy Brown, Mrs. Irene Watkins, and the hostess, Mrs. Gulley. They worked on ceramic painting.

Wednesday Coffee In Murray Home

A coffee at the home of Mrs. Jeanie Murray on Wednesday morning of this week honored members of the Esther Sunday School class who are to be promoted to another class, the Gleaners. Other class members were hostesses with Mrs. Murray for the coffee.

Honored guests present were Mesdames Mary Jean Patrick, Margaret Landrum, Doris Johnson, Viola Rundell, Edith Blair, and Mable Martin. Other honored members, who were unable to be present, were Mesdames Frances Sprows, Gladys Hromas, Gertrude Potts, Wanda Walker, Ollie Peoples and Ben Bates.

Others present were Mesdames Beulah McWilliams, Evelyn Curtis, Juanita Battenfield, Billie Blain, Pauline McDonald, Georgia Lee Rundell, Billie Kittrell and the hostess.

Refreshments of tiny biscuits, jelly, coffee and tea were served from a table decorated with white and red which are the class colors.

Mrs. Curtis gave a farewell reading and the guests spent the morning visiting.

Son Born To Clarence Kubes

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kube became parents of a son born Tuesday, October 1, in the Clovis Memorial Hospital. The little boy was named Weldon Henry and weighed seven pounds and eight ounces.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kube, and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Snellgrove.

4-H Club Girls Meet Thursday

Fifth and sixth grade girls at Farwell School organized a 4-H Club for their group at a meeting at the school on Thursday, September 26.

Officers elected for the coming year are president, Sylvia Smith; vice-president, Vicki Jones; secretary-treasurer, Mikala Austin; council delegate, Sherri Austin; reporter, Phyllis Christian; and recreational leader, Jane Hubbell.

The demonstration for the meeting was on how to clean and arrange dresser drawers. The meeting was adjourned after the group played games.

Are Parents Of Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Smith are the proud parents of a daughter born Monday, September 23, in Friona hospital. The Smiths are former residents of the Farwell area but now make their home in Friona.

The little girl was named Cynthia Lynn and weighed seven pounds and six ounces.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Odom Smith, and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Griffin of Texico.

Here Wednesday

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Whitley of Amarillo were here Wednesday night to visit their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Helton and Hal Ed. The occasion was to observe the wedding anniversaries of both couples.

Returns Home

James Embry returned to his home in Mt. Pleasant, Tex., on Wednesday of this week after visiting here since Sunday with his sister and family, Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Keith and sons.

Visit Spurlins

Visiting during the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Spurlin were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spurlin of Alamogordo, N. M., and their daughter-in-law and baby, Mrs. Sonny Spurlin and Kathy, also of Alamogordo.

Visits Parents

Mrs. Doyle Kilgo and sons, Riley D. and Clyde L., visited Sunday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Riley Boss. The Kilgos had made their home in Amarillo for the past few weeks, but this week returned to Albuquerque to live. They lived in Albuquerque prior to moving to Amarillo.

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Ernest Lokey Jr. of New Orleans
are the parents of their second
child, another son, who was
born Wednesday afternoon at
4:30. He had not been named
at the time of this report.
Maternal grandparents are
Mr. and Mrs. H. Y. Overstreet
and paternal grandparents are
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lokey Sr.
Mrs. Anne Overstreet is ma-
ternal great-grandmother.
Joyce Routon is receiving
medical treatment in the Clovis
Memorial Hospital. Miss Routon
was taken to the hospital Tues-
day and is expected to return to
her home sometime this week.
Miss Dorothy Woods visited
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D.
Woods, during the weekend.

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By AVIS CARPENTER

Mrs. Hardage Will Head HD Club Here

Mrs. Windbourn Hardage was elected president to lead the Oklahoma Lane Home Demonstration Club during the coming club year. Mrs. Hardage was named to this position at a meeting of the club on Thursday, September 26, which was held in the home of Mrs. Neal Bradshaw. Other officers elected to serve with Mrs. Hardage include vice-president, Mrs. Vernon Symcox; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Neal Bradshaw; council delegate, Mrs. W. T. Magness; and parliamentarian, Mrs. Gilbert Kaltwasser. After the election of new officers, Mrs. John Range presented a demonstration on "Fruits for Breakfast." Present for the meeting were Mesdames Edd Hardage, Windbourn Hardage, Clarence Johnson, Walter Kaltwasser, Gilbert Kaltwasser, Alvin Krieger, John Range, Vernon Symcox, W. M. Turner, Jean Travis, Bill Dolar and one guest, Mrs. Legg. Mrs. Clarence Johnson will be hostess for the next meeting on Thursday, October 10.

Farmerettes Meet With Mrs. Garner

Farmerettes Club met Tuesday, September 24, in the home of Mrs. Delbert Garner. Roll call was answered with each member telling of her husband's worst fault and why she wants him to correct it. After the business meeting, the members did hand sewing for the hostess. Mrs. Garner served refreshments of pound cake, strawberries, whipped cream and coffee to Mesdames Ponce Billingsley, Jimmy McGuire, Lawrence Cooper, Leon Grissom, Wendol Christian, James Roach, Donald Watkins and Donald Christian. Next meeting of the Farmerettes will be with Mrs. Leon Grissom on Tuesday, October 29.

In Nelson Home

Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Nelson were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hukill and Carol, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Adams of Bovina, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Willis and family of Hereford, and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Morgan and family of Dimmitt.

Are Sunday Guests In Gerles Home

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Carpenter attended church services Sunday morning in Clovis with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Norton, and later visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gerles. Others present for dinner in the Gerles home were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Norton of Aztec, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Derrell Norton and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Norton, Wilma Norton and Charles Wade Norton.

Carpenters Visit In New Mexico

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Carpenter spent Tuesday night of last week in Raton, N. M., with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Williams and son. The Williamses are former teachers in the Oklahoma Lane School and were teachers of Mrs. Carpenter. The Carpenters visited Wednesday and Thursday in Taos, N. M., with Rev. and Mrs. Mike Naranjo and family.

BACK TO SCHOOL

Claudia O'Hair, who received a broken leg in a motor scooter accident on Sunday, September 22, was able to return to school the latter part of last week. Claudia is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred O'Hair.

Guest Speakers

Rev. Joe Naller, member of the T.A.N.E. was guest speaker at the Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church on Sunday morning of the past week. Filling the pulpit in the evening was Cecil Osborne of Friona. Rev. Looney was unable to speak at either service because of illness.

METHODIST CHURCH NEWS

J. R. Wood, Pastor
Rev. Basil Hairgraver from the Baptist Seminary at Dallas spoke Sunday morning at the church. A study was conducted at the evening services as Rev. and Mrs. Wood were called to Lubbock because of the illness of their daughter. The pastor reports that Sunday, October 6, will be church school promotion and rally day. A goal of 150 has been set for the church school attendance and all members are urged to be present to help reach this goal.

Mrs. Douglas Hosts Knick-Knack Club

The home of Mrs. George Douglas was the scene of the Knick-Knack Club meeting on Thursday, September 19. Members spent the afternoon making a quilt for Boys Ranch. Mrs. Douglas served sandwiches, ice box pie and iced tea to Mesdames Lora Brown, Dee Brown, L. D. Rundell, Bernard Nelson and Jason, Tom Lindop and R. E. Blankenship, Ruth Ann and Lynn. Next meeting of the Knick-Knack Club will be with Mrs. Tom Lindop on Thursday, October 17.

INJURES EAR

Dexter Garner, two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Garner, received a severe cut on his ear Saturday when he fell while attempting to climb on a trailer loaded with lumber. As he fell, he pulled a piece of

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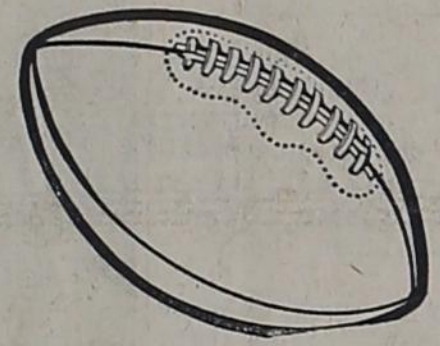
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lumber down on top of him. Twenty stitches were required to close the wound on his ear.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Blankenship and family visited Sunday with relatives in Wilson and on Monday they attended the fair in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Lance visited Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Erick Johnson of Littlefield visited Sunday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Garner.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendol Christian visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Benny Darnell in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Billingsley, Mr. and Mrs. Condy Jones and Mrs. Robert Rundell visited last week in Dierks, Ark., with Rev. and Mrs. Garland Billingsley. On their return home, the group visited in Woods County with relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk of Harrell visited last week in the home of Mrs. Alice Snodgrass and Mr. and Mrs. George Douglas. Kirk is a brother of Mrs. Snodgrass.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Rea and daughters were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Blankenship.

Variety Club Meets With Mrs. Berry
Oklahoma Lane Variety Club met Tuesday, October 1, in the home of Mrs. Scottie Berry in Bovina. Members spent the afternoon sewing and doing work for the hostess. Mrs. Berry served a sandwich plate, cookies and punch to Mesdames L. M. Grissom, J. R. Caldwell, C. C. Christian, E. W. McGuire, and J. I. Gober, members, and two visitors, Mrs. John West and Miss Lola Jean Grissom. The next meeting will be the first Tuesday in November in the home of Mrs. L. M. Grissom in Bovina.

Adult Training Union Enjoys Social
Members of the Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church adult training union class enjoyed an ice cream social in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Nelson, Tuesday, October 1.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Watkins, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pruitt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Garner, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hukill and Carol; also, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Verner, Mrs. Lora Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Carpenter, and Rev. Wiley from Forrest, N. M. Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter led the group in games throughout the evening.

Lazbuddie—
(Continued from Page 3)

Local People Attend Fair In Lubbock
Quite a number from this community attended the fair and "Holiday on Ice Show" at Lubbock this past week. Among those attending were Mrs. O. D. Spitzer and daughters, Darla and Denise; Mrs. John Gammon and Marianna; Mrs. Joe Briggs; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith and Kay Anne; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kimbrough; also, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Brown and boys, Gary Mack and Jim; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Young and boys, Cooper and Steve; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mason and Derrel; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Seaton, Charlotte, Jimmy Dale, Theresa and Ricky; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hardage; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mason and girls, Brenda and Jan; Mrs. Dick Scott and Ronald; Robert White, Glendale King, and Johnnie Ivy.

Joe Paul and daughters, Grace and Greta, visited relatives and friends in Roswell over the weekend. Another daughter, Mrs. D. Z. Bradbury, returned home with them for a visit. Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Busby and daughter, Sharon, from Chickasha, Okla., spent the weekend in the home of their cousin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Merriott. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stafford from Amarillo spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Scott and family. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Scott have as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Clark from Des Moines, Iowa. Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Scott are cousins. This week the Scotts and Clarks are sight-seeing at points of interest here in Texas. Citizens originally meant one vested with the freedom and privileges of the city.

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BY MRS. BUCK TAYLOR

BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Sunday school attendance on September 29 was 65 and 45 were present for training union. New officers and teachers for the training union departments were elected.

Saturday night, October 5, is the date for the regular cottage prayer meeting. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Richards will be hosts for the meeting.

Members of the adult training union class are planning a social at the church tomorrow (Friday) night and all members of the church are invited. Ice cream and cake are to be served, and those who have freezers are asked to make ice cream and others are asked to bring cakes.

We are sorry to lose Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Stegall and family from this community. They are moving to Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. John Spearman

were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Wilson.

Veda Wilson Has Project at Fair

Veda Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Wilson, and member of the Pleasant Hill 4-H Club, has been honored by having her club projects sent to the New Mexico state fair at Albuquerque to represent Curry County in the judging of Home Living I projects.

In the recent county fair, Veda baked the first place winning oatmeal cookies, won second prize with a towel she had made and placed third on an apron.

Alan Hale visited Sunday afternoon with Monty and Gary Singletery.

In Servatius Home

Visiting in the Robert Servatius home the past week were his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Servatius of Lewiston, Idaho. The two families attended the fair in Lubbock last week and also visited Mr. and Mrs. Claud Thomas there. Mrs. Thomas is a sister of the Servatius brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Dane was a Clovis visitor Monday.

Mrs. Mason Neely and granddaughter, Judy Donahey, attended the fair in Albuquerque and visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Donahey there.

Visiting in the Mason Neely home Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. George Martin and sons, Mrs. Mary Cross and Mrs. W. W. Martin, all of Silverton; Billie Heckman of Farwell; and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Horn, Moss and Thelma, from Las Vegas.

Among those attending the circus in Clovis Monday were Mrs. Alvis Clark, Bettie and Geniece, and Janet Sharp.

Alvis Clark and Edwin Fahsholtz attended a recent meeting in Texico to organize a "42" league for the coming year. Fahsholtz and Clark were named captain and co-captain of the local club.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Servatius of Fritch visited last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Servatius and family.

Visiting the past week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Armstrong were his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Armstrong of Vernon.

Mrs. Dorothy Pierce left Wednesday for San Diego, Calif., where she will visit her brother, Donald Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Dane and family were Lubbock visitors on Saturday. They visited his brother and also attended the fair.

Karen Osborne of Friona, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Taylor, visited part of last week in the Taylor home while her mother, Mrs. Cecil Osborne, recuperated from injuries received in a fall. Mrs. Osborne is reported to be doing fine at the present time.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby from Clovis were Saturday night supper guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong.

Rev. Charles Jones, Lynell, Vickie and Mike, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Richards and family.

Mrs. Janie Anderson of Anton returned to her home Saturday after visiting the past two weeks with her daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Servatius and family.

Lela May Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brown, missed some school last week while she was ill with tonsillitis. She is back in school this week.

Mrs. Effie Griffin returned to her home in Bovina last week after visiting the past three weeks in the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Dane.

Visiting Sunday with Bettie and Geniece Clark were Lela May and Lois Brown.

Mrs. Lorado Servatius attended the homecoming activities at Spade Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Sharp visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Redwine and daughter Vickie are spending the week in Muleshoe while Redwine helps his brother with harvesting.

Saturday night supper guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Clark were Mrs. Dewey Pierce and children.

Wayne Fahsholtz is on the sick list this week.

Several families from this community were in Texico on Wednesday night of last week to see the Billy Graham film shown at the Texico Baptist Church.

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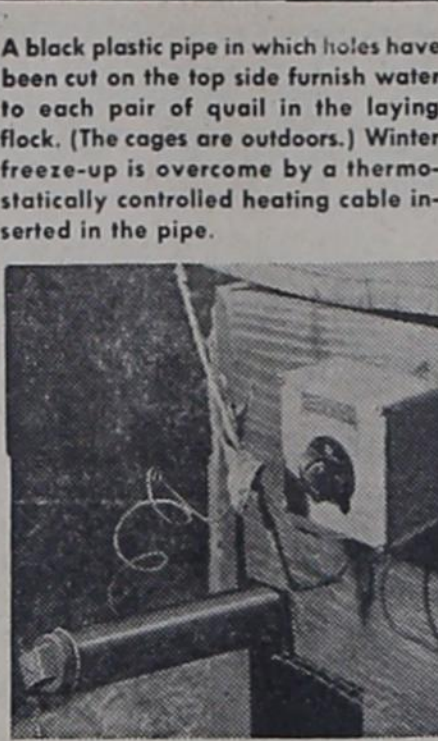
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Heat lamps mother the little birds for the first two weeks with less than a 1% death loss. Then they are moved into wire floored brooding cages, and heat lamps are used to ward off the night chill.

Their brood stock consists of 300 pair of Bobwhites plus 20 pair of Japanese or Coturnix quail. They are housed in long cages with partitions



A black plastic pipe in which holes have been cut on the top side furnish water to each pair of quail in the laying flock. (The cages are outdoors.) Winter freeze-up is overcome by a thermostatically controlled heating cable inserted in the pipe.



A bird under a heat lamp has about an 80% better chance of growing to maturity than has his wild brother in the brush. These quail are just a little larger than a man's thumb.

DOODY'S EGG

Galveston—Doody, a little black bantam hen, was the talk of the neighborhood when she laid a tiny little heart-shaped egg.

She surprised her owners, Mr. and Mrs. Al Jones and their seven children, and a poultry store owner, who said they never saw or heard of an egg like that.

The only one around who was unimpressed was Doody's red bantam spouse, Elvis, who was merely indifferent.

ONE CASE TRIED

Only one case was tried in county court this week. Leroy Day was charged with aggravated assault on Frankie Lee Simpson and he pleaded guilty to the charge, says Hurschel Harding, county attorney. He was fined \$25 and court costs by Judge A. D. Smith.

NOT MUCH BULL

NOCONA—Somewhere around Ringgold there is a bull wagging nothing behind him. He was one of the losers in a bull-car accident.

Highway Patrol reported Alfred B. Clayton Jr. of Dallas had \$150 damage done to his car in the encounter, but neither he nor the bull suffered bodily damage.

The bull did, however, lose his tail in the mishap. That's very little bull.

ONE FOR THE BOOKS

Baytown—A man in a foul temper was hauled into jail in his "birthday suit." Deputy Sheriff J. C. Bickerstaff said he found the man wandering around without clothes, on Highway 73.

He seemed to be more mad than drunk, Bickerstaff said, but he never could discover the reason for his anger, nor where his clothes were. As a result he was charged with drunkenness and given a cell to hide in.

"It's one for the books," Bickerstaff said, "and it went into mine!"

Name "Dixie" was given to the South, according to popular belief, by Negroes who were fond of a Manhattan slave owner by that name.

ing bowl 1 cup egg whites and ½ tsp. cream of tartar.

Beat until whites form very stiff peaks, do not underbeat. Egg whites are stiff enough when a dry rubber scraper drawn through them leaves a clean path.

Then, pour egg yolk mixture gradually over beaten egg whites—gently folding with a rubber scraper until just blended. Do not stir.

Pour into ungreased tube pan. Bake 55 minutes at 325 then increase to 350 and bake 10 or 15 minutes longer, or until top springs back when lightly touched.

Ice with 7-minute icing and tint pale green.

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Topics around Texico-Farwell this week: Can it really be October already? — This heat is killing me, I've already packed away my summer clothes. — The integration problem in Little Rock — the Asian flu — the busy, busy-ness of everyone.

Don't be startled, but it suddenly occurs to us that it is less than three months until that date—Christmas of 1957. There is always that smart person who shops early, and we never seem to be among them. But we already have our Christmas list made out. We also have several ideas on items to buy for certain people—all we lack is the ready cash.

We've been scanning The Tribune ads for weeks for ideas for gifts to buy and they've been giving us a nice selection.

Our four-year-old sometimes surprises us with his thoughts. We had read this little book to him Tuesday night. It was on the theme of "What Do You Want To Be When You Grow Up?" Many occupations were named with appropriate pictures. The baby liked the idea of a badge and decided that he wanted to be a "Pwesse-man" (policeman).

But Ronny had different ideas. "I want to grow up and work with Daddy," he said. "I don't want to be ANYTHING."

If it's a party cake you want, you might try a chocolate chiffon. It is pretty, and it rose so well in the oven we thought it would surely stick to the top.

Chocolate Chiffon Cake

Mix ¾ cup boiling water and ½ cup cocoa and stir until smooth, then cool.

Then measure and sift together into mixing bowl—

1¼ cups sifted cake flour (spoon lightly into cup, don't pack)

1¼ cups sugar

1 tsp. soda

1 tsp. salt

Make a well and add in order:

½ cup cooking oil

7 unbeaten egg yolk

the cooled cocoa mixture

2 tsp. vanilla

Beat until smooth with spoon or beat with electric mixer on medium speed for one minute. Then, measure into large mix-

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Bureau Convention Monday Night At Hub Community

Parmer County Farm Bureau's ninth annual convention will be at the Hub Community Building Monday night, October 7, Garland "Cotton John" Smith of KGNC-TV, Amarillo, will be guest speaker. The meeting begins at 8.

Resolutions committees met last week to review legislative subjects under consideration on state and national levels that are of importance to the future of agriculture.

Harry Hamilton, chairman of the committee, emphasized that some of the issues are presented for the purpose of gaining information helpful to the formation of resolutions acceptable to the membership. All resolutions are subject to approval or disapproval of the membership, he said.

Subjects of interest on the state legislative level include:

The necessity for eliminating crippling interpretations of the law regarding REA in the state;

Threats to the continuation of the farm-to-market road program in Texas;

Reasons for practical truck load limits;

Continuation of election, or the proposed plan of a governor-appointed committee to select the state agricultural commissioner;

Proposal of a state sales tax with production exemptions to replace present methods of school financing;

Leaving the state school fund intact, as it is;

Defending Texas' "Right to Work Law"; and

Recommendations regarding surface water development program in Texas.

National issues:

Extension of anti-trust laws to include operations of labor unions;

Opposing increase of minimum wage in industry;

Increasing funds and facilities for research to expand markets for agricultural commodities;

Opposing federal aid and control of educational systems;

Farm program about as it is but with compulsory compliance, and suggesting 15% lay-out of all cultivated acreage with minimum of 75% of parity on all commodities, annual rotation of lay-out mandatory.

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Corn Support \$1.09 Bu.

The 1957 corn support price in Parmer County is \$1.09 per bushel. That is substantially below the figure of \$1.32 for last year.

Parmer County is in a "non-commercial" corn producing area, and the price support offered here is a reflection of 75 percent of that given in commercial areas. There are, however, no acreage restrictions here.

County farmers have considerable corn acreage under irrigation this year, and comparatively little has gone for silage. Most is being raised for sale as feed. Estimates place acreage at about 20,000.

The reduction in support price here this year is proportionately the same as in the commercial area.

Although a support program is offered locally, it is doubtful that many farmers will take advantage of it. The price offered for corn here has previously been above the government floor.

However, farmers may do some speculating this year, which the loan enables them to do.

Reports Success With Karmex W

Duane Curtis, farmer living southeast of Farwell, this week reports "a complete kill" of a bindweed plot on his farm, following application of the chemical Karmex W.

Sodium chlorate is the chemical most extensively in use to control bindweed on the Plains, and Curtis' treatment has been watched with interest. He had a Plainview firm apply the soil sterilant to a patch of bindweed 65 feet in diameter.

That was in the early spring of 1956, and last week, Curtis apparently was convinced that the weed was killed out. He

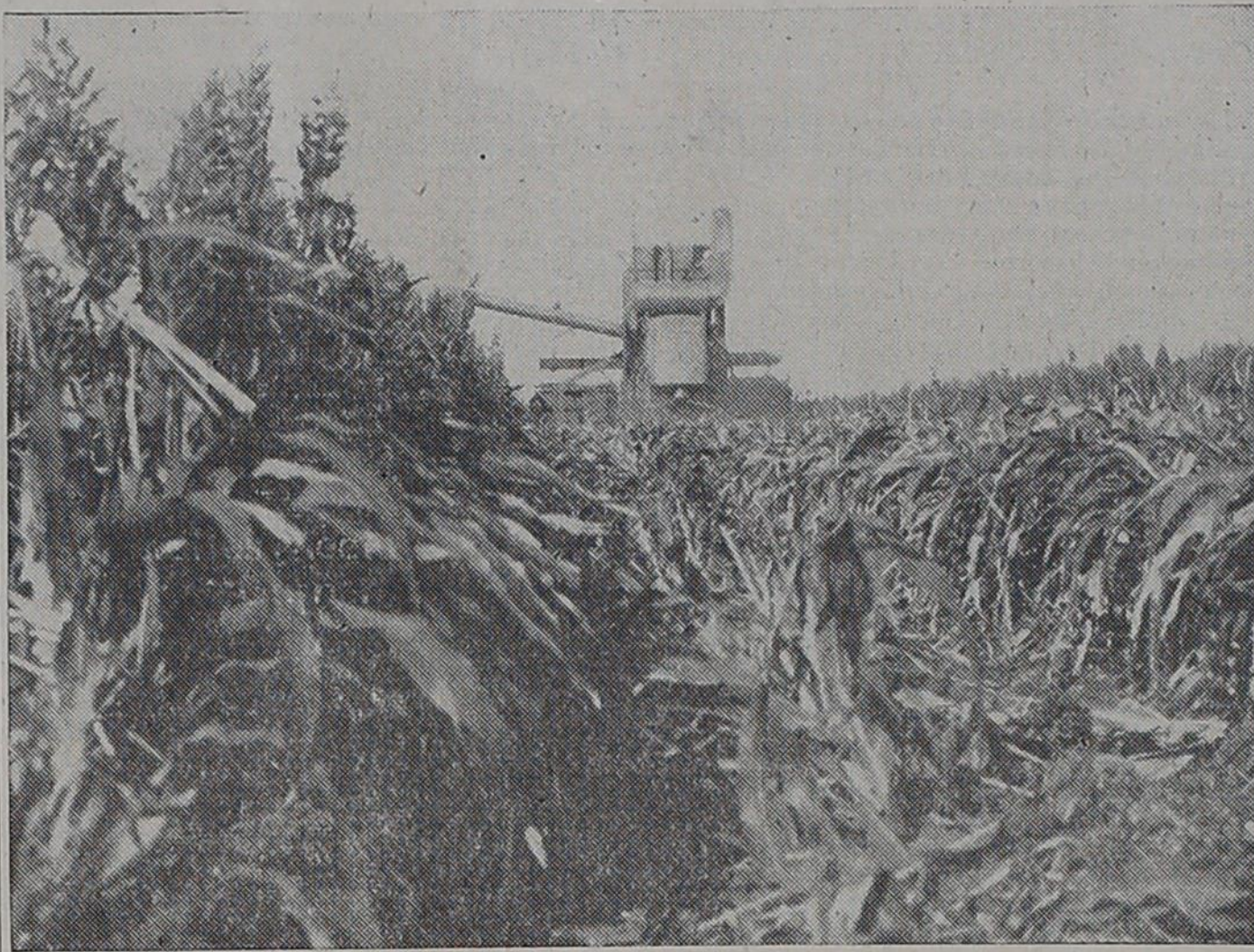
plowed through the area and put the spot back into cultivation.

The firm applying the chemical gave Curtis a two-year guarantee that the bindweed would not return. He is satisfied with the results.

Previous reports on Karmex W had made farmers apprehensive about using the chemical in the middle of irrigated fields. This particular sterilant was feared to "move" with irrigation water and spoil other areas. However, Curtis watered through the patch and reports no ill effects.



Harvest time is here again, and combines are making short work of grain sorghum fields mature and dry enough for cutting. This is the view seen by a combine driver. Driving the combine is J. D. Kirkpatrick, who farms between Bovina and Farwell. He is turning into the field for a swath at the well developed grain.



This is Kirkpatrick's combine as it moves out into the field, slicing off the upraised heads of the grain and leaving a large deposit of stalks and leaves behind. The farmer's first 10 acres averaged 5,380 pounds. Cleanness and evenness of Kirkpatrick's field testify to his ability as a farmer.

PLENTIFUL FOODS LIST FOR OCTOBER REVEALED

The crisp fall evenings are hard to beat so far as the choice of seasons for an outdoor meal is concerned. Outdoor chefs will find one of their favorites, broiling and frying chickens, heading the list of plentiful foods for October.

Girls Eligible For Contest

Contestants for the Friona Maize Days "harvest queen" contest can come from all Parmer County communities. Mrs. Eva Miller, director of the contest announced this week.

Two girls from Farwell, Friona, and Bovina will be permitted to enter, and one girl can come from each rural community, she says. Clubs are required to sponsor the contestants.

Deadline for entries is October 15.

Judging will be Saturday, October 19, to climax the celebration. Girls will be judged on personality, poise, stage presence, and beauty. Mrs. Miller suggests formal or semi-formal cotton dresses. Interested persons may contact her at 3331, Friona.

Largest river basin in the world is that of the Congo River in Africa.

Milo Harvest Gains Speed Over Area

More and more combines lumbered into dusty fields under cloudless fall skies this past week to add to the momentum of the 1957 grain sorghum harvest.

Ideal harvest weather and generally good yields were the bright spots in an otherwise drab milo outlook. Market prices continued their harvest-time decline to levels below price supports, and it appears certain that the bulk of the crop will go into government loan. It also appears doubtful that the crop will come out of the loan.

The reason is that everybody has jumped on the grain sorghum band wagon this year. Milo, traditionally the glamour crop of the irrigated Plains, has turned into the "new" crop on hundreds of thousands of acres laid idle from basic commodities in the Midwest.

Also, for the first time in years, old dryland milo areas are putting forth a good harvest. This, coupled with even more milo than usual on the Plains, adds up to a grain sorghum crop for the nation of an estimated 481 million bushels.

That is two and one-third times as big as last year's crop, and doubles the record crop of 1955.

Hybrids have gone to the front in the Parmer County grain sorghum area in a big way. In just one year, they have pushed older standbys such as Martin's, Caprock, Plainsman, and Redlan aside for the number one role.

Hybrids appear to be paying off this year for farmers, as they turn out yields equalling or beating the heavy "green head" varieties. Also, they are maturing faster and much of the acreage is due to be combined before frost if it is as much as two weeks away.

Not enough acreage has been cut as yet to evaluate the cost to the farmer of serious weed infestation, which is considered the major harvest difficulty this year.

The only other harvest worry is some falling in areas struck late in the season by hard winds and sudden rains.

Connecticut is sometimes called the Land of Steady Habits.

Small grain diseases during the current year have cost Texas producers an estimated \$18,000,000. Harlan Smith, extension plant pathologist, said the loss in bushels of grain was actually only a part of the accumulated losses to farmers. Lodging in combination with diseases greatly increased harvesting costs; test weights were lowered as was germination and most important, grain prices were reduced because of these factors.

Big Name Stars Abound At Fair

"Big name" performers from almost every realm of show business will be on hand at the 1957 State Fair of Texas, in Dallas, October 5-20.

In line with the Fair's policy of bringing the "mostest of the bestest" in entertainment to Texas, headline stars aplenty have been booked, along with some of the top shows in the nation.

Brian Aherne, long a favorite in the movies and on the stage, will be starred with Anne Rogers in "My Fair Lady." And the incomparable "Ice Capades" will present some of the world's most beautiful and talented skating stars.

The Aut Swanson Thrillcade will have circus and variety acts mixed in with the daredevils—America's foremost ragtime pianist, Johnny Maddox, well known to record fans for his hilarious "Crazy Otto Medley," will be featured.

Pat Boone, singing idol of television and the movies, will be starred in his own show for one performance only, Sunday evening, Oct. 13, in the Cotton Bowl, sponsored by Dallas Radio Station KLIF.

Daily free entertainment at the State Fair will be provided by Hank Thompson and his Brazos Valley Boys, one of the top western music aggregations, and by Mark Wilson, the clever magician often seen on television.

And an outstanding singing star of TV, radio, the movies and records—handsome Gordon MacRae—will appear in the big free show in the Cotton Bowl that will salute East Texas on Tuesday, Oct. 15.

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Mrs. Henry White, who has the best luck of anyone we know at rooting a rosebud cutting, says this is a good time of the year to start them. Take a cutting that includes one branch plant in sandy soil in a place where there is plenty of sun, water well, cover with a glass jar until next spring, and if you are as lucky as Mrs. White, you will have a strong rose bush that will bloom exactly like the one from which you took the cutting.

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Mr. and Mrs. Kenyth Cass were very pleasantly surprised Saturday when Kenyth's mother and father and brother from San Diego, Calif., drove up for a few days visit. Other company at the Cass home over the weekend were their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. George Price, from Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. George Faywell, who live near Los Angeles, Calif.

Wheat drills are not only deductible on your income tax, they are a necessity. We have some good used drills and we have some good prices on the world's finest new drills—the International Harvester Wheat Drill.

Our second grader, John Bill, is at the riddle-asking phase, and the other day he asked his younger brother, "David, what kind of an insect is always in a school room?" "Oh, I know that one," said David. "It's a school teacher!" (The answer is a spelling bee.)

Mrs. Tommie Little is a new employee at the Parmer County Implement Company. It will be Mrs. Little's voice you hear when you dial 2091. She will be glad to take your order for parts and we will send them to you on the next mail.

Hope you have noticed: How much better our town looks after a session of street sweeping—that the Parmer County Pump Company is building just west of the Friona Motor Company—the good job the school boys are doing as traffic patrolmen—how many pigeons there are on the roof of the Methodist church—the maple trees turning to gold—the new IH tractor on the lot of the Parmer County Implement Company.

If you plan to kill Johnson grass and bindweed on your farm this year, now is the time. We still have plenty of sodium chlorate—the best weed killer on the market.

Slim walked into the local post office and noticed a new sign on the wall. Letter by letter he made it out: "Man Wanted for Robbery in California." "Gosh, he said, "If that job was only in Texas I'd take it."

Tractors are our business, and we'd enjoy helping you get the most out of yours. If it's parts you need, we've got them. If you're thinking about a new tractor, we can help you there, too. Why not stop in next time you're in town? Let's talk tractors.

Douglas Connelly and Aubrey Rhodes attended a sales meeting for Oldsmobile dealers and salesmen in Amarillo Thursday night. Parmer County Implement Company is the Oldsmobile dealer for this county.

Got any old Popsicle sticks to give away? That's one of the things our boys collect. Others are bugs (any kind), rocks, bird nests, snails, worms, comic books, model cars, grasshoppers, old keys, and dirt.

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Will New Multi-Purpose Wells Pay Their Own Way?

BY W. H. GRAHAM JR.

Farmers, like millions of other Americans, are finding that maintaining decent standards of living between the pincers of high costs and low prices is becoming increasingly difficult with each passing year.

That being true, it is only human nature that farmers concentrate more and more on investments involving their time and money that pay off in farm profits. These profits show up on the family dinner table, in the family garage, and on the family bank account.

Until a modern farmer attains for himself what he regards a satisfactory level of living, and more or less "has things under control," he must necessarily look at the short-term aspect of his business.

While it would be nice, for instance, to have a white picket fence around his farm, and while it pays off "in the long run" to store machinery in a barn or shed, most of these marginal investments are being pushed aside in favor of "What can I do today that will leave money in the bank after this year's harvest?"

There has been a tendency to neglect conservation of water,

HOW MUCH IS IRRIGATION WORTH TO YOUR FARM?

Cost and Returns from Dryland Versus Irrigated Cotton and Sorghum in the Texas High Plains, 1955 price levels

| ITEM | LINT COTTON UNIT | GRAIN SORGHUM |
|------------------------------|------------------|---------------|
| Yield: | | |
| Irrigated | lbs. 600 lbs. | 3400 |
| Dryland | lbs. 140 lbs. | 1000 |
| Price per unit | \$ 32.15 | .015 |
| Gross value: | | |
| Irrigated | \$ 192.90 | 51.00 |
| Dryland | \$ 45.00 | 15.00 |
| Cost of Production: | | |
| Irrigated | \$ 96.00 | 30.00 |
| Dryland | \$ 21.50 | 7.50 |
| Net return: | | |
| Irrigated | \$ 96.90 | 21.00 |
| Dryland | \$ 23.50 | 7.50 |
| Benefit from irrigation | \$ 73.40 | 13.50 |
| Water used | acre-inch 14 | 16 |
| Value per acre-foot of water | \$ 62.88 | 10.13 |

land and other resources because they were long-term items on the farm balance sheet, and the primary concern has been to make money from year to year. This has been unfortunate but true nonetheless.

But, as time moves on and

the years of irrigation and heavy cropping practices accumulate, the grinding away that these elements have on our rich natural resources becomes apparent.

Land watered and farmed heavily for four, six or eight years is showing the strain, and owners are taking corrective steps. One of the biggest long-term practices now is the installing of concrete underground irrigation tile.

Tile has many money-saving benefits, but the most important is conservation of underground water.

Peeping over the horizon is another project sure to have its impact on High Plains irrigation practices. It is the development of successful multi-purpose wells, which do everything that common irrigation wells do today, plus return water to the underground formation. Their use is only beginning, but they show signs of surpassing even concrete tile in importance, for their purpose is not merely to conserve but to actually replenish.

Very little is known about multi-purpose wells by the average irrigation farmer. Not only are there important technical differences between these and ordinary wells, but many farmers busy with the problems of raising crops to meet payments have taken the attitude that they just can't afford to worry about recharge so long as their present supply holds out.

The purpose of this article is to suggest that multi-purpose recharge wells are being improperly classified by many irrigation farmers. They have very distinct immediate benefits, and though not as short-termly profitable as fertilizer, for example, they pay off much faster and much better than is commonly believed.

The table accompanying this article is a graphic illustration of the value of irrigation water to High Plains farming. The figures were supplied by the High Plains Underground Water District, and are conservative. They show that an acre-foot of irrigation water brings to the farmer from \$10 to \$62, depending on the crop grown. Also,

the efficiency of the farmer can cause variation in these figures.

Multi-purpose wells are purposely located near the beds of playa lakes, which abound by the thousands on the High Plains, and of which one or more is located on nearly every farm. These wells are drilled and developed in much the same manner as ordinary irrigation wells, except that they have extra equipment to admit water from the playa lakes whenever rain fills the depressions.

This does not interfere with normal operation of the well, and the water pumped from underground to water crops is merely pushed up to the high point of the farm, or dumped into an already existing underground system to complete the cycle.

Here is a run-down of approximately what it costs to install a multi-purpose well—(extra, that is, over a common irrigation unit):

| | |
|------------------------|--------|
| Steel collar | \$5.00 |
| Gate valve | 75.00 |
| Intake line | 300.00 |
| Cement casing | 100.00 |
| Excavating for line | 450.00 |
| Valve for outer end | 25.00 |
| Casing perforations | 112.50 |
| Additional 75' setting | 922.50 |

That is roughly \$2,000, and to this must be added the cost of line to pipe water from the lake level to the irrigation distribution system.

Returns from the multi-purpose well include, first and most important, adding to the amount of water in storage available for irrigation (acre-foot values vary widely); reducing the lift for the pump, because recharge water is "stacked" under the well, raising the table; making available lakebeds for cultivation.

There are other fringe benefits and there are other fringe costs, too, but these are negligible.

The Water District officials say that water is now being withdrawn from the underground reservoir at a rate many times that of natural recharge. "The amount of water in playa lakes available for recharge, however, amounts to about one-fourth the present pumpage rate and, if recharged, would extend rather heavy pumpage indefinitely.

"For any economic venture

to be feasible, the expected income must equal or exceed all costs. Data show that in general the benefit-cost ratio of artificial recharge of ground water through multi-purpose wells is on the order of 10 to 1." A 10-to-1 return on the investment is worth looking into.

4-H News

FARWELL JR. BOYS 4-H NEWS

Farwell Junior 4-H boys met Thursday, September 26, at school. This was the first meeting of the school year. We elected the following officers at this meeting: Ronny Henson, president; Charles Carthel, vice-president; Leon Lovelace, secretary; Roy Donaldson, reporter; and Alan Busbice, pledge leader. The meeting was then turned over to Joe Jones, county agent. We filled out enrollment cards and discussed different projects we could have. Jones reminded us of the tour of the crops in the contest after school on Thursday.

We closed our club meeting with the 4-H pledge led by Alan Busbice.

FRIONA SR. BOYS 4-H NEWS

Pete Carter, Reporter

Friona Senior 4-H boys met at school on Tuesday, September 24. Officers for the year were elected at this meeting. New officers are Larry Mabry, president; Jim Roy Wells, secretary; Craig Coon, vice-president; Pete Carter, reporter; and Charles Ray, pledge leader. The meeting was then turned over to Joe Jones, county agent. We talked about our projects of feed crops and the tour of these that will be held Saturday morning, October 5. Jones said that Bill Nichols would take slide pictures of every boy's crop and these would be shown at the awards program.

LAZBUDDIE JR. BOYS 4-H NEWS

Rowland Barnes, Reporter

Lazbuddie Junior 4-H boys met Monday, September 23, at school. We elected officers at this meeting. Gary Mac Brown was elected president of the group; Hoppy Jennings, vice-president; D. H. Foster, secretary; Loyd Bradshaw, pledge leader; and Rowland Barnes, reporter. Joe Jones, county agent, showed us how to prepare grain sorghum heads for showing at the school fair. He also reminded us of the tour of 4-H crops to be held Saturday, September 28.

LAZBUDDIE SR. BOYS 4-H NEWS

James Brown, Reporter

Lazbuddie Senior boys met Monday, September 23, for the first meeting of the school year. They elected officers, and they are as follows: president, Richard Chitwood; vice-president,

Dr. B. R. Putman

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Committee Elected For County ASC

The county convention of ASC delegates last week resulted in the election of the following men for 1957:

Roy Euler, chairman; Archie Tarter, vice-chairman; Tom Beauchamp, committee member. Virgil Woodson and Carl Schlenker are alternates.

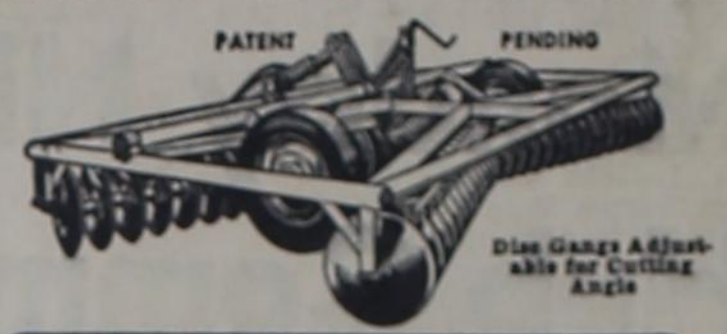
TOUR SUCCESSFUL

About 35 farmers made the tours of county farms sponsored

by the Farmer County Certified Seed Growers Association, last week. County Agent Joe Jones, who accompanied the group, said he felt the tour was successful.

State Chemist J. F. Fudge has reported that total tonnage of fertilizer sold during the spring of 1957 was about 5 percent higher than for the same periods in 1955 and 1956. The tonnage of mixed goods sold was 15,000 tons less than in 1956 but 35,000 more tons of material were sold in 1957.

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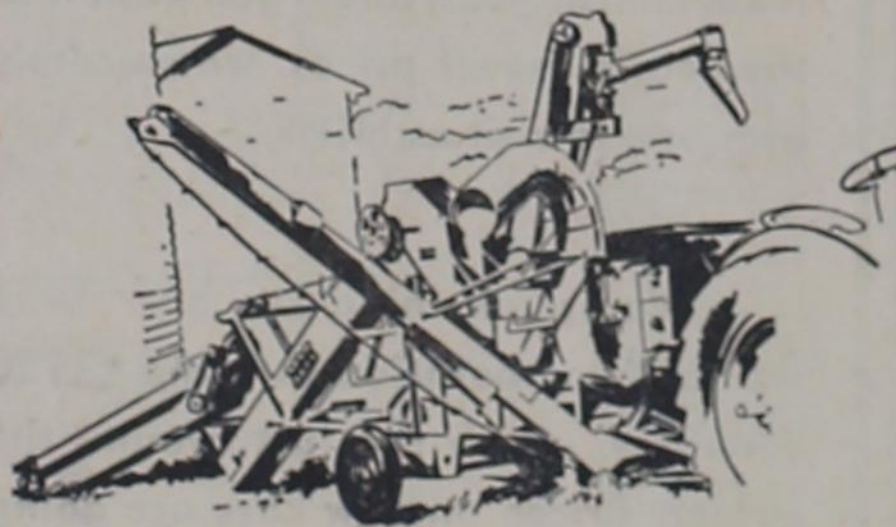


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 O&G L.—J. P. Morrison, H. Y. Overstreet, E. 160 A. of S2 Sur 8, T5S, R4E.
 O&G L.—Bail Hill, H. Y. Overstreet, E2 Sur 9, T5S, R4E.
 W. D.—W. H. Moss et ux, E. H. Meeks, Lots 5, 6, 7 & 8, Blk 28, Farwell.
 O&G L.—B. O. Elder, Atlantic Ref. Co., NE4 Sur 18, T5S, R4E.
 D. T.—Charlie A. Turner, Frank A. Spring, Lots 5 & 6, Blk 66, Friona.
 D. T.—Farwell Clinic, Inc., W. W. Vinyard, See Record.
 O&G L.—Bill and Gerald Jungman, Atlantic Refining Co., E2 Sur 3, T6S, R3E.
 W. D.—George McKinney, Western Warehouse, 46.6 A., Sec. 10, Blk E., Syn.
 D. T.—Charlie A. Turner et ux, Hi-Plains Savings & Loan, Lots 5 & 6, Blk 66, Friona.
 D. T.—John Terry, Hi-Plains Savings & Loan, out of SE4, Sec. 31, T1N, R4E.
 Rent. D.—Sam Aldridge et al, Sunray Mid-Continent Oil Co., E2 Sec. 27, Syn., Blk A.
 W. D.—H. Y. Overstreet, Gene Hardage, Lot 2, Blk 32, Farwell.
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The clock of the English Houses of Parliament at Westminster cost \$110,000.
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Eugene Boggess shows how he successfully beds up twin rows of grain sorghums for extra big yields. This is Texas 660 hybrid. The head development of this crop is not so handsome as some standard varieties, especially those planted at a lower seeding rate, but the number of them is amazing. Boggess hopes to hit 7,000 pounds or better with this milo.

Double Rows Pose Production Rise

A fairly new twist in the hundreds tried by farmers over the Plains to get more from their farm production plant is double-row seeding. Some farmers regard it as a boon; others take a dim view.

One area farmer who has mastered the technique to perfection is Eugene Boggess, who farms southeast of Friona. Double-row planting is old hat to him and he's been doing it for years.

The idea behind planting two rows instead of one on top of the seed bed is elementary enough: get more plants and you get more yield. However, in practice it has its complications.

Boggess, who is a grower of certified seeds, is a careful farmer. One of the best examples of his technique with seed, soil and water is his field of 110 acres of Texas 660 hybrid.

Here, Boggess planted 10 pounds of seed per acre, but reduced the rate to "probably about eight pounds" with the use of rotary hoes necessary to get the crop up.

He planted May 16 following pre-irrigation, and watered the crop four times. Previous to planting, he applied 100 pounds of anhydrous ammonia. That was before he broke the land. This is the land's third year to grain sorghums.

Boggess executed the tricky planting phase with a drill. "Just like wheat except that I closed up two rows in the bottom furrow." The crop was bedded in 40-inch rows.

The Parmer County farmer is meticulous in getting a good stand and a stand free from weeds. To do this, he thinks nothing of planting over two or three times if that is required. He was fortunate this year, however, in getting a virtually weed-free crop with the first planting.

He rotary hoed twice and used an 18-inch sweep once, then came back with the sweeps the second time with a "fender" for opening water furrows. Once this was completed he got out of the crop—and stayed out.

"The secret to controlling weeds is to get the crop up soon enough to shade the ground," he says. That's not too easy with 660, which has less foliage than many varieties, but with

double-row planting, he got the job done.
 Boggess usually lays by his crop five to six weeks after it's planted.

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In 1957 more than 800 Texas communities "did something about it." Two hundred and five of these were enrolled in the Rural Neighborhood Progress contests sponsored by the Agricultural Extension Service and the Farmer Stockman Magazine—Deadline for enrollment in the contest for '58 is December 31.

"Group action and interest achieved amazing results in communities that were on the verge of dying out," says Reagan Brown, extension rural sociologist, who assisted other extension personnel in planning with community leaders—"Individuals have different ideas about what is lacking in a community and what should be done about it. . . They need to pool and discuss ideas with others to agree on what solutions are worthy of effort."

Begin now to do something about your community. . . Talk to friends and neighbors. Discuss it with your county extension agents. There are bulletins available that give suggestions on how to proceed. Ask for a copy of the leaflet, "My Community, How Does It Look?"

A CHECK ON EATING HABITS ADVISED

Poor eating habits can result in many bodily disorders. Nervousness, night blindness, improper growth in children, skin irritations, tooth decay, and loss of weight and energy are just a few symptoms that may result.

Eating habits are something that most people talk about, but few do anything to improve. A leaflet recently released by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, L-352, "Are You A Good Eater," provides a standard by which we may measure our diet and eating habits. It lists the more important elements needed by the body and then gives food sources for each as well as some of the results of a deficiency in these foods.

Also contained in the leaflet as a Texas Food Standard by which a person's diet may be planned to give proper nutrition. This leaflet is available from local county home demonstration agents or from the Agricultural Information Office in College Station.

Current information indicates the 1957 turkey crop will exceed last year's record output. Turkey prices during the first half of 1957 have averaged 15 percent below the same 1956 period while feed prices have increased one percent, says John McHaney, extension economist.

Gins Requested To Withhold 20c For Promotion

Parmer County Cotton Growers Association, the local branch of Plains Cotton Growers Association, is again requesting that area ginners withhold 20 cents from each bale processed at their gin as a contribution to the program of the Plains Cotton Growers.

Another 20 cents for the National Cotton Council is requested for a nationwide program of research and promotion.

Plains Cotton Growers Association works for favorable legislation having to do with cotton grown on the Plains, favorable advertising for cotton as a desirable fabric, and for research in cotton marketing, growing, and spinning.

One of the benefits of the organization which farmers will realize this year, is the operation of the humidifier being installed now at Texas Tech for use in grading and classing cotton, according to Arlin Hartzog, president of the Parmer cotton group.

"This should net the producers of cotton on the Plains thousands of dollars this year, because of the higher grade and class which the humidifier brings out, and there is no difference in the grade here than when the same cotton is tested in more humid climates, where major cotton shipping points are located," Hartzog says.

Also included in the work of Plains Cotton Growers Association is striving to obtain a fair proportion of cotton acres for the West Texas grower.

Plains Cotton Growers Association made substantial contributions in financial support of the lawsuit initiated by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to get additional acres allocated to this area, Hartzog says.

The 20 cents will not be deducted from farmers' cotton if the owner has objections, Hartzog says. But by each cotton producer's contributing the same amount per bale, an equal contribution is made by each farmer, in relation to the amount he produces.

The sum which gins withheld last year upon the producers' permission was 15 cents per

bale. An expanding program, and the potential progress that can be made with additional funds, is the reason for the increase, Hartzog says.

"Farmers can look at the record of Plains Cotton Growers Association and see that the money is going for a good cause—helping the farmer," Hartzog says.

NEWS FROM THE FARM BUREAU

By RAYMOND EULER

Monday night, October 7, at 8 p. m., Parmer County's 9th annual convention will get under way.

Cotton John, familiar publicity benefactor of agricultural people of West Texas, will contribute to the interest of the program by speaking. Everyone is invited and urged to attend, member or not. If you are not a member, we believe you will

want to be one when you see the way farm problems are discussed and finally presented to the larger delegation of Texas Farm Bureau and the National Farm Bureau.

We are sure there are few people who believe there should not be an organized voice for agricultural people. We believe Farm Bureau is the best and most powerful in the world. We base our opinion on the record which we think is conclusive and impressive.

Once again, we would like to urge users of farm fuels to respond to the notices sent from this office regarding the deadline for reclaiming five cents per gallon road tax on such fuels. Also, again we remind these claims for your husband if he is too busy to do it himself. He will likely allow you fifty percent of the refund if you wish.

Remember the convention this Monday night at the Hub Community Building. Renew your acquaintance with Cotton John. Consider this: "The words of a talebearer are as wounds, and they go down into the innermost parts of the belly."

Positive action by families and entire neighborhoods can greatly reduce farm and home accidents. The harvest season is in full-swing, and warns the Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council, that means longer hours for farmers and their families, more highway travel with farm equipment and increased chances for accidents. Be safe by eliminating accident hazards.

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"Indian Summer" Loved By Cotton

"Indian summer" is back in the area this week, and few farmers are complaining, least of all, the cotton growers. With readings in the upper 80's, cotton bolls have been bursting like popcorn, to the delight of their owners.

Hand pulling is finally getting underway over the area, and most growers report harvest about two or three weeks behind normal. Early samples of hand-pulled cotton indicate that quality is high on the first part of the crop. The warm, dry weather will help lint, too.

Delay in harvesting has caused some dislocations of seasonal labor, but now that cotton is beginning to open rapidly, the demand for labor will continue strong so long as fair weather holds, cotton men report.

Farmers trying defoliant as ways of speeding up maturity of the later part of their crop have multiplied several times in numbers compared to previous years. Little use of desiccants is forecast, however.

As the season moved into October, growers began the yearly counting off of days until the first killing frost. Normally, a frost occurs about the second or third week in October. It was normal last year, and early in 1955.

Growers aver that if they are to receive benefit from the heavy loading the crop has done this year, they will of necessity have to have a later-than-normal freeze. Hence the counting off of the days. Cotton men are living on "borrowed time."

"Fair" This Friday

The second annual Lazbuddie "fair" will be Friday at the school. Participating will be boys and girls in 4-H, FFA, and FHA work in the community.

Lazbuddie Vo Ag Teacher Jack Black and County Agent Joe Jones are cooperating to work out details of the show. The show held last year was a big success, and plans are to make it an annual occasion.

On exhibit will be crops, vegetables, pigs, calves, and poultry produced by the boys, and home economics exhibits by the girls.

About 50 boys and girls participated in the show last year.

Range judging is described as a practical method for teaching good range management by Extension Range Specialists A. H. Walker and G. O. Hoffman in a recent publication, B-864, "Do You Know Your Range?" Copies of the bulletin may be obtained from local county agents or from the Agricultural Information Office, College Station, Texas.

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Sorghum is now being cut in Parmer SCD and will continue to increase in the next several weeks. Now is the time to consider what steps should be taken toward using these crop residues for soil improvement.

There are many factors that enter into soil fertility. One of the most important factors is the organic matter content.

The organic matter present in the soil directly affects the water-holding capacity of the soil. The small fragments of organic matter have the ability to hold up to ten times as much water as a soil particle the same size. Therefore any increase in organic matter content will increase the amount of water a soil can store.

This is extremely valuable to the dryland farmer who depends on water stored in the fall and winter to produce the next crop and to the irrigation farmer who pre-irrigates. Crop production depends on the water stored in the soil.

Organic matter increases the water intake rate of the soil. During the process of decomposition of the organic matter, there is given off a glue-like substance. This substance tends to stick the soil particles together in small clumps called aggregates. A soil that is well aggregated will take water more rapidly than will a soil in poor condition. This is especially true in tighter soils.

To increase the permeability of a soil is helpful in this area where many of the rains fall in a short period of time. A well aggregated soil tends to resist both wind and water erosion. This resistance is due to the fact that several of the smaller particles are stuck together creating a larger aggregate which is not easily moved.

Organic matter increases the bacterial activity of the soil. An abundant supply of microscopic bacteria are necessary for plants to be able to use the nitrogen plant foods. The bacteria use decaying organic matter for food to supply the energy

required to change the nitrogen to a form that plants can use.

Bacteria are also helpful in the plants' utilization of phosphates by storing the phosphorus in their bodies to be released all during the growing season. The number of bacteria in the soil is amazing. One gram of soil contains from 100,000 to several billion bacteria. This means that there are approximately 5,000 pounds per acre on dryland and 20,000 pounds or more per acre on irrigated land of these bacteria in our soils.

Without these bacteria working for us, our soils would be infertile. Any way we can increase the food supply of these bacteria will increase our soil fertility.

How can we increase our organic matter? The most economical way to supply this needed organic matter is by the efficient use of our sorghum and wheat residues, and by planting green manure crops. Shred these residues as soon as the sorghum is cut and apply a nitrogen fertilizer to the soil according to a soil analysis. Different soils require different amounts of commercial fertilizers and the soil analysis is the only accurate method to determine how much you should apply.

Ease of tillage is related to the organic matter content of the soil. Soils that are low in organic matter tend to pack and form clay pans and plow pans much more rapidly than soils high in organic matter. A packed soil reduces the infiltration of water and restricts root development of plants.

The addition of organic matter will not solve all of your fertility problems. It is a step in the right direction, however.

THE PARMER FARMER

BY LELAND BOYD

Speculation about the probable price at which milo will be this year puts the figure in the \$1.40 to \$1.45 cwt. range, a discouraging price to producers. With the support price at only \$1.56, neither the loan price nor the market price appears favorable for the continued prosperity of area farmers who depend on this crop as their main source of income.

And grain sorghum is unsurpassed in importance to this area.

In conversation with an elevator owner-manager recently, we were told the following ways in which this low price could be disastrous to farmers.

Besides not making any profit on grain sorghum at this price, expenses of production will not be returned. The farmer's purchasing power will vanish.

But there are still other sour notes," it was pointed out. Bankers and lending agencies will not be able to loan production capital on a crop that is costing more to produce than it is bringing at the market.

When a farmer is in a situation of low support price and market value, it is similar to his being confronted by a hijacker who has a knife and a gun for weapons. What happens is that if the farmer runs, he gets shot, and if he stands still he is knifed.

Reasons for the plight were pointed out in another article, in last week's issue, "Grain

Sorghum Group Offers Betterment Plan to Farmers." The article dealt with a program adopted by the Grain Sorghum Producers Association of Parmer County. Also in that issue was found an advertisement about this program, which we are convinced merits the cooperation of grain sorghum producers.

By cooperating with the program growers will become members of the Parmer County Grain Sorghum Producers Association, which is fighting for better treatment of grain sorghums. Its president, Arlin Hartzog, tells us that a meeting will probably be held in the future, and each producer-member will have the opportunity to express his views through voice and vote.

Expressly, one of the methods the group operates is through lobbying. It is regrettable that steps like this must be taken to obtain recognition to farmers' problems in this area, but no alternative seems to exist.

With the great potential for feeding and clothing the nation that this area has, it does not seem logical that the national farm policy should be disadvantageous to this area. We think it is time for the step-child treatment to stop.

Parmer County Cotton Growers Association has a similar program, one which would deduct 20 cents of each bale of a cooperating producer, for support of this group. On 100 bales—\$20. Through combined efforts, farmers in the area get the job done by telling cotton's story.

We recommend cooperation with both of these programs.

We put a circle on our calendar the other day to keep an accuracy check on Pete Braxton of Black. Braxton predicts that the first 1957 frost is due, and will be here, October 8.

The longest forecast we will give is a one minute period, but just for the sake of argument, we told Braxton the date would be October 11. But agreed that either date would be far too early for the good of all concerned.

We understand that grain sorghum acreage is greater in the corn belt than ever before, which certainly does not contribute anything beneficial to this area, although this area has a decided advantage over the corn belt in producing grain sorghum.

This may sound as though it is based on "It all depends upon whose oxen is gored..." But here is where the USDA policy, already in effect before Benson's era, shows considerable discrepancy. We in West Texas are told that our low acreage history on cotton keeps us from being allocated more acres.

Well, up in the corn belt, grain sorghum is being grown somewhat extensively, and that area doesn't have much grain sorghum history. Let them grow corn, and we Parmer County farmers grow grain sorghum.

Providing the price of grain sorghum is low there—lower than the support price of corn—

we can see no reason for a farmer not putting all his corn in the loan, and feeding the grain sorghum to feeder cattle, since it has about 98 percent feeding value of corn.

Then that will cause an excessive corn surplus, and the price prop will be kicked down a knotch, and grain sorghum is likely to be kicked hardest, if past treatments indicate anything.

THE HAPPY HOMEMAKER

BY JUNE FLOYD

Several truck loads of apples have been seen in our three cities this week. Whether you live in Farwell, Bovina, Friona, or one of the surrounding communities, you have surely had an opportunity to buy a basket or two of apples.

There are so many different ways to use apples that it would be difficult to enumerate them. The tart apples make very good jelly, applesauce can be made from any kind of apples, and then you can bake them, fry them, candy them, or use them in any number of other ways.

One of the simplest desserts we know how to make is Apple Crisp. You simply peel and slice eight apples into a casserole then add 1/2 cup water. Blend together 3/4 cup sugar, 1/2 cup flour, 6 tablespoons butter, and 1 teaspoon cinnamon. Spread this mixture over the apples and bake uncovered in a moderate oven for 30 minutes.

To make the Apple Crisp extra special, serve with vanilla ice cream or whipped cream. It may be served hot or cold without doing injustice to the taste.

Another wonderful recipe that calls for apples is Pecan Applesauce Cake. This cake is delicious if canned applesauce is used, but many people are of the opinion that the flavor is improved by the use of freshly made applesauce.

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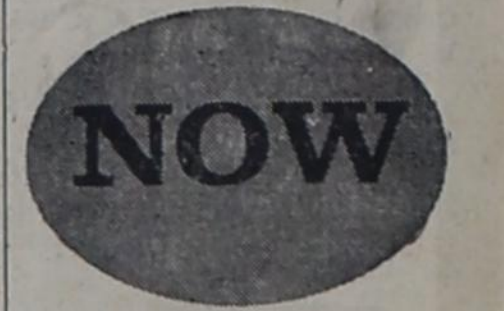
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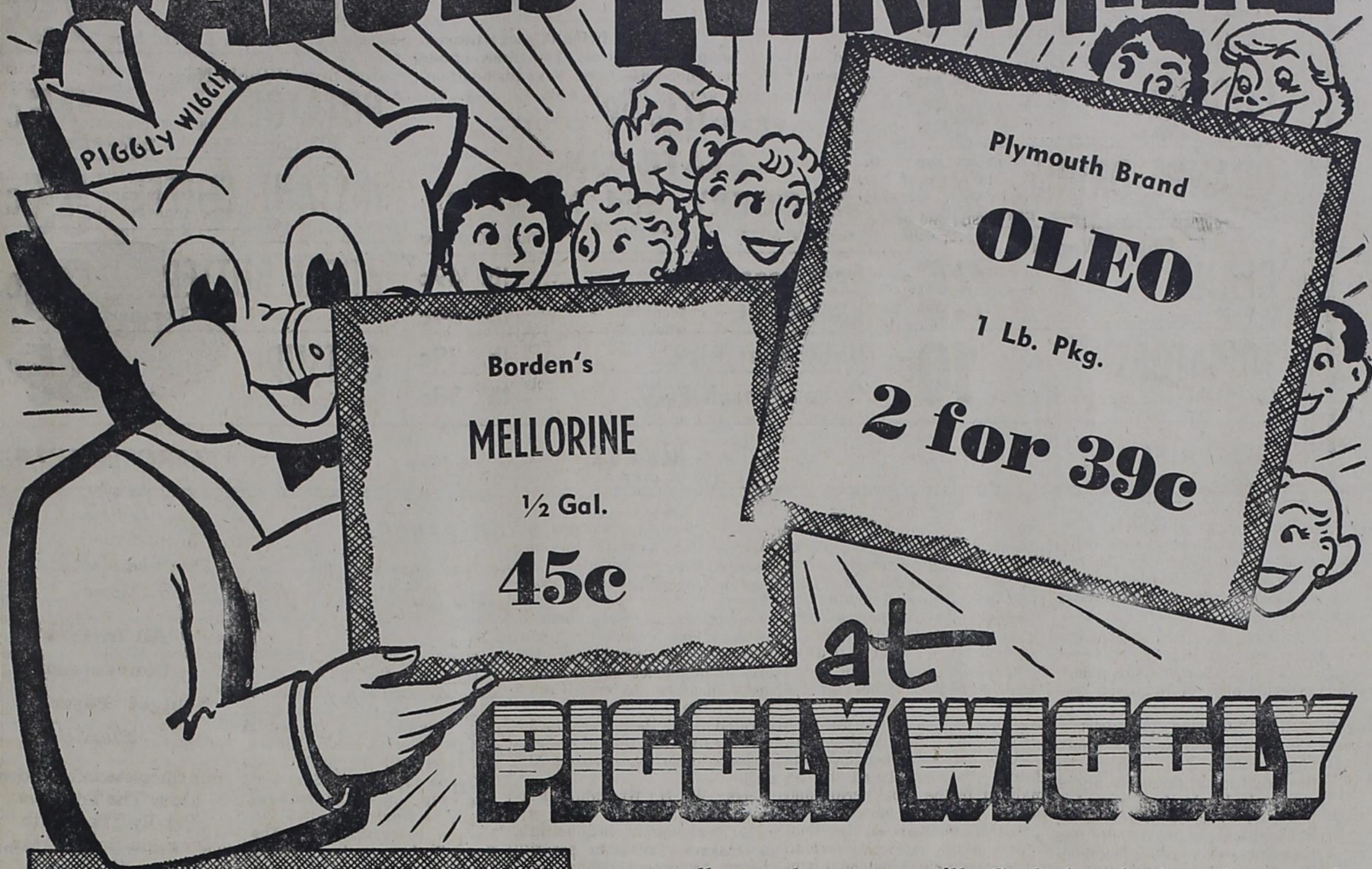
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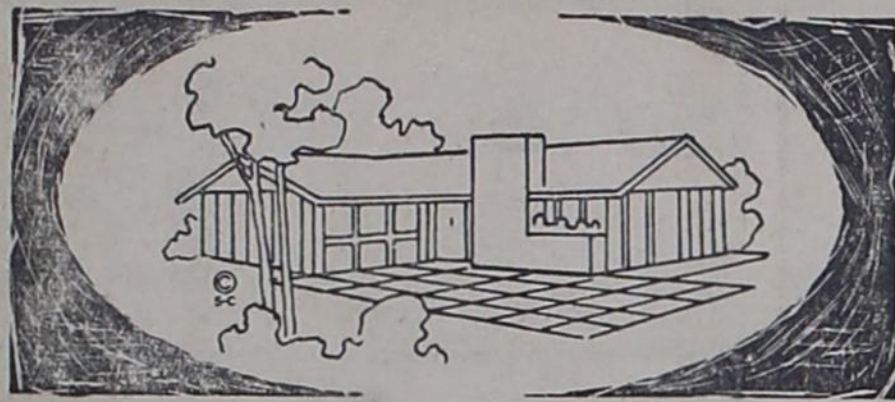
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Swimming Pool Gets Big Boost

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the pool is closed. It is strong enough to hold up four persons.

Also, the Esther Williams pool has many safety features which many others do not have, and it is the only pool carrying the guarantee of Good Housekeeping and the approval of Parents Magazine. The pool carries the seal of both of these magazines because of the safety features, Marot says.

One of the safety features is a one-foot ledge around the deep end which provides footing for youngsters and an easy jump out ledge for adults.

If the pool is undertaken here, all of the equipment, including the forms for the pool, will be shipped and a company engineer will be on hand to supervise the construction. The actual construction work will be done by a local contractor.

The quotation given by the company is for a pool 30'x60'. "While this is not as large a pool as was originally planned, it is believed that it will serve our needs amply," Landrum says.

The pool will be built with eight inches of reinforced concrete, then covered with a fibre-glass substance. The fibre glass is another of the outstanding features, says Marot, largely because it will be much more economical to clean the pool.

While in the army, Marot was manager of several officers' clubs and was in charge of various type pools. He cited a case in Georgia where there were two pools, one with concrete finish and another with fibre glass. Maintenance on the fibre glass pool was almost negligible compared to the one with cement finish.

The maintenance feature is an important aspect of the pool, as it has been believed by many here in the past that this would be too great a charge

for pool receipts to cover, Landrum says. He adds that the above feature is very encouraging.

A survey was taken by the local man during the summer on operational costs of pools around the area.

"The survey showed that most small-town pools were operating at a profit or breaking even, so with the fibre glass making maintenance even a smaller cost, it appears certain that one would do likewise here," Landrum says.

In the survey, replies were received from more than 20 pool managers and following are a few of the answers:

Goldthwaite, population 1,566, "Paid all expenses and shows \$700 profit per year."

Munday, 2,280, "Receipts sufficient to pay all operating costs."

Crosbyton, 1,879, "Receipts have been more than sufficient to take care of pool expenses."

Forsan, 400, "Breaking about even—60 to 70 swimmers daily."

Muenster, 896, "Receipts sufficient to pay pool expenses and nice profit besides."

If the necessary \$15,000 is raised here within the next few months, a pool can be had by next summer. A site will have to be furnished (two have already been offered) and the hole will have to be dug locally. Other than that, the \$15,000 will pay for the complete cost of the pool.

As for the bath house and fence, we are sure that we can build them ourselves, Landrum says.

"We are deeply indebted to Mr. Marot for all the work he has done on the swimming pool project here," Landrum says. "As a result of his efforts we should be able to raise the additional money and have a pool by next summer."

Marot first became interested in the local swimming pool last spring while talking to Bob Anderson about the project. He started to investigate the cost of pool building with various companies, and later became interested in establishing a franchise for this area.

He has not yet received a franchise here, but was approached recently by a representative from International Pools. That is when he received a quotation for the Farwell swimming pool, and says Marot, "I didn't want to take a franchise unless it would be with some company that would provide a swimming pool for Farwell."

Marot says that prior to the offer submitted by International, he was about to give up on getting a pool built here for \$15,000. All prices had previously been more than \$30,000.

Written Opinion Received on Texico City Limit Suit

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that there was fraud on behalf of the city and its officials in not giving the resolution the usual publicity. However, the statute does not make notice a requirement but provides that the statute shall begin to run upon the passage of the resolution. Statutes may provide for annexation without notice . . . Even if notice were required, the ap-

pellant had a duty to keep informed as to what was being done or left undone by the municipality and recorded actions of the city provide constructive notice."

In regard to the charge that the annexation action did not meet the certain conditions, such as contiguity, platting and description, the supreme court issued the following statement:

"The statute further provides that a determination of the existence of these conditions can be had only if an appeal is taken within 30 days. Therefore, although the statute limits the annexing power of a municipality it also limits the right of appellant to challenge the exercise of this power."

In concluding their opinion, members of the court stated, "The resolution was passed on February 6, 1956, and became a matter of public record when filed on February 18, 1956. This action was not filed until May 5, 1956, almost three months after the resolution had been passed and two months after the statutory time for the appeal had elapsed. Appellants are foreclosed from bringing their action. The action was properly dismissed for lack of jurisdiction and the judgment of the lower court should be affirmed."

Steers Run Wild At New Home, 60-0

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To open the third period, the Steers kicked off to New Home and the Leopards rolled up a first down before Berry intercepted a pass and returned it 40 yards for a score. Johnny booted the extra point and the Steers led 40-0.

Minutes later, the Leopards attempted to kick on a fourth down play from the 25. The kick was blocked and Johnny Lovelace, attempting to cover the ball, booted it into the end zone before falling on it for a touchdown. This time Johnny passed to Glyn McDorman for the extra

point. Later in the period the Steers finally ran their first play from the New Home 36. Two pass plays netted Farwell nothing and a 15-yard penalty moved them back to the midfield stripe. On the next play, Tommy Lovelace turned in his longest run of the night, a 50-yard jaunt for his fourth touchdown. Johnny kicked the extra point and the 54-0 lead held until the fourth period.

Following that touchdown, the Steers' reserves played the remainder of the third period and almost all of the fourth. It was midway in the final period when Larry McDorman scored his second touchdown of the night and the final for the Steers. He ran over from the six.

Later in the quarter, the Steers were knocking on the door again. They scored two touchdowns but each was nullified by a clipping penalty. In all, the Farwell team had three touchdowns called back. One was earlier in the game, when a 60-yard march by Tommy Lovelace was called back because of a clipping penalty. In all, the Farwell team was penalized nine times for 95 yards.

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speed. He got out but just barely. The car still squeaks.

Duane Curtis left Tuesday morning for the hills of Montana. He and Sam Justice are going on an elk hunt. Sam spent a number of years in that part of the great North Country, and knows all the back trails.

Duane says that if Sam will just keep him out of the bear traps, he figures the two can have a successful hunt. The Farwell farmer has waited for 26 years to go elk hunting, and needless to say, is quite excited about prospects.

He's also optimistic. They are "travelling light" on the way up, figuring to have their pickup loaded down with elk for the trip back home.

We hope that everything works out and that we get to share in some elk steaks.

It won't be long until time for another ex-student reunion at Farwell school. The planners (consisting mostly of exes' wives) are talking about prospects for some of the old rock 'em, sock 'em football players of long ago taking the field

against this year's edition of the Steers.

That would be a sight to see, all right. Th has-beens spend all their time telling the boys how they would have done it in the good old days, and how football just couldn't be as mean and tough as it used to be.

The boys probably get tired of hearing these Saturday morning quarterbacks and armchair strategists blow off, and would probably welcome a chance to butt heads with them on the gridiron. Both teams would have an "I'll show you" attitude, and the outcome might be perilous for contestants.

Here's hoping for the sake of life and limb that the Steers are still playing football come Thanksgiving.

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Mrs. Kohler, who was driving, slowed down, but the horse hit the car and straddled the hood. The impact drove the horse's head through the windshield.
The horse died, and Kohler's dentures were damaged, but neither he nor his wife was injured.

USEFUL THEFT
Houston—Thieves may find themselves outfitted in what they stole from Mrs. Leone Hurlburt.
Mrs. Hurlburt dumped a package into her car and went off to continue shopping. The package was gone when she returned.
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