

THE BOVINA BLADE

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

Saturday?

What are you going to be doing Saturday morning?

If you're interested in the Bovina area—and you certainly should be if you live in it—it will be good for you and the area alike if you'll attend the FFA project show that will be held at the "ag lots" in Bovina.

Not only is the idea of a livestock show in Bovina new and good, but we feel sure that it will be interesting as well.

Be there Saturday.

Another Election

The Bovina city commission, by passing the resolution to stagger the terms of the commissioners, has given the people of Bovina a chance to have a voting voice in their government once a year instead of once every two years.

The election will be April 3.

Now is a good time to be deciding on the man whom you want to hold Bovina's reins for the next two years.

Baptist Youngsters Have Study

The Intermediate Girls Auxiliary and Royal Ambassadors of the Baptist Church met jointly Wednesday night for their final study on the mission program from the "Tel" magazine.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fuller were the leaders for this group. Those attending were Nancy Cumpton, Barbara Taylor, Julia Ann Lloyd, Dick Horn, O. W. Adams, Terry Adams, James Lawlis, and Gary Kent Glasscock.

Church of Christ Ladies Quilt

The ladies of the Church of Christ met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Marshall Monday night to piece quilts for the orphan homes.

Refreshments of pie, cake, coffee and hot chocolate were served to Mr. and Mrs. James Boardman, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Downing, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Killough, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ayres, Mr. and Mrs. Howarth Summers, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Johnson, Mrs. Bessie Caldwell and Mary Hartsell.

BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Virgil Goodwin, Pastor

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; worship service, 10:50 a. m.; training union, 7:00 p. m. evening worship services, 8:00 p. m.

The revival begins Wednesday night, March 7, and will close Sunday night March 18. Wayne O. Perry of Sudan is the preacher. Ernest C. Hock of Friona is the song leader. Week day services will be 10:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Last Sunday attendance was 227 in Sunday School. Attendance in Training Union was 92.

The Brotherhood of the Baptist Church met Monday night at 7:30. Rev. Virgil Goodwin presided in the absence of the president, Alvin Glasscock. The topic of the program was "The Man and His Church." Talks were given by Don Murphy, Hodge Rigdon, Homer Kelley, J. D. Roberts and Virgil Goodwin, pastor. Other men attending were Charles Hawkins and R. N. Williford.

The Adult Study group met Wednesday night for the final study of Indian Mission Work. Rev. Virgil Goodwin led the group study in which 43 adults earned credit by reading the book and by being present three of the five nights.

Those present were Mrs. Ovid Lawlis, Rev. and Mrs. Virgil Goodwin, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hawkins, Mrs. J. S. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Williford, Hodge Rigdon, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gooch, Mr. and Mrs.



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Dale Whitesides furnished refreshments of ice cream, cookies and punch to Billy Charles, David Anderson, E. L. McCutchan, Bill Marshall, Larry Downing, and Kenneth Connelly.

Mrs. W. H. Downing and Mrs. Whitesides are leaders of this group. Both were present.

Return Home From Council Meeting

Janie Alverson, Pauline Lloyd, Larry Ezell and Neil Smith returned Saturday evening from Midland where they attended a student council meeting.

Mrs. W. R. Beard, group sponsor, accompanied the students.

Large Crowd Sings At Church of Christ

A large crowd attended the regular monthly singing at the Bovina Church of Christ Sunday afternoon. This group consists of members of the Churches of Christ of Bovina, Lazbuddie, Muleshoe, Lariat and Farwell.

The next meeting will be Sunday, April 1, at the Church of Christ of Lazbuddie with everyone cordially invited to attend.

In Canyon

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Williams visited Sunday in the home of her sister and family, Rev. and Mrs. L. L. Hill, of Canyon. They returned home Sunday night.

From West Texas

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Gail Steelman and Evelyn Steelman spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Steelman. The young people returned to Canyon Sunday evening where they are attending West Texas State College.

In New Mexico

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hawkins visited friends in Artesia, N. M., over the weekend. They visited with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Chase and returned to Bovina Sunday evening.

Grissoms Move

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Grissom moved Monday, March 5, to their new ranch home west of Tiabon, N. M. Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ellison helped them to make the move.

With Johnstons

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Killough, Mrs. Frank Ayres, and Mrs. Buck Ellison visited Thursday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Johnston. Mr. and Mrs. Johnston recently moved into the community.

To Amarillo

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Horton spent several days in Amarillo recently visiting Mr. and Mrs. Glen Blacklock. They returned to Bovina Wednesday, February 9.

From Lamesa

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jameson of Lamesa visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Pounds, over the weekend. His sister, Bobbey Jameson, of Clovis also spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Pounds.

In Clarendon

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hastings and Mrs. Pearl Hastings visited in Clarendon Monday and Tuesday with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hastings, and his sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Derrick, also of Clarendon. They returned to Bovina Tuesday evening.

N. E. Bonds and Pete Davies left Monday on a fishing trip to Lake Whitney. They plan to be gone for several days.



A new world's record of 304.38 bushels of corn per acre has been made this year by Lamar Ratliff, 16 year old Prentiss County 4-H Club member.

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In Combs Home

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Harold Combs and children of Amarillo; and Mr. and Mrs. Woodie Combs of Denver City. Also visiting Mr. and Mrs. Combs Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kelm of Clovis.

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WMU Meets During Week

The WMU of the Baptist Church met every day, Monday through Friday, in the church annex last week for their Annie Armstrong Week of Prayer Program.

With Leakes

Mrs. Jack Owens of Amarillo, returned two weeks ago from a three months nurses training course in Austin, and spent the weekend of February 25 and 26 with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Leake, in Bovina. She returned to

Amarillo Sunday evening.

With Aunt

Airman first class and Mrs. Gerald Lyon, of Fairbanks, Alaska, visited Friday in the home of his aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Lloyd. They left Friday afternoon for California to visit other relatives.

Visit Granddaughter

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Kelley went to Littlefield Sunday with their son, B. A. Kelley of Texico, to visit a granddaughter who is in the hospital there following an accident.

Overnight guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Lloyd Monday and Tuesday, February 27 and 28 were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lloyd of Friona.

Singing Club With Charlees

The Bovina Singing Club will meet Sunday, March 11, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Charles. The public is cordially invited to attend. The club meets the second and fourth Sundays of each month for group singing.

To Plainview

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Jones, Don, Brenda, and Kathy, went to Plainview Sunday to visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Martin. They returned home the same day.

With Hopingardners

Guests last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hopingardner were her sisters, Mrs. Ruth Calaway of Eldorado, Kansas and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Barnes, also of Eldorado. They returned to their homes Friday.

Dinner Guests

Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rhodes were R. A. Hartsell and children and Mr. and Mrs. Levi Johnson and son.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Horton visited Saturday night with his aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Williams of Friona.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clark spent the weekend in Lubbock with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. McFarling.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Wilburn went to Muleshoe Saturday to the funeral services of the infant son of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hanford Brewer.

Mr. and Mrs. Cash Rachards, Billy Richards and Erith Hawkins spent the weekend of February 29 to March 4 in Austin seeing the state basketball tournament. They also visited Mose Johnson, a cousin of Cash Richards, while there. They returned to Bovina Sunday.

Reggie Jones was home from Texas Tech over the weekend.

Ike Bill Quickel of Farwell spent the weekend with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Quickel, in Bovina.

Mr. and Mrs. Oakley Stevenson of Lubbock spent the weekend in Bovina with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Moody and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stevenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stevenson were Sunday guests in the home of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Sublette of Clovis.

Monday afternoon visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ellison were her mother, Mrs. A. R. Jester of Clovis and Mrs. Betty White, also of Clovis.

Mrs. C. F. Hastings and Mrs. Bob Wilson and daughter went to Amarillo Saturday. They visited briefly in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Greenhill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gooch and daughter visited Sunday afternoon in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Gooch of Dimmitt.

Mrs. N. E. Bonds spent Sunday visiting in the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Foster, of Clovis.

Mrs. Frank Ayres and Mrs. Bill Venable visited with Mrs. Ernest Woelfel Friday afternoon.

Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McCain were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McCain of Littlefield and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Hill and children, also of Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fuller spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Murphy.

The Parent-Teachers Association of Bovina will meet at the school Monday night. The topic of the meeting will be "Pride in Community Progress through Physical and Mental Health."

Mrs. Bob Sudderth will be the leader. Mrs. Aubrey Rhodes will speak on "Problems in Mental and Physical Health."

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Rogers spent Sunday afternoon in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Marshall visited over the weekend in Lamesa with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elvie Emfinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Alverson spent Sunday evening in the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. White, Jr. of Lazbuddie.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gunnells and daughter of Clovis were guests for supper Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Bonds.

Rev. and Mrs. Virgil Goodwin were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brown and children of Clovis visited Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Blalock.

Mrs. Lloyd C. Battey and Mrs. Ike Quickel, members of Bovina Woman's Study Club, attended the district convention of the Federated Women's Clubs in Plainview Thursday and Friday of last week.

They returned to Bovina Friday night.

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To shape the nails, use a long, flexible file, stroking from the sides toward the center. Shape to the curve of the moon at the base of the nail. Next, soften the cuticles by holding the finger tips in warm, soapy water for several minutes. This will make it easy to push the cuticle back with the wide end of the orange stick. If you have remembered to push them back every night before going to bed, there won't be much need to use the scissors or nippers on them. Buffing is the next step. You want to buff the whole nail, so always stroke from base to tip. Stroking across the nails is likely to leave the sides uncut. Now you are ready to apply the new polish. Give it plenty of time to

can cause splitting. If you have to cut a cuticle, aim at cutting it evenly in one piece; don't chop it off in bits. When buffing the nails, lift the buffer at the end of each stroke to avoid discomfort caused by friction heat. In closing your polish bottle, wipe around the neck with a cotton ball moistened with polish remover. This will enable you to close the bottle tightly.

Celebrate Birthdays With Armstrongs

Mrs. J. Sam Gaines and Mrs. S. A. Barbee of Lubbock celebrated their birthdays Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Armstrong with a dinner in their honor.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Barbee and Rhonda of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sanders and Derry of Arch, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Losson and Becky of Portales, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Mack McCasland of Clovis, Mrs. Viola Loftin of Tulia, Claudette Loftin and Carol Ann Loftin also of Tulia, and Mrs. Gaines and Adams.

In Farwell

Mrs. Billie Sudderth, Glendon Sudderth, Janie Alverson and Ronnie Sudderth visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Sudderth's grandfather, Jim Perkins, of Farwell.

The group returned home Sunday evening.

Visit Ill Grandmother

Mrs. Bob Johnston, her daughter, Linda, her mother, Mrs. J. W. Roberts, of Clovis and her sister, Mrs. Ross Terry, of Friona spent the weekend in Snyder visiting Mrs. Johnston's grandmother, Mrs. M. W. Devers, who is critically ill. The group returned to their homes Sunday night.

With Sudderths

Guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sudderth were Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roberts, Beverly Roberts, Wayne McCutchan and Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Spurlin and daughter of Texico.

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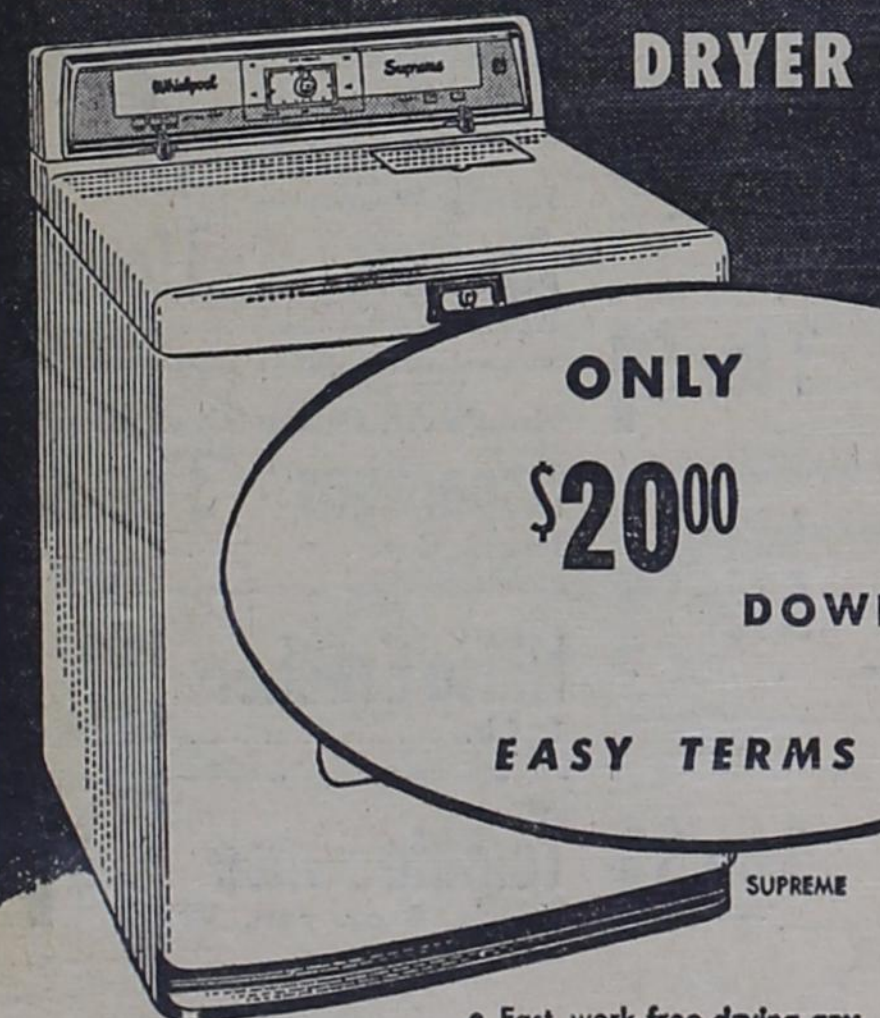
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THE PARING KNIFE

By JEANIE MOTEN

Heard something the other day that I rather liked.

he'll have to compete with strong organizations with an organization equally strong.

Since I printed Walter Roger's letter last week, have received two other letters containing the information I asked him for.

The only way a strong organization can develop is for all farmers to band and work together under the principle of majority rule.

The FFA boys are putting on a donkey ball game. Have never seen one but think it would be all kinds of fun.

Think it's pretty indicative that women might not attend the above mentioned meeting. It's always been said that the woman's right to vote is abused as women don't keep well informed.

Went to the Farm Bureau Kickoff Banquet Monday night. Was quite impressed with their organization.

Think such accusations are unjust myself, but then don't know. But do believe that women aren't abreast with day-to-day happenings

The main speaker made a remark that this is an organized era. And seems to me that if a farmer wants favorable legislation that

As they should be. A familiar excuse is that we're so wrapped up in household duties that we don't get a chance to get out in the public like men do.

Wrote an article about Bovina Sunday Singers for last week's issue, but for some reason (probably due to my own mistake) it wasn't in the paper.

Anyway, more singers turned out for the last meeting (which the article told about) at the Grissoms than have ever before.

Spring is in the air. Isn't it grand? (There will probably be a blizzard the hour after the above remark hits the streets).

Visit Hoppingardners

Mrs. Mildred Buster and children of Littlefield spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hoppingardner.

In Fort Worth

Grady Whitesides and George Whitesides spent several days last week visiting their brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Whitesides, of Fort Worth.

In El Paso

Mr. and Mrs. John Stagner of Clovis and Mr. and Mrs. Mel Gunn visited in El Paso this last week.

In New Mexico

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Whitesides returned Saturday night from Ima, N. M., where Mrs. Whitesides has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Elsie Block, and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Patton of House and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Sparks of Ima.

Honored on Birthday

The second birthday of Rocky Steelman was celebrated in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Steelman, Sunday.

In Amarillo

Mrs. J. O. Combs and Mrs. Douglas Combs of Roswell spent Saturday in Amarillo visiting Mrs. Combs' son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Combs.

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LETTERS

To The Editor

1137 Varnon Dr. Pampa, Texas March 2, 1956

Dear Mr. Moten

I wish to express my appreciation for The Blade. It certainly is a nice little paper. Bovina has cause to be quite proud of itself for attracting the Motens into becoming "Bovinians."

Yours truly Mrs. C. R. Howard, Jr. P. S. In case you are wondering who might I be—I am Hubert Ellison's oldest daughter.

With Bill Venables

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rhodes and Mrs. R. L. Barber of Muleshoe visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Venable.

Visit Grandparents

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Horton spent Sunday in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Horton, of Clovis.

To Amarillo

Mr. and Mrs. H. Blalock went to Amarillo Sunday to visit their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Blalock.

To Georgia

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Ritchie and children were called to Georgia Saturday morning due to the illness of his mother.

With Estes

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Estes Sunday were her cousin and family, Mrs. Chuck Tivitt and children.

Coming Home

Mrs. F. S. Pounds received word this last week from her son, Johnny Pounds, that he will be home to stay in about three weeks.

Congratulations

Mr. and Mrs. Don Ray Teague became the parents of a son Sunday morning in the Clovis Memorial Hospital.

In Post

Mrs. Von Bowen, Mrs. Glen Kelley and daughters, and Mrs. J. H. Steelman went to Post Sunday to visit Mrs. Steelman's daughter and family.

To Talpa

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lloyd of Friona spent Friday night with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Lloyd.

Roger and Dwayne Horton, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Horton underwent tonsillectomies in the Clovis Memorial Hospital Friday afternoon.

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Sunbeams Conclude Indian Study

The Sunbeams of the Baptist Church met Wednesday night in the church annex for a final study on Indians.

Those present were Janie Hawkins, Lynn Murphy, Rodney Murphy, Darlene Murphy, Johnny Horn, Martha Ann Adams, Jan Everett and Margie Fuller.

Visit Grissoms

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ellison, and Mr. and Mrs. Ike Quickel visited Sunday afternoon in the new ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Grissom, west of Tiaban, N. M.

Baptist Youngsters Met Wednesday

The Junior Royal Ambassadors and Junior Girls' Auxiliary of the Baptist Church met in the church annex Wednesday night for the completion of a study, "Beyond the Desert," with Mrs. A. L. Glasscock leading the program.

Ronnie Lynn Glasscock, Dannie Mac Glasscock, Jeanie Ivy, Toni Vee Ivy, Elaine Fuller, Janet Gooch, Jerry Rigdon, John Goodwin and Lou Ann Goodwin.

Visit Parents

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Adams and children and Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Williford spent Thursday night in Fieldton with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roberts.

With Stevens

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Stevens Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cooper of Lockney and Mr. and Mrs. Don Murphy and children.

Around Brownville

A. L. Glasscock and Ovid Lawlis spent several days last week in and around Brownville on a fishing trip.

Mrs. James Boardman and Mrs. Lloyd Killough spent Tuesday in Amarillo.

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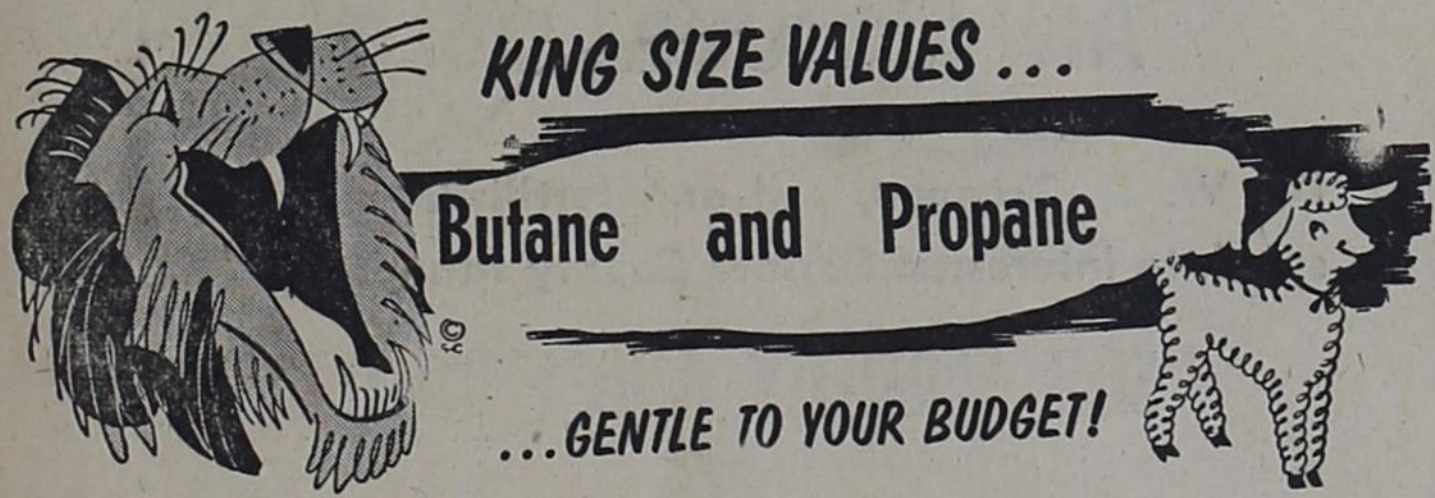
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