

Tuesday

Thursday

Whittlin'

By Dolph Moten

Which Thanksgiving are we going to observe?

This department favors November 29. Can't help but notice that most calendars have November 22 marked as the day for offering thanks and eating turkey.

Have a farmer friend who says he wishes some of the long-legged football referees, who step off penalty yardage against his favorite team, would measure his cotton acreage next year. Not a bad idea. And it might be a nice job for the referees in the off-season.

Believe farmers would vote for it just like they are going to vote Democratic.

I knew it was coming sooner or later. I'm speaking of being drawn between two duties. Saturday afternoon's schedule called for the usual Boost Bovina Day activities, which I've tried to take a part in, and the Bovina-Kress football game at Kress.

I wanted to be both places. However, since there are more Bovina Jaycees and no more reporters on The Blade sports staff, I decided Kress was the place for me.

Had I not tried to completely forget about the activities going on here everything would have worked out better. But I did forget.

When I returned after the football game, I found fellow Jaycees looking at me with a we're-sure-mad-at-you look, my office with an appearance of having been just searched and my house the same way.

It took a minimum of questioning to learn that I had left town without telling anyone where the money-script was for Saturday afternoon's drawing.

Jaycees had made a frantic search of the places already mentioned without finding "hide nor hair" of script. They were resourceful enough however to locate a sufficient amount of once-used script from other sources to fill the needs for the afternoon's activities.

As is usually the case when men are looking for something, the script was in The Blade office and in plain sight.

Moral to the story, if any, is: Bovina Jaycees would make poor thieves.

The Paring Knife erupted last week with a political roar that seemed to leave even the die-hard local Republicans with nothing to say. I wonder if we can count on having The Paring Knife as a regular feature from now until election time. I'd say we could.

Maybe the remarks made in PK left my arguing friend, Hubert Ellison, feeling sorry for me. At any rate, Hubert hasn't offered to discuss politics with me all week.

When we meet, he offers a "Hello, no comment," greeting. Nothing more.

It's been rather a dull week from that standpoint.

In case you haven't heard, the score of the A&M-Baylor game was A&M 19, Baylor 13. Also, in case you've missed it, A&M is now a heavy favorite to win the Southwest Conference title.

If the Aggies don't slow down somewhere along the line, I'm going to stick my neck out again this year and say they will whip Texas University all over Memorial Stadium.

More about this later.

Speaking of football, the time has come when I must back down on my earlier-in-the-season prediction that the Bovina Mustangs would enjoy a better season this year than last. As a matter of fact, I forecasted that the season's record would be a .500 mark of five wins and five losses.

In 1955, the average was .400 with four wins and six losses.

The Mustangs' Saturday afternoon defeat at the hands of the Kress Kangaroos made the 5-5 record a mathematical impossibility. At present, the record is one win and six losses with three games remaining on the schedule.

Two of those games—Amherst and Whitharral—will have the Mustangs in their familiar role of underdogs. The Lazbuddie game, which will be played on Mustang Field November 9, will probably be rated a toss-up.

To come out with a record as good as last season's, the Ponies will, of course, have to win all three of those remaining.

It could be done . . .

It's Election Time In Bovina

Huge Ballot Facing Parmer Co. Voters

Everything is big in Texas. Or, so goes the saying, and the ballot which Parmer County voters will be facing when they go to the polls to vote in the November 6 general election is in line with other Texas monstrosities.

The largest in history, the ballot measures 28 inches in length. It was so large that there wasn't a job press in the printing plant that would handle it, and it had to be printed on the newspaper press.

The ballot is headed by the list of candidates representing the Democratic Party, followed by the Republican and Constitution Party candidates. Too, there is a column for the independents, and one for those wishing to write in a name for the national, state, district, and county offices.

The Democratic Party is the only one having a candidate for each office. Headed by Adlai Stevenson and Estes Kefauver, candidates for president and vice-president, the Democratic list has 34 names in all. There are 32 state, district, and county offices to be filled, and they range from governor to precinct committeemen.

The Republicans have five names on the ballot, headed by Dwight D. Eisenhower and Richard M. Nixon for president and vice-president. William R. Bryant is the Republican opposing Democrat Price Daniel for governor.

For attorney general, the Republicans list Leo N. Duran, and for state commissioner of agriculture, they have Samuel R. Singleton. Democratic candidates for these positions are Will Wilson for attorney general and John C. White for commissioner of agriculture.

The Constitution party has seven candidates on the ballot. T. Coleman Andrews and Thomas H. Werdell are the candidates for president and vice-president, and Fred T. Spangler is running against Democrat Martin Dies for congressman-at-large.

Other candidates representing the Constitution Party are John R. Anthony for associate justice, supreme court, place 2; Joseph M. Rummeler for railroad commissioner; E. G. Brown for comptroller of public accounts; and Bard A. Logan for state treasurer.

Democratic candidates vying for these positions are Robert W. Calvert, associate justice, supreme

court, place 2; William J. Murray, Jr., railroad commissioner; Robert S. Calvert, comptroller of public accounts; and Jesse James, state treasurer.

The remainder of the Democratic candidates which emerged on top during the Democratic primaries, are unopposed in their bids for election.

No names appear on the independent ticket. Although his name is not on the ballot, making a bid for election as a write-in candidate is W. Lee "Pappy" O'Daniel for governor. O'Daniel was a candidate in the Democratic primary and finished third, behind Daniel and Ralph Yarborough.

On the tail end of the ballot voters will find eight amendments to the constitution which they are to vote for or against. They are as follows:

No. 1—The Constitutional Amendment granting power to the legislature to grant aid and compensation to persons who have paid fines or have served prison sentences under the laws of this state for offenses of which they were not guilty.

No. 2—The constitutional amendment authorizing the commissioners court in each county to levy whatever sums may be necessary

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BB Drawing Has Repeat Winners

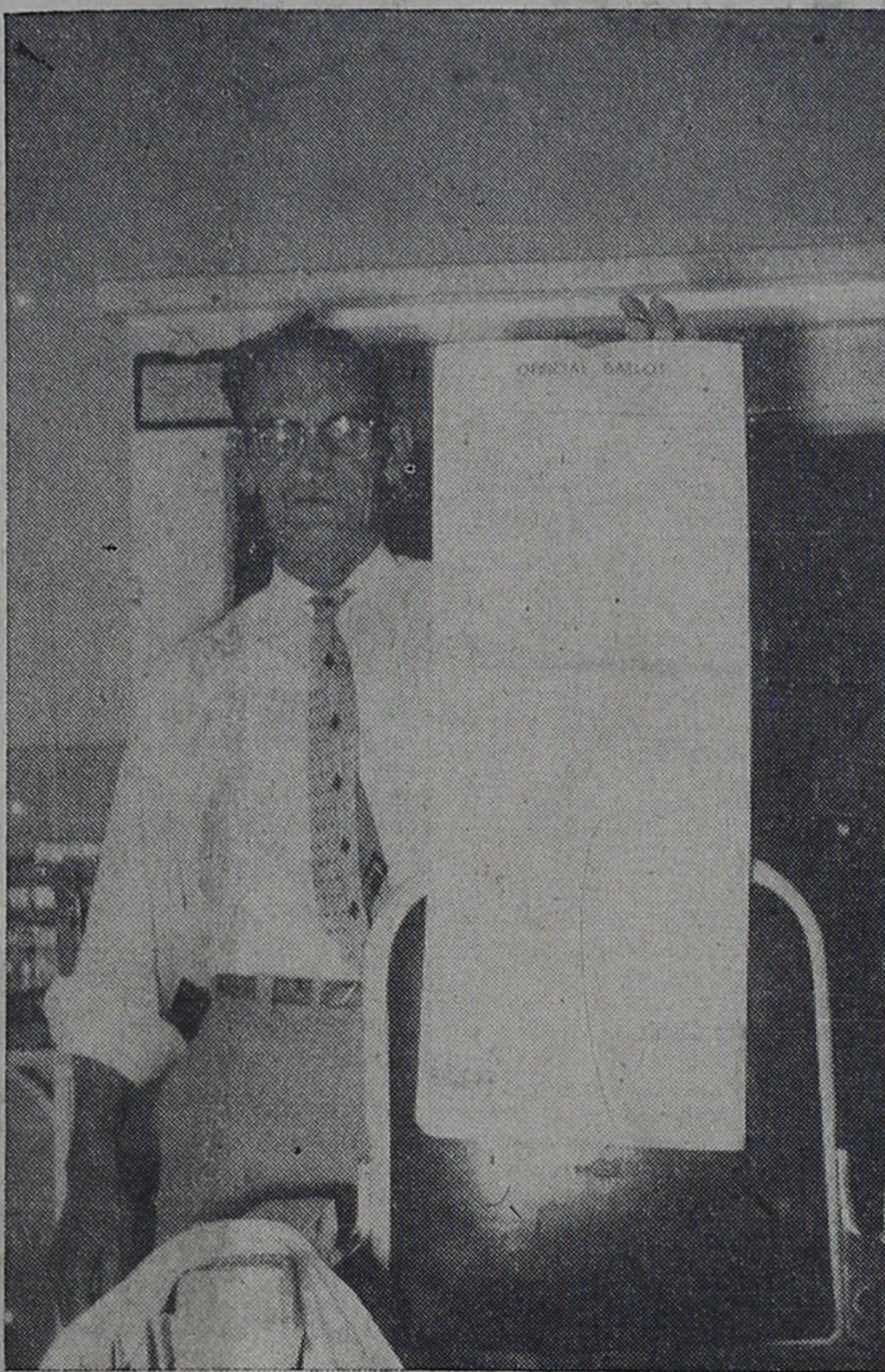
Two repeat winners walked away with Bovina Jaycee-merchant-sponsored script in their pockets Saturday following the weekly drawing for prizes of \$15, \$10, and \$5.

E. R. Barry, who received \$5, and Mrs. Fanny Burnam, who was awarded the \$15 prize, were winners for the second time since the program began four weeks ago.

Mrs. James Williams was awarded the \$10 prize.

The fifth drawing will be held Saturday afternoon at 4:30 p.m. At 2:30 p.m. a free movie for children under 12 will be offered at Mustang Theatre. The movie, like the drawing, is sponsored by Bovina Jaycees and merchants.

Script awarded at the drawing may be spent like money at any of some 35 local businesses that are participating in the program. A list of the businesses is in an advertisement in this issue.



LOTS AND LOTS OF BALLOT—Emmett Tabor, local barber, displays the "saddle blanket" ballot that voters will meet face to face when they vote in the general election Tuesday, November 6. The ballot Bovina voters will mark tomorrow (Thursday) isn't, of course, nearly so big.

Poll Shows

Parmer County For Stevenson

By W. H. GRAHAM Jr.

Eight years ago a certain statistician named George Gallup had attained a widespread and hard-earned reputation for being able to

determine, in advance, what the outcome of elections would be.

He—and others—put a lot of faith in their pre-election interviews which sampled public opinion and placed a yardstick on anticipated behavior at the polls.

Life magazine even went so far in their prognostication as to publish an issue in advance of the voting with a picture of Tom Dewey, governor of New York and the Republican nominee, as "the next president of the United States."

What happened is common knowledge to almost everyone old enough to vote. Harry Truman, the old Missouri warrior, won his greatest political campaign and carried off the presidency.

For that and other reasons, anyone who samples public opinion ought to be prepared for some more than just mild surprises. Even so, it's hard to resist the temptation to speculate on anything as exciting as a national election, and for that reason, the Bovina Blade, State Line Tribune, and Friona Star cooperated in a late season survey to determine, if possible, what will be the trend of the voting Tuesday in Parmer County.

The way in which the sampling was taken was to select 25 eligible voters each from Farwell, Bovina, and Friona. They were classified as pro-Eisenhower, Stevenson, Andrews or undecided. No names have been used, and no per-

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Bond Election Is Tomorrow

By DOLPH MOTEN

Though the general election is a much discussed topic around Bovina, it is sharing the spotlight with Thursday's \$25,000 sewer and water bond election that could possibly have more direct effect on Bovina than the presidential election.

The bulk of the \$25,000, if the election carries, will be used to equip Bovina's newest Addition—Pesch—with sewer and water lines. However, Mayor J. E. Sherrill Jr. points out, some of it will be used

to pay for repairs and extensions elsewhere.

Feelings for and against the voting of the bonds are running high. City officials have ordered 400 ballots in anticipation of a heavy turnout at the polls.

In the last bond election, which was held in 1955 and was for the purpose of voting \$100,000 worth of sewer system bonds, 100 persons voted. The sewer election carried 93-7.

If the bonds, which will not raise taxes, according to Sherrill, are voted, they will mature serially in such installments as may be fixed by the city commission. Maximum maturity date will be 20 years from their date. Interest rate to be paid will be a maximum of four and one-half per cent.

American Legion Hall will be the site of the all-important November 1 election. Election officials will be Will Parker, judge; R. A. Hartsell, Bobby Berggren, and C. R. Elliott.

It is estimated that approximately 10 houses must be built in the Addition to put the water and sewer business on a break-even proposition as far as the city is concerned.

Unless 10 commitments for the buildings of houses are made, city officials aren't expected to install the improvements.

Lions Hear Morton, Discuss Broom Sale

Warren Morton, superintendent of Bovina Schools, talked to Bovina Lions Club members at a regular meeting Thursday night in Bovina Restaurant concerning Teacher Retirement Amendment No. four.

In a business session at the meeting, Lions made further plans concerning their November 9 broom sale. They agreed that "advertising" brooms will be carried by members beginning Monday, November 5.

Two teams will participate in the sale. Members will be divided into teams at the next regular meeting, Thursday, November 8.

Also during the business session, the club agreed that a fried chicken supper would be served at the meeting following the sale and that members of the losing team would be served only necks and wings.

Henry Minter, president, says much interest is being shown in the sale this year and it is expected to be a big success.

John Wilson Appointed New Water Superintendent

John Wilson is the new water superintendent for City of Bovina.

Announcement of Wilson's appointment was made earlier this week by Mayor J. E. Sherrill, Jr.

A resident of Bovina since 1928, Wilson has been a custodian at Bovina Schools for the past 16 months. He also worked for the school during 1950-51. Prior to going to work for the school, he was in construction work.

The position became open when Roy Fuller, who filled the job since December of last year, resigned to go to work for Bovina Farm Chemical.

Wilson will begin his duties tomorrow (Thursday) morning. Fuller's resignation was effective today.

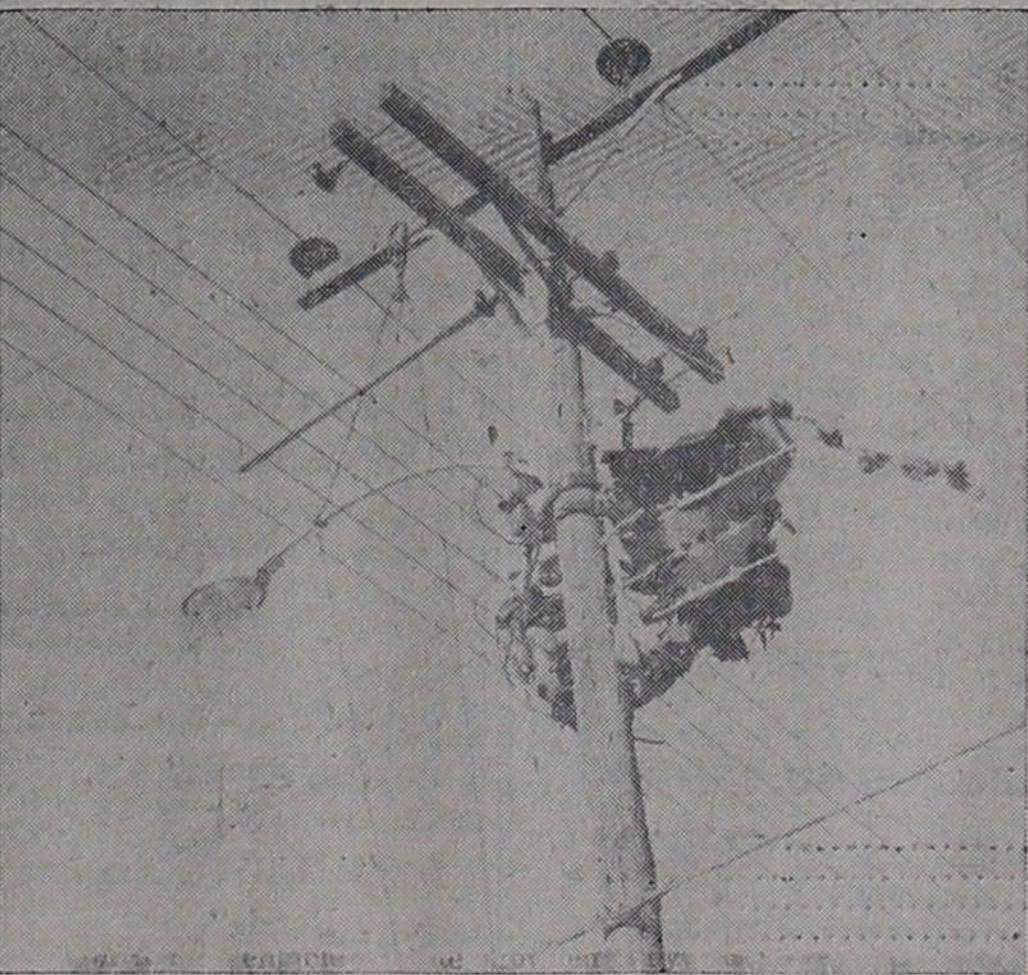
PICTURES MADE MONDAY

Seniors of Bovina High School had their pictures made at the school Monday. A photographer from Marquise Studios of Okla-

homa City, Okla., was in charge of the picture making. The pictures will be used in the school annual and will also be sold individually, Warren Morton, school superintendent, says.

Long - Awaited -

Bovina's Street Lights Are Being Installed



Bovina's long-awaited street lights are being installed.

Work began last week and will possibly be completed the latter part of this week. The installations are being made by a crew of Southwestern Public Service men. SWPS is also furnishing the materials.

Only cost to the city for the lights will be the monthly electricity bill.

Application for the lights was made more than a year ago by the city commission. Original plans called for the lights to be installed along Highway 60, North (Main) Street, Third Street, Avenue 'E', in front of the school building, and on Highway 60. The plan is being carried out except for the Highway 60 portion. Materials were not ordered for this section because at the time the order was placed no word had been received from Texas Highway Department as to where the lights could be placed.

The lights for Highway 60 will be installed at a later date, Henry Minter, city secretary, says.

A total of 12 mercury vapor lights have been installed on North Street. They run from Highway 60 around North Street loop to Fourth Street on the west side of town. The largest of three sizes of lights were placed in the main section of

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UP THEY GO—Bovina's new street lights, which were ordered for more than a year, were going up on the poles last week and this. The light pictured above is located at the intersection of Third Street and North Street. It's of the mercury vapor variety and is the largest of three sizes used in Bovina.

CAN YOU VOTE?

Some citizens of Bovina, through no fault of their own, do not know whether they are eligible to vote in Thursday's city bond election.

To be an eligible voter, a citizen must meet the following requirements.

He must:

1. Be 21 years old or older.
2. Have paid poll tax or have an exemption.
3. Have lived inside the city limits of Bovina for the past six months.
4. Pay taxes on either real and/or personal property. Wives and husbands of taxpayers are also

eligible to vote provided they can meet the other requirements.

Some people are under the impression that they can't vote because they don't pay taxes on real estate. This is a wrong impression as may be seen in requirement four.

Vote "For" Sewer and Water Election Tomorrow



THE BOVINA BLADE

DOLPH MOTEN, EDITOR & PUBLISHER

Second-Class Privileges Authorized at Bovina, Texas Published at Bovina, Texas, Every Wednesday

Vote Democratic

A quickly taken poll on the streets of Bovina Monday afternoon proved to us without a shadow of a doubt that our precinct will vote Democratic come November 6.

As farmers and dependents on farming in the Bovina area and Parmer County, we have seen a Republican administration "run over" us getting to other groups in other parts of the nation. And we can see the tremendous threat that we and our economy will be "run over" and ignored even more if this Republican administration is allowed to remain in power for four more years.

The theory that "big business" and a Republican administration go hand in hand has held true during the past four years. Since 1952, farm income has dropped 20 percent. In dollars, the drop has been from \$15.1 billion to a near-record low of \$11.1 billion annually and the trend for farm income is still downward.

True, local farm prices are some higher this year than last. But why shouldn't they be? The Republicans want to be elected.

Stevenson's common sense plea to attempt to put an end to further H-bomb tests has brought on much criticism. But did you know this: President Eisenhower had planned to make a dramatic pronouncement of H-bomb policies in the closing minutes of the campaign. The pronouncement was hoped to have vote-getting appeal not unlike the "I'll go to Korea" statement of 1952.

However, a man involved in political incidentals is involved indeed.

The main, important point is . . . vote for the party that will do best for you, that will do best for your section of the country, that will do best for your nation—Vote Democratic.

We're Still for Bovina

A growth opportunity is knocking on Bovina's door. You, as a voter, will have the option of opening the door for this opportunity or of barring it in tomorrow's election.

We're speaking, of course, of the \$25,000 sewer and water bond election. The bonds, if voted, will be used to install city water and sewer lines in the Pesch Addition in Southwest Bovina among other things.

Plans for the Pesch Addition call for a housing project to occupy it. G. I. and F. H. A. loans will be available to citizens who are interested in owning a home there.

If plans for the Addition go through, it will have paved streets, a novelty in Bovina. It will, in our opinion, be a part of town that local citizens will be proud of and that out-of-towners will view with respect.

We feel that the majority of people here want to see Bovina grow and prosper. However, many of these same people feel that they haven't been offered enough explanation and information concerning the project. This lack of information is the fault of the individuals promoting the project.

But that, to us, is only incidental. The fact remains that by voting "for" the sewer and water bonds you will be giving Bovina an opportunity for even more growth.

As we see the situation, we, as a town and as individuals, have everything to gain and nothing to lose.

Vote "for"—Let's Build Bovina.

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Looks Like Adlai In Parmer County

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son contacted refused to express himself or herself.

Tabulations from the 75 persons interviewed indicate an unquestionable leaning for the Democratic ticket. In fact, if the scanty statistics are projected to represent the 2200 votes in the county that are expected to be cast Tuesday, Stevenson-Kefauver will carry Parmer County by a landslide.

The Demo nominees polled 69.3% of the vote in the Parmer County sampling. Eisenhower and Nixon garnered only 26.6%. All information was obtained the first of the week, and nearly everyone questioned seemed to have his mind made up. Fence-jumping at this late date is not expected.

Both Friona and Bovina handed the Republican nominees sweeping defeats in the pre-election straw poll, but Farwell cast a majority of votes for Eisenhower. This oddity is hard to account for, but it is something that pops up frequently in this county.

In the primary, for example, Friona went moderately in favor of Daniel, Farwell went heavily in his favor, and Bovina swung to Yarborough. Parmer County has a political makeup that is unpredictable.

Here's the way Parmer County voters have expressed themselves. They are listed by occupations:

Table with columns for FRIONA, Bovina, and Adlai, listing occupations and corresponding vote counts.

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Table listing various occupations and their corresponding vote counts for the Adlai campaign.

BOVINA
Electrician x
Appliance dealer x
Farmer x
Publisher x
Merchant x
Merchant x
Housewife undecided
Merchant x
Farmer x
Housewife x
City employee x
Preacher x
Butcher x
Real estate man x
Farmer x
School employee x
Merchant x
Office employee x
Grain dealer x
Housewife x
Service station operator x
Farmer x
In 1952, the last presidential election, Parmer County polled about 2200 votes. Of that number, 1501 went to Eisenhower and Nixon. The Stevenson - Sparkman ticket collected 663 votes in Parmer County. Thus, only one term ago, Parmer County went 2-to-1 for the Republican nominee. This year, the straws in the wind indicate a reversal of this trend.

Pocahontas married John Rolfe.

Advertisement for BOVINA ELECTRIC, featuring air conditioner covers and contact information for Odis White.

Attend Funeral Services Tuesday

Mr. and Mrs. George Turner received word Monday of the death of a friend, White Griffith of Earth, Griffith died Monday morning, following a long illness. Mr. and Mrs. Turner, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dunavant, attended funeral services Tuesday afternoon at Earth Baptist Church. Interment was in Canyon Cemetery. The three families were old friends and former neighbors.

Quilting Club Meets With Mrs. Rhodes

Members of the Bovina Quilting Club met Friday in the home of Mrs. Tom Rhodes for an all-day meeting. A covered dish luncheon was served at noon and the women spent the day completing a quilt for the hostess.

Those present were Mrs. Fred Roberts, Mrs. Lloyd Killough, Mrs. Rob Caldwell, Mrs. Will Parker, Mrs. Levi Johnson, Mrs. Tom Griffith and Mrs. Bill Bradshaw.

Return Home

Mrs. Clarence Kaufman and son, Gordon Allen, returned to their home in Fontana, Calif. recently. They had spent the previous three weeks visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tritch.

From Lockney

Mrs. T. B. Mitchell of Lockney spent Friday night visiting in the home of her daughter-in-law and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dean McCallum. She returned to Lockney the following day.

With Relatives

Mrs. George Turner, Mrs. Floyd Dunavant and Mrs. Turner's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nelson of Clovis, spent Thursday and Friday of last week visiting with relatives in the Childress and Quanah area. Mrs. Turner and her sister were guests in the home of a brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dial of Childress. Mrs. Dunavant visited with her sister and brother in Goodlett.

Left Over From Last Week

Wesleyan Service Guild Meets At Parsonage Tuesday

Members of the Methodist Wesleyan Service Guild gathered Tuesday evening in the church parsonage for a regular monthly meeting.

The meeting was opened with a prayer offered by Mrs. W. E. Williams and the opening hymn was "The Church's One Foundation." Mrs. Margaret Caldwell gave the first of a series of three lessons on Paul's Letters. She introduced the lesson and used illustrations of Thessalonica and Galatia in her talk. Mrs. W. E. Williams gave a talk on "Paul's Earlier Life" and Mrs. Bedford Caldwell spoke on "Paul's Ideas of the Church." Mrs. Bill Whitesides gave a background talk on the letters to Galatia.

Following the meeting, Mrs. Williams, vice-president, presided at a business meeting. Mrs. E. O. Norton read the minutes of the last meeting and offered her resignation as secretary-treasurer. Mrs. Whitesides was elected reporter and a treasurer will be selected in the near future. The group also decided to change their meeting time from 8:00 p. m. to 7:00 p. m.

With Mrs. Cochran

Mrs. Lyntis Goodyear, a guest at the meeting, joined the Guild. Refreshments of fresh strawberry tarts and coffee were served by the hostesses, Mrs. W. R. Beard and Miss Grace Paul. Those present for the meeting were Mrs. Margaret Caldwell, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Bedford Caldwell, Mrs. Wilbur Charles, Mrs. Norton, Mrs. Whitesides, Miss Rita Caldwell, Mrs. H. J. Charles and the hostesses.

WMU Anniversary In Canyon

Six members of the Bovina First Baptist Church went to Canyon Thursday where they attended an annual WMU Associational meeting, held in the First Baptist Church at Canyon. The meeting was a celebration of the WMU Golden Anniversary and the speaker was Mrs. Carl Bates of Amarillo.

Members of the association gave an agent depicting the last 50 years and the work and accomplishments of the WMU in that time. Luncheon was served in the educational building of the church with the Canyon WMU as hostesses.

Those attending from Bovina were Rev. and Mrs. Virgil Goodwin, Mrs. Roy Fuller, Mrs. R. N. Williford, Mrs. Bobby Englant and Mrs. Alva Hudson.

Mrs. Leake And Guests Visit Relatives

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Owens of Wichita, Kansas, are visiting this week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Leake. The guests arrived a week ago Tuesday evening and will return home the latter part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Owens, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Leake Bovina and Mrs. Joe Wesley Hromas and children of O'Donnell visited over the weekend in Avoca with Mrs. Leake's twin sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thane. Also visiting in the Thane home were other relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Ender of Sagerton; their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ender and son, Gary, also of Sagerton.

Thrifty Club Meets In Stevens' Home

Thrifty Club met Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. D. Stevens for a regular bi-monthly meeting. The group spent the afternoon making cup towels for the hostess and visiting.

Refreshments of lemonade, angel food cake and mints were served to Mrs. E. M. Ware, Mrs. G. A. Bandy, Mrs. Wilbur Charles, Mrs. Dick Sparks, Mrs. Dollie Williams, Mrs. J. T. Jones, Mrs. C. R. Brandon, and Mrs. George Turner.

Next meeting will be Wednesday, October 24, in the home of Mrs. Turner.

With Mrs. Cochran

Mr. and Mrs. Lee H. Sudderth visited Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buster Cochran. Mrs. Cochran was released from a Lubbock hospital about a week ago, following major surgery.

In Brock Home

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Brock over the weekend were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Harris and children, Donnie, Rickie and Nicki, of Lubbock.

From Plainview

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Tucker and daughter, Barbara, of Plainview visited Saturday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hromas and family. The visitors were returning home from Farwell where they had visited with his father, Bob Tucker, who has been ill with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Sisco and daughter, Cheryl, of Dawn, visited Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wilcox.

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Junior McCormick were her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wilcox and son, Kenneth.

STATING THE FACTS OF THE NOVEMBER 6TH ELECTION "THE GOP HAS BROUGHT THE GREATEST PROSPERITY IN HISTORY"

The answer: Prosperity for big business, sure. But what about the rest of us . . . farmers, wage earners, and small businessmen?

Table comparing CORPORATIONS and AVERAGE PERSONS on metrics like 'Take Home Pay', General Motors, Big Business Profits, Stockholder's Income, and Stock Market Prices.

24,000 Small Business Failure '54-'55 SMALL BUSINESS FAILURES ARE UP 25%

"GOP LOWER FARM PRICES MEAN LOWER CONSUMER FOOD PRICES"

Table comparing WHAT THE FARMER GETS (Wheat, Milk, Hog Prices) and WHAT THE HOUSEWIFE PAYS (Bread, Milk, Pork Prices).

"GOP FLEXIBLE PRICE SUPPORTS WILL REDUCE SURPLUSES"

The answer: Recent experience shows that when price supports are lowered (As GOP has done), farmers tend to produce MORE, not less. This is because when a farmer expects to get less for each bushel, he tends to plant more bushels in order to keep his cash income up to production costs.

HERE ARE EXAMPLES OF WHAT HAPPENED BETWEEN 1952 AND 1955:

Table showing Crop Price Support Went . . . But production went DOWN for various crops like Sorghum Grain, Rye, Barley, and Oats.

FARMERS HAVE FACED FLEXIBLE PRICES ON CROP PRICES BUT NO FLEXIBLE PRICES ON PRODUCTION COSTS.

Vote A Straight Democratic Ticket November 6th. (Paid Political Advertising)

SAMPLE BALLOT for CITY OF BOVINA BOND ELECTION, November 1, 1956. Includes propositions for waterworks and sewer system tax bonds.

Woman's Study Club Hears Talk Thursday

Bovina Woman's Study Club met Thursday afternoon in the club house for a regular meeting. There were 12 members and 2 guests present.

Mrs. Lloyd C. Battey, president, was in charge of the meeting and

Mrs. A. B. Wilkinson, vice-president, acted as secretary in the absence of Mrs. A. M. Martin. The club roll call and collect were read and the minutes of the previous meeting were also read by Mrs. Wilkinson and approved by the members present. She read the resignations of Mrs. Eldon Towrie and Mrs. Dean McCallum as members and Mrs. Frank Truitt, as associate member. The resignations were accepted.

Mrs. Art Mast, program chairman, was in charge of the program for the day. She introduced the guest speaker, Gil Lamb of Muleshoe. Lamb, who is an out-

standing speaker of this area and is associated with a Muleshoe radio station, spoke on the subject, "Narcotics and Alcoholism."

Lamb spoke on the cause, cure and the problems of alcoholism. He stressed the intense need for understanding that is characteristic of all alcoholics.

Mrs. Mast also gave a short talk on the fourth amendment, or teacher's retirement amendment. She discussed the needs of the present retirement provisions and how they will be improved by the approval of this amendment.

Refreshments of baked apples, whipped cream and coffee were served from a table that was graced with decorations which carried out the harvest theme. An arrangement of pumpkins, gourds, Indian corn and heads of ripe grain was shaped in the form of a "horn of plenty."

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Troy Fuller and Mrs. Mast.

Those present for the meeting were Mrs. Fuller, Mrs. Billie Sudderth, Mrs. Battey, Mrs. Wilkinson, Mrs. Ike Quickel, Mrs. Amos Shockley, Mrs. Clarence Jones, Mrs. Rouel Barron, Mrs. O. H. Jones, Mrs. Johnnie Horn, Mrs. Bessie Caldwell and Mrs. L. H.

Pesch. Mr. and Mrs. Gil Lamb were guests.

The next meeting will be Thursday afternoon, November 8, at the club house. The theme of the meeting will be "Local Laws" and those taking part on the program will be Mrs. A. B. Wilkinson and Mrs. J. P. Macon. Mrs. Arlin Hartzog and Mrs. O. H. Jones will be hostesses for the meeting.

Marzie Lynn Circle Studies Indonesia

Members of the Marzie Lynn Circle of Methodist Church met in the church parlor Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 p.m., for a regular study.

The meeting was the second session of a series in which the group is studying about Southeast Asia. The members of the circle are divided into groups and will act as delegates from the different areas under study.

Those who took part on the Tuesday program were Mrs. Earl Ware, who spoke on the Philippines and Mrs. C. F. Hastings and Mrs. Rouel Barron, who spoke on Indonesia. Their talks covered the people, their livelihood, politics, the effect of communism and the growth of Christianity in the countries in question.

Opening hymn was "O Thine Host, Thy Mission High Fulfilling" and the opening prayer was in the form of Litany, or prayers by responsive readings, led by Mrs. Jimmy Charles.

Those present for the meeting were Mrs. Barron, Mrs. Hastings, Mrs. Ware, Mrs. L. M. Grissom, Mrs. Wilbur Charles, Mrs. George Turner, Mrs. Dean Hastings, Mrs. Eddie Redden, Mrs. Billie Sudderth, Mrs. Jimmy Charles, Mrs. Warren Morton and Miss Ellen Remnsnider.

The circle will meet next Tuesday at 3:00 o'clock for a study of Malaya and Burma.

WSCS Observes Week of Prayer

World Week of Prayer was observed Friday by members of Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church with an all-day meeting at the church. The members gathered at 10:30 a.m. and took part on the morning program of meditations.

The theme for the morning session was "The Eternal Questions of Christ." Mrs. L. M. Grissom was in charge of the program. She introduced the other speakers and their subjects.

A covered dish luncheon was served at noon and the afternoon meeting consisted of talks by members about the Week of Prayer offerings. These offerings are used by a church-sponsored missionary school in Southeast Asia and holding school in Laredo, which is also a church-sponsored missionary school.

Among those present for the all day meeting were Mrs. L. H. Pesch, Mrs. I. W. Quickel, Mrs. Warren Morton, Mrs. Grissom, Mrs. Rouel Barron, Mrs. Billie Sudderth, Mrs. Jimmy Charles, Mrs. Wilbur Charles, Mrs. C. F. Hastings, Mrs. Eddie Redden and Mrs. Earl Richards.

When the highest section of steel is placed on a large building during construction, the American flag is displayed.

Mrs. Baca Is Honored At Bridal Shower

A bridal shower honoring Mrs. John Baca was held Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Billy Malcom. The shower was of the "come and go" type and was between 2:30 and 4:00 p.m.

Refreshments of cake, coffee and mints were served. The table decorations carried out the bride's chosen colors of yellow, orchid and white. The table was laid with a lace cloth over orchid and the centerpiece was an arrangement of yellow and orchid chrysanthemums floating in a milkglass boat. Miniatures of the traditional bride and groom graced the center of the arrangement.

Hostesses for the shower were Mrs. Paul Jones, Mrs. Herman Estes, Mrs. Marion Carson, Mrs. Odie White, Mrs. Jerry Rogers, Mrs. Maude Trimble and Mrs. Malcom.

Others attending the shower and signing the guest book were Mrs. L. C. Moore, Mrs. Emmett Tabor, Mrs. Bill Burnam, Mrs. Al Kerby, Mrs. Bill Whitesides, Mrs. Pearl Cervantez and Mrs. S. A. Brito. Others were Miss Lucy Brito, Mrs. Aubrey Brock, Mrs. Jay Sherrill and son, Mrs. Gene Brito, Miss Pat Lloyd, Miss Ellen Berry, Miss Glenna Berry, Neil Smith, Mrs. E. H. Moody, Mrs. Joe Wilson, Dee Ellison, Mrs. Frank D. Smith and Mrs. Katie Ellison.

Mrs. Baca is the former Matilda Brito, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Brito. The couple was married Friday, October 5, in St. Anne's Catholic Church of Bovina.

Training Union Has Masquerade

Young Married People's Training Union Class of First Baptist Church met Tuesday evening in the church for their autumn social. The party, in the form of a masquerade, was planned by the social chairmen, Harold Hawkins and Mrs. Roy Fuller.

All of the members came in costumes and among those to be seen were four men dressed as women, witches, clowns, devils, and a scarecrow. Grady Sorley won a prize as the best dressed "woman" and Mrs. Harold Hawkins took first prize with her scarecrow costume.

Games were played by the group. Refreshments of coffee, cookies and sandwiches were served by Hawkins and Mrs. Fuller. Miniature baskets filled with black and orange candies were given as favors to those present.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McCain, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Sorley, Mr. and Mrs. Don Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kirkpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hawkins, Mrs. Roy Fuller, Mrs. Bobby Englant and Mrs. Eddie Hutto.

Children present were Frances and Margie Fuller and Ceresia Englant.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express appreciation for the acts of kindness of friends and neighbors during my illness. Your visits and letters were and will still be sincerely welcomed. Mrs. Alvin Burk and family. 19-1tc.

WMU Hears Pastor Speak Tuesday

Both circles of the Women's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday afternoon in the church annex for the regular weekly study.

Members of the Blanch Grove Circle and the Rea Buster Circle gathered for a joint meeting with Mrs. Johnnie Horn leading the opening prayer. The study for the day, entitled "Moses and His Prayers" was given by Rev. Virgil Goodwin. Mrs. J. O. Combs gave the closing prayer.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Arnold Hromas and Mrs. Goodwin.

They served refreshments of coffee, cake and iced tea to Mrs. Don Murphy, Mrs. Horn, Mrs. R. G. Sparks, Mrs. Bobby Englant, Mrs. Eddie Ray Hutto, Mrs. W. W. Wilcox, Mrs. Roy Fuller, Mrs. Combs, Mrs. J. S. Williams, Mrs. Kenneth Horton, Mrs. Bill Lane, Mrs. Glen Kelley and Rev. Goodwin.

Local Girl At TSCW On Yearbook Staff

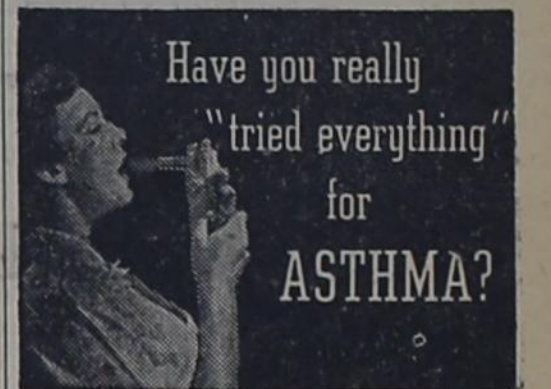
DENTON—Miss Donna Jean Hobdy, 1956 graduate of Bovina High School, has been selected as a staff member of the Daedalian year-

book, according to Editor Sibby Christensen of El Paso.

As a staff member, Miss Hobdy will assist with the dormitory section of the yearbook, which will be released in May, 1957.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Hobdy, 2713 Erskine, Lubbock.

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Some Farmers Hold Feed Grain Crop For Better Prices

This year's bountiful grain harvest has not—as yet—resulted in the tremendous rush to the elevators that the harvest of last year did. There are several reasons for this condition.

One is that the 1956 harvest has been more "spread out" than last year's, which didn't reach any more than a trickle until after a hard freeze. Another is that there is a considerable amount of grain staying on the farm this year.

Grain sorghum producers have seen their market show encouraging signs in recent weeks, and it appears to be getting stronger every day. Most area country points are now offering \$1.90 or better—considerably above the loan level.

Since the continued drought has reduced ranges and feed supplies all over the Southwest to the most critical point in history, the irrigated High Plains of Texas is an "island" sitting in the midst of widespread need for feed and forage.

There is speculation that the grain market will top \$2.00, but whether this will happen, naturally,

awaits the hand of time. Meanwhile, transient trucks by the scores have invaded the area in the most unusual development in years.

The government emergency drought relief program has caused an unexpected outside demand for locally produced feedstuffs. With the government paying \$1.50 per hundred on the cost of grain, and then paying for half of the freight in some cases, considerable milo is being trucked out to cattlemen in all directions who are buying the commodity for their foundation herds.

Some shipments are being delivered to the southern and central part of the state, some are going to the Oklahoma ranges, and some to Colorado. Other loads are heading west for points in New Mexico, Arizona, and even California. This year has seen more outside demand for the local feed than any other.

When turned loose to feed at will, a horse will eat himself to death, while a mule will eat only his fill.

NEWS FROM THE FARM BUREAU

By RAYMOND EULER

Your directors again wish to make public their standing invitation to you to attend their regular meetings. The next one is Monday night, November 5. The first Monday night of each month, about 8 o'clock, is the regular meeting night, in the Friona office.

Over ten million acres of wheatland have been placed in the soil bank for 1957, according to USDA reports. Although little Parmer County land was placed in the bank, the acreage reduction, nationally, will surely do much toward reducing the surplus, and possibly help the market for those who produce.

November 11 will find eight or ten of your members heading toward Houston to represent you in the 23rd annual Texas Farm Bureau Convention. If you can go, you will certainly be welcome, too.

The Texas Farm Bureau has asked Secretary of Agriculture Benson to permit farmers and ranchers to buy surplus feed grains from CCC at the same rates that now apply only to dealers.

"There is considerable dissatisfaction and disappointment among the farmers and ranchers regarding the administrative procedures for distributing drought relief feed grain," Hammond said in a telegram to Benson. He asked, among other things, that eligible farmers be permitted to use the certificates to buy feed grains from any source, not just certain dealers.

At present, eligible livestock producers must buy feed grain from dealers. They complain that this makes the price higher, thus nullifying some of the beneficial effects of the federal drought relief program.

The final date for signing conservation reserve contracts to begin in 1957 is March 15, 1957. This is with reference to the Soil Bank Plan. The farmer's net income is important to every industry and laborer. He buys 23 percent of all trucks; 9 percent of all passenger cars; 8 1/2 percent of all steel; 10-13 percent of all oil; 8 1/2 percent of all rubber; 5 percent of all electricity. Farmers spent \$36 billion in 1955 to run farms and maintain homes. Don't sell the farmer short, whatever you do.

CONSIDER THIS: Whoso robeth his father or his mother, and saith, It is no transgression; the same is the companion of a destroyer. Proverbs 28:24.

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SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS



Do you know what soil conservation districts are and what we stand for?

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We stand for local leadership in doing this job—a job that becomes more urgent every day.

As our population grows—at the rate of a quarter of a million people a month—and our cities and industries expand, we demand more from our land. And we're cutting into our good farm land for non-agricultural use at the rate of 1,000,000 acres a year. This land goes into urban developments, airports, highways, and other uses where it is lost for production of food or fiber.

Just because our land produces enough for our 170 million people in 1956 is no assurance it can provide abundantly for an expected 225 million or more by 1975 or in possible emergencies meanwhile—unless the farm land is kept in condition to produce what is needed, efficiently and economically. That means keeping our land permanently productive.

We can't afford to let our soil and water conservation "insurance" lapse. Combatting soil erosion and encouraging good land use is a job soil conservation districts can do well.

Why? Because from the very beginning, Americans have fought for a great principle—the principle that free men can govern themselves successfully. We believe in personal liberty and the dignity of the individual. We are determined that our families shall have the opportunity to live in peace and safety, without fear of compulsion.

Our government is founded on the principle that we—all of us together—have the spirit and the ability to decide for ourselves the actions we want to take together in our joint interests and common welfare. This is what we stand for. This is a representative self-government—the best government and the best society that men and women have ever enjoyed on earth. This is the kind of government and society that offers the greatest advantages in personal liberty and the greatest opportunities for accomplishment.

This is the form, the spirit, and the practice of Soil Conservation Districts.

From—The What, Why and How of Soil Conservation Districts. Next week we will continue what SCD's are. We hope to inform you in this way of what your Parmer County SCD can mean to you, how it can help you get your job of soil and water conservation accomplished.

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Well Drilling Drop Traced to Lubbock

MULESHOE—Irrigation well drilling in Parmer County has fallen off over 70 per cent since Lubbock announced its intentions to tap Bailey County sand hills to bolster its municipal supply. The Bi-State Water Commission this week cited reports of the High Plains Underground Water Commission that show 229 wells were completed in Parmer County during the period from April to August in 1955. This year the number dropped to 62 wells completed in the same period.

"This is more than a coincidence," a commission spokesman declared. "With farmers feeling continued effects of the prolonged drought, supplemental water supplies are becoming more and more necessary. But when one city proposes to take more than twice the annual amount used by all of the Bailey County irrigation farmers in one year, folks are beginning to think twice before investing in an irrigation well. A drawdown such as that proposed by Lubbock can have drastic consequences for irrigation farmers."

The Bi-State group is continuing to exert legal means to stop the construction of the pipeline designed to carry 70 million gallons of water a day out of Bailey and Lamb counties. "We can't afford to stand idly by. The protection of our underground water resources should be personal and imperative to everyone in this area," the spokesman said.

"Everyone has a stake in this fight. If Lubbock takes all the water it wants without any opposition, other cities will turn to the sand hills for future supplies. And with billions of gallons of water being taken from this limited reservoir, water that it will take centuries to replace, this area

is in danger of reverting to the status of dryland farming. "The economic repercussions would be astounding and perhaps fatal to the future of Parmer, Bailey, Lamb and all other counties that depend on the Ogallala formation for water supplies. A decline of more than 200 well completions in one year indicates the seriousness of the situation. That is the reason our Bi-State group is doing everything possible to protect and conserve the irrigation water resources."

The figures quoted by Merl Wilson, president of the Muleshoe

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Chamber of Commerce and a director of the water commission, were compiled from the monthly reports for Parmer County published by the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District. They showed these completions for the corresponding months of the last two years.

	1955	1956
April	82	13
May	85	12
June	43	4
July	38	18
August	21	15
	269	62

Freight Rate Cut For Emergency Hay

Walter T. McKay, state director, this week says the FHA can now execute certification forms in connection with reduced freight rates recently worked out between the president and railroad representatives to further assist farmers and stockmen in drought stricken areas.

This revised tariff provides for a reduction of 50 percent in the freight rate of hay forwarded to destination, and applies only in connection with hay purchases of individuals who are entitled to assistance under the hay and roughage program.

FHA is authorized to execute certificates in behalf of farmers and ranchers only, he said. Details of the program and forms required may be obtained from county offices.

October 1 Ginnings Much Greater Than 1956

Cotton ginnings up to October 1 in Parmer County were much greater this year than last, statistics compiled by the U. S. Department of Commerce show.

This year, they were 3,556, compared with only seven at the same time in 1955. Ginnings this week in the county are estimated to be in the vicinity of 15,000 bales.

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Tex Says He's No Export But He Believes Ike Is

The other night a bunch of us were sitting around in the drug store after the football game, drinking coffee and talking. You know how it is after a game in a small town, especially after the home team loses. Nearly every man in the crowd had a theory as to why we didn't win the game. Most of them, of course, blamed the coach. I couldn't help remembering that before we consolidated the county schools we didn't even have enough boys to make up a football team. And these same football experts who were saying what Rockne or Bud Wilkinson would have done, up until a few years ago they didn't know a football from a watermelon.

But that's the way it is in a small town (and in big ones, too, I understand). I guess there's no real harm done, although sometimes it's pretty rough on the coach.

I guess we have a right, in this free country, to be self-appointed experts in any line we want to pick out. It seems to me that most people choose either football or politics.

Take this presidential election coming up next Tuesday: During the last few weeks I have heard so many different political experts that I nearly got confused sometimes. I have to stop and think that the fellow who is talking probably doesn't know any more about it than I do, and that helps me keep straightened out.

In fact, I guess I have had my mind made up all along. To make no bones about it, I like Ike. He's a man you can always look up to and respect—the kind of

man you'd be proud to point out to any person, from any country on the face of the globe, and say: "That's our President!"

"About Adlai, now, I'm not so sure. Of course, if he was elected, he would be my President, too, and I would hope he'd do a lot better than most people around here seem to think he would. This is something I don't think we need to worry about, because from all I can hear and read, Ike is going to win it again.

It seems to me that if Adlai ever had a chance around here, he threw it away when he came out with that H-bomb business. Now, the folks in our town don't know much about H-bombs, except that they don't want any personal dealings with them. Our scientific knowledge of H-bombs is about on a par with our football knowledge, I reckon. But we do know one thing: We don't want some misguided, inexperienced fellow fooling around with our national defense. When it comes to trusting what Bulgannin says or what Eisenhower says, I'll take Ike. So will the rest of the country, if I don't miss my guess.

Just before we broke up the other night Doc Brown came into the drug store, and somebody asked him: "Hey, Doc, how's Ike doin'?" (Doc's a big Eisenhower man.) Doc said: "Well, it's a busy campaign for the medical profession. Last week Ike went and got his heart examined, and I understand that this week Adlai is going to get his head examined."

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— PCIC —

John Lamb has been hopping around at work this week because he dropped a plow on his big toe and broke it.

— PCIC —

We read this somewhere: If there is a stranger in your neighborhood today, better check on him, he may need a friend. If he is still a stranger tomorrow, better check on your neighborhood.

— PCIC —

Plan to attend the Thespian play at the Friona auditorium, Saturday at eight p. m. "Superstitious Sadie" is a comedy and Miss Thaxton is the director.

— PCIC —

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— PCIC —

We thought, one day last week, we might have to move out of our house. There was a terrible odor at our back door. Our mother decided a big mouse or a tiny cat must have crawled into the walls between the house and garage. We endured it for a day or two and then we went out to sweep on the back porch and noticed a tiny toy coffee pot. When the lid was removed we had the mystery of the bad smell solved. That can was full of worms that had been dead too long. David was saving them for a fishing trip.

— PCIC —

When you have trouble with your tractor, plow, binder, or irrigation motor, call the Parmer County Implement Company. If we don't have what you need, we will get it quick. We are as close as your phone.

Mr. Dub Gammon and his small daughter were in our store one day last week. Little Miss Gammon is just learning to talk English and Spanish, she hasn't made up her mind which one yet. She is about two years old.

— PCIC —

An ingrate is a fellow who, starting to fall off a roof, prays like the dickens to be saved, and then when his pants catch on a nail, says, "Never mind, Lord, the nail did it."

— PCIC —

Mr. Hardy May doesn't claim to be a gardener, but this year he has raised potatoes, turnips, carrots, and radishes. Mr. May has been harvesting his radishes this week with a one row machine that requires three men to operate. If all the rows of radishes he has were placed end to end they'd reach 250 miles. That's a lot of radishes!

— PCIC —

If you are going to need a stalk shredder, call 2091 and we will be glad to bring a Servis Shredder out to your farm for a demonstration.

— PCIC —

Twelve of Friona's high school girls were on Cotton John's television program Saturday. These girls call themselves the Trebelaires and their director is Mrs. Eva Miller. After their television appearance they sang at the Amarrillo U. S. O. The Trebelaires have been invited back to KGNC Television for a show by themselves and they plan to go sometime in February.

— PCIC —

If you really want to please the woman you married, on her birthday you could give her something you had made yourself. For instance—money.

— PCIC —

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— PCIC —

Mr. and Mrs. James Boyles left the first of the week for a vacation in the Northwest. They will visit with friends and relatives and plan to spend a while with their daughter, Julie, and her family in Oregon. They will be gone about a month.

— PCIC —

The new Oldsmobile will be here on Nov. 9. We hope we can trade the pickup we have been driving for one of the beautiful new Oldsmobiles. We may have trouble, though, the boys are real fond of the old pickup and John Bill asked the other day why we couldn't have a new Oldsmobile pickup.

P. S.—We do have some of the world's finest pickups for sale—the new Internationals.

— PCIC —

Our neighbors, the Hank Outlands, have moved to the country. They live in the house on the Seamount ranch, east of town. Mr. and Mrs. John Gaede will soon move into their house where the Outlands used to live.

— PCIC —

Harvest time is a good time to replace those worn tires you've been worrying about. Why not trade them in on some Goodyear tires? More people ride on Goodyear tires than any other kind.

— PCIC —

Nov. 6 is election day. Some nations levy a fine on all non-voters. Some nations have laws forcing one to vote. Keep America a democracy and exercise your voting privilege.

— PCIC —

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THE PARMER FARMER

Often it is good to see ourselves as others see us.

In a recent copy of the Wellington Leader, we ran across some comments by Deskins Wells, well-known editor of that publication.

Deck points out—well, let him tell it:

On our trip to New Mexico we went over the scenic drive from Memphis to Silverton—a short trip from here that you should take if you have not been over it.

Irrigation farmers should take care of their water. Otherwise they are liable to wake up some day and find out that the bureaucrats in Austin and Washington are telling them how and when to use it.

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Combines remind of another harvest hazard that will take its toll, and that is the presence on our highways of old, improperly marked trucks and machines, or those which are in the hands of untrained operators.

The other morning we had to hit the ditch in a hurry to keep from running over a bob-tail truck pulling two cotton trailers. The driver pulled across the highway right in front of us, even though we were only a few hundred feet away and were driving at the maximum speed limit.

As we whizzed past, we murmured to ourselves how fortunate we were to avoid an accident, but could not help but notice that the driver of the truck was an aged Latin American laborer. Chances are he scarcely knew how to shift gears, let alone drive the truck correctly.

The farmer who turned such a weapon of destruction over to this untrained man was endangering public safety.

Information from the Department of Commerce indicates that cotton production in the United States will jump more than a million bales this year, compared with 1955. Almost half of that increase is expected to come from Texas.

Our state still doubles the production of any other state in upland cotton. We figure to gin 2,346,362 bales this year. Mississippi is looking for 1,260,318 bales. No other state is expected to top 1,000,000 bales, but Arkansas's will come close to that.

California's production, in case you're interested in "trend" states, will be about 200,000 bales, New Mexico's 120,000, and Arizona's 212,000. An amazing increase is expected in the latter two states. Last year, they ginned only 50,500, and 130,000, respectively.

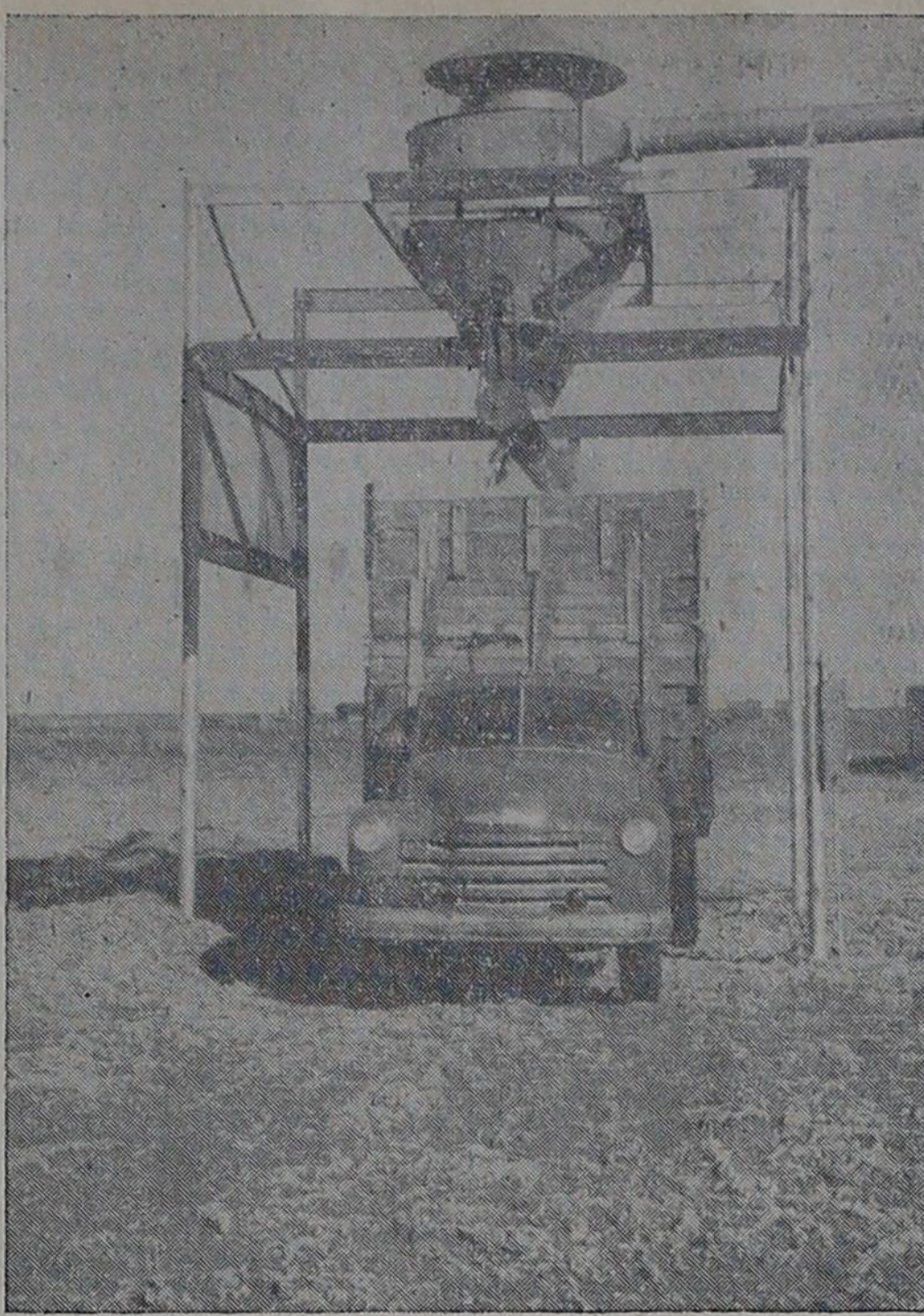
Tuesday is "it" day for the American farmer. There may have once been a time when the independent farmer of this country could sit back and watch the world go by without giving a tinker's dam what goes on in Washington, but that certainly isn't true today.

A farmer of today knows that his relationship with Uncle Sam often has more to do with how he fares than do the timeless elements of weather, insects, and disease.

We hope farmers have given a lot of thought to the issues of the day, and will be prepared to cast an intelligent ballot Tuesday.

Mexican jumping beans pump because of the larva of a moth which is inside.

Toboggan sleds were invented by American Indians.



NO LONGER WASTED—Pulled cotton goes through the front of gins, and often the burrs are burned as they emerge out the back after ginning. However, that practice is becoming less common, and a more familiar sight today is to see trucks lined up to receive the burrs like this one.

Lowly Cotton Burr Finally Has Future

The lowly cotton burr, a "waste product" of the cotton industry, is finally coming into its own. Like other industrial by-products, the burrs are being put to good use by the ingenuity of man.

Today, there are two principal demands for the burrs in the cotton producing regions of the High Plains. Both of them are fairly new in origin.

The cattle feeder and the farmer are now competitors of a sort for this once valueless by-product. The cattlemen has found in recent years that the hulls can be useful in feeding operations. Although their nutritional value is low, they make good filler, and when used in a carefully planned diet, can even be made palatable to cattle.

Another demand for the burrs is a "recalling" of them to the place where they originated: the farmers' land. Application of pulverized burrs to the field has produced some very interesting results, and as research in soil conditioning progresses, an increasing importance is being attached to the use of this cotton by-product.

Tests at the Lubbock Experiment Station provide some figures for Parmer County cotton growers to contemplate. Check plots were used for three years, with applications of burrs ranging from zero to six tons per acre. In 1953, untreated land yielded 379 pounds of lint per acre. Two tons brought the yield up to 422 pounds, 421 pounds were obtained with four tons, and six tons resulted in a 453 pound yield.

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According to the experts the important thing is proper preparation of the meat for cooking. They advise skinning the animal carefully just as soon as possible after the killing. The animal should then have the entrails removed and be cooled overnight before cutting up.

Do you have difficulty making fudge that isn't too sugary? If so, here is a recipe you might want to try. It is really failure proof and takes less than ten minutes to make.

CHOCOLATE MINT FUDGE

Combine 2 tablespoons butter, 1 small can evaporated milk, 1 2/3 cups sugar and few grains of salt in heavy saucepan over medium heat. Bring to a boil, then cook five minutes, stirring constantly.

Remove from heat. Stir in 16 diced marshmallows, 1 six-ounce package semi-sweet chocolate chips, 1/2 cup chopped nuts and 1/2 teaspoon peppermint extract. Stir vigorously for 1 minute or until marshmallows are completely melted and blended.

Pour into 9-inch square buttered dish and allow to cool. Cut into squares. Top each square with a colored mint wafer if you want to make the fudge extra festive.

Read somewhere a few days ago that there were only 49 more shopping days left until Christmas. If you haven't already started the hand made articles you plan to make for Christmas gifts, now is the time to get out your materials and get started.

If your family is one of those

that always calls for apple butter when the weather begins to get cooler, why don't you treat them to some that you have made yourself? Since this is the season of the year when fresh apples are plentiful and economical, you may want to use them.

If not, canned applesauce can be used. To each quart of apples (whether canned or freshly cooked) add 1 teaspoon cinnamon, 1 pint sugar, 1/4 teaspoon allspice and 1/4 teaspoon cloves. Mix well and boil until well cooked.

There is no better way of teaching your children anything than by setting them a good example. This applies to their food habits as well

as to other things. Making a habit of drinking milk with them will be a much more effective way of helping them form the habit than pointing out all the good reasons why they should drink it.

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Sunday School Class Has Skating Party

A skating party was held Thursday evening by members and their families of the Friendly Circle Class of First Baptist Church.

The group met at the church Thursday evening and drove to Clovis for an evening of skating. Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Billy Ray Horton, Mrs. Kenneth Horton and Mrs. Bill Lane.

Others present with their children were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Kel-

ley, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Englant, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hartwell, Mr. and Mrs. Don Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Boyd, Mrs. Howard Looney, Mrs. Tommy Bonds and Mrs. R. G. Sparks.

Thrifty Club Meets With Mrs. Turner

The home of Mrs. George Turner was the site of the regular meeting of the Bovina Thrifty Club Wednesday afternoon. The women completed cuptowels, pillowcases and table scarves for the hostess. They also visited and did handwork for themselves.

Refreshments of coconut pie, coffee and soft drinks were served to Mrs. A. V. Campbell, Mrs. Earl Ware, Mrs. Floyd Dunavant, Mrs. C. R. Brandon, Mrs. Wilbur Charles, Mrs. Turner, Mrs. Dollie Williams, Mrs. Elmer Lowrie, Mrs. R. G. Sparks, Mrs. J. T. Jones and one guest, Mrs. W. L. Nelson of Clovis, sister of the hostess.

Next meeting will be Wednesday afternoon, November 7, in the home of Mrs. Ware. Mrs. Jones, reporter for the Thrifty Club, also reminds members of the Thanksgiving supper which will be Monday evening, November 12, in the home of Mrs. Brandon. She says that members are asked to bring covered dishes and the families will be special guests for the evening.

Mardell Moore Is "Girl of Month"

Mardell Moore of Bovina was elected Gold Star Dormitory "Girl of the Month" for October in an election held recently at McMurry College, Abilene.

Miss Moore, a 1954 graduate of Sudan High School, is majoring in elementary education. She is a member of Future Teachers of America and Delta Beta Epsilon social club.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Sims and children, Susan and Mike, of Happy, visited Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rhodes.

Trick or Treat Program Tonight

The children's "milk fund program", sponsored by CROP, will be promoted by youth organizations of the Bovina Methodist Church Wednesday evening of this week. Every home in the city of Bovina will be visited by Halloween callers. These young people are not to play tricks, but to get treats for undernourished children around the world. We ask you good people of Bovina to respond liberally to their call. Rev. W. R. Beard.

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. Wednesday, auxiliaries, 7:00 p.m.; prayer services, 8:00 p.m.; and choir rehearsal, 8:30 p.m.

Thursday evening, November 1,

the Associational Workers Conference will meet at the Temple Baptist Church in Hereford. The theme of the program will be the work of the Training Union. Our church will be represented.

For the week of November 12-16, a mission study course is planned. Classes will be conducted for all age groups. The teachers have been selected and good attendance is anticipated.

Last Sunday, there were 196 in

Sunday School and 93 in Training Union.

In Dimmitt

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Killough spent Sunday visiting in Dimmitt with his nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Killough and children. Accompanying the local couple were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Purvis.

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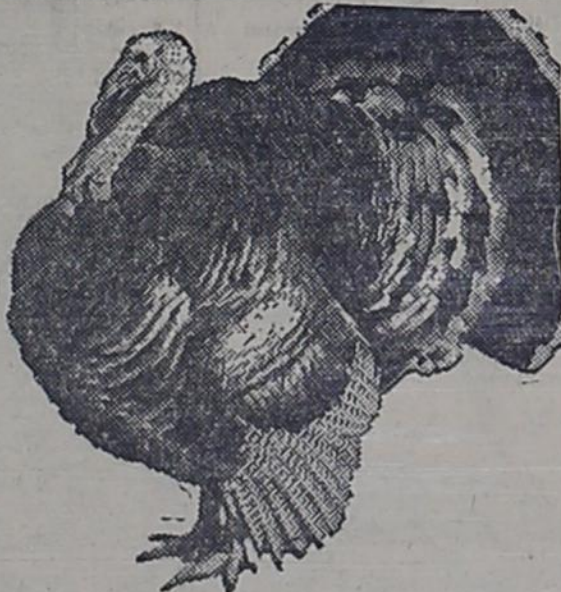
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No. 4

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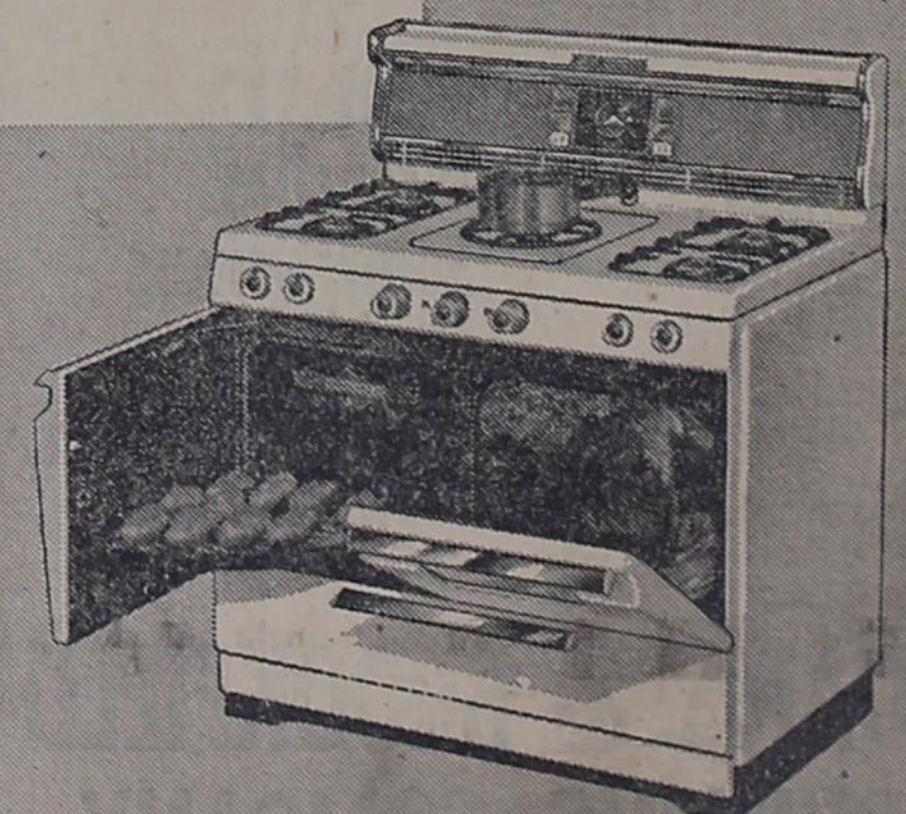
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Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Kelso went to Tulia Saturday evening to attend the wedding of Miss Betty Bonds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bonds, of Tulia, to Carl Austin King, also of Tulia.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Kelso and family went to Amarillo Sunday and were guests in the home of his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kelso. The local family returned home Sunday night.

To Lubbock
Mr. and Mrs. Olin Turner and children and Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Turner, spent Sunday in Lubbock where they visited in the home of the F. O. Turner's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ray Barron.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith of Clovis visited Sunday afternoon in the home of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Mayhew.

Visited Here
Visiting Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burnam were her cousins, Mrs. Wayne Warren and Mrs. Lester Cooper, both of Lubbock.

To New Mexico
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gunn left Tuesday of last week for Truth or Consequences, New Mexico, where she plans to take health treatments. They were accompanied by her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Stagner of Clovis. The couples plan to be gone about three weeks.

With Parents
Charles Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Williams, arrived home Sunday for an extended stay with his parents. Charles has been attending North Texas State College at Denton, where he is a junior.

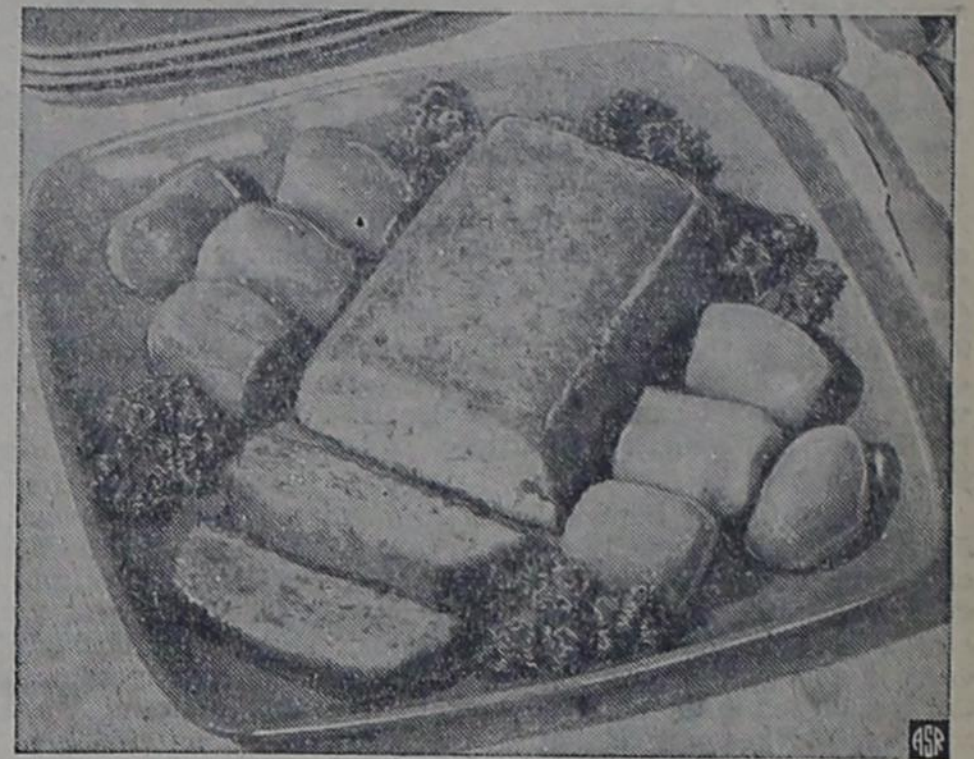
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(This is a really thrifty meal, and evaporated milk is a valuable ingredient product in this and similar meat loaves. Because it is whole milk concentrated to half its original volume and used here undiluted, evaporated milk is doubly rich, and therefore doubly nutritious. And it is fortified with vitamin D, the "sunshine vitamin" that helps the body make use of calcium and phosphorus which build bones and teeth.)

Pickle Stuffed Ham Loaf

4 cups ground cooked ham, lightly packed
1 cup fine dry bread crumbs
1/2 teaspoon black pepper
1/2 teaspoon powdered thyme
3/4 cup finely chopped onion
1 egg
1 1/4 cups evaporated milk
1 teaspoon prepared mustard
1/2 to 3/4 cup pickle relish

Boiled or baked ham can be used. Put ham through medium blade of food chopper. Place ham in large mixing bowl. Add 1/2 cup of the fine dry bread crumbs, the pepper, thyme, onion; mix thoroughly. Beat in the egg and 1 cup of the evaporated milk. Divide ham mixture in half. Pack one half in bottom of a well greased loaf pan, about 2 1/4 x 8 1/2 x 4 3/4 inches. Stir mustard into the remaining 1/2 cup evaporated milk. Add the remaining 1/2 cup crumbs and pickle relish, and blend thoroughly. Spread pickle stuffing evenly and firmly on top of ham layer. Pack remaining half of ham mixture over pickle layer. Bake in moderate oven (375° F.) about 45 minutes.

YIELD: 6 generous servings.

In Hutto Home

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hutto and daughters were her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Mutt Fite of Hereford. Also present for Sunday dinner and an afternoon of visiting was his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Doyce Hutto and children of Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Marshall and daughter, Joyce and Melanie Kay, and Mr. and Mrs. James Boardman were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ayres.

Return Home

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sudderth returned home recently from Lawton, Oklahoma, where he has been stationed with the army. Sudderth received his discharge about two weeks ago and the couple is now making their home on their farm six miles southeast of Bovina. He was in the army for two years.

From Hospital

Mrs. Gracie Looney and Mrs. Claude Lyles, both of Friona, visited Thursday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Horton.

In Sudderth Home

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee H. Sudderth over the weekend of October 5-7 were Mr. and Mrs. John Underwood of Willow, Oklahoma. Accompanying them were Underwood's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Underwood, also of Willow.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Owens returned Sunday to their home in Wichita, Kansas. They have been visiting for the past two weeks in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Leake.
Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wilkinson were called to Vernon Saturday morning, due to the illness of his mother, Mrs. W. M. Wilkinson.

To Tres Ritos

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Minter and children spent the weekend at Tres Ritos, New Mexico. Ronnie Glascock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Glascock, accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Richards and son, Woody, visited Saturday in Portales, New Mexico, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lasater.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Murphy and children visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dean McCallum. Also visiting in the McCallum home were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cooper and children of Lockney.

Moves Here

John Purvis, father of Mrs. Lloyd Killough, went to Altus, Oklahoma, Friday morning to move himself and Mrs. Purvis to Bovina. Purvis has been staying with his daughter and family and the couple plan to continue living in the Killough home for the present. They returned to Bovina Sunday evening.

Mrs. H. T. Hastings was a dinner guest Sunday in the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hawkins and daughter.

To Conchas Lake

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Hastings accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wilson to Conchas Lake, near Tucumcari, New Mexico, Friday for a weekend of fishing.

EGG PRICES UP

Egg prices during the first six months of 1956 averaged 11 percent above the same period for last year while feed prices declined by 7 percent. It now appears that prices during the latter half of 1956 will be lower than for the same period a year ago. Extension Economist John McHaney gives two reasons—the nation's laying flock will be larger and trend toward a higher rate of lay will continue.

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Bible Study 9:45 a. m.
Worship Service 11 a. m.
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Bible Study 10:00 a. m.
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Sunday School 10 a. m.
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Evening Worship 8 p. m.
Mid-week Service 8:00 p. m.

Kress Kangaroos Hop Over Mustangs, 34-19

Outclassed for the sixth time in seven starts, Bovina Mustangs fought long and hard Saturday afternoon and turned in a respectable 34-19 defeat to the heavier, more experienced Kress Kangaroos. It was a District 3-B game and gave the Ponies a 1-2 mark in district play.

Kress, sparked by Captain Larry Johnson, who was equally dangerous from his regular position of quarterback or from halfback, scored once in the first quarter, once in the second, twice in the third, and once in the fourth. Johnson place kicked four out of five extra points.

Only a small handful of Mustang fans were on hand to see their favorite team score one touchdown in the second quarter and two in the fourth. The score by quarters was 7-0, 14-6, and 27-6.

The game, played on Saturday as a part of Kress homecoming, belonged to the Kangaroos all the way, but the Mustangs, with a never-say-die attitude, made it more interesting than most.

Scoring honors were divided among Mustang backs. Phil Caldwell snared a stray Kangaroo pass in the second quarter and returned it across the winners' goal line untouched. In the final period, Quar-

terback Dick Horn added the second touchdown on a keeper play from two yards out. Billy Burnam accounted for the final TD, a one yard plunge. Neil Smith carried over the only extra point for the locals.

Midway through the first quarter, Ramey Brandon punted from his own 32 into a stiff south wind. The ball rolled dead on the Mustang 43. On the sixth play from that point, Gerald Webb went through the left side of his line and into the clear for a 30 yard scamper and the first score of the afternoon. However, an offside penalty nullified the effort, but the Kangaroos weren't to be denied their touchdown. They came back to gain the 30 yards in seven plays that were climaxed by a nine yard pass from Johnson to Gene Freeman in the end zone. Johnson's place kick made the score 7-0.

Early in the second quarter, a Mustang drive fizzled out when a Horn pass was intercepted by John Rogers, who lost his balance on his own 10-yard line. Two line plays mowed the ball out to the 13. Then, Caldwell intercepted a Johnson pass in the left flat and circled around the right side untouched for the Mustangs' TD. Burnett was halted in his running attempt for the extra point and the score was 7-6.

Kress added its third touchdown late in the quarter after recovering a fumble on the Mustang 11. Kyle Jones went through the middle from five yards out. Johnson's place kick was again good and the scoring for the first half was over at 14-6.

The winners' third touchdown came in the third quarter after they intercepted a Smith pass on their own 21. In seven plays they marched to the Mustang 23. From that point, King passed to Johnson in the end zone. Johnson's kick made the score 21-6.

Minutes later they added their fourth. A Smith pass was again intercepted. This time on the Kress 34. Johnson made six to the 40 and then Webb went over left tackle, into the secondary, and into the clear for a 60 yard scoring scam-

per. Johnson's kick went wide and the score remained 27-6.

Coach Bob Wills' footballers came into their own in the fourth period. Following Burnam's kickoff return from the 30 to the 46, Smith rambled to the Kress 40. A penalty for unnecessary roughness gave the Mustangs a first down on the 22. Smith picked up a first down on the 11 in two carries as the third quarter ended.

As the final period began, Burnam made one to the 11. Smith lost to the 11, but James Lawlis rammed down to the two. On the next play, Horn went across on a keeper play. Smith carried the point over and the score was 27-13.

The Kangaroos unleashed a passing attack after Brito's kickoff and accounted for their fifth touchdown without losing the ball. Passes carried them down to the 10-yard line where Louie Bevel went through left tackle for the score. Johnson's kick was again good and the score was 34-13.

It was a determined, not-to-be-denied drive, the likes of which Coach Wills should undoubtedly like to see more of, that gave the Ponies their third TD.

The kickoff went into the end-zone and was put into play on the 20. Two plays netted one yard loss. Then, a Statue of Liberty play, with Horn holding and Smith carrying, was good for 17 yards to the 36. Smith packed the mail three more times in a run to set up a first down on the Kress 43. A Smith to Horn pass that featured a spintangling run by Horn gave the Mustangs another first down on the 18. Burnam made two to the 16. Smith, behind good, hard blocking, went to the eight. Horn picked up three to the five but a backfield in motion penalty put the ball back on the 13.

Still with their necks bowed, the Mustangs, with Smith carrying, went back to the four. Lawlis plowed to the one to set the stage for Burnam's scoring plunge that made the score 34-19. A Smith pass for the extra point was no good.

The only other scoring threat of the game was a field goal attempt by Johnson from the Mustang four that was wide. The Mustangs were in possession of the ball on their own 20 as the game ended.

Huge Ballot Facing Parmer County Voters

(Continued From Page One) for general fund, permanent improvement fund, road and bridge fund and jury fund purposes so long as the total of these funds does not exceed a maximum tax rate of eighty cents on the one hundred dollars valuation in any one year and so long as the court does not impair any outstanding bonds or other obligations.

No. 3—The amendment to article VII of the constitution of the State of Texas by amending sections 17 and 18 thereof, providing a method of payment for the construction and equipment of buildings and other permanent improvements at state institutions of higher learning; and by adding a new section thereto to be designated as section 11a, providing for the improved support of The University of Texas

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system and the Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College system by authorizing the investment of the permanent university fund in corporate bonds and stocks under certain conditions and limitations.

No. 4—The constitutional amendment empowering the legislature to revise the existing teacher retirement system and to broaden the benefits to employees of public schools, colleges, and universities supported wholly or partly by the state, authorizing that the state's contributions for such purposes shall equal contributions by such employees and providing that they do not exceed six per cent of the compensation paid each such employee by the state or school district or the sum of five hundred, four dollars for each year for such employee, regulating the eligibility of such employees for retirement benefits and prescribing the manner of investing money accruing to the retirement fund.

No. 5—The amendment to section 49-b of article III of the constitution of Texas to change the membership of the veterans' land boards; increasing the veterans' land fund by \$100,000,000; said fund to be used for the purpose of purchasing land in Texas to be sold to Texas veterans of World War II and to Texas veterans of service in the armed forces in the United States subsequent to 1945. Such funds shall be expended in accordance with instructions and requirements that may be provided by law.

No. 6—The constitutional amendment providing the form of the oaths of office for elective and appointive officers of the state.

No. 7—The constitutional amendment requiring medical testimony for commitment of persons of unsound mind, and authorizing the legislature to provide for trial and commitment of such persons and for waiver of the right of trial by jury by a person alleged to be of unsound mind or his next of kin, and his attorney ad litem.

No. 8—The amendment to the constitution providing that a court, judge, or magistrate may deny bail to a person who has been convicted of two previous felonies.

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STREET LIGHTS—

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town. The same large size will be used on Highway 60.

On Third Street, which connects Highways 60 and 86, one 4000 whiteway fixture was installed at each intersection. There are nine intersections.

On Highway 86, beginning with First Street on the east to Eighth on the west, one 4000 whiteway fixture was installed at each intersection. Four 6000 whiteway fixtures are scheduled to go in front of the school building and two smaller lights will be placed along Avenue 'E' which runs perpendicular from the school building to Third Street.

According to an earlier estimate by SWPS, the electricity cost to the city will be approximately \$100 per month. However, since there are no lights on Highway 60, Minter estimates the cost will be about \$78 monthly.

An automatic switch will turn the lights on when it gets "so" dark. The switch will, of course, turn the lights off when natural light comes again.

Stowers Injured At Elevator

A. D. Stowers was injured Monday morning when he was pinned between a truck and the exit doors of the Sherley Grain Company elevator. The accident happened about 10 a. m. The truck was owned by Claude Blackburn.

Stowers is an employee of the elevator.

The injured man was taken to the Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona Monday afternoon. Reports Tuesday morning said he was undergoing x-rays and observation. His injuries are not believed to be serious.

From Roswell

Major and Mrs. Byron Work and family of Roswell, N. M. visited over the weekend in the home of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Reagan Looney. They also visited Sunday afternoon in the home of another aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Berggren.

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THE PARING KNIFE

BY JEANIE MOTEN

Think if Stevenson is elected, a new department will have to be created in the President's Cabinet.

A Department of Labor—with Walter Reuther as Secretary of Labor! Won't that be keen?

And then pretty soon maybe the farmers will get to pay their transit labor a minimum wage of \$2.00 an hour. That'll be dandy!

Yes, I think that's what we should do. Elect Stevenson. A vote for Stevenson is a vote for labor. And farmers have always gotten along just swell with labor.

Think Stevenson should consider himself quite lucky that his rather inane remarks about the hydrogen bomb will be taken in light of his political aspirations.

Feel sure that were he in any other position he might be accused of possible communistic sympathies.

First he wants to discontinue the draft and then he wants to discontinue atomic research.

Wouldn't we be the proverbial sitting ducks?

Yes, let's all run and vote for Stevenson!

Heard a woman, a very good Democrat by the way, say that she sure wanted to vote a Democratic ticket; but after looking the situation over, she just couldn't align herself with the people supporting Stevenson; so she is going to vote for Ike.

I had already respected this woman for her intelligence; but after she made this remark, I feel quite sure that she is bordering on genius.

But then, let's give Stevenson the benefit of the doubt and say that his unfortunate political campaign has been due to the fact that he's been extremely ill-advised.

But then, if he's so susceptible to such abominable advice in his political campaign, which lasts 2½ months, just think what atrocities the poor man might be led to do if he were president!

Just the thought makes me shudder!

You hear people say, especially in this campaign, to vote for the party, not the man.

That's true to a certain extent, but seems to me you're taking a rather long shot when the party you vote for is led by such a weak man with such questionable backing.

But then, guess the most important thing for you to do on November 6 is to go to the polls and cast your vote, one way or another.

To quote Ike, "I'd rather be defeated by the majority than win by the vote of a minority."

I've talked party politics long enough even if it is the week before the election. So, abandon your national politics for a minute tomorrow, November 6; go to the polls and vote "for" the sewer and water bonds.

This is one of the few political questions on which my editor husband and I agree. And I do agree with him that a "yes" vote gives Bovina an opportunity to become a bigger, better town. A "no" vote

offers no chance whatsoever.

Want to get in just one more plug. Vote "for" the teacher Retirement Amendment. It's No. 4 and will be on the huge general election ballot which you'll see November 6.

It will aid those very important members of our community—school teachers.

I'm for them ALMOST as much as I am for Ike!

Man Wanted By FBI Picked Up in Bovina

Parmer County Sheriff Chas. Lovelace apprehended a man wanted by the FBI Monday night in Bovina.

Lovelace made the arrest at Bovina Restaurant where the fugitive had been working as a cook for about three weeks.

Thomas Livingston, 33, alias Loyd Travis, had been "on the dodge" for about a year and was wanted for transporting a stolen automobile across a state line.

He is being held in the county jail at Farwell awaiting arrival of a U. S. Marshall who will take him to Dallas.

Lovelace received a "wanted" bulletin from the FBI on Livingston Monday. He says he had a feeling he had seen the man somewhere when suddenly it dawned on him that he had seen the man working in the kitchen of Bovina Restaurant.

A trip to the restaurant proved Lovelace's memory to be correct. Prior to coming to Bovina, Livingston had worked in Clovis.

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