

by Dolph Moten

Three Check Forgers Waiting Jury Action

Bad checks and their writers have highlighted recent work of Parmer County sheriff's department. Three individuals are now in county jail at Farwell awaiting jury action.

Sobero Castillo, 25, was apprehended on a farm near Bovina last week for a traffic violation. He turned out to be the man wanted for forgery in Friona.

He passed forged checks—of \$42.00 each—at three Friona businesses and attempted to pass another at two other places all within a month's time, according to a report from Sheriff Chas. Lovelace. Victims of the worthless checks were Friona Piggly Wiggly, Foster's, and White's Grocery. He made small purchases and received the balance of the checks in cash, the sheriff says.

The checks were forged on Paul Daniel and Homer Lindeman of Hub. Castillo used an assumed name as payee on the checks.

After questioning, and after

a handwriting specimen was taken, the suspect gave a confession to Sheriff Lovelace. His bond was set and he was bound over to the grand jury.

Also last week, Charles Shouse, 32, of Sherman was returned to Parmer County to face forgery charges.

Shouse is charged with passing a forged check to Farwell Piggly Wiggly. He forged the name of E. R. Tharp, his former employer.

He waived preliminary hearing, his bond was set, and he was also bound over to the grand jury. Arrest of Shouse was made by a sheriff's deputy at Sherman just as he arrived there from Farwell.

Things happened fast in the Shouse case for five days—he passed the check on a Saturday, warrant for his arrest was issued Sunday, he was arrested in Sherman Monday, Sheriff Lovelace went to Sherman after him Tuesday, and returned to Farwell with him Wednesday.

He admits to serving time in

Postal Rates Will Increase August 1

Costs of doing business with United States post office department are going up.

John D. Zahn, Farwell postmaster, explained to The Tribune this week that the most important rate increase will go into effect August 1. Second class mail is scheduled to have its rates increased in three annual jumps with the first being effective January 1, 1959.

Out-of-town letters will have to have a four-cent stamp

after August 1. Rate in the past has, of course, been three cents. In town letters which are now going for two cents will be jumped to the three cent rate.

The old penny post card, which has been selling in recent months for two cents, will be advanced to three cents.

On the bright side of the picture is the fact that postal employees will get a raise

During the weeks we've been associated with this newspaper, we've been expecting, and hoping, to have a visit from Ches Fowler, Oklahoma Lane's leading political conversationalist.

A few weeks ago, we had a brief visit with Mr. Fowler—at Oklahoma Lane—and if we remember correctly, he promised to come in and talk over politics with us. With the Democratic primary coming up next month, we're eagerly awaiting his visit.

Election date is next month, remember. Saturday, July 26, to be exact. We were surprised when we realized just how near election time is.

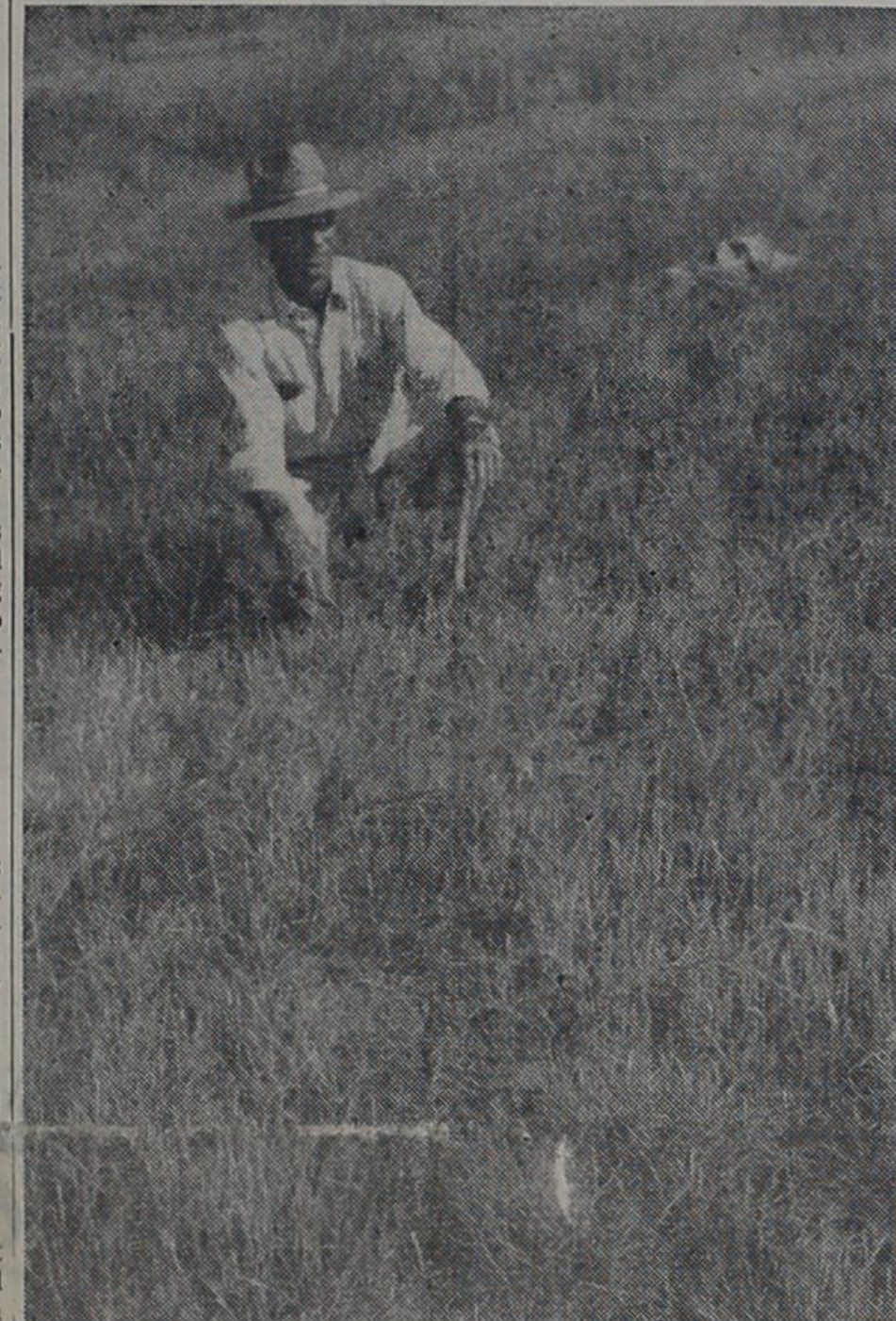
Time is now for voters to be finding out the qualifications of candidates for various offices and forming opinions as to those who are most deserving of their votes. Wouldn't, of course, be out of line to do some campaigning for your favorites, either—if you're the type citizen who believes in taking more than a silent interest in politics.

A smattering of political ads has graced the pages of The Tribune during recent weeks, as well as this week, and more are expected as election time draws nearer. Read them. That's as good a way as any—and better than most—to find out about a candidate's qualifications.

Needless to say, you won't find out anything bad about a candidate from reading his ad, but maybe there's nothing bad to find out about him. Too, we feel it's a better idea to form an opinion on the things "for" a candidate than on the things "against" him.

If our first impression was right, Mr. Fowler doesn't need any of the advice concerning election day and making up his mind about the best qualified candidates.

He has some definite ideas already and we're interested in discussing them with him.



Otis Huggins, chief of Farwell Volunteer Fire Department, looks over dry weeds and grass on a vacant lot. Members of the fire department will burn off many lots, beginning this (Thursday) afternoon. It's possible the year's second crop of weeds, which is just now getting started, will be killed by the vacant lot fires.

FVFD To Burn Off Vacant Lot Weeds

Vacant lots in Farwell are scheduled to be singed in the next few days.

Otis Huggins, fire chief, says weeds on the non-used lots will be burned off by the fire department as protection against fires. In addition to eliminating a fire hazard,

Methodist Youth Plan Special Activities Week

Approximately 15 young people from Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church will be participating in an area-wide Youth Activities Week June 22 through June 27.

MYF members from churches at Muleshoe, Oklahoma Lane, Sudan, Y-L and Progress will meet nightly at Muleshoe at 7. All youth and adults are invited to attend the programs which will include workshops and discussion groups, worship periods, recreation and refreshments, and closing devotions.

Guest speaker for the week will be Rev. Lyman Wood of Hart. Other ministers and laymen will conduct the discussion groups on the four major decisions required of youth today. Overall theme of the sessions will be "Christ Above All."

Special music and devotions will be presented by a different group each night with the local MYF presenting the program on June 25. Judy Roach is president of the group and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cooper are sponsors.

Climaxing the week will be a hayride June 28.

Trinidad's famous Pitch Lake—a 114-acre tar pit—has supplied asphalt for roads the world over.

the chief believes the project will help control the mosquito population.

Work will possibly begin this afternoon (Thursday), Huggins says. Members of the fire department will handle the work. "Several afternoons" will be required to complete the job.

In explaining the need for the lots to be burned off, Huggins pointed out, "With fire cracker season (July 4) coming up and the fact that the dry weeds and grass are near houses and trash barrels, something needs to be done."

If property owners are interested in burning off their own vacant lots, they should contact the fire department prior to doing so. "We'll have some men and the truck on hand to help control the fire," Huggins says.

Also, Huggins advises residents to have a cover for trash barrels to keep flames and burning paper from escaping from the barrels.

Texico Troop Begins Scout Cabin Plans

Preliminary plans for constructing a Boy Scout Cabin in the Texico City Park were discussed by the Texico Boy Scout troop in a Monday night meeting in the Woman's Club Building.

The Scouts themselves will build the 12 by 20 foot cabin with the cooperation of the Texico Volunteer Fire Department. It will have a large meeting room and a smaller storage and supply room, according to C. H. Webb, Scoutmaster.

Lee Doshier was host to the 15 Scouts present at a watermelon feast following the meeting.

Three Firemen Attend New Mexico Meeting

Three members of Texico Volunteer Fire Department attended New Mexico State Fire Convention Monday through Wednesday of last week in Deming, N. M.

Going from the department here were Assistant Chief Perry Winkles, Secretary John Adams, and Otis Huggins.

HAS TONSILLECTOMY

David Norton, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Norton, underwent a tonsillectomy in the Parmer County Community Hospital Tuesday, June 10. He was dismissed the next day but had to return on Thursday because of complications. He is home now and is doing fine.

Two Teachers Signed

Texico School's faculty for 1958-59 school year is complete. The signing of two teachers—one for high school and one for grade school—recently brought the number of teachers hired to 22. That is the total allowed for a school of Texico's size.

New teachers are Mr. and Mrs. Gerald G. Wilkinson, according to an announcement by Mrs. Roxie Crooks, secretary to Superintendent Agrie Jones. They are from Swink, Okla.

He will teach in high school while she will fill a grade school position. They will replace Mrs. Bill Wilson and Mrs. W. M. Ackerman, who resigned.

The Wilkinsons have two children, one of school age and one pre-school age.

Rev. Bernard Seay Lazbuddie Pastor

Appointed minister of the Lazbuddie Methodist Church by the Northwest Texas Conference recently was Rev. Bernard Seay.

Originally from Virginia, Rev. Seay comes to Lazbuddie from Hereford where he has served as pastor of the Wesley Methodist Church for the past two years. He is a graduate of McMurry College.

Rev. and Mrs. Seay are the parents of two daughters, Sharon 11, and Dona Carol 7.

Rev. Aaron Mitchell, former pastor of the Lazbuddie Church, has been transferred to Quitaque.



Rev. Bernard Seay, newly appointed pastor of the Lazbuddie Methodist Church, is shown in a portrait.

Farwell School Getting Remodeling, Additions

While the new elementary building and the cafeteria addition are the most spectacular parts of Farwell School's improvement program, they are by no means all of it.

Other steps being taken to improve school facilities include remodeling the old gym, making dressing room additions to it, and converting the

school building. The school is hiring the workers direct.

In the old gym, which is also used as an auditorium, the bleachers have been taken out. Folding chairs will be used to replace them.

When not in use, the chairs are stored on dollies which slide out from under the stage. Walls in the building will be paneled and a new acoustical tile ceiling will be installed. A forced air heating system is being put in to replace the old suspended type room heaters.

Also, present dressing rooms are being remodeled. An addition, which will be 18 by 62 feet is being constructed on the south side of the building. It will house a check out room for girls and will be used as a dressing room, with equipment storage space, for junior high boys' football.

The gym will be used for physical education purposes, Superintendent Jack Williams points out. "We felt there was no need for bleachers since we play all our formal games in the new gym," he explains.

New paint will decorate the building throughout. Work will be completed in plenty of time for the building to be in use by the time school begins in September.

building which was formerly used as the homemaking department into a science building.

Though no contractor is handling the remodeling, money for the improvements was made available by the bond election which will finance the cafeteria addition and the new grade

partment. (A new homemaking building is also being constructed).

The old homemaking building will be converted into the science department. However, it will be necessary to use one or two of the rooms for elementary classrooms until the new elementary building is completed, Williams says.

A science laboratory will be in one of the rooms. Plumbing work for the laboratory is scheduled to begin in the next few days.

Foundation for the cafeteria addition has been laid and the walls are expected to be erected within the next week or 10 days.

Actual construction on the elementary building has not yet begun, but a portion of the brick and steel has arrived and work will begin soon.

★ WANTED . . .

One Assistant Scoutmaster to help overworked Scoutmaster and Explorer Advisor keep up with 22 livewire Scouts. Applications accepted any time, contact C. H. Webb, Texico.

Little League Baseballers Begin Season's Play Today

With Texico-Farwell's summer youth program well into its first month, participation is "good," says J. D. Atwell, one of the two directors.

Boys' baseball is scheduled to begin today (Thursday) with Texico-Farwell meeting Lazbuddie here. This is one of the most important parts of the program, Atwell feels. A recent meeting of Little League baseball directors from here, Lazbuddie, Bovina, and Friona led to the

formation of leagues for three teams.

Texico - Farwell, Lazbuddie, and Bovina will have teams in Peeewe and Little Leagues. Bovina, Lazbuddie, and Friona—and possibly Texico-Farwell—will have entries in the Pony League.

Atwell says it's possible that no team from here will be entered in the Pony League due to a lack of interest among boys in that age group. However, the schedule is so arranged

that a Texico-Farwell team may enter if it materializes.

Playing on the Peeewe team will be seven, eight, and nine year olds. Little Leaguers will be 10, 11, and 12. Pony ages are 13, 14, and 15.

In all three leagues, the teams will play a round robin. There will be no playoff and the winner of the round robin will be declared champion.

Mondays and Thursdays will be game days for the two younger groups with Peeewe

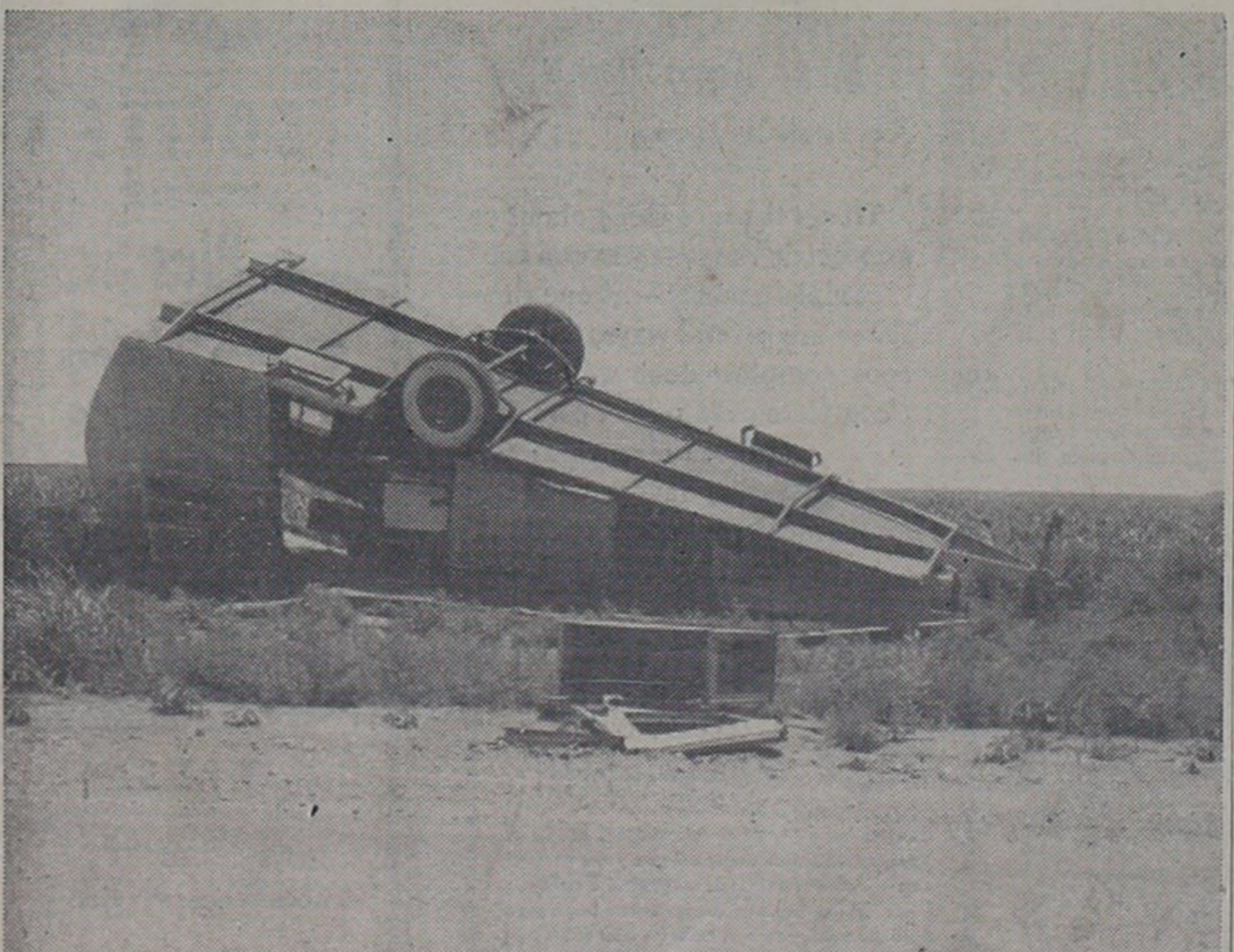
action at 2 and Little League games to follow.

Friona has Peeewe and Little Leagues of its own and will not enter the Parmer County loop in those divisions.

Schedule for Peeewe and Little League games is:

June 19—Lazbuddie at T-F, Bovina Bye;
 June 21—Bovina at Lazbuddie, T-F Bye;
 June 26—T-F at Bovina, Lazbuddie Bye;
 June 30—T-F at Lazbuddie, Bovina Bye;
 July 10—Lazbuddie at Bovina, T-F Bye;
 July 14—Bovina at T-F, Lazbuddie Bye;
 July 17—Lazbuddie at T-F, Bovina Bye;
 July 21—Bovina at Lazbuddie, T-F Bye;
 July 24—T-F at Bovina, Lazbuddie Bye;
 July 28—T-F at Lazbuddie, Bovina Bye;
 July 31—Lazbuddie at Bovina, T-F Bye.

Pony League playing dates are Tuesdays and Fridays. These games will begin at 3.



SWISH—This wrecked trailer at Oklahoma Lane is proof of the strong winds which swept through that vicinity last week. This unoccupied vehicle was blown across the road and fence by a wind which some people believed to be a small twister. Folks who thought the damage was done by a twister based their belief on the fact that no marks were made on the pavement where the trailer house crossed it and other nearby mobile houses were unmolested. The trailer is at Oklahoma Lane Gin.

MRS. HANEY DOING WELL

Mrs. L. L. Haney, who has been a medical patient in Clovis Memorial Hospital for about a week, is doing well, according to the attending physician.

CASSADY DISMISSED

Dismissed Monday from Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona was Phil Cassidy who had been receiving medical treatment since Saturday. He is doing well.

NORTON HOSPITALIZED

Darrell Norton spent Saturday night in the Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona receiving treatment for a throat infection.



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News From LAZBUDDIE

By MRS. CLYDE MONK

Two Local Boys On Six-Day Trip

Gerald McGehee and Odis Bradshaw left Friday morning on a six-day trip to St. Louis.

Mo., and Chicago. The boys were going by bus along with other winners in a contest sponsored by Farm and Ranch magazine. This contest was open to all FFA boys, and with the cooperation of the entire class, two winners from the Lazbuddie class were recipients of this all expense paid trip. Their teacher, Jack Black, will join the group in Oklahoma City to make the trip with them. Plans were not complete when they left, but they were to see two major league baseball games while they are gone.

Shower Honors Mrs. Billy Watts

The home of Mrs. J. D. Carpenter Jr. was the scene of a stork shower, Tuesday afternoon, June 10, honoring Mrs. Billy Watts of Farwell. Mrs. Carpenter was assisted with the hostess duties by Mesdames Kenneth Seales, Frank Hinkson, C. D. Gustin, Loren Howard, David White, and Wayne Moore and Misses Patsy Weaver and Clo Ann White.

The mantel was decorated with an arrangement of baby blue mums and silver-sprayed greenery and a miniature stork in a pink wicker cradle. It was flanked on either side by pink and blue candles. A large pink and blue satin bow on the front of the mantel completed the decor.

The serving table was centered with a large stork surrounded by tiny pink rosebuds. Refreshments of pink punch and white cake squares iced with blue were served. Plate favors were small three-cornered diapers filled with mints.

Mrs. Watts was assisted in opening the gifts by her mother, Mrs. Finis Jennings, and a sister-in-law, Carolyn Watts. They were presented corsages of baby rattles and ribbon. Others signing the guest register besides those already mentioned were Mesdames Bud White, Leland Gustin, Ernest Nowell, Bernard Seay, V. H. Bewley, J. B. Jennings, Don McDonald, B. Whitt, Albert Carrell, Gene Hardage and Johnny Nowell and Theresa Jesko and Vicki.

Rev. and Mrs. Bernard Seay and Mr. and Mrs. Finis Jennings were in Plainview Friday where they attended an all-day district meeting of the Methodist Church.

Mrs. Jack Husband and daughter Carolyn from Amarillo visited last Thursday in the home of a niece, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown.

The Jackie Brown, Claude Watkins, Bob Jones, W. G. Harlan and Allen Grusendorf families took advantage of the unexpected vacation brought on by the rain and spent last Friday at Alamogordo, boating and water skiing.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Parham, Sharon and Terry, spent last week fishing at Lake Stamford. They also visited their parents, the W. M. Parhams in Merkel the Y. B. Mayfields at Anson, and Mrs. Parham's sister, Mrs. Mary Vassar in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sybert and daughter, Nancy, from Denton spent the weekend visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Smith and family, and his parents at Morton.

will be Tuesday, July 1, in the home of Mrs. Glen Splawn of Muleshoe.

Englekings Attend Funeral

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Engleking returned home last week after a week from Newkirk, Okla., where they attended the funeral of Engleking's father. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Engleking and children and Mrs. Floyd Embry were also in Oklahoma to attend the funeral. They returned home Sunday.

Ronald and Linda Ashford returned home last week after visiting several days with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Merriott in Dalhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Stout from Plainview visited Sunday with her parents, the Barney Floys. Other visitors in the Floyd home were Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Treider Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wright and boys from Albuquerque spent the weekend here in the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Menefee. Other visitors in the Menefee home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cox and children, Farwell; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Reeves and family, Dimmitt; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Long and family, Hereford; Mr. and Mrs. Ted Treider and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Juel Treider.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Steinbock and Mrs. Nealy Moore were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Seaborn Moore of the Pleasant Valley community.

Sunday dinner guests in the Bill Lancaster home were Mr. and Mrs. Pete Lancaster from Slaton.

Willie Steinbock and Gordon Duncan were in Fort Worth on business over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Mayfield, Marsella and Ronald, spent the weekend visiting his parents, the Y. B. Mayfields, in Anson, his sister in Sweetwater and on Sunday attended a Mayfield family reunion in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Bewley and son, Gary, were recent visitors in the home of his parents en route to their home at Darby, Mont. They were returning from the funeral of her father in Jamestown, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Stevens visited Sunday in Lubbock with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Watkins and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Dean Stevens from Albuquerque were also present for the get-together.

Visitors last week in the Jess Pendergrass home were her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Reese Hester and children from Eunice, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Wiley from Lubbock.

Templeton Son Born June 10

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Templeton are the parents of a boy born Tuesday, June 10. The young man weighed 7 pounds, 2 ounces and has been named Gary Michael. The Templetons have three other children, Pauletta, Terry and Gaylon.

Mrs. John R. Crabtree and Pamela from Levelland spent the weekend with her parents, the R. L. Forresters. Reggie Crabtree, also of Levelland, spent the weekend with his grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Nowell, Johnny and Jan, were visitors Sunday with his sister, the S. V. Taylor family of Lubbock. Gayla Seaton spent last week at the Pan-Fork Baptist Encampment in Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Black and Doyle spent the weekend at Spur visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Mathis and family. Mathis is a patient in the Crosbyton hospital and

hopes to be dismissed in another week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Matthews, accompanied by Miss Evelyn Matthews from Lubbock and Mrs. Mae Melugian of Slaton, are vacationing this week at Lake Buchanan, Corsicana and other points of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Houston, Marie and Gene, and Mr. and Mrs. John Littlefield and Carroll drove to Carlsbad and toured the caverns Saturday.

The Rufus Carters were dinner guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Bradshaw, on Sunday and attended the races at the lake in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Pierce and Mike visited her brother and other relatives in Salisaw, Okla., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. David Robertson, David, Carl, Geneva, Leon and Ardith Matthews from Amarillo visited Sunday with her parents, the A. H. Wilsons. Carl and Geneva will spend the summer with their grandparents and uncle and cousin. David Robertson has just returned from a two-week stay in Portales at the Sunshine Music Camp. He was awarded fourth chair in cello from a group of 16 entered.

Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor from Levelland visited last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Matthews.

day of this week. The last meeting will be June 25 and will be under the direction of Mrs. Travis Reed on "Principles of Flower Arrangements."

Present for the first class were Mesdames R. G. Treider, Don Strahan, Alfred Steinbock, V. W. Rannals, J. G. Ward, John McGehee, Demp Foster, Ed Steinbock, Raymond McGehee, C. A. Weir, John Bond and the homemaking teacher, Mrs. Diane Reed. Also Misses Beverly Smith and Johnnie Nowell.

Dinner guests on Father's Day in the Junior Matthews home were Mr. and Mrs. Short Ivy and Gail and Mrs. T. D. Reed. In the afternoon the group enjoyed swimming at Clovis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Pendergrass and Susan spent the weekend in Brownfield with her brother, the Preston Hesters, and on Sunday attended a Hester family reunion. Susan accompanied her grandmother, Mrs. L. C. Hester, and an uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Trigg, to Abilene to visit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mason and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hardage and children enjoyed a Father's Day get-together with their parents, the Lacy Hardages.

Gary Merriott Observes Birthday

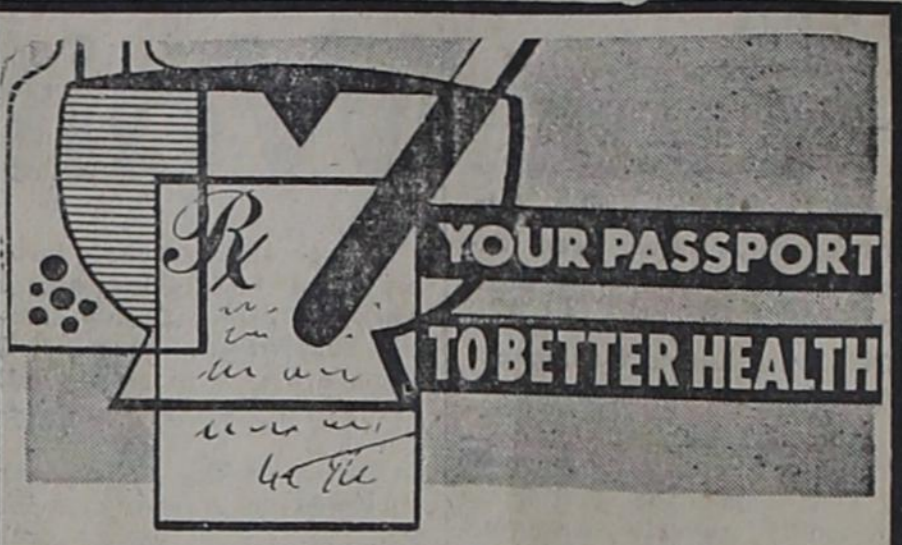
Gary Merriott celebrated his third birthday by going with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Merriott, to Dalhart and spending the weekend with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Merriott.

The J. B. Wrights had their three daughters together Fri-

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day and Saturday at their home. They are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stone and girls of Frederick, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lovejoy and son, Lovington, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs.

June Wagon of girls of Muleshoe. Mrs. J. B. Young, Cooper and Steve, were in Amarillo Saturday where Cooper was on
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Drain liquid from cans of vegetables and arrange in bottom of the broiler pan. Place asparagus down center of pan. Place pimiento strips down the center of asparagus. Arrange 1 can of Mexican corn on each side of asparagus. Season vegetables with salt and pepper.

Wipe steaks with damp cloth, score fat around edges to prevent curling. Place on rack of cold broiler pan, season, and place under broiler unit of electric range so the top of the steak is four or five inches from the broiler unit.

Turn oven control to Broil. Leave oven door ajar. Cook on one side until brown (about 12 minutes). Turn and brown other side (about 10 minutes). Cut tomatoes in halves and put grated cheese on top. Arrange on broiler rack just before steaks are done.

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"Cotton John's" TV program in connection with 4-H work. While in Amarillo the Youngs visited with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Chitwood, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Barnes and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Barnett. Mrs. Barnett is the former Francis Tucker and was a grade school classmate of Mrs. Young.

Saturday night visitors in the Jimmie Black home were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Max Steinbock, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Treider and Mr. and Mrs. George Whitworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Gleason, Linda and Bobby vacationed last week at Lake Stamford, and visited their parents, the Y. B. Mayfields and L. F. Gleasons in Anson.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Jennings left last week for Wenatchee, Wash., where they will be visiting the next two weeks with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jacobs and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Kimbrough and Mr. and Mrs. Finis Kimbrough from Muleshoe spent the weekend in Fort Worth where they attended the golden wedding anniversary celebration of an uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Harris.

Father's Day guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Clark were Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Clark and Janice, Butch Ryder, Larry Gunner, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Brown and Sonya, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Clark, Loy Dale and Danny and Bob and Jerry Templer.

Thursday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Reed and Doyle were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jones of Houston and Mrs. T. D. Reed and Gail Ivy. Mr. and Mrs. Jarrett Pinckley and Sue spent the weekend in Merkel visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodie Splawn from Whiteface, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Splawn and Benny of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Splawn, Pam and Kenny of Muleshoe and Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Brown, Judy, Sandy, and Jody, honored their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Splawn, Sunday in their home. Other visitors in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tate from Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Briggs of Fort Worth were weekend visitors in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Doc James and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Briggs. The Briggses also attended the wedding of her niece, Rosetta Simms.

E. E. Mason filled the pulpit at the Baptist Church Sunday in the absence of the pastor, Bill Curry, who with his family is on vacation.

Mrs. Euel Mitchell and Jan visited last Wednesday in Littlefield with her mother, Mrs. J. J. Williams and her sister, Mrs. Efton Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Boatride from Fillmore, Calif., visited last Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Graef and other relatives.

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Sunday visitors in the H. H. Briggs home were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Briggs, of Lubbock and two brothers, Alton Briggs of Lubbock, and Jess Briggs of Denver, Colo.

Mary Hartsell returned last week from a visit with relatives in Oklahoma.

A Father's Day dinner and get-together was Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Ivy. Present besides the Ivys were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gammon, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Briggs, Mrs. Reece Wilterding and children of Tulia, Mr. and Mrs. Everett McBroom and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gammon and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Denton Thompson and family from Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Edwards from Pampa visited Sunday with her parents, the Fred Edwardses. They were accompanied by Billy and Eddie Edwards.

Those visiting in the Joe Paul home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCutchan from Bovina, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Howard and son of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. J. Shaw of Hereford, Mrs. D. Z. Bradbury of Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Donald Spitzer and family and Miss Grace Paul, from Lubbock, who is taking a workshop course at Texas Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hughes and son David from Lubbock were Sunday guests of the Finis Jennings family. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Watts from Farwell.

Dinner guests in the Ralph

Cox home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hamrick from Farwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Rannals, Dorothy and Kenneth, were Sunday visitors in the home of his brother, the Varney Rannals family. Leroy and Stanley Rannals, both from Borger, are staying with Mr. and Mrs. Rannals and assisting with work in the fields.

M. H. Laney returned from Bennington, Okla., last week. He had taken Mrs. Laney and Tommy to their home there and they, along with another son, James, are attending summer school in Durant.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McDonald and Kim, Mr. and Mrs. Don McDonald and children were all picnicking at Mackenzie Park Saturday. Others of the family there were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McDonald and Billy and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy McDonald and family, all of Farwell.

Mrs. J. H. Clay has been at the bedside of her father, W. B. Lawrence, who is a patient in an Amarillo hospital, for the past ten days.

Mrs. Gertrude Harran from El Paso is visiting her mother, Mrs. Rudolph Pyritz for a few days. On Saturday Mrs. Harran and her mother visited in Plainview.

The J. T. Eubanks family is working in the wheat harvest in the Tulia district and were there when a tornado struck recently. They had quit for the day and were leaving for Tulia and were only 15 minutes away when they looked back and saw the twister.

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Donations of over \$120 worth of groceries were made by the congregation recently to children's homes in Tipton, Okla., and Portales. Members are to be commended for their contributions.

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Rev. C. C. Morgan, Pastor

Sunday attendance was 152 in Sunday school and 69 in training union.

Two additions by baptism were made to the church Sunday.

The WMU met Monday afternoon for a regular Bible study.

JERRY JOHNSON INJURED

Word was received here Wednesday morning that Jerry Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Johnson, was injured in a fall from a truck load of lumber in Carlsbad. He suffered a fractured right wrist and severe bruises on his hip and head. He was treated at a hospital and dismissed to his home.

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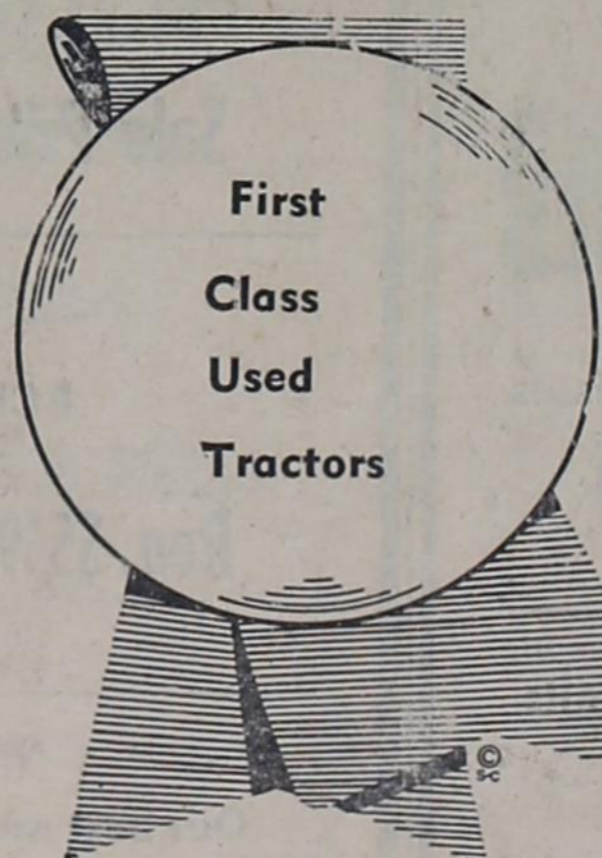
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Social Events of Interest

Mary Kriegel, Henry Herbrich Wed In Saturday Ceremony

In a double ring ceremony performed Saturday night at St. John's Lutheran Church in Lariat, by Rev. M. H. Moser, pastor, Miss Mary Laverne Kriegel became the bride of Henry Alvin Herbrich.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kriegel of Lariat, and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Herbrich of Corpus Christi.

Wedding music was played by R. Franz, and L. Wagner sang "The Lord's Prayer" and "Oh Perfect Love." Honor attendants were Miss

Joy Lee Oppel of Kingfisher, Okla., and Ben Herbrich of Corpus Christi. Bridesmaids were Miss Edna Herbrich of Corpus Christi and Mrs. J. B. Sudderth; serving as ushers were Arnold Kriegel of Bovina and Kenneth Kriegel.

Candles were lit by Misses Alice Ramm and Gloria Keilberg. Flower girl and ring-bearer were Phyllis Kriegel of Seminole and Martin Moser of Lariat.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor-length dress of white satin and

lace, designed with long sleeves. Her veil of illusion was attached to a lace cap, and she carried an orchid on a white Bible.

Parish hall of the church was the scene of a reception.

The bride's going away ensemble was a blue cotton dress. The couple will live in Corpus Christi.

spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Kesner. They are the parents of Mrs. Gazzaway and Elton.

Companion Class Honors Members

Mesdames Juanita Foreman and Mary Lynn London were honored in observance of their birthdays at the monthly meeting of the Companion Class of the Texico Baptist Church last Thursday night.

Mrs. Hazel Stallings was hostess and the prayer and devotion were led by Mrs. Wilma Nell Whitener.

Refreshments of cherry pie and coffee were served to those already mentioned and Mesdames Dot Camp, T. E. Roth, and Glenda Carpenter. Mrs. London will be hostess to the next meeting July 3.

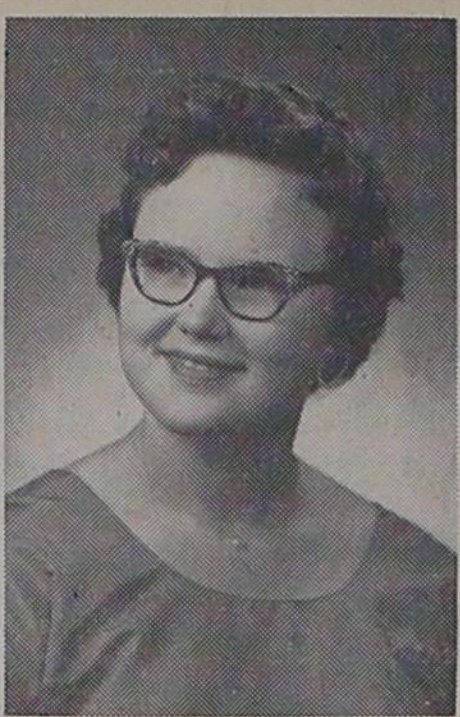
Shower Given Friday For Miss Sheets

Hostesses at a lingerie shower honoring Miss Pauline Sheets Friday night were Mesdames D. K. Kittrell and Darrell Norton.

The event was in the Kittrell home. Guests were served homemade ice cream with strawberries and cookies from a table centered with an arrangement of white daisies and pink snapdragons.

The honoree, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Sheets, is the bride-elect of Lt. Thomas Dwayne Scott of Cannon Air Force Base. The wedding is to be June 28.

Attending were Mesdames Doris Martin, John McFarland, James Norton, Alta Geries, Inez Stone, Dorothy Camp, Alta Sheets, E. W. Sheets and Miss Wilma Norton.



Miss Magness Plans June 27 Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Magness, Route 1, Farwell, are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jo Elaine, to Clair Lackey, 3rd Class Personnelman, United States Navy. Lackey's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lackey of Thermopolis, Wyo.

The wedding will be Friday evening, June 27, at 8:15 in First Baptist Church, Farwell. No invitations are being mailed, but all relatives and friends of the couple are invited to the wedding and reception which is to be at the home of the bride-elect's brother, Ted Magness, 503 Avenue B.

Mrs. Liles Visits

Visiting briefly in Farwell Sunday afternoon was Mrs. Bill Liles, a former resident who now lives in Midland. She was en route to Bovina to get her son, Billy, who had been visiting with relatives, the Leroy Berggren family.

DAR Flag Day Breakfast Saturday

Three local women were among those present at the annual Flag Day breakfast of El Portal Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution at a Clovis restaurant Saturday morning.

Guest speaker for the traditional event, was Dr. D. H. Reed, chairman of the school of social studies and psychology at Eastern New Mexico University. Dr. Reed discussed rising personalities in the United States today. He credited Vice-president Richard Nixon and Senators Frank J. Lausche of Ohio, John K. Kennedy of Massachusetts, William F. Knowland of California, and Lyndon B. Johnson of Texas with being men who put principles before politics.

Special guests were winners of the annual Good Citizen awards from four area high schools. They included Miss Lynell Lovett of Texico. Mrs. Floren Thompson of Portales, regent of the chapter, presided. The invocation and a talk on the flag were given by Mrs. George Baxter of Clovis, chaplain.

Other local persons present were Mesdames A. D. Smith and W. H. Graham Sr. Martha Smith, Good Citizen award winner from Farwell High School, was unable to attend.

Two Families Make California Trip

Leaving early Sunday morning for southern California were Mrs. Ann Smith and children and Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Kittrell and son.

Mrs. Smith and family will visit her sister, Mrs. Roy Nix, who lives near Los Angeles, and the Kittrells will be guests of friends, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Teel, who also live near Los Angeles.

They plan to return about the middle of next week.

Billingtons Return From California

Returning Sunday from an extended visit in California were Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Billington. They had been visiting since

March 3 with their children and families.

They were guests of Mrs. Inez Montgomery in Norwalk, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hulsey in Downey, Mrs. Juanita Watkins in Long Beach, and Jim Billington in La Mirada.

Among the points of interest which they visited were Catalina Island, Disneyland, and Big Bear Lake.

West Camp HD Club To Be Guests Of Progress Group

Members of the West Camp Home Demonstration Club will be guests of the Progress Club June 26 in the home of Mrs. Well. The hostess will give a demonstration on games.

The invitation was extended at a meeting of the former club last Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Ethel Harding, who also gave the opening exercise from First James.

Roll call was answered with favorite television programs and a council report was heard. Living room furniture arrangements were the topic of a demonstration given by Mrs. Harriett Jackson.

Refreshments of cake and lemonade were served to Mesdames Wilma Austin, Naomi Austin, Louise Roark, Mae Busbice, Wanda Walker, Alta Hughes, Katie Robertson, Betty Flowers, and a visitor, Mrs. Juanita Schengel.

Missionary League Members Attend District Convention

Twelve members of the Lutheran Ladies' Missionary League of St. John's Lutheran Church at Lariat attended a district convention at Caprock Hotel in Lubbock last Thursday, Friday, and Saturday.

Mrs. Walter Kaltwasser, president of the local league and a candidate for the district presidency, was toastmistress at a Friday night banquet. She was defeated in the election by Mrs. A. E. Kramer of San Antonio. Directing the South Plains choir in several numbers during the convention sessions was Mrs. Harold Norrod.

Members attending in addition to Mesdames Kaltwasser and Norrod were Mesdames G. P. Meissner, Alvin Kriegel, Ernest Kube, Otto Lingnau, Henry Haseloff, Adolph Haseloff, Fred Ramm, Ernest Ramm, Martin Moser, and Gilbert Kaltwasser.

Mrs. Hapke To Join Husband In Japan

Leaving Portales for San Francisco, Calif., early Saturday was Mrs. Frank Hapke, who is en route to join her husband at Yokosuka, Japan. She was accompanied to San Francisco by her mother, Mrs. Lloyd Sanderson of Portales.

Mrs. Hapke was scheduled to sail for Japan Wednesday. Hapke, a radioman in the United States Navy, is to be stationed in Japan for a year or more. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hapke.

Austins Attend Reunion In Lubbock

Attending an Austin family reunion in Lubbock Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Partin Austin and Sherry, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Jones and Brent, and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Austin and Mikala and Stanley. The annual event was at a Lubbock club house.

Study Club Plans To Decorate Hall

Members of the Farwell Study Club have voted to contract with the city commission to take over the City Hall for a meeting place for their group and other organizations in the community. They will redecorate and furnish the two rooms as a club project.

The decision was made at a call meeting in the City Hall Monday afternoon. Mrs. Lura Rundell, president, conducted the meeting and appointed committees to investigate needed repairs and equipment for the project. Detailed plans will be made later.

Individuals or organizations desiring to use the hall for entertaining or meetings may make arrangements by contacting either Mrs. Rundell or Mrs. D. W. Bagley.

Arthur Haseloffs Have Daughter

Tami Michele is the name given the daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Haseloff Wednesday night in Clovis Memorial Hospital. She weighed 8 pounds and 14 ounces. The maternal grandmother, Mrs. Lila B. Nickels of Hobbs, is visiting in the home. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Haseloff of Vernon.

Visiting her father, O. B. Staggs, in the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Magness, over the weekend was Mrs. Cyrus Humphreys of Levelland. She was accompanied by her son.

Mrs. B. N. Graham entertained her sisters, Mesdames Cora Gibson and Eugene Cox of Lamesa, over the weekend.



MRS. HENRY HERBRICH

Relatives Visit In Magness Home

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Magness and Kim were Mrs. Magness' uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Davidson, Phillip and Priscilla, and Mrs. Davidson's mother, Mrs. Irene Parten, of Morenci, Ariz. Also visiting with the group were Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hensley Jr. and Susan of Canyon. Hensley is Mrs. Magness' brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Gazzaway and Randy, accompanied by Elton Kesner, all of Hobbs

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Sulser Daughter Born Friday

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sulser of Earth announce the birth of a daughter, La'Anna Britten, Friday in an Amherst hospital. She weighed 8 1/2 pounds. Her maternal grandmother is Mrs. Loucile Foster of Abilene, formerly of Farwell, and her paternal grandmother is Mrs. Britten Sulser of Friona.

Relatives Visit In Medley Home

Guests last week in the G. L. Medley home included relatives and friends from Oklahoma and Texas.

Coming from Oklahoma City were their son, Jack Medley, and sons, Jackie and Mike, a sister-in-law, Mrs. Edna Medley, and Mr. and Mrs. John Moore. Mrs. Moore is a sister of the local man.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Powell of Clinton, Okla., son-in-law and daughter of the G. L. Medleys visited over the weekend and a Monday caller was a family friend, Mrs. L. D. Smith of Olton.

Jack Medley and sons and G. L. Medley visited with the Bill Medleys in Santa Fe before the Oklahomans returned to their home.

Daughter Visits

Mrs. Juanita Schengel and sons, Gary and Donnie, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hughes, and other relatives in the area were to leave for their home in Sacramento, Calif., today (Thursday).

They have visited with Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Smith and family in Iran, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hughes at Dalhart, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hughes, and J. C. Hughes in Clovis.

The family arrived about three weeks ago.

Leaving Monday morning for their home in Benson, Ariz., were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Stoddard and family who had been visiting with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Richardson and family for several days.

Weekend guests in the J. R. Thornton home were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Rondal Price of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Helton and Hal Ed spent the weekend in Amarillo in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Whatley, the parents of Mrs. Helton.

Sunday guests in the Bill Hubbell home were Mrs. James Roach and children of Oklahoma Lane, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Foster Jr. and family and Mr. and Mrs. Edd Foster and family of Clovis. The group spent the afternoon at Pleasure Lake where Roach was entered in the boat races.

Burnie McLains Here For Summer

Mr. and Mrs. Burnie McLain of Lubbock moved to Farwell last weekend. He will be employed at The State Line Tribune as a printer. Both Mr. and Mrs. McLain are students at Texas Tech; he is a pre-med student and her major is elementary education.

Baby Shower Fetes Mrs. Billy Watts

Mrs. Billy Watts was honored guest at a baby shower last Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. D. Carpenter Jr. of Lazbuddie.

Stork models surrounded with flowers formed the decorations for the mantel and the serving table. Refreshments of pink punch and white cake were served. Plate favors were small three-cornered diapers filled with mints.

The honoree was assisted in opening the gifts by her mother, Mrs. Finis Jennings, and a sister-in-law, Miss Carolyn Watts. Among the guests was Mrs. Gene Hardage.

Visit Cassadys

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Pruitt of San Antonio visited here a week recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cassidy.

Mrs. Pruitt's sister, Beverly Cassady, returned home with them for a six-week stay. They planned to go to Alabama to visit friends before returning to San Antonio.

Schlueters Visit In Midland

Mr. and Mrs. Olan Schlueter visited their son-in-law and daughter, Rev. and Mrs. Richard Payne and girls in Midland last weekend. The group observed three special occasions—Father's Day, the Payne's sixth wedding anniversary, and the birthday of the youngest Payne daughter.

Sprowls Family Attends Reunion

Attending a family reunion in Elk City, Okla., over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Mem Sprowls and family. Returning with them to spend about two weeks was Sandy Trantham of Erick, Okla. She is a sister of Mrs. Sprowls. Other recent guests were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Trantham of Spearman.

Arriving Wednesday to visit with the George Storeys for several weeks was his brother, Ira Storey of Los Angeles. Also visiting in the home this week was Mrs. Caudie Ola Brown of Hereford, a sister of Mrs. Storey.

Don Jones visited friends and relatives in Anton and Lubbock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hromas entertained Mr. and Mrs. Joe McWilliams and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edwards at supper Monday night.

Visiting in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Morgan, is Mrs. L. L. Reese of Lubbock.

The Fred Danforth family spent the weekend in Carlsbad where they visited friends and toured the caverns.

News from PLEASANT HILL BY MRS. BUCK TAYLOR

Miss Virginia Barns spent Wednesday night with Miss Darlene Boatwright.

Mrs. Robert Servatius, Billy, Pauline and Arlene, were in Anton Wednesday visiting her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hargrove.

Miss Darlene Boatwright and Mrs. Mamie Hightower were Clovis visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Whitener made a business trip to Amarillo last week.

Visiting Sunday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Taylor were their daughter and granddaughters, Mrs. Cecil Osborne, Linda, and Karen.

Miss Darlene Boatwright was an overnight guest of Miss Nora Lee Roby Saturday night.

Those visiting Sunday and observing Father's Day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Tally Sr. were their sons and daughters-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Tally of Friona, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Tally, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tally and a son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Obra Cole of Friona.

Mrs. Maurine Horton visited last week in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ott of Amarillo.

Visiting Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Weatherford was an uncle, Harvey Stroud of Crosbyton.

Visiting Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Whitener were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Whitener and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wilkins of Oklahoma Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Weatherford and boys plan to have a cousin, Reba Buttons of Lubbock, spend most of the summer with them.

Several of the Lovett families were in Tulia for a get-together and picnic in the park. They attended church in Tulia where a nephew, Rev. James Glasscock, was conducting a youth revival. Those attending included Mr. and Mrs. Larry

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Winkles, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Lovett, Lynn, Judy, and Gwenette, Mr. and Mrs. E. Lovett, and L. C. Lovett.

J. M. Goolsby is attending the summer session at ENMU in Portales.

Bob and Mike Spearman of California are here visiting in the home of their father, Mr. and Mrs. John Spearman. They plan to stay most of the summer.

Several from the church visited newcomers in the community Sunday. They included Rev. Charles Jones, Mrs. Glynn Lovett, Donna Kay Pierce, Lynell Lovett, and Donnie Lovett. The group was entertained at supper in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brown and family and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Brown and family were in Clovis Sunday to attend the wedding of a niece.

BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULED. The bookmobile of the East Plains Regional Library Services will be in the Pleasant Hill community June 24 at 4:20 p.m. Any one who enjoys reading is welcome to take advantage of the library services.

Visiting this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hopper

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF PARMER. Bids will be received by Parmer County at the Court House at Farwell, Texas on July 14, 1958 at 10:00 A. M., by the Commissioners Court of Said County, for the purchase of one (1) new motor Grader with slide shift moldboard, cab, lights, hour meter, mufflers, roll away moldboard 14' one piece. The Commissioners Court will offer for trade one (1) Gallon Model 4-118 motor grader, serial number 2259 G 71 A. The bids will be opened in the Commissioners courtroom at Farwell, Texas, at 10:00 A. M. on said day, Monday, July 14, 1958. The Commissioners Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids. A. D. Smith County Judge, Parmer County, Texas. 37-2tc.

Mr. and Mrs. John Aldridge and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rundell spent the weekend in El Paso and Juarez and returned by Carlsbad Caverns.

Leaving last Thursday after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Watkins were Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Laitinen of Gardner, Mass. Laitinen is a nephew of Mrs. Watkins.

Leaving Wednesday after visiting several days with the J. A. Kaltwassers, the Gilbert Kaltwassers, and the Walter Kaltwassers were Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. Murphy and family of North Platte, Neb. Mrs. Murphy is the daughter of the J. A. Kaltwassers, and a sister of Gilbert and Walter.

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«The High Plains Farm and Home»

Wheat Harvest Off To Sputtering Start

The Parmer County area wheat harvest got off to a sputtering start this week, amid scattered showers that halted the combines almost as soon as they started in many spots.

If the weather turns hot and dry for a few days, the men and machines will take off a huge slice of the approximately 84,000 acres—both irrigated and dryland—within the coming week.

Early reports from harvest scenes strongly indicate that a record per-acre yield will be set this year. The dryland wheat, which is one-half or slightly less of the total crop, is ranging all the way from 8 to 30 bushels an acre, with 17 bushels being a common yield, farmers report.

Most of the crop will come from the approximately 45,000 acres of irrigated wheat, though, where yields are running from 30 to 60 bushels and the average will probably beat 35.

An elevator-by-elevator report will be published by Farm and Home as soon as harvest is well underway.

The good news of increased per-acre yields will be partially offset by reduced prices which appear almost certain for the biggest part of the 1958 crop. The Parmer County loan rate is \$1.79 per bushel this year, which is 22 cents less than in 1957.

(Curry County's loan rate is two cents lower per bushel than Parmer County's. Previously, the two counties have had the same rate. However, the difference does not apply in Texas.)

With wheat reserves in abundance and prospects for a very large crop nation-wide this year, prices will be trending downward on the normal market. That will probably make the loan this summer attractive even though it is down from 1957 levels.

Last year, 1,043,056 bushels of

Parmer County wheat went into the loan at warehouses, and another 16,837 bushels was placed under loan in farm storage facilities.

Before the loan maturity date of March 31 this spring, 273,305 bushels were redeemed from the loan at the elevators, and all of the farm-stored wheat had been marketed.

Prentice Mills, ASC office manager, points out that the biggest part of this farm-stored wheat that sold out over the loan was high-protein wheat that commanded a price premium because of its superior qualities.

This year, a much larger portion of the 1958 crop is expected to be placed under government loan, and prospects appear poor for that much of it to be redeemed next spring.

Storage and handling charges reduce the net price to the farmer from the fixed gross loan rate, and the amount depends when the grain is placed in storage.

From May 31 until the last day of the loan in the spring of 1959, the charges range from 15 cents down to one cent per bushel. Wheat placed in the loan now would be subject to a 14-cent fee, in addition to a one-half cent per bushel charge (regardless of the date) for processing the loan.

Farmers who produce higher protein wheat can qualify for premium payments, which range from one cent per bushel for wheat having 12 to 12.9 percent protein content, to more than 10 cents for protein content that ranges around 18 percent.

Most of the area wheat contains protein in an amount of about 10 to 14 percent, which means from no premium up to two cents for this range. As a general rule, irrigated wheat is lower in protein and commands no premium, and dryland wheat pulls from one to two cents for its higher protein content.

Most of the Parmer County area wheat is considered No. 1. In cases where quality diminishes because of light test reasons, though, discounts of one cent are assessed for No. 2 and three cents for No. 3.

Farmers have pretty well shied away from the "undesirable" varieties that the USDA blacklisted two years ago. These varieties, which include Safford, Pawnee Select 33, Red Chief, Chiefkan, Early Blackhull, Red Jacket, Kanking, New Chief, Blue Jacket, Purkof Cimarron, and Red Hull, are subject to a discount of 20 cents a bushel—a stiff penalty.

The government reduced rates on these wheats because they have been regarded as undesirable for milling purposes.

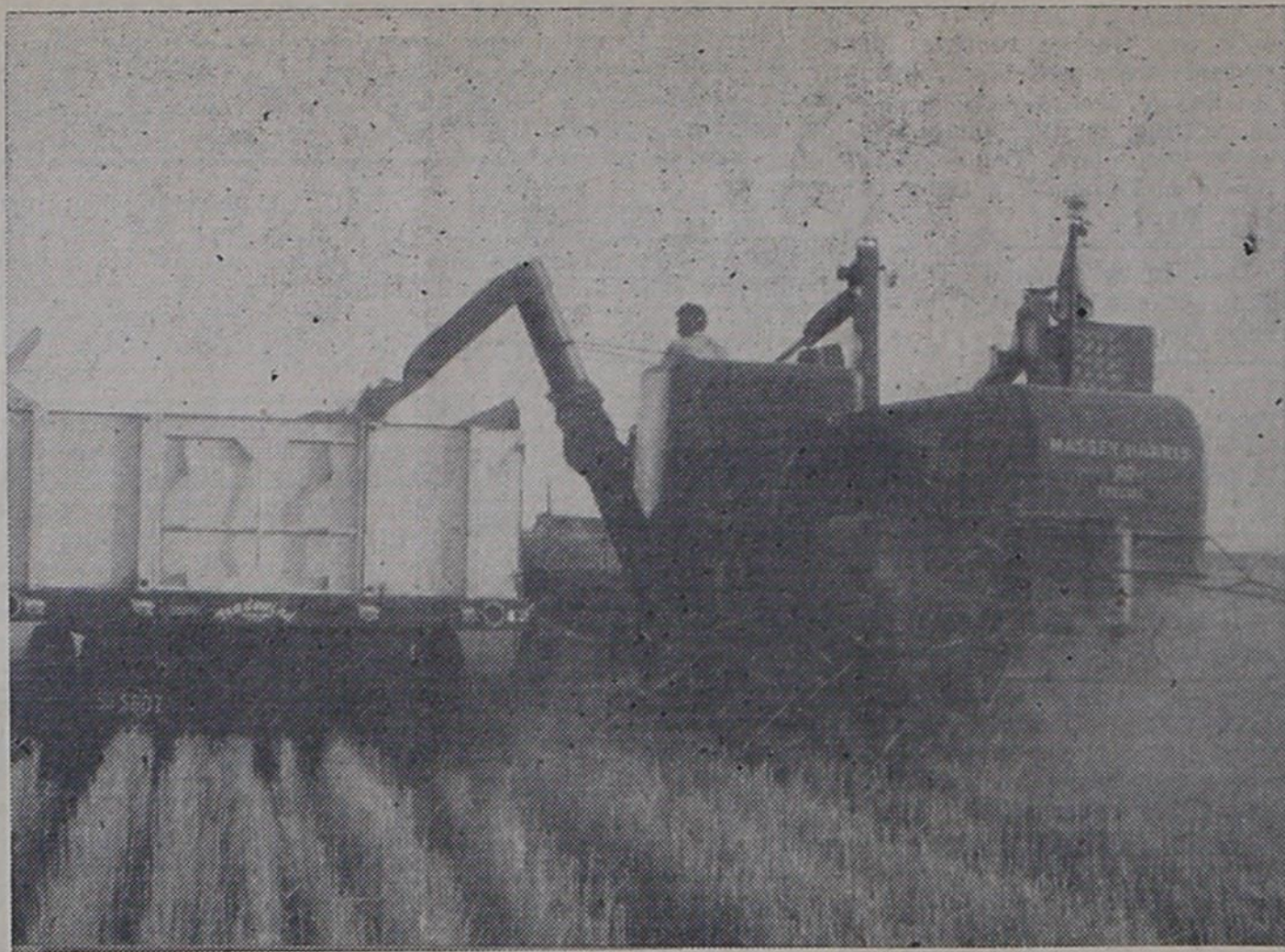
Wheat must be 14 percent moisture content or lower before it can be taken into storage.

Along with the wheat, there is considerable barley in the area this year, and it is also eligible for price supports. About one-half of the 9,615 bushels of barley placed in the loan in Parmer County warehouses in 1957 was redeemed.

On the farm, 10,943 bushels were placed under loan, of which 3,209 were sold and the remainder delivered to Commodity Credit Corporation. The loan rate for barley this year is 96 cents per bushel (gross). The county loan rate on rye in 1958 is \$1.08 per bushel (gross). Previously, no rye has been placed in storage in Parmer County. Many farmers are unaware that a price support exists on this commodity.

There is also a support price of 69 cents on oats in Parmer County. Oats is a minor crop here.

A good lure for crappies may be made by cutting white rubber sheeting into 14-inch sections shaped like frogs or minnows. Fished with a spinner, they can be murder.—Sports Afraid



The combines are rolling in the Parmer County area wheat fields again, and are grinding out one of the best harvests on record—certainly the best since 1949. This is the scene on the Charlie Vasek farm south of Parmerton hill, where a 265-acre field was averaging about 35 bushels.



Vasek scoops up a double handful of wheat and confirms that it is of excellent quality this year. The 35-bushel yield was achieved with only one irrigation during the growing season. Many fields which were irrigated more frequently produced heavier yields.

Quality Means Profits

Extra rewards await the cotton producer who succeeds in producing a high-quality crop this year, while discounts for low quality will continue to be stiff, reports Fred C. Elliott, extension cotton specialist.

The abundance of low-grade cotton that was left over from last year's crop will continue to depress the market for lower grades, points out Elliott. However, he adds, the present outlook for the 1958 crop indicates a continued shortage of high grade fiber.

A late spring, shortages of good seed, and too much moisture have contributed to a poor start for cotton this year in many areas. But the specialist says there is still plenty of opportunity to aim for high quality through careful management and harvest practices.

These practices include weed, disease and insect control, fertilization at rates based on Extension Service recommendations, irrigating for good maturity with special reference to cutting dates, careful harvesting and ginning, keeping low and high grade fiber separate and selling on grade.

Almost a third of last year's cotton crop classified as spotted, resulting in a lower average grade for the 1957 crop than for any year on record.

Much of this spotting could have been avoided through better management practices, says Elliott. Widespread failure to adhere to such practices weakens cotton's position with synthetic and other fibers in marketing for many uses. And this, in turn, contributes to cotton surpluses and depressed prices.

COURTHOUSE

INSTRUMENTS FILED WEEK ENDING JUNE 7, 1958

O&GL—Bernard Mennenga, Magnolia Pet Co., SE4 Sect. 30, T1N, R1E
Rel O&G—Hassie Hunt Trust, Leroy W. Berggren, SW4 Sect. 21, Synd A
WD—Plains Farmers Gin, W. S. Gage, 10 a of S2 Sect. 21, T10N, R2E
WD—L. C. Crews, Ruth Crews, Sect. 27, Rhea C
WD—Nona Leslie Williams Murphy, et al, Ola L. Williams Smith, SE4 Sect. 39, Kelly
WD—Sam Mears, Henry Leon Outland, Lot 4, Blk 5, 1st Add. West Loop Drive, Friona
DT—A. B. Wilkinson, First Fed. Sav. & Loan Assn., Lots 16 & 17, Blk 55, Bovina
WD—Charles L. Lenau, et al, James C. Usery, Lot 8, Blk 1, Hillcrest, Farwell
DT—James C. Usery, First Fed. Sav. & Loan Assn., see above
DT—Delbert W. Garner, F. H. A., NW4 Sect. 18, T10S, R2E
DT—H. T. Reynolds, Kansas City Life, N. 278 A Sec. 1, Synd B
WD—Geo. McKinney, F. H. Lindsey, Lots 1, 2 & 3 & E. 20' Lot 4, Blk 2, Bovina
DT—Roy Price, Amicable Life Ins., NE4 Sect. 20, T1N, R5E
WD—Edith Galloway Hanold, et vir, Ralph T. Roden, et al, Lot 3, Blk 63, Friona
M. Lien—W. H. Drager, et ux, G. D. Anderson, S2 of SE4 Sect. 6 and NW4 Sec 4, Blk B, Rhea
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O&GL—Annie L. Stevens, M. T. Hall, NE4 Sect. 105, Kelly H. M. Lien—H. L. Outland, H. H. Weis, Lot 4, Blk 4, First Add to West Loop Drive, Friona
M. Lien—Clarage H. Fallwell, William H. Nunn, Lot 1 & 2, Blk 61, Friona
WD—H. C. Barton, et ux, Veterans Land Board, 75 a of Sec. 9, Synd E
DT—Roberta Wilson, Southwestern Life Ins. Co., S2 Sect. 5, T5S, R4E

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DT—Edmund Kitten, Equitable Life Assurance Soc., E2 Sec. 19, T11S, R3E
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Rel. Tax Lien—United States, H. R. and Roy A. Ferguson, S.R.
Fed. Tax Lien—United States, Jack Porter d/b/a, Friona Welding & Machine Works, S. R.
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Abst. of Judg.—L. F. Hoarel, V. C. Krueger, S. R.
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WD—Mabel Tones O'Brian, Paul Duane Coker, Lots 3 & 4, Blk 15, Friona
DT—Paul Duane Coker, Hi-Plains Savings & Loan, see above
WD—C. R. Elliott, Emmett Tabor, W.21 feet, Lot 9, Blk 116, Bovina
DT—Fred Bruegel, et ux, Northwestern Mutual Life, part Sect. 26, Kelly H

"New Farm" Deadline July 1

Producers must apply for "new farm" wheat allotments by July 1 for next year's winter wheat crop.

Even if wheat was produced on the farm in 1958, the farm is still considered a new wheat farm if it did not have a 1958 allotment, and the farmer must apply at the county ASC office as a new producer.

"The application must be filed with the ASC office on or before July 1, and we have these application forms in our office and will be glad to assist everyone in filling them out," says Prentice Mills, office manager.

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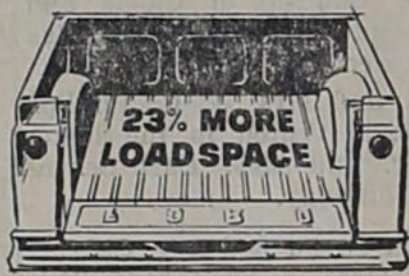
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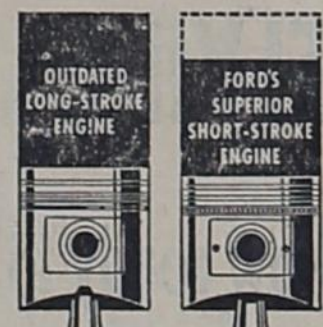
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NEWS



"The Place Where Most People Trade" Friona, Texas Wednesday, June 18, 1958

Little Beverly Anthony is a sadder, wiser girl these days. One day last week she opened the deep freezer at her home, took out a package, stuck her tongue to it, and suddenly pulled her tongue free. But Beverly is back to normal now and doesn't plan to taste any more frozen food packages.

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Parmer County Implement Company is headquarters for sodium chlorate. Now is the time to apply the sodium chlorate to your fields to kill Johnson grass and bindweed.

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Mr. Monroe White has moved a new house into town and will soon have it ready to move into. It is just west of the Kenneth Houlette home.

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Hollis Horton's brother, Robert, is visiting in Friona this week. Robert lives in Gasden, Ala.

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Jay Beene, oldest son of the O. J. Beenes, has been wearing a brace on one of his legs for a long time. He was hoping to get rid of the

brace this month but when the doctor saw him, he said Jay must continue to wear the brace at least until September. The doctor went on, "I'm so sorry, Jay, that you won't be able to play ball until next year." Jay, however, had a surprise for the doctor—he's been playing ball, brace and all, for a couple of years.

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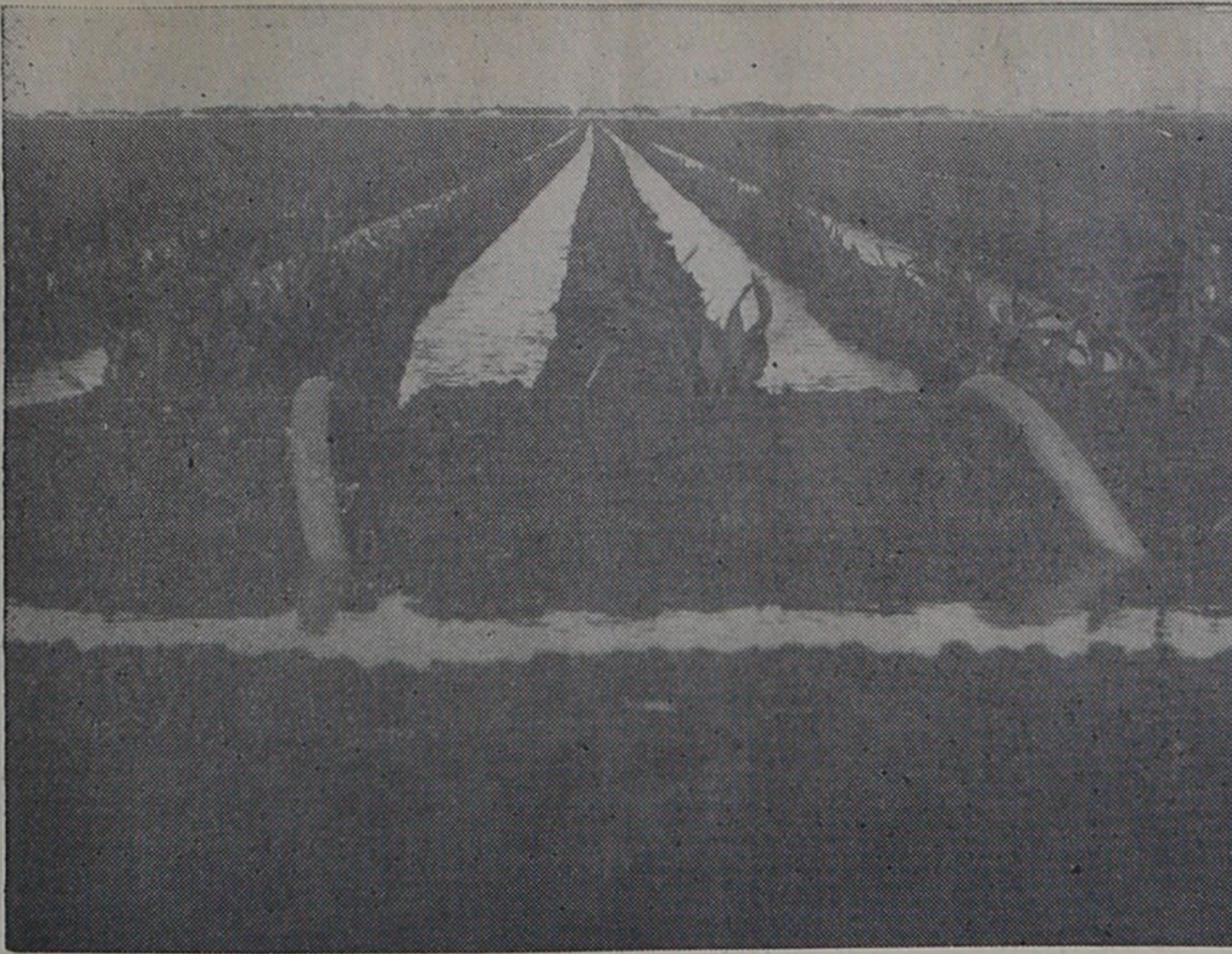
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THE PARMER FARMER

By W. H. Graham Jr.

The wheat referendum in which Parmer County wheat growers will vote Friday is another "idiot's choice" election which insults the intelligence of the voters.

Regardless of the outcome, wheat allotments will remain in effect next year. Regardless of the outcome, any grower who wants to and does plant outside of his allotment will receive a special penalty for doing so.

In this event, it is not surprising to see so many farmers turn up their noses at this "free choice" referendum which laughingly intimates that the growers can choose their own destiny.

The election will carry by the usual landslide, of course, and those few souls who do cast a dissenting vote will do so more out of spite against regimentation than as an intelligent

Oil for the machines of Europe will flow eventually through a pipeline extending from Marseilles to the Rhine. France has decided upon the construction of such a line which will make distribution of oil cheaper and quicker. Turkey is considering a pipeline to carry natural gas from the Middle East to Europe. Rumania has concluded contracts for the export of natural gas to Hungary. These are some of the ways of meeting Europe's energy needs discussed by experts in the Economic Commission for Europe at its recent Geneva meeting.

ords for the spotted or Kentucky bass. It is a separate species having characteristics of both the largemouth and smallmouth bass.—Sports A field

All trout do have scales, but some are so small that they are almost unnoticeable.—Sports A field

Sal: "What happened when you asked the boss for a raise?" Al: "Oh, he was like a lamb." Sal: "What did he say?" Al: "BAH!"

I were but little happy if I could say how much.—Shakespeare

There are no authentic records for the spotted or Kentucky bass. It is a separate species having characteristics of both the largemouth and smallmouth bass.—Sports A field

and planned move to make a significant change in the pattern of things.

If we were growing wheat we would probably vote for the marketing quotas (if we bothered to vote at all) because there is certainly nothing to be gained by throwing them off under the conditions prescribed by law.

The present supply of wheat in the United States is more than 57 percent above normal. That is not even considering that an all-time record for yields will very probably be established this summer, greatly intensifying the downward pressure on wheat prices in normal channels of trade.

With so much wheat in the warehouses and elevators, there is small hope that prices will improve in the coming year. Anyone who voluntarily agrees to lower price supports for his wheat in return for no more freedom than he has at the present time is uncommonly against government interference with his affairs—or something. He has not based his decisions on sound economic principles.

The thing that is responsible for this very unfortunate condition is essentially an out-of-date, politically inspired and pork-barrelled federal law governing the wheat program.

On the domestic front, America has undergone an amazing change in family diets that has stressed meats and fresh vegetables more and more, and bread, "the staff of life" less and less. Overseas, we found ourselves suddenly competing with Canada, Argentina, Australia, and other countries who found, like us, that after the war was over, they were in the exporting business with more production than customers. The world wheat trade agreement didn't help much in keeping these other countries from stealing a big slice of the world market away from us. And, often the principal reason was just a slightly lower price.

All of this is, of course, beyond the control of the farmer. No matter how he votes in any referendum, no matter how strongly he feels and how much he might try to do on his own, the policies laid down by the department of state control the movement of wheat overseas, period.

It should also be remembered that these surpluses we now "enjoy" accumulated during the years when the Great Plains—the heart of the wheat belt—were undergoing a record-breaking drought in many sectors.

There is no telling how much wheat we would have today were it not for the drought, and—in the past two years—the soil bank. Needless to say, we have plenty now, and we'll have a lot more within another 60 days.

It is small wonder that the farmer looks at these foreboding conditions and votes to protect what he still has as best he can.

More details should be available shortly on two developments of interest to High Plains farmers. The first is the very recent turn for the better in

the depletion allowance sought by the High Plains Water District for farmers.

This change, if made as is hoped, would revise internal revenue regulations in such a way so that farmers could regularly charge off the cost of depleting their water resources as a deductible expense.

Our opinion is that this is a very reasonable and necessary attitude. Land that is worth \$300 per acre is worth no more than \$50 per acre without the irrigation water, and with each passing year, as the water resources diminish, the value of the land diminishes.

Most farmers don't understand this eating away of their capital assets any more than most small businessmen don't understand the principles of depreciation of machinery and equipment that can and does wear out with the passage of time.

Just the same, the businessman understands that he is entitled to depreciation deductions on his income tax return (even if he does not set aside the money in a fund to purchase new equipment to replace the old, which he should do), the logic to him of the system notwithstanding.

If a change in the internal revenue code is brought about to allow farmers to claim this real expense, we predict that it will forcefully bring home the fact that our water resources make up more than three-fourths of our land values in nearly all cases.

This is in line with our contention that investors have too long been blind to the difference in values that should exist between land with large water resources and land with limited water resources.

Land is more often simply classified as "irrigated" and "dryland" without much thought being given to the tremendous differences that can exist in the irrigated listings.

For example, if land in Lubbock County is worth \$300 per acre and it has 50 feet of saturated water sands underneath it, and the value of the water equals \$250, does it not necessarily follow that in Parmer County with 250 feet of saturated water sand beneath it should be worth \$1300 per acre?

Now, that may sound far-fetched, and with the present system of allotting cotton, we are frank to say that it is far-fetched. But we insist that it is a distorted view for the short-term outlook only, and that as the years go on and our total water supply diminishes, things will not seem nearly so topsy-turvy.

The fact is, if you are confident that the irrigated High Plains can expect a prosperous agricultural economy so long as our water supply holds out, one of the best investments we know of would be purchases of land in Parmer County where the water-bearing sands exceed 300 feet in thickness.

You'd have to sit on this egg awhile before it would hatch, but we believe that within 10 or 15 years the value of the land would double or triple.

And don't forget that the trend toward vegetable and high income-per-acre crops on the irrigated Plains is unmistakable. Within those 10 or 15 years, perhaps Lubbock's 200,000 acre cotton allotment

wouldn't look quite so mouth-watering!

We got so carried away with our depletion allowance and water resources that we almost forgot the second part of our "only a part can be told now" story.

A specialty foods manufacturer is contracting for several hundred acres of white corn in the Parmer County area at a price understood to be very attractive in view of present market trends.

When contracts for this corn have been signed and the deal is "sewed up" we'll have a story with all the details.

John White, Texas commissioner, has figures that show what research and mechanization has done to American farming.

In 1939, when World War II broke out in Europe, American farmers produced a 2½-billion bushel corn crop on 88 million acres. Last year, they produced 32 per cent more corn on 17 per cent less land. Since 1939, the national wheat crop has risen from 740 to 940 million bushels, but harvested acres have gone down from 52½ to 43½ million. Compared with 1939, farmers last year reduced cotton acreage by 45 per cent, and still produced 95 per cent as much cotton.

The story is the same with livestock. In 1956, dairymen had nearly 3 million fewer cows than in 1940, but each cow produced two-thirds of a ton more milk. For every two eggs a hen laid in 1940, her descendant is laying about three today. Nearly 100 million cattle and horses grazed the same acreage that in 1940 supported only 83 million head.

A pig crop of 90 million in 1956 compares with only 80 million produced on the same farm in 1940.

All told, our farmers today are producing 40 percent more from about the same acreage they had in 1939.

Figures on manpower required to do the job also are significant. In World War I, our farm commodities were produced by 13½ million workers; in World War II by 10½ million, and today by only 7½ million.

The efforts of our agricultural scientists underlie much of this spectacular gain. Their research has practically changed the face of American agriculture. But in the long run, it was the American farmer, who completed the job.

One week out of twelve, the United Nations Emergency Force soldier gets a rest in the cool wooded mountains of Lebanon. It affords a grateful break from duty in the heat and sands of Mt. Sinai and the Gaza Strip. The Lebanese tourist agency arranges visits to such storied spots as Baalbeck, and the now depleted Cedars of Lebanon, Damascus and Jerusalem.

Home gardeners are reminded by extension entomologists that a new guide for controlling garden insects is now available from the offices of local county extension agents or the Agricultural Information Office, College Station, Texas. Just ask for L-255.

NEWS FROM THE FARM BUREAU

By RAYMOND EULER

The Reciprocal Trade Extension Bill passed the House with a good margin the other day. This is the bill that has assisted in getting many farm commodities to foreign nations and out of U. S. warehouses. A happy note regarding this bill is that practically every segment interested in it agreed on it.

Among them are: AFL-CIO, U. S. C of C, American Bankers Association, American Farm Bureau, National Grange, National Farmer's Union, Catholic, Protestant and Jewish groups. Even major newspapers were in agreement. We are at a loss as to why Walter Rogers voted against the extension, however.

The political rally held out at the Black Community House last Thursday night was a success, as just about all the meetings held out there are. We were late getting out there, but Gilbert Kaltwasser and Jack Patterson were there from start to finish. Bill Flippin did a good job selling the boxes, and everyone enjoyed eating the contents.

Monday night Farm Bureau directors, weed committee members and county officials met in the office in Friona to look into the proper procedure to follow in combating the grasshoppers in the county. Tuesday night a public meeting was held in the school house in Friona on the same subject. FB President Kaltwasser had called the Monday night meeting prior to the announcement of the Tuesday night one, but they both contributed to the success of any plan inaugurated to stop grasshoppers.

There will be a Farm Bureau Queen Contest in Parmer County again this year. This will be the sixth annual contest held in Parmer County, and some very charming girls have entered each year. We hope this will be the year that we can provide the State Queen. The Contest Committee will have further information in the news in a few days.

CONSIDER THIS: A word fitly spoken is like apples of gold in pictures of silver. Proverbs 25:11



Leroy Saul To Run For Senate Seat

Leroy Saul Kress, has announced his candidacy for the State Senate from the 30th Senatorial District.

The district includes Bailey, Parmer, Deaf Smith, Lamb, Castro, Motley, Hall, Donley, Collingsworth, Childress, Armstrong, Swisher, Hale, Briscoe and Floyd Counties.

Saul, who has lived in Swisher and Hale Counties for the past 33 years, was a classroom teacher and administrator in the Runningwater, Prairieview, Petersburg and Kress schools for ten years. After moving to Kress 12 years ago, he was a farmer, publisher of the Kress News, and now owns a cleaning establishment there.

Saul was first elected to the House of Representatives from the 89th Legislative District in 1952, and has served six years, being elected twice without an opponent. Saul is a lifelong undeviating Democrat.

During his six years in Austin, Saul served as vice-chairman of the Water Resources Committee, was one of two Texans appointed to Conference of the Council of State Governments special committee on water policy and was chairman of the inauguration committee for the state governor in 1957. He was also chairman of the House temporary Rules Committee, which adopted the Code of Ethics for the House in 1957, he was chairman of three of the temporary committees appointed by the Speaker in 1957, and has served on

the following permanent committees since his first election in 1952: chairman, Conservation and Reclamation; vice-chairman, Rules; vice-chairman, Labor; member, agriculture; member, State Affairs; member, Appropriations, member, Transportation; member, Elections; and member, Highways and Roads.

Saul said his platform will be:

- 1. Ground water belongs to the owner of the land and therefore must be kept free of state or federal control;
- 2. Those who have not kept faith with public must be removed from positions of trust and responsibility.
- 3. The same economy that the intelligent farmer and businessman uses in running his affairs can and must be extended to state government.
- 4. Local self-government is our tried and proven way of life. Any further trends toward further centralization in state and federal must be ploughed under.
- 5. An education second to none for every child.

"I've tried to make you a good hand as Representative, and now I'm asking you for a promotion," Saul said. "I'm running on my record, not promises for the future. I urge you to check my record in detail and then decide for yourselves whether you want to promote me to the Senate."

(Adv.)

Oklahoma Lane Gin Now Under New Management

Ownership of the gin at Oklahoma Lane has changed. Bill Gage, who has been in the ginning business "all my life," purchased the business from Plains Farmers Gin Co., former owner, recently.

Name of the business under Gage's management will be Bill Gage Gin. Gage now lives at Littlefield, but plans to move to Oklahoma Lane. Prior to buying the Parmer County gin, he owned and operated a gin at Whitharral. Also, he has operated gins at Portales, and in Arkansas.

Off season repairs are being made on the gin now and "we'll be ready to go come fall," Gage says.

An advertisement in this issue of High Plains Farm and Home makes announcement of the change of ownership of the gin.

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THE HAPPY HOMEMAKER
BY JUNE FLOYD

Last Thursday afternoon we attended a cooking demonstration at the Friona High School Auditorium presented by Jo Helen Campbell, home economist of Southwestern Public Service Company. One of the most interesting things we learned was a new method of cooking hard cooked eggs.

Mrs. Campbell explained that the eggs were not hard boiled. However, they looked and tasted the same. This method could be used with any type of cooking, but was demonstrated on an electric range.

HARD COOKED EGGS: Put ½ cup water in saucepan and add eggs. Sprinkle salt over eggs. Cover pan and cook on high heat until steaming. Turn heat off and continue cooking on stored heat for 20 minutes.

One of the prettiest one dish meals we have ever seen was prepared on the surface of the range. Here is the recipe.

MEAT BALL SKILLET MEAL
1 package frozen mixed vegetables (allow to stand at room temperature while meat balls are being prepared.)

1 egg
½ cup milk
1 cup soft bread crumbs
1 teaspoon dry mustard
¼ teaspoon celery salt
¼ teaspoon pepper
¼ teaspoon nutmeg
1 teaspoon salt
3 tablespoons grated onion
1 lb. ground beef
¼ cup flour
2 tablespoons cooking fat
¾ cup milk
1 can condensed cream of mushroom soup
½ teaspoon salt
Combine egg, ½ cup milk, bread crumbs, and seasonings, (except ½ teaspoon salt), onion, and ground beef. Shape into small balls (approximately 40 balls) using 1 tablespoon mixture for each ball, and roll lightly in flour. Heat fat in skillet on high heat; turn down and brown meat balls about 12 minutes.

Push to sides of skillet. Combine ¾ cup milk and soup in skillet. Place frozen vegetables in center, break frozen block apart with fork, add ½ teaspoon salt. Cover skillet and after 2 or 3 minutes, switch to low and cook 10 minutes. Yields 4 to 5 servings.

In the deepwell cooker she cooked barbecued spareribs. They looked and tasted very good. Of course, other kinds of meat could be used in this recipe.

BARBECUED SPARERIBS
3 lbs. spareribs
3 tablespoons shortening
1 small onion, chopped
3 tablespoons brown sugar
1½ teaspoons salt
dash of pepper
6 tablespoons lemon juice
3 tablespoons vinegar
1 tablespoon Worcestershire sauce
1 cup chili sauce
6 tablespoons water
Cut ribs into serving pieces. Brown in melted shortening in frying pan on surface unit. Transfer to deepwell cooker kettle. Combine remaining ingredients and pour over meat. Turn switch to high and when steaming freely, turn to fourth heat and simmer 1 hour. Yields 6 servings.

For a quick pick up snack for children or to be added to a quick meal. Mrs. Campbell baked pigs in the blanket and gave us the recipe. This is the quickest one we had ever read.

All the ingredients you need are 1 package (½ pound) brown 'n serve sausage and 1 package refrigerator biscuits. Remove biscuits from package. Fold each biscuit around a sausage link pressing ends of biscuits together. The sausage will be exposed on both ends. Place on baking sheet and bake in a very hot oven 5 to 8 minutes. Serve immediately.

She also demonstrated an easy delicious fudge.

EASY FUDGE
2/3 stick butter
1 lb. (50) marshmallows
1 package chocolate chips
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 cups nuts
½ cups Rice Krispies
Place first three ingredients in covered sauce pan. Heat on lowest heat for 30 minutes. Stir in remaining ingredients. Pour into buttered pan to cool.

If this candy is being made to keep for any length of time, the Rice Krispies should be omitted as they have a tendency to cause the fudge to be too moist.

A busy school superintendent told his secretary that he would be very busy during the afternoon and didn't want to see any callers. "If they say their business is important, just tell them, 'That is what they all say.'"

During the afternoon a lady called and insisted on seeing the superintendent. Finally she explained, "I am his wife."

The secretary smilingly replied, "That is what they all say."

A camel is an animal that looks as though it had been put together by a committee.

Thrips Threaten Cotton Fruiting

A heavy infestation of thrips in young cotton is reported this week by County Agent Joe Jones. Farmers engaged in early season insect control programs have reported concern with the buildup of the small insects, which attack delicate fruiting of the plants and force a reduction in yield or a lengthening of maturity date, or both.

"Thrips are heavy all over the county, and farmers are reporting that they are having a hard time getting them killed," says the agent. He discounted the possibility of the insects having developed an immunity to poisons and said it was more likely that the abundance of them simply meant that new infestations moved in from areas adjoining cotton fields shortly

after spraying had been completed.

The early season control program, which is in its latter stages, finds farmers using spraying intervals of about seven days. In cases where the thrips appear to be getting out of control, Jones advises that farmers shorten this interval to from four or five days.

More farmers than ever are using early season insect control practices this year, in an attempt to get early fruit on their cotton—something highly desired on the irrigated Plains.

The early season program for this area lasts until the end of June or the first week in July. After that date, actual counting of insects is recommended as a determinant of whether spraying is advisable. The reason is to allow a buildup of beneficial insects in advance of the bollworm season.

"My sakes!" declared the mother-in-law as she surveyed the twins. "How do you tell them apart?"

"It's easy," the proud father replied. "Jimmy cries a lot, but little Marie just sleeps all the time."

Political Announcements

The following political announcements are made subject to action of the Democratic Primary of 1958:

For State Senator, 30th Senatorial District:
ANDY ROGERS (re-election)
KARL L. LOVELADY
LEROY SAUL

For State Representative, 36th Legislative District:
JESSE OSBORN (Re-Election)

For District Attorney, 154th Judicial District:
BILL SHEEHAN

For County Attorney:
HURSHIEL HARDING

For County Treasurer:
MRS. MABEL REYNOLDS (Re-Election)

For County Judge:
A. D. SMITH (Re-Election)
LOYDE A. BREWER
WESLEY HARDESTY

For County and District Clerk:
HUGH MOSELEY (Re-Election)

For Commissioner, Pct. 2:
CHARLIE JEFFERSON (Re-Election)

C. L. CALAWAY
VERNON ESTES
For Commissioner, Pct. 4:
GEORGE CRAIN
T. W. (TOT) BEWLEY
For Justice of Peace, Pct. 1:
J. R. THORNTON
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Judy Billingsley Wins County Title

Judy Billingsley of Farwell, who is a member of the County-wide 4-H Club, won the title of Parmer County Baking Queen at the recent 4-H bake show at the American Legion Hall in Friona. Judy will represent this county at the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo in September in the contest for Baking Queen of the Golden Spread.

second; and Patricia Chitwood, Lazbuddie, third.

Judges were Mrs. C. W. Tannahill and Mrs. Bill Buchanan. Each girl who entered the contests received entrance prizes. Money for the cash prizes was donated by the Parmer County Certified Seed Growers Association.

The National 4-H Foundation is completing its 10th year of service to the 4-H Clubs of America. The 4-H Center, a part of the total program of the Foundation, will open in early 1959. It is located just outside the District of Columbia.

Reduced cold storage holdings and fewer layers on farms point to favorable egg prices until the latter part of 1958, says John McHaney, extension economist.

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Urges Control Work On Young Hoppers

Parmer County farmers can best protect themselves against costly damage from 'hoppers by controlling them early. These locust insects are most easily controlled when they are young, and the time to get to work is now, urges County Agent Joe Jones.

Jones called a special meeting of farmers and officials at Friona Tuesday night of this week.

The county agent, who made spot inspections on infestations during the last week, reports that conditions vary widely over the county. In some places, though, the grasshopper count is up to 25 per square yard—certainly serious enough to warrant control measures.

The heaviest outbreaks of grasshoppers is noted in bar ditches, turn-rows, fence rows, along railroad rights-of-way, and other such undisturbed places.

In the open fields, the intense cultivation practices of High Plains irrigated farming pretty well keeps the hatch from making any progress.

"This is the first year in a long time we have had weather through the winter that has been ideal for increasing the

grasshopper population," points out Jones.

The spring hatch of eggs in places where the land has been undisturbed has been very large. While the limited area of such undisturbed land keeps the local grasshopper population much smaller than that which has been worrying farmers and ranchers on the North Plains, there are enough of the voracious insects to warrant action in many parts of the county, officials believe.

Close inspection of grasshopper "beds" where the young insects are coming from shows that the insects have been de-leaving weeds at a rapid rate and will soon migrate to other areas in search of more green food.

The ripe wheat is not a likely target of their appetites. Probably they will prefer the young grain sorghum and cotton which makes a tasty green dish.

Farmers will want to stop this migration before it gets started, says Jones, and the time to do it is now.

Insecticides which are recommended are aldrin, heptachlor, toxaphene, and dieldrin. These will do the job at a reasonably low cost.

Farmers who are spraying their cotton with aldrin or dieldrin can "kill two birds with one stone." They will destroy grasshoppers as well as thrips and fleahoppers. Jones points out that the usual rate for early season control spraying of cotton with toxaphene is not strong enough to kill grasshoppers.

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H. D. AGENT'S CORNER

Jimmie Lou Wainscott

Use More Cottage Cheese

Cottage cheese is a popular dish summer or winter. A good source of protein, calcium, phosphorus and riboflavin, it's a good food buy anytime, say extension foods and nutrition specialists.

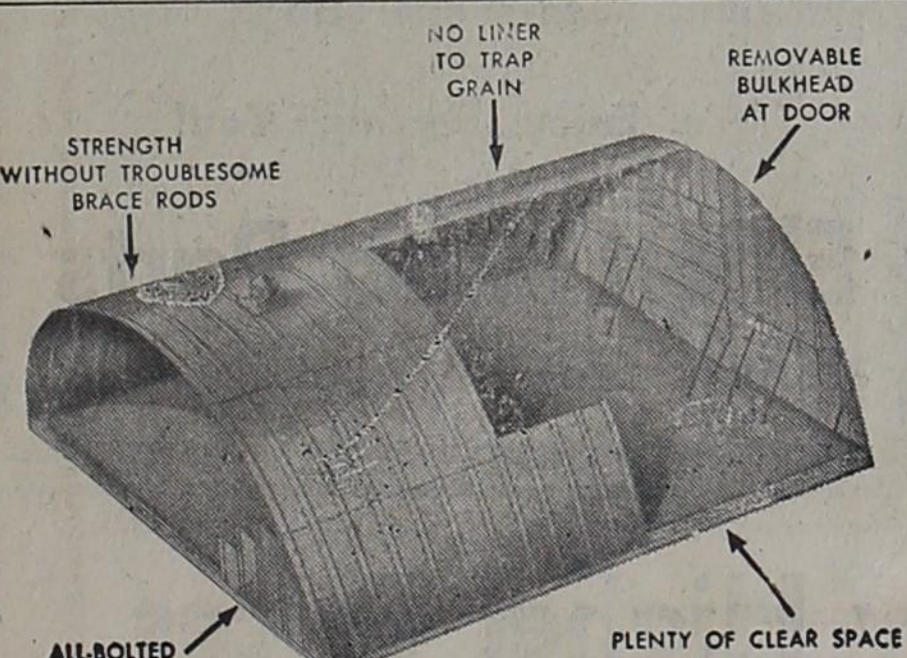
Easy to prepare, the bland smoothness of cottage cheese contrasts well with the crisp texture of vegetables such as celery, carrots, green peppers, onions, cabbage and lettuce. The coarse textured kind is good for simple salads while the smooth variety blends more readily with other ingredients, particularly in a congealed salad or in cooking.

For an unusual sandwich spread blend the smooth type cottage cheese with mashed avocado, flavor with grated onion, salt and pepper.

Savory Veal Casserole

- 1/4 cup flour (about)
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SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS



Last year there seemed to be an increased use of a practice on some of the farms here in the Panhandle that nearly everyone had hoped was a thing of the past. The farmers on the High Plains had developed methods of curbing wind erosion in the past and it was somewhat of a surprise to find that burning of stubble was still practiced.

The proper use of crop residues was one of the farming practices developed to combat wind erosion that plagued the Plains in the mid-thirties. It likely played one of the greatest parts in getting a return to normal conditions at that time. The proper use of residues—like stubble mulching—is designed to provide a cover on the soil during the wind erosion period and to keep the fertility and organic material in the soil at a high level.

Soil needs a protective cover at all times whether it is in the form of crop residue on the surface or a growing crop. The soil also needs to have the crop residues returned for plant food and as a soil conditioner.

It is quite true that these residues create a problem in replanting. By burning the stubble the number of tillage practices needed to get the kind of seedbed desired is reduced. By doing this it also shortens the time needed for this preparation. The reason for burning of crop residues is based largely on the idea that it provides a reduction in cost. It means that a seed bed can be prepared without extra time and expense.

By doing this future gains in production are sacrificed for immediate reduction in cost. Fortunately, not a great many have gone this route. The proper use of residues is one thing that is keeping the soil down and production high. To those who are planning to burn their crop residue—look at it this

way: it is an immediate reduction in cost with the prospect of future losses of soil and lower production. The loss of soil is a permanent one. The loss of productivity may be regained to a certain extent through additional fertilizers, which of course means increased costs.

Another undesirable feature in destroying crop residues by burning is the effect it has on soil condition. The condition of soil gradually deteriorates in cultivated land over the years. Burning steps up the pace of deterioration. To revert this lowering of soil condition, all crop residues possible must be returned to the soil.

When soil was in its native or original condition, it was in its most productive state. At this time the soil was filled with grass roots, decaying organic material and millions of both microscopic and small visible soil organisms. When this soil was plowed for farming it was permeable and productive.

It has all the organic material and soil organisms that were necessary for breaking down these residues into plant food for growth. The soil was also open and porous and the organisms could do their work in the presence of air and moisture which was necessary for their survival.

If crop residues are burned, the food needed not only by these organisms but by future crops is taken away. Burning also directly destroys these organisms that are present in the soil thus making the condition more serious.

As this same soil is farmed year after year, this original and productive condition gradually disappears unless all the crop residues possible are returned to the soil and a soil improving crop such as legumes or grasses is used in the crop rotation. The residues that are returned to the soil merely replace a part of that which is harvested. To take all and return none results in an unproductive and diminishing return from that land.

We have all observed how irrigated land gradually loses its ability and capacity for taking up water. This, again, is where the proper use of crop residues enters into the pic-

ture. Returning stubble to the soil helps in keeping soil open. Without crop residues and the roots of dead plants to decay, leaving openings in the soil, water intake is seriously impaired.

Also, these residues have a tendency to cushion the effect of equipment to prevent excessive packing of the soil. The absence of stubble in the surface causes a sealing and crusting of the top soil.

Quite often there is a lack of understanding of what the soil needs really are. The farmers in this area have done a good job in the past of using their crop residue to the best advantage and will likely do so in the future. We feel sure that once a farmer sees the advantages of utilizing his stubble he will not even consider burning it. It is to his advantage to leave the stubble in the ground for the greatest benefit.

Sell not thy conscience with thy goods.

Wheat Vote Friday

Parmer County wheat growers, who led Texas in the number of votes cast in last year's wheat referendum, will mark ballots Friday of this week and help decide on whether marketing quotas for 1959 will be in effect.

Farmers in 38 "commercial" wheat states will be doing the same thing, and the referen-

dum is unofficially expected to carry. Growers have never turned down quotas in the voting.

In this county, voting will be at the district courtroom in Farwell, at Lawlis & Ely Gin at Bovina, the Schlenker Elevator at Rhea, the Church of Christ at Lazbuddie, and the city hall at Friona.

If growers approve 1959 wheat quotas, a farmer who exceeds his allotment will be subject to a penalty or excess wheat. Price supports for growers who comply with allotments will be at a national average of not less than \$1.81 a bushel (75 percent of estimated parity).

If the quotas fail, allotments will remain in effect as a condition of eligibility for price support. Supports for growers who comply with allotments will be at an average of about \$1.20 a bushel.



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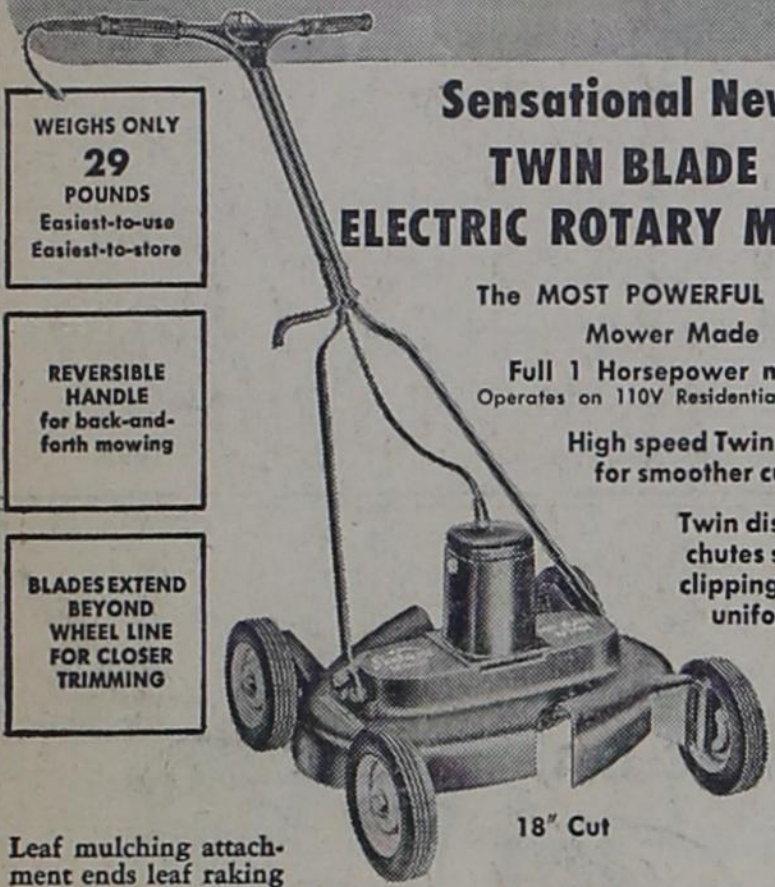
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METHODIST CHURCH NEWS
J. R. WOOD, PASTOR

Rev. and Mrs. Wood were honored recently at a church family night when they were given an old fashioned pounding at an ice cream supper. Rev. Wood was recently appointed to the Oklahoma Lane church for another year.

Vacation Bible school began Saturday, June 14, and will

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continue through Friday, June 20.

Rev. Gene Snodgrass of Wilmore, Ky., filled the pulpit at the Sunday evening service. He and his family arrived here last week and plan to visit here for about six weeks.

Members of the Naomi Circle of the WSCS met Monday, June 16, in the home of Mrs. R. E. Blankenship. The meeting was opened and closed with prayer and the members completed work on their yearbooks. Mrs. Blankenship served pie and tea to Mesdames T. L. Kent, Sam Billingsley, George Douglas, C. C. Christian, Tom Lindop, Lee Jones and George Lindop.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Puttman and family were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Pedioza in Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Reggie Jones and daughter of Lubbock visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Owen Patton, during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Ginnings and Monty Mac of Atoka, Okla., spent Monday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Roach.

Bovina Women Are Club Guests

Oklahoma Lane Home Demonstration Club met Thursday, June 12, in the home of Mrs. W. M. Turner in Farwell with members of the Bovina Good Neighbor Home Demonstration Club as guests.

Hostesses with Mrs. Turner were Mrs. Windbourn Hardage and Mrs. Ed Hardage. Miss Ernestine Gary of Southwestern Public Service Company in Clovis presented a demonstration on small electrical appliances and their uses.

Members of the local club attending were Mesdames Bill Dollar, Vernon Symcox, Clarence Johnson, W. T. Magness, Joe White, Bruce Blair, Windbourn Hardage, Ed Hardage and Edmund Kitten.

Women attending from the Bovina club were Mesdames Mabel Newberry, Wilfred Sikes, J. D. Stevens, John Sikes and Henry Wilkerson.

Last week, the local club members were guests of the Bovina club in the home of Mrs. Stevens. Mrs. Vernon Symcox was in charge of the program on herbs and their originations and uses.

Attending from here besides Mrs. Symcox were Mesdames Windbourn Hardage, Clarence Johnson, Ed Hardage, W. M. Turner, Bill Dollar, W. T. Magness, Joe White, Bruce Blair and Neil Bradshaw.

Mrs. Sterling Donaldson, Roy Larry, and Zelda visited Friday

in the home of Mrs. Donaldson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Harmon in Tulia.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson spent the weekend in Foss, Okla., with his parents. They returned their sons, Errol, Doyle and Randy home. They had been visiting their grandparents for several days.

Visit Kepleys

Mr. and Mrs. David Smith and family of Santa Fe visited Friday and Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kepley. They returned home Sunday. Mrs. Charles Smith, the former Ona Kepley, and mother of David Smith, accompanied them to their home. She had been visiting the Kepleys for several days. She will return to her home in Long View, Wash., with Mr. and Mrs. Turner Paine and family who also have been visiting the Kepleys and the Fred Paines.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendol Christian and family and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Billingsley were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Primrose visited Sunday with relatives in Logan, N. M.

Doug Howard, 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Howard of Pampa and a nephew of Mrs. Troy Christian, is visiting a few days here in the Christian home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robertson and daughters of El Paso visited Friday and Saturday in the E. W. McGuire home. Robertson returned home Saturday, but Mrs. Robertson and girls remained here to visit this week with the McGuires. They are her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Christian and family and Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Kent spent the week-

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end in Abilene visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Foster and family. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Billingsley went to Dureka, Ark., last week to return their grandsons, Rod and Ted Billingsley, to the home of their parents, Rev. and Mrs. Garland Billingsley.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Garner Sunday, June 15, were Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Nelson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Merve McGuire and family and Miss Barbara Garner of Lubbock, Misses Janice and Gloria Hillock, Coretta Watkins and Jolene Donaldson.

BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS
IRVING LOONEY, PASTOR

Vacation Bible school was concluded Wednesday night with a commencement program. Ninety-six pupils were enrolled for the school with an average daily attendance of 85.

After the program, Rev. and Mrs. Eugene Verner and Robbie Rae were honored with a farewell shower and love offering. Refreshments of cookies and punch were served.

Rev. and Mrs. Verner will be leaving the United States the first of August for Ghana, Africa, where they will work in a mission field. The Verners left here Thursday, June 12, to return to their home for a few days. They will also go to Ridge Crest, N. C., before leaving. Mrs. Walter Verner accompanied them on their return home.

Jimmy McGuire filled the pulpit for both services Sunday in the absence of the pastor. Rev. Looney, pastor, plans to be back in the pulpit Sunday following several weeks sick leave from the church.

"Life's Evening Sun is Sinking Low" was the special music presented by Jack Roach, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Garner and Miss Janice Hillock preceding the Sunday evening sermon.

Members of the intermediate vacation Bible school and their teachers attended the breakfast club together June 14. The girls of the class were models for the style show and the boys assisted the radio engineers with the broadcast. Miss Jan Mason, accompanied at the piano by Brenda Mason, sang "I Bowled on My Knees and Cried 'Holy!'"

Attending were Jimmy Brown, Freddie Taylor, Brenda and Jan Mason, Coretta Watkins, Janice and Gloria Hillock, Jolene and Dorris Donaldson, Mrs. Dee Brown, Mrs. Neil Stewart, Mrs. Lee Mason and Mrs. Harold Carpenter. One guest, Miss Bonnie Cochran, also attended.

The WMU met at the church Monday afternoon for a Royal Service program which was entitled "On the Threshold of Life." The devotion, "In The Temple," was given by Mrs. Harold Carpenter.

jottin's
from Jeanne

The heat in Dallas was something to talk about over the weekend. Too, we've never seen so many bald-headed men nor so many chemise-clothed women.

Women's styles seemed to creep into the joke portion of all speeches. Those who were attired in highest fashion seemed to furnish material for the lowest humor.

But the speech-makers who had so many words to say on the latest trends in apparel were all men, we might add.

Those of you who have missed this column, and have been kind enough to say so, are our much appreciated friends. In the newspaper of assembly, one of the oddities of assembly is that we never know how much news we need to fill up a paper until the last minute.

Therefore, Thursday morning rolls around and sometimes we find that we have a "tight" paper. That is, we have more news than we have space. That calls for "culling" of everything that can be held over a week.

"Jottins" is usually first on the "cull list." When it doesn't appear, it is such a nice feeling when one of you notices it isn't in the usual place, and comments on the omission.

Surprise Party
Fetes Mrs. Johnson

Mrs. Russell Johnson was guest of honor at a surprise birthday dinner Tuesday night. Friends and family members brought a fried chicken dinner to the Johnson home and the evening was spent visiting.

Present were the honoree's husband and son, Don, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Dykes and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hesser, and Mr. and Mrs. Ival Hesser.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Cox and two daughters from Phoenix, Ariz., visited with his grandmother, Mrs. J. A. Cox, Tuesday before going to Portales and Floyd to visit other relatives. They will return here Sunday for a family picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Garrett went to Odessa Friday night to get their daughter, D'Ann, who had been visiting with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Reed. They returned Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Christian and Mrs. Maggie Foster attended a Father's Day dinner Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Benny Darnell in Amarillo.

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