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Agriculture Census

The 1964 Census of Agriculture, now being conducted by the Bureau of Census, U. S. Department of Commerce, in Donley County, will bring up to date the farm and ranch statistics last collected in 1959.

Here are a few of the many facts recorded in the 1959 agriculture census for this County:

There were 450 farms and ranches in 1959, compared with 619 in 1954. The average size of farm and ranch was 1,037.9 acres in 1959, compared with 812.8 acres in 1954.

The value of products sold by the County's farmers and ranchers in 1959 was \$5,980,335. The value of all crops sold was \$2,272,336. The value of all livestock and livestock products sold was \$3,707,999.

The 1964 national Census of Agriculture is the 18th in a series which began in 1840. Because of the rapid changes American agriculture has been undergoing in recent years, Census Bureau officials regard the current census as one of the most significant ever taken. They ask every farmer and rancher to cooperate in compiling an accurate record of these by filling out the census form he receives in the mail and holding the completed questionnaire until a census taker calls for it.



LIONS ROAR

Next week is regular Lions Club meeting with Mrs. Nivens serving at 7:30 p. m. This will be the only meeting before Christmas. A good program has been arranged. Come out for a good meal and a good program.

There is a big Ladies Night scheduled for our fifth Thursday in December. It is Dec 31st and will be our New Years Eve party. If you don't like food and fun don't come.



LEGION NEWS

The regular Post meeting falls a little early this month. Be out next Tuesday night. The post is nearing its quota of 82 memberships and if reached by then, who knows, we might have a big free hot supper to celebrate.

Guy Wright

Guy Wright, 63, one of this area's best known peace officers, passed away Sunday evening in Memphis after a heart attack.

Funeral services were held Tuesday in the First Presbyterian Church at Memphis by Rev. Richard Avery. Graveside services were held at the Clarendon cemetery and burial was under direction of Spicer Funeral Home.

Mr. Wright was born in Clarendon Oct. 19, 1901. He was married to Miss Moselle Alden June 25, 1933 in Bentonville, Ark., and for a time was a cowboy on the JA Ranch. He had been chief of police at Memphis since 1954. Before that time he had served as deputy sheriff of Donley County for six years and as sheriff for twelve years. He was a deacon of the First Presbyterian Church.

He is survived by his wife; a son Charles Perry Wright, a student at Texas Tech in Lubbock; two daughters, Mrs. Frances Corley of Morton and Mrs. Priscilla Sims of Tulsa, Okla.; a brother, C. A. Wright of Clarendon; four sisters, Mrs. E. D. Leggitt of Houston, Mrs. Laverne Grenne of Palestine, Mrs. Gladys Scott of Rye, Colo., and Mrs. Fannie Austin of Phoenix, Ariz.; and two grandchildren.

Family Reunion

The McPhersons held a family reunion Sunday, Nov. 29, in the Lions Den.

After attending First Baptist Church services, members of the family and guests were served lunch in the Lions Den. There were about seventy present.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Greg Dye of Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Barron, Robert, Eddie and Mark of La Marque, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kingham of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McCracken of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Burns and Sherri of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kirkland, Jimmy and Debbie, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Koontz, David and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Blackwell, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Blackwell, Paula and Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Blackwell, Pam, Ricky and Jojuan, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Quisenberry and Mary, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Quisenberry and Kenneth, Mrs. R. L. Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. Boots Graham, Tamara and Robert, Joyce Hall and Scott, Walter T. Bur-

Ex-Student Banquet

A nice crowd attended the annual ex-student banquet Saturday night, and enjoyed the delicious meal of baked ham, green beans, tossed salad, candied sweet potatoes, rolls, coffee and cake.

Rev. Wilton Lynn gave the invocation, followed by the dinner. Then Louise Stewart gave the welcome, responded to by Aubrey Lee Cherry. Louise Stewart introduced the ex-students and guests.

Mrs. T. J. Cherry gave a reading composed by Mrs. Elvia Davenport, then Johnny Brumley, supt. of schools at Morse, made the address.

Deloris Sanders, Ann Lynn, Jon Leggitt and Jimmy Boliver sang. Micah Rowed the Boat Ashore and Moments to Remember, accompanied by Thava Davis at the piano.

In the business session Mary Ruth White was elected president for the coming year, Red Leeper vice president and Letha Springer secretary. Graham Brinson was honored as the oldest graduate present, from the class of 1918.

The group then sang Alma Mater accompanied by Letha Springer at piano.

Vergil McPherson gave the benediction.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Manny and Alice Adair were here last week end from Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. David Boliver of Lubbock visited here last week end.

The Carter Huffman family were here from Amarillo last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Johnson of Amarillo visited here last week end.

dine, all of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Stewart, Rhonda, Trudy and Paula, Henry Booth, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Stewart of McLean, Mr. and Mrs. James Allen of Clarendon, Bro. Estes and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Doherty, Mr. and Mrs. V. T. McPherson, Beverly and Becky.

Visitors in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Sid F. Stewart, Frankie and Sharron of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Quisenberry and Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Quisenberry.

R. C. Strickland

His many Hedley friends were grieved to learn of the death of R. C. Strickland of Albuquerque, who passed away there Sunday night. He had been ill for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jewell left to attend the funeral services, which were scheduled for Tuesday at Albuquerque.

Further information was not available at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McKee of Houston announce the arrival on Oct. 24 of a fine little son, weight 8 lbs 11 oz, who has been named Roger Kelly.

Basketball News

The Hedley boys defeated Wellington there last Friday night by a score of 50 to 47. Pat Chesser was high for Hedley with 19 points. The Hedley girls lost 38 to 61. Jamie Evans was high for Hedley with 20 points.

Visiting in the V. T. McPherson home over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McCracken of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Burns and Sherri of Lubbock and Jimmy and Debbie Kirkland of Amarillo.

Visiting in the T. J. Cherry home last week end were Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Cherry, Vicky and Kathy, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Cherry, Doug and Deb of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Crisler of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cherry, Rick and Clay of El Paso, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Brown, Teresa, Troy Ross, Cherry and Alexa of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Roland of McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stewart and Tom Stewart of Clarendon.

David Moreman was at home from College Station for Thanksgiving.

Mrs. V. T. McPherson, Beverly and Becky spent Thanksgiving Day in the James Kirkland home in Amarillo.

The Billy Wiggins family of Lubbock spent last week end with home folks.

Don Cox was at home for Thanksgiving from Houston.

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Hedley P.-T. A.

PTA dues are now due, and may be paid at H & M Dry Goods and Variety, at the Security State Bank, or to Mrs. Roy Hunter.

Hedley Lions Club

 Meets the 2nd and 4th Thursday night of each month. All Lions are urged to be present.
Eugene Allison, Pres.
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Notice

For Sale—the old Informer office to be torn down. Anyone interested see the editor.

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Attend Banquet

Out of town ex-students attending the banquet last Saturday night were Verlin and Bill McCracken of Abilene, Bill J and Helen Land of Clarendon, Nancy and Johnny Brumley of Morse, Thelma and Arthur Shields of Claude, Bill and Dorothy Martin, Carter and Madonna Huffman, Pat and Bobby Stephens, Pauline and Ben Blackwell, Jerry McCarty and wife, Don and Charlene Wells, G T. and Bonnie Cherry, Lynn Oberry and wife, all of Amarillo, Pam Stone, L J. and Ellen Wade of Borger, Bruce and Corine Stewart of Wichita Falls, Rusty Mosley and wife, Terry Bailey and wife and Blackie Johnson and wife of Memphis, Wilburn Leeper and wife Quitaque, Kathy and Herschel Burns of Lubbock, Jonnie Thomas, Eva Jean and Royce Crisler of Plainview, Grady and Charlene Milton of White Deer, Nelda Sue and Allen Cope of Hurst, Sherry and Don Cope of Lorenzo, Cottie and Arthell Gibson, Adell Myers, Joan and Red-top Sims of Pampa, Tippiie and Bill Jones of Floydada, Glenn and Eva Mae Richerson of Shamrock, Troy and LaNelle Brown of Vernon, Aubrey and Frances Cherry of El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bailey of Amarillo announce the arrival on Nov. 20 of a fine little son, weight 7 lbs, who has been named Andrew J. (Andy)

Susan Cox of Canyon spent Thanksgiving here.

Beverly McPherson spent the week end in the James Kirkland home in Amarillo.

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The film will be shown at the Jan 14 meeting of the Lions Club

and at later dates at meetings of the Study Club and PTA. Everyone should make an effort to see this edifying film.

The next regular meeting of the Sodalitas Club will be Dec 3 at Owl Cafe with Mrs J M Dickson as hostess.

Visiting in the Burt Stone home Thanksgiving were Mr. and Mrs R L Stone, Danny and Judy, Mr. and Mrs Randall Brice, Mr and Mrs Raymond Stone and Wayne, all of Amarillo, and Buddy Stone of Long Beach, Calif.

Family Reunion

Visiting Mrs Ruth Stiles on Thanksgiving Day were Mr and Mrs Frank Stiles and family of Olney, Mr and Mrs. Lewis Stiles and family and Mr. and Mrs Dwayne Stiles and family of Amarillo, Mr and Mrs Emmett Stiles and Mr and Mrs Kenneth Schultz of Groom, Mr and Mrs Jessie Stiles and family of Olton, Mr. and Mrs B J Wiggins and family of Kildare, and Mr and Mrs. John Stiles and family of Perryton.

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School Calendar

Dec. 24 to Jan. 3, Christmas holidays, school will dismiss at 2:00 on 23rd

Jan. 8, End of first semester
March 12, Teachers meeting, no school

April 16 to 19, Easter holidays, school will dismiss at 2:00 on the 15th

May 20, no school, Teachers workday

May 21, Last school day, High School graduation

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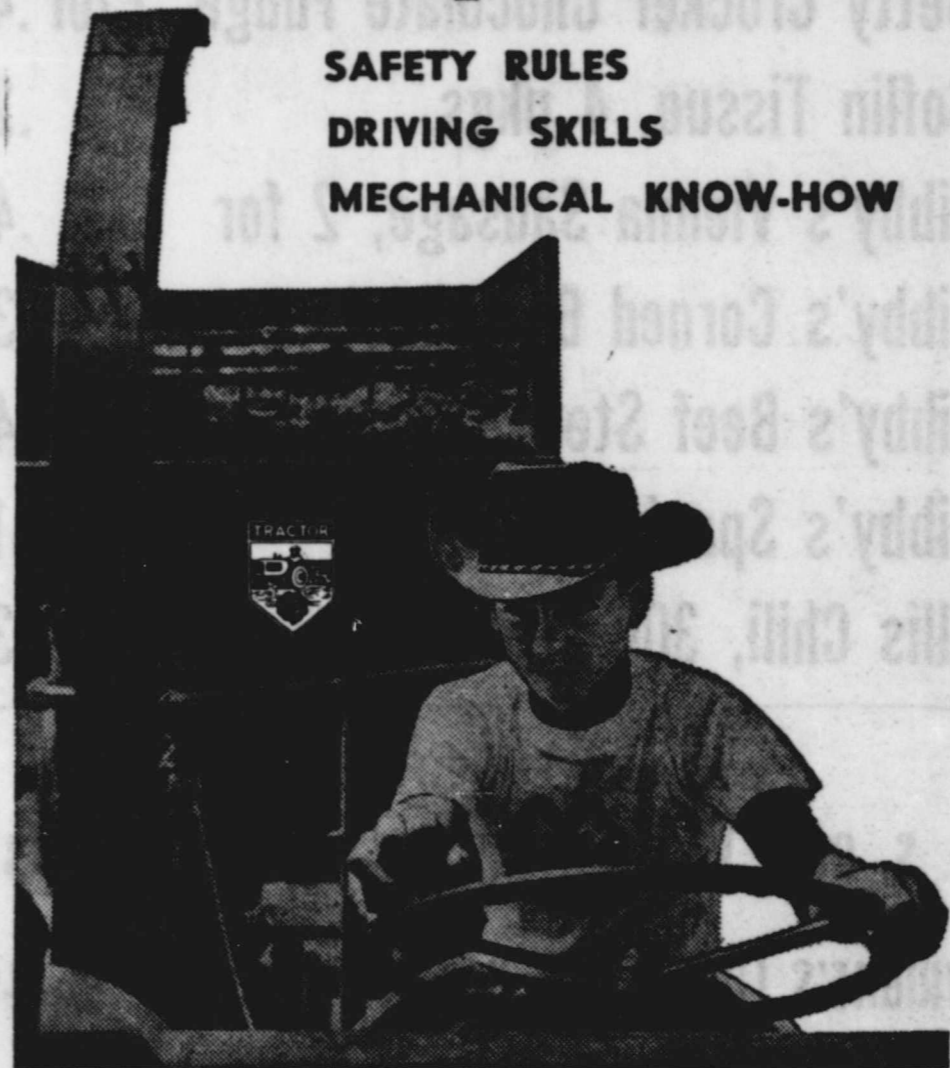
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The fourth year and advanced unit goes into detail on machinery care such as servicing and maintaining tillage tools, planters, harvesters and sprayers. By the time 4-H'ers have completed the fourth year, they usually have assumed responsibility for not only the farm tractors, but other machinery as well.

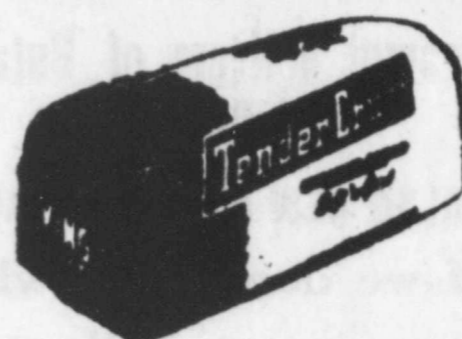
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