

Whittlin'

By Dolph Moten

Sputnik Spatters

Sputnik has attracted the attention of local people more than I would have ever suspected. . . or expected, for that matter.

After last week's report in this column about Mrs. Myrtle Marot watching the artificial moon which evidently means so much, I heard of, and from, other Sputnik fans.

Warren Embree, the banker, and his daughter, Kay, caught sight of the circular deal in question a few nights . . . or evenings. . . ago. Embree's story tallied with that told by Mrs. Marot in that it was visible only for a matter of seconds and looked not unlike a star.

The banker admitted that it was his daughter who actually spotted Sputnik as the two of them gazed skyward in hopes of getting a view of Russia's pride and joy.

He explained that he actually had little hopes of seeing it, but see it he did and we are glad to add both to our list of Sputnik Spatters.

High School Principal Roy Whisler is about the best prospect available at present to join Whittlin's list of Sputnik Spatters. However, I don't think he's made the grade yet. He's interested, though. It shouldn't be long before he makes the grade.

Understand he's been to a meeting in Fort Worth the first of this week. Maybe he picked up some big town dope he can pass on to us.

The principal, with curiosity high, called this department a few days ago seeking information about the new fad. Whisler wanted to know which way, and when, to look. At that time I didn't realize there was so much interest and wasn't at all prepared to help him.

Best I could do was to give him the telephone number of Mrs. Marot in hopes that she could aid him in his search.

The principal said he was equipped with field glasses and ready to start looking. He was trying to pick up some coaching before he frogged off into the game.

Another Ad Writer

It's an already accepted fact that O. W. Rhinehart, local farmer and real estate man, could join the ad writing profession if and when he saw fit. His clever phrases and descriptive remarks frequently appear in his real estate ads.

Leon Grissom, the Shetland pony man, is a pretty good ad writer in his own right. He has a "For Sale" ad in this week's Want Ad section. He makes a very good, hard-to-resist point in it.

Mention of my friend, Leon, brings to mind the good arguments and discussions this department had with him a couple of years ago about the football fortunes of Texas Tech, the school from which he is a graduate.

Though our conversations were entertaining for a while, we had to limit them to "Hi" and "How Are You" etc., after his team quit playing football. Though I haven't been able to mention the fact to him, I think Tech is going to get them up another year here in a few years and probably try to play again. Understand they were admitted to the Southwest Conference some time ago.

So, Leon, they'll probably start playing football again in a few years. The main thing is: Don't get impatient. A good team is worth waiting for. And besides, there's nothing to do but wait.

I can, you understand, afford to talk with such cockiness with the Fightin' Texas Aggies breezing to their second consecutive SWC title. Texas University supporters, limited though they are locally, are beginning to get their hopes up after the Agghorns have won two conference games.

Pay no mind to them. . . even a blind hog finds an occasional acorn!

Seems to me I was doing pretty well not to mention the Aggies' success to now. Wouldn't you think so?

For the past six years, I've attended the annual Thanksgiving Day game between A&M and the University. This year, however, I think I probably won't attend since the Longhorns won't be able to make much of a game of it. . . besides it's sure a long trip back to the Plains after they win. . . I tried some of that and didn't like it much.

WEATHER by WILLIE

Trying hard to dry up. Will threaten some this week, but very little or no rain. Farmers, take advantage of every sunny day.

Celia Berry Queen

Celia Berry was crowned 1957 football queen of Bovina High School in halftime ceremonies during Friday night's game.

Jerry Burnett, star Mustang back, was named football hero by members of the pep squad.

Also, Dixie Hartzog was crowned grade school football queen and Carrol Burnam was grade school football hero.

Queen candidates were Nicki Woelfel, Avis Williams, Judy Roach and Miss Berry.

Grade school queen candidates were Sherri Langer, Marilyn Brandon, Carol Hastings, Virginia Rea and Miss Hartzog.

The queens were crowned by captains of the teams.

The ceremonies were highlights of the annual Homecoming of ex-students of Bovina High School.

Superintendent Warren Morton said the Homecoming was successful considering the cold weather, which undoubtedly kept many from attending, and the fact the Mustangs are having a poor season from a won-loss standpoint.



THE QUEEN AND THE HERO—Celia Berry was named football queen of Bovina High School and Jerry Burnett was selected football hero in halftime ceremonies Friday night during the Bovina-Kress game. Wearing a football helmet and carrying a huge bouquet of red roses, presented to her by the team, Celia blinks with the camera's flash as Jerry, with time out from his ball-toting duties, takes a quick glance at the queen.



COLD MOMMAS AND DADDYS—This handful of parents of Bovina Mustang football players braved cold weather Friday night to sit in a special section of the stands and wear placards with the same numbers their sons were wearing in the District 3-B football game with Kress. Kress won the game, 31-6.

District 3-B Clashes—

Mustangs Mauled by Kress, Try Amherst

Kangaroos Win By 31-6 Count

The weather was cold Friday night, but it wasn't any colder than the Bovina Mustangs as they dropped a 31-6 district decision to the knowing Kress Kangaroos before a small Homecoming, Parents' Night crowd at Mustang Field.

Fumbles, pass interceptions, and an inability to gain yardage through the big Kress line, gave Bovina fans little to cheer about during the melee.

The defeat left the local lads with a season's record of one win and five losses.

The visitors scored the first time they got control of the ball. They marched 41 yards for the counter. After kicking off to Bovina, they recovered a fumble on the Mustangs' first play from scrimmage and turned the break into six points.

The Pones tied the score before the first quarter was over. Taking a punt on their own 25, the Mustangs engineered a 75-yard touchdown drive that featured two long passes—a 41 yarder from Quarterback Dick Horn to End Ramey Brandon and a 26 yarder from Horn to Jerry Burnett that was good for the TD. Bovina's chance to go ahead in the scoring was lost when Burnett's extra point placement kick was blocked.

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Early in the second quarter, another Mustang fumble set up the second touchdown for the Extra point attempt was a failure on the Bovina 41 and scored six plays later. The extra point was good to make the score 13-6.

Adding a touchdown in each Kress' third score was brought

about by an intercepted pass. This time, they gained control of the ball on the Mustang 24.

The extra point attempt was a failure to leave the score 19-6. The half ended with that score.

Adding a touchdown in each of the final two periods, Kress breezed to the victory.

Though they gained 95 yards via the passing route, taking to the air, coupled with numerous fumbles, turned out to be the Mustangs' downfall. Horn and Burnett took to the air 12 times

and divided their attempts evenly three ways—four completions, four interceptions, and four went completely astray.

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Also, Rev. and Mrs. Rosco Trostle and family, of YL visited. A former pastor of the Bovina Church also, Rev. Trostle was serving here at the time that plans for the present building were begun. Plans were started for the building in 1944. That section of the church was completed and an addition was made soon after. The new educational building, a spokesman for the church says, was planned to fit the needs of the church for "at least 10 years."

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Monday—

P. O. Remodeling Is Started This Week

Election Slated Tuesday

Three proposed amendments to the state constitution of Texas will be voted on by Farmer County voters—as well as others in the state—Tuesday, November 5.

The suggested changes to the state's constitution have evoked little general interest, although two would directly affect the taxpayers' pocketbooks.

A light vote is anticipated locally, as evidenced by the fact that as of Tuesday afternoon, the county clerk's office in Farwell had recorded no absentee ballots cast. Deadline for those who want to vote but plan to be gone the day of the election is Friday, November 1.

The three amendments: 1. . . relating to the establishment of a retirement disability, and death compensation fund for officers, and employees of the State.

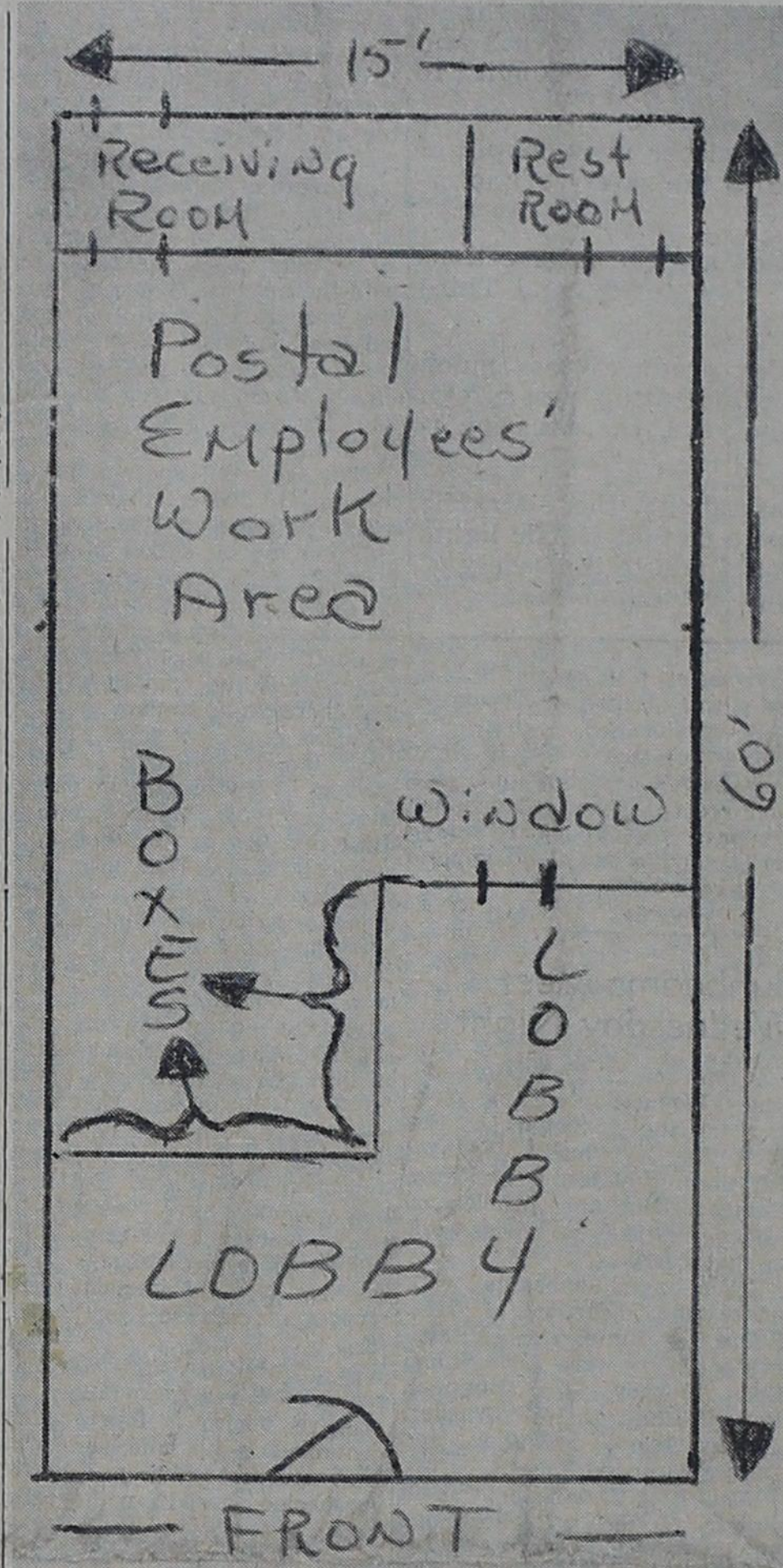
2. . . increasing the limit on the maximum monthly payment to needy and aged persons from state funds from \$20 per month to \$25 per month and on the total yearly expenditure out of state funds for assistance to needy aged, needy blind, and needy children from \$42 million per year to \$47 million per year; and allocating additional sums, supplementing current legislative appropriations, for payment of assistance grants.

3. . . adding a new section authorizing issuance and sale of \$200 million in bonds to create the Texas Water Development Fund to provide financial assistance to certain political subdivisions or bodies politic and corporate of the State of Texas in the conservation and development of the water resources of the state.

The third proposed change has caused the most publicity, with the greatly accelerated interest in state water problems during recent years of too little and too much rainfall.

Texas residents having paid their 1957 poll tax, and otherwise qualified, may vote. They need not own property to be eligible.

Mrs. Tritsch reported Monday evening that although he is still



REMODELED P. O. FLOOR PLAN—This rough sketch will give viewers an idea of the floor plan the local post office will have when remodeling work, which is now underway, is finished. Hubert Ellison, who is contractor for the work, expects to have the inside finished in about two weeks.

Bill Tritsch In Hospital

W. A. (Bill) Tritsch was admitted to Santa Fe hospital in Albuquerque about two weeks ago. He underwent surgery Friday of last week.

Mrs. Tritsch reported Monday evening that although he is still

in pain he is improving. Any one caring to write may do so in care of Santa Fe hospital.

Scout Camporee Is Postponed

The Boy Scout camp, scheduled to be held here last weekend for some 200 boys from Bovina

Plans for remodeling Bovina's post office jumped off the drawing board and started becoming a reality Monday morning as Hubert Ellison, who was awarded the contract for the improvement, began work.

The inside remodeling work, which will take about two weeks, according to Ellison, will feature increased lobby space, more space for post office employees to work, 85 new boxes, and a "more-modern" overall effect.

Postmaster Gene Ezell says the additional boxes will increase the total number of boxes from 270 to 355. Also, he says "about 85" postal patrons get their mail via general delivery route now.

"Many of those wouldn't want boxes were they available," the postmaster explains, "but on the other hand, many of them would."

By re-arranging partitions inside the building and including a storeroom which has been used by the business next door east, Moore's Five and Ten, the floor space will be increased from 720 to 960 square feet, Ezell says.

Also, utilities for the post office building, which is owned by O. W. Rhinehart, will be tied on separate lines. The utilities have been connected with those of the variety store. For the government to pay the utilities was a part of the agreement made between the post office department and Rhinehart.

Though it isn't definite, Ellison says it is possible that remodeling of the front of the building will begin as soon as the inside is finished. It will be of plate glass as high as the awning and perma-stone from there to the top of the building, Ellison says.

On the inside, the lobby will go across the front of the building—it doesn't go completely across at present. Space for boxes will, of course, be increased and room will be left for still more boxes to be added when and if the need arises.

The improved setup will have one window from which patrons will get stamps, money orders, packages, general delivery, etc.

The remodeling will not interfere with mail service in any way as far as the public is concerned, Ezell says.

and Eastern New Mexico, was postponed because of flu in Clovis and Portales, J. W. Wright, local scoutmaster, announced.

The camp has been rescheduled for mid-November. The site of the camp will be the Jack Dunn pasture south of the highway park which is west of town.

Bovina Methodist—

200 Attend Church Open House Sunday

An estimated 200 people visited Bovina Methodist Church Sunday afternoon. They attended the formal open house of the new educational section of the church and also viewed the recently remodeled original part of the building.

The recently completed work at the church included the building of an additional educational building, remodeling of the classrooms of the original church and the redecoration of the church sanctuary. Extensive remodeling was featured in the church building, with rooms enlarged, heating and air conditioning systems improved and a number of new pieces of equipment installed.

A long hall connects the back of the church with the new educational facilities. The new building has three classrooms, a large fellowship hall, parlor and kitchen, plus restrooms and a furnace room.

The work, which was completed last week, cost \$35,380.15. This included \$5,728.35 for redecoration of the sanctuary and the remodeling of the educational section, plus equipment. The new building, complete with lots, equipment, furnishings and landscaping, cost \$29,551.80.

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STATISTICS

Bovina	Kress
7	19
119	308
12	6
4	0
214	308
0	4
35	4
1	30.5
6	2
1	4
2	7
12	65

For Boy Scouts—

Financial Drive Is Held Tuesday

The 1957 Boy Scout financial drive, under the direction of Gene Ezell, chairman, was conducted Tuesday. Late that afternoon, Ezell reported "over \$500" had been turned in and he estimated the total would be near the \$750 mark before work is complete.

A total of 36 individuals, who are interested in Scouting, attended a kickoff breakfast in Bovina Restaurant at 6:30 Tuesday morning. Those present were given the names of a few other individuals to contact in regard to contributing to the Boy Scout program.

Ezell and John Bloomfield, executive Scout director, spoke to those present and explained

Game To Be Played There

The Bovina Mustangs attempt to snap a three game losing streak Friday night as they go to Amherst for a district game.

It will be the fourth conference encounter for the locals. They are still looking for their first victory.

Information about the Bulldogs is limited here, but they will be expected to be the favorites since they played the Class A Friona Chiefs to a tie earlier in the season.

An added incentive to win for the host team will be the fact that the game will be a part of their homecoming program.

Coach Bob Wills, when asked

the drive.

Ezell reported late Tuesday the drive was "certainly a success." Though no goal was set, he felt the final contribution total would be more than was expected.

Also, he expressed appreciation to workers during the campaign as well as those who had made contributions.

"We tried to complete the drive in just one day, but that is impossible in that there will be some people who will be out of town on that day and others who can't be seen for other reasons," Ezell explained. Contributions which are collected later this week may be turned in to Ezell.

which team would have the weight advantage, said, "They're about our size, maybe a little bigger."

The Mustang lineup will be strengthened by the return of Terry Adams, one of the tri-captains, who has been sidelined all season because of sickness. A three-year letterman, Adams will see limited action, Wills says. He will play defensive guard or linebacker when he is in the game.

Other than Adams, the lineup is expected to be the same as last week. The Kress game resulted in no injuries and the Mustangs will be at full strength as they strive for an upset.

W. E. Williams Is Appointed Commander

W. E. Williams, local Mason, was made a Knight Commander of the Court of Honor by the Supreme Council of Scottish Rite Masonry, October 22, in Washington, D. C.

Announcement of the honor was made at the Scottish Rites reunion which Williams attended in El Paso last week.

Williams, who has been a Mason and a member of the Farwell lodge here for 33 years, is the first Farmer Countian to ever receive such an honor.

He has been a member of the Scottish Rites since 1945.

Visiting Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Venable were Mr. and Mrs. Doug Caldwell of Amarillo. Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell are former residents of Bovina, moving from here about 27 years ago.



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For Safety's Sake

The time is fast approaching, if not already here, when Bovina is going to need traffic lights at a couple of busy intersections.

However, installations of either at a couple of busy intersections would add to the safety of motorists and pedestrians alike.

The crossroads in question are the intersections of Third and North Streets downtown and Third Street and Highway 86.

Certain periods of the day produce too much traffic to be handled by an ordinary stop sign safely.

We could be way off base about these traffic problems, but certainly seems to us that traffic lights at these busy intersections would add to the safety of all.

FFA NEWS

Roy C. Dodson, reporter

Meeting time of the Future Farmers of America has been changed from Monday night to Monday afternoon.

A discussion of programs for the future was held and several topics of study were chosen.

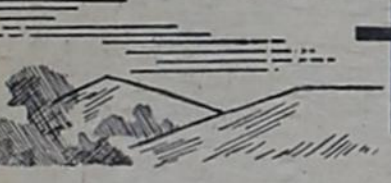
Vocational Agriculture I boys have been making paddles in the shop and studying about the FFA organization.

Members of the VA II class have been completing their annual record books and opening new ones.

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PEACE

Possibly one of the greatest needs of mankind today is peace. Peace from the anxiety of life, peace from the fear of death and all death holds.

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When man was without hope, being alienated from God because of sin, Jesus Christ died to reconcile (make peace - Rom. 5:10) us to God through himself.

Yes, Jesus died to make peace between man and Jehovah by shedding his blood for the remission of sins (Mt. 26:28).

Before Jesus died, all mankind was at war with God and without hope in the world (Rom. 2:23). Fear, envy, strife, hatred, and desolation plagued a dying race.

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Sunbeams Meet Wednesday Night

A total of 12 youngsters attended Wednesday evening services for the Sunbeams of the First Baptist Church.

School age Sunbeams were under the direction of Mrs. Eddie Ray Hutto.

Mrs. Roy C. Whisler was in charge of the pre-school age Sunbeams.

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Venison Meat Loaf

Mix together well one pound ground venison, 2 cups bread crumbs, 2 well beaten eggs, 1 green pepper, cut fine; half teaspoon of salt; half teaspoon pepper and one cup tomato juice.

Barbecue Venison

First, cut away all fat and soak overnight in strong salt water. Rinse and put in a baking dish. Cover with your favorite barbecue sauce, plus a little water.

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Ketch-all Corner

By Sally Whitesides

I saw, last week, one of the finest shows of sportsmanship ever displayed. Warren Morton, school superintendent and recently successful deer hunter, was in the Blade office, telling Editor Dolph and myself all about his trip into the mountains of Colorado.

He was busy handing out laurels to everyone else, and made very little mention of the size of his own 16-point trophy. But he dealt longest on the hunting success of "dead eye" Mabel Ellison.

Seems Mabel, a huntress from 'way back, didn't bother to go out in the woods the first morning of deer season, but just took life easy around camp. The next morning, says Morton, she, and Mrs. Ike Quickel, went out rather early. In short order, Mabel had killed, dressed and with the assistance of Mrs. Ike, brought into town, not one, but two excellent deer. And, says Morton, Mrs. Ellison was "back home, cleaned up and had her makeup on straight" by 8 a.m.

The show of sportsmanship mentioned above, though was when, in telling of this remarkable feat by his fellow nimrod, Morton's face wasn't the least bit drawn from the taste of the very human "sour grapes." It is hunters and sportsmen like him that have convinced me that there is no greater sport.

Talked to Mrs. Quickel Friday about the trip, and she told me enough to fill the whole paper about her and Mabel getting those two deer out to the station wagon. Mrs. Ike does have one suggestion for future hunters, though. She advises that, if you have the job of transporting two deer, no matter what sizes or how far, out of the woods, for pity sakes, carry the big one out first. They didn't and learned through experience. To top it off, Mrs. Quickel said that they would have been back in camp long before they were, except the thought of them, and how they would have looked to others, carrying out the kills, flipped their giggle boxes and they had to make frequent stops to prevent collapse from laughter.

In answer to Janet Morton's request for recipes on how to prepare venison, this writer contacted Mabel and she was kind enough to give us some of her choice ones. Here they are.

Venison Steaks (Chicken Fried)

Soak steaks overnight in a strong salt water solution, to which has been added two table-spoons vinegar. Pound the steak thoroughly and roll in a batter made of one well beaten egg and a half cup milk, with enough flour added to make a thin paste. Salt and fry as any other steak.

Barbecue Venison

First, cut away all fat and soak overnight in strong salt water. Rinse and put in a baking dish. Cover with your favorite barbecue sauce, plus a little water. Cook slowly in the oven for about three hours, or until tender.

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To Meet Mrs. J. D. Stevens, president of the Bovina Good Neighbor Home Demonstration Club announced Tuesday morning that the club will meet Friday. The meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. J. E. Sikes and Miss Jimmie Lou Wainscott, county home demonstration agent, will give a demonstration of "Foods for Breakfast."

MWF Meets With Mrs. Whitesides

Four members of the Methodist Women's Fellowship met in the home of Mrs. G. A. Whitesides Thursday afternoon of last week for a call meeting. The women made curtains for two rooms of the educational section of the Methodist Church.

Soft drinks and cookies were served to Mrs. Alton Wily, Mrs. Mark Charles, Mrs. Leon Ware and son, Mike, and the hostess.

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Table with columns: State & Co. Available Fund, Local Maintenance Fund, Transportation, Interest & Sinking Fund, Building Fund, TOTAL. Rows include FUND BALANCES-9-1-56, 1956-57 Receipts, 1956-57 Disbursements, and FUND BALANCES, 8-31-57.

Figures in Parenthesis represent deficit amounts. **This expenditure was made in settling Building Contract No. 1731 to SPL of State Hwy. 86; 13,861.78.

Warren Morton, Superintendent of Schools

CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BOVINA, TEXAS:

This will certify that the above and foregoing notice is published pursuant to a resolution unanimously passed on by the City Commission of the City of Bovina, Texas on the 7th day of October, 1957.

To certify which, witnessed my hand and seal of office this 8th day of October, 1957.

W. Henry Minter, city clerk (SEAL)

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The Bovina Blade Society

SALLY WHITESIDES, Editor

Study Club Has Safety Program

Several types of "Safety" were the theme of a program given at the regular meeting of Bovina Woman's Study Club last week. The meeting was held in the club house Thursday afternoon, with 15 members present.

Mrs. Buck Ellison, president, was in charge of the business meeting. Following the short business session, two members spoke on Safety.

The quotation for the day was "One Thought for Safety Is Worth A Thousand Regrets."

Mrs. P. A. Adams spoke on "What You Ought to Know About Tranquilizers," and Mrs. Troy Fuller used as her subject, "Pure Food Laws."

Hostesses for the day were Mrs. Fuller and Mrs. A. L. Hartzog. They served coffee and pumpkin pie, topped with whipped cream.

Those present were Mrs. Ellison, Mrs. Bessie Caldwell, Mrs. Amos Shockley, Mrs.

Hartzog, Mrs. Fuller, Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Ovid Lawlis, Mrs. Earl Stevenson, Mrs. E. J. Hodges, Mrs. Clarence Jones;

Also, Mrs. A. B. Wilkinson, Mrs. Amos Steelman, Mrs. J. P. Macon, Mrs. L. H. Pesch and Mrs. I. W. Quickel.

The next meeting will be Thursday, November 7. The day will be spent in Clovis where they will be instructed by a Clovis floral company on making holiday arrangements. Members of the Study Club will meet at the club house and will make the trip together.

Sandra Jefferson Gets WTSC Office

CANYON — Sandra Jefferson, Bovina junior, has taken office as parliamentarian of Delta Zeta Chi, campus social club at West Texas State College.

Miss Jefferson, an elementary education major, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Jefferson of Bovina.

Thrifty Club Meets with Mrs. Turner

Members of Bovina Thrifty Club met Wednesday afternoon of last week in the home of Mrs. George Turner. During the meeting, they did handwork for the hostess and themselves.

During a brief business meeting, plans were made for an annual Thanksgiving supper for members and their families. The plans will be completed at the next meeting.

The hostess served refreshments of cookies, coffee and tea to Mrs. Vernon Campbell, Mrs. J. T. Jones, Mrs. L. M. Grissom, Miss Lola Grissom, Mrs. G. A. Bandy, Mrs. Clarence Gauntt, Mrs. Dennis Williams, Mrs. C. R. Brandon and Mrs. Wilbur Charles.

The next meeting will be Wednesday, November 6, in the home of Mrs. Ware.

Gleaners Sunday School Class Has Banquet Monday

A banquet, honoring new members of the Gleaners Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church, was held Monday evening in the church annex.

Installation of new officers was held after the meal. Mrs. Mary Ruth Martin, a guest for the evening, was installing officer. The new teacher is Mrs. P. A. Adams. Mrs. Virgil Goodwin is associate teacher.

Officers installed were president, Mrs. Dennis Williams; vice president, Mrs. Herman Estes; group leaders, Mrs. C. R. Brandon and Mrs. Arnold Hromas; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. H. N. Turner; personal ministry chairman, Mrs. Roy Fuller.

The banquet, featuring baked turkey, dressing and all the trimmings, was topped off with home made pumpkin pie and coffee. Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Hromas, Mrs. Brandon, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Henry Minter, Mrs. Estes and Mrs. Adams.

Halloween colors of black and orange were carried out in the decorations of the room. The tables were laid with white, with streamers of black down the center. Bowls of orange berries, interspersed with white tapors, were placed along the streamers. Doorways leading into the banquet hall were covered with black streamers and the piano was graced with an arrangement of bronze and gold mums,

flanked with white tapors.

Mrs. Hromas was mistress of ceremonies. The welcome was given by Mrs. Williams and the response by Mrs. Wayne Garth, a new member. A "sing-song" was led by Mrs. Turner and the invocation was given by Alva Hudson.

Following the meal and installation, special music was provided by Mrs. Turner. She sang a medley of Negro spirituals, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Roy Fuller.

Guest speaker was Jimmie McGuire of Oklahoma Lane. McGuire, a farmer, has recently made a decision to become a minister. He spoke on "Stewardship" of time, talents and money. In his talk, he brought out the importance of the work of a Christian, not only in his church, but in every phase of life.

The benediction was given by Rev. Virgil Goodwin.

Serving the meal were girls of the Young Woman's Auxiliary. They were Eileen Williams, Marilyn Brandon, Margaret Taylor and Janice Leake.

New members honored were Mrs. R. G. Sparks, Mrs. Wayne Garth, Mrs. M. L. Dowdy and Mrs. Richard Vaughan.

Members and their husbands and other guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Goodwin, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Garth, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Williams, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Brandon, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vaughan, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hromas, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Dowdy, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Turner and

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Sparks; Also, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Minter, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Ivy, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Estes, Mrs. Mary Ruth Martin, Mrs. Allen Cumpton, Mrs. Ovid Lawlis and Miss Millie Holden.

Accidents in 1956 took the lives of nearly 35,000 persons in the prime of life—15-44 years of age—the National Safety Council reports. An additional 19,400 persons 45-64 died from accidents.

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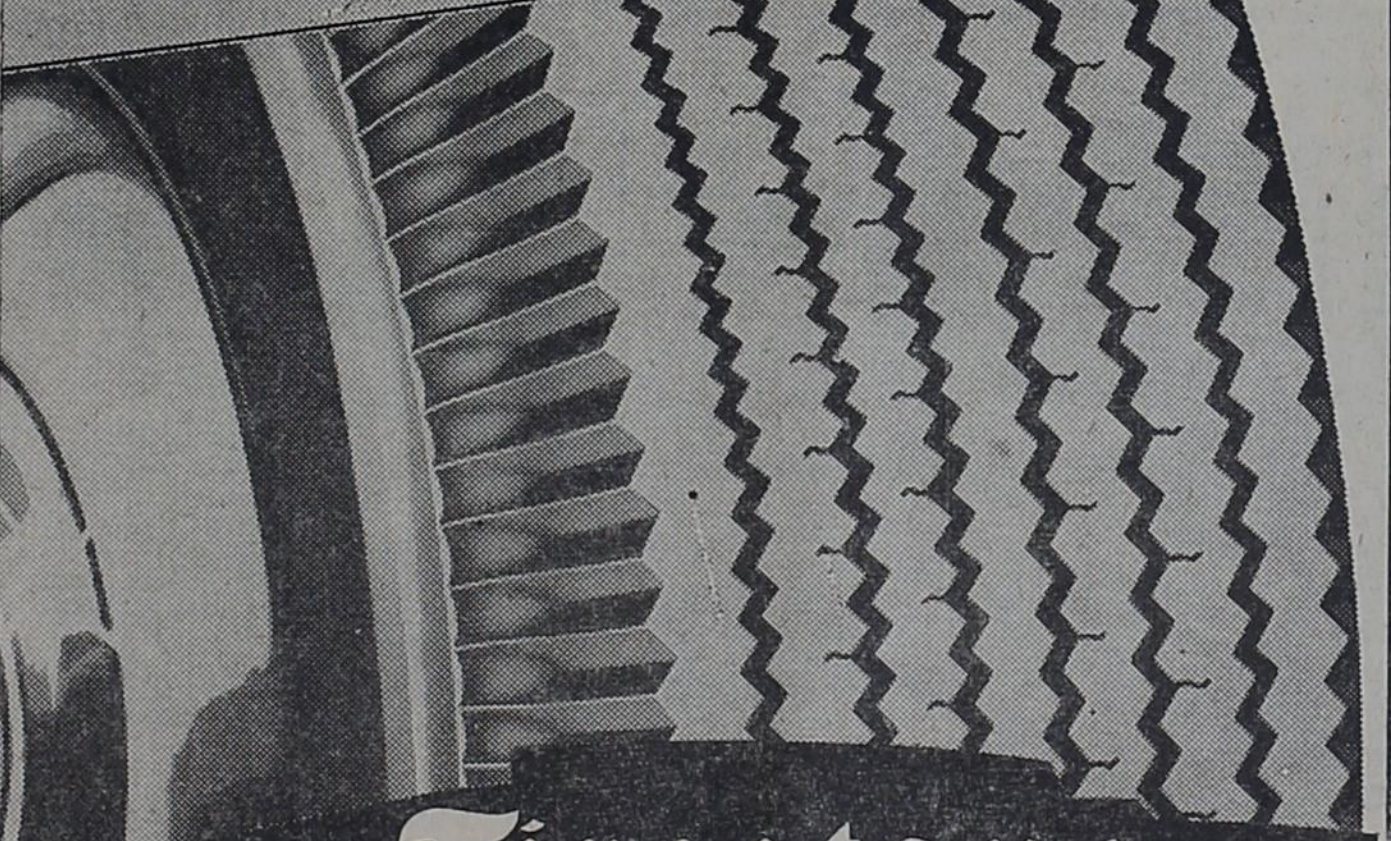
Cool cake in pan, then spread with Lemon Butter Frosting. **Lemon Butter Frosting.** Measure 2 cups sifted confectioners' sugar. Cream 1/4 cup butter; add dash of salt, part of sugar, blending well. Then add rest of sugar, alternately with about 2 1/2 tablespoons milk until of spreading consistency. Beat after each addition until smooth. Add 2 teaspoons lemon juice and 1/2 teaspoon grated lemon rind; blend well.

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Rummage Sales In Progress

Mrs. Buck Ellison, president of the Bovina Woman's Study Club, reported last week that the annual rummage sales are satisfactory. The annual sales, sponsored by the Study Club, have been in progress for about six weeks in the C. R. Elliott building on North Street. The doors are open, says Mrs. Ellison, each Saturday and on "rainy" days.

WMU Has Bible Study Tuesday

Members of the Blanch Grove Circle of the Woman's Missionary Union of First Baptist Church met Tuesday afternoon in the church annex for a Bible study.

was opened with a group song. Mrs. R. N. Williford read the calendar of prayer and Mrs. Virgil Goodwin gave the closing prayer.

Those attending were Mrs. Goodwin, Mrs. Williford, Mrs. J. O. Combs, Mrs. A. B. Cumpston, Mrs. Horn, Mrs. Roy Fuller, Mrs. Wayne Garth, Mrs. W. W. Wilcox, Mrs. Eddie Ray Hutto and Mrs. P. A. Adams.

The same subject was the theme of the regular Wednesday evening meeting of the Rea Buster Circle. This circle of the Baptist WMU met in the annex of the church in regular session. Mrs. Arnold Hromas was in charge of the program. Others present were Mrs. Travis Lloyd, Mrs. Glenn Hromas, Mrs. Bobby Englant, Mrs. Ovid Lawlis, and Mrs. Don Murphy.

From Oklahoma

Visiting over the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ellison and sons were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bunch and sons, Ronnie and Jerry, of Oklahoma City. Mrs. Bunch and Mrs. Ellison are sisters. The guests returned home Sunday.

Darlene Murphy Has Party

"Halloween" was the theme of a birthday party Wednesday morning of last week. The party was in celebration of the fourth birthday of Darlene Murphy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Murphy.

Refreshments of pink birthday cake, decorated with blue icing, punch and pink and blue cup cakes were served. The guests were given favors of Halloween whistles, suckers and bubble gum as Darlene opened her gifts.

Youngsters present were Debbie and Randy Kirkpatrick, Debra Sorley, Twila Hutto, Jackie Adams and Carissa Englant. Mothers present were Mrs. Grady Sorley, Mrs. J. D. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Bobby Englant, Mrs. Roy Fuller and Mrs. Murphy.

meeting of the WSCS. The meeting will be held in the Trinity Methodist Church.

Mrs. Billie Sudderth reported Monday that those planning to make the trip will meet at the church at 8:15 a.m. Thursday and will go in groups. She also announced that each woman should bring a sack lunch. Soft drinks and coffee will be served by the hostess church. The meeting will adjourn at 2:30.

Mrs. Sudderth urges all women of the Methodist Church to attend.

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MYF Will Have CROP Collections Thursday Evening

Thursday evening, between 6:30 and 9, members of the Methodist Youth Fellowship will hold their annual CROP drive. Through a house-to-house canvass in Bovina, the young people will collect money for the milk fund of the Christian Rural Overseas Program.

The youngsters will be armed with "CROP" identification tags and sealed money containers.

They are sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. Bedford Caldwell and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Hastings.

Money collected from the drive will go to aid in the distribution of milk to undernourished children throughout the world.

This is the fourth year the MYF has sponsored the drive. It was begun in Bovina under the direction of Rev. Walter White, former pastor of the local Methodist Church. It is a non-denominational drive.

Last year, a total of over \$100 was collected by the MYF. Mrs. Caldwell, director of the MYF, and Rev. W. R. Beard, pastor, feel that this year's project will be even more successful.

Marzie Lynn Circle Continues Study

A continuation of the study "Christ, the Church and Race" was held Tuesday afternoon of last week by members of the Marzie Lynn Circle of the Methodist Church. The meeting was held in the church parlor and Mrs. L. H. Pesch was in charge of the study.

Mrs. Pesch gave the second chapter of the book. Her talk was titled "Kingdom Beyond Caste." Mrs. Rouel Barron gave the devotional, which was called "The Uniqueness of Man."

Those attending were Mrs. Barron, Mrs. Wilbur Charles, Mrs. George Turner, Mrs. Billie Sudderth, Mrs. L. M. Grissom, Miss Lola Grissom, Mrs. S. E. Redden, Mrs. E. M. Ware, Mrs. John Dixon and Mrs. Pesch.

The Tuesday afternoon study was the second of a series of six. The study is under the direction of Mrs. Pesch and is held each Tuesday at 2:30. A spokesman for the circle cordially invites anyone interested to attend each session.

WSCS to District Fall Meeting

Members of Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church will go to Plainview Thursday morning to attend the regular fall district

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GA Coronation Is Held Sunday

In a candlelight ceremony Sunday evening, annual coronation services for members of the Girls' Auxiliary of First Baptist Church were held. The formal ceremony was in the church sanctuary during the regular evening services.

Jeanne Ivy was crowned queen. Francis Fuller and Lou Ann Goodwin were made Ladies in Waiting and Nellie Bea and Patricia Crook and Margie Fuller made their Maiden Steps.

The steps, or distinctions, are a formal announcement of the accomplishments of the girls. During the past year, they have studied on required work, such as the recitation of Bible verses, learning about mission work of the church and local officials. After they have completed their study, to the satisfaction of a board of review, they are allowed to participate in the coronation ceremonies. This service is held each fall.

The theme of the services was "Try Jesus in World Missions" and was carried out in the decorations. The words, "Try Jesus" were written in large letters of blue and were used as a background for the ceremony. Candelabras of blue flowers and baskets of mums further decorated the sanctuary.

Mrs. Ovid Lawlis, outgoing young people's director, was in charge of the services. Mrs. Bobby England gave the "charge" to each girl and Mrs. Vernon Ward presented the emblems of award to them.

Special music was provided by the Young Women's Auxiliary. They were Sue Moody, Avis Williams, Barbara Taylor, Nancy Cumpton and Julia Lloyd. They were accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Roy Fuller.

Usherettes were Paula Kay Kerby, Elaine Fuller, Janet Gooch, Bonny Cochran, Maureen Hammonds, and Joyce Hudson. Flower girls were Debra Kirkpatrick and Carissa England.

Lynn Murphy was cushion bearer and Darrel Kirkpatrick was crown bearer.

The services were opened with the G. A. hymn, "We've a Story

to Tell to the Nations," and was closed with a group song. Mrs. Don Murphy, WMU president for the coming year, gave the dismissal prayer.

Following the services, the girls of the Auxiliary presented Mrs. Lawlis with a gift in appreciation for her efforts during the past year.

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Wesleyan Service Guild Meets In Church Parlor

Members of the Wesleyan Service Guild of the Methodist Church met Monday evening in the parlor of the church for a regular meeting.

The program was more of the study, "Christ, the Church and Race." Mrs. Bedford Caldwell was in charge.

Also, a panel discussion was held by several of the members. They discussed different phases of the racial problems of today in the United States. Panelists were Mrs. J. W. Whelan, Mrs. H. J. Charles, Mrs. W. Wayne Stevens, and Mrs. Pat Terry.

They represented a lawyer, social worker, nurse and educator.

Mrs. Alvin Farrell gave the devotional. It was taken from the scriptures and pertained to the program, dealing with the actions of Christians to their neighbors, and disregarding race.

Following the program, a short business meeting was held. Mrs. Stevens, president, presided. An election of some officers was held. Mrs. Margaret Caldwell was named treasurer; Mrs. Whelan, secretary; and Mrs. Farrell, reporter.

A discussion was also held about meeting times and places. Tentative plans were made for meetings to be held in the parlor of the church during the current study. However, it was left to the discretion of each hostess as to whether they would meet there or in her home.

Hostesses were Mrs. W. R. Beaird and Miss Grace Paul. They served individual pumpkin pies, coffee and tea.

Those present were Mrs. Bedford Caldwell, Miss Paul, Mrs. Pat Terry, Mrs. Margaret Caldwell, Miss Rita Caldwell, Mrs. Whelan, Mrs. Charles, Mrs. Beaird, Mrs. W. E. Williams, Mrs. Stevens, Miss Lillian Fisher and Mrs. Farrell.

One guest, Mrs. W. E. Thornton, was also present.

The next meeting will be held in the parlor of the church Monday evening, November 11. A continuation of the study in progress will be the program and Mrs. Bedford Caldwell will be in charge. Hostess will be Mrs. Williams.

Day of Prayer Attended by WSCS

About 25 members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church met at the church Monday for an all-day meeting. It was in connection with the World Week of Prayer and Self Denial program held each year in all Methodist Churches.

Beginning at 10:30 a. m., the day featured scripture readings, meditation and quiet music. A sack lunch was eaten at noon.

The program was "As the Waters Cover the Seas," stressing the many ways in which Christian mission work covers the world.

Mrs. L. M. Grissom was in charge of the program. She was assisted by Mrs. G. A. Bandy, Mrs. Jimmie Clements, Mrs. John Dixon, Mrs. George Turner, Mrs. Leon Ware, Mrs. Jimmie Ware, Mrs. E. M. Ware, Mrs. Rouel Barron, Mrs. Jimmie Charles, Mrs. Wilbur Charles, and Mrs. Earl Richards.

Others assisting were Mrs. L. H. Pesch, Mrs. Mark Charles, Mrs. Della Ezell, Mrs. Margaret Caldwell and Mrs. Warren Morton.

As a climax to the meeting, an offering was taken to be used in the mission field at home and abroad. This offering will be divided and distributed by the National Woman's Division of the church. Part will be given to girls' homes and schools in Japan.

Congratulations

A baby daughter, Lou Ann, was born Monday, October 21, to a local couple, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Harbison. She weighed seven pounds, seven ounces, and was born in Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona. Mr. and Mrs. Harbison are new residents of the Bovina area, moving here about a month ago.

December is one of the most dangerous months for motorists, the National Safety Council says. In 1956, 4,000 persons died in motor vehicle mishaps.

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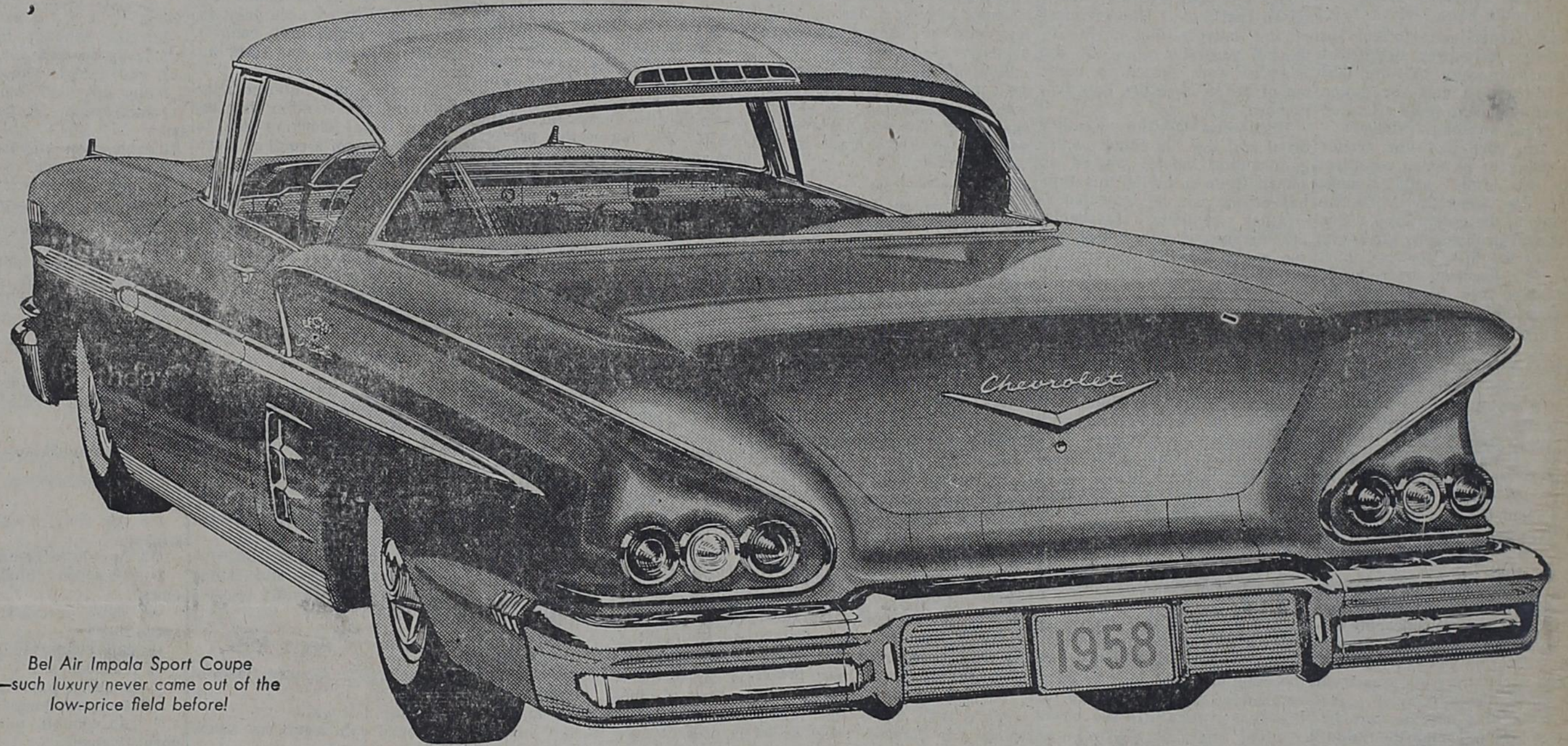
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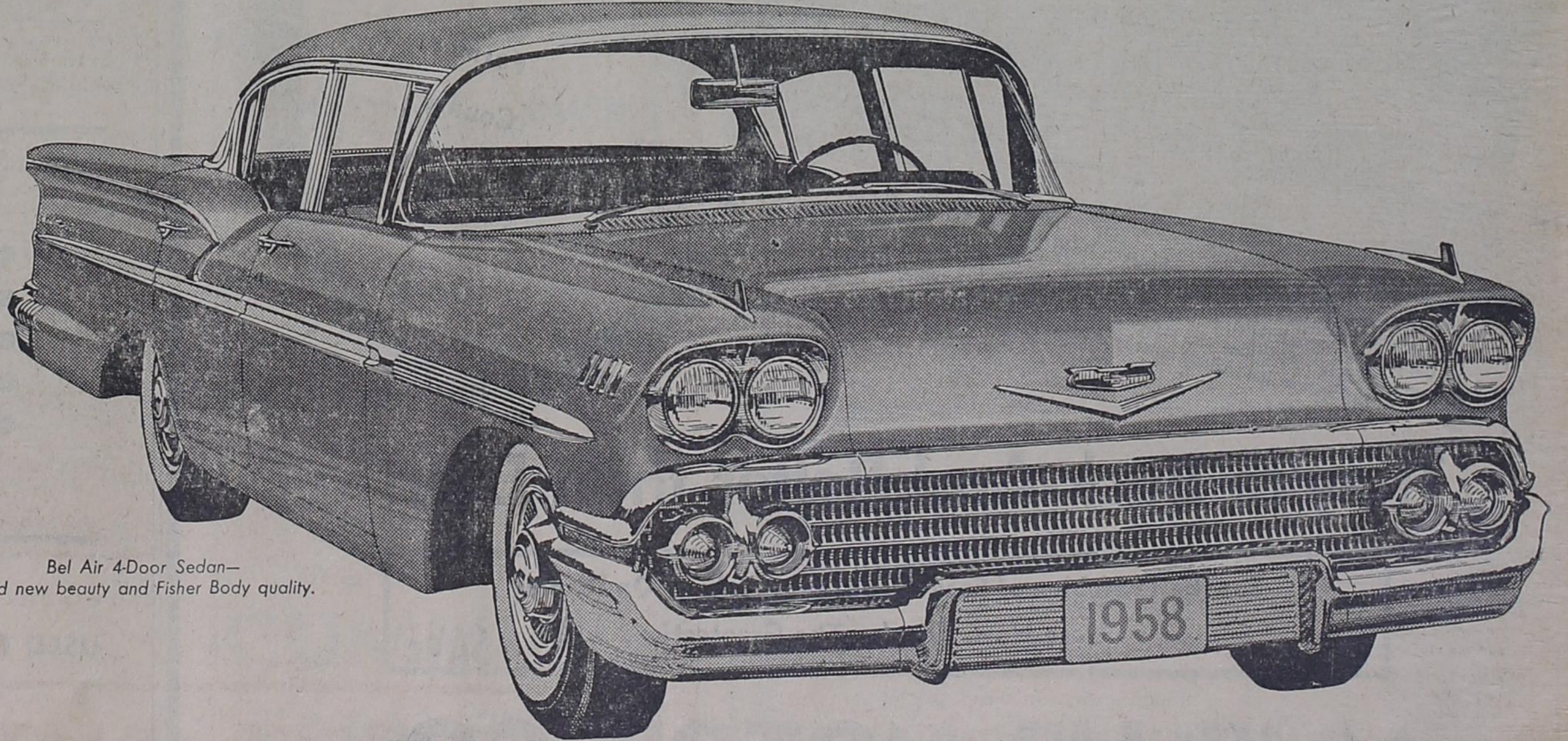
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First Freeze Froze, Farmer Has Woes

Jack Frost finally put an end to area farmers' anxieties over when the first freezing weather would come to the Plains this year, when he dipped down for three successive early mornings and snuffed the life from all field crops.

Killed outright in the snap temperatures of Friday, Saturday and Sunday mornings were the 40-plus thousand acres of cotton in this part of the western High Plains.

The freezing weather came at the tail-end of another multi-day wet spell, three of which have plagued cotton growers all over the Plains this fall.

Pushed by a cold front from Canada, the brisk air mixed with high humidities to produce heavy frosts each morning, and the successive treatments were more than cotton or grain sorghums could bear.

Early reactions to effects of the freeze have been mixed, but it generally may be said that the freeze will cost the cotton grower and have little effect on the grain sorghum producer.

"I am sure that our grades are going to be down considerably this fall," said County Agent Joe Jones this week, referring to the cotton crop. "Our yield will probably be off some, too, but the thing that will hurt most is a lowering of grades."

Weather has been very uncooperative for cotton growers all year long. Cotton men started off late with a cool, wet spring, and summer temperatures were never high enough over a sustained period to push the cotton along toward maturity as it needed to be.

"We usually need to have most of our cotton blooming by July 4," says Jones, "and it was about the 20th this year before we got much blooming. We just didn't have time to make up for that."

Actually, so far as averages go, the freeze date was about normal. It was considerably later than the last really damaging freeze of October in 1955, which varied over the area from the 6th to the 12th.

"There was enough time between planting and the killing freeze to grow plenty of cotton," says Jones. "But time isn't the only factor. It's what happens

between those dates that really counts."

And the cold, wet fall made a substantial difference in the effect that will be felt from the freeze. Many developed but unopened bolls on the plants will continue to make cotton, especially if the weather turns warm and dry again, but the lint produced by these post-freeze bolls is expected to be of a poorer grade.

The wet fall has been tough on some folks besides the farmers. Migrant laborers, who had been accustomed to coming to the Plains in late September and early October for hand-pulling that has always been available, came again this year, and were severely disappointed.

Not only was the crop two weeks late, but weather turned off so bad that it stopped most pulling entirely. Not having financial reserves, many of the laborers were forced to move out of the area before they had planned to.

This week, as the weather dried and the sun shone again, hand-pulling quickly picked up speed. Quite a bit of this type harvesting can be expected if weather continues favorable, but chances are that 1957 will see a considerable increase in mechanized harvesting for the complete crop.

Increased use of defoliants that prepare the field for all mechanized work have an effect on this condition, also. Although grades are expected to be lowered by bad weather, they may not be so noticeable with increased use of strippers.

This is true because the usual procedure is for a Plains cotton farmer to have his early cotton hand-pulled. It usually is the only white cotton he produces. After the best part of his crop has been removed, he returns with strippers and finishes up the job.

In the case of an all-stripper harvest, this early cotton, which is still present, is blended with the later and consequently poorer grades and farmers may for this reason minimize the downgrading effect of the wet and cold weather.

The frosts cut short some ma-

turing green heads of grain sorghum, but the percentage of the crop not fully mature was very slim, and yield-cutting effects of the freeze on the feed crop may be considered negligible.

Farmers are raring to go with the harvest that has been delayed so often, and they are hoping that the freeze has put an end to any more delays except perhaps another wet spell.

Combines were making their way back into boggy fields Monday afternoon as the ground and the grain were slowly drying. Risks of falling grain after the freezes are great, and the harvest will be pushed as rapidly as conditions will permit.

Farmers were feeling better about conditions with the break in the weather. Wet and cold weather is favorable for several hazards to efficient grain production, including disease, lodging, and prohibitive moisture contents.

Most of the crop is standing and in good shape. However, winds could change the picture drastically. The heavy heads are sitting atop stalks made brittle by the freezes.

When wilted by frost or drouth, certain chemical changes sometimes occur in Johnson grass or sorghum and they develop a prussic acid which is very dangerous to livestock. Dr. C. M. Patterson, extension veterinarian, warns that the poison acts quickly, and can kill an animal within a short time.

With the rains and wind of winter just around the corner, farmers are reminded that cover crops can be extremely beneficial in preventing erosion. But cover crops do more than just protect the land, says R. J. Hodges, extension agronomist. These crops improve the soil itself, leading to increased yields. Grazing, hay, silage or seed taken from the winter crop will also mean more profit.

More than twice as many males as females are killed accidentally each year, the National Safety Council reports.

THE HAPPY HOMEMAKER

BY JUNE FLOYD

Most preschool age children are eager to assist with whatever task a mother is doing. Mothers should encourage this and take advantage of the opportunity to work with the children. Many times it is much easier to say, "Now, you run along and play and let me finish."

That is a good way to get the children out from under your feet, but you have also missed an opportunity to develop talent and interest shown by the children. If you take advantage of these opportunities, you will soon realize that your time has been well spent.

One project, which even the smallest children can work on, is the collection of seeds to fill bird feeders in the winter. A three- or four-year-old will enjoy providing seeds for the birds. All cucumber, squash, or okra pods which become too large for table use may be cut open and given to the children to pick the seeds out of.

When cutting cantaloupes for the table, give the children the seeds for drying and putting away until winter. With a little supervision the children can do all the work themselves.

The next time you use a transfer pattern that has already been used, try using your sewing machine to mark off the design. Pin the design you want to transfer to the fabric with dressmaker's carbon paper between the two. Do not thread the needle, but lower the presser foot and run the machine needle around the outline of the design.

When looking around for materials for making attractive Christmas gifts, don't overlook burlap. It comes in a wide range of colors and makes very pretty mats, table runners, or other articles for household use. It is also very easy to work with.

One of the biggest jobs any homemaker has is watching over the health of members of her family. There are so many different things which cause various aches and pains that it is often difficult for her to determine the wisest course to follow.

According to a bulletin released recently by the State Health Department, one of the first things that should be done when anyone is ill is to take the temperature. Authorities are of the opinion that temperature is one of the most reliable indications of illness; however, they warn that many times infection is present even though the person does not have above normal temperature.

One of the most common com-



White, open cotton shining in the morning sun is a welcome sight to area farmers, who are really fed up with the way harvest has been interrupted by poor weather this year. This field south of Friona shows promise of a good yield in spite of a poor year. The plants are anything but rank; however, they are well loaded, as the camera shows.

plaints of children is earache. The health department offers this advice: "Severe infections of the ear are not as common as they were before the appearance of sulfa drugs and antibiotics. But while the severity and frequency of these infections have been reduced, earaches still occur."

"Most ear pain comes during childhood, the reason being that small children have shorter passages for infection to reach the ear. When they get colds they do not blow the nose or clear the throat as adults do. This results in an accumulation of mucus which may congest narrow passages and start an ear infection."

"Earache in children may stem from causes other than infection. Nasal blocking due to the congestion of a cold, or large adenoids may be responsible. Blocking of the Eustachian tube prevents air from approaching the middle ear during swallowing or yawning."

"Don't ignore an earache and don't probe into the ear to relieve distress or the sense of pressure. Let your physician decide the cause and the method of correcting it."

Ever since the Indians first brought bright red cranberries to the Pilgrims as gifts, new ideas for preparing salads and sauces with them have been passed from one person to another. History tells us that cranberries were on the first Thanksgiving feast table.

This Thanksgiving let this colorful cranberry and apple salad add to the beauty of your table.

Cranberry Apple Salad
1 package raspberry flavored gelatin
1 1/2 cups hot water
1 pound can cranberry sauce (jellied or whole)
1 apple
1/4 lemon

Dissolve gelatin with 1 1/2 cups hot water according to directions on package. Chill until mixture begins to jell. If jellied cranberry sauce is used, crush with a fork. Quarter apple, remove seeds and core and put through a food chopper. Put whole lemon through the chopper. Fold cranberry sauce, apple and lemon into raspberry gelatin. Pour into salad mold or molds. Chill until firm. Serves six.

For a salad that goes well with any meat, try this.

Grandmother's Coleslaw
2 1/2 cups cabbage, finely cut
1 teaspoon salt
1 cup pared, chopped apple
1 cup shredded carrots
1 tablespoon finely chopped onion

1 tablespoon mayonnaise
1 teaspoon sugar
1/2 cup sour cream

Mix cabbage, salt, apples, carrots and onion together. Combine mayonnaise, sugar and cream and beat until smooth and creamy. Pour over other ingredients and stir lightly until well mixed. Serves six.

A different way to prepare corn that is almost sure to make a hit with all members of your family is:

Creamy Skillet Corn
2 slices bacon, cut in small pieces
1/3 cup finely chopped green pepper
1/3 cup sliced celery
2 tablespoons finely chopped onion
1/2 cup processed cheese spread
1/2 cup evaporated milk
1/4 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon paprika
1/8 teaspoon pepper
1 can, small whole kernel corn, drained

Cook bacon until crisp; drain on paper toweling; pour off all but two tablespoons of drippings. Sauté green peppers, celery and onion in bacon drippings five minutes; add corn, cheese spread, evaporated milk, salt, paprika, and pepper. Cook over low heat until cheese melts, stirring constantly. Serves four.

NEWS FROM THE FARM BUREAU

By RAYMOND EULER

Gilbert Kaltwasser, our president, has been invited to sit on the Texas Farm Bureau resolutions committee this year. This is the committee that reads resolutions from various counties in Texas, groups them according to subjects, and prepares them in composition for the discussion and vote of delegates at the convention in November.

The convention date is November 17th through the 20th. Six voting delegates from Parmer County will attend. Other members are welcome to attend.

It is apparent that we still get fellows elected to Washington posts who are unable to understand why so many people still do not want to grab at every offer of "federal aid" to schools, and other impractical things. We believe they should attend some of the larger farm meetings and wise up.

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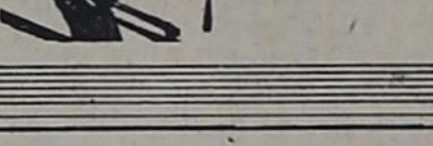
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Sesame Research Is Continuing

Harvest of the 50 experimental varieties of sesame is underway at the High Plains Station of the Texas Research Foundation at Halfway. Ten of these varieties are of the non-shattering type and 40 are the semi-shattering. These varieties were cut and put on drying racks, when all but a few of the top leaves had fallen and the pods showed 75 percent maturity. After 10 to 14 days drying, the plants will be threshed.

The outstanding plants in each experimental variety or strain are carefully selected for further development. Dr. Earl Collister, chairman of the plant science department of the Texas Research Foundation, and Charles Julian, laboratory assistant, selected these plants. Some of the experimental varieties showed unusually high yields, with longer pods and more seeds to the pod. Of unusual interest were varieties six feet tall producing large pods, three pods to the leaf axil. These were of both the semi-shattering and non-shattering varieties. Their further development will be watched with interest by sesame growers. Some of the imported varieties being tried out proved to be of no value and will be discarded. The ten acres of Renner 15 combine-type, non-shattering seed production field will be harvested later.

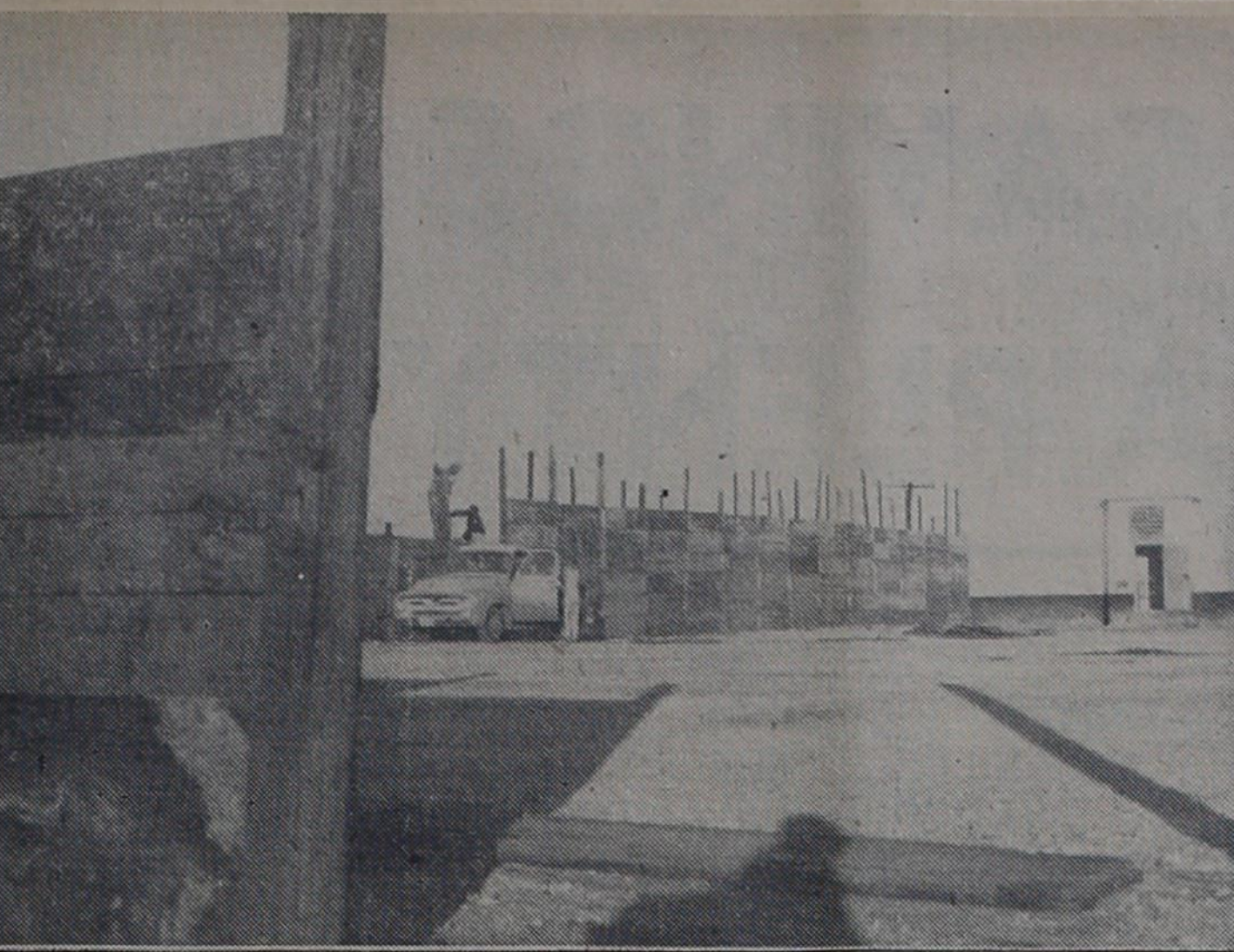
The new experimental strains of sesame being tested at the High Plains Station have been developed at the Texas Research Foundation at Renner. This research program was initiated in 1947 in the program of new crop development for Texas farmers. Several hundred strains of sesame are received on a continuous basis from countries all over the world. In some areas sesame has been grown since about 2000 B. C. These different types are observed carefully in the test plots. Those possessing desirable characteristics are used in the sesame breeding program.

Dr. Collister and his associates have already developed three varieties of sesame. The first variety, Renner No. 1, introduced in 1953, is still the most popular variety being grown in Texas, comprising about 95 percent of all the commercial acreage of sesame. Another improved variety, Renner No. 2, was introduced in 1955. Both are semi-shattering types. The third variety, Renner No. 15, a paper shell non-shattering type, is being tested in large scale field trials this year. Two of these are in the High Plains area. If these trials are successful, Renner No. 15 will be released to farmers in 1958.

The sesame market is expanding faster than the supply. There are no restrictions on acreage. Dr. Collister said, "The steady increase in acreage in the High Plains indicates a bright future for sesame as a permanent profitable crop in this area."

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Something big is cooking for the area grain harvest, if preparations being made at some of the elevators are any indication. These high fences being put up at Sherley-Anderson-Pitman elevator in Farwell are meant to protect and contain grain that is due to be dumped on the ground when harvest begins to roll on a big scale.

What Price Can You Afford For Pigs?

The price a farmer can afford to pay for feeder pigs depends on the value of the finished hogs, cost of raising them, and death loss.

Recent studies on midwestern hog raising has produced a gauge for estimating in advance, the possibilities of profit and loss.

To determine the finished value, a farmer first estimates the prices at the time he will sell the hogs, and their probable weight. For example, if Farmer Jones wants to buy 35-pound feeder pigs in late May to sell in October, he may estimate their ultimate weight at 225, the price at \$16.

The weight is based on experience with rate of gain, and the price is a forecast. His expected income or net value at the farm is 225 pounds times \$16 per hundredweight or \$36 altogether.

Probably costs should be estimated next. Figures vary from year to year and farm to farm but experimental results show the average midwestern farmer uses 350 lbs. of protein supplement to add 100 lbs. weight.

This would be a total of 665 pounds (about 12 bushels) of corn and 100 pounds of supplement to increase the 35 pounders to 225 pounds.

With corn at \$1.15, the cost for 12 bushels would be \$13.80. And with supplement at \$5 a hundredweight, total cost would be \$18.

Feed is the largest cost item, but labor, shelter, equipment and veterinary count too. Usually, these amount to one-fifth of the feed costs. This is \$3.76, bringing total production costs to \$22.56.

Difference between income and total costs is the first estimate of the price a farmer can afford to pay for a feeder pig. This figure is \$13.44. But the amount should be adjusted for death loss. Probable survival rate is multiplied by the margin over cost per pig.

For example, Jones expects a death rate of 5 percent—or a survival rate of 95 percent. Multiplying margin per pig (\$13.44) by 0.95 gives price per pig: \$12.77 in this case. If Jones pays this price for a feeder pig, he can expect to get market price for his feeder and average wages for his labor. In addition, he will cover all his costs for shelter, equipment, and other items. When a pig may be purchased for less than \$12.77, the difference constitutes profit.

Not meant to be a suggestion, but just thinking out loud: Is it really wise to continue research and development and encouragement of the PRODUCTION phase of our farm program in times such as these? Is it really smart thinking to strive for better yielding varieties, endorse production-boosting features of our conservation work, and promote, through our Extension Service branches, more output per farming unit?

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THE PARMER FARMER

By W. H. GRAHAM JR.

"Total crop production prospects made further gains during the past month, according to the U. S. Crop Reporting Board, and now look equal to the previous record years of 1956 and 1948. The bountiful crop total from the smallest harvested acreage in nearly 40 years is due to record overall yields — exceeding the 1956 previous high by three percent."

That quote is from the most recent Cargill crop bulletin, and points up that once again, the American farmer has defied all government and self-imposed attempts to keep his production down.

The soil bank has failed miserably to accomplish its principal purpose, that of reducing production, and once again, the minds of government men of agriculture are being taxed with how the problem can be solved.

This makes us wonder about the whole American idea of agriculture. Born in the depression years of the 30's, our farm programs have mushroomed until they control either directly or indirectly nearly all of the nation's agriculture. Yet, production cannot be matched with consumption.

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jump in price for area production, which applied to 1957 crop only, was a jolt to everybody.

Farmers should approve the water program amendment to the Texas constitution this week-end. It embodies a principle that every irrigated farmer on the High Plains wants retained — local control of water resources.

Actually, the things the law makes possible will have little or no effect on our area, but the proposal is not a tax-raising change in the constitution, so area farmers should support it.

Finding a crop that isn't forecast to be in surplus supply this fall is pretty hard to do, but there are some around. One of them, we are happy to report, is sesame.

The High Plains Station of the Texas Research Foundation, Halfway, says the sesame market is expanding faster than the supply. Even with no acreage restrictions and the big yields that are being produced under irrigated conditions, this remains the case.

Happily, also, the price is holding firm at around 10 cents a pound year after year.

"The steady increase in acreage on the High Plains indicates a bright future for sesame as a permanent profitable crop," says Dr. Earl Collister, chairman of the plant science department of the foundation.

That is mighty heartening news. We can't yet visualize sesame growing by the hundreds of thousands of acres, but

it is nice to see a crop that received upwards of 3,000 acres in this immediate area this year doing so well.

Just how the wet, cold fall weather is affecting the seed, from both a standpoint of yield and quality, remains to be seen. It might also make harvesting difficult.

However, just knowing there's a market for the production is encouraging. Wheat, cotton, and milo are all in great over-supply. Even such crops as sudan, onions, and potatoes are on the surplus list and prices have been drastically lowered.

Sesame may turn out to be a lot more important to us than we generally realize.

Christmas Eve is the most dangerous holiday period of the year for motorists, the National Safety Council warns.

Women drivers were involved in 4,900 fatal accidents during 1956, the National Safety Council reports. More than 42,000 men fell into that category. There are about 22 million registered women drivers, 55

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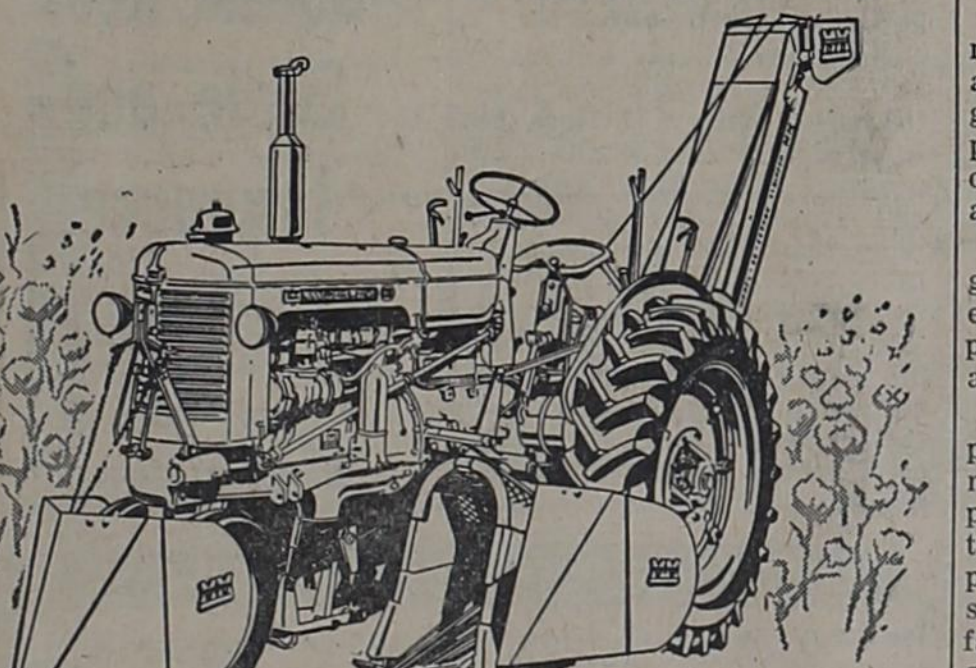
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Assign—H. Y. Overstreet, A. G. Hill, W 1/2 Sec. 10, T11S, R3E.

O&GL—O. H. Jones, H. Y. Overstreet, see above.

Judg.—Bainum Butane Co., Dale Price, Lots 17, 18, 19 & 20, Blk. 40, original town of Farwell.

Judg.—Bainum Butane Co., V. C. Calcote, N. 203 ac. Sec. 2, Harrah Sub.

WD—Bert Shackelford, Ross Terry, Lots 9 & 10, Blk. 10, Friona.

Rel.—Hassie Hunt Trust, Clarence Johnson, Pt. Sec. 20, T11S, R3E.

Rel.—Hassie Hunt Trust, S. L. Johnson, NW4 Sec. 20, T11S, R3E.

WD—C. L. Lillard, receiver, Roy Canady, E2 of NW4 Sec. 20, Rhea C.

WD—Roy Canady, J. G. Pal-mateer, see above.

DT—G. L. Hough, Northwest-ern Mutual Life Ins., NW4 Sec. 22, TIN, R4E.

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Plan Speaker System

The Parmer County Home Demonstration Council, meeting in the American Legion Hall in Friona Monday afternoon, heard a recommendation from Mrs. Dee Chitwood that each Home Demonstration Club have a goal of obtaining a phonograph and loud speaker for each of the 4-H groups in the county during 1958.

Roll was called and minutes for the previous meeting were read by Mrs. Walter Kaltwasser. Reports on clubs were presented by each club representative.

Yearbook reports were given by each committee chairman on the book for the past year.

Tickets for the Thanksgiving luncheon were issued to each club. The luncheon is slated for November 21, at 7 p. m. at the Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church. The cost per plate will be \$1.35. Members are urged to attend.

A nursery will be provided.

Clubs on the decoration committee are Rhea, Oklahoma Lane, and Midway, Lakeview, Black, and Bovina are to be in charge of the entertainment.

The committee gave the council recommendations for new officers for 1958. Those elected were Mrs. Lee Renner, chairman; Mrs. E. V. Tatum, vice-chairman; Mrs. Rene Shead, secretary; and Mrs. Walter Schueler, treasurer.

Eight clubs and five visitors were present.

June Brummett presided for the election of a new county THD chairman, but final action was postponed until next council meeting in Friona, at the Legion Hall at 2 p. m., Monday, November 25.

District Gets Grant

A grant for several thousand dollars in heavy equipment has been received by the Parmer County Soil Conservation District, announces head of the district, A. L. Black, of the Hub community.

Due to arrive shortly is a D-7 "Cat" and bulldozer, an eight-yard carry-all, and a "low-boy" trailer. All of the equipment is army surplus.

The grant had been pending for several months, and the exact dollar value of the grant is expected to be more than \$20,000. The district received the grant through the Soil Conservation Service.

Also approved in the grant were a truck and maintainer, but these items were not selected when the committee chose the other equipment because of the condition of equipment.

Selected to examine the equipment were A. L. Black and Carl Schueler. The two went to San Antonio to look over part of the equipment and to Mineral Wells to examine other equipment before accepting the grant.

Arrangement for using the equipment will be taken care of at future meetings of the district board of supervisors.

Interest Shown In New Attachment

Farmers worried about grain sorghum that is leaning, or about to fall, are taking an interest in the new combine accessory that is making its appearance this year.

Several farmers are already trying it out in fields that are especially susceptible to the thing it is designed to handle best—"down" feed. They report satisfactory results from the machine.

One farmer who is trying it out this week is Tom Caldwell, south of Bovina, who has installed the attachment on a late-model combine. He is having good success so far, and says he intends to leave the machine, referred to as a "row crop saver," mounted on his combine.

The machine, which takes the place of the spinning reel that has been an identification mark of the combine ever since it was invented, has mechanical "fingers" mounted on a rubber belt

assembly that pull the maize stalks into the combine cutter. From there the auger takes over and the combine operates in the conventional way.

Caldwell says, "It works just like the old-fashioned row binder," except, of course, there is no tying action.

The four-row machine sells for about \$545. They are reported to be in short supply as farmers are indicating considerable interest in them. Uncertain weather conditions have prompted much of this interest.

Principal advantage of the radical change in design is the ability of the cutting unit to be lowered almost to the ground and falling feed to be gathered into it.

Three county implement dealers handle the grain-saving apparatus.

By January 1, 1958, the total U. S. laying flock is expected to be down 6 to 8 percent from January 1, 1957. Statistics show a 25 percent decrease for Texas. The reduction will be due to fewer replacements with the decrease greatest in small flocks.

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Something different in the way a combine looks from the front is shown here. This machine, owned by Tom Caldwell, is using a special "row crop saver" attachment designed especially for picking up falling grain sorghum. Conditions this year have generated considerable interest in the attachment.

Unusual Twist Moved Corn Up

An unusual feature of the 1957 farm law produced an unexpected—and pleasant—result for the Parmer County area corn producers two weeks ago. USDA announced that the corn support had been increased from \$1.09 to \$1.36 per bushel.

No farmer and very few area ag officials knew of the change until it was announced. Prentice Mills, ASC office manager in Farwell, says even state officers were taken by surprise. The "sleeper" part of the law was formulated by some congressman from a non-commercial corn producing area, Mills feels sure. The provision works like this:

In the event commercial growers (such as those in the corn belt states) receive \$1.40 or more per bushel price support for their 1957 corn, and if the government supports corn produced outside of the allotments in commercial areas;

Then, in non-commercial areas such as ours, where corn has not been produced in large quantities over a long period of years, growers here will receive "at least 70 percent of parity" for their 1957 crop.

That special rule applies to 1957 only, says Mills, and is the first time such a feature has been incorporated into a farm program. This year, commercial growers were assured of more than \$1.40 per bushel, so the support here is \$1.36, which is 70 percent of parity.

In previous years, producers in non-commercial areas have been assured a support price that was 75 percent of what commercial areas received. Usually, that was 75 percent of

about 80 to 85 percent of parity. This year, the commercial area price support is down some.

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 - CHILI**
 - CHILI, with beans, 16 oz. can 4 for \$1.00
 - TAMALES, 16 oz. can 4 for \$1.00
 - BEEF
 - 24 oz. can 2 for 83c
 - 16 oz. can 3 for \$1.00
 - STEW**
 - CHOPPED BEEF, 12 oz. can 39c
 - CHOPPED HAM, 12 oz. can 59c
 - CORNERED BEEF HASH, 16 oz. can 3 for \$1.00
 - LUNCHEON MEAT, 12 oz. can 43c

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 - POTTED MEAT
 - 3¹/₂ oz. can 11 for \$1.00
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- SWIFT PREMIUM HALF OR WHOLE
- HAMS** pound 49c

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- COFFEE** pound 79c

- SHURFINE
- YELLOW CLING SLICED OR HALVES
- PEACHES** 4 FOR \$1
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 - No. 300 Cans
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Three Amendments Up to Decision Of Texas Voters

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A two-thirds majority will be necessary for ratification of the proposed changes.

The usual eight polling places will be open in Parmer County. The boxes and judges:

1. BLACK—community building, John Benger, judge.
2. FRIONA—city hall, Floyd Reeve, judge.
3. BOVINA—Legion hall, J. W. Parker, judge.
4. FARWELL—county courtroom, Albert Smith, judge.
5. LAZBUDDIE—schoolhouse, E. V. Crain, judge.
6. OKLAHOMA LANE—Methodist Church, Harold Carpenter,

judge.

7. RHEA—parish hall, Melvin Sachs, judge.
8. LAKEVIEW—Ohio Whitefield, judge, voting to be in his home.

Meeting Postponed

Mrs. Alton Wylly, reporter for the Methodist Woman's Fellowship announced Monday morning that the meeting, originally planned for tomorrow (Thursday) has been postponed. Due to a conflict in schedules, a regular meeting will not be held this month. Instead, plans have been made for a call business meeting for Thursday, November 7. Mrs. Mark Charles, circle chairman, will be in charge.

Downtown—

New Water Line

Installation of a two-inch water line in the alley north of North Street was underway this week. The new line, scheduled for completion today, will offer more water pressure to businesses on North Street that tie on to it.

Up to now, the businesses were serviced from a main line which is under North Street. It was inconvenient to tie to City Secretary Henry Minter explains, because the line from

Two Bootleggers Fined In Court

Parmer County law enforcers made two arrests in Friona over the weekend and both involved persons possessing or making an illegal sale of beer. Both parties were tried and convicted in county court Monday morning.

On Saturday night Pete Stewart was picked up by Deputy Sheriff Jim Roberts and Ben Moorman, of the Friona police department. In Stewart's possession were 34 quarts of beer.

He was fined \$125 and court costs by County Judge A. D. Smith.

The following night, Sunday, Moorman and County Sheriff Chas. Lovelace picked up Santos Rando after he was found selling two quarts of beer. Rando was fined \$250 and court costs.

Harvest Postpones Grand Jury Call

Stepped-up tempo of harvesting of cotton and grain sorghums has probably squelched the usual fall call of the Parmer County grand jury, Sheriff Chas. Lovelace predicted this week.

District Attorney Bill Sheehan announced several weeks ago that it might be possible to have the call in October, which is customary, but because of a heavy schedule in other counties of the district, and also because of a shake-up in district boundaries, he last week said it prob-

ably would be put off until early November.

"Now it looks as though we'll probably call the jurors sometime in December because of farming activity," Lovelace said this week.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Virgil Goodwin, Pastor

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; morning worship, 10:50 a. m.; training union, 6:30 p. m. and evening worship, 7:30 p. m.

The Sunday evening services will be given over to the Negro revival which is in progress in our church this week. J. C. Tisdale, pastor of Pilgrims Rest Baptist Church of Clovis, is preaching. Services will be held each evening through Sunday, as well as on Sunday afternoon. The Sunday services will be at 2:30.

Sunday afternoon, J. C. Tisdale conducted his first service for the Negroes of Bovina, and a Negro Baptist Church was constituted. A baptismal service is planned for during the week's revival.

Following the revival, services will be conducted by Rev. Tisdale on the first and third Sundays of the month. They will be held in the First Baptist Church, beginning at 2:30 p. m. This arrangement will be continued until a meeting place can be arranged for them.

Also, Sunday afternoon services were held for the Spanish speaking people of the area in the church. This was the third Sunday for these services and William Godniez, pastor of the Mexican Baptist Church has been preaching. Rev. Godniez is a native of Mexico and speaks little English. He has been in the United States since September 15.

The work is sponsored by the local church. The Brotherhood has furnished needed transportation and the Woman's Missionary Society serves light refreshments each Sunday afternoon.

Attendance for the three Sundays have been 13, 74 and 27. Forty-two have made a profession of faith for salvation in Christ.

In the regular services of the church last Sunday, there were 195 in Sunday School and 96 in training union.

School Financial Statement Released

The financial statement of Bovina Independent School District for 1956-57 has been released by Warren Morton, superintendent.

The report shows a total of \$107,080.24 tax assessments for 1957. The 1956 assessment was \$103,129.83. "This is a small increase considering the amount of complaints the equalization board had during its meetings," Morton points out.

Of the 1956 taxes, 4.7 percent had not been paid by August 31. The collection percentage was 95.3.

As of August 31, the school district had a bonded indebtedness of \$723,000.

The statement, in figure form, is elsewhere in this issue.

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Superintendent For WW Is Appointed

With construction progressing rapidly on the local cotton warehouse, Western Warehouses have announced that D. R. Bushnell will be the superintendent here.

Bushnell, who has been assistant superintendent at Muleshoe for the past three years, is already on the job here. He is expected to move here "as soon as he can find a house," according to Thurston Bower, WW representative who announced the appointment.

Bushnell is married and has one child.

Work on the warehouse is coming along on schedule despite unfavorable weather, Bower reports. He estimates construction will "almost" be complete by the 15th of next month. However, it is possible the company can begin its business operations prior to that date.

Upon its completion, the warehouse will have storage space for 7500 bales of cotton.

Deputy Job Is Open

A replacement for Jim Roberts, city-county deputy sheriff for the past six months in Bovina, is yet to be signed. Roberts announced his resignation last week, effective November 1.

The peace officer has accepted a full-time county deputy job which will begin next month. His headquarters will be in Friona.

However, he said this week that he would be "in and out" of Bovina until a man is signed to replace him here.

It's possible that he will continue to live here "for another month," he says. He owns a home in Friona, but it is rented at the present and there's a possibility he won't be able to move back into it for 30 days.

"There are some prospects for the Bovina job, but there's nothing definite to announce yet," Roberts says.

The bedroom is the most dangerous room in the home, according to the National Safety Council.

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