

FREE INDIA'S FIRST NATIONAL CONGRESS . . . With the national flag of the Dominion of India being carried by one of the riders, a huge elephant leads the procession that marked the opening of the 55th session of the Indian national congress at Jaipur. This congress is unique, however, in that it is the first to be held since India won its independence.

March of Dimes Fund Drive Launched

Moisture Here Totals .65 Last Week

County Board Splits Old Rhea District

At a meeting of the County Board of Education, held here Tuesday afternoon, an order was passed dividing the old Rhea School District with the Friona district and the Bovina district.

On the basis of the division, officials said that Friona was given about one-third of the old Rhea district, and the other two-thirds was awarded to Bovina.

Settlements of indebtedness differences incurred against the old Rhea district remains yet to be worked out, and it was agreed by the County Board that the Bovina and Friona school officials make an effort to arrive at a settlement of this matter between themselves. If an arrangement cannot be reached, the County Board will be asked to determine a settlement, it was stated here.

County Offices Close At Noon Saturdays

Announcement was made by Farmer County officials this week that all offices at the county courthouse would be closed Saturday afternoon on and after Feb. 5.

Offices will remain open each Saturday until 12 noon, at which time they will be closed until Monday.

Other days in the week, office hours from 8:30 a. m. to 5 p. m. remain unchanged.

Texico Trustees To Be Elected, Feb. 1

Four trustees are to be elected to the Texico school board of education on February 1st, according to notices posted this week by Mayor Orval W. Francis and City Clerk W. L. Freeman.

T. T. Doolittle and Claude Curry are completing elective terms, while Perry Crawley and John Hadley, Jr., finish appointive terms to which they were assigned when board positions were vacated.

At the February voting, two members will be elected to serve for a term of six years, and the other two will be elected for a period of two years. All terms of office will begin on March 1st, officials added.

The voting place will be in the Texico City Halls, with the polls to open at 9 a. m. and close at 6 p. m. Judges will be John Holland, Perry Owen and Olen Schleuter, with Mrs. Orval Francis and Mrs. W. T. North named to serve as clerks.

Qualified voters of the Texico school district are eligible to cast ballots.

Community Sale In Farwell, Feb. 1-2

Col. Dick Doshier, local auctioneer, announced today that he was making plans for a big community sale to be held in Farwell on Friday and Saturday, February 1 and 2. The sale will be held at the Harriage Hudson Co. in this city.

Doshier said that he had already listed a number of worthwhile items to be offered at public auction, and invited other consignments for the event. Listings may be left with either Doshier or Walter Hardage, in Farwell, through Saturday of this week.

March Of Dimes Benefit Planned, Okla. Lane

A benefit program, with the proceeds going to the March of Dimes campaign, is planned at the school auditorium in Oklahoma Lane on Thursday evening, January 27.

Rev. J. J. Terry, Baptist minister at Oklahoma Lane, said today that a program of musical numbers and talks would be made at the gathering. R. B. McAlister of KICA had been obtained to appear as the principal speaker for the occasion.

MRS. MANSFIELD LEAVES

Mrs. Bess Mansfield left the first of the week for Tyler, Texas, where she expects to visit her mother for some time. Mrs. Mansfield resigned as deputy in the county tax collector's office the first of the year, and said Monday that she had no definite plans to announce for the future.

WRITES FROM GERMANY

Pfc. Cortez Billington, who is now serving with the Army in Germany, writes from Augsburg that "it is plenty cold and wet here . . . but we don't have any wind." Cortez added that he is receiving The Tribune fairly regularly, with the paper getting through in 12 to 20 days. "I really enjoy reading it," he said.

Mrs. J. C. Temple, who has been confined to her bed for the past ten days following a heart attack, is showing some improvement. She has been allowed to sit up in bed the last few days.

Keeping Farm Records Big Help to Farmers

COLLEGE STATION — Keeping farm records isn't a big job. That is, if you have the Texas Farm Record Book.

Did you ever wonder how to avoid the large amount of trouble and work it takes to fill out your income tax return? Did you ever wonder how your farm operates from year to year? Can you remember from time to time just how much land, machinery and farm products you have on hand? The farm record book is the answer to all these questions, says John G. McHaney, extension county agricultural agent at large of Texas A. & M. College.

Texas farmers received about two billion dollars last year from the sale of crops, livestock and livestock products. This is pretty big business, and is becoming very competitive. Such economic conditions as these, as well as others, have shown many farmers the importance of planning their yearly operations, and to check up from one year to the next.

Farm records serve as a basis for locating the weak and strong points in farm operations—a kind of mirror that reflects the whole year's business. And, too, records will point out any unsatisfactory performances on the farm before more serious losses occur, says McHaney.

When it comes to getting credit from loan agencies, farm records show these agencies the possibilities

of the farm and give a list of the assets—in inventory form—located on the farm.

The Texas Farm Record Book was designed so it can be adapted to any farm conditions in the state, and to cut down on the time and effort needed to keep a good set of records.

The record book is full of inventories—of nearly everything on the farm. There are inventories of land, farm improvements, machinery and equipment, livestock, crops and feeds on hand, farm sales and expenses, farm products used at home, and last of all, a summary of the year's farm business.

Inventories are check-ups on what a farmer owns and owes at the start and finish of each year. Farmers who prepare income tax statements—and that gets nearly everybody—find they have a number of deductions after keeping a farm inventory.

After the inventory has been recorded at the first of the year, all that's left to be kept from day to day is the farm sales and expenses—a five or ten minute job after supper.

Texas Farm Records Books can be secured from the county agent, or by writing the Extension Service at College Station, says McHaney.

This is a good time of year to start keeping the record.

Fernando Cortes was the Spanish conqueror of Mexico.

FROM THE HOPPER

By HOP

How about that poll tax receipt? Are you sure you have yours for the year, 1949. Quite a number of voters dropped in to thank us during the week for calling their attention to this matter. You see, the law has been changed and now you are not issued poll tax receipts at the time you pay your property tax unless you request it. Under the old law, poll taxes were always included with property taxes and you paid the poll tax along with your property taxes. If you are sure that you have a poll tax receipt for 1949 you'd better look into that matter. Of course, this is an off election year, and at this time there are no elections of importance coming up during the year. But it is very likely that the Legislature will submit a bunch of constitutional amendments during the year . . . and you never know what else might come up during the year.

Don't blame the newspaper for its failure to mention a news item that you think should have appeared in the paper. It is barely possible that none of the reporters knew about the missing item. Please feel free to inform any of the staff about any news items that you know. We'll thank you for this co-operation.

Bill Matthews is a very unhappy man over the loss of a nice covey of quail he had nursing at his farm south of town. Bill went to the trouble to set aside a small refuge, setting it out with evergreens, grass and other cover. A nice bunch of quail had developed in the refuge. A few weeks ago, while he was attending preaching on Sunday morning, some sneak invaded the sanctuary and cleaned out his birds. Bill has a right to be unhappy and if the sneak can be located, he deserves a good stiff fine.

Bill Hall is exhibiting an old coffee mill that was used to grind coffee in his home back in Denton County when he was a mere lad. Mr. and Mrs. Hall made a trip back to their old home last week, and Bill had the pleasure of ransacking the old home and digging up many articles that renewed memories of the past. One of the most interesting items uncovered was the old family Bible, which Bill says weighed 16 pounds. Among the papers filed in the old Bible was a letter written by him to his parents exactly 45 years ago. It told of a train wreck Bill got mixed up in while he was hobnobbing in Oklahoma. Bill still bears scars of the wounds he received in that wreck when he was buried underneath a car of coal as the train left the tracks.

GETS EYEBROW CUT

Wayne Tucker, member of the Texico boys' cage team, sustained a gash in his right eyebrow, the past Saturday night, in a basketball game against Melrose. Two stitches were required to close the wound, which was not considered serious. One of the Melrose boys also received a cut in the eyebrow, it is reported.

Farm Bureau Meeting Held Monday Night

A regular meeting of the county chapter Farm Bureau was held Monday night at Friona, with only a limited attendance, due to weather conditions, President Charley Thompson, of Farwell, reported Tuesday.

Special business at this time involved appointment of a county service officer, with Raymond Euler, of Friona, being named. The chapter will offer Farm Bureau insurance, which includes both automobile and life, to Bureau members, through Euler, as soon as he is affiliated with the State bureau, Thompson said, adding that affiliation is now in process.

Further, Thompson stated that the Bureau would offer Blue Cross hospital insurance to members.

A Farm Bureau clinic will be held February 1, at 10 a. m., in Hotel Lubbock, in Lubbock, which all county officers plan to attend. Members are invited to be on hand to hear state and district Bureau officers on various topics.

A complete set of by-laws and regulations is expected to be adopted by the chapter within the next ten days.

Undergoes Operation At Albuquerque, Friday

Billy Sudderth, young farmer living south of Bovina, was taken to a hospital in Albuquerque last week and underwent an operation on his back last Saturday morning.

Sudderth was taken ill while in Amarillo a week ago, where he suffered an amnesia attack and was taken to a hospital. Later he was removed to Albuquerque, where Dr. Farnell, a bone specialist, operated on his spine.

Family members said here today that he was recovering satisfactorily.

Horse Sales Barn To Reopen, Jan. 28

The Foster Quarterhorse Sales Barn, located west of Texico on Highway 60, which has been inactive for the past several months, is undergoing several improvements and will be reopened with a horse sale on Friday, January 28.

This announcement was made the first of the week by Red Foster, who formerly operated the sales ring. He added that he had sold an interest in the business to P. W. Graham of Littlefield, who will be in the barn at all times.

Foster said that a number of registered horses had been listed for the opening sales date on January 28, and he was expecting a good crowd of buyers to be present.

MOISTURE AT LUBBOCK

J. P. Tate, former local citizen, was here last Friday from Lubbock, and said that good moisture had been received in that area by the sleet, snow and rain that fell there last week. He estimated that at least three inches of moisture had fallen, which was badly needed. Tate said that the moisture for Lubbock County was far under normal for the year of 1948.

"Tell the people to get ready to give generously, because we're coming out for their contributions."

So said Supt. Jack Williams, on Monday of this week, in announcing that the annual March of Dimes drive for funds to relieve infantile paralysis victims, is now underway, and will continue throughout January.

Williams is to be assisted in the Farwell solicitations by Ray Ford and Claude Rose, and all three asked

Benefit games between Farwell and Sudan have been matched for Monday night, Jan. 24, it was announced today by Coach Purvis of the Farwell school. The proceeds will go to the March of Dimes Campaign.

today that residents contribute generously to the "paralysis" boxes set up in the business houses about the town, rather than waiting to be approached for a donation.

At Bovina and Friona, Supts. W. O. Cherry and Dalton Caffey have likewise been named to head the drive, according to Campaign Chairman Dan Ethridge, of Friona. He added that he had written Supt. R. S. West, of Lazbuddy, asking him to head up the drive in that community, and plans are also being laid to contact residents at Rhea.

No personal solicitations are planned for Friona, Ethridge reported, urging that residents of that city put their contributions into the boxes over town. A benefit ball game is planned for Friday night, January 28th, with the proceeds going into the paralysis campaign fund.

Supt. Williams also announced that he expected to stage a benefit cage match in Farwell during the drive, but could not give details at this time.

March of Dimes contributions go for the relief of those stricken with the dreaded polio, and County Chairman B. N. Graham has urged a large response to the drive. "We have had a good deal more money expended by the national foundation in relieving Farmer county patients than has ever been contributed by the citizenry of the county," Graham repeated, in urging full support of the drive.

So far as can be ascertained, no precinct chairman has been named for the Texico district by the Curry county officials.

Business men and school officials said on Tuesday that they had not been contacted to display the contribution boxes in that city.

Adams Takes Up Work With Texico Faculty

John Adams, who received his BA degree at the completion of the winter term at Abilene Christian College, took up duties with the Texico school faculty on Monday of this week.

Supt. B. A. Rogers said that Adams is handling work in the junior high school, succeeding C. L. Sharpe, who resigned the position during the holidays. Adams, who is married and has three children, has had some previous experience. He was accompanied here by his older son, while Mrs. Adams and the two younger children, who are now visiting relatives in Wyoming, will join him soon.

Mrs. LeRoy Faville, primary teacher, who has been off duty for some weeks, due to illness, also returned to her work at the school on Monday, Supt. Rogers added.

Prairie Dog Poisoner Will Come to County

County Agent Ollie Liner announced today that farmers interested in the eradication of prairie dog towns should contact his office during the next few days, as a poison campaign will be carried out during the middle part of February.

Carl Jacobs, of the Fish and Wildlife Service, Lubbock, will be on hand to supervise the eradication program during February, Liner said. The date of Jacobs' visit to the county is not definitely set, although Liner added that it would be "after the 12th".

The county agent said further that merchants who wished to poison rats should contact Jacobs. A very nominal fee, which takes care of the grain cost, is assessed.

Agricultural economists are predicting that the demand for commercial fertilizers will be the greatest in all history this coming spring. Order your supplies now.

Poll Tax Payments Lagging In County

Poll tax payments in Farmer County continued to lag early this week, and attaches at the tax collector's office expressed the opinion that many otherwise qualified voters would be disfranchised unless a marked pick-up in polls comes during the remaining days of January.

January 31 is the final day for poll payments, taxpayers were warned again this week by the collector's office.

In past years, polls were collected along with the regular property taxes. However, under a new law, polls are not added with regular property tax payments unless the taxpayer requests it.

Records at the collector's office revealed Tuesday that only 849 poll tax receipts had been issued, which is about half the usual number issued in this county.

1949 Car Tags Go On Sale In February

Stepping up a month in advance of the usual issue, the 1949 Texas vehicle plates go on sale at the tax collector's offices on February 1.

"No change in the color, the same old yellow and black", attaches at the local collector's office said on Tuesday. The Farmer county serial letters this year will be AU, with the first tag reading AU2650.

Tags may be attached to the cars or trucks as soon as they are purchased, but drivers will not be considered delinquent with 1948 tags until April 1, the customary deadline for displaying new model plates.

Harding Is Assistant Registrar at Tech

Warren G. Harding, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Harding of Texico, will assume the duties of assistant registrar of Texas Technological College, in Lubbock, on February 1st, it has been learned here.

Harding graduated from the Farwell high school in 1938 and received his BA from ENMC, in Portales, in 1943. From the period 1943 to 1946 he was active in the Navy, and then joined the Texico school staff, serving as junior high instructor from September 1946 to February 1948. At that time he resigned to enter Tech to work on his MA degree, which he expects to complete within the next year in conjunction with his work at the college.

AGENT TO SCHOOL

Agent Ollie Liner will leave this weekend for Lubbock, where he will attend a three-week school dealing with various phases of irrigation work and problems. The special series will begin on January 24th and continue through February 14th, during which time the agent will be out of the local office.

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Health Notes

By Texas Department of Health

AUSTIN.—Every citizen of Texas should be greatly interested in the over-all health picture in the State as indicated by the morbidity report just released by Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, showing the year's totals on communicable diseases.

Comparing the 1948 figures with the totals of 1947, a great reduction is shown in some of the major health hazards. For instance, in 1947 there were 1,125 cases of diphtheria, while in 1948 the total had dropped to 924. This was 924 cases too many, since none of them need have occurred if the persons had been immunized. This same statement applies to smallpox, in which the total dropped from 15 cases to 4. Vaccination would have prevented the incidence of even one case of smallpox. Typhoid fever remained at a comparative standstill, with 317 cases being reported in 1947 and 318 in the past year. These typhoid cases could have been prevented by immunization.

The results of malaria and typhus control work throughout the State is reflected in the total number of cases for 1947 and 1948. Malaria dropped from 4,729 to 3,577, and typhus was cut nearly in half with the total falling from 610 to 344.

Dysentery continues to be a serious problem in public health in Texas. The incidence of this disease jumped from 15,863 in 1947 to 20,920 during the past year. Influenza dropped off from 116,546 to 76,823, and mumps was reduced by nearly half, from 17,202 in 1947 to 9,898 in the past year.

Dr. Cox emphasized that while there are many diseases like poliomyelitis against which there is no specific protection, it is a tragic mistake for any person to be allowed to have diphtheria, smallpox or typhoid fever, when he can be completely protected through the simple means of immunization.

Now Is The Time For Landscaping Work

COLLEGE STATION—Don't wait too long.

That's the advice from Sadie Hatfield, extension landscape gardening specialist of Texas A. & M. College, for those who plan to set out new trees or shrubs around the yard this year.

This is the time of year to do that kind of landscaping job, so better begin working on it now. Before you know it, the sap will begin rising and the buds will begin swelling after a spell of mild weather. And once the trees have their leaves another year. Trees that are set out late don't stand as much drought as those set early.

Planting new shrubs or trees, or transplanting old shrubs, is best done right after a rain, says Miss Hatfield, and your plants in their new places should be well established before the leaves unfold. The leaves use up much of the plant's vitality.

When you put trees out, it's best to ball and burlap them to keep the roots from drying out. For the planting job itself, use a spade or a long handled shovel for digging the hole. Make it deep enough so that trees will not be more than an inch deeper in the ground than they were in the nursery or the woods. Planting too deeply injures or kills the shrubs. Be sure the hole you dig is large enough to hold the plant's roots without crowding them in, or curling them up toward the surface.

After you've set the tree, pack moist topsoil firmly around the roots. A good watering will help settle the earth, and get the tree off to a good start. Planting right after a rain is good management, reminds Miss Hatfield.

And when you have time and good weather, remember that winter is the best time for pruning shrubs, particularly the evergreens, shade trees and shrubs that bloom in late summer.

Now is the time, so don't wait too long.

TO ADDRESS ENGINEERS

LUBBOCK—Dr. D. M. Wiggins, president of Texas Technological college, will make the evening address Jan. 21 at the Texas Society of Professional Engineers in session at Waco.

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Big Changes In Texas Agriculture

A quarter of a century ago, Texas farmers received a large share of their income from cotton—around 70 percent, according to the figures. Today, livestock is taking the place of cotton as the basis of income. It isn't quite up to the 70 percent mark, however. At the present time, the income of Texas farmers from livestock and livestock products runs about 40 percent of the total income.

In 1924, the total sales from livestock and livestock products were only 20 percent of the total income, says C. H. Bates, extension farm management specialist of Texas A. & M. College. By 1944, returns from these sources had risen to almost one-half the total income—up to 46 percent. The same year, receipts from cotton and cottonseed had drop-

ped to only 25 percent of the total farm income, about the same as they were in last year, says Bates. Sales from these products made up one-fourth of all farm income.

Sales from other Texas crops—wheat, rice sorghum, citrus, flax and peanuts—made up around 33 to 35 percent of Texas' farm income. And back in 1924, these miscellaneous sources provided only 10 percent of the income. By 1944, they had climbed to 28 percent.

This growth in sales from fruits and crops other than cotton brings out the increasing commercial importance of these parts of Texas agriculture. The big need for food and feed during the war and the years following was one main cause for this upward trend in these crops, says Bates.

Examples of the industry building up in the areas of production are the vast processing plant at Corpus

Christi for handling grain sorghum and cereals, and the expanding milling and feed manufacturing plants in north and northwest Texas.

Also, markets for an increasing volume of milk have developed from the rapid growth of the industrial activity in the state. Population growth within Texas and the South-

west calls for an increased output of meats, poultry and dairy products. Prospects are that this growth will balance the economic pattern with more livestock on Texas farms.

Industrial markets, too, have aided in the shift from cotton farming to dairy and livestock farming, says Bates, especially in the South and East Texas areas.

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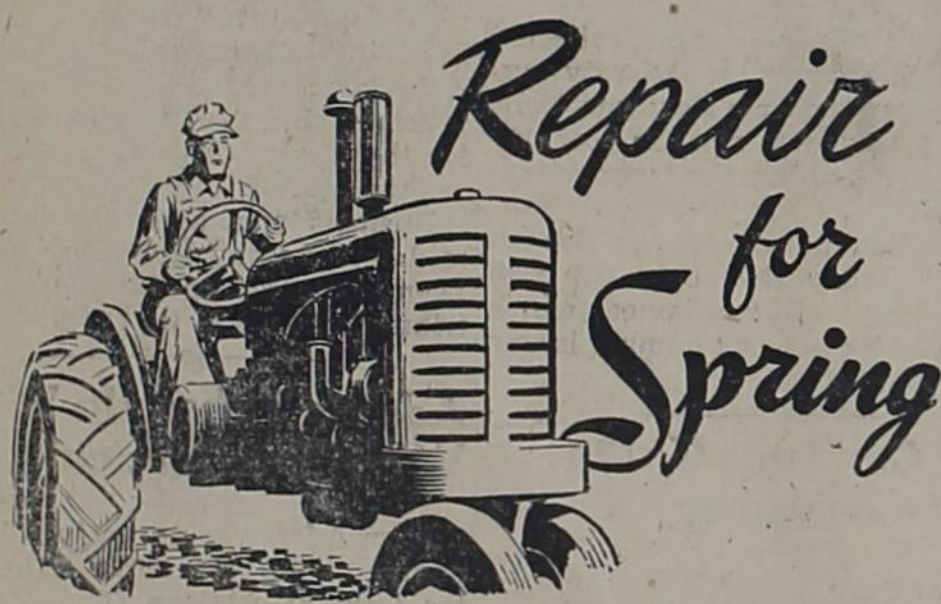
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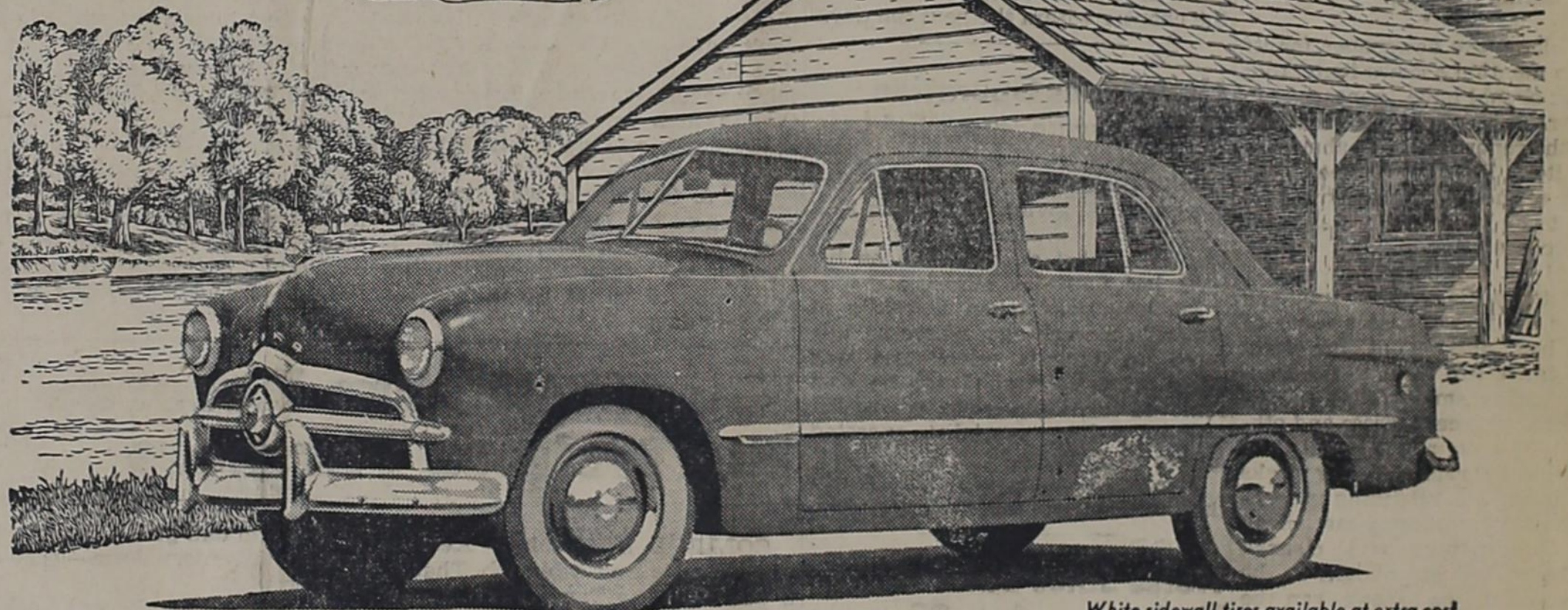
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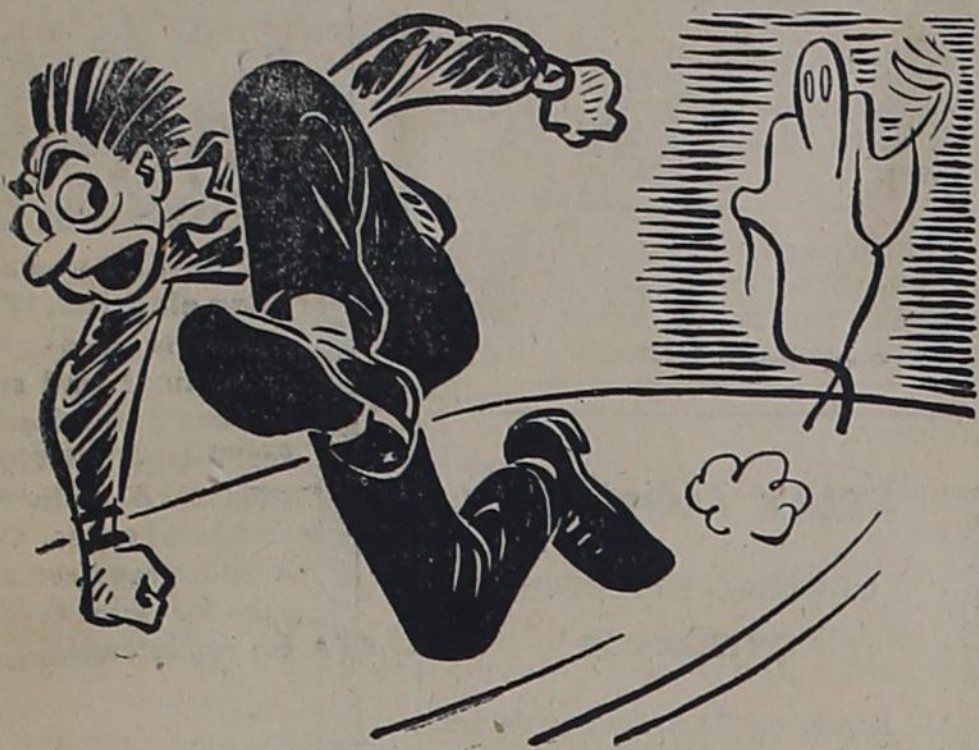
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Same Old Picture In Fertilizer For '49

COLLEGE STATION—Four words can describe the fertilizer picture for the coming year. And those four words are "tight supply" and "high prices."

So it looks like the same old picture of last year. Fertilizer will be hard to get in view of the big demand, and the cost of it when it can be had will at least run as high as last year. In a few cases, it may run slightly higher.

Larger amounts of nitrogen, phosphoric acid and potash will be available, says Dr. J. F. Fudge, state chemist of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. But he goes on to say that even though more fertilizers may be available, the demand this coming year is expected to be the greatest in all history. And this is especially true of the nitrogen fertilizers.

Fudge points out that the commercial manufacturers can produce and supply only a certain amount each month. So the manufacturer has to spread his production out over a twelve-month period. He puts out some this month, some next month, and some more the following month. Here Dr. Fudge wants to point out that if a factory doesn't put out any nitrogen fertilizer one month, it cannot manufacture two months' supply the next month. In other words, allocations will not carry over from one month to the next. Right now the fertilizer factories say that the fertilizer isn't moving out of their plants. They're all stocked up. It's for this very reason the fertilizer production is going pretty slow right now, Dr. Fudge says.

All this adds up to another fertilizer shortage again this spring unless the dealers and the farmers themselves do something to brighten the picture. Here's what they can do, he says. Everybody that plans to use fertilizer this spring should order part of his estimated needs right now.

If the farmers and dealers will start the ball rolling, the manufacturers will be able to move the fertilizer out of their factories. This, in turn, will make room at the factories, and, at the same time, will lower the chances of a sudden shortage in fertilizers later on in the spring. That's the fertilizer situation as it

stands now—a big demand for what is available and prices as high as those of last year. On the other hand, the expected high prices the farmers will get for their farm products will offset to some extent the cost of the fertilizers.

So, the main thing to do right now, advises Dr. Fudge, is to order part of your supplies now if the storage is available, and help loosen up the tight situation at the factories.

New Flavor For Kippered Beans

COLLEGE STATION—Ever eat kippered beans? Many Texas housewives use cured meats, such as ham, ham hocks or bacon, to give beans that smoky, spiced flavor.

But there's a special way of getting this new flavor into the beans. It takes a bit of doing, says Louise Mason, extension food preparations specialist of Texas A. & M. College, but you've really got something when you're through.

First, soak the dry beans for several hours, then cook them until they swell and get plump. But don't let them get soft. Then spread them out on screened trays over smoldering oak chips and tanbark for two hours. Here's a tip to remember: the more smoke there is, the better flavor you'll have in the beans.

After the beans have been soaked, cooked and smoked, the next thing to do is to mix the beans with a sauce made of canned chopped olives, tomato, onion, garlic, chopped pimento and salt. Then they're ready to be canned the regular way, or home-baked, depending on how you like beans.

A big advantage of kippered beans is that you get beans with a flavor something like smoked meat, as well as the rich flavor of the olive sauce, says Miss Mason.

TO ATTEND MEETING

LUBBOCK—Mrs. Vivian Johnson Adams, head of home economics education department at Texas Tech will attend a called meeting in Austin Jan. 20-22 of the supervisory committee for home economics education in Texas.

The meeting has been called by the State Board of Education to prepare for the general home eco-

nomics meeting to be held in Alpine in the spring. The prospects are bright for a large number of rural families to have electrical service for the first time during 1949.

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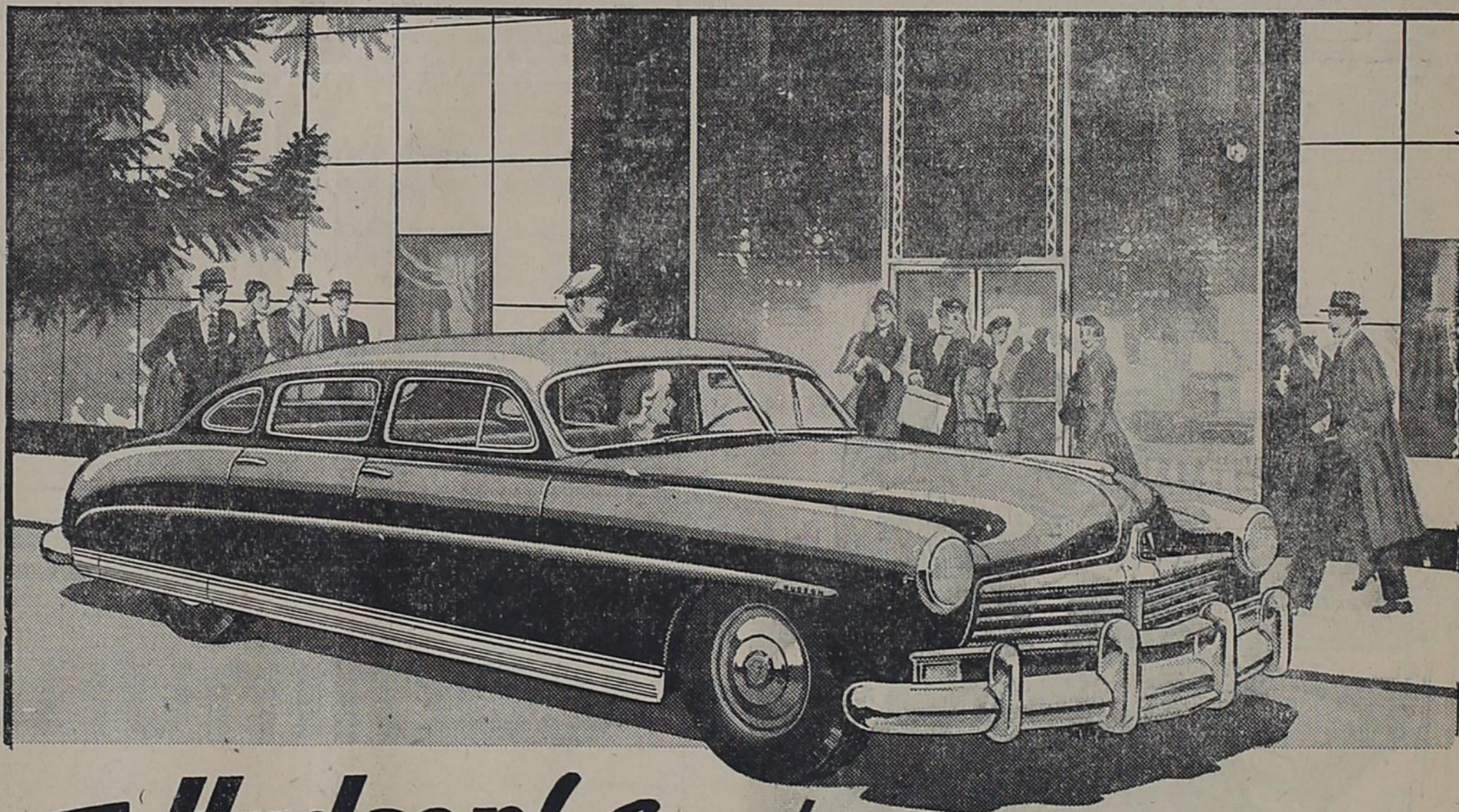
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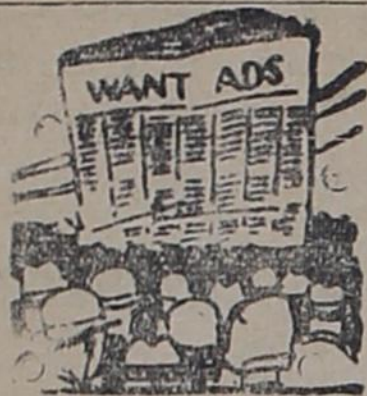
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FOR SALE—Farmall MD tractor, bought new last spring; also 4-row lister-planter, never been used. L. M. Hardage, 10 mi. N Muleshoe. 12-3tp

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FOR SALE—Montgomery Ward sewing machine, harrow for Ford tractor, and breaking plow for Ford tractor. All practically new and in excellent condition. Byron Gwyn, 1/2 mile north Progress school house. 13-6tp

FOR SALE—1 upright piano, \$200, 1 6-ft. electric refrigerator, Ward, \$75, or 1 6-ft. Westinghouse refrigerator, \$10; 1 Norge washing machine, used very little. See R. V. Ham, 4 blocks east Farwell school. 14-1tp

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New History Home Is Near Completion

AUSTIN—The new home of Texas history on the University of Texas campus, the Eugene C. Barker History center, is moving toward completion.

University librarian Alexander Moffit reports steady progress is being made on renovation of the Spanish-style history center which served as the University library until 1934. The center, named in honor of Dr. Eugene C. Barker, distinguished professor of American history and a University faculty member since 1908 was planned in the early 1930's and the old library building was designated to house it.

Renovation has already produced a new marble staircase, refinished woodwork, extra rooms through partitioning, and revisions in heating and lighting systems.

Upon completion of the work, the University's entire Texas collection, numbering over 40,000 books and millions of historical manuscripts and maps will be placed within the fireproof walls of the Texas history center, Moffit said.

Plans for the center include a microfilm projection room, individual studies for faculty members engaged in long-term research projects, private alcoves, and a research study.

Dr. Barker, who was largely responsible for acquisition of the first main body of Texas archival materials in the Texas collection, the Ex-ar Archives from San Antonio, will

have an office in the new center and his portrait will hang at the main entrance.

The Texas State Historical Association will also have offices there.

Alter New Truck Registry Method

AUSTIN—A change in the method of registering the weight of new trucks was announced today by the Texas Highway Department.

The department said that county tax collectors now will register new trucks and truck-tractors by their "maximum gross vehicle weight," which is stamped on a metal tag attached to the body of the vehicle.

The change resulted, the department said, from the new method employed by manufacturers in rating commercial vehicles as of January 1. Manufacturers now are stating the maximum gross weight at the time of manufacture, the highway department pointed out, instead of the old system under which the vehicle was rated half-ton to its carrying capacity.

The department said commercial vehicles produced before January 1 will be re-registered under the old system.

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Sandy bought two tickets to a raffle and won a \$1,500 car. His friends rushed up to his house to congratulate him, but found him looking miserable as could be.

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Local Happenings

Local Auxiliary Holds Regular Meeting

The Justice-Williams American Legion Auxiliary, Post 516, of Texico-Farwell held its regular meeting Monday night, January 17, at the local Legion hall.

The program subject was "Legislation and National Security".

Members were urged to pay poll taxes, and to contact their congressmen and legislators urging support of American Legion sponsored bills.

Mrs. Alene Thompson submitted her resignation as first vice president and Mrs. John Getz was named as her successor, Mrs. Mae Porter, president, announced, adding that she wished to "publicly express her thanks to Mrs. Thompson for her very efficient and faithful service".

The hostesses, Mrs. Margie Meeks and Mrs. Mary Lou Cason, served a delicious sandwich plate at the close of the meeting.

Local Girl Beauty Queen Candidate

PORTALES—Only one Beauty Queen, but 13 beautiful girls.

Students of Eastern New Mexico College left the decision to a national authority this week after campus organizations submitted candidates for the beauty contest, sponsored by the Silver Pack, ENMC year book.

The Beauty Queen and four "Yucca Bossoms" will be chosen by a judge of national recognition who will be selected by Helen Marsh, Clovis, and Jimmy Power, Marshall, Texas, year book editors, and the Board of Publications.

Among the candidates is Peggy Rogers, freshman, daughter of Supt. and Mrs. B. A. Rogers of Texico, who is sponsored by Kappa Delta Alpha.

Sorority Pledges Are Presented At Dance

PORTALES—Twelve pledges of Kappa Delta Alpha sorority of Eastern New Mexico College were presented Friday night at the sorority's annual Snowball dance.

The presentation ceremony was conducted from a snow scene, part of the winter motif used throughout the decorations.

The pledges include Ve Glenn, Portales; Betty Cagle, Hobbs; Donna Hardesty, Friona; Jean and Peggy Rogers, Texico; Neta Pierce, Clovis; Jo Ann Lackey, Morton; Genice Gennett, Hobbs; Jane Ann Marshall, Clovis; E. P. Dickenson, Melrose; Vivian Wells, Lewisville, Ind.; and Pat Ewert, Daytona Beach, Fla.

Schoolmasters Club Will Meet, Jan. 20

The Curry County Schoolmasters Club will hold its regular monthly meeting at Ranchvale, on Thursday night, January 20th, Supt. B. A. Rogers said at Texico on Monday.

Rogers added that special business at this time would include drawing brackets and laying plans for the annual county basketball tournament, slated to be held in Clovis on February 11-12.

Expecting to attend the Ranchvale meeting are Supt. Rogers, C. E. Sanders, F. D. Stout and John Adams.

Texico PTA Meets In Called Session

Announcement was made today of a called session of the Texico Parent-Teachers Association to be held in the home economics department of the school Thursday afternoon, Jan. 20. The meeting has been called for 2 o'clock and all members of the organization are requested to be present.

McMurry Chanters Will Visit Bovina

The McMurry College Chanters will present a concert of secular and sacred numbers in the Bovina high school, Wednesday, January 26th, at 2 p. m. The Chanters is a mixed choral group of 30 voices and two accompanists.

Gypsy Ted Sullivan Wylie has been director of the choral group since 1923 when McMurry college first opened its doors to students. Mrs. Wylie is widely known to West Texans for her work as a choral director and voice teacher.

The Chanters is a very active organization at McMurry. Membership is open to all students who like to sing. The organization has given hundreds of concerts in the high schools, churches and auditoriums of the Southwest.

The Chanters, who will travel by chartered bus, will make a nine day tour of Oklahoma, New Mexico and Texas towns. Every year the McMurry Chanters make one or two concert tours. The first tour was made in 1929.

Quarterly Conference At Oklahoma Lane

Rev. A. D. Moore, pastor of the Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church, today announced the meeting of the quarterly conference to be held on Sunday, January 23. The district superintendent will be present to preside over the conference.

Following the regular morning worship services to be conducted by the district superintendent, dinner will be spread at the church, after which the conference will be held. Rev. Moore expressed the hope that all members of the church would be in attendance, and the public is invited.

Birthday Party Honors Jimmie Hardage

A birthday party honoring Jimmie Hardage, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hardage, on his 7th birthday, was held in the first grade classroom at the Farwell school, Monday afternoon, from 2:30 until 4 o'clock.

Mrs. W. Hardage, and Mrs. Harry Whitley acted as hostess, entertaining the entire first grade class.

Delicious refreshments of decorated birthday cake and pop were served, and favors were presented to each child. After which a number of games were enjoyed by the entire group.

Golden Circle To Meet In Lockhart Home

The Golden Circle Sunday School class will hold its regular meeting in the home of Mrs. John Lockhart, on Friday, January 21st, from 2 to 4.

All members are urged to attend. The meeting was postponed last week due to bad weather.

Visit Here Sunday

Mrs. Lloyd Sanderson and children, J. A. and Nancy Lou, visited briefly in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Smart, Sunday afternoon. They were enroute to their home in Fortales, after visiting relatives in Hereford.

Study Course Held

A study course is being held at the Texico-Farwell Baptist Church this week on the Book of John. Rev. O. O. Holladay is in charge of the course and the public is invited to attend. Meetings are held nightly at 7:30.

Tribune job printing is best.

Music to Men's Ears



Pure silks were the featured fabrics when Dr. Frank Black, Nick Kenny, Milton Berle and Arthur Schwartz "Male-Tested" Fashions for Cosmopolitan magazine. The jurors agreed that "silk can whisper, rustle, or sing," and then voted this Stafford's foulard with white polka dots on green, slate or navy as a fashion prima donna of the month. It has a high neckline and front peplum and is shown in the magazine's January issue.

Visit With Mother

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Temple were here from Albuquerque over the weekend, visiting in the home of his mother, Mrs. J. C. Temple, who has been confined to her bed for ten days. Elmer returned to Albuquerque on Sunday, but Mrs. Temple remained to spend several days here and with her mother in Portales.

Daughter Is Born

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Banks announce the arrival of their daughter, Billy Jill, on Saturday, January 15th. The young lady weighed in at 6 pounds, 6 ounces.

Jimmie Leftwich, of Las Vegas, was here the past Wednesday, visiting old friends and attending business matters.

Mrs. Anne Overstreet and J. D. Hamlin plan to leave today (Wednesday) for Mineral Wells, where they will spend several weeks.

California Visitors Here

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hulsey and family, of Los Angeles, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sterlyn Billington, last week. Mrs. Hulsey is a sister of Billington.

Are Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Potter and son, Barry James, of Muleshoe, were dinner guests in the home of Mrs. Potter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Newton, the past Sunday.

Here From Quitaque

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Jacks, from Quitaque, Texas, visited over the weekend in the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stone.

Mrs. Bill Rutherford and son and Mrs. Dee Bilbrey and son, all of Tatum, visited the past weekend in the home of their mother, Mrs. T. E. Lovelace.

Billy Morrison of Houston, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Ethel Morrison, who is employed at Jim's Cafe.

Mrs. Jack Smith, Mickey Smith and son, Larry, all of Hale Center, were visitors in the J. C. Moore home over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stone have gone to Carnegie, Okla., where they expect to spend two months with their daughter.

Ray Osborne spent the past weekend in the home of his parents, in Amarillo.

Miss Alyce McNew, of Clovis spent Friday night in the home of Miss Hazel Dishman, in Farwell.

Sonny Graham, student at ENMC Portales, spent the weekend in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Graham.

CONDITION IMPROVED

Marvin Hambrick, local resident who has been under medical care in Shreveport, La., the past several months, underwent his second major operation within the past six weeks on Friday, in a Shreveport hospital. Mrs. Hambrick, assistant postmaster in Farwell, who has been at his bedside for several days, reported the first of the week that his condition seemed some improved. Mrs. Marie Ham is working in the absence of Mrs. Hambrick.

VISIT SICK FATHER

Victor Billington, of Lubbock, in company with Morgan and Sterlyn Billington of this city, went to Tucumcari the past Friday, to visit their father, S. G. Billington. The elder man has been ill for the past several weeks, but is reported to be showing some improvement.

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CARD OF THANKS

I take this means of expressing my sincere thanks and appreciation to all my friends that were so kind and thoughtful during my recent illness.

To all those who donated blood for transfusions, and for all the lovely flowers received. Also to the doctors and nurses that were so faithful. May God richly bless each of you.

Floyd Milstead

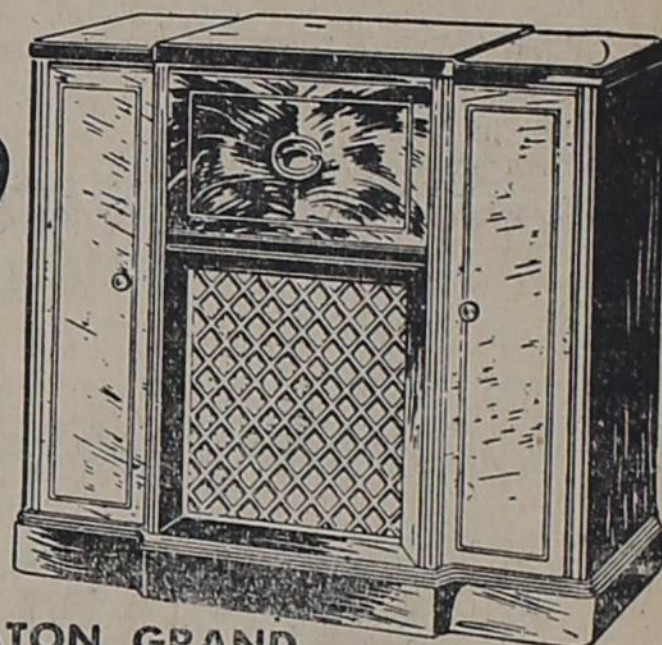
Miss Mildred Moore, who had been visiting in Houston for the past three weeks, returned to her home in Texico on Tuesday.

Mrs. Victor Billington and daughters, of Lubbock, spent the past Friday night and Saturday in the Sterlyn Billington home.

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TREND Rich sudsing, 2 boxes for.....	35c
SHORTENING Mrs. Tucker's, 3-lb. carton.....	83c
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE White Swan, No. 2, 3 cans for.....	25c
MILK Pet or Carnation, per can.....	15c
APRICOTS Texo, gallon can only.....	69c
HOMINY Brimfull, No. 2 can.....	10c

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BATISTE —White, 45-in., yd.	39c
RAYON PANTIES —Colored, 4 for	\$1.00
DENIM —Rayon and cotton, 36-in., yd.	49c
PLAIDS —Part wool, 39-in., yd.	98c
HALF SLIPS —Ladies, tearose, black	\$1.39
GARTER BELTS —Asstd. sizes	69c
HAND TOWELS —White, 4 for	\$1.00
WASH BASINS —White enamel	49c
DIPPERS —White	29c
PIQUE —White, yd.	59c
DISH PANS —Grey enamel	59c
DINNER SET —32-pc. 22K gold band	\$10.69
PIE TINS —9 inch, each	15c
DOUBLE BOILERS —White enamel	\$1.29

Stone's Variety Store

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Bovina Happenings

Jessie McSpadden

Lady Roberta Bryant, of Amarillo, is visiting with her Granny Gaines and aunt, Mrs. Troy Armstrong and family.

Mrs. Alma Vassey left Saturday for Vernon, Texas, where she will visit her brother and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wilson, Nancy and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones and Randy visited in Amarillo, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kyle spent the weekend in Spur, Texas.

Mrs. Lucy Wilson is visiting in Amarillo with her daughter, Mrs. Jno. Byler, Jr., and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Denney and James, Mrs. Jack Woltman, Mrs. Vernon Ward and Billie went to Amarillo, Friday. James Denney is under the care of a baby specialist

in Amarillo, and is a patient in the Northwest Texas hospital.

Miss Helen Hannon, of Pueblo, Colorado, arrived in Bovina, Friday night. She will be employed by the Bovina High School as instructor in home economics.

Important School Dates Announced At Tech

LUBBOCK—Catalog changes at Texas Technological college announced recently by Dr. E. N. Jones, vice president, have moved the date for graduation and close of school one week earlier, and changed the opening date for summer school from June 8 to June 6.

New dates for baccalaureate and commencement are May 29 and 30 respectively. The change will "make commencement exercises a climax to the school year, with the student body, faculty and band on hand at no inconvenience to anyone," Dr. Jones explained. School will be closed June 1.

Examinations for graduating seniors are to be held one week before exam week, which will require candidates for graduation to be in exam-

inations during "dead week".

The new schedule will permit an earlier opening of summer school, permitting an early closing which will enable public school teachers attending the second college summer session to be back for the opening of public school. Dates for summer school are: Open Monday, June 6, for registration for the first term, which closes July 16. Second term begins July 18 and closes Aug. 26. A commencement exercise for summer students will be Aug. 26. Summer school graduation is being resumed after several years lapse, Dr. Jones said.

Workers Urged To Use Soc. Security Cards

"Bought and paid for but not received."

Those words are the words used by John R. Sanderson, manager of the Amarillo office of the Social Security Administration, to describe what happens when a worker fails to show his social security card to each new employer.

"When the end of a calendar quarter rolls around, Mr. Sanderson continued, "the company has to make its report of social security numbers, names, wages, and taxes. If you have shown your social security card to your boss, your name and number will be shown correctly, and you will have that much more to your credit in your old-age and survivors insurance account."

Social security claims are based on what the records show. Wages that are not credited can't be used in determining whether a worker is insured. And wages that weren't credited won't fatten the monthly benefit checks.

"Since employees reap the benefits of social security, while your employer gets nothing but the job of keeping the records, paying the tax and making the reports," Mr. Sanderson concluded, "I urge you to show your card to him the first day you report on a new job. By doing this, you not only help him, but you will protect your own social security account."

VETERAN'S NEWS

Veteran-students who acquire dependents or additional dependents while training under the GI Bill should notify Veterans Administration as soon as possible, so that VA can determine whether they are eligible for increased subsistence payments.

Notice of change in dependency status should be sent to the VA regional office in which the veteran's records are kept. The notice should be accompanied by legal evidence of dependents such as a certified copy of public record of birth, baptism or marriage.

Subsistence payments will be increased as of the date legal evidence is received by VA, and will not be made retroactive to the date the veteran actually acquired the dependent.

Monthly subsistence allowances for veterans studying full-time in school are \$75 for those without dependents, \$105 for those with one dependent, and \$120 for those with more than one dependent.

Subsistence allowances paid by Veterans Administration to veterans in educational or on-the-job training are not considered as income for income-tax purposes, VA reports.

Any income that the veterans may earn on part-time jobs while attending educational institutions full-time, or earn while on-the-job training, is subject to taxation under existing tax laws.

Any veteran whose eligibility for GI Bill education runs out after he completes at least half of a school semester which is normal in cost may complete the remainder of the semester at government expense, VA says.

WILL REPRESENT TECH

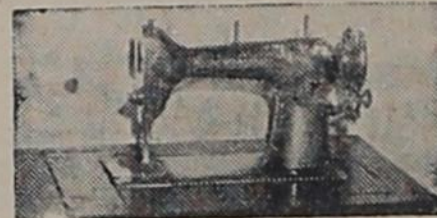
LUBBOCK—Dr. E. N. Jones, vice president of Texas Technological college, will represent Texas Tech at the national meeting of Sigma Xi in Cleveland, November 27.

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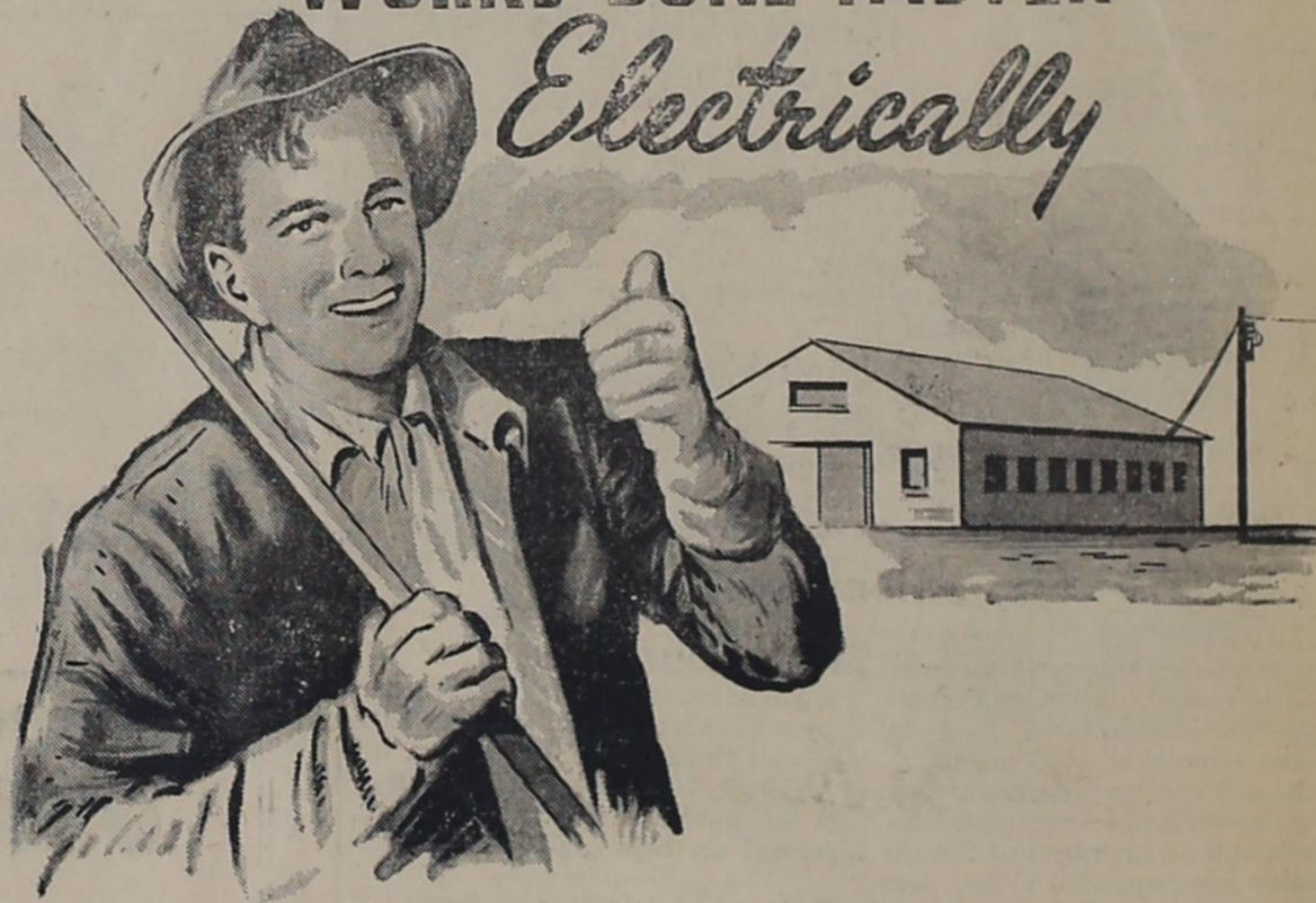
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COLLEGE STATION, By this time everybody has made, and broken, this New Year's resolutions.

But Louis Mason, extension food preparation specialist of Texas A. & M. College, says it's never too late for the homemaker to make resolutions which will help solve the problem of serving nutritious, appetizing, and economical meals to her family and at the same time share America's large food supply with the world.

This two-fold problem means a little more thinking and planning on the part of the housewife than ever before, says Miss Mason. So here are a series of resolutions which may help.

Prevent a waste of food in the home, and use the Texas Food Standard as a guide in planning family meals. By wisely in order to get the quality and quantity to meet the family's needs. Another suggestion Miss Mason offers is to buy the more plentiful foods, as they are generally cheaper. Proper storage at home prevents spoilage and waste of foods after they leave the grocery shelves.

In order to get the most out of the food, the minerals, proteins, and vitamins, prepare the food carefully. This also helps to prevent shrinkage, spoilage and waste. If there are any leftovers from a meal, use them skillfully in the next meal. And one other resolution to make is to always serve attractively. They'll taste better.

The family that makes and keeps these resolutions can feel that it has made a real contribution to world peace, says Miss Mason, as well as to better family living.

It Takes Green Feed To Give Cattle Appetites

COLLEGE STATION, There is a saying that history repeats itself. And that's just what it will do this year unless Texas stockmen do something.

About a year ago, a number of West Texas cattle feeders had trouble. Their cattle lost their appetites and didn't gain as well as they should have. The blame went to the late summer drouth of the year before, says Dr. W. C. Banks, extension veterinarian of Texas A. & M. College.

Texas has a good share of dry summer ranges this past year, so history may repeat itself again this year unless Texas stockmen keep a good eye on their cattle. Cattle are facing a tough winter. They have spent a lot of time on drouthy ranges, and now there is little green feed in winter pastures. It takes high quality green feed and lot of it to keep the cattle in shape. Good quality alfalfa hay is one of the best sources of vitamin A there is, says Dr. Banks. Two to four pounds per day supply enough vitamin A to keep the cattle in good shape.

Cattle that don't get plenty of green hay will soon become night blind. After that, if they still don't get their vitamin A, they will have convulsions and later become totally blind.

Here's a recent report from Paul T. Marion, assistant animal husbandman of the Spur Experiment Station. On the night of December 22, one Hereford steer in a pen of five was found to be completely night blind. Two others had affected night vision. These steers had not had any vitamin A in their ration in 44 days.

They came from grass pastures that had dried out back in August and September. They just didn't have any green feed to furnish them vitamin A.

Other steers just like these—on the same pastures—have been fed the same ration plus alfalfa hay and silage. All this group had normal night vision.

If nothing is done to correct the vitamin A deficient ration, all the steers in this group will become night blind. They will soon lose their appetites, some may fall to the ground and have convulsions. Later they may become totally day blind.

Last year, reports Marion, steers from these same pastures showed more severe symptoms of vitamin A deficiency after 84 days on the ration that didn't have green feed. Before the end of the experiment it was necessary to feed vitamin A to them, so they would recover their appetites and be able to finish the experiment.

Now is the time to see that your cattle get plenty of high quality alfalfa hay or silage, says Dr. Banks.

This will keep them off the sick list later on.

it's About Time To Look Into 1949 Cotton Problems

COLLEGE STATION.—Now, it's about time for Texas cotton growers to decide how their cropping pattern will shape up for 1949.

For many cotton men, the 1949 season is already set. Others, however, are asking the question, "What should I do with cotton in 1949?", says C. H. Bates, extension farm management specialist of Texas A. & M. College.

Texas cotton farmers have taken to the 7-Step Cotton Program in a big way—and have come out on top program, says Bates. Many growers in many ways by following the improved practices set up in this cotton have built up their profits through

more efficient production, ginning and marketing that is encouraged in the educational efforts of all agencies.

Back to this question many Texas cotton farmers are asking—"What should I do with cotton in 1949?" That is a matter for the farmer himself to decide, says Bates. But a few guiding facts may help to reach a decision. Here are some points to keep in mind:

1) The carry-over stocks of cotton next August are expected to be about three million bales greater than on last August 1.

2) The total cotton used in this country is expected to drop a little during the coming months. However, the foreign shipments are to increase under the European Aid Program.

3) Price prospects through the government loans are a little more favorable than for feed grain crops due to storage difficulties with grains.

4) Finally, the prospective demand for livestock and livestock products is relatively stronger than for crops. Bates concludes that this year should be one of fair opportunity for cotton growers if good production and marketing practices are followed. It looks as if cotton "has the edge" on cash grains if it's a toss-up between these two crops.

Certainly where livestock production is handled along with cotton, the output of meat, milk and eggs should not be decreased next year. It's good, common sense, says Bates, to keep up the production schedule on the basis of long-run profits.

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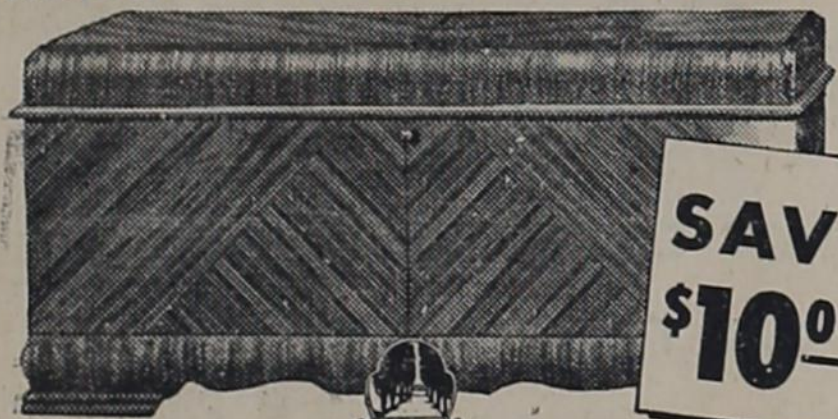
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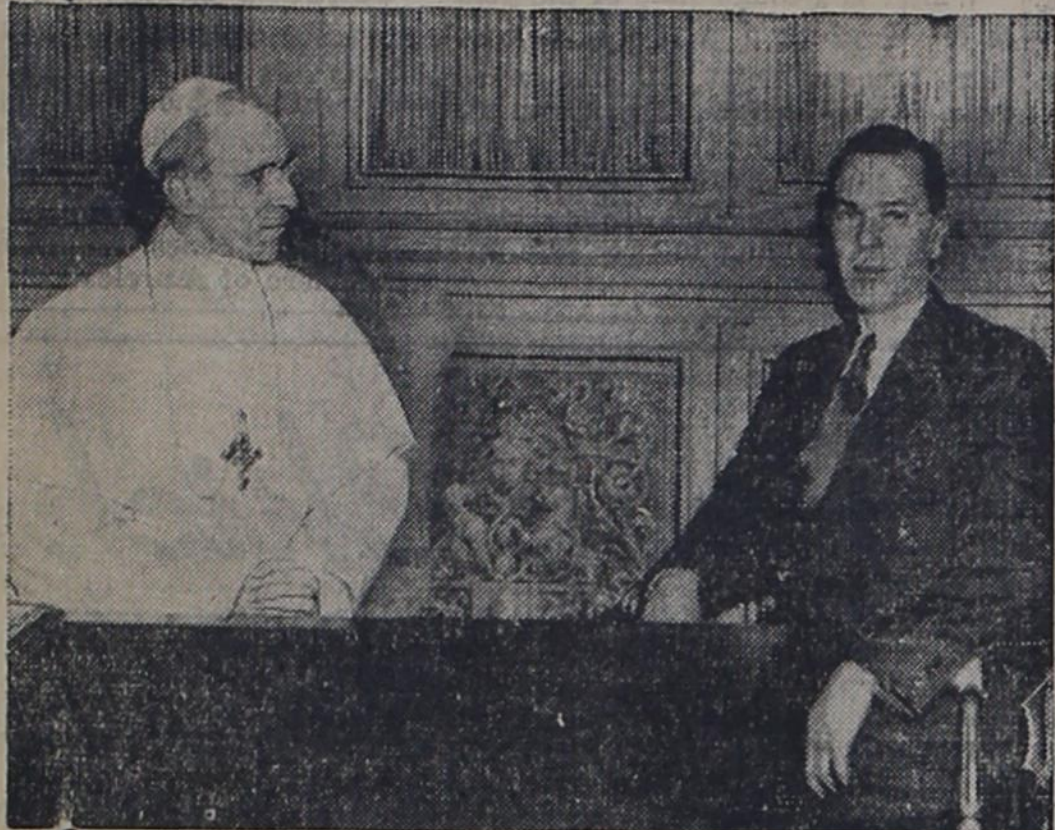
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PONTIFF RECEIVES U. S. UNDERSECRETARY . . . Pope Pius is shown conversing in the Vatican with George Allen, U. S. undersecretary of state, during the latter's visit to Rome while en route to a conference of the United Nations Economic, Cultural and Social organization. The pontiff gave Allen a private audience in order to discuss matters pertinent to UNESCO.

William-Holt Bill Is Presented Legislature

SAN ANGELO—A program calling for permissive legislation for counties to benefit under the recently voted constitutional amendment diverting the state to ad valorem taxes to the counties, has been approved here by the legislative enactment committee of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

The meeting was held under the chairmanship of W. R. Cusenbary of Sonora, for the purpose of studying the bill which will be offered in the present session of the legislature by Sterling Williams of Snyder and I. E. Holt of Olton to be known as the Williams-Holt bill.

"This is a most constructive program and will greatly improve and augment the economy of West Texas for the next 50 years," said John D. Mitchell, Odessa, WTCC president, who attended the committee meeting with General Manager D. A. Bandeen and Joe C. James, research director, from the Abilene office.

Municipalities also may benefit from the proposed bill, which provides the manner in which the farm-to-market and lateral road program and flood control may be carried out.

At this meeting Judge Roger Garrett of Jones County, secretary of the West Texas County Judges Assn., gave assurance that the organization will conduct a campaign among all West Texas county officials in behalf of the measure's passage. Judge L. M. West of Channing, who is president of the association, could not be present, but previously had lent his support to the proposal. Other county officials in the South and East Texas areas also will be contacted for their support. Mayor Robert R. Herring of Breckenridge said a similar campaign will be urged on the part of city officials in Texas in support of the proposed act.

President Mitchell previously had announced that WTCC staff men would work directly through local directors in the West Texas area in support of the measure.

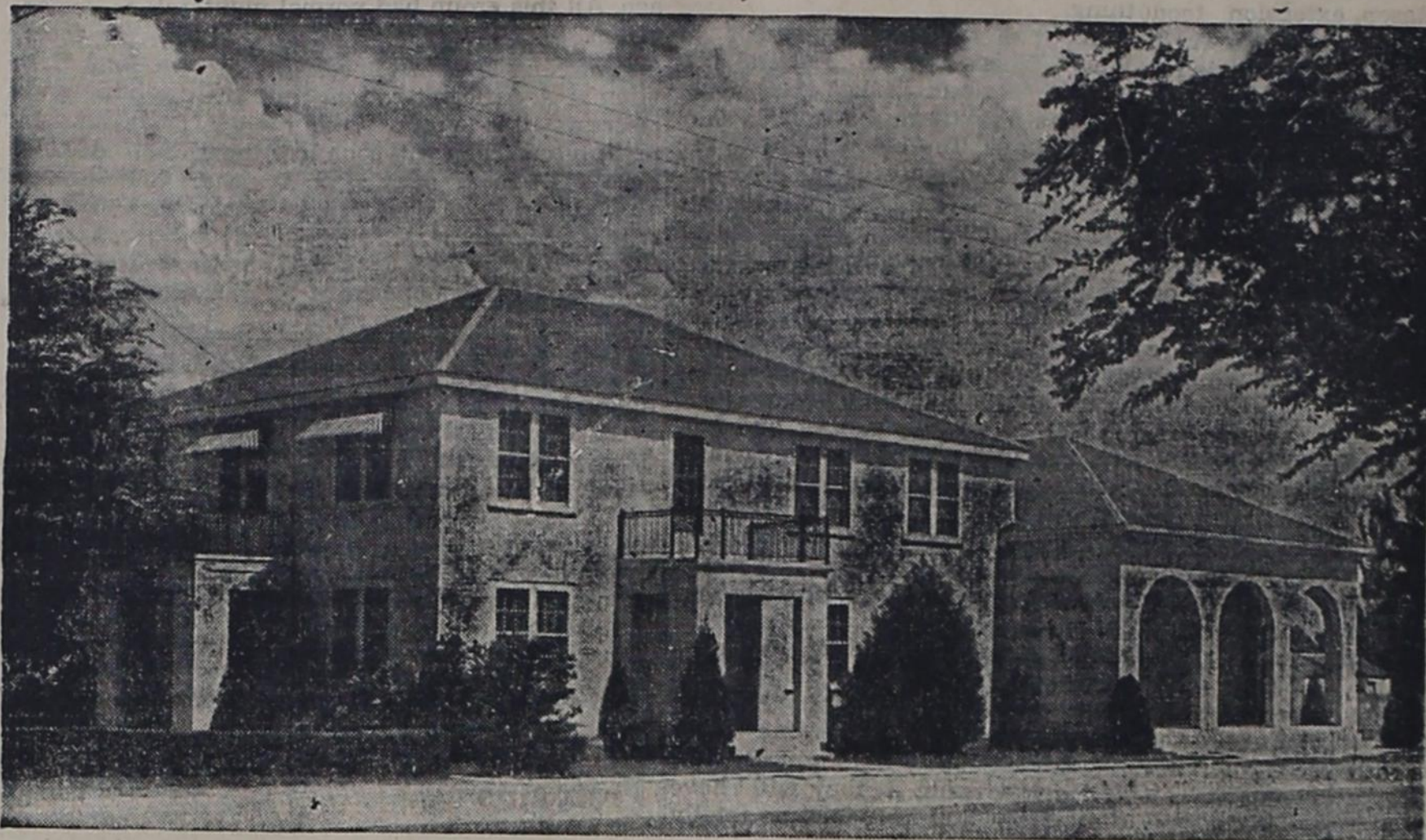
Paul Counts, Fort Stockton Chamber of Commerce manager, is secretary of the WTCC legislative enactment committee. J. Walter Hammond, Tye farmer and a member of the committee, could not be present at this meeting.

The legislative enactment group is a committee of the WTCC Soil Conservation Commission, of which Charles C. Thompson of Colorado City is chairman. The Thompson committee last year made its study of the program for the diversion of these funds for local purposes, under which study it was found that with the proper funding plan it would be possible for at least 90 municipalities to provide water systems with money that is not now available, according to Bandeen. This, of course, would represent only a third of the revenue, while the remainder would develop more soil conservation and more farm-to-market and lateral roads within the counties than here-to-fore has been possible.

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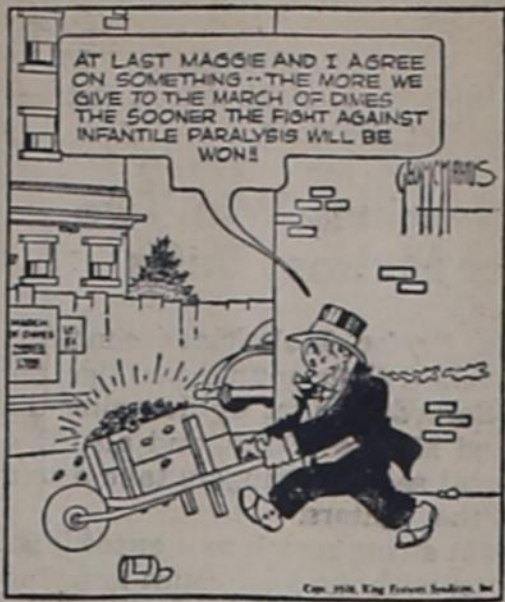
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 The proposed new buildings include a general hospital and private pavilion to be erected by the Sealy and Smith Foundation; additional hospital facilities to include a 32-bed Henry and Rose Ziegler tuberculosis hospital from the Ziegler bequest. New teaching laboratories, and improvements in the physical plant facilities are also proposed to be financed under the recently-approved constitutional amendment.

1949 Chevrolet Goes On Display, Saturday

A product of three years' development and more than a million miles of engineering research, the 1949 Chevrolet goes on display in the Max Meadors showrooms in Clovis, Saturday, January 22.

The latest model has been completely restyled. It is lower, wider, and more distinctive than any previous series. Not only does the design introduce superior beauty to the lowest-priced ranks, but numerous body and chassis improvements promise to add to Chevrolet's reputation for comfort, safety and convenience.

Two series of cars the Fleetline and Styline, are included with DeLuxe treatment an option in most body types. Deluxe cars lay increased emphasis on the styling of fabrics, trim and appointments.

In both styling and performance, the 1949 series continues the "big car" aspects that have always been traditional with Chevrolet. The design is fresh and substantial-looking without approaching the extreme. Greater comfort is reported demonstrable by "ruler and by ride". The rugged six-cylinder, valve-in-head engine remains fundamentally the same, but refinements will increase appreciably the car's handling ease and owner satisfaction.

"In the engineering of our most important model in several years, we considered first the qualities that have consistently given Chevrolet the leadership in the industry," said a company statement. "We did not make changes simply for the sake of change. Every innovation throughout the chassis and body was exhaustively tested and proved. We exercised great care to assure ourselves that each departure met Chevrolet standards."

The first impression of the new

ars is one of smart styling, structural strength and generous dimensions. The entire passenger compartment has been moved forward, lengthened, broadened and lowered, affording a pleasing balance in proportions. Rearwardly the front fenders have been absorbed into the body, their vertical planes built flush with the doors. Crowns of the fenders have also been raised to fit more snugly into the hood and low, clean ensemble of the grille. To add grace and protect body surfaces, a partial rear fender has been retained.

From the passenger's standpoint, perhaps the chief improvement in bodies is the immense increase in glass area. All windows have been deepened and widened. The windshield takes full advantage of broader bodies, curving inward at the narrowed pillars to improve sideway as well as forward vision. On comparable models the gain in visibility over 1948 has been as much as 30%.

Besides its influence on over-all balance in design, repositioning of the passenger compartment claims still other benefits. Rear seat passengers are now cradled in the comfort zone between the front and rear axles. Lowering of the compartment has reduced the center of gravity of the car, resulting in greater stability on curves and at higher speeds. Further, the lowered floor and wider doors permit easier entrance and exit by the passenger.

Another important factor in better roadability is the adoption at the front and rear of direct double-acting shock absorbers, a type that proved itself in wartime service. Front suspension, which continues to feature the coil spring "knce-action" Chevrolet pioneered 15 years ago, has been made sturdier.

While all of the details of the 1949 Chevrolet cannot be covered in a limited description, worthy of mention are larger trunk equipped with

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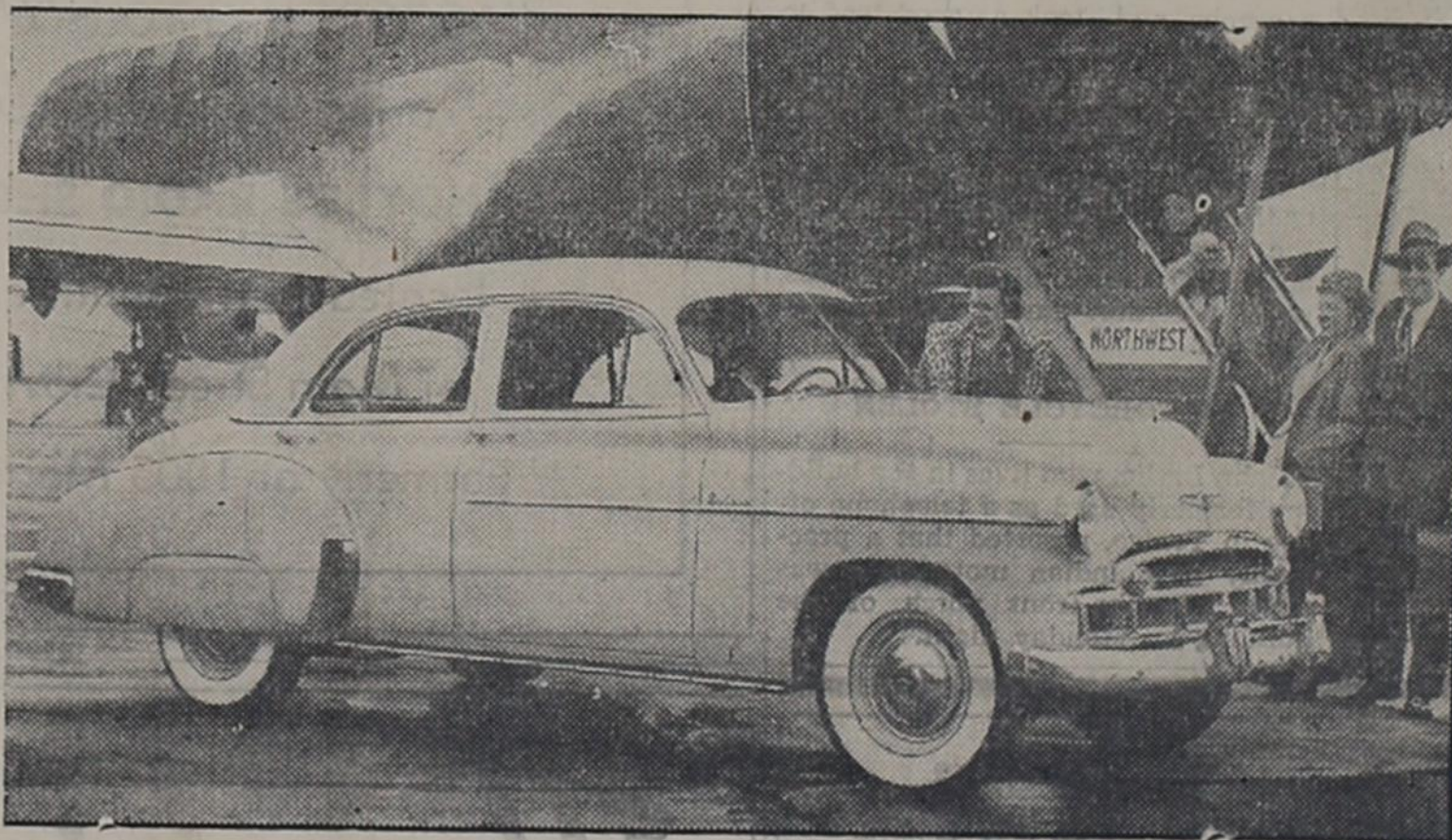
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- SPORTS -

Farwell Wins Tough Victory Over Bovina Tuesday Night

The Farwell Steers proved their superiority in a tough fight with the Bovina Mustangs Tuesday night, in one of the best games of the season. The Mustangs lead the locals a merry chase in the first half of play, with the score standing Bovina 22, Farwell 16 as the half ended.

The Steers came to life in the third quarter which ended with a tied score. Thomas pushed out ahead in the final quarter, bringing the Steers out ahead with a 40-36 victory over Bovina as the final whistle blew.

Thomas lead the locals, bagging 18 for his total, with Tidenberg and Ellison making 13 each for the Mustangs.

The locals girls also did some stiff playing in their match with the Bovinaites, but were able to hold their own, with the score being tied, up to the last five minutes of play. Grissom then blazed the trail and put one in the sack that brought Farwell out in lead with a 31-28 score.

Grissom walked off with scoring honors for the locals with 17, and Ellison made 13 of Bovina's total.

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Ranchvale Comes 22nd, To Eunice Saturday

Coach C. E. Sanders, of the Texico school, said today that the Wolverines have two games slated for the weekend, palying Ranchvale here on Friday night, and going to Eunice on Saturday night for one match.

Friday night play will see both the local boys and girls in action against Ranchvale, with only the A string boys going to Eunice, he added.

The Ranchvale games, Sanders opined, are expected to be two of the outstanding games of the season to be played at home, adding "we always have a real tussle with that squad".

He continued that the Wolverines had been in possession of the county match-play trophy, a cowbell, and that the Ranchvale game would determine whether or not they will be allowed to keep it, saying "it's a must to win that Friday night game".

Curry Tournament To Be Held Feb. 11-12

The annual meeting of cage teams from over Curry county to decide who will wear the county crown will be held in Clovis on February 11-12, it is announced this week.

Brackets for the tournament are expected to be drawn on Thursday night of this week, when school men from over the county will meet at Ranchvale.

Asked about the district meet, Supt. B. A. Rogers said that the tournament is slated for the last weekend in February, 24-25-26, but the place has not yet been decided. Last year, the games were run off in the large Eastern New Mexico College gym at Portales, and due to the seating capacity for fans, it is thought likely that the tournament may be repeated in Portales.

Farwell Teams Play In Abernathy Meet

Teams representing the Farwell school took part in an invitation cage meet at Abernathy, over the weekend, with the local girls making the better showing of the two.

First facing Slaton, the locals bounced out ahead with a 34-23 victory, as Christian hit the bucket for 12 and Dial followed with a count of 11. Next, Farwell faced New Deal losing by ten points, in which Dial ran up high with 15. Final tally was 34-44.

The schedule was so arranged that the girls played a third match for third place rating, and defeated a strong Whitharrel team, 19-18, in an exceptionally close game. Grissom paced the local basketweavers with 10.

The Steers faced the squad from New Deal in their first tourney appearance, and took a good lead to win, 23-34, but in the next match they were dumped by a fast-moving quint from Shallowater, the final score being 29-22.

New Deal won the girls' division of the meet, with Shallowater taking the boys' crown. Warlick Thomas and Betty Foster, of the local clubs, rated position among the tourney all-stars.

MOTORCYCLE STOLEN

John Leslie, who lives in the building formerly used as a telephone office in Texico, reported that a practically new Indian motorcycle was stolen from the front porch of the building on Monday night.

Girls Win Over Vega, Boys Are Defeated

Playing two over-time periods to decide the winner, the Farwell girls finally edged out ahead of Vega, 44-42, last Thursday night, while the local boys, not so fortunate, bowed to their hosts 40-35.

Coach Jack Williams reported that his girls got off to a very slow start, and trailed 13-1 at the end of the first period. Half-time showed Vega still in the lead 20-16. At the end of four periods, the count was tied at 36-36, and the first extra round ended with the score still knotted at 38-38. In the last play-off, the locals managed to get one extra fielder. Randol was high point player for Farwell, with 13, while Newbill had 17 and Lloyd 18 for the losers.

Taking the floor for the second game, the Steers were dumped by a favored Vega squad by 15 points, this being the second defeat Vega had handed them during the year. McNabb and Richardson were prominent among the Vega scorers, Coach Louis Purvis reported.

Junior Games Played

Two junior cage games were held recently, with both wins going to the Farwell teams. Coach Jobs reported that the boys defeated Texico, 22-11, while the girls dumped Bovina 21-5. Spurlin led Farwell with 6 as Ray got 5 for Bovina.

On Monday of this week both junior squads played at Bovina, with the girls taking a tight 12-13 win while the boys were ahead 22-23 at the end of play for two more victories. M. Foster paced the girls and Norton led the boys in scoring.

Friona Teams To Come Here on Friday Night

Customary rivalry between the red-and-white and blue-and-white will be revived here on Friday night, when the Farwell teams act as hosts to the Friona squads.

According to the dopesters, the boys' game will likely be the more evenly matched of the two contests, with the Steers given a slight edge over their opponents. On the other hand, although they have shown improvement, the local girls continue to be rated below the Squaws.

Coaches at the school said it was likely that games will be played with Lazbuddy in the Oklahoma Lane gymnasium next Tuesday night, January 25th, to make up the contests

called off on Tuesday night of last week, but nothing definite was announced.

Game time Friday night will be 7:30, with regular admission charges assessed at the door.

Wolverines Win Two Over Melrose Buffs

The Texico Wolverines considerably raised their county prestige the past Saturday night by dumping the favored Melrose Buffs, and also saw the local second-stringers take a win from the visitors.

The A string match was exceedingly close, with the final count favoring the Wolverines, 24-22, after the lead had see-sawed from one quintet to the other.

Blain paced the Wolverines to the win by bagging six points, while Saxton doubled that number to lead the Buffs with 12.

In the first game, played between the two second strings, Texico also took a very close win, 17-16, after a hard game. Gant, Doolittle and Hale had six each for Texico, while Polston took seven for the losers.

More Tourists Visit Canyon Museum

CANYON—More tourists thronged through the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum during 1948 than in any previous year, announced Boone McClure, assistant curator. The 50,627 visitors last year brought the total of persons registering at the museum since its opening to 539,704.

Texans led the parade with a total of 44,522 persons. Oklahoma was second with 1,132 and New Mexico had 817. Other states represented with more than 100 visitors show California, 478; Kansas, 346; Illinois, 315; Missouri, 307; Colorado, 192; Arkansas, 184; Nebraska, 146; Iowa, 140; Ohio, 127; Indiana, 124; Louisiana, 120; and Michigan, 102.

August was the best month for visitors with 6,092. May tourists registered to the tune of 5,831; April had 5,517 and July saw 5,274 visitors. Other monthly totals are: March, 4,628; October, 4,466; June, 4,365; September, 4,250; February, 4,183; November, 2,774; December, 2,195 and January 2,052.

Attendance at the museum has grown from 22,767 during 1933 after it opened in April, to the present total of more than 50,000.

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Registration Dates Given For WTSC

CANYON—Registration for the spring semester at West Texas State College will be held February 1, announced Frank H. Morgan, registrar. Freshmen and transfers will register from 8 a. m. to 4 p. m. in Burton Gymnasium. Classes begin February 4.

Students who are attending WT for the first time must have transcripts of their high school or college work mailed to the registrar's office prior to registration, he emphasized. Dormitory rooms may be reserved by sending a \$10 deposit fee to the Dean of Men or Dean of Women.

War veterans who expect to attend college under the GI Bill must write Ted Reid, veterans coordinator, in order to establish eligibility.

The first month of the year is a good time to begin keeping a farm record account of all expenses. Such an account speeds up the process of figuring out the income tax.

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