

## Whittlin'

By Dolph Moten

### With Deepest Sympathy

It's very hard to find the words to adequately say the deep and heartfelt sympathy that goes to you today. But may it help to comfort you and ease the loss you bear to know that there are other hearts that understand and care.

**Bovina Fire Department**  
Longhorns 9  
A & M 7  
John Wilson, Fire Marshall

Maybe you could call the above a letter to the editor. Anyway, it was in The Blade's post office box the day after Thanksgiving.

Somewhat said there was a football game that day. . . ?

It was a sad game. Disappointing. It wasn't supposed to turn out that way. I think that's what made it worse.

The only good thing I could see about it was that my decision to not go to the game was a wise one. It would've been a million miles back home after that.

Texas University fans were, of course, thrilled beyond words. They were proud of the sophomores on the TU team and were, and are, thinking, "If we could beat the mighty Aggies this year, what'll we do next year?"

I know what they were thinking because that's what I was thinking last year when A & M's team showed so much promise. The thought of next year eases the pain of this year. It'll be a different story then!

But back to this year: Who would have ever thought the best football team in the world would lose two games?

### It's That Time

Basketball-loving people here are about to arrive at the happiest months of the year. The Farwell tournament, with both boys and girls teams from Bovina entered, gets underway tomorrow (Thursday). Next week, Bovina's tournament will be staged in Williford Gym. The Amherst tournament follows the first week in January and February features the district tournament which will be conducted at Lazbuddie. And there are just boocoo's of games sandwiched in between.

Understand that arrangements are being made to accept wet maize, instead of money, for admission fees.

Mention of basketball tournaments brings to mind the fact that a popcorn machine in the gym here would make plenty of money in the next three months.

Next to a cigarette, which is outlawed in most gyms, I don't know of a better way to keep a fellow's nerves calmed during a two-point difference basketball game than a salty bag of popcorn.

I'll talk to my Sputnik-watching friend, Principal Roy Whisler, about that popcorn popper. Anybody that'll watch Sputniks will like popcorn.

Or better yet, maybe we could get a wet maize popper. If so, two birds could be killed with one stone. That's a real good idea. It deserves looking in to.

### "More People"

Ever so often, I have occasion to talk to the postmaster, Gene Ezell, about a news story concerning the locally important institution which he commands. More often than not, our conversation drifts around to, "How's business?"

Not once has he failed to answer that it's better than ever and that he expects it to continue to increase. His reason: more people; the more people we have, the more business the post office is going to do. And he has about as accurate a yardstick as any one that the community and the area is growing steadily.

I get a kick out of asking Gene the question because I know how he's going to answer and it sounds like music to my ears. . . . or to anyone else's if their owner is interested in Bovina's growth.

If you're superstitious, may this department be the first to remind you there's a Friday the thirteenth coming up this month. Maybe if you start thinking about it now you can prepare for it.

## Has Surgery

Mrs. Stacy Queen underwent emergency surgery Monday morning of last week, in Parmer County Community Hospital. Relatives reported Monday that she was improving rapidly and was expected to be released the middle of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Queen had returned the night before from a month's visit with their son, Scooter, in Alamogordo, N. M. Her daughter, Mrs. Tuff Jones of Amarillo will be spending the next several days here.

## Paving Info Is Scarce

A representative of West Texas Construction Co., which was awarded the contract for Bovina's proposed paving program, was in town Monday and talked with city officials. He said that preparations for obtaining the caliche for the road base will begin the last of this week. According to local officials, the amount of information the representative gave was limited. He did say the caliche would be obtained locally.

Also, he said his company did not want to "tear up" Bovina's streets until after the holidays.

He offered no answer or explanation in regard to the question which is uppermost in most property owners' minds: When will we be asked to sign up for paving?

In an October meeting with the city commission, an attorney for the company said "signing-up" would begin within a "week or 10 days" after mid-November. That time, of course, has already passed.

## 80 Attend Joint Church Services

Approximately 80 people attended the joint Thanksgiving services held Wednesday evening in the First Baptist Church. Rev. W. R. Beard, pastor of the Methodist Church, delivered the message on thankfulness. Hodge Rigdon led the opening prayer.

The joint service was the second annual observation of the Thanksgiving holidays by the two churches. Plans for next year's observation will be made next fall, says Rev. Goodwin. He reported Saturday morning that ill health and the harvest situation kept many from the services.

## Three Men Fined In County Court

Three men were fined for four offenses in county court this week. All the cases were tried Monday in Judge A. D. Smith's court.

L. A. Mitchell was charged with illegal possession of liquor for the purpose of resale. The man, a transient laborer who had been residing near Friona, pled guilty and was fined \$100 and costs.

Mitchell was also charged with possession of illicit, unstamped alcoholic beverages. He pled guilty to that charge also and was fined \$100 and costs. The arrest was made over the weekend.

Santos Rondo, Friona, was charged with illegal possession of liquor for the purpose of resale. He pled guilty and was fined \$100 and costs. Officers in Friona spotted a man leaving his place, and upon searching the store which he operates, made the arrest.

The most unusual case of the day involved J. D. Sullivan of Muleshoe, who was charged with operating a car while his driver's license was suspended. Previously, he had been convicted of a DWI offense in Muleshoe.

Con't. On Last Page

### By Cub Scouts—

## Pack Meeting Held Tuesday

Members of Den One and Two, Pack 40, of the Bovina Cub Scouts held a pack meeting Tuesday night of last week in the American Legion Hall. About 40 people were present.

Boys of Den One were in charge of opening and closing ceremonies. They opened with the Scout's "Living Circle," the Cub Scout promise and the singing of "America." The program was closed with the boys singing "Goodnight, Cub Scouts." They were assisted by their counselors, Mrs. Paul Jones and Mrs. Don Garrett.

Members of Den Two, under the direction of Mrs. Pat Kunselman and Mrs. D. C. Looney, were in charge of the program. Roland Murray was master of ceremonies and announced the players in a skit titled, "Eight Best Doctors."

In the short playlet, eight boys took part in enacting stories of how to improve and keep the health of young boys. Those taking part were Rickie Kunselman as Dr. Rest; Lane Guber



**ANOTHER BANNER GOES UP**—These Bovina FFA members were members of a leadership quiz team which finished third in the district. The quiz was held recently at Muleshoe. The banner was awarded to the chapter at the district banquet in Littlefield Tuesday night. Members of the team were, front, left to right, Larry Webb and Roger Ezell; back, left to right, Jackie Turner and Don Caldwell.

### To FFA Chapter—

## Banner Awarded At District Meet

For its third place finish in the Littlefield District FFA leadership quiz contest, the Bovina chapter was awarded a banner at the district banquet in Littlefield Tuesday night.

Members of the team which won the award are Larry Webb, Roger Ezell, Jackie Turner, and Don Caldwell.

## Time To Mail For Christmas

"Wrap securely, address correctly, and mail early," Postmaster Gene Ezell said this week when asked what advice he had for people who have packages to mail for Christmas.

"However," he went on, "we don't have a lot of trouble with Christmas mailing here. Most people get their packages and cards in early and that's a big help."

The local post office has already sold some stamps for Christmas cards. Last year, Ezell explained, the worst of the Christmas rush was over here by December 20 and he expects the same to be true this year.

Though he expects more Christmas business this year than last, Ezell says he doesn't plan to put on any extra help. But he will work longer hours during the Christmas mailing season as will Flossie Rhinehart, post office employee.

## Pfc. James Taylor Is In Washington

Fairchild Air Force Base, Wash.—Army PFC James D. Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Taylor, Bovina, is a member of the 10th Antiaircraft Artillery Missile Battalion volleyball team which placed second in the recent 26th Antiaircraft Artillery Group tournament at Fort Lawton, Wash.

Taylor is assigned as a radar operator in the battalion's Battery B at Fairchild Air Force Base. The 21-year-old soldier entered the Army in April, 1956 and received basic training at Fort Chaffee, Ark.

He attended Friona High School.

## Lottie Riley Is Released

Lottie Riley, 15-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Riley was released from St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo about two weeks ago. Lottie had been in the hospital for some seven months, undergoing spine surgery about a month ago.

### WEATHER

by

### WILLIE

A few high clouds, but dry week indicated. Warm days. Cold nights. Could be a little stormy last of week.

All in all, good week for harvesting.

—Willie

### For Christmas Decorations—

## Contest Deadline Dec. 19

Deadline for entries in the Bovina Jaycee - sponsored Christmas decoration contest is Wednesday, December 18, Roy M. Crawford, Jaycee president, reminded this week.

Entries have been coming in slowly since announcement of the contest was made last week.

### Bovina Implement Co. and Read's Gulf Service—

## Two Businesses Are Struck By Burglars

Burglars paid two Bovina businesses a visit Monday night and were successful in both break-ins. Bovina Implement Co. and Read's Gulf Service, both on Highway 60, were the victims.

Bedford Caldwell, owner of the implement house, said the amount of money taken from his place was "substantial."

Billy Don Read, owner of the service station, said "about \$20" in change was stolen

from his business.

Entrance to Bovina Implement was gained by knocking a panel from a door in the rear of the building allowing enough space for a man to crawl through.

The stolen money was taken from a safe. The safe was opened without being broken, Caldwell said. When the business was opened Tuesday morning, the safe was closed and locked, but the money was gone.

Caldwell said he would rather not say how much money was lost "because it was more than we usually keep and if the amount were disclosed it could possibly encourage other break-ins." He explained the reason more money than usual was on hand was because of the season of the year, with harvest nearing completion.

A window was broken in the back of the service station so entrance to the building could be made.

Neither of the men knew what time the burglaries occurred other than it was sometime during Monday's closing time and Tuesday's opening.

### "18 or 20" Rows—

## BVFD Will Install Christmas Lights

Christmas decorations will be in Bovina this holiday season courtesy Bovina Volunteer Fire Department. Fire Chief Otho Hammonds announced this week that the firemen were completing plans to install ornaments on North (main) Street.

The decorations will consist of "18 or 20" rows of colored

lights which will be strung across the street in downtown Bovina. In addition to the rows of overhead lights, two Christmas trees, which will also be lighted, will be displayed in the street.

"Unless something goes wrong, we plan to have the lights up and burning by Saturday night," the fire chief says.

New strings of lights were put

together Monday night by the firemen. All new materials were used.

The city will pay the cost of the strings of lights with the fire department paying the cost of the trees and other incidentals, Hammonds says.

If present plans are carried out, the town will have more and better Christmas decorations than it has in recent years.

## Firemen Answer Calls Sunday And Monday

Bovina Volunteer Fire Department answered two calls in two days Sunday and Monday.

The Sunday fire, in the afternoon, was on the Sam Sudderth farm four miles east of town. A two-room frame house, which was occupied by a Mexican family, was destroyed.

The fire evidently started from a gas explosion. Friona Volunteer Fire Department was also on hand. A woman inside the house was slightly injured and was taken to Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona.

The firemen extinguished a grass fire on the lawn of First Baptist Church Monday morning. No damage was done.

The fire was believed to have started from a burning trash barrel.

## Barbecue Dinner To Be Served Friday

Basketball fans attending the invitational tournament at Farwell Friday night are invited to a barbecue dinner with all the trimmings at the Farwell School cafeteria.

A money-making project of the Young Adult Sunday School Class of Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church, the dinner is scheduled to begin at 6 p. m. Tickets sell for \$1.50 for adults and 75 cents for children under 12.

## Former Pastor Speaks Here

Rev. L. E. Jackson of Amarillo was guest speaker Sunday for both morning and evening services at the Pentecostal Holiness Church. Rev. Jackson is superintendent of the Great Plains Conference of the church and is a former pastor of the local church.

Rev. and Mrs. Jackson, their children, Paul, Mary, Gene and Richard, lived in Bovina about three years ago.

## Basketball Roundup

### Bovina Takes Two From Lazbuddie

Bovina High basketball teams swept a pair of "scrimmage" games from Lazbuddie Tuesday night of last week here.

The Fillies, after trailing a part of the first half, came out on the long end of a 58-44 score. The Mustangs allowed the Longhorns to play "on the halves" as they walloped them 42-21. However, Lazbuddie was playing with four regulars missing from its lineup because of another school activity.

Janice Richards, star Fillie forward, was the high scorer of girls game as she made 27 points. Nancy Cumpton hit 18, Mildred Young 12 and Kay Leake one. Steinbock was high for the losers with 23.

Ramey Brandon, with 13 points, was high for the boys. Dick Horn had 12, John Riddle six, Jerry Burnett four, James Lawlis three, Roger Ezell two and Arnold Kriegel two. Butler led Lazbuddie with eight.

### Junior High Teams Split With L'buddie

Bovina's junior high boys and girls basketball teams divided games with Lazbuddie teams Monday night in Williford Gym. The local girls won, 29-21. The boys were defeated, 28-16.

Marilyn Brandon was the leading scorer in the girls game with 13. Sherri Langer had 12 and Douise McCormick and Christine Wassom counted two each.

Don Cumpton and Monty Turner were high for the boys with seven and six points respectively. Donnie Young made three.

### Bovina, Texico Divide Tuesday

"You take one and I'll take the other," Bovina and Texico teams decided about a pair of basketball games Tuesday night in Bovina.

Bovina won the girls' game 49-19.

Texico boys took a close 40-34 win over the Mustangs. The Wolverines led at the end of each quarter with scores of 9-6, 22-14, and 31-24. Texico's

Jerry Trower was the game's leading scorer with 17. Jerry Henson had 16, Raymond Hadley five, and Buddy Spears two to round out the scoring for the New Mexico team.

Dick Horn led the Mustangs with 16. Ramey Brandon made 11, Jerry Burnett four and Billy Burnam three.

In the girls' game, Bovina led throughout, 16-6, 31-9, and 41-15. Nancy Cumpton led the point makers with 16. She was followed by Janice Richards, who had 12, Joanie Ezell with 10, Mildred Young four, Arlene Clayton and Kay Hartzog two each, and Kay Leake one.

Bowers, with seven points, paced Texico. Anita Moss and Janel Seal had four each and Arlene Clear and Darlene Day had two each.

### Farwell Tourney Is This Weekend

It's tournament time for Bovina basketball teams this weekend as both Coach Bob Willis' Mustangs and Coach Charles Don Smith's Fillies are entered in the three-day Farwell Invitational Tournament, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Both teams meet Sudan teams in their opening games Thursday. The boys play at 3:50. The girls game follows at 5:10.

Other teams in the tournament include Farwell, Amherst, Adrian, Whitharral, Friona, and Lazbuddie.

Adrian, last year's District 3-B champion, will be the favorite in the boys bracket. Friona's girls, featuring speed and height, will be the girls favorite.

Next Tuesday night, three Friona teams—A and B girls and A boys—come here for a tripleheader beginning at 6:30. Bovina's Invitational Tournament is slated for next weekend—December 12, 13, and 14.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Williford are invited to visit with them next Sunday afternoon, from 2 until 5, in the annex of the First Baptist Church. They will be celebrating their Golden Wedding Anniversary with an openhouse and reception.

## Bovina Jaycees:

I live in Bovina trade territory and wish to enter your Christmas decoration contest.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

Home Location \_\_\_\_\_

Mail to:

BOVINA JAYCEES  
Box 925  
Bovina, Texas

A total of \$30 in prize money will be awarded to three winners. First prize will be \$15, second \$10, and third \$5.

Judging will be done Thursday night, December 19.

The decoration must be visible at night from the outside of the house. Also, an entry blank, such as one in this issue of The Blade, must be filled out and mailed to Bovina Jaycees, Box 925.

A committee of Jaycees to do the judging will be appointed by Crawford at a regular meeting Thursday morning in Bovina Restaurant.

NEWSPAPER **TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION** CONTESTS  
1957 PRIZE WINNER

**THE BOVINA BLADE**  
DOLPH MOTEN, EDITOR & PUBLISHER  
Second-Class Privileges Authorized at Bovina, Texas  
Published at Bovina, Texas, Every Wednesday

**Julia Lloyd Is Feted At Shower**

Miss Julia Ann Lloyd was honored with a pre-nuptial shower Monday afternoon of last week. It was held in the annex of the First Baptist Church.

Entertainment for the honoree and guests was provided by a game, "I've Got a Secret." Those on the panel were Mrs. P. A. Adams, Mrs. Leslie McCain, Miss Sue Moody and Miss Lloyd. Mrs. Arnold Hromas was in charge of the game, which was climaxed with arrival of guests with gifts.

Mrs. Don Murphy recited a reading, "A Little Home," before the presentation of gifts.

Refreshments of hot spiced tea, cake, mints and nuts were served. The individual cakes were iced with blue and had a tiny white fondant flower on top of each. The table was overlaid with a white cutwork cloth over blue and an arrangement of blue spider mums, white mums and white stock graced the center. The floral centerpiece also had a giant bell of silver and snow in front and was laced with blue ribbons.

Hostesses were Mrs. R. N. Williford, Mrs. McCain, Mrs. A. M. Martin, Mrs. F. O. Turner, Mrs. E. E. Woelfel, Mrs. Thomas Beauchamp, Mrs. Paul Jones, Mrs. Bill Bradshaw, Mrs. Don Murphy, Mrs. Henry Minter;

Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Hromas, Mrs. J. O. Combs, Mrs. A. L. Kerby, Mrs. H. H. Kelso, Mrs. Bill Horton, Mrs. Jim Owens, Mrs. Bob Johnston, Mrs. Herman Estes, Mrs. J. A. Loflin and Mrs. Billie Sudderth. They gave individual gifts.

Guests at the shower were Mrs. W. M. Lloyd, Mrs. Buddy Lloyd, Mrs. Rodney Hinkle, and Mrs. Ruby Robards, all of Friona; Mrs. J. D. Kelley of Clovis and Mrs. B. A. Kelley of Texico. Also, Mrs. Jerry Bell and Mrs.

T. O. Bell of Tucumcari, N. M.; Mrs. O. H. Jones, Mrs. G. E. Free, Mrs. R. G. Barron, Mrs. Bobby Englant, Mrs. Charles Hawkins, Miss Patsy Lloyd, Miss Nancy Cumpton, Miss Nicki Woelfel and Miss Joan Kay Ezell, all of Bovina.

Others were Mrs. Noel Teague of Fields, N. M.; Mrs. Cary Joe Magness of Farwell and Miss Kay Hartzog, Mrs. Paul Lloyd, Mrs. Odie White, Mrs. J. D. Stevens, Miss Lillian Fisher and Mrs. Bill Bradshaw, all of Bovina.

**Marzie Lynn Completes Study**

The parlor of the Methodist Church was the site Tuesday afternoon, November 26, of the final meeting of a series for the Marzie Lynn Circle. Mrs. L. H. Pesch, who has been in charge of a series of studies titled, "Christ, the Church and Race," completed the program.

Mrs. Jimmie Ware was in charge of the devotional. She spoke on "Belief and Action," continuing along the theme of the study. Mrs. Rouel Barron read an article taken from the "Reader's Digest" and spoke on "Roads to Racial Peace and Good Will."

Those present were Mrs. Della M. Ezell, Mrs. George Turner, Mrs. L. M. Grissom, Mrs. Warren Morton, Mrs. Jimmie Ware, Mrs. Barron, Mrs. E. M. Ware, Mrs. Pesch and Mrs. Billie Sudderth.

Plans were also made at the meeting for the annual Christmas program, which was planned for Tuesday. Mrs. E. M. Ware and Mrs. John Dixon were to be in charge.

**In Wylly Home**

Several friends gathered in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Wylly Tuesday, November 26, for an evening of visiting and games of "progressive 42." The hostess served cake, coffee, tea and hot chocolate to Mr. and Mrs. Durward Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Ware, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Clements, and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Ware.

**YWA Has Special Program Wednesday**

Members of the Young Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church met Wednesday evening for a special, candlelight service. The program was titled, "Three Knocks in the Night," and four girls took part on the program.

Avis Williams was mistress of ceremonies and explained the meaning of thoughts of another actor, Sue Moody. Nancy Cumpton and Myrna Downs took the parts of missionaries from Nigeria and Southern Rhodesia.

Guests for the program were Mrs. Don Murphy and Mrs. Ovid Lawlis.

**Wesleyan Guild Completes Study**

Members of the Wesleyan Service Guild met Monday night, November 25, in the parlor of the church for the conclusion of the study in progress.

Mrs. Bedford Caldwell led the study of "Christ, the Church and Race." The study was held in a series of six sessions.

Those assisting on the program were Miss Grace Paul, Mrs. W. R. Beard, Mrs. Dean Hastings and Mrs. H. J. Charles. A round table discussion was held afterwards. The devotional was given by Mrs. Alvin Farrell.

During a short business meeting, presided over by Mrs. Wayne Stevens, plans were made for the annual Christmas social of the organization. The social, in the form of a salad supper, will be held at the church Monday, December 9, at 7. Mrs. Charles will be hostess.

Mrs. Pat Terry was hostess to the meeting. She served date pudding, whipped cream, coffee and hot tea.

Those attending were Mrs. Bedford Caldwell, Miss Paul, Mrs. Stevens, Mrs. W. E. Williams, Mrs. Charles, Mrs. Beard, Mrs. Margaret Caldwell, Miss Rita Caldwell, Mrs. Hastings, Mrs. J. W. Whelan, Mrs. Farrell and the hostess.

**Attend Wedding**

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Glascock went to Lubbock Friday to attend the wedding of his nephew, Gerald Ray Glascock of Greenville, to Miss Sarah Kathleen Cole of Lubbock. The wedding took place in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Cole.

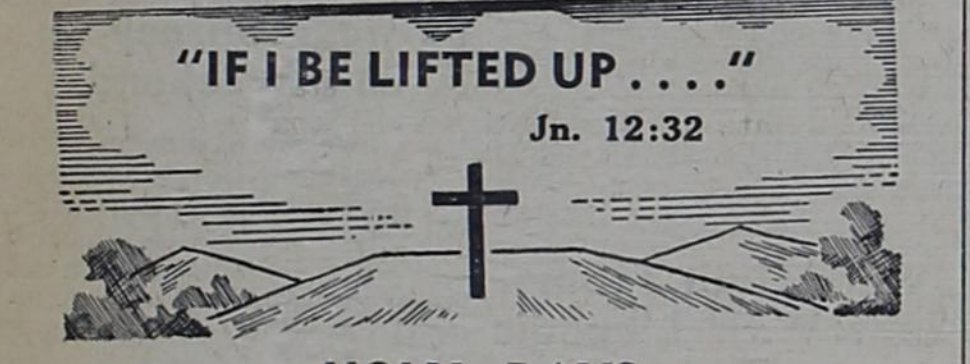
Returning to Bovina with the local family were the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Glascock, Linda Sue and Billy. Accompanying the local couple were their son, Kent, and Harriette Charles.

**With Parents**

Visiting for several days last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ward was their daughter and baby, Mrs. Sonny Spurlin and Kathy of Alamogordo, N. M. Mrs. Spurlin is the former Billie Ward and has many friends here. They returned to New Mexico Sunday afternoon.

**ELECTRICAL & PLUMBING REPAIRS**  
**BOVINA ELECTRIC**  
Odis White, Prop.  
Phone 2951

**RICHARDS SLAUGHTER HOUSE**  
"We Butcher Anytime"



**HOLY DAYS**

One of the first signs of apostasy from the faith that is revealed in the New Testament is the observing of some days above others in special worship unto Jehovah; to set apart special days in the year and call them holidays. Paul, the apostle, stated, "But now, after that ye have known God, or rather ye are known to God, how turn ye again to the weak and beggarly elements, whereunto ye desire again to be in bondage? Ye observe days, and months, and times, and years. I am afraid of you, lest I have bestowed upon you labour in vain" (Gal. 4:9-11). To observe tradition as something commanded by the Lord when it is instituted by man is vain worship. Paul calls these fallacies "weak and beggarly elements" and states that such observance brings bondage in sin.

Many think of Thanksgiving and Christmas as holidays (Holy Days) because of the religious significance placed upon these days every year by man. Neither of these days have any connection with New Testament Christianity. It is true that Christ was born, but upon what day is purely conjecture. Thanksgiving likewise is purely man-made tradition. To presume to walk where angels fear to tread is to bring the anathema of God. Read Gal. 1:7-9. Easter is another day that is placed in preeminence above other days in the year and great pagantry and religious programs are conducted on that special day by the sons of men. It again comes from tradition and has no authority higher than man. The origin of Easter was in paganism and was transplanted by men into their religious tradition. It should never be observed as a special day of worship.

The New Testament teaches, "Wherefore if ye be dead with Christ from the rudiments of the world, why, as though living in the world, are ye subject to ordinances, (TOUCH NOT; TASTE NOT; HANDLE NOT; WHICH ALL ARE TO PERISH

WITH THE USING) after the commandments and doctrines of men? Which things have indeed a SHEW OF WISDOM IN WILL WORSHIP, and humility, and neglecting of the body; not in any honour to the satisfying of the flesh" (Col. 2:20-23). A Christian abstains from man-made teaching and practices because those who use such practices are perishing. To follow the commandments given and bound upon people by other men is called "will worship." Will worship is worship unto Jehovah like men want to worship and not the way God intended that they worship. Jesus said, "This people draweth nigh unto me with their mouths, and honoureth me with their lips; but their heart is far from me. But in vain do they worship me, teaching for doctrines the commandments of men" (Matt. 15:8-9). Empty is the worship that does not have its authority from God's Holy Word.

There is only one day that is to have preeminence with the child of God and that day is the first day of the week. That was the day our Lord Jesus was resurrected from the dead (Mk. 16:2). The day also upon which the apostles assembled (John 20:19; 20:26). Christians have the example that God's children gathered together upon the first day of the week to eat at the Lord's supper (Acts 20:7) and gave of their means into the treasury of the Lord as they had been prospered (1 Cor. 16:1-2). This day is also the birthday of the church (Acts 2:1-47). They are also commanded to assemble upon this day (Heb. 10:25). This day is mistakenly called the "sabbath" but is the first day of the week, not the seventh. All other days have no special significance with God's people.

Why not follow God's Word and reject the shackles of bondage? Be a member of the New Testament church. The church of the Lord Jesus Christ. Alfred White, Church of Christ, Bovina, Texas

**Look what you get**

**when you get a NEW 1957 Hotpoint AUTOMATIC DRYER**

- Lighted pushbutton 4-heat selection
- Porcelain-enameled chassis and drum
- Precision electric timer
- De luxe back panel and control housing
- Porcelain enameled top surface
- Interior light
- Choice of Colortones

**LOOK AT HOW LITTLE YOU PAY**  
only \$2.60 a week  
**LOOK AT HOTPOINT NOW**  
**HASTINGS ELECTRIC**  
Bovina

**HARVEST TIRE SALE at Charles Oil Co.**

|   |  |
|---|--|
| —LEE—<br>7.60 x 15 Super Deluxe Rayon<br><b>WHITEWALLS</b><br>\$19 <sup>95</sup> plus tax | —LEE—<br>6.70 x 15 REGULAR DELUXE<br>\$12 <sup>95</sup> plus tax   |
| 6.70 x 15 Tubeless Rayon<br>LEE—<br><b>WHITEWALLS</b><br>\$20 <sup>95</sup>               | 6.00 x 16 \$10.95 plus tax   |
| —LEE—<br>6.00 x 16 \$16 <sup>95</sup> plus tax  | —LEE—<br>6.00 x 16 SUPER DELUXE<br>\$12 <sup>95</sup> plus tax   |
| 6.70 x 15 \$18 <sup>60</sup> plus tax   | —LEE—<br>6.70 x 15 Rayon, Conventional, Whitewalls<br>Advanced Super Deluxe<br>\$18 <sup>65</sup> plus tax |
|   | Blackwalls \$15.65   |
|   | —LEE—<br>6.70 x 15 Nylon, Conventional, Whitewalls<br>Advanced Super Deluxe<br>\$22 <sup>65</sup> plus tax |

Phillips 13-38 Rear Farm Tractor Tire  
Guaranteed for 50 Mos. \$105<sup>00</sup> plus tax

**CHARLES OIL CO.**  
Phillips '66' Jobber  
H. J. Charles Phone 4321 Bovina

**TOYLAND**  
at **CICERO SMITH**  
is well stocked and ready for you to make your selections

There's something for every member of the family at **CICERO SMITH**

Don't let your children miss seeing the dazzling array of toys here.

**GIFT WRAPPING FREE**

**CICERO SMITH LUMBER COMPANY**  
BOVINA Phone 2671

# «The High Plains Farm and Home»

## Cotton Allotments Take Slight Rise

This year has been rugged on county cotton growers, and they would be cheered by almost any good news. The good news this week is that cotton allotments for their next year's crop will go up—not down.

The 1958 allotment for Parmer County is 47,246 acres, an increase of almost 4,000 acres over last year. During 1956, Parmer County growers were allotted 43,298 acres.

The good news is not a result of any special legislation or political boondoggling. It is plain arithmetic on the accepted yardstick of determining allotments—history of planted acreage.

Used as a basis for the county base acreage is the past 5-year average. In 1952 (an uncontrolled year), an estimated 80,000 acres were planted to cotton. Then, in 1953 (another uncontrolled year), 97,127 acres were planted.

The 1954 allotment was 54,235; 1955 had 44,310; and 1956, 41,460 acres.

The main reason Parmer County's allotment is headed higher next year is that 1951 (31,500 acres) is being replaced with 1956. Parmer, Castro, and Swisher Counties on the High Plains will have an increase of

### Senior 4-H Girls Meet Monday

Three girls attended the regular monthly county-wide 4-H meeting Monday night, November 25. It was held in the home of Judy Billingsley, and was for members of the Senior 4-H Club for girls.

Miss Jimmie Lou Wainscott, Parmer County home demonstration agent, gave two demonstrations. She taught the girls how to make chocolate peanut cluster candy and also showed them many ways to keep dresser drawers neat and tidy.

Those attending were Virginia and Barbara Rea, Judy Billingsley and Miss Wainscott. County-wide meets are held in the home of one of the members the fourth Monday night of each month.

about the same ratio. Asked whether an increase had been expected previously, Prentice Mills, ASC office manager, says, "An increase was justified by our history, but we weren't sure about the increase until we got it."

Statewide allotments are down one percent. The maximum any county in Texas is being reduced this year is one and one-half percent. Lamb County, a Parmer County neighbor, is being cut back that amount, but still has an allotment exceeding 200,000 acres.

Individual allotments are now going out to farmers, and the

history method of setting those figures has been used, also. The law requires that no farmer be reduced to fewer than four acres, but Parmer County will have no allotments of fewer than 10 acres.

A local reserve of 410 acres is being held back for new growers, errors in allotments, and other contingencies. All the allotment will eventually be used, however.

Mills says he expects "from 20 to 25" new growers will appear in the county next year. He also expects "about 100" to apply for new grower allotments, though many will not qualify for them, he says.

## Marketing Quotas At Stake Tuesday

Cotton growers will go to the polls Tuesday, December 10, to vote on whether marketing quotas will be in effect for the 1958 upland cotton crop.

The secretary of agriculture is required by law to proclaim marketing quotas if the supply of upland cotton is more than the normal supply. Such a proclamation for the 1958 crop has been made by Secretary Benson. Marketing quotas cannot be continued in effect, however, without the approval of at least two-thirds of the cotton growers voting in a referendum on the question. So the next step is to hold a referendum in which farmers who engaged in the production of upland cotton in 1957 are eligible to vote.

If quotas are approved for the 1958-crop upland cotton, price support will be available to eligible growers at a level between 75 and 90 percent of parity, the minimum level depending on the supply at the time the support is determined.

Under a quota program, also, quota penalties will apply to cotton producers in excess of farm cotton allotments. If quotas are disapproved, there will be no quotas or penalties, but cotton acreage allotments will re-

main in effect. In this case, price support to eligible growers of upland cotton will be limited to 50 percent of parity.

The voting in Parmer County will take place at the polling places listed below, which will be open between the hours of 8 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Lawlis & Ely Gin — Bovina  
Watkins & Son Gin — Lazbuddie  
City Hall — Friona  
County Courtroom — Farwell

You need not pay a poll tax to be eligible to vote in the cotton referendum.

In previous years, local cotton growers have been "lukewarm" on the matter of the referendum, although it has always carried in Parmer County. This year, for the first time, there is organized effort to "jump the fence" and turn down the referendum.

Whether those agitating for defeat of the referendum will be successful remains to be seen, but it is interesting to note that marketing quotas have been retained by only a slim number of votes in recent years.

What farmers feared most finally happened last week. The High Plains, famous for their big winds, were swept by a northern gale that flattened or severely damaged several thousand acres of grain sorghum that had not yet been cut.

At first, the results of the wind were thought to be almost catastrophic, but after the damage was surveyed, and tests were made to determine how much of the fallen crop could be recovered, spirits revived considerably.

The hearts of many farmers were in their mouths by Wednesday afternoon, when the cold north wind persisted hour after hour, and the crops began to tumble. Hardest hit were the east-west rows, thousands of which were laid flat by the force of the wind.

Grain heads in such rows had nothing to lean on as did those of the north-south rows, and nearly all the grain wound up in the middles. Also, much more grain was exposed to the wind. Fields so affected were reduced to a "mess" in only a few hours, and farmers were frightened to consider the consequences.

Combining the grain with ordinary equipment was out of the question, because there wasn't anything left to cut. It was all down on the ground. Saving the day for the grain men who were struck with this misfortune this year were special "pickup" combine attachments that have just been popularized.

As the grain began to fall, calls for these gadgets, which replace the common reel with fingers that work like a cotton stripper, row binder, or corn puller, could be heard all over the Plains.

Area dealers had been sold out for weeks, and some farmers hauled in such accessory equipment from as far away as Oklahoma and Kansas. There is still a big demand for the gadgets, but enough of them are in operation, and are scheduled to be passed around from one farm to another, so that most farmers either have immediate access to one, or have been promised the use of one in the near future.

Cushioning the blow of the winds, which could have been much worse if they had come just a little earlier, were these factors:

1. From 75 to 80 percent of the Parmer County area had been cut.
2. From the remaining 20 to 25 percent, only the east-west rows received full effects of the winds, which put total

possible loss at 10 to 12 1/2 percent of the total crop. Reports indicate that farmers who are using pickup attachments on the downed grain, are being careful and are taking it easy, are coming up with from 75 to 90 percent of what fell over.

This part of the Plains was much more fortunate than farmers to the east. Although moisture has been a problem here all fall long, conditions have been much more severe on the eastern part of the Plains. Over half of the crop there was still unharvested.

The biggest dents in the harvest were made during the first of last week, while, in spite of cold, tough days, combine crews kept at it—even into the night and all day Thursday with hardly time taken off for the traditional Thanksgiving meal.

Moisture content was running too high in most cases, but elevator operators were cooperative and were sticking their necks out to share the risks with the farmer. Much grain has been placed on the ground to dry, and some will be dried artificially with special equipment. Blending with dry stocks is helping, too.

The haste to get the crop in paid off, because the high winds began Wednesday. They abated somewhat on Thursday, but then came back with renewed vigor on Friday and Saturday.

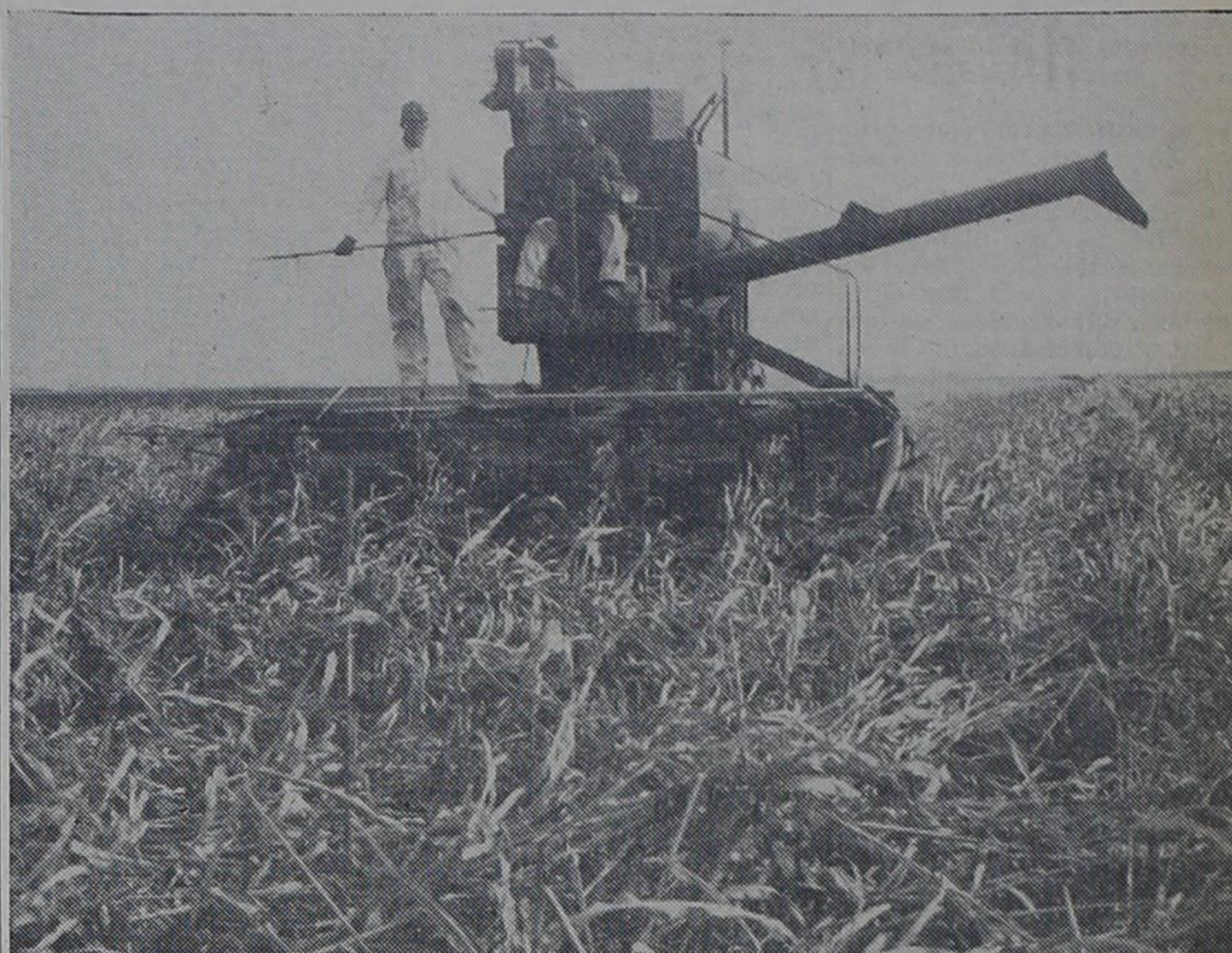
The latter two days were the most damaging.

Of the winds, County Agent Joe Jones says, "It sure would have been a whole lot worse if the winds had come sooner." Damage likely would have doubled if the wind had come only a week earlier.

Jones remarks, "The county as a whole wasn't hit as badly as you might think."

This isn't the first time such a thing has happened. More experienced farmers say that in years past they have seen conditions just this way. Years ago, when shocking feed was still common, it used to happen. They also can remember picking up much of the fallen grain, tossing it into wagons pulled behind horses or mules, and taking the grain in to the barn to be fed.

However, this is something new in this era of irrigation, when crops are big and stakes



Talk about a mess, these farmers have it! They are edging into this felled Texas 620 milo very cautiously, and, with special attachments on their combine, are having good luck in recovering the lodged grain. In this field near Bovina, near 5,000 pounds is being recovered, as compared with what appeared to be a total loss. The nose of the attachment is put right on the bottom of the middles, and actually does some plowing on occasion. Such low-angle combining forces nearly all the straw into the machine, and threshing is more tedious. However, farmers have successfully adjusted their machines for satisfactory operation.

are high. It's the first time that farmers have ever gone out to see their 5,000-pound feed and found it all lying on the ground.

No particular variety has been pronounced especially susceptible to the winds. Nearly all grain, both standard and hybrid, was toppled when exposed to the winds at right angles to the rows.

However, County Agent Joe Jones says some strains appear to have bigger, stronger stalk development, and he will present information on that subject after results can be assayed following conditions of this year.

The 1st Marine Division brought to a successful end the Battle of Guadalcanal, the first offensive of the U. S. against the Japanese, December 9, 1942.



As the combine inches along, constant attention is required to unclog the tangled stalks as they are pulled into the sickle. Jack Kirkpatrick pokes at the snarls with a stick to keep things rolling smoothly.

## COURTHOUSE

Instruments filed week ending November 30, 1957:

O&G Rel.—Magnolia Petroleum Co. to Odellia Huckert, all J. W. Carter Sur. No. 1 and all Sec. 4, PC Plyant Sur.

O&G L.—Eula L. Kerr, et al. A. N. Gamble, Part Sur. 2, Blk. B, W. A. O'Dell Sur.

DT—J. P. Morrison, Howard Wayne Phares, SE 1/4 Sec. 8, T5.

Tax Liens—USA, Alva J. and Fannie Hudson, D. B. and Christine Ivy, J. V. and Myrtle Bouldin, V. C. Krueger, Mike and Sybil Allen.

O&G Rel.—Hassie Hunt Trust, Chas. Lunsford, W. 186.16 a. Sur. 29; SE 1/4 Sur. 29; N 1/2 of NE 1/4 Sur. 32, T3S, R3E.

WD—W. F. Cogdill, Hautie Curry, Lot 9, Blk. 40, Friona.

Ab. of Judg.—The State of Texas, L. L. Cooper.

WD—James Perkins, Ina West, et vir, SW 1/4 Sec. 33, T10S, R2E.

DT—F. E. Seale, Amicable Life Ins. Co., Part of Sur. 21 and 22, T9S, R1E.

WD—James Perkins, Clyde Perkins, NE 1/4 Sec. 33, T10S, R2E.

WD—W. O. Burford, Veterans'

Land Board, 74,743 a. of SW 1/4 Sec. 64, Blk. H, Kelly.

WD—W. O. Burford, Veterans' Land Board, 80,017 a., see the above.

DT—Henry Hayes, Plainview PCA, N 1/2 Sec. 35, T2N, R4E.

WD—Alma Hendrickson, Shirley Hendrickson, 2 a. out of W 1/2 Sec. 6, T14S, R3E.

## The only 1958 car that offers more of everything you want... yet is priced lower than in '57

Here's great news! While prices of 1958 cars of other manufacturers are up, the price of Ford's exciting new Custom 300 Series is down. A brand-new 58 Ford Custom 300 with all of its exciting new styling and engineering advances is priced lower than a '57 model, similarly equipped!

World approved styling. A Custom 300 brings you styling that is dramatically new. With its Honeycombed grille, Slipstream roof, Deep-Sculptured rear deck, and Safety-Twin headlights and taillights, Ford styling drew admiring glances from Paris to Saigon... yet it's yours now in any 58 Ford Custom 300 without extra cost!

New handling ease. Slide behind the wheel of a Custom 300 and you'll soon discover just how much fun driving can be. Notice how smoothly it handles. That's Ford's new feather-touch Magic-Circle steering, the next best thing to power steering.

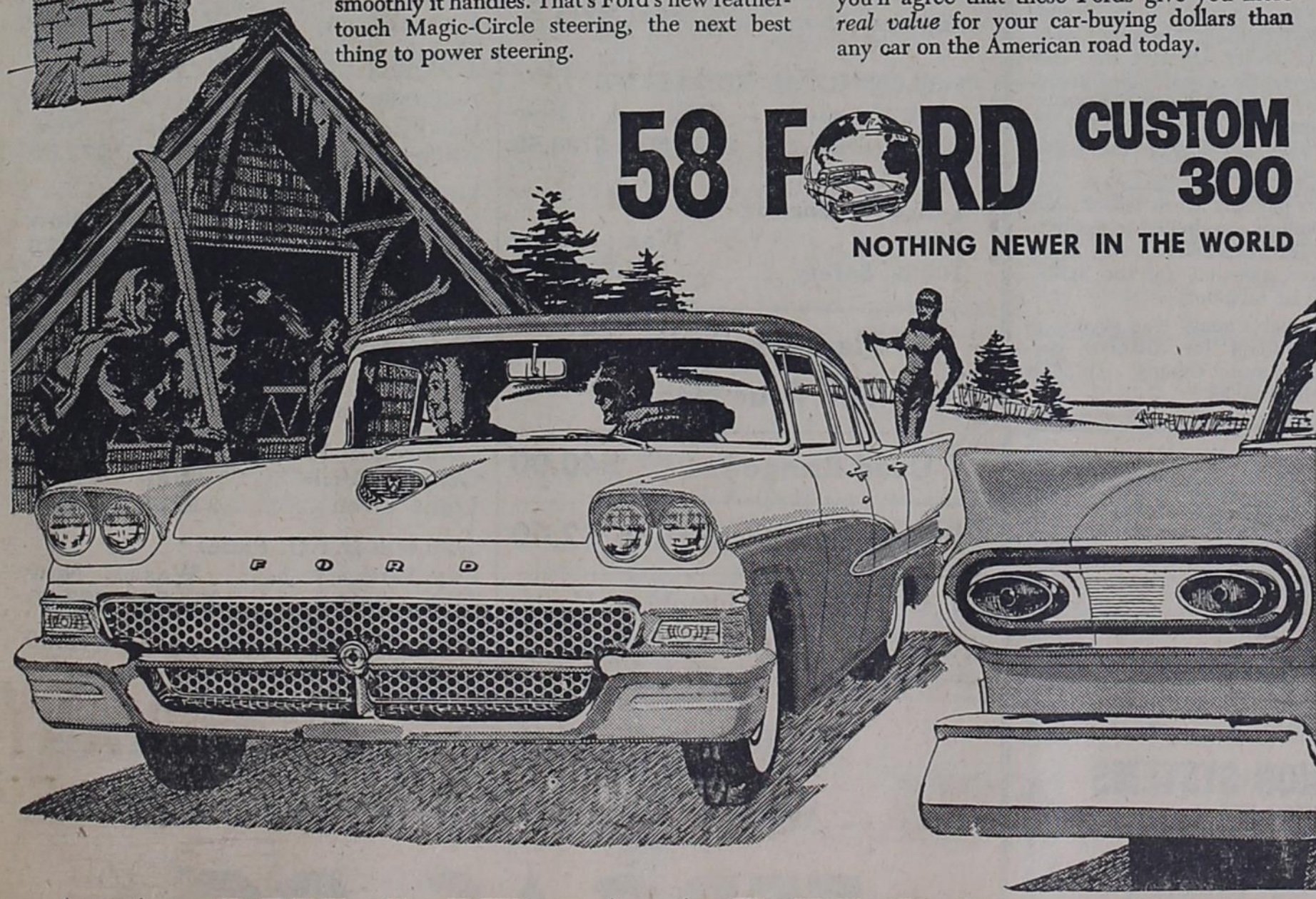
New riding comfort. Notice, too, the solid comfort of your ride. That's Ford's easier acting front and rear suspensions. They soak up the bumps before they reach you.

Thrifty, new engines. You have a wonderful choice of new, more efficient power plants... designed for real gas-saving economy plus greater performance. Six or V-8, they give you more power, smoother power, from less gas!

Priced as much as \$50 lower. A comparison of manufacturer's suggested retail delivered prices shows that a 58 Ford Custom 300 is priced as much as \$50 less than the same model for '57! You'll wonder how Ford can offer so many of the things you want in a car priced so low. One big reason: Ford gives you more car for less money because Fords sell more! See and drive a Custom 300 and we believe you'll agree that these Fords give you more real value for your car-buying dollars than any car on the American road today.

## 58 FORD CUSTOM 300

NOTHING NEWER IN THE WORLD



## McKILLIP MOTOR CO.

Corner Avenue A and 2nd St.

Farwell, Texas



Make TRAVELERS LIFE INSURANCE an important Partner in your Partnership

SEE US ABOUT A TRAVELERS PLAN TO PROTECT YOUR BUSINESS INTERESTS

## Bovina Real Estate and Insurance

Bank Bldg.

Bovina

Ph. 4382

A. L. Glasscock

## THE PARMER COUNTY IMPLEMENT CO. NEWS

"The Place Where Most People Trade" Wednesday, December 4, 1957 Friona, Texas

Have you deposited your money in the Christmas Card fund? This money will go to the Parmer County Community Hospital. December 15 is the deadline for depositing funds in this account.

PCICN

This is our favorite letter to Santa Claus. We are sure it was written by a little boy exactly like the ones at our house. It goes like this: "Dear Santa Claus—Last Christmas I asked you for a puppy and a kangaroo and a boa-constrictor. You brought the puppy and he is fine. This year, please bring me the kangaroo and the boa-constrictor." The letter was signed "A Little Boy."

PCICN

Tractors are our business. The new 450 Farmall is just one of the IH tractors we'd like to show you. The 450, with torque amplifier, gives extra power without shifting into lower gear—gives lower operating cost—saves 15 percent in fuel bills alone—has ten speeds forward and two in reverse.

PCICN

The average farm in Parmer County is 550 acres with one family to each half section.

PCICN

A couple of Dallas hunters suddenly discovered that a bull was charging down toward them. They tossed away their guns and raced for safety. One climbed a small tree that just barely put him out of reach of the animal's horns and the other man jumped into a hole. He sprang out in a moment and the bull wheeled and

rushed toward him, whereupon the man jumped back into the hole, but in a little bit, he sprang out again. His friend up in the tree yelled, "Henry, for goodness sake, stay in there so the bull will go away!"

The other said, "There's a wildcat in this hole."

PCICN

Have you driven one of the new Oldsmobiles? We invite you to come by and drive one of these completely new cars. For economy when you need it and power when you need it, try the new Olds.

PCICN

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Bainum and small daughter have moved to Friona from Amarillo. They are living in Frankie Allen's house and Dudley is working at Bainum Butane.

PCICN

The McCormick grain drills are built rugged for big acreage seeding season after season. They will outlast any drill you've ever owned. Ask us about trade-ins.

PCICN

The tenderfoot had just taken his first horseback ride. "I didn't know anything filled with hay could be so hard," he moaned.

PCICN

Chatter at our house this week: Does Santa Claus buy the presents? Where does he get the money? Does he make all the toys? Who helps him? Has Santa Claus ever heard of the new jets? Are reindeers magic? What do they eat? Did you ever see a reindeer fly?

How do they sleep? How old is Santa Claus? How big is his sleigh? Can we see him this Christmas?

PCICN

The Parmer County Implement Company always has a complete stock of batteries. Auto-lite batteries are the world's most dependable batteries. They are guaranteed to give satisfaction.

PCICN

Flu almost closed Mary Lou's Beauty Shop last week. Audrey Skinner and Mary Lou both were out with the flu but Patti Hughes has just moved back to Friona from Casper, Wyo., so she helped out.

Patti worked at the shop before she moved away. Mary Lou was back at work Friday, but Mrs. Skinner, though feeling better, was at home taking care of her mother and father, who came to visit over the Thanksgiving holidays and caught the flu.

PCICN

No matter how much land you farm, there's a McCormick disk plow to fit the requirements of your soil, the size of your farm, and the power of your tractor. Let us demonstrate one of these plows on your farm.

— PCICN —

Chatter at our house: But, Mother, I'll mow the grass tomorrow.—Who turned that television down?—Somebody ate the candy I was saving.—What does concentrate mean?—I can't find the see-thru tape.—What is a satellite? Can I see one? Who made it? Why does it go so fast? Why will we have one?

NEWS FROM THE FARM BUREAU

Castor beans are coming to the front in discussions of replacements for grain sorghums again. Improved varieties and methods of harvest are giving them more appeal...

With Christmas, a season that inspires spending, or at least the desire to spend, coming up, we again call the attention of wives to a good source of re-

deemable cash, the five cents per gallon road tax refund on farm-used fuels. When you receive your notice, a post card, you can come in and sign the affidavit for your husband...

Some of our people who were unable to make the State Farm Bureau Convention because of milo harvest are expressing interest in the national convention in Chicago, December 8. We hope they can make it.

Some of you, who have not returned your draft authorization for membership signed or unsigned, are requested to do so as soon as convenient. You are urged to make any suggestions you may think of for improving Farm Bureau's service to you and other members.

We hope you will remember to drive safely and sanely at all times and avoid an accident. Apparently, anxiety over harvest delays has contributed to an increase in truck accidents...

Consider this: "The wicked flee when no man pursueth; but the righteous are bold as a lion." Proverbs 28:1

ATTENTION SHELTER OPERATORS



let us be Santa Claus

SAVE UP TO \$125 ON SHELTERS PURCHASED DURING DECEMBER

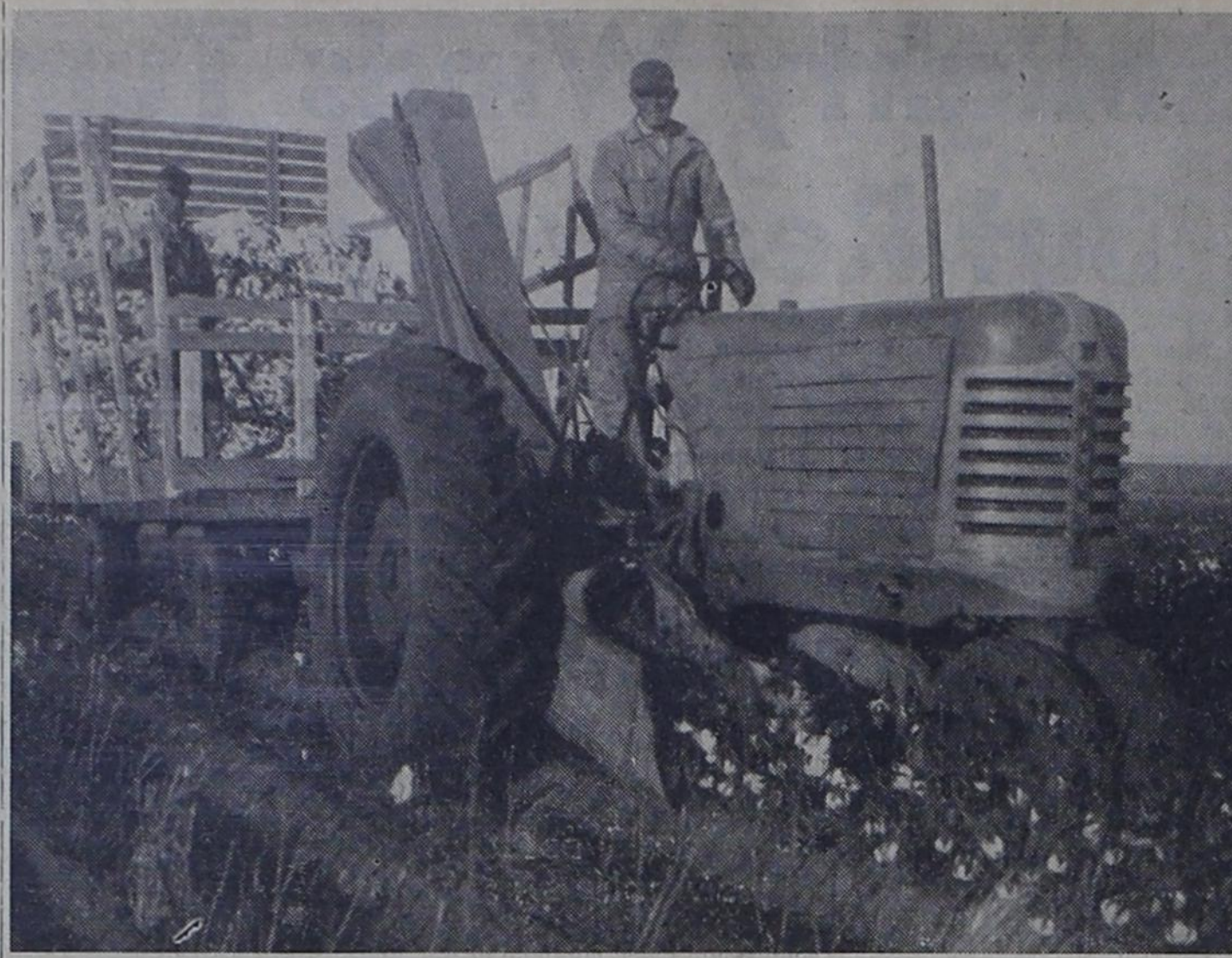
With the purchase of a new MM "E" Shelter and drags, we will make you a \$125 allowance on the new drag sections. With the purchase of a new MM "D" Shelter and drags, we will allow you \$75 on the new drag sections.

Liberal Credit Terms Tailored To Each Purchase



MAURER MACHINERY CO. FRIONA

YOUR MINNEAPOLIS-MOLINE DEALER A DEAL-A-DAY IN DECEMBER



Farmers' grins are a mile wide as they finally get into their fields with stripping machines. This is John West atop the tractor on his farm in the Oklahoma Lane community. He is pulling about a bale and a quarter per acre.

Conservation Reserve Sign-Up Is Opened

The Parmer County ASC Committee has been authorized to begin accepting applications for conservation reserve contracts to become effective with 1958 as the first year of the contract period.

The conservation reserve is the phase of the soil bank program under which producers agree to retire certain cropland acres from production for a 5 or 10 year period.

Under this program, a producer who already has a contract in force (which began in 1956 or 1957) on a farm, may modify that contract by placing additional land in the reserve. The annual payment rate for land placed in the conservation reserve in Parmer County is \$10 per acre.

Dr. William Beene Optometrist Mon.-Tues.-Wed. Mabry Building - Friona Phone 4051

MELTON STUDIO

1010 Main Clovis, New Mexico Portrait Photography Phone PO3-7980

4-H News

FARWELL JR. BOYS

Roy Donaldson, Reporter Farwell Junior Boys 4-H Club met at school Thursday, November 21. President Ronnie Henson called the meeting to order. Leon Lovelace read the minutes of last meeting and pledge leader Alan Busbie led the club in the 4-H pledge and motto.

Roy and Larry Donaldson gave a demonstration on the making of a rope halter. Jimmy Armstrong and Billy Fields gave a talk on cutting off an irrigation well with an alarm clock.

Demonstration teams for the January meeting will be Dudley Robertson, Bobby Pruitt, Gilbert Dale and Scotty Mount. Ronny Henson and Roy Donaldson will make a recommendation before the County 4-H Council that a county-wide electric workshop be built.

FARWELL SR. BOYS

Freddie Taylor, Reporter Farwell Senior Boys 4-H Club met at school Thursday, November 21. The meeting was called to order by Maurice Smith, president. Secretary Michael Nelson read the minutes of last meeting. Joe Tom Reed, pledge leader led the club in the 4-H pledge.

The next 4-H County-wide party which will be December 14 for the senior 4-H club members was discussed.

At the January meeting Clifford Nicholson and Jimmy Keith will give a demonstration on electricity. David Watkins and Aubrey White will demonstrate clipping a pig for show. Barry McCuan and Kenneth Smith and Joe Reed and Ricky Cooper will give demonstrations at the February meeting. Joe Jones, county agent, discussed a committee for an electric school. The committee will be appointed at the next meeting.

LAZBUDDIE JR. BOYS

Rowland Barnes, Reporter Lazbuddie Junior Boys 4-H Club met at school on Monday, November 25. In the absence of Gary Mac Brown, president, Joe Jones, county agent, took charge of the meeting. We discussed the party for junior members to be December 7 at the Hub Community Center. Money for the 4-H signs will be sent in on December 9. At the next meeting Darrell Mason and Rowland

Barnes are going to give a demonstration on a pig from wearing to champion.

LAZBUDDIE SR. BOYS

James Brown, Reporter The Lazbuddie Senior Club met at school on November 25. President Richard Chitwood called the meeting to order. Harrol Redwine led the club in the 4-H pledge. Cooper Young, secretary, read the minutes of the last meeting.

James Brown gave a report on the council meeting at the courthouse in Farwell, Saturday, November 16. Richard Chitwood, president of our club, was elected vice-chairman of the council.

The president gave out pictures he took on the crops tour last summer. The group discussed giving the National 4-H News to their leaders for Christmas. Eugene Houston and Calvin Mason gave a demonstration on how to raise a sow and litter. Glendale King gave a demonstration on landscaping.

Cooper Young gave a report of the 4-H signs the members plan to buy. The president then turned the meeting over to Joe Jones, county agent. He talked about demonstrations that could be given and asked if anyone needed to buy a 4-H record book. We also discussed the party for older 4-H members to be December 14.

BOVINA BOYS

Dickie Clayton, Reporter Bovina 4-H Club met at school on Wednesday, November 27.

After regular business Joe Jones and Ronnie Sudderth gave a demonstration on swine. Gary Stevenson and Dickie Clayton gave a demonstration on poultry.

Following the demonstrations, Joe Jones, county agent, talked about giving demonstrations properly, and about other demonstrations 4-H members could give. At the next meeting Joe Jones and Ronnie Sudderth will give another demonstration on swine. Julian Berry and David Lowrie are to give a demonstration on irrigation and Tally Kelso and Gary Beauchamp will give a demonstration on dairy cattle at the January meeting.

FRIONA JR. BOYS

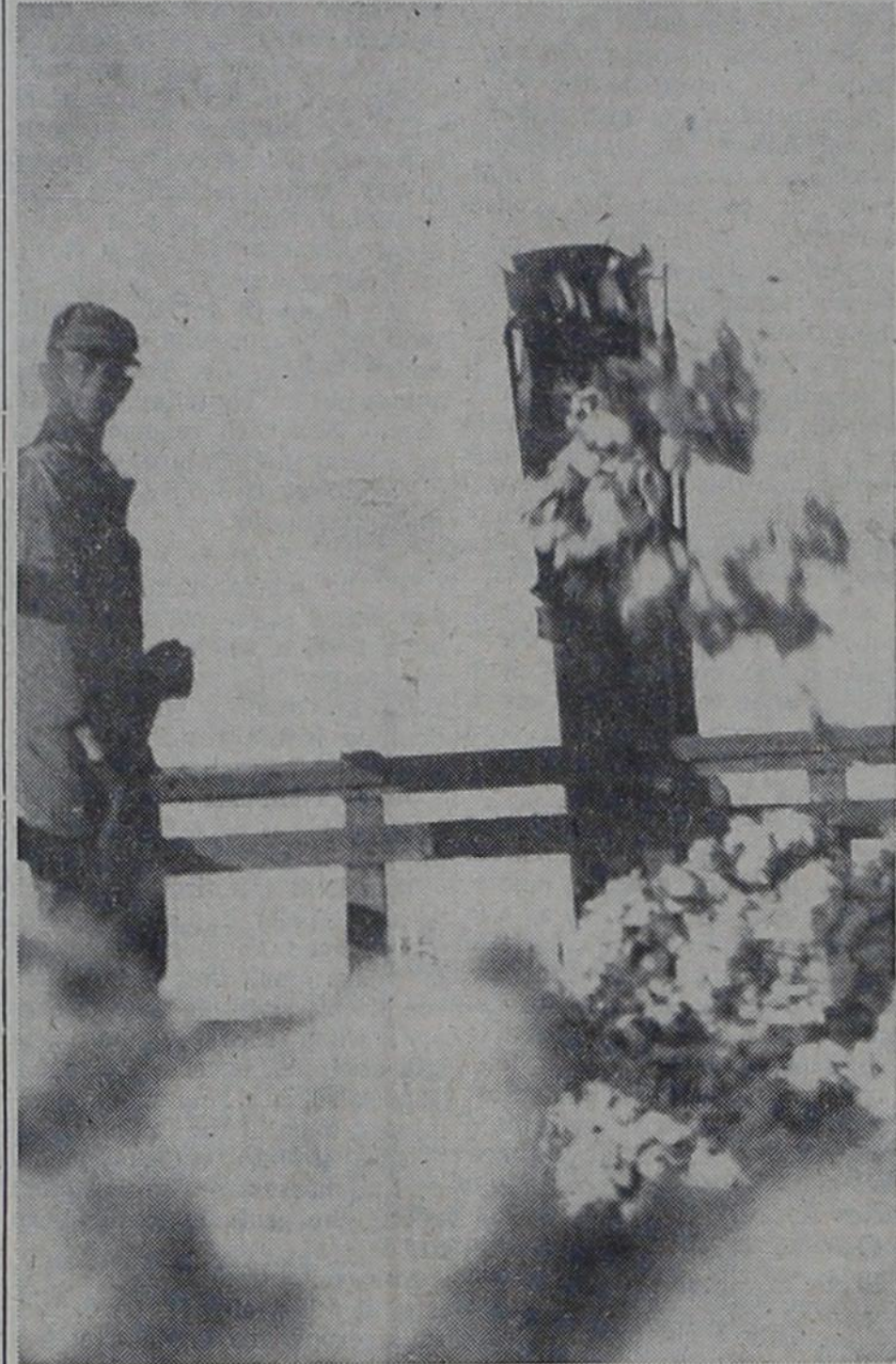
Joey Taylor, Reporter Our 4-H Club met November 28 at school. President Joe Bob Johnson called the meeting to order and after regular business the meeting was turned over to Joe Jones, county agent. Mr. Jones showed slides on the crop contest sponsored by the Cotton Improvement Association and the Grain Sorghum Growers Association.

Johnson reported on the county council meeting he attended at Farwell November 16. Randy Price reported on the party at the Hub Community House on October 26. It was announced that there will be a 4-H party at the Hub Community Center on December 7 for 4-H Club members ages 9 to 12.

WYLE BULLOCK

Agent For FARMER'S UNION INSURANCE (All Kinds)

Phone Lazbuddie-Yorktown 5-3236 Route 1, Box 32 Muleshoe



Then, as the bolls fly out of the stripper mouth and into the trailer, they are "forked" toward the back to take advantage of the maximum capacity of the trailer. Often, an attempt is made to keep the "bollies" near the front and out of the gin.

Cotton Looks Up, Gins Are Ginnin'

"Cotton is looking better this week." That was the improved report given by County Agent Joe Jones today after a check of harvesting conditions in the county.

"The sun has been helping the bolls a lot," he said. On the strength of improved conditions with favorable weather, the agent suggested that some farmers might profit by delaying pulling their bolls, but he emphasized that he was not suggesting farmers regard that

Point of Delivery Farmer's Choice

Some county corn growers have wondered about this year's loan program. In the event corn is stored on their farm, a government loan is made on it, the loan matures, and the government calls for delivery, farmers have wondered where delivery would be made.

"It would be made to the elevator of the farmer's choice," says Prentice Mills of the ASC office. "Any of the area elevators that were eligible to receive such grain could be selected by the farmer."

One loan has been made on this year's crop. The grain is being stored with a Clovis concern. Many more loans are expected this year.

as advice. "As late as it is, and as much as farmers want to harvest their cotton I certainly would not want to delay them in doing it," he said. "Besides, some of the cotton is ready to go right now."

It will be the farmer's job to decide which is the best course, he believes. Most gins are now keeping busy, and prospects for the season to wind up this month are good. Yields of lint cotton are generally running from one to one and one-half bales, which is better than was first hoped for, but grades are low, as had been anticipated.

16 Permits Issued For Irrigation Wells

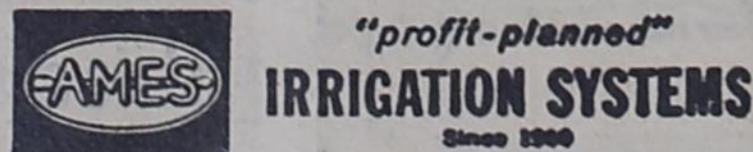
Sixteen permits were issued during October by the High Plains Water District for drilling irrigation wells in Parmer County. However, only one completion has been indicated on the records during the same period of time.

Ten permits were issued, and ten wells were drilled in September. Harvest activity has likely been responsible for the drilled drop in October.

Parmer County was second in the District for October permits. Lamb County left far ahead with 56.

Parmer County Pump Co.

It's time now to consider an . . .



BYRON JACKSON PUMPS Drilling and Casing - Pump Repair Phone 2201 - Friona - Phone 2091

Fall Sale--Easy Terms

BIG Trade-in's - BIG Savings

Weather Strip Your Doors - Price Per Door \$2.29 Install in as little as 10 minutes. Pre-cut for easy installation. Fits snugly against even badly warped doors

Table with 3 columns: Item, WAS, NOW. Includes SERVEL REFRIGERATOR and UPRIGHT HOME FREEZER.

1 Group Heaters

Table with 3 columns: Item, Was, Now. Includes 1-20 Gallon NAT. GAS and 2-20 Gallon NAT. GAS.

Table with 3 columns: Item, Was, Now. Includes 2-Humphery Vented Heaters, 40,000 B.T.U. THERMO.

Table with 3 columns: Item, Was, Now. Includes 1-Humphery Vented Heater, 40,000 B.T.U.

Table with 3 columns: Item, Was, Now. Includes 1-35,000 B.T.U. BRILLIANT FIRE Vented, Thermostat.

Table with 3 columns: Item, Was, Now. Includes 1-35,000 Martin Pilot and 100% Safety.

Plenty of Radiants For Your Heaters

Table with 3 columns: Item, Was, Now. Includes 1 Used Range \$40.00, Prestone, Per Gallon \$2.40.

Table with 3 columns: Item, Was, Now. Includes 1 Used 50,000 Humphery Heater.

... A Bargain

Prices Good 'Til December 15th WHERE YOU GET BETTER BARGAINS

FERGAS CO.

102 Main Clovis, N. M. PO 3-5322

DeKALB offers PROOF of its STANDABILITY



More and more farmers are ordering DeKALB Hybrid Sorghum for 1958 planting. DeKALB's standability is a quality they want to be sure and have in their next year's milo crop.

The above picture was snapped Thursday morning after the near gale-like winds struck on Wednesday night. DeKALB F62a Hybrid Sorghum withstood the gusts, while competitive Hybrids went to the ground.

By noon Friday winds were strong enough to damage DeKALB Hybrid Sorghum, but only 5 percent to 50 percent of the remaining DeKALB was blown down.

However, the two and one half days during which DeKALB Hybrid Sorghum stood gave most farmers an opportunity to go ahead and harvest their DeKALB Hybrid Sorghum.

DeKALB'S STANDABILITY, COUPLED WITH EARLY MATURITY, FAST DRYING, OPEN HEADS, AND INSECT RESISTANCE ALSO OFFERS YOU THE HIGH YIELDING CAPABILITY OF HYBRID SORGHUM.

CALL US TODAY FOR YOUR 1958 SUPPLY OF DeKALB HYBRID SORGHUM.

CUMMINGS FARM STORE

PHONE 2032 FRIONA, TEXAS



FARMER'S UNION LEADERS—Pictured are officers of the Farmer County Farmer's Union who are to carry the ball for the organization during the next year. They are (l to r) T. O. Lesly, Lazbuddie FU president; John Renner, Friona FU president; C. C. Graef of Lazbuddie, county president, and Gordon Massey, Friona vice-president.

# Graef of Lazbuddie Heads Farm Union

Clayton C. Graef of the Lazbuddie community is to steer the Farmer County Farmer's Union through the coming year as county president. Discussion at the meeting, led by Edelman, centered around the two-price plan for cotton as proposed by Plains Cotton Growers. Edelman explained the program, saying the National Farmer's Union has strongly endorsed the measure, which includes acreage allotment for domestic markets and another for export markets. The outcome of four meetings of commodity groups which Edelman attended was reported to have developed a solid front of all commodity producers. Edelman said that the National Grange, along with the Farmer's Union, endorses the program, and the only farm organization withholding support is the Farm Bureau Federation. Edelman also explained the group insurance program offered to Farmer's Union members through the organization. A call to give more support to FU activities was made by the group, with plans for regular meetings being talked. No action was taken about regular meetings.

# H. D. AGENT'S CORNER

Jimmie Lou Wainscott

### COOKING GAME MEAT

Wild game should be cooked according to the type of cut and age of the animal, according to extension foods and nutrition specialists. Standard methods of cooking beef and lamb are successful for venison and antelope. For tender cuts such as loin and shoulder, use dry heat. Season the meat with salt and pepper and place on a rack in an uncovered pan, fat side up. Do not add water and do not cover. Extra fat, such as bacon may be added to venison or elk. Roast in a slow oven, 300 to 360 degrees F., allowing 25 to 30 minutes per pound. If the meat is frozen, a longer time will be needed for cooking. When frying game meat, first heat the frying pan until it is sizzling hot. Brown both sides of the meat, turning only once. Season when ready to turn. For thick steaks or chops reduce heat after browning to finish cooking. Insert a rack under the meat to prevent over-cooking the meat next to the pan. Steaks, chops, or ground meat patties may be broiled on a hot, greased broiler rack about three inches from the heat. If the meat is very lean, brush with fat. When it is brown enough, season and turn. Reduce the heat and cook until done. Serve on a hot platter. Less tender cuts, such as flank, round, rump, or shortribs, can be made tasty by braising. The first step by this method is TOP PRICES PAID FOR USED FURNITURE AND APPLIANCES. PREMIUM For Better Quality PETE'S TRADING POST. Phone PO3-5252. 108 Main — Clovis, N. M.

to brown the meat slowly on all sides in a heavy utensil. Then season with salt, pepper, herbs, spices, or vegetables. Add a little liquid in the form of water, soup stock, vegetable juice, or sour cream. Cover closely and cook at a low temperature until tender. Cooking it may be done on top of the range or in a slow oven at not over 300 degrees F. Proper seasoning for wild game is important, especially if the "gamey" taste is not relished. Bay leaves, thyme, marjoram, savory, parsley, chives, green pepper, celery and onion tops, garlic, cloves, sage, allspice, tomatoes, ketchup, fresh dill leaves, sliced oranges, apples, and Worcestershire sauce are a few suggestions. Basting wild game with pickle juice, tomato juice, orange, lemon or grapefruit juice, or sour cream enhances its flavor. Some food experts contend the wild flavor of game should be retained because of the unusual flavor, but if the "gamey" flavor is objectionable, bake or roast the game with sliced onions, quartered apples, and celery; discard these before serving. Some folks believe wild duck should be served rare, but most Texans prefer it well done. If rare duck is preferred, shorten the cooking time. It is especially important to marinate venison before broiling.

**Venison Marinade**  
Combine 1 part vinegar or lemon juice with 3 parts salad oil. Season with spices as dill seed, celery seed, cloves, thyme, bay leaves, sliced onions, garlic, celery leaves. Place the meat in a large bowl and pour the marinade over it. Place in refrigerator 3 to 4 hours for small cuts, 10 to 12 hours for large cuts.

**VENISON RECIPES**  
(Compiled by extension foods and nutrition specialists)  
Venison is a rather dry meat and is usually improved by the addition of suet or butter when roasting, broiling or frying. The characteristic venison flavor is concentrated largely in the fat and the removal of the bulk

of the fat will make it less "gamey."

The loin will give the best roasts or steaks (sirloin or porterhouse). The chuck and rump are good for pot roasts and ground meat. The round will make good steaks unless the animal is particularly tough and then it may be used as swiss steaks or ground up. If the leg is small it may be roasted as in one piece in the manner of a leg of lamb.

The shank, neck, flank and spareribs can be best used in the soups, stews and ground meat. The neck will be tender if the tendons are removed and will make a good roast. It is all too good to waste. Venison is one of the choicest of wild meats and what objectionable qualities are encountered in its use are almost always the result of carelessness before it reaches the cooking stage.

### Roast Venison

Wipe clean and season with salt and pepper. Place on rack in a pan with fat side up. Do not cover or add water. Strips of bacon or beef suet can be laid across the top to baste the venison as it roasts. Roast in slow (330 to 325 degrees F.) oven 20 to 25 minutes per pound.

### Broiled Venison

Use tender cuts from the loin or leg, about 1/2 to 3/4-inch thick. Brush with oil and place on preheated broiler rack, 2 or 3 inches below gas flame. Broil 7 to 10 minutes, turning without piercing meat, to brown both sides. Season with salt and pepper.

### Venison Meat Loaf

1 pound ground venison  
1/2 pound ground pork  
1 egg  
1/2 cup dried bread crumbs  
1 cup milk  
1 1/2 teaspoon salt  
1/2 tablespoon chopped onion  
Beat the egg, add milk and bread crumbs. Mix thoroughly with the meat and seasoning. Put in a greased pan and bake in medium oven (350 degrees F.) for 1 hour. Tomato and green pepper may be added if additional seasoning is desired. The meat loaf may be made with all venison, but the fat of the pork makes a more tender loaf.

### Venison Swiss Steak

1 1/2 pounds round steak  
3 large onions  
1 medium stalk celery  
1 cup tomatoes  
2 tablespoons Worcestershire sauce, salt and pepper  
Steak should be about 1 1/2 inches thick. Dredge with flour and season with salt and pepper, then brown in fat. When brown on both sides, add the other ingredients. Cover tightly and cook in medium oven (350 degrees F.) or over low flame on top of the stove until tender, (about 1 1/4 hours). Remove meat to platter and make a gravy from drippings in the pan. Serve with baked potatoes.

### Venison Pot Roast With Vegetables

(shoulder, rump, round)  
3 to 4 pounds of venison  
5 whole carrots  
5 whole potatoes  
5 whole onions  
Turnips and celery may also be added.  
Dredge meat with flour, salt and pepper, and brown in fat. Braise the meat for two of three hours over a very low heat. When the meat is tender, add the vegetables and cook until vegetables are done. Make a gravy of the liquid in the pan and pour over the meat and vegetables.

# TRADE IN YOUR OLD FURNITURE! CLEAN OUT THE ATTIC! ANYTHING MAKES A DOWN PAYMENT DURING McCAULEY'S YEAR END



# FURNITURE SALE

## LIVING ROOM

- 369.50 3 pc. Sect. Corner Curve Nylon Cover ..... 194.00
- 267.50 2 pc. Sectional, Trade in your old suite and ..... 154.00
- 369.50 2 pc. Sect. Several Colors, Old suite and ..... 228.00
- 319.50 2 pc. Deluxe Living Room Suite ..... 227.00
- 449.50 Corner Curve—The very finest ..... 288.00
- 329.50 Corner Curve - Several colors and covers ..... 199.00
- 189.50 2 pc. Sectional ..... 140.00
- 429.50 100 inch Deluxe Sofa Sleeper, one only ..... 275.00

See Many Sofas, Suites, Sectionals, Sofa Sleepers which are not listed.

TRADE AND SWAP TO YOUR HEARTS CONTENT — CARLOAD AFTER CARLOAD OF FINE FURN. AND APPLIANCES TO BE SOLD THIS DEC. — REGARDLESS OF PRICE — IF YOU DON'T LIKE OUR PRICE MAKE US AN OFFER — PROFITS FORGOTTEN — WE ARE WINDING UP OUR YEAR.

## Ranges

- FULL SIZE RANGE Reg. \$189.50, Trade in your old range and ..... 109.00
- FULL SIZE DELUXE MODEL, Reg. 219.50 Trade your old range and ..... 138.00
- FULL SIZE SUPER Deluxe Reg. 249.50 Old range and ..... 157.00
- FULL SIZE TOP OF THE LINE Reg. 269.50, Old range ..... 197.00

Many Models Not Listed TRADE AND SAVE

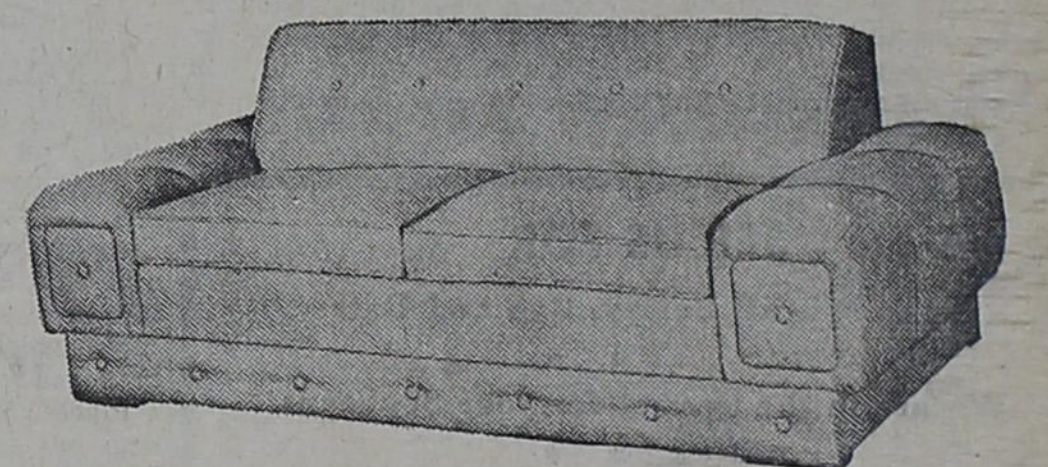
## REFRIGERATORS

Up to— Trade-in if in Operating Condition **\$150**

## Bedroom

UP TO **\$150**

Trade in allowance on your old Bedroom Suite — Choose from Silver Greys — Wal. — Casual Mhg. — Lined Oak



SOFA SLEEPER EXACTLY AS SHOWN— THE PERFECT COMBINATION BED OR SOFA—CHOICE OF COLORS **\$229.00**

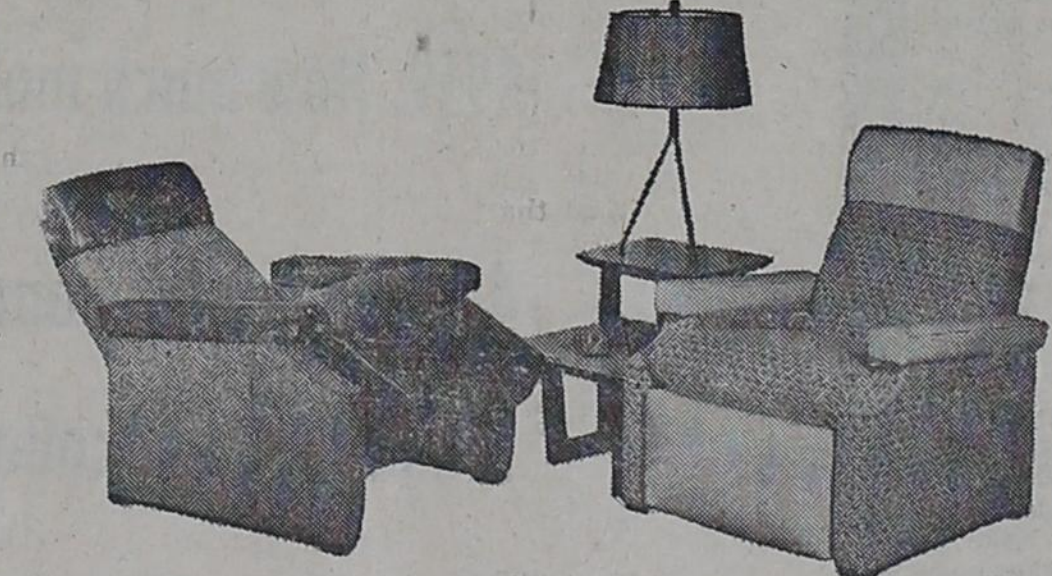
# DINETTES

AT PRICES YOU WON'T BELIEVE

By VIRTUE, the world's largest mfg. of dinettes.

- LARGE 2 LEAF TABLE 6 Chairs — One of Virtue's Finest Sets — Lifetime Top — Beautiful Styling, Reg. 209.50 Trade in your old set and **\$109.00**
- 5 pc. DINETTE ROUND TABLE, 2 leaf Reg. 149.50 Buy now for **99.00**
- 7 pc. DINETTE, Large Table, 6 chairs, Reg. 159.50 BUY NOW **88.00**
- 5 pc. DINETTE Small table, 4 chairs Reg. 99.50 ..... **59.00**

ALL ABOVE ARE NATIONALLY ADV. SETS KNOWN AND SOLD THE WORLD OVER



FINE SELECTION RECLINING CHAIRS NATIONALLY ADV. BRANDS IN GOLD — BEIGE, CHARCOAL — GREEN — AQUA — BROWN PLASTIC TRIM OR ALL PLASTIC—YOU NAME IT— WE'VE GOT IT **SAVE 40%**

## STUDIO SETS

One group, 3 pc. sets — consists of divan, occasional chair, and platform rocker. Latest covers and colors, Reg. price 229.50, trade in an old suite and buy now for **\$148**

## ONE GROUP 2 pc. STUDIO SETS

Beautiful Nylon covers, modern style Reg. price 269.50, trade in an old suite and buy now for **\$159**

# Liquidation

# 80

MATTRESSES AND BOX SPRINGS

On our floor that must be sold — full size — twins — Long Fellows — in foam rubber — Innerspring, Etc.

# McCAULEY FURN.

TEXICO-FARWELL — HU 2-9032 — FURNITURE MART BLDGS. —

## SWIVEL and ROCK

EASY CHAIRS BY THE DOZEN Reg. 109.50 TAKE YOUR PICK **\$69.00**

LAYAWAY ANY ITEM OR ITEMS TILL CHRISTMAS IF YOU WISH

## CUSTOM PLOWING

\$3 AN ACRE FROM 10" TO 12" Carry-All Work — Land Levelling

**EDDIE REDDEN**

Phone Tharp 2147 — Bovina

FARM & RANCH LOANS Long Term-Low Interest **Ethridge-Spring Agency, Friona** Ph. 2121 or 5551

**Dr. B. R. Pufman** OPTOMETRIST

Phone 6560

Box 985

Muleshoe, Texas

## Rhea Elevator Expands

The wide open spaces of the Rhea community, being broken somewhat by a towering elevator for the past eight years, now have an elevator that is spreading out.

Carl Schlenker has added a metal hut-type building adjacent to his elevator. He figures the new building will increase his storage capacity to 70,000 bushels. Along with the addition to his storage capacity, he is preparing to install a gas-heated grain dryer. The dryer is waiting to be placed into position for use with the storage facilities.

The business is organized now into a corporation. It is known as Rhea Grain and Fertilizer, Inc., with members of the corporation being Schlenker, his wife, and Kenneth Houlette.

"The additional storage building should have been completed two weeks ago," says Schlenker. "But the rain and wind hindered work. It should be ready, though, by the end of this week," Schlenker says.

The business has a pair of scales for doing heavy-load weighing. Schlenker points out that he is proud to have the scales, because all weighing needed in the Rhea community prior to this was done of necessity in Friona or Bovina.

Though notably away from the railroad, which is usually a prerequisite for a storage business of this nature, Schlenker hopes to arrange to ship by truck to

grain terminals. At least this is what the Commodity Credit Corporation of the USDA has unofficially indicated will be possible.

Also, a farm to market road that will serve the Rhea community is being constructed on the road that extends by his elevator, allowing passage in nearly all weather conditions. There is an interesting story behind Schlenker's decision to build the elevator.

He first planned to construct a building with which to handle and store grain for a few of his neighbors. He checked with CCC for this possibility, and learned that he would be required to have a separate bin for each farmer's grain. This was not feasible, so he started planning for an elevator.

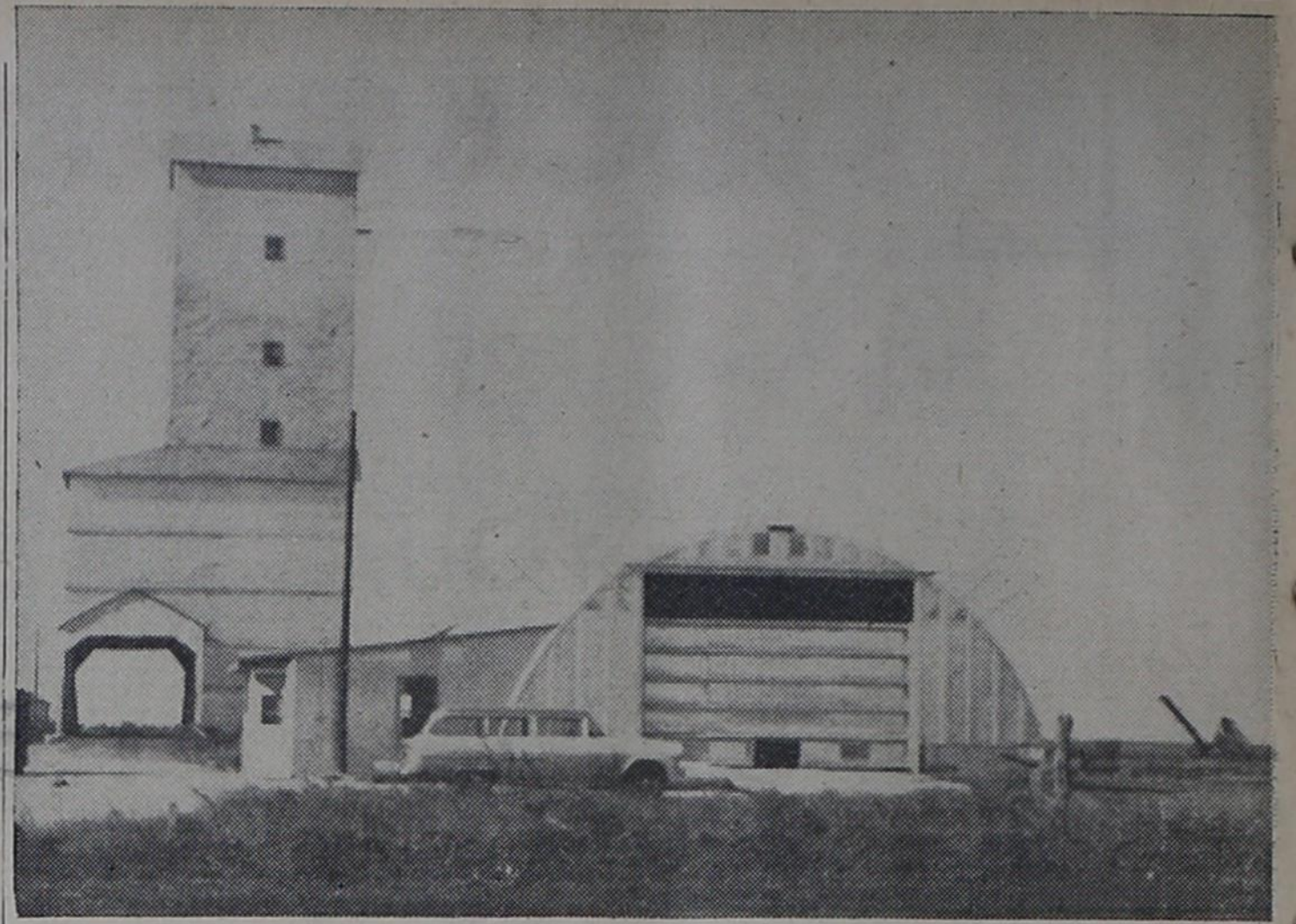
After the building itself is completed, the main thing left before everything is lined up and ready to go is the license and bond for grain storage for loan purposes. At latest report, this important item has not been taken care of, but Schlenker ex-

pects no hold-up on getting a license. Inspection by the USDA inspector will take place after construction ends.

Schlenker says the building is not to be equipped with conveyor belts or augers. The trucks will be able to drive into the building and unload the grain until it reaches a depth of about four feet throughout the building. The grain will then be moved about with a scraper powered by a tractor, he says.

The elevator is equipped with leg belts to raise grain into bins, and from there it can be moved to the new building.

The annual Dairy Short Course sponsored by the Department of Dairy Science of Texas A & M College will be held on December 5-6. All meetings are scheduled for the Memorial Student Center. Professor A. L. Darnell, now retired, will be honored at the annual banquet to be held the evening of December 5.



Carl Schlenker of the Rhea community has added storage to increase his elevator capacity to 70,000 bushels. The metal hut addition is due to be completed soon.



It's a crowded counter as farmers line up to get papers straightened for government grain loans on the big grain sorghum crop. This is a scene at the county ASC office. The crowd is sometimes even bigger, though.

## GSPA Asks Later Loans Deadline

The Grain Sorghum Producers Association today requested that the deadline for farmers to make application for government loans and purchase agreements on the 1957 crop of grain sorghum be extended to Feb. 28. Present regulations set the deadline date at Jan. 31.

Bill Nelson, Amarillo, made the request to Raymond J. Pollock, director of the grain division of Commodity Stabilization Service in Washington and to the Texas State ASC committee at College Station.

In making the request, Nelson pointed out that there is a large volume of grain sorghum with excess moisture on the ground at county elevators and that with delays in shipment and installation of artificial drying equipment, much of the high moisture grain may not be processed suitable for storage before the Jan. 31 date set for all grain to be in a warehouse in order to be eligible for the government program.

The Association official also pointed out that the recent winds

which lodged much of that still in the field also is slowing harvest and further makes an extension of time necessary.

## Hospital Annual Meeting Date Set

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Parmer County Community Hospital will be held in the lobby of the hospital Tuesday, December 10, beginning at 8 p. m. Bill Curtis of Amarillo will be present to read the annual audit report.

During the meeting two directors will be elected. Those on the board of directors, whose terms are expiring, are G. B. Buske of Friona and Leon Grissom of Oklahoma Lane.

Kenneth Thompson, manager, urges that all stockholders attend this meeting and lend their support to the transaction of business of the organization.

## THE HAPPY HOMEMAKER

BY JUNE FLOYD

Since the holiday season will soon be here and guests will be dropping in unexpectedly, it is always nice to have refreshments on hand. Fruit cake, which used to be a favorite at Christmas time, is being forced into the background by a number of desserts which require less time for properly aging. An interesting variation of fruit cake is:

### Southern Pecan Cake

3 cups seedless white raisins  
3 cups broken pecan meats  
1/2 cup shredded candied orange peel  
1/2 cup shredded citron, if desired  
2 1/2 cups sifted all purpose flour  
1 teaspoon baking powder  
1 teaspoon nutmeg  
1 teaspoon salt  
1 cup soft shortening  
1 cup sugar  
3 eggs, unbeaten  
4 tablespoons molasses  
2/3 cup orange juice

Combine raisins, pecans, orange peel, and shredded citron and set aside. Sift together flour, baking powder, nutmeg, and salt. Mix 1/2 cup of flour mixture with fruit and nut mixture, which you have already prepared and set aside.

Place shortening, sugar, and eggs into large bowl of a mixer, beating at high speed for two minutes, scraping bowl while beating. Stop mixer and add molasses, orange juice, and sifted flour mixture. Beat at low speed 1 1/2 minutes, scraping bowl while beating. Beat only enough to blend well. Add flour and nut mixture gradually while beating at a very slow speed until blended, continuing to scrape sides of bowl while beating. Place into two large loaf pans, which have been lined with paper and greased. Bake at 300 degrees F. for two hours. Cool thoroughly, wrap in waxed paper and store in tightly covered container.

It isn't too early to address Christmas cards and get them ready for mailing. When you have all of them addressed, stamped and ready to take to the post office, check them once again to see that all are correctly addressed.

Another thing which you might do that would be appreciated by the post office employees is to keep them neatly arranged with all the addresses facing the same way. Then when you take them to the post office, either put rubber bands around them or tie them with string. It is also helpful to postal employees if you separate the locally addressed ones from the out of town ones.

A few minutes of your time spent in following these suggestions will save time at the post office and expedite the delivery of all mail. This task is usually done by the homemaker in the family and she can give the postal clerks a gift of time by doing these small things.

If any of you, except Jo Buchanan, tried the recipe for hot water pie crust which was printed in this column last week, we hope you had good luck with it. Jo said it worked out all right but that it took more flour to make it the right consistency than it did to make the batter.

Maybe it would be better to use three cups of flour instead of one and one half. We had just never bothered to measure the additional flour. Since Jo is a former home economics teacher, we want to stay on the good side of her. Maybe she will pass on some of her ideas soon.

**SEE US FOR**  
Seed Wheat, Barley, Rye and Oats

\*\*\*\*\*  
We are in the market for your Soybeans

\*\*\*\*\*  
We want to figure with you on cleaning and treating any seed that you need processed.

\*\*\*\*\*  
— PURINA FEEDS —

**HENDERSON**  
GRAIN & SEED COMPANY, INC.  
Farwell, Texas

**ATTENTION!**  
Irrigation farmers

THIS YEAR  
LET ME BE SANTA

WITH A BIG ALLOWANCE ON A NEW GEAR HEAD OR A SPEED RATIO CHANGE when you buy an MM 605 or 800 power unit during December

With the delivery of a new heavy-duty MM 605 or 800 Power Unit during December we will make you an allowance of up to \$125 toward the purchase of a new gear head or a change of speed ratio. Elimination of annual overhauls means more Christmas money in the years ahead. That's what MM engines will do for you!

Liberal Credit Terms Tailored to Every Purchase

**MAURER MACHINERY CO.**  
FRIONA  
YOUR MINNEAPOLIS-MOLINE DEALER  
A DEAL-A-DAY IN DECEMBER

# NOTICE

## To All Cotton Farmers of Parmer, Bailey, and Lamb Counties

1. If over one-third of eligible voters (nationwide) vote against marketing quotas, the farmer could plant all the cotton he wanted WITHOUT PENALTIES.
2. Under the present program we lost the major part of our export and domestic markets.
3. Benson advocates a 25 percent cotton acreage reduction for 1959. How much more cut than 25 percent can your county stand?
4. With our land and water, we can compete with the world growing our type of cotton.
5. To support a program which will help some and hurt others economically is contrary to fair play and destroys initiative.

**Please Vote AGAINST Marketing Quotas**

DECEMBER 10

(This ad paid for by cotton farmers of Parmer, Bailey, and Lamb Counties)

# STOCK REDUCTION AND CHRISTMAS

**SHOP HERE  
BEFORE YOU  
TRADE - WE  
CAN SAVE  
YOU MONEY!**



**LIBERAL  
TRADE-INS  
BALANCE  
ON EASY  
MONTHLY  
PAYMENTS**

**FURNITURE SAVINGS!**

**FURNITURE SAVINGS!**

If you plan to buy furniture in the near future, don't miss this sale!

★ **SAVE** ★

## CLABORN

### Furniture

## FRIONA

### THE PARMER FARMER

W. H. GRAHAM JR.

C. H. Janeway, promotion man for the High Plains Sta-

tion at Halfway, was in the county last week, and had some interesting things to say about work that is just winding up over there. They are completing harvests of experiments during their first year of study.

Janeway handed us a reprint of a talk made by a man named John H. Kraft that we thought was very interesting. It is the first time we have seen in printed form the story of how sesame got started here in Texas.

Sesame as a cash crop is so new here that you, too, will

probably find the following paragraphs of great interest:

The title of my talk, as shown on the program, is "Sesame—a Profitable New Crop." Now, actually, sesame is anything BUT a new crop . . . it is one of the oldest crops known to man. We know that at least 4,000 years ago, and probably much earlier, it was a thriving crop and a big business.

But so far as the United States is concerned, it IS not only a new crop, but one that offers some exciting and very interesting possibilities.

Perhaps it would be well to first review exactly what sesame is. Sesame is an oil-bearing seed. This seed, as we have now learned through recent research, has many other important and very interesting properties, which I shall tell you about. It is these newly discovered virtues that lend the excitement to the possibilities in the sesame field, and that open up world-wide opportunities for its development.

Its use has been limited to the bakery and confectionery trade. And then only a few years ago, some of our agricultural scientists began to think about sesame as a cash crop for American farmers . . . for sesame can be grown anywhere cotton is grown. The original concept of sesame, in the minds of its developers here, was simply as an oil seed, to be sold in competition with other established seeds.

Sesame first came to my attention several years ago at the Texas Research Foundation in Renner, where I am a member of the board of trustees.

They were at this time experimenting to develop a strain of sesame seed that would be best adapted to this country. Their basic problem was this: Sesame is what we call a "shattering seed"; that is, when the seed ripens the pod opens and scatters the seed on the ground. Sesame is usually grown in countries where labor is cheap and plentiful, so they had no problem in harvesting it their way—by cutting the stems, tying them into a bundle, leaning the bundles against a bamboo rod in a sunny place for a few days, and then taking the bundles and tapping them with a stick so that the seeds would fall down upon a mat.

Obviously such a method of harvest is impractical in the United States. So the Texas Research Foundation and other college experiment stations have for the past ten years been working on the development of semi-shattering and a "combine" type of seed, that could be harvested direct.

My first direct entry into the business came about through discovering a young man in need of assistance—by name, Roy Anderson. Roy was an agricultural field man for the Liberty National Bank of Paris. He had the laudable desire to start something new, using the background of the Texas Research Foundation. He organized a farmers co-op to grow sesame. His trouble was that after get-



Sunshine brought forth scores of cotton trailers this week, as cotton poured into already humming gins. Nearly all area gins are running behind schedule—but this has been expected because of the long delay in getting started. This is the Nickels' Gin in Farwell.

ting the sesame grown and harvested, he was having difficulty marketing it. Mr. Anderson's problem was to get the domestic seed competitive with the imported seed. The oil buyers wanted to buy it at six cents a pound. The farmers had to get around nine cents a pound to break even or make a slight profit. And the more I looked into the situation, the more sesame seed looked to me like an excellent marketing opportunity.

This young man had made a start that just could not be allowed to lapse. To lend him a hand in his project and to encourage the growers I, together with a courageous banker by the name of Gilbert Cecil, bought all the unsold domestic sesame seed available in 1954.

Then we set up a little dehulling plant to prepare our seed for the confectionery and bakery trade. So far as I know this was the first plant of its kind in the United States or on the North American continent. Well, shortly after our American Sesame Products Company was organized, something very interesting happened. The Pillsbury flour people were running their \$25,000 Bake-Off Contest for prize recipes, and the prize winning recipe was for a delicious pie called "Open Sesame" . . . using sesame seed in the crust. At this time I doubt that Pillsbury knew any more about sesame than you do. About the only sesame seed available to the ordinary consumer was sold from the spice rack of specialty foods stores. If you wanted it, you had to hunt for it.

But sesame, during the winter of 1954—with several people getting into the act—got about two million dollars worth of publicity. We were able to interest Pillsbury in a promotion scheme to feature a 1-ounce package of sesame seed . . . and thereby we were able to immediately

sell one-sixteenth of our inventory . . . which reminds me to tell you that in thinking of sesame, you will have to gear your thoughts from tons to pounds. This is where ours went from pounds to OUNCES.

That tremendous order for 750,000 1-ounce packets of sesame seed caused quite a scramble at the little pilot plant. It immediately brought production problems, demanding greatly increased facilities. And since there was no precedent to fall back on, everything we did took a lot of search and research.

We eventually worked out ways to adapt machinery from many other unrelated industries, and in due course we were able to dispose of our first purchase. In the meantime, the producers group, having been encouraged by the sale of their inventory, increased their production in 1955 to about 4 million pounds, on the strength of being able to unload their disposal problem onto the American Sesame Products Company.

As a matter of fact, I don't know what would have happened to the American sesame industry if we hadn't been there to take the product off their hands, because as they went into 1955, they produced over four million

pounds . . . thereby creating a new marketing problem. This, then, was our situation at the time of the fall harvest of 1955 . . . four million pounds to market in 1956. We were able to interest many of the large bakery chains, and we gladly committed ourselves to supply them.

But as we got into our job of processing the 1955 crop, we ran into something that again caused consternation. We found that in buying the 1955 output we had also bought a large percentage of Johnson grass seed in our sesame. Now Johnson grass seed is shaped about like a caraway seed, and is black, whereas hulled and sesame seed is pure white. With that Johnson grass seed scattered in white sesame, it looked as if the mice had left their tracks. So several of our truckloads of sesame had a round trip.

We didn't have the time to go into any highly scientific research to find a solution. The only sure way to lick this problem immediately was to hire 25 women, equip them with little vacuum tubes, and have them pick out the Johnson grass seed. It was expensive and slow, but it was cheaper to lose the

money than to lose the customers. By the time we had devised special mechanical methods for removing the foreign seeds, we were into the 1956 harvest. And we had learned that the best way to get Johnson grass seed out of our sesame was to keep it out of the fields.

So, beginning with the harvest of 1956, we were looking forward to a profitable operation at last. . . when the drought in the Southwest cut our production down to 25 percent of what we could sell.

Now we have had to curtail our sales promotion work and merely take care of the business already developed, in the hope that we will be able to increase our supplies. We are opening year, as well as attempting to new areas of production this increase the established ones. We are making the attempt in northern Arkansas areas—in Mississippi—in northern Louisiana—and although sesame can be grown wherever cotton grows, we don't find many farmers rushing in to plant sesame. In spite of idle acres—as long as the government soil bank plan looks like a sure thing. In the meantime, research has shown that sesame is much more than just an oil seed and stock food. The study of its protein and amino acid values clearly indicates that it has many of the virtues of milk powder, the olive, the peanut, and similar products—with many qualities peculiarly and exclusively its own. Its future

leads to its development as a food for humans.

Due to the high cost of production, we have furnished a market for the greatest part of the last three years farm production. It appears that present price structure must be maintained and possibly increased to stimulate increased farm production, since a lot of hand labor is still necessary.

The seed is worth from 6-8 cents maximum for the oil value in competition with other oils.

Sesame oil offers a potential for blends with other oils to increase stability. This is due to a natural antioxidant Sesamol, which is hydrolyzed from Sesamoline.

### Two Big Prizes Won By Golden West

Two top-notch prizes for seed samples were won by Golden West Seed Company of Texico, Farwell at the International Livestock Exposition in Chicago last week.

Samples of Hybrid 610 and Double Dwarf Yellow Sooner were entered by Pat Patrick, manager of the Texico warehouse, and received prizes of grand and reserve champion. Patrick has not received official word, and as yet does not know which sample received which prize.

A cash award of \$50 will be received by the area company, as well as its ribbons.

## GREAT WESTERN COMPANY

Bovina, Texas

**Continues to Bring Shopping Values To the Trade Area. Compare Our Prices — "Shop in Bovina & Save"**

|   |         |
|---|---------|
| SUNBEAM Controlled Heat Automatic Fry Pan   |         |
| Standard Size, Regular \$16.95  |         |
| Our Price   | \$11.50 |
| 10 1/2" Medium Size, Regular \$19.95  |         |
| Our Price   | \$12.75 |
| 11 1/2" Large Size, Regular \$23.95   |         |
| Our Price   | \$14.95 |
| SUNBEAM Steam or Dry Iron   |         |
| Regular \$16.95   |         |
| Our Price   | \$10.95 |
| LADY SUNBEAM ELECTRIC SHAVER  |         |
| Regular \$14.95   |         |
| Our Price   | \$9.95  |
| SUNBEAM AUTOMATIC ELECTRIC BLANKET, Double Bed Size, Reg. \$34.95   |         |
| Our Price   | \$23.95 |
| SUNBEAM PERCOLATOR, Automatic, 10-cup size, Regular \$29.95   |         |
| Our Price   | \$20.22 |
| Just 3 sets left. 8-CUP SIZE AUTOMATIC ELECTRIC PERCOLATOR. We give you 8 imported CHINA CUPS AND SAUCERS.        |         |
| \$19.95 Value   |         |
| Our Price   | \$9.98  |
| VERY SPECIAL OFFER!   |         |
| Men's and Ladies' 17-JEWEL WRIST WATCHES, fully guaranteed. Made to sell for and nationally advertised at \$47.50 |         |
| Our Price   | \$18.70 |

## GREAT WESTERN COMPANY

Wholesalers - Distributors - Merchandisers BOVINA, TEXAS

Remember: "We sell only what we can sell for less"

WATCHES AND JEWELRY REPAIRED All Work Guaranteed

### 3 1/2% Dividend Paid on Insured Savings

- Assets \$20 Million
- Accounts Insured up to \$10,000 by FSLIC
- Member Federal Home Loan Bank

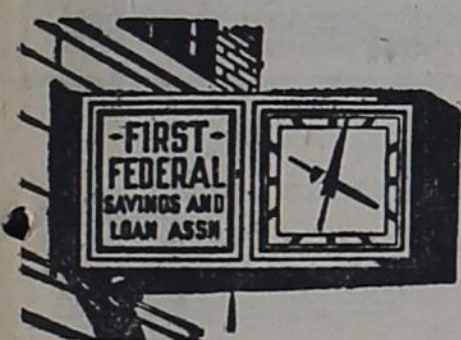
### SAVE BY MAIL

Fill In and Mail For Information On "SAVE BY MAIL PLAN"

City .....

Street .....

Name .....



4th & Pile

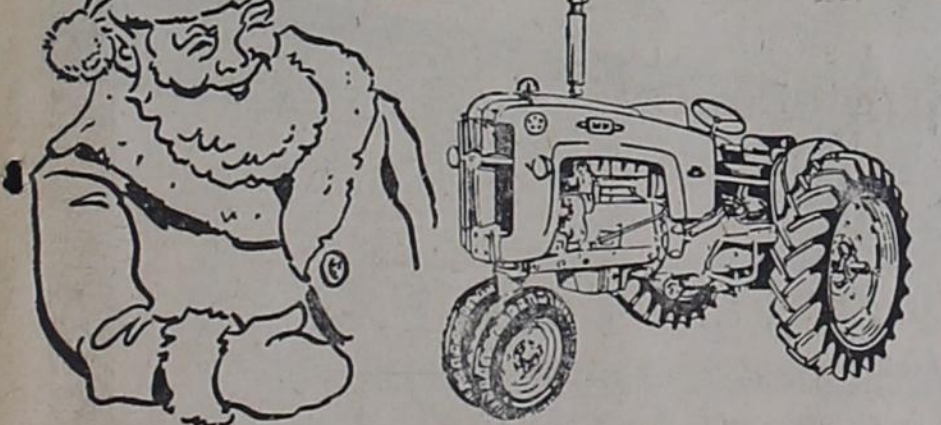
Dial PO 3-4461

Clovis, New Mexico

### Notice to all Farmers

## SAVE \$200

### Let us be Santa Claus



Get your new MM tractor for Christmas, and we will make you a \$200 allowance on the price of any MM machine purchased with that tractor. Here's your opportunity to start the New Year right with new MM equipment. Your family will enjoy its benefits for years to come.

This holiday offer is good on purchases made during the month of December.



### MAURER MACHINERY CO.

FRIONA

YOUR MINNEAPOLIS-MOLINE DEALER

Liberal Credit Terms Tailored To Each Purchase

A DEAL-A-DAY IN DECEMBER

**INSURANCE**

\* Fire \* Auto \* Farm


A Personal Interest In  
Your Insurance Problems



**Graham-Magness Insurance**  
Farwell

Phone IV6-3671

**For as little as \$870 down  
you can put this Quonset® 32 x 60  
to work for you**



A Quonset is the most useful building you can add to your farm, because you can do so many things with it—dry and store hay, grain, and corn, use it for machinery storage or as a cattle barn, and many other things. Now, with our new Quonset Purchase Plan, you can put a Quonset to work on your farm right now and get all these extra advantages, too:

- Convenient installments on the balance for up to five years • Payments arranged to suit your farm operation—monthly, semi-annually, annually • A life insurance policy to protect your investment • Includes delivery and erection of building ready for use • Financing arrangements completed quickly . . . only a matter of days.

## DURA-BILT PRODUCTS

Phone PO 3-7660 Clovis, N. M.

300 South Prince Clovis, N. M. Quonsets are manufactured by Stran-Steel Division, Great Lakes Steel Corporation, a unit of National Steel Corporation.

### Three Men Fined In County Court

(Continued from Page 1)  
shoe, and had his license suspended for six months.  
He was driving on State Highway 214 in Farmer County between Muleshoe and Clay's Corner when he passed a state highway patrol car whose officers had been investigating an accident.  
The officers recognized Sullivan and started after him. Sullivan, who had a woman companion in the car, noticed he was being spotted, so slid from beneath the wheel and had her driving when the car stopped.  
However, he failed to take into account the woman did not have a driver's license too, so he was charged not only with driving his car while his license was suspended, but also permitting another person without a license to operate his car.  
He pled guilty to both charges.

the latter of which was tried in Farwell JP Roy Thornton's court. He received a \$20.50 fine there. Then, in county court, Judge Smith assessed him a \$50 and costs fine and tacked on another six months to his license suspension.

### 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.  
Special service in the church to commemorate the Thanksgiving season last week was good. Members of the church wish to express their thanks for the cooperation of all.  
Attendance to the Thanksgiving services Wednesday night was light, but, says Rev. Goodwin, if the weather is pretty and sickness slows down, the attendance will come back up next Sunday. There were 158 in Sunday School and 77 in the Training Union last Sunday.  
Throughout this week, the Woman's Missionary Union is engaged in a week of extensive mission study. They will meet at the church each afternoon. Several different ladies will be in charge of the daily service.

Mrs. S. A. Calhoun and Les were Thanksgiving Day guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Norton of Farwell. Mrs. Calhoun and Norton are cousins.

**WINES  
PRODUCE  
Purina Feeds**

### Grand Jury Call To Be December 16

The Farmer County grand jury, dismissed from October service because of harvest, will be called to go to work on Monday, December 16. Notices will be mailed to 16 residents next week by Sheriff Chas. Lovelace.  
Bill Sheehan, district attorney, indicates that the panel of 12 will have four cases to investigate for possible indictments. They include one case of child desertion, and three cases of theft.  
However, he does not see a need for calling the petit jury immediately afterward, as is sometimes done to dispose of cases indicted by the grand jury members.  
The call for a petit jury will be carried over until March, Sheehan indicates.

District Judge E. A. Bills was in Farwell Monday to hold court, but found business pretty light. Joe McKinney of Bovina, charged with destruction of property, was expected to be tried, but his case has been deferred.

Pablo Baca of Clovis was ordered by Judge Bills to be taken to prison to serve a two-year sentence. The Clovis man had failed to meet the requirements for probation that had been set by the judge several months previously.

Baca had previously been convicted of theft in the amount of \$100, and has been in the custody of the sheriff for a period allowed him to replace the \$100, which he failed to do.

Also, Judge Bills heard one civil case, and awarded a default judgment to Gifford-Hill-Western. They were in suit against Finis Kimbrough in the amount of \$864.15. Kimbrough did not answer the suit.

### METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. W. R. Beard, Pastor  
Church school, 9:45 a. m.; public worship, 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.; Junior and Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p. m.; official board, Monday, 7:30 p. m.; WSCS, Tuesday, 2:30 p. m.; choir practice, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.; and Methodist Men, Saturday, 6:30 a. m.  
Worship is a vital element in the nature of human beings. The Church calls people to worship God in spirit and in truth. Attend the church of your choice Sunday. It will help you throughout the coming week.

### Conference to be Held Thursday

The Plainview District Conference will hold its annual session at Muleshoe Thursday. The conference will open at 9 a. m., in the First Methodist Church.  
Delegates from the local church are W. E. Thornton, Bedford Caldwell, J. T. Hammonds, Durward Bell, Frank Hastings, Mrs. Warren Morton, Thomas Beauchamp, Mrs. Jimmie Ware, L. M. Grissom, Wilbur Charles, Mrs. Billie Suddarth and Mrs. Earl Ware.  
Rev. R. L. Kirk, district superintendent of the Methodist Church, will preside.

### Methodist Men Meet Saturday

The regular monthly meeting of the Methodist Men's organization will be held Saturday morning at 6:30. A good breakfast and excellent fellowship is offered to those who attend. Gene Rea, president, urges all men of the group to attend.

### To Meet

Members of the Quilting Club will meet Thursday in the home of Mrs. E. H. Moody. The meeting will begin in the morning and last all day, with a covered dish luncheon at noon. They will quilt for the hostess.

# WANT ADS

**CUSTOM MADE GIFTS**—Will make jewelry from your choice of stones and findings. Two weeks delivery on earrings, necklaces, cuff links, etc. Many under \$1. Also have OES and Masonic jewelry. Contact Sally Whitesides, phone 2801. 23-2tp

**WATCHES, CLOCKS AND JEWELRY REPAIRED. ALL WORK GUARANTEED. REASONABLE PRICES. GREAT WESTERN CO. BOVINA, TEXAS** 22-tfnc

Long time, low interest farm loans, with small annual payments.

**O. W. RHINEHART PHONE 2081 BOVINA, TEXAS**

**DAIRY FREEZE** at Bovina is for sale or will trade for land. Ed Sewell, Box 66, Sudan, Tex. 23-3tc

**FOR SALE**—One Moline boll stripper and four cotton trailers, John Deere 4-bale size. Sam Rundell, Ph. IV6-3871, Farwell. 24-1tp

**TO TRADE**—A complete, 15 volume set of New Standard Encyclopedias for a bedroom suite with a bookcase headboard. Prefer blond finish. Write or see Mrs. Earl Riley, Box 523, Bovina. 24-1tc

**FOR SALE**—2 used pickups—1—1955 Dodge V8 four speed and 1—1950 Chevrolet. Farrell Motor Co. Bovina, Texas. 24-1tc

**WOULD like to do ironing and care for children in my home.** Mrs. James Taylor, Phone 2332. 24-3tc

### WMU Holds Annual Week Of Prayer Services This Week

Seven members of the Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church were present Monday evening to commemorate the annual Week of Prayer services. The meeting was held in the annex of the church and Mrs. R. N. Williford, prayer chairman of the WMU, led the study.

Monday evening's program was titled, "For God So Loved the World—That He Gave To All Countries." The program was opened with a silent prayer, followed by a call to worship and a solo "The Love of God," by Mrs. H. N. Turner. Mrs. Hodge Rigdon accompanied her at the piano.

Prayer by Mrs. Leslie McCain was followed by a group song and a scripture meditation by Mrs. Williford and Mrs. Ovid Lawlis.  
Mrs. Williford also led the Tuesday afternoon services. Wednesday evening services

**INTRODUCING**  
FOUR of the BEST buys of the year carried over from Thanksgiving.  
154 acres, plenty of water, \$125.00 per acre.  
240 acres, two 6" wells, \$125.00 per acre.  
180 acres, improved and one 6" well, \$210.00 per acre.  
320 acres, improved and one 8" well, \$165.00 per acre.  
696 acres, five 8" wells highly improved, \$275.00 per acre.  
**SEE THESE BEFORE YOU BUY.**

**O. W. Rhinehart Phone 2081-4452 BOVINA, TEXAS** 24-tfnc

**FOR SALE**—John Deere cotton stripper or will trade for Oliver stripper. Don Sides, Phone Pleasant Hill 9-4332. 24-1tp

**FOR SALE**—16' grain auger with 5 horsepower gasoline engine. Also, cotton trailer made on truck frame with fifth wheel. A. R. McCutchan. Ph. 4342. 21-3tc

**FOR SALE AT OUR COST**—One new 1958 International pickup and one new 1957 International pickup.  
**FARRELL MOTOR CO. Bovina, Texas** 24-1tc

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I would like to say "Thank You" to all the many wonderful people who have been so nice to me with visits and gifts since I came home from the hospital. May God Bless each of you.  
Lottie Riley 24-1tc

### Shower Planned

Mrs. Wendell Sikes will be honored with a bridal shower Monday afternoon, December 9, in the annex of the First Baptist Church. It will begin at 2:30.  
Mrs. Sikes is the former Carol Hadley of Hub. She and Wendell Sikes were married Thursday, November 10, in Friona. They will make their home in Bovina.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Patton and son, Paul, of House, N. M., visited Sunday afternoon in the home of her mother, Mrs. Elsie Block.

### Brotherhood Has Meeting Monday

Members of the Brotherhood of First Baptist Church met Monday night in the annex of the church for a regular semi-monthly meeting. Leslie McCain vice president, presided.

**Expert Repair On Cars-Pickups Trucks-Tractors Irrigation Motors**

**H&M GARAGE**  
Phone 2042—Bovina

The title of the program, which was given by several of the men was "Sharing Christ With the World." The introduction was given by Rev. Virgil Goodwin and the first part, "We Preach Christ," was given by Charles Hawkins. "We Grow Churches" was the name of a talk by Earl Roberts and Homer Kelley spoke on, "We Train Christian Leadership." Glenn Kelley spoke on, "We Extend Ministries of Love and Mercy."  
The song service was led by

Leslie Roberts and Earl Roberts played the piano. Homer Kelley led the opening prayer and Alvin Glasscock gave the closing prayer.  
Other men present were J. O. Combs, Alva Hudson and R. N. Williford.

**Wallpaper Removed Textoning - Painting Free Estimates GENE REA**

**YES, We Have Plumbing Fixtures and Materials**

- Wall Heaters
- Hot Water Heaters

**Complete Plumbing and Heating Service**

Plumbing **Alva J. Hudson** Heating  
Phone 2772 or 2652  
Headquarters at Sudderth '66' Service

**REPAIR & REMODEL**  
Nothing Down 60 Mos. to Pay  
Complete Line Building Supplies  
**CICERO SMITH Lumber Company**  
Bovina Ph. 26711

**PHILLIPS '66' PREMIUM PRODUCTS PLUS S&H GREEN STAMPS WITH EVERY PURCHASE**  
**Sudderth '66' Service**  
Alva J. Hudson  
Phone 2772 Hwy. 60

**NO GUESS-WORK WITH US . . .**  
we not only quality clean your new garments, but you'll be amazed at the freshness and beauty we give to your old garments. Expert pressing too!



**Don't take chances ON JUST ANY DRY CLEANING**



**Venable Cleaners**  
Ph. 2031 Bovina

**Well cleaned clothes-when appearance counts**

**There's A Wide Selection of . . .**  
**Exciting Gifts Here!**

- Small Appliances
- Toys
- Crystal
- Silver
- Furniture
- Reclining Chairs
- Watches
- Pottery
- Cannister Sets
- Clocks

— FREE GIFT WRAPPING —  
**Gaines Hardware Co.**  
"Nothing Knocks on Bovina But Opportunity"

**The Store With All The Well Advertised Brands For Men and Boys**

Resistol Hats . . . Van Heusen and Beau Brummel Shirts . . . Jerks Socks . . . Dickies and Big Smith Work Clothes . . . Jeans, Lee's and Levi Straus . . . Silver Dress Trousers . . . Hanes Underwear . . . Rubin Grais Jackets . . . Peters Shoes . . . U. S. Keds Rubber Boots

**SAMSONITE LUGGAGE FOR WOMEN AND GIRLS**

Mary Lane Coats and Suits . . . Nelly Don and Gay Gibson dresses . . . Jannell Dresses for little girls . . . Mojud Hose and Lingerie . . . Berkshire Hose and Lingerie . . . Bestform and Hi A Foundations . . . Purrey Blankets . . . Ship 'N Shore Blouses . . . Bates Prints . . . Bed Spreads and many more brands you know are of the highest quality.

**Let Us Be Your Santa Claus**

**Williams Mercantile Co.**  
"Pioneers in Bovina"  
Thanks for all past favors,  
W. E. WILLIAMS, M.M.D.

**HOW WOULD SHE LIKE A NEW 1957 FRIGIDAIRE REFRIGERATOR IN HER CHRISTMAS WREATH DEC. 25**



**Reeve Chevrolet Co. — FRIONA —**

**YOU CAN DEPEND ON US for FRIENDLY COUNSEL!**



**GULF GULFTANE LP-GAS BUTANE PROPANE**

There are lots of things you should know about using LP-Gas properly and economically. What type of space heater is best for your home? What size water heater? What are the latest developments in stoves? These questions and many others we can answer to your satisfaction.

You'll like our delivery men, too. They're courteous, friendly and carefully trained for efficient servicing of LP-Gas cylinders and bulk tanks.

If you're not already enjoying the convenience and low cost of Gulftane, phone or see us today. We're at your service.

**Specialists in home and farm fuels!**

**Bonds Oil Company**  
DISTRIBUTOR—GULF OIL CORPORATION  
BOVINA PHONE 2271



# The Bovina Blade Society

SALLY WHITESIDES, Editor



AT RECEPTION—Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Moody are pictured as they cut their wedding cake at the reception following their Thanksgiving morning wedding. The reception was held in the home of the bride's parents.

## Lloyd-Moody Vows Repeated Thursday At Baptist Church

Miss Julia Ann Lloyd and Weldon Moody were married Thursday morning in the sanctuary of the First Baptist Church. Miss Lloyd is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Lloyd. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Moody.

Rev. Gene Hawkins of Odell read the double ring ceremony. He is a brother-in-law of the bridegroom.

Musical selections were played before, during and after the wedding by Mrs. Doris Wilson. While the guests were assembling, she played, "Sunshine of Your Smile," "The Lamplight Hour" and the traditional wedding march. She also accompanied Miss Nicki Woelfel as she sang, "At Dawning," "Because of You," and "The Wedding Prayer."

The church decorations carried out the bride's chosen colors of blue and white. Twin candelabra of white and blue candles flanked the arch of greenery. Large baskets of blue and white mums graced the altar.

Miss Marolyn Kelley of Childress, cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid. She wore a street length dress of light blue brocade faille. The two-piece dress suit was complemented by blue rhinestone earrings, a blue hat and white accessories. She carried a nosegay of blue and white carnations.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a waltz length dress of white brocade taffeta. The dress featured a "V" neckline, with a turn-back, petal collar. A fully-gathered skirt was caught at the waist with an empire waistline, with tiny, self-covered buttons to the neckline, and three-quarter, Ragland sleeves.

Her headpiece was of satin and feathers, with a scattering of rhinestones, from which fell a shoulder length veil of illusion. She carried a white Bible, on which was placed a single white orchid, surrounded by white feathered carnations, blue ribbon and sparkled tulle.

For something old, the bride chose a necklace and earrings of pearls and gold. As something new, she wore her wedding dress. Borrowed was her headpiece and she wore a blue garter.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Lloyd chose a dress of navy blue crepe, which featured an underlying yoke of pastel pink. Her accessories were of matching pink and her corsage was pink carnations.

Mrs. Moody wore a two-piece dress of deep blue, with red and black accessories.

Alfred Moody, brother of the bridegroom, attended the groom. Ushers were Terry Adams of Bovina and Ray Phillips of Plainview. Patsy Lloyd, sister of the bride, and Juanita Kelley

of Childress, cousins of the bride, were candle-lighters.

Following the wedding, a reception was held in the bride's parents' home for the wedding party and relatives.

For her going away attire, the bride wore a sheath dress of brown and beige orlon, with a short jacket of matching brown. The orchid from her wedding bouquet was her corsage.

After a wedding trip to Carlsbad, N. M., the couple returned to Bovina where they will make their home.

The bride is a junior in Bovina High School. She has lettered in basketball one year; has been a member of the Future Homemakers of America for two years; is junior class secretary; and has been a member of the high school band for four years.

He was graduated from Bovina High School in 1950, served in the army for two years, receiving his discharge in October, 1954. He is employed by the Parmer County division of Texas Highway Department.

Out-of-town guests for the wedding were Mrs. Bill Kelley, Marolyn and Juanita; Mrs. J. E. Kelley and Theresa King, all of Childress; Rev. and Mrs. Gene Hawkins and children of Odell, and Mrs. Alma Vassey of Vernon.

Others were Mrs. J. D. Kelley of Clovis, Mrs. B. A. Kelley, Phyllis and Leon, of Texico; and Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Teague of Fields, N. M.

Thursday - Friday - Saturday - December 5-6-7



Shurfine  
**COFFEE**  
ALL GRINDS, LB.  
**83c**

Miracle Whip  
**Salad Dressing**  
QUART  
**55c**

**HANG ON TO THESE**  
**JELLO**  
Assorted Flavors  
**3 for 25c**

## MEATS

FRESH DRESSED

**Fryers lb. 39c**

Fresh Pork Slab  
**Ribs lb. 49c Bacon lb. 49c**



MRS. TUCKER'S — 15c OFF LABEL

3 LB. CAN

# SHORTENING

**75c**

Shurfine White or Yellow

**POPCORN**  
10 oz. cans  
**2 for 29c**

Niblet's  
**MEXICORN**  
12 oz. Vacuum Pack Can  
**19c**

Scotkins  
**NAPKINS**  
Luncheon Size  
**19c**

White or Dark  
**KARO**  
Qt. Decanter Bottle  
**45c**

## VEGETABLES

Fancy Celery Cello Pkg.  
**HEARTS 23c**

1 Lb. Box  
**Cranberries 23c**

Texas 5 Lb. Cello Bag  
**ORANGES 39c**

Register often for the "like real" Christmas doll to be given away DECEMBER 14.

**NEW SHIPMENT:** Christmas Candy

We have a new, large and complete stock of Christmas decorations and wrappings.



Shurfine  
**PRESERVES**  
Peach, Pineapple  
Plum, Apricot  
24 oz. jar  
**49c**

Giant Box  
**VEL 69c**  
9c OFF LABEL

Supreme Club  
**CRACKERS**  
1 Lb. Box  
**35c**

Heinz Cream of Tomato  
**SOUP 10c**  
Tall Can

Northern white or colored  
**TOILET TISSUE**  
**2 rolls 15c**

for downright clean hair!  
USE  
**Modart SHAMPOO**  
CREAM OR LOTION WITH LAMOLIN  
Gardenia Apple Blossom Pine  
**69c**

FROZEN FOODS

Libby's Garden Vegetables  
10 oz. pkg.  
**19c**

Eat-More Hereford  
**BEEF STEAK**  
12 oz. pkg.  
**59c**

Parker House or Clover Leaf Frozen Rite  
**ROLLS**  
2 doz. pkg.  
**35c**



# WILSON'S SUPER MARKET

Parmer County's  
NEWEST and FINEST

Phone 4781

Third Street

Bovina

**Firestone Super Special.**  
**Hurry! 3 Days Only!**

## SENSATIONAL Door-to-Door FLOOR MAT



SAVE ALMOST **40%**

Regular 4.95 Value

**2 99**

Completely covers the entire front floor of your car—even the "hump" in the middle!

Gives a custom-tailored fit for any car. Won't slip or slide—removes easily for cleaning.

Choice of four colors to harmonize with your car's interior—black, red, green or blue.

**PAUL JONES TEXACO SERVICE STATION**

Phone 4331

Hwy. 60

Bovina

# WARE'S PRE-CHRISTMAS

## SALE STARTS FRIDAY, DEC. 6 CONTINUED

**MEN'S DRESS HATS**



Values to \$10.00

**CHRISTMAS SALE** ..... \$5.00

### BATH SETS

\$3.50 Value ..... \$2.87  
 \$2.00 Value ..... \$1.49  
 \$5.50 Value ..... \$3.99

### Chenille Rugs

27 x 48  
 \$3.50 Value ..... \$2.77



### Men's Pajamas

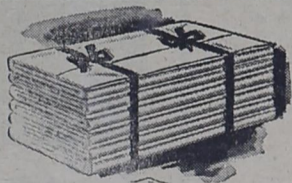
\$3.98 Values ..... \$2.99  
 \$4.95 Values ..... \$3.79  
 \$6.00 Values ..... \$4.29

### Bath Towels

59c Values  
**2 for 97c**

### WASH CLOTHS TO MATCH

25c Values  
**6 for \$1.00**



### Garza Sheets

Pastel Colors  
 72 x 108 ..... \$1.99  
 81 x 108 ..... \$2.29  
 Double Fitted ..... \$2.29  
 Single Fitted ..... \$1.99  
 Pillow Cases to Match  
 42 x 36 ..... 49c

### CUP TOWELS

White

**3 for 89c**

### BLANKETS

Double Satin Border

\$5.95 Value ..... \$4.99

### GOLD SEAL BLANKETS

72x90, Rayon-Cotton-Nylon

\$6.50 Value ..... \$5.49

### JACQUARD SPREADS

\$6.95 Value ..... \$5.49  
 \$8.95 Value ..... \$6.49  
 \$9.95 Value ..... \$7.49

### MATTRESS PROTECTORS

Twin Size, Fitted ..... \$3.87  
 Full Size, Fitted ..... \$4.87

### Dish Cloths

**10 for 87c**

### Men's Ties

\$3.00 Value ..... \$2.00  
 \$2.50 Value ..... \$1.67  
 \$2.00 Value ..... \$1.37  
 \$1.50 Value ..... \$1.00

Large Group

### Costume Jewelry

**50% Off**

### PIECE GOODS

Wool And Blended Fabrics

79c Value 53c  
 98c Value 66c  
 \$1.19 Value 77c  
 \$1.29 Value 77c  
 \$1.49 Value 97c  
 \$1.79 Value \$1.09  
 \$2.29 Value \$1.47  
 \$3.29 Value \$1.97  
 \$3.95 Value \$2.67



### COTTON PRINTS

49c Value 42c  
 79c Value 53c  
 98c Value 66c

### PRINTED & SOLID CHINTZ

98c Value

**49c**

### FOR THE LADIES

#### Ladies' Dresses

One Rack  
 Values to \$19.95

**\$3.99**

**\$6.99**



#### Entire Stock Ladies' Dresses

\$8.95 Value ..... \$5.99  
 \$10.95 Value ..... \$6.99  
 \$12.95 Value ..... \$8.99  
 \$14.95 Value ..... \$9.99  
 \$16.95 Value ..... \$10.99  
 \$19.95 Value ..... \$13.99  
 \$22.95 Value ..... \$15.99  
 \$24.95 Value ..... \$17.99  
 \$29.95 Value ..... \$21.99

#### LADIES' BLOUSES

\$1.98 Value ..... \$1.29  
 \$2.95 Value ..... \$2.29  
 \$3.95 Value ..... \$2.89  
 \$4.95 Value ..... \$3.69  
 \$5.95 Value ..... \$4.49

#### LADIES' COATS & SUITS

\$39.95 Value ..... \$29.99  
 \$44.95 Value ..... \$32.99  
 \$49.95 Value ..... \$37.99  
 \$59.95 Value ..... \$44.99  
 \$69.95 Value ..... \$49.99

#### LADIES' SWEATERS

\$3.95 Value ..... \$2.99  
 \$4.95 Value ..... \$3.99  
 \$5.95 Value ..... \$4.69  
 \$7.95 Value ..... \$5.99  
 \$8.95 Value ..... \$6.99  
 \$10.95 Value ..... \$7.99  
 \$12.95 Value ..... \$8.99  
 \$14.95 Value ..... \$9.99

#### LADIES' TOWN AND COUNTRY SHOES

Values to \$10.95

**\$3.99**

#### TRIM TREAD

Values to \$10.95 ..... \$3.00



#### LADIES' BELTS

\$1.00 Value ..... \$ .89  
 \$1.50 Value ..... \$ .89  
 \$2.00 Value ..... \$1.69  
 \$2.50 Value ..... \$1.69  
 \$3.00 Value ..... \$1.99

#### Large Group NYLON SLIPS

\$5.95 Value ..... \$4.17  
 \$3.95 Value ..... \$3.17  
 \$2.98 Value ..... \$2.17

#### NYLON GOWNS

\$5.95 Value ..... \$4.17  
 \$3.98 Value ..... \$3.17

### FOR THE GIRLS

#### Girls' Dresses

\$2.98 Value ..... \$2.29  
 \$3.98 Value ..... \$2.99  
 \$4.95 Value ..... \$3.99  
 \$5.95 Value ..... \$4.69  
 \$7.95 Value ..... \$5.99  
 \$8.95 Value ..... \$6.99  
 \$10.95 Value ..... \$7.99



#### GIRLS' SWEATERS

\$2.98 Value \$2.29  
 \$4.95 Value \$3.99  
 \$5.95 Value \$3.99  
 \$8.95 Value \$5.99

#### GIRLS' COATS

\$9.95 Value \$6.99  
 \$10.95 Value \$7.99  
 \$15.95 Value \$9.99  
 \$16.95 Value \$10.99

#### MISSSES' LOW HEEL FLATS

\$4.95 & \$5.95 Values

**\$3.00**

#### SADDLE OXFORDS

Brown & White  
 Red & White  
 \$6.95 Value

**\$3.99**

#### GIRLS' DRESS SHOES

8 1/2 to 3  
 \$4.95 Value \$2.00  
 \$6.95 Value \$3.00

# WARE'S

No Gift Wrapping on Sale Merchandise  
 All Sales Cash—No Charge  
 All Sales Final—No Refund  
 No Alterations—No Stamps

# CHRISTMAS SALE

CONTINUES THROUGH SATURDAY, DEC. 14

-FRONA-

Christmas is here, and it's an old time to help old Santa bring us the same time, giving our customers many Christmas shopping with us here for this sale. I have a good selection.

**Old Santa Reminds You that there Are Gifts For the Entire Family At this Great Pre-Christmas Sale!**



**OF FRONA**  
 Merchandise Charge, Please Refunds or Returns Camps During Sale

## FOR THE MEN

**MEN'S WESTERN SHIRTS**  
 Solid and Fancy Patterns

|              |        |
|--------------|--------|
| \$5.00 Value | \$3.49 |
| \$5.95 Value | \$3.95 |
| \$6.95 Value | \$4.49 |

**MEN'S SPORT SHIRTS**

|              |        |
|--------------|--------|
| \$2.98 Value | \$2.29 |
| \$3.95 Value | \$2.89 |
| \$4.95 Value | \$3.49 |
| \$5.95 Value | \$3.95 |
| \$6.95 Value | \$4.49 |

**MEN'S SHOES**

No. 1 Group  
 \$8.95-\$9.95-\$10.95 Values  
**\$5.00**

No. 2 Group  
 Values to \$14.95  
**\$7.00**

**MEN'S TURTLE NECK KNIT SHIRTS**

|              |        |
|--------------|--------|
| \$1.95 Value | \$1.39 |
|--------------|--------|

**MEN'S IVY LEAGUE SLACKS**

|              |        |
|--------------|--------|
| \$4.95 Value | \$3.49 |
| \$5.95 Value | \$4.29 |

**MEN'S BLUE DENIM DUNGAREES**

|              |        |
|--------------|--------|
| \$2.49 Value | \$1.99 |
|--------------|--------|

**MEN'S CAR COATS AND SURCOATS**

|               |         |
|---------------|---------|
| \$19.95 Value | \$14.95 |
|---------------|---------|

**MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS**  
 Fancy Patterns

|               |        |
|---------------|--------|
| \$3.95 Values | \$3.29 |
| \$5.00 Values | \$3.89 |

**MEN'S BLANKET LINED DENIM JACKETS**

|               |        |
|---------------|--------|
| \$4.95 Values | \$4.49 |
|---------------|--------|

**MEN'S LEATHER CAPS**

|               |        |
|---------------|--------|
| \$2.00 Values | \$1.79 |
|---------------|--------|

**COTTON FLANNEL SPORT SHIRTS**

Reg. \$2.00 Values  
**CHRISTMAS SALE \$1.39**

**MEN'S BROADCLOTH SHORTS**

|         |     |
|---------|-----|
| 2 Pairs | 99c |
|---------|-----|

**MEN'S KNIT BRIEFS**

|         |     |
|---------|-----|
| 3 Pairs | 99c |
|---------|-----|

**MEN'S KNIT VESTS**

|       |     |
|-------|-----|
| 2 For | 99c |
|-------|-----|

**MEN'S CORDUROY SPORT SHIRTS**

|               |        |
|---------------|--------|
| \$3.95 Values | \$3.29 |
|---------------|--------|

**MEN'S MOTORCYCLE JACKETS**

|               |        |
|---------------|--------|
| \$13.95 Value | \$9.99 |
|---------------|--------|

**MEN'S SWEAT SHIRTS**  
 White and Grey

|              |     |
|--------------|-----|
| \$1.29 Value | 97c |
|--------------|-----|

**MEN'S SWEAT SHIRTS**  
 Colored

|              |        |
|--------------|--------|
| \$1.59 Value | \$1.19 |
|--------------|--------|

**MEN'S TEST BRAND KHAKI PANTS**

|               |        |
|---------------|--------|
| \$3.29 Values | \$2.98 |
|---------------|--------|

Shirts to Match

|               |        |
|---------------|--------|
| \$2.50 Values | \$2.19 |
|---------------|--------|

**MEN'S WOOL DRESS JACKETS**

|               |        |
|---------------|--------|
| \$12.95 Value | \$8.50 |
| \$13.95 Value |        |

**MEN'S DRESS PANTS**

|               |         |
|---------------|---------|
| \$8.95 Value  | \$5.90  |
| \$15.95 Value | \$11.50 |

**MEN'S WORK CAPS**  
 Corduroy and Plastic

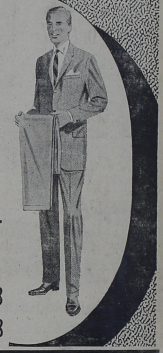
|                  |        |
|------------------|--------|
| A Real Value For | \$1.00 |
|------------------|--------|

**MEN'S BLUE DENIM WESTERN STYLE SHIRTS**

|              |        |
|--------------|--------|
| \$2.98 Value | \$2.69 |
|--------------|--------|

## MEN'S SUITS

Curlee  
 \$55.00 Value  
**\$45.00**  
 \$49.75 Value  
**\$39.95**



**MEN'S SPORT COATS**

|               |         |
|---------------|---------|
| \$29.95 Value | \$23.88 |
| \$35.00 Value | \$27.88 |

## FOR THE BOYS



**BOY'S DRESS SUITS**  
 2 to 12 Years

|               |        |
|---------------|--------|
| \$9.95 Value  | \$5.99 |
| \$12.95 Value | \$6.99 |
| \$14.95 Value | \$8.99 |

**BOYS' MOTORCYCLE JACKETS**

|               |        |
|---------------|--------|
| \$8.95 Values | \$6.50 |
|---------------|--------|

**BOYS' SCHOOL JACKETS**  
 Reversible School Colors-Red and White

|               |        |
|---------------|--------|
| \$13.95 Value | \$9.90 |
|---------------|--------|

**BOYS' BLUE JEANS**  
 Sizes 6 to 12 10 Oz.

|              |        |
|--------------|--------|
| \$2.00 Value | \$1.59 |
|--------------|--------|

**Little Boys' Overcoats**  
 2 to 12

|               |        |
|---------------|--------|
| \$12.95 Value | \$8.99 |
|---------------|--------|

**BOYS' DRESS PANTS**  
 6 to 12

|               |        |
|---------------|--------|
| \$4.95 Values | \$3.29 |
| \$5.95 Values | \$4.49 |
| \$7.95 Values | \$5.49 |

**BOYS' COLORED SWEAT SHIRTS**

|              |     |
|--------------|-----|
| \$1.25 Value | 99c |
|--------------|-----|

**BOYS' SKI-TYPE KNIT PAJAMAS**

|              |        |
|--------------|--------|
| \$2.00 Value | \$1.49 |
|--------------|--------|

**BOYS' KNIT BRIEFS**

|       |     |
|-------|-----|
| 3 For | 99c |
|-------|-----|

**BOYS' COWBOY BOOTS**

|                             |        |
|-----------------------------|--------|
| \$8.95 Value & \$9.95 Value | \$5.99 |
| \$12.95 Value               | \$8.99 |

**JACKETS AND COATS**

|         |        |
|---------|--------|
| \$6.95  | \$5.00 |
| \$7.95  |        |
| \$8.95  |        |
| \$9.95  | \$7.00 |
| \$10.95 |        |
| \$11.95 | \$8.00 |
| \$12.95 |        |

**BOYS' SPORT COATS**

|         |        |
|---------|--------|
| \$9.95  | \$7.00 |
| \$10.95 |        |
| \$12.95 | \$8.95 |
| \$15.95 |        |

**BOYS' SPORT SHIRTS**  
 Knit, Broadcloth or Corduroy

|              |        |
|--------------|--------|
| \$1.98 Value | \$1.39 |
| \$2.98 Value | \$2.29 |
| \$3.50 Value | \$2.89 |
| \$3.98 Value |        |

**BOYS' WHITE TEE SHIRTS**

|       |     |
|-------|-----|
| 2 For | 99c |
|-------|-----|

**BOYS' DRESS SLACKS**  
 2 to 6

|               |        |
|---------------|--------|
| \$3.98 Values | \$2.99 |
| \$5.95 Values | \$4.29 |

**BOYS' SPORT SHIRTS**  
 Sizes 1 to 6

|               |        |
|---------------|--------|
| \$1.69 Values | \$1.19 |
| \$1.98 Values | \$1.39 |

**BOYS' CORDUROY BIB OVERALLS**  
 Sizes 1 to 6

|              |        |
|--------------|--------|
| \$2.98 Value | \$2.19 |
|--------------|--------|

We Give S and H Green Stamps



**SHOP Piggly Wiggly**

...Quick...  
Convenient...  
**BETTER!**  
AND YOU SAVE EVERYDAY

**CHOICE MEATS**

FRESH PORK SHOULDER **NICE ROAST lb. 49c**

CUDAHY'S THICK SLICED **2 LB. FAMILY STYLE BACON 89c**

USDA GOV'T. GRADED CHOICE T-BONE or CLUB **STEAK lb. 79c**

WILSON THICK SLICED **BACON lb. pkg. 49c**

LONGHORN ALL BEEF **CHILI lb. 49c**

GOLDEN FLUFFO **SHORTENING 3 LB. CAN 79c**

SuZan **Quart SALAD DRESSING 29c**

Best Maid **18 oz. Jar PEANUT BUTTER 39c**

Shurfine **No. 2 Can SWEET POTATOES 23c**

Soflin **650 sheets to roll TOILET TISSUE 4 for 29c**

Vel Pink Liquid **King Size DETERGENT 79c**

Shurfine **6 oz. Jar INSTANT COFFEE 89c**

Monarch **No. 303 Can SUGAR PEAS 19c**

**Complete Line of FRUIT CAKE MIXES**

Tendercrust **BROWN SERVE ROLLS 2 PKGS. 39c**

Woodbury **Reg. Size BEAUTY SOAP 3 for 15c**

**COCA-COLA**

Regular Size

**29c plus deposit**

SHURFINE SLICED OR HALVES No. 2 1/2 Can

**PEACHES 3 for 89c**

SELECT YOUR  
**CHRISTMAS TREE EARLY**

LIBBY'S

Spaghetti & Meat Balls or Chili & Spaghetti

**4 No. 303 CANS \$1**

SHURFINE **COFFEE**

ALL GRINDS, 1 LB. CAN

**79c**

Get tickets here NOW for 1958 Chevrolet to be given away December 24 by Friona merchants. One ticket for each \$1 purchase. Be sure to ask for yours.

SHURFRESH

**OLEO**

1 Lb. Pkg.

**19c**

Specials December 5  
Through December 11

SWIFT PREMIUM 3 LB., 4 OZ. CAN

**Whole Chicken \$1.09**

BI-LO 1 LB. PKG.

**Shelled Pecans 98c**

HERSHEY'S 6 OZ. PKG.

**Dainties 19c**

BETTY CROCKER 20 OZ. BOX

**White Cake Mix 31c**

WHITE SWAN NO. 300 CAN

**Pinto Beans 10c**



LIBBY'S CHICKEN 8 OZ. PKG.

**Pot Pies 23c**

MINUTE MAID 12 OZ. CAN

**Lemonade 19c**

LIBBY'S 10 OZ. PKG.

**Chopped Broccoli 19c**

BORDEN'S 1/2 GALLON

**Mellorine 49c**

**FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES**

CENTRAL AMERICAN GOLDEN RIPE

**Bananas 2 lbs. 29c**

WASHINGTON WINESAP Extra Fancy

**Apples 2 lbs. 29c**

CHOICE, Nice and Juicy DOZEN

**Lemons 29c**

IDAHO RUSSETS 10 LB. BAG

**Potatoes 49c**

Double S & H  
Green Stamps  
Each Wednesday  
With Purchase  
of \$2.50 or More



SAVE ALL THROUGH DECEMBER

**PIGGLY WIGGLY**

PHONE 3001 — FRIONA

We Give S and H Green Stamps

We Give S and H Green Stamps

We Give S and H Green Stamps