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IN SCHOOL AUDITORIUM --

Graduation Exercises Thursday, Friday

For Seniors, 8th Graders

Commencement exercises are slated this week for Bovina High School seniors and graduates of Bovina Junior High Eighth Grade.

Dr. William E. Baldwin, professor of psychology at Eastern New Mexico University at Portales, will deliver the commencement address for the high school class of 1963.

The program, which will see diplomas presented to 24 members of the class, will begin at 8:15 and will be in school auditorium.

Valedictory will be given by Gary Stevenson with Carole Jean Hastings delivering the salutatory.

High school choir, under the direction of Edgra Hudson, school music instructor, will sing "Halls of Ivy" and "Now is The Hour."

Presentation of scholarships to students receiving them will be by High School Principal Bobby Phillips.

Phillips and Jack Clayton, president of board of trustees, will present diplomas.

Title of Dr. Baldwin's talk will be "What's In It For Me?" Invocation will be by Vivaliah Steelman with Don Cumpston giving the benediction.

Elaine Fuller will play for the professional and recessional.

Eighth grade graduation exercises will be at 7:30 Thursday night, also in school auditorium.

Gil Lamb of radio station KMUL in Muleshoe will be guest speaker.

Diplomas will be presented to 31 members of the class by Superintendent Warren Morton and Phillips.

Valedictory address will be given by Janie Hawkins. Lane Guber will give the salutatory, Cathy Jones, accompanied by Mrs. Doris Wilson, will present a vocal selection.

Invocation will be given by Miss Grace Paul with Halle Gee, class sponsor offering the benediction.

Miss Fuller will also play for professional and recessional. (Continued on Page 6)

WHITTLIN'

BY DOLPH MOTEN

One week we're wishing it would rain and the next week we're wishing it hadn't.

We didn't know anyone last week who was against a rain. But rain it did.

Saturday and Sunday, a lot of young cotton in the area was destroyed by wind.

Farmers, who are in the process of replanting cotton, are among those who think we'd have been as well off without the rain and especially without the wind Sunday afternoon.

However, as we understand the situation, the wind would have done no damage if it hadn't followed Saturday's rain, which measured an inch or more over a major portion of this area.

We've heard irrigation farmers (some) say they'd just as soon it never did rain. Others believe that rain should be appreciated anytime it falls, no matter how much temporary damage it may seem to be doing at the time.

Those who believe the latter think that nature's irrigation system will always do more good in the long run than it will harm.

We won't enter into that argument, if it is one. But we have been interested in hearing various farmers opinions on the subject.

Another disadvantage to rain is that during this time of year, especially, it is all too often accompanied by hail which does damage in varying degrees.

First week in June had a tendency to offer this kind of weather. Or it has here in recent years. And that's crowding cotton replanting time.

Cotton which was ruined by wind Sunday can be replanted and have plenty of time to mature, we understand. The loss, of course, is in the expense of replanting and possibly the yield will be cut by the delayed planting date.

Be that as it may, we still maintain that it's almost impossible to please all the farmers with any one rain.

People who advocate artificial rain don't know what trouble is, yet. They'll learn, we'll wager, when and if they succeed.

Certainly, we'd hate to have the responsibility of turning the rain switch on and off. That would be about as thankless a chore as serving on a committee for benefit of the community.

We haven't meant to horn in on Willie's weather department the past couple of weeks, but people are still -- just as they were in Mark Twain's time -- talking about the weather. And if people here are going to talk about it a lot, we'll probably write about it a little.

Something that people have about stopped talking about now that we're into the second or third week of the project is the inconvenience caused motorists by construction work on Highway 86, Third Street and Oklahoma Lane Highway south from 86.

Trying to drive to any area served by those streets is like running an obstacle course, but evidently Bovinians are getting used to it.

Either that, or they've decided there's no use to belly-ache about a situation which is only temporary. Frankly, we don't think the majority of us have decided not to belly-ache. We think we're just getting used to the situation.

The streets will, someone has pointed out, be nice when they're finished.

After jumping curbs and dodging road construction equipment for three weeks, that comment reminds us of the fellow who hit his thumb with a hammer.

The thumb felt good, real good, when it quit hurting.

Many sports fans in this neck

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School Year Ends Friday

This is last week of 1962-'63 school year with Friday the closing day.

Final exams are being conducted these last few days with school being dismissed and busses running at 2:30 each day.

Classes will continue through Friday on the 2:30 dismissal basis.

Lunch will be served in the cafeteria each day this week.

Report cards will be issued to students at school Monday for those wishing to pick them up then, school officials announce. However, busses will not run Monday and report cards will be mailed to those students who do not pick them up Monday.

Another Teacher Signed

Another teacher has been signed for next school year, Superintendent Warren Morton announces, bringing the total of new teachers for '63-'64 to four.

Latest to be signed is Mrs. Betty Mabry, who will teach junior high English and high school speech.

Mrs. Mabry has taught this year in high school at Manhattan, Kansas.

Her husband will farm near Hub, Morton says.

She is a 1962 graduate of Texas Tech with a major in English. She also attended Lubbock Christian College. Mrs. Mabry was graduated from high school in Waldo, Ark., in 1958.

"Mrs. Mabry is well qualified and I feel we're fortunate to add her to our faculty," Morton says.

New teachers hired previously for next year include John Paul Jones, vocational agriculture, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert O. Kidd, grade school positions.

Hospitalized

Mrs. A. R. McCutchan is hospitalized in Room 7 at Parmer County Community Hospital. She is suffering from a back injury.

Ball Program Starts June 4

Boys baseball program here will begin Monday, June 3.

A schedule to include action on the diamond four nights a



RAINI--A spring-long dry spell was broken here Saturday afternoon by a thundershower which dropped as much as two inches of moisture over parts of the area. Run-off water filled ditches to overflowing on Highway 60. This large amount of

water was west of Bovina on 60 following the Saturday rain. The camera was looking northeast--toward Bovina--when this scene was recorded.

RESULTS: GOOD, BAD, INDIFFERENT--

Weather: Rain, Hail, Wind

Weather Bulletin

They cut wheat early over a wide area north of Bovina last night, but they didn't cut it with combines or use grain trucks to haul it.

Hail did it. What was considered the most severe hail in the history of this farming country dumped 18 inches of the frozen rain on the level destroying all crops in the area it struck.

Brunt of the storm started approximately 5 miles north of Bovina and continued several miles north also wiping out crops several miles east and west of the FM road which runs north of here.

The storm struck late Tuesday afternoon. The hail was accompanied by several inches of rain -- no one knows how much rain for sure as all gauges of the area were broken by the hail.

A state highway department maintainer was used to get the hail off the pavement so traffic could go through.

An estimated two inches of rain fell in Bovina but there was little or no hail.

Highway 60 was covered by a foot or more of water in two or three places between Bovina and Friona shortly after the storm.

A combination of weather events in the area Saturday and Sunday resulted in:

1. Some much-needed moisture over most of the area.
2. Slight hail damage to some crops.

3. Destruction of several hundred acres of young cotton throughout the area.

Most significant of the three was the loss of the cotton. It was destroyed by high, blowing winds Sunday afternoon which followed the soil packing rain Saturday afternoon.

In some instances, a field of cotton was destroyed while some nearby was left unharmed. It depended, farmers said, on how much moisture fell Saturday and "which way the rows ran." Reports of up to three inches of moisture were reported with the most common figure being between an inch and an inch and a half. Bovina itself received 1.3 inches.

North of town all but escaped the rain and the damaging wind. That area received "only a sprinkle" of rain Saturday afternoon.

Sunday's wind brought a cold spell with it that dropped temperatures to 44 Monday morning. And as if it were a weather afterthought, there was a slight drizzle Tuesday morning.

Replanting of ruined cotton began as early as Monday following the Sunday blow.

Many farmers were in the fields Sunday afternoon with equipment attempting to stop their land from blowing. However, the damage was done in a period of a few hours and there was little that could be done to save the young cotton plants if they were in the path of the cutting wind and sand.

Little damage was caused by the hail which fell during Saturday's rain according to reports. The wind drew bulk of the blame for damage which was done to crops.

Weather by Willie

Looks like we will have very little, if any, more hail. More rain. N. dust storms. --Willie

Barber Shop Moves Into New Location

Jerry Rogers Barber Shop has moved into new building on Third Street constructed by J. T. Jones.

The move was made first of this week.

Rogers has operated the shop in McCutchan Building on Highway 60 since July of 1959.

Wheat Growers Meet Tuesday

A barbecue supper will highlight annual meeting of Bovina Wheat Growers, Inc. stockholders Tuesday night.

The program, which will be in school cafeteria, begins at 7:30, Jim Russell, manager of the co-op announces.

Guest speaker will be a representative of Southern Farm Supply in Amarillo.

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JUNE 2-9--

Methodists Set Church School

Vacation Church School at Bovina Methodist Church will convene June 2 and continue through June 9 with Sunday classes being conducted during Sunday School and weekday classes starting at 3 p.m. and lasting until 5 p.m., according to Mrs. R. E. Wilson, church school director.

Theme for the school will deal with different races of peoples, their customs, wor-

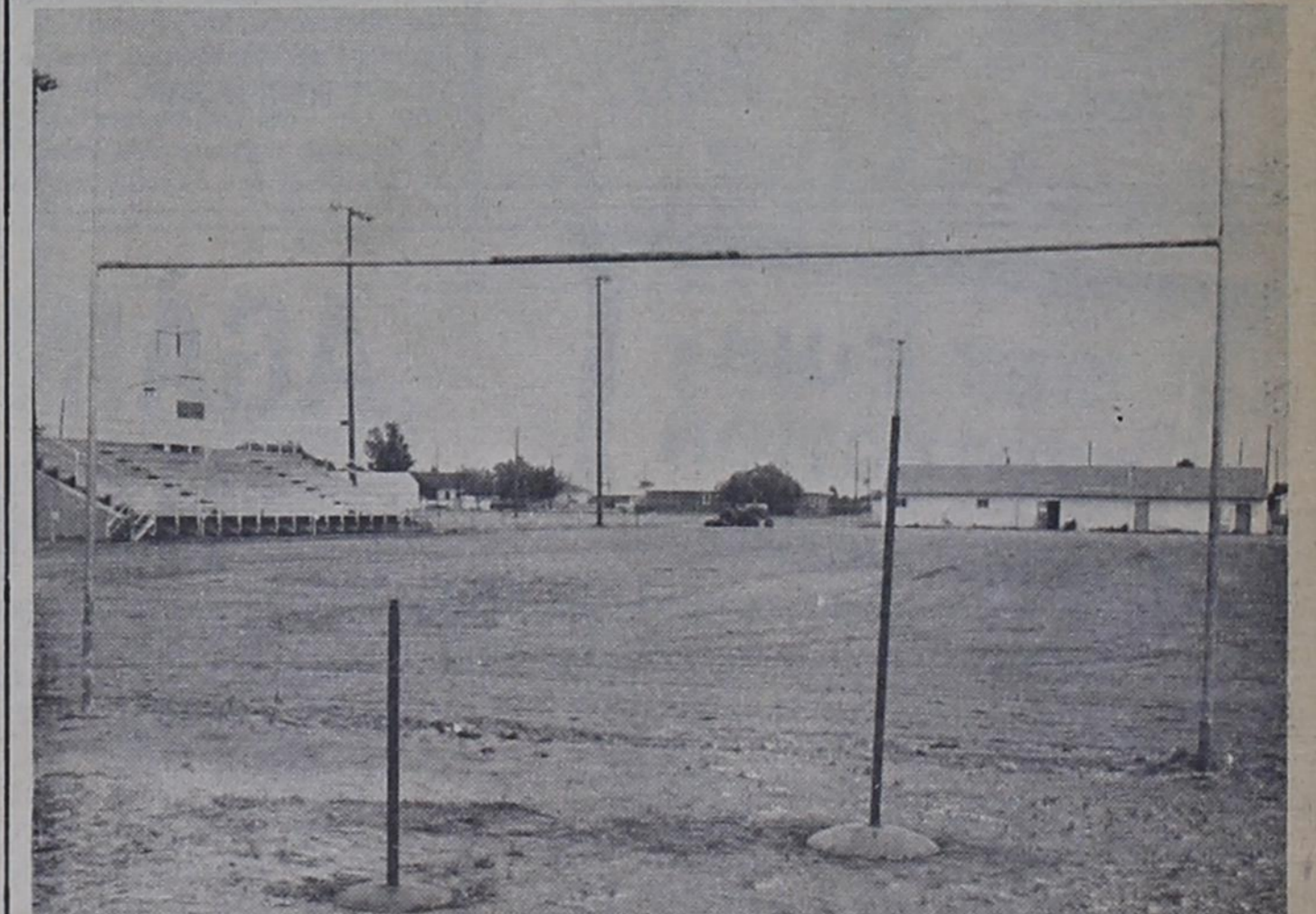
ship and their needs as well as learning about different lands.

Teachers for junior department will be Mrs. Jack McCracken, Mrs. Dean McCullum, Mrs. Bedford Caldwell, Miss Janice Morton and Miss Kathy Jones. Their theme is "Meet Your Neighbor."


Primary department will study "Friends from Mary Lands." Mrs. Jimmy Ware, (Continued on Page 2)



NEW PAINT--Glenn Hromas, paint contractor here, is shown applying a coat of varnish to a counter in city hall. This was a part of the repair work done on the city-owned property during past several days. The building received new paint and varnish inside and out and a new ceiling was installed in city hall portion of the building. Work was done on Saturday afternoons and nights so as not to interfere with regular city business.



READY IN SEPTEMBER--Framed between the goalposts on northwest end is Bovina Mustang football field which is receiving new grass this week. African Bermuda is being sprigged in after several truck loads of soil were hauled last week from Oklahoma Lane. New grass was necessary after last year's crop was damaged by severe cold during the winter. All the work is being done by volunteers with school board members in charge of various parts of the program. Approximately 10 trucks were used to haul in new soil last week.



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Reflections

From
The Blade

SIX YEARS AGO
 May 22, 1957
 Bovina city commissioners voted to raise the minimum monthly water rate 50 cents -- from \$2.60 to \$3.10.
 Winners in weekly Boost Bovina Drawing were Charlie Ramirez, \$30; Mrs. Dub Mayhew, \$20; and Mrs. Billy Marshall, \$20.
 Helen Hartzog, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hartzog, was valedictorian of Bovina High graduating class of 1957. Salutatorian was Mrs. Julia Keiso Lanford, Donnie Spring had the high average among the boys.
 Students in Mrs. R. E. Everett's second grade room had a field trip by train to Clovis, Dean Hastings, Santa Fe agent, gave each student souvenirs.
 Bovina people have donated almost \$600 to Silverton tornado relief fund, Allen Cumpston, who is in charge of the fund here, announced.

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THREE YEARS AGO
 May 25, 1960
 Wendol Christian was installed as president of Bovina Parent-Teacher Association.
 Eighty mailboxes were added at Bovina's post office bringing the total to 430.
 Mrs. Ovid Lawlis was installed as president of Bovina Woman's Study Club. Installing officer was Mrs. Bob Willis. Diplomas were presented to 18 graduates of Bovina High in commencement exercises.

Softball Meet

A meeting of people interested in a men's softball league and/or team has been scheduled for Friday night at 8. The session will be at the ballfield, Alfred Moody, who will be in charge of the meeting, announces.
 A four-team men's softball league has been organized here during past two summers.
 Formation of a league for this season will be discussed Friday night.
 Everyone who is interested is urged to attend the meeting, Moody says.

Whittlin--

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 of the irrigated Plains (not woods) are looking forward to the beginning of another boys baseball program.
 Said program is slated to get underway here Monday, June 2, and continue at a fast and furious pace for some 60 days.
 This year's program should be the best ever, we think. There'll be more boys participating in all age groups and we should be able to correct mistakes made in years past.
 Too, members of Lions Club, who sponsor the program, are slated to be better organized this year than ever before in handling details of the program.
 That will be worth a lot to its success . . .

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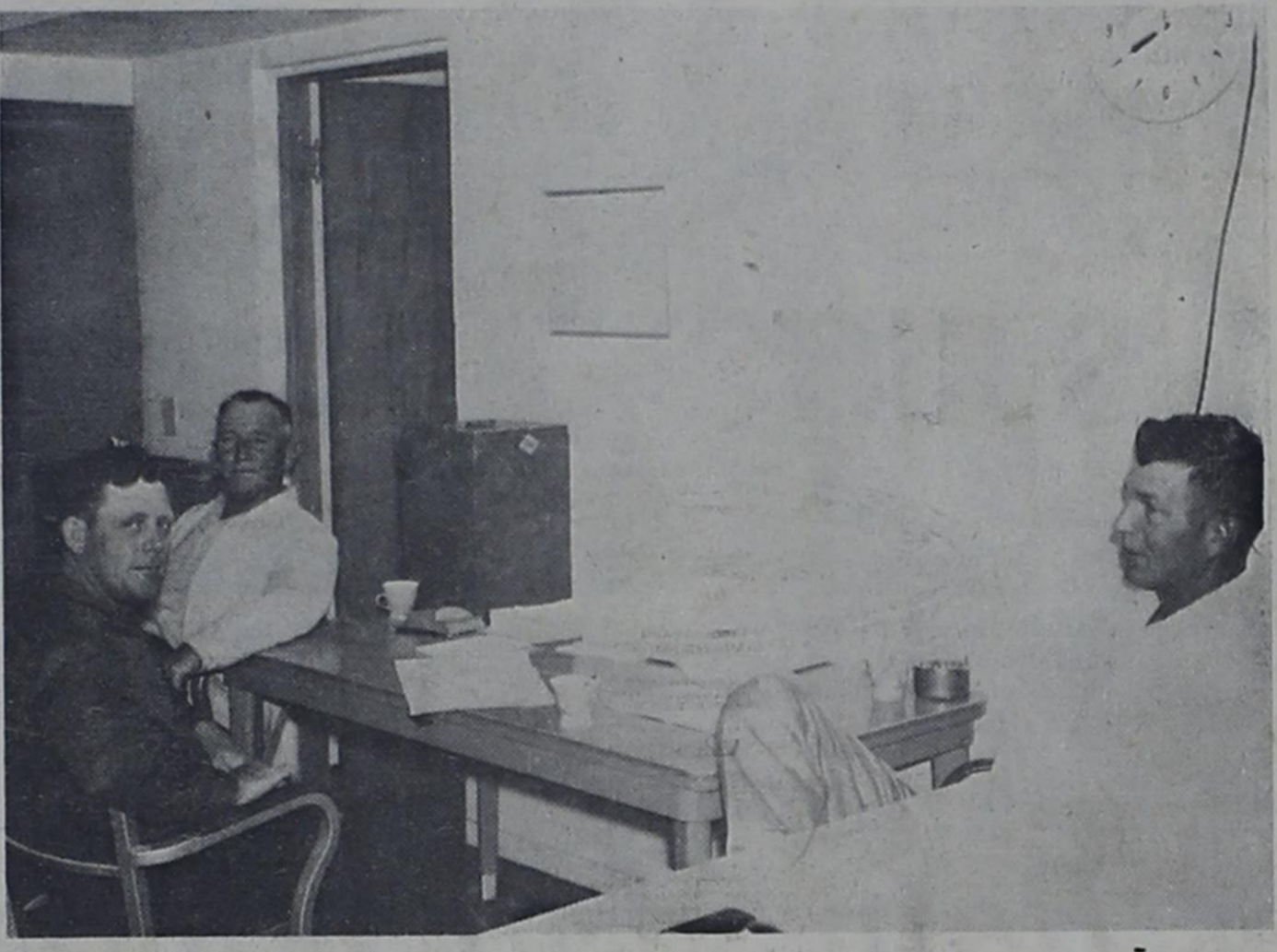
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WHEAT REFERENDUM--Officials of wheat referendum election in Bovina Tuesday are shown during a lull in their work. All farmers, they are, left to right, Leslie McCain, Johnnie Horn and J.B. Barrett. Indicating a large turnout of voters, 15 ballots had been cast by 8 a.m. Tuesday (See clock at upper right). The polls were located in office of Sherley Grain Co.

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Bovina, County Voters Favor Wheat Referendum

HEAVY TURNOUT--
 Parmer County farmers turned out en masse Tuesday, recording the largest vote of any county in the Panhandle or South Plains, as the national wheat referendum failed to carry.
 Actually, Parmer County was one of the counties which gave the referendum a majority, voting 59.6 per cent in favor, but this was still below the 66.7 per cent required nationally for the passage of the program.
 A total of 1534 people voted in the referendum, out of an estimated 1625 who were eligible. This figures out to a fantastic turnout of 94.4 per cent of the eligible voters.
 The referendum has been one of the most controversial ones in recent years, however, and gained widespread interest due to high-pitched nationwide publicity.
 Preliminary tabulations showed that only one location in the county, Bovina, gave the referendum a two-thirds majority, voting 126-37 in its favor.
 Three boxes, at Rhea, Lariat and Clay's Corner, went against the referendum. Rhea voted the largest "no" percentage, turning the proposal down, 26-8. With two "challenge votes" to be counted, the vote was even at Oklahoma Lane, 34 voting for, and 34 against.
 There were 284 ballots to be tabulated, representing "challenge ballots" those whose names were not listed at the particular polling place at which they voted, and must be verified as to eligibility.
 Early returns gave the program only a 42 per cent "yes" vote throughout the nation, and 43 per cent in Texas.
 The vote was by far a record turnout by county farmers. The former high for a referendum was last fall's cotton vote, in which 685 voters turned out.
 Parmer County's 1534 votes compared to 1408 in Hale County, 1289 in Swisher, 1132 in Castro, 1128 in Deaf Smith and 1055 in Floyd.
 The "yes" percentage was also the lowest for any program ever voted in the county. Last year's wheat vote carried by 73.4 per cent. Cotton referenda usually carry by over 90 per cent.
 Early totals, which did not include challenge votes, were as follows:

Polling Place	Yes	No	Chal.
Farwell	131	68	0
Rhea	8	26	16
Lariat	20	25	11
Black	43	31	0
Hub	30	13	36
Clay's Corner	30	54	5

Friona 192 98 94
 Lazbuddie 82 66 54
 Bovina 126 37 66
 Okla. Lane 34 34 2
 Absentee 47 53 0
 Totals 745 505 284

Wheat Growers--

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 Two directors are slated to be elected to the five-man board. Terms of M. H. Carson and Raymond Schueler expire. Those elected will serve three-year terms.
 Holdover directors include L. M. Grissom, Walter Kriegel and Durward Bell.
 A report on the operation of the business for past 12 months will be given by Russell and an audit report will also be heard.
 The co-op is now in its 29th year, being formed in 1934.
 A crowd of 140 attended last year's meeting and that many or more is expected to be on hand this year, Russell says.
 Announcement of the meeting is made in an advertisement in this issue of The Blade.

Plastics at Record

AKRON, Ohio (UPI)—A record \$13 billion in finished plastic products will be turned out by the nation's 5,700 plastics companies in 1963. This, says the Goodyear Chemical division, represents a \$3 billion increase since 1960.

Methodist--

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 Mrs. Richard Baxter, Mrs. Jimmy Clements, Mrs. Vernon Willard, Miss Irene Thornton and Miss Ann Lynn Wilson will be instructors for this group.
 "Friends Near and Far" will be topic of discussion for kindergarten classes. Teachers for them will be Mrs. Leon Ware, Mrs. A. M. Wilson, Mrs. Don Sides and Mrs. Ted Tipps.
 Three-year-old nursery will be conducted by Mrs. Erith Hawkins and Mrs. Tom Ware.
 Mrs. Dean Hastings is refreshment chairman.

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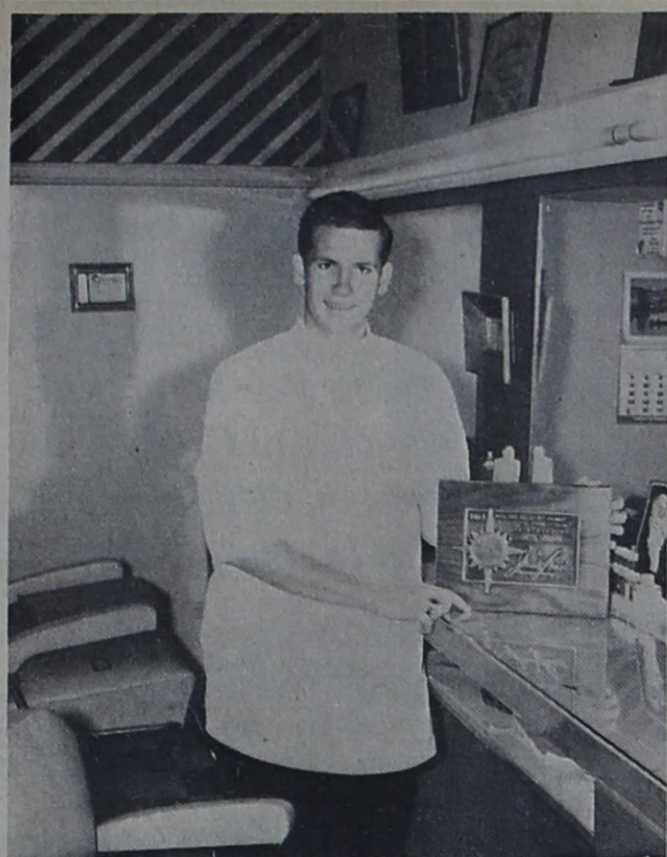
Tuesday, June 11

 8 A.M. To 12 Noon And 1 P.M. To 4 P.M.
 In
City Hall Building

 All Persons Having Business With This Board Are Hereby Notified To Be Present.

City of Bovina

 Mrs. Mary Ruth Martin, Secretary



HAIR STYLIST--Curtis Johnson, who is a native of Crosbyton, began work Tuesday with Bovina Beauty Shop. Johnson is a recent graduate of Jessie Lee's Hair Design Institute in Lubbock. He is shown with a trophy he was awarded for outstanding work in hairstyling. He was among top 10 in his class during the nine-months course.

Mrs. Horn Hosts WMU

"Educating Youth and Missions" was title of program presented to members of Dorene Hawkins Circle of W.M.U. Tuesday morning at the home of Mrs. Johnnie Horn.

Those taking part on program were Mrs. Allen Cumpton, Mrs. W. W. Wilcox, Mrs. Bobby Englant, Mrs. Ovid Lawlis and Mrs. Horn.

Others present were Mrs. J. O. Combs and Mrs. H. D. Bradshaw.

Following the program refreshments of orange danish rolls and coffee were served to guests.

Visitors In White Home

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gatlin of Meridian visited in the home of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Odie White over the weekend. Also visiting in the White home were Mrs. Leta Kelly and daughters of Earth.

Blade Sawdust by SUE MOTEN

The trials and tribulations of everyday life may seem like quite a problem. But try to face these and quit smoking at the same time.

We had the chance to talk to a person who is trying, quite successfully right now, to quit smoking. These agonized individuals try everything, even to making wagers with another of the "try to quit smoking cult." The culprit we were talking to was our trying to catch his cohort smoking in order to get the money. It seems the first thing these heroic individuals indulge in is chewing gum. The gum is supposed to take the place of a cigarette but these haggard people feel it lacks something.

If this doesn't work we have seen them take to candy mints with all the addiction of dope without the same effect. They can't get hopped up on the candy.

One of the truly ghastly aspects of this is to view one of these persons when someone offers him a cigarette. They usually lean toward the pack with hand outstretched, eyes bulging and say gallantly "No, I'm trying to quit."

Now some of the offerers apologize but for the most part the hurrah that ensues is almost as bad as the temptation.

Another way to torment them is to quietly pull out a cigarette and smoke it leisurely in front of them. Have always expected to see a slight convulsion but so far all have retained their sanity.

Anyway, after this dissertation we admire people who can and do quit but we still haven't ever figured out why, unless it is for health's sake . . .

Have you ever noticed:

That the children will let you sleep late on the mornings you have to work and get you up when you could sleep late . . . that you plant grass and weeds grow . . . that you cook good balanced meals when no one is hungry . . . the house is always dirty when company comes . . . the washer goes on the blink when the hamper is full . . . one is always out of bread when sandwiches are planned . . . the telephone rings when you and the children are asleep . . . and the kids will invariably get into the mud after you've spent two hours cleaning them up to go somewhere.

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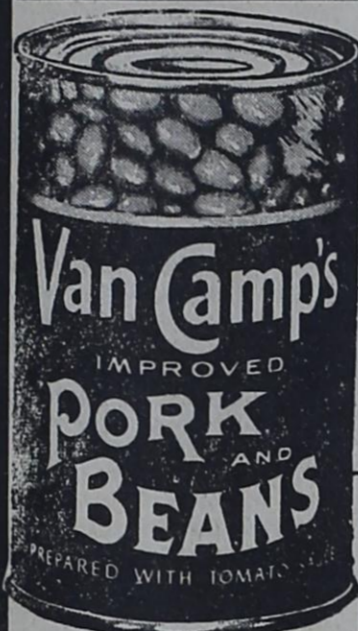


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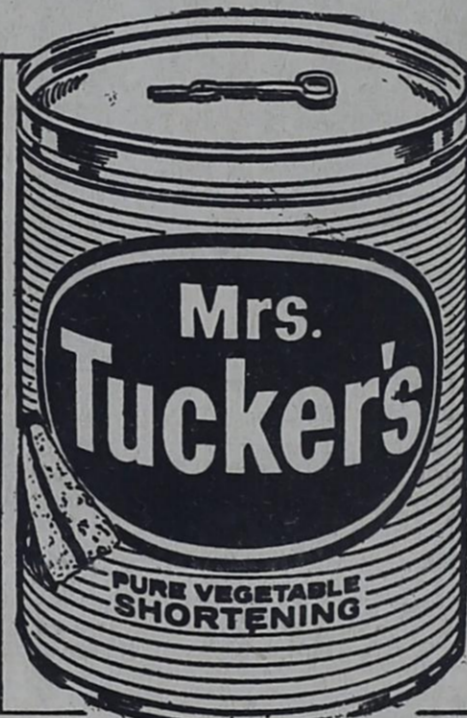
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FOR THE FUTURE--

Graduating Seniors Have Various Plans

The 1963 graduating class of Bovina High School is composed

of 23 senior students and one exchange student who will receive an honorary diploma.

The group has varying interests and plans for the future as well as several accomplishments during high school years.

Gary Stevenson, 17 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stevenson, was named valedictorian of the class and will enter Texas Tech this fall.

Gary lettered in football four

years and was on the all district team, and All South Plains football team this year. He is president of Student Council and has been a representative two years. He was a class officer four years, F. F. A. officer two years, elected Most Handsome this year and in Who's Who three years.

Carole Jean Hastings, 17 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Hastings, was the salutatorian for her graduating class in both high school and eighth grade. She won the Crisco award in homemaking and served as parliamentarian and pianist for F.H.A. She was in the junior and senior plays and in the one-act play for interscholastic league. She was elected most talented and most likely to succeed by her class members and received the outstanding student award in history during her sophomore year.

Carole Jean plans to attend Texas Tech this fall.

Jimmy Wright, 18 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wright has tentative plans to attend Texas Tech the spring semester next year. Jimmy lettered in football two years and track one year. He was a member of student council two years and an officer this year. He was an active member of F.F.A. and an officer one year.

Vicki Strawn, 17 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norvell Strawn was the recipient of the Betty Crocker Award for outstanding senior home-making student. She played basketball four years and was captain of team for two years. She was an active F.H.A. member and an officer three years. She was chosen class favorite this year and the friendliest her junior year. Vicki was a cheerleader two years and F.F.A. sweetheart her freshman year.

She plans to enroll at Texas Tech this fall.

Don Cumpston, 18 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Cumpston, plans to enroll at West Texas State University this fall.

Don lettered in football four years, was elected all district two years, all regional one year and All South Plains two years. He lettered in basketball four years and was a member of all district team two years. He lettered in track four years and baseball two years. He was chosen Mr. B.H.S. in his junior year and basketball king his junior year. He served on the student council three years and was a member of F.F.A. three years. Don was elected most talented three years and most likely to succeed one year and was named best sport this year.

Vivalliah Steelman, 18 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Steelman, plans to be married July 7.

Vivalliah was editor of annual this year and an active member of F.H.A. for four years. She was in both the junior and senior plays and served on the student council three years. She was in Pep Club four years and was president this year. She was elected most likely to succeed her sophomore year

Club Meets With Mrs. Wheeler

Mrs. Lillian Wheeler entertained members of Widow's Club Friday at her home with a covered dish luncheon.

The group played games conducted by Mrs. Margaret Caldwell.

Those attending were Mrs. J. R. Caldwell, Mrs. Margaret Caldwell, Miss Rita Caldwell, Miss Ellen Reminsnyder, Mrs. Ola Free, Mrs. J. Sam Gaines, Mrs. Stella Stephens, Mrs. Mel Gunn and Mrs. Pearl Hastings. Their next meeting will be in the home of Margaret Caldwell, June 21.



JANICE RICHARDS

Miss Richards Receives Degree At McMurry

ABILENE -- Janice Richards of Bovina, will receive a B. S. degree from McMurry College on May 27 at 10 a.m. in the spring graduation exercises to be held in Radford Auditorium on the campus.

General Robert J. Smith of Dallas, a lay leader in the Methodist Church, will be commencement speaker and the Rev. Ralph Seller, El Paso, will deliver the baccalaureate address. The baccalaureate service will be held the evening of May 26.

Miss Richards is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Richards of Bovina. She is president of Alpha Pi Alpha, women's social club on the McMurry campus.

Mrs. Ivy Gives WSCS Program

Mrs. H. L. Ivy presented a program on pledging to members of Woman's Society of Christian Service Wednesday at Bovina Methodist Church.

Preceding the program, Mrs. P. O. Dixon and Mrs. O. H. Jones hosted a luncheon for the group.

During a business session members voted to change the meeting date to the second Tuesday of each month instead of Wednesday.

Attending were Mrs. Jimmy Clements, Mrs. I. W. Quickel, Mrs. Don Croft, Mrs. Warren Morton, Mrs. Rouel Barren, Mrs. Jimmy Ware, Mrs. Earl Richards, Mrs. Paul Lloyd, Mrs. Richard Baxter, Mrs. Ted Tipps, Mrs. Joe Bob Jones, Mrs. Mable Newberry, Mrs. Vernon Willard, Mrs. Leon Ware, Mrs. Oakley Stevenson, Mrs. Wilbur Charles, Mrs. C. O. Edens, Mrs. George Turner, Mrs. Dixon, Mrs. Ivy and Mrs. Jones.

Roundtable At Wilcox Home

Mrs. W. W. Wilcox entertained members of Roundtable group Thursday morning at her home.

Women discussed books they had read and Mrs. Wilcox served refreshments of hot lemonade and open faced cheese sandwiches.

Attending were Mrs. Stella Stephens, Mrs. R. N. Williford, Mrs. J. O. Combs, Mrs. Ovid Lawlis and the hostess.

Coach Gee Subject Of Daily Story

Hallie Gee, Bovina High football, basketball and track coach for past three years, was subject of a sports feature story in Sunday's Amarillo New-Globe.

Written by Tommy Bryant, sports writer for the Amarillo papers, the featured compared

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and was a class officer this year.

Dixi Hartzog, 18 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hartzog plans to enroll at Texas Tech this fall.

Dixi was chapter sweetheart for F.F.A. and was a cheerleader her sophomore year. She was elected football queen this year and most beautiful her junior year. Dixi was in F.H.A. four years and was selected an outstanding student this year. Students chose her as Miss B.H.S. this year and she was class favorite last year.

Wyndol Davies 18 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Davies, plans to attend New Mexico Military Institute at Roswell. Wyndol played football two years, basketball two years, track four years and baseball two years. He was a member of F.F.A. four years.

Nellie B. Crook, 18 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. French Crook, plans to attend Amarillo Junior College this fall.

Nellie was an F.H.A. member four years, Pep Club four years and library club one year. She was in the junior and senior plays and played tennis and volleyball two years.

Ken Horn, 17 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Horn, plans to attend Wayland Baptist College this summer and transfer to Texas University this fall.

Ken was a two year letterman in football and on the second all district team this year. He lettered two years in basketball and baseball and three years in track and one year in golf. He was a member of the district champ debate team two years and recording secretary of student council this year. He was selected most courteous one year and a class officer two years.

(Continued next week)

Egypt's Great Pyramid and Sphinx have stood guard over the Nile River for 45 centuries.

Boy Born To James Dunns

Mr. and Mrs. James Dunn are the parents of a baby boy born Friday at Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona.

The new arrival weighed 8 pounds and is named Tony Kirk. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Robertson of Hale Center and Mrs. Bertie Robins of Fort Worth.

Courtesy Fetes Bride Elect

Miss Joy Hamburger, bride-elect of Duane Rea, was honored with a come and go bridal shower Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Tom Caldwell.

Greeting guests in the receiving line were Mrs. Caldwell, the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Everett Hamburger of Weatherford, Okla., and the groom's mother, Mrs. Carl Rea.

Honorees were presented with corsages by hostesses. Mrs. Kent Glasscock presided at the guest registry. Approximately 30 guests called during the afternoon.

Mrs. Jack Blase of Clovis presided at the serving table which was laid with a white linen cloth and centered with a white floral arrangement topped with a blue umbrella. Silver and crystal appointments graced the table. Refreshments of cookies, nuts, mints coffee and tea were served by Mrs. Blase.

Hosting the courtesy were Mmes. Aubrey Brock, Kent Glasscock, H. J. Charles, Charles Ross, J. E. Sherrill, and Tom Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bryant of Colorado Springs, Colo., and Mrs. J. R. Glover were guests in the home of Mrs. J. Sam Gaines and Mrs. Lady Armstrong Monday.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: J. A. RICHARDS, and, if dead, the unknown heirs and legal representatives of the said J. A. Richards, deceased, and the following Defendants, to-wit: FRANK J. RICHARDS, OLIVE ROBERTS, DELLAS WINGO, LUCY RAYNES, THELMA NEW, MARIE CHASE, DOLLIE KEMP, CASH RICHARDS, EARL RICHARDS, GEORGE RICHARDS, and LOHOYT RICHARDS GREETING:

You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's SECOND AMENDED ORIGINAL petition at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 1st day of July, A.D., 1963 at or before 10 o'clock A.M., before the Honorable 99th District Court of LUBBOCK County, at the Court House in LUBBOCK, Texas.

Said plaintiff's SECOND AMENDED ORIGINAL petition was filed on the 10th day of May, 1963. The file number of said suit being No. 35,500

The names of the parties in said suit are:

MUNICIPAL INVESTMENT CORPORATION as Plaintiff, and J. A. RICHARDS, and, if dead, the unknown heirs and legal representatives of the said J. A. Richards, deceased, and the following Defendants, to-wit: FRANK J. RICHARDS, OLIVE ROBERTS, DELLAS WINGO, LUCY RAYNES, THELMA NEW, MARIE CHASE, DOLLIE KEMP, CASH RICHARDS, GEORGE RICHARDS, & LOHOYT RICHARDS.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: This is a suit on a paving lien. Assessment in the amount of \$245.85, reciting the levying of an assessment in that amount against the East 50 feet of Lot Eleven (11), Block Twenty-Three (23), Original Town of Bovina (also known & referred to as Old Town Addition of Bovina), Parmer County, Texas, Plaintiff asks judgment against Defendants in the amount of \$245.85 plus interest at seven (7) % per cent annum from June 19, 1958, until paid and reasonable attorney's fees.

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved. Issued this 16th day of May A.D., 1963. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Lubbock Texas, this 16th day of May A.D., 1963.

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Senior trip, 1963 version, will be launched by 24 members of 1963 graduating class of Bovina High School and their sponsors Saturday at 2 a.m. Rockaway Beach, Mo., almost 700 miles away, will again be destination for the trip as it has for classes of past few years.

The trip to the resort will last approximately a week with the return to Bovina scheduled to be completed about midnight the following Friday night.

Class sponsors are Mrs. Charles Corn and Richard Roberts. They will make the trip with the class as will Corn and Frank Wilson, who will drive the activity bus.

Coach Gee--

(Continued from page 4) three-sport, small school coaches with their counterparts in larger schools.

The story pointed out that Gee's record here includes 17 wins, 13 losses and one tie in football, 41 wins and 33 losses in basketball, and third, second and first place finishes in district track.

A graduate of Howard Payne, Gee has coached at Troy, Connally of Waco, Three Rivers and Adrian, in addition to Bovina. A highlight of his career was a state championship track team from Three Rivers in '55.

City Names Equalization Board Group

Members of city tax equalization board were appointed at a special meeting of Bovina city council Tuesday morning. Named to the board were L.M. Grissom, George Turner and H. R. Denney. O. W. Rhinehart was named an alternate member.

Hearing of the board has been set for Tuesday, June 11, Mayor Boyd Gilreath announces. The all-day session will be in city hall.

Members of the board will meet next week to study the city's tax set-up prior to the June 4 hearing with taxpayers.

Mrs. Carson's Father Dies In Oklahoma

Funeral services for W. E. Malcom, 81, of Marlow, Okla., father of Mrs. Marion Carson of Bovina, were conducted in Marlow Monday morning. Mr. Malcom, who had visited here during past several years, died Saturday morning of a heart attack.

Survivors include three sons, Donald of Duncan, Okla., Laxton of Frederick, Okla. and Billy of Tulsa; and three daughters, Mrs. Forest Moss of Odessa, Mrs. Max Seibold of Lawton, Okla. and Mrs. Carson.

Graduation--

(Continued from Page 1) al for these exercises.

Some 350 people were in attendance at the auditorium Sunday night for senior class baccalaureate services. Rev. Harold Morris, pastor of Bovina Methodist Church, delivered the sermon. Other pastors in the community also had parts in the program. Musical selections were provided by Baptist Youth Choir under the direction of Mrs. Betty Hawkins.

Cindy Montandon, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Turner visited last week in their home. She lives at Lockney.

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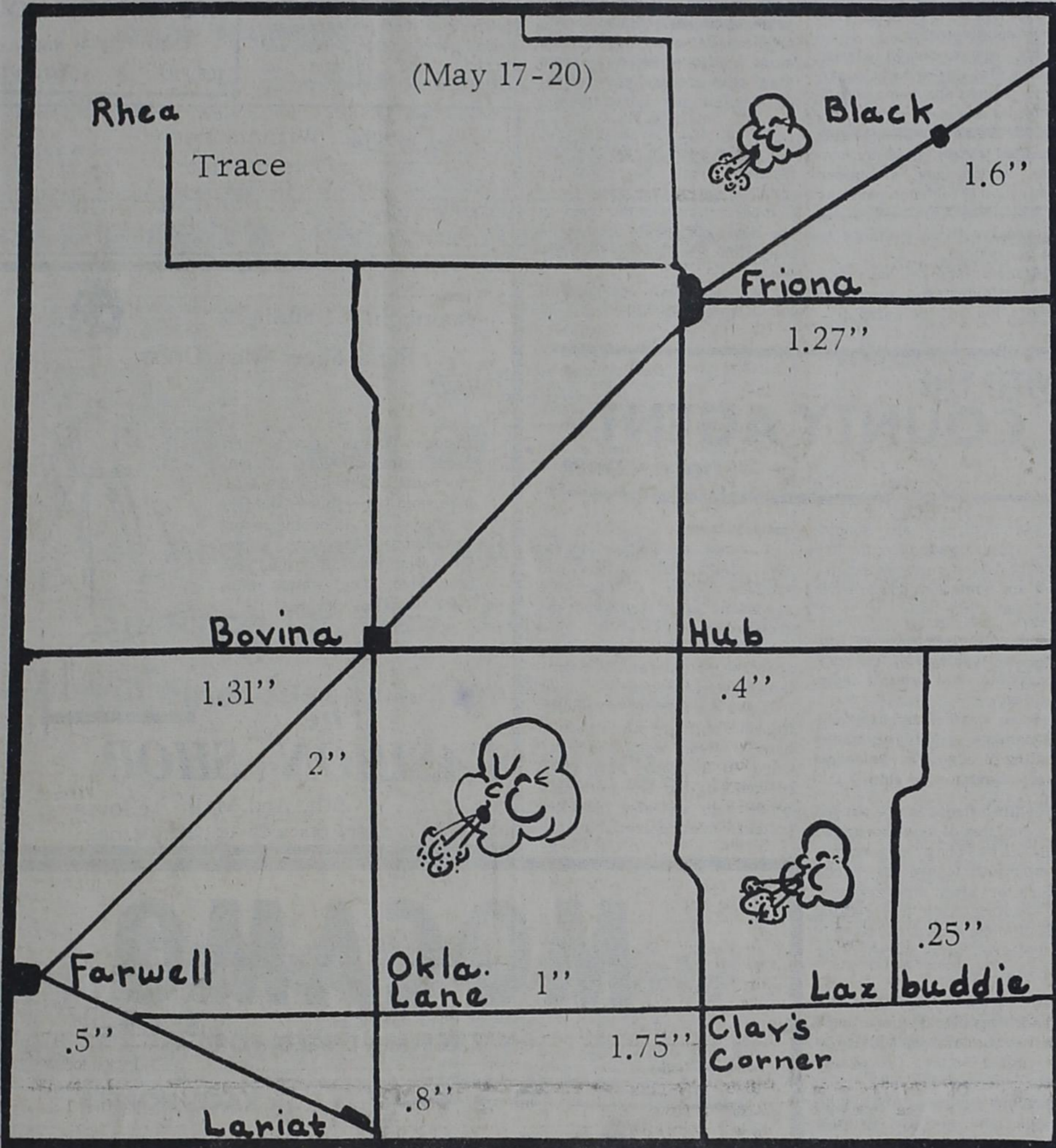
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Drought Broken; Crops Ruined In Some Places

Parmer County Rainfall



The drought was finally broken, or partially so, in Parmer County during the past week, but to some the turbulent weather did a lot more harm than good.

Hundreds of acres of young cotton is to be replanted, as an aftermath of driving rain, hail, and sand which cut the plants down.

The rain varied from just a trace in northwest Parmer County, to two inches and more south of Bovina. In many parts of the county, Saturday's turbulence was followed by high winds and sand, which actually was the killer as far as the young cotton was concerned.

Areas which apparently were

the hardest hit were around Oklahoma Lane, where at least 500 to 600 acres of cotton is to be replanted, west of Hub, an area around Black, and the Lazbuddie-Clay's Corner vicinity.

Apparently the heaviest rains fell south of Bovina, where several farms caught around two inches, and the Clay's Corner area, which got up to 1.75 inches.

Bovina measured 1.3 inches Saturday, Friona caught 1.12 Saturday, and had received .13 on Friday. Another .02 inches which fell Sunday and Monday brought Friona's total to 1.27 as of Tuesday morning.

The Farwell area's rainfall was light. John Hadley, who

farms five miles south of Farwell, measured .60 inches, and E.E. Routon, seven miles east, had just a trace.

At Black, 1.6 inches of rain fell from Thursday through Monday, with 1.3 inches coming Saturday. The area immediately around Lazbuddie received around .25 inches of rain, but also experienced losses due to Sunday's sandstorm.

Lariat reported .8 inches of rain Saturday, with scattered hail. Amounts around Oklahoma Lane varied from a quarter of an inch to an inch or better, but all of this was offset by the damage done on Sunday by the wind and sand.

While the Rhea vicinity and

the area west of Friona was practically skipped on moisture last weekend, the Rhea community did get about an inch of rain around May 1, which was their only appreciable moisture since last summer.

John Littlefield, who farms between Clay's Corner and Hub, said he received about .30 inches of rain, but Running Water Draw on his place was flowing from 150 to 200 feet wide, an indication of the heavy, hard rains to the west.

Cloudy, misty weather continued on the scene Tuesday, but most farmers were willing for it just to pass on by rather than provoke the type of weather that hit some sections,

Mixed Emotions

Parmer County farmers greeted the moisture of last weekend with mixed emotions. On the left is a map of the county, indicating the rainfall received during the past week through Tuesday, and the areas receiving heavy wind and sand damage, indicated by the wind clouds. Below is Tom Lewellen, who farms near Friona, Lewellen is typical of Parmer County farmers whose young cotton was hard hit by the hard rain, hail, and blowing sand, which reduced it to stubble. But in the other picture, it is evident that the wheat was for the most part unhurt. It was able to hold most of the moisture, and will profit from it.

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by James E. Edwards

Why Don't Cheap Shoes Fit Like "Good" Shoes?

There are two concepts of shoe fitting. One looks at the foot as it stands; the other as it works. The front of the standing foot is the toe end but the front of the working foot is the heel. Correct walking is heel and toe.

"Good" shoes are made to be fitted from the heel forward, through the arch, to the ball of the foot. A properly fitted "good" shoe does not fit the toes; it must be roomy ahead, on the sides and above the toes. With this desirable roominess up front, the arch and heel sections must fit well to keep the foot from sliding forward and popping out of the shoe. Such construction requires better, slower shoemaking and that costs money.

The other concept of a shoe fit regards only the toes. The one criterion is that the toes must be at or very near the end of the shoe. The heel won't slip because a short shoe exerts enough pressure to hold it on. After a short time the toe-fitted shoes give enough to allow the great toes to hit the ends of the shoes. Then every walking step is crowding those toes forward with a lever action which exerts pressure that is six to eight times the weight of the child's body.

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A \$17,000 program sponsored jointly by the Texas Water Conservation District is currently being instigated in Parmer County and other counties in the water district.

The purpose of the program is to systemize the "test wells" in the district and give them a permanent identification number.

"We are re-mapping the area and adding new wells in areas where we previously had no test wells," says Frank Rayner, geology engineer from the Texas Water Commission.

Rayner explained that when the water level measuring program was begun several years ago, some areas, which may have been considered remote, were skipped. The commission, in cooperation with the water district, hopes to get the entire district's test wells on a more representative basis.

There are around 53 existing "test wells" in Parmer County. It was pointed out, and about 15 new wells are to be added to the list. All the new wells are being identified with an aluminum plate, which has a number stamped on it for each particular well. The "old" test wells will receive these numbers as it is convenient.

Different farmers have different attitudes about the water commission and the water dis-

trict using their wells for test purposes, Rayner said. "Some think we're interfering with them. Others request that we use their wells."

"Actually, it's an advantage for a well to be chosen as a test well," he said. "A farmer has an accurate yearly measurement of his water level at the well, and can tell when he will need to lower his pump, at a time when it is convenient to him," Rayner said.

The program amounts to an "insurance policy," the water commission representative said. He pointed out that this area, which has undisputed records of its water supply, are more readily accepted for farm loans than areas where the water supply is purely guesswork.

Rayner and Wayne Wyatt, of the water district, stressed that farmers should not place too much emphasis on water level comparisons from one year to the next, but should look at the long-time trend, if one is available.

"We can't take every well as a test well which people

ask us to use," Rayner said, pointing out that they must stick by their general plan, and have wells located proportionately throughout the county.

As a general rule, Rayner said, High Plains farmers are the most practical users of their irrigation water than any other group in the United States.

A general awareness of the need to conserve irrigation water is prevalent, he said, and this is good. "Farmers are constantly looking for ways of saving irrigation water, through new hybrids, irrigation methods, and so forth," he said.

It's the general feeling that by handling their water conservation program themselves, and through the district as organized by farmers, the fed-

eral and state governments will be less likely to come in and regulate irrigation practices. And this is just another good reason for farmers to be conservative, and cooperate with their own water district.



TAGGING WELLS . . . Frank Rayner, of the Texas Water Commission, is shown placing an identification number on an irrigation well in Parmer County. The program is to be executed throughout the High Plains Undergroud Water District.

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Warren Promoted At Research Lab

Billy Gene Warren, Assistant Farm Foreman at the High Plains Research Foundation, has been promoted to Labora-

tory Assistant. He will assist Delbert Langford, Associate Agronomist in the soils and fertilizer research program at the Foundation.

"Warren's successful direction and operation of the farm's research program entitled him to his recent promotion," Dr. Earl Collister, Director, said in announcing the recognition. Prior to joining the staff at Halfway in 1957, Warren farmed at Daugherty, and he was elevator superintendent with the Producers Cooperative Elevator in Floydada. He received his high school diploma in Floydada and his bookkeeping certificate from Lippert's in Plainview.

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Last Saturday and Sunday sure wasn't cotton days for us. A great deal of cotton was damaged and some lost due to hard winds and some hail.

Most cotton was in the two leaf stage and at this point it is very susceptible to damage from anything.

Cooler weather and sand and hail damage is going to invite seedling disease. I have already observed some sore shin.

Seedling diseases are caused by a complex of seed-borne and soil-inhabiting organisms. Damping off losses may occur before or after emergence of the seedling. After the seedling makes more growth the disease is referred to as soreshin or seedling blight.

The various organisms causing seedling diseases are found in all cotton producing areas in the United States. Damage is most severe under cold, damp conditions which retard germination and seedling growth. Several of the organisms causing seedling diseases are carried on the seed. They remain on the seed until the next planting season unless removed or destroyed by seed-treating materials.

Seedling diseases have so many different effects on the plant that it is difficult to give any brief summary of them. In general, however, infected plants are pale, unhealthy and slow growing. Reddish-brown, sunken lesions near or below the ground line are typical of soreshin. Sometimes seedling diseases will wipe out entire fields of young cotton, but more often they result in skippy,

uneven stands. A large percentage of the sick plants will survive and produce cotton if favorable conditions exist throughout the growing season.

Good cultivation would help keep the soil aerated and promote faster germination.

If you are thinking of replanting your cotton be sure you don't have a stand, because if you were to lose the next stand it would be too late to make a good crop, and also plant the fastest varieties available.

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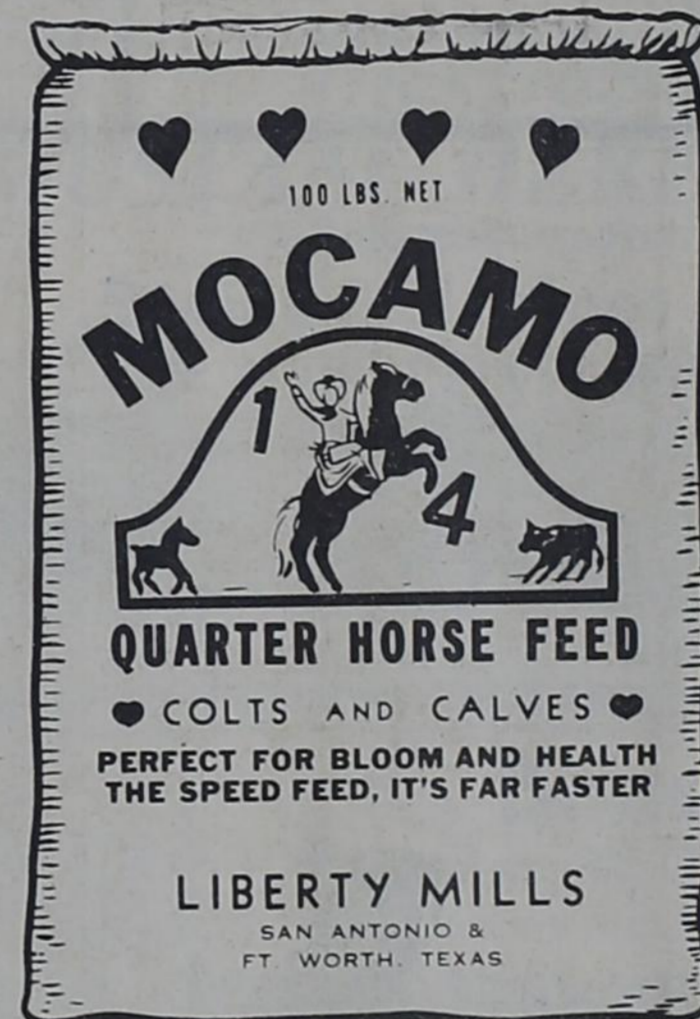
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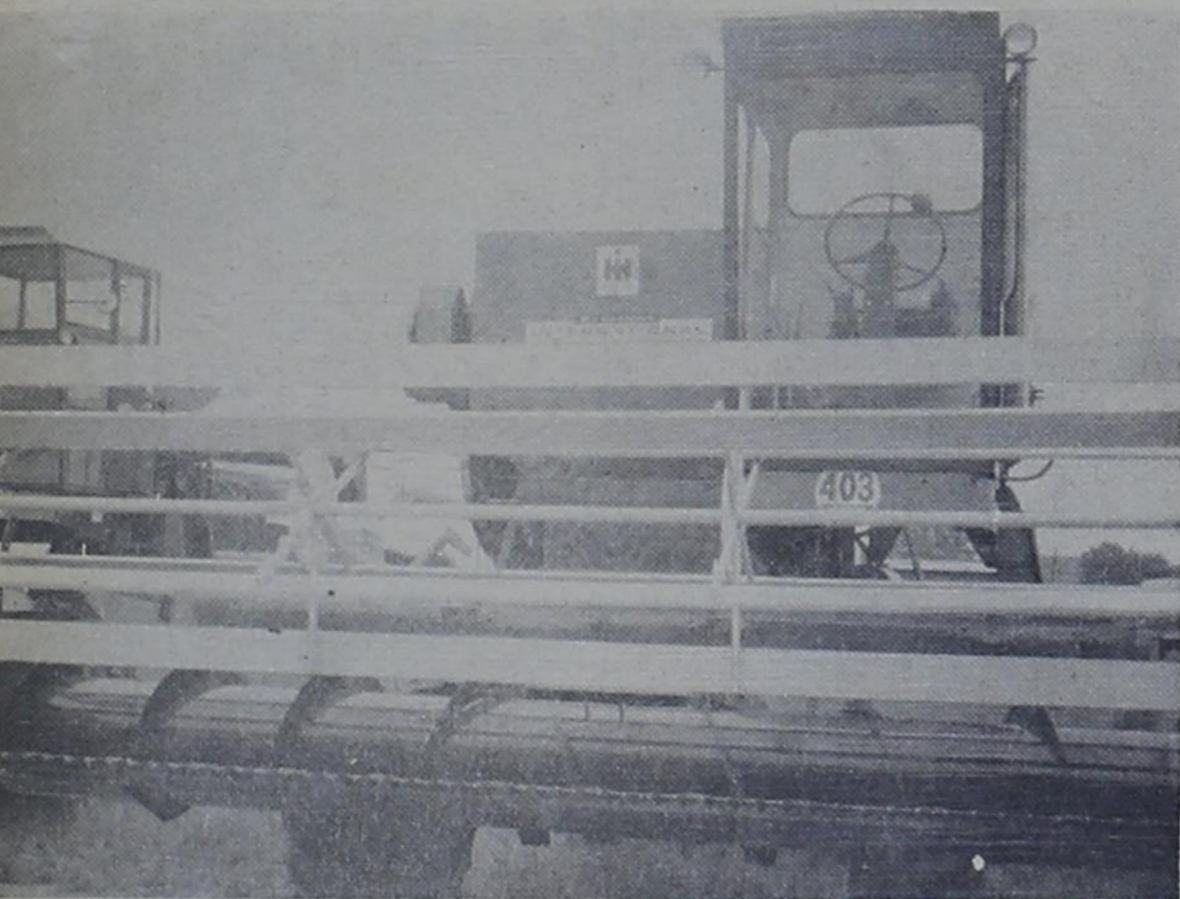
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Not Too Late For Summer Pasture

It is not too late in most areas of Texas to provide for temporary summer pasture.

Of course, points out A. C. Novosad, extension pasture specialist, moisture conditions are a primary consideration and until very recently soil moisture deficiencies were widespread. Recent rains, however, have been received in many areas and have made planting possible.

He says four groups of plants, Sudan grass, including Common, Sweet, Tift, Greenleaf and Piper; Sudan-Johnson grass types such as sorghum alnum and

perennial sweet sorgrass; Sudan-sorghum hybrids which include a large number of commercially available hybrids and Pearl millet, including Gahl-1, Starr, Texas No. 7 and Common, are the most satisfactory for temporary summer grazing.

Sudan-sorghum hybrids have generally ranked first in yield tests followed by the Sudan-Johnson grass types and Sudan varieties. The Sudan hybrids and types generally have a larger stalk than the varieties, however, this characteristic does not seem to create a palatability problem, says Novosad.

Pearl millet will produce more forage than Sudan varieties on acid soils in East Texas, on severely eroded soils in Central Texas and on soils where Sudan and other sorghums "yellow-out."

Pastures should be mowed if forage growth gets ahead of

grazing, says Novosad. This keeps the plants producing new growth of high quality forage if moisture and fertility are available. The excess forage should be utilized as hay or silage, he says.

Top dressing with nitrogen is especially important after each hay cutting or grazing if moisture is available and more forage is needed. If weeds are a problem, and a chemical such as 2,4-D is used for control, be sure the weeds are young, succulent and growing fast and that the chemical is used with care to prevent injury to susceptible crops.

Novosad suggests that plans be started now for fall grazing crops and that the county agent be contacted for local recommendations and other information.

COURTHOUSE NEWS

INSTRUMENTS FILED SINCE
May 13, 1963

DT, John D. Lovelace, Prudential Ins. Co., tract in Sect. 9 & 10, T16S R1E Lot 3, Blk 2, Ridgecrest 1, Farwell.

ML, S. E. Redden, Bedford Caldwell, W. 200 a. S/2 Sect. 27, T7S R2E.

WD, J. T. Gee, C. M. Phipps, 37.6 a. of S/2 Sect 1, T3S, R3E.

DT, C. M. Phipps, J. T. Gee, 37.6 a. of S/2 Sect 1, T3S, R3E.

DT, L. D. & R. T. Taylor, Helen Williams, Part Lot 23 & 22, Blk 49, Friona.

WD, Joe Frank, D. D. Myrick, Sect 13, Rhea "A".

DT, D. D. Myrick, Joe Frank, Sect 13, Rhea "A".

WD, Bessie D. Drake et al, Douglas Frye, Lots 10, 11 & 12, Blk 9, Drake Rev. Sub. Friona.

Abst. Judg., Pioneer Natural Gas Co., Jack Johnson Jr., S.R.

WD, O. D. Jenkins et al, Jessie Jenkins, part W/2 Sect 17, Johnson "Z".

WD, J. C. Johnson, Bessie Williams, 1 a. of Garden Lot 45, Sect 31, T9S, R1E.

DT, Bob DuLaney et al, Prudential Ins. Co., Sect. 28, T2N R4E.

WD, W. L. Edelman, R. L. Fleming, Lots 5 & 6, Blk 15, Friona.

WD, R. L. Fleming, Hugh Buckner, Lot 5, Blk 11, Staley Add., Friona.

Deed, Veterans' Land Board, Elvin L. Hall, S/80 a. of SW/4 Sect. 6, Rhea "B".

WD, Kerr, McGee Oil Ind., Okla. Stations Inc., Lots 6 & 7, Garden Lots Ind. Add., Bovina.

WD, Eugene Boggess, Her-ring Impl. Co., Lots 7 & 8, Blk. 7, Friona.

ML, S. E. Redden, Cicero Smith Lumber Co., W 200 a. of S/2 Sect. 27, T7S R2E.

DT, Conrad Nelson, John Hancock, SW/4 Sect 33, T11S R3E.

ML, Davis Gulley, G.H.W. S/2 Sect 17, Johnson "X".

ML, S. E. Redden, G.H.W., W 200 a. S/2 Sect 27, T7S R2E.

WD, Alfa S. Sikes, Jerry Paul, Lots, 17 & 18, Blk 2, Farwell.

ML, L. A. Wingham, Parmer County Impl. Co., Tract 4, Kellehor Sub.

WD, R. L. Fleming, W. L. Edelman, Lot 1 & N. 10' Lot 2, Blk 5, Staley Add, Friona.

Deed, Veterans' Land Board, M. M. Elder, 40 a. of NW/4 Sect 8 T4 1/2S R5E.

WD, C. W. Weatherly, M. M. Elder, 40 a. of NW/4 Sect 8 T4 1/2S R5E.

DT, James M. Readhimer, J. J. Steele, 1/2 Int. Sect 5 & 6, Synd. "B".

WD, Robert E. Morton, Calvin E. Blain, Lots 15 & 16, Sect 31 T9S R1E.

WD, Barbara Taylor, Don Bandy, Lots 4 & 5, Blk 43, Bovina.

DT, Robert L. Kimbrough, Prudential Ins. Co., S. 120 a W/2 Sect 22, D & K.

DT, Ross Ayers, Prudential Ins. Co., Lot 5, Blk 2 Staley Add. Friona.



SCAN WHEAT BALLOT . . . Two young Friona area farmers Tuesday. On the left is Phillip Weatherly, and on the right is Jerry Loflin.

Farm Fire Losses Reached All-Time High During 1962

Farm fire losses in the nation during 1962 reached an all-time high of \$175 million, according to estimates of the

U. S. Department of Agriculture. This is seven per cent above the \$163 million for 1961 and a million dollars higher than the previous record set in 1959.

The estimate, made by USDA's Economic Research Service, was based on the farm fire-loss experience of a sample of 226 farmer's mutual fire insurance companies in 27 states and on the valuation of farm buildings as furnished by crop reporters.

The volume of insurance carried by these companies amounted to approximately \$11 billion at the end of 1962, and their fire and lightning losses totaled about \$16.9 million last year. For 1961 and 1962 com-

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"Soil Stewardship Week" Proclaimed By Governor

"Today, with our population rapidly increasing, we must recognize the indispensability of soil, water and plants as the major sources of food and fiber for our people and raw products for industrial processing and handling," so said Governor John Connally in proclaiming the week of May 19-26 as Soil Stewardship Week in Texas.

"As these resources are conserved and developed, we are making possible the continued strength of Texas and assuring our people of a continuing high standard of living. Most important of all, the soil and water will be continued in its lasting service to men of future generations as a God-given trust," he continued.

George Holekamp, chairman of the Soil Stewardship Committee, Association of Texas Soil Conservation Districts,

Kerrville, and Lynn Pittard, soil and water conservation specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, reported interest in this year's observance at a high pitch. They added that churches throughout Texas are planning special services during the observance and invite all citizens to attend and participate in them.

Many of the state's soil conservation districts are also planning tours, special meetings and recognition for achievements in their districts. The theme for the 1963 observances is -- "Eyes to the Future."

The Parmer County Soil Conservation District has been conducting four separate tours, later in the summer. SCD officials indicate that these may be lumped into one tour this year, to be held in July or August.

Soil Stewardship Week is sponsored nationally by the National Association of Soil Conservation Districts.

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Experiment Station Begins Program On Boll Weevils

W. L. Owen, Associate Entomologist at the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, Lubbock has reported to Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. that TAES will begin an intensive vigilance for cotton boll weevil appearance in 26 counties in and around the High Plains Area. Actual checks for weevil presence will start on Monday, May 20, and will continue for two weeks.

From one to seven farmers in each of the 26 counties have planted plots of early cotton on land adjacent to possible weevil hibernation points, and initial checking will be done on these

plots along with any other cotton in the area which may be far enough advanced to attract the dreaded pest, Owens said. He added that recent hot weather should bring the weevils out of hibernation if they have overwintered in the area.

To assure a complete check, the Plant Pest Control division of the USDA is sending about eight men into the area to work with TAES personnel; the aid of county agents and Future Farmers will be enlisted; Charles Chapman of the Texas Department of Agriculture will be in the area with two men from that agency, and John Thomas, Associate Extension Entomologist from Texas A. & M., will assist on a part time basis. The survey will be under Owen's supervision in the area from Aspermont North, and another TAES Survey representative, W. H. Newton, will be in charge of counties south of Aspermont.

Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., which has been working with the boll weevil problem since damage was first noted in the eastern section of the High Plains, will continue to make its staff

and facilities available for use in boll weevil detection and eradication programs.

Counties in which early planting plots are located include Wheeler, Donley, Collingsworth, Briscoe, Hall, Childress, Hardeman, Wilbarger, Wichita, Clay, Dickens, Knox, Baylor, Kent, Stonewall, Haskell, Throckmorton, Fisher, Jones, Mitchell, Nolan, Taylor, Coke and Runnels.

Fire Losses--

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blined; their loss rates averaged about 15 cents per \$100 of insurance.

Farm fires continued to strike about two out of 100 farms each year. The "burning rate" (per cent of value destroyed) for farm and rural property is about six times that for urban property, according to annual reports of state fire marshals in three midwestern states.

Buildings and their contents accounted for about 85 per cent of fire losses paid by the sample companies. Dwellings and contents accounted for 42 per cent; barns and their contents, 27 per cent; and other buildings including rural churches and schools, 16 per cent.

Personal property, chiefly machinery and equipment, livestock and unstored produce, accounted for the other 15 per cent of losses paid. About 80-90 per cent of the losses paid on livestock were due to lightning.

NEWS FROM THE FARM BUREAU

BY RAYMOND EULER

Not for the sake of the organization, Farm Bureau, but for the sake of the members and non-members of Farm Bureau, the American farmers, we hope the results on the wheat referendum are NO. The answer will be known when you read this.

We hope and believe the American farmer is well aware of the things, generally, which are referred to as free enterprise and capitalism, that have made it possible for an individual to go into business and fail or succeed, whichever his management provides. And, if he fails, gives him the opportunity to try again to succeed.

We note with satisfaction that the astronauts who have been performing for the space agencies of our defense department express an abiding faith in God as the primary reasons for their confidence when it comes time for the crucial blastoff or landing operations. Statements from their families also point to the fact that this faith in, and dependence upon God is not something reserved for crucial hours or times of distress, but that they play a part of importance in their daily lives.

Even though there are many dark pages in the history of America, because of the acts of unethetical men in places of power, the prayers of the faithful Christian men and women have upheld the country for a heritage of each new generation to demonstrate their faith in God to make it possible for them to retain their freedom and leave behind a better world for their children to live in.

Economic and social matters are important to any group of people, but ideals of either of these are dependent upon the placing of Christian ethics first. These are only facts of history and the future. Sometimes we lose sight of these important things because of the time consuming nature of the material things.

We urge you to call upon us anytime we may be of service to you in any way.

CONSIDER THIS: A wise servant shall have rule over a son that causeth shame, and shall have part of the inheritance among the brethren. Proverbs 17:2

Screwworm Cases Show Big Decrease

There was good news this week from the officials of the screwworm eradication program and also a word of warning. They reported that the number of screwworm cases in Texas in April totaled 357 compared with 2,633 during April 1962, a very sizable drop. Also, that only 574 cases were reported during the first four months of 1963 as compared with 3,085 cases for the same period last year.

Authorities credited the combined factors of a severe insect-killing winter, heavy release of sterile flies and good cooperation from farmers and ranchers who are detecting and treating infestations for the decrease in screwworm incidence.

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Grazing Cattle May Face Big Nutritional Deficiencies

Beef cattle which have been on dry ranges for the past six months or more may face serious nutritional deficiencies, says U. D. Thompson, extension animal husbandman. Of major importance is the lack of sufficient range grass or forage. The low quality or absence of total digestible nutrients is a further complicating factor, he adds. This kind of roughage contains little or no protein, phosphorus and vitamin A.

Decisions are difficult to make during stress periods. An attempt should be made to balance livestock numbers and forage supplies. Calves may be weaned earlier to help relieve grazing pressure and improve cow conditions. Fewer replacement cattle should be kept and culling is always in order. Non-

breeders, slow breeders, irregular breeders and cows which consistently produce lower grade, light weight calves should be marketed. Thompson recommends that cows be palpated to determine pregnancy and to sell those not pregnant.

Under conditions of extreme drought, it may be advisable to confine the foundation herd to a small acreage. High energy feeds such as grains and protein supplements may be fed in limited amounts for maintenance. Forage is the critical feed, however, and is usually high in cost for total digestible nutrients, he says. A protein supplement fed with the forage will improve digestion.

Phosphorus is the most like-

ly mineral to be deficient under drought conditions. A mineral supplement high in phosphorus should be fed free choice or in controlled drinking water and salt should also be fed free choice, the specialist advises.

Vitamin A may or may not be deficient depending upon the forage available. Protein supplements fortified with vitamin A should be considered. Synthetic vitamin A is available for use in drinking water, injections or for mixing with feed.

Thompson points out that most Texas livestock producers have had experience handling stock during periods of stress and that decision making on management practices becomes almost an individual proposition.

Sudan FFA Sweetheart Is Winner

Dyanne Curry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Curry of Sudan recently won the title of Area I Sweetheart over five other candidates.

Dyanne and the other five girls represented the six districts which make up the Area I. This area consists of 90 chapters and over 4,000 vocational agriculture members. All of the Panhandle of Texas is in Area I.

Each of the district winners competed against 15 to 20 girls to be eligible to compete in the Area contest. The Area contest was held in conjunction with the Area I FFA Convention held in Amarillo, May 11. Approximately 300 people attended the convention.

There are ten areas in the state of Texas. Each of these areas have elected their own sweetheart. In July delegates from over 900 chapters will assemble in Lubbock for the State Future Farmer Convention. Each of the areas will bring their chosen Sweetheart to compete for the title of State FFA Sweetheart.

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