

TO OBSERVE GOLDEN WEDDING



OPEN HOUSE . . . Will be observed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Ellison in Bovina on Sunday, February 5th, when friends are invited to gather to honor Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ellison (above) who on that date will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary. Guests will be received between the hours of 2:00 and 5:30 p. m.

"We want all to feel welcome to come," Mrs. J. C. Denney, youngest daughter of the popular aged couple, said as she moved swiftly about the arrangements for the gala occasion.

FROM THE HOPPER

By HOP

We'll be glad when the fishing season opens up again so we can catch up on our favorite pastime. We've been trying so hard to make a living the past few months that we're behind with our fishing. Besides, we are following doctor's orders to spend more time fishing and less trying to make a living. Frankly, we haven't consulted our doctor about it, but we know of several of our friends who are in a lot worse shape who have been advised to go fishing more. So, we're going to save that \$100 and spend it enjoying our favorite sport.

The businessmen of Texico and Farwell could improve their business and be more thoughtful of their customers by parking their cars off the "main drag". On most any day you can find all the parking spaces filled with cars and trucks belonging to local businessmen.

Every man in Farwell who has the interest of the town at heart should become a member of the Chamber of Commerce. Too often, people feel that the CC is strictly an organization for the business men alone to carry forward. There never was a greater mistake; your Chamber is working for the town as a whole and what helps the town also helps every individual indirectly. Farwell is no different from any other small town; there are those reaping the benefits from the work of the organization and not contributing a single effort nor any financial support to its ongoing. If you question what good the CC has accomplished since it was organized three years ago, we



JANUARY

- 28—Kansas admitted to Union, 1861.
- 30—Franklin D. Roosevelt born, 1882.
- 31—Quarterly O.A.B. payroll tax return due.

FEBRUARY

- 1—First session, U. S. supreme court, 1790.
- 2—Earthquake rocks Japan, 1703; 20,000 killed.
- 3—Horace Greeley born, 1811.
- 4—Social Hygiene day.

Poll Tax Payments May Set New Record

Indications are that the poll tax payments in Parmer County will set a new record when all tabulations are completed at the Collector's office.

A total of 1791 tax receipts had been issued at the time of the deadline Tuesday night, and attaches at the office said a three-day accumulation of mail yet unopened would swell the final total well above the 1800-mark for a new record in Parmer County.

"Only twice in the past several years have we issued as many as 1800 poll receipts," one of the clerks announced.

Announces Candidacy For Commissioner, Pct. 4

The Tribune was authorized this week, to announce the candidacy of H. L. Ivy for County Commissioner of Precinct No. 4, subject to election at the Democratic primary which will be held in July.

Ivy has been a resident of the Lazbuddy community for the past twenty-four years, where he has been engaged in farming. He is married, and has no children.

In making his statement to the Tribune, Monday, he stated: "I have never before sought a public office, and any consideration shown me on the part of the voters will be deeply appreciated."

Discuss Fertilizer With Local Farmers

Walter J. O'Neil, representative of the Matheson Chemical Co., was greeted by slightly less than 50 local farmers when he gave a lecture on fertilizers at the Farmers Supply Co. on Thursday evening of last week.

In addition to showing slides and charts, dealing with various forms of fertilizer and plant growth, O'Neil conducted a question and answer session which proved so interesting the group was held until a late hour.

John Getz, manager of the Farmers Supply, expressed himself as well pleased with the turn-out, considering the conflict with the big Lions Club meeting.

might point out the street lighting program, the curb-to-curb paving on Main Street, the paving of Third Street; the paving of the farm-to-market road to Oklahoma Lane, which is now to be extended another ten miles, to mention just a few. True, the CC does not take credit for all these projects, but it played a very important part in bringing them about. Your local CC still has some important and worthwhile projects on its agenda, and it needs the help of every individual in and near the city to carry them out.

Bids Sought On 22 Miles FM Roads

Texico-Farwell Lions Club Chartered

Plans Launched For Annual CC Banquet

At a meeting of the Farwell Chamber of Commerce, held last Thursday night at the Legion Hall, plans were launched for the annual CC banquet, with the date of the event being tentatively set for Wednesday night, February 14.

Claude Rose, Otis Huggins and John Aldridge were named as a committee to work out arrangements for the feed. Joe Crume, Carl Davis and W. H. Graham were named as the program committee.

According to tentative plans, the feed will be held in the Legion Hall, with local band mothers preparing the meal. It was recommended that plates sell at \$2.00 each.

New directors for the year 1950 were elected at Thursday night's meeting and they, in turn, will name the new officers at a meeting scheduled for Thursday evening of this week at the office of President C. M. Henderson. The new board of directors: Claude Rose, O. C. Sikes, Joe Crume, Carl Davis, C. M. Henderson, H. Y. Overstreet, Walter Hardage, John Aldridge and Frank Seale.

County Agent Ollie Liner asked the Chamber of Commerce to sponsor a barbecue to be served to approximately 100 visitors who will be here on Feb. 10, when three visiting soil specialists will address the farmers of this county. It was agreed that the feed would be provided and Felix Monroe was named to work with Liner in ironing out the details.

B. N. Graham reported he had been informed that a traffic count made recently at the intersection of Third Street and Avenue A justified the installation of a traffic light. However, the impression prevailed that more traffic counts would be made before the State Highway Department would take steps to install the light.

In the meantime, a resolution prevailed asking the State Highway Patrol to enforce the 30-mile speed limit on cars and trucks operating on Highway 84-70, along Avenue A in the city.

Farwell 4-H Clubber Tops Fort Worth Show With Chester White

Ray Verner, 4H club lad of this city and son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Verner, won high honors at the Boys' Pig Show, now being held in Fort Worth in connection with the Southwestern Livestock Exposition.

Ray, who bred his Chester White, fed the barrow under the direction of County Agent Ollie Liner. The animal was judged champion in the Chester White division, and later named reserve champion barrow of the entire show.

All State Highways In County Ordered Re-topped At Once

The Texas Highway Commission has instructed the State Highway Engineer to proceed at once with plans for re-topping all state highways that cross Parmer County.

Highways 60, 86 and 84 that cross the county for a total of 67.5 miles are to be re-topped at an estimated cost of \$59,000.00.

Officials here expressed the opinion that the work would be done during the coming spring and summer.

College Mission Band At Okla. Lane Church

A group of 12 students, composing the volunteer mission band of Wayland College, Plainview, will appear at the Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church, Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. J. J. Terry, pastor, said that the group would render three programs, the first at 7:30 Saturday night. On Sunday, they will have charge of the morning worship hour, and will appear again at 2:30 in the afternoon. The public is invited.

If the excise taxes are repealed, at least nobody can accuse the government of living a life of luxury.

Coffee Gulpers Ante A Dime To Aid Polio Fund

More than 200 customers lined up at Jim's Cafe during last Friday, to take advantage of the opportunity of helping out with the March of Dimes fund.

During the day coffee sold at ten cents per cup, with all receipts going into the polio fund.

"It was the biggest coffee day we've ever had," Mrs. Moore reported.

All-Day Irrigation Meeting Is Slated For February 10th

An all-day meeting concerned with the intricacies of operating an irrigated farm has been announced by County Agent Ollie Liner, to be held in the District Court room of the local courthouse on Friday, February 10th.

The meeting is slated to begin at 9:30 in the morning and the Farwell Chamber of Commerce will serve a free barbecue lunch to all visitors at the noon hour, Liner added.

Fertilizing crops under irrigation, weed and insect control, and all other problems that commonly annoy farmers who irrigate are slated as topics during the day-long gathering with outstanding Extension Service specialists to appear before the meeting.

Specialists who have accepted an invitation to speak locally include M. K. Thornton, extension chemist from A. & M.; C. E. VanDorn, soil conservationist from the Amarillo Experiment Station; Ed Bush, irrigation engineer and Guy Carpenter, entomologist, both from the Lubbock Experiment Station; and R. E. Karper.

With irrigation growing by leaps and bounds in Parmer and adjoining counties, farmers are constantly requesting advice on some particular phase of their new venture, the agent extending a cordial invitation to everyone in the area who is interested to be present at the meeting.

Mrs. Fred Payne Passes Wednesday Morning

Mrs. John M. Payne, 72, long-time resident of the Oklahoma Lane community, who has been ill for some time, died at the family home at 2:20 Wednesday morning.

Funeral arrangements are pending and the body is at the Muleshoe Funeral Home in Muleshoe.

Besides her husband, she is survived by three sons, Ganderon, Pasadena, Calif.; Hubert, Farwell; Harley, Muleshoe; Mart, Petersburg; one daughter, Mrs. Jackson Taylor, Albuquerque; and four grandchildren.

Whatever else happens in 1950, it's a cinch those Fair Dealers will not turn thrifty!

Rhea Tops March of Dimes Drive

The Rhea community, which in years past has stayed at the top of the county list in per capita contributions to the annual March of Dimes, pointed up the way for the rest of Parmer County in its report to Loyde Brewer, chairman of the Parmer County chapter.

BENEFIT GAME THURSDAY

Supt. Agrie Jones announced this morning that a benefit game for the March of Dimes would be held in the Texico gym Thursday night, Feb. 2nd, matching the Texico and Rosedale junior boys and girls.

The first game will begin at 7:30, Texas time, and admission will be "as many dimes as the attendants wish to contribute". All proceeds will go to the polio campaign.

Two socials were held in the small community during the past week-

What is believed to be the largest Lions club ever chartered in New Mexico was presented its papers by C. C. Conover, District 40 governor, in a jam-packed meeting at the Legion Hall Thursday night. Conover, a representative of the Clovis Lions club, handed Agrie Jones, superintendent of schools in Texico and new president of the club, the charter at the conclusion of impressive ceremonies by members of the Portales club, program sponsors, and Clovis club representatives.

The program marked the climax of a concerted drive launched by Portales in Texico-Farwell several weeks ago, when visiting the Twin Cities they obtained a necessary 20 members for chartering a new club. Boosters of the infant club here pointed with pride to the role of 41 charter members Thursday night, which has since swelled nearer 100.

A banquet was prepared by the Wesleyan Service Guild of the Methodist Church for the 245 persons attending the ceremony. Leroy K. Pinnell, Portales Lions president, called the meeting to order, a group song was sung, and Rev. Murphy Duncan, pastor, Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church, gave the invocation.

Calloway Taubee, Portales, was master of ceremonies for the evening. He received an address of welcome from Mayor Orville Francis, and presented the new Lions with a bell and gavel.

President Bus Jones of Clovis offered congratulations from his group, and presented Texico-Farwell with a speaker's script easel. Vice president Loyde Brewer returned a word of acceptance.

D. D. Archer, Deputy District 40 governor, installed officers of the club.

They included President Jones, Otis Huggins, secretary; Rev. O. O. Holladay, treasurer; Loyde Brewer, first vice-president; Paul Wurster, second vice president; William Roberts, third vice-president; Ben Smart, lion tamer; Jack Williams, tail twister; and Olen Schleuter, Clyde Magness, John R. Hadley, and Raymond Sudderth, directors.

Taubee turned the platform over to Governor Conover who spoke briefly concerning objects of the Lions Club, its history, and its aspirations. At the conclusion of his speech, he called President Jones to the platform and presented him the charter.

Jones gave an acceptance of the charter, expressing his appreciation to the neighboring units that had assisted in the organization of the new club.

Charter members are Ben Smart, James Allred, John Getz, Agrie Jones, O. C. Sikes, P. L. Crawley, W. H. Graham, C. B. Stockton, J. L. Armour, F. D. Stout, J. F. Adams, J. G. Hibbs, Jack Williams, Louis Purvis, William Roberts,

Robert Morton, Ollie Liner, Walter Hardage, Bowden Darr, Ray Mears, Paul Wurster, David Russell, Rip Snodgrass, Joe Crume, Otis Huggins, Willard Dykes, C. M. Henderson, Rev. Murphy Duncan, M. C. Roberts, LeRoy Faville, Joe Helton, John R. Hadley, Loyde Brewer, Ray Sudderth, B. A. Rogers, E. L. Harding, Rev. O. O. Holladay, Bill Banks, Olen Schleuter, Clyde Magness, and Edd Engram.

Visiting clubs included those from Clovis, Portales, Floyd, Artesia, and Muleshoe.

Twenty-two additional miles of rural paving are in the immediate offing for Parmer County.

W. H. Garrett, resident engineer, of Littlefield, released the information the first of the week in authorizing the publication of a notice calling for bids on paving two strips of farm-to-market roads.

One project is on FM690, from Oklahoma Lane 10.278 miles east, intersecting the Friona-Muleshoe road; and the second concerns FM299, beginning at the present end of pavement five miles north of Muleshoe and extending 11.78 miles north toward Friona, connecting with the pavement that now expires four miles south of Hub.

Part of the construction on the Friona-Muleshoe road, a half-mile, actually, lies within Bailey County, as the final tie-up is made on FM299 to provide a complete all-weather road from Friona to Muleshoe. In addition to being a boon to farmers, completion of this highway will make possible a serviceable cut-off from Highway 60, at Friona, to a number of other highways, either to the Dimmitt road out of Bovina, or to the Plainview, Lubbock and Morton highways out of Muleshoe.

Currently, FM299 is paved 13 miles south out of Friona toward Muleshoe, extending across the Frio Draw. On the other end of the line, paving reaches 5 miles out of Muleshoe, north, short just one-half mile of the county line.

Turning to the other strip of paving for which bids are being called, FM690 to Oklahoma Lane is at present topped from the cutoff on Highway 70 to the corner just south of the school, with a half-mile of paving extending north to the school.

The new project would pick up at the corner south of the school and run toward Lazbuddy for a distance of 10.278 miles, intersecting the Friona-Muleshoe road and going on east for one-half mile, where it will connect with an old WPA caliche-surfaced highway in good condition.

All work called for, the engineer explained, is to be completed during 1950, and Garrett expressed the belief that preliminary work to paving the two strips would begin around March 15th.

The advertisement for bids bears a deadline of February 15, Garrett pointed out. By 9 a. m. that day, all bids, to be considered, must have been received by the Highway Department at Austin, where they will be publicly opened and read. Plans and specifications are available at Garrett's office, in Littlefield.

Free X-Rays Offered Residents Of Texico

Sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary, the New Mexico Department of Public Health will have a mobile unit in Texico on Thursday and Friday, February 8-9, for the purpose of making X-ray pictures to detect tuberculosis.

The mobile unit will be stationed at the Texico postoffice between the hours of 1 and 6 p. m., and will offer services locally. Children 6 to 15 must be accompanied by their parents. Only two minutes are required for the process and patients are not required to disrobe.

A confidential report will be mailed direct to all patients who show a positive test. No charge will be made for the services, and the sponsors urge all residents to take advantage of the offer.

to the effect that around \$200 was collected on Saturday, the 21st, by the Friona Girl Scouts.

In Farwell, Lenton Pool, chairman of the local drive, said that he had received a number of donations at the bank, and Supt. Jack Williams said that school children were responding nicely, although he admitted he was disappointed in the lack of contributions from parents.

Collection boxes throughout the county will probably not be picked up until the latter part of this week, community chairmen have announced, and everyone in the county who has not previously done so is urged to make a generous contribution during the few days remaining.

In Texico, coin boxes over town have received fair amounts of donations, surveys reveal. Jim's Cafe, in Texico, which sponsored 10c coffee last Friday, with all dimes going into the collection box, reported that some 200 cups of coffee were sold on that date.

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

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For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector:
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For County and District Clerk:
 LOYDE A. BREWER
 (Re-Election)

For County Judge:
 W. L. EDELMON
 A. D. SMITH
 (Re-Election)

For County Commissioner, Pct. 2:
 C. H. (CHARLES) JEFFERSON

For Commissioner, Precinct 1:
 E. R. (EMMETT) DAY
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Senior, Patsy Engram; Junior, Margaret Doshier; Sophomore, Gayle Doolittle; Freshman, Norma Kessner; Eighth grade, Charlene Allen; Seventh, Madge Richardson; Press Club, Peggy Donahey; FFA, Buddy Joe Sparks; Pep Club, Lona Mae Jones; FHA, Peggy Donahey; Dramatics Club, Patsy Doshier; Student Council, Violet Curry.

SUPERINTENDENT'S MESSAGE

In an interview Monday, Agrie Jones, superintendent of the Texico school, stated that he is well pleased with the morale of the entire school. He added that he is satisfied with work done the past semester but hopes for even more satisfactory work the last semester. "We expect," said Mr. Jones, "to make a definite improvement in the school work within the next few days, as soon as classrooms and study hall are moved to the new building. This will relieve congestion in the old building and be conducive to better work throughout both grade and high school. I am very happy with the cooperation and general morale of the teachers. They have all been very cooperative and all seem to be sincere in their efforts to improve the school work at Texico. I am also very happy with the conduct of the entire high school inasmuch as during the period of one semester not one discipline problem has arisen to disturb the serenity of the superintendent."

HAVE YOU BOUGHT YOUR ANNUAL?

The "Wolverine" is something you will want this year. Many new and more elaborate pages have been added for the benefit of a better annual for the same price. The annual completely covers all activities with special features you are sure to enjoy. There are 80 pages in all and are now in sale at \$1 down and \$1.50 on delivery, all of which can be paid on order if desired. Mrs. Jones announces that annuals are now ready to go to press and emphasizes that you place your order now.

NEW IMPROVED HIGH SCHOOL CURRICULUM

Five subjects, journalism, office practice, speech, business law, and American government were added to the high school curriculum on Monday, January 16.

Journalism is being offered in order that students may learn how to write for the school paper. This paper has previously been published at the school by mimeograph but will now be carried in the State Line Tribune. Mrs. Peyton is the sponsor.

Office practice, taught by Mrs. Jones, has five members enrolled. The students are learning various general office practices.

Speech is being offered under the direction of Mr. Hibbs. At present, the class is learning to make extemporaneous speeches and being drilled on word pronunciation. There are nine in the class.

Fourteen students are enrolled in the government class, under the direction of Mr. Adams, and sixteen are attending business law under the direction of Mr. Hibbs.

CANDIDATES FOR CONTEST TO SELECT BEAUTY

Six organizations in Texico high school have elected candidates for the beauty contest, sponsored by the Annual Staff, and the first of its kind to be held locally.

Pictures of the girls will be sent to unidentified judges, and the winners will be selected on merits of beauty, not measurements or photographs.

Lona Mae Jones, senior, will represent the Business Education Club; Margie Reid, sophomore, is the Dramatic Club's choice; Patsy Engram is the FFA candidate; Betty Donahey, senior, the choice of the FHA; and also in the running is the Pep Club contestant, Peggy Donahey, senior.

The winner will be revealed by a full page photo in the yearbook and the losing candidates will be known as "Blossoms" and will receive recognition on the opposite page.

PRESENT PLAY SKIT

The Junior Class of Farwell High School gave sketches from their play, "Baby Sitter", for a special assembly in the Texico school auditorium, Friday morning. The group

was accompanied by Mr. Roberts and Mrs. Prescott.

The sketches were enjoyed very much by the student body and hearty welcome is extended to our neighboring school to visit again.

NEW STUDENTS

A hearty welcome goes to the new students of Texico School: Joe Cox, James Farley, June Breeze, Billy Lee, Donald Lee, Bobby Lee, Anita Sharp, Lois Maitlen, Nathan Sharp, Victor Cordova, Connie Sharp, Mary Lee, Bruce Phillips, Marian Phillips, Leroy Corman and Rita Cordova.

GROUP PICTURES TAKEN

Mr. Sullivan, from Sullivan Studio in Clovis, was here January 30 and took group pictures for the annual.

PTA NEWS

The Texico PTA met in the school auditorium January 24 for a regular business meeting, with Mrs. King presiding. Mrs. Richardson was elected to fill the secretarial vacancy left by Mrs. W. T. North who has moved to Perryton. The PTA voted to sponsor the band and to buy new stands.

A very interesting film on tuberculosis was shown in connection with the mobile unit which is to be here on February 8-9.

The unit will be sponsored by the PTA and is made possible by the annual March of Dimes. Volunteering to help with the clinic were Mesdames Adams, Moss, Stout, Gant, Tucker, Morgan, Levins, Lockhart, Spears, Richardson, Allman, Seale, King and Levell.

After the meeting, refreshments of coffee and pie were served to members and guests in the lunch room.

HOME ECONOMICS NEWS

In the Home Economics Department there are 33 members, with Mrs. Jimmie Allman as sponsors. Officers are: Coeta Roth, president; Frankie Harris, vice president; Betty Donahey, secretary-treasurer; Lona Mae Jones, parliamentarian; and Peggy Donahey, reporter.

Sixteen girls are in the first year class. During the first semester the girls in this course studied sewing and this semester they are cooking. According to the sponsor, the girls will study preparation of various fruits in the near future.

PEP CLUB NEWS

As may be plainly seen, Texico high school has a Pep Club, which made its first appearance in uniforms on January 3 at the Texico-Farwell basketball games.

Mrs. Peyton, sponsor, states that everyone in junior or senior high is eligible to become a member, the only requirements being uniforms. The uniforms consist of green coat sweaters, white blouses and skirts. Leaders' sweaters are kelly green, with regular members in forest green. Plans are to have small megaphones placed over the pockets of the cheerleaders' sweaters.

After tryouts, leaders were selected by the faculty as follows: Patsy Doshier, Coeta Roth, Patsy Engram, Violet Curry, Lona Mae Jones and Frankie Harris. Mr. Jones took the club to Portales on January 20 to see the cage game and watch the precision of the Portales club.

MUSIC DEPARTMENT

Musical ability I. Q. tests have been given all students from the fourth through the twelfth grades by Charles Paschal, band director, and John Armour. Six new members were added as a result.

Students in grade school have several different phases of work. Some work on an operetta next week, while others are learning to read music. Flute classes are learning several new songs.

On Saturdays, a band clinic is held for private lessons. Mrs. Armour has charge of violins and other stringed instruments; Charles Paschal directs the brass and Harry Dorris, a student from ENMU, gives lessons on the wood-winds.

FFA NEWS

The ag boys have built their project pens north of the school. The building is 48 feet long, and is composed of five pens and one feed bin. The building will be kept up by charging a fee of \$4 for the first head

of stock kept there and \$1 per head thereafter.

The Texico chapter purchased six gilts recently, and they went to Arlye Crooks, Jesse Cox, Billy Muddick, Buddy Joe Sparks, and Donald Each boy will give one pig of the litter back to the chapter.

MEET THE SENIORS

James Barney Harding
 On a cold December 22 morning in 1931, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Harding were the proud parents of a baby boy. After much thought and wondering the little boy was given the name of James Barney. James has one sister, Mary, who is attending college in Portales. It can be easily imagined that James is just like every other little boy, they like to pester little girls.

As time passed on, our snaggle-toothed victim started to school in Texico in 1936. He has attended the same school all his life. James has always been interested in sports, with basketball as his favorite. He is one of the first ten on our team and participates in all sports.

James this year is studying English, journalism, bookkeeping and athletics. He has always been interested in farm animals and has been active in the school ag group.

After finishing high school, James plans to attend college.

FIRST GRADE NEWS

The first graders had toy day on January 9 and all brought a favorite toy to school.

The roll added two new names, Leeroy Dorman, who entered for the first time, and Rita Cardova, who came from Vaughn, N. M. Geneva Winegeart has moved to Clovis.

The class will have a health workbook soon, having recently made one of their own on "How to Keep Healthy". A Valentine box is also being planned.

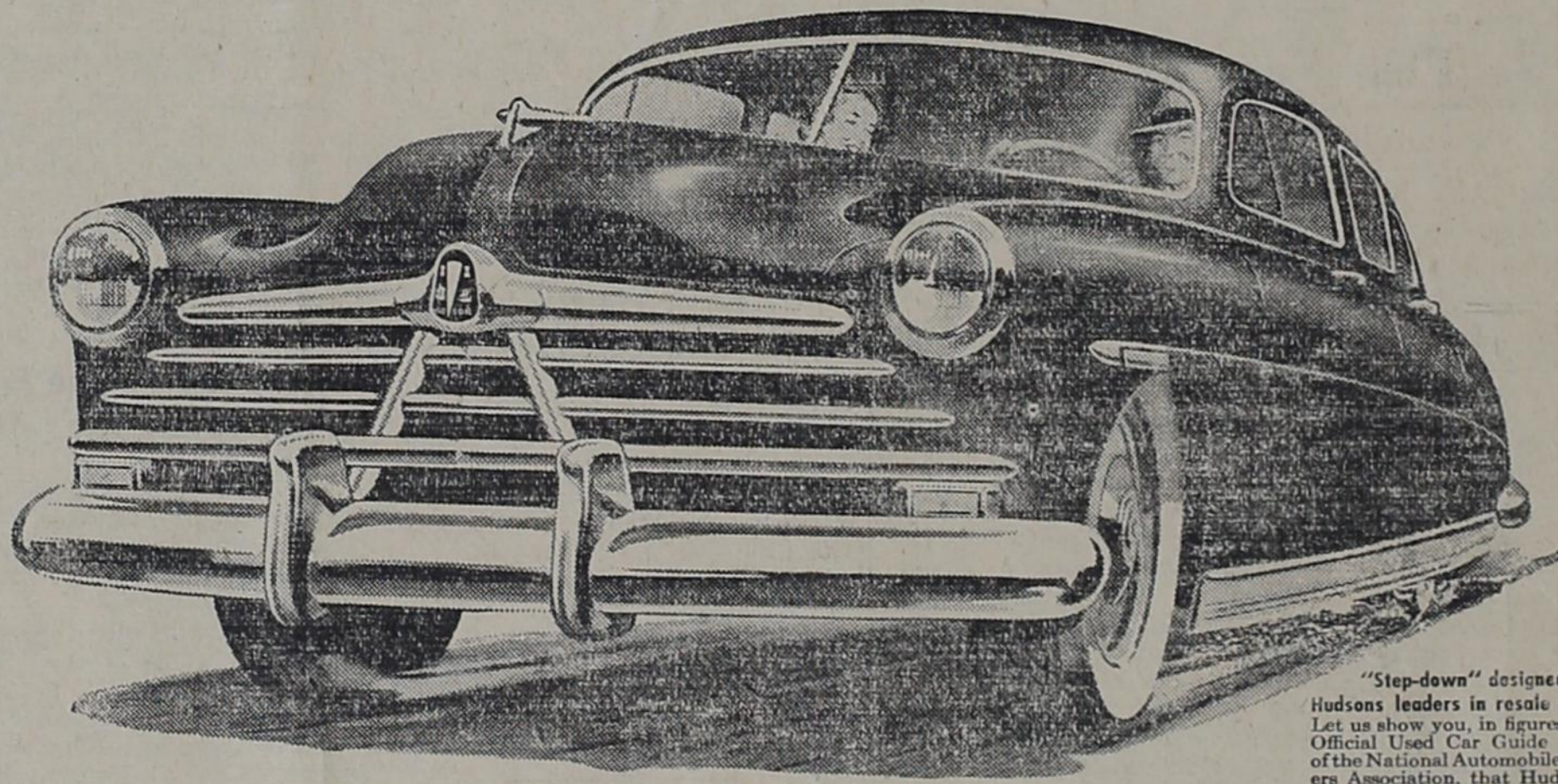
SECOND GRADE

Four new pupils have entered the second grade, Connie Sharp, Mary Kay Lee, Marion and Bruce Phillips.

New health books have arrived and the children are enjoying them.

Pictures of boys and girls skiing, and snowmen calendars are used in. (Continued on Following Page)

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Wolverine—

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room decorations this month.

THIRD GRADE

The third grade is happy to welcome Lois Maitlen this semester. Pupils have decorated the room with various Valentine ideas and Valentine calendars are being made. On the sick list this week are Billy, Virgie, and Darlene.

FOURTH GRADE

Two fourth grade students have moved since Christmas, John North going to Perryton, Tex., and Melba Winegeart to Clovis. The children are happy to have Nathan Tharp, who came from Bovina.

At the close of the first semester the students checked in geography books and received new history, science and health books.

Mrs. Peyton will teach three of the fourth grade classes this semester.

FIFTH GRADE

Two new students have entered, Bill and Donald Lee from Portales. Joyce Gillean and Weldon Bell have been absent because of illness.

New English and health work-books have been received. Reading and history have been started and the class is having fractions in arithmetic.

SIXTH GRADE

The sixth grade has some new work and textbooks, English and health.

A new girl has entered the class, Anita Tharp, from Bovina.

Wallis Roberson, who has been absent, is back in school.

The sixth grade has a new teacher, Mrs. Peyton, who will teach reading and English, in Room 5.

SEVENTH GRADE

The seventh grade is glad to welcome a new student, Charles Lee, from Clovis.

Mrs. Peyton is the new English teacher. Room 6 will be the home room for the remainder of the year.

EIGHTH GRADE

The eighth grade has a new pupil from Portales, Jimmy Farley. Everyone welcomes him to our class.

FRESHMAN NEWS

Some of the freshmen are taking Spanish and citizenship. Mr. Armour is the new science teacher with the main study about transportation.

Those studying algebra under Mr. Jones are working on graphs and simultaneous linear equations.

In Mrs. Allman's Home Ec class the girls have begun their cooking.

SOPHOMORE NEWS

Boys in business law are looking forward to the day when they will attend court in Clovis.

Sophs are enjoying English class

with the study of literature.

Keith Scott, Willie Thatcher, Donald Engram, Leon Doolittle and Gayle Doolittle have changed from geometry to general math.

Lacy Gant has made the first team in basketball.

JUNIOR CLASS

The juniors held a class meeting on January 16, electing Violet Curry as secretary-treasurer, succeeding Irma Jo Kelly, who moved to Bovina. W. O. Reid was named to help with the class candy store.

SENIOR NEWS

The seniors have sold more ads this week and have sent several more pages of the annual to the publisher. They have also ordered invitations, caps, and gowns.

Two plays, "Adventures of Grandpa", and "All A Mistake", have been selected by the sponsor. The cast will

be chosen and work started after February 15.

CHATTER

Mr. Hibbs, it seems you should see Helen more often. She has to talk to the school boys to find out how you are.

We hear that the ring about Peggy D.'s neck is about to weight her down. How about it, Monte?

What was wrong with Carmen last week? Could it be because Wayne was absent 3 days?

How do you get your girl friends, Manuel? Shanghai them?

Kenneth A., how about you and Catherine Bell?

It seems that Joe Cox has taken an interest in Norma K. Or is it Lona Mae!

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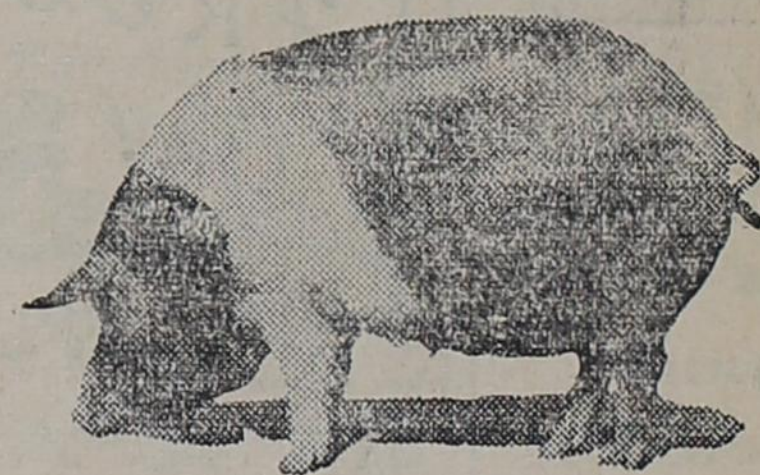
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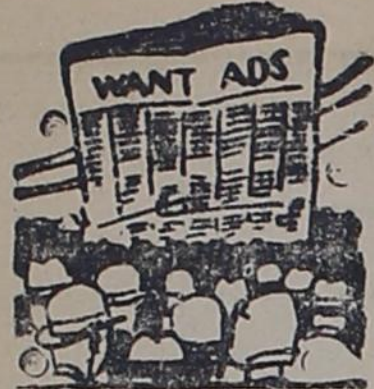
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FOR SALE—3 baby beef type tom turkeys. Mrs. A. J. Moorman, 10 north, 2 east Farwell. 16-3tp

FOR SALE—2 young registered Shorthorn bulls (beef type). Would trade for milk cows or heifers. Have 20 head of young registered Shorthorn cows (beef type) would trade for milking Shorthorns. See Albert Magerus, Elmwood Farm, located 1 mile west Texico cemetery, or write Rt. 1, Clovis, N. M. 14-3tp

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FOR SALE—Broadbreasted turkey hens and toms, good breeding type; 50c lb. live weight. Euell Hart, 20 miles north Texico on Pleasant Hill road. 16-1tp

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'The Baby Sitter' Is Well Attended, 27th

Evincing an acute desire to soundly spank young Bob Gerles, who played the part of an incorrigible brat in the play, a large crowd was on hand to see the Farwell juniors present their version of "The Baby Sitter", last Friday night, at the high school auditorium.
Although Janean Lunsford, as Carrie Tucker, and Jerry Pool, as Bob Ballard, drew the sympathy of the audience in their attempts to take care of young Junior Gordon (Bob Gerles), the convincing demonstration of brattishness displayed by Gerles kept the crowd in a state of near-apoplexy throughout the three act comedy-drama.
Other members of the cast included John Christian and Bobby Ann Christians as the Gordons, parents of Junior; Caryetta Grissom and Robert Armstrong as Mr. and Mrs. Ballard; Jane and Helen Ballard (Marjorie Belle Aldridge and Dot Kent); Bettie Foster as Eunice, the helping friend; Billie Don Crume as Carl, Geryle Nix as Lefty and Sue Medley and Irene Hardage as Midge and Dot.
W. M. Roberts, sponsor of the class, reported that over \$100 was received at the door by the class. The play was directed by Mrs. O. M. Prescott, with the Hardage Swingbillies furnishing music between acts.

Car Overturns Near Friona, None Hurt

Three persons escaped injury the past Saturday afternoon when a new Pontiac blew a tire and flipped over twice, some four miles west of Friona on Highway 60.
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hartman and Mrs. Nellie Cecil occupied the automobile, driven and owned by Mr. Hartman. The trio was enroute to Corning, Iowa, from California, it was understood at the hospital in Friona, where the three received checkups following the wreck.
Mrs. Cecil was confined to the hospital overnight for shock, while the Hartmans received only superficial bruises and were dismissed immediately.

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Fifty-Two New Lions Added To Club List

At a special meeting of the board of directors of the Texico-Farwell Lions Club, held Monday night at the offices of the outwestern Public Service Co., 52 new applications for membership were approved, bringing the total membership of the local service club to 93.

Plans for the first regular meeting were discussed and it was decided that it will be held on the first Tuesday night in February at the American Legion Hall, with the Texico PTA serving. Plates will be sold at the rate of \$1.00 each, and the PTA was instructed to prepare for at least 80 attendants.

A regular program committee, which will be responsible for the programs each first and third Tuesday evenings. They are Walter Hardage, Edd Hardage, B. A. Rogers, Jim Bob Smart and Ollie Liner. Ladies organizations of the Twin Cities who are interested in serving the Lions' luncheons were invited to make application through Otis Huggins, club secretary.

The fifty-two new members approved Monday night were, Oswald Jones, Frank Seale, Gene Lovelace, Lee Nichols, Ed Muckelroy, John Lovelace, Orval W. Francis, O. C. Pullam, Grayson Roberts, L. R. Vincent, L. E. Meeks, Carl G. Davis, Bob Sudderth, Mose Glasscock, Donald V. Watkins, John Aldridge, A. W. Gober, John Armstrong, T. Sain, andol, Vernon E. Symcox, Charles Felts, John Porter, Claude Rose; Jack McManigal, Billie Joe Foster, J. R. Hadley, Boone Allison, J. E. Hardage, Joe Blair, James P. Landon, Charles F. Bieler, Nelson C. Smith, Ray S. Ford, J. E. Stone, Woodie McDermitt, Woodrow Lovelace, C. B. Lovelace, Milton Walling, George P. Hauser, Norman W. Peyton, Hayden Cason, Sam Rundell, Sterlyn Billington, Wilfred Quickel, A. D. Smith;
Guy Cox, Glenn D. Phillips, M. A. Snider, L. S. Pool, Jim Bob Smart, Clyde McDaniel, W. T. Magness, M. H. Potect.

Wilson Loan Approved For Land Purchase

Andrew H. Wilson is the first Farmer County ex-GI to secure approval of a loan to purchase real estate under the Veterans Land Purchase program which operates in the State of Texas, Loyde Brewer, county service officer, said on Tuesday.

Wilson has received an okay on his request for a loan in the full amount of \$6500.00. Brewer said, following recommendations sent to the state board by a land board appraiser who recently visited here.

The loan will allow Wilson to purchase 100 improved acres from S. D. Spitzer, in the Lazbuddy community. Loans under the veterans' program are made for a period of 40 years, Brewer explained, and draw 3% interest, with semi-annual payments. The loan may be paid off in full at any time the borrower desires, he added, pointing out one of the favorable features of the program.

Brewer said further that he had not heard from Woodrow Glasscock, whose prospective purchase was appraised at the same time, but considered it quite probable that the Glasscock loan would also be given the green light.

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WHERE WERE THE CLOWNS? . . . The faces of Princess Beatrix (left) and Princess Irene, daughters of Queen Juliana and Prince Bernhard of the Netherlands, were sober as they viewed the Mills circus in the royal box at London's Olympia. They were flown from the Netherlands, in a plane piloted by their father, especially to see the circus.

Eight Cases Disposed In District Court

Eight cases were handled at the first 1950 session of District Court to be held in Farmer County, the past Wednesday, when District Judge E. A. Bills, of Plainview, was on the bench for civil cases.

District Clerk Loyde Brewer reported that the following were disposed:
Jack Anderson vs. V. E. Weir, TTT, judgment for plaintiff.
Helen Wassom vs. White Wassom divorce, granted.
Lillie Marie Stovall vs. Harold T. Stovall, judgment to set aside divorce.
Doris Williams vs. Katherine Williams, divorce, granted.
Floyd L. Stowers vs. Laurine Stowers, divorce, granted.
L. E. Meeks vs. Mattie D. Hudson, et al. TTT, judgment for plaintiff.
T. G. Hudson vs. J. N. Janes, et al. TTT, judgment for plaintiff.
Elvira Osborn vs. Wm. H. Rose, TTT, judgment for plaintiff.

The next term of district court will open here on the morning of February 28, according to the court calendar released here by Judge Bills. No jury cases are slated.

BACK FOR CHECK-UP

County Treasurer Roy B. Ezell was taken to a Lubbock hospital last Saturday for a check-up, after spending two weeks at home here. Previously, he had been under treatment at Lubbock for a month. Mrs. Ezell accompanied him to Lubbock.

WINS HIGHEST GRADE

J. C. Callaham, feeding specialist at the Farmers Supply Co., returned home the first of the week from Fort Worth, where he attended a two day session of a Purina Feeding School. Callaham was the highest scoring individual attending the class sessions, he reported on his return.

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A completely new V-8 motor has been installed in the Ford truck of the local Fire Department at a cost of slightly over \$300.

Fire Chief Stanley Thigpen said the replaced motor had been giving considerable trouble for the past several months, and when removed was found to be past repair.

SALE CALLED OFF

The community sale scheduled for Farwell on Tuesday, Feb. 7, has been called off, Col. Dick Doshier, local auctioneer, stated today.

Doshier said poor response for consigning items to the sale was the reason for the cancellation.

ATTEND FAT STOCK SHOW

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lovelace, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Aldridge and Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Liner drove to Fort Worth over the past weekend, where they are attending the Southwestern Cattle Exposition.

ATTEND GROUND BREAKING

Rev. and Mrs. J. J. Terry, of the Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church, went to Northfield, in Motley County, last Sunday, where they attended ground-breaking services for a new Baptist Church to be erected.

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UNDERGOES SURGERY
Mrs. Murphy Duncan, wife of the local Methodist minister, underwent surgery at the Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo on Tuesday and is reported to be getting along satisfactorily. Mrs. Duncan sustained a fall some years ago resulting in injury to the base of her spine, and the operation was performed to correct the injury.

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Social Events of Interest

Miss Evelyn Crim Is Bride of Fred E. Curtis

Miss Mary Evelyn Crim, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crim of the Lazbuddy community, became the bride of Fred E. Curtis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mears of Texico, in a quite but impressive double ring ceremony performed Saturday January 28th, at 8 o'clock, in the Baptist parsonage in Texico.

Rev. O. O. Holladay, pastor of the local Baptist church, officiated at the lovely ceremony in the presence of family members.

The bride was attractively attired in a street length dress of coffee brown crepe and wore matching accessories. She carried a white Bible topped with a gardenia corsage.

For "something old", Mrs. Curtis wore the traditional blue garter and a wedding band belonging to the groom's mother served as "something old and borrowed". For good luck she wore a coin in her shoe.

Mrs. L. H. Johnson, the former Maxine Crim, sister of the bride was matron of honor, wearing a grey wool dress and a shoulder corsage of pink carnations. Clyde A. Punroy, brother-in-law of the bride, served as best man.

Immediately following the nuptials, a reception was held in the dining room of La Vista, in Clovis. After the two-tiered wedding cake had been traditionally cut by the bride and groom, Mrs. Clyde A. Punroy and Miss Georgia Lee Mears served the wedding party. Moving pictures were taken of the occasion.

The couple then departed for a short honeymoon trip to points of interest in New Mexico.

Mrs. Curtis is a graduate of the Muleshoe High School and Southwestern Junior College in Oklahoma City. At the time of her marriage she was employed at the Pace Brothers Garage in Texico. The groom graduated from the Texico High School and spent some time in the Army. He is now employed at the Ray Mears Feed Store in Farwell.

Upon their return from their honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis will make their home in Farwell.

G. W. Magness Honored On 72nd Birthday

George W. Magness, of Farwell, was honored in his home the past Sunday with a lovely dinner noting his 72nd birthday.

A two-tiered birthday cake, appropriately decorated, centered the lovely serving table.

Those present for the occasion included Mr. and Mrs. Chester Magness and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Foster and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Billington and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Warren, the honoree and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Magness.

Move To Clovis

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Winegeart recently sold their home in Texico and have moved to Clovis. He is employed at Meads Bakery in that city.

Joint Birthday Social In Phillips Home

A joint birthday dinner was held recently in the home of Mrs. Kate Phillips, honoring her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Massongill. Mr. Massongill celebrated his 83rd birthday and Mrs. Massongill noted her 72nd.

After the buffet style dinner, the thirty-three guests present gathered in the living room to watch the elderly couple open their many lovely gifts. The remainder of the afternoon was spent in visiting, and Nelson C. Smith took several pictures of the group.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McGuire of Seymour, Mrs. Carter Lawson and Charlotte of Roswell, and Mrs. Dell Edwards and girls, Frankie and Wilma, of Lubbock.

Local attendants were Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Massongill, Mr. and Mrs. W. Carpenter, Mrs. Mattie Purselle, Mrs. Dorothy Eason and Peggy, Mrs. A. D. White, Nelson C. Smith, W. S. McDaniel, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Utzman and Jerry; Mr. and Mrs. Bunk Phillips, Linda and Connie; Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cox and Jessie; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn D. Phillips and Charles Phillips.

Surprise Birthday Party Given Mrs. Hendrickson

Neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Hendrickson gathered at their home Monday evening, tendering a surprise birthday party for Mrs. Hendrickson.

In addition to bringing a large collection of lovely gifts to the honoree, the visitors also brought refreshments of cake, cocoa and coffee, which were served following a series of progressive 42 games.

High scorers for the evening were Mrs. W. H. Dollar and Lee Doshier.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Myron Hillock and children, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Routon and children, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dollar and Betty, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Rundell and Scotty, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Doshier, Mr. and Mrs. Sherley Kesner. Sending regrets were Mr. and Mrs. Morris Lucas.

Mr. and Mrs. Hendrickson were very grateful for the thoughtfulness on the part of their friends. Hendrickson has been confined to his bed for the past six weeks with a broken leg.

College Students Visits Home During Holidays

A number of local college students visited with relatives and friends in Texico-Farwell last week, in brief semester-end holidays.

Among those here were a large group from Eastern New Mexico University, including Peggy and Jean Rogers, Norma Lee Sanders, Sonny Graham, Mary Ruth Petree, Gervadene and Monty Jones, Grace McDaniel, Mary Harding and Bill Martin; Jim Bob Roop was in from Texas Tech, and A. C. Henneman was here from WT at Canyon.

Former Pastor Weds Wednesday, Clovis

Word has been received here of the marriage of Rev. H. B. Strickland, of Burbank, Calif., to Mrs. Bertha Cranfill, of Clovis, with the quite home ceremony being performed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Rutledge, in Clovis, on Wednesday, January 25th.

Rev. Strickland is a former pastor of the Texico-Farwell Baptist Church, and is well known locally. His son, Hassler Strickland, of Roswell, attended as best man, and Mrs. B. F. Moss, of Clovis, acted as matron of honor.

Dr. B. P. Maddox, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Clovis, officiated at the nuptials, in the presence of friends and relatives.

For her wedding, Mrs. Strickland wore brown crepe with powder-blue plummage figure and black accessories. Her corsage was of pink carnations. Mrs. Moss chose a dress emphasizing the same colors, and had a yellow carnation corsage.

The couple left immediately for Burbank, California, to make their home.

Local PTA Officers On 'Number Please'

A group of officers of the Farwell Parent Teacher Association appeared as guests on "Number Please", a program presented daily over KICA, Clovis, on Monday afternoon at 3:30.

The entire broadcast was dedicated to the activities of the Farwell Association and its functions during the current year.

In the local group were Mrs. Murray Dial, PTA president; Mrs. Sterlyn Billington, first vice president; Mrs. Tom Foster, second vice president; Mrs. Jack Williams, publicity chairman; Mrs. Louis Purvis, parliamentarian; and Mrs. Joe Crume, Mrs. Joe Magness, Mrs. Clyde Magness, Mrs. W. T. Magness and Mrs. Willie Hardage, members.

Three of the ladies participated in the program give-away at the beginning of the program, with prizes going to Mrs. Jack Williams, Mrs. Murray Dial and Mrs. Sterlyn Billington.

In Means Home

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Les Means in Texico included Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Templeman and children, Bill and Peggy, of Abernathy; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Green of San Jon, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Templeman of Clovis, Willie Hoadley of Clovis, and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Pearce of Texico.

Visits In Spearman

Mrs. Lewis Pierce and daughter, Norma Lee Sanders, were visitors in Spearman, Texas, during the latter part of last week, where they saw friends and attended business matters. They formerly lived in Spearman.

Louis Caillouet, who is employed in southern New Mexico, spent the weekend with his family in Texico.

Smith Named President Of Co. Shrine Club

The Farmer County Shrine Club met at the Masonic Hall in Bovina on Monday evening, and after a sumptuous banquet elected the following officers to serve for the ensuing year: President, Nelson C. Smith of Farwell; vice president, O. W. Rhinehart of Bovina; secretary-treasurer, Reagan Looney of Bovina.

Among other things, the club decided to continue its sponsorship of the Farmer County Chapter of DeMolay, and agreed that they would invite all DeMolays, their dads and boy friends to be guests at the Masonic Hall in Bovina on February 27, at 7:30 p. m.

The Shriners also authorized the donation of \$50.00 to the Farmer County March of Dimes.

The Club will, hereafter, meet on the evening of every fifth Monday.

Mexican Supper Slated By Bovina Study Club

Lovers of fine Mexican food will welcome the opportunity offered today by the Bovina Women's Study Club to avail themselves of a spicy supper, with the ladies sponsoring the feed on Saturday night of this week at the Legion Hall in Bovina.

Serving will begin at 6 o'clock and continue until 8:00, officials said. Serving prices will be: enchiladas, 25c; tacos, 25c; chili, 15c; beans, 15c; sherbet, 10c, and coffee, 5c.

In addition, the Legion Auxiliary of Bovina will hold its usual bingo tournament in the large room of the Legion Hall, with play beginning at 7:00, and residents are invited to drop in for supper and stay to enjoy the games.

Son Arrives Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gast, of Laredo, Tex., former residents of this city, are the parents of a son, born Saturday afternoon, January 28, at 5:15. The young man weighed nine pounds and has been named Rickie. Mr. and Mrs. Karl Gast, proud grandparents of the new arrival, left the past week to spend an extended visit with their son and family.

Here On Saturday

Rev. J. V. Pace and daughters, Nevalene and Oleta, of Morton, were Saturday dinner guests in the home of their niece and cousin, Miss Hazel Dishman, in Farwell.

To South Texas

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Houghteling left the past Thursday for the Rio Grande Valley, in South Texas, where they plan to spend about ten days on vacation.

Returns Home

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McReynolds, who have been visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Les Means, for the past several days, left the past Thursday to return to their home in Needles, California.

Visits Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Connard Bonhart and family, of Fort Sumner, spent the past weekend visiting in the home of the Bonhart's daughter, Mrs. Rip Snodgrass, and family, in Texico.

Farwell PTA Meet Thursday, Feb. 9th

The Farwell Parent Teachers Association will hold its regular monthly meeting, Thursday night, February 9th, in the music room of the local school.

The meeting will get under way at 8 o'clock, with highlight of the evening being a guest speaker from the Eastern New Mexico University, using as a theme, "Teamwork for Good Citizenship." Officials of the association urge everyone to plan to be on hand for this meeting.

During the business session the nominating committee will be chosen, followed by a reception for the seniors.

Hostesses for the February meeting will include Mesdames Clyde Magness, Ted Sheets, H. H. Petree, C. C. Christian, L. L. Norton, Bill Dellar, J. J. Terry, Boone Allison, Lee Jones, Harry Jesko, L. E. McKillip, A. J. Doshier, Ray Ford and Travis Brown.

Here With Sister

Mrs. Ross Gibson, of Lamesa, arrived here last Wednesday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. B. N. Graham. She returned to her home the first of the week.

Here From Lubbock

Mr. and Mrs. Lee McDaniel and son were here from Lubbock over the weekend, taking home with them their daughter, Tracy Lee, who had spent several days in Farwell with relatives.

To San Marcos

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Dykes departed the past week for San Marcos, Texas, where Dykes plans to resume his schooling.

Attend Zone Meeting

Mrs. Albert Thomas, Mrs. Jerry Spurlin, Mrs. Ruby Dixon and Mrs. G. W. Atchley were in Rosedale on Tuesday, attending a zone meeting of the Women's Society for Christian Service. The ladies represented the local Methodist group.

Here From Cincinnati

Frank Hermes, who formerly farmed north of here, has been here the past week from his present home in Cincinnati, Ohio, visiting old friends and attending business matters.

IN BOOTH HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Westerman of Oklaunion, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin of near Vernon, spent last Thursday visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Booth.

Mr. and Mrs. Monte Hamilton and daughter, Carlene, of Fort Sumner, were weekend guests with friends in Texico.

Mrs. Elmer Temple, who had been visiting here with relatives, returned to her home in Albuquerque, the past Friday.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients admitted: F. M. Osborn, Friona, medical; Mrs. J. C. Stowers, Friona, maternity; Joseph Drager, Friona, medical; Sandra Patterson, medical; Mrs. R. H. McFarland, Friona, maternity; H. C. Rogers, Dalhart, medical; Johnny Nazworth, Friona, medical; Jack Waltman, Bovina, medical; Gene Taylor, Friona, medical; Danny Parker, Friona, medical; Mrs. Nellie Cecil, Crestline, Calif., accident.

Patients dismissed Mrs. C. G. Drager and son, Friona; F. M. Osborn, Friona; Helen Stowers, Friona; Mrs. W. H. May, Friona; Mrs. Louise Coyle, Bovina; Mary Dudley, Friona; Mrs. Richards, Bovina; Johnny Nazworth, Mrs. J. C. Stowers and son, Mrs. H. C. Davis, Mrs. Nelie Cecil.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to all our many friends who were so thoughtful of us during our recent bereavement. Especially do we thank those who brought food and sent the lovely floral offerings. You have made the loss of our wife, daughter and sister easier for us. May God richly bless you.

Dick Barber, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Langford, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Green and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Langford and family.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the members of the Wesleyan Service Guild of the local Methodist Church, take this means of expressing our sincere appreciation to the many individuals who so kindly donated time and food for the banquet served the Texico-Farwell Lions Club the past Thursday night. Each of you helped make our effort a success, and we are grateful to all.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyde Brewer and Byron were in Friona, Sunday, visiting in the C. L. Vestal home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Pearce are visiting relatives in Fort Worth, this week.

Mrs. Gus Bryant and Mrs. J. E. Lindley, both of Clovis, visited with Mrs. Anne Overstreet in Farwell, Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Roop have moved from Texico to Farwell, to the former Ebb Randol residence.

Miss Gloria Johnson spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Barbara Seale.

Mrs. Marvin Doolittle, of Clovis, visited in Texico on Sunday.

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Bovina Happenings

BY MARIE VENABLE

Mrs. Finley Hartsfield is confined to her home with the mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wilson have a new 1950 Buick.

Mrs. A. J. Moorman spent Thursday visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. White.

Mr. Dave Wines and son, Dean, returned to their home here after spending the past two months in a Dumas hospital receiving medical care. They both were seriously hurt in a car accident, and will have to be in bed for several more months. We are all glad to have them home and lets everyone go and pay them a visit and that will help pass along the long days.

Ervin Boatman attended to business in Amarillo, Saturday.

Mrs. L. V. Shryver is visiting in the homes of her sisters, Mrs. F. W. Ayres and Mrs. A. G. White this week. She is from Cuchillo, New Mexico.

Mrs. A. J. Richards who has been in the Friona hospital since Christmas day was released to her home Thursday. Her condition is reported to be much improved.

Mrs. Robert Calaway and son, James Lee, Mrs. T. G. Hudson were Clovis visitors Friday in the home of Mrs. Harold Brown and family.

Mrs. T. G. Hudson Jr., received word the past week that her aunt, Mrs. W. D. Thompson had passed away. She was a former resident of Bovina, but at the time of her death she was living with her son, Lloyd and family, in Tucumcari, N. M.

Mrs. Thompson's body was shipped to Oklahoma for burial. Mrs. Hudson was unable to attend the funeral due to the illness of her father. The deceased was well known and loved by all the Bovina residents, and all were made sad by the bad news.

Mrs. A. G. White, Mrs. F. W. Ayres and Mrs. L. V. Shryver spent Friday visiting their brother, C. L. Rury in Clovis.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wilkinson returned the past weekend from a visit with relatives in Denton and Vernon, Texas.

Several people from Bovina attended the funeral of Mr. Andrew J. Jones at the Steeds' Chapel in Clovis Tuesday, January 24th. He was formerly owner and manager of the Bovina hotel, several years ago. He passed away in Denver, Colo., on the 21st day of January. He was 76 years old. Burial was made in the Pleasant Hill cemetery.

BOVINA WOMENS STUDY CLUB MEETS

The Bovina Women's Study Club met in the home of Mrs. J. P. Macon on Thursday, January 26th, with Mrs. Arnold Hromas as co-hostess. Mrs. Aubrey Rhodes was leader for the afternoon. The subject was "Charm" and "Fashion", and was discussed by Mrs. W. M. Thornton, Mrs. James Watkins and Mrs. Jessie McSpadden.

The hostesses served a refreshment plate to Mesdames W. E. McCuan, Herbert Potts, Jessie McSpadden, and James Watkins, guests. Members present included Mesdames Bedford Caldwell, Bass Elliott, Clarence Jones, Bill Kyle, Reagan Looney, Lewis Pesch, Aubrey Rhodes, Charles Ross, Sam Sides, Billie Sudderth, W. M. Thornton, and A. B. Wilkinson.

METHODIST MEN ENJOY OYSTER SUPPER

The Methodist Men's Organization of the Bovina Methodist church was host to an oyster supper at the church Monday night, January 23. Members of the organization invited guests and approximately forty-eight were present.

Dean Martin Cole of Eastern New Mexico University, spoke to the group on "Communism And Democracy". His method of presentation was both entertaining and thought provoking, as he presented the claims and objectives of Communism and compared them with Democracy he showed the greater advantages and opportunities of the American way of life.

The evening was enjoyed from beginning to end by all attendants. The Methodist men are making plans for similar meetings in the future.

The Methodist men is an organization resulting from activities of the revival meeting held during the fall. It includes men from the Methodist church as well as the other churches of the community. Rev. Thurman Harris of Portales, who was instrumental in starting the organization was present for the Monday night affair.

Mrs. Frankie Hermis of Ohio, visited in the Joe Langer home the past weekend.

The school girls played basketball with the U Down girls Tuesday night with the school girls winning 41 to 29. The outside Legion Team played the high school boys with the Legion winning 48 to 29. These games were for the March of Dimes and \$47.35 was taken in with the Bovina Fire boys making up \$10.00 which made a total of \$57.35 all together. Thanks to all who helped in this matter.

T. G. Hudson and Cash Richards left Sunday for Mexico to get some donkeys.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Terry and son of Friona visited in the Charlie Jefferson home Sunday.

Rev. E. J. Speegle of Sterlington, La., preached at the Baptist church in Bovina, Sunday, he was here several years ago.

Reagan Looney, Frank Wilson and Bob Wilson left for a weeks fishing trip in Old Mexico the past weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Gunn visited his father in Flemment, Texas, the past weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rhodes visited Mr. and Mrs. White and Mrs. Edna Scott in Portales, N. M., Sunday.

Bill Bradshaw underwent a minor operation in Lubbock the past week. Perry and Reagan Looney made a business trip to Lorenzo, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Parker visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hamrick, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Scottie Barry had as their guests over the weekend, his brother, Wade T. Barry and family of El Paso, Texas. Forty-two was played in their home Friday night by Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Battey and son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sides and the Barrys.

BAPTIST WMU MEETS

The Bovina Baptist W. M. U. met at the home of Mrs. Bob Williford, Tuesday, January 24th, with a Royal Service Program. After the program a farewell party was given in honor of Mrs. A. T. Ray who is moving to Arkansas. Refreshments were served to Mesdames Frank Barnett, N. E. Bonds, Henry Minter, Troy Armstrong, Bill Bradshaw, Travis Lloyd, H. T. Tidenberg, J. W. Gooch, J. O. Combs, V. C. Ward, Gene Hawkins, Clarence Shanks, A. T. Ray and Bob Williford.

MR. AND MRS. J. W. SIDES HONORED AT HOUSEWARMING

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sides were honored with a lovely house warming, January 24th, in their new home. They moved here about a month ago from Lubbock. Many beautiful and useful gifts were received. What they enjoyed most was the visit with old friends. Mrs. Tom Foster gave two readings, "Home", and "A Prayer For Home". Rebecca Ann Foster also gave two good readings.

Mrs. W. E. Verner and Mrs. Janie Sides presided over the guest book. Mrs. Lloyd Battey and Mrs. Avis Carpenter served the guests, refresh-

ments of sandwiches, cake & punch. Games were enjoyed by all. The hostesses were Mrs. W. E. Verner, Mrs. Arnold Hromas, and Mrs. Sam Sides.

Those present included Messers and Mesdames J. R. Caldwell, Hilery Tidenberg, R. N. Williford, Ed McGuire, Clyde Perkins, Harold Carpenter, Lloyd Battey, and son Keith, Lee Thompson, Charlie Gray, and Lawrence, Mel Gunn, Bedford Caldwell, Scottie Barry, Tom Caldwell, Arnold Hromas, Sam Sides, Clifford Leake, Jack Roach, C. C. Christian and Rev. Buchanan;

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Christian, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Foster, Mrs. J. Sam Gaines, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Glover, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Foster, Robbie and Rebecca Ann Foster, Charlotte Hromas, Walter Verner.

Sending regrets were Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Rhinehart, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bradshaw, Mrs. Jessie McSpadden, Mrs. Wade, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Steelman, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore, Mr. and Mrs. James Roach, Mr. and Mrs. L. M.

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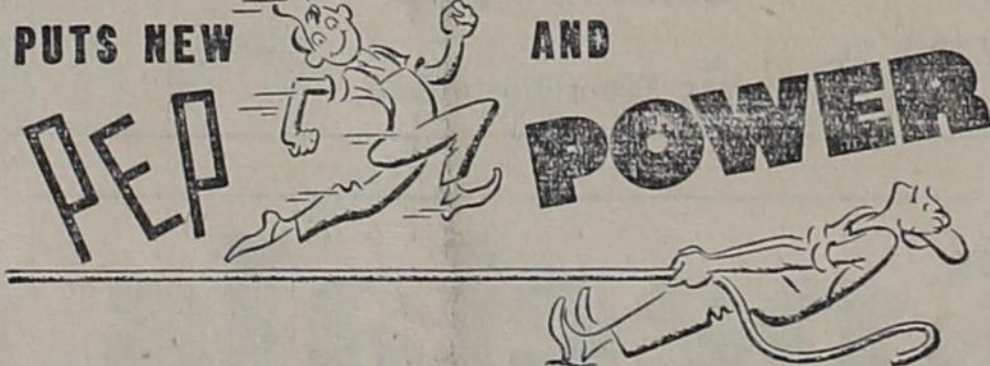
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Mr. and Mrs. Austin Calhoun and family of Clovis, spent Sunday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Calhoun.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Clark of Clovis, spent Saturday visiting in the home of her brother, the Barry family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sides purchased a new black Chevrolet the past week.

Jack Waltman is in the Friona hospital receiving medical care for strep throat.

Mrs. John Byler and children of Amarillo spent the past weekend visiting her mother, Mrs. Norman Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Kesler of Friona spent the past weekend visiting their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kesler.

Arnold Hromas made a business trip to Amarillo, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hawkins and children of Clovis visited friends and relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Ezra Englant and Mary Alice made a business trip to Clovis, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hawkins have recently moved them a new home to Bovina west of town. It is one of the ready built houses from Clovis.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnston Jr., have their new home already to move into.

BOVINA ATHLETIC BANQUET
A banquet for the Bovina athletic

club was held Thursday night, January 26th, with about forty present. All boys were awarded gold footballs with the letter 'B' on them. The Bovina football queen, Loretta Thompson was awarded a gold football also.

The guest speaker was Frank Kimbrow, who was elected coach of the year at West Texas State College. Another guest was Bobbie Kelly on the football squad at WT in Canyon this year. He graduated from Bovina High school a couple of years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Bedford Caldwell were also guests.

Toastmaster was Gene Brito and the program consisted of a quartette by Pat Loffin, Jimmy Ware, Lavelle Pounds, Billy Ray Derrick and Mrs. John Wilson accompanied.

A football film was shown by Coach Kimbrow of a game played at West Texas State in Canyon, and girls' basketball was discussed by R. E. Everett. Other speakers included Bedford Caldwell, Bobby Kelley, Frank Kimbrow and Coach Ratliff.

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Sharp Asks Return As District Attorney

Joe Sharp, District Attorney, 64th Judicial District, has announced for a second term. He was elected District Attorney shortly after his return from the army, where he rose from an enlisted private to a captain during several years of service in the U. S. A. and European theatre.

Sharp is a native Texan and was educated in the public free schools Wayland College, Texas Tech, and Cumberland Law School, Lebanon, Tenn. His law degree is from Cumberland.

Twice he was elected County Attorney of Hale County and served as an Assistant Attorney General of Texas under two administrations—McCraw's and Gerald Mann's.

He is a past president of his County Bar Association.

Last year, the first of his term as District Attorney, 79 criminal defendants were tried by Sharp in the six-county district. There were 76 convictions ranging from life terms to two year suspended sentences. Three were acquitted and five appealed. Three of these are pending,

one was affirmed and one reversed. This district comprises Hale, Bailey, Lamb, Parmer, Castro and Swisher counties.

SOCIAL SECURITY RATE ADVANCED JANUARY 1

The fact that the social security tax advanced from 1% to 1½% each from the employer and the employee, effective January 1, 1950, has caused some employers to inquire if the law has been changed to tax more than the first \$3,000.00 in wages paid to an employee in a year, according to J. R. Sanderson, manager of the Social Security Administration.

"Only the first \$3,000.00 in wages paid by an employer to each employee is taxable," Sanderson said, "and only an Act of Congress will change the law pertaining to the maximum wages to be taxed."

Sanderson pointed out that all inquiries regarding social security tax matters should be referred to the Collector of Internal Revenue, and that questions about old-age and survivors insurance benefits should be directed to the social security office, Post Office Bldg., Amarillo.

OWN SOME NYLON GOODS? HERE'S HOW TO WASH 'EM

LUBBOCK—Washing nylon is a simple process which can be accomplished quickly because soil is washed off the fabric, not out of it, according to Mrs. Edna Walker Buster, associate professor of clothing and textiles at Texas Technological college.

Mrs. Buster says nylon's ability to resist stains and dirt makes soaking and long, hard washing unnecessary and perhaps harmful. Machine washing of nylon garments should be limited to two or three minutes.

Hot water and soap do not affect the nylon fabric, but finishing compounds and color may be harmed by extremely hot water or strong soap, she warns housewives.

"Bleaching, bluing and starching are unnecessary when washing nylon," Mrs. Buster said, "because nylon fabrics retain their fresh, crisp look if thoroughly rinsed—and weak chlorine or hydrogen peroxide bleaches should be used only if all other efforts to remove discoloration have failed."

She added that most stains on nylon can be removed with plain soap and water.

INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE MEET SLATED FOR BOVINA

Superintendents of District 11-B approved the holding of the spring interscholastic league meet, recently, when the school heads assembled in Bovina, it is reported here.

At that time, the Bovina invitation for the meet was accepted, and tentative arrangements set the affair for March 31st and April 1st, Supt. Jack Williams said today.

Supt. W. H. Willoughby of Bovina, was named director general; with R. E. Everett, of Bovina, as secretary, and Coach Clovis Ratliff, also of Bovina, as athletic director.

The league meet includes activities in tennis, track, and literary events, and it is expected that all teams of the district will be represented.

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S474(2) & R461-6-2 & R461-7-2, in Parmer & Bailey County, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A. M. Feb. 15, 1950, and then publicly opened and read.

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said House Bills, the State Highway Commission has ascertained the wage rates prevailing in the locality in which this work is to be done. The Contractor shall pay not less than the prevailing wage rates shown in the proposal for Group 2 for each craft or type of "Laborer", "Workman", or "Mechanic", employed on this project.

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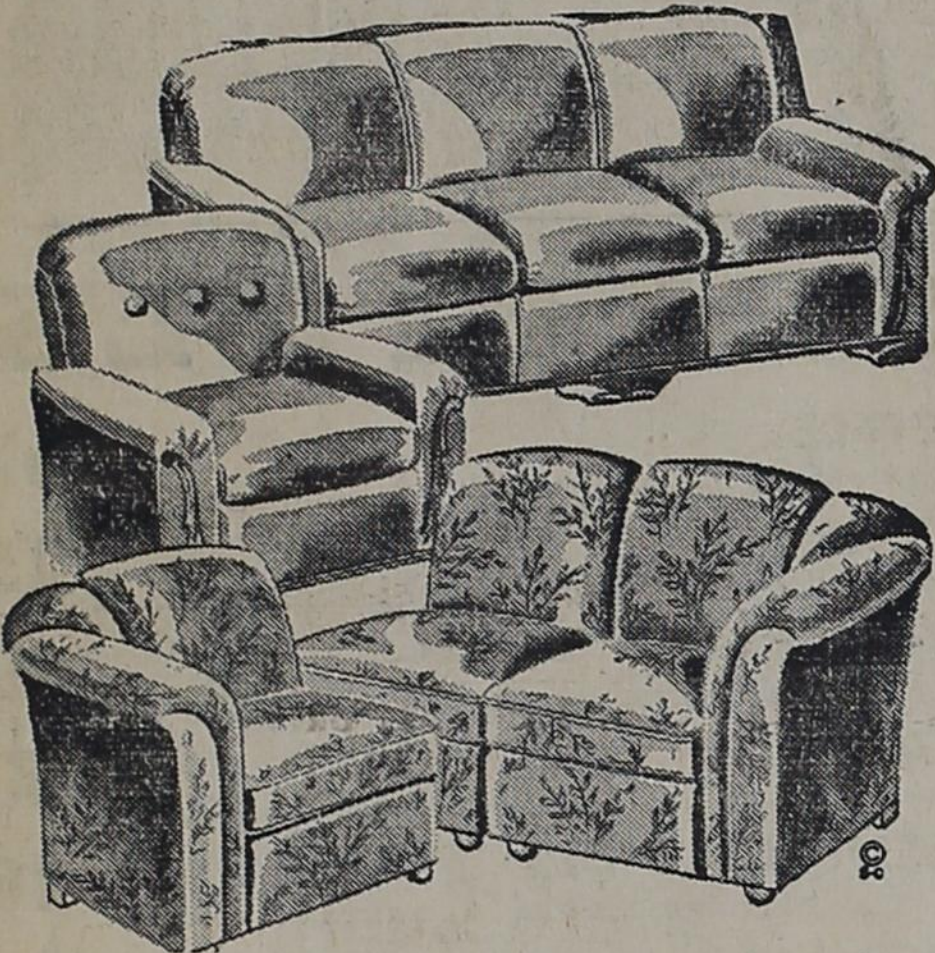
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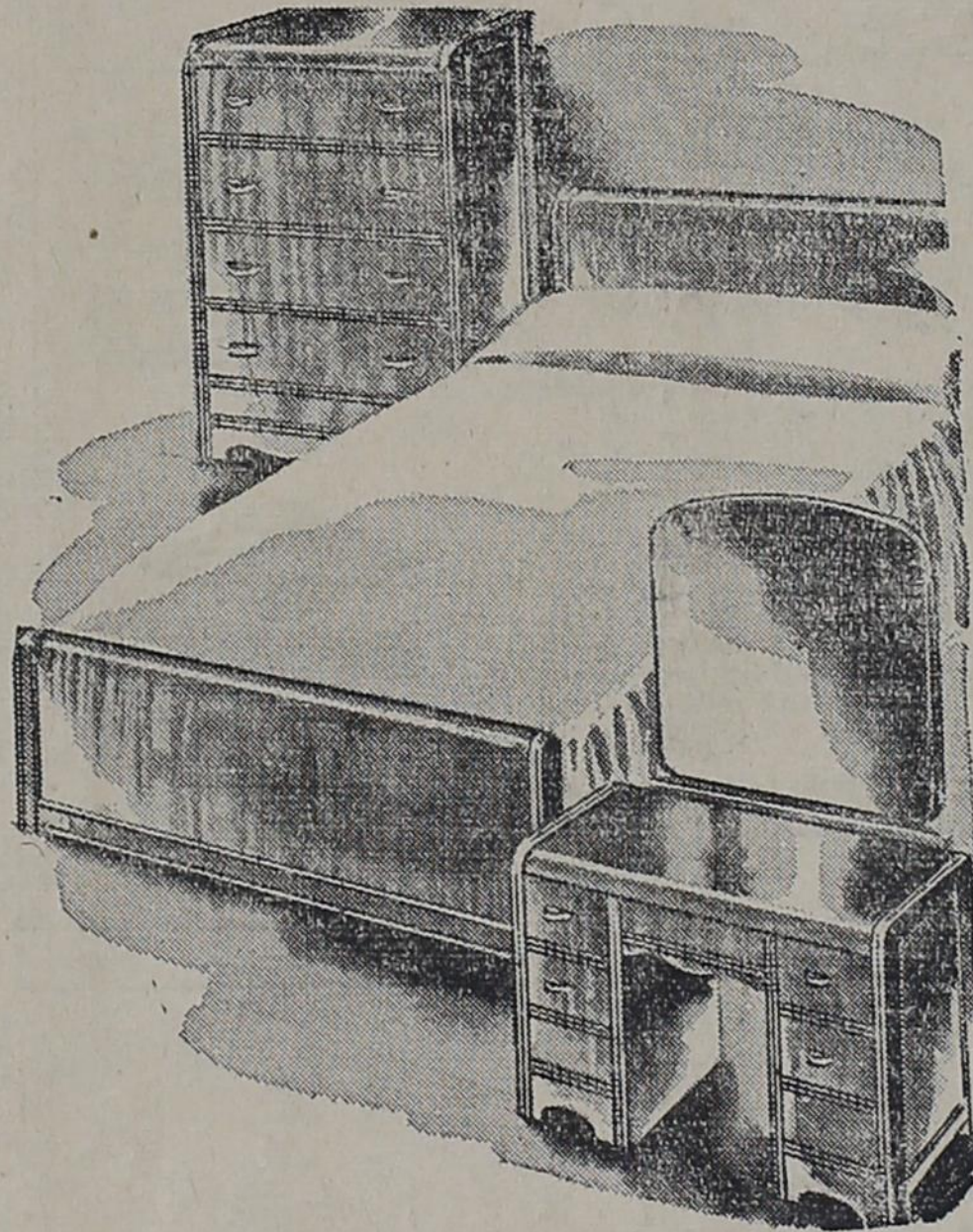
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Championship Finally Comes To Farwellites In Hale Center Meet

Apparently stuck with the old adage, "If at first you don't succeed, try, try again," the Farwell Steers, in their third attempt of the season, took an invitation tournament crown at the Hale Center meet which concluded Saturday night.

Previously this season, the luckless Steers had found themselves in second place at their own meet, and again in a hotly-contested runner-up position at Abernathy only a week before they finally grabbed the title.

Coach Louis Purvis, reporting the games this week, said that the entire Hale Center tourney was marked by exceptionally close games in both divisions, and added that the finale for the boys' crown, played between Farwell and Dimmitt, was an unusually smooth contest.

Two of the locals, Don Ford and John Christian, were placed on the all-tournament team at the conclusion of play and were awarded individual trophies for their performances.

Open Against Cotton Center
The hardest game of the tournament for the locals was their first, as they faced a fighting Cotton Center aggregation, and came from eight points behind to take a 34-36 decision.

In the last three minutes the locals held Cotton Center scoreless as Ford, Coburn and Dollar bucketed 10 points for the win. Scoring by quarters had run all in favor of the Cotton Center squad—6-4, 16-13 and 23-23. Barnett topped Ford for individual scoring honors, taking 16 for the losers to Ford's 15 for the Steers.

Going into the semi-finals, the locals met Kress and took a fairly easy victory, 15-40, breezing along with a comfortable margin all the time. The Kress defense, Coach Purvis said, was excellent but slow, and the fast-breaking Steers ripped in repeatedly for set-up shots.

Poteet led the local basketballing with 12 points during the game as Tomsu bagged 8 for the losers. By quarters the count was 6-2, 18-3, 28-6, all favoring Farwell.

Dimmitt and Farwell Meet
The final game of the tournament, starring Dimmitt and Farwell in the roles of title contenders, came off before a packed house Saturday evening. Coach Purvis reported that both teams ran up an extraordinary basket averaging, making more than one-third of their attempts.

Bound for the title, the Steers were not to be diverted, and held a continual lead to win by a 41-36 tally. First quarter score was 13-9; at the half it stood 23-15, and at third quarter was 33-21. Fulfur led Dimmitt with 12 points, as Poteet had 11, Terry 10, Ford 9 and Christian 7 for the winners. Defensively, Christian was the outstanding man on the court during the game, spectators believe.

Bovina Legion Group Seeks Cage Games

Wanted: Basketball games.
The Bovina American Legion cage team is looking for some competition for games, either at home or away, members of the group reported Monday.

Squads desiring to secure games with the Bovina Legionnaires are invited to write Howard Looney, at Bovina, for dates.

The group prefers to match games not more than a hundred miles from home.

Four Wins Chalked Up In Six Starts

The Texico Whirlwinds made a clean sweep of their opposition the past weekend, downing both Rosedale and Field, the junior high boys took their solitary engagement from Floyd, and the Wolverines defeated Field but dropped contests to Floyd and Rosedale.

A photo finish was racked up in the girls' game against Rosedale played here on Friday night, when the locals bucketed quick shots in the dying seconds to win, 22-23. The score was tied up at both the first and second quarter breathers, at 6-6 and 14-14, with the Whirlwinds getting a 19-20 margin at the end of the third canto.

Northcutt and Harrington led the losers, taking 10 each during the game, but Patsy Engram grabbed scoring honors of the evening by sinking six fielders and one free toss for a total of 13.

Revengeing their partners, the Rosedale Cowboys proceeded to take the locals under, 28-10. Obviously off on their basket tries, the Wolverines were never able to make their shots count, although they broke in for plenty of tries that should have netted points.

Chandler, the Rosedale strong man came through with a total of 14 points during the game for the winners, while Horton topped Texico with a count of 5.

Defeat Field Teams
Two of the weekend victories came at the expense of Field on Wednesday night, as both the locals came out ahead.

First on the court were the girls who emerged with a 20-29 margin. Count was tied at the end of the first round, 7-7, the Whirlwinds edged up in the second canto, 10-13, and clung to a precarious 2-point lead at the end of the third round, 17-19. In the final minutes, Field was held to three points as the locals got 10.

Jo Beth Engram scored 11 to lead Texico, Patsy Engram was a close second with 10 and Swinford led the Fielders with a count of 9.

Breezing along easily, the Wolverines racked up a 43-16 win over the Field team in the evening's final as Brown led the scoring by hitting five two-pointers for the locals.

Gunnels, with 8, and Skeen, with 7, did the major Field scoring.

Two boys' teams journeyed to Floyd on Saturday night, with the junior high squad taking their contest while the seniors were dumped.

Final count in the senior game was 29-20, Coach C. B. Stockton said today, with Horton bagging 5 to top Texico and Bilberry leading the Floyd scoring parade.

FARWELL TAKES TWO
Two conference games were taken by the Farwell squad on Tuesday night, as they met Lazbuddy.

Final count in the girls' clash was 48-25, with Randol getting 19 and Dial 18 for Farwell, while Engelking bagged 17 for Lazbuddy.

The Steers ran away with their match, dumping Lazbuddy 63-27. Terry racked 26 for Farwell, Poteet had 16 and Steinbock led the losers with 13.

GIRLS PLAY AT BOVINA
The Texico girls played a tight game at Bovina, Tuesday night, losing out 28-21 in the final count, it was reported this morning.

On the same night, the Wolverines lost a match to Ranchvale, 35-28, and the junior girls defeated Ranchvale, 20-12, in games played away from home.

Girls' County Tourney Comes At Lazbuddy, Feb. 7th, 14th

Four Parmer county teams, contending for the championship, will play a matched series in the Lazbuddy gymnasium next week, at the conclusion of which the girls' title for 1949-50 will be awarded.

Two nights have been set aside to determine the champion.

On Tuesday night, February 7th, the Farwell girls play Bovina at 7:30, after which Friona and Lazbuddy will tangle at 8:30.

On Thursday night, the losers of the first round meet for third place and the two first-round winners will battle it out for the title.

Currently, Bovina is the county favorite, with Farwell and Friona considered about even. Bovina has gone practically undefeated this season, has taken two invitation crowns and has paddled the county teams in conference play thus far.

Coach Jack Williams was rueful this week as to his chances next Tuesday, explaining that one of his regular forwards, Valarie Dial, was having trouble with a sprained knee and might be on the bench the remainder of the season.

Winner of the county will represent Parmer County in the district meet, the time and place yet to be announced.

No information was available here as to the names of officials who will call the games, he added. Four referees were approved earlier by the county coaches, with the host school given the option of hiring those available.

Fireboys Divide First Double Header

The Texico-Farwell Fireboys divided a double header on Monday night with out-of-town independent teams, both by narrow scores.

In the first contest, the Fireballers lost to the Bovina cagers by a count of 32-25. Max Ford set the pace for the locals with 12 points to his credit, with Harman, of the Bovina aggregation, taking second honors with 10 points.

In the second game, the locals barely nosed out the REA boys of Clovis, 27-26. Ford was again high man with 10 points. Jacobs topped the REA lads with 6 points.

The Fireballers go to Pleasant Hill on Feb. 2 and to Bovina on Feb. 8.

Melrose And Elida On Basketball Menu

The strong Melrose Buffaloes, who this season have bowed only to Clovis in play over the area, will be hosts to the Texico Wolverines on Friday night of this week, Coach C. B. Stockton said today.

In addition to the senior squad, the junior high team, directed by John Armour, is slated to make its appearance at Melrose, and coaches on Tuesday wryly hoped that the juniors might come through with a win as the Wolverines are rated little chance of upsetting the favorites.

The two final home games of the season come here on Saturday night at which time the junior and senior high boys from Elida are slated to contest the Texico-ites.

Coach Stockton's boys dropped an encounter with the Elida squad some weeks ago, on a road trip, and are hoping they can avenge the loss this weekend.

Game time Saturday night is 7:30, and fans are invited to see the last home appearance of the year.

Friona Teams Come Here Friday Night

Two games which will have a bearing on conference standings are slated for the Farwell gymnasium on Friday night of this week, February 3rd, when the Friona Chiefs and Squaws will be guests.

The Steers and the Chiefs will be concerned with standing in the district, while the Squaws and the local girls will battle it out for county standing.

The boys' teams have met previously this season, when the Chiefs came within 6 points of taking the locals. Last weekend, it is reported, the Friona team lacked only a hair of defeating the leading district contenders, Adrian, losing by two points as Adrian scored in the last second, which indicates that they have made improvement as the season progressed.

Competition between the girls is always hot and heavy and the Friday night encounter will be the first for the two teams this year, Coach Jack Williams said today.

Both local teams will be in tournament play next week, with the girls participating in the county meet and the boys engaged in the district contest. Lazbuddy will be the scene of the girls' meet, Tuesday and Thursday; the boys' district clash will be held in Farwell, February 10-11.

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Farwell Juniors Rack Up Recent Victories

Three games were played on Monday night by the 8th grade boys and girls and the boys' B string with the Friona squads, in the Farwell gym.

With Sprawls banging in 11, the local girls took the first match, 13-9. Haws was high for Friona with 7.

The eight grade boys lost their match to Friona, 16-27. Barber was high for the locals, Wilkins of Friona had 8, closely followed by Reeve with 7.

The local B string took the Friona-ites, 20-33, as Dial and Jordan each scored 7, followed by Crume and Magness with 6 each. Cleveland ran up 12 of the Friona points.

The Farwell and Bovina junior high teams contributed their activity for the benefit of the March 6 Dimes, at Oklahoma Lane, Jan. 23. The eighth grade girls took their game over Bovina, with Sprawls tallying 10 as Young led Bovina with 6.

Bovina's 8th grade boys dumped the locals, 10-25 in the second game. Pounds racked up 11 for the winners, Barber had 4 for Farwell.

Taking a thriller in the third contest, the Farwell 9th grade girls got past Bovina, 15-12. Count was close throughout.

Bovina took the finale, as the 9th grade boys tangled with the final count at 15-10. Poteet led Farwell with 5, Lowrie of Bovina and Dial of Farwell tied for second with 4.

Four Texico Teams Will Enter County Tourney

Four Texico high school basketball teams, the Wolverines and Whirlwinds, senior groups, and the junior high boys and girls will be entered in the annual Curry County cage scramble, which opens next Thursday, February 9th, in Clovis.

Coach C. B. Stockton, directing the Wolverines, said today that the brackets for the tournament would be drawn next Monday night for all participants, with some 27 games to be run off during the weekend.

The Whirlwinds, coached by Fern Stout, are priming this week for the county engagements, and hope to be in the championship battle. With a well-balanced season behind them, the locals are expected to be one of the tournament favorites.

Coach John Armour, who handles the junior squads, was hopeful this week over the prospects exhibited by the youngsters.

Robinson of Friona, Appling, Williams and Whitley, all of Clovis, have been designated as officials for the meet, which will wind up on Saturday night, the 11th.

Complete brackets will be released next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bob Drace and children were visitors here from Abernathy over the past weekend. Miss Mildred Moore returned home with them for a visit.

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