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The public is invited to attend open house for Security State Bank's new building in Farwell Sunday afternoon. Visiting hours are from 1 until 6 p.m. The unusual architecture and arrangement of inside facilities at Security State have attracted widespread notice.

McLendon Bilked Creditors Through Legal Loophole

By W. H. GRAHAM

Gordon McLendon, candidate for the Democratic nomination to U. S. Senate (opposing Ralph Yarborough), looked me straight in the eye Friday afternoon and told me the company in which he was a large stockholder beat the American Telephone and Telegraph Company out of thousands of dollars in 1952.

"I'm sorry it wasn't more," he added. "They had it coming."

This was accomplished by way of bankruptcy of the Liberty Broadcasting System, which owed AT&T and other creditors approximately \$700,000 when the walls fell in. Under law, an incorporated company, such as Liberty was, is a legal entity itself, and as such its liabilities are limited to its assets. In event of failure of the company, creditors have no recourse to the shareholders, but must satisfy their claims from a partitioning out of the assets of the company when it is liquidated.

McLendon, who said he owned 50 per cent of the company when it went under, struggled against enormous odds to build a radio network in the late 1940's. He recalled that the business lasted for about four and half years.

The principal stock in trade for Liberty at that time was its baseball broadcasts. McLendon, one of sportsdom's better known commentators, was doing the ball games for Liberty, and his colorful portrayal of the action was the main reason 458 stations contracted with the network.

As "The Old Scotchman" recalls it, Liberty lost its vitality and failed when it lost the major league ball games in 1952. McLendon says the company took both the American and National Leagues to court for pulling out, and that "about \$200,000" in judgments was won.

Just how much was paid to whom isn't clear. It's all a matter of record at Dallas, where the bankruptcy petition is duly recorded, but McLendon is a little vague on the details.

Yarborough, McLendon's free-swinging opponent, alleged at a Democratic rally in Amarillo the day before our conversation that Liberty's debts were around \$1,000,000 and that about \$300,000 was paid -- with the remaining \$700,000 going down the drain.

As best as he can recall it, these figures are approximately within the range of reality, McLendon confirmed when I discussed it

with him.

What's more, he emphasized, "I'd say that 30 cents on the dollar in a bankruptcy is pretty damned good."

It was my feeling that as the major shareholder in Liberty, and its principal "ramrod" McLendon might feel some personal responsibility for the debts which his company welched on through bankruptcy. However, he doesn't.

McLendon said the company did everything it could to "protect the little guys who couldn't afford it," and paid them off as much as possible before bankruptcy descended. I didn't get it straight if the bankruptcy was voluntary or forced upon them by their creditors, but as he explained their actions, I assumed it was voluntary. It sounded as if certain liquid assets of the company were paid out as far as they would go and the hull of Liberty was then abandoned in bankruptcy to the remaining creditors.

McLendon didn't remember the names of any creditors other than AT&T, but said that the huge communications firm was "far and away the biggest creditor." There were some others but he couldn't recall them. He said the line leases to AT&T ran on the order of \$125,000 a month.

It was obvious that the Dallas radio man didn't think he was getting through to me about the bankruptcy question. He emphasized that he was not personally involved (legally, this is correct).

"I'm a businessman," he said. "I failed in business. But I'm kinda proud that I got up and came back." He repeated "I'm a businessman" two other times in our conversation, suggesting that this classification washed away any tint of moral turpitude.

McLendon talked freely and openly. He answered all questions directly. He was not the least hesitant to discuss any subject. He cooperated in stepping from a room filled with noisy people, where I met him, to another room where we were alone, except for Bob Hamilton of the Plains Farmer, who followed us out and asked some questions of his own.

McLendon was quoted Monday in the Dallas News (which has endorsed his candidacy), in a story under the byline of the usually reliable Wick Fowler as saying in Brownwood Sunday "I have never declared bankruptcy. I have always met my payroll."

Depending on how you look at it, that could be a technicality.

It is a sad but nonetheless true condition of the times that some people confuse what is legal with what is right and equate the two.

This was true in the waning years of the Roman empire when the Apostle Paul said of the law, "The letter killeth, but the spirit giveth life."

There is a story elsewhere on this page about a present-day successful young businessman who aspires to become a statesman. He is slightly mixed up in his principles.

Gordon McLendon's candidacy is on the ascendency. Recently both the Dallas Morning News and the Fort Worth Star-Telegram have come out in his behalf (there's one for you).

McLendon is personable, quick-witted, resourceful, dramatic, energetic and dynamic. He has a flair for showmanship that stand him in good stead in the public eye.

His opponent in the Democratic primary is Ralph Yarborough, a man of dangerous collectivist ideas who -- without himself even knowing it perhaps -- is a threat to the American way of life.

No one wants more to see Ralph Yarborough removed from office than do I. Whether Yarborough took \$3,500 or \$50,000 from Billie Sol Estes is of little import; the damage the man can do to our heritage of freedom if allowed to remain in office cannot be measured in dollars.

Gordon McLendon decided, within 30 minutes of the filing deadline, to run against Yarborough. He stood in the wings for a very long time and may be for all I know an unwilling candidate and one who feels undeserving to seek the office of U. S. Senator.

Yet the fact remains that he is a candidate for one of the leading public places in our nation and as such is fair game for the spotlight of public inspection.

McLendon doesn't stand the test. He has a flaw in his thinking (see the mentioned story) which apparently is basic to his personality and therefore, in my estimation, eliminates him as senatorial timber.

Speaking personally, if you will excuse it, I happen to be involved in a small incorporated company which has considerable debts against it. It would be possible, legally, for most of those debts to be "paid" just by abandoning the business in a bankruptcy action.

However, I haven't the slightest intention of doing so, and I know I am speaking for the majority of businessmen in this country (and I have talked with some about this very thing) who feel the same way. We all regard any debt we incurred wholly or partially through a company in which we are interested as our personal li-

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Saturday Is The Day Jackie Hughes Is Chosen DAR Good Citizen In Texico

Saturday is the day many local residents have been looking forward to for the past several months. The Bookmobile, which was recently approved by members of the county commissions in a four county area will make its first official visit to Farwell. It will be stopped at the Holiday parking lot, in east Farwell, between the hours of 8:45-11:45 a.m.

Any person desiring to check out reading material may do so between these hours, or they may browse through the Bookmobile on an inspection tour. Mrs. Georgia Pena, librarian, will assist local people with making proper selection of reading material and answer any questions they may have concerning the availability of other books.

If the book one desires to check is not available on this first visit every effort will be made to secure the book before the next visit of the Bookmobile, in three weeks. The Bookmobile will make a visit to Farwell every three weeks after the initial run, Saturday.

Services of the Bookmobile have been brought to the area through the combined efforts of several civic organizations.

Jackie Hughes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hughes has been chosen by the high school faculty in Texico as DAR Good Citizen (DAR PILGRIM) for this year.

Miss Hughes, an 18 year old senior, was chosen on the basis of dependability, leadership, service, patriotism and scholarship. The recipient of many honors in high school she said, "This is just wonderful."

She will be presented with a certificate and a good citizenship pin at the Awards Assembly on May 19, by Mrs. Floren Thompson Jr., a member of the El Portal Chapter of DAR (Daughters of American Revolution). Mrs. A. D. Smith who has made the presentation for many years is in ill health this year and will not be able to make the award.

During her years in high school Jackie has been chosen homecoming queen, most beautiful, class favorite, has been a member of the honor society serving this year as treasurer, has been a cheer leader for a number of years, and was also chosen most popular.

In addition she attended

Girls' State last summer and returned to the school to report on its activities. "It was one of the highlights of a life time," says Jackie.

She is a member of Farwell Church of Christ. Following high school Jackie plans to attend college at Eastern New Mexico University, but has not chosen a major.



JACKIE HUGHES

Athletic Banquet Saturday Night

Speaker for the Athletic banquet, set for Saturday night will be John Roberts, backfield coach at West Texas State University. Superintendent W. M. Roberts will be master of ceremonies.

Awards to be presented are

the Chamber of Commerce award, one to the best blocker and tackler, the most outstanding athlete, one to the best girl basketball player and one to the best boys' basketball player. Also to be presented

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Illnesses Level Off; Attendance Almost Normal

"Illnesses which have been contributing greatly to absenteeism in the Farwell school has begun leveling off," said Supt. W. M. Roberts on Wednesday. The first part of the week as many as 104 students were absent each day with the

majority from junior high and high school. Most of the students have had flu or other respiratory ailments, he said. Chicken pox, measles and mumps, which had been prevalent in the area since Christmas have just about run their course and children in the lower grades are back in school with the attendance back to almost normal, says Jack Williams principal of the elementary school.

At the Texico school Supt. A. D. McDonald says no noticeable change has been evident in the absences there during recent days. The school has (Continued on Page 2)

Dunn-Gosset To Represent Farwell At Girl-Boy State

Donna Dunn, 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Huggins and Warren Gossett, 17, son of Rev. and Mrs. Douglas Gossett have been chosen by the faculty at Farwell High School as representatives to Girl and Boy State sessions to be held in Austin in June.

The students were chosen for the honor on the basis of leadership, character, scholarship, service and citizenship, in addition they must be in good health and must agree to return to their sponsoring school and present a program on their activities at the girl and boy state sessions.

The selected students, with other students from the Bluebonnet State will study the way the government works on the city, county and state levels during the sessions, under sponsorship of the American Legion and its Auxiliary. Financial assistance is given by local organizations.

Miss Dunn is an honor student at the Farwell school having an A- average for her high school years. She was recently chosen as an usher for the high school graduation, is a member of the National Honor Society, has been a member of FTA (Future Teachers Association) participated in the junior play, is a member of the First Baptist church in Farwell, a member of YWA (holding several offices in the organization during the past few years), and is past Worthy Advisor of the Rainbow Order for Girls, Bovina Chapter.

She is enrolled in band, shorthand, history, civics, English III, office practice and general business. Her present plans call for attendance at Hardin-Simmons University after completing high school.

Donna is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Dunn, Muleshoe and Mrs. C. D. Carter of Friona.

Gossett is a junior at Farwell High School where he is active in all phases of school life. He is a member of the track team and will participate in the regional track and field meet in Lubbock this week-



WARREN GOSSETT



DONNA DUNN

end, participates in football, basketball, baseball and tennis. He was student director of the junior play and served as green-hand president of the FFA chapter.

He is a former member of the 4-H Club, serving as vice-president of that organization for a period, and was a member of the 1963 meats judging team

Funeral Services Conducted For Mrs. A Rundell

Funeral services were conducted from the Walnut Spring Baptist Church, Sunday for Mrs. W. I. (Addie) Rundell 68, who passed away in a Clifton hospital Friday following a lengthy illness. Interment was in Walnut Springs cemetery under direction of Brister Funeral Home.

Mrs. Rundell came to this area with her family from Walnut Spring and made her home in the Oklahoma Lane Community for some 28 years before returning to Walnut Spring 12 years ago, where she had made her home since that time.

While living in the Oklahoma Lane community she was an active participant in activities at the Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church and in community affairs. Survivors include her husband (Continued on Page 2)

Services For Detluf H. Schlueter

Funeral services were conducted Friday in Yuma, Ariz. for Detluf H. Schlueter 62, who passed away in Parkview Baptist Hospital in Yuma on Wednesday, April 15 following a lengthy illness. Rev. Darrell Evenson of Morningside Baptist church officiated at last rites and burial was in Lawn Memorial Park under direction of Yuma Mortuary. The American Legion Post conducted military services at the cemetery.

Schlueter, a veteran of World War I had lived in Yuma for the past two and one half years. He moved to Yuma from California where he had lived since the early 1930's moving to California from the Texico-Farwell area. He was born near Russellville, Mo. and moved with his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Schlueter to the Texico-Farwell area in 1908.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Frances Schlueter, one son, LeRoy Schlueter, and one daughter, Wanda Chandler, both of Yuma, a sister, Mrs. Ray Hungate, Clovis, one brother, Olan Schlueter, Texico and five grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Ray B. Chandler, Dick Henry, D. R. Hungate, Don Johnson, Cliff Keith and T. B. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hungate and Olan Schlueter were in Yuma for the funeral services of their brother and brother-in-law.



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Rundell Rites--

band, W. I. Rundell, three sons, Cecil Rundell, Muleshoe, Robert Rundell and Weldon Rundell, both of Farwell, four daughters, Mrs. Myron Hillock, Mrs. Dick Doshier, Mrs. Vernon Symcox and Mrs. Bill Dollar, all of Farwell, one sister, Mrs. Virgil Ellis, Hico, two brothers, Perry Ware, Sulphur, Okla. Edgar Ware, Glen Rose, 35 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren.

Athletic Banquet--

is the principal's award, which goes annually to the football player with the best scholastic average. Tickets for the banquet are available from any member of the pep club or may be purchased at the door.

Illnesses--

had its share of children absent with all the childhood ailments but he contributes most of the absences in that school to purely "spring fever."

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

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

- FOR SHERIFF Charles Lovelace (re-election)
FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY Hurshel Harding (re-election)
FOR COMMISSIONER, PCT. 3 Guy Cox (re-election)
FOR ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR Leona Moss
Hugh Moseley (re-election)
FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY Jack Young (re-election)

Space Lecturer To Visit, Present Demonstration

Robert McCurdy, a Space lecturer from the Education Service Branch of the National



ROBERT MCCURDY

Aeronautics and Space Administration, will be at the Farwell High School Auditorium, April 28, 1:30 p.m. to present a demonstration and lecture on the space program.

During the lecture McCurdy will answer the following questions: 1. What is a satellite? 2. How does it get into orbit? 3. What keeps it in orbit? 4. What good is it and what does it do? 5. What are the present activities of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, the results of these programs and plans for the future?

McCurdy is a graduate of Pennsylvania Military College with a degree in mechanical engineering and was employed as a service manager by Stinson Aircraft. Prior to World War II, he served the US Government office of Scientific Research and Development in the Aeronautical Division.

with their yearly findings on population trends across the state, and Parmer County is up with the front-runners any way you look at it.

Parmer County, with its growth rate of 4.4% per year, is ahead of Amarillo, 3.6%; Dallas, 3.3; Houston, 2.6; or any of the metropolitan areas that we hear so much about.

Ball County's growth rate is 3.3%, Castro's is 3.2% and Deaf Smith ("boom-town Hereford") ties us at 4.4%. The statisticians allow that our population is now 10,930. Figures for our neighbors: Bailey 10,022, Castro 9,836, Deaf Smith 15,059.

All of the above were the estimates for 1963.

I have done a little digit work myself and find that if we did indeed have 10,000 people in 1963, that by 1973 we should have 15,383 residents in Parmer County. That is assuming the present growth rate continues.

A rule of thumb would be that the 4.4% factor will up us about 50% every ten years, apparently. Bankers wouldn't have any trouble compounding the

gain and carrying it forward, but it involved quite a bit of figure work for me.

Here is the way I have it doped out:

Table with 3 columns: Year, Population, Gain. Rows for years 1963 to 1973.

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Carlsbad Mid-High Wins Invitational Track Meet



Max Lee Kiehne, New Mexico state FFA President was speaker at the Texico FFA-parent banquet held the past Friday night.

Carlsbad - Mid - High with 87 1/2 points was winner of the Texico Invitational track and field meet held the past Saturday, Ft. Sumner with 77 points was second followed by Tatum with 55 and Dexter with 39 1/2 points.

Farwell's lone point was made by Larry Donaldson who was fifth in the 100 yard dash. Texico garnered their points on a 2nd in the 440 by Wayne Hudnall, a 4th in the 100 dash also by Hudnall, a 4th in the mile run by Floyd Morris and a 5th in the 880 relay (Emmitt Autrey, Tom Rickstrew, Clarence Ethridge and Joe Patterson).

N. S. Hurd of Carlsbad Mid-High with 22 points was high man in the meet, High for the

locals was Wayne Hudnall with six points.

Twelve teams participated in the meet with trophies presented to first, and second place winners and ribbons to all individual winners.

Texico's team will be in Tatum this weekend for the relay and the following weekend will be in Clovis for the EPAC meet. The district meet will be held in Ft. Sumner on May 9.

Sell Registered Bull

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Primrose of the Oklahoma Lane Community recently sold a registered Aberdeen - Angus bull to Mr. and Mrs. Gene Snodgrass of Bovina.

Change of ownership has been registered with the American Angus Association.

TEXICO-FARWELL AREA CHURCH CALENDAR

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Table listing church services for various congregations including Farwell First Baptist Church, St. John's Lutheran Church, Lariat Church of Christ, etc.

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PEGGY MARTIN

Coronation Of Queen-Beau Highlights Band Banquet

Highlighting the annual Farwell band banquet held at the Holiday Inn Saturday night was the coronation of Peggy Martin as "band sweetheart" and Dale Gober as "band beau."

Gober was crowned by Patti Tatum, drum major, and he in turn crowned Miss Martin. Each of the honorees was presented with a gift commemorating the occasion and Miss Martin was also presented with a bouquet of red roses.

Speaker for the banquet was Norvill Howell, band director in Clovis. He commented "This band has shown much progress through the year" and encouraged the young band "to keep up the good work."

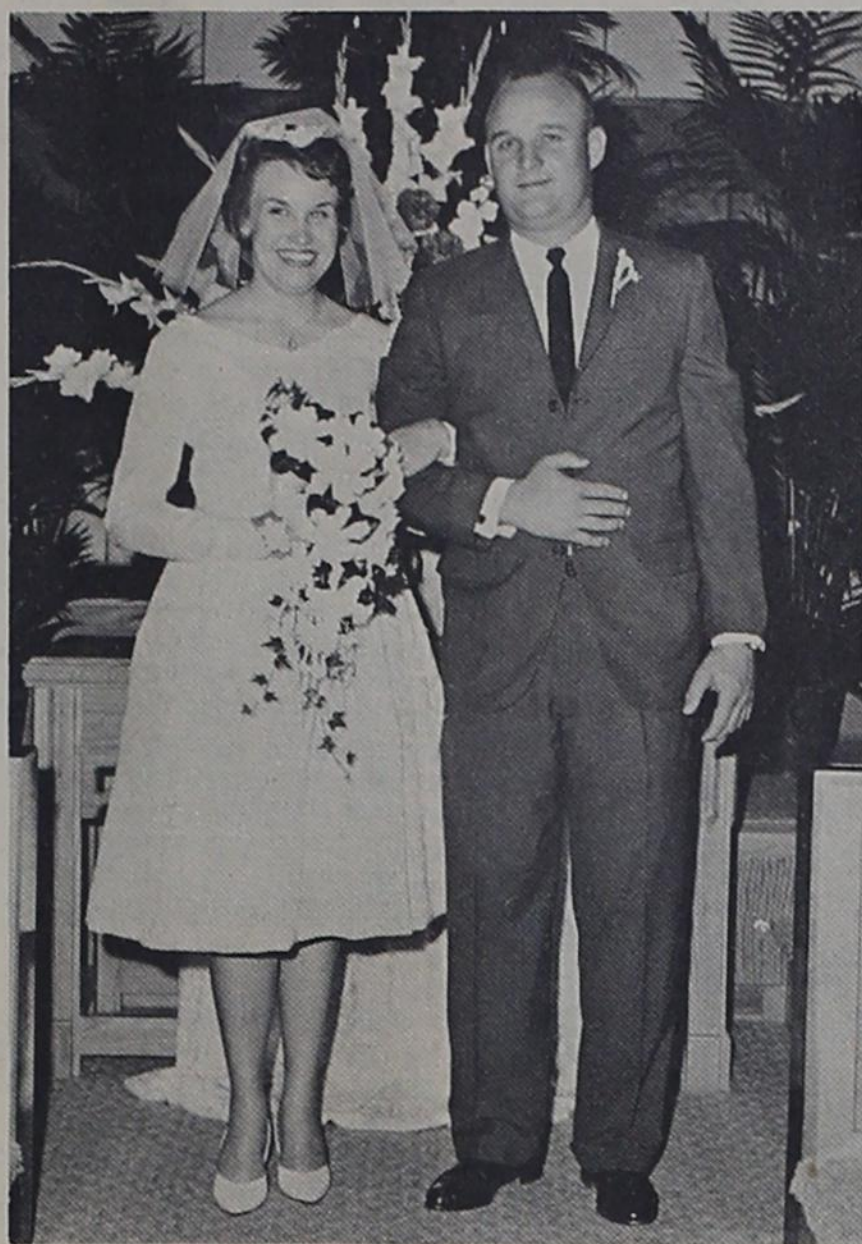
Entertainment was provided by the stage band from Bovina High school. They presented a

program of popular, jazz, ballads and Latin music.

Supt. W. M. Roberts gave the invocation and Harold Phillips gave the benediction. Special guests introduced were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Phillips, Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wayne Harper, Bovina, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hillock, Littlefield, Norvill Howell, Clovis, Miss Elaine Dillon, Clovis and Miss Dixie Drake, Clovis.

Band members presented Tommy Mayfield, band director with a gift during the evening.

School colors of blue and white were used in room decorations. Place cards were band hats and music notes cut from blue paper were placed at intervals on the tables. A floral centerpiece was arranged on the head table.



MR. AND MRS. DARREL READ (Photo by D. R. Bushnell)

Evening Ceremony Unites Miss Patton, Darrel Read

Miss Patricia Patton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Patton, became the bride of Darrel Read, son of Mrs. Nola Read, Saturday evening in a candlelight ceremony at Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church.

Rev. Vernon E. Willard of Pampa read the double ring ceremony.

The altar was decorated with a large white grecian urn which featured a bouquet of stock, gladioli and red carnations. The altar was banked with emerald greenery and potted palms and flanked on either side by white candelabras with red candles.

Mrs. Donald Christian, organist, played traditional wedding selections and accompanied Miss Marianne Bell of Big Spring as she sang "Because" and "The Wedding Prayer."

Miss Martha Snodgrass, cousin of the bride, presided at the guest book.

The bride given in marriage by her father, wore a street length gown of brocade peau de sole. The fitted bodice featured long pointed sleeves. Her veil of tulle fell from a pearl crown. She carried a cascade arrangement of gardenias and Stephanotis.

She carried out tradition borrowing her headpiece from Mrs. Joseph Alves of Abilene. She wore a necklace which belonged to her great-grandmother Kirk, pennies in her shoe and traditional blue garter.

Miss Marylyn Turner of Abilene attended as Maid of Honor. She wore a red crystal peau de sole street length dress fashioned with boat neckline, short sleeves and bouffant skirt. She wore a red circlet hat enhanced with a flower. She carried a colonial bouquet of white flowers intermingled with touches of red.

Misses Cindy Read, niece of the groom, and Terri Willard served as candlelighters. They wore white dresses with red overskirts, white headbands and red carnation wrist corsages.

Regina Jones, niece of the bride was flower girl. Her dress was identical to that of Maid of Honor. She carried a basket of red and white carnations.

Mike Read, nephew of the groom, was ring bearer.

Robert Read, brother of the groom, attended as best man.

Ushers were Billy Don Read, brother of the groom, and Tommy Snodgrass, cousin of the bride.

Attending the dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Dykes and children Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Dykes and their granddaughter, one and one-half year old Allison Dykes, Sudan, Mrs. Ted Walker, Sudan and Butch Dykes, a grandson who is attending college in Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Dykes and children visited briefly in the Russell Johnson home. The Johnsons are parents of Mrs. Dykes.

Quick Breads Demonstrated For P. Hill Club

Mrs. Frank Meier and Mrs. Mason Neeley demonstrated making "quick breads" when members of Pleasant Hill Community Club met Thursday for an all day meeting. The quick breads were served at the noon hour with dishes of foods, brought by club members for the occasion.

Mrs. Elmer Langford and Mrs. Charles Bourlon were hostesses, and guests quilted during the day for the ladies.

In the afternoon Mrs. Jack Donahey gave a demonstration on tailoring slacks, pointing out "do's and don'ts" in slack-making.

A short business session was held with little business transacted except planning for the May 7 meeting, to be held at the club house. Mrs. Donald Clark and Mrs. Frank Hemke will be hostess for the meeting. A demonstration on "How to re-arrange your home - with emphasis on pictures and furniture" will be presented at that time.

Attending were: Mmes. Mason Neeley, Frank Meier, Leon Webb, Leonard Kimbrough, Maurice Clark, Pearl Duncan, Jack Donahey, Allan Kelley, E. A. Kelley, Joe Burford, Floyd Bocox, Eric Pierce, Donald Clark, H. M. Hopper, Elmer Langford and Charles Bourlon, members and visitors, Mrs. Sherman Horton and Mrs. Crump Melugin.



Focal points of room decorations for the banquet given by Farwell First Baptist WMU for Farwell seniors recently were these two settings. The silver moon looking down on the gathering through the branches of a tree was a source for comment through the evening. Guests paused to make their heart's desire known at the wishing well, set near the entrance to the room.

Gateway To The Stars Is Senior Banquet Theme

"Gateway To The Stars" was theme for the banquet given by WMU of Farwell First Baptist church, Thursday night for members of the senior class. Approximately 20 seniors and 10 adults attended the affair.

J. L. Bass, church pastor, gave the invocation and welcome with Ronnie Henson giving the response on behalf of the seniors. Rev. Bass then introduced the guests preceding the meal.

Miss Deborah VasCasconceles, from Wayland College presented a special musical program and Billy Nail, introduced as Gatekeeper to the Stars, told the seniors "You have the gateway in your hands with the numerous opportunities before you" stressing the fact that they should make the most of all God-given opportunities. W. M. Roberts gave

the benediction.

The meal consisting of steak, baked potatoes, green beans, iced tea, hot rolls and ice cream was served from tables laid with white and blue, school colors. Centering the head table was an open gateway made from styrafoam with a gateway leading upward.

Focal point of interest in one corner of the room was silver moon looking through the branches of a tree. The moon

was suspended from a blue sky set with silver stars on the ceiling of the room. In another corner was a wishing well where guests paused to make their heart's desire known.

Adults attending the banquet were Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Bass, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Nail, Miss Deborah VasCasconceles, Gary Stelling, W. M. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Billy White and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Woodward.

Floral Arrangements Demonstrated For Study Club

George Reiser of Reiser Florists in Clovis gave a demonstration on flower arranging when members of Farwell Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Claude Coffey Monday night with Mrs. Elmer Scott as co-hostess.

Reiser stressed using odd or unusual receptacles found around the home, (which are usually discarded as useless) such as cups, saucers, pitchers or worn out coffee pots. "Nature, too" said Reiser, "affords a wealth of material. One of the most unusual creations from nature was made by using only three cow chips."

"The newest artificial flowers are realistic, permanent and are cleaned with a commercial spray can cleaning solution," stated Reiser.

Mrs. Clyde Dial presided over the business meeting at which new officers were elected for the next year. They are: president -- Mrs. Mabel Reynolds, vice-president-Mrs. A. C. Clarke, secretary-Mrs. R. S. Shuman, treasurer-Mrs. L. R. Vincent, historian-Mrs. John Aldridge, parliamentary-Miss Maude Hicks and reporter-Mrs. John Bolling. Mrs. Guy Austin was accepted as a new member.

The club voted unanimously to participate in the Inter-city council and elected Mrs. John

Boling to represent the club as a delegate to that organization.

Next meeting will be May 18 at a local restaurant at which time the newly elected officers will be installed.

A salad plate was served with coffee to 18 members and two guests. In attendance were Mmes. Clyde Dial, Bruce Blair, L. R. Vincent, John Aldridge, Partin Austin, Lenton Pool, Elmer Scott, Joe Crume, Mose Glasscock, John Bolling, Ann Smith, A. C. Clarke, Mabel Reynolds, Bill Moss, Benderman, Miss Maude Hicks and George Reiser.

Mrs. B. A. Rogers Is Visiting In Virginia

Mrs. B. A. Rogers left by plane from Lubbock Wednesday for Annandale, Va. where she will visit in the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Major and Mrs. Belvin Freeman and sons, Belvin and Michael Allan for the next few weeks.

Mrs. Rogers and the Freemans will spend some time visiting the World's Fair in New York City and will also visit other historic places. Major Freeman is stationed at the Pentagon.

B. A. Rogers will join his wife in Va. in about three weeks and spend a few days visiting before returning his wife to their Texico home.

LUTHERAN NEWS

Eight members of St. John's Lutheran Women's Missionary League of Lariat, together with their pastor, journeyed to Plainview last week for the Annual Spring Zone Workshop. They were Minnie, Frieda and Mary Alice Ramm, Mildred and Pat Haseloff, Helen Melssner, Madge Petman and Gladys Kaltwasser.

Theme for the workshop, "Christian Morals in the Home", was presented by the Rev. Ed Heinicke of Amarillo, and was then further developed in buzz sessions.

In the afternoon business session Mildred Haseloff read the minutes, Gladys Kaltwasser reported on the forthcoming District Convention, which will be held in Odessa, June 17 and 18, and Mary Alice Ramm displayed the Zone Scrapbook.

With the coming of the new pastor the regular Sunday morning schedule at St. John's is Sunday School at 9:30 and worship service at 10:30.

This coming Sunday Pastor Peiman will speak on the theme, "Fishing on the Wrong Side of the Boat". Basing his remarks on John 21, 1-14, the pastor will assert that our lives are often so empty and fruitless because we fish in the wrong waters for the wrong kind of fish. Our nets come up empty, or filled with earthly baubles, when Christ would fill them with joy, love, hope and peace.

Guests Hear Talk On Civil Rights

Thirty guests were present at a coffee Wednesday morning to hear Mrs. Morris McKillip of Muleshoe discuss the civil rights bill now under consideration by the U. S. Senate. Mrs. R. W. Anderson was hostess for the coffee.

Mrs. McKillip reviewed provisions of the bill and read portions of the bill to attendants, while at the same time discussing points in the constitution that would be affected if the legislation is passed. She expressed concern about provisions of the bill in relation to the freedoms of individual citizens.

Marriage Licenses Issued

Only one marriage license has been issued from the office of county clerk Bonnie Warren in recent days. It was issued to: Carl Duane Britton and Billie Foster both of Portales.

Pvt. and Mrs. Charles Hicks, El Paso, were in the Twin Cities last week visiting with friends in this area. Hicks is on furlough from the army and they were spending some time visiting his parents in Plainview.

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Variety Club Discusses Projects

Variety Club members discussed projects for the club for the next year when they met in the home of Mrs. C. C. Christian Wednesday afternoon. Projects mentioned were rolling bandages for the Red Cross and helping with articles in disaster areas.

One waste paper basket was completed during the afternoon and plans were made to do handwork for the hostess at the next meeting, set for May 20 in the home of Mrs. W. N. Foster.

Mrs. Christian served a refreshment plate of egg salad in a lettuce leaf nest, red chocolate cake and ice tea to Mmes. Sam Sides, Lloyd Batty, Hereford, L. M. Grissom and Lola Jean Grissom, G. A. Bandy, J. R. Caldwell, Bovina, Claude White, George Lindop, and W. N. Foster, Farwell.

Most native plants are best raised from seed.

Meeting Reminder

Members of the Texico Fireman's Auxiliary are reminded of the Monday, April 28, 7:30 p. m. meeting to be held in the new cafe building in Farwell.

Mrs. Lillian Allman, home-making instructor at Texico will be guest speaker. Hostess will be Mrs. John Adams.



"Sure is a long way down," cried Lisa Darby, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Darby from her perch in the peach tree when she found herself several feet above the ground after climbing into the tree to examine the beautiful pink blossoms.

One Dish Meals Demonstrated For Modern Homemakers

One dish meals were demonstrated for members of Texico Modern Homemakers by Mrs. Eula Mae Madole, Home Economist for REA, when the club met at the REA building in Clovis Tuesday morning. The meals were later served with a salad and iced tea.

Dishes made by Mrs. Madole included macaroni and cheese supreme, meat balls and bean casserole, crusty ham loaf, and a mixed vegetable casserole.

Following a short business session in the morning when

plans for a financial project were discussed, and plans made to send gifts and cards to several shut ins, cookies and coffee were served.

Next meeting was set for the home of Mrs. W. E. Martin, April 28 at which time Mrs. Lillie Mae Daughrey, Curry County HD Agent, will present a talk on "Safety in Using Pesticides and Insecticides."

Attending the meeting were: Mmes. W. E. Martin, John Hill, Eddie West, Paul Skaggs, Loren Wilson, Roy Rickstrew, Joe Camp, Eula Mae Madole and Bill Dудley.

Officers To Be Installed

Officers for the Texico FHA (Future Homemakers of America) will be installed May 5, 8 p.m. in a service to which parents and future members of the homemaking club are invited. Outgoing officers will act as installing officers.

Officers to be installed include: president, Sarah Walker, vice-president, Beverly Winkles, recording secretary, Cynthia Spence, corresponding secretary, Linda Hadley, historian, Darlene Bell, parliamentary, Sherry Wall, vice-president of public relations, Mamie Autrey, vice-president of state and national projects, Marlene Bell, vice-president of recreation, Lena Mae Brown, treasurer, Gwinette Lovett.

Sponsor of the FHA Chapter is Mrs. Lillian Allman.

Condition Satisfactory

The condition of Mrs. Cassie Morgan, who underwent surgery in a Houston Hospital last week, is reported by family members as satisfactory. She will be hospitalized for several more days after which she will be in the home of her brother and sister-in-law in Houston for the next several weeks.

Her address for those who wish to write is: Mrs. Cassie Morgan, 7351 Dunkirk, Houston 33, Texas - 77033.

School Lunch Schedule AT TEXICO

MONDAY: hamburger on buttered bun, relishes, potato chips, milk, banana pudding.

TUESDAY: hot doggies, potato salad, English peas, bread, butter, milk, plum cobbler.

WEDNESDAY: pizza, lettuce wedges, carrot sticks, pinto beans, loaf bread, chocolate milk, sugar cookies.

THURSDAY: fried chicken, whipped potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, butter, milk, apple butter.

FRIDAY: tuna sandwiches, olives, vegetable soup, milk, oatmeal cookies, fresh apples.

What's Cooking At Farwell School

MONDAY: meat with macaroni and cheese, buttered sweet peas, buttered corn, hot rolls, butter, tossed green salad, fruit in heavy syrup.

TUESDAY: steamed wieners, mixed vegetables, ranch style beans, potato chips, tomato-lettuce salad, bread, butter, milk, peaches.

WEDNESDAY: steak, gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, apple-celery salad, milk, hot rolls, butter, pineapple and banana in orange jello.

THURSDAY: hamburger, onion, pickles, lettuce, mustard, cheese and tomato slices, potato chips, milk, peach cobbler.

FRIDAY: salmon loaf, hominy with peppers, pickled beets, black eyed peas, cornbread, butter, milk, fruit cocktail cake.

After School Snacks Made By Mrs. Hickey

Busy Bee 4-H Club met on April 21 with Arnetta Bryant presiding at the short business meeting. She turned the meeting over to Mrs. Cricket Taylor, who told of the Favorite Food Show which was held in the Oklahoma Lane Community Center the past weekend.

Mrs. Taylor introduced Mrs. Laura Hickey, who presented demonstrations on making after school snacks. Sandwiches were all made with a peanut butter base, using raisins, honey and fruit nectar for variety.

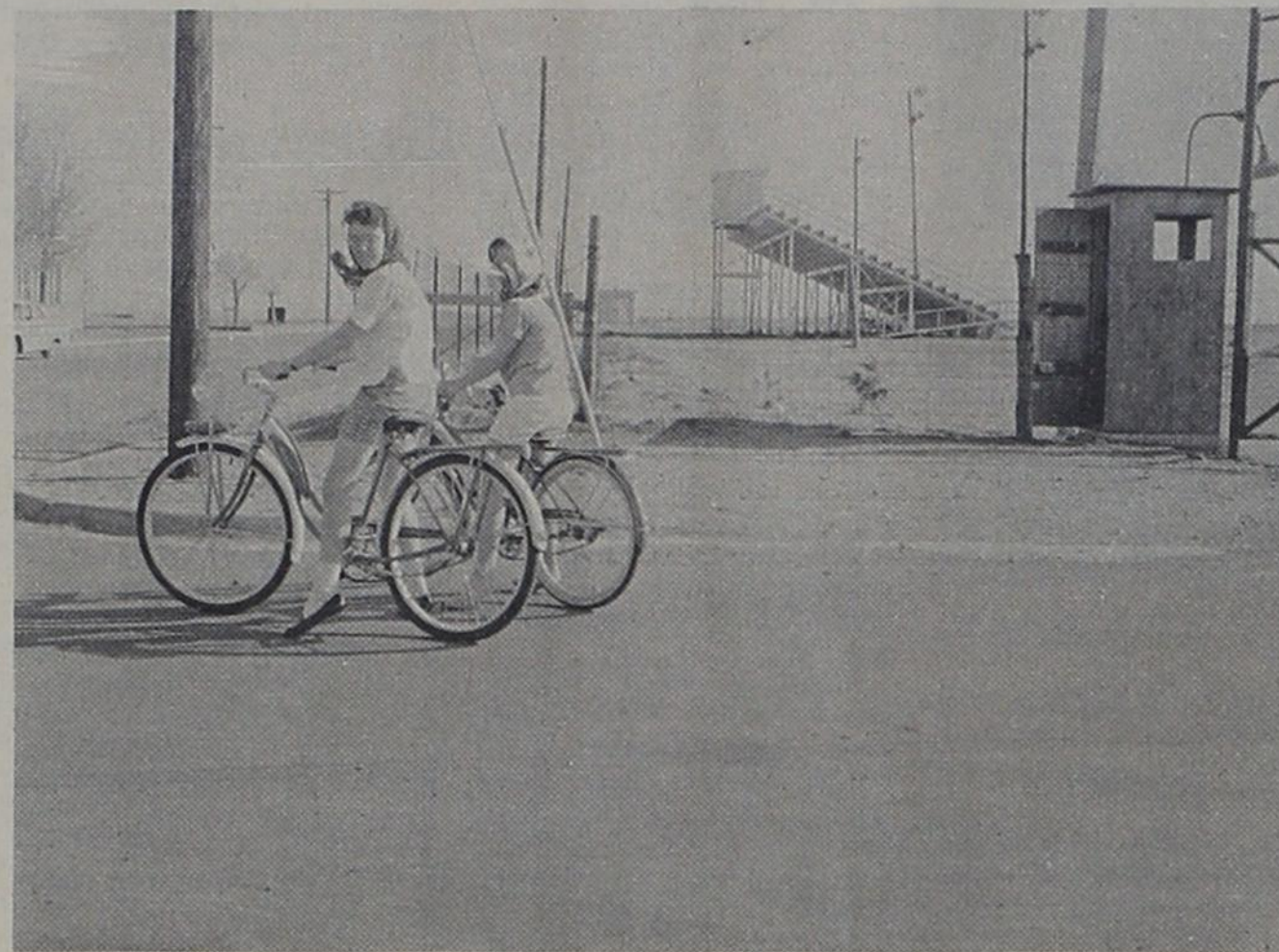
Several milk drinks were made by Mrs. Hickey and served with the sandwiches. One of the favorite drinks was cranberry milk punch.

Mrs. Ralston of Lubbock is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Webb this week. Mrs. Webb, who has been hospitalized recently is much improved and was able to return home Saturday.

B. J. Blackburn Completes Training

Pvt. Bobby J. Blackburn, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude J. Blackburn, Lazbuddie completed advanced training as an artillery surveyor at the Army Artillery and Missile Center, Fort Sill, Okla., April 20. Blackburn was trained to accurately map an area of fire, giving the range to targets and other information necessary to the performance of the mission.

The 1959 graduate of Lazbuddie High School entered the Army in December 1963 and completed his basic training at Fort Polk, La.



Spring is bustin' out all over -- as evidenced by the familiar scenes shown in this series of pictures -- flowering ornamental peach tree in the Fred Barker yard in Texico, girls riding bicycles for health and pleasure - neighborhood children gathering at the Noble Goldsmith house for play and visits with friends.

A Message To The Citizens of The 7th Supreme Judicial Dist.

Herbert C. Martin

I ask you to elect me Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals in Amarillo. I make this request in the knowledge that the best interest of the Court and of the citizens of the district requires a change in the personnel of this Court.

I am a graduate of Lubbock High School and hold an LL. B. degree from the University of Texas School of Law. I have been actively engaged in the practice of law 29 years -- 22 years in Lamb County and the South Plains area and 7 years in Amarillo and the Panhandle area. By diligence and loyalty to my clients' interest, I have built an excellent law practice in both areas. My clients' and my record in the Courts of this District are my best recommendations. I also served on the Court of Civil Appeals and as Associate Justice wrote 176 opinions of which less than 7% were reversed. These opinions reflect the character of my judicial ability.

The Court of Civil Appeals is composed of a Chief Justice, a Senior Associate and a Junior Associate Justice. The Chief Justice and Junior Associate of the Court, no matter how diligent and capable, cannot carry the case work required of the Court if the other Associate devotes a large portion of his time to outside diversions. I served on this Court until December 31, 1956 and the docket was in good condition during that time. The Docket of the Court was not only kept up to date but the Court disposed of many cases transferred to the Amarillo Court from the Dallas Court of Civil Appeals. Although the number of cases before the Court have not increased, this condition no longer exists. Instead other Courts are having to assist the Amarillo Court -- thirteen cases were transferred from the Amarillo Court to the Waco Court of Civil Appeals on January 11, 1964.

More important than the mere number of cases disposed of by the Court is the type of justice under the law as reflected by the Court's opinions. In 1956, while I was on the Court, the majority of the Court, the then Chief Justice and my present opponent as the other Associate Justice, wrote an opinion styled "Stanley v. Stanley, 294 S. W. 2d, Page 132." This case reflects that a 40-year-old career army sergeant married a former school teacher who had been successful in the finance business. The sergeant contributed nothing to the marriage but, the undisputed record discloses, in six years squandered \$84,044.63 of the profits earned by his wife's business. He also squandered \$41,911.13 of the wife's capital investment. On dissolution of the marriage, it was the sergeant's theory the wife had mingled her earnings, as community property, with her separate capital and through such commingling of her earnings with her separate capital, he was entitled to one-half of all remaining property owned by his wife. In the judgment of divorce, the trial court awarded the sergeant an additional sum of \$29,881.89.

The widow appealed from the trial court's judgment and on appeal the Chief Justice and the other Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals, such Associate being now a candidate for election to the Court, agreed with the sergeant's theory and affirmed the judgment of the trial court awarding him the additional sum of \$29,881.89. This opinion of the majority of the Court was directly contrary to the undisputed audit of a Certified Public Accountant who traced all funds and proved that all the wife's earnings had been squandered by the sergeant and a large part of her original capital and that her earnings were not mingled with her capital. As an Associate Justice of the Court, based on this audit and the applicable law, I wrote a dissenting opinion holding that the sergeant was only entitled to his equity in a 1955 Station Wagon for which he had traded an old Station Wagon owned by him at the time of the marriage.

Other similar and equally inequitable opinions were rendered by the Court acting as a majority and on which I dissented, but the above opinion is discussed here because the same reflects clearly and unequivocally the opposite points of view on the duty of the Courts held by me and my opponent for Associate Justice. The most essential element of every judgment of the Court of Civil Appeals should be justice under the law and facts. If the citizens of this district will take a few minutes' time to go to a lawyer's office and read the Stanley opinion, I am confident I will be elected to the Court of Civil Appeals by an overwhelming majority vote.

As a member of such Court, I never have and I never shall subscribe to the proposition that justice under the law and a citizen's property rights should be bartered for political favors. No Court judgment should dissipate an elderly person's savings of a lifetime where the basis of such judgment is a strained and superficial ruling under a highly technical theory not supported by the evidence. The personal rights of every citizen and the property rights of every citizen have always been a sacred trust of the Courts. This essential and vital element of our judicial system should not be lightly cast aside in order to favor a friend or political supporter. I am certain the present members of the Court with whom I would serve subscribe to the principles herein set forth.

I ask every citizen to support me on the principles enunciated herein. I particularly ask every client whom I have ever represented to give me in the coming campaign the same undying loyalty and effort toward my interests that I have exhibited over the many years of my practice for their interests. I pledge to every citizen that their rights and property shall be secure under the law. It shall be my constant endeavor to write opinions of the Seventh Court of Civil Appeals that shall be based soundly upon the law and the facts and shall reflect credit and honor upon such Court.

Sincerely,

Herbert C. Martin

Three Apply For State Farmer Degree

Three members of the Farwell FFA, Johnny Actkinson, Gilbert Dale and Richard Haseloff have made application for the Texas State farmer degree. Only two per cent of the FFA members in the state of Texas

are eligible to apply for the degree and no boy who has made less than \$500 from his projects can apply. The first check of the boys records was being made this week in Amherst with the area check to be made on May 11 in Lubbock. Final check of the boys' records will be made in June with degrees to be presented to the recipients at the state meeting to be held in July in San Antonio.

Parents of the boys applying for state degrees are: Mr. and Mrs. Theo Actkinson, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Dale and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Haseloff. In the past two years Farwell has had several boys receive

the state Farmer degrees, with Bobby Actkinson, brother of Johnny receiving the degree in 1963. 1962 recipients were Danny Johnson, Mike Nelson and Robert White.

Clovis Over Farwell In Baseball

After three tries, Farwell's Steers have about concluded they can't beat the Clovis Wildcats in baseball.

Tuesday's game went to the New Mexico hosts 9-7 and was the third win in a row for the Wildcats. The Steers had the tying runs on second and third at the last of the 7th, but couldn't get them across as Murl Smith filed out to end the day.

Johnny Actkinson pitched for the Steers while Danny Huffaker caught, Richard Garcia-Bobby Boyd handled the chores for the winners.

Cheryl Kaltwasser Is Champion Speller

For the second consecutive year Cheryl Kaltwasser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Kaltwasser has been declared county champion in the Amarillo Globe News Spelling Bee. The spelling bee was conducted in Bovina Tuesday afternoon with spellers from Bovina, Friona and Farwell participating.

Nineteen students from Farwell's 4th and 5th and 6th grades competed in the spelling bee with eight of the spellers left in competition after all other children from other schools had been spelled down. At the end of 28 rounds only three students, Sherie Watford, Cheryl Kaltwasser and Greg Hargrove were still in competition. In the 31st round Sherie, a 4th grade student misspelled the word "tussle" spelling it "tussel". The spelling between Cheryl and Greg continued for several additional rounds before Greg misspelled the word "abbot" spelling it with one "b". Cheryl spelled the word correctly and went on to spell "abbreviation" correctly to win the spelling bee.

Farwell students participating in the spelling bee were: Cheryl Kaltwasser, Greg Hargrove, Meredith Anderson, Debra Garner, Mark Williams, Pablo Aquilera, Cheryl Boling, Sharon Williams, Melody Roberts, Beverly Jones, Kirk Martin, Gene Sheets, Sherie Watford, Edward Terry, Craig Garret, Trumie Christian, Brett Hargrove, Alice Coffman and Alan Gober.

Cheryl will be in Amarillo on May 2 to attend the Amarillo Globe News Spelling Bee as a spectator (juniors do not participate). She will attend the banquet for all county champions as a guest of the Amarillo Globe News.



Farwell's sixth grade participants in the county spelling bee in Bovina last week were back row left to right: Mark Williams, Pablo Aquilera, Cheryl Boling, Debra Garner, Sharon Williams; front row left to right: Meredith Anderson, Greg Hargrove-runner-up, Beverly Jones and Melody Roberts. Not shown is Cheryl Kaltwasser winner of the county spelling bee, (she was out of school with the measles when the picture was taken).



Fourth and fifth grade students participating in the county spelling bee are: back row - James Hobbs, Craig Garret, Kirt Martin, Trumie Christian, Angela Reed, Alan Gober; front row - Sherie Watford, Edward Terry, Alice Coffman, Brett Hargrove, Gail Meeks and Ted Glenn. Sherie Watford was winner of third place in the county spell down.

Inter-City Council Organized Tuesday; Project Planned

An organizational meeting for the inter-city council which has been in the planning stages for some time was held Tuesday night at the Spur restaurant in Texico with some 25 interested city residents in attendance.

Bobby Joe Crume was elected to serve as president and Mrs. Louise Engram was elected secretary. Mrs. John Boling, representative of the Farwell Study Club was appointed as chairman of a committee to draw up a set of by-laws for the organization. Members of the organization will be one representative from each of the civic organizations in the two towns plus one

councilman from each of the towns.

First project for the club will be a community wide box and box supper, to be held on May 23. Details will be announced at a later date for the social; however all funds derived from the affair will go into the Little League Lion's Club Park fund.

Crume, commented "much good can be done for the towns through the organization if the people will work together for the good of all".

Tribune Named In Contests

The State Line Tribune was awarded third place in the best special edition contest (Feeder Special) of Panhandle Press Association at the annual convention in Amarillo over weekend, and received honorable mention in several categories. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Graham attended the convention.

The local paper received honorable mention for the column "From The Hopper" and for the woman's page, also for news pictures.

Graham was master of ceremonies for the annual banquet for the convention and served on the nominating committee. He served as a member of the board of directors for the past two years.

Jerry Lovelace Sparks White Team At Tech

Jerry Lovelace, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lovelace and a sophomore at Texas Tech was the spark that lighted the fuse for the White's team in an inter-squad game played recently between the Red's and White's at Tech.

Lovelace gained 46 yards on 11 tries and was also instrumental in getting the drive started for a White touchdown early in the game.

Although the Red's won 28-20, Coach J. T. King said, "The White's outrushed the Red's and without a break or two the Red's certainly would not have won."

The Red's are the team which has most of the potential starters for the 1964 season on it with the White's made up of boys who will see limited action.

He had been playing with the White team until last week when he was promoted to the Red squad. In the Saturday game between the two squads Lovelace had the highest rushing average of any boy on either squad with 44 yards gained on eight tries, for an average of 5.5. Coach J. T. King said, "He also caught the swing pass like he had invented it."

David Garza Faces Burglary Charge

David Garza, Bovina, was recently arrested by sheriff's officers and charged with burglarizing Gaine's Hardware, a boxcar belonging to Jack Wolman and a barn on the John Dixon farm. He has admitted the burglaries and his bond has been set at \$3,000. He is still

Caravan To Attend Goldwater Rally

A caravan of Parmer County Goldwater Boosters will leave Friona Thursday evening, April 30, 6 p.m. for Amarillo where they will be in attendance at the rally to be held that evening at the Amarillo Municipal Auditorium beginning at 8 p.m.

Admission is free and Goldwater backers are inviting all area persons interested in learning more of the views of this conservative candidate for the presidential nomination, to join the caravan and attend the rally.

Speaker will be Ed Foreman, the conservative young congressman from Odessa. Also present will be The Goldwaters (a singing group) from Nashville, Tenn. with, as they phrase it, "songs to bug the Liberals". Leading the caravan will be Harold Wilson, a Parmer County farmer.

The mamba of the African forests is a snake that lurks in trees and bites its victims in the face or shoulder.

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Awards To FFA Members, Honorary Farmer Degrees Conferred On Five

Awards were presented to several Texico FFA members and five men were presented with honorary farmer degrees at the annual FFA parent banquet held the past Friday night at a local restaurant. Speaker for the occasion was Max Lee Kiehne, Reserve, state FFA President.

Kiehne told his audience "Parents are the most important people in our lives," stressing the fact that the future of America lies in the hands of the nation's youth and without parents to guide and direct our lives in the right paths we would be lost. He went on to day "Agriculture is the backbone of our nation so be strong in leadership, scholarship and cooperation."

Lloyd Harrison, president of the local FFA, was master of ceremonies and presented most of the awards. He was presented the leadership award by Eddie West, agriculture instructor in Texico.

The coveted DeKalb award which is annually presented to the senior boy who has been the most outstanding in FFA

work was presented to Ronnie Curry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Curry. Curry was recipient of the State Farmer degree last year.

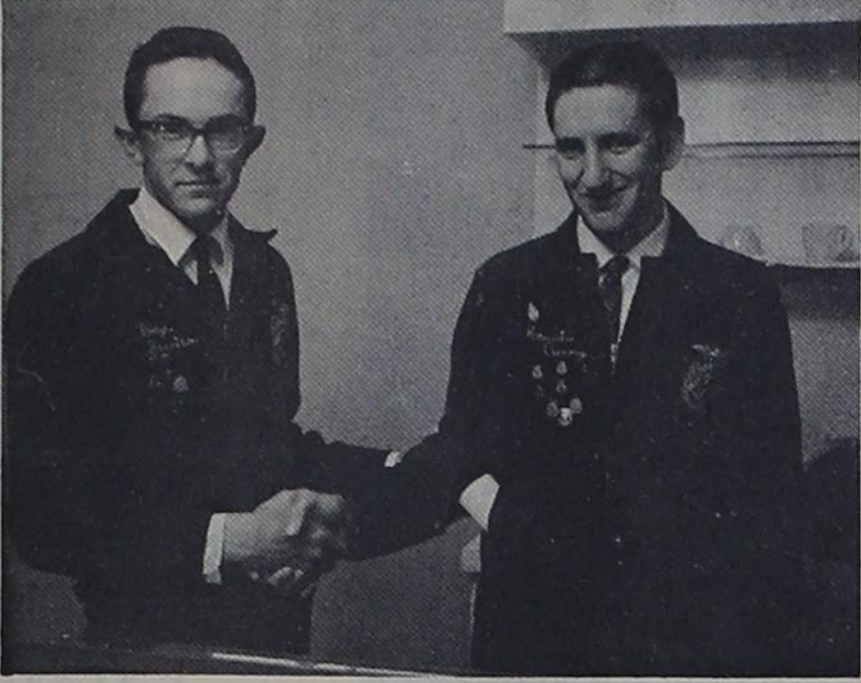
The livestock award was

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Campbell, respectively. The scholarship award was presented to Danny Hitson. This award is presented to the FFA member with the highest scholastic

mothers of FFA members for their efforts on behalf of the chapter during the past year.

Mike Spearman gave the invocation and the benediction and officers of the chapter presented the opening and closing ceremony. Johnny Burford welcomed the parents and guests and his dad, Joe Burford gave the response. Lloyd Harrison introduced special guests and the speaker with Danny Hitson presenting a report of chapter activities during the year.

Special guests were Mrs. Lillian Ailman, homemaking director at Texico, FFA president, Cynthia Spence, Mr. and Mrs. James Pierce and Supt. and Mrs. A. D. McDonald.



Ronnie Curry, winner of the DeKalb award receives congratulations from Lloyd Harrison, chapter president after being presented the coveted award.

presented to Mickey Lofton, a junior, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lofton. David Duncan, a sophomore received the star farmer award and Dean Campbell received the greenhand farmer award. They are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Duncan and

average. Men presented with honorary farmer degrees for their assistance with the FFA program were Johnny Green, a teacher in the Texico school, Edgar Campbell, Clarence Smith, Joe Burford and Perry Winkles, fathers of FFA members.

Certificates of appreciation were also presented to several



AWARDS WINNERS: These boys members of the Texico FFA were presented with awards at the annual parent - son banquet Friday night. Left to right Mickey Lofton - livestock award; David Duncan - star farmer; Leon Smith - farm mechanics; Danny Hitson - scholarship; Lloyd Harrison - leadership; Dean Campbell - greenhand award; Ronnie Curry - DeKalb.

Attorney Explains Budget To Town Councilmen

Two new councilmen and a mayor were sworn in when the Texico town council met in regular session Friday night. New councilmen are Howard Billingsley and Gayle Doolittle. Mayor is E. L. (Ed) Farmer. Other councilmen are Bob Lebow and Perry Winkles.

The town's attorney Harry Patton was in attendance at the meeting and explained the budget to the new members of the council, and also told of some of the city ordinances (the why's and wherefores).

All business transacted was routine with bills for the preceding month approved and ordered paid.

Commissioners Approve Condemnation Proceedings

County commissioners meeting in regular session on Monday granted approval to the county attorney to proceed with

condemnation against Robert Leach, Muskogee, Okla. for right of way approval on proposed Farm to Market Road 2013 in the Rhea Community.

Two road petitions were approved and juries of view appointed. Appointed to the jury of view on the road petition of L. D. Knight were: Floyd Dameron, John R. Cook, Rudolph Renner, Jr., J. D. Kirkpatrick and Edwin Lide. Members of the jury of view on the road petition of A. G. Schlabs were: Britt Clark, J. R. Wall, Ed Schilling, Perry McMinn and Otey Hinds.

The report of county treasurer, Mabel Reynolds for the quarter ending March 31 was approved and commissioners canvassed the school trustee election returns and approved them.

In other business transacted the cities of Farwell, Bovina and Friona will each be paid \$750, for fire protection in the rural areas and a payment in the amount of \$25, to Equitable Life Insurance Co. for a right of way land release on a Farm to Market road in the Rhea community was approved.

Interscholastic League Results

In the recent interscholastic league meet Julie Routon was winner of first place in the girl's division of prose reading, while Larry Gregory was winner of second place in the boy's division of the same event.

Becky Strain, who was an alternite in prose reading was declared winner of fourth place. Jane Ann Bradshaw and Jane Hubbell, the shorthand team, were winners of first and second place, with the girls flipping for first and second, when they had no opponents. Jane Bradshaw won the flip.

In poetry reading Mary Coffer was second in the girl's division and Randy Robertson was fourth in the boy's division. The typing team, Maudie Stancell and Larry Gregory were third place winners, and the spelling team, Ronnie Smith and Julia Hughes, were fourth place winners.

Julie Routon will be in Lubbock to participate in regional on April 25.

David Garza--

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in custody awaiting action of the grand jury. Part of the loot taken in the burglaries has been recovered.

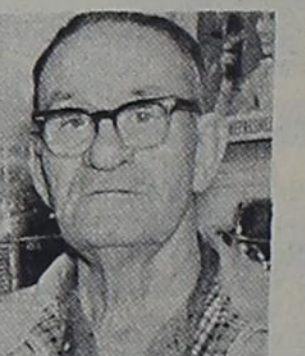
Indictments have also been returned against Arnulfo San Miguel Jr., for forgery (raising the amount of a check) and another individual, unnamed, for taking an air compressor from Leon Schilling's place. An indictment against Antonio Florez for forgery was also returned. Bond for San Miguel and Florez has been set at \$2,000 each. They are still in custody.

In district court last week Warren Wilkerson, address unknown, was given a three year penitentiary sentence on a forgery charge. He will begin serving his sentence immediately.

First Buzzard: "Did you see that two-engine jet that just passed? Bet you wish you could fly that fast."

Second Buzzard: "Oh, I don't know. If I had two tails and both of them were on fire, you couldn't even see me."

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Doctor: "Tell your wife not to worry about that slight deafness as it is simply an indication of advancing years."

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Also tell her about the better service at Uncle Ray's Big Little Store.

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Your candidate for the Democratic nomination for U. S. Senator

BELIEVES . . .

- FOREIGN AID—Foreign aid should be withheld from all communist-dominated countries. Foreign aid should be maintained in those countries in which we have military bases. In other countries where any aid might be prudent, it should be mainly in the form of surplus agricultural products.

- NATIONAL DEBT—Government expenditures should be made only from current income in peacetime. An orderly program for retirement of the public debt should be initiated.

- FOREIGN AFFAIRS—The Monroe Doctrine should be firmly restated and upheld.



GORDON McLENDON
Democratic Candidate
For U. S. Senator

Vote for Gordon McLendon in the May 2 Primary and you'll be proud of your choice

Political Adv. paid for by McLendon Committee George Sandlin campaign director



Several mothers of FFA members were presented with certificates of appreciation for their assistance at the annual parent-son banquet Friday night; Shown left to right back row; Mrs. J. O. Morris, Mrs. John Hill, Mrs. Paul Skaggs, Mrs. Joe Burford and Mrs. Melvin Burns. Front row left to right; Mrs. Eddie West, Mrs. Perry Winkles, Mrs. Clarence Smith and Mrs. Floyd Lofton.

Farwell Bands To Present Concert May 3

The Farwell school bands directed by Tommy Mayfield will present a concert May 3, 2 p.m. (CST) at the high school gymnasium. Price of admission is 75¢ for adults and 50¢ for students above the sixth grade. Music will consist of marches, popular, and some selections in a more serious vein, says Mayfield.

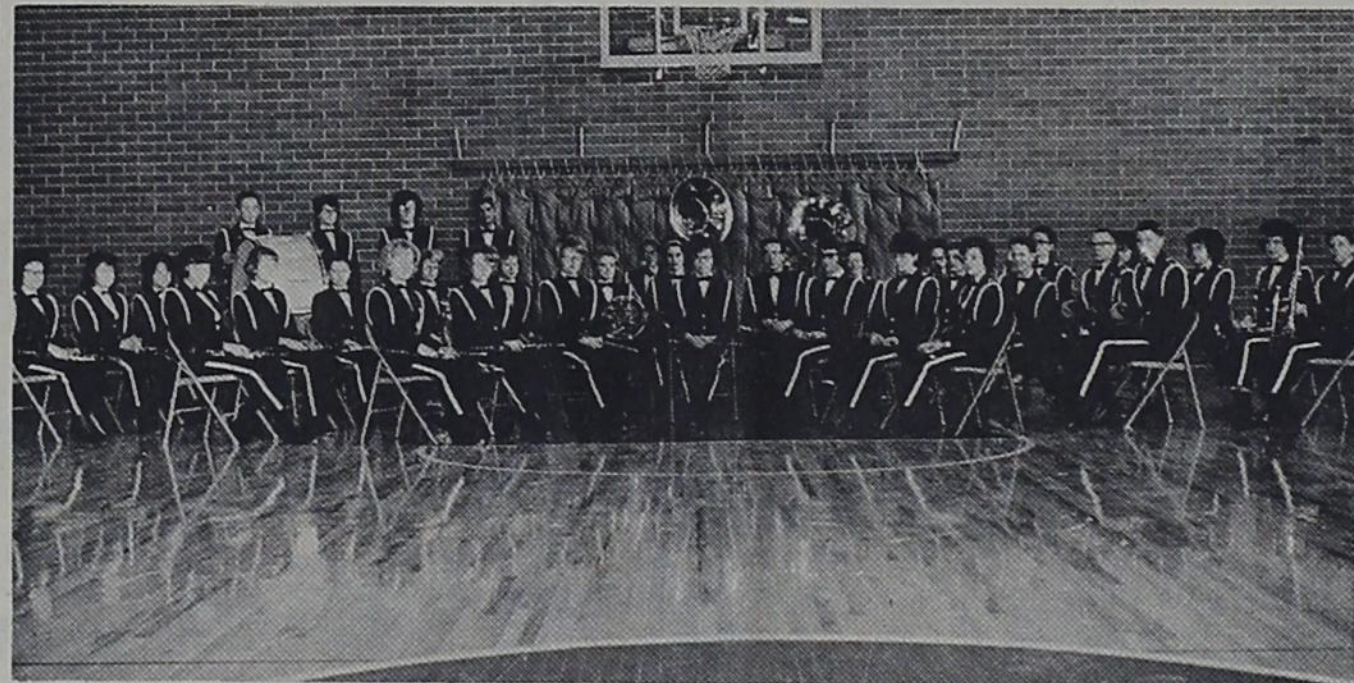
He reports that the high

school band participated in a clinic in Canyon recently and received a III rating in sight reading and concert work.

The junior high band ensemble and solo clinic was held in Bovina recently with the following report of activities given. A clarinet quartet composed of Sharon Williams, Cheryl Kaltwasser, Beverly Jones and Meredith Anderson

received a 2 plus or good rating. James Hobbs received an excellent on his saxophone solo with Larry Jones receiving a 3 plus or fair on his cornet solo. Ann Herrington also received a fair rating on her clarinet solo.

The junior high band will be in Canyon to attend a clinic this Saturday, April 25.



Members of the Farwell bands will be presenting a concert May 3, 2 p.m. (CST) in the high school gymnasium. Here they are shown getting ready for the event by practicing in the gym. Price of admission is adults 75¢ -- students 50¢.

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PHILLIPS 66 FLITE FUEL - SUPER - high performance components to give you 'the Sweetest Rhythm on the Road'. Drive in for a tankful See for yourself. . . . We will be closed on Sundays open week days 7 a. m. to 9 p. m.

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If You're Satisfied Tell Your Friends, If Not Tell Red

RED'S "66"

RED PRATHER 481-3662--Farwell

FBLA To Sell Radio Advertising

All members of the Texico FBLA (Future Business Leaders of America) are selling ads this week in the listening area of radio station KZOL, courtesy of manager Jimmy Self, who has agreed to give the FBLA Chapter all proceeds for any advertising they may sell to area merchants. Wednesday and Thursday of next week have been designated by Self, as FBLA days.

The chapter will use funds

derived from the advertising to finance a trip to Washington, D. C., which the club recently won in state competition. At least \$1,700 is needed for the trip and any area person who wishes to buy a spot of the radio time to congratulate the chapter may do so with the group to receive the funds derived from the sale.

Mrs. N. W. Peyton, instructor of the group said, "We wish to thank in advance all persons for their help in this project."

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Maybe your business isn't as urgent as your doctor's. But you, too, will appreciate the smooth dependable performance that results from using Phillips 66 Service and Phillips 66 Products. A powerful Phillips 66 Trop-Artic* Battery for sure starting. Reliable Phillips 66 Super Action Tread Tires that end sudden roadside flats. Flite-Fuel and Trop-Artic* Motor Oil for easy starting, even on cold days.

Let us keep your car in the pink of condition. Drive in at any station displaying the Phillips 66 Shield.



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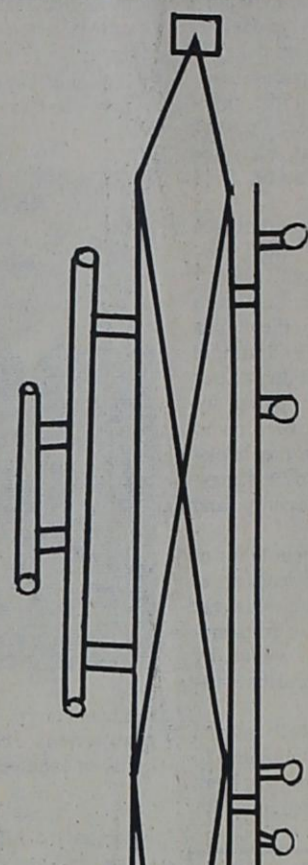
The good people of Texico-Farwell are indeed fortunate . . . Sides & Associates have spared no expense in assuring the very finest in Television reception. Cable television will soon bring a new world of television pleasure to Texico-Farwell. This pleasure will be enhanced by the quality of the picture provided by Ameco fully-transistorized equipment.

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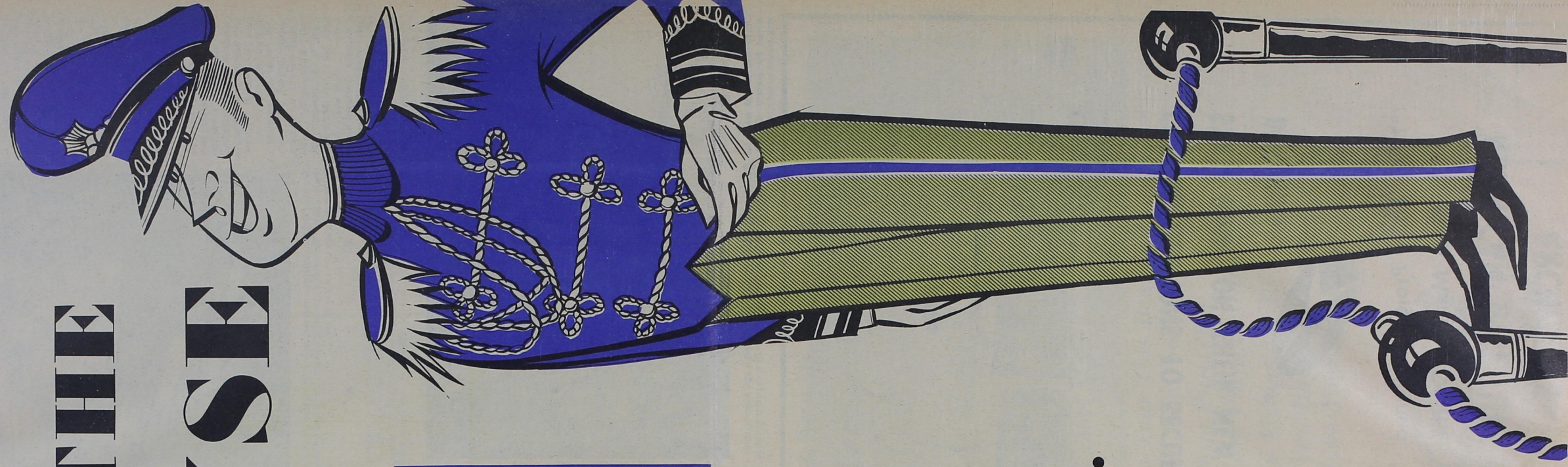
**SECURITY
STATE
BANK**

ON

Sunday

APRIL 26th 1964

HOURS 1 P.M. TO 6 P.M.



OFFICERS	
G. D. ANDERSON	<i>President</i>
R. W. ANDERSON	<i>V-President</i>
JOE W. JONES	<i>V-President</i>
L. S. POOL	<i>Cashier</i>
NINA MAE GLASSCOCK	<i>Ass't. Cashier</i>
IRENE DYER	<i>Ass't. Cashier</i>

Open House For New Bank Building Set Sunday

Sunday, April 26, will mark another milestone for Security State Bank, when the personnel of the pioneer institution will be hosts and hostesses for an open house, in the newly constructed ultra-modern building which is the new home of the business. The opening is scheduled from 1 to 6 p.m.

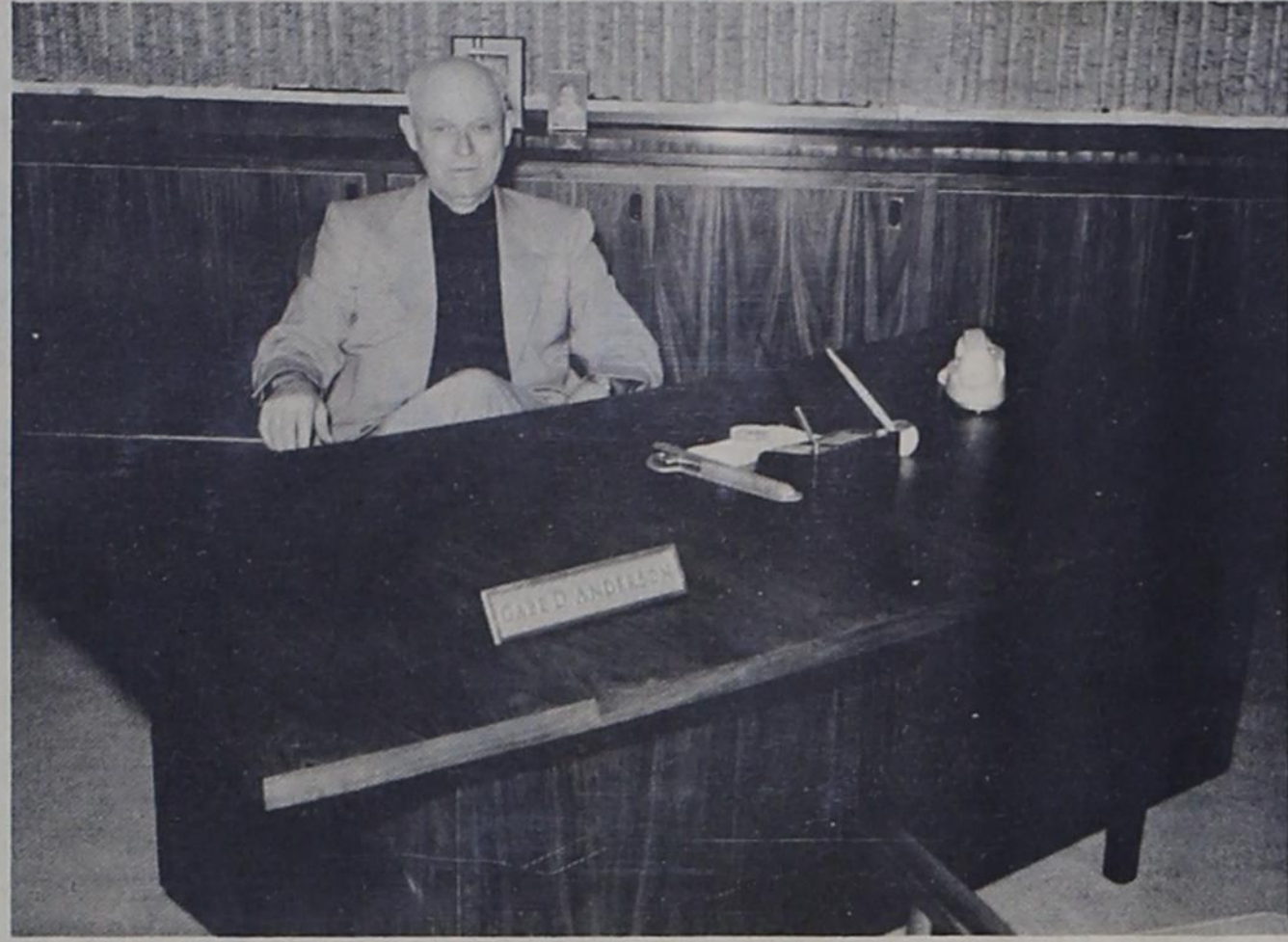
Security State Bank is one of the oldest businesses that is still under the same management, in Texico-Farwell. G. D. Anderson this summer will celebrate his 37th year as president of the bank.

Business was conducted in the building vacated by the bank, as Security State Bank, for 39 years, with the local man directing the business all but the first two years. The old building had been extensively remodeled several years ago, both interior and exterior, to meet the needs of the growing business.

The bank was organized in January of 1925. Original directors were G. W. Brumley, Henry Wilkinson, D. F. Ashbrook, J. A. Pittman, J. H. Head and F. U. McCutchen, Arthur L. Hood was cashier.

Anderson purchased the interest of McCutchen and came to Texico-Farwell July 5, 1927. All of the original directors are now deceased.

Present officers and di-



G. D. "Gabe" Anderson relaxes in the attractive surroundings of his new office at Security State Bank. The walnut credenza extends the length of the wall at the back of the room, and appointments are of matching walnut.



R. W. "Bob" Anderson completes some office work at his desk in the north office area near the lobby of the new Security State Bank.

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rectors are: Anderson, president; R. W. (Bob) Anderson and Joe W. Jones, vice presidents; L. S. Pool, cashier; Nina Glass-

cock and Irene Dyer, assistant cashiers; Gloria Hutchins, Jo Carpenter, and Nell Thompkins, bookkeepers; and Dollie Por-

ter, teller. Mrs. Thompkins also serves as drive-in teller; and Leslie Winsper is janitor.

In the 37 years since Anderson's arrival, the bank has climbed from \$130,000 in deposits to better than \$6 million. Hood was cashier and Albertina Harshaw of Clovis were the only employees other than Anderson at the beginning. Now 11 people are necessary to carry on the work of the business.

Through the years, the bank has enlarged services as the business has grown, and now has time deposits, checking accounts, safety deposits. Additions for further customer service that are included in the new building is the drive-in window and the night depository drawer. A small community room has also been included in the new building.

The bank has weathered all the problems of the past 37 years, but Anderson feels that the biggest satisfaction was managing to take the business through the depression.

"For seven years, we were awful lucky," he says and the customers were "really nice". No farmer made any money until 1942, he adds. In 1931, growers

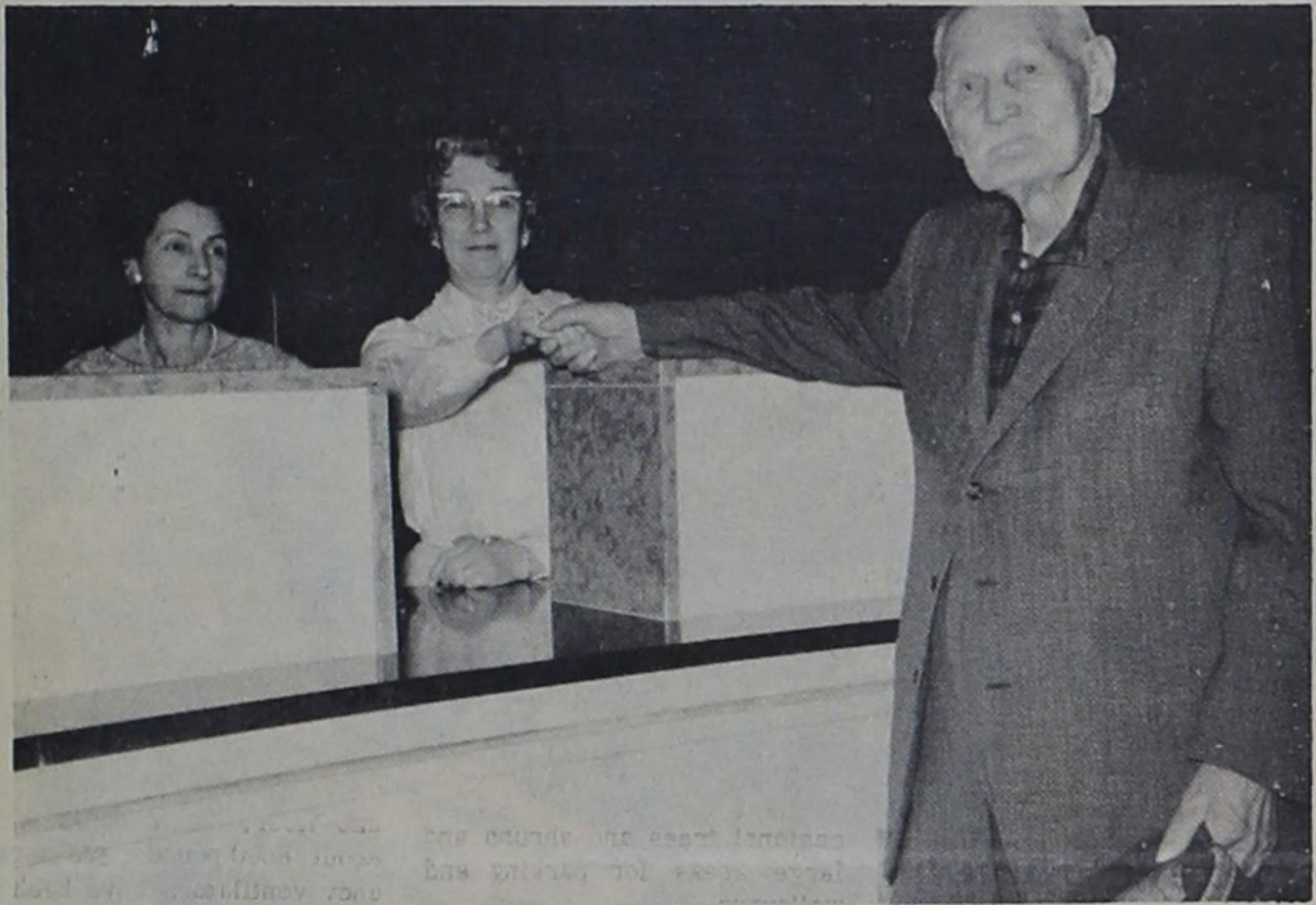
were getting 26 cents a bushel for wheat, good crops, too. One customer back in the lean years made \$25 for his year's work.

In the early years, the bank had all dryland customers. Now, only one dryland farmer re-

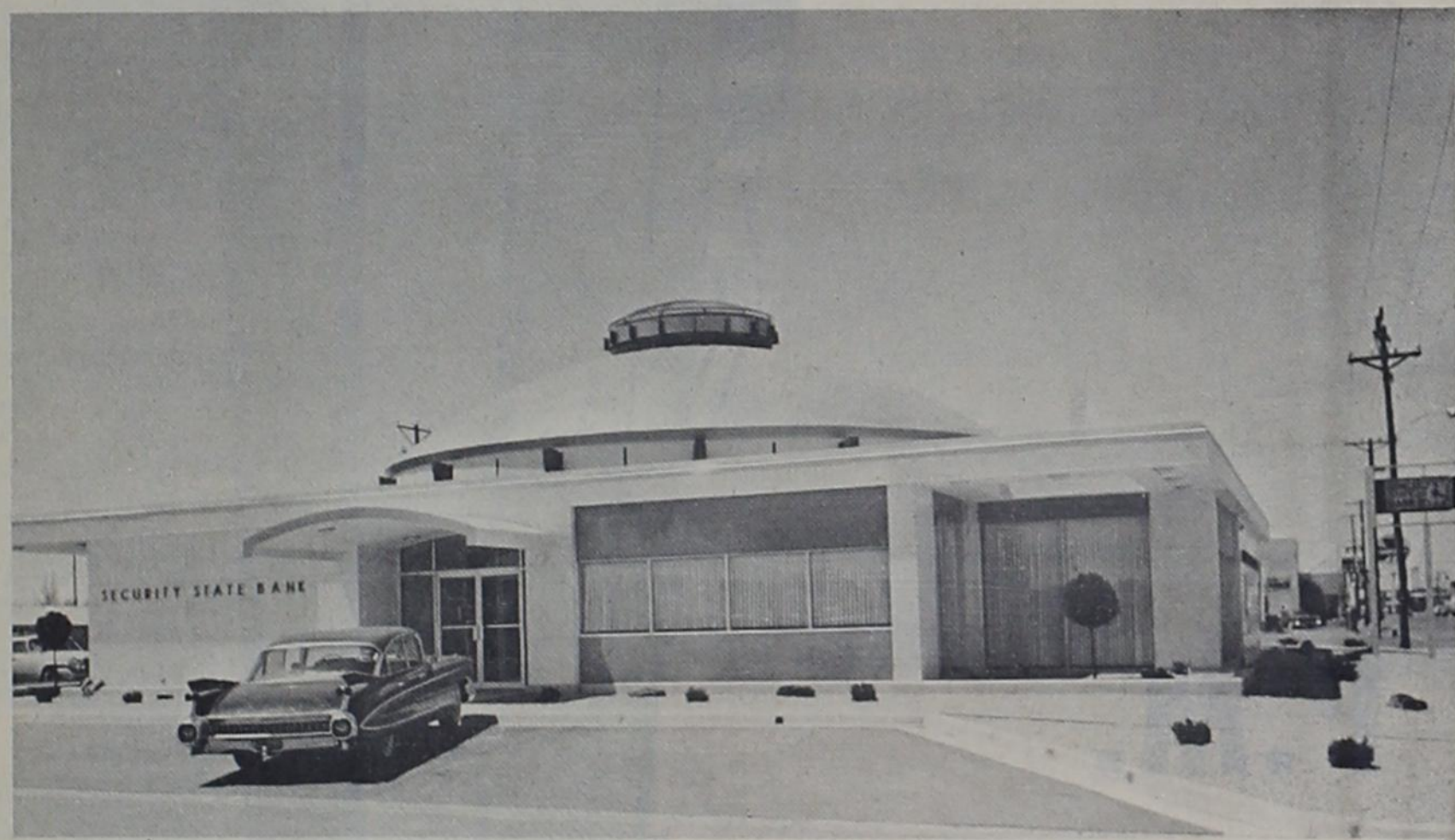
mains. In 1927, a gin was in the area, but no one raised cotton and it was eventually moved away. Now several gins dot the area.

Several old-timers who were first customers of the bank are

still friends and customers and the officers take pride in this fact. D. W. Carpenter and Uncle Tom Randol of Farwell, and E. M. Ross of Bovina are three of the men Anderson recalls as early day customers.



Uncle Tom Randol made his first deposit in Security State Bank 39 years ago, when he transferred his account of \$1020 to the newly opened bank. He is one of the first customers, who is still served by the local bank.



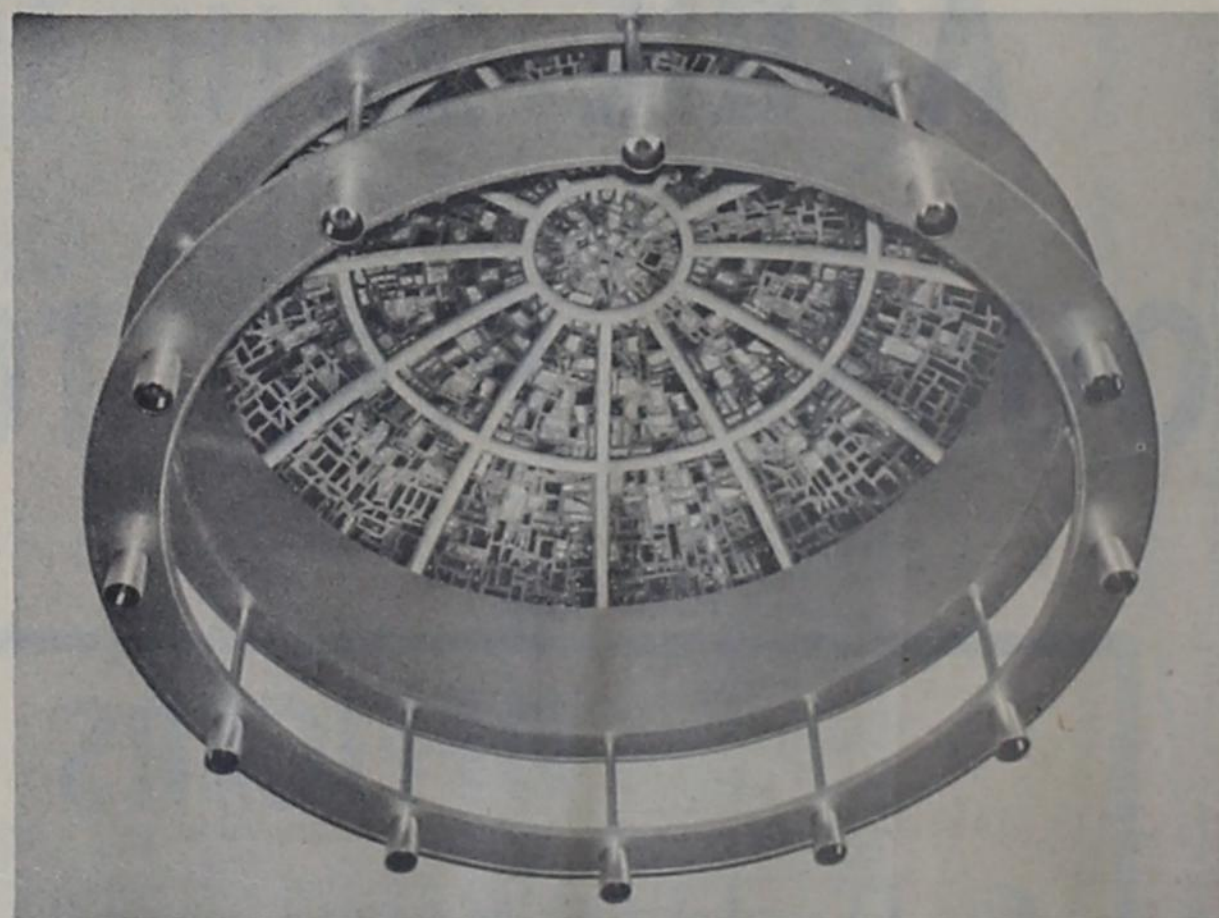
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The Folks At Neely Electric Are Always Proud of Their Electrical Installations. One That We Are Especially Proud of The New, Modern Security State Bank.



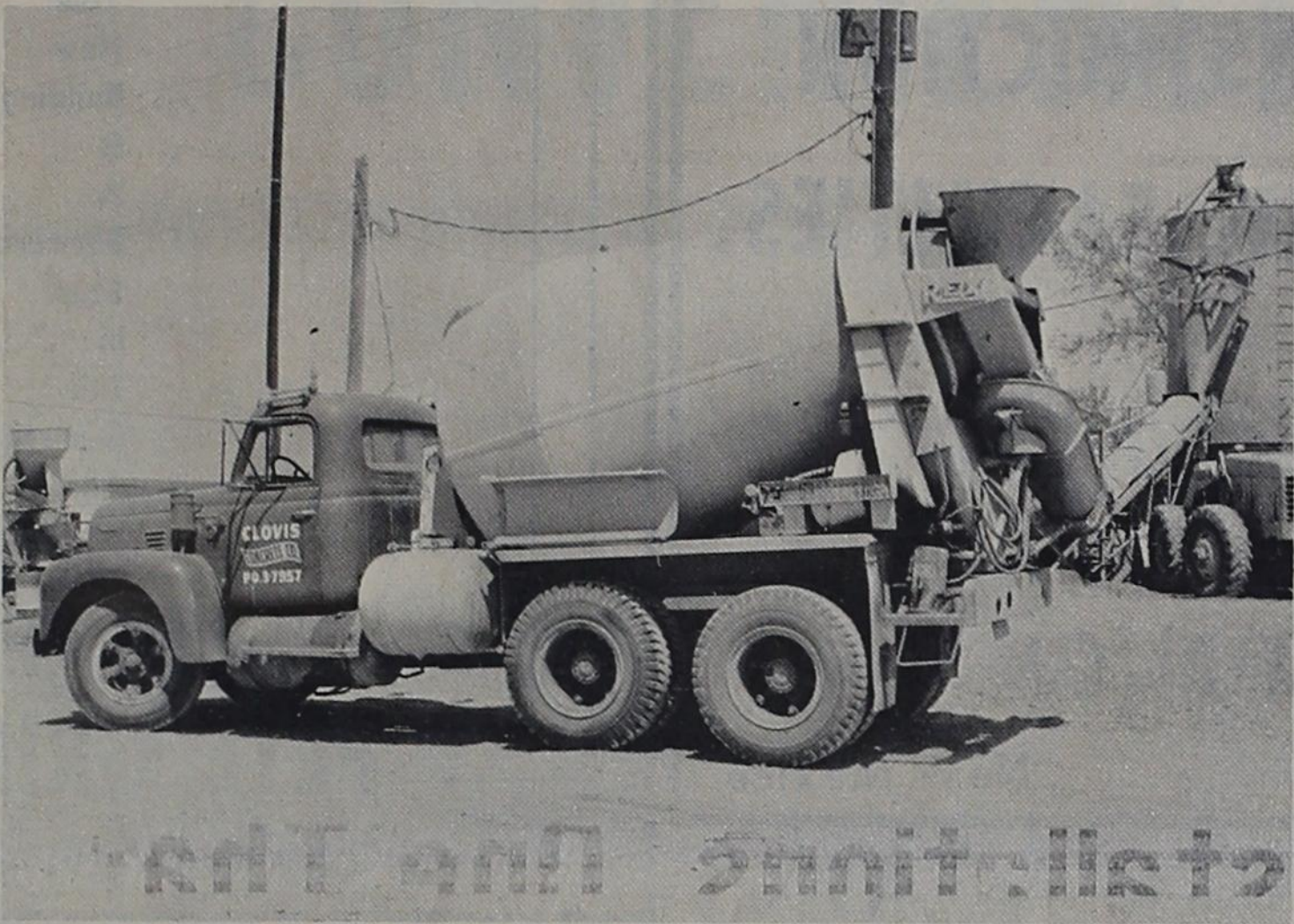
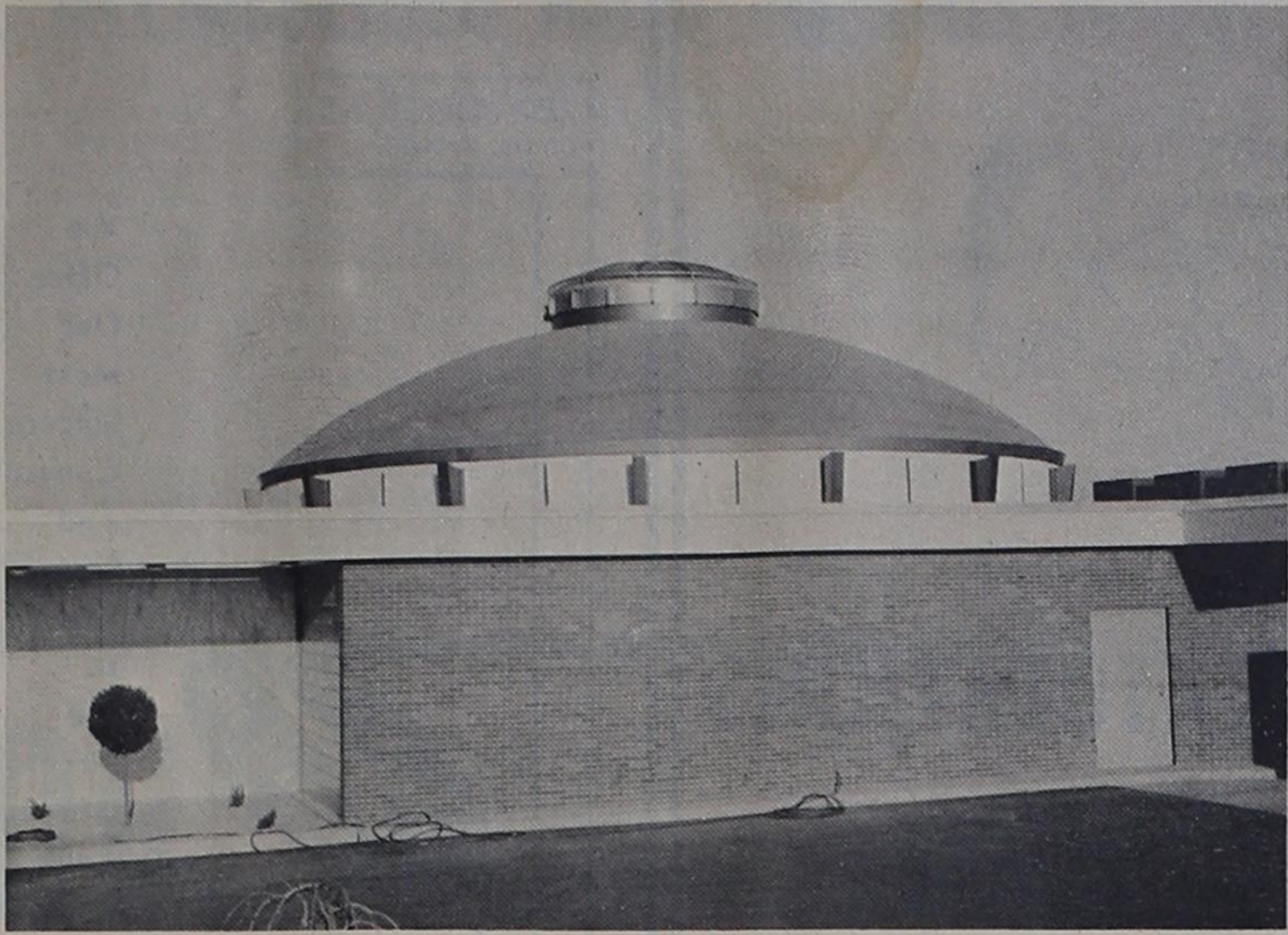
The officers of Security State Bank are to be congratulated on their show of confidence in the growth of the community.

It has been a great pleasure to have worked with the Andersons on this project. Their cooperation has been wonderful.

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115 Main

Clovis, N. Mex.



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We are pleased to have served in the construction of this unique building which is the new home of Security State Bank.

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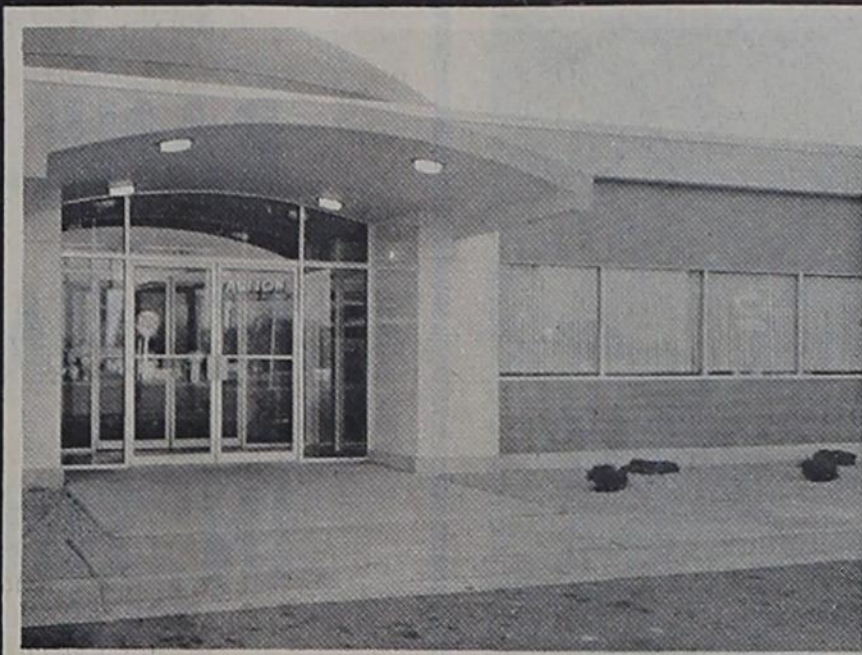
2121 E. 2nd

Clovis, N. Mex.

Circular Design Utilized For New Bank



Joe Jones reflects on plans for the open house planned for the new Security State Bank, as he makes a few notations. The window in the rear overlooks Ave. A.



CONGRATULATIONS
on the formal opening of your beautiful new bank. This magnificent new structure is truly an asset to the community and denotes your faith in the future growth and development of the Farwell area

Clovis Glass & Mirror Co.

510 W. 7th

Clovis, N. Mex.

Romanesque architecture which features the use of the round arch and vault forms the mood for the new building for Security State Bank. Open house is planned in the structure Sunday, April 26, 1-6 p.m.

The circular design which is planned with all portions of the building radiating from a central point, features a gold dome.

The exterior of brown brick is accented by white marble set on stone sills with brown ceramic tile under and over the windows. Yellow ceramic tile is around the fascia and the canopy leading to the main entrance, is designed of gold-flecked white ceramic tile.

The dome is covered with a face of gold aluminum encircled with a white band with fins of blue aluminum at regular intervals on the band. The band of the dome and the top area is gold and the area supporting the glass epoxy dome is covered with blue and gold aluminum. Cocoon roofing in gold, covers the entire dome.

North and south walls of the building enclose areas of glass brick and the drive-in area is covered with a concrete cantilever slab, to harmonize with the building. The solar screen is of concrete shadow block design.

Western landscaping completes the exterior with occasional trees and shrubs and large areas for parking and walkways.

The paved parking area is designed for about 50 cars, with ample drive space to maneuver. The drive-in window and night depository are easily accessible from the highway.

The entire roof for the building is poured concrete. Lighting around the structure illuminates the focal points of the

bank at night.

The vestibule of the building is a continuous design of the outside canopy, with ceramic tile ceiling and terrazzo floor. On entering the building, the visitor immediately notices the dome, which is encircled by recessed lighting set in walnut wood. The large area of the dome is covered with white acoustical plaster with an aluminum ring surrounding the epoxy glass area. In this aluminum ring is set another ring of lights to illuminate the check desk below. This circles the glass epoxy dome.

The epoxy dome is achieved with a chemical compound, in which vari-colored glass is set. The jagged edges of the glass catch the lights, to give an iridescent effect. The process is a fairly new one, according to the builders.

The circular check desk situated directly under the dome, has a base of white marble with a black marble writing area. Six foot in radius, the desk encircles a planter holding greenery. The terrazzo floor features a star-shaped design in multicolors, and the interior is completed with restful hues in pastels. Walls are of a new product of vinyl.

Office areas are carpeted in wool cinnamon and the wood is walnut. Cashier counters are planned to match the center check desk in black and white marble with alberene serpentine marble used as dividers between teller windows.

Plated draperies in hues of brown and green are used in window and glass office areas and recessed lighting and soft background music lend a mood of quietness to the surroundings.

Credezas, long counters under the window areas, are walnut with tops of black marble, and office furniture of walnut with upholstery in tones of black and brown complete the decor of the office areas.

G. D. Anderson, president of the bank, adds that 224 of the latest designed safety deposit boxes have been included in the building and new ones have been added to give the business a total of 454.

The vault is constructed of concrete, with 12 inches of concrete and steel in walls, roof and floor. Vault doors weigh about 8000 pounds, and emergency ventilators have been installed.

"We first considered building about two years ago and it took 13 months to complete the final structure," Anderson says.

Other than the office and working area, the community and coffee room has been included in the building with a small tiled kitchen area planned with bronze appliances. Walnut tables and matching chairs complete the room, which is designed for meetings of small groups.

The building has refrigerated air conditioning throughout, utilizing a total of four systems, with gas used in the winter for heat. A complete inter-com system is in operation and a gas fire incinerator is located in the mechanical room.

Moved to a new home is the clock from the old building, extending over the highway, and residents will continue to hear the chimes on the quarter hour, as in the past.

Postal Service Changes Listed By Local Postmasters

The limited adjustments in some postal services ordered by Postmaster General John A. Gronouski in March to save \$12.7 million will begin to take effect in Texico-Farwell and other cities on May 4 announced Mrs. Lucy O. Brown and James R. Smart, postmasters in Texico and Farwell respectively.

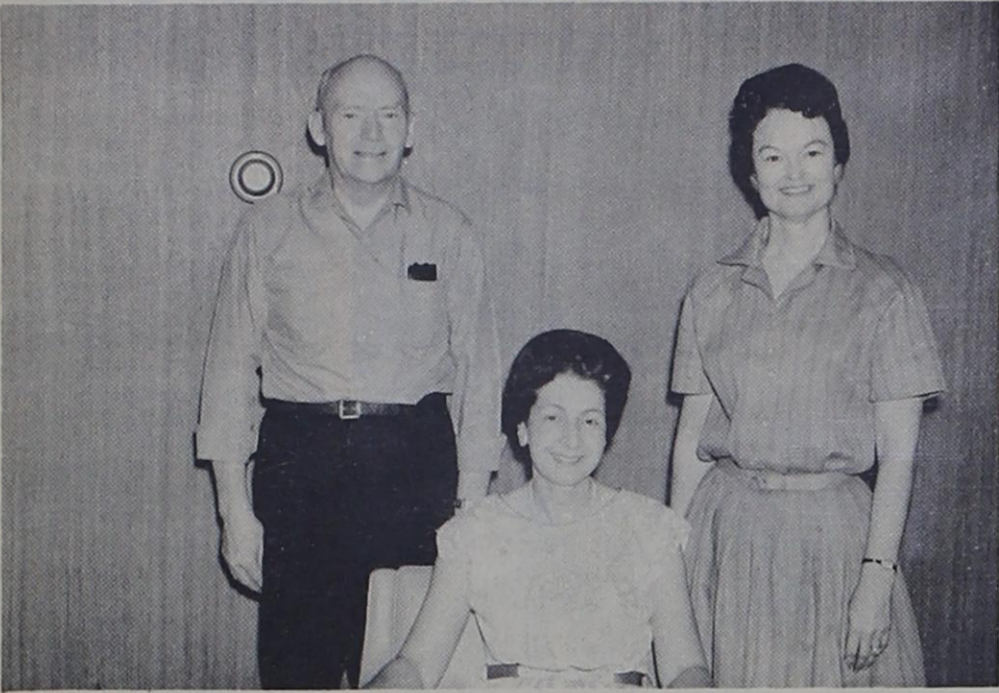
Mrs. Brown announces that changes in the Texico office will be minor with most of the services remaining the same; however the rural mail carriers will leave the office from 30 to 40 minutes earlier on Saturday and windows will close at 12 noon. The only other curtailment listed by Mrs. Brown is that of the money order service, parcel post deliveries will not be affected.

A change in window service at the Farwell post office was listed by Postmaster Smart with only one window in service during the period the office is open on Saturdays. No domestic money orders will be issued on Saturdays, and all money order windows will be closed on that day. Parcel post deliveries will be made as usual on each business day (including Saturday when the window is open).

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*As You Tour This Beautiful
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Important Part That
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Show You How Electricity
Can Make Your Job Easier.*





Lenton Pool, cashier, Irene Dyer, assistant, and Dollie Porter, teller, will be among hosts and hostesses at the formal opening of the new bank Sunday.



Bookkeepers Nell Thompkins, Jo Carpenter and Gloria Hutchins pause for a picture in the new bookkeeping department of the bank.

ENMU Ag Rodeo Scheduled For May 1 And 2

The annual Ag Club Rodeo at ENMU will be held this year on May 1 and 2. It will feature two action packed performances, an assembly, a parade and a dance.

a. m. on May 1 in the college gymnasium. Feature attractions at the assembly will be the naming of a rodeo queen and the beard judging contest. Rodeo performances will be held at 7:30 p. m. on both days. Events will include calf rop-

ing, ribbon roping, bull riding, bareback bronc riding, girl's barrel race, girl's goat tying, and wild cow milking. Rodeo parade will be at 12:30 p. m., May 2 and the dance will be held in the gym beginning at 8:30 p. m.



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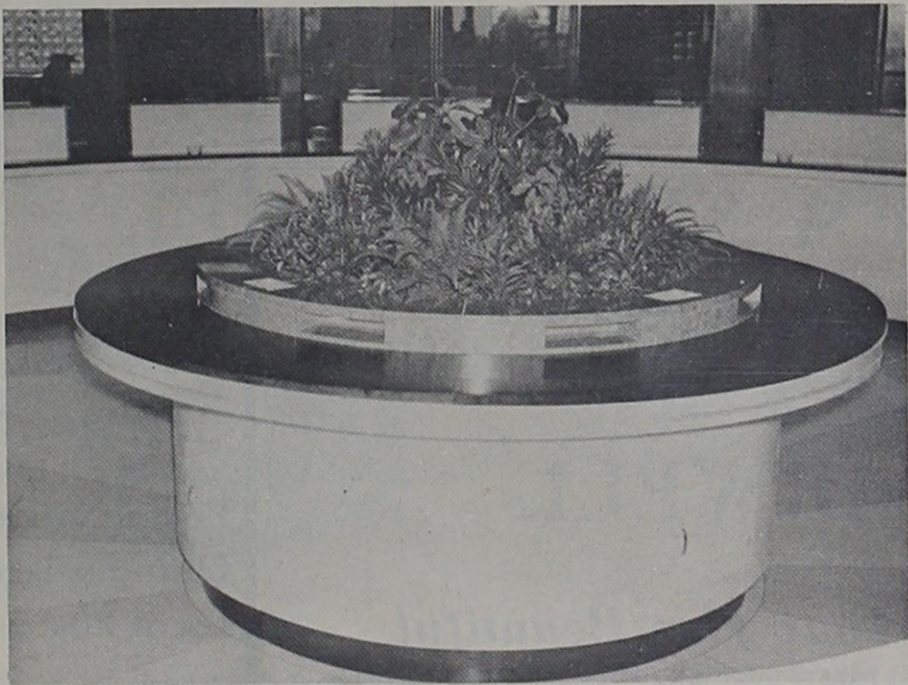
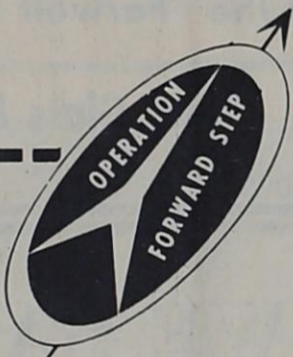


We Offer Our Most Sincere Congratulations And Best Wishes To The Directors Officers And Employees On The Formal Opening Of The SECURITY STATE BANK Your New Building Is A Forward Step In The Growth And Progress Of FARWELL

PETE GRIEGO

CONCRETE CONTRACTOR

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To The Directors, Officers, And Employees of Security State Bank.

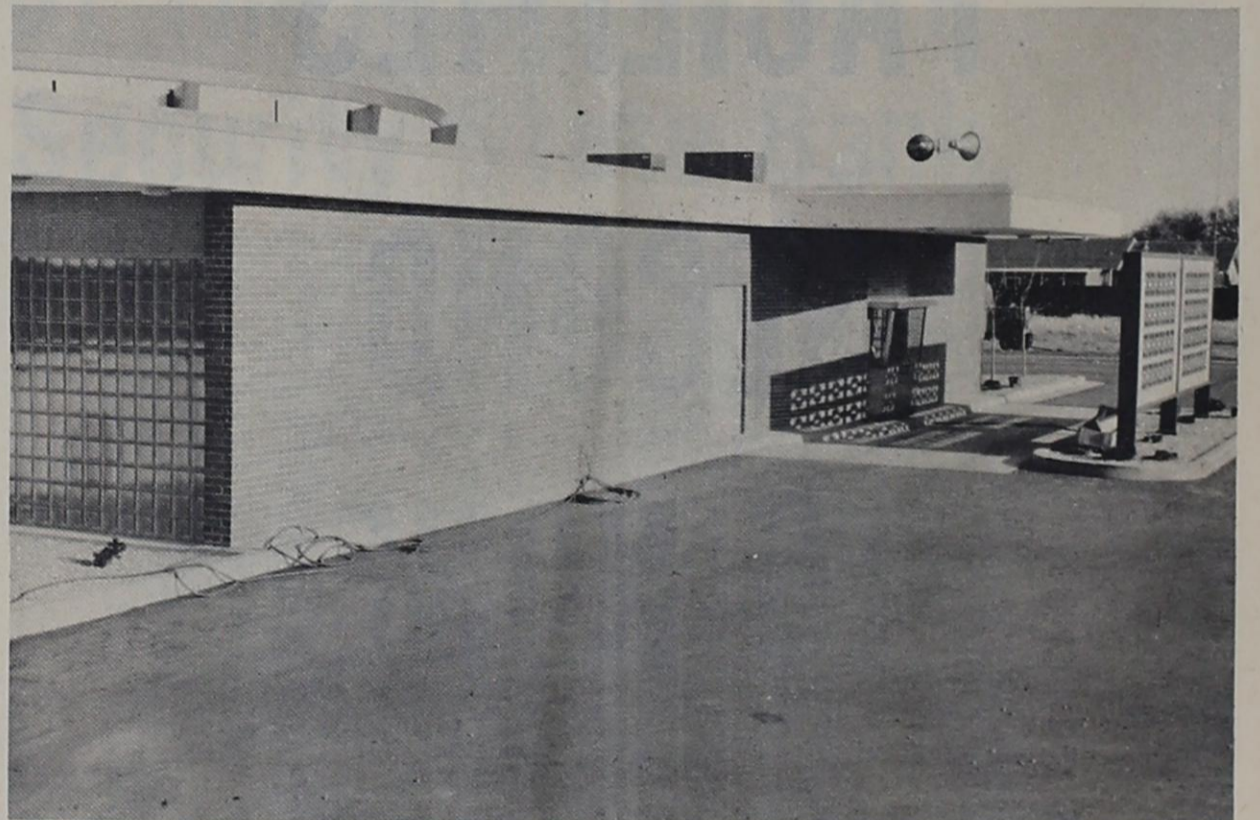
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501 E. 5th.

Clovis, N. Mex.

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To The Leading Institution In The Farwell Community.

ATTEND THE OPEN HOUSE SUNDAY

E.R. AKENS- MASONRY CONTRACTOR

2408 Ross

Clovis, N.Mex.

Bank Architecture New To This Area

Leroy Hunton, general contractor, who has been in the contracting business approximately 20 years, has just completed one of his "most unusual jobs" in the newly constructed Security State Bank in Texico-Farwell. Bill Nance is job superintendent for the company.

Architects for the building were Charles L. Monnot Jr. and Associates of Oklahoma City. Designs for everything in the building other than the desks are the design of Monnot. "He planned everything, even

to the wastebaskets," says R. W. "Bob" Anderson. Hunton, who has built numerous homes in Farwell and Clovis area and medium and large commercial jobs, enjoys the unusual in design and after seeing a like structure in Oklahoma City, was very interested in the newly planned bank building.

Since the architecture departs from the conventional type construction, says Nance, the work on the building issued a challenge. "After having built this structure, we feel we are

qualified for any type construction that might be needed," Nance adds.

Approximately five to seven employees were used on the job regularly, in addition to sub contracts to various craftsmen.

Hunton grew up in the Clovis area and is married to the former Helen Jo White of Texico. His father was actively engaged in the building industry and is now retired and living in Clovis. Architecture used in the new building is new to this particular area.

OPEN HOUSE
SUNDAY

Andersons Have Memories Of Area



Amid pleasant surroundings with soft music in the background, Nina Glasscock smiles for the cameraman, as she enjoys her new work area at the bank.

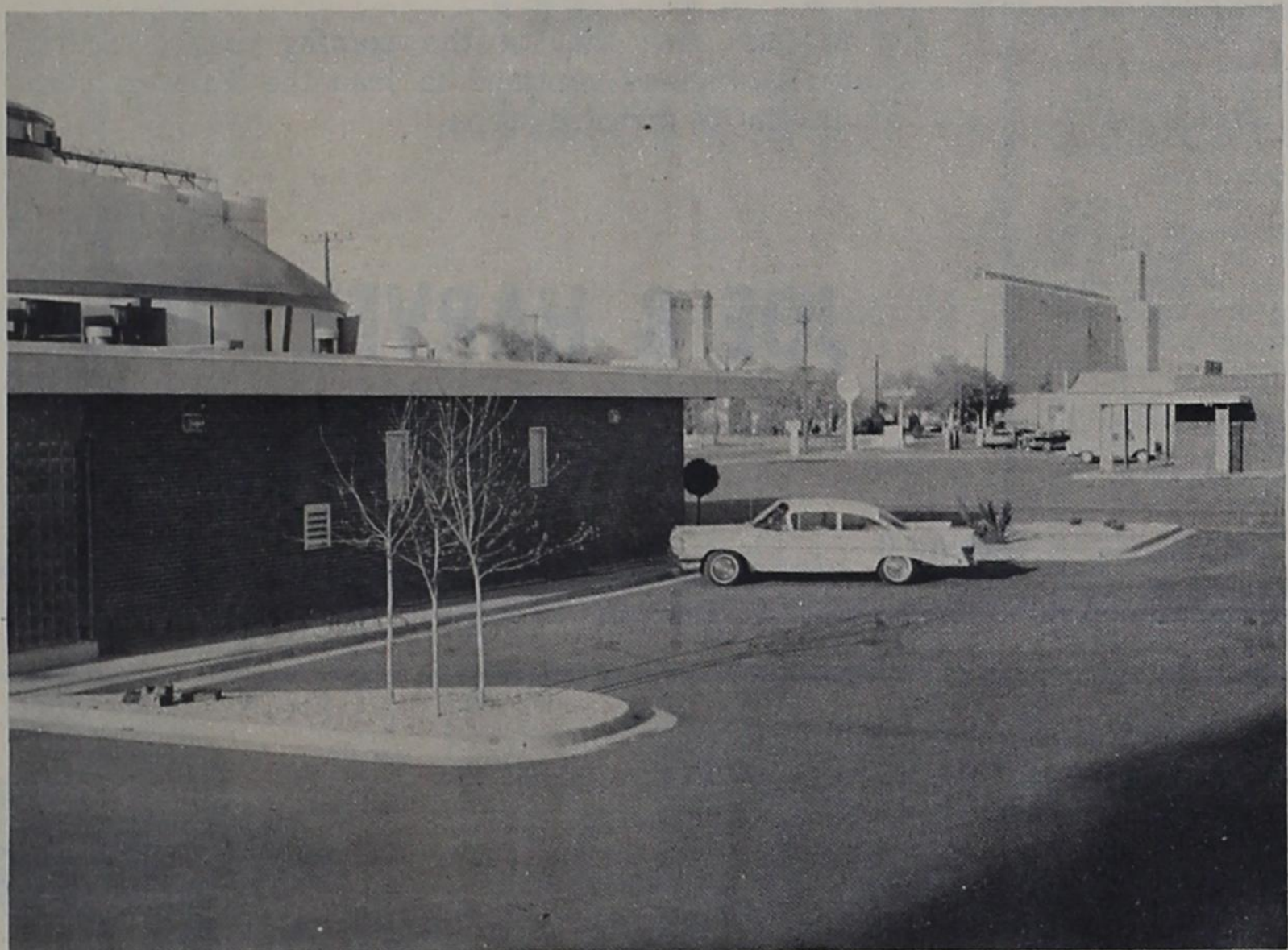
The growth of the Security State Bank and the farming community which it serves have been synonymous, and Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Anderson, principal stockholders in the bank, are celebrating 37 years in the business and the community. They have many memories of life in the area. When the Andersons first began business here, deposits were \$130,000; five years ago, the total was better than \$4 million and is now exceeding \$6 million.

The Andersons came to Farwell from Friona, July 5, 1927.

They settled in Texico and stayed there for six years, then moved to the Anderson family home in Farwell, where their son, Bob, and his family, now reside. Their third residence in the Twin Cities, which is located in Farwell's newest residential area, was built several years ago on Third St. Mrs. Anderson was born in Morehouse, Mo., and lived at New Madrid, Mo., and later at Morehouse, again. She has many recollections of life along the

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FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE.



WE PAVED IT!



The directors, officers and personnel of the Security State Bank are to be congratulated on the opening of their magnificent new home. Their faith and foresight in the future of the Farwell area assures the people of this area the finest in banking facilities.

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2405 W. 7th.

Clovis, N.Mex.



SECURITY STATE BANK

FARWELL, TEXAS

Condensed Statement of Condition at Close of Business

DECEMBER 31, 1963

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
Cash and Exchange	Capital Stock
\$1,237,263.20	\$ 100,000.00
Bonds and Warrants	Certified Surplus
1,466,678.26	100,000.00
Loans and Discounts	Undivided Profits
1,847,191.11	100,000.00
Commodity Credit Cert. of Interest	Reserves
1,547,893.95	215,610.25
Building, Furniture and Fixtures	Deposits
130,000.00	5,713,416.27
TOTAL ASSETS	TOTAL LIABILITIES
\$6,229,026.52	\$6,229,026.52

The Above Statement is Correct — L. S. Pool, Cashier

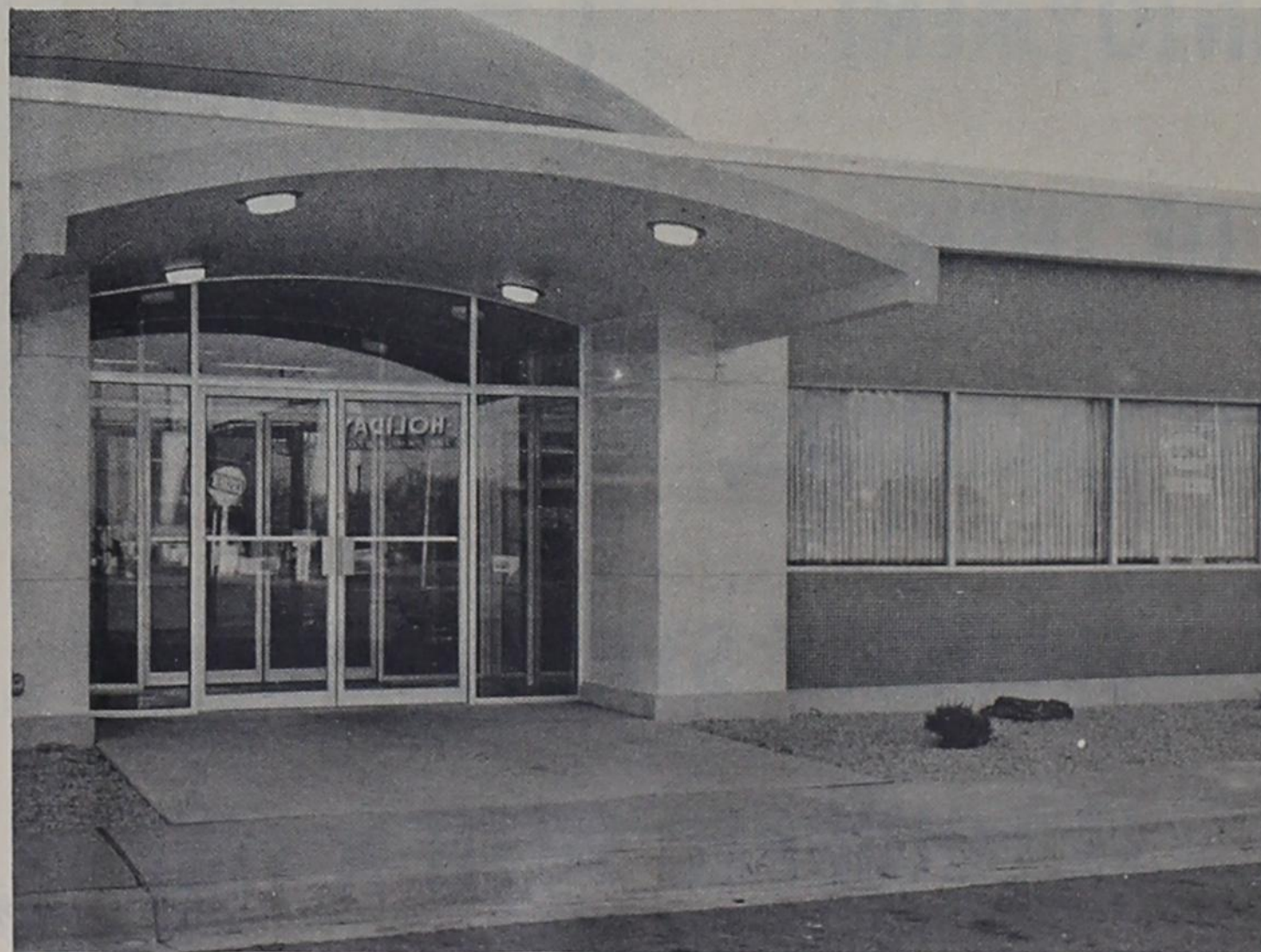
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SECURITY STATE BANK

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THE SPIRIT OF A CITY



is reflected in its banks. And modern progressive banks are the product of like-minded citizens. The beautiful new Security State Bank Building sums up a case in point -- the picture of pride, progress and prosperity that is found in Farwell. As such, it's a credit to the Farwell community.

McDANIEL FURNITURE & FLOOR COVERING, INC.

1012 Main

Clovis, N. Mex.

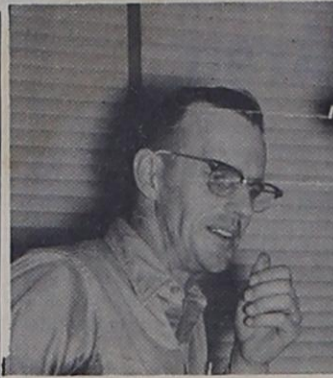


Designed with accents on customer comfort and convenience, The Security State Bank's New home features the latest developments in financial styling and equipment.

Congratulations To SECURITY STATE BANK, and the Farwell Community. GOODMAN OFFICE SUPPLY

316 Main

Clovis, N. Mex.



Bill Nance, job superintendent for the general contractor for the bank, describes the decor of the new Security State Bank building. Open house is Sunday.

Anderson--

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banks of the Mississippi river. Anderson grew up in Arkansas, at Okolona. The couple first became friends when her father made a business trip to the Arkansas town, and she visited with her dad.

The courtship continued while the young lady was in town and after her return to Missouri, they corresponded and saw one another occasionally. On December 21, 1916, they were married in Poplar Bluff, Mo. They returned to Arkansas where Anderson was serving as postmaster.

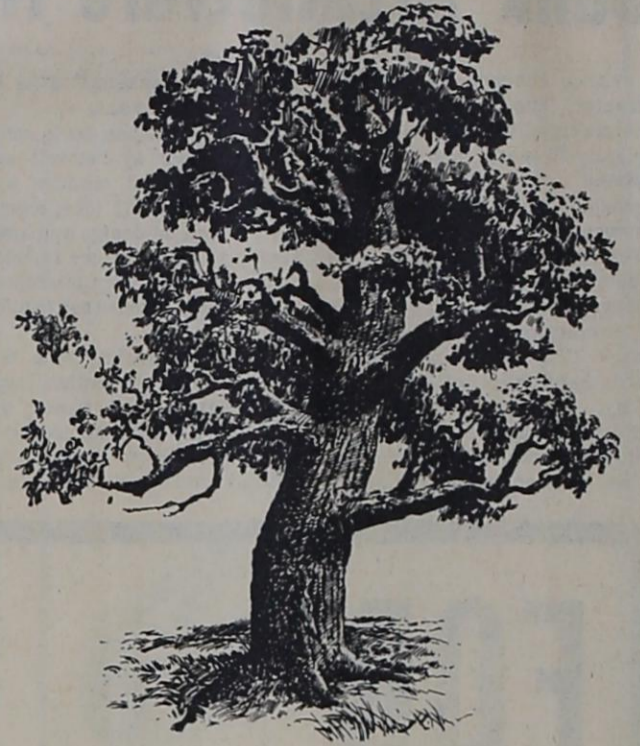
G. D. Anderson Jr. or Penny, as he is known in this area, was born in Arkansas. He is now in the elevator business in Bovina. Two daughters were also born in that area. There is now Mrs. Raymond Tapp and resides in Lubbock. Meredith, the third child, was killed in an auto accident when she was three.

Anderson was cashier of the bank in Arkansas for four years, then went to Deming, N.M. in December of 1923. The family went to Friona in 1925.

Bob was born in Deming, and Marilyn, the last child, was born in Friona. She is Mrs. Howard Cohee of Albuquerque.

Anderson first saw Farwell when he traveled through on his way to Friona. The second time he visited here, he was summoned as a juror for the famed Hassel murder trial. Anderson was numbered 145 and the jury was completed on 144, so he didn't serve.

Mrs. Anderson remarks on the friendliness of the people. "I loved it here from the first day I arrived," she recalls.



"THE LOFTY OAK

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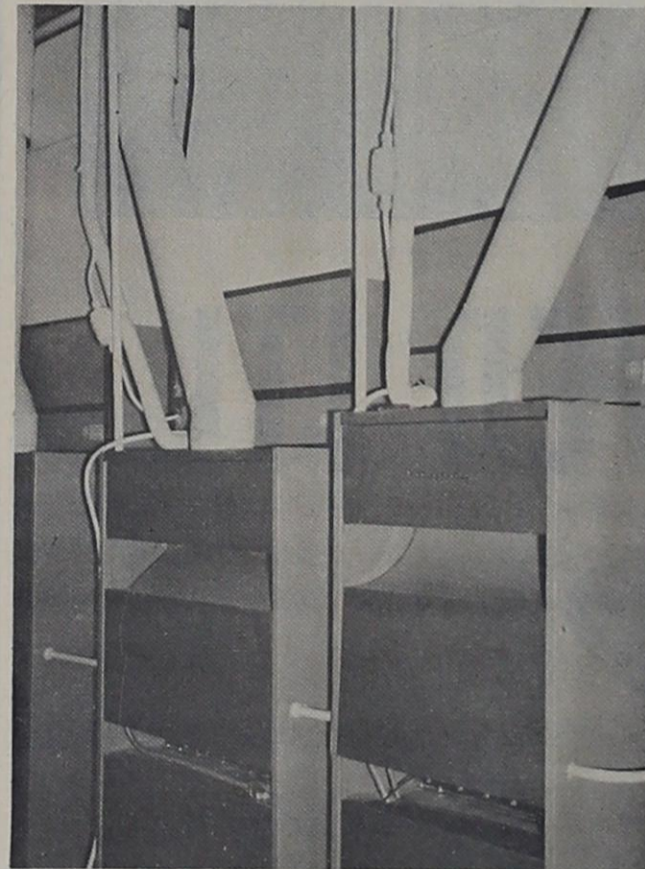
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28 Participate In Foods Division 4-H Achievement Contest: Participate In District

Twenty-eight boys and girls participated in the county 4-H achievement "Foods and Nutrition" contest Saturday with winners named to participate in the district contests, to be held in Canyon April 25. Also three teams in the electrical demonstration group participated in contests, with a team chosen to represent the county in Canyon. Two other teams or individuals had no competition, but were rated by judges with their scores high enough for them to represent the county in Canyon.

Ten persons participated in the meats division with eight in the fruit and vegetable division, four in bread and cereal and six in milks. Three boys were entered in food and nutrition.

Winner of the meats division with a chicken (broiled) recipe was Katie Blackstone of Lazbuddie Club. Fruit and vegetable winner was Judy Koelzer also of the Lazbuddie club. Judy entered a pineapple pie. These girls were entrants in the senior division and will represent Farmer County in Canyon.

In the junior division Melody Roberts, Farwell club, was winner of the meats division with a tuna salad; Cheryl Kaltwasser Farwell with a squash casserole was winner in the fruit and vegetable division. Her alternate Delayne Steinbock of the Lazbuddie club will participate in the district contest since Cheryl has the measles.

The electric demonstration team of Kevin Kaltwasser and Randy Gregory with their demonstration on "How to Read an Electric Meter" will be entered in the electric demonstration at Canyon. Runners up were Alan Gober and Buddy Foster with a demonstration on "How to make a Trouble Light." Dale Blackstone with his demonstration on "Foods for Teen-age Health" will be entered in that demonstration and Janis Billingsley and Kathryn Gober will enter their demonstration on Dairy Foods. Gary Foster will enter in tractor operation.

Winners in the junior county competition who will not be entered in the district contests were Tina Rundell, Farwell, 1st in Bread and Cereal; Debbie Burch, Lazbuddie-2nd in the same division; Wayne Schuler, Rhea-1st in the milk group and Cheryl Boling 2nd in the same group. Only two junior winners participate in district.

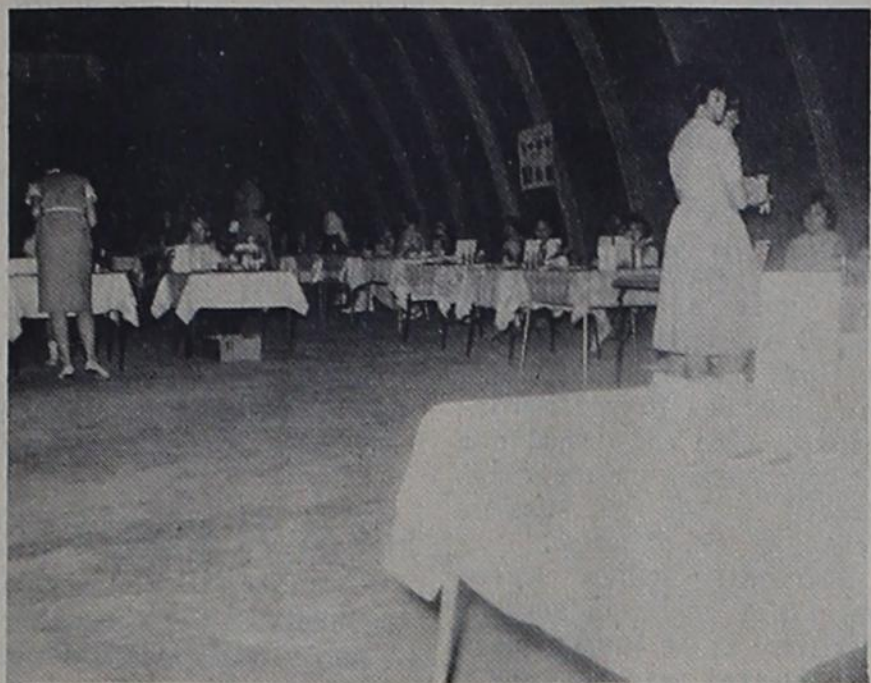
Judges of the Food and Nutrition contests were: Mrs. Ruth Eddington, Friona Home Ec

teacher, Mrs. Pete Jesko, former Farmer County HD Agent, Mrs. Jean Beene, assistant HD Agent in Deaf Smith County and Mrs. Dwight Sheriff, Farwell. Mrs. Billy Boling and Mrs. Davis Guley assisted by

Donald and Guy Kindell from Muleshoe.

Mrs. Cricket Taylor, Farmer County HD Agent, was in charge

of arrangements for the county achievement day and will accompany local contestants to the districts contests in Canyon, Saturday.



Judges in the Food and Nutrition contests had a hard time picking a winner in the 4-H achievement contests held Saturday at the Oklahoma Lane Community center. Here judges



are tallying scores in the meats division. Picture 2--shows only a few of the delectable foods entered in the bread and cereal divisions.

AMMO NOTES

By Bill Bennett, Agronomist

The manner in which plants obtain nutrients from the soil is controversial. Several theories and ideas prevail.

The Soil Solution Theory suggests that plant nutrients which are in solution in the soil are carried into the plant as water enters the root system. The nitrate ion is a good example of this theory. It stays in the soil solution and apparently enters the plant as moisture is taken up.

The Contact or Exchange Theory is somewhat more complicated. The root comes into contact with the soil particle. Since both the soil and the root have negatively charged surfaces, positive ions are exchanged between the root and soil. An example is the potassium ion. Hydrogen from the root is exchanged with potassium in the soil. Once on the root surface, the potassium moves into the plant.

The Selective Absorption Theory is closely related to the contact theory. This assumes that the plant can select the plant nutrients it absorbs. To illustrate, visualize a conveyor system between the root and soil particle and soil solution. The conveyor has different types of sites or systems for each element. Perhaps a small slot for the large calcium ion. If the site for a particular element is empty, the conveyor would move out of the root into the soil and pick up that element, then move back into the root. If the plant needs that nutrient for proper nutrition, it will be pulled off the

HD Style Show Is Well Attended

The style show held recently at Hub community center under sponsorship of the Farmer County HD Clubs was well attended. All styles modeled were made by the homemakers in recent basic and advance clothing workshops, conducted by Cricket B. Taylor, Farmer County HD Agent, Mrs. Ralph Price, HD County Council chairman welcomed the group and Mrs. Davis Guley narrated the show.

Pianist was Mrs. Bill Carthel of the Black HD Club.

Modeling garments were: Mrs. Fred Curtis, Farwell -- a print whip cream dacron-polyester one piece dress; Mrs. Edmund Kitten -- Farwell, modeled a beige and brown synthetic two piece polka dot with a brown duster; Mrs. C. C. Graef, Lazbuddie chose a polished cotton print styled in one piece for dress up.

Mrs. Jimmy Briggs wore a one piece whip cream yellow print with matching accessories; Mrs. C. A. Weir modeled a rust, black and brown print with which she wore a

black sailor straw; Mrs. Ellis Tatum modeled a green shantung silk princess style with accessories for church; Mrs. Spencer Hough chose for her fashion a two piece blue silk suit for better wear; and Mrs. Demp Foster showed a one piece beige raw silk styled for dress-up or street wear.

Mrs. A. H. Boatman Friona, modeled a blue and green jersey one piece creation.

Mrs. T. J. Presley of the Black club chose a beige cotton eyelet with matching accessories for dress up.

Mrs. Glenn Lesly, Farwell wore a blue paisley cotton accessoried for casual wear while Mrs. T. A. Shirley of Friona chose a two piece cotton print accessoried for a dress-up affair.

Mrs. J. L. Bass, Farwell wore a pink synthetic linen one piece dress with white accessories for church and Mrs. Bill Meeks also of Farwell modeled a dacron and cotton print with straw accessories for a dress occasion.

Mrs. Billie Boling of the Farwell club chose a multi-colored spring print of cotton accessoried for casual wear. Mrs. Nell Stewart also of Farwell wore a rayon and silk pink one piece dress with accessories for dress up.

conveyor and used--if it is not needed, it will stay on the conveyor until needed. The plant actually selectively absorbs the nutrients it needs.

(Continued on next page)

New Cotton And Wheat Farm Legislation

It is a brand new world; As you know, the recently passed farm legislation makes important changes in the Cotton and Wheat programs for the 1964 crop of each of these commodities. We do not have the facts

concerning these programs as yet. We do expect to have the details of the new legislation within the next few days.

A meeting is being held at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, April

23 at which time someone will be present to give you the details (of importance to you) of the new wheat and cotton programs. This meeting will be held in the auditorium of the high school in Bovina.

We urge each and every farmer in the county to make every effort to be in attendance at this meeting--as we have found that we can get "the story" OVER to farmers better at meetings such as this than we can by trying to inform you one at a time here at the office; and, besides, time is getting short and there are just

not enough hours in the day to talk to each person separately who is interested in these programs.

Don't Forget -- mark your calendar and come to Bovina tonight (Thursday) and we will make every effort to have someone here to explain the program and answer your questions.

Attend Meeting At Houston Production Credit Officials

Representatives of the Plainview Production Credit Association recently attended the eighth annual meeting of stockholders and patrons of the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Houston, held April 5-7, at the Rice Hotel in Houston.

The Credit Bank is discount and supervisory agency of the 36 home-owned and operated Production Credit Associations and 14 other financing institutions in Texas which provide more than \$500,000,000 annually in farm and ranch loans to 30,000 Texas farmers, ranchers and dairymen.

Highlights of the meeting included a dinner at historic San Jacinto Inn, an awards luncheon and addresses by nationally-recognized leaders in agricultural financing.

Representing the Plainview Production Credit Association

were general manager Noel Woodley of Plainview, assistant manager Fred Conner of Plainview, president Grady Shepard of Hale Center, vice president Henry Hayes of Plainview, directors Billy W. Carthel of Friona, Don Garrison of Silverton and Loyd Widener of Lockney.

The 36 Production Credit Associations of Texas, now observing their 30th anniversary as free enterprise agricultural financing institutions, have loaned the state's farmers and ranchers more than \$3 billion since their organization in 1933 and 1934.

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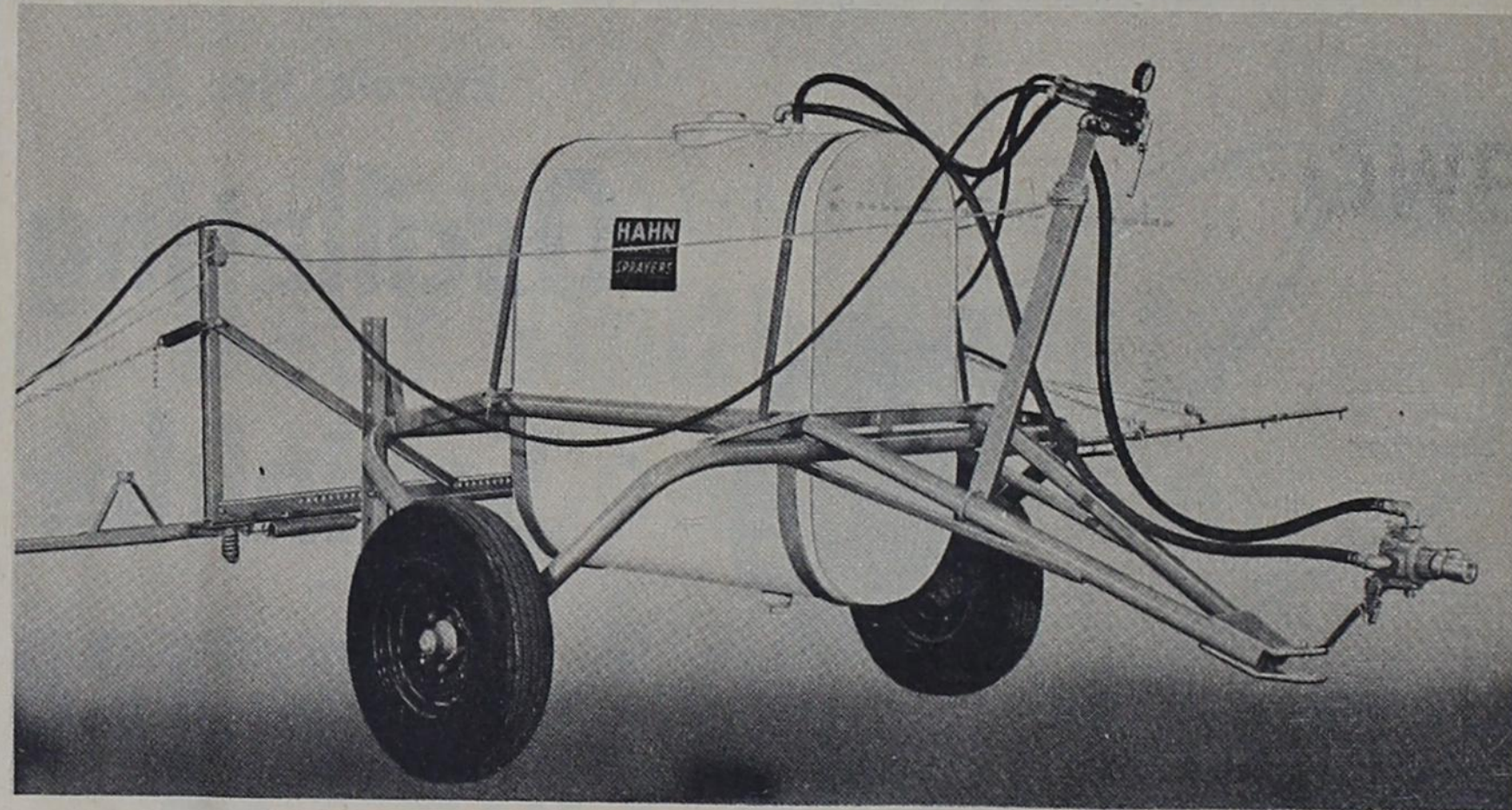
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Most Consumers Want Easy-Care Spring Clothes

Consumers want spring clothes which may be worn, washed and worn again with little or no ironing, says Dr. Graham Hard, Extension clothing specialist at Texas A&M University.

After much research, the Good Housekeeping Textile Institute has come up with these guidelines for buying easy-care clothes:

1. Look for a label that lists the name of the manufacturer, the fiber content, laundering instructions, extend of ironing needed, colorfastness and assurance of shrinkage resistance.
2. If the label specifies synthetic or a blend, look for a high percentage (at least 50 percent) of a wash-and-wear fiber.
3. If the fabric is cotton, look for one with a good brand-name finish.
4. Look for a sturdy fabric.
5. Check to see how the seams are made, since a good wash-and-wear finished fabric must be sewn properly to be wrinkle-free after laundering.
6. Examine other construction points: Buttonholes should be firmly stitched, lie flat, have

no loose threads; shoulder pads, if any, should be of synthetic material that is washable and quick drying; zipper plackets should be smoothly stitched.

7. Garments with simple lines will look best after laundering; fussy frills and tucks make ironing a must.

8. Be prepared to pay a bit extra for quality.

Today's busy homemakers have little time for tedious ironing, innumerable pressing sessions and trips to the dry-cleaner, the specialist said.

My Neighbors



"I think I'm gonna be a drop-out."



Winners of the electric demonstration "How to Read an Electric Meter," Kevin Kaltwasser and Randy Gregory, left, congratulate one another after being told they will represent the county in district contests. Other contestants are Steven Kaltwasser, Bobby Foster, Alan Gober and Buddy Foster. Alan Gober and Buddy Foster were second place winners with their demonstration on "Making a Trouble Light."



HIGH FASHION FOR FISH
Maybe fish aren't as "fashion conscious" as it seems. With the arrival of each new fishing season all sorts of "revolutionary" barbed contraptions are hurled into the water with the expectation of getting more and bigger fish. Sometimes the new models are successful; sometimes they aren't.

Among fishermen, tastes in artificial change frequently. If you know plugs, you'll be able to spot year-to-year progression of lure design in the tackle box of the typical bass

fisherman. But a good angler, maintain the Mercury fishing experts, can be relied on to fill a stringer using lures and baits that newer fishermen consider antiquated.

If the new models are not so vastly superior, then why is it that a recently introduced plug will earn a reputation for being "hot" on a particular lake? Usually it turns out, most of the fishermen are spending most of their time using this lure only. The fish have few other choices, so naturally the popular new plug racks up a good score.

Tests have shown that a proven lure properly fished will match the effectiveness of a new one during a given period of time. If a certain plug was good once, it's still good.

Screwworms Threaten Most Of Texas

The screwworm fly has begun its annual march northward, and with conditions favorable for its development and migration existing throughout most of the state, farmers and ranchers need to again become "screwworm conscious."

Mild temperatures, moisture and an abundance of animal wounds prevalent over much of Texas could bring about widespread infestation, screwworm eradication program officials state. They are particularly concerned about those areas where sheep and goat shearing, calving, farrowing and spring animal husbandry activities are in full swing. Failure of livestockmen to treat shear cuts, scratches and surgical wounds could result in a sharp upswing in screwworm cases.

Only seven screwworm cases had been reported during the first three months of 1964 -- all of them in Texas during March--but that total has already been doubled during the first week in April and more

cases are being reported every day. Indications are the screwworm fly is following the same pattern of migration as last year, when a significant increase in cases was experienced in April and May.

Although most of the cases have been reported in South Texas, one was detected as far north as McCulloch County, while the area west of San Antonio has experienced several cases.

County agricultural agents are encouraging livestock producers to keep a close watch over their animals so that wounds and infestations can be promptly treated. Sample larvae should be collected from infested wounds and turned in to the county agent's office or sent directly to Box 969, Mission, Texas, for identification.

Additional sterile screwworm flies, reared and sexually sterilized at the Mission plant, are released near the scene of all infestations as soon as possible after a case has been reported to eradication headquarters.

At Home In Farmer County

By CRICKET B. TAYLOR
County HD Agent

I wish that all of you could have seen the contest of 4-H members last Saturday at Oklahoma Lane Community Center.

There were 28 entries, in the Favorite Foods Show in the different foods groups.

There were 11 entries in other contests. Three teams in Electric demonstrations, all Juniors and first year 4-H members, did a good job of giving a demonstration. Their leader should be proud of them. They could not all win but their

fine attitude as losers as well as winners makes these contests worth while.

It was a thrill to see the fine display of food by all of the 4-H members. The purpose of the Food projects is to teach girls and boys how to prepare food, how to serve food and what the food does for them. Do you know their leaders have taught them well, because not one white ribbon was given. They all scored in the blue and red group. The demonstrations in Dairy-Soil and Water Conservation, and Food and Nutrition scored high and will go to District.

Next Saturday is another big day for those who will go to District Contest in Canyon to compete with winners from other counties. Our girls and boys will give some good competition and I hope parents and leaders can be there to give them encouragement. It does take parent interest to keep girls and boys interested in "learning to do by doing."

This month I'll be training leaders in Clothing Projects and Adult leaders will be needed to work with girls in this project. I hope we have some volunteers for this.

Again I want to thank all the leaders and parents who assisted with the contests Saturday without their help I could never have made it. Farmer County will be well represented in the District 4-H Contests.

while the "fur fetched" costume modeled by Mrs. Tommy McGehee, Lazbuddie, was sensational.

Mrs. John Renner, Friona, appearing in an evening gown which was a nightmare instead of a dream concluded the evening's entertainment.

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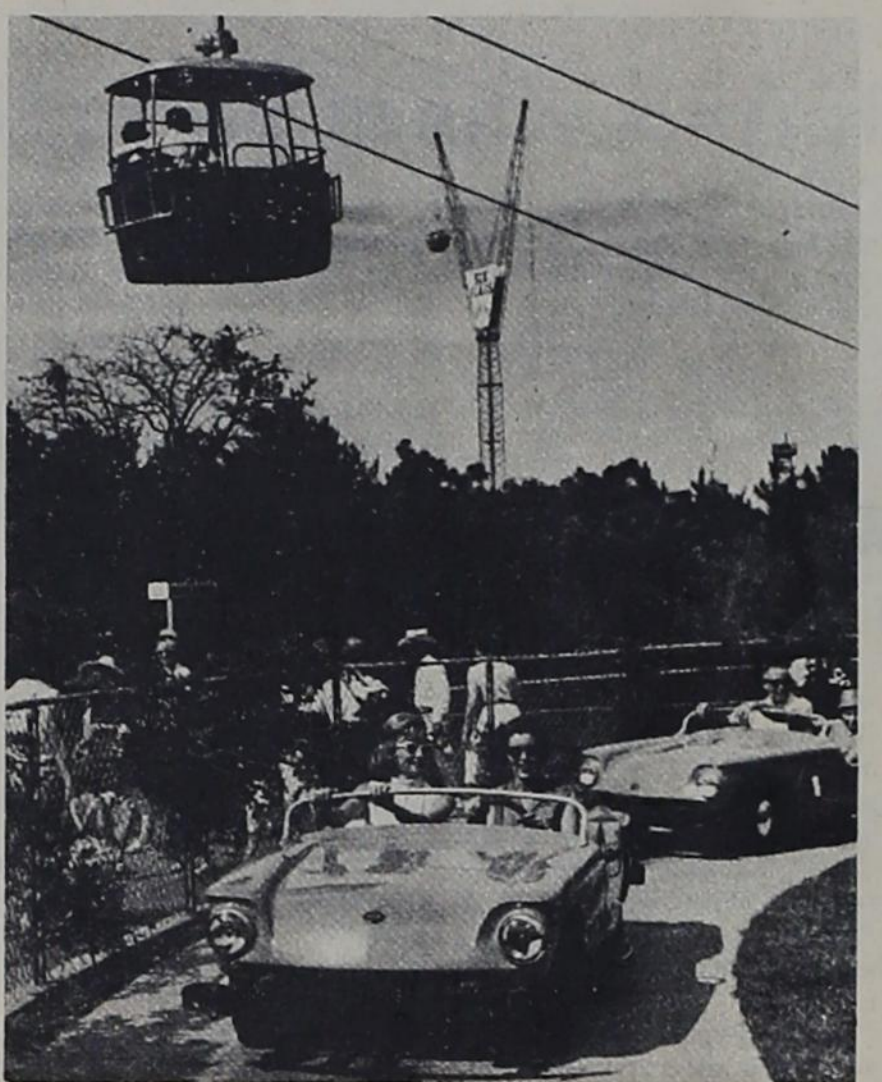
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Water Statement Shows Decline

The sap is rising and the irrigation water still runs rampant down the bar ditches of the farming areas of the High Plains. Irrigation farmers who do not get to read and study the monthly publication of the High Plains Undergrround Water District, Cross Section, should study the following "bank statement" of water prepared by the District engineer, Donald L. Reddell.

Average Change In Water Levels In High Plains Water District by Counties: (1959-1964)

County	No. of wells	Av. decline per well in feet
Bailey	25	7.89
Castro	22	17.61
Deaf Smith	33	10.47
Floyd	61	17.52
Hockley	31	4.84
Lamb	33	10.92
Lubbock	93	9.28
Parmer	35	18.01

The average decline per well per year is slightly over two feet. One of the keys to increased profits for farmers of the High Plains is in making every acre of tillable land carry its share of the crop producing load.

At the High Plains Research Foundation, Halfway, the idea of "tillable" land extend beneath the surface of the more than 37,000 playa lakes that checkerboard the area. The Foundation contends that these lake beds, through the use of recharge wells, hold vast new vistas for crop production and the continuing economic growth of High Plains agriculture.

"Recharge offers limitless possibilities," said James Valiant, the water engineer and avowed advocate of the process of storing water underground. "It can make the lake beds productive, reduce evaporation, and replenish our ground water supply."

Much of the Foundation's recharge research program will deal with grasses in the lake beds. Extensive experiments will be conducted with lake grasses tolerant to inundation. Eight varieties are now being grown in the lake bed on the farm, and plans call for 12-14 more to be planted.

"We believe that these grasses offer three-fold benefits when planted in conjunction with a recharge well," Valiant said. "They furnish the farmer with a crop from a previously unproductive lake bed, filter the water as it passes over them into the well, and stabilize the lake bottom soil."

"In addition to these benefits, the lake can be drained using the recharge well, thereby saving the grasses for livestock consumption," he said.

Two recharge wells or "multipurpose" wells have been operating successfully at the Foundation. The first well has been in operation since 1957 and the second since 1961 with no measureable change in their performance.

Valiant says there are approximately 180 recharge wells on the High Plains. He knows of no instance of underground formations being clogged by them when installed and operated properly. Another problem is the sloping land which actually surrounds these 37,000 playa lakes and leads into every one of them. The need for land management in the area is evident.

Valiant estimated that at least 50 per cent of this sloping land, especially in Hale, Floyd, Swisher, Castro, and Lamb counties, needs some form of land management.

At the Foundation, Halfway, Valiant has taken the land around one of the playa lakes and subjected it to an extensive program of bench leveling to determine the value of land management in terms of dollars.

Cotton and grain sorghum were planted in both areas, the benched fields and the sloping, unshaped fields. Comparisons were made as to water use and crop yield, the factors which control net income. Results of the tests have been significant. Based on a four-year average, the net income from cotton and grain sorghum produced on the benches was \$20. per acre per year higher than that from the sloping, unshaped land.

In addition to the increased yield realized on the benches, Valiant found the 30 to 40 per cent less water was required for grain sorghum production, and 10 per cent less for cotton.

Realizing that farmers in this area are actually selling water, it would seem a wise idea for ALL to conserve the underground water supply as long as possible by the most efficient farming methods.

Flame Cultivation Not New Method

Flame cultivation isn't a new method of reducing farmers' weed problems. In fact, the first flame cultivator was patented in 1852 and another half dozen found their way into the Washington registry by 1926 according to Jack Parks, assistant agricultural engineer in charge of the flame cultivation program at the High Plains Research Foundation at Halfway. Later, in 1935, Col. Price McLemore became the man of the hour in the flame cultivation world when he mounted a weed burner on a Georgia stock on the Mississippi Delta.

Those early days of flame cultivation were rough ones. Before World War II the usual fuel was kerosene, necessitating hand pumps and other cumbersome paraphernalia. The process was hard to sell to the average farmer.

However, the coming of age of liquefied petroleum gas after the war was portentous of a new day dawning for flame cultivation. In 1959 the High Plains Research Foundation opened the door to new vistas for the process. That year, as the result of severe weather conditions and a thin cotton stand, the weed crop couldn't be controlled adequately by accepted methods. It was suggested that the Foundation try flame cultivation.

The suggestion resulted in pilot studies which indicated to the Foundation that flame cultivation deserved more attention as a means of weed control. Sponsored by the LP gas industry and the Texas Butane Dealers Association, a three-year program of research was initiated.

Results of the program are evident on countless farms on the High Plains today. Subscribers to the Foundation gleaned the data from the research reports and put the information to work in their fields almost immediately.

Today the Foundation is recognized as an international authority on flame cultivation methods. Request for information have come from distant counties such as England, Africa, Holland, Israel, Australia, Venezuela, Mexico, and Brazil. Foreign visitors to the farm at Halfway invariably inquire about flame cultivation.

A second three-year program of research was instituted in 1963 to refine the methods of weed control in cotton, grain sorghum, soybeans, and castor beans. Some vegetables are also included in the program. It has also been further expanded to include research in other phases of crop production such as pre-emergence flaming, as a harvest aid and in field drying and desiccation of grain sorghum.

The Foundation's progress in these areas has caught the eye of farmers all over the

country, especially in the Rio Grande Valley where with Foundation supervision a full-time technician is helping Valley farmers in a research program in crops peculiar to that area.

Foundation research has thus far indicated that properly used flame cultivation results in a variety of benefits to the farmer in addition to continued high yields and quality. The elimination of root pruning has meant increased yields in many instances, and the elimination of turned earth does away with the problem of burying lower bolls in cotton and the lower seed pods in soybeans. In castor beans the risk of introducing Alternaria leaf spot through damaged roots is reduced by flaming away weeds rather than eliminating them by sweep cultivation.

Parks points out that one benefit usually overlooked is the fact that theoretically the weed problem is decreased by flaming since weeds are killed before being allowed to go to seed.

The Foundation's research program has been geared to three to five flammings in most crops depending on rainfall with an average of eight gallons of fuel used per acre per flaming. Farmers can figure the cost of laying by a crop depending on the cost of fuel in their area.

Current research, as previously mentioned, is geared to refining methods already proven with special emphasis given to harvest aids such as in the elimination of potato tops and to other phases of crop production.

Parks has given much study to pre-emergence flaming, the elimination of weeds just before the crop emerges from the ground, and also to the flaming off of grain sorghums before the terminal bud breaks ground.

Research has been conducted in grain sorghum desiccation and Parks says that in 1963 the Foundation was able to harvest desiccated grain a week earlier than grain left unflamed. A savings of approximately 300 pounds per acre was achieved in the desiccated crop with the saving credited to the fact that there was less combine ride-through. The desiccated crop also permitted faster combining and Parks says the Foundation realized a clear profit of \$2 to \$3 per acre over the cost of flaming.

The Foundation's research data is available to subscribers through the constant stream of information supplied weekly and sometimes daily from the headquarters at Halfway. The Foundation has published an attractive brochure on flame cultivation.

Systemics Tested For Cattle Grub Control

In recent tests conducted by research and Extension entomologists at Texas A&M University, use of the systemic insecticide, ronnel, proved more effective in the control of cattle grubs than did the use of other systemics which were applied to the backs of animals.

In the experiments, a salt and mineral mixture containing 5.5 percent ronnel was fed to range cattle on a free choice basis in either block or granular form. Results from the tests showed that use of ronnel resulted in a 92 percent control of the grub. For best results, the mixture should be fed at least 75 consecutive days between May 1 and September 1, the specialists said.

By feeding the systemic, better control of flies was also noted. Residual effects of the insecticide in manure reduced fly populations in the pasture to a considerable extent, they said.

The importance of livestock grub control is emphasized in Texas by the fact that meat packers pay 1 to 2 cents a pound less for cattle infested with grubs. Damage caused by the grub is primarily to the hide and flesh of the back.

The life cycle of the cattle grub begins during the first warm days of spring. During this time, hee flies appear and begin laying their eggs in neat rows along hairs on the lower parts of the leg. In three or four days the eggs hatch and the larvae burrow into the skin. During the next five months the larvae burrow through the soft connective tissue between muscles in their journey to the gutlet. Once in the gutlet, the grubs remain there about three months before beginning their migration to just beneath the skin of the back. Here they cut breathing holes and remain for six weeks. In December and January the larvae emerge and drop to the ground to pupate. In March and April, they emerge as flies, thus completing a life cycle.

Heavy Grazing Reduces Soil's Capacity To Absorb Water

The continued heavy grazing of Southern Great Plains ranges may seriously restrict the soil's ability to absorb moisture needed for grass production.

G. O. Hoffman, range specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, reports scientists of the Agricultural Research Service, have found that the water-intake rate of range, heavily grazed for 20 years, was only half that of lightly grazed range. Specifically, water intake was 2.27 inches per hour after heavy grazing; 3.64 inches after moderate grazing and 4.41 inches after light grazing.

Reduction of vegetative cover by heavy grazing was cited as the principal reason for the decrease in water-intake rates and emphasizes the importance of managing grazing intensity

to get the most out of moisture on loamy fine sandy soils in the Southern Great Plains, according to Hoffman.

The research, conducted at the Southern Great Plains Field Station, Woodward, Oklahoma, in cooperation with the Oklahoma Agricultural Experiment Station, also showed that short, sod-forming grasses -- including blue grama, sand dropseed, fall witchgrass and sand paspalum -- predominated in the heavily grazed pastures. They had replaced such taller species as sand bluestem, little bluestem, switchgrass and sand lovegrass.

Edd Rhodes, an agricultural engineer who directed the research, reported that the continued heavy grazing compacted the soil more than light grazing. This further reduced the ability of the land to absorb rainwater as it fell. Grazing intensity had little or no effect on the amount of organic matter or nitrogen in the soil, he said.

During the 20-year grazing period, the scientists managed the pastures to allow an average of 12 acres per mature beef animal per year for heavy grazing; 17 acres per animal unit for moderate grazing; and 22 acres per animal unit for light grazing. Annual precipitation averaged about 23 inches per year but varied from 10 to 42 inches.

Teamwork over the past 12 years in Lamar County is getting recommended cotton production practices into use really paid off in 1963. Despite last summer's drought, the county's per acre cotton yield averaged 420 pounds. Up to two bales per acre were produced by a few upland growers on unirrigated Blackland, according to County Agent S. L. Neal.

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by Tommy Holmig and Bobyne Riney

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cident poses additional threats. A good farmer, homemaker or businessman will set goals and plan ahead to meet problems and make the best of each opportunity. Fire, accident and other insurance is bought in the hope that it will not be needed. Survival insurance in case of disaster is no different.

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Phosphated Wheat Looks Good At Denton Station

Wheat receiving a fall application of 40 pounds of superphosphate per acre seemed to have better spring growth and

greater winter hardiness experiments at the North Central Texas Research Station located here, reports Daniel I. Dudley, superintendent.

In late March, wheat receiving the phosphate treatment was as much as a foot tall. Untreated plots were, in some cases, only five inches tall.

The results indicate that for wheat producers with limited fertilizer budgets, it may be wise to spend more money on phosphate if they cannot afford complete fertilization, explains Dudley.

"Phosphate fertilization of wheat may be most important to producers who graze the crop," Dudley said. "Here at the station wheat with phosphate seemed to get off to a better start this spring and immediately showed greater growth than unfertilized plots. The same reaction could be expected over much of this part of the state," he added.

Research on the benefits of phosphate is by no means complete, Dudley said. Their observations came from work being done by Agronomist Pat Rich, who is conducting experiments on the long term effects of wheat-milo rotations with different management and fertilization programs.

COURTHOUSE NOTES

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DT, Calvin E. Clark, Amicable Ins. Co., E/2 Sect 58 Blk "H" Thomas Kelly Sub.

WD, Calvin L. Floyd, W. M. White, Lots 10 thru 12 Blk 6 O, T, Friona

WD, Dan Ethridge, George C. Taylor, Lot 3 Blk 2 Staley Add. WD, Dan Ethridge, R. L. Fleming, Lot 3 Blk 2 Staley Add.

MML, Lupe Vera, George C. Taylor, Lot 6 Blk 91 O, T, Friona

ML, Earl W. Drake, B & S Lumber Co., N/25 ft. Lot 10, All Lots 11 & 12 Blk 7 Drake Rev. Sub.

DT, Mike Allen, Amicable Life Ins. Co., Sect 34 Blk "H" Kelly Sub.

WD, Virginia Ann Stanford Nash, City of Friona, Lot 12 Blk 100 O, T, Friona

WD, Barney D. Crume, Carl G. Davis, Lots 6 & 7 Blk 3 O, T, Farwell

Abstract of Judgment, Atlanta Stove Works, Inc., Lester Rhinehart Ind., & d/b/a Lester Rhinehart Butane Gas Co., - See Records

Abstract of Judgment, E. D. Baker Co., Don B. Light, et al, See Records

DT, Harry Lookingbill, Hereford State Bank, 1 a of Sect 27 T1N R4E Cap. Synd.

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WD, W. H. Long, McFarland C. Osborn, E/2 Sect 28 T2N R2E Cap. Synd.

DT, Jimmie L. Cockerham, First Federal Sav. & Loan, NE part Sect 4 Blk "E" Cap. Synd.

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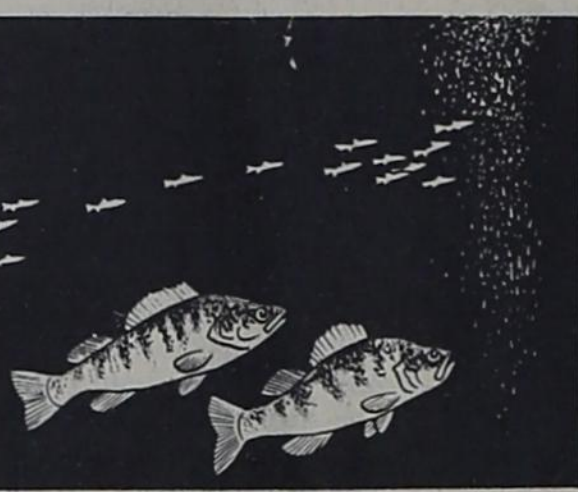
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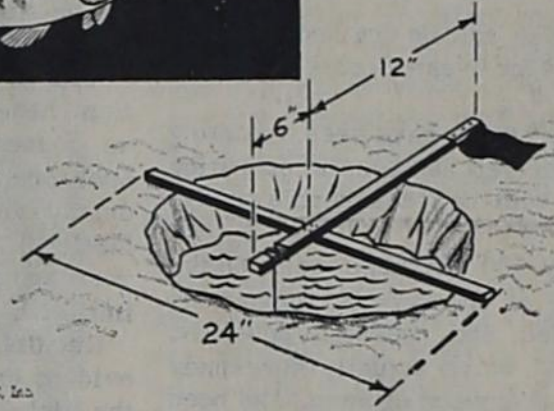
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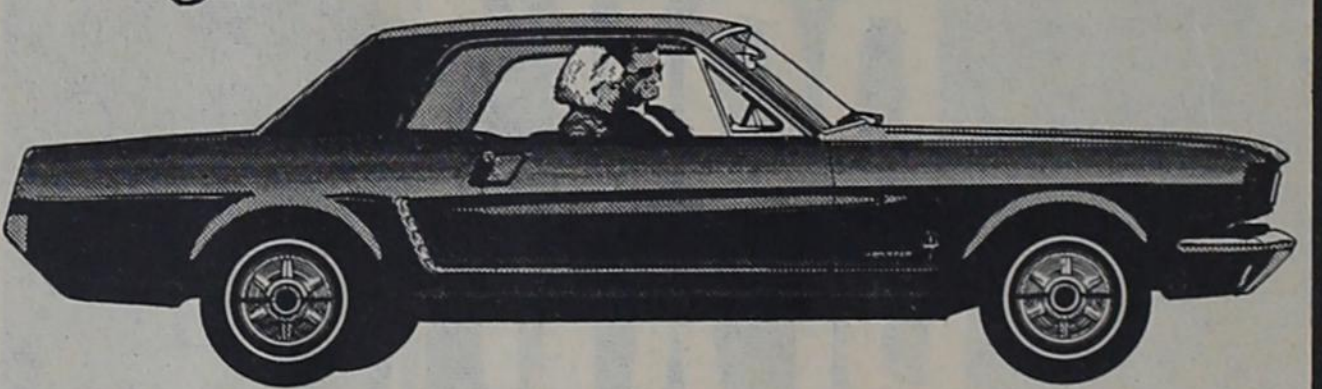
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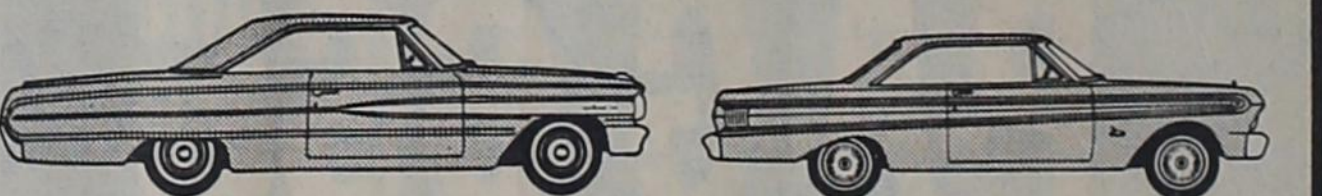
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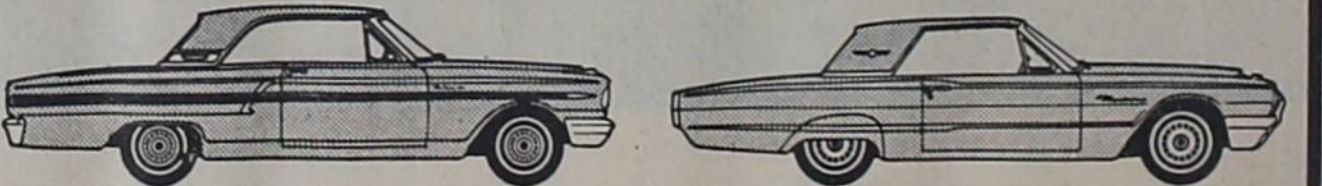
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