

BY HOP JR.

Texico School Voting Tuesday

Texico's hotly-discussed school board election will be Tuesday, February 5. Voting for the entire district will be in one box, that one at the Texico town hall.

Four candidates have filed for the two vacancies on the five-man board. They are John Hadley, Fred Danforth, Paul Skaggs and John Spearman.

Hadley is president of the board and seeks re-election. He lives southwest of town in the area commonly spoken of as the Fairfield community.

Danforth is a resident of Texico and a former instructor with the local system. He is now employed by the Horace Mann Insurance Company. Skaggs is a farmer who lives a short distance from town, and Spearman is a farmer from the Pleasant Hill community.

Eight nomination forms were taken out from the school business office, but four were not returned.

Interest in the election issues have accelerated in recent days, especially since the appearance of a story concerning the election and implications it held for candidate Danforth and Superintendent Buck Doran of the school.

The Tribune received a high incidence of reader response to issues raised in the story, and the spectrum of comment has ranged from harsh criticism to

praise for having opened the subject. The majority of the comment was critical.

Much of the criticism was along the theme, "Why wash Texico's dirty linen publicly" the inference being that the newspaper story represented an intrusion.

Some corrections were called for by the principals in the story.

Danforth makes three points: 1. He says he was never a candidate for the superintendency of the school.

2. He said the school could be run with three administrators rather than four.

3. He has never charged that Doran mishandled school funds. Supt. Doran points out that he was not superintendent at Rose-

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Mrs. Jean Payne left, and Mrs. Margaret Curtis, clerks in the office of the Parmer County Tax Assessor, display the 1963 car license tags which go on sale today (Friday). The tags are numbered from CA-25 to CA-4024. Automobile owners are reminded to bring their car title and 1962 registration slip with them when they come in to buy license. Tags are due April 1.

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Farwell Ties Kress For First

Farwell Steers upset Kress 73-44 in a District 3A game there Tuesday night. Farwell is now tied for first with Kress, as they lost their first district game.

Nobody was expecting a run away on this game, or even going on to district but it looks as if they're in the game again. Leon Lovelace was high point man as he hit the net for 22 points and Charlie Roberts brought in 19 points. Mike Freeman and Alton Fields tied with 13 points each for the opposing team.

"I thought it was one of the best games the boys played all year," said Coach Bill Mayfield.

The Steers were never in danger as they led all the way. The first quarter was the only time there was any doubt as they held a one point lead, 16-15. Half-time scores showed the Steers almost doubled 39-20, the third period was 57-27 and as the final whistle blew Farwell had racked the tremendous score of 73-44.

The Steers play Hale Center there tonight (Friday). Farwell girls basketball team fell to Kress 47-25 Tuesday night when they played there. Pat Kaltwasser led the home team with 14 points, Cheryl Mills tossed in five points. Ellen Magahan was highpoint player for Kress with 19 points.

The girls had a hard time all the way as they had tallied one point at the end of the first quarter to the opponents score of 20. Half-time found the Farwell girls still trying with the score 32-6. Third period period Kress had doubled them with 40-16 and the final score was 47-25.



MRS. MAGNESS

Tuesday Services For Mrs. Cula V. Magness

Funeral services were conducted at the Farwell Church of Christ, Tuesday, for Mrs. Cula V. Magness 65, who passed away in a Wichita Falls hospital Sunday following a lengthy illness.

Don Tarbett, minister of the local Church of Christ, assisted by Minister Ebb Randol officiated at last rites. Burial was in the Oklahoma Lane Cemetery under direction of Steed Funeral Home.

Break-In Suspect Arrested

Parmer County law enforcement officers apprehended a 20-year old man Sunday in Muleshoe who confessed nine break-ins in Parmer County recently, the latest being at Lazbuddie Saturday night.

Barton Fish, who has been living at Hub, was arrested at Muleshoe after attempting to

cash in dimes which supposedly were taken from the Trekler "66" Station in a break-in early Sunday morning.

Fish admitted the Trekler (Continued on Page 2)

Farwell FFA Boys To El Paso Show

Four members of the Farwell FFA Chapter accompanied by their instructor, Robert O. Morton, and Buck Gregory will leave for El Paso, Saturday morning to take their FFA project pigs to the stock show there.

Judging of the animals will be on Monday with the pigs which place for the sale to be sold on Friday.

Boys showing the pigs and making the trip are Charles and Jimmy Morton, Larry Gregory and Mike Camp. Jimmy Morton will exhibit a Hampshire pig with all other boys showing Poland Chinas.

The boys are expected to return to Farwell sometime next Friday.

County Stock Show Set For March 7-9

Dates for the 1963 Parmer County Junior Livestock Show have been announced for March 7, 8 and 9 in Friona, by the Friona Lions Club, sponsor of the annual event.

According to early estimates, it appears that this year's show will see a new record for the number of barrows entered. Preliminary estimates indicate that approximately 170 barrows will be entered. This compares to 130 which were entered last year.

The steer division apparently will be smaller this year, with 36 expected, compared to 69 last year. The lamb division will be about the same, with 40 lambs expected to be entered.

Entry fees of \$2 for steers and \$1 for swine and sheep are required to accompany the entry. Exhibitors cannot show more than one steer, two lambs, two barrows, or more than a total of three animals.

No animal is eligible for the show if it has passed through an auction sale in conjunction with another livestock show.

Because of the large number of barrows expected to be entered, the weigh-in time has been moved up to begin at 1 p.m. Thursday, March 7, to be completed by 6 p.m. that day.

Sifting of the swine and lamb division will begin at 8 a.m. Friday. Because of the smaller number of steers expected, show officials decided that entrants may wait until Saturday morning to bring their steers to the show if they wish.

Entries must be approved by either a vocational agriculture instructor or by the county agent, according to Bill Nichols, general chairman of the show.

Once again, the show is to coincide with Public Schools week, so that students showing animals will not be absent from class during examination periods.

Okay, Farwell, Let's All Turn Out!

The annual Farwell Chamber of Commerce banquet is next week. The speaker will be Waggoner Carr, attorney general of Texas.

Farwell's annual C of C banquet is notoriously attended. Scandalously attended might be a better way to put it. The last time an attorney general for the State of Texas came at the invitation of this august body, about 40 local residents took the trouble to extend him the courtesy of their presence.

It is certainly a black eye on the city to stage what ostensibly is a community function and then have the event sweepingly ignored. Better to have nothing at all.

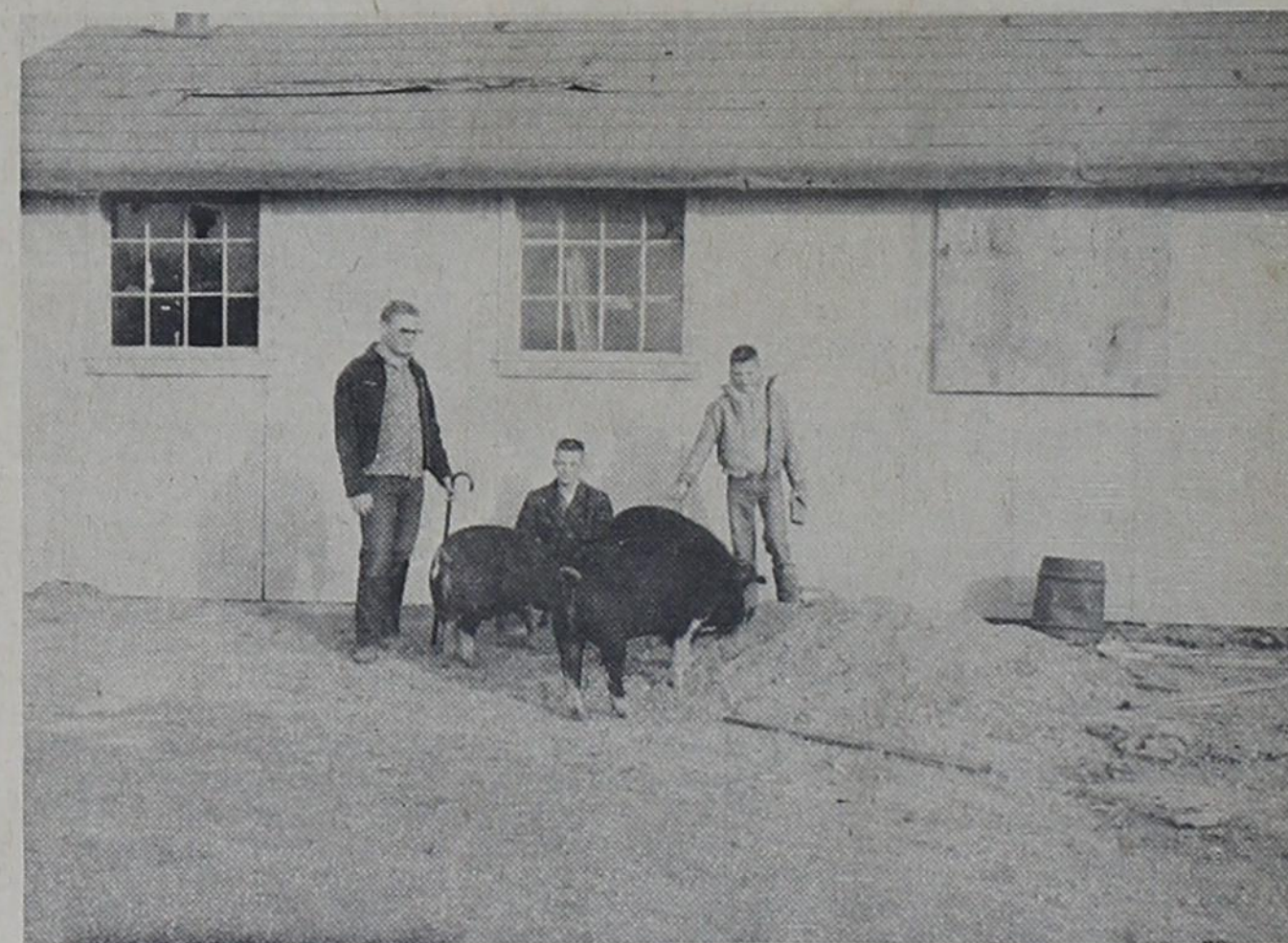
However, we do not agitate for abolition of the Chamber banquet. It happens to be the only town-wide event left on the calendar, and if we surrender this last bastion of community cooperation, the organization itself is bound for oblivion.

If you have been given tickets to sell--sell them. If you have not bought any tickets--buy some. The Chamber deserves to live. There are things in this town that need doing.



Al Pullins, owner and coach of the fabulous Harlem Clowns, talks things over with two of his big boys, Art Smith, six-

eight, and Eural McKelvy, left six-seven. The famous court jesters play here on the date of Feb. 2.



Farwell FFA members Mike Camp, left, Jimmy and Charles Morton are shown working with the pigs which they will be exhibiting at the El Paso Livestock Show later this week.

Harlem Clowns To Make Local Appearance Feb. 2

The world famous Harlem Clowns will be playing here tomorrow, (Saturday) Feb. 2, 8 p.m. in the Farwell School gymnasium, under sponsorship of the Quarterback Club. The Pioneers, a team of local talent combined with members of the KCLV Wranglers team, will be opponents of the famous team.

Price of admission for the game is \$1.50 for adults; \$1

for students and 50¢ for children under twelve years of age.

The Harlem Clowns team is made up of a group of fun-loving basketball-minded boys, whose antics on the basketball court have made them famous and has opened doors to them in all parts of the United States, Canada, Mexico and the Hawaiian Islands.

Razzle-dazzle ball handling,

precision passing, trick shooting, fancy dribbling, and spontaneous comedy are the pass words for this team of merry madcaps who have been bringing comedy and fancy basketball to the nation's fans for the past 28 years. Manager of the team is Al "Runt" Pullins, one of the original "Globetrotters" in the late 1920's.

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Steers Take Second Win From Wolverines

Farwell Steers won one and dropped two games Saturday night at Texico. The A team Steers coached by Bill Mayfield nosed out Paul Frederick's Wolverines 70-68. When the two teams met earlier in the season, they went into two overtime plays before Farwell was victorious.

John Green's "B" team defeated again their neighbors with a score of 58-33 and the freshmen team from Texico pushed by the visiting "frosh" 35-33.

In the A game Leon Lovelace made 29 points and Bobby Actkinson helped with 12 points. On the Texico Team Buddy Spence and Vic Harrington netted 18 points each, with Ver-

non Thigpen making 15 points and Jackie Dyer coming in with 12 points.

Leading the first half, the Steers were 36-28, however, the host team outscored them the last two periods as they made 19 and 21 points while the Steers meshed 15 and 19 points. The lead gained the first half aided the visitors in their victory.

Tom Rickstrew and Bill Campbell tossed in 16 points and 15 points for the Texico B team, Farwell's Johnny Actkinson was high point man for the visitors with 10 points. The Wolverines outscored their opponents every quarter, Joe Patterson led the Texico "frosh" with 23 points and Gregory was credited with 15 points for Farwell.

Third Texico Sabin Polio Clinic Sunday

All Texico-Farwell area residents are reminded of the third and last in a series of Sabin Oral Polio Clinics at the Texico School Sunday, February 3, 12 noon until 5 p.m. (CST).

Type III of the vaccine will be given at this time to complete immunity to all types of polio. The vaccine will be given as it previously has been on a lump of sugar. The vaccine is odorless and tasteless.

Dr. Kredel, of the Curry County health office, who will be in charge of the clinic, stresses the fact that all infants, pre-school children, school children, young adolescents, adolescents, young adults up to 31 years of age, preg-

nant women regardless of age and those who plan to travel abroad are urged to take the vaccine.

The clinic will be manned by a corps of doctors and nurses, and the vaccine will be prepared by a registered pharmacist. Members of Texico PTA and student council will be in charge of registration. Lunch will be served to clinic workers by members of Texico Woman's Club.

Some 1209 persons received the type II vaccine at the Texico clinic, in December.

Last Rites For Mrs. Ora Boone

Last rites were conducted at the 16th and Pile St. Church of Christ, in Clovis, Tuesday for Mrs. Ora L. Boone, 84, long-time Curry County and Texico resident, who passed away at Clovis Memorial hospital Sunday, where she had been a patient since January 14.

Burial was in Mission Garden of Memories under direction of Our Chapel of Memories Mortuary.

Mrs. Boone is survived by her husband, Virgil, three sons, Thurman, Redlands, Calif.; Ralph and Raymond both of Clovis; one daughter Mrs. Earl Maberry, Clovis, three brothers, two sisters, eight grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were High Wallace, Burford Wrather, Marlon Alexander, Joe Greenfield, Hubert Beavers and Clyde Rayl.

Plans Complete For Jaycee Cleanup Sale

Plans were completed by the local Jaycee Chapter for the general cleanup sale, which they are sponsoring February 5, 11 a. m. until all items are sold.

The sale will be held in east Farwell with Haney Tate, Wayne Tate and Don Gerles, auctioneers. Any item large or small will be accepted for sale and persons unable to get items to the sale are asked to call a Jaycee member to have the item picked up.

Wives of Jaycee members will serve lunch at the sale for a nominal fee.

This is the first such undertaking for Jaycees and they are asking the cooperation of all area residents to make the sale a success.

Break - In --

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break-in, as well as Neel's Grocery at Hub, the West Hub Gin Cafe, and Bovina break-ins at Northside Service Station, Bonds Oil Company, Bovina Implement Company, Crooks Service Station, Neil Smith Service Station and Paul Jones Service Station. The latter break-ins were reported to have happened Thursday, January 24.

Farmer officers also investigated an incident of vandalism at the Lazhuffie School Saturday night, resulting in approximately \$300 in damage.

Two juveniles were taken into custody, according to Sheriff Charlie Lovelace, one from Castro County and another from Lamb County. The youths admitted the vandalism, the sheriff said. The youngsters allegedly caused a good deal of damage by throwing large rocks through school windows.

The Editor's Letterbag

The Tribune encourages its readers to express themselves through the columns of this newspaper. All letters must be signed. We cannot be responsible for returning manuscripts. We reserve the right to judge whether a letter is suitable for printing.

Dear Mr. Graham,

Some time ago I wrote our national congressman, Walter Rogers, concerning a bill being acted upon by the legislature. In his reply, Mr. Rogers sent a weekly newsletter which he said had been sent to the local news media.

Having moved fairly recently from an area that is served by a weekly newspaper whose editor has made it a practice to publish the letters of the congressmen of that area, I had assumed that Mr. Rogers available since I had been unable to find one in your publication.

If he does make a weekly newsletter available to you, you are in the somewhat rare position of being the only one who can serve your community by publishing those letters in your paper. Had his letters been available to the voting public last year, they would have been immeasurably important in determining Mr. Rogers' qualifications for the job.

Those letters would have acquainted the public with bills before the legislature and the opinions and actions taken by our congressman.

I am not writing this letter on behalf of our congressman, whoever he may be, but on behalf of the voting public of which I am a part, so that we may

inform and be informed. An active interest in our government and an intelligent vote at the polls may decide our future.

Sincerely,
Mrs. John E. Christian

Dear Mrs. Christian,

Yours is a thoughtful letter and merits consideration.

In times past (not recently, however), we have published Congressman Rogers' newsletter at infrequent intervals. We finally abandoned the practice because we could not run it regularly, but that was not the only reason.

Like congressional junkets, the practice of congressional newsletters has proliferated in recent years, and I understand that any congressman "on the ball" regards his newsletters as one of the most important contacts with his constituents.

However, like some other things that had a good start, newsletters have come around to becoming something besides "news" letters. Rather than factual accounts of legislators' activities, they have become platforms for launching topics designed to place the legislators' viewpoints in a favorable light.

Also, they are a sounding board for pet projects and nothing more than a propaganda outlet when used to announce ef-

Six Awards To Be Made To Farwell FFA Members

A new program has been begun in the Farwell School for FFA members this year with club members to be in competition for six separate awards. The awards will be presented to members of the club on the basis of their projects, records, money derived from the projects, home beautification and land improvement, hours spent on project work and a scholastic award.



fort, progress, or accomplishment on pork barrel bills. You will see that the dollar sign and where the money is going in the district is a device frequently employed in these newsletters.

I am sorry that I take such a harsh viewpoint, but I think the newscolumns of the paper could be used to better advantage.

Moreover, Sens. Tower and Yarborough supply us with a weekly newsletter, as does state Sen. Andy Rogers. Rep. Bill Clayton sends out occasional news releases which we try to use. Obviously, with this amount of material coming in it would be impossible and not even desirable to run it all.

What we do try to do is read the letters as they occasionally tip us off on a story of interest locally. This is especially true in the case of Walter Rogers and federal activities in agriculture.

Sponsors of the awards which will be presented to the most outstanding chapter farmer, outstanding greenhand, outstanding officer, service award, scholarship award, and a Farm and Home award, are Oklahoma Lane Farm Supply, Schueler Feed and Supply Co., Worley Seed Co., Gifford-Hill Western, Cooper Gin, and Kemp Lumber Co.

All of the awards will be presented at the annual father-son banquet in May with each individual chosen to receive an award to receive a small plaque bearing his name and the name of the sponsor. Winners of all awards will have their names engraved on a large plaque which will be kept in the school trophy case.

Texico School --

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dale at the time of school consolidation in Curry County, but rather was at Field at the time.

Allegations bandied back and forth between the two opposing camps in the community this week are substantially variations on the same theme covered in last week's story.

Texas leads all states in rail-way mileage with a total of 16,478 miles.

A dollar was once called a Joachimsthaler.

Editorial

A Duffer's Guide On How To Decide

Texico school patrons are faced with a who-dunnit of sorts in the board of education election next week. Some will have a hard time deciding how to vote because they don't know what to believe.

For the ones who have already decided (and their numbers are considerable) this editorial may be laid aside. It isn't intended to influence anybody who already has come to a decision: "My mind is made up; don't confuse me with facts."

For the souls who are still astray, however, we submit the following for contemplation:

The Texico Schools face challenges that pale to insignificance the differences between individuals who teach in, run, or govern the local system. The goal of the school is, or should be, to provide the best education possible for the youth of our community, who are the nation's future leaders.

The function of the school is not to babysit and keep the young people "occupied" until they are mature enough to be turned loose in society, nor is it to provide gainful employment for the teaching establishment, nor is it to serve as a mechanism for producing athletes.

The local school is the only agency vested with the training of young men and women to prepare themselves for a useful and rewarding citizenship -- a responsibility before which parents should well tremble.

As soon as we get this idea fixed in our minds, the superfluous issues of personalities and politics drop away and the school rises above factionalism to a new level of ideals in our thinking.

Before Texico school patrons mark their ballots, they would do well to ask themselves questions like, "Do we have a good school? Is it providing our children with the best education possible with the resources at our disposal?" and proceed to individual candidates from a standpoint of what contribution they might make to truly basic goals for community schools.

Five Escape Serious Injury In 2-Car Accident

In an accident involving two cars at the corner of Katherine and Turner St., in Texico, Thursday morning five persons escaped serious injury. Involved in the accident were cars driven by Jack Watts and Mrs. Milton Autrey.

Most seriously injured was

1963 Plates Go On Sale

The 1963 Automobile registration plates go on sale at the County tax collector's office in Farwell Friday.

The 1963 plates, black letters on a white background, will have the prefix "CA", as opposed to "BZ," which was the case for the 1962 license plates.

The tags will be numbered from 25 through 4024, giving the county 4,000 plates to sell. Last year a total of 3,927 automobiles were registered in the county, according to tax assessor-collector Lee Thompson.

Thompson urges Farmer County residents to get their tags early, and avoid the rush before the April 1 deadline.

Mrs. Autrey, who suffered a lacerated right ear and severe bruises. She was hospitalized until Sunday. The three small Autrey girls, who were riding with their mother at the time of the accident, escaped with minor cuts and bruises, they along with Watts were released from the hospital following examination.

Both cars involved in the accident suffered extensive damage. Watts was given a citation for failure to use due care.

In another accident in the Texico town limits Sunday, no one was injured; however driver of a 1962 Rambler which skidded into a car after failing to observe a stop sign was cited for failure to use due care. Driver of the car was Airman James Boyd Rosler of Cannon Air Force Base. Driver of the other car involved in the accident was not identified. The car suffered minor damage.

Florida, the last of the territory owned in North America by the Spaniards, was ceded to the United States in 1819.

The English Houses of Parliament consist of the House of Lords and House of Commons.

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REV. CARL COFFEY

Inspiration For Godliness Psalm 1

The godly person is one who rejects the ways of evil and refuses to walk with the ungodly. He does not take their advice nor live by their standards. He rejects the way of the wicked, and in no way does he want to be a stumbling block to man.

He doesn't fellowship with the ways of the world, or ridicule the things which are sacred and good.

The deepest purpose of his heart is set on things above and not on things on the earth. He accepts the law of God and follows his guidance and sets a goal to strive toward. He meditates on God's word and finds the daily needs from it.

The results of godliness brings us peace of mind and satisfaction that we cannot get from any other source, and he has the assurance of dwelling with God forever.

The ungodly person is exactly opposite in character, practice, influence and destiny. He is like the chaff, and there is nothing in life that serves the purpose of God. He rejects God, has no regard for God's law, therefore he becomes rebellious and corrupt. Regardless tho, he too must stand before God in the judgement. He will stand there with an empty wasted life.

God judges all men rightfully according to his perfect knowledge of every man. The destiny of the godly person is eternal life, but the destiny of the ungodly man is everlasting punishment.

Therefore knowing this, all should walk in God's way and delight in his law.

Rev. Carl Coffey Pastor
Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church

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- Oklahoma Lane Baptist
Carl Coffey-pastor
Sunday School-10 a.m.
Morning Worship-11 a.m.
Evening Worship-7:30 p.m.
- Oklahoma Lane Methodist
Douglas Gossett-pastor
Sunday School-10 a.m.
Morning Worship-11 a.m.
Evening Worship-7 p.m.
- West Camp Baptist
Raymond A. Quick-pastor
Sunday School-10 a.m.
Morning Worship-11 a.m.
Evening Worship-7 p.m.
- Lariat Church of Christ
Carroll Jackson-minister
Sunday School-10 a.m.
Morning Worship-11 a.m.
Evening Worship-6 p.m.
- Farwell Church of Christ
Don Tarbet-minister
Sunday School-10 a.m.
Morning Worship-10:50 a.m.
Evening Worship-6 p.m.
- United Pentecostal
B. L. Barnes-pastor
Sunday School-10 a.m.
Morning Worship-11 a.m.
Evening Worship-7:30 p.m.
- Calvary Baptist
T. R. Shannon-pastor
Sunday School-10 a.m.
Morning Worship-11 a.m.
Evening Worship-7 p.m.
- Farwell First Baptist Church
J. L. Bass-pastor
Sunday school-10 a.m.
Morning Worship-11 a.m.
Evening Worship-7 p.m.
- Texico-Farwell Methodist Church
R. O. Tomlinson-pastor
Church School-10 a.m.
Morning Worship-11 a.m.
Evening Worship-6:15 p.m.
- St. John's Lutheran Church
A.R. Sander-pastor
Sunday School-9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship-10:30 a.m.
- Texico First Baptist Church
Orvel Brantley-pastor
Sunday School-10 a.m.
Morning Worship-11 a.m.
Evening Worship-7:30 p.m.
- Assembly of God
Robert Hutsall-pastor
Sunday School-10 a.m.
Morning Worship-11 a.m.
Evening Worship-7:45 p.m.
- Pleasant Hill Baptist
Hugh Frazier-pastor
Sunday School--9:30 a.m. (MST)
Morning Worship-10:30 a.m. (MST)
Evening Worship-7 p.m. (MST)

The Women's Page

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MR. AND MRS. MARTIN LEWIS

Tucker-Lewis Exchange Wedding Vows In Hollis

Miss Emalee Ann Tucker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Tucker of Hollis, Okla., former Farwell residents, and Martin Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs.

Victor Lewis, Dumas recently exchanged wedding vows in a ceremony at First Baptist Church in Hollis.

Reverend Robert Cogdill, church pastor, read the double ring vows before an altar arrangement of gold mums and greenery, flanked by spiral candleabra holding 28 white tapers.

Mrs. Loyd Searcey, organist played a number of wedding selections preceding the ceremony and accompanied the soloist, who sang "Oh, Promise Me".

Mrs. Doug Tucker, Weatherford, Okla., was matron-of-honor for her sister-in-law. She wore a fitted dress of gold silk styled with a V neck. A white fur hat and white accessories completed her attire. She carried a cascade arrangement of white carnations.

David Rath, close friend of the groom, served as bestman. Ushers were Doug Tucker, brother of the bride and Roger Painter, friend of the groom. The bride escorted to the altar and presented in marriage by her father wore a white ballerina length dress of de-lustered bridal satin styled with a V neckline, long fitted sleeves buttoning to petal points at the wrists and a fitted bodice. Her elbow length veil of silk illusion was attached to a pear encrusted tiara. Her bridal bouquet was centered with an orchid and carried atop a white Bible.

Following tradition, she carried a white Bible for something old, her dress was new.

the veil was borrowed from her cousin, Mrs. Roger Painter, and the garter was blue.

Mrs. Tucker, mother of the bride, wore a coral wool suit with beige and gold accessories. Mrs. Lewis, mother of the groom, wore a black wool suit with beige accessories. Both ladies wore corsages of white carnations.

A reception was held in the Fellowship hall of the church immediately following the ceremony. The serving table was laid with a white linen cloth and centered with the three tiered wedding cake topped by a bride and groom figurine. Flanking the cake was a crystal punch service with gold tapered candles.

Gold clusters of flowers surrounded the edge of the table and napkins inscribed with the names "Martin and Emalee" completed table decor.

After the bride and groom had cut the first piece of cake it was served with punch by Miss Judy Stanley and Mrs. Mae Moore.

When the couple left for a wedding trip to Amarillo, Mrs. Lewis was wearing a brown and gold wool dress with gold accessories and the orchid lifted from her bridal bouquet.

Mrs. Lewis is a 1961 graduate of Farwell High School and attended West Texas State College, Canyon, before transferring to Southwestern State College in Weatherford. The groom is a 1960 graduate of Hollis High School and will complete his education at Southwestern.

The couple is at home in Weatherford, Okla.

Pink and Blue Shower Fetes Mrs. E. Foreman

A pink and blue shower feted Mrs. Ernest Foreman at the Texico First Baptist Church fellowship hall the past Thursday night, with members of Companion Class as hostesses.

The gift table was laid with a white cloth and had a centerpiece of a pink umbrella, surrounded by gifts. Serving table was laid with a white lace cloth over blue and centered with an arrangement of blue flowers in a crystal bowl. Flanking the floral arrangement was a crystal punch service and a crystal plate holding white cookies. The cookies were served with pink punch by Mesdames Billy Boling and C. H. Webb.

Guests were registered by Mrs. Tena Roth, Mrs. Buddy Pearce was in charge of a short program.

Attending and sending gifts were Mesdames Leroy Gossett,

Marie Goforth, Mary Park, Jo-lene Norton, Leona Gossett, D. J. Brown, Jim Pierce, Ed Combs, Partin Austin, U. L. Lesly, Lon Carpenter, Ted Sheets, W. T. Meeks, F. E. Autrey, Gerald Wilkinson, Milton Henson, Billy Boling, J. H. Winegeart, and Paul Winegeart.

Also Mesdames F. A. Gossett, Joe Carpenter, F. S. Thigpen, G. T. Watkins, Myrtle Houghtling, C. J. Huffaker, John Porter, Dale McCuan, Avis Patterson, C. L. Mahaney, Leon London, Joe Camp, Les Means, Leroy Faville, Joe Winegeart, Bess Mansfield, Joyce Stalker, Cecil Winegeart, J. B. Davis, Tena Roth, Ray Stone, C. B. Stockton, Johnny Green, Mose Glasscock, John Adams, Judge Stone, Fred Danforth, Miss Nannie Goforth and Companion Sunday School class.

Farwell School Names Beverly Purvis Homemaker

Beverly Purvis 17 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Purvis, and a senior at Farwell High School, has been named Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow for the school. She was chosen for this honor on the basis of the score made on the knowledge and attitude test given to all senior girls in the school. She is now eligible along with other school winners throughout the state to compete for the title of state homemaker of tomorrow.

The winner of the state title will receive a scholarship award of \$1500 and runner-up will receive a \$500 scholarship. In addition to the scholarship, the state winner will receive an all expense paid trip for herself, and her advisor to historical Colonial Williamsburg, Va., Washington, D. C., and New York City in the spring. A national winner will be declared in the spring.

Miss Purvis is currently enrolled in bookkeeping, speech, home economics, and office practice and in addition is taking a course in civics from the University of Oregon.

She was recently first place winner of her state (Alaska) and third place winner in the International contest, for her entry in an essay contest sponsored by the Food Service Division on "Why I Want To Be A Dietician."

Beverly attended school in Ralls during her freshman year in high school and attended school in Anchorage, Alaska her sophomore and junior years. She plans to attend college at Hardin-Simmons after graduation from high school. She is unsure of her major but, strange as it may seem, doesn't think it will be home economics.



BEVERLY PURVIS

FFA Open-House Is A Success

"Although the cold weather kept some persons from attending, we were well pleased with the turnout for the FFA open-house held at the vocational agriculture building the past Saturday, says Johnny Atkinson, reporter for the club.

FFA boys exhibited their livestock projects, consisting of pigs, dairy cattle and sheep. Visitors were then conducted

into the agriculture building where they were invited to look over the project analysis sheets, of weight gains and food consumed by the animals, shown.

The Parliamentary Procedure team conducted a model business meeting for visitors and refreshments of cookies and coffee were served to those in attendance.

Wanda Eshleman To Be Crowned Band Sweetheart

Wanda Eshleman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orvis Eshleman, Pleasant Hill, and a junior in the Texico school will be crowned band sweetheart Friday night (tonight) during halftime ceremonies of the Texico-Melrose basketball game.

Miss Eshleman, who plays the cornet in the school band, has been a member of the band for the past eight years and is also a member of the high school chorus. She is also an accomplished pianist.

Wanda, as well as being an active member of the band is active in the Future Homemakers Club in the school, serving as secretary-treasurer this year. She made and modeled two wool garments in the local FHA style show this past fall.

Miss Eshleman is enrolled in bookkeeping, Spanish, journal-



WANDA ESHLEMAN

ism, English III, band, chorus, and home economics. Her hobby, as one might suspect, is music.

A Boy For Harold Carpenters

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Carpenter of Oklahoma Lane announce the arrival of their second child, a son, Friday January 25, in Clovis Memorial Hospital.

The boy who weighed 8 lb. 12 oz. at birth has been named Richard Daniel. The Carpenters' other child is 23 year old Donnie, who is with the U. S. Army, in Okinawa.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Carpenter, of Oklahoma Lane, are grandparents.

Wives of Harold Carpenters are guests at Jaycee Meet

Wives of Jaycees members were special guests of club members when they convened at the AA Bowl Tuesday night for a regular meeting.

After the dinner plans were completed for the general cleanup sale which the organization is sponsoring this Tuesday, February 5.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lewis and children Hereford, were in Texico the past weekend to visit in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lewis. They returned to their home Monday.

Bill Smith a representative of Star Engraving Co., of Albuquerque is a house guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Doran this week.

Mrs. Charlie Lovelace is a patient in a Lubbock hospital, where she is undergoing a series of tests. She will be hospitalized for approximately two weeks.

Daughter For Lonnie Hands

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Hand of Plainview announce the arrival of a daughter weighing 7 lb. 14 oz. Thursday January 24, 11:07 a.m., in a Plainview hospital.

The little girl, the first child for the Hands, has been named Lisa Kay.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Asa Smith, Lariat; and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hand, Clovis.

Mrs. Hand is the former Sylvia Smith.

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ELECT OFFICERS: New officers of the Democratic Women's Club elected Thursday at a luncheon meeting are Mrs. Morris Stagner (left), president; Mrs. John Spearman of Texico, treasurer; and Ruby Bivins, vice president. Mrs. W. H. Hester, secretary, was not present for the picture.

Mrs. Stagner Heads Democratic Women

Mrs. Morris Stagner was elected as new president of the Democratic Women's club at a luncheon meeting Thursday, with Mrs. Ruby Bivins to serve as vice-president. Other officers were Mrs. John Spearman, treasurer, and Mrs. W. H. Hester, secretary.

Outgoing officers are Mrs. Chick Taylor, president; Mrs. Stagner, vice-president; Mrs. Leslie Doose, secretary; and

Mrs. Ruby Bivins, treasurer. Mrs. Ken White, who is state vice-chairwoman of the Democratic party, appointed as her assistants in Curry County, Mrs. W. J. Matthews, Mrs. John Spearman, Mrs. W. H. Hester and Mrs. Jim Turnbough. Mrs. Jack Fleming, county vice-chairwoman, urged members to watch the procedure of the state legislature. She also reminded attendants of a state political school to be in Albuquerque over the weekend. In conjunction with the school is a dinner in commemoration of the birthday of the late Franklin D. Roosevelt, at which Gov. Jack Campbell will speak.

News From LAZBUDDIE

BY MRS. C. A. WATSON

We wish to take this means of thanking the fire departments from Muleshoe and Friona, the electricians and all who have helped in any way during and since the loss of our home by fire Friday. We realize that had it not been for the assistance rendered we could have lost all buildings on the farm. Your kind words and deeds have helped us to bear the loss.

Since the Lazbuddie birthday calendar was destroyed in the fire and many persons have said they enjoyed the birthday paragraph so much; I am asking that you help by sending a card to me at, Route 3, Muleshoe with the names and birthdays of family members.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Fuquey were in Fort Worth over the weekend attending the Fat Stock Show.

Don Schuman is in California visiting his mother and other relatives.

John and Sharon Agee, Lubbock are home visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. John Agee and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Parham between semesters.

Cooper Young, a Baylor student is visiting his classmate, Don Parker in Corpus Christi during mid-term holidays.

David Smith left Saturday for Waco where he will enter Baylor University. He plans to major in forestry.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Chitwood Jr. are in Fort Worth to visit with their son, Dick, and attend the district 4-H meeting there. Dick will return with his parents for a short visit before returning to College at Bryan.

Paul Wilbanks, Tommie Ketchum, Don Watson, Dale Vice, and Donnie Smith from WTSC are visiting with home folk for a few days before returning to school for the second semester.

James Brown is transferring from Texas Tech to WTSC for the second semester of work.

Pat Chitwood is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Young, while her parents are visiting in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Byrd were in Amarillo over the weekend on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Blackburn were recent Lubbock visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Parham were Lubbock visitors Monday. Lazbuddie school was damaged by vandals over the weekend with some 33 windows broken.

Marriage Licenses Issued

January 7 -- John J. Cox, Clovis, N.M., and Shirley Kay Morton, Clovis.

January 8 -- Gregoria Lopez, Jr., Clovis, N.M., and Liza Dolores Martinez, Clovis.

January 10 -- George Wayne Terry, Friona, and Linda Frances Gilreath, Bovina.

January 15 -- Allen P. Dickerson, Summerfield, and Elsie Rose Ella Duggan, Summerfield.

January 19 -- Ronnie Smith, Melrose, N.M., and Beverly Kay Denham, Clovis, N.M.

January 19 -- Wesley Paul Palmer, Clovis, N.M., and Lavonia Mae Newbrough, Bovina.

January 23 -- Glendel Day Jones, Friona, and Patricia Kay Fallwell, Friona.

January 25 -- Jesse David Mullins, Rogers, N.M., and Jo Ann Schell, Farwell.

January 26 -- Danny Hoyt Smith, Friona, and Adabeth Akens, Friona.

Pleasant Hill

BY MRS. BUCK TAYLOR

Sunday School and church services were well attended at Pleasant Hill Baptist church the past Sunday. Rev. Earl Landroop of Clovis brought both messages, in the absence of the pastor.

Women's Missionary Union met at the church Tuesday evening for a stewardship program. Mrs. Corda Taylor was in charge of the program. She presented a devotional on "If". Those present were Mrs. Bertha Kelley, Elizabeth Range, Auline Walker, Noma McCullough and Roselha Clark. Refreshments of fruit bread and coffee were served by Mrs. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Juan Eskew spent the day Sunday in Friona visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Auburn Lofton. Joining them for the day were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lofton, Friona, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Elliott, Aztec, and Rev. and Mrs. Alvin Askins.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Magness are new residents of the community and we take this means to welcome them.

Thursday night guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Pierce were Mr. and Mrs. Vaudy Pierce and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Guy, Clovis, their son Gale and his college roommate, Matt Condo from New Mexico University, Las Cruces.

Rev. Hugh Frazier and E. J. Hodges returned home from Dallas, Monday morning. They had been at the bedside of R. A. Cassady, who underwent heart surgery last week.

Mrs. Marion Walker and Sarah Beth visited with Mrs. Walker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lemon, in Portales, Sunday. Visiting this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Walker is their grandson, Steve Davis, Portales.

Attending the worker's conference at Texico Baptist Church Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Walker and Rev. and Mrs. Hugh Frazier.

The United States gained the sovereignty of the canal strip at Panama by the Hay-Bunau-Varilla Treaty of November 18, 1903.

Christmas In January

While life has begun to settle back into the old routine in most homes following the Christmas rush, not so in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Porter, who had been anxiously awaiting the arrival of their son Major JeDon Porter, his wife Bunky and their three children MaryElizabeth, five, Melinda, four and Timmy, two from Germany.

When the Porters learned early in December that their son's family would arrive back in the states from a three year tour of duty in Germany sometime in January, plans were begun for the late celebration of Christmas.

Amid much merriment Christmas was finally celebrated by the two families in the Porter home January 25, only one month late. The Porters are also making the acquaintance of their grandson for the first time.

Major and Mrs. Porter and children will remain to visit in the John Porter home for another week before going on to Carmel, California for a visit with Mrs. Porter's parents Retired Warrant Officer and Mrs. Glen James.

Major Porter will be stationed in Fort Rucker, Ala. following a thirty day leave.

Fireman's Auxiliary Installs Officers

An installation service was conducted by Texico Fireman's Auxiliary members when they met for a salad supper at Spur restaurant, Monday evening.

Installing officer was Mrs. Lillian Allman, Texico home-making teacher. Officers installed were president, Mrs. Russell Johnson; vice-president, Mrs. Fred Danforth; secretary, Mrs. F. S. Thigpen; treasurer, Mrs. Rip Snodgrass; historian, Mrs. C. H. Webb and reporter, Mrs. John Adams. Other members in attendance

were Mesdames Elmer Teeland Perry Winkles.

Mrs. Winkles, out-going president presented each of the club members, tissue holders made from red velveteen. The table was covered with a white linen cloth and centered with an arrangement of red roses in a white milk glass container. Yearbooks were presented by the new president Mrs. Johnson.

Next meeting was set for February 25 with Mrs. John Adams, hostess.

Hospital Notes

Mrs. A. Milstead returned to her home in Farwell over the weekend after being hospitalized in Clovis for several days. She is feeling fine and would enjoy company.

The condition of G. W. Atchley, a patient in Veterans Hospital in Amarillo, remains unchanged. He would enjoy receiving cards and letters from his local friends. His address is G. W. Atchley, Veterans Hospital, Amarillo, Texas.

Mrs. Lena Yoder is a patient in Clovis Memorial Hospital. The condition of R. A. Cassady, who underwent heart surgery in a Dallas hospital last week, remains unchanged.

Fred Barker was admitted to the hospital in Friona, Tuesday morning. His condition is unchanged.

Wade Carpenter a recent dismissal from the hospital in Friona is recuperating at his home and enjoys visiting with his friends and neighbors.

Only once has the speaker of the house ever become president, when James K. Polk was elected in 1894.

Hair Styling Demonstration

For P. Hill Club Members

Pleasant Hill Extension Club members met in the home of Mrs. Edwin Fahsholtz Thursday, for an all day meeting and covered dish luncheon. Mrs. Doris Holland from Doris' Beauty Salon, Clovis was present and gave a demonstration on

"Hair Styling" and a talk on the care of the hair.

Next meeting was set for February 7, in the home of Mrs. Jack Eshleman, at which time Mrs. Barnett will show a film on "Venereal Disease" and give a talk on health problems.

Present at the Thursday meet were Mesdames Leon Webb, Maurice Clark, E. L. Sutton, Barney Kelly, Tom Burnett, Pearl Singleterry, Frank Hemke, Eual Hart, Juan Eskew, Joe Burford, Eric Pierce, Leonard Kimbrough, Ed Baldrige, Alvis Clark, Donald Clark, C. A. Bourlan, John Range and Gene Boatwright members, and Mrs. Doris Holland and her son, Michael, guests.

Grace Class

Plans Project

Members of Grace Sunday School class, of Farwell First Baptist Church, met in the home of Mrs. LaVon Jones Monday night for a business meeting and social hour.

A Bible quiz was conducted with Mrs. Clyde Magness, teacher, in charge. Plans were made for class members to meet at the home of Mrs. Magness later in the week and go for a visit to the Portales Children's Home. After the visit class members plan a class project for the home.

Refreshments of chips, dips, pound cake and coffee or punch were served to Mesdames Gene Hardage, Bob Dollar, Orle Jones, Howard Whittener, Clyde Magness and the hostess Mrs. Jones.

Sam Lewis Attends Safety Council Meet

Sam Lewis, Justice in Texico, in company with three Clovis J.P.'s was in Albuquerque over the weekend to attend a "Safety Council Meeting." This is one of four such schools planned for the state this year.

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Gas Official Paints Optimistic Picture

Southern Union Gas Company employees from the Clovis district heard one of their top officials paint an optimistic picture of the future of the Company at a meeting in Clovis last week.

D. M. Bailey, executive vice president of the utility, told employees that there is every reason to be encouraged about the continued growth of Southern Union, which has seen yearly gas sales jump from some 10 billion cubic feet 20 years ago to more than 140 billion cubic feet in 1962.

Since 1929, when the Company was first organized to sell gas, Bailey said its service area has expanded to where it now distributes gas in 75 communities in the states of New Mexico, Texas, Arizona and Colorado.

Bailey noted that although there's little of the Company's pipeline system that's visible, Southern Union now operates a gathering, transmission and distribution system totalling more than 6,900 miles.

In building its pipeline system and acquiring the gas supply needed to meet requirements of some 360,000 customers -- along with offices and service centers, meters and regulators, and all the other equipment needed to operate the business -- Southern Union has invested nearly \$145 million, Bailey pointed out. An additional \$12 million has been budgeted for 1963, he added, to keep up with the growth and the demand for increased gas service.

Bailey told employees that

there are more than 1,000 privately-owned gas utilities like Southern Union, serving a total of some 34 million customers in the United States. On the basis of number of customers served, Southern Union ranks 16th nationally and on the basis of plant investment it ranks 12th, he said.

The Southern Union vice president reported that the Company serves about one per cent of the total consumers and delivers about one and one-quarter per cent of all gas sold by utilities in the nation. "Southern Union's gas rates are about 25% below the national average," he stated, "which means that our customers are continuing to get a real bargain price on the fuel we sell them."

Bailey reported that Southern Union's total operating revenues climbed from about \$47 million in 1959 to an estimated \$61 million in 1962 and are expected to be even higher in 1963. He noted that expenses also climbed at a comparable rate, citing as example that the Company's gas costs have jumped from \$17.8 million in 1959 to about \$24.5 million in 1962.

In addition to Bailey, other Southern Union officials participating in the meeting were E. M. Kelley, vice president from El Paso, David J. Kerr, executive assistant from Dallas, and J. Harvey Wilson, Clovis district manager.

Attending from Farwell were Elmer Teel and Mrs. Bess Mansfield.



Four young people representing the major rural youth organizations in the nation were honored for their outstanding work at the sixteenth annual luncheon sponsored by The Cattleman magazine in Fort Worth Monday. The awards, presented by the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association, were made to, left to right, Jerry Clark of Buna, president of the

Texas Future Farmers of America; Judy Miller of Gunter, secretary-treasurer of the Texas 4-H Council; Richard Chitwood of Lazbuddie, vice-chairman of the Texas 4-H Council; and Diane McKnight of Commerce, Area 6 president of the FFA. With them is Col. Homer Garrison, director of the Texas Department of Public Safety and principal luncheon speaker.

County Bond Sales Impressive In '62

Parmer County residents bought a total of \$163,157 worth of series E and H savings bonds during 1962, which exceeded its goal for the year by \$73,157.

By selling 181.3 per cent of its goal, Parmer County was second only to Floyd County in District 3, and was eighth in the entire state as to percentage of goal achieved.

Parmer County's district led the five districts in the state's Area I division, by selling 90.4 of its savings bond goal for 1962. The county was topped only by Floyd County in the district, which raised 185.6 per cent of its goal.

Neighboring Castro County sold \$67,326 in bonds, representing 74.8 per cent of its goal, and Bailey County sold \$54,300 worth, only 45.3 per cent of its quota.

Deaf Smith County, while in a different district alignment, was the leading county in the state by percentage, selling 266.4 per cent of its goal.

Other area counties among the leaders for percentage of

goal were Briscoe (sixth) and Cochran (tenth).

"We were real proud of our achievement," said Frank Spring, Friona State Bank president, chairman of the county's drive. Spring received a plaque recently in a ceremony signifying the achievement. It was the second straight year for Parmer County to exceed its quota.

"Our foreign nation allies are glad to see our bond sales in the U.S. at a high peak. They feel that if the national debt can be kept in the hands of individuals, the country isn't too bad off," Spring said.

Parmer County doesn't make any special effort in its bond program. "The people here know the advantage of having bonds. They don't have to pay income tax on the cumulative interest, and that is attractive," Spring said.

Tortoises on the Galapagos Islands are believed to be the oldest living creatures on earth.

Mrs. Hughes Injured In Car Accident Near Sherman

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hughes and children, of Florida, former local residents, who had been visiting in the home of Hughes parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hughes in Texico, were in a car accident near Sherman, Friday.

The Hughes car hit an icy road during a rainstorm causing the

car, which was pulling a trailer to overturn, Hughes and the children were uninjured except for minor cuts and bruises; however Mrs. Hughes suffered a broken right leg in the accident. The leg was broken in four places and Mrs. Hughes underwent surgery Tuesday to repair the damaged leg. She will be hospitalized in the Texas town for some six weeks. The car was completely demolished in the accident.

Mrs. Hughes will be remembered locally, as Oneta McNath.

Open House At Calvary Baptist Church

Brotherhood of the Calvary Baptist Church in Texico will hold openhouse Monday night February 4, 7:30 p.m., with the general public invited to come and see films of the Holy Land, which will be shown by Jesse Rogers, from Cannon Air Force Base.

A discussion period will be conducted and refreshments will be served by ladies of the church at the fellowship period, following the film.

Special guests at the openhouse will be members of The Little Men's Brotherhood.

Ask A Smith
NILES, Ohio (UPI) — When Mrs. Alvin Jones chose "What's in a Name" as the topic for her guest spot at a Book Review Club meeting she discovered just how much she had in common with a host of people across the nation.

In listing the standings of the common surnames in the United States, she learned that JONES is numbered fifth in the nation and the name ANDERSON is rated eighth.

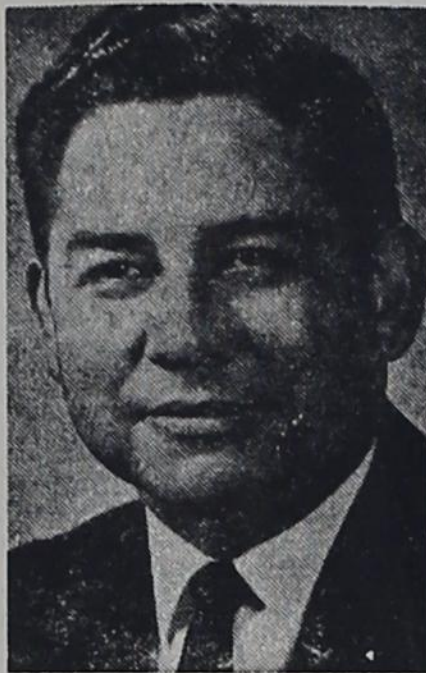
Mrs. Alvin Jones is the former Lillie Anderson of Niles. She concluded, "Just how 'common' can you get?"

West Camp Church Schedules Revival

Revival services are scheduled at the West Camp Baptist Church February 3-10 with services twice daily at 8:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Reverend Lewis Hancock Roosevelt, Okla., will be doing the preaching for this series of services and singing will be directed by Clarence Pruett, Bowie.

Pastor of the church is Rev. Raymond Quick, and he invites the general public to this special series of services.



Rev. Lewis Hancock

Sister Of Local Men Injured In Car Accident

Harley and Hubert Payne of Oklahoma Lane report that their sister Mrs. Jack (Ethel) Taylor of Yucita, Calif., recently suffered a broken leg in a car accident.

She and her husband had visited here in early December while on a vacation trip to points in the south which extended in-

to Florida. The trip took them some 5000 miles and they were within 150 miles of home when the accident occurred.

Taylor was released from an El Centro hospital following treatment of minor cuts and bruises, Mrs. Taylor is doing fine and is expected to be released from the hospital this week.

Texico Burial For Mrs. Jennings

Funeral services were conducted at Steed Chapel, Tuesday, for Mrs. Cynthia Della Jennings 83, who passed away Sunday at her home in Clovis. Ebb Randol longtime friend, and minister of the Church of Christ officiated at last rites.

What's Cooking At School

FARWELL SCHOOL

MONDAY: chili with beans, crackers, lettuce and tomato salad, fruit rolls, milk.

TUESDAY: pork chop creole, blackeyed peas, tossed salad, chocolate pudding, hot rolls, butter, milk.

WEDNESDAY: kraut, weiners, buttered carrots, scalloped potatoes, bread, butter, cake, milk.

THURSDAY: hamburgers, potato chips, cheese slices, cherry cobbler, milk.

FRIDAY: ham and bean casserole, buttered potato, tomato and lettuce salad, peaches, cornbread, butter, milk.

with burial in Texico Cemetery under direction of Steeds.

Mrs. Jennings came to this area with her husband Hayden, in 1907 and settled in the Texico community later moving to Clovis. Mr. Jennings preceded his wife in death in 1953.

Survivors are four sons, J. B., C. C., and B. U., all of Clovis, Q. F. of Albuquerque, one daughter, Mrs. B. P. Davis, Clovis, eleven grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

Also one brother, Erenst Vaughn, Grass Valley, Calif., and three sisters, Mrs. Sam Randol, Clovis, Mrs. Nannie Clark, Clovis and Mrs. Maudie Douglas, Muleshoe.

Grandsons served as pallbearers.

Farwell Chamber Of Commerce Selects Officers

Farwell Chamber of Commerce members meeting at AA Bowl, Tuesday afternoon cast secret ballots for officers for the coming year. They were chosen from the board of directors. Officers selected were a president and vice-president. Holdover officers are secretary, I. W. (Dutch) Quickel and treasurer, Bob Anderson.

Officers chosen by the Tuesday vote will be announced and installed at the Chamber of Commerce banquet February 14. Waggoner Carr, Texas Attorney General will be speaker at the forthcoming banquet and tickets are now on sale and may be obtained from any member of the chamber.

Members of the board of directors are Robert Shuman, Hurshel Harding, Jerry Bradshaw, Tom Cobb, B. V. (Shorty) Hughes, Bull Dollar, Joe Jones, Karl Gast and Herb Potts.

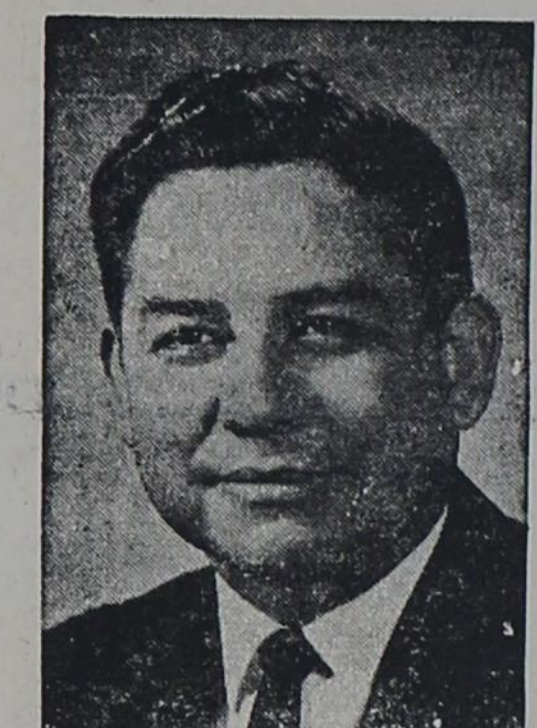
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T. Earle Johnson, professor of speech at the University of Alabama, says: "Keeping a free society free--and vital and strong--is no job for the half-educated and the slovenly. In a society of free men competence is a primary duty. The man who does his job well tones up the whole society and the man who does a sloppy job--whether he is a janitor or a judge, a surgeon or a mechanic--lowers the tone of all society. But excellence implies more than competence. It implies a striving for the highest standards in every form of life. We need individual excellence in ... political life, in education, in industry--in short, universally.

Lynch Services In McAllen

Funeral services were conducted at the First Baptist Church in McAllen, Tuesday afternoon for Charles E. Lynch 80, brother of Mrs. G. E. Roberts longtime Oklahoma Lane resident, now deceased. Burial was in the Mission Cemetery.

Mr. Lynch passed away at his home in McAllen Sunday morning at 5 a.m.

Earl Roberts, a nephew living in the Oklahoma Lane community was unable to attend funeral services.



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Report From Bill Clayton

Bill Clayton of Springlake, newly-elected State Representative from the 91st District, landed in a bowl of cherries when House committee assignments were announced Friday.

Clayton drew one of the most important committee assignments of any of the 60 freshman legislators.

He was one of four freshmen to be chosen for the important appropriation committee, headed by fellow West Texan, Bill Heatley of Paducah.

Clayton was also asked to serve on the Conservation and Reclamation committee, which is important to this district.

In addition, he was named to the Committees on the Municipal and Private Corporations, Public Lands and Buildings and Labor.

The new representative made his first appearance on the floor of the House and first address to its 150 members Wednesday when he sponsored Charles Duvall, Jr., of Littlefield, has had meetings daily for two weeks, and we have heard the budget requests that were presented by all of the state supported colleges and universities and the requests from the Judicial Branch. This Committee will continue daily meetings until all budget requests from the various State agencies

have been heard. At the end of these hearings the Committee will present a bill to the House of Representatives, and this bill will be the recommendations of our Committee for the financial operations of the State for the next bi-ennium.

I have introduced House Bill 15, which is a part of Governor John Connally's legislative program, and if passed will outlaw future common law marriages in Texas. I am co-sponsoring House Bill 50, which is of particular interest to our section of Texas, and legislation which I think is needed in all of the State. This bill, if passed, would provide for the raising of the speed limit on such roads as it is appropriate, not to exceed seventy miles per hour.

Legislation will be considered that will give some relief to the license fee charged for anhydrous ammonia tanks, and of course this is of primary interest to many people in our area. You may be assured that I am mindful of this problem, and think that a satisfactory solution will be worked out.

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Dale Kellogg, Gerald Ecker, David Barnes and Virginia Sue Tully pleaded guilty to burglarizing AA Bowl in Farwell last summer, and each received a three-year prison sentence.

T. P. Jackson pleaded guilty of theft, and was assessed a two-year jail term.

James Lyday was found guilty of bigamy, and was given a three-year suspended sentence.

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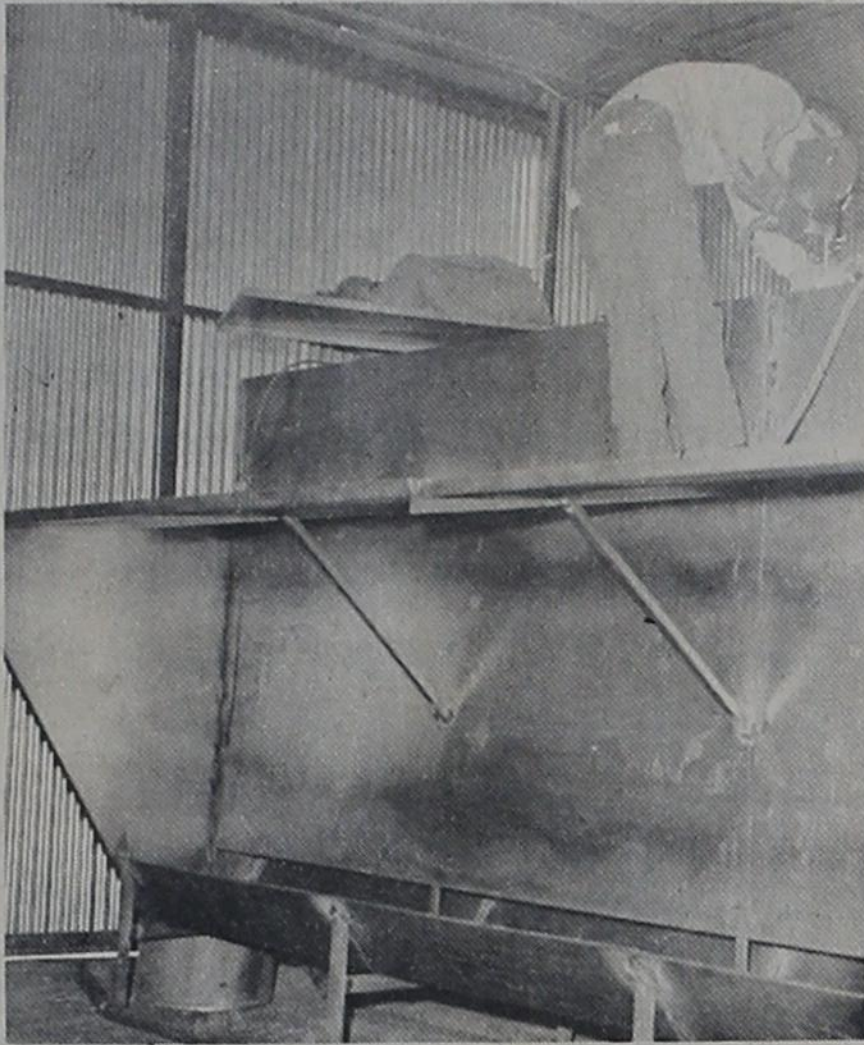
Company Begins Work At Farwell

By BILL ELLIS
For Farmer County Newspapers

Cattle feeding is becoming big business in Farmer County and the area as a whole, and a couple of Farwell men have established an industry which should go hand in hand with the new "boom."

"Miracle Manufacturing Company" has been in operation in Farwell for about three weeks. It hopes to profit from the cattle industry, as well as helping cattlemen increase their profits.

The company manufactures steel products, and is specializing in cattle self-feeders. Partners in the new business are Bill Garrett and Harold Darby, who formerly operated a blacksmith shop between Texico and Clovis, New Mexico. Miracle Manufacturing also



PUTTING ON THE TRIMMINGS for a newly-constructed self-feeder is this employee of Miracle Manufacturing in Farwell.

builds an all-steel "implement trailer," which breaks down for loading of tractors and other farm implements. "We use one of the trailers in our work to deliver the feeders," the men point out.

A staunch believer in its own products, the company even erected its own building in Farwell--conducted of steel, naturally.

Farmer County's newest industry employs 12 people currently--10 men in the actual manufacturing work and two people in the business office.

"If our business volume increases, we'll naturally need more employees," said Garrett, a native of this area, who grew up at Muleshoe.

Darby came to Farwell from the West Coast. He built and installed machinery for plywood in an Oregon sawmill before moving to the Southwest. The past eight months, the two men operated a shop near Texico.

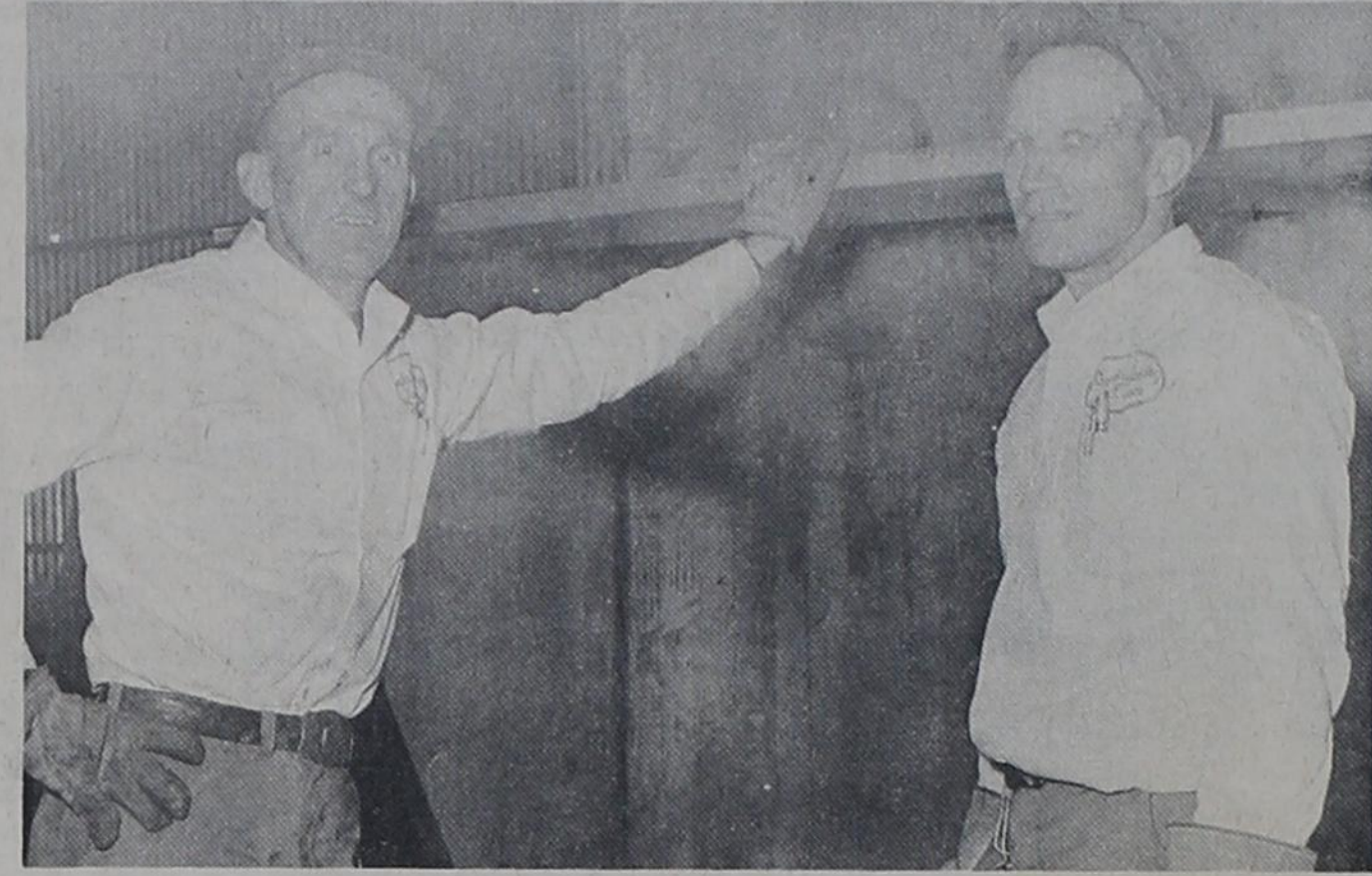
Both are 33 years of age and are family men. Garrett has four children, a boy and three girls, and Darby has five children--all boys.

They headed toward the feeder business last May, when they built a self-feeder for F. D. Carter of Bovina. The men estimated that they manufactured about 35 feeders before they finally installed their present plant.

"I feel there is a definite need for this type of equipment in our area. This is wonderful cattle country, and we are interested in our area," says Garrett.

It is fitting that the new business should be located in the "heart" of the new cattle-feeding empire. The only other companies that manufacture feeders that Garrett and Darby know about are located in Rome and Saginaw, Texas.

"We have sold self-feeders as far away as Tucumcari, New Mexico," said Darby. Feeders are manufactured in 10-foot, 16-foot and 20-foot sizes to suit



HAROLD DARBY AND BILL GARRETT, partners in Farwell's new manufacturing plant which specializes in cattle feeders, are caught during a "pow-wow."

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individual needs.

Under the present conditions, the plant is turning out an average of 10 feeders per week, or about two per day.

It was noted that the plant capacity would allow production of up to 30 feeders per week.

"We are in the process of designing a push-button feed pen, which will be on the market as soon as designs and cost estimates have been completed," the men say.

The company not only sells the steel equipment, but will lease equipment for complete feeding operations.

"We're going to build what the cattlemen need," said Garrett. Being in the area where they are used has already proved to be an advantage.

"Several cattlemen have made suggestions for improving our product, some of which have already been incorporated," Garrett said.

"Also, our employees come up with suggestions for an improvement, and sometimes they turn out to be beneficial," he added.

February 16-23 Is "FFA Week"

Governor John Connally has proclaimed the week of February 16-23 as FFA Week in Texas.

In presenting the proclamation to Jerry Clark, President, Texas FFA Association from Buna, the Governor pointed out that the importance of agriculture in our State increases as Texas progresses, and it is vital to our well-being that we train skilled farmers and ranchers to provide a plentiful supply of food in years to come.

Jerry Clark received the proclamation on behalf of the 39,000 active FFA members in 937 chapters and more than a quarter of a million former students.

The FFA is composed of boys who are studying vocational agriculture in the public schools in preparation for careers in farming, ranching and related fields.

In studying the science of agriculture, these Future Farmers are striving to improve this great industry for the welfare of all citizens.

Dixon Attends TFB Conference

Jim Dixon, Farm Bureau policy execution chairman for Farmer County, attended the Texas Farm Bureau Legislative Conference January 22 in Austin.

The legislative director for TFB, Charlie Huff, addressed the group. At a banquet sponsored by the group, governor John Connally and lieutenant governor Preston Smith spoke along with Jack Lynn, legislative director of American Farm Bureau, Washington D. C.

Lynn discussed the upcoming wheat referendum, stating that Farm Bureau was against the basic contents of the referendum. Other issues, such as taxes, federal aid to education and Medicare were touched on.

Mrs. Dixon accompanied her husband on the trip. Lester Howard, Bill Millen and Jack Schuster, of Bailey County also were at the meeting. Representative Bill Clayton of Springlake attended the banquet.

The group toured the capitol seeing the House of Representatives and Senate, and into the governor's chambers.

Dixon has prepared a report on the meeting for the Farmer County Farm Bureau directors meeting in Friona Monday.

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Terry Parham, Mike Ward, Charlotte Seaton, Marranna Gammon, Linda Gleason, Timmy Foster, Ronald Ashford. Front row -- John Ward, Thresa Seaton, Bobby Gleason, Steve Foster, Lary Eubanks, and Royce Barnes.

4-H Club Members Like New Program

Texas 4-H Club members are taking to the horse club program like 'ducks-to-water.' Currently, reports Roy Snyder, extension animal husbandman, 4-H horse clubs are active in at least half of the State's counties. A remarkable growth is Snyder's description of the very popular 4-H educational program. Participation more than doubled last year.

Because of this upsurge of interest in riding horses and a growing number of requests for subject matter information, Snyder and other members of the animal husbandry and other departments of Texas A&M College are busy trying to serve these needs. In addition to subject matter, the first statewide 4-H horse and pony show is scheduled for August 22 and 23 at Texas A&M College. Snyder says all county agricultural agents in Texas now have the rules and general information covering the operation of the show.

under the halter division of the show and six under the performance division. Ribbons will be awarded for the top 10 placings in each class and trophies will go to the first place class winners, he adds. In addition, a trophy will be presented to the owner of the high point horse of the show, points will be accumulated in both halter and performance classes and a trophy will also be awarded the champion showman.

Snyder emphasizes that the 4-H horse program, is educational and is primarily aimed at the development of the boy or girl along with a care, maintenance and training program for the animal owned by the 4-H member. Both boys and girls

are eligible for membership. Snyder suggests to members who are interested in participating in the upcoming show, that they immediately get in touch with their local 4-H leaders and county agents and begin training their animals for the show. He especially urges them to become familiar with the rules and regulations which will govern the show.

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COLLEGE STATION, Tex. (UPI) — The Texas Agriculture extension service reports growing salt content in irrigation water can cause poor soil structure, trapping of water and poisoning of crops if not contained. Symptoms of excess salts in the soil are yellowed leaves, shedding and stunted growth, the service reports. To remedy "salting-up" of soil, farmers need to leach the soil, irrigate more often, plant salt-tolerant crops and use cropping practices, the service said.

CC-ENMU spring semester classes start the week beginning Monday, January 28.

Enrollments may still be made by contacting Charlie Speice, program director.

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Area Entomogist Gets New Position

Effective February 1, John G. Thomas, area entomologist with headquarters at Lubbock, will be transferred to the headquarters staff of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

His new title, according to Director John E. Hutchison, will be associate entomologist, and he replaces C. F. Garner who resigned several weeks ago. Thomas holds both B. S. and

M. S. degrees from Texas A&M College in entomology and has completed approximately two-thirds of his academic work at Kansas State University for a doctorate degree in the same field. He has served at Lubbock since June 1960. He is a native of Gray county and was an outstanding 4-H member.

Rex P. Kennedy, area farm management specialist with headquarters at Weslaco, on

May 1 will be transferred to the headquarters staff and his new title will be economist in management. His major responsibilities, according to Director Hutchison, will be to coordinate the work of the area farm management specialists and overall leadership for the extension farm management program.

Kennedy has served in his present position since July 1961

and holds a B. S. degree from Texas Technological College in agricultural education and an M. S. degree from Texas A&M College in agricultural economics. He is a native of Bailey county and was a member of both 4-H and FFA during his youth. He has completed about half of his academic work at Texas A&M for a doctorate degree in farm management.

No replacements have been named for either of the area positions, but Director Hutchison said that a replacement for Kennedy would be on the job at least 30 days in advance of Kennedy's transfer.

Ginning Leaders Favor Proposals Of Cotton Bill

Ginning industry leaders in Texas Tuesday approved a legislative program that would include the provisions in the cotton bill now before Congress.

A spokesman for the Texas Cotton Ginners Association board of directors, E. H. Bush, executive vice-president, said his group reaffirmed previous cotton legislation policy which calls for a competitive price for cotton with the world market and opposes any reduction in the 16 million acre minimum allotment.

In other policies developed at the meeting, directors agreed to adopt standards for bale wrapping material when the specifications are established by the National Cotton Council. The state-wide organiza-

tion's accident prevention program for the ginning industry also was continued. The Dallas-based Association sponsors an extensive safety program for cotton gins.

The Association also recommended continued research and use of glandless cottonseed.

These were the main issues discussed by cotton industry leaders before the directors earlier in the three day meeting.

In other action, Jack Funk of Lyford was elected chairman of the Association's executive committee. The Willacy County ginner succeeds R. K. Phillips of Sugar Land.

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Classing Receipts Continue Fairly Steady At Lubbock

Receipts continued to run 4,000 - 5,000 samples per day at the Lubbock Cotton Classing Office over most of the past week. Mr. Palmer reported that receipts dropped to about 2,000 samples on Friday.

For the week ending January 25 the Lubbock Office classed 31,000 samples. This pushed the season total for that office to 1,766,000 samples.

For the season the Brownfield office classed 263,768 samples and the Lamesa office classed 205,728 samples. The total samples classed to date in the three South Plains classing offices is 2,235,500 samples. Last year at this time 2,255,000 samples had been classed.

The white grades accounted for 24 per cent of the cotton classed. Fourteen per cent of

the samples was Strict Low Middling, nine per cent was Low Middling and one per cent was Strict Good Ordinary Plus or lower.

The Light Spotted grades showed a large volume with 57 per cent. Middling Light Spotted accounted for six per cent, Strict Low Middling Light Spotted had the largest number of samples with 45 per cent and there was 11 per cent Low Middling Light Spotted. The percentages for the Spotted grades were: Middling Spotted two per cent, Strict Low Middling Spotted six per cent and Low Middling Spotted two per cent. Two per cent of the samples was classed as Tinged in grade and 11 per cent of the samples received were reduced in grade because of bark.

For the third week in a row the average staple length was 29.8 thirty-seconds of an inch. Seven-eighths of an inch accounted for one per cent, 29/32" 20 per cent, 15/16" 75 per cent and 31/32" 4 per cent. Only a trace of one inch and longer cotton was classed.

The micronaire readings remained the same with 70 per

cent of the samples classed miking 3.4 or below and 30 per cent miking 3.5 or above. Cotton classed as wasty continued to increase with 20 per cent as compared to 17 per cent for the week before.

Purchases of 65,800 bales were reported by the Lubbock Cotton Exchange for the week ending January 24. This is a slight increase over the preceding week when 63,000 bales were reported. For the same week a year ago 118,000 bales were reported.

The Middling one inch price increased this past week to 32.85, this compares with 33.00 at the same time last year. Quotations were raised on Low Middling Plus and Low Middling and were lowered on Strict Low-Middling Spotted and all gray cotton. The Lubbock quotations for the predominant grades are: Strict Low Middling 29/32, 29.60; Middling Light Spotted 29/32, 29.70; Middling Light Spotted 15/16, 30.20; Strict Low Middling Light Spotted 29/32, 28.90 and Strict Low Middling Light Spotted 15/16, 29.40.

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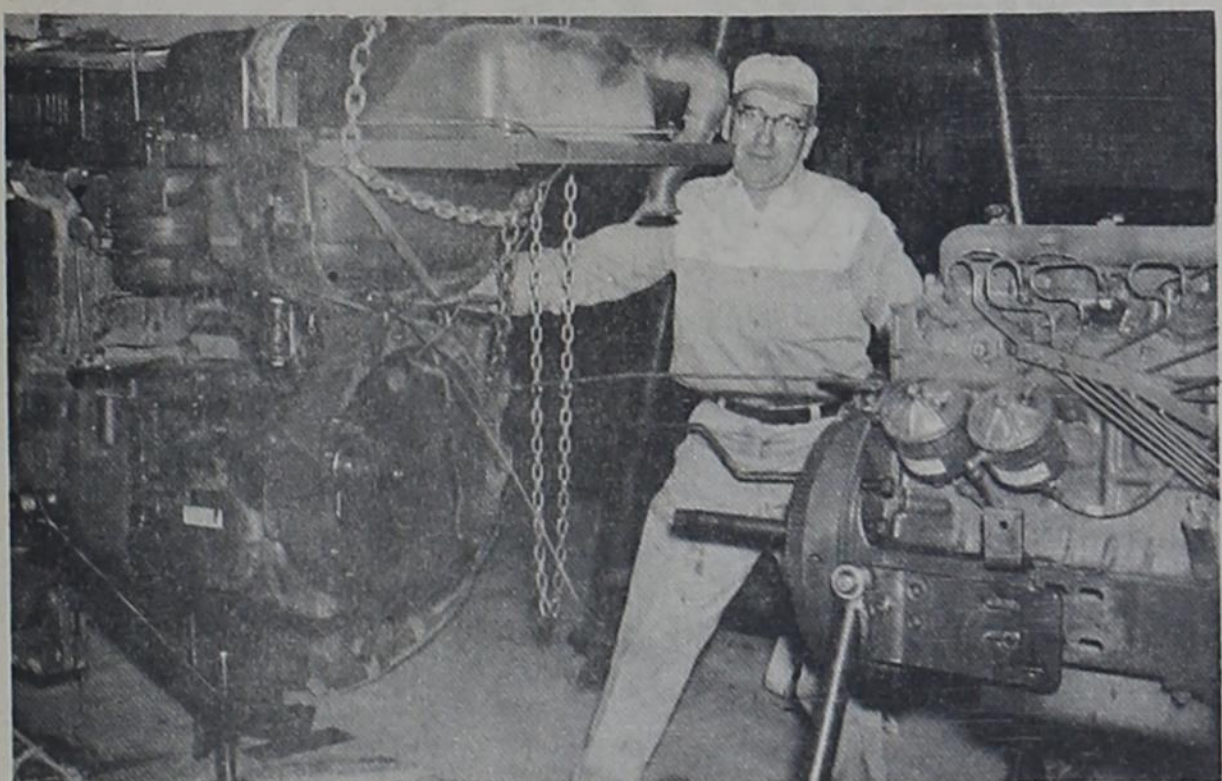
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FARM BUREAU SPOKESMAN

Tax Cut Without Budget Slice Disastrous, Official Warns

A federal income tax cut not accompanied by a substantial reversal of the "free spending" policies now being followed in Washington would invite "run-away inflation and a further decline in the value of the dollar," a national farm organization spokesman said Tuesday.

members of the 58th Legislature. The banquet concluded the one-day legislative conference.

Lynn said the nation's largest general farm organization is calling for a budget cut of "at least 10 per cent below the current level in order to permit both a reduction in the deficit and a tax cut.

"Farmers recognize that federal expenditures for agriculture are contributing to the need for high taxes, and, as evidence of our willingness to share in the proposed reduction of federal spending, we recommend that the budget of the U.S. Department of Agriculture for price support operations and payments be reduced by \$1 billion, effective in fiscal 1964.

"We challenge all other groups who agree that a tax cut is desirable to make specific recommendations to Congress for comparable reductions in expenditures," he declared.

"We believe that the foreign aid program, for example, can be reduced by \$1 billion--and improved in the process."

Lynn said Farm Bureau strongly supports an adequate defense program. But he added: "Several billion dollars can be saved without impairing our

defense posture by insisting that the military establishment provide a dollar's worth of defense for each dollar of expenditure."

The Farm Bureau legislative director told Texas farmers and lawmakers that advocates of government-operated supply-management controls in agriculture are "grossly dishonest and will lead farmers down the road to low per family income and regimentation of their business."

"We hear a great deal about a public relations program for agriculture," he said.

"I happen to have the old fashioned theory that the best public relations programs for agriculture is to have the kinds of programs that can be justified and defended before any group. The certificate plan for wheat as enacted by the last Congress and the temporary feed grain program effective in 1963 cannot be defended before either farm or urban groups."

"How can we justify paying corn farmers as much as \$100 an acre to reduce their corn acreage 20 percent? This may sound good to those who are receiving it, but it is the way to destroy all the worthwhile features of the farm program."

"Under the Agricultural Act passed in 1962 wheat farmers will take it on the chin in 1964, whereas the producers of feed grains will be free to produce to the maximum at a reasonable government price support. It seems that the wheat farmers must give serious consideration to the forthcoming referendum.

"Under the certificate plan the Secretary of Agriculture would be given the authority to use the tightest controls ever seriously considered for any commodity," he said, adding that quality wheat producers would be "greatly penalized" and farmers living in areas where there are few alternatives to wheat production would suffer "grave consequences"

if the certificate plan is approved in the coming referendum.

Lynn said Texans and "all Americans who believe in constitutional government" should support proposals to balance the federal budget and help farmers to get away from rigid government controls.

NEWS FROM THE

FARM BUREAU

BY RAYMOND EULER

Next Monday morning at ten o'clock, area Farm Bureau Leaders will meet in Lubbock at the Holiday Inn. Purpose of the meeting will be a membership kick-off program. Texas Farm Bureau President, C. H. DeVaney will be there to speak, along with Organization Director, Millard Shivers and Warren Newberry, AFB Field Man representative. Some of your directors will attend the meeting, and we hope you may feel like going, too.

The regular director's meeting will be held in Friona that night, and you are welcome to attend if you wish.

If you are interested in receiving a brief, documentary report of happenings of interest to agricultural and all other American people each week, you can receive Facts for You by submitting payment of only \$1.15 to Farmer County Farm Bureau. This report is prepared by Bill Wedemeyer, Research and Education Director of Texas Farm Bureau.

This week, for instance, the Communist Program for Agriculture is quoted from its own publication. You may be amazed at the parallel of this program proposal and that of the present administration agricultural planners.

We take the position that anything proposed or supported by the Communist Party is evil. The counter-argument that "there is something good in everything" is not very impressive to us. Even sickness results in some good, for instance in providing lucrative employment for the medical profession. But who, in his right mind is willing to try to propagate sickness simply to provide the "good" resulting from it, i.e., employment of the medical profession?

We read in the Congressional record a proposal by Senator Humphrey to strengthen the Davis-Bacon act, the act that sets minimum wages that contractors on federal projects can pay their employees. His argument, which takes more than half a page of the fine print, is simply that in some areas employers have been able to gain government contracts because they were furnishing the labor at a lower rate than contractors of another area were able to provide. As usual, this argument indicates that the government planners are more interested in maintaining minimum wages than getting federal projects done (using your tax money) by low, money saving bidders.

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1963 Grain Program Will Benefit Feeders--Mills

The 1963 Feed Grain program will be a natural for farmers who can either feed cattle, or sell it as ensilage to local feed lots, states Prentice Mills, manager of the Farmer County ASCS office.

A farmer can put his entire grain crop into ensilage, and still receive price support payments, Mills pointed out.

One major difference in the program from past years is that

a farmer must do what he agrees to at sign-up time in order to receive diversion payments and price support.

For small farms with total feed grain base acreages of 25 acres or less, on which the producer diverts the entire feed grain base acreage, the payment rate will be 50 per cent of the county support rate on the normal production of the diverted acres. These farm-

ers will receive no price support payment, since they will have no 1963 feed grain acreage.

For other feed grain farms, the payment on the first 20 per cent reduction from the base acreage will be 20 per cent of the county support rate on the normal production of the diverted acres. On any acreage diversion above the minimum requirements, payment will be at 50 per cent of the county

support rate. Maximum diversion is 40 per cent of the base acreage of 25 acres, whichever is larger.

In addition, participating farmers (except those on small farms who divert all of their feed grain base acreage) will receive price support payments on the normal production of their 1963 feed grain acreage, without regard to whether they feed their grain, market it, or place it under price support. The payments will be figured on the farms' normal yield regardless of the actual yield on the farm in 1963.

Mills stated that signups for the 1963 program would begin in the near future. "Notices will be mailed next week, showing the average yield and diversion payments," Mills said.

When a farmer receives these notices, if they feel something isn't right, especially the acres, they should come to the ASCS office and file an appeal within 15 days, states Mills. "This is merely the official means of correcting mistakes," he explained.

Mills has prepared a chart showing the estimated gross return for farmers taking different routes for the 1963 program. For a farm with 100 acres grain sorghum base with an average yield established at 80 bushels (4480 pounds) per acre with market price for grain at \$1.60, the following examples were determined:

The non-complying farmer would gross \$7,168. A farmer diverting 20 per cent would have a gross return of \$7,397.12. On a 30 per cent diversion, the return would be \$6,956.48. Those diverting 40 per cent, would have a gross return of \$6,515.84.

WITH THE COUNTY AGENT

DERYL COKER

The extreme cold weather not only has cut into the profits of grazing cattle on wheat, but may hurt our yield in June. We won't know just what per cent of our small grain crop has frozen out until it warms up and it starts growing.

Several farmers have been in the office wanting to know if they would be given a chance to grow sugar beets, if they failed to sign up. In talking with the Agricultural Director of Holly Sugar Cooperation last week, I was informed that all farmers wanting an allotment would be considered, so if you failed to sign up in 1962, come by the office and sign up or go by the bank in Friona and tell Bill Nichols that you would like to get your name on the list to grow sugar beets.

When Holly Sugar Cooperation comes into the county and starts allocating acreage they will need a list of farmers who are interested.

The rest of my column will be on the behavior of nitrogen in the soil.

The behavior of nitrogen in the interrelated succession of largely biochemical reaction involved in its availability is of major importance and the reactions are perhaps best understood by a study of the so called nitrogen cycle. This includes many complex transformations, some of which can be controlled by management.

Nitrogen is received by the soil in the form of organic residue, commercial fertilizers, and small amounts of ammonium and nitrate salts along with rain and snow. Also certain micro-organisms fix small amounts of free nitrogen that may be eventually utilized. It is lost from the soil due to crop removal, drainage, physical erosion, and as both elemental and ammonia nitrogen.

Much of the nitrogen added to a soil undergoes many transformations before final assimilation. The portion added in organic combination is subjected to the more complex changes.

All organic material when mixed into a moist soil is attacked by a widely varied population of bacteria and first broken down into amino acids in the process of aminization. The amino forms may then either be used by bacteria or be changed to ammonia.

In general the same organisms that bring about aminization are also responsible for

ammonification, the process effecting the change of the amino form to ammonia. Although this can occur to some extent under almost any condition it is favored by good aeration and drainage and by the presence of calcium, magnesium, and potassium. Four things can happen to the ammonia. It may be used by the plants, used by bacteria, or fixed to the clay. When these three are full, so to speak, it may be readily oxidized to the nitrate form, by certain special purpose bacteria.

This process occurs in two steps requiring two distinct groups of bacteria. One changes the ammonia to nitrous acid (NO2), and then almost immediately another group changes it to the nitrate (NO3). Under ideal conditions the process occurs rapidly. Daily rates of from 6 to 22 lbs. N per acre six inches have been measured after the application of 100 lbs. of ammonia nitrogen.

Nitrifying bacteria are extremely sensitive to their environment. Conditions influencing their activity include: Aeration--An oxidizing process. Temperature - 80 to 90 degrees optimum. Practically ceases at 40 degrees.

Moisture - Optimum when right for plants but still proceeds slowly even under drought conditions where plants die.

Active lime--Plenty in South Plains.

Presence of other plant nutrients. Carbon-Nitrogen ratio.

Four things can happen to nitrate nitrogen. It may be used by plants, used by bacteria, lost in drainage or lost as a gas after reduction. The loss of soil nitrogen as a gas occurs under conditions not well understood. It can occur under conditions of poor aeration and it may also occur on alkaline soils. At present the extent of such loss in our area is not known.

Egg Council Seeks Best Egg Cook

The Texas Egg Council is out to find the best egg cook in Texas. It's a part of a nationwide effort by the Poultry and Egg National Board to bring to the attention of consumers the great variety of ways 'nature's most nearly perfect food'--the egg--can be served, says F. Z. Beamblossom, poultry marketing specialist and Mrs. Gwendolyn Clayatt, consumer marketing specialist, both of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

State winners in the egg cooking promotion will go to Chicago in May to participate in the national finals. The Texas winner will go as a guest of the Texas Egg Council.

Any person, other than professional home economists, cooks, chefs and members of the sponsoring organizations, is eligible to submit their favorite recipes for egg cookery, the specialists explain.

To be eligible for state judging, each person must submit an official entry blank along with their favorite recipe. They may submit as many recipes as they wish but each must be attached to an entry blank. The entry blanks are available from either the Texas Egg Council, P.O. Box 251, Stephenville, Texas, T. A. Hensarling, secretary or from Mrs. Clayatt, 401 Caroline Street, Room 501, Houston 2, Texas.

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Farm Bureau Week Proclaimed In State

Governor John B. Connally has proclaimed special week in February to emphasize the importance of farmers and ranchers joining together in a voluntary organization to promote their common interests.

Citing the contributions of agriculture to the state's economy and the past accomplishments of farm and ranch people through organized efforts, the state chief executive proclaimed the week of Feb. 3-9 as "Farm Bureau Week" in Texas. The special week coincides with an intensive membership solicitation campaign which will be conducted by the state's largest farm organization.

Membership workers' rallies will be held in Lubbock, Dallas, and San Antonio on Monday, Feb. 4, kicking off the Texas Farm Bureau's 1963

membership drive. TFB President C. H. DeVaney will fly by chartered plane to each of the meetings to address the volunteer membership workers from the surrounding areas. The meetings will be held at the Holiday Inn, East, in Lubbock beginning at 10 a.m.; at the Adolphus Hotel in Dallas, beginning at 2 p.m.; and at the Gunter Hotel in San Antonio, beginning at 2 p.m. County Farm Bureau presidents and membership growth committee chairmen will attend and will hear addresses by state and national Farm Bureau leaders. In his proclamation, Gov. Connally pointed out that about 40 per cent of all Texans receive their livelihood either directly or indirectly from agriculture and that the increasing efficiency of the agricultural industry helps assure our citizens of the highest standard of living in the world.

Following is the text of the governor's proclamation: "Farming and ranching are essential to the economy of our state and nation. About 40 per cent of all Texans receive their

livelihood either directly or indirectly from agriculture. "The abundance of food and fiber, produced ever more economically by an increasingly efficient agricultural industry, helps assure our citizens of the highest standard of living in the world. "Through their organized efforts and by democratic procedures, the farmers and ranchers of Texas have sought a voice in State affairs and have campaigned for improvements in the economy and government of Texas. "These organized groups recognize the necessity of having an informed, prosperous and organized agriculture in our State.

"THEREFORE, I, as Governor of Texas, do hereby designate February 3-9, 1963, as FARM BUREAU WEEK in Texas, and urge our citizens to cooperate in the recognition and observance of this week in an effort to publicize this important phase of our Texas life. "In official recognition whereof, I hereby affix my signature this 17th day of Jan. 1963. (Signed) John B. Connally, Governor of Texas."

Release Cotton By March 4 Deadline

March 4 is the deadline for applying for released cotton acres, and also the final day for farmers who don't plan to plant all of their allotment to release it to the county committee, reminds Prentice Mills, office manager of Farmer ASCS.

"It is very important that farmers sign a release on acres they don't intend to plant. The farm and the county would both lose the allotment history on the acreage if it is not released," Mills said.

Mills indicated that the county should be able to secure more additional acres from outside the area this year, due to the recent re-division of the state by ASCS districts.

Wool Care

CHICAGO (UPI)—The most important factor in controlling wool shrinkage during laundering is to handle and agitate the fabric as little as possible, said Dr. Ruth Galbraith, director of textile research, University of Illinois.

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INSTRUMENTS FILED SINCE January 21, 1963.

W.D., W. E. Martin, Joe W. Jones & John Aldridge, 293 a. of Sect. 33 T-9-S R-1-E
D.T., Joe W. Jones, et al, W. E. Martin, Part Sect. 33 T-9-S R-1-E
W.D., L. R. Vincent, A.D. Kirk, NW/4 & SE/4 Sect. 27 T-9-S R-1-E
W.D., F. B. Harkins, Royce Gene Welch, NW/4 Sect. 2 Roberts Sub.

D.T., J. C. Hilbun, et al, Security State Bank, Littlefield, Sect. 3 & 4 Synd. "B" ABST. JUDG., U.S.A., Bennie Ethridge Taylor, See Record

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W.D., E. E. Landrum, J. Merrill Turner, Lot 12 Blk 3 Hillcrest, Farwell

D.T., J. Merrill Turner, First Fed. Sav. & Loan, Lot 12 Blk 3 Hillcrest, Farwell

W.D., Rev. John L. Morkovsky, Don R. Glenn, Blk 28 Friona
W.D., L.M. Grissom, Leonard L. Grissom, W 127 A of NW/4 Sect. 23 T-10-S R-2-E

D.T., Richard B. Vaughn, Conn Mutual Life Ins. Co., Sect 48 Rhea "C"

W.D., Bessie D. Drake, et al, John R. Hays, Lots 7 & 8 Blk 3 Drake Rev. Sub, Friona

M.L., Robert Rundell, Jr., Golden Spread Homes, Lots 30, 31 & 32 Blk 10 Farwell

M.L., Robert Zetzsche, All Weather Aluminum Assigned, Lot 5 Blk 51st Add. W.L.D. Friona

D.T., Hurshel R. Harding, James H. Douglas, Jr., 39 a. of CL #549

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W.D., Travis Dyer, Billy Eugene Mayfield, SW/4 Sect 5 T-14S R-3-E

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W.D., Travis Dyer, Billy Eugene Mayfield, NW/4 Sect 4 T-14-S R-3-E

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W.D., H.Y. Overstreet, Verney Towns, Tract in State Line Strip

D.T., L. R. Vincent, Jack Dunn, Lots 5, 6, 7 & 8 Blk 47 Farwell
D.T., Jack R. Miller, Fed. Land Bank, SW/4 Sect 3 T-1-S R-4E

DEED-Veterans Land Board, Andy Hurst, Jr., W/2 of NE/4 Sect 33 T-2N R-2E

W.D., Andy Hurst, Jr., Veterans Land Board, W/2 of NE/4 Sect 33 T-2-NR-2-E

W.D., Emmett W. Fee Dean, Van Clark, 239.29 a. of Sect. 19 Harding

D.T., Beulah F. Knoy, Finnis Kimbrough, W. 296.6a. Sect 11 T-14-S R-3-E

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D.T., L. A. Winningham, Travelers Ins. Co., Tract 4 Kelleher Sub.

D.T., Clyde Weatherly, J. E. Harper, SW/4 Sect 8 T-4 1/2-S R-5-E

W.D., American Grain Corp., Ben Foster, Jr. & John McGehee, 2.25 a. of SE/4 Sect. 72 Kelly "H"

D.T., Archie Hollis, First Fed. Sav. & Loan, Lots 8 & 9 Blk 7 M & F, Friona

D.T., Travis Dyer, Ruth Burk, SW/4 Sect 5 T-14-S R-3-E

D.T., Travis Dyer, Ruth Burk, NW/4 Sect 4 T-14-S R-3-E

D.T., Glen C. Stevick, John Hancock Mutual, 110 a of Sect 14 T-3-S R-3-E

D.T., R. L. Fleming, First Fed. Sav. & Loan, N 35 ft Lot 6, S 45 ft Lot 7 Blk 6, Staley Add, Friona

M. L., Charles B. Short, First Nat'l Amarillo, Lots 10, 11 & 12 Blk 8 Drake Rev. Sub, Friona.

D.T., H. R. Denney, Fed Land Bank, W/2 Sect 15 Rhea "A"

W.D., Vernon Roberts, K. E. Deaton, Lots 10, 11 & 12 Blk 12 Friona

D.T., K. E. Deaton, Hi-Plains, Lots 10, 11 & 12 Blk 12 Friona

W.D., Orbin Nowell Jr. et al, Norma Lou Norton, 1/3 Int. of E/2 Sect 5 Warren Blk W Sub #1

W.D., Joe W. Jones et al,

Elbert E. Landrum, Lots 23, 24, & 25 Blk 43 Farwell
M. L., Floyd Dunavan, I. D. Rhodes, Lot 5 & s. 20 ft Lot 4 Blk 9 Drake Rev. Sub., Friona
W.D., J. E. Knight, Floyd Dunavan, 80 ft x 140 ft tract in NE/4 Sect 1 T-3-S R-3-E
M. L., Floyd Dunavan, I. D. Rhodes, 80 ft x 140 ft tract in NE/4 Sect 1 T-3-S R-3-E

W. D., McCaslin Lbr. Co., Floyd Dunavan, Lot 3 & N, 5 ft. Lot 4 Blk 2 Lakeside, Friona

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W. D., Frank A. Spring, Clyde Scarborough, Lot 10 & N, 6 ft Lot 9 Blk 18 Friona

W.D., J. L. Pruitt, Seferino Leal, Lots 3 & 4 Blk 17 Bovina

W.D., Vera Lee Blanton et al, James & J. S. Ensor, 320 a of Sect 15 T-15-S R-2-E

D.T., J. S. Ensor, Travelers Ins. Co., 320 a of Sect 15 T-15-S R-2-E

D.T., Lue Reed et al, John Hancock Mutual, NW/4 Sect 83 Kelley "H"

D.T., Oswell Jones, Equitable Life Assn., W/2 Sect 22 T-6-S R-3-E & N, 60 a of E 62 a NW/4 Sect 27 T-6-S R-3-E

D.T., John Porter, Ed Muckleory, W 50 ft Lots 6, 7, 8 & 9 Blk 98 Farwell

D.T., Claude Rose Jr., Ed Muckleory, E. 50 ft Lots 6, 7, 8 & 9 Blk 98 Farwell

M. L., Calvin E. Blain, Stout

Steel Bldgs., .77 a of Garden, Lots 15 & 16 Sect 31 T-9-S R-1-E

W.D., Dan Ethridge, George C. Taylor Jr., Lot 8 N, 10 ft Lot 7 Blk 11 Staley, Friona

W.D., John W. Renner, Newman Jarrell Jr., S/2 & NW/4 Sect 21 T-4 1/2-S R-5-E

D.T., Newman Jarrell Jr., John W. Renner, S/2 & NW/4 Sect 21 T-4 1/2-S R-5-E

W.D., Raymond Jones, City of Friona, Lots 1 thru 6 Blk 3 Jones Add, Friona

W.D., R. L. Fleming, Raymond R. Hughes, Lot 1 Blk 1 Staley Add, Friona

D.T., Raymond R. Hughes, Hi-Plains, Lot 11 & 12 Blk 49 Friona

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