

FROM THE
HOPPER

BY HOP JR.

Certainly no event in history so gripping, so shocking, the American people as did the public murder of our Chief of State last Friday, I doubt that there is any event in the history of our nation that created such a tidal wave of emotion and feeling. Like others, I was swept along in it.

President Kennedy stood for many things that are offensive to me, yet because of his qualities of leadership, because of his convictions, and because he was the president of the leader of all the nations of the world, I was overwhelmed with disbelief and then remorse at the thought that his life could be so cruelly taken.

Yet I feel that the claim that his assassination is the result of hate and intolerance implanted in society, and springing from the seed sown by those who opposed him politically and ideologically, is entirely mistaken.

The murderer of our president was -- or is -- someone with alien ideas; certainly such a violent act is beyond the comprehension of the conceptions of justice and fair play nurtured by Americans for 200 years.

A fact which all of us have overlooked is that such an act can occur at almost any moment to any of our leaders in public life, and that the finger that pulls the trigger can belong to an agent of a foreign force or a mentally deranged person.

There was an attempt on President Truman's life. There have been numerous other instances of foiled plans and three successful assassinations. The danger is ever-present.

We as American citizens can't accept this fact because it is not our nature to resort to violence. If you stop to think about it, chances are good that you would be highly insulted if you were stopped by a policeman for a shake-down, or an explanation of what you were doing and where you were going. Your first inclination would be to tell the nosy cop that you are an American citizen and you can go where you want to and do what you want to without accounting to anyone, including him.

Viewed in this light of great personal freedom, it isn't difficult to imagine the risk that presidents expose themselves to when they appear in public. The Secret Service men could no doubt stop an attack, but could they prevent the first shots from being fired? Obviously not.

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Holiday Store Opens For Business This Week

The Holiday Store, which was formerly owned by Tom Cobb, opened for business this week under new ownership. New owners of the business are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Billingsley and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. (Bob) Westfall, who came here from Holbrook, Ariz.

Westfall will be manager of

the store and the other three will assist with store operations as salespeople. At the present time no plans are being made to hire additional help.

The new owners plan to handle the same lines of merchandise as were formerly sold in the store and will retain the name Holiday Store. Complete lines

of work clothing for the men, clothing for children and ladies wear with the exception of dresses will be featured in the store. In addition variety items, jewelry and toys will also be sold.

"We plan to make this a complete family store" says Westfall adding that customers will

have ample parking space and will find a friendly atmosphere in which to shop.

Tom Cobb, former owner of the store, who has had many years experience in the department store business, has been of much help in selecting merchandise for the store. He has assisted with all buying, say the new owners.

Merchandise is arriving daily and the stock should be complete within the next few days.

Present plans call for the store to be open 8 a.m. until 9 p.m. until after the Christmas Holidays.

The Billingsley family are not newcomers to this area as Billingsley grew up at Oklahoma Lane and Mrs. Billingsley grew up in Clovis. The family made their home here until 1961 when they moved to Big Spring where they were engaged in the motel business. They later moved to Holbrook where they continued in the motel business for a short period.

They are the parents of three sons, Darwin, 19, who is attending college in Big Spring; Terry, seven, a second grade student in the Farwell school and Gary, four years of age.

Mrs. Billingsley was employed for a number of years by the Montgomery Ward Store in Clovis. Billingsley has had no previous experience in the operation of a department store.

Mr. and Mrs. Westfall, co-owners of the store also came

here from Holbrook where they had been in the motel business for a number of years. Previous to that time Westfall had been in the construction business. His wife has worked in several department stores. They are

the parents of one child, a daughter, Debra, six years of age who attends school at Farwell.

Both families are looking for houses in Farwell at the present time.



Mr. and Mrs. Bill Billingsley, co-owners with the Westfalls of the Holiday Store, pause for a moment from their duties of stocking the toy shelves. They will be on duty in the store each day, Monday through Saturday.



Mr. and Mrs. R. G. (Bob) Westfall, co-owners of Holiday Store, discuss plans for the store. Westfall will be manager-bookkeeper and Mrs. Westfall will assist a saleslady.

Ruth Wiggins Buried Friday

Funeral services were conducted in Clayton, New Mex., Friday morning for Mrs. Ruth Wiggins, 67, a former resident of this area. Burial was in the Texico Cemetery Friday afternoon with Ebb Randol, long-time friend of the deceased and minister of the Church of Christ officiating. Steeds Funeral Home, Clovis and Winchester Funeral Home, Clayton, were in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Wiggins, who grew to young womanhood here and attended the Farwell school for a number of years moved with her family to Clayton many years ago and had made her home on a ranch in that area until the time of her death. She was a victim of leukemia and had been ill for the past five years.

She is survived by her husband, Willis, two daughters, Mrs. Nora Henery, Washington, D. C., Mrs. Eva Hutchinson, Sacramento, Calif., her mother, Mrs. James A. Moss, Clo-

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Farwell Students Elected

Texas Tech senior, Dennis C. Nelson, agronomy major from Farwell, has been elected chairman of the Wesley friendly committee for the Wesley Foundation, Methodist student organization.

Nelson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Nelson of Farwell.

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Petersburg Stops Steers In Bi-Dist.

The Petersburg Buffaloes trampled the Farwell Steers' hopes for a shot at regional in the bi-district playoff at Lubbock last Friday, 20-14. Farwell made a good showing in a contest that had them rated as an underdog. The squad from Floyd County has one of the most impressive records of any team on the Plains.

For a good part of the game, the Steers not only made it a good go, but actually threatened to upset the Buffaloes. In fact, Farwell led Petersburg 7-6 at the halftime and the Buffs had to come from behind to take their victory. This they were able to do, Petersburg throughout the game demonstrated the effectiveness

of their offense, both on the ground and in the air. They were especially good in the former, drawing 260 yards rushing in the game. They passed for 97. The Steers' alert defense gave them the jump in the scoring when Johnny Atkinson dropped on a blocked Petersburg punt for a touchdown in the second quarter. Leon Lovelace kicked the extra. Farwell's second touchdown came on a 17-yard Lovelace run in the third period, and the big quarterback also kicked that extra to make Farwell's total scoring 14. At that point things looked the brightest for the Parmer County team, as they led 14-6.

However, Petersburg got back into the game in the same quarter and stacked up 14 points which was more than sufficient for their win. There was no scoring in the fourth quarter. With the bi-district win, Petersburg advanced to meet Stratford in the regional tonight (Friday).

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This is an ideal way to clean up the place and help a worthy organization at the same time, say Jaycee members.

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Auctioneers for the sale will be Haney Tate, Wayne Tate and Don Gerles.

Quiet Week

Tom Atkins, deputy in the office of Sheriff Charlie Lovelace reports a quiet week for that department with only two arrests recorded in recent days.

Arrested Tuesday and held for Ft. Worth authorities on a felony charge was Jim Allen. He was arrested in Farwell. The other arrest was that of Bruce Voyles on a theft charge. He has been bound over to grand jury action.

Ralph Humble Sells Implement Co.

Ralph Humble, who has been owner of the Ralph Humble Implement Co. in Farwell for the past 32 years, has sold his interest to John R. Dempster, Muleshoe. The business will continue to operate at the same

location under the name Farwell Equipment Co.

As in the past the firm will handle the same lines of Minneapolis-Moline Farm Implements and supplies. The shop will continue to operate as in former years with Jim Moss, who has worked in that department for the past 25 years, to remain as repairman. Working with Moss in this department will be Jimmie Rowe, formerly of Muleshoe.

The new owner of the business has been associated with Fry and Cox, Minneapolis-Moline Dealers in Muleshoe for the past six years as a salesman of farm equipment. Before that time he had been employed in Muleshoe since 1946 as a car salesman. He moved his family to Farwell Saturday and they are making their home at 306 Ave C. The Dempsters have one son, John Lawrence, 14, who is a seventh grade student. He began classes in Farwell Tuesday. Humble, in announcing the sale of the business, says he

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Time For Santa Letters

Area small fry are again reminded of the necessity of mailing Santa letters early this year. The letters should be mailed to Santa, The State Line Tribune, Farwell. All letters received will be forwarded to Santa at the North Pole and will also be printed in the Christmas Edition of the paper.

Santa has told us, here at the Tribune office, that he along with Mrs. Santa and his good elves are working night and day to fill the request of all good boys and girls; however he would like to have letters requesting certain items and a report of the child's conduct during the past year as soon as possible.

One Arrest

Only one arrest has been made by local officials in the past few days and that was a Spanish American, Magdalino Dimas, who was picked up for DWI following a one car accident south of Hub Sunday afternoon.

The man, who was injured in the accident although not seriously, was dismissed from the Muleshoe Hospital Tuesday morning and is being held in Parmer County Jail until his fine of \$100, and cost is paid.



Leon Lovelace, Farwell's candidate for a Class A all-state quarterback, lugs the leather against Petersburg Friday night. He found the going pretty tough, but here steps off a good gain.



The local Jaycees are taking consignments for a fund-raising auction sale which will be Tuesday, December 10. Working up copy for posters which are being placed in area businesses to advertise the event are Edmund Kitten, left, and Troy Christian.



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Farwell FFA Places Third In District Contest

Members of the Farwell FFA placed third in senior chapter conducting at the district meeting held in Muleshoe recently.

skills and the FFA quiz. Approximately 30 boys attended the meeting.

Eighteen schools were represented at the meeting from over the Littlefield district.

Johnny Actkinson, local FFA member and president of the Littlefield district, presided at the district banquet held in Littlefield Tuesday night.

Amarillo Jaycees To Visit Local Organization

John Christian, president of the local Jaycee chapter, announces that the Amarillo Jaycees, who were sponsors of the local group when it was organized a year ago, will send a group of their members to Farwell Tuesday night to meet with the local group.

The Amarillo group will present a program telling of the advantages of belonging to the Jaycee organization and also acquainting officers with the duties of each office.

The local group has 26 members at this time and is planning a membership drive in the near future. Goal for the group has been set at 10 new members.

R.P. (Red) Terrell Speaks To Exes

R. P. (Red) Terrell will be guest speaker at the annual exes reunion this Saturday night, Nov. 30, 7:27 p.m.

armed services and following his discharge did not return to the coaching profession.

Terrell is married to Vela Blessingame, a Floydada girl. They are the parents of two children, a son and a daughter, both married.

Terrell, a former coach in the Farwell school now lives in Albuquerque where he is in the real estate business.

He remained at the Farwell school as coach until the end of school in 1932 at which time he moved to Floydada where he was coach for the next three years.

In 1935 he became coach at the Matador High School and stayed there until accepting a position at Eastern New Mexico University in 1937, as assistant coach.

With the outbreak of World War II he was called into the

Price of the meal is \$1.75.



R. P. Terrell

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With these realizations, it is not only unfair, but actually inaccurate for us to heap condemnation on ourselves as a nation for what happened.

President Kennedy was the victim of a paranoid, a man whom only psychologists understand.

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to DO something about the things he saw and thought needed attention.

With the office he attained, he was able to put great power behind his thinking.

President Kennedy believed in using the power of government to intercede in the affairs of the nation on behalf of those things he considered beneficial.

I do not, I am persuaded that we will only be as good, or as strong, or as prosperous, as we desire to be as individuals.

America has suffered the loss of a great leader of men in the death of President Kennedy.

The Democratic Party has lost its titular head, but the impetus with which President Kennedy carried forward the New Frontier will continue.

New Phone Directories Out, Phones Gain to 847

The new phone directories for which area residents have been waiting patiently since the middle of August were distributed to Texico-Farwell persons Saturday.

The directories are distributed annually to all customers; however distribution was delayed this year due to printing difficulties.

Drawing depicting life in the Mountain States area are on the cover of the book, which is light blue in color.

An increase of 9% in phones

in use in the area is noted with the same phone listed to more than one person in a family in some instances.

In some homes an additional phone has been installed with a separate listing for the use of teenage members.

Interestingly enough the first listings in the directory are both to Farwell numbers.

All letters in the alphabet with the exception of X are used with the largest number of listing under S and the

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

The Tribune is authorized to make the following political announcements, subject to the Democratic Primary May 2, 1964.

FOR SHERIFF Charles Lovelace (re-election)

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY Hurshel Harding (re-election)

FOR COMMISSIONER, PCT. 3 Guy Cox (re-election)

FOR ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR Leona Moss

Hugh Moseley (re-election)



New owner of the Ralph Humble Implement Co. is John R. Dempster. His business will now be known as Farwell Equipment Co.

ORDINANCE NO. 55

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE KEEPING OF DOGS AND/OR CATS IN THE CITY OF FARWELL, TEXAS, PROVIDING FOR A LICENSE AND TAX OF DOGS AND/OR CATS, PROVIDING FOR THE VACCINATION OF DOGS AND/OR CATS, PROVIDING FOR A POUND, PROVIDING FOR THE POSITION OF DOG CATCHER, PROVIDING FOR THE REDEMPTION OF DOGS AND/OR CATS AND THE DISPOSAL THEREOF IF NOT REDEEMED, AND PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR THE VIOLATION OF THIS ORDINANCE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FARWELL, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. Definitions: As used in this ordinance, unless the context otherwise indicates, a. "Dog" shall be intended to mean both male and female. b. "Cat" shall be intended to mean both male and female. c. "At large" shall be intended to mean off the premises of the owner and not under the control of the owner or a member of the owner's immediate family or employee, either by leash, cord, or chain.

SECTION 2. License and Registration Required: All dogs and/or cats kept, harbored or maintained by their owners or keepers in the City of Farwell shall be licensed and registered if over five months of age. Dog and/or cat licenses shall be issued by the City Assessor-Collector upon payment of their license tax of \$2.00 for each dog and/or cat. The owner shall state at the time application is made for such license, and upon forms provided for such purpose, his name and address, and name, breed, color and sex of each dog or cat, kept or owned by him.

SECTION 3. Tag and Collar: Upon the payment of the license fee, the City Assessor-Collector shall issue to the owner a license certificate and a metallic tag for each dog and/or cat so licensed.

SECTION 6. Disposition of Unclaimed Animals: It shall be the duty of the Pound Man to keep all animals so impounded for a period of Two (2) days.

It was issued and the number corresponding with the number on the certificate. Every owner shall be required to provide each dog and/or cat with a collar to which the license tag must be affixed and shall see that the collar and tag are constantly worn. In case a dog and/or cat tag is lost or destroyed, a duplicate will be issued by the City Assessor-Collector upon presentation of a receipt showing the payment of the license fee for the current year and the payment of a 50¢ fee for such duplicate.

SECTION 4. Impounding: The City Commission shall designate a special officer to be known and designated as Pound Man, whose duty it shall be to carry out the terms of this ordinance.

SECTION 5. Notice to Owner and Redemption: Not later than two (2) days after the impounding of any dog, the owner shall be notified; or, if the owner of the animal is unknown, written notice shall be posted for two (2) days at a conspicuous place at the City Hall at Farwell, Texas, describing the animal and the place and the time of the taking up.

SECTION 9. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect after its publication according to law. The first dog and/or cat license period shall be from the 15 day of December, 1963 to January 1, 1965, and thereafter on the first day of each calendar year.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS THE 21st day of November, A.D. 1963.

deemed, such animal may be destroyed.

The Pound Man is hereby authorized and instructed to destroy any dog or cat which appears to be suffering from rabies or affected with hydrophobia, or other infectious or dangerous disease, or any dog or cat which appears to be vicious, or not licensed.

SECTION 7. No dog or cat shall be licensed except with a certificate from a licensed veterinarian that such animal has been vaccinated against rabies and other infectious and contagious diseases for the current year.

SECTION 8. If any dog or cat is believed to have rabies or has been bitten by a dog or cat suspected of having rabies, such dog or cat shall be confined by a leash or chain upon owner's premises and shall be placed under the observation of a veterinarian at the expense of the owner for a period of two weeks. The owner shall notify the City Commission of the fact that his dog or cat has been exposed to rabies and at his discretion the City Commission is empowered to have such dog or cat removed from the owner's premises to a veterinary hospital and there placed under observation for a period of two weeks at the expense of the owner.

CITY OF FARWELL By Sam Aldridge, Mayor

ATTEST: Mamie Jane Bowery City Clerk Published in The State Line Tribune November 29 and December 6, 1963.

Southwestern Public Service Co. Announces Billing Change

Electric service bills for Texico and Farwell customers will come in envelopes beginning next week, it has been announced by Ots Huggins, local manager for Southwestern Public Service Company.

but it seemed wise to point out, at the start of this new billing procedure, that the statement will be coming in an envelope in the future," Huggins added.

"I think the chances are slim that anyone would throw away an envelope with our company's return address on it, without first seeing what it contained.

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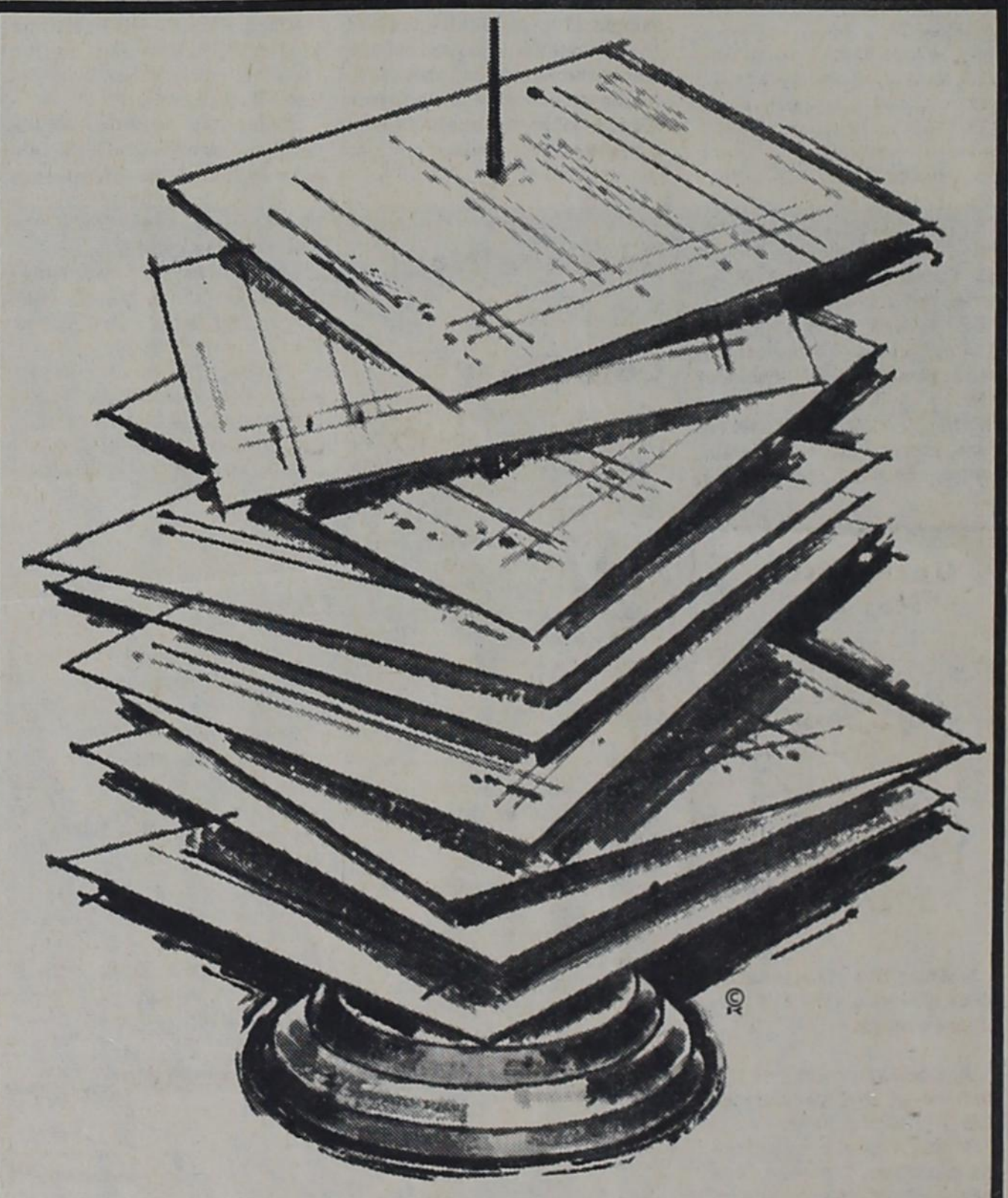
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The Women's Page

Chris Moss, Society Editor --- Phone 481-3681



Mrs. Willie Hammond exhibits some of the holiday centerpieces she has made for Texico Woman's Club members, while demonstrating how to make holiday candles at their Monday night meeting.

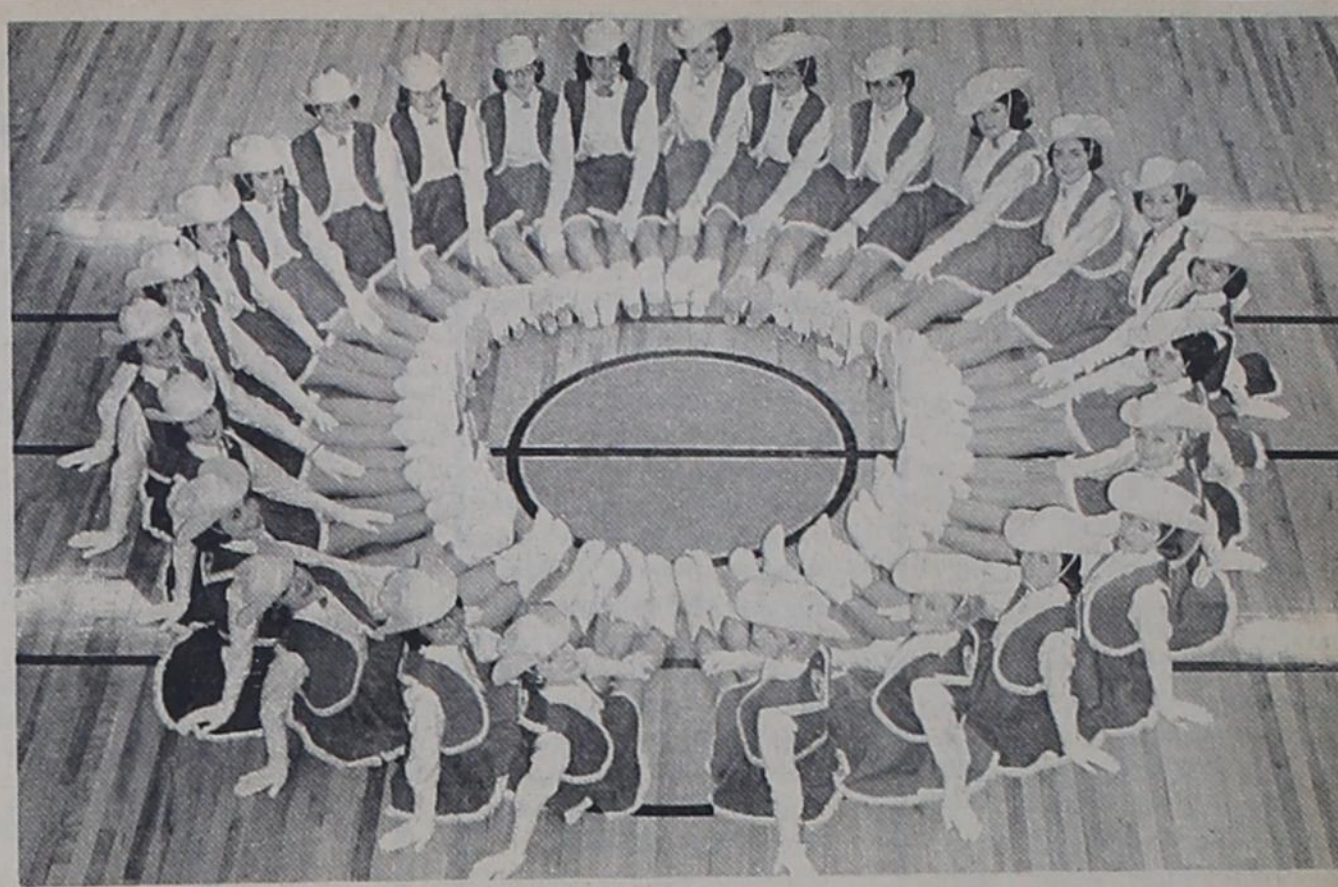
Housewarming Honors Perry Winkles Family

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Winkles and children were honored with a surprise housewarming at their new home at 411 Katherine St. Texico, Monday night. Hostesses for the affair were Mmes. Joe Camp, Tena Roth, Elward Combs and Loren Wilson. Hostesses presented the family with a large Sunburst Electric Clock.

Guests were registered in a book, made in the shape of a house, designed by Mrs. Rena Roth. Napkins bore the inscription "Bless This House". Assorted cookies were served with coffee or pop.

LOCAL

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. McGuire are visiting in El Paso with their daughter, Mrs. Charles Robertson and family.



TEX-ANNS DRILL TEAM--The Tex-Anns will perform at all South Plains College basketball games this season. The SPC drill team has made appearances at area homecomings, parades and special events.

Candle Making Demonstration For Woman's Club Members

Members of Texico Woman's Club saw a demonstration of making holiday candles at their regular meeting Monday night. Mrs. Willie Hammond presented the demonstration and club members brought holiday and fall centerpieces to display.

Mmes. Zelfa Younger and Bob Lebow. Mrs. Louise Engram presided over the business session. Plans were made for the annual Christmas party to be held in the home of Mrs. Leroy Faville in Clovis, Dec. 16.

Pleasant Hill Club Has Thanksgiving Dinner

Pleasant Hill Community club members met at the community center Thursday for a Thanksgiving dinner. Each member of the club brought a covered dish for the meal and Mrs. Frank Hemke prepared the meat (roast beef).

Mmes. Pearl Singletary and Frank Hemke presented a demonstration on "Tenderness of Beef." Plans were made for the Christmas Party which will be held Dec. 5 at the community center with Mmes. Pearl Duncan, Tom Burnett, and Eual Hart, as hostesses.

Attending were: Mmes. Elmer Langford, Byron Burford, Buddie Baldrige, Eric Pierce, John Tadlock, Frank Hemke, Pearl Singletary, H. M. Hopper, Leonard Kimbrough, Mason Neeley, Joe Heinz, Floyd Bocox, Donald Clark, Maurice Clark, Alvis Clark, and Frank Meier.

Mrs. Clark Speaks To ESA Monday

Mrs. Francis Clark, school counselor for Farwell, Bovina and Lazbuddie, discussed the counseling program, explaining the aims, the way the program is planned, and results to members of Theta Rho chapter of ESA Monday night.

She noted that children mature at different rates, and stressed that rate of maturation has nothing to do with intelligence. She touched briefly on the history of counseling, which she said, "grew because of a need."

Only one marriage license has been issued from the office of County Clerk, Bonnie Warren during recent days.

She expressed her desire that parents contact the school for information on the results of the testing. Mrs. Clark was introduced by Mrs. Mitz Walting, program chairman.

In a brief business meeting, the Christmas party was set for Dec. 7, and plans were made to wrap candy canes for distribution by Santa Claus on Dec. 9 at the home of Mrs. W. H. Graham Jr.

Santa Claus is due in Texico-Farwell on Dec. 14, and a bicycle built for two is also slated to be given away on that day. Mrs. Williams served apple pie alamide with coffee.

Whats Cooking At Farwell School

MONDAY: beef chunks, gravy, whole kernel corn buttered, tossed salad, hot rolls, butter, sliced pineapple, milk.

TUESDAY: ham or pimento cheese sandwiches, ranch style beans, cookies, butter, milk.

WEDNESDAY: fried chicken, gravy, buttered potato, lettuce and tomato salad, hot rolls, butter, milk, peaches.

THURSDAY: hamburgers, lettuce, pickles, cheese slices, baked potato, apple cobbler, milk.

FRIDAY: fish sticks, tartar sauce, candied yams, hot rolls, butter, chocolate rebel cake, milk.

Popularity Discussed By Okla. Lane HD Club

At the Thursday meeting of Oklahoma Lane HD Club members, Mrs. W. T. Magness presented a discussion, "How Much It Takes to be Popular," and Mrs. Edmund Kitten presented a program on making holiday candles.

Plans were completed for the Yule Party with Mrs. Joel White and Mrs. Walter Kaltwasser to make final arrangements.

Each member brought a sample of Yule candles and cookies to the meeting and the recipe for same. Hostess, Mrs. Magness served refreshments from a table made lovely with a Thanksgiving motif.

Deadline Near For Xmas Card Project

Mrs. R. W. Anderson, finance chairman of the Farwell PTA, is reminding area persons this week that the deadline for turning in contributions to Project Xmas Card, sponsored by the PTA is drawing near.

Deadline for the contributions to be turned in is Dec. 5, and Mrs. Anderson urges all school patrons to make their contributions as soon as possible to one of the area community workers, or to Janie Bowery at city hall in Farwell, Mona Hardage at the Farwell Fertilizer Co. or to Mrs. Anderson at her home.

Patrons are asked to contribute the amount of money usually spent on local Christmas cards to the project. Monies derived from the project are used to buy books for the school libraries.

Lutheran News

Worship service Sunday morning 8:30 a. m. with communion to be served.

Sunday School and Bible classes will meet at 9:30 a. m.

Sunday School staff meeting Friday, Nov. 29 (tonight) 7:30 p. m. in the Parish Hall.

No childrens' instruction will be held this week due to the Thanksgiving holiday.

Happy to have Carolyn Ling-nau back with us. She has been ill the last month, but is doing fine at the present time.

Members of the choir traveled to Fhea Community Sunday to sing for the funeral of Miss Lillian Schueler, Miss Schueler passed away in the Friona Hospital following a short illness last week.

Arrives For Visit

Capt. R. J. Sandvick arrived in Farwell from the far east Tuesday for a Thanksgiving visit with his wife, Shirley and small son, Warren. Mrs. Sandvick and son have been visiting in Farwell for some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Ham.

The largest osage orange trees in America are found in the Red River Valley.

Marriage Licenses Issued

Only one marriage license has been issued from the office of County Clerk, Bonnie Warren during recent days. The license went to: Delmer Wayne Southern and Blanquita Leah Jernigan, both of Portales.



9244 SIZES 2-8

Printed Pattern 9244: Childrens' Sizes 2, 4, 6, 8. Size 6 takes 1 1/2 yards 45-inch fabric.

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Modern Homemakers Exhibit Christmas Gift Ideas

Modern Homemakers of Texico met in the home of Mrs. Paul Skaggs Tuesday morning for a social and short business session. Each member brought a gift she had made to exhibit, in order that others might get ideas for making Christmas gifts at little expense.

Plans were made for the annual Christmas Party which will be held in a local restaurant Dec. 10, 9:30 a. m. At this time secret pals will be revealed and names drawn for the new year.

Pumpkin pie with whipped cream and nuts, was served with coffee or pop to Mmes. Roy Rickstrew, John Hill, Truman McKillip, Johnny Green, Duane Herington, Eddie West.

MOVED

Perry Winkles to Mrs. H. H. Henson former home, 411 Katherine St. Texico.

M. M. Glaze moved to J. V. Stewart house, Texico. Larry Hicks to 209-2nd, St., Farwell.

John Dempster-Judge Smith rent house, Farwell. Dale Berggren, Booth apartment on 7th St., Farwell.

How to Choose Color TV for Christmas



There's no question that color TV will be a major gift for the home this Christmas. It is estimated that some 600,000 sets will be purchased this year, many of them during the Christmas shopping season. The quandary comes in making a choice from the variety of sizes and styles that are now available.

Overflow Crowd Attends Community Thanksgiving Service

An overflow crowd filled the Texico First Baptist Church for the community Thanksgiving Service conducted the past Sunday night, under sponsorship of

the local Ministerial Fellowship. Speaker for the evening was Rev. Robert O. Tomlinson, local Methodist pastor, who used as

a basis for the Thanksgiving message Psalm 67.

Mrs. Anson Bowers played a prelude of organ music and Kathy White was pianist for the occasion. The congregation joined in singing "Praise Him! Praise Him!", "Count Your Blessings" and "Near The Cross" and the combined choirs of the churches represented sang two special numbers "Amazing Grace" and "God of Our Fathers", featuring Buddy Pearce and Mrs. Murray White in the solo parts. All music was directed by Richard Johnson, choir director at the Texico Church.

Rev. Leroy Looper, pastor of the host church gave the invocation and extended a welcome to the visitors. Rev. J. L. Bass, pastor of the Farwell First Baptist Church pronounced the benediction.

Persons attending the service left with this thought in mind "Give Thanks Always For All Things Unto God and the Father In The Name Of Our Lord Jesus Christ."

Bride-Elect Is Shower Honoree

Hazel McDaniel, bride-elect of A2C Noel DeWitte, was honoree for a miscellaneous shower at First Christian

Church Fellowship Hall in Clovis, Tuesday night. Hostesses for the affair were Mmes. Viola McGregor, Ruth Arrington, Lela Crain, Joann Correll, Ruth Johnson, Lou Snyder and Zola Canada.

Serving table was laid with a white lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of blue and white flowers, in a low bowl flanked by tall white tapers in gold holders. Presiding at the table were Mmes. Viola McGregor and Lou Snyder. Guest were registered by Mary Powell at a small table centered with a miniature blue and white floral arrangement.

Individual white cake squares, blue mints and floating punch were served.

Attending and sending gifts were: Mmes. Lester McDaniel, Sam Johnson, Edith Reeves, Nora Day, Olen Schlueter, B. L. Harding, John Adams, Richard Taylor, Nola Banks, C. A. Shope, Viola McGregor, Lou Snyder, Ruth Arrington, Zola Canada, Joann Correll, Ruth Johnson, Elizabeth Clousing, Lela Crain and Hannah Chea.

Also Mmes. Mary Powell, Nora Miller, Mabel Huber, B. C. Eck, B. A. Rogers, Paul Wilson, R. W. Steele, Bennie Robertson, Loule Paul, Lillian Allman, James Gillean, Altha Thatcher, Clyde McDaniel, Dorothy Betty, Virginia Jackman, Mildred Wood, Buck Wilson, W. W. Hagler, Irene Raule, Harrison and Heckt. Also Misses Barbara Raule, Beulah McDaniel, Cynthia Spence, Fay Wilson and Carl Foley.

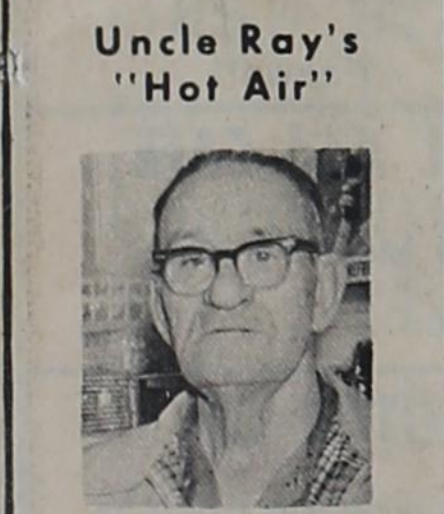
Mrs. Townes Tells Of Trip To Orient

Women's Missionary Union of First Baptist Church, Farwell, met Tuesday at the church with Mrs. Roy Lovett, president presiding over the meeting. She introduced Mrs. Joe McWilliams who read the prayer calendar and led in prayer for the missionaries having birth-days on this date.

Special music which delighted the hearts of all was presented by Mrs. Jimmie Craft, Earth, a native-born Japanese.

Highlighting the evening was an illustrated talk by Mrs. Verney Townes, Muleshoe, describing her recent trip to the Orient, during the Japanese Crusade for Christ Movement.

Refreshments were served in the Fellowship Hall following the program to Verney Townes, Jimmie Craft and approximately 40 ladies.



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School Lunch Schedule AT TEXICO

Y.W.A. members of First Baptist Church, Farwell, were honored with a Japanese Dinner, Wednesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Blair.

The meal consisted of Sukiaki, buttered rice, tossed salad, hot rolls, butter, cherry tarts with whipped cream and hot tea.

Following the meal YWA president, Peggy Martin dressed in Japanese clothing presided over the meeting. Vicki Moss presented the program on Japanese Missions.

Attending the dinner were: Vicki Moss, Peggy Martin, Donna Dunn, Linda Nelson, Mary Coffer, Linda Langston, Darlene Erwin and the host couple, Mr. and Mrs. Blair.

MONDAY: beef soup with mixed vegetables, pineapple salad, crackers, butter, milk, cinnamon rolls.

TUESDAY: barbecue beef on bun, green beans, cole slaw, milk, chocolate pudding.

WEDNESDAY: corny dogs, pinto beans, sauerkraut, head lettuce, chocolate milk, apple-cranberry crisp.

THURSDAY: fried chicken, whipped potatoes, candied carrots, fruit jello, peanut butter brownies, hot rolls, butter, milk.

FRIDAY: meat enchiladas, buttered corn, shredded lettuce, loaf bread, milk, fruit salad.

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"I'm delighted to hear it," yawned the president. "But, madam, why call me in the middle of the night about a hat you bought last week?" "Because," she replied sweetly, "your truck just delivered it." . . . Santa Fe Magazine

ending.

Musical and stage director for "Cavalleria Rusticana" will be George E. Umberson, director of choirs. Accompanists will be Carol Cooper on piano and Ferrell Roberts of Clovis on organ.

Cast members are Cynthia Barnett, Hagerman, as Santuzza; Kathy O'Dell, Brownfield, as Lucia; Jim Mitchell, Cliff, as Alfio; Jim Culberson, Lordsburg, as Turiddu; and Dorothy McDonald, Brownfield, as Lola.

Peasants will be played by Andy Cottle and David Cottle, both of Clovis; Juanita Martin, Carlsbad; James Massey, Eunice; Martha Laning, Portales; Millie Carr, Portales; Pricilla Ragle, Plainview, Mona Summerville, Hobbs; Bill Neergaard, Roswell; Tommy Poole, Roswell; Elvin MacAllister, Hobbs, Don Lewsader, Roswell; Robert Edgington and Joy Edgington, both of Portales.

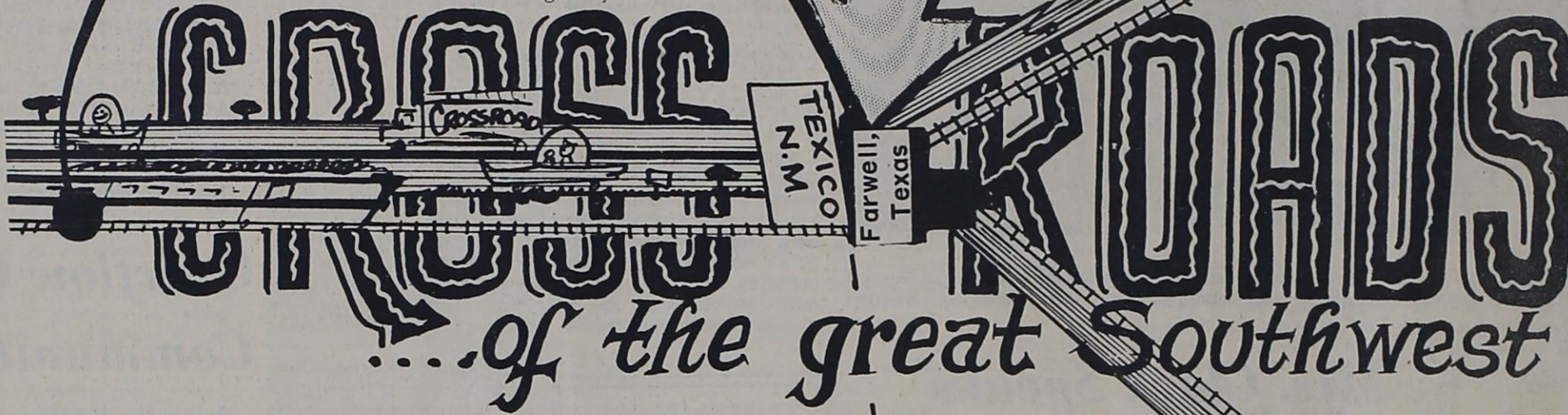
"Cavalleria Rusticana" takes place in a village in Sicily. When Turiddu went into the Army, he was betrothed to Lola, but upon his return he finds she is married to Alfio. Turiddu tries to console himself with another girl, but he finds himself still in love with Lola, who willingly takes advantage of her husband's frequent absences.

But, sings the young girl, "It is better to be strangled by a man than to live without one." From this situation evolves a farcical satire on feminine foibles and a surprise

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Operas To Be Presented At ENMU

Two one-act operas will be presented Dec. 5, 6, and 7 at 8 p.m. in the University Theatre at Eastern New Mexico University as productions of the Opera Workshop.

The operas to be presented are "The Old Maid and the Thief" which premiered on radio April 22, 1939, and "Cavalleria Rusticana" which premiered in Rome May 17, 1890.

Musical and stage director for "The Old Maid and the Thief" is Miss Ursula Davis, instructor in music. Accompanist will be Pat McNeil, Portales.

Cast members are Lola Finley, Tucumcari, as Miss Todd; Carol Cooper, Carlsbad, as Miss Pinkerton; Susan Dodd, Eunice, as Laetitia; and Larry Hoffman, Laramie, Wyo., as Bob.

The story of this opera concerns a pleasant and honest tramp who so ingratiates himself with an old maid and her maidservant that they make him a permanent guest. Because of the tale of a neighborhood gossip, the women believe the tramp is an escaped jailbird.

But, sings the young girl, "It is better to be strangled by a man than to live without one." From this situation evolves a farcical satire on feminine foibles and a surprise

Farwell Steers Take Basketball Win From Bovina

Farwell Girls Lose Thriller To Bovina



Farwell Steers opened their basketball season Tuesday night playing Bovina. The boys, who had played football until the previous weekend and had only had two basketball practices, did a fine job while defeating Bovina 51-39.

Releases Basketball Schedule

The Farwell Steer basketball schedule and that of their sister team is a rigid one for this season with games to be played at least twice each week. First game was played Tuesday night with Bovina. The teams will each be playing in several tournaments during the season in addition to regularly scheduled games.

Following is a complete schedule for the season:

- FARWELL STEERS 1963-64 BASKETBALL
- Nov. 26 -- Bovina, There
 - Dec. 3 -- Friona Here
 - Dec. 5-6-7 -- Lazbuddie Tourney
 - Dec. 10 -- Bovina, Here
 - Dec. 12-13-14 -- Springlake Tourney
 - Dec. 17 -- Friona, There
 - Dec. 19 -- Texico A&B, Here
 - Jan. 2-3-4 -- Farwell Tourney
 - Jan. 7 -- Morton, There
 - Jan. 10 -- *Kress, There
 - Jan. 14 -- *Hale Center, There
 - Jan. 17 -- *Springlake, Here
 - Jan. 21 -- *Sudan, Here
 - Jan. 24 -- Morton, Here
 - Jan. 28 -- *Kress, Here
 - Jan. 31 -- *Hale Center, Here
 - Feb. 4 -- *Springlake, There
 - Feb. 7 -- *Sudan, There
 - Feb. 11-13-14 -- District Tourney
 - *Conference Games

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for the Farwell team, had scoring honors for the evening hitting the basket for 19 points. He was followed by Jerry Childs with 10 points and Danny Lindop with eight. Both boys are guards.

Joe White and Alan Busbice were starting forwards for the first game although Coach Vernon Scott says he is sure some changes will be made as the season progresses. Johnny Actkinson, forward, and Warren Gossett, guard, will possibly be interchanging with

boys playing those positions. The starting team played for the first three quarters with a second group of boys playing the last quarter.

Next game for the locals will be with Friona Tuesday night and the game will be played here. Coach White is asking that all ball fans come out and support the team.

During half time at all home games, a group of sixth grade boys will be playing scrimmage games for the entertainment of fans.

Schedule Released By Farwell Junior High Teams

The basketball schedule for the junior high school teams at Farwell was released this week by Coaches James Craig and Jerry Dee Owen.

Following is the schedule:

Dec. 2	Monday	Friona 7th & 8th Boys	Home
Dec. 2	Monday	Friona 7th & 8th Girls	There
Dec. 5, 6, & 7	Thur., Fri., & Sat.	Farwell Invitational Tournament	
Dec. 9	Monday	Muleshoe	There
Dec. 12	Thursday	*Hart	Home
Dec. 16	Monday	*Sudan	Home
Jan. 2	Thursday	*Bovina	There
Jan. 9	Thursday	*Springlake	There
Jan. 16	Thursday	*Lazbuddie	There
Jan. 20	Monday	Friona 7th & 8th Boys	There
Jan. 20	Monday	Friona 7th & 8th Girls	Home
Jan. 23	Thursday	*Hart	There
Jan. 27	Monday	Muleshoe	Home
Jan. 30	Thursday	*Sudan	Home
Feb. 6, 7, & 8	Thur., Fri., & Sat.	Springlake Invitational Tournament	
Feb. 10	Monday	*Bovina	Home
Feb. 20, 21, & 22	Thurs., Fri., & Sat.	Jr. High District Tournament	Bovina

* Denotes District Games
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SUPPORT YOUR JUNIOR HIGH TEAM

Farwell girls team, coached by Billy White, lost a thrilling game to Bovina 33-30 Tuesday night in the season opener. Coach White says "This is a young inexperienced team and they should be playing better and better ball as the season progresses. They have a lot of fight and are willing to learn," he added.

Members of the main team include one senior, a junior, three sophomores and a freshman. Playing in the forward slots are Melody Coffman, at post, Diane Lovelace and Joan Rhodes in the outside positions. Guards are Patty Tatum, Becky Strain and Donna Dale.

Joan Rhodes took scoring honors for the locals with 12 points to her credit, Melody Coffman and Diane Lovelace each accounted for eight points

and Melinda Ritchie, who replaced Diane Lovelace for a short period of time, contributed two points.

Melody Coffman, Becky Strain and Patty Tatum fouled off during the game and were replaced by Edith Ann Walling, Melinda Ritchie and Susan Blair.

At the end of the first quarter the score stood seven to four in favor of Bovina; however during the second quarter the Farwell girls outscored their opponents and the quarter ended with the score 13-11 in favor of Farwell. Score was tied at the end of the third quarter 24-24 and final score was 33-30.

The girls will be playing in the Happy tournament next week beginning Thursday.

Facts about Fire and Clean-Up

Every 12 minutes a home in this nation is destroyed or damaged by a fire starting in rubbish, according to National Fire Protection Association records.

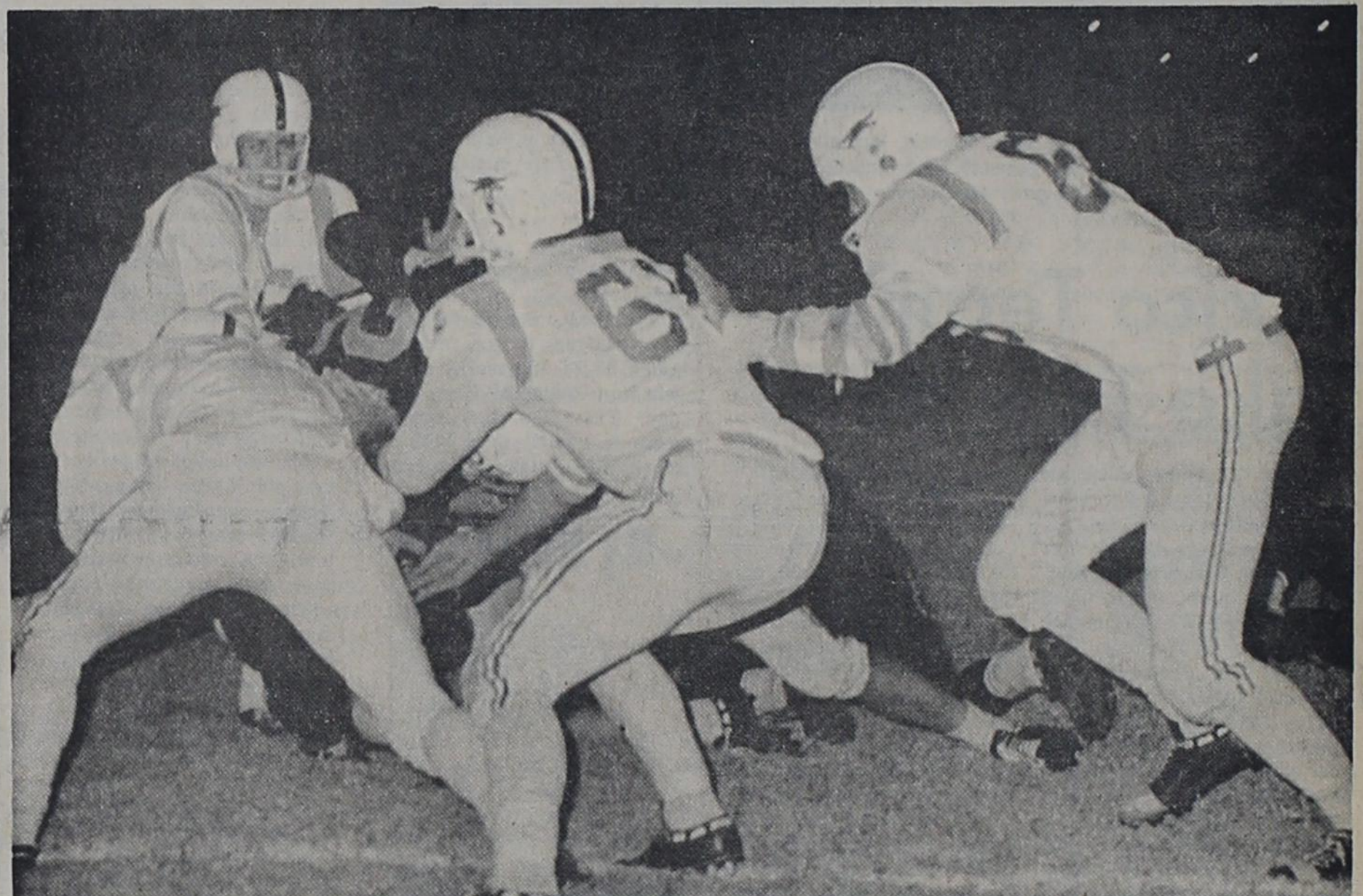
The three storage areas of the home - attic, basement, closets - are the spots where 17.5% of all dwelling fires originate, National Fire Protection Association studies show.

About 550,000 U.S. homes are hit by fire each year, and over 6,000 persons - 30 percent of them children - die in these fires, according to National Fire Protection Association records.

Last year, 1961, Americans burned up more than \$1.6 billion worth of property in over two million fires, figures compiled by the National Fire Protection Association show.



"Can't you get it through your head that when you run with a football you don't dribble?"



A hard-charging forward wall has been important in a successful season for the Farwell Steers. Here they converge to stack up a Petersburg play near the yard of scrimmage. This defensive

effort nullified an extra point attempt following Petersburg's second touchdown in the third quarter. (Photos by Bob Hamilton).

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Ralph Humble

Football Through The Eyes Of A Coach's Wife

By Chris Moss

Most women like sports and the game of football especially; however Thelma Alexander is crazy about the game. She has to be since her husband is a football coach.

She also has three sons, Rockne 10, Randall, 8, and Rowan, five, who will probably grow up to be football players. The boys have shown no more than a passing interest in the game to date; however their mother is sure that by the time they are old enough to participate in the game each will be an enthusiastic member of a team.

Her husband is Dempsey

Alexander, head football coach in the Farwell High School. He has gained wide renown in high school coaching circles in the past few years for his coaching ability.

One of the teams he has coached in Farwell and one at Happy have participated in regional playoff games under his guidance, in addition he has had numerous teams compete in bi-district games. Two of the teams he has coached since coming to Farwell in 1959, in addition to this year, have participated in bi-district playoff games.

The dream Mrs. Alexander shares with her husband is to

have a team in state playoffs and they know that this dream will come true if they work and pray hard enough.

Although Mrs. Alexander loves the football game, she says that at this season each year she goes through agonies as the team comes into the home stretch. Tension increases from day to day and the Alexander home becomes a workshop as night after weary night, films of previous games are reviewed again and again to try and find all mistakes made and the way to eliminate the same error again.

Hours are spent in reviewing film of future opponents

and scouting reports and in working out plays to stop the opposition. Work for bi-district playoff against Petersburg was begun immediately following the Friday night game with Springlake.

A film of the game was reviewed Friday night and again Saturday with films of the Petersburg teams' game being reviewed by the coach and his wife Sunday afternoon. The film will be viewed again and again this week as plans for the coming game are made.

Needless to say, elation at the Alexander home was much in evidence following the final district game. Mrs. Alexander said "We are elated at the way the game turned out and are looking forward to the game this weekend."

Mrs. Alexander laughingly says she has never missed but one of the games played by a team her husband was coaching and that one was when she was confined to the hospital following the birth of one of the boys.

She confesses that she knew little or nothing of the football game when she married, but like most high school and college age girls, had always attended the games of her school and cheered with the crowd. Since her marriage, she has learned the game and is becoming more proficient in knowing what to expect and in calling different plays.

SWPS Co.--

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as an electric service bill. Enclosed along with the new statement is a return envelope. The stub from the bill should be enclosed with the payment, the same practice that has prevailed in the past.

Huggins said Texico and Farwell customers would be billed at the same time of the month that they have been in the past.

He pointed out that there is a feature in the new billing system which might encourage more customers who have a checking account to use the bank draft method of payment. He said that the objection to this method on the part of some customers in the past has been that they didn't know how much their bank account had been charged.

Under the new billing system, the customer using the bank draft method of payment will receive a copy of his statement at the same time that the billing for Texico, Farwell customers is made. The statement will be clearly marked that it should not be paid because a bank draft will be drawn, but it will inform the customer of his monthly charges for electric service.

A small pamphlet, announcing the new billing procedures, will be enclosed in the first statements, scheduled to go out next week, Huggins said.



Mrs. Dempsey Alexander and sons, Rockne, Randall and Rowan look with pride at the first place district trophy won by the Farwell High School Steer football squad in Friday night's game. Head coach of the team is Dempsey Alexander.

Texico Teams Take Two Wins

Texico Wolverine basketball team lost a game to Dora Coyotes, district champions for the past two years, in the season opener Friday night; however they took a win from Logan Saturday and another from Causey on Tuesday.

Coach Paul Frederick says it is still too early in the season to make predictions on the kind of team he will have this year as two of the teams played have been beaten by several other area teams also.

In the Dora game, the Coyotes led all the way; however at half time they were only ahead two points. "We played them much closer than had been expected" says Frederick.

The Logan and Causey games were easy wins for the Texico group with the Wolves leading all the way in each of the games. Score of the Logan game was 64-45 and final score in the Causey game was 58-42. In both the Logan and Causey games most boys suited out saw

action during the evening. High scorer for Texico in each of the games was Bill Campbell, center of the team. He has a total of 28 points for the three games. He has hit 20 out of 22 tries for free throws for a 91% average.

Neil Lambert, who replaces Campbell at the center slot and also sees action as a forward, has hit 56% of his field goal shots for the season to lead his teammates in that area.

Others coming in for their share of praise by the coach were Gary Skaggs, who was singled out for his handling of the ball and Tom Rickstrew, who has been rebounding well.

Next game for the Wolverines will be played at Grady December 6 with the Wolves to play Ft. Sumner on the Ft. Sumner court Dec. 7. The next home game for the boys will be Dec. 12 when they meet Elida in a Thursday night game. This is a change from the regular schedule and patrons are asked to remember the change and

come out to support the home team.

The Texico B team took a win from Logan in an overtime game 35-33 and took a second win from Causey 45-21 on Tuesday. They like their brother team lost to the Dora boys 37-29 in the Friday night game.



"Mother—what buttons do I push to make a cake just like you used to automate?"

SPORTS AFIELD

By Ted Resting

Fishes have five senses in common with man. Of course, both fishes and humans have other senses, but the term "five senses" is applied to those of sight, hearing, smell, taste and touch. Both bass and brown trout seem to recognize colors about as well as we do, which is surprising because most mammals, which are higher forms of life than fish, are totally color-blind and see things as we see a black-and-white photo.

Sight — it seems too, that these game fishes have very poor vision compared to ours; are extremely nearsighted and should really be wearing thick lenses glasses. Practical fishing seems to show that even at close range fish see things only in a very blurred way; they apparently are highly conscious of size, movement and color (except for the last, in surface lures), but not of shapes.

Hearing — Experiments by biologists seem to show that fish can hear sounds made above water, and will even come in to be fed at the sound of a bell. "I don't know whether the experimenters made sure that no accompanying low frequency vibrations also passed to the fish, and that they couldn't see the swinging bell or the moving man," says Jason Lucas, Angling Editor of Sports Afield Magazine. "But it doesn't matter, for all experienced anglers seem to agree that talking loudly to a companion, for instance, will have no effect on one's catch."

Smell—All fish seem to have a sense of smell, but it apparently plays a very minor part, compared to sight and vibration-feeling, in our game species. Some fish, such as most catfishes, have extremely poor vision and feed mainly on nonmoving, and so nonvibrational, things; there-

fore they must feed almost entirely by scent.

Taste—Taste seems to play a very minor part in the feeding of game fish, which usually don't seem to care what they bite just so it is a good size for them to swallow and has attractive, life-like movements—that is, "good action."

Touch—A bass will take into his mouth, and almost instantly eject, a lure that is large and hard; he will hold a small, hard lure somewhat longer. A sunfish invariably will even more rapidly eject an artificial fly, probably because he feels the hard hook. Trout will often, but not invariably, do the same.

If the lure is soft, with a life-like feel, a fish will be a lot slower in ejecting it. This will make it easier for a fisherman "slow on the trigger" to hook his quarry. Yet many softer lures have poor action compared to hard ones, and so won't get so many strikes. The experienced angler with good reflexes can hook fish about equally well on either type.

Choose sturdy containers for packaging Christmas cookies for mailing — empty shortening or coffee cans are excellent. Spread popped popcorn generously over the bottom of the container to insulate against the bumps and bruises of mailing, then line it thoroughly with waxed paper. Wrap the cookies individually and pack one layer deep. Top the cookie layer with waxed paper and cardboard, then continue adding layers of cookies, waxed paper and cardboard till the container is filled. Add a top layer of popcorn. If you're using a non-metal container such as a cardboard box, wrap it with corrugated cardboard before adding the brown paper outer wrap.

Thelma (as friends call Mrs. Alexander) is an enthusiastic entrant in the locally sponsored armchair quarterback football contest each year and last year was the lucky winner of the two Cotton Bowl tickets and the \$50 expense money which go to the contest winner. At the last moment the Alexanders were unable to attend the game due to the illness of one of their sons. Thelma, who has never seen a bowl game, still hopes to attend one some day; however she thinks it will have to

be postponed a few years until the boys are older and their schedule is not so crowded.

Each Friday night, during football season the Alexanders hold open house following the game and many fans take advantage of their hospitality to visit with the coach and his wife and to enjoy the delicious cookies baked by Thelma the previous evening.

In addition to her duties as the wife of a coach and the mother of three growing boys, Thelma finds time to do quite

a bit of cooking and a little sewing, both of which she enjoys. She also teaches fourth grade in the Farwell school. A great source of delight to her is watching the small girls and boys in her class as they play football and pep club during recess period.

For relaxation, she spends many hours painting, using the paint by number pictures. Many of these go into the homes of friends and relatives as gifts, with pictures selected to fit the decor of the room for which they are intended.

Hobbies? "Yes! fishing is one of the favorite pastimes of the whole family," said Thelma adding that on most fishing expeditions she is official hook

baiter for her sons; therefore she gets to do little fishing.

Life as a coaches wife is sometimes trying as the hours are irregular, with the husband away from home much of the time, especially during the football season. Meals are rarely on schedule and the husband is seldom hungry, but trying as it may be, no true coaches wife would have it otherwise. One learns to take all these inconveniences in stride.

After twelve years as the wife of a coach, Thelma Alexander smiles happily as she says, "Life connected with football coaching has its ups and downs and is unpredictable, but I would not trade places with any other person in the world."

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Cotton Choices Defined

The meaning of a "yes" or a "no" vote in the Dec. 10 referendum on cotton marketing quotas has been explained by W. L. David, Chairman, Texas Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee. All farmers who engaged in the production of upland cotton in 1963 are eligible to vote in the referendum.

The Chairman explains the basic program choices as these: First, if at least two-thirds of the growers who vote in the referendum approve of quotas, then the quotas will be in effect for the 1964 upland cotton crop. Also, marketing penalties will apply to any 'excess' cotton produced on a farm, and price support at a level within the range of 65 to 90 percent of parity will be available to farmers who comply with their farm acreage allotments, he says.

On the other hand, if more than one-third of the growers who vote oppose the quotas, then there will be no quotas and no penalties applicable to the 1964 upland cotton crop. Then price support to farmers who comply with their farm acreage allotments will be available price support.

David pointed out that, while the Secretary of Agriculture is directed by law to proclaim quotas for the next crop when the total cotton supply exceeds normal, it is the growers themselves who decide whether or not quotas shall be used.

Allotments for individual farms will be made available to growers prior to the December 10 referendum.



Cotton harvest is expected to hit its peak in the Parmer County area this week, and already bales of ginned cotton are stacking up on the yard of Western Warehouse in Bovina. In this picture are some of the clean-looking bales that are ginned with cotton bagging, which was introduced by the industry just a year ago. They offer a strong contrast to the old brown-colored jute bagging.

However, D. R. Bushnell, manager of the Bovina firm, says the product must be improved and the price reduced some before use of the cotton product will be widespread. It amounts to little more than a curiosity just now.

COTTON REFERENDUM SCHEDULED DEC. 10

Parmer County cotton farmers will decide by referendum on December 10 whether they want to continue the marketing quota program in 1964, along with cotton growers over the United States.

This will be the eleventh time

for growers to vote on quotas since 1946. In the 1963 referendum, 75 percent of Parmer County cotton growers approved the quotas program.

Cotton growers are expected to approve quotas again this year. If they should reject quotas, it would be an even bigger shock to Washington than the wheat referendum where growers rejected the quotas.

Prior to the wheat vote, however, there were concerted campaigns carried on for and against the measure. So far, little has been said of the upcoming cotton quota referendum.

By law, quotas must be proclaimed by the Secretary of Agriculture in years when the cotton supply exceeds normal. The estimated 1963-64 total supply of upland cotton exceeds the estimated normal supply by 7.8 million bales.

If at least two-thirds of the growers voting in the referendum approve quotas for 1964 cotton crops, price support at a level within the range of 65 to 90 percent of parity will be available to growers who

comply with their farm allotments, and marketing quota penalties will apply to any 'excess cotton produced on a farm.

If more than one-third of the voters oppose quotas, the allotment program will remain in effect, and price support will be available to cooperators at 50 percent of parity, as provided by law.

Because the 1963 allotments were at the minimum permitted under the law the Secretary of Agriculture is prohibited from lowering 1964 allotments.

The nation's cotton crop this year is estimated at an even bale to the acre on a national average -- highest on record. Total production is almost equal to last year, despite a 9 percent decrease in acreage. Officials say this resulted from the removal of least productive acres and additional use of fertilizer.

NEWS FROM THE FARM BUREAU

BY RAYMOND EULER

We know that now, and beyond the date of this publication, Americans are united in mourning the assassination of the President of the United States, and material things of the world are not of much concern.

Inspiration for all freedom-loving citizens of this and other nations of the world will come from the revival of public and individual manifestations of an unabated faith in God as the one all powerful and loving creator and ruler of the universe.

Parmer County Farm Bureau, as an organization, joins all other Americans in extending thoughts and prayers of sympathy to the family of the late John F. Kennedy.

Governor John Connally and families of others injured or killed in the assassination incident are equally objects of sympathy.

CONSIDER THIS: By humility and the fear of the Lord are riches, and honor, and life. Proverbs 22:4

Range Management Meet In Lubbock

The 1963 annual meeting of the Texas section of the American Society of Range Management will be held Dec. 13 and 14 in Lubbock's Pioneer Hotel, according to Dr. Thadis W. Box, a member of the ASRM and associate professor of agronomy and range management at Texas Tech.

The program theme for this meeting is "From the Range to the Dinner Table." Featured speaker at the installation of officers and annual banquet meeting is Ace Reid, nationally syndicated cartoonist. Reid's cowboy cartoon characters are seen daily in newspapers in all parts of the United States.

The two-day meeting is open to ranchers and beef cattle producers in Texas and neighboring states as well as ASRM members. Registration will be at the Pioneer Hotel from 8:30 to 9:45 a. m. Friday, Dec. 12. The initial session will be held later that morning.

Speakers during the meeting will include Rudy Pederson, San Angelo range conservationist, Dr. George Ellis, manager of

the Texas Tech Research Farm, Pantex, and Dr. Mina Lamb, head of the department of foods and nutrition at Texas Tech.

Also included as speakers are Curtis Fawcett, of the agriculture department, Southwest Texas State College, San Marcos; Garlyn Hoffman, range extension specialist with Texas A&M University, and Ed Robertson, Tech research assistant.

Topics to be discussed during the meeting will cover the role of range management in producing cattle, range management as seen by the rancher's wife, production efficiency in range cattle, the meat we choose to eat, the moral obligation to the range, ranchers' opinions of the American Society of Range Management, and techniques of inter-seeding abandoned farm land.

In Parmer County, the March of Dimes has provided \$14,423.95 in direct aid for fellow residents suffering from birth defects, arthritis or polio.

Mrs. Davis Gulley Named Homemaker Of Year

By CHRIS MOSS

Homemaker of the Year could well be a title bestowed upon Mrs. Davis Gulley, a member of the Midway HD Club. She has been a member of the club since it was organized and before that time was a member of the HD Club in Bailey County.

In addition she has served in all of the various offices of the local club and twice has been elected to fill state offices. In 1959 she was chosen over several other candidates as Parmer County Woman of the Year.

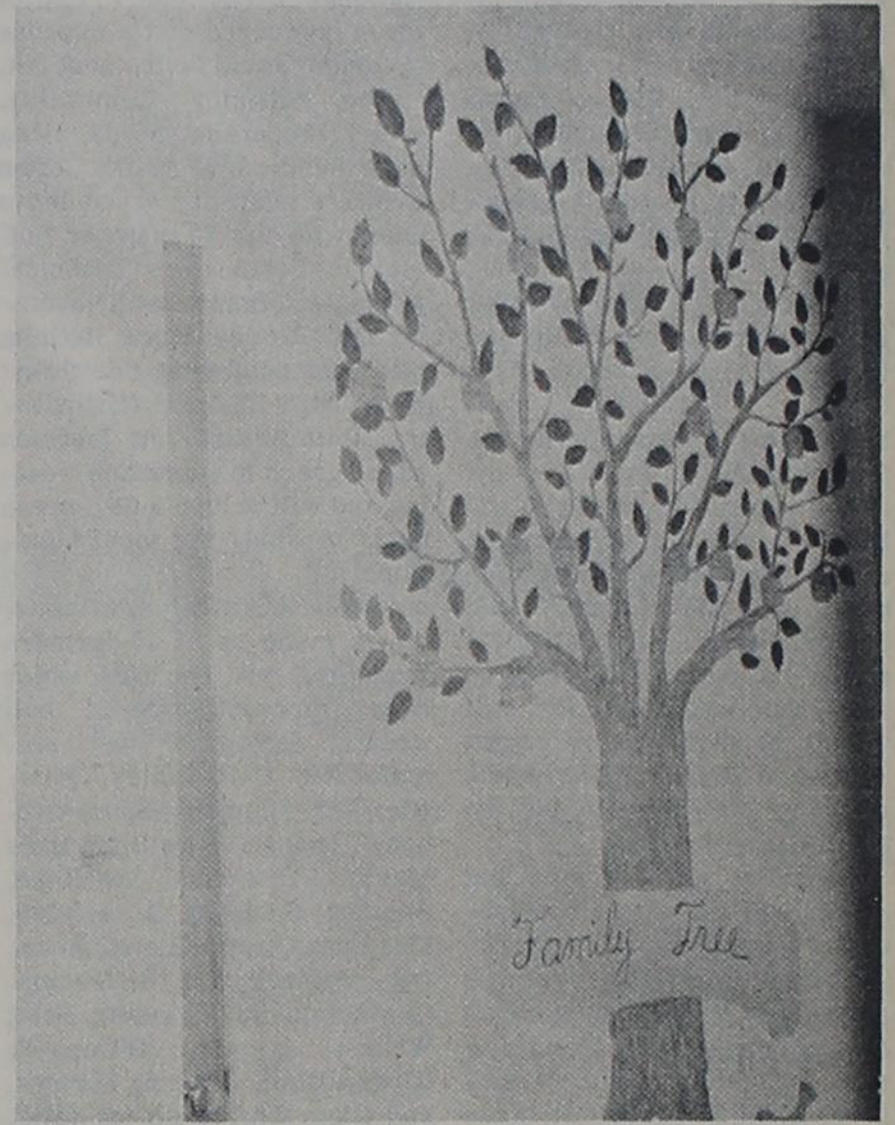
Mrs. Gulley, born Elzada McMahan, came to this area with her parents as a small girl in 1927 and settled near Progress in Bailey County. She made her home there until her marriage 16 years ago when she moved to her present home in the Midway Community. She is the mother of two sons, John, 13, and James, 10.

Questioned about her girlhood, Mrs. Gulley replied that all of her schooling had been received at the Progress school which then boasted a high school. With a bit of humor and a little sadness she tells the story of the time diplomas were provided for the graduates of the school by sponsoring a pie supper.

She has the definite feeling that there is no excuse for any person to not receive an education if he desires one. Many courses are available through the extension services, she says, adding that she has taken many courses in this way from both Texas Tech and Texas A & M. Many of the courses are made available through the HD Club service.

Mrs. Gulley, who worked for a number of years following her graduation from high school, says, "I believe that all persons should work for at least a one year period," adding that it would make for a better relationship between the general public and the workingman. Jobs held by Mrs. Gulley include postal clerk, saleslady and substitute teacher.

Club programs of this day are much different to those of former years, she says, recalling that one year the club project was getting running water into the home of each member which they succeeded in doing by members pitching in to help each other build small



This "family tree" was painted on the wall of the hall in the Gulley home by Mrs. Gulley in the hope that her sons would become interested in learning more of their family history.

storage tanks and lay the water line from the tank to the homes. Another year the club program included teaching women the proper method of making soap. "I still have my recipe," she says with a smile.

Club programs of this age include the latest in child care, help for the teenager, latest in cooking and sewing ideas, nutrition and most other phases of family living.

The Gulley home, built shortly after the couple were married, shows much of the ability of Mrs. Gulley as a

homemaker. The house a six room perma-stone structure is constructed in such a manner that no space is wasted.

The bathroom is designed in such a way that a wheelchair can be pushed in and out of the room with little difficulty as one never knows when a mem-

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Eliminating Boll Weevil Is Job For Ourselves

"Elimination of the boll weevil from the High Plains is something we must plan to do ourselves, using control measures now known rather than depending on other techniques which may later be developed," says Don Anderson, Crosbyton, Chairman of the Boll Weevil Eradication Steering Committee. This statement came after Anderson and George W. Pfeiffenberger, Executive Vice President of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., returned this week from a trip to the U.S.D.A. Boll Weevil Research Laboratory at State College, Mississippi.

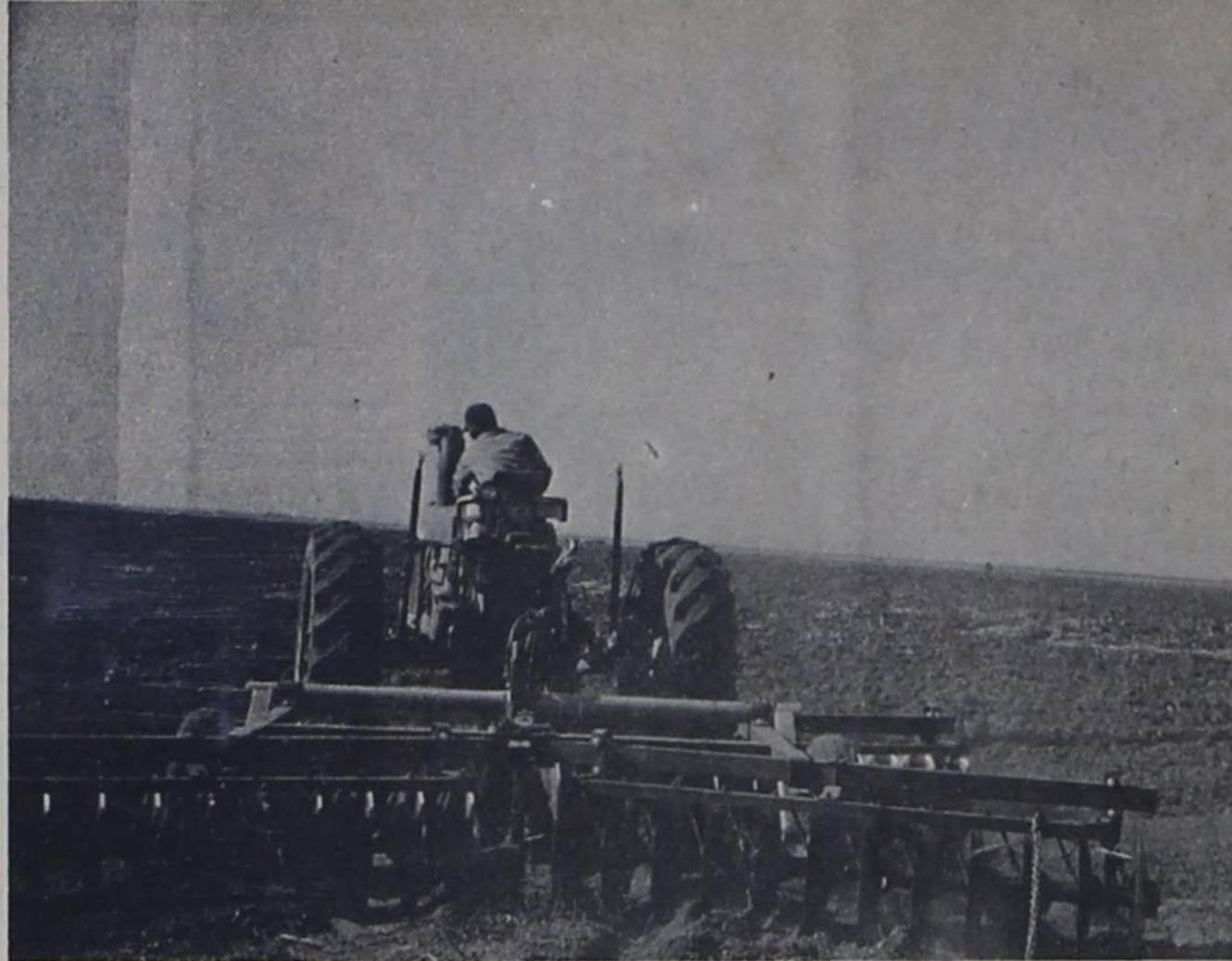
Anderson and Pfeiffenberger agreed that the work being done in Boll Weevil research at the U.S.D.A. Laboratory does show some promise for the future, but that it is still in the early stages and offers no solution to the current problem on the High Plains. "At some time in the future," said Pfeiffenberger, "the scientists at the laboratory may come up with new techniques for boll weevil control, but we cannot depend on this happening in time to keep boll weevils off the High Plains."

Anderson also reported that officials at the Mississippi laboratory, which is headed by Dr. Theodore B. Davich, were in agreement that the best known control program for weevils is the "diapause" control program which kills weevils in the

fall before they go into hibernation, thereby reducing infestations during the next growing season. Anderson and Pfeiffenberger also conferred with Dr. James Brazzel of Mississippi State College, who is known as the originator of the Diapause control method, and Dr. H. G. Johnston, Entomologist for the National Cotton Council. Both of these concurred that a diapause program would be the best bet.

The Steering Committee, which Anderson heads, along with members of Plains Cotton Growers' staff are scheduled to meet with the 16 member Boll Weevil Eradication Technical Advisory Committee on November 26 to lay more definite plans for combating this threat to the High Plains cotton industry. Both Brazzel and Johnston have agreed to attend this meeting and will arrive a day or two early to study the local situation.

Anderson's steering committee is made up of 13 farmers from the six counties which have already suffered boll weevil damage. They are: Anderson; J. F. Bailey, Quitaque; Rob Simmons, Spur; Watson Jones, Floydada; Herb Martin, Flomont; Joe Rose, Roaring Springs; E. A. Day, Matador; Charlie Long, Roaring Springs; G. B. Morris, Crosbyton; David Tyler, Post; Weldon Martin, O'Donnell; Clyde Clifton, Roaring Springs, and Clay Kimbrough, of Ralls.



Nothing is wasted on the modern Farmer County farm. After the grain sorghum crop has been combined, the stubble is shredded, and then it is disc'd back into the soil. Later, fertilizer is added to help break down the stubble's composition. This practice adds organic matter to the hard-working land.

Tractors Can Last Twice As Long

If properly cared for, a tractor can last twice as long as one given mediocre care, says Henry O'Neal, Extension agriculture engineer, Texas A&M University.

The importance of proper tractor maintenance is being emphasized in the Texas 4-H

Tractor program. Its slogan is "Better Care, Not Repair!" This tractor program is aimed at teaching youngsters how to properly care for a tractor, says O'Neal, and is not designed to teach them to repair or overhaul a tractor.

The 1963-64 program consists of four units covering four years of instruction. A new "junior" project is the first unit and is designed for boys in the 10-12 year old group. Safe operation and safety activities are the main themes of this unit.

In units two and three the why's, wherefore's and "how to do it" of care and maintenance are stressed. The 4th unit concerns farm machinery, care and operation, along with record keeping and machinery cost accounting.

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Overdue Homage

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For 17 years, Sarah Hale, editor of *Godey's Lady's Book*, campaigned to unify the states in common observance of a day of thanks. Despite national contempt in the 19th century for feminine meddling in public affairs, not once did the tiny, but fiery and courageous woman abandon her crusade.

From 1846 to 1863 she pleaded with three presidents (Fillmore, Pierce and Buchanan) and wrote countless editorials in her magazine, fighting for her cause.

By 1849 several states were celebrating Thanksgiving separately; no two states observed the holiday on the same day. Three years later, in 1852, Mrs. Hale had succeeded in having 29 states join in observing Thanksgiving on the last Thursday in November as a unified day of thanks.

In 1863 her appeal to a great American crowned her crusade in victory. Through a proclamation by President Abraham Lincoln, the last Thursday in November was established as a day of national thanksgiving.

A Texas millionaire walked into an automobile showroom. "My wife is sick," he said. "What do you have in the way of a get-well car?"

Opposing Civil War Generals Robert E. Lee and U. S. Grant were both graduates of the U. S. Military Academy.

Wife: "That's the tenth time you've been to that punch bowl. It's embarrassing."

The acreage of Arlington National Cemetery, Va., was once property owned by George Washington Parke Custis, adopted son of George Washington and father-in-law of Gen. Robert E. Lee.

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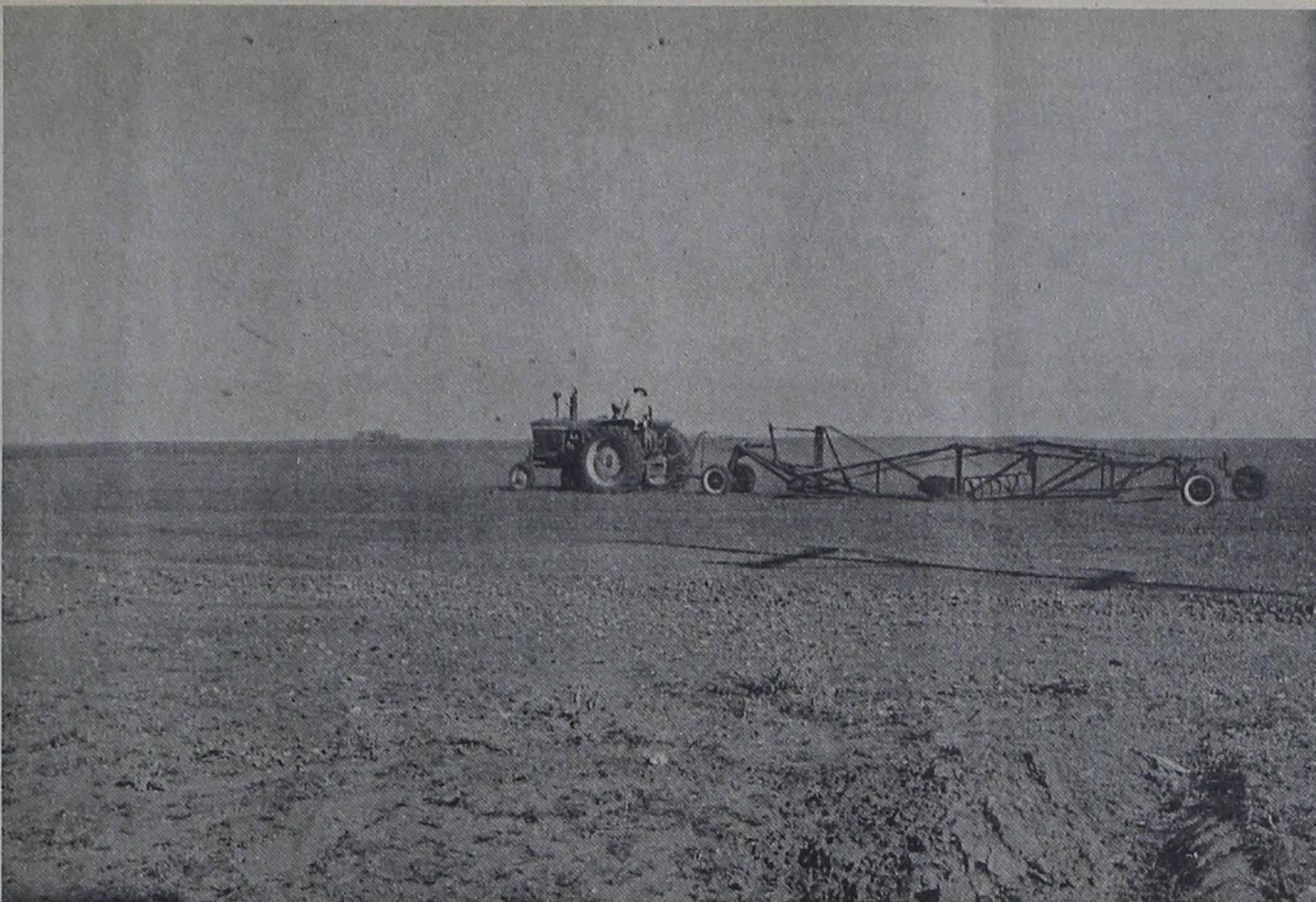
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Modern farming practices on the irrigated High Plains bring in a variety of weird-looking equipment, including this land leveller at work in the picture above. The leveller works because it has an extremely long "wheelbase" that enables a blade in the center section to cut down high spots. Now that grain sorghum crops are off and the land will be idle until pre-irrigation time next spring, many farmers are using the open weather of fall to get such work done.

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Hinn Soybean Yields 57.8 Bushels Per Acre

Delbert Langford, agronomist for the High Plains Research Foundation at Halfway, reported that by applying the practice of skip-row farming, he received a high yield of 57.8 bushels per acre of the Hinn soybean. The Hinn soybean is the new bean bred by the Foundation and is the first soybean bred for this area of Texas.

Barry Love, associate agronomist for the Foundation in charge of developing the Hinn bean, said that the chemical analysis of the Hinn was 18.5 percent oil and 34.9 percent protein. Love reported that along with the other qualities of the Hinn bean, high yield, non shattering, and a high tolerance for lodging, it has something that both the farmer as well as the processor can benefit from.

The Hinn variety was developed in the Foundation's accelerated research program in keeping with the idea of the Foundation's creed of doing today what the farmer will need tomorrow. With this in mind, the Hinn soybean was tested this year throughout the Texas Panhandle and South Plains in an effort to check production in a variety of locations. In all of the tests, ranging from the top of Texas at Farnsworth, near Perryton, down to Ralls in the South Plains, the Hinn bean out-yielded the Hill and Lee beans, which are the soybeans that have been grown here in Texas.

Dr. Earl H. Collister, Director of the High Plains Research Foundation and a plant breeder who has worked with

soybeans for over 17 years, reports that, "The Hinn soybean has some of the best qualities that I have ever seen in a soybean. One of the most important, aside from the high yielding ability, is the inherent tendency of the Hinn of heavy branching. This will help to insure a good yield in a case of a poor stand due to adverse weather. This branching will compensate for stand, in case of a hail or other bad weather."

Foundation seed of the Hinn variety is being released to certified seed growers. Contributors and supporters of the Foundation are being given priority in allocation of seed. If the farmers are interested in the Hinn soybean they may contact Barry Love, Box 1267, Plainview.

Southwest Cattle Feeding Conference Will Be In Fort Worth, Dec. 4

Answers to the whys and wherefores of cattle feeding will abound at Hotel Texas in Fort Worth, Dec. 4, when cattle feeders and livestock authorities from far and wide gather for the Third Annual Southwestern Cattle Feeding Conference.

This year's program promises to meet in full the high standards of its predecessors and to further enhance the Conference's reputation as a place for obtaining practical, useable and profitable information. The Conference, sponsored by the Cattle Feeders Division of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association, is open to the public, according to Lloyd Bergsma, director of the division.

R. H. Browder, Area Development Division, Texas Electric Service Company, Fort Worth, will serve as chairman of the morning program which gets underway at 9 a.m. with a welcome address by Hon. Bayard H. Friedman, mayor of Fort Worth.

Other morning addresses include, "The Future for Cottonseed Products" by Garlon Harper, Director, National

Cottonseed Products Association, Dallas; "The Beef Import Situation" by John Guthrie, Slough Ranch and Feed Lot, Porterville, Calif.; and "High Concentrate Feeding" by Dr. E. P. Cardon, president, Early-Fat Livestock Feed Co., Tucson, Ariz.

A highlight of the morning session will be a "Feeders Meet The Press Panel" with editors Charles Ball of the Farm Journal, Stanley Frank of the West Texas Livestock Weekly, and Ted Goudy of the Weekly Livestock Reporter posing the questions. Feeders on the panel include Bob Carter of Plainview, Paul Engler of Hereford, S. B. Middlebrook of Vernon, Otto Moser of DeKalb, and Jack Scoggins of Harlingen.

Chairman of the afternoon session which gets underway at 1:30 p.m. is A. G. Morton, Jr. of Kilgore.

Afternoon topics and speakers are "Competition in the Cattle Feeding Industry," James Rutter, editor, Feedlot magazine; "Modern Beef Merchandising," Cecil Hellbusch, livestock consultant, Safeway

Stores; "Selling Cattle For Top Money," Jim Warden, Sudan Livestock and Feeding Co.; and a panel discussion "The Packer Role in the Beef Industry," moderated by William E. Drenner, president, Denton County Bank, Denton, Texas.

Panel members include Tom Bratcher, Neuhoff Packing Co., Dallas; E. H. Cramsie, Swift & Co., Fort Worth; Fred Doehne, Doehne Provision Co., Corpus Christi; Rod Stevens,

Supreme Beef Co., Lubbock; and Bob Morford, Gooch Packing Co., Abilene.

The traditional Cattle Feeders Dinner will be at 7:30 p.m. with D. W. Lewter of Lubbock as master of ceremonies. Highlights include presentation of The Cattleman magazine's "Southwestern Cattle Feeder Award" and an address by Bob Murphy, noted attorney and humorist of Nacogdoches, Texas.

Increase Returns From Cotton

It is possible to double the per acre yield and double or triple the returns from cotton and at the same time, maintain a high level of organic matter in the soil, John Box, Extension agronomist at Texas A&M, told those attending the Cotton Production Conference this week.

He outlined a program beginning with increased organic matter resulting from higher crop residues. This in turn would result in improved soil physical condition and better control of erosion. Balancing fertility by addition of fertilizer, based on soil tests would increase production, giving higher crop residues to complete the cycle.

Box emphasized, however, that for such a program to work all of the steps necessary to good cotton production must be taken and at the right time. These include such things as insect and disease control, good

seed and proper cultivating and harvesting practices.

Box was a featured speaker at the Cotton Production Conference held on the Texas A&M campus this week.



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Dry Ranges Pose Problems For Stockmen

Beef cattle which have been on dry ranges for the past six months or more may face serious nutritional deficiencies, says U. D. Thompson, extension animal husbandman. Of major importance is the lack of sufficient range grass or forage. The low quality or absence of total digestible nutrients is a further complicating factor, he adds. This kind of roughage contains little or no protein, phosphorus and vitamin A.

Decisions are difficult to make during stress periods. An attempt should be made to balance livestock numbers and forage supplies. Calves may be weaned earlier to help relieve grazing pressure and improve cow conditions. Fewer replacement cattle should be kept and culling is always in order. Non-breeders, slow breeders, irregular breeders and cows which consistently produce

lower grade, light weight calves should be marketed. Thompson recommends that cows be palpated to determine pregnancy and to sell those not pregnant.

Under conditions of extreme drought, it may be advisable to confine the foundation herd to a small acreage. High energy feeds such as grains and protein supplements may be fed in limited amounts for maintenance. Forage is the critical feed, however, and is usually high in cost for total digestible nutrients, he says. A protein supplement fed with the forage will improve digestion.

Phosphorus is the most likely mineral to be deficient under drought conditions. A mineral supplement high in phosphorus should be fed free choice or in controlled drinking water and salt should also be fed free choice, the specialist advises.

Vitamin A may or may not be deficient depending upon the forage available. Protein supplements fortified with vitamin A should be considered. Synthetic vitamin A is available for use in drinking water, injections or for mixing with feed. Thompson points out that most Texas livestock producers have had experience handling stock during periods of stress and that decision making on management practices becomes almost an individual proposition.

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Over 300 jars of home canned fruits, vegetables and jellies are kept in this storage space in the home for use during the winter months.

Homemaker--

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ber of his family will be confined to a wheelchair, she explains.

The bathing area is also separated from the room proper by a shower curtain thus allowing two person to occupy the room at the same time.

Appliances in the kitchen are arranged in such a way that more than one job can be handled with ease at the same time. In the kitchen are an ironer, washer - dryer, refrigerator, cabinets in two heights, stove and the telephone.

In this way baking can be done conveniently as one can reach the refrigerator for ingredients, mix the food and place it on the stove or in the oven while standing in the same place.

The telephone can easily be reached from the cabinet saving many steps each day. On the day we visited with Mrs. Gulley she was baking cookies and washing at the same time, due to the arrangement of the appliances.

Her cabinet storage space is filled with over 300 jars of home canned fruits, vegetables and jellies, most of which were raised on the farm.

In addition she has a large chest type freezer filled with frozen foods. Meats are stored in a frozen food locker in town. All meat for the family's use is raised on the farm also.

At the present time the family is busy constructing a fallout shelter which will also have storage space for the canned products and frozen foods.

A sewing center has been established by building a closet in the bedroom where all sewing needs are kept, with the machine slipping easily into the closet when not in use.

Living at home and enjoying it is something the family is quite adept at, with a TV set in the living room and enjoying it is something the family is quite adept at, with a TV built into the wall of the living room for easy viewing and reference books of many kinds available for the family's use in the bookcases which flank the large fireplace in the living room.

A worship center is maintained in the area between the living and dining rooms with an open Bible placed atop the stereo record player-radio combination.

She explains that most homes do not display an open Bible but since they are a busy family and might not find time for a family worship period, she feels



Stopping for a brief moment during her busy day to read the Bible and meditate has been a great help to Mrs. Gulley in being a better homemaker.

that if a Bible is open each family member will make a special effort at sometime during the day to stop briefly and read a verse or two. The Bible is usually kept open at either the Book of Psalms or Proverbs.

Mrs. Gulley, who is president of the Lezbuide PTA and an ardent worker in her church, has many hobbies, including painting, reading, handwork of many kinds and a special hobby is helping young homemakers with any problems which might arise.

On the wall of the hall she has painted a large tree and on its branches are the names of

the grandparents, great-grandparents, and parents of the Gulley children with their names displayed in the uppermost branches. In this way she hopes to help her sons develop an interest in knowing more of their family's history.

She spends much time in making floral arrangements for friends and neighbors. Many of the arrangements are used for area showers and weddings. No, she has never received any pay for the floral pieces but makes them because she enjoys creating anything of beauty.

One of the greatest thrills in recent years came to Mrs.

Gulley and her husband only a few weeks ago when their son, John 13, was named Gold Star 4-H Club Boy of Farmer County.

Mrs. Gulley explains that Titus 2:5 is used as a basic for her daily life, adding that she has the feeling that any job worth doing is worth doing well. This accounts for her success as a homemaker, mother and wife.

Sorghum's Far Eastern Markets Threatened By Corn Freight Cut

Railroads serving the Pacific Coast have cut freight rates on corn shipped from the Midwest for export to the Far East, effective next month. The cut will be from an average of 82 cents down to 70 cents per hundred pounds. The railroads acted independently to establish the new low rate after the Trans - Continental Freight Bureau, representing all the cross-country railroads, rejected the proposed reduction at a meeting on November 7 in Chicago as "not being in the best interest of all concerned."

The Bureau's ruling to disallow the reduction had been viewed as a victory for area grain sorghum producers who had opposed the low rate on the grounds that it would give corn

an undue competitive advantage over grain sorghum and seriously affect or wipe out the 500,000 ton annual sorghum sales to Japan.

Bill Nelson, Executive Vice President of the Grain Sorghum Producers Assn. said, "Our only recourse now would be to request the Interstate Commerce Commission to set aside the rate - a long drawn out and costly procedure which the grain sorghum producers cannot afford with their present budget. We will just have to let the Far East market go unless we can get enough others concerned to oppose the action."

In Japan the Food Agency regulates the issuance of import-export licenses and regulates the level of grain and

other imports. The Overseas Merchandise Inspection Service inspects the imports for type and quality there. Mr. Kothah of the JFO and Mr. Miyake of OMIS will be in Amarillo November 25th and 26th to study the grain sorghum situation with association officials and explore the potential for continued exports from the area to Japan.

Nelson said the rate decision and possible loss of the Japan market will have both immediate and long range affect on the grain sorghum area. Currently there is a tremendous amount of "free market" grain in the area that grain men have paid a strong price for in anticipation of strong domestic and export sales. The 500,000 tons market affected by this rate decision will certainly tend

to "soften" what has been a "firm to strong" market.

As far as the long run effect, the association official fears that as administrative decisions, such as this one on freight rates, cut off markets for sorghum production there will be great pressure applied from Congress and other sources to reduce sorghum acreage or price or both, resulting in reduced area economy from grain sorghum.

Why Not Give Meat For Christmas?

As a novel and convenient gift this Christmas, give meat, advises Ed Uvacek, livestock marketing specialist at Texas A&M University. Christmas shopping can be made easy and friends will appreciate this tasty gift, he says.

The National Livestock and Meat Board's Gift Certificate program gives you the opportunity to support the livestock industry and at the same time save time and effort during the Christmas season, he says.

Attractive gift certificates for all meat, or specifically for beef, lamb or pork, are available in any amount the giver wishes to purchase. These full color certificates are for all practical purposes a check that can be redeemed in the form of meat purchases at retail meat markets. The retailer clears the check through his local bank as he would any other check.

No storage, transportation, delivery or buying problems are encountered with this type of Christmas gift and it costs only 15 cents per certificate, says Uvacek.

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SPORTS AFIELD

By Ted Kesting

If your young beagle runs silent and won't bay. Hunt it with one or more beagles that open freely on the trail. It is likely that it will get the idea after a few hunts in such company.—Sports Afield.

Season opening is the time to collect a prime doe or a butterfat forkhorn for the locker. Well into November, during the rut, is when you'll see all the big racks you didn't believe were around anymore! — Sports Afield.

When touching up your duck decoys be sure to use flat paint. Shingle paint is good. Some experimental blending with various colors should give you the required tones. Ducks can't detect wrong tones until they are well within range, but they are wary of any decoy that shines.—Sports Afield.

Some campers and hunters burn their garbage when in the woods. Burning, however, causes unsightly residue and the resulting stench leaves much to be desired. It's far better to bury your garbage. — Sports Afield.

Moldable Cotton Fabrics Developed

Moldable cotton fabrics are the latest development in cotton utilization research by the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

The researchers see uses for these molded materials in the manufacture of upholstered furniture, hats, shoes, and many other consumer products. The fabrics, that can be molded into three-dimensional shapes, have been worked out as the result of a continuing effort to find new uses for agricultural products.

The idea for these molded cottons came from the research to develop stretch cottons, according to the USDA. Through a process called slack mercerization, the cottons were made to stretch more than 50 percent. Since these stretched materials fitted contours well, the scientists decided that if the fabric were chemically treated and molded it would hold its shape permanently.

The molding process involves treating the fabric with a solution of sodium hydroxide, which gives it stretch by making the fibers and yarns twist and shrink. Next, the fabric is wet with chemicals of the type used to make wash-wear cotton and finally, it is stretched over a heated mold of the desired shape. The heat of the mold dries the fabric and causes the chemicals to lock it into the shape.

The new molded cotton has advantages for use in the toes of women's shoes and in the manufacture of sofas, chairs, and other upholstered items, say the scientists.

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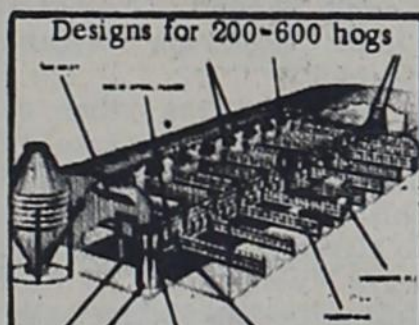


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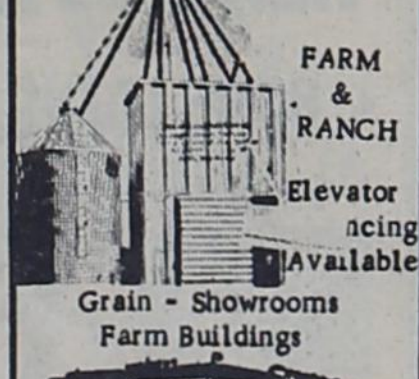
Could Tight Tennis Shoes Damage Feet ?

We would expect that the soft canvas of a tennis shoe would wear through before the pressure could bend the toe bones but most of us forget that deformed toes are not the result of bent bones. They would be if there were single bones in each toe but the great - toe has two bones and each of the others has three. The deformities affect the joints between the bones. An example is a chain. Each link may be very strong and straight but it takes very little effort to "bend" the chain if the last link is pushed in toward the others. The analogy limps sadly when it comes to straightening the chain. That is very simple if it is merely iron or steel but straightening toes requires an intricate procedure in surgery.

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