

The Primary Election Saturday Is Very Important -- Make Sure You Vote

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Politics Warm Up As First Democratic Primary Election Draws Near

Political campaigners are burning a lot of their midnight oil this week as they prepared for Texas' First Democratic Primary Saturday. Although past elections have seen interest at a higher level, there has been considerable street-walking in Farmer County lately.

Boosters have long ago finished tacking up signs and posters over the county, and they are now passing their candidate cards back and forth among prospective supporting voters.

There will be only one county-wide race this year, and naturally, that one probably is drawing the most attention as far as Farmer Countians are concerned.

W. L. Edelman of Friona is seeking election for county judge, and is opposing A. D. Smith of Farwell, the present incumbent.

Two other county precinct races are for the offices of county commissioners' C. H. Jefferson and Geo. Trimble, both of Bovina, are vying for Commissioner of Precinct No. 2, which includes the Bovina and the Rhea voting boxes.

W. S. Menefee, incumbent, is opposed by H. L. Ivy, both of Friona, for Commissioner of Precinct No. 4, embracing the Lazbuddie area.

E. R. Day of Friona, Precinct No. 1, is unopposed, as is E. F. Billingsley of Precinct no. 3, Farwell.

District Races Hot

Possibly the next line of interest will form around the "district" races. Contesting has been of considerable warmth, especially in recent days, which has seen some of the office seekers coming into the Farmer County area in quest of votes.

Two men are campaigning for the 6-year office of associate justice, court of civil appeals, in the Seventh Supreme Judicial District. They are Herbert C. Martin of Littlefield, and W. N. Stokes of Amarillo, who is up for re-election.

One of the most promising races for a run-off is the fight for the congressional seat of the 18th Congress. (Continued on last page)

FROM THE HOPPER

By HOP

Election time is here again, and again the public must be prodded by civic-minded individuals to get out and vote. Contemporary American citizens are becoming depressingly indifferent to their heritage that is like no other people's in the world.

Speak to the Man on the Street once or twice about how he should become aware of the responsibility of his position—that of an American voter—and soon word gets around that you are one of those patriotic obnoxiousities that is to be avoided at all cost.

Happened to read an editorial in a back issue of *Colliers* magazine, "What's Wrong with Flag Waving." The American mind needs the stimulation afforded in such an article as this.

Remember how many complaints were heard about the quality of West Texas wheat last year? Naturally, sales this year are no comparison against those of the past season, but from more than one quarter we have heard that millers remark of the excellent quality of what harvested this year.

Wheat growers are coming to the realization that better wheat means better marketing. Responsible in a large measure for this improved state of affairs are grain dealers and elevator operators.

Although both of these groups are modest about accepting credit for the work they have done it is no secret that they have encouraged the planting of better varieties. Where farmers pay little attention to government bulletins—well informed as they may be—that point to the advantages of growing better wheat, they will and do listen to the from-the-shoulder advice of their grain dealer with whom, as often as not they are personally acquainted.

Mrs. Nina Glasscock, in telling how her husband, Mose, broke his foot while unloading heavy farm machinery from a trailer last week, said he was not really too inconvenienced by the injury. This week he was still hobbling around on crutches.

He's able to drive the car, since it has an automatic transmission and no clutch," she said. "The only thing that really worries him," she added, "is his square dancing."

Contract Let For State Line Road

Amarillo Firm Given Sewer Contract

FORMER LOCAL MECHANIC ADMITS BANK AND POSTOFFICE ROBBERIES

At Monahans, Texas last week, a man who had been blind for nearly 15 years confessed to robbing the Quitaque, Texas Post Office in 1932. He gave his name as Alvie Hedrick, and previously had lived in Texico and Farwell for nearly 5 years.

Sheriff Charlie Lovelace, who lived across the street from the blind man for a time in Farwell, said this week Hedrick had lived in several places in both cities.

For a time he, his wife, and two small children resided south of the Methodist parsonage, but this home was taken by fire in 1948. While living here, Hedrick was employed by a Texico wrecking firm, and his wife was employed at Jim Hughes' Home Laundry.

According to reports, Hedrick surrendered himself to officers in Monahans last week because of unpleasant family relations. He had been drinking heavily, he said, and had

been having trouble with his wife. Hedrick said he had been associated with the notorious Ed "Perch-mouth" Stanton, who ruled a gang of outlaws in this territory many years ago.

While living here, he was employed by Jones Brothers in Texico, and other garages, while his wife worked in local cafes.

"I never was as badly surprised in my life," said Frank Jones in discussing Hedrick's confession. Jones said that Hedrick was "always straight in his dealings when he worked for us."

"My conscience has been hurting me all these years, and I'd do anything to get something done about my eyes, even if it means going to the pen," he told Sheriff McNerlin of Monahans.

Officers are investigating his statements this week.

Funeral Services for Mrs. Robert Eason

Funeral services were held for Mrs. Robert Eason at the Baptist Church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment was in the Oklahoma Lane cemetery under the direction of Wheeler Funeral Home in Portales. Mrs. Eason, who had been ill for quite some time, passed away Thursday.

Fannie Mathers was born Dec. 21, 1878 at Shiloh, Ark. She was married to Robert Harvey Eason Jan. 21, 1904. Four children were born to the couple, two of which died in infancy.

Pallbearers for the funeral were John White, Jess Coburn, Olan Schleiter, Riley Boss, Douglas Brown, and Ralph Humble.

Mrs. Eason is survived by her son, John Eason of Portales; a daughter, Mrs. Gladys Blake of Lubbock; a sister-in-law, Mrs. Dorothy Eason of Farwell, Mrs. J. E. Burk of Rockland, Mass.; 12 grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Her husband died two years ago.

Mrs. Eason had lived in Texico since 1923.

Methodist Revival Begins this Weekend

Rev. H. E. Thurston of the First Methodist church in Canyon will preach and local talent will be used for the singing at the revival beginning this weekend at the local Methodist church, Rev. Murphy Duncan, pastor, announced today.

The Junior Choir will have a large part in the singing services during the revival. B. A. Rogers will also help with the singing, Rev. Duncan said.

The services will begin with two nights of visitation evangelism at 8 o'clock tonight (Thursday) and tomorrow night. Regular services will begin Sunday night. Services will be held twice a day.

Rev. Duncan extends a cordial invitation to everyone to attend the revival and hear Rev. Thurston, who Rev. Duncan states is "a very able preacher."

Farwell School System To Hire Bus Drivers

Farwell Schools are anxious to engage five additional bus drivers for the coming school year, announces Supt. Jack Williams. He says that applicants for the positions must be at least 17 years old before they can be hired.

Interested persons are asked to contact Supt. Williams or appear before the next meeting of the school board, which will be Monday, Aug. 7, he said.

General Manager of Houston Lbr. Killed

E. M. Roop, local manager of the Houston Lumber Company, was advised of the death of A. W. Lincoln, general manager of the company, on Tuesday.

According to information received here, Lincoln was killed in an automobile accident on the west coast while on a vacation tour, on Monday.

The body is being returned to his home in Wichita, Kans., where funeral services will be conducted on Thursday at 10 a. m. Mr. and Mrs. Roop are planning to attend the funeral.

Grain Sorghum Loan Rate Is Set at \$1.80

The government loan on grain sorghums produced in Farmer County on the current crop has been set at \$1.80 per hundredweight, Joe Camp, secretary of the Production and Marketing Association, announced today.

Camp said this rate will apply to No. 1 quality grain stored in approved warehouses or in approved storage bins on the farms.

Loans on such stored grains will be available through Jan. 31, 1951, and will mature March 31, 1951.

Producers, Camp explained, will be required to pay the storage charges on their grain.

Church of Christ Meeting Is July 31

As has been customary for a number of years, the Farwell Church of Christ will have their annual summer revival again this year, announces Minister Sol Morgan.

Minister Morgan said that Minister Bob Ware of Hereford will hold the special services, which will begin at the local church July 31. He said the meeting will extend over a period of ten days, closing services Wednesday night, Aug. 9.

Services will be conducted each evening at 8:15, and Preston Martin of Farwell is to be song director.

Minister Morgan extended an invitation to the public.

INJURED BY MACHINERY

Mose Glasscock, farming one mile south of Farwell, had his right foot broken across the instep last Monday evening when he attempted to unload some machinery from a trailer. Glasscock, who was attempting to remove the heavy stalk cutter by himself, had his foot pinned under the machine when it slipped from some supporting chains.

The wasp stings with its tail.

GATHER AFTER 33 YEARS

The home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Massongill was the scene of a family gathering recently when visitors in the home had not been together for a period of 33 years.

A. A. Holder, Gilbert Holder, and John Finch, all of Blue Mountain, Ark., were here for a brief visit. The Holders are half brothers of Mr. Massongill, while Mr. Finch is Mrs. Massongill's brother. The youngest member of the gathering was 70 years old, with the senior member 83.

Heavy Rains Drench Wide Area Monday

Heavy rains, amounting to cloud-burst proportions in some localities, fell over a wide area Monday night, doing property, highway, and crop damage on a moderately large scale.

The most serious damage reported in Farmer County was at Bovina, where the underground pits at the Sherry Grain Company were flooded with "eight to twelve feet" of run-in water. Sections of the farm-to-market road between Hub and Friona were under water Tuesday morning, and many places along Highway 60 between Friona and Hereford were reported covered with the flood waters.

Locally, the rain was not heavy, with only .60 being received here. Clovis reports .47 of an inch. However, reports from other areas give the rainfall at two to seven inches.

Both Running Water and Frio Draws that cross Farmer County diagonally from northwest to southeast were on a rampage early Tuesday morning, with waves lapping at the tops of fence posts on Running Water between here and Bovina. Heavy rains in the Hellene section were held responsible for the flooded draws.

An estimated three inches fell at Bovina, Charley Jefferson said, adding that the rain was considerably heavier north and northwest of there. Reports of up to four inches came from Friona and south of there.

Earth, Sudan, Dimmitt, and Littlefield were drenched with seven inches being reported at Earth, followed by a severe hailstorm.

G. D. Anderson Jr., manager of the Sherry Grain Company at Bovina, said the water was standing "eight to twelve feet" in his elevator pits Tuesday morning. Pumping fire trucks from Hereford and other towns were brought in to assist the Bovina truck in emptying the pits of water. Anderson said he could not estimate his damage until the pits were pumped out and an investigation made.

The frequent rains of the past three weeks have necessitated replanting of feed crops to such an extent that grain men reported here today that we were practically out of planting seed.

Where crops have not been damaged, the unusually wet spell has thrown farmers behind in their cultivating work, and they are hoping for enough dry weather to get their crops worked out before the weeds take over.

CLEARANCE SALE

Following a practice of many years standing, the Williams Merchantile Company of Bovina, announces its annual July clearance sale this week. Special prices on summer merchandise are being made for this event, and you are invited to visit their store during this sale—or at any time.

ATTENDS GRAIN SCHOOLS

Alec Bateman returned Sunday from Wichita, Kans., where he attended a grain dealer's school. While gone, he also attended a grain school sponsored by Oklahoma A. & M. College in Stillwater. He left last Sunday.

"The schools were very interesting," Bateman reports.

Contract for the installation of Farwell's new sewer system was awarded to the Stockton Construction Company of Amarillo when the bids were opened Monday afternoon by the City Commission.

S. G. Stockton, member of the firm, was here and presented his company's bid for \$36,406.45.

Five other bidders for the job filed bids, ranging upwards to \$40,703.75, with the Amarillo firm being the lowest acceptable bidder.

Stockton estimated that only 60 to 70 days will be required to install the system, including the disposal plant. But he could foresee a delay in getting the vitrified clay pipe to be used of "at least 90 days." Thus, it would appear, the system will not be in actual operation before the first of the year.

Stockton said that 14,000 feet of 8-inch, and 4,000 feet of 10-inch pipe would be required for the job. The disposal plant will be of concrete construction with an Inhall tank with a capacity of 40,000 gallons.

"We will have our own machinery," Stockton said, "which will be manned by eight key men." About 10 common laborers will be used, he recruited locally, he added.

To Sell Bonds Next

Mayor C. M. Henderson said that as yet the \$40,000 in bonds against the city, voted in a recent special election, had not been sold. "We have been waiting to see if the fund would do the job," Henderson said, adding that immediate steps looking to the sale of the bonds would be "the next step."

He predicted no difficulty in disposing of the bonds. "We have had several inquiries already," he added.

Electrical Dangers And Benefits Told To Lions Members

"Electricity is an energy that brings great benefits to mankind, but it is also very dangerous when improperly used," declared Earl Lewis, agricultural engineer of the Southwestern Public Service, who gave a lecture with the aid of an instrument board at the Lions Club meeting Tuesday night.

Lewis discussed the many benefits that electric energy is bringing to the home, the farm, and industry, and also warned of the disastrous results that may occur from improper use of the energy, such as wrong type fuses, improper grounding and undersize wiring to carry the load. He told of an instance where a farmer lost his entire dairy herd because of improper grounding in the dairy barn.

He also pointed out that it was poor economy to use wiring that was too small to carry the load required of it.

Some forty Lions were present to enjoy the fried chicken dinner prepared by the WSCS of the Methodist Church.

Leon Ware Receives Registered Heifer

Leon Ware of Bovina received a registered Jersey heifer from the Sears-Roebuck Foundation this week through the Bovina F. F. A. chapter. The heifer was purchased from the Friona F. F. A. chapter. Ware will give his first additional heifer back to the chapter so it can be given to another boy.

Five registered Jersey heifers are now owned by Bovina F. F. A. boys.

All School Transfers Must be by August 1

"All school transfers must be made on or before Aug. 1," warned A. E. Smith, ex-officio school superintendent of Farmer County. This week, Judge Smith pointed out that school patrons must become aware of the approaching date, which is deadline for school transfers as fixed by state law.

The State Highway Commission at Santa Fe has awarded the contract for the construction of FM Highway No. 384 to Skousen-Heis Construction Co., of Albuquerque for \$43,640.25.

This piece of farm-to-market road begins at Texico and extends a distance of 7.2 miles south, where it will connect with a farm-to-market all-weather highway in Bailey County, which ends at the Texas-New Mexico state line.

A surveying crew arrived here Monday and began work of running the survey Tuesday morning. Texico officials, in a special called meeting of the Town Council Monday night, announced that the new road would follow the present roadbed of the state line dirt road and would enter the Texico townsite just north of the Jim Hughes property, which lies just outside the city limits. After entering the city limits, the survey will follow a northwesterly course, crossing the Santa Fe tracks just west of the passenger station, connecting with State Highway 60 on Garwood Street, at the corner between the Furniture Mart and Crowley's Grocery.

Mayor Orval Francis said that all property, with the exception of two small lots, between where the road would intersect the Texico townsite and the railroad, was property of the Santa Fe Railroad, and no difficulty in securing right-of-way across this property was anticipated.

F. N. Stuppi, Santa Fe superintendent, was here Tuesday morning conferring with Texico officials regarding the right-of-way across the Santa Fe property, and said that his office will approve easements across company property. He added, however, that it might require some time to get final approval from the main offices in Chicago.

Texico officials said today that the contractors already are moving heavy machinery for the job, and had announced that they expected to complete the work in 60 days.

The new road will be black-topped for all-weather travel.

Revival in Progress At Local Church

A series of revival services are being held nightly at the local United Pentecostal church, located on main street in Texico, according to church officials.

Rev. LaMar Gillean, and Rev. Archie Alderson, both of Burnett, Texas, are doing the evangelistic preaching, as well as special singing. Services are held at 8 o'clock each evening. The revival will continue throughout this week and next week.

Rev. C. A. Hatcher, pastor of the local church, extends a cordial invitation to the general public to attend these services.

C. of C. Directors, Commission Meets

The Farwell Chamber of Commerce directors held a joint meeting last Wednesday night with the City Commission at Sikes Motor Company offices.

Frank Seale, Chamber of Commerce secretary, reported little official business attended to, although some activity was taking place on Farwell's new sewage disposal project.

Seale said easements were being secured from a number of Farwell businesses along Main Street that will enable the new lines to run closer to the buildings. Little difficulty was expected in this phase, since less expense will be incurred for the businessmen when they prepare to join onto the line.

Seale said weed cutting operations sponsored by the C of C were underway, and those present at the meeting discussed plans for the clean-up campaign.

RE-COVERING WALLS

The east wall of the building occupied by Sikes Motor Company in Farwell is being refinished with a new coat of stucco this week. Most of the plaster along the east wall of the building has been in a "bulging" state for several months.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The State Line Tribune is authorized to make the following political announcements, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election in July:

- For District Judge, 64th Judicial District: ROBT. (BOB) KIRK E. A. BILLS
- For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector: CHAS. LOVELACE (Re-Election)
- For County and District Clerk: LOYDE A. BREWER (Re-Election)
- For County Judge: W. L. EDELMON A. D. SMITH (Re-Election)
- For Commissioner, Precinct 1: E. R. (EMMETT) DAY (Re-Election)
- For County Commissioner, Pct. 2: C. H. (CHARLES) JEFFERSON GEO. TRIMBLE
- For County Commissioner, Pct. 3: EARL F. BILLINGSLEY
- For Commissioner, Pct. 4: H. L. IVY W. S. MENEFFEE (Re-election)
- For District Attorney 64th Judicial District: JOE SHARP
- For State Representative: HAROLD M. LaFONT H. C. (Doc) BLANCHARD
- For Congressman: LeROY LaMASTER
- For County Treasurer: MRS. H. T. (Mabel) REYNOLDS

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A. D. Smith Asks For Re-Election As County Judge

The Primary is Saturday, July 22. In support of my candidacy for County Judge of Parmer County, Texas, I submit the following:

I have lived in Parmer County for eighteen years, was born and reared on a farm in Johnson County, Texas, near Grand View, graduated from High School at Grand View and attended the University of Texas for two years, taught school in Johnson County, Texas for two years, then came to New Mexico and taught school.

I lived at Ft. Sumner, De Baca County, New Mexico where I taught school for ten years, and was County Superintendent of Schools of De Baca County for four years. I was Superintendent of Schools at Melrose, Curry County, New Mexico. I went to school in New Mexico and graduated from the Normal University,

now Highland University, at Las Vegas, New Mexico, with an A. B. degree.

At the close of my second term as County Superintendent at Fort Sumner, I attended law school at Cumberland University, Lebanon, Tennessee, graduated at this University with the degree of Bachelor of Laws, took the State Bar Examination at Austin, Texas, and received license to practice law in all of the courts of the State of Texas.

I commenced practicing law at Friona, Parmer County, Texas on October 1, 1931 and practiced law there for five years, then, was elected County Attorney of Parmer County and served in this position until May 1, 1945. Since that time, I have served as County Judge and Ex Officio County Superintendent of Parmer County, devoting my entire time to the duties of the office, and would appreciate your support for the coming term.

Respectfully yours,
A. D. Smith
(Paid Political Advertisement)

It is colder at the arctic than at the arctic.

Work Progresses On Texico School Ground

Work on the back yard of the Texico schools was begun this week, Agrie Jones, superintendent, says. Workmen are ridding the softball diamond of weeds and leveling the grounds. Grass will probably be planted on the infield of the plot.

A ditch has been dug to the agriculture barn in preparation for laying pipe to run water to the structure. Water will also be piped to the front school yard for watering the lawn. Grass which was planted two weeks ago is already up, Jones states.

Workmen have finished sanding and refinishing the floors in the old auditorium and are now working on the floors in the main building. The windows have all been overhauled, Jones explains, and the new vocational agriculture teacher, Carl Schmidt, H. T. Richey, and the superintendent are building new frames for all the window screens.

Jones estimated that the State War Surplus had given the school at least \$4000 worth of pipe, pipe fittings, and nails, every bit of which can be used in the agriculture department. The pipe will also be used for fencing the school yard; 2,465 feet of pipe was received. The equipment was all new.

Jones announces that all teachers have been hired for the coming term except one elementary instructor.

OPEN NEWS OFFICE

The Production and Marketing Administration, USDA, will open a seasonal market news office in Jacksonville, Texas, on May 31. Interested persons may obtain the service by writing to Fruit and Vegetable Branch, PMA, USDA, Jacksonville.

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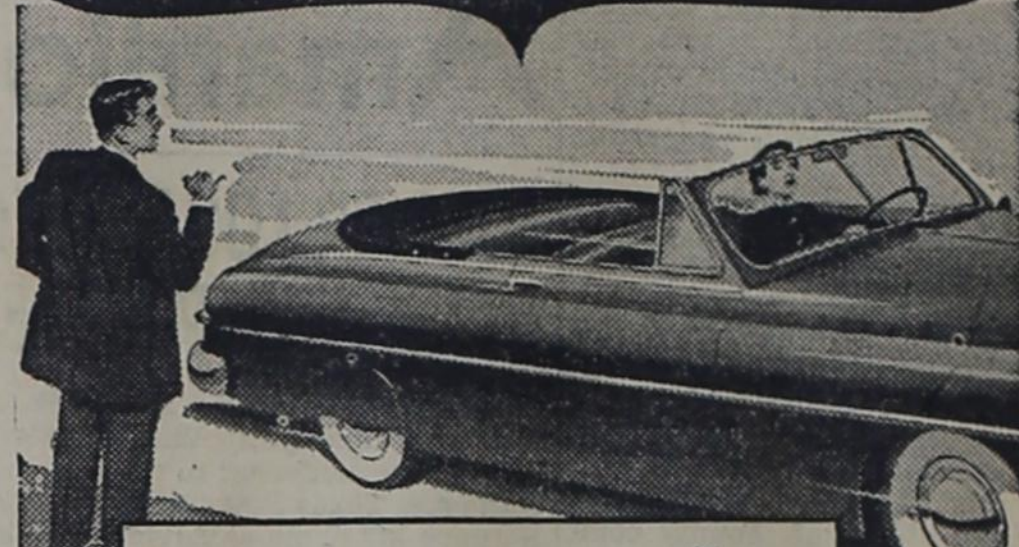
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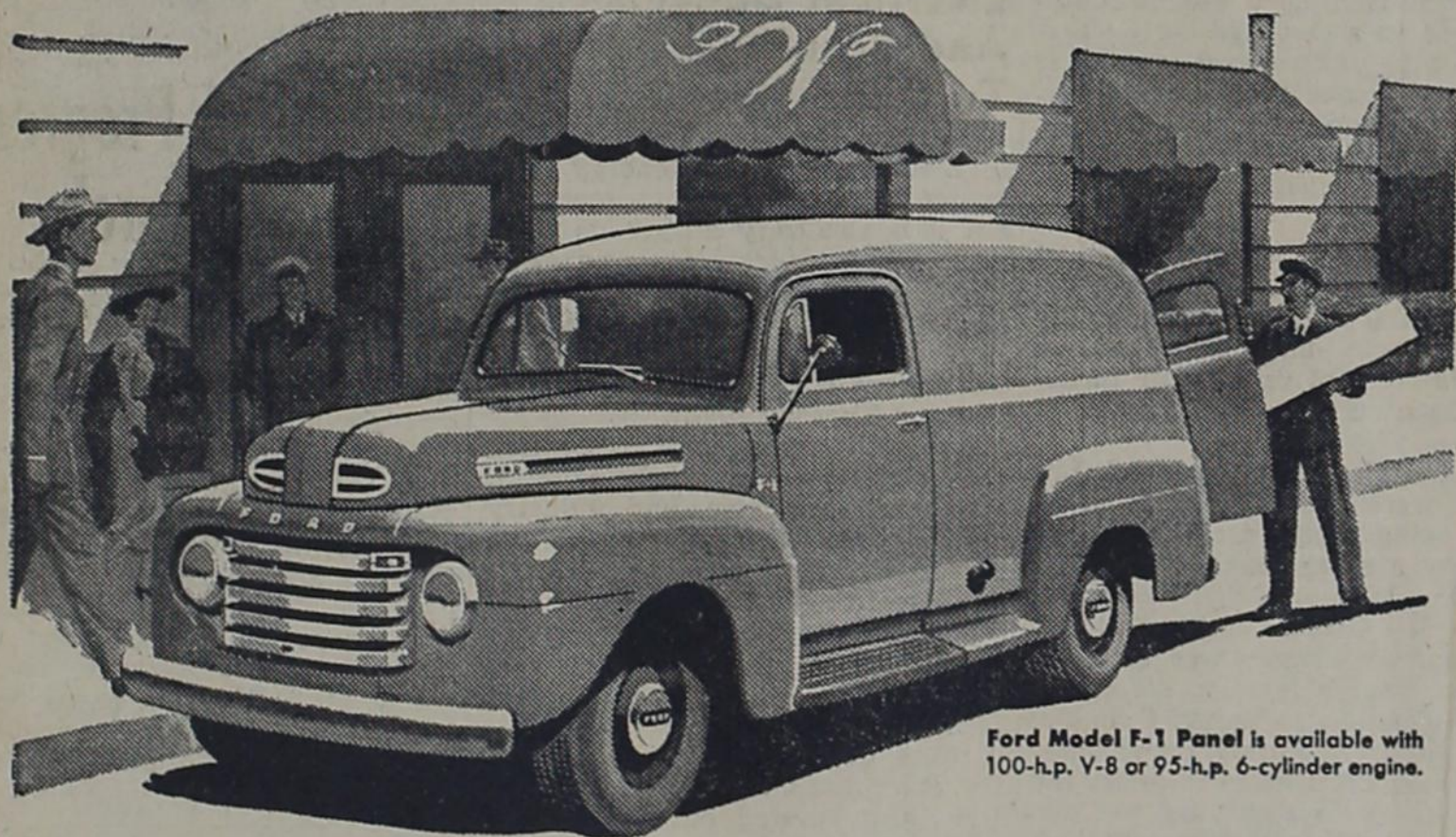


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IRRIGATED PASTURE AT ITS BEST—First panel County Agent Joe Jones pauses with Fred Barker and his grandson, Jimmy Don Moss, in one of Barker's improved pastures under irrigation at his farm east of Friona. Center: Barker and Jimmy Don watch some of their prize hogs near the farmyard. Last panel: The two irrigatists pose with some of the 40 head of cattle in one of the pastures. (Staff Photo)

Parmer Countians in increasingly large numbers are coming to believe that every farmer with an irrigation well on his holdings can and should devote some of his time and land to irrigated pasture.

Two of these are Fred Barker, who lives nine miles southeast of Friona, and County Agent Joe Jones, who called attention to the comparatively new practice of irrigated pasture. Barker, who lived near Farwell for 17 years, is one of the few farmers in Parmer to make a concentrated effort to utilize his well for pastureland.

At present, he has 44 acres of grassland under irrigation, and is employing an ingenious system of stock rotation in order to care for the grassland properly. These 44 acres are divided into five separate plots of varying dimensions, and as stock graze in one plot, other areas may be watered.

When it comes time to remove them from a specified plot of, say, perennial pasture, they are driven through a gate into the adjacent pasture, and the rye pasture is then ready to water.

This continues throughout the grazing period, Barker said, and the animals may be rotated through all five pastures as many as four times a year.

Near 40 Cattle Now

Barker, in explaining his irrigated pasture rotation program, said he now has "around 40 head" grazing on the grassland. In reply to a question posed by Agent Jones about how many head of cattle he thought the 44 acres could successfully support, Barker answered "A cow and a calf per acre—easily."

Since the cattle find at their convenience all the nourishing green-stuffs they can consume, they are compelled to move around but little while grazing. Because of this, Barker said, it is not unusual for one cow to support two calves, "since she has nothing to do but stand around and eat."

"And good pastureland is the best

milk producer in the world," the irrigationist pointed out.

Uses Diet Supplement

Although this rich pasture is always available for consumption by the stock, Barker believes that it is advisable to supplement the grass diet occasionally.

Last year, he fed the stock ground bundled oats. He is feeding straight bundles this year.

Asked if he was ever troubled with bloat, Barker smiled and answered that he had recently had one sad experience he felt would be a lesson.

"Last week," he said, "we lost two head because of bloat. There really is no danger of bloat if a fellow will watch when he puts his stock on pasture. It's all my own fault."

Hogs are Pride and Joy

Equally important as the cattle to Barker are the 60 happy hogs that he keeps on an alfalfa lot.

"I'm a hog man," he said, "always have been. The hog pasture is straight alfalfa, and I prize that above everything."

He said it would be safe to run "30 or 40 hogs" an acre on alfalfa. Barker has arranged his hog-raising program so that it needs a minimum of attention. While the hogs are in the pasture they have available water at all times from an automatic waterer. Near the waterer is an automatic feeder that makes available a grain supplement continually.

It is not even necessary for the farmer to carry grain to the feeder when it becomes empty. He has installed a lengthy auger from a granary that does the job.

"If you tell the people that," he laughed to a reporter, "they're going to think I don't ever do any work around here."

During the daytime, the hogs come in from the pasture through a gate into a lot in the farmyard to escape the summer sun. Barker said a large part of their feeding was done at nighttime.

Diagrams Farm Plan

Barker farms one quarter section of land. This is 160 acres, of which his irrigated pasture accounts for 44. The remainder is row crop. A large part of feed crops raised by the farmer therefore remain on the Barker farm as feed for his stock.

Three of the five lots composing the 44 acres of grassland are "perennial pasture" lands. "Perennial pasture," explains County Agent Jones, "is pasture that lasts from around five to six years each seeding." The other two lots are a patch of sudan and the hog pasture, which is alfalfa.

Installed Well in 1947

In September of 1947, Barker installed his well which is 260 feet deep and mounts a Cadillac engine capable of pumping 1000 gallons of water per minute.

The next year he laid out his pasture divisions and planted the perennial grass. In 1949 he was able to begin grazing. He encountered some difficulty last year, however, with his irrigation engine, and consequently was able to water the land only once.

Formula for Grass Is Water

"Water will do it," Barker said when asked what limit could be placed on pasture growth. "I haven't a foot of land I can't water."

He went on to explain that water and fertilizer were apparently the only limits on grass growth. He has watered three times this year, and plans to begin again next week. Barker said frequency of irrigation depended upon the forage the farmer wanted.

Legume Adds Nitrogen

In virtually all the grassed areas, some alfalfa has been sown along with the perennial seed. Barker explained that this was because alfalfa was a legume, and added needed nitrogen to the soil.

Nodules containing nitrogen are formed on the roots of all alfalfa grass, and this essential plant stimulant is made available to other types of grass when the root decays. Grass varieties include perennial

rye, orchard grass, brome grass, sudan, and alfalfa.

An artificial method of adding needed minerals to the grass is the use of commercial fertilizer. On his farm, Barker uses super phosphate in quantities of from 300 to 400 pounds per acre. "Some people use 500 pounds on straight alfalfa," he said.

Grazing Begins Early

With irrigated pasture available, a farmer may begin grazing at comparatively early times in the year. Barker begins in March and April and will continue until stock is suitable for market.

He said his present herd grazes off the patch of sudan in "10 or 12 days," and then are turned into one of the improved pastures. "Sudan has its place in any set-up, especially in July and August," he commented.

Ordinarily, farmers in an area similar to that of Parmer and its expanding irrigation system look to younger men for experimental work that sometimes produces good and at other times produces unsatisfactory results.

Not so in this case, for Fred Barker has been a resident of Parmer for 30 years, and has uncovered success in a little developed field of irrigation.

"There should be some irrigated pasture on nearly every farm with an irrigation well," summed up Agent Jones.

Ed's note: Agent Jones called attention to the fact that farmers interested in beginning an irrigated pasture program should remember that September is the best time for seeding. "That gives them July to think about it, August to prepare for it, and September to plant the pasture," he said.

See the classified column today.

CONSTRUCTION PROGRESSING

PLAINVIEW—Construction on the Col. C. C. Slaughter Memorial Center dining hall at Waynada College is moving forward rapidly, according to Earl Perkins, contractor.

Concrete for the basement walls has been poured and forms have been set for the rest of the foundation. Materials are being received daily to go into the construction of the building.

KNOWS ENOUGH

A farmer, having failed to catch a boy who had been picking apples from one of his best trees, tried a change of tactics.

"Come here, little man," he said in a wheezy voice. "I want to tell you something."

"No, No," shouted the boy "Little fellows like me don't need to know everything."

PRICE INDEX

The Bureau of Labor Statistics report a rise of 0.2 per cent in the consumer's price index between March 15 and April 15. The Index stood at 167.3 (the 1935-39 average equals 100.) This was 1.4 per cent lower than a year ago; more than 25 per cent higher than in June, 1946, the last month of price controls, and nearly 70 per cent above that of August, 1939.

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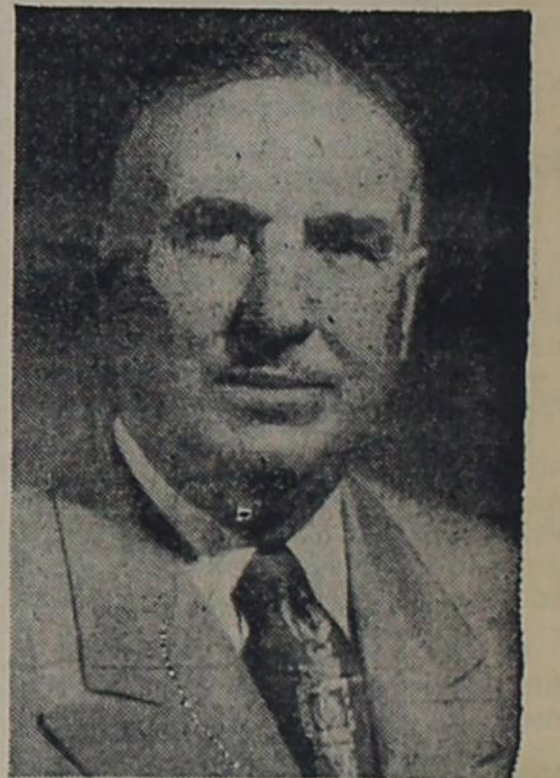
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RESIDENCE: MARTIN resides at Littlefield in LAMB County in the Panhandle-South Plains Section, his opponent at Vernon in WILBARGER County on the extreme East end of the District. Out of the 46 Counties in the District, 40 of said Counties (including LAMB) have never had a representative on the Court, while WILBARGER County continuously has had from 1 to 2 representatives on the three Judge Court since its creation in 1911, nearly 40 years ago.

FITNESS: MARTIN is a graduate of Lubbock High School and of the University of Texas Law School. With a background of 21 years real experience spent as a trial lawyer (4 of them as District Attorney) Martin is qualified to serve as Appellate Court Judge.

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Oklahoma Lane Society Notes

By MRS. TURNER PAINE

Mrs. Isie Hanna spent a few days last week with her son and family, Mr. Bill Hanna. She also visited in the Ed McGuire home.

Mrs. Osie Dalton and Mrs. Audra Jean of Woodward, Okla., sisters of Mrs. U. N. Foster, spent Tuesday and Wednesday visiting in the Foster home. Mrs. Foster's mother, Mrs. Barbara Churchwell, also of Woodward, came and remained to visit a while.

Jeanette Lindop spent last week with her grandmother, Mrs. George Lindop.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Barry and family went to Canyon Sunday to spend the day with the E. A. Berrys. Lightning struck a strawstack in Fred Kepley's pasture last Tuesday and killed four of his shorthorn cows.

Cemetery Association To Engage Caretaker

In a July 4 meeting, Oklahoma Lane Cemetery Association appointed a committee to manage the upkeep of the cemetery.

The committee includes Harold Carpenter, A. D. Moore, Boone Allison, Rudolph Kube, W. N. Foster, J. J. Terry, and W. E. Werner.

The main purpose of the committee is to find and hire a part-time caretaker for the cemetery, Carpenter said this week. "Anyone interested in this job, contact one of the men on the committee," Carpenter states. The group will meet in the near future to consider applicants for the job.

CROQUE COURTS CLEARED

Attention was being given to the long neglected local croquet courts near the courthouse this week. Charley Hromas and a number of other local fans are at work clearing the courts. This game formerly was a summer favorite of a large number of men.

Alexander Hamilton was killed by Aaron Burr on the same duelling ground where Hamilton's son fell in a duel three years earlier.

W. O. Barber and R. L. Barber were visitors in Dimmitt Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ed McGuire have returned from Tucumcari and plan to make their home in Farwell where Jim Ed will be employed by the P. M. A. office.

The Baptist Revival is now in progress. A full house was reported Sunday night. Rev. Earl Landtroop of Dimmitt is doing the preaching.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Billingsley and Darwin, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones, Mrs. Dodson, and Edward, went to Buffalo Lake Sunday to fish.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner Paine spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Long in Dimmitt.

Bill Hanna and Wilma Jo attended the baseball game in Clovis Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. McGuire and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Billingsley and family attended a supper in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Armstrong in Bovina Tuesday night. The party was in honor of Mrs. McGuire's birthday.

Among those celebrating their birthdays lately are Scotty Hanna, Gene Merriman, David Lindop, Lois

Billingsley, Wilma Grissom, Linda Grissom, Linda Lindop, Mrs. E. W. McGuire, Billy Billingsley, and Mrs. Condy Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb Gober and family and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Grissom and family, also the Lorene Wests, helped Mrs. Leon Billingsley celebrate her birthday with a chicken fry Friday night.

Funeral services were held Sunday in Clovis for Mrs. Mildred Wolfe, sister of Scotty Barry.

An ice cream birthday social was held Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Billingsley. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Billingsley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Billingsley and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. Milstead, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Milstead, Mr. and Mrs. Wheat and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rundell, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Billingsley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones of Clovis, and Mrs. Dodson and Edward of Clovis.

Grandpa and Grandma Jones are visiting in East Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wilkinson and Granny, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Magness and Phyllis spent several days in Ruidoso last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Billingsley spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Webb Gober Sunday.

TO BE GUEST SPEAKER

Dr. Silas Dixon, pastor of the Lazzibidde Methodist Church, announced this week that Dr. Earl G. Hamlet, District superintendent of Amarillo, will be special guest speaker at the quarterly conference which will be held at the church Sunday, July 23.

Dr. Hamlet is well known in this area, and the pastor extends an invitation to the public to attend.

NOTICE

My office will be closed until August 1, as I am in attendance at a Chicago convention and taking a brief vacation afterwards.

Dr. Mary Leone McNeff
Farwell, Texas

New Coach Assisting With Stadium Work

Football training with two workouts a day until school starts will begin about September, Tommy Hestand, new head coach for Farwell schools, says.

Hestand, who was graduated from Austin College in Sherman at mid-term of this year, taught the seventh grade and coached junior high school football in Dennison last semester.

The new coach will also teach in the Farwell schools, but he does not know in what field his instruction will be. He plans to help with the construction of the new stadium this summer.

Hestand explains that he has been working on football formations, but he is waiting until the new assistant coach, Kenneth Livingston of Portales, arrives so they can work out these problems together. Hestand also will have charge of track and Livingston will be head mentor for basketball.

Hestand, his wife, Wanda, and their two-year-old daughter, Sandra, are living in one of the teacherages north of the schoolhouse.

HAS APPENDICITIS ATTACK

Recovering at home in Farwell this week is Jerry Venable, young son of Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Venable, who suffered an attack of appendicitis last weekend. He was removed to a Clovis hospital where his condition improved and no operation was deemed necessary at the time.

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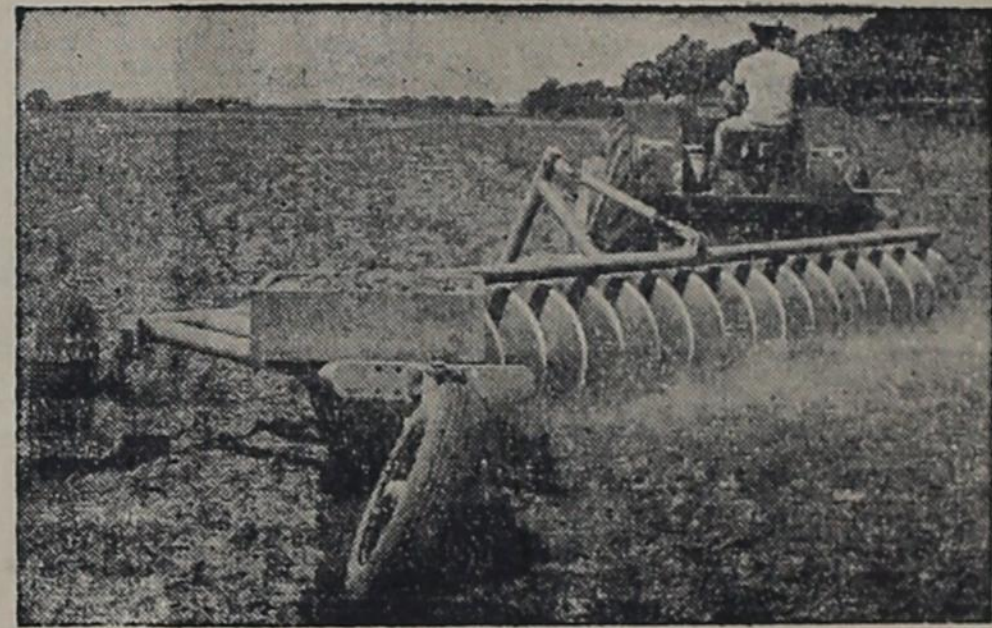
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Social Events of Interest

Auxiliary Elects New Officers Monday

Dardanella Helton was elected president of the American Legion Auxiliary in a meeting Monday night at the Legion hall.

Other new officers include: Mable Martin, first vice president; Nell Walling, second vice president; Dorothy Quickel, secretary-treasurer; Merle Clements, corresponding secretary; Irene Dyer, chaplain; Johnnie Crawley, sgt.-at-arms; Modena Banks, assistant sgt.-at-arms; Mae Porter, historian; and Liz Phillips, musician.

The Legion and Auxiliary will have a mass installation of officers for both clubs at Dimmitt, August 8, Mrs. John Getz, outgoing president of the Auxiliary, says.

Mrs. Getz says that the local auxiliary has received two thank you letters from the Veterans hospital in Amarillo. The local organization sent \$25 to the hospital for the decorating fund; also slip covers for chairs in the recreation room have been made by the local group and personal gifts such as toothpaste and shaving cream have been donated. "I want to thank anyone who had a part in sending these gifts," Mrs. Getz states.

The Legion and Auxiliary have voted to have the Legion hall redecorated; new lights are to be installed, cornices put on the windows, and repainting will be one of the projects. Lavatories to be installed in the rest rooms have arrived, Mrs. Getz says.

Members of the group met Thursday afternoon and made the ice cream, and cakes were donated by members of the church.

Ice Cream Social Sponsored by MYF

The Methodist Youth Fellowship sponsored an ice cream social in the church basement Thursday night at 7:45.

Six and one-half gallons of ice cream were sold to approximately 80 people in attendance at the social. Members of the MYF who helped serve were Jerry, Rex, and Don Pool, George Duncan, Mary Belle Aldridge, Jane Claire Overstreet, Darlene Sprawls, T. W. and Delbert Parton, and Donald Engram.

Members of the Methodist Bible class arrived at three o'clock to visit with "Grandma." They included Mesdames Jim Hughes, G. D. Anderson, Anne Overstreet, Murphy Duncan, and Charlie Lovelace. The class presented Mrs. Parks with a large birthday cake. Mrs. Hughes sent several bouquets of gladiolas and roses.

'Grandma' Parks Celebrates Birthday

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"Grandma" Parks has lived in this area for around 40 years.

Dinner Guests In Johnson Home Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Johnson were hosts at a dinner Sunday in their home. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnson of Oklahoma City, Mrs. Sallie Johnson, Miss Mae Johnson, Jesse Johnson and Francis Smotherman of Clovis, T. J. Randol of Farwell, and Bill, Jerry, Gloria, and Don Johnson.

Miss Doris June Sanderson of Portales, N. M. spent the past weekend visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bob Smart, in Farwell. The ladies are sisters.

Students Speak At Friday Night Meeting

Five Boys and Girls State representatives spoke to the American Legion Auxiliary and guests Friday night at the Legion hall.

The group of speakers included: Jerry Pool, Caryetta Grissom, and Bobbie Ann Christian of Farwell, D. J. Brown and Jo Beth Engram of Texico.

The program opened with the color bearer advancing colors, then the pledge of allegiance to the flag was given. After the group sang the national anthem Mrs. John Getz, president of the Auxiliary, welcomed the public. The students gave informative as well as humorous speeches, then Jo Beth Engram presented a pantomime. Mrs. Irene Dyer sang "One Alone" and "Land of Hope and Glory."

Refreshments were served to the entire group.

Attend Family Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Crawley and family went to Brownfield last Sunday to be present at a reunion of the Crawley family. They gathered at the home of Mrs. Bertha Chambless, Mr. Crawley's mother. Those present included Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Crawley and children of Clovis; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chambless, Clovis; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burleson, Lubbock; and Miss Wanda Chambless, Brownfield.

Attend Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Booth of Farwell were in attendance at a golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Locket near Vernon, Texas, this week. Mr. and Mrs. Locket are close friends of the Booths, as they lived near each other some years ago. Mrs. Booth reported they would soon return here as they did not plan to have an extended visitation. Ronald Booth went with the Farwell couple.

Visits In Bovina

Mr. and Mrs. Toby Penn and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Mouser, all of Lubbock, visited Jeanne Dudley over the weekend. Miss Dudley accompanied them to Bovina where they visited in the Don Roundtree home. Other visitors in the Roundtree home were Mr. Roundtree's parents of Littlefield; and Mrs. Roundtree's sister, Janet Garner of Spade.

To Hot Springs

Jim Moore, and son Jimmie of Texico, accompanied by Bob Drace of Abernathy, Texas, left early Monday morning for a week fishing trip to Truth or Consequences, N. M. During Jim's absence from the cafe Mrs. Moore, with the assistance of her daughters, Mildred of Texico, and Mrs. Bob Drace, will operate the business.

On Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ford are making plans to leave the latter part of the week for a two-week vacation tour of the eastern part of the country. Early this week they had not decided on the exact route, but probably will go to New York.

In California

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Brown and daughter, Bettie, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Earl Deaton, in Long Beach, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Kelton Hickman in Reseda, California. They are expected home this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Drace visited in the F. J. Parks home over the weekend.

Mrs. Ernest Foreman Honored With Shower

Mrs. Ernest Foreman was honored with a miscellaneous bridal shower at the Texico Baptist church Friday night.

The brides chosen colors, blue and white, were used in the decorative scheme. Assorted cut flowers were arranged throughout the reception room.

Cake and tea were served to: Mesdames J. E. Foreman, J. H. Winegeart, Bob Stover, Lon Carpenter, S. J. Winegeart, Gene Orand, John D. Lewis, L. A. Gasset, R. O. Ellis, Solon Foreman, B. J. Winegeart, Clarence Meeks, and Lenora McDermitt. Also attending were Glenda Doshier and Virginia Ellis.

Companion Class Elects New Officers

Members of the Companion class of the Baptist Church elected officers at a meeting in the home of Mrs. T. E. Roth last (Tuesday) night.

New officers include Eileen Pearce, president; Doeta Doolittle, vice-president; Margie Watkins, assistant vice-president; Jeanne Dudley, secretary-treasurer; Peggy Schleuter, devotional chairman; and Margaret London, program chairman.

Members of the class discussed a membership drive, after which Mrs. Roth served the group refreshments of strawberry shortcake and punch.

Junior Choir To Have Weiner Roast

The Junior Choir of the Texico-Farwell Methodist Church will have a weiner roast at the John Aldridge home in Farwell tonight (Wednesday).

All members are urged to be present.

Have Picnic Lunch

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Delashaw and son, Bill, and Miss Ella Bradshaw visited the Delashaw's son, Leroy, and Mrs. Delashaw's aunt, Annie Weaver, in Lubbock Sunday. They had a picnic lunch in MacKenzie Park.

To Ft. Sumner

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Williams and children of east Farwell have been in Ft. Sumner, N. M., for the past several days. Williams is employed on a housing project in that city.

Here From California

Mr. and Mrs. James Tisdale and son, of Pala Alta, California, spent the past week visiting with friends here and with relatives in Clovis.

Here From Abilene

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Nicewarner of Abilene spent several days the past week as guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Nicewarner in Texico. They also visited in the home of his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Olan Schleuter, north of Texico, during their stay.

To Gift Show

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stone, owners and operators of the Stone Variety Store in Texico, attended the gift show and sale in Amarillo, Sunday, July 16. They made several purchases which soon will be on display at the local store.

Guests Of Coburns

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Coburn north of Texico, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Les Means, Mrs. H. Ross and Jimmy Ross of Texico.

Scouts Return from National Jamboree

Three Bovina Boy Scouts returned last week from a 16-day trip to the national Boy Scout Jamboree at Valley Forge, Pa.

The trio, Glendon Sudderth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Sudderth; Leon Ware, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Ware; and Ted Walling, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Walling, left Saturday, June 24, with 35 New Mexico scouts who were to attend the jamboree. They traveled in a chartered train from Albuquerque which took on scouts until reaching Chicago.

Their initial train trip took them through Chicago to Washington and Valley Forge, but the tour was rounded out by visits to Philadelphia, New York City, and Long Island, N. Y.

Ten days of the trip was spent in a huge encampment with approximately 65,000 other scouts. The boys stated that they had a fine time but they were glad to get back home, take a good bath, and get some badly needed sleep and rest.

The 1950 National Jamboree was the first one that had been held for 13 years.

The Parmer County Scouts are members of Troop No. 34 of Bovina. Scoutmaster is R. E. Everett.

In Means Home

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Smoot and Mrs. Warren D. Smooth, all of Clovis, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Les Means the past Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Parks Jr., and Bruce, of Albuquerque, visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Parks in Farwell, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Danzil Bandy visited in the home of her parents this past week. They are moving to Ft. Sumner, N. M., from Tucumcari.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Laundrum and Dykie were dinner guests of Uncle Tom Randol Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Walker and son of Sudan, visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Dykes.

Mrs. Gilbert Watkins and children are in Gardner, Mass. visiting Mrs. Watkin's relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Means of Texico, and Tim Holt and Harold Ford of Clovis, attended the junior rodeo held in Portales Saturday night.

Mrs. H. Y. Overstreet and Jane Jane Claire are visiting the William Boyds at Pala Duro Canyon in Amarillo.

Mrs. Raymond Ross and children, Ray Ann and David, of Morton are spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Graham and their daughter, Mrs. Raymond Ross and children, visited another daughter and husband, the W. E. Thorntons of Bovina Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Booth visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Edwards of Lubbock last week. Mrs. Edwards is Mrs. Booth's mother.

Ross Allen Parks of Amarillo visited in the home of his grandparents, the F. J. Parks, from Thursday until Monday. Ross is the son of Chester Parks.

Mrs. Effie Johnson is in the Clovis Memorial hospital being treated for an infection of the left eye. She is reported to be improving.

Mrs. Bess Mansfield and Mrs. Jess Newton visited Mrs. Newton's daughter, Mrs. H. H. Potter, in Muleshoe Sunday.

The Sterlyn Billingtons were dinner guests of the Tom Fosters Sunday.

Hospital Notes

Patients admitted to the Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona last week included Mrs. Jack Rasberry, O. B., Friona; Mrs. Glenn Stewick, O. B., Friona; Mrs. Clara Murrell, medical, Bovina; Mary Lou Jarrell, medical, Bovina; Mrs. Hadley Reeve, O. B., Friona; Mrs. Foister Rector, medical, Friona; Mrs. Cash Richards, medical, Bovina; Mrs. M. L. McFarland, medical, Bovina.

Dismissed

Frank Reed, Friona; Mrs. Ronald Berggren, Bovina; Henry Lloyd, Friona; Mrs. H. W. Jobe and baby girl, Friona; Mrs. Clara Murrell, Bovina; Mrs. Glenn Stewick and baby boy, Friona; Mrs. Jack Rasberry and baby boy, Friona; Mary Lou Jarrell, Bovina; Mrs. Cash Richards, Bovina; Mrs. M. L. McFarland, Bovina.

Former Local Man To Be Ordained

Ordination services for Clifton Henderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Henderson of Farwell, will be conducted by Bishop Stoney of the Episcopal Church of Albuquerque, in the chapel of the Clovis Episcopal Church Sunday morning at the regular 11 o'clock services.

Young Henderson, who is continuing his theological studies at the University of the South in Sewanee, Tenn., is now stationed at Las Vegas, N. M., and serving two churches near that city.

He will be ordained as a deacon Sunday, and plans to return to his school work in the fall.

Mrs. John Tabor returned to work Monday morning in the county clerk's office. She was ill last week.

Parmer County 4-H Boys Win Prizes

Larry Ezell, 4-H club boy of Bovina, was awarded second prize of \$45 in the Sears-Roebuck heavy litter hog contest, Jerry Geason, 4-H club boy from Lazbuddie, won 12th prize of \$10. About 100 litters of pigs were represented in the contest.

A year ago last June, eight boys in this area were presented with gilts and one boy received a boar, from the Sears-Roebuck foundation. Boys who wanted the hogs wrote essays and a committee selected the winners. Each year, the boys give back one hog to the foundation to be given to another by. Eight boys were awarded gilts again this year.

The heavy litter contest is held in each store area. The prize money is used to buy material to further the hog program.

OLD TIMER HERE

Ira Taylor, one of the first homesteaders to file on land in Eastern New Mexico shortly after the turn of the century, is here this week visiting with old friends. He is now living at Roseville, Calif.

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Most especially do we thank the doctors, nurses, and hospital attendants for their untiring service.

We love you all and may God's richest blessings rest upon you.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ellison and immediate families. Our address is now Room 261 Wesley Hospital, 300 N. W. 12th St., Oklahoma City, Okla.

Mrs. J. T. Carson from Clyde, Texas, is visiting her sister-in-law Mrs. Ruby Dixon, for a few days.

Elmer Temple of Albuquerque spent the weekend in the home of his mother, Mrs. J. C. Temple.

A. C. Henneman and Valarie Dial spent the weekend with his mother, Bess Henneman, in Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Dial, Gloria and Benji, are in Colorado on a business trip.

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Bovina Happenings

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Byron Turner and Pete Davies made a business trip to Santa Rosa, N. M., last weekend.

Mrs. Cash Richards was stricken with a heart attack Thursday and taken to the Friona hospital. She is reported improved at this time.

Ray Davies barn burned to the ground Tuesday night after a lightning storm. It is believed that the lightning struck it, setting it afire.

The fire was not discovered until 3 o'clock in the morning. Fireman answered the call, but it was too late to save any of the barn.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Blalock and daughters who spent the past two weeks visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Blalock and Mrs. Jay Hopgardner returned to their home in Oil Center, N. M., Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnston Sr. and family visited in the home of Mrs. and Mrs. Bob Johnston Jr., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ellison wish to take this means of thanking the many friends, relatives, and everyone for the many nice cards, letters,

flowers, and everything done for them while here in the hospital.

(Signed) Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ellison

Mrs. Ellison's address is Wesley Hospital, Room 261, 300 Northwest 12th street, Oklahoma City, Okla.

ZONE MEETING OF AMERICAN LEGION AND AUXILIARY

Zone meeting of the American Legion met at Bovina July 11 at the Legion Hall with a very small attendance due to the weather. Next meeting will be at Dimmitt Aug. 8

Mrs. Pat Kunselman sang "Blue Moon," Jerry Jones sang "On the Road to Mandalay," Billy Derrick sang "The Open Road," accompanied by Mrs. John Wilson, and Rev. Bruce gave a very interesting talk on "Democracy and Freedom."

Miss Dottie Young is spending a few days in Lorenzo, Texas, visiting Patricia Cherry. Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Cherry spent the past weekend visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Looney.

Mrs. Aubrey Rhodes and son made a business trip to Amarillo Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Westmoreland and son of Kermit, Texas, are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Venable home this week. They are on their way to De Bery, Texas, to visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Dulfus Dawson and Mrs. Jeneva Dalson of Tulia, Texas, visited in the Bill Venable home

the 4th of July.

Mrs. Lillian Mahan and sons returned Sunday from a two week vacation in Odessa, Texas, with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Virginia Dunning and Miss Grace Wells of Odessa, Texas, spent the past weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Turner. Betty and Danna Turner returned after spending the past week there.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Davies and family returned Tuesday from a few days at Conchas Lake fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Hermin Estes and children and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jefferson and girls spent Sunday at Palo Duro Canyon near Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton R. Venable made a business trip to Hereford, Texas, Friday.

Mrs. Wilbur McLean is now in partnership in the City Cafe with Earl Richards. She purchased Mrs. Hermin Estes partnership the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Denney have moved to the country the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Englant and son and Mr. Englant's nephew of Tulia, Texas, visited the past weekend in the Ezra Englant home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hendricks and son of Brownfield, Texas, and Mr. C. C. Kessler of Friona, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kessler.

Mrs. A. M. Wilson, who was in the Clovis Memorial Hospital for the past few days receiving medical care, was returned to her home

Thursday and is reported doing fine at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Mannion returned the past weekend from a few days visiting in Arkansas with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck McCuan spent the past Sunday with her parents in Clovis.

Misses Betty and Diane Cochran of Albuquerque, N. M., spent the past weekend visiting Dottie Young.

Miss Jean Danner of Clovis spent Saturday visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Englant and family of California are visiting her in the Ezra Englant home this week.

BONDS FAMILY HOLD REUNION AT PLAINVIEW

HAPPY—For their first reunion since 1923, the family of the late Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bonds gathered recently in the Paine Dalton home in Plainview. Among the 96 relatives and guests present were the 10 sons and daughters and their families.

A basket dinner was spread at the noon hour and the afternoon was spent taking pictures, playing 42 and canasta, and discussing "old times."

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ponder and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Ponder and son, all of Wilmer, Cal.; Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Bonds, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ponder and Jerry, Valley Mills; Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Bonds, Jr., Christine Bonds, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bonds, Waco; Mr. and Mrs.

Jack Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bonds and Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Bonds and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bonds and Mary Lou, Tulia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Holland, Mrs. Nelda Jean Crable, Mr. and Mrs. Paine Dalton and children, all of Plainview; Billie Jo Bonds, Sedalia, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Bonds, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Bonds, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tidenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Ray McDonald and Johnie, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bonds, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bonds and son, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bonds and family, all of Happy; Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Bonds and Tom, Bovina.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Thornton, Farwell; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Westfall, Dale Westfall, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Bonds and family, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bonds and son, all of Canyon; Mrs. Mattie Elrod, Mrs. Carrie Bonds, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Roark, Wildorado.

POLICE GETS WHIFF OF 'WOOF'

A Duluth, Minn., man was arrested for drunkenness after being found barking at a dog. Police got a whiff of his 90-proof "woof!"

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In an overseas Army camp, two inseparable Texans were discussing the grandeur of their native land when another soldier walked over to join them.

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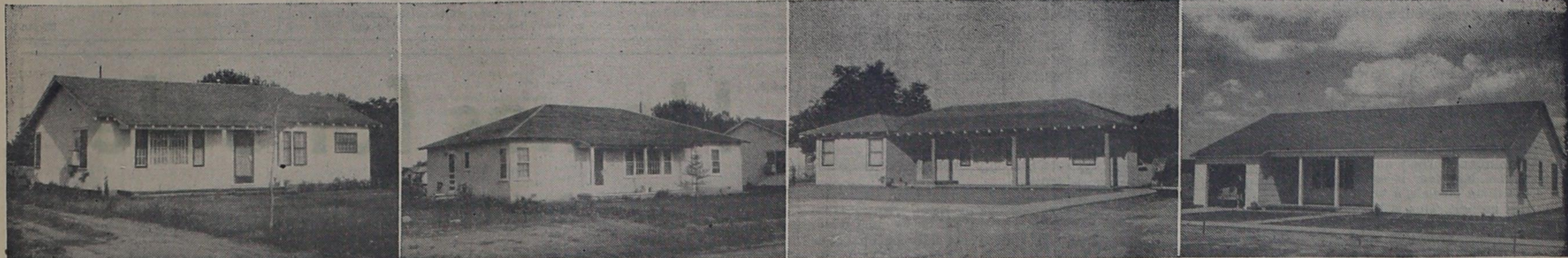
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No. 2 In a Series

Four More Handsome Homes that Beautify the Streets of Texico-Farwell



The four new homes pictured above are examples of the spacious residences that have been erected in Texico and Farwell in recent years. All of these houses are characterized by large picture windows, hardwood floors, and modern kitchens. All four houses have neat front lawns adding to the attractiveness of the homes. Pictured first is the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Stockton of Texico. It has a white

stucco finish with window frames and roof painted red. The Stocktons decided to build the home when they could not find a place to rent. Second is the home of Mr. and Mrs. Agrie Jones of Texico, which is located next door to the Stockton's. The Jones family combined two or three house plans before making the final plan for the pale green orien-

tal stucco house. Third is the J. R. Thornton home, which is light brick with a shingle roof. They plan to build a double garage with a breezeway from the house in the future. Pictured fourth is the O. C. Pullam home, located two and one-half blocks south of the courthouse. It has a large set-in porch and a garage attached to the house.

Tribune Staff Photo

This is the second in a series of feature articles The Tribune is carrying on new homes in Texico and Farwell. This week, two homes were selected from each of the Twin Cities, and The Tribune is proud to present a brief story and description of each. Persons in Texico and Farwell who are proud owners of new homes are invited to visit our offices and a reporter will be dispatched along with a photographer to the residence. No charge is made for the story of course, but an engraving fee of \$2.50 must be assessed. The Tribune is anxious to cooperate with interested persons in this series of articles by Jeanne Dudley.

C. B. Stockton Home

"The construction of our house was really a 'jumped up' affair," say the C. B. Stocktons. "We couldn't find a place to rent, so we decided to build."

Mr. and Mrs. Stockton and son, Charles Bennett, moved into their new home in August of last year. Construction of the house was begun in June; it was built by Smith and Mize in Portales.

The Stockton home contains a combination living room and dining room, two bedrooms, kitchen, utility room, and bathroom. All the floors are oak hardwood, and natural varnished woodwork is used throughout the home, except in the kitchen, where it is painted white.

The living room has a three-section paneled picture window which is centered on the west wall. Nylon panels with wine and chartreuse floral designed drapes carry out the color scheme of the room. Mahogany furniture is used; a tier table with an ornamental lamp is placed by the large window.

Mrs. Stockton says that they plan to redecorate the living room and dining room. They intend to furnish the rooms in all blonde sectional furniture with wall-to-wall carpeting.

Venetian blinds are used on all the windows in home; it is also air conditioned. Heating is done by floor furnace.

The dining room is furnished in blonde oak furniture with teal blue plastic cushions in the chairs. A large rectangular mirror over the low modern buffet maintains the decorative scheme of the room.

The Stockton home has solid slab doors between most of the rooms. Sliding doors are used on all the closets and a sliding door is installed between the kitchen and the utility room. A quarter-moon window decorates the front door. An archway separates the living room and dining room.

Charles' room has a marine decorative scheme. The twin beds have blue "ship" bedspreads; matching curtains are on the windows. The light fixture is also of a ship design. The room is furnished in natural wood furniture and has grown carpeting.

Walls and ceilings of the home are all white textone. Corner windows are featured in both bedrooms and the walk-in closets have built-in storage shelves.

A linen closet opens into the hallways and contains both shelves and drawers. A mirror and what-not shelves complete the hallway ornaments.

The bath has a built-in linen closet and clothes hamper. It has grey asphalt floor covering, with black and silver plastic curtains and matching shower curtains. White tile board surround the bath tub.

The master bedroom is done in yellow and white with dotted swiss curtains and a white bedspread. Yellow throw rugs emphasize the color scheme. Linen closets are built in the northwest corner of the room with a special hot water heater closet. Veneer furniture is used. Both bedrooms have corner windows.

The all-white kitchen is neatly arranged with the cabinet extending around the south, west, and north walls. An electric refrigerator and dish washer and a gas stove

complete the mechanical phase of the room.

The floor and cabinet top are of blue-grey rubber tile. The large windows with tiny curtains have novelty corner shelves on either side. The round novelty shelves also are built at the end of the cabinet. Large rounded shelves are constructed in the northeast corner of the kitchen. The porcelain and chrome breakfast set has quilted plastic covers on the chairs.

A hall leads off the kitchen to the utility room. A broom closet also opens off the hall.

In general, the house is what the Stocktons wanted when they decided on the floor plan. It will especially meet their requirements when all the extra touches are added, Mrs. Stockton says.

The home faces the west. Bluegrass is planted in the front yard and Medifest is planted in the back yard. A porch extends about half way across the front of the house.

Window frames and the roof are painted red, the rest of the house has a white stucco finish. Flowers are planted along the front by the porch.

The hedge extends along the north side of the lot from front to back. Poplar trees are planted along the back of the yard and a semi-circle flower garden is planted in the northeast corner. Flowers appear almost around the house.

In the future, the Stocktons plan to build a garage on the southwest corner of the lot, with an outdoor furnace behind the structure.

The linen closets and the utility room were planned by Mrs. Stockton. The kitchen was a complete model of one belonging to her sister, Mrs. Earl Thompkins of Rosedale, N. M.

Mrs. Stockton says she saw practically every nail that was driven into the house and every board that was put up. Her husband was working, so she had the job of supervision.

Agrie Jones Home

The Agrie Jones family of Texico took plans of two or three houses, studied them and combined the features they liked to make the plan for their new home which is located one block north and two blocks east of the Texico schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones and two children, Monte and Lona Mae live in the new structure. Another daughter, Gervadine, is married and lives in Portales. Jones is superintendent of Texico schools.

Smith and Mize of Portales began building the new house in the early part of June, 1949, and the Jones family moved into the structure in July.

Containing three bedrooms, combination living room and dining room, kitchen, two bathrooms, and a utility room, the house has all oak floors and natural varnished woodwork.

Slab doors are between all the rooms and sliding doors are on all the closets. Walk-in closets have built-in shelves for storage.

The spacious 31x18-foot combination living room and dining room features a large paneled three-section picture window which covers approximately half of the west wall. A low bookcase in natural varnished wood extends all the way across under the window.

"We really have enjoyed the west front, although many friends warned us that we wouldn't when we moved in," Mrs. Jones says.

The living room is furnished in modern sectional furniture in rose and green colors. Green floral drapes on the large window carry out the color scheme. End tables with green ivy filled lamps, a tier table, and throw rugs complete the decorative scheme of this room.

The dining room portion of the room has several unique features. French doors which cover the larger portion of the east wall open onto a rock terrace at the back of the house.

The china closet, which was designed by Mrs. Jones, is built along the north wall. Finished in natural wood, the closet extends nearly to the ceiling and features shelves, drawers, and a small connecting window to the kitchen.

Mrs. Jones says she had some difficulty in convincing the carpenters that she wanted the china closet to be as large as it is. It was the only time she became perturbed while the house was under construction. She explained that the carpenters were quite patient, however.

The dining room is furnished in light oak furniture with lime green cushions on the chairs. Green organdy curtains cover the French doors.

Red rubberized plastic covers the top of the white-painted cabinet, which extends around three walls of the room. The large windows over the double sink feature red and white checked curtains.

The same color scheme is carried out by red and white checked table cloth and chair cushions. Mrs. Jones has a gas stove and an electric refrigerator.

All walls in the Jones home are white textone; heating is done by floor furnace.

The utility room of the house is used mostly for a laundry room. It contains a washing machine, tubs, and other laundry equipment. It even features a built-in ironing board.

The smaller bathroom which joins one of the bedrooms is done in blue and yellow, with blue plastic shower curtains and blue window curtains.

Lona Mae's bedroom has a burgundy and yellow color scheme; with yellow organdy curtains and pillows. Mahogany furniture is used in this room.

Pictures and table lamps are used extensively in the decorative scheme of the home.

Monte's room has twin beds with rose bedspreads and deep rose floral drapes. A gun case is installed along the east wall.

The bathroom has large built-in linen closets; also a clothes hamper and a special closet for the vacuum cleaner.

Mahogany furniture is used in the master bedroom, which is decorated in pink and white. Mrs. Jones also keeps her sewing machine here and sews in this room.

Tesque grass has been planted in the front yard, Bermuda is planted in the backyard.

Both a flower garden and a vegetable garden have been planted at the back of the house. The flower garden also extends along the north part of the front yard and on around the backyard. The Jones are quite proud of this garden.

Future plans of the family include the building of an outdoor fireplace and probably a hedge to be planted around the entire backyard. They also plan to build a garage at the back of the house on the northeast side of the lot in the near future.

The Jones home has a pale green oriental stucco finish and a shingle roof. Later on, the window frames and roof will be painted a grey-green color.

The concrete porch extends over a large portion of the front of the house, with square white posts dispersed at intervals.

The back porch is located on the north side of the house, is concrete and sidewalks extend from the driveway in front of the home. "The house is exactly as we planned it to be," Mrs. Jones explains. "Of course there are a few small changes we might make, but there are no big ones."

J. R. Thornton Home

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Thornton and daughter, Iris, lived on a farm north of Farwell before building their new ranch style home in town.

Construction was begun on the new home on September 14, 1949 and the family moved in on December 22. Arnold and Arnold of Clovis were contractors. The house has a central heating and air conditioning unit, oak hardwood floors and natural varnished woodwork.

A coat closet opens off the entrance hall which leads into the living room. The closet has an automatic light which comes on when the door is opened.

Sliding doors are used between the kitchen and dining room and on all the closets. Solid slab doors are used elsewhere. Walk-in closets have built-in storage shelves.

A three-section picture window with green brocaded satin drapes centers the east wall of the living room. A light brick fireplace with a natural wood mantle and concrete hearth, and gas logs appears on the west wall. A mirror is placed over the fireplace with fluorescent lighting on either side. The room is furnished in mahogany.

The unique glass-topped coffee table has the national capital building carved out in dark wood. The built-in bookcase on the south wall of the room is done in natural wood. The color scheme is carried out by pale green textone walls and green throw rugs.

Venetian blinds are used throughout the house; fluorescent lights appear in the dining room and bathroom.

Oak furniture with a poster bed and three-section mirror on the dresser is used to furnish the guest bedroom which is decorated in a soft peach color.

The bathroom is done in green and yellow, with tile board walls and asphalt tile flooring. It contains a built-in linen closet and clothes hamper.

Iris's room has pale blue walls. She plans to redecorate with a maroon color scheme. A unique feature of the room is a built-in chest of drawers in natural wood. Twin beds with cream-colored leather head boards, a low modern dresser, and white nylon drapes on the windows furnish the room. Throw rugs are used extensively in the house.

Linen closets in the hall have sliding doors and display a large clothes hamper, shelves and drawers.

The master bedroom is furnished with mahogany furniture, has twin beds and double closets. The walls are pale pink and dotted swiss drapes and white figured bedspreads are used.

A storage closet opens onto the hall between the kitchen and master bedroom. A second bathroom also opens onto this hall. Decorated in rust tile board with blue drapes and asphalt tile flooring, it has something "new and different"—a lock on the sliding door.

The modern kitchen is furnished with all-steel cabinets with double sink, an electric stove and refrigerator, and a breakfast nook which opens out of the wall. A fan over the stove takes out cooking odors, and revolving shelves are unique features. The walls are pink tile board and textone; the top of the cabinet and floors are covered with asphalt tile.

An archway separates the living room from the dining room. Mahogany furniture with cream leather cushions in the chairs and rose satin brocaded drapes on the windows, complete the decorative scheme of this room.

A door opens off the kitchen and leads down into the large basement, which contains two rooms and a large storage closet. It has glass brick windows and the electric hot water heater is stored there. A two-way light switch is installed at the top and the bottom of the stairs.

Three-way switch in the hall operates the lights in the bathroom, bedroom and living room. A hall switch also operates a flood light at the back of the house. A doorbell is located at the front and the back of the house.

The Thorntons plan later to build a double garage with a breezeway from the house, and a concrete driveway. An outdoor fireplace will then be built behind the garage.

The backyard is fenced, with poplar trees growing along the back of the yard. A large garden is planted in the west portion.

The house is light brick with a shingle roof. Both front and back porches are of tile, with rough-hewn square posts extending along the front porch. A brick patio is built in the back. An iron rail between the first post on the porch and the house will be constructed in the future.

Bermuda grass is planted in the backyard, and Creeping Bent grass is in the front yard. Mr. Thornton laughs and says that he did the creeping and bending to get the weeds out of the lawn. A sidewalk extends along the north side of the house with a double sidewalk in front. A hedge has been started on the south.

The house, which is located on the block west of the courthouse, was planned by Iris and her brother, Julian. She started the plan and mailed it to him, he made changes and sent it back, they kept mailing the plan back and forth for a while, then he drew the final plan.

The Thorntons three-year-old grandson, Bill Quickel, helped oversee the construction of the home, they say. He says the basement is his room. Bill promised "Pal", his grandfather, that he would help mow the lawn when it grows tall.

It took a lot of planning, and the Thorntons are justly proud of their new home.

O. C. Pullam Home

"We are really pleased with our house, even more so than we thought we would be when it was begun," the O. C. Pullams say of their new home located two and one-half blocks south of the courthouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Pullam, Dorothy and Katherine, moved to Farwell from Texas City five years ago, and opened the Gulf Service Station.

The new Pullam home was begun in February of this year and the family moved into the structure in April. Charlie Hromas was contractor for the home.

The five-room house, which has a living room, dining room, kitchen, two bedrooms and a bathroom, is heated by floor furnace and has complete air conditioning. The floors are all pecan hardwood.

The Cape Cod style home is finished in white asbestos siding, with an asbestos shingle roof. The garage is built onto the house.

"We found a plan we liked and changed it to fit our needs," Mrs. Pullam says of the room arrangement. The large 19x13 foot living room features a three-section picture window on the west wall.

One of the most striking features of the room, however, is the mahogany and asbestos imitation marble ornamental fireplace.

A unique combination china closet bookcase, which was planned by Mrs. Pullam, separates the living room and dining room. The varnished natural wood structure extends between the rooms about six feet, and has rounded what-not shelves on the end of the case.

Bookshelves appear in the living room, but a china closet with glass doors is featured on the other side in the dining room.

A light wallpaper is used in the living room and dining room with lime green silk faille drapes on the windows. The living room is furnished with mahogany using a maroon, green, and cream color scheme.

An ornamental lamp with a white satin brocaded shade and a china base is centered on a table before the large window in the front of the house.

All walls and ceilings in the home are textone. Venetian blinds are featured on all the windows and drapes are used throughout the house. Pictures are used extensively in the decorative scheme.

and west walls of the 19 by 11 foot kitchen. The exterior is painted white, with the interior a soft coral pink. The cabinet top is done in maroon plastic.

The bottom part of the wall is finished in white board tile; the top part is papered with a green floral design. Grey asphalt tile covers the floor. Gas stove and electric refrigerator are used. The green topped dnette set trimmed in chrome and candy-stripped chintz curtains cover the windows.

A hallway opening off the kitchen features a large pantry and built-in shelves for storage space.

A maroon color scheme is carried out in the master bedroom, which is furnished in solid pecan furniture with a massive poster bed. The walls have a maroon and grey floral paper except the east wall which is done in grey and maroon stripes. The color scheme is emphasized by maroon bedspread, drapes, and carpeting.

Walk-in cedar papered closets are featured throughout the house. Both bedrooms contain double closets. Solid slab doors appear between all the rooms.

Large linen closets containing built-in shelves and drawers open onto the hallway. The colorful bathroom is done in aqua wood tile and white textone with grey asphalt tile on the floor. It contains a built-in clothes hamper, linen closet and dressing table. Fluorescent lighting is used in this one room.

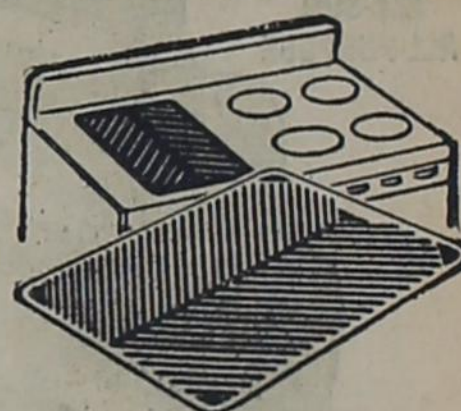
Dorothy and Katherine's room is decorated in pastel colors featuring blue—soft blue wall paper with darker blue drapes carry out the scheme. Light solid oak modern furniture, with a large square mirror on the low dresser completes the room arrangement.

"There are so many things we plan to add later," the Pullams say, "but we wouldn't think of actually changing anything."

The house has a large set-in concrete porch with square posts. There is also a concrete back porch. The Pullams plan to fence the back yard, extend a patio and build a fireplace in the future. They have planted rye grass in the backyard, which is already coming up.

The front yard is planted in Bent grass. The neat yard arrangement is completed with sidewalks extending to the house and a concrete driveway leading to the garage.

The Pullams still have long range plans for their home, but they are quite pleased with the new house, which meets all the specifications that they were striving toward.



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No Marketing Quotas For 1951 Wheat

There will be no marketing quotas for the 1951 wheat crop.

This announcement by the Secretary of Agriculture on June 26 is based on provisions of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, Joe Camp, secretary of the Farmer Production and Marketing Administration, explains.

The current wheat crop is estimated at 845 million bushels and the carryover from last year is estimated at 450 million bushels, a total of 1395 million bushels. This is 18 percent more than the normal supply—the estimated amount needed for domestic consumption and export. Marketing quotas for wheat must be proclaimed when the total supply exceeds the normal supply by more than 20 percent.

Wheat export possibilities for the July 1, 1950—June 30, 1951 crop year are estimated at about 325 million bushels. Domestic consumption for the current year is estimated at 700 million bushels—490 million for food, about 130 million for feed, and 80 million for seed.

An announcement on wheat acreage allotments for the 1951 crop will be made by the Secretary of Agriculture on or before July 15, Camp said.

Water District Being Sought In Lubbock

With petitions circulating throughout the county, Lubbock farmers are moving to form an underground water conservation district under House Bill 162.

They took the action July 6 at a meeting addressed by W. O. Fortenberry, New Deal ginner and president of the Lubbock and High Plains water associations; L. A. Howard, Lubbock lawyer; A. P. Duggan, Jr., Littlefield lawyer; and Raymond Lee Johns, Plainview representative of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Fortenberry told the farmers that the High Plains Water Conservation and Users Association, which steered House Bill 162 through the 51st Texas Legislature, "Can't represent you again in Austin if you don't make this law work."

The conservation district law was substituted for legislation seeking state control of water. The present law guarantees private ownership and provides for a conservation program carried out by local, independent water districts.

"This is our own program, we asked for it, and we must make it work or take the consequences," Fortenberry declared.

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Beat 1 egg and add 1/4 cup pineapple juice. Add to flour mixture. Add 1 cup drained crushed pineapple. Stir only until flour is well moistened.

Using 2 forks, drop batter on greased baking sheet, shaping it into bars about 4 1/2 inches long and 1 inch wide. Press sides smooth. Bake in hot oven (425 degrees F.) 15 minutes.

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TO: Charles A. Elmore, Mrs. Charles A. Elmore and the unknown heirs, assigns and legal representatives of Charles A. Elmore and Mrs. Charles A. Elmore Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Parmer County at the Court House thereof, in Farwell, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 14th day of August A. D. 1950, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court on the 28th day of June A. D. 1950, in this cause, numbered 1525 on the docket of said court and styled C. D. Day Plaintiff, vs. Charles A. Elmore, et al Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

Plaintiff brings this suit in Tresspass or Try Title, alleging that on June 1, 1950, he was the owner in fee simple of Lots 5 and 6, Block 4, McMillen and Ferguson Addition to the original town of Friona, Parmer County, Texas. On the second day of June, 1950, defendants unlawfully entered upon said land and dispossessed him, to his

damage in the sum of Ten Dollars and in the alternative, plaintiff fully pleads the five year statute of limitations. Plaintiff prays for title and possession of said land, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Seal of said Court at office in Farwell, Texas, this the 28th day of June A. D. 1950.

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Marriage lies at the bottom of all government.—Confucius.

LIST OF TEXAS POETS WANTED

A complete list of Texas poets is wanted for the bibliography being compiled by the Poetry Society of Texas. All poets in the state who have not been listed, please send names and information about your work to David R. Russell 2945 Stanford, Dallas, 5 Texas.

A VOICE FROM NOWHERE

A psychiatric board was testing the mentality of a soldier. "Do you ever hear voices without being able to tell who is speaking or where the voices come from?" he was asked. "Yes sir," answered the soldier. "And when does this occur?" "When I answer the telephone."

Bank assets reached new high level of \$130,000,000,000 in '49.

Specialist Tells How To Buy Good Towels

State Health Officer Geo. W. Cox has turned the bright light of optimism on the heretofore dark picture of polio in Texas.

Observing that the state's 1000 case of polio since the year's beginning has occurred among a population of 7½ million people, the health official Thursday deplored "the attitude of hysteria that polio creates in a community."

That didn't mean people should not be concerned, the doctor commented, for a case of illness in any form is good reason for great concern.

"I'm talking about the fear that keeps a person or a whole community from thinking straight. Of course each case of polio is an individual tragedy for the family involved, but wholesale public panic simply is not justified."

He doesn't want to encourage complacency either, the state director said, adding:

"Every clear-thinking effort must be made to keep every home, every community, every vacation camp consistently clean and sanitary. Briefly, elimination of fly and insect breeding places, personal cleanliness, and getting milk, water, and food from safe, approved sources will aid in preventing a number of communicable diseases."

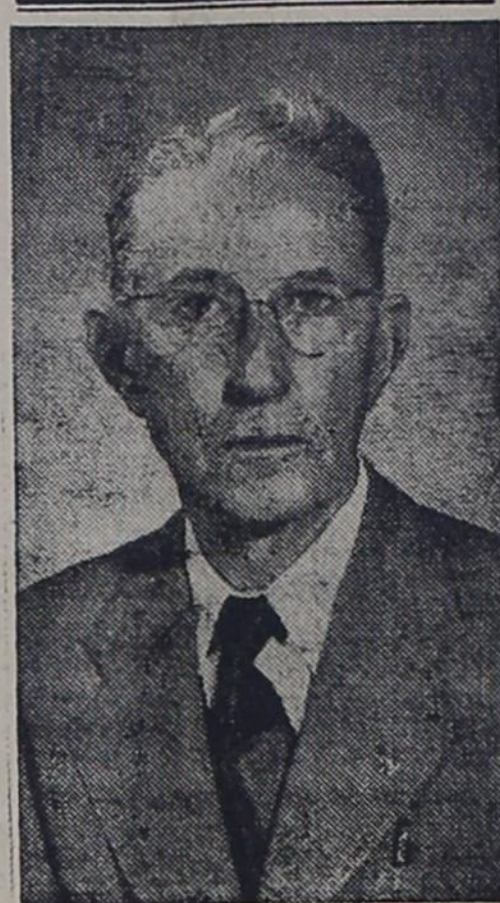
National statistics, Dr. Cox asserted, show good reason for optimism in most cases of polio. According to the figures, from 40 to 60 percent of all victims recover completely and can do anything they choose.

From 25 to 40 percent recover with only minor disability, and can, within very wide limits, lead perfectly normal lives. From 15 to 20 percent are more severely handicapped, and 5 to 10 percent terminate fatally.

"It all goes to show that polio is actually a minor cause of illness, and an even less significant cause of death, when compared to certain other communicable diseases," the health officer concluded.

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Crop Prospects For 1950 Are Uncertain

The production of cash and feed crops in Texas cannot be predicted at this time, however, prospects are not highly favorable. Dry weather in the very early spring handicapped farming operations and through late April, May and early June heavy rains retarded crop plantings in many sections, says C. H. Bates, extension farm management specialist of Texas A. and M. College.

Crop damage from hailstorms and insects has been heavy in many sections of the state and unusually heavy rains in some areas have caused delays and costly replanting of cotton and grain sorghums as well as other crops, Bates adds.

He points out that the acreages of major crops are materially reduced by allotments on individual farms. The crops affected are wheat, rice, peanuts and cotton. For comparison, Bates gives the 1949 harvested acreage and the 1950 allotted acreages for the four crops. Wheat—

7,093,000 acres and 6,096,000 acres (only 2,743,000 acres are expected to be harvested in 1950); rice—526,000 acres and 452,000 acres; peanuts—572,000 acres and 499,800 acres and cotton—10,296,000 acres and 8,057,000 acres.

The reduced acreages coupled with poor yield prospects at this time and with the prices of most crops somewhat lower than a year ago, indicate says Bates that Texas farmers can hardly expect the returns they enjoyed in 1949.

On the other hand, production costs are remaining high. This means, according to Bates, that farmers must trim expenditures wherever possible if present living standards are to be maintained. Plans should be made now to utilize crops efficiently and this includes wise marketing. When possible Bates says grain and feed crops should be marketed through livestock because the price outlook for livestock and livestock products is relatively favorable.

Generally he says pastures and supplementary grazing crops look promising. Along with these somewhat larger acreages of grain

sorghum and corn have been planted and this extra grain and forage might be used for feeding out more livestock. This extra income will take up some of the "slack" but he adds adjustments will need to be made to keep crops and livestock in balance over the long pull.

He concludes that good planning and close figuring may keep Texas farmers on the black side of the ledger this year but the need for sound farming and business-like management is increasing by the hour. Now is the time to really study the farm business and work out definite plans for increasing the income and reducing production costs in the overall operations of the farm.

RESERVISTS APPLY IN CLOVIS

Lieutenant Commander Lee J. Delworth, officer in charge of the New Mexico and West Texas recruiting area, announces that naval reservists desiring active duty may apply at the navy recruiting station in Clovis.

Freezing Of Peaches Used For Preserving

Freezing is one of the newer methods being used for preserving peaches and when properly done is very satisfactory. According to Louise Mason, extension foods and nutrition specialist of Texas A. and M. College several factors are involved in the selection and preparation of the fruit and in the freezing process that must be given careful attention if the results are to be satisfactory.

She says the best varieties for freezing are Elberta, Hiley, J. H. Hale, Hale Haven and Frank. The peaches to be frozen should have reached the choice eating stage. This means firm, evenly ripened fruit of good quality.

After the peaches have been selected they should be carefully washed and peeled. They should be treated to prevent discoloration and she says there are several products

available for doing this job.

Ascorbic acid, vitamin C, is one of them. It is available in powdered and tablet form and she says that one and a quarter of the 100 milligram tablets should be used for each pint of fruit or one-half teaspoon of the powdered ascorbic acid for each quart of syrup. The ascorbic acid should be dissolved in the syrup before it is poured over the fruit, she adds.

Citric acid is also recommended for preventing discoloration. She says to dissolve one-fourth of a teaspoon of citric acid in one quart of cool water and to leave the fruit in the solution only 15 or 20 minutes, then remove, place in containers and cover with sugar syrup.

Miss Mason says there are several commercial preparations available on the market that are recommended for preventing discoloration but if they are used, the manufacturers' directions should be carefully followed.

She lists the following as the essential steps in freezing peaches. Select fresh, firm and ripe peaches.

Wash them well, peel and remove seed and halve or slice. Then treat to prevent discoloration. Package the fruit in the containers for freezing and cover with sugar syrup. The syrup can be made by dissolving three cups of sugar in one quart of water or she adds dry sugar may be preferred to the syrup.

Next, she continues place crushed waxed paper or cellophane on top of the peaches to keep them under the syrup. Seal the containers and quick freeze immediately. Miss Mason says that when frozen peaches are properly prepared and stored, they will retain their good quality for at least one year.

A tourist was crossing the ocean for the first time, and began to feel strangely dizzy. Staggering to the steward, he asked what would prevent seasickness. "Have you a quarter," the steward asked. "Certainly," replied the tourist, taking the desired coin from his pocket, "but do hurry." "Now," said the steward, "put it between your teeth, and keep it there."

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Happenings at Friona

ABIE CRUME, correspondent. Phone contributions to 2791.

Dedication Service Held Friday Night

FRIONA—Special candlelight dedication services were held on the lawn of the Friona Methodist Church, Friday evening, when the young people of the church wound up a week-long series of meetings under the direction of a Youth Caravan group.

Some thirty-five young people assembled at the church for the final service, with each taking a lighted candle as the dedication was made. The evening concluded with songs and communion service.

Meetings were held each evening of the week at the church, beginning at 5:30 with a fellowship supper being served in the annex by members of various Sunday School classes. On Thursday evening a werner roast and worship service, featuring a lighted cross, was enjoyed by the group.

While instruction on carrying on church work was given to the young people, special emphasis was placed on the intermediate group, which is just organized. A general work program was outlined for the intermediates, who are under the sponsorship of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Osborn.

Rev. James Tidwell reported that he was very gratified with the response made by the younger members of the church to the Caravan visitation, with some 30 to 35 young people on hand each evening for the special programs.

The Caravan personnel, Miss Mary

Jane Turrentine of Lubbock, Miss Ruth Dixno of Vaughn, Miss; Bill Turner of Houston, Miss Jane Semple of Lawrence, Kans.; and Miss Bonnie Jean McCurdy of Conroe, Tex., departed Saturday to conduct a week of programs at the San Jacinto Methodist Church in Amarillo.

Lions Hear Three Special Speakers

FRIONA — Friona Lions heard three special speakers at their regular meeting last Thursday night, when a large delegation of the local club was on hand.

Visiting speakers included Bob Ware of Hereford, who spoke on "Communism"; Richard Nott of Worcestershire, England, who is in Texas studying farming practices; and a Mr. Crouse, of South Africa, who is currently at the Otho Whitefield farm studying the sheep industry in the States.

Nott, in his comparison of farming practices of Texas and England, stated that English farming is "by necessity" more widely diversified, with particular attention paid to raising of beef and dairy animals, rather than putting the land into cash crops.

Nott is making his visit to Texas under the sponsorship of an English youth farming group, and is taking in various portions of the state on his tour here.

Crouse is making his visit in the States on his own working power, being particularly interested in sheep raising. He has visited a num-

ber of sheep ranches over the country, and plans to remain here for several more months.

Camp Concludes Summer Sessions

FRIONA—Two encampments for girls—both junior and intermediate—wound up activities for the summer at District 9 Baptist camp near Floydada, the past week. The junior girls were in session the first three days of the week, with the intermediates taking over the accommodations for the remainder of the week.

Attending the junior camp was the largest number recorded for the summer, with 1127 girls and sponsors registered from over the large district, Mrs. T. B. Allen, of the local church, reported. Some 876 were on hand for the intermediate camp, she added.

Feature of the gathering was the appearance of Charles Culpepper Jr., Baptist missionary who recently returned to this country after service in China. Special study classes were held, with the juniors devoting their work to a study of the book "Prelude to Prayer," Mrs. Allen added.

Attending from Friona during the week were Joyce Ann Miller, Beverly Sue Jones, Laura Nell Hardesty, Margie Haws, Alta Mae Wilkins, and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hardesty, in the intermediate group; the juniors were Marie White, Sally Osborn, Sandra Brock, Katherine Dunn, Ray Jean Jones, Joy Crow, Louann Hardesty, Phila Mae, Lila

Gay and DeAnn Buske, Bronnell Allen, and the sponsors, Mrs. Allen and Mrs. W. S. Crow.

Methodist Group To Ceta Canyon, 24th

A delegation of intermediates of the local Methodist Church, with their sponsors, will leave here the first of next week for the Methodist grounds at Ceta Canyon, where the summer encampment will last through the week.

Rev. James Tidwell, pastor of the Friona church, is general director of the week-long gathering, which embraces representatives from all the churches in Amarillo district.

Social Planned For Tonight At Church

An ice cream supper and all-church social is planned by Friona Baptists for tonight (Wednesday), to be held on the church grounds, officials announced today.

Climaxing the social will be a drive for funds to aid in the building of the new church on which construction is making good progress, Rev. T. B. Allen said. All members of the church are urged to be on hand for the evening, with activities slated to begin at 8 o'clock.

REVIVAL DATES SET

Summer revival dates for the Friona Baptist Church have been announced for Aug. 13 through Aug. 25 by the pastor, Rev. T. B. Allen. Doing the evangelistic preaching for the services will be Rev. W. C. Carpenter, of Raton, N. M., and Tim Magness, local choir director, will be in charge of the music.

HOME ON SUNDAY

Mrs. Vance Crume and daughter, Judy, returned home Sunday after having enjoyed a vacation in the

Treg Ritos and Red River, N. M., area since last Tuesday. They were joined on the trip by Mrs. Crume's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Graham and daughter, Sammy, of Farwell.

IN McFARLAND HOME

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. McFarland were hosts Sunday to relatives of Mr. McFarland's, including his brother, Lon McFarland, Liberty Hill, Texas, and the latter's daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Vaughn, of Levelland, Texas. The elder McFarland observed his 79th birthday Sunday.

TO CONDUCT REVIVAL

Rev. T. B. Allen of the Baptist Church will go on Friday of next week to Lelia Lake, Texas, where he is to do the preaching in a summer revival series of the Lelia Lake church, beginning on July 28 and concluding Aug. 6.

BRING IN FISH

Mack Bainum and son, Danny Mack, Artis Fallwell, Charley Bainum and sons, Dudley and Wayne, returned Sunday from Conchas Lake, near Tucumcari, N. M., where they had spent a few days fishing. They report a good catch of pike.

VISIT IN AMARILLO

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Foster of Foster Dry Goods, and Mrs. Henry Lewis, of the Lewis Variety Store, were in Amarillo the first of the week, attending a showing of Christmas gift items.

ON WEEKEND VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Rushing and children, Eric Vance, George, and Janet Lynn, returned home the first of the week, after spending several days vacationing in the Taos and Red River, N. M., areas.

TO OKLAHOMA

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Roden and family are spending this week in

Bennington, Okla., with relatives. Roden is manager of the Farmer County Community Hospital in Friona.

CHURCH PICNIC SATURDAY

An all-church picnic has been announced for the Friona Methodist Church for Saturday of this week, July 22, with the group planning to spend the day at the Methodist camp grounds in Ceta Canyon. Rev. James Tidwell, pastor, said the encampment would last only one day, with regular services being held in the church on Sunday.

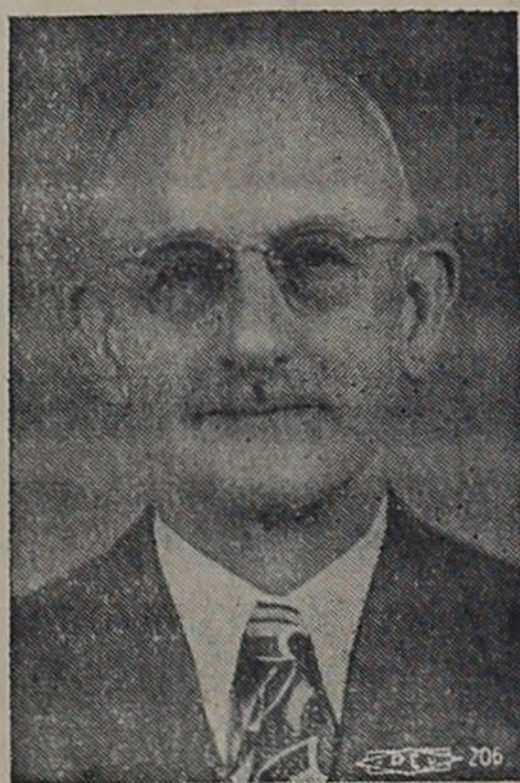
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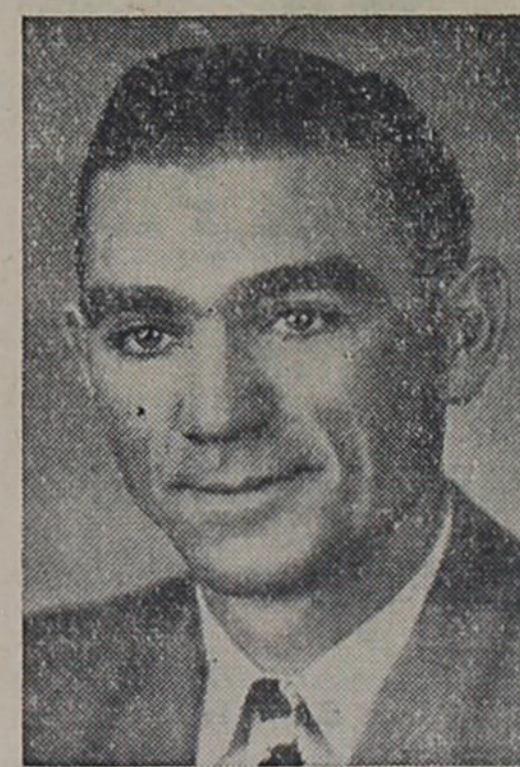
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Advice Given On Watering Plants

There is a right and wrong way to water ornamental plants, especially during the hot, dry, summer months. How well the job is done can determine the condition and health of the plants at summer's end, says Sadie Hatfield, extension specialist in homestead improvement of Texas A. & M. College.

A thorough soaking at intervals of a week or ten days is far better than a daily shallow watering, she says. Many plants are actually killed when only the top of the ground is wet.

Water may run off yet penetrate only an inch or so deep in the tight soils. Miss Hatfield says it is a good idea to use a shovel or spading fork and see for yourself whether or not the water is going into the soil or just wetting the top.

To do a thorough job, Miss Hatfield says, the water should be allowed to run very slowly over a long period of time. In areas of porous soils, the water should be applied at a faster rate because it penetrates rapidly and less will be required to do the job.

This is not the case on tight soils. She recommends the spade test as the best method for determining the

speed at which water should be applied to any type soil, and adds that when water is applied too fast, the run-off can carry away plant food.

A mulch made from the leaves that we've saved last fall will help conserve the moisture after it is applied. The leaves will gradually work into the soil and in turn will increase its water-holding capacity.

She says that mulching paper is sometimes used to protect the top soil against excessive moisture losses by evaporation. Other materials which may be used for mulching include cottonseed hulls, decayed finely ground hay or decayed straw, refuse from the trench silo and feed mills. Miss Hatfield says these mulches should be used on the plants that need air about their root systems.

Moisture, she says, should penetrate until they begin to show signs of needing moisture.

Withholding moisture will cause the roots of the plants to penetrate deeply into the soil, and on the other hand, shallow watering brings the roots to the surface where they may be injured by heat and drought in the summer and cold in the winter, she says.

The only woman held in really low esteem by the Berbers is the gobetween, although she is only employed in the respectable task of arranging marriages.

Health Officer Warns Against Polio Panic

A good towel is usually one that is fairly heavy and can absorb water quickly and in volume. The loops that are woven into the towel determine its absorbency, says Mrs. Beatrice Clayton, extension home management specialist of Texas A. & M. College, and she suggests that when you are buying towels you check this item.

The loops should be reasonably close together and fairly long. The longer loops make a towel soft and fluffy but they don't wear so well since they are apt to catch and pull out, says the specialist.

The heavy towels are more absorbent because there is more yarn to absorb water. The tag or label attached to the towel usually contains information on the weight and absorbency of the product.

Mrs. Clayton says you can judge the durability of towels by checking the weave of the background cloth, the hems and the finish of the edges. For good wear, the foundation cloth should have a firm, close weave that holds the loops firmly in place.

She suggests two tests that can be quickly made for checking towels. Hold some of the loops between your thumb and finger and see if they are firmly attached.

The other test is also simple; hold the towel between yourself and the light and check to see whether or not the light comes through evenly in fine points. That is the way it should be, says Mrs. Clayton.

The hems should have the raw edge turned at least a quarter of an inch and the stitching should be even with backstitched hems at the corners. A good closely woven selvage edge, she says, means durability.

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TRY THESE BAKING TIPS

Meat pies are all the better for a drop biscuit topping which gives both eye appeal and adds nutritional value. During the summer, add fresh corn kernels to the batter to make corn drop biscuits that have an unusually good flavor. Use one-half cup of corn kernels to a biscuit recipe calling for 1 cup of sifted enriched flour. Kernels may be added to the milk, then milk stirred lightly into flour mixture. Drop by spoonfuls on top of meat stew and bake in a hot oven (425 degrees F.) about 30 minutes.

DESERT SHOULD BE SURPRISE

Like the end of a well-written story, a holiday dessert should be a pleasant surprise. Designed for your hot weather pleasure are fresh

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These are made from a biscuit dough rolled thin, about one-eighth an inch thick, then cut into four-inch squares. Each square is fitted into a three-inch muffin cup, pricked and baked in a hot oven (475 degrees F.) 10 to 12 minutes.

Fill baskets with fresh raspberries or other fruit or berries, garnish with whipped cream and a whole pecan half.

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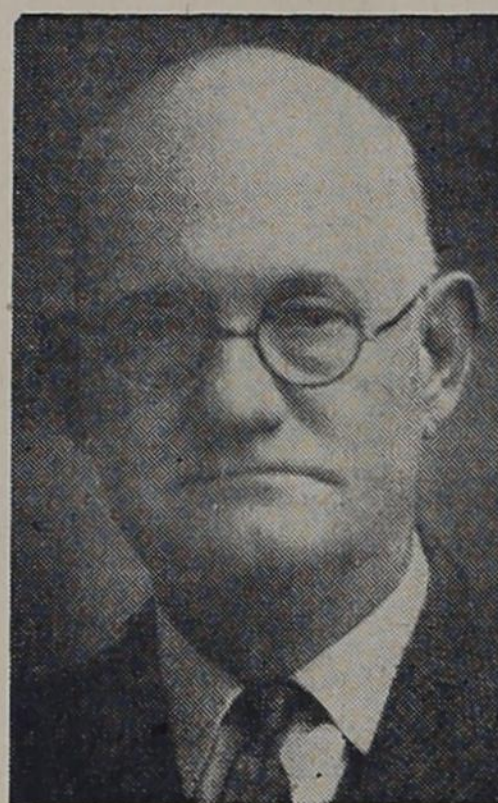
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- Moved to Ft. Sumner, New Mexico, where he taught school for ten years.
- County Superintendent of Schools in DeBaca County for four years.
- Graduated from New Mexico Normal University (now Highlands) with an A. B. degree.
- Attended law school at Cumberland University, was graduated with the degree of Bachelor of Laws.
- Passed State Bar Examination at Austin, and received licenses to practice law in all Court of the State of Texas.
- Began practice in Friona, October 1, 1931, and practiced there five years until elected County Attorney. Held that position until May of 1945, when the Commissioners' Court appointed his County Judge to succeed Judge Lee Thompson, resigned.

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LUBBOCK—Five earthquakes of varying intensity were recorded at the Texas Technological college seismological observatory during recent weeks, Dr. Leroy T. Patton has reported.

Dr. Patton said the Tech observatory picked up tremors in northern Chile, the Leeward islands, central Mexico, eastern Peru and in the gulf of California.

HOW TO MAKE CREAM PUFFS

Very small cream puffs make dainty refreshments to serve with iced coffee, tea or lemonade. They may be filled with a custard cream filling, sweetened whipped cream, or cream cheese filling.

SANITATION IMPORTANT

Sanitation is mighty important to the turkey poul. Brooder houses, brooders and all brooder equipment should be thoroughly cleaned and disinfected before the poults are put in the brooder house.

TIPS ON MUFFIN MAKING

When making muffins to go with summer salads, have milk and egg at room temperature for best results. This is especially important when melted shortening is used because cold milk will solidify shortening.

FEDERAL WORKERS

There were 2,090,925 civilian workers on the Government payroll at the end of March, according to the Civil Service commission. The total included 145,055 temporary census workers and was 140,517 higher than at the end of February.

THE TASK AT HAND

A rabid golfer said to Grantland Rice, the noted sports authority: "What is the most important stroke in golf?"

To which Mr. Rice instantly replied: "The next one."

RECRUITING STATION OPEN

Officials of the Navy Recruiting Station, Clovis, announce that due to recent increase in enlistment quota the local Navy recruiting station will be open from 8:30 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. Monday through Saturday. The station previously closed at noon Saturday.

At present there are no specific educational requirements for enlisting in the Navy. Interested persons are asked to call at the post office building, Clovis, or phone 6622.

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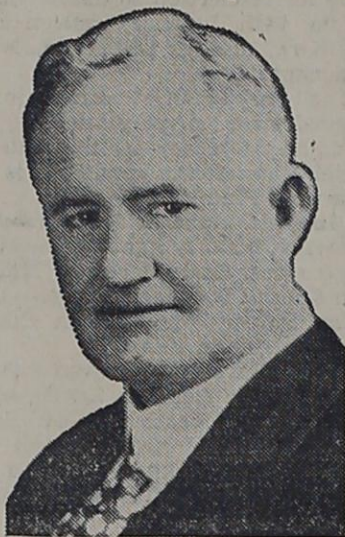
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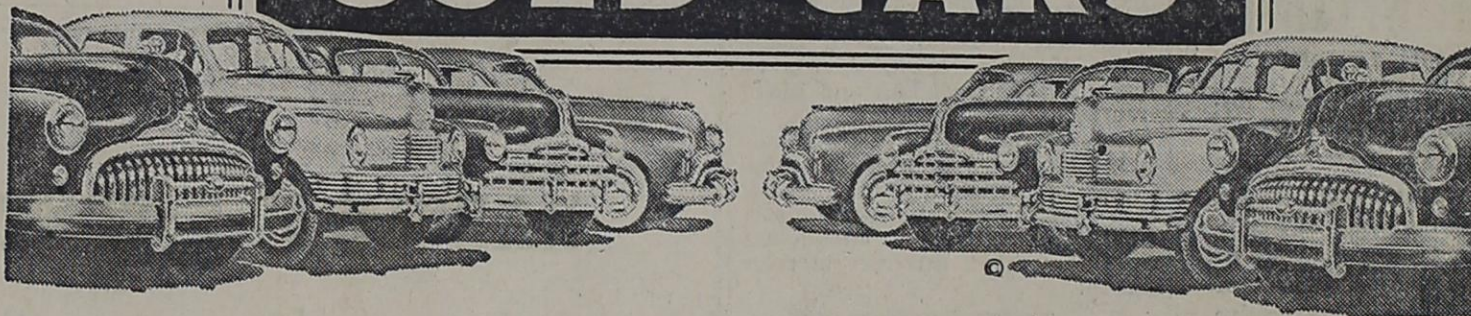
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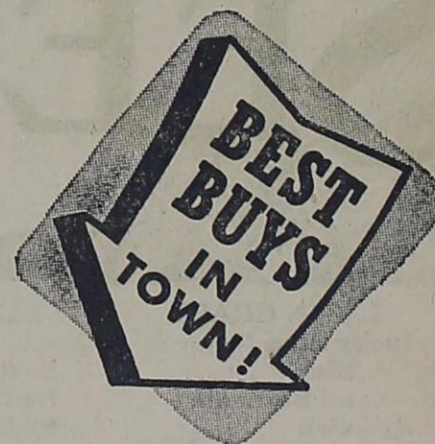
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BLUESOX IN WIN COLUMN AGAIN; HAVE HOPE FOR PLAYOFF BERTH

Back in the win column again this week are the Texico-Farwell Blue Sox after defeating a Big Square aggregation in a pitching duel in Farwell Sunday afternoon.

Given credit for the win is Left-hander Toby Booth, who earned his credit by going all nine cantos and allowing only one hit. He whiffed 14 opponents, and gave seven walks.

By winning over Big Square 6-1, the Sox hold to the hope that they may end up in the postseason playoffs. Three complete games yet remain and whether their hopes are to be realized probably will depend a great deal on the outcome of one and one-half games that will be played with Dimmitt there next Sunday.

In describing the game with Big Square, Sox Manager Wilfred Quickel said, "It was a pitcher's duel. There were only two earned runs scored on both sides."

Booth's opposing duelist was Herb Howell, who did as well as the Bluesox twirler with 14 S. O.'s, but allowed two hits and ten walks.

The Sox distributed their scores evenly over the nine innings, tallying two in the 3rd, one in the 4th, two in the 5th, and one in the 8th. Big Square scored their lone run in the 4th.

Starting the Bluesox' scoring in the third was Smith who was safe on an error in left field. Booth doubled, scoring Smith, and Howell temporarily lost control, walking three men. Booth was forced home for the second run.

In the 4th, London struck out, Smith was safe on an error. After a throw out on a fielder's choice on a fly by Booth, Hughes doubled to score Booth once more.

Also in the 4th was the only run

scored by Big Square. It came on three consecutive errors by the Sox. Howard scored the run.

In the 5th, G. Woods walked, and Don Ford was safe on an error. Woods scored on another miscue, and Ford, who had advanced to second, stole third. He went home on an error after J. Woods and L. London were given walks.

It was three up, three down for the Sox in the 6th. The 7th went the same way.

In the 8th, London walked, stole second, was hit by a ball on a put-out attempt, and returned to the plate on an error for the final run.

THE BOX SCORE

Texico-Farwell Bluesox				
	ab	r	e	
C. Woods	1	0	0	2
G. Woods	2	0	1	0
D. Ford	4	0	1	0
R. London	3	0	0	0
J. Woods	2	0	0	0
L. London	2	0	1	0
B. Smith	4	0	1	1
Booth	4	1	2	0
Hughes (in 4th)	2	1	0	0

Big Square				
	ab	r	e	
H. Howell	4	0	0	1
J. Smith	4	0	0	0
J. Howell	2	0	0	0
M. Langford	5	0	0	0
Howard	3	1	1	0
Baehrenof	4	0	0	0
C. Howard	4	0	0	2
Ross	4	0	0	0
Barrett	1	0	0	1

Officials—Quickel at plate; Alec Bateman, 1st, 2nd; Howell, 3rd.

West Texas-New Mexico Amateur LEAGUE STANDINGS

	W	L
Muleshoe	11	0
Portales	9	2
Lazbuddie No. 1	7	4
Bluesox (have tied 1)	5	5
Dimmitt (have tied 1)	5	5
Lazbuddie No. 2	4	7
Big Square	0	11
Bovina (withdrawn)		

Youth Caravan Visits Bovina Methodists

To visit the Bovina Methodist Church July 29 through August 4 will be a youth caravan that is specially trained for work with young people in the church, announces Rev. Oscar Bruce, pastor.

The caravan, which includes our trained young people and one adult counselor, is made up of people who have been chosen for their ability and sincerity in such work, added Rev. Bruce.

They include Miss Mary Elizabeth Sneed, Calena Park, Texas, who is the adult counselor; Margaret Anne Long, Cuero, Texas; Eileen Bakehouse, Hedrick, Iowa; Juanita Schultz, Hammond, La.; and Lloyd Stephens, Cornville, Ark.

Rev. Bruce said the young people of the Methodist Church in Bovina extend an invitation to other young people of the community and surrounding territory to attend this week of caravan activities in their church.

TO UNDERGO SURGERY

James D. (Jimmie) Overstreet, son of Mrs. Anne Overstreet of Farwell, who has been receiving treatment in a veteran's hospital the past few months, is scheduled to undergo surgery Saturday. H. Y. Overstreet, his brother, plans to leave here Friday to be present for the operation.

Texico Releases New Budget Estimation Politics Warm Up . .

(Continued from Page 1)

The Town of Texico has just drawn up its official budget estimation for the fiscal year 1950-51, announces W. L. Freeman, clerk. At a meeting of the city council at the City Hall Monday night, the council reviewed and drew up the estimate.

In the general fund requirements, which deals with the most common expenditures and credits of the town, Texico remained within the estimated budget for the past year in practically every category.

Here is a brief outline of the way expenses and credits stacked up during the past year:

EXPENSES		
	approved	spent
Salaries	\$1530	\$1400
Health	40	17
Office	50	8
Building	145	31
Police	15	9
Street Dept.	630	17
Insurs., Bonds	60	59
Street Lights	400	329
Audit	100	
Recreational	25	5
Indigent	10	
Cemetery	100	44
Printing	30	7
Miscellaneous	25	6

TOTAL \$1630 \$532
This year the city is requesting \$1905 as compared with the \$1630 the tax commission approved last year.

CREDITS		
	approved	spent
Occupation Tax	\$500	467
Driver's Lic.	150	155
Building Rent	800	729
Dog Tax	30	42
Delinquent Prop.	5	
Fines, fees	150	271
Auto Licenses	25	32
Miscellaneous	50	70
Texico Road	15	
Cash Credit	1050	1274

TOTAL CRED. \$2775 \$3040
Although the forthcoming budget must be approved by the Tax Commission at Clovis next week, Clerk Freeman said he expected little change in the proposed sheet.

BAPTIST ALL-STARS TO PLAY CLOVIS

The Texico-Farwell Baptist church All-Star softball team will play the Clovis All-Star church team Friday night at 7:30 at the diamond north of James Bickley School.

Members of the local team are Truitt Hardage, Jerry Poteet, James Roberts, Claude Rose Jr., Gerald Hardage, Allen Lockhart, J. T. Jacks, Allen Kelley, Dickie Lockhart, Glenn Hardage, Jerry Johnson, and Bobby Spears.

The Texico-Farwell team is undefeated.

sional District. This race has received a good deal of publicity, especially since the election of Republican Congressman Ben Guill. There are four office-seekers in this race and the winner is to oppose Guill in general election.

These four include three men, Walter Rogers of Pampa, LeRoy (Pete) LaMaster of Perryton, and J. Blake Timmons of Amarillo; and one feminine competitor, Altavene Clark of Amarillo.

Voters will remember Guill as being selected to succeed Congressman Eugene Worley in a special election after Worley's resignation.

Two men are running for representative of the 120th Legislative District. Harold M. LaFont of Plainview is up for re-election. He is opposed by H. J. (Doc) Blanchard of Lockney, LaFont, former district attorney, succeeded I. B. (Doc) Holt of Oilton, who resigned.

E. A. Bills of Littlefield, who was appointed by the Governor to succeed C. D. Russell, resigned, is running for re-election to district judge of the 64th Judicial District. Robert Kirk, also of Littlefield, is his opponent.

The only district office to be handed on a "silver platter" is that of district attorney for the 64th Judicial District. The candidate is Joe Sharp of Plainview.

Interest is fairly light for the statewide races. Caso March of McLennan County is expected to give Gov. Allan Shivers of Jefferson County his best run in this area.

When Shivers was moved into the governorship from his Lt. Governor office by the death of Gov. Beauford Jester, his office was left vacant until this primary election. An even dozen hopefuls are gunning for the Lt. Governor's office, and Preston E. Smith of Lubbock County is expected to receive the most support from this area.

Meade F. Griffin of Hale County is another West Texan who will draw attention in Saturday's election. He is incumbent for associate justice of Supreme Court (place 3), and is opposed by Matt Davis of Upshur County, Geo. W. Harwood of Dallas County, and Robt. B. Keenan of Gregg County.

G. H. (Robert) Nelson of Lubbock County probably will draw some local interest in his race for Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals.

Back to the Farmer County election situation, G. D. Anderson, Chairman of the Democratic executive committee, announces that the polling places will be as follows:

Precinct No. 1—Friona at the schoolhouse, Lakeview at the home of Otho Whitefield, and Black at the

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schoolhouse. Precinct No. 2—Bovina at the schoolhouse, and Rhea at the Lutheran mance.

Precinct No. 3—Farwell at the courthouse, and Oklahoma Lane at the schoolhouse.

Precinct No. 4—Lazbuddie at the schoolhouse.

Local Preparations Evident Preparatory activity was in evidence here this week for the Saturday election. Ballots from 1948's race were burned by Judge A. D. Smith and County Clerk Loyde Brewer, and the boxes were set in order. The new ballots have been printed, and have been distributed to the respective polls.

Claude Rose, who usually sponsors an "election party" at the Fox Drug Store every election, was uncertain whether he would have the semi-annual event Saturday night, as he was doubtful that interest would be heavy enough to merit the party.

Claudell Parton Has Emergency Operation

Claudell Parton, 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Parton, had an emergency appendectomy in the Clovis Osteopathic hospital Tuesday, July 11.

Claudell, who was in a serious condition, is reported to be improving. He was brought home from the hospital last Tuesday, family members report.

Public school music will be offered in the Lazbuddie school curricula for the first time this year, announces Archie Sims, superintendent. He said Mrs. William R. Laws, now schooling at West Texas State in Canyon, will be the instructor.

Mrs. Laws has been giving private music lessons in Amarillo for the past several years, he added, and she will continue her private instruction at Lazbuddie.

In addition to private lessons and public school music, Mrs. Laws will head a choral singing group and a rhythm band for the lower grades.

Supt. Sims said all present teachers in the system had been engaged for another year with the exception of two departments. Those vacancies are in the English and commercial divisions. He said these places are expected to be filled in the near future.

The Longhorns, six-man football team of the Lazbuddie High School, will sport new suits for the coming season. The trousers will be black trimmed in orange, and the jerseys will be orange trimmed in black.

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