

THE TRIBUNE'S EDITORIAL COMMENT

Communism Is Closer Than You Might Suspect

One word in the dictionary has become well-known to Americans, especially in the past few years. The word is symbolic of a twisted theory of government that has spread over more than one-third of the earth. The word: communism.

We High Plains people, who for the most part live either in rural areas or small, incongested cities, hear far more of communism than we see. So, it is only natural that it is sometimes difficult for us to be greatly concerned over some speech we hear on the frightful danger of letting communism creep into our country.

Very, very few of us have ever had a chance to attend a meeting of the communist party (not that we would, anyway); very, very few of us have seen the wrecked lives and nations that communist activity has brought about.

We tend to feel immune from the clash of great ideologies in our world. Therein lies a danger.

Last week we noticed a well-written, half-page story in the County Wide News, Littlefield weekly published by Allen (Pop) Hodges. The story dealt with communism. A 5-column reproduction of a story appearing in a red publication, The People's Daily World (San Francisco), illustrated the story.

Every year the community of Sudan has a huge good-will celebration which they call their Fall Festival. Last year, the idea was to promote international, as well as inter-racial, fellowship.

The theme being on the United Nations, advertisers were asked to draw names of UN member nations from a hat. Whatever country was drawn, the businessman agreed to sponsor that nation in a special edition of The Sudan Beacon, the community newspaper, in the hope of promoting good will.

John R. Tucker, a gasoline wholesaler, drew the U.S.S.R. He went right ahead with a half-page ad, sponsoring Russia. Word of the man's action reached organized communists in California, and prompted a ballooned and tainted story which appeared in the red paper which has already been mentioned. Wendell Addington, who wrote the story, made it appear that it was Tucker's desire to sponsor Russia.

Then he plunged headlong into his story (entitled "Peace Takes over a City," making much of the fact that for the first time Negroes were participants in the parade during the celebration. He also said that enthusiastic response from leaflets circulated by the communists calling for an immediate cease-fire in Korea was had from Sudan citizens during the festival.

In a nutshell, he attempted to turn to occasion into a communist-inspired demonstration.

Of course, Tucker sponsored Russia only because it fell to him to do it. Also, investigation has proven that no leaflets were circulated, as Addington reported. Finally, the writer did not even attend the festival himself, and could not have possibly gotten his impressions first-hand.

Perhaps the time has come for Farmer County and area citizens to be more careful of what is said and done in their community, lest they unwittingly furnish ammunition for the communist's propaganda artillery.

Ever Get the Feeling The World Moves Too Fast?

In spite of the fact that Americans are privileged to have a higher standard of living than any other country in the world, and have more items which are symbols of ease and luxury at their disposal than all the nearly two billion other people on earth, the typical middle-class American citizen is a victim of frustration, hypertension, and nervous fatigue. Ours is the age of the aspirin.

The unlimited opportunities which bless the American scene breed the fiercest kind of competition, which in turn makes for a dog-eat-dog business philosophy in the ever pressing urge to keep up or get ahead of the Joneses.

Not that we would have it any other way, mind you. Examination of the many economic systems of the world will disclose that ours has its faults just as do all the others. There seems to be no perfect formula for a sane and stable economy. Perhaps there never shall be.

But the way of free enterprise and open competition is the way of great peoples. Aggressive and enterprising men and women who unashamedly went out after the dollar bill are what made America great.

The trouble with the capitalist system is not the system, but the people who are a part of it. The will to get ahead, to seek security, must be regulated and tempered by the individual. If not, that individual will be drawn into the whirlpool of throat-cutting business principals where any means are justified by the end.

Take inventory of your own situation. If you're in business for yourself, chances are ten to one you work and worry at least one third more than you should.

Slow up a little. Keep pushing ahead, to be sure, but let the make-a-million-overnight boys burn all the midnight oil. Life is too short.

Television Tough on Teeth

There's a new disease making the rounds of metropolitan areas where television has been available for some time now. The "disease" is really a condition caused by kiddoes laying on the floor on their tummies, and holding their chins in their hands, as they view their favorite western hero head off the desperadoes at the pass.

The disease, which hasn't been named yet, is going to be pretty serious, physicians and dentists agree. Amazing as it may seem, thousands of kids are starting young teeth crooked by the pressure they exert on their jaw and front teeth while laying on the floor. Sounds incredible, but they say it's very true.

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Television around here is like most of the jet airplanes that are flying around today. You hear a hock of a lot more than you see.

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Three successive Presidents occupied the White House within 30 days. They were: Presidents Van Buren, William Henry Harrison, and Tyler.

Eugene Hawkins To Receive Degree

Eugene Hawkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hawkins, Bovina, is a candidate for B. A. degree at Wayland College, May 25.

Commencement exercises will include the baccalaureate sermon, May 24, by Rev. Grady Wilson of the Billy Graham Evangelistic team and the commencement address at 8 p.m., Monday, by the Rev. Cliff Barrows of the Graham team.

Hawkins, a speech major and Bible minor, is a transfer student from West Texas State College, Canyon, and plans to do graduate work at Southwestern Seminary, Fort Worth.

As a ministerial student, he has been pastor at Pleasant Hill Baptist church near Clovis, N. M., since 1951.

TAKES MIDLAND JOB

Miss Wynema Cochran left Saturday for Midland where she is to be employed by El Paso Natural Gas Co. Miss Cochran has been employed by Aldridge and Aldridge for the past few months.

TO BEGIN JUNE 1

Summer recreation program for young people of Texico is slated to get underway June 1, Curtis Miller, director, announces. Further plans on the program will be announced later.

ARRESTED HERE

Harry Breedlove of Hereford was arrested here Tuesday on a charge of drunkenness, Sheriff Chas. Lovelace reports, and was placed in Farmer County jail to await a hearing.

Nevada is the driest and least populated state.

The ideals and aspiration of the Southern Confederacy in the Civil War were referred to as the Lost Cause.

Zachary Taylor, twelfth president of the United States, was a second cousin of the fourth president, James Madison.

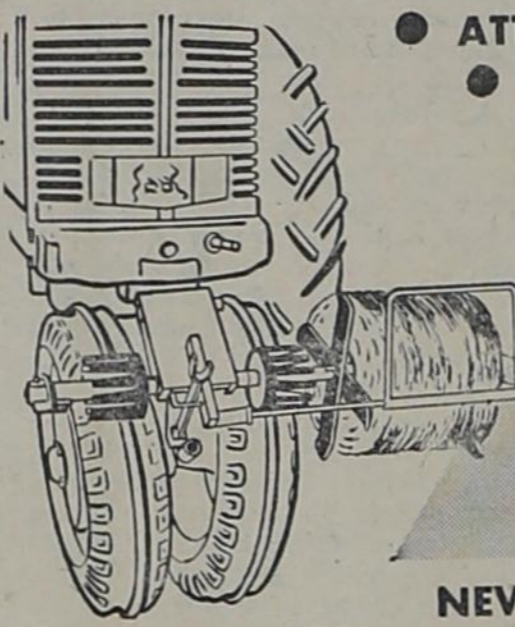
Clara Barton left her job in the patent office to nurse the wounded on the battlefields during the Civil War. She later organized the American Red Cross.

TO RETURN HOME

Mrs. Sam Lewis, who has been in Milling Sanatorium in Glen Rose, Texas, is to return home this weekend her husband reports. He says she is recuperating nicely.

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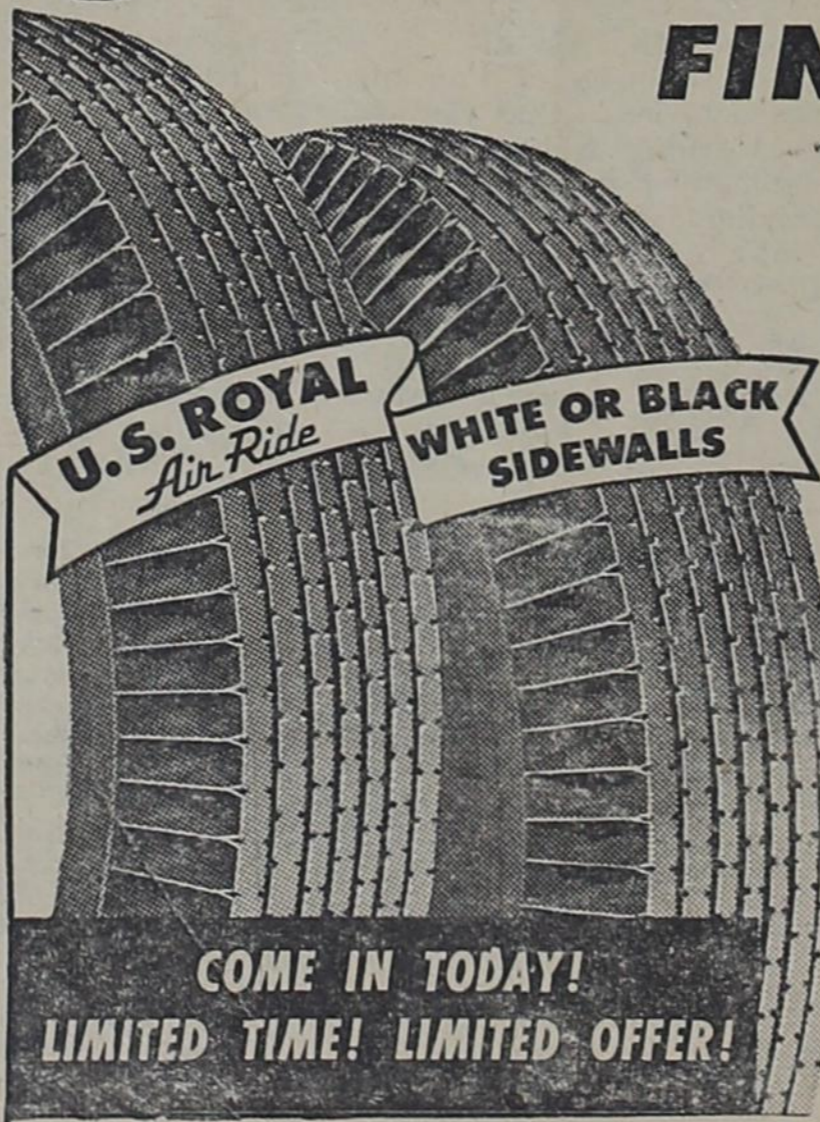
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NEW P-TA LEADERS



Here are the new officers of Bovina P-TA, who paused for this informal portrait last week. They include (left-to-right) Mesdames Aubrey Rhodes, president; A. L. Kerby, reporter; A. D. Cumpton, treasurer; Eddie Redden, historian; Aubra Ellison, secretary; Gene Snodgrass, vice-president; and Hodge Rigdon, parliamentarian.

punch and cookies. Mrs. Huggins presided at the punch bowl.

BACK TO BOVNIA

Mr. and Mrs. Osborn Loflin and their children moved back to Bovina over the weekend. They formerly lived in Bovina, but have been making their home in Springfield, Colo. for some time. Their daughter, Norma, will graduate from the Springfield High School and Mrs. Loflin and the children returned to Springfield to finish the school term.

Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Speegle stopped in Bovina for a short visit Saturday. They were returning from the Southern Baptist Convention at Houston to their home in Boulder, Colorado.

In Combs Home

Mr. and Mrs. Woody Combs, Larry, Tommy and Bobbie, of Denver City, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Guyer, Carol and Sherrie of Lubbock; and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Combs, Gwen, Gail and Hal of Clovis, spent Mother's Day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Combs.

Voice Recital To Be Given Here

Students of the Swisher Studios of Singing will be presented in a Commencement recital Thursday, evening, May 14th, 8:00 p.m. in the First Methodist Church at Bovina. This will be a variety program featuring art song, spirituals, sa- (Continued on next page)

Honor Students Are Named at Bovina

Valedictorian and salutatorian of the Bovina Senior class are Margie Ann Leake and Rex Isham respectively. Margie Ann is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Leake; Rex the son of E.V. Isham. Both have attended the Bovina schools for their entire twelve years.

Margie Ann has been active in all school activities. She was reporter for her freshman class, Student Council representative for the sophomore and junior years and an honorary member this year. She was also secretary-treasurer of the senior class. She has been a member of the F.H.A. club for three years, in the school band for three years, and is also an accomplished pianist and soloist. She has been a popular soloist for school and community affairs for several years, presenting her senior voice and piano recital just recently. She also has a wonderful attendance record not having missed a day for the past five years. Margie plans to attend Nurses training at Memorial Hospital in Lubbock and will attend Texas Tech. Her high school average was 85.4

Rex has also been a popular student. He was secretary of his junior class and was Student Council Representative his senior year. He has lettered two years in football; was co-captain of the football team this year. He was chosen "Senior Favorite" and served as editor of the Yucca, the school paper. He is a member of the F.F.A. club and served as president of that organization this year; and has also been a member of the School Band for the past two years. He plans to attend Texas A.& M. next year.

His average was 81.6. Margie will receive a scholarship from Texas Tech and Rex will receive \$100.00 towards his schooling from the Bovina Wheat Growers Association. They will also receive trophies topped with a graduate figure, from the school.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Truitt and Larry spent the weekend in Claude, visiting with her mother and sister.

C. R. Elliott and Scottie Barry were in Colorado over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore and Don Rountree spent Sunday in Littlefield visiting with the Jess Rountrees.

The fourth, fifth and sixth grades of the Bovina school will present an operetta on Friday night at 8:00 p.m. in the school gym. The name of the operetta is "Sea-son's of Happiness" and everyone is invited to attend.

Baccalaureate Comes At Bovina May 17

Baccalaureate services will be held Sunday, May 17, at 11:00 in the High School Auditorium.

The processional will be by Mrs. Doris Wilson, invocation by Bro. James Wilbanks. The High School Chorus will sing "Onward Christian Soldiers," and the scripture will be read by Bro. Barto Massey. Margie Ann Leake will sing "The Lord is My Shepherd."

"Top Hat Revue" Given Saturday

The dance revue "Top Hat Revue" presented on Saturday night by the dance students of Bonnie Baten was greatly enjoyed by the audience.

Lillie Ellison and Sue Hoffer opened the program with a twirling routine. Also on the program was a military tap by the pre-school with Lynn Looney, Billy Minter and Linda Estes taking part. Sherley Mayhew presented an acrobatic dance. The class of the first grade girls were glow worms and they made very cute glow worms. They were Elaine Fuller, Mary Ann McKinney, Paula Kay Kerby and Ann Lynn Wilson. Irene Drager presented two accordian numbers.

Then came Mammy's little babies who were getting into the shortnin' bread. The little Mammy's babies were really blacked up and you couldn't hardly tell who they were. Underneath were Sherri Lynn Langer, Kay Looney, Celia Berry, and Carol Hammonds.

Little Linda Estes and Mary Ann McKinney brought the house down with their rendition of the hula. They were dressed in a red and green grass skirts and were really cute.

Lillie and Sue came back for another number, this time a tap and twirling routine. Keith Baten played two numbers on the saxophone, with Mrs. Doris Wilson accompanying him at the piano.

The closing number was the Babes of Broadway with Joan Kay Ezell, Shirley Mayhew, Charlotte Hromas and Neta Beth Estes. Verna Marie Estes was pianist for all the tap numbers.

Terri and Greg Williams of Clovis spent the weekend visiting with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Rhinehart. Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams, came after them on Sunday and had dinner with her parents.

RECONSIDERS POSITION

C. T. Ratliff has reconsidered the coaching position at Bovina, from which he had previously resigned. Ratliff had intended to move to Denver, Colorado, but decided to remain in Bovina instead.

He has coached football and boys basketball in the Bovina schools for the past four years.

Caldwell Students Have Piano Recital

Mrs. Margaret Caldwell presented her students in a piano recital Friday at the Methodist church, in Bovina.

After a welcoming song by the class, Garry Morrison, Jackie Turner and Butch Waltman presented an Indian number. Garry played two solo numbers, "Gay Clown" and "My Star Light"; and Jackie teamed up with Don Caldwell for a duet, "Home on the Range." Don rendered three numbers, "Country Gardens," "Dancing Puppets," and "On Skates."

Bill Jay Charles played, "Old McDonald," and Marvalyn Durham rendered "Bird Call of the Wood," and "Squirrels Picnic." Roger Ezell played "Old Folks at Home" and "Marine's Hymn." Neta Beth Estes gave the reading "I Am Music"; and also two piano solos, "Sonatina" and "Melody of Love."

Susie Estes played "Sonatina" and "Wooden Shoe Dance" and a duet with Joy Redden, "Little Fairy Waltz." Joy also had solos, "Sonatina," "Frost Fairies," and Valse Bleue. Joan Kay Ezell played "Southern Sonatina," "Sparkles" and "Little Havana Girl," and a duet, "Skater's Waltz" with Neta Beth. Barbara Taylor was featured in a vocal solo, "Mamma Won't You Buy Me A Baby." Rebecca Foster played "Spinning Song" and "L. Avalanche."

Rebecca and Sondra Rhinehart played a duet, "Little Boy Blue." Sondra's solos were "Polonaise" and "Veil Dance." Joan Kay then had a solo, "Sweet Geneive."

A cantata, "Wakening of Spring" included kindergarten children, Billy Minter, Gene Mayhew, Radford Venable, David Anderson, David Anderson, Billy Charles, Linda Estes, Coleen Young, Maurene Hammonds, Elaine Fuller, Paula Kay Kerby and Mary Ann McKinney.

Program On Sunday

The Caldwell Kindergarten School will present a "Never Heard Before Program" on Sunday afternoon May 17th, at 3:00 in the Methodist Church. Usherettes are Joy Redden and Susie Estes. Diplomas will be presented to the class. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

New Officers Installed For Bovina PTA

The last PTA meeting of the year was held on Monday night in the Homemaking room. Mrs. E. C. Berry, president, presided. The room was decorated with bouquets of spring flowers. The speakers table was covered with an organdy cloth, with a beautiful arrangement of blue and yellow carnations and yellow gladioli in the center, flanked on either side by white candles.

The program opened, with the group repeating the "Lord's Prayer."

Margie Leake then led the group in singing "America." Mrs. Ottie Ellison introduced the students who presented the program. Three readings were given by Kay Hartzog, Richard Slavak and Don Cumpton. Sandra Patton played the "Warsaw Concerto." Lillie and Lois Ellison sang a duet "Time Was" and Margie Leake sang "Only a Rose." They were accompanied by Mrs. Doris Wilson.

During the business meeting, Mrs. June Rhodes gave a short report on the District Convention held recently at Tullia.

Mrs. E. C. Berry, outgoing president, then acted as installing officer for the new officers for the coming year. Officers installed were Mrs. June Rhodes, president, Mrs. Gene Snodgrass, vice-president, Mrs. A. D. Cumpton, treasurer, Mrs. Otis Ellison, secretary, Mrs. Hodge Rigdon, parliamentarian, Mrs. Eddie Redden, historian

and Mrs. A. L. Kerby, reporter.

After the installation, the incoming president, Mrs. June Rhodes, made a short talk about what the PTA hopes to accomplish next year. She also appointed a part of the standing committees so they could begin their work during the summer.

Those named were: membership committee; Mrs. Arnold Hromas, Mrs. W. E. Verner, Mrs. E. C. Berry, Mrs. Nola Dragger and Aubra Ellison; budget and finance; Mrs. A. D. Cumpton, Mrs. Carl Rea, Mrs. Clifford Leake and Earl Stevenson; program Mrs. Gene Snodgrass, Mrs. Biline Sudderth, Mrs. Earl Stevenson and Mrs. J. F. Hamonds, publicity, Mrs. A. L. Kerby, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Means and Mrs. Henry Minter, publications; Mrs. W. E. Williams, Mrs. J. W. Gooch and Mrs. W. H. Willoughby.

The group voted to have their first meeting of next on the second Monday night in September. They will set their regular meeting date and their dues at that meeting.

Mrs. Rhodes also appointed a committee to arrange at least one or two money making projects for the summer to try and pay the present debt for the Nurse's Room, before the new year begins. Serving on that committee will be Mrs. Clifford Leake, Hubert Ellison, Mrs. Lloyd Kilough, Mrs. Elton Venable and Mrs. June Rhodes.

The group then adjourned for refreshments. The hostesses, Mrs. June Rhodes, Mrs. C. M. Huggins and Mrs. A. L. Kerby, served

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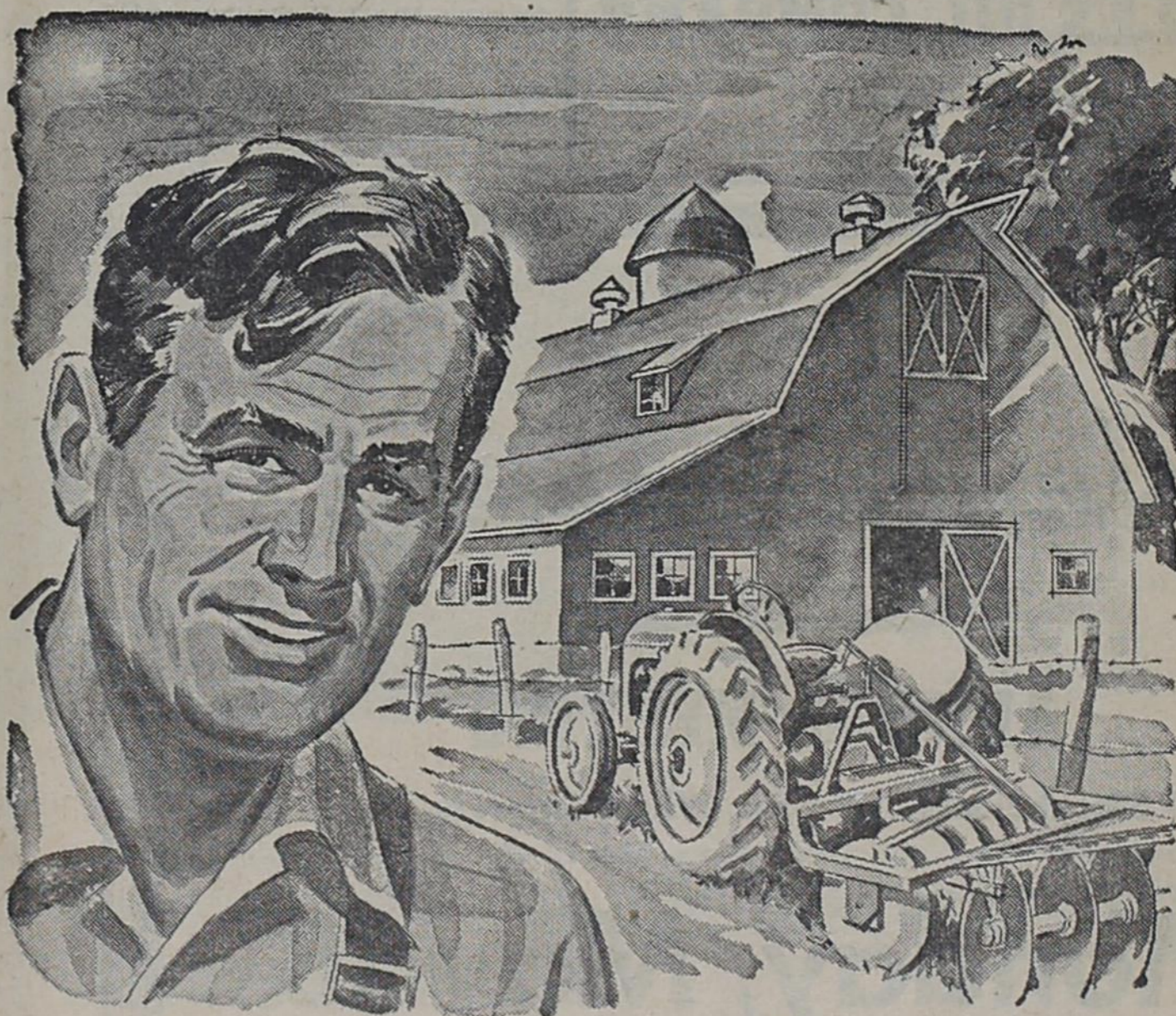
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Students taking part in the recital are Charlotte Hromas, Harriet Lou Charles, Carolyn Robertson, Kay Leake, Margaret Verner, Joan Cochran, Lillie Ellison, Margie Leake, Kay Hartzog, Barbara Taylor, Mary Ann McKinney, Donna Carol Sudderth, and Ann Lynn Wilson.

Junior Girls Visit MacKenzie State Park

The Junior Homemaking girls, or the beginning class of the Eighth Grade girls, consisting of Julia Kelso, Wilbur Dee Pounds, Betty Venable, Ellen Berry, Joyce Whitfield, Glenda Jaquess, Jane Wassom, Tempey Willis and Mary Sue Moody were allowed to take a trip to MacKenzie State Park at Lubbock last Saturday, May 9. The group and trip was sponsored by the FHA, as their part of the money made by the FHA. Mrs. Kelso and Mrs. Norene Young accompanied them on the tour.

Unusual courtesy and consideration was shown the group by Mr. Sam Caplan, the manager of MacKenzie State Park. He took the group and let them ride the Electric Train, the Electric Cars and the Tilt-a-Whirl centers without charge, just to show his appreciation of the groups coming and behavior. This amounted to about \$7.00 worth of fun without charge. He also promised to let them enjoy parts of the carnival without charge if they would come back.

The group noted that he worked unceasingly to help keep the equipment and grounds in good condition so that all the guests would enjoy the day and the stay.

Farewell Social Is Held On Sunday

Many friends of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hromas called at their home on Sunday, May 3rd., between the hours of three to six to visit. The Hromases have lived at their farm home for 34 years. They have just recently sold their farm. Their plans for the future are not definite as yet. They want first to catch up on their visiting and traveling with an extended trip. The folks who have enjoyed having them for neighbors these many years are hoping they will come back to Bovina when they are ready to settle down. The callers presented Mr. and Mrs. Hromas each with a piece of luggage as a little token of love and appreciation for the many years of service to their neighbors and community.

Those who called during the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sides, Mrs. Clifford Leake, Margie, Kay and Janice, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Cochran, Wynema, Joan and Bonnie, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Garner and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pesch and son, Miss Blanch Pravda, Plainfield, N.J., Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Christian and Phyllis, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pesch, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Roach, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Carpenter, and Mrs. D. W. Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Watkins, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Verner, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Watkins and family.

Rev. and Mrs. Barto Massey,

Mr. and Mrs. John West, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sudderth, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Guber and Marie, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. Webb Guber and children, Mr. and J. R. Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Rundell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Donaldson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hromas, Charlotte and Galen, Mr. Joe Hromas, J. F. Pesch, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rea and Son.

Those sending regrets were Mrs. James Roach, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Guber, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Grissom, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Watkins, Mr. and Mrs. David Carson, and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hromas. Hostesses for the affair were Mesdames Webb Guber, J. L. Guber, Tom Caldwell, C. C. Christian and J. R. Caldwell.

Area Scout Meeting Held in Bovina

The Coronado Area Girl Scouts Council Meeting was held on Thursday night in Bovina at the Methodist church. There were representatives from Friona, Bovina, Clovis and Tucumcari.

The group discussed the problems facing them in this area. They also discussed having a cooking school for the girls during the summer. They planned a Cooking and Handy Women school for Bovina and perhaps Friona, to be held in Bovina the first part of August. Bovina also made plans to take part in a Day Camp at Friona on August 19, 20 and 21.

Attending the meeting from Clovis were Mrs. Anna D. Cook, Reese Cagle, Mrs. Emery Artman, and Mrs. Claude Daniels. Attending from Friona were Mrs. Frank Spring and Mrs. J. G. McFarland. Attending from Tucumcari were Rev. Thurman Harris and Mr. Rhodes. Attending from Bovina were Mrs. Earl Richards, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Huggins, Mrs. Fred Langer, Mrs. Henry Minter, Mrs. Ernest Woelfel, Mrs. Elmo Dean and Mrs. Earl Stevenson. Also attending the meeting was Miss Mary Ellen Rawley, Girl Scout worker from Dallas.

Mesdames Arnold Hromas, Eddie Redden, Glenn Hromas and Elmo Dean attended the Day Camp training course in Clovis two days last week.

CLOSE SEASON

The high school baseball team closed their season on Monday with a 9-2 loss at Lazbuddy. They had defeated Adrian for the second time last week 11-8. Darrell Read pitched for Bovina in the game with Adrian with Don Owens catching and Pinell pitched for Adrian. Glendon Sudderth pitched for Bovina in the game with Lazbuddy with Ted Walling and Don Owens catching. Engleking pitched for Lazbuddy. The Bovina boys won two and lost two over the season.

— LOCAL ITEMS —

Charlie Wakefield of Archer City, Texas visited last week with his sister, Mrs. J. H. Steelman and other friends and relatives.

Several of the college students were home for Mother's Day. Among those were Ella Bradshaw and Yvonne Moody both of Wayland College, Plainview; LaVon

Rogers, Hardin Simmons, Abilene; and Billy Ray Derrick, Texas Tech, Lubbock.

The ladies of the OES were entertained on Thursday night by the Eastern Star Brothers at a banquet with a short program following.

Mother's Day guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Armstrong and Mrs. J. Sam Gaines were Granny's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Mauer of Amarillo and Lady's son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Barbee, Jr., of Lubbock.

Mrs. Norma Mayben visited with her parents, the Jess Osborns, in Austin over the weekend.

Graduation exercises for the eighth grade of the Bovina school will be held on Monday night, May 25th, at 8:15 p.m. in the school auditorium. Keith Huggins will be valedictorian of the eighth grade and Helen Hartzog will be salutatorian.

BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

There are several activities the church is planning for the summer months. The first is the YWA encampment set for May 28-30. There will be a number of girls to attend from the local church.

The Vacation Bible School date has been set for June 8-17. The faculty has been selected and is making plans to have the biggest and best school that the church has ever had. There will be preparation day held on Saturday June 6 with a parade in the afternoon. There will be classes for all departments from the nursery through the intermediate.

The young people's camp will be held June 22-24. This will be

an inspiration to all young people who take advantage of this opportunity.

The church is planning a church-wide picnic to be held at the camp grounds at Floydada on June 5th. The group is planning on leaving Bovina around 9:00 a.m. and have an all day social and outing.

The youth revival date has been set which will be August 13-24. Rev. Bob Jackson has been asked to do the preaching. He is a student of Hardin-Simmons University of Abilene. He is the son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Taylor. Johnnie Lee McBroom, also of Hardin Simmons, and Palo Duro Baptist church has been contacted to lead the singing. Miss Ella Bradshaw of Wayland College and of Bovina has been asked to play the piano.

On September 6th, the church will observe homecoming and 50th anniversary day. The church was organized in 1903.

From August 31 through Sept. 11 the church will secure a state worker from the music department, and will have a two weeks music school. The school will begin with the fundamentals of music being taught and will go on to sight reading toward the end of the school. The public is invited to attend this school.

The morning worship service for next Sunday morning will be held at the high school auditorium for baccalaureate services. Sunday school will be as usual at the church at the regular time.

Last Sunday's attendance report was Sunday School, 120; Morning Worship, 167; Training Union 66; Evening Worship, 128.

A cordial welcome awaits you at the Bovina Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, Donna and Neil, Billie Ward and Eurith Hawkins spent the week end in El Paso. They were visiting the Smith's son, Paul, who is stationed at Fort Bliss.

They also visited in Jaurez, Mexico.

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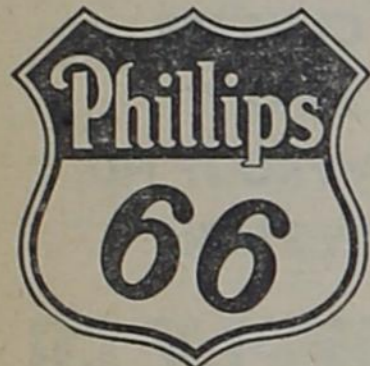
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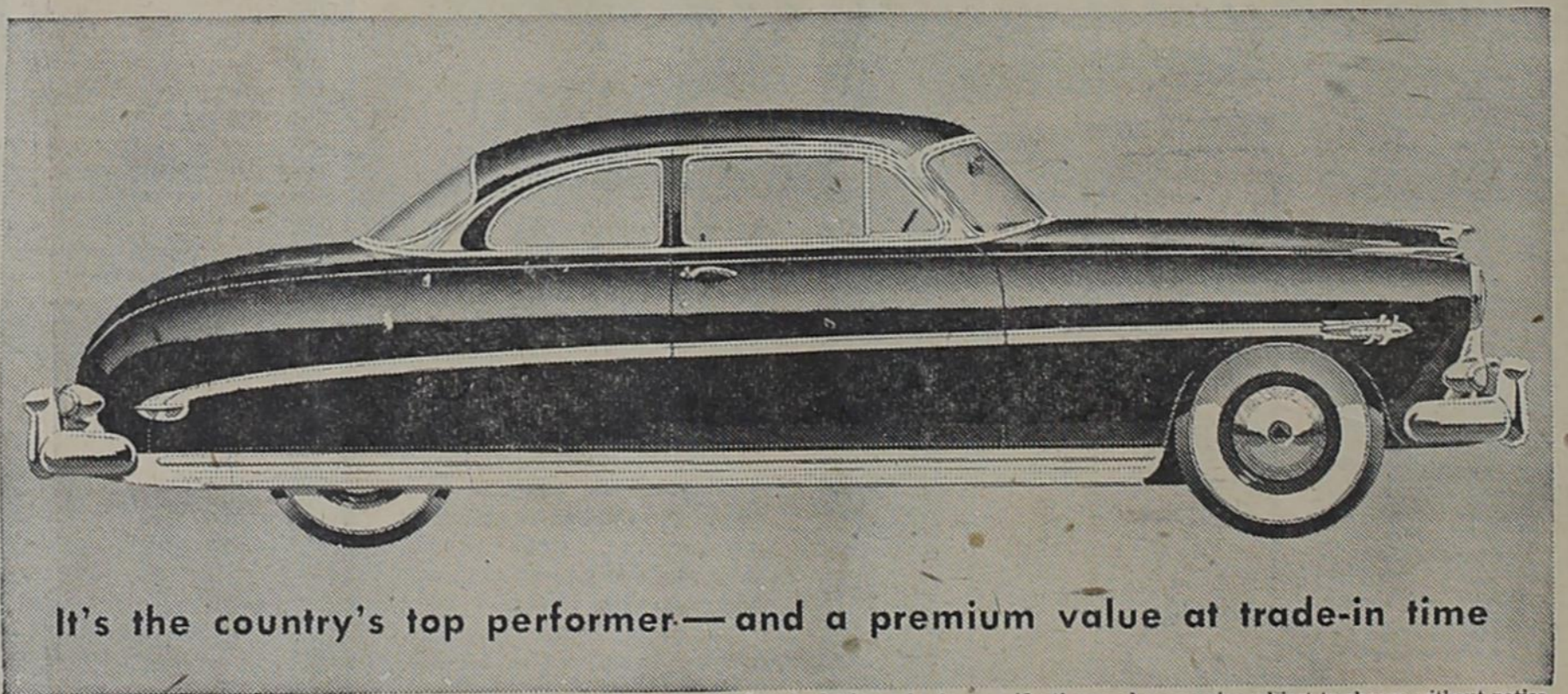
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**Compromise Plan
On Teacher Pay**
BY VERN SANFORD
Texas Press Association

AUSTIN, TEX.— The Legislature worked this week on compromise plans to give public school teachers more pay.

Those who wanted more money for teachers seemed ready to accept something less than the \$600 per year they had originally demanded.

The House lagged behind in committee action on new tax bills to provide the money for teachers.

It would take about \$33 million per year to give the school people an additional \$600 annually.

At the same time, the administration kept up its pressure against new taxation.

The governor asked the legislature to wait and see what would become of a natural gas tax, passed during the last session and being tested in the courts.

Meanwhile, the State supreme court declared the tax valid. But the issue was not finally settled. The gas companies could appeal to the U.S. Supreme Court.

Representative Douglas E. Bergman of Dallas suggested that teacher pay be hiked \$306 per year, starting next September, if the state wins its fight for the natural gas tax.

Representative D. H. Buchanan of Longview wanted to pass a new tax on natural gas, to bring in \$15 million per year for teachers. This tax would become invalid if the present tax is found to be constitutional.

And Representative Lamar Zivley of Temple recommended financing a \$360 per year raise for teachers with a tax on natural gas.

THANKS TO THE TRIBUNE

We, the staff of "The Wolverine's Tale" wish to take this opportunity to thank the State Line Tribune for making its columns available for our use in printing our school paper.

We have tried to meet our deadlines, and hope that everyone has enjoyed reading the paper as much as we have enjoyed working on it.

To all the Tribune employees, we appreciate more than you can realize, all of the things that you have done for us and your friendly suggestions for improvement.

Puerto Rico means rich port.

Texas is the largest state; Rhode Island the smallest.

Nebraska is the only state in the Union with a unicameral or one-house legislature.

In October 1918 Czechoslovakia formulated its declaration of independence in Independence Hall, Philadelphia.

**PARMER COUNTY PMA OFFICE
CALLS FOR WHEAT ACREAGE DATA**

Wheat growers were urged Tuesday by Joe Camp, secretary of the Parmer County Production and Marketing Administration committee, to give wheat acreage data for the last three years to the PMA office located in the courthouse.

"Help from the wheat growers is urgently needed to bring farm program records up to date, in preparation for possible acreage allotments and marketing quotas on the 1954 wheat crop," Camp said.

Information Necessary
The appeal follows the recent announcement by Agriculture

Secretary Ezra Benson that the Agriculture Department will start immediately the preliminary work necessary in case production and marketing controls are required for the next wheat crop.

According to A. F. Phillips, chairman of the PMA county committee, certain information from farmers is necessary in order to do a sound administrative job of setting equitable acreage allotments for individual farms. Farm allotments will be determined by the county committee, with the assistance of the community committees.

Needed Data Listed
Data needed includes the farm's

wheat acreage for the three years 1951, 1952, 1953, the location of the land, and other pertinent information. If the farmer operates a rented farm, he should be able to supply such additional information as the name and address of the owner.

Phillips emphasized that a final decision has not been made on acreage allotments or marketing quotas for the 1954 wheat crop. The decision will be made later when more is known about the supply and prospective demand situation.

However, the wheat supply situation is such that production controls probably will be necessary, as directed by law.

Action Is Mandatory
Proclamation of a national wheat acreage allotment is mandatory unless waived by the secretary because of a national emer-

gency or a material increase in exports, Phillips has pointed out.

An early start is particularly urgent, Phillips explained, as the decision and proclamation must be made not later than July 1 for marketing quota and July 15 for acreage allotments without quotas. If quotas are proclaimed, a national referendum among growers must be held by July 25.

In requesting farmers to supply information, Phillips said that the county office should have all the data by June 1.

Parmer County has an estimated 1200 farms growing wheat. There are an estimated 2.1 million wheat farms in the United States.

Acreage allotments last were used for the 1951 wheat crop, but were discontinued before the end of the marketing year. Wheat marketing quotas have been used only twice—for the 1941 and 1942

crocks.

As an added convenience to farmers in reporting this information; they are urged to watch their May PMA newsletter for community meetings scheduled this coming week, Camp says.

**Four New Publications
Released By Service**

COLLEGE STATION.--Agricultural producers of the state will find much useful information in four publications recently released by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Livestock producers will find many suggestions in a leaflet titled "Short on Grass". Several emergency roughages are mentioned along with otherfeeding tips and managements hints.

Cotton producers will find in the "1953 Guide for Controlling Cotton Insects" the latest information in the rates of application and timing of insecticides recommended for use in Texas along with practices and suggestion that have proved useful in controlling cotton insects.

Most folks like to fish and the new bulletin on "Farm Fish Pond" answers a lot of the questions that pond owners have been asking about stocking, fertilizing, weed control and pond management.

The fourth publication carries the title "Landowner-Operator Teamwork in Soil Building practices on tenant operated farms. Included is a suggested agreement for use by landowners and tenant operators.

Copies of each publication may be obtained without cost from local county agricultural agents.

Bovina Graduates - - -

We Wish You Good Luck!

BOVINA SENIORS
1953

We citizens of Bovina are justly proud of the High School graduating class of 1953—one of the finest we have ever had, we believe.

Here's wishing you good luck, seniors, and hoping you'll use the education you have acquired in the past twelve years to good advantage in the life that faces you.

Some of you will go on to study even more; some of you will begin your vocational life immediately. Whatever your choice, we want you fine young people to remember that the folks of Bovina are proud of you, and will always be ready to lend you a helping hand, no matter what the circumstances.

So go on out into life, young Americans! Make a mark for yourself and your community by being the kind of people that we have always been proud of here.

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Happenings at Friona

Mrs. Oscar Baxter, Correspondent

Phone 3801

Dates Given For Graduation Events

Baccalaureate services will be conducted Sunday May 17th at the high school auditorium at 8 p.m.

The commencement exercises will be in the high school auditorium Thursday, May 21st, at 8:00 p.m.

Invocation is by Rev. C.M. Fields, Pastor of the Baptist Church in Friona.

Rev R. W. Wilburn of the Pentecostal Church in Friona will give the benediction.

Graduates are Floyd Schueler, Wanda Beaty, Imogene Sherley, Patsy Bandy, Katherine Brand, H. V. Rocky, Shirley Cocanougher, Darrell Robbins, Oneida Coffman, Mary Joyce Renner, Shirley Cook, Wayne Cribbs, Arnold Fangman, D. O. Robason, Wayne Price, Shirley Fields, Sue Gibson Nazworth, Tommy Hamilton, Ben Wayne Jordan, M. C. Osborn, Roy Haney, Ira Halt, Calvin Ivie, Beverly Sue Jones.

Wanda Beaty will be Valedictorian. She has a four year average of 93.2. Mrs. Sue Gibson Nazworth is salutatorian. Her average 87.5

Graveside Services Held For Infant

Graveside rites for Karol Sue Johnson were conducted Friday at 5:30 P.M. in Friona.

The infant was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Johnson of Friona. She was stillborn on May 8th at the Parmer County Hospital.

Rev. U. S. Sherrell, pastor of the First Methodist Church, conducted the rites.

Survivors other than the parents are one sister, Linda Kay; one brother, Jim Bob; the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Mosley of Friona.

Fairyland Theme Used For Class Banquet

The eighth grade class held their annual banquet Thursday, May 7, at 7:30 P.M. at the school cafeteria. Theme of the banquet was Fairyland.

The room was decorated with a wishing well, butterflies, spider webs. Program included Johnny Jump up; Wesley Barnett, class president; Toadstool chorus, class singing "Marching Along Together", prophecy of the eighth grade, Gerald Floyd; "The nightingales", Girls chorus; "Fairy Knowledge" by Kathryn Dunn.

Musical Dew drops, Doris Jane McFarland and Juanita Fulks; "Brownie Mischief", Don Reeve; Crystal Gems, Girls Sextette; Fading Shadow, class group.

Room parents are Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Chiles, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth O'Brian, Mr. and Mrs. Giles Cobbs and Mr. and Mrs. John S. Thompson. Sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. McLain and Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Sanders and other teachers present were Miss Lacy Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Burnett and Dillie Kelley. About 45 students were present.

Ushers were Phyllis Dean, Judy Burnett, Raymond Patterson, and Larry Fairchild.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Robbins and Phyllis were business visitors in Muleshoe Tuesday.

Wise Words From Ethridge-Spring: When Fire Becomes An Expected Guest, We'll know how to meet him -Self-posessed. Ethridge-Spring AGENCY Frank Spring Dan Ethridge Bill Stewart Friona, Texas

Eighth Graduation Date Is Announced

Graduation exercises for the eighth grade will be held at the high school auditorium Wednesday, May 20th at 8:00 p. m. Processional and recessional will be played by Deniese Magness, invocation by Gerald Floyd.

The class will sing the welcome, music is planned by the girl's chorus. Special duets and sextettes will be included and the class history will be given by Randal Allen. Valedictory is by Phyllis Trieder. Her yearly average is 96. Salutatorian is Janice Miller, her average is 94. Dillie Kelley, principal, will present the awards and certificates, benediction is by J. L. Collier.

Graduating are Kathryn Dunn, Gerald Floyd, Alton Franklin, Juanita Fulks, Merlene Gibson, Roy Lee Hadley, Phyllis Hinds, Wayne Jones, Ruby Lathan, Delene Massey, Joe McFellan.

Doris Jane McFarland, Janice Miller, Loretta O'Brian, Geraldine Phipps, Don Reeve, Margaret Rhodes, Jerrad Shulk, Maldean Stowers, Phyllis Trieder, Geneva Wilkerson, Jimmy Patton, Randal Allen, Dean Atchley, Naomi Gardner, Clyde Giffard, John Hamilton, Burkie Hand.

Joe Harper, Wesley Barnett, Wanda Brink, Jerry Chiles, David Cobb, J. L. Collier, Wayland Hinds, Graham Pruitt, Sterling Prichard, Ardith Raben, Darrell Thompson, Philip Weatherby, Kermit Whitten, Leroy Widner, Margaret Page, Charles Beaton, Patsy Anthony, Gladys Edna Baxter, Judy Bruns, Barbara Denton.

There will be four seventh grade ushers: Phyllis Dean, Judy Burnett, Raymond Patterson and Larry Fairchild.

Last Session To Be this Week

Parent Teacher association will meet at the high school auditorium, Thursday, May 14th, at 3:00 P.M. After business meeting, new officers will be installed.

New President is Mrs. Claude Edelman, the outgoing president is Mrs. Claude Osborn. A round table discussion "It's Good To Be An American" is planned, followed by special numbers.

This will be the last PTA meeting for this term.

BID FAREWELL

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Crump and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Connelly were hosts last Friday at the Friona Club house, to a going-away party honoring Darrell Franklin and Frank Reed. The boys left May 4 for the Army. Both have been employed at the Parmer County Implement Co. Other guests were the employees of the Company and their families.

TO HOT SPRINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Greeson and Neal lift Sunday for Hot Springs New Mexico. Neal has been ill of several weeks and will take the baths. Mrs. Greeson's mother, Mrs. Shirley, is taking care of the other children.

SCOUT NEWS

Brownie Troop VI met Monday at the Baptist Educational building. Gayle Knight led the Brownie Song, girls played games and said their Brownie promise. Hostess was Darla Bingham, who served cookies, ice cream and pop.

Those present were Carolyn Sue Baxter, Kitty Black, Cynthia Caffey, Wynell Dutton, Geraldine Day, Linda Kay Brummett, Reba Kay Fulcher, Gayle Knight, Carolyn Parker, Judy Taylor, Karen Trieder, Martha Tubbs, Roma Kay Struve, Joyce Stowers, Eleanor Dodson, Karen Balls, Virginia Paton and Dorothy Lopey and the leader, Mrs. A. L. Black.

Girl Scout Troop II met Monday afternoon at the Oscar Baxter home, to work on the fire place they started last week. They will be ready to run the cement next week.

Hostess was Kathryn Dunn, who served cup cakes and pop. Those present were Loretta O'Brian, Murlene Gibson, Doris Jane McFarland, Patsy Anthony, Phyllis Trieder, Gladys Edna Baxter and their leader Mrs. Kenneth O'Brian. Three guests were Mrs. Oscar Baxter, Willene and J. L.

UNDERGOES SURGERY

Mrs. Curtis Murphree underwent surgery in the Parmer County hospital Thursday. She is doing as well as could be expected at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baxter were dinner guests Thursday in their grandson's home, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Dean Baxter and family.

Stork Shower Fetes Mrs. Kelley Recently

Mrs. Dillie Kelley was honored Wednesday at the Friona Club house, with a pink and blue shower.

Mrs. Pearl McLain, Phyllis Trieder and Gladys Edna Baxter sang, June White presented a solo, Cleta Rea Stowers, Wanda and Zelma Beaty sang. Mrs. Pearl McLain recited a poem "Homes."

Those attending were Mesdames H. T. Magness, Marce McKee, H. F. Brewer, Roy Slagle, C. A. Turner, Edd White, L. B. McLain, S. S. Prichard, Ralph Wilson, S. H. Osborn, A. L. Black, Dan Ethridge, A. H. Boatman, Miss Jo Phyllis, Zelma and Wanda Beaty, Cleta Rea Stowers, Marie White, Phyllis Trieder, Gladys Edna Baxter.

Hostesses were Mrs. Don Stanley, Mrs. Raymond Cook, Mrs. John Parrish, Mrs. H. T. Carr, Mrs. Bert Chitwood, Mrs. Pearl McLain, Mrs. Claude Osborn and Miss Helen Nita Carr.

Angel food cake, punch and mints were served.

Saturday Tea Fetes FHA Mothers, Class

At the Friona Club house Saturday, a tea was held honoring the mothers of the FHA, and the eighth grade girls who will be members of the group in 1953 and 54.

Guests were welcomed by the girls. After attendants were assembled in the room, the FHA song was sung.

On a table were red and white candles. President Gay Ann McFarland lit the red candle and placed it on the table, then eight girls lit the white candles, giving a purpose of home making.

New officers were installed. The two FHA mothers Mrs. K. Cass and Mrs. S. H. Osborn were given gifts by the class. Miss McFarland presented the area mother, Mrs. J. G. McFarland and incoming officers with corsages of roses. The new president presented the

out-going president with a gift.

The meeting was closed when the FHA girls gave their creed. Refreshments of cookies, punch mints, and nuts were served.

Table center piece was pansies and yellow tulips. About 50 were present.

New officers are Denese Magness, president; Marie White, vice president; Carol Blackburn, secretary; Dean Buske, treasurer; Sally Osborn, reporter; Ann McKee, parliamentarian; Anita Scarborough, Sergeant -at-arms. Lois Lathan, pianist; and Gay Ann McFarland, song leader.

TAKE FIELD TRIPS

The Economics and the Biology classes have been on field trips. The Economics class went to Clovis, going through the round house and several other plants. The Biology class spent a day in Palo Duro Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schoolery of Lampasas are visiting her sister, Mrs. J. B. McFarland.

Friona Boys Win State Track Honors

D. O. Robason, Darrell Robbins M. C. Osborn, Ben Wayne Jordon, and Coach Raymond Cook left Thursday morning for Austin to participate in the State Track Meet. Robbins, who ran in the 440 yd.-dash, won first with 50.2 seconds (set a new record). Osborn, Jordon, Robason, and Robbins ran in the mile relay winning first in 3 minutes and 27 seconds, also setting a new record.

Rev. George E. Meyer has returned from an extended trip through the midwest. He spent a few days with the daughter Elizabeth, Mrs. Richard S. Bolten and family in Denver, Colorado.

Mrs. George E. Meyer spent the past week with daughter Jane at Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Orreal Houser and Leon drove to Hereford Sunday afternoon and visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P.M. Houser.

METHODIST CHURCH NEWS

Sunday School 10:00 A. M. Morning Worship 11:00 A. M. Youth Fellowship 7:00 P. M. Junior Fellowship 7:00 P. M. Evening Worship 8:00 P. M.

Next Sunday is Thousand Dollar Day. Don't miss it. Sub-district MYF, will meet in Friona Sunday at 2:30 p.m.

Baccalaureate Services will be in the high school auditorium Sunday at 8:00 p.m.

Don't forget Vacation Bible School June 1-7. Lets make it one of the very best.

Young people of the Methodist Youth Fellowship will have charge of the evening worship service at 8:00 p.m. Rev. Weldon Butler, pastor at Vega, and District director of youth work in the Amarillo district, will preach. You are urged to attend.

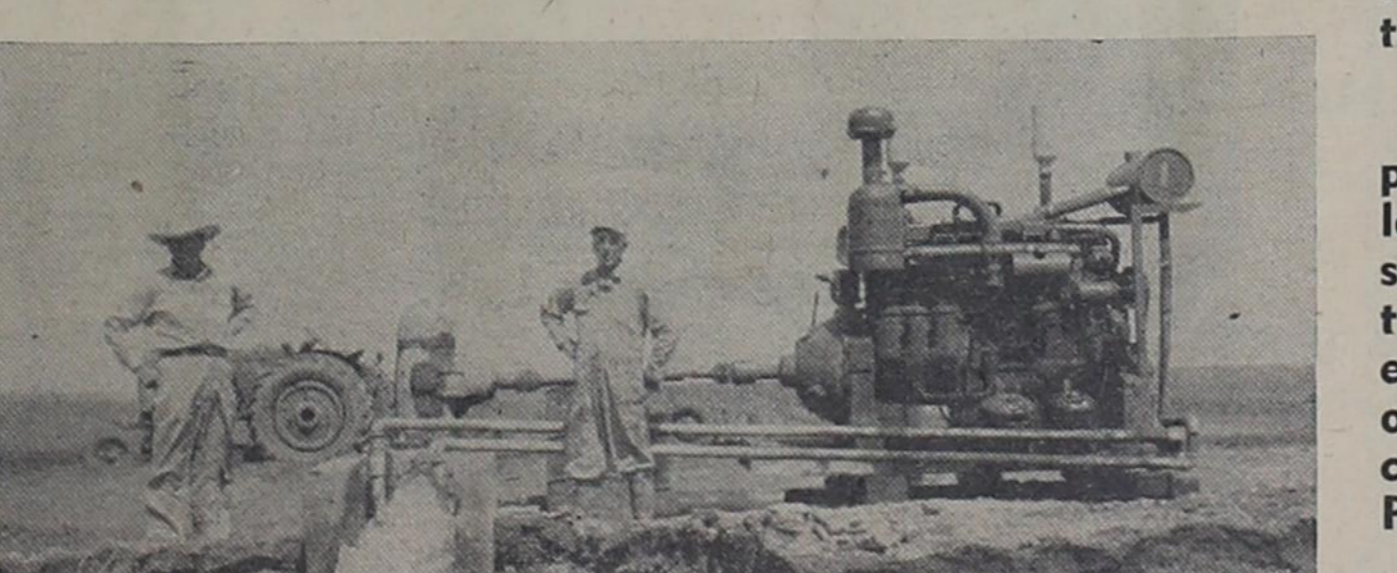
Mrs. Forrest Osborn and Rev. and Mrs. U. S. Sherrill attended the camp worker's training camp at Ceta Canyon Monday through (Continued Next Page, This Sect.)

Reddy for ICE CREAM! Advertisement featuring a cartoon character and a girl eating ice cream.

Samsonite Luggage advertisement listing various luggage items and prices. Items include Train Case, Vanity O'Nite, O'Nite, Wardrobe, Overnight, Two-Suiter, Pullman Case, and Hand Wardrobe. Prices range from \$17.50 to \$35.00.

Southwestern Public Service Company advertisement for a freezer-refrigerator. Text: "...and all the other frozen desserts that make your family call for 'More!'"

PARMER COUNTY FARMERS CHOOSE THE BEST EQUIPMENT



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Advertisement for Byron Jackson PUMPS International POWER UNITS. Lists International Red 450 Gas Engines, Climax Blue Streak Gas & Butane Engines, Meyer 2-Wing Ditchers, and Eversman Land LEVELLERS.

Wednesday of last week. They will work in Junior Camp there August 17-22.

The Women's Society of Christian Service meet in the Sanctuary Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. in their second study "Toward Understanding The Bible." The subject will be "The World of The Bible."

Have Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Rohe Meyer of New York City, N. Y. were guests at the Congregational Manse, Friona, of the Reverends Mr. and Mrs. George E. Meyer early this week. Mr. Meyer is a brother of the Reverend Mr. Meyer. Mrs. Rohe Meyer is a corporation lawyer and is connected with the Worthington Pump Co. of Harrison, New Jersey. The visitors were on an extended auto trip through the Southwest and the west. They were accompanied by Mrs. Prudence Simons of Washington D. C., a close friend of the Meyer family.

Have Guests

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wyly, Gay and Deborah, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hadley and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Pope and Gene, and Gladys Edna Baxter were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Pope.

Here from Borger

Bro. and Mrs. Steve Trigg and family of Borger, visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rea and other relatives. The Triggs returned to their home Sunday.

FRIONA SCHOOL NEWS

Mrs. John Bengler, first grade teacher, took her students to Hereford Friday. They rode the train back to Friona and had a picnic lunch in the park.

Mrs. Edna Polk, sixth grade teacher, took her students to Clovis, Wednesday to visit the bakery, Campbells' Ice Cream Plant, the Newspaper, Coca Cola plant, and other places. Several mothers went.

The fourth grade class taught by Mrs. Ruth Edelman will go to Clovis, Friday, May 15th to visit business places. They will have a picnic lunch at the Clovis park. Room mothers are Mrs. Joe Brummett, Mrs. James Cummmington, Mrs. Frank Spring, and Mrs. Steve Struve.

Friona second grade students of Miss Hanson's room went on a last-of-school picnic Friday. They rode the train from Friona to Clovis, then visited the round house, and other places. They went to the park to have a picnic lunch and returned to Friona by bus. The mothers going were Mrs. McKee, Mrs. W. S. Crow, Mrs. D. C. Herring, Mrs. J. T. Gee, Mrs. Ellis Tatum and Miss Hanson.

Miss Goodson's fifth grade class went on a hayride Friday to the Seamounts Ranch East of Friona. They ate their lunch and returned to school in the afternoon.

Mrs. H. T. Magness and Mrs. J. G. McFarland, Deniese Magness, and Gay Ann McFarland were in Tulia Saturday morning to attend the FHA meeting. Gay Ann is the reporter for the area.

The Friona grade and high school grounds have been leveled and grass planted.

Friona eighth grade class will go to Clovis, Friday evening May 15th on their class party. They will skate and attend a movie.

Sponsor is Mrs. Pearl McLain and about nine mothers will furnish cars.

BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

A special offering Sunday went to the mother's Day Hospital fund. This is a worthy cause and needs consideration.

The YWA will meet Monday evening at 6:45 p.m. at the church. There will be a covered dish supper and the program.

Sunbeams will meet Tuesday at 3:00 p.m.

The WMU will meet Tuesday at 3:00 p.m. for their program of Bible Study. All the women of the church are urged to be present.

Arise and Shine and Hilda Marie GA meet Tuesday, 4:00 p.m. The G.A.'S will observe Farce week.

Earl Hughes chapter of the R.A.'S meet Tuesday, 4:00 p.m. Brotherhood meets Tuesday, 8:00 p.m. The program will be

work, at which the time men will make bunkbeds for the camp.

Wednesday evening at 8:00 pm is the time for midweek Bible Study and Prayer. The program for the next few weeks will be a study of the eighteen articles of faith.

Tieera Blanca Associational worker's conference meets Thursday May 14th. The meeting will be held in the Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church, time will be 10:00 A.M. you are invited to attend these meetings.

Business woman's Circle of the WMU will meet Thursday evening at 8:00 pm. Program will be Bible Study.

Sunday School 10:00 A.M. Morning worship, 11:00 A.M.; Training Union, Sunday evening, 7:00 p.m.; Evening Worship, 8:30 P.M.;

FATHER DIES

Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Sanders received word Wednesday of the death of his father, Dan Sanders, of near Little Rock, Arkansas. They left immediately for Ark. They are teachers in the Friona school.

714 ENROLLED

The Friona school census listed 68 students, 6-year-old; 217 new students; 100 moved away or graduated. There are 714 enrolled in Friona School for the term of 1953-54.

TO COUNCIL MEETING

Wednesday, the Friona High school Safety Council and Dillie Kelley went to Canyon, where they learned more about the constitution and management of a Student Council. If the Students decide they want a council, they will organize next term. They also visited in the grade and high school there.

On Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Boggess and family, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Welch and family, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Struve and girls have been vacationing in New Mexico.

SPEAK AT BANQUET

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Welch, the Dan Ethridges and W. L. Edelman attended a banquet Tuesday evening at Sunray for the Chamber of Commerce. Ethridge, Welch and Edelman of Friona were speakers.

Friona will soon have three new buildings ready for business—the Piggly-Wiggly Grocery, A new Drug Store and Variety store. There are also several new homes to be built in Friona.

PERSONALS

Hershel Perkins of Oklahoma, is visiting his brother and sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cass Perkins and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Guinn.

Mrs. A. O. Drake visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Grace Hart and Wanda and Edda.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Osborn, Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Jordan and Mr. and Mrs. Miles Robbins and Phyllis left Thursday for Austin, to attend the State Track Meet.

Brother Steve Trigg of Borger, preached at the Church of Christ Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Day, Weda Nell, Letha Faye and Allen Ray and Mrs. T. B. Armstrong were dinner guests Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Day Sr.

Mrs. Don Stanley and Miss Helen Neta Carr of Canyon, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Carr of Friona.

Oscar Baxter was business visitor in Hereford, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Day and Geraldine, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Eden and Barbara went to Amarillo Sunday to visit Mrs. Eden's mother, Mrs. Watts, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Day and Geraldine were shoppers in Amarillo Saturday.

Friona Junior football boys had a hayride Monday night to the Clements Farm. Weiner roast followed. There were about 30 boys and girls present. The sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Sanders and daughter, Mrs. W. L. Edelman and Mrs. Roy Clements.

Friona High School band will go to Clovis, Saturday to march in the parade. They will visit the Army Air Force Base also. J. D. Fry is director.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Baxter and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Baxter, all of Clovis, visited Monday with parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baxter of Friona.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leach and sons were in Clovis Sunday visiting her parents.

Fred Lloyd and children; Mrs. Murie Peebles and Jackie and Freddie; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Roberts and Don Lloyd of Bovina were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lloyd and Ruth Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth O'Brian and family, Mr. and Mrs. Russell O'Brian and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Cunningham and family, all of Friona, visited Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hogue and family of Pettit, Texas.

Mrs. Orval Houser and Leon were business visitors in Hereford Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stewart left last week for Arkansas to spend their vacation.

Danny Bainum, Donald Petty and Elizabeth Grumbles, were dinner guests Sunday with Miss Glenna Mae Pope.

Mr. and Mrs. Arline Miller and children and Miss Burl Miller of Floydada are visiting in the home of Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E.M. Jack. They visited in the homes of their sister and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Burtram Jack and Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Chiles and family.

Mrs. Edd Walters has been in Littlefield attending to business.

Mrs. Murle Shirley has been in Petersburg visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Massey and Teddy are moving this week to Pierre, South Dakota, to make their home.

HOSPITAL NOTES

ADMITTED: Mr. L. A. Cailloet, medical, Farwell; Mrs. P. Garcia, medical, Bovina; Mrs. H. T. Edwards, medical, Farwell; Mrs. Curtis Murphree, surgery, Friona; Mr. R. J. Renner, surgeon, Friona; Mrs. H. H. Weis, surgery, Friona; Ann Whitley, medical,

Farwell; Mrs. Herschel Johnson, O. B. Friona; Mrs. Glenn Floyd, O. B. Friona; Mrs. Jack Lane, O. B. Friona; Mrs. Burke McGee, O. B. Friona; R. I Friona.

Dismissed: Mrs. Mary Bainum, Mrs. A. R. Treadway, Mrs. Johnny Miller, Lex Huggins, Mr. L. A. Cailloet, Mr. R. J. Renner, Mrs. H. H. Weis, Mrs. H.T. Edwards, Mrs. P. Garcia.

Jerry Pool Begins Spring Training

Coach Al Garten, coach at Eastern New Mexico University, announces that spring training has begun for 24 letterman and four squadmen from last years' New Mexico conference co-championship team.

Included among these is Jerry Pool, fullback, from Farwell. Pool was slowed down last year by an early season injury but is expected to be in good condition for this season.

Spring drills will last only two weeks, but Garten announces that he will conduct scrimmage session about three-fourths of that time.

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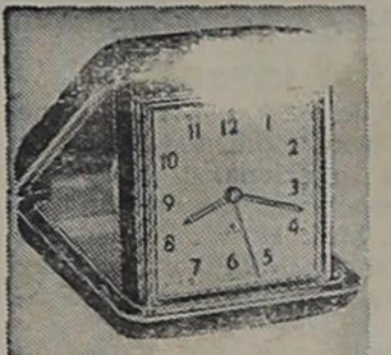
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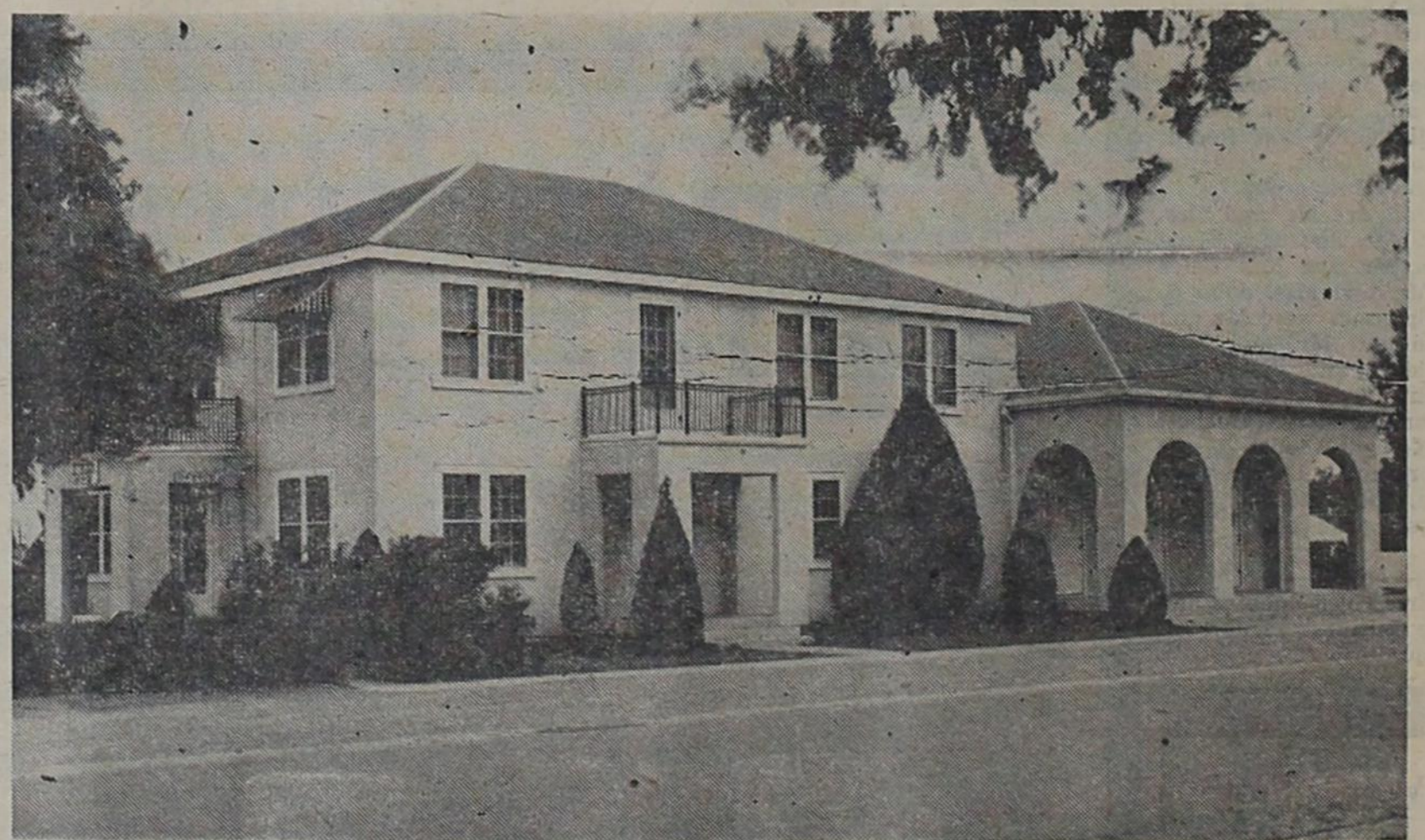
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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

SUNDAY

Church School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Service 11:00 A. M.
Training Union 7:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 8:30 P. M.
WEDNESDAY
Prayer Meeting 8:00 P. M.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Eugene Sofford, Minister

Bible Study 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 10:50 A. M.
Evening Worship 7:30 P. M.
Tues. Training Class 8:00 P. M.
Wed. midweek meeting 8:00 P. M.
Thurs. Bible Class 10:00 A. M.

HAMLIN MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. M. H. Stroup, Pastor

SUNDAY

Church School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Service 11:00 A. M.
Evening Service 7:30 P. M.
MYF 8:30 P. M.
WEDNESDAY
Choir Rehearsal 8:00 P. M.

UNITED PENTECOSTAL

Rev. Chester Hatcher, Pastor

SUNDAY

Church School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Service 11:00 A. M.
Evening Service 7:30 P. M.
TUESDAY
Prayer Meeting 8:00 P. M.
THURSDAY
Young Peoples Service 8:00 P. M.

OKLAHOMA LANE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Vernon Willard, Pastor

SUNDAY

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Service 11:00 A. M.
Evening Worship 8:30 P. M.
Study Classes 8:00 P. M.
WEDNESDAY
Christian Service 2:30 P. M.
Prayer & Song Service 8:30 P. M.
Methodist Men 8:30 P. M.
Third Monday of each Month

OKLAHOMA LANE BAPTIST

SUNDAY

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Service 11:00 A. M.
Evening Service 8:00 P. M.
WEDNESDAY
Prayer Meeting 8:00 P. M.
WMU, Thursday 2:00 P. M.

LARIAT CHURCH OF CHRIST

D. E. Lee, Minister

SUNDAY

Bible Classes 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Evening Worship 7:30 P. M.
MONDAY
Men's Training Class 8:00 P. M.
WEDNESDAY
Bible Study 8:00 P. M.

BOVINA BAPTIST CHURCH

M. D. Durham, Pastor

SUNDAY

Sunday School 9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Training Union 7:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 8:00 P. M.
Prayer Meeting, Wed 7:30 P. M.
WMU, Tuesday 2:30 P. M.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, LARIAT, TEXAS

W. B. Gummelt, Pastor

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Bible Class 10:00 A. M.
Divine Services 11:00 A. M.
Ladies' Aid meet first Thursday of each month 2:30 P. M.
The Walter League meets the first Sunday in month 8:00 P. M.

BOVINA METHODIST CHURCH

I. T. Huckabee, Pastor

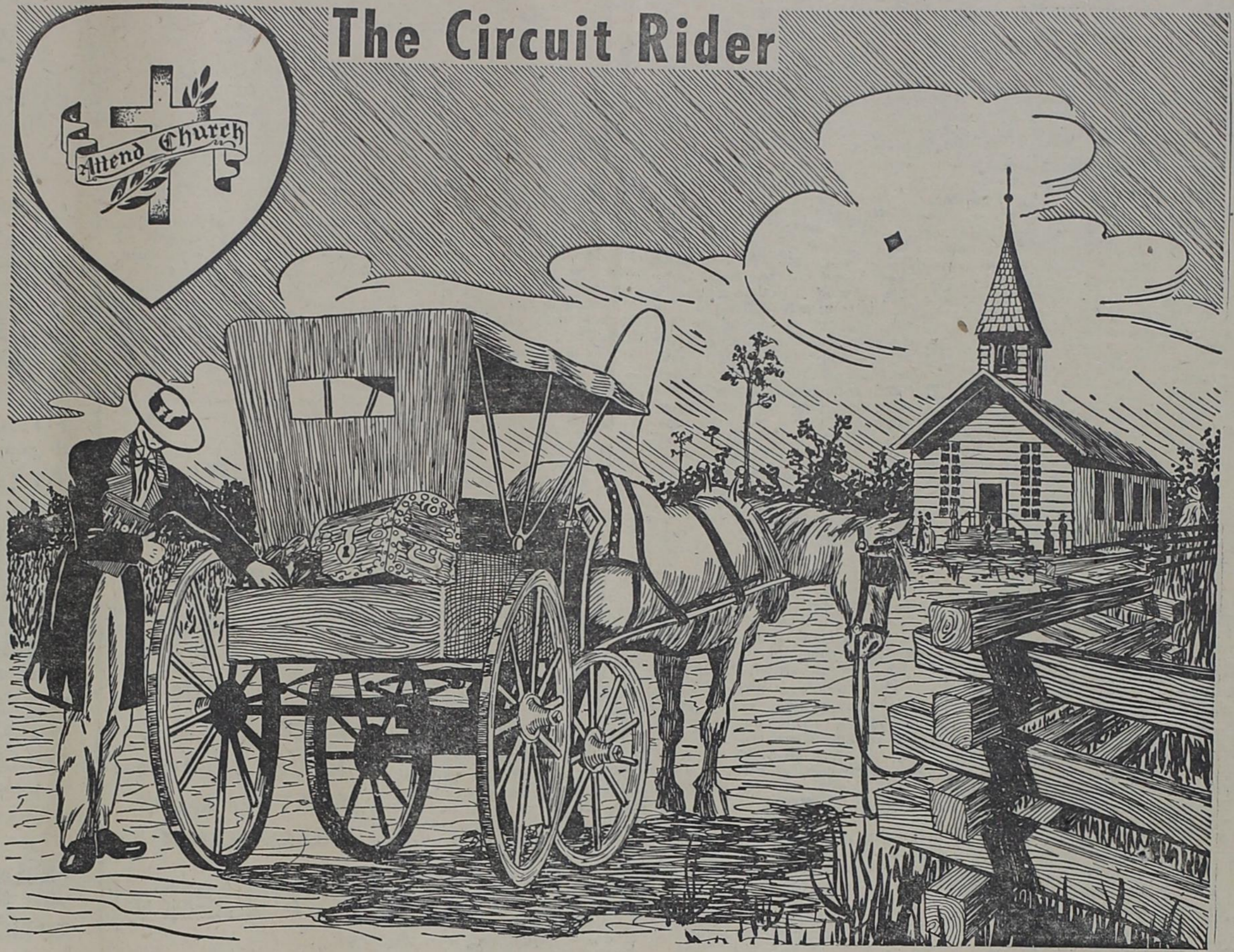
Sunday School 9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship 10:55 A. M.
Group Meetings 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 8:00 P. M.
Choir Rehearsal, Wed. 7:30 P. M.
WSCS, Tuesday 2:30 P. M.

FRIONA METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 10:00 A. M.
Evening Worship 8:00 P. M.
Junior Fellowship 7:00 P. M.
Youth Fellowship 7:00 P. M.
Prayer Meeting, Wed. 7:30 P. M.
Choir Practice, Wed. 8:00 P. M.
Steward Meet, Thurs. 8:00 P. M.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Nathan Harding will bring the message at the 11 o'clock service on Sunday, May 17th at the Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church. His subject will be, "The Busy Christian."
Miss Darlene Sprawls, pianist, will play, "The Lost Chord," by Sullivan; "O Lord, Most Holy," by Franck; and, "March Movement," by Ashford.
The Sunday School hour is 10 A.M. Loyde Brewer is general Superintendent.
Owing to the absence of the pastor, Rev. Miller Stroup, who is attending Annual Conference, there will be no evening service.



The Circuit Rider

We who live in the comfortable days of the Twentieth Century may do well to cherish and honor the memory of the vigorous servants of another day without whom we could not enjoy the blessings of our time. Among those noblemen of another day we must count the Circuit Rider of the churches.

They were "Prophets of the Long Trail," on horseback and by boat and by buggy, making their way along the shored paths and the fresh trails of the frontier settlements, or down the streams along whose shores men had built their homes and their hamlets. Of one of them we have read that he journeyed some 270,000 miles through a long itinerant ministry.

These men were first and last God's men, committed to the work which they believed to be the will of God for them to do. They were "very sure of God" and counted themselves His messengers to the careless and the sinful and the needy. They carried Good News of divine grace and hope for lost men and women, and they spoke it wherever they could get a hearing; in private homes, in empty buildings of every sort, in the open fields, in the busy streets of the city. They asked only for people who would listen.

They were also lovers of their fellows, concerned for the present and for the eternal welfare of men. Many of them were well-educated men who brought into the distance places the news of the world and a careful interpretation of its meaning. They were all imbued with such love for human souls that they counted no sacrifice too great, if they might kindle in a man's heart a love for the Father God. They believed that inner riches were more to be desired than much fine gold. They carried books and Bibles and tracts for the hungry minds, they brought comfort and cheer to lonely spirits, but mainly they brought the Touch of God for the healing of souls.

Thank God then for these good servants of another day; may their memory stir each of us to self-forgetful service of men and of God.



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Local Girl Writes About Navy Life

Mildred Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Moore, formerly of Texico, writes from Bainbridge, Maryland, telling of her life in the Waves.

Describing the way the girls are divided, Mildred says, "We have 75 girls in our company, and there are nine companies here ranging from 40 to 75 girls in each and totaling about 600 girls. We all march in review every morning and it is a wonderful feeling to be part of something that is serving your country."

Mildred then went on to tell about a typical day in the Waves, which goes like this, "We get out of bed at 0600 (6 a.m.) and are dressed and ready to go for morning chow at 0625. We have to be dressed and our bunks made by then. It was hard at first, but now it's not so bad. A 0730 we have to go to our classes. During the day we study Naval History, have general orientation, study jobs and training, ships and aircraft, have swimming, gym class, Red Cross work, and a few Navy lectures. These last until 1630 (4:30) when we have area liberty. We may either go to the canteen or wash and iron—usually it's wash and iron! until 1730. Then we go to evening chow and have area liberty from 1800 to 2000 (8:00) "

"Then we "turn to ", that is clean and scrub the barracks for inspection the next morning. Captains inspection is held in addition to this on Thursday morning. Then at 2130, (9:30) we have "taps" and we are all in bed."

She also tells about their recreation: "Every other Friday night we have a recruit dance which is lots of fun. There are about ten guys to every girl. Also we went on liberty last week end. I went to Baltimore and saw the town and had lots of fun."

"Three weeks from now, we graduate. I already have my order and know where I am going. We were investigated by the FBI as we are going to communication and technicians school for 16 weeks in San Diego, so will be in Texico shortly after I leave here May 12."

IS RETURNED HOME

Johnie Williams, Farwell resident, was returned to his home here last Saturday evening after spending several days in Clovis Memorial Hospital following a heart attack. He is recuperating, although taking things easy for a while.

"Hop" Graham

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his little hand press.

Some months after his arrival in Andrews a young lady by the name of Arrie Black came from Roseburg, Oregon, to visit her sister. A courtship developed, and in 1916 Hop acquired a working partner for his business and marital venture, with the nuptials being read on February 26th in the little Methodist church in Andrews.

The couple made their home in the back of the print shop and the first child, Allie Blanche, was born into the business. In 1918 the family moved to Melrose, where they were engaged in publishing the "Messenger" until 1926.

The second daughter, Sammie Lee, was born at Melrose, and the third child, W. H. Jr., made his appearance after the family moved to Farwell. Hop bought The Tribune in 1926 and the Grahams maintained residence in Texico for four years, then moved across the state line into Farwell to the home still occupied. It was at Melrose that Hop graduated out of the old school of printers, buying for himself a second-hand linotype, still in use on the Tribune.

Hop not only was devoted to his family, he made them a working part of his business. Mrs. Graham continued to assist even after he acquired a "force", by gathering news and giving a hand on "paper day"; Able went to the shop as an embryo linotype operator in 1932; Sammie, although handicapped by a bad heart, was a full-fledged folder on paper day until her death in 1951; and "Sonny" took over the chore of managing the business early in 1950 when Hop had a heart attack.

Interested in aiding youth whenever he could, Hop also had a hand in turning out a number of trained young men from his shop who are still following the profession, in both the "front" and "back" shop.

Hop was well-known over the entire Panhandle area for his work as an editor and publisher. He was a past-president of the Panhandle Press Association, and had been an active member of the Association since he took over The Tribune. His pride in his paper is evidenced by awards of excellence which have come to The Tribune as the years rolled by.

A devoted church man, Hop had been a member of the Methodist church since childhood, and was active in both the Melrose and Hamlin Memorial churches until his death, serving as teacher, Sun-

day School superintendent, delegate, and on the official board. With the wholehearted assistance of his wife, the children were reared in a thoroughly Christian home.

All kinds of civic enterprises interested Hop, who had in mind always that "grippers . . . do not make a town grow". He served on numerous public committees and boards, including the school board in Farwell and Selective Service for Farmer County during the war years, on which board he held the position of chairman.

Although his formal schooling did not even reach high school graduation, his writing exemplified the fact that an ambitious individual is not hampered in attaining a liberal education regardless of schooling.

He was one of the true exponents of "country" journalism, believing that all the newsworthy items of little communities was what made his paper so popular.

Funeral services will be conducted at the Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church this (Thursday) afternoon at 3 o'clock, with the pastor, Rev. Miller H. Stroup, officiating. Interment will be in Lawn Haven cemetery in Clovis, with Steed Funeral Home in charge.

Pallbearers will be Jim Moss, Wilfred Quickel, Loyde Brewer, Lloyd Cain, Paul Wurster, and John Hadley, all members of the

young adult Sunday school class of the church.

Other than the widow and two children, immediate family survivors are one brother, L. W. Graham of Oklahoma City; one sister, Mrs. Blanche Shull of Lawton; and

two half-brothers, Harmon Graham of Paul's Valley, Okla.; and M-Sgt. H. Lee Graham of Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio.

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NEWS FROM THE FARM BUREAU

By RALPH SMITH

You have seen signs, upon entering counties in other areas, placed there by 4-H and FFA chapters, welcoming you to the place at hand. You feel sure that these chapters are active and interested in you when you see their signs of friendly welcome. Well, of course, we know that the chapters in Parmer County are active because of their many projects exhibited at the stock shows and fairs, et cetera. In a short time, however, strangers entering the county from any one of five paved entries will know it, too. Members of FFA and 4-H have been planning for this recently, and Parmer County Farm Bureau, in cooperation with them, is helping with the project.

Bruce Parr, Farm Bureau President, had already committed himself to furnish a large portion of the expensive materials for sign construction, and the directors granted a sum of money, that, with possible further contributions of materials, will make possible attractive welcoming signs that everyone will be proud of. County Agent Joe Jones with committeemen Earl Stevenson and Carl Schlenker have taken the responsibility of assembling materials and seeing that the signs are designed and erected in the near future. Watch for them.

In regular session Tuesday night, May 5, Parmer County Farm Bureau Directors voted to endorse the USDA reorganization that is to begin in the near future.

They also agreed to contribute substantially to the expense of sending 4-H boys to the Roundup at Texas A & M as we have done in the past.

Aubrey Ellison reported briefly on the meeting in Abilene where he and Hadley Reeve attended the study of the Agricultural Act of 1949. In summarizing the report, Ellison said, "If this act goes into effect in 1955 with features we, as agricultural people, don't like, it can be no one's fault but our own. We are being given full information concerning the act as it now reads, and methods of offering amendments to improve it. Let's let our people know what it is so they can tell us what to recommend to our State and National Farm Bureau."

Consider this: "He that oppresses the poor to increase his riches, and he that giveth to the rich, shall surely come to want." Prov. 22:16.

Tax Values Released By Commissioners

Tax values were set at the Commissioner's Court session Monday, with only one change from last year. Cattle evaluation was lowered from \$50 to \$30. Other routine business was also conducted.

June 8 was named as the date for the meeting of the Board of Equalization.

Tax values for the county are: land values, \$4 to \$7 per acre, zone value; irrigation wells, \$500 each; merchandise, 65% of January 1 inventory; pool table, \$100; cattle, \$30; hogs, \$15; horses, \$20; sheep, \$5; and autos, pickups, tractors and combines, scale depending on the model ranging from \$450 for 1953 to \$100 for 1940.

Methodist Annual Conference Convenes

The 1953 sessions of the New Mexico Conference of The Methodist Church opened Wednesday, May 13th at The First Methodist Church, Roswell. The presiding Bishop is W. Angie Smith of Oklahoma City. The conference will close on Sunday, May 16th with 11 o'clock service, when Bishop Smith will bring the conference sermon. After the service, the appointments of the ministers for the conference year, 1953-1954, will be read by the bishop.

Rev. H. Stroup is the ministerial delegate from the local church. John Hadley is the lay delegate, and Loyde Brewer is the reserve lay delegate.

CC Storage Bins Moved to Kansas

Fifteen round storage bins which had been located in the county for some three years, available for CCC loan grains, will be shipped this week to Atwood, Kansas, for the same purpose, according to PMA secretary Joe Camp.

The bins have been dismantled during recent weeks, he added, and are due to be moved shortly.

Remaining in the county for storage are ten quonset type bins, which will hold a total of 320,000 bushels. The tin bins to be moved held some 3250 bushels each.

HERE FOR FUNERAL

Mrs. Blanche Shull, of Lawton, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Graham of Oklahoma City, are here this week to attend the funeral of their brother, W. H. Graham, editor of The Tribune. They will return to their homes this weekend.

Meeks Studies At Ft. Bliss

Private Leon C. Meeks, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Meeks of Farwell, is now enrolled in the Anti-aircraft and Guided Missiles Branch of the Artillery School at Ft. Bliss, Texas.

He is spending 34 weeks studying artillery fire control systems maintenance.

PVT. Meeks entered the military service in December 1952.

Students at Fort Bliss come from the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps of the United States and from many allied countries.

Twenty 8th Graders Are Texico Graduates

Twenty eighth graders were graduated from grade school into the higher grades, in ceremonies at Texico schools Thursday night. Betty Crawley and Carolyn Curd were valedictorians of the class, having maintained the same grade average.

Salutatorian was Susan Levins. Superintendent Agrie Jones presented the diplomas and Doris Harriman read the class will. A play "Trial and Error" was also presented.

Brewer Attends Zone Meeting

Loyde Brewer was in Bovina Tuesday night attending a Legion zone meeting. Representatives were present for the session.

Legion notables present were Louis Fields, member of the Veteran's Affairs committee; Lou Roberts and George Broome. Western music was given by Al Kerby and Bovina citizens. Coffee and doughnuts were served.

Next meeting will be in Canyon June 9.

PICKED UP HERE

William D. Smith of Tucumcari was picked up in Parmer County this week, Sheriff Chas. Lovelace states, and officials from the New Mexico town came after him Saturday. Smith was held on a "hot check" charge. Lovelace said none of the checks had been reported as yet in Parmer.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

"Corky", four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. (Junior) Crume of Artesia, underwent emergency surgery for removal of his appendix the past Saturday, in an Artesia hospital. Corky is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Potet and C. E. Crume of Texico.

LEAVES HERE

Mr. and Mrs. E. U. Scott left the first part of the week for Greenville, N. M. for a visit. They plan to make their home there. Mr. Scott has been an instructor in Texico schools.

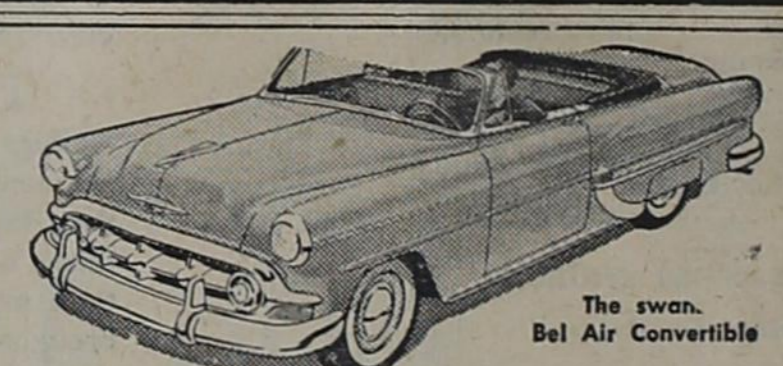
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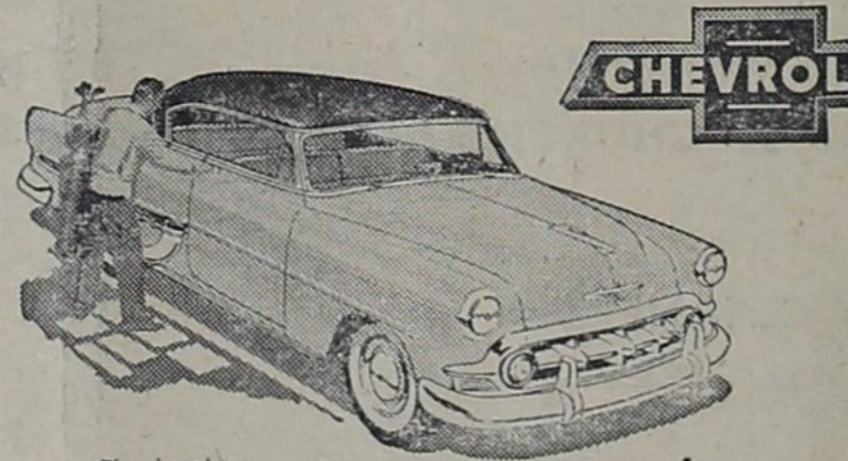
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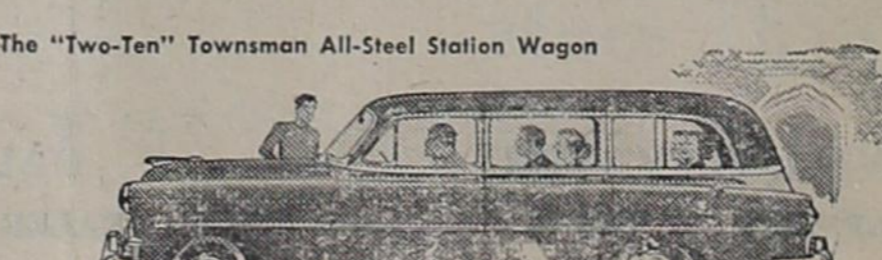
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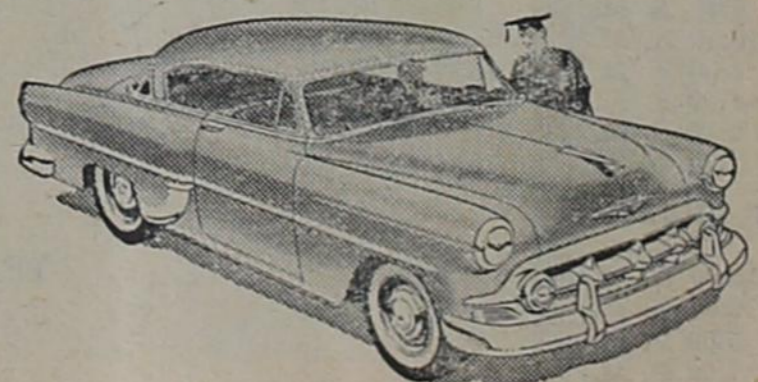
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