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WHITTLIN'

BY DOLPH MOTEN

Most people who heard Democrat Don Yarborough's talk when he was here last week were impressed with his ability as a speaker. Likewise, he made a good impression on people he met individually on street.

At least one fellow we know has said since Yarborough's appearance here, "I think I'll vote for him because he's the only candidate to come to Bovina. . . . If for no other reason." Everything else being equal, which it probably never is, that would be as good reason as any for selecting a candidate.

Yarborough told his listeners here, as well as other places, we're sure, that when he is elected he'll be the kind of governor who will always have his door open. "And you can come in and put your feet on my desk and we'll talk over your problems."

That statement evidently had tremendous appeal. We've heard several say they hoped he got elected so they could take advantage of that invitation.

It could turn out Yarborough would have to have an extra desk or two just for feet-propers. That would be a little unusual but at same time we'd guess it would be all right.

The Yarborough-For-Governor-Caravan had a professional air about it. For instance, prior to his talk here, an aide handed us a news release concerning his trip to and talk at Bovina. That was enough big time to impress country newspaperpeople.

We didn't use the release as such but we did appreciate getting it. That kind of cooperation is bound to be a friend-making asset.

Also, several people here received letters a few days later from Yarborough expressing his thanks for the courtesies he was extended here.

In summation, Yarborough is a great speaker, has a tremendous personality, takes his campaign to grass roots areas, has a worthwhile platform in regard to small farmer and small businessman, has an ambitious, yet economical, program for entire state, is only gubernatorial candidate to make a Parmer County appearance during this campaign; and we would like to see him lead Bovina's ballot box by a heavy margin.

He and Formby are most popular candidates in this area. . . . at least that's true as far as talk is concerned. Surely, John Connally and Price Daniel have more support in here than you can hear about. People we listen to seem to have mixed emotions about Will Wilson.

From those observations, we guess right now, that Yarborough and Formby, in that order, would be leaders in Bovina's balloting. That could all change between now and the end of next three weeks, however.

At same time, it looks as though almost any two of the five could make the run-off. The election certainly isn't cut and dried.

So don't fail to vote for your favorite candidate just because you think he has little chance of making the runoff. Support your favorite. Then if he doesn't make the run-off, select another favorite!

A few weeks ago, we made some comments here about campaign of Marshall Formby of Plainview for governor. We said that Clint Formby of Hereford, who attended Bovina's chamber of commerce and agriculture banquet, was Marshall's brother.

Three weeks or a month later, we learn that we were wrong about the relationship. Formby supporters noticed, of course, the mistake, but didn't want to criticize because "it was such a good story about our candidate," according to one of them.

That's really nice, and very few people bother to not mention a newspaperman's mistakes. We feel as though we've been almost smothered with kindness.

Nonetheless, Marshall Formby is Clint Formby's uncle. We're proud to get the record straight and sorry for the

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BC of C&A Backing Cable TV Plan

AT SCHOOL WEDNESDAY--

37 Beginners Register

A total of 37 children who will be first graders in Bovina Schools next September were registered Wednesday afternoon of last week. Mothers attending the pre-registration of first graders were welcomed by Superintendent Warren Morton. A film in connection with a child's first year in school was shown and a discussion was conducted.

Elementary Principal Robert Taylor says there are 42 pre-first graders on school census and he feels the 37 present Wednesday was a good percentage. He adds that next year's first grade will, in all probability, have more than 42 members.

Several families have moved here since school census was taken in February.

Mothers were asked to not accompany their first graders to school on first day of school next year.

"We'll have first graders assigned to their rooms and be ready to begin school since registration is completed," Taylor says.

Taylor reminds that all students entering school must have small pox vaccination and a birth certificate. Students can not be accepted without both of these, the principal points out.

There is a total of 60 in this year's first grade. Second grade is largest in school with a total of 72.



OATH OF OFFICE -- Two of Bovina's new aldermen, A. R. McCutchan, left, and A. L. Glasscock, are shown signing oaths of office at their initial city government meeting Monday night at city hall. J. E. Sherrill, third new member, was absent at the meeting.

City Begins Program For Rat Control

City of Bovina has declared war on rats.

A contract was recently signed with Orkin Exterminating Co., Inc. to have that firm furnish service for control of rats.

According to the contract, service for control of rodents shall be rendered in the following locations within the city limits: on both sides of railroad track between east and west city limits, behind and between businesses places on both sides of Main Street within city limits and city dump grounds.

City will pay Orkin \$35 a month for the service.

Service will be performed on a regular once-a-month basis, the contract reads. Additional service deemed necessary to maintain effective control will be made at no additional charge.

The company will furnish all labor, materials, tools and equipment and will comply with all federal, state, and local health laws.

The contract is for one year.

DISCUSSES VARIETY OF SUBJECTS--

Alderman Government Has Initial Meeting Monday

City of Bovina had its first alderman-type government in session at a called meeting Monday night in city hall.

Five members of six-man government were present. J. E. Sherrill, new alderman, was out of town and unable to attend.

A. L. Glasscock and A. R. McCutchan, also newly-elected, were sworn in at beginning of the meeting. Also present were Mayor Boyd Gilreath and Al Kerby and Bud Crump, veteran aldermen.

Highlighting the meeting was discussion of city's trash hauling problem and the need of an additional city employee. Possibility of putting Louis Merritta, who presently has contract to haul city's trash, on payroll full-time was discussed.

Kerby was asked to talk with

Merritta in regard to permanent employment. His duties would continue to be to haul trash and at times when he wasn't occupied with this chore to assist with other city work.

Brought out during the discussion was that "quite a bit" of extra help is hired by the city now and that "there is a need here every day for an extra man." City receives trash hauling revenue each month totaling \$285, Virgil Tritsch, city secretary, reported. Merritta is receiving \$150 monthly at present to haul city's trash.

City officials signed a contract with Litter Maid of America, Inc. of Hereford to allow that firm to supply city with trash cans in downtown area. The cans will bear advertising of Bovina businesses.

Representatives of the firm calculating (adding machine) is in need of repair. He said that the machine could be traded for a new one for \$500. Aldermen voted to have the present machine, which is eight years old, repaired.

The council decided to ask Bill Christian of Roswell, owner of Ridgelea Addition here, to control weeks in that section of town.

A letter from State Department of Health in regard to trash hauling here was read. The department criticized Bovina's method of trash disposal and made suggestions in regard to correcting it.

"They just want us to spend

\$18,000," one alderman remarked after the letter was read.

Water Superintendent John Wilson met with the council to discuss his duties and problems.

Also discussed was idea of departmentalizing city's business among aldermen. It was agreed that this method would be good, but no decision was made in regard to it.

Returns of recent city elections--for mayor, aldermen and government change--were canvassed and approved.

FOR SCHOOL--

Friday, Monday Holidays

Two days--Friday and Monday--will be observed as Easter holidays by Bovina Schools.

Original plans called for one day--Friday--to be observed as a holiday. However, decision to dismiss classes both days was made early this week.

The two-holiday recess was announced at school Monday.

Superintendent Warren Morton says that no delays during this school year because of bad weather made it possible for the extra day to be observed at Easter-time.

This will leave the school exactly on schedule, Morton says, for a May 18 closing date.

WEATHER

by

WILLIE

The globe wobbled a little to far to the North, and we missed it a little. Cool Easter.

--Willie

IN BOVINA--

Accepting Bids On State Land

State-owned property here--at intersection of Highway 86 and Third Street--is up for bids again.

Sealed bids for the property, which was formerly used for highway department warehouse site, will be opened May 9 at 11 a.m. at office of O. L. Crain, district engineer, in Lubbock.

That is also deadline for submitting bids.

The property for sale includes 1.41 acres of land with improvement which are a 30 x 40 feet corrugated metal warehouse building with partitioned office and storage spaces, one small wooden storage shed, a loading dock, a six-foot high cyclone wire fence which surrounds most of the property, and other minor improvements. Bids were accepted for the

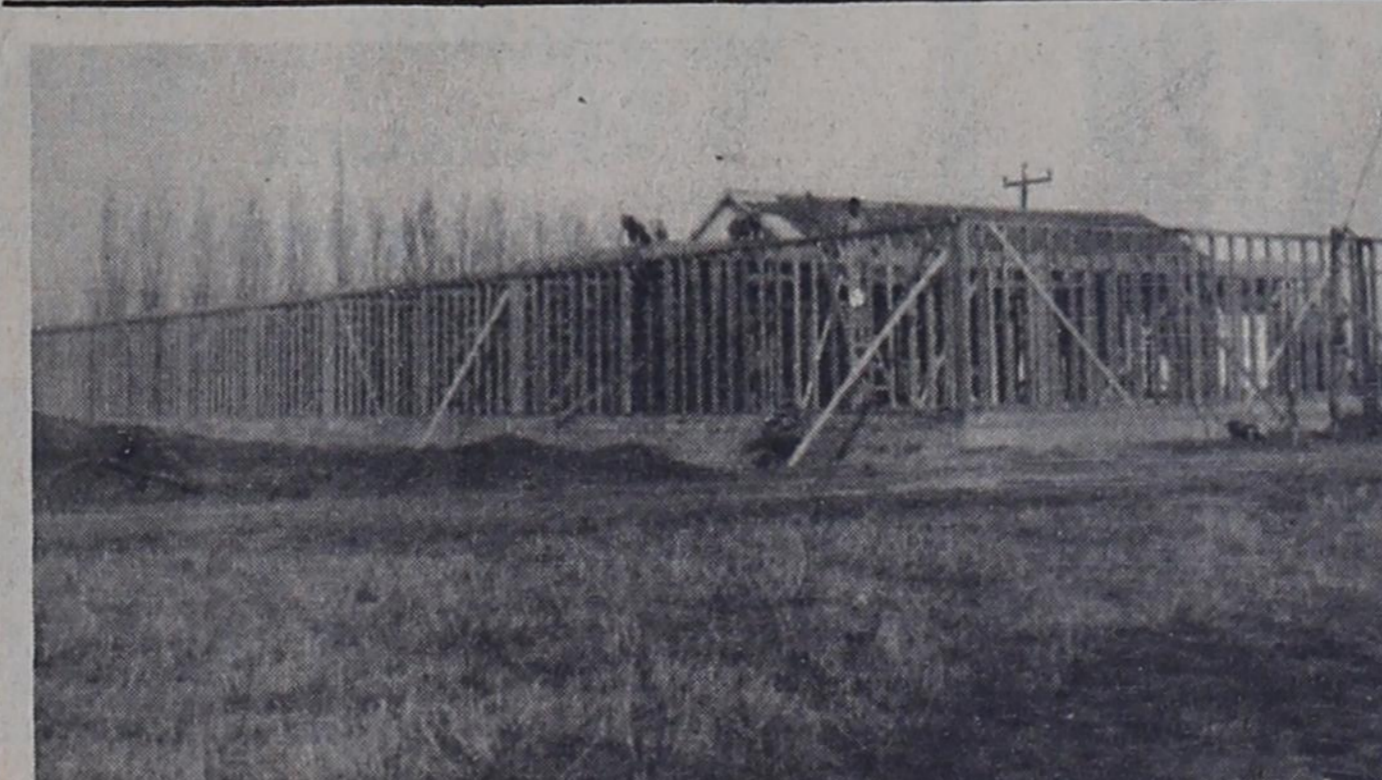
property earlier this year. They were opened January 11. High bid, which was by Lynn Isham of Bovina for \$5050, was rejected. The property is appraised by the state at \$7650.

Three other bids were also submitted January 11 -- all lower than Isham's.

The property has long been considered an ideal business location in Bovina.

The site was formerly used as state highway department headquarters here until a new building was constructed last year.

Further details in regard to the property and bidding are given in a legal notice in this issue of The Blade or may be obtained by contacting Lloyd Killough, maintenance foreman here.



GOING UP -- New building of Bovina Church of Christ is rising from its foundation as construction continues on the L-shaped structure. Roof of the present building may be seen in background. Contractor is shooting for a July 1 completion date for the new building.



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FRESHMEN SECOND--

Bovina Juniors Win Track Meet

Coach Doug Beaty's junior high track team is champion of its district.

The Colts won the honor by compiling 59 1/2 points at district meet Tuesday of last week at Lazbuddie. The host team was second with 23 points. Also participating were Happy, Hart and Walcott.

Bovina placings in the junior high division:

50-yd. dash -- Richard Carson, 6.4, first; and Billy Marshall, second;

75-yd. dash -- Dean Mayhew, 8.6, first; and Carson, second;

100-yd. dash -- Mayhew, 11.6, first; and Marshall, second;

Low hurdles -- Scotty Rundell, 13.9, first; and James Calaway, third;

Broad jump -- Marshall, 16'6", first; and Rundell, third;

High jump -- Mayhew, 5'3", first; and Carson fourth;

Chinning -- Carson, second; Pole Vault -- Marshall, third;

Shot put -- Mayhew, 37'5", first; and Calaway, third;

440-yd. relay -- Bovina, 52.8 first (Marshall, Mayhew, Carson and Rundell)

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Bovina finished second to Happy in freshman division of the meet. Hart and Lazbuddie teams were also entered.

Bovina placings included: Donnie Dyer, first in low hurdles, first in high hurdles; Billy Minter, second high hurdles; Gene Pruitt, third 100-yd. dash, fourth 50-yd. dash; and David Anderson first in broad jump, pole vault and chinning.

Bovina's relay team, composed of Pruitt, Anderson, Minter and Dyer, finished in second place.

Mike Dixon Celebrates

Mike Dixon, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Dixon, celebrated his fifth birthday with a party Thursday afternoon at his home.

Following several yard games, guests were served refreshments of birthday cake decorated with a cowboy theme, lime sherbet and punch.

Those attending were Brenda Charles, Terry and Dennis Willard, Buzzy Mast, Debbie Pruitt and Gail Dixon.

Whittlin'--

original mistake.

Personal note to city aldermen: Please note that no mention of a salary pay cut has been made this week. We'll get off your back for time being if you'll get off ours.

Though we still think \$25 a month is too much pay for a couple of meetings, we're not going to bellyache about it this week. Maybe if we won't mention it, talk will die down.

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Local

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bonds Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gunnells and girls, Elaine and Leigh Ann, of Clovis.

Corby Hawkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Erith Hawkins, was released from Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona Saturday morning. He is improving.

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Rites Held For Aunt

Mrs. Roy Crawford attended funeral services for her aunt in Quinlan last Friday.

Services were held for Mrs. W. O. Dewese, 75, of Quinlan, at Methodist Church there. She was buried at Quinlan Cemetery. She had been ill approximately a month prior to death.

Amos Shockley Hospitalized

Amos Shockley was hospitalized at Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona suffering from a heart attack. He is reported to be improving.

Harmon Infant Home From Hosp

Debbie Marie Harmon, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Harmon, was released from Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo Saturday. The infant underwent surgery previously and is reported to be improving.

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF SALE OF STATE PROPERTY

Sealed bids covering the sale of a 1,410 acre tract of land and improvements thereon located on State Highway 86, at the intersection of F. Road 1731 (Third Street) in Bovina, Parmer County, Texas, formerly used for a Texas Highway Department maintenance warehouse site, will be received at the office of the Texas Highway Department's District Engineer O. L. Crain until 11:00 p.m., May 9, 1962, and then publicly opened and read.

The property consists of a 1,410 acre tract of land, more or less, being all of lots 11 through 20, Block 79, part of Block 86, save and except a five foot wide strip along the full length of the northeast side of the property being used for right of way for F.M. Road 1731, and that part of Avenue H between Blocks 79 and 86 which has been closed and abandoned except that portion of said avenue being used for right of way for State Highway 86 and F. M. Road 1731, all being out of the Original Town of Bovina, Parmer County, Texas. Lots 16 through 20, Block 79, were conveyed to the State of Texas by deed recorded in Volume 60, Page 80, Deed Records of Parmer County, Texas, Lots 11 through 15, Block 79, were conveyed to the State of Texas by deed recorded in Volume 60, Page 81, Deed Records of Parmer County, Texas. The owners of Lots 11 through 15, Block 79 also quitclaimed all their rights to the abandoned part of Avenue H to the State of Texas; and the North corner of Block 86 was conveyed to the State of Texas by deed recorded in Volume 59, Page 113, Deed Records of Parmer County, Texas. The property is ideally located on the northwest corner of the intersection of State Highway 86 and F. M. Road 1731. The southeast side of the property fronts 300.9 feet on State Highway 86 and the northeast side fronts 238 feet on F. M. Road 1731. The northwest side measures 295 feet and southwest side measures 178.4 feet.

The State's conveyance to the successful bidder will be made by quit-claim deed without warranty of title. All the improvements will be conveyed with the land.

The State will furnish to the successful bidder its Abstract of Title on the property; however, the abstract covers only Lots 11 thru 20 of Block 79 and the closed portion of Avenue H. It covers only the period from the sovereignty of the soil thru May 17, 1940. The abstract will become the property of the successful bidder when the sale is consummated. In the event a supplemental abstract or title insurance covering the property, is desired, it may be purchased by the successful bidder at his own expense.

The improvements located on the property include a 30' x 40' corrugated metal warehouse building with partitioned office and storage spaces, one small wooden storage shed, a loading dock, a 6 foot high cyclone wire fence which surrounds most of the property, and other minor improvements.

Each bid shall be accompanied by a Certified or Cashier's Check on a State or National Bank of the State of Texas in the amount of \$400.00 made payable without recourse to the order of the State High-

way Commission of Texas as a guarantee that the bidder, if successful, will consummate the purchase. Certified or Cashier's Check of the highest bidder may be retained until after the purchase is consummated. Checks of all except the highest bidder will be returned within forty-eight hours after opening of bids.

Bids will be received on or before the hour and date set for the opening thereof and must be in the hands of the individual indicated above by that time. The price bid shall be construed to include expenses incurred in the sale of the property as required by law. Bids may be submitted by letter. Bidders to be present at the bid opening.

The State Reserves the Right to reject any and all bids. Bid forms and additional information may be obtained from: D. F. Pogue, Texas Highway Department, 601 Slaton Road, Lubbock, Phone SH 4-8411; or Mr. Lloyd Killough, Texas Highway Department Maintenance Warehouse, Bovina, Phone 238-4312. When submitted by mail, the bids shall be addressed to O. L. Crain, District Engineer, Texas Highway Department, P. O. Box 771, Lubbock, Texas, and the envelope marked: "BID ON SALE OF STATE PROPERTY, 11:00 a.m. May 9, 1962."

THIS WEEK --

Bovina Crime Active

Crime was active here early this week.

Two Bovina drive-ins were broken into Monday night and a car was stolen.

The car, a '59 Ford convertible, belonged to Doyle Wassom and was parked east of Super Saweway. Keys were not in the car, Deputy Henry Minter reports.

Nine cartons of cigarettes and some \$40 in cash were stolen from Bovina Dairy Freeze on Highway 60. The Mustang Drive-In on Third Street has six cartons of cigarettes and a small amount of change stolen.

Entrance to both buildings was made by breaking front windows.

Minter suspects there is a connection between the stolen car and the break-ins.

Tuesday afternoon Minter and Sheriff Chas. Lovelace apprehended three Negroes, two men and a woman, who had earlier participated in an armed robbery at Clovis, three miles west of Bovina on FM Road west.

Those caught by Parmer County officers were part of a group which had robbed two Clovis grocery stores.

They were taken to Farwell and released to Curry County authorities. The three gave their home address as Taylor.

Has Surgery

Mrs. Mike Barraza underwent surgery Saturday night at Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona. She is reported to be improving.

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Junior Students are taking time out for a rest period after a full day Saturday of decorating for annual Junior Senior Banquet which was held Saturday night. From left to right are Dixi Hartzog, Butch Woltmon, Rocky Hance and Vicki Strawn.

Cindy Read Celebrates

Cindy Read, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Read, celebrated her sixth birthday with a party Wednesday afternoon at her home.

Following several games refreshments of birthday cake decorated with dolls and punch were served to youngsters. Favors of Easter baskets were given to children.

Those present were Rhonda and Allen Rhodes, Brenda Charles, Jana Rogers, Cissy Minter, Gaylen Carson, Michelle Bonds, Freida and Sandy Phillips,

Christy and Cathy Trimble, Kathy Crump, Kathy Sudderth and Terry Sherrill.

Attend District Club Convention

Taking third place in competition at Caprock District Convention of Texas Federated Clubs at Plainview recently, was press book submitted by Bovina Woman's Study Club.

Mrs. Ovid Lawlis president of Bovina Club, had honor of presenting District Mother of Year, Mrs. Marvin Post of Tejas Club of Denver City, Bovina women, Mrs. Clarence Gaunt, Mrs. Warren Morton and Mrs. Lawlis, composed the committee selecting the district mother of year.

Also attending the convention and entering district sewing contest was Bovina's winner, Miss Mary Ann McKinney.

"Responsible Citizenship Begins In The Home" was theme of convention held at First Christian Church and Hilton Hotel.

Attending from Bovina were Mrs. Lawlis, Mrs. J. R. Caldwell, Mrs. Jesse Walling, Mrs. Morton, Mrs. Earl Stevenson, Mrs. Rouel Barron and Miss McKinney.

Mrs. Moore Hosts Party

Mrs. Lloyd Battey of Hereford presented a products demonstration at a party in the home of Mrs. L. C. Moore Thursday afternoon.

Preceding the demonstration word and pencil games were played by the women.

Following games, the group was served refreshments of cookies, mints, Easter eggs, coffee and soft drinks.

Those present were Mrs. L. M. Grissom, Miss Lola Grissom, Mrs. Nola Read, Mrs. Joe Moore, Mrs. Odie White, Mrs. Jesse Vestal, Mrs. H. J. Charles, Mrs. Ben Finch, Mrs. J. B. Wheeler, Mrs. Mable Newberry, Mrs. Frank Hastings, Mrs. I. W. Quickel, Mrs. J. R. Caldwell, Mrs. Frank Wilson and Mrs. Pat Kunselman.

Miss Cumpton Will Receive Double Honors

Plainview -- Double honors have come to Miss Nancy Cumpton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen D. Cumpton, Bovina, who is a junior at Wayland Baptist College, Plainview.

At the same time Miss Cumpton is initiated into Alpha Mu Gamma, honorary fraternity for students of foreign languages, she will also be installed as secretary of the club.

Miss Cumpton, chosen for her achievements in the study of Spanish, is a business education major and English minor. She is a member of Young Women's Auxiliary and is consistently listed on Dean's Honor Roll.

To be eligible for membership in Alpha Mu Gamma, a candidate must have studied a language for at least three semesters and have a total grade average of 2.0 or above.

Terry Willard Has B'day Party

Terry Willard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Willard, was honored with a birthday party Wednesday afternoon at her home.

Guests were entertained with an Easter Egg hunt. Favors of Easter baskets filled with eggs were given to the children.

Refreshments of individual cup cakes made in form of Easter bunnies, ice cream and punch were served.

Attending were Linda and Jerri Ware, Brenda and Randall Charles, Roddy Hromas, Susan Garner, Mike Taylor, Tina and George Issac, Mike Dixon, Connie Ware, Chuckie Gilbreath, Randy Gee, Debbie Pruitt, Christy and Cathy Trimble, Dennis Willard and the honoree.

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Peggy Eason Joins Rainbow

Peggy Eason of Farwell was initiated into Order of Rainbow for Girls Monday evening at Masonic Lodge Hall.

Following regular meeting and initiation ceremonies refreshments of cookies and punch were served by Mrs. Frank Hastings.

Those present were Ann Lynn Wilson, Judy and Patricia Crawford, Linda Johnston, Betty Mae Stevens, Carla Meachum, Linda Langston, Donna Kay Dunn, Mary Coffey, Sherri Hutto, Vicki Rogers and guests, Mrs. Clifford Leake, Mrs. W. E. Williams, Mrs. Frank Hastings, Carl Rea and mother advisor, Mrs. Roy Crawford.

Girl Born To Robert Reads

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Read are the parents of a baby girl born Saturday afternoon at Memorial Hospital in Clovis. The new arrival weighed 4 pounds 3 1/2 ounces and is named Tamra Carol.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ellison and Mrs. Nola Read.

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Mrs Rogers Has Class Meeting

Mrs. Jerry Rogers hosted a call meeting of Mary-Martha Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church Monday morning in her home.

The group made plans for a salad luncheon Wednesday (today) for class members.
Following the meeting coffee was served to guests.

Present were Mrs. Malcolm Kennedy, Mrs. Paul Holcomb, Mrs. Tommy Williams and Mrs. Weldon Moody.



HONORARY FFAers -- Made honorary members of Bovina FFA Chapter at annual banquet Tuesday night were J. T. Jones, left, James McLeroy, second from left, and Tom Bonds, third from left. Chapter officers who made the award are, left to right, Lowell Boozer, Joe Jones, Dickie Clayton and Don Cumpton, Delbert Morris is behind O'Brien. President Pat O'Brien is in right foreground. In foreground are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smallwood. Smallwood was guest speaker at the banquet.

AT BANQUET --

3 Receive Honorary FFA Memberships

"A successful leader is in reality a person whose relations with other people are perpetually good" Those were words of Charles Smallwood, head of agriculture department of West Texas State College, who was guest speaker at sixth annual Bovina FFA Parent-Son banquet Tuesday night in school cafeteria.

A total of 116 people were present including chapter members, their parents and special guests.

Prize money earned at project show which was last month was presented by Warren Embree on behalf of Bovina Lions Club. Plaques were presented to Pat O'Brien for being outstanding showman of the show and to Philip Lloyd for having neatest exhibit.

Three men were made honorary chapter farmers at the meeting. They were J. T. Jones, Tom Bonds and High School Principal James McLeroy. Jackie Dane was honored as star chapter farmer and Ronnie Glasscock received star greenhand award.

Gifts of appreciation were presented to Chapter Sweetheart Dixi Hartzog and Plowgirl Paula Howard.

O'Brien, who is chapter president, served as toastmaster. Dickie Clayton gave welcome. Response was by Thomas Beauchamp. FFA creed was recited by Dennis Johnston and a report of chapter accomplishments was given by Eddie Crump. Invocation was by McLeroy.

A pageant, "Building the Emblem," was presented by members of the freshman chapter. Regular opening and closing

ceremonies for FFA meetings were given by greenhand officers.

The meal, prepared by cafeteria staff, featured chicken fried steak.

Young Adults Have Party

Young Adult Training Union class of First Baptist Church was entertained with a social Thursday evening in home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Wiseman.

Following an evening of forty-two the group was served refreshments of cake, pie, coffee and tea.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Moore, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Barrett, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. James McLeroy, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Kelley, Mrs. J. D. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Don Murphy, Mrs. John Ferguson and Mrs. Grady Sorley.

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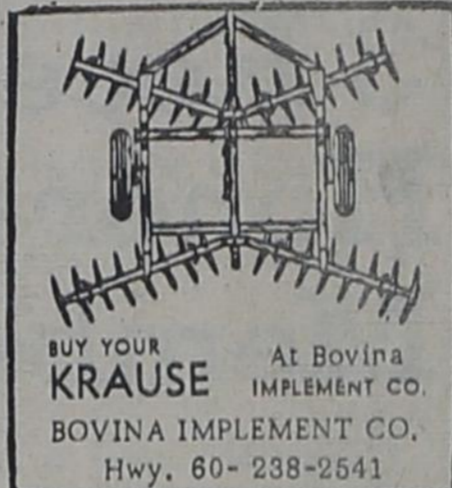
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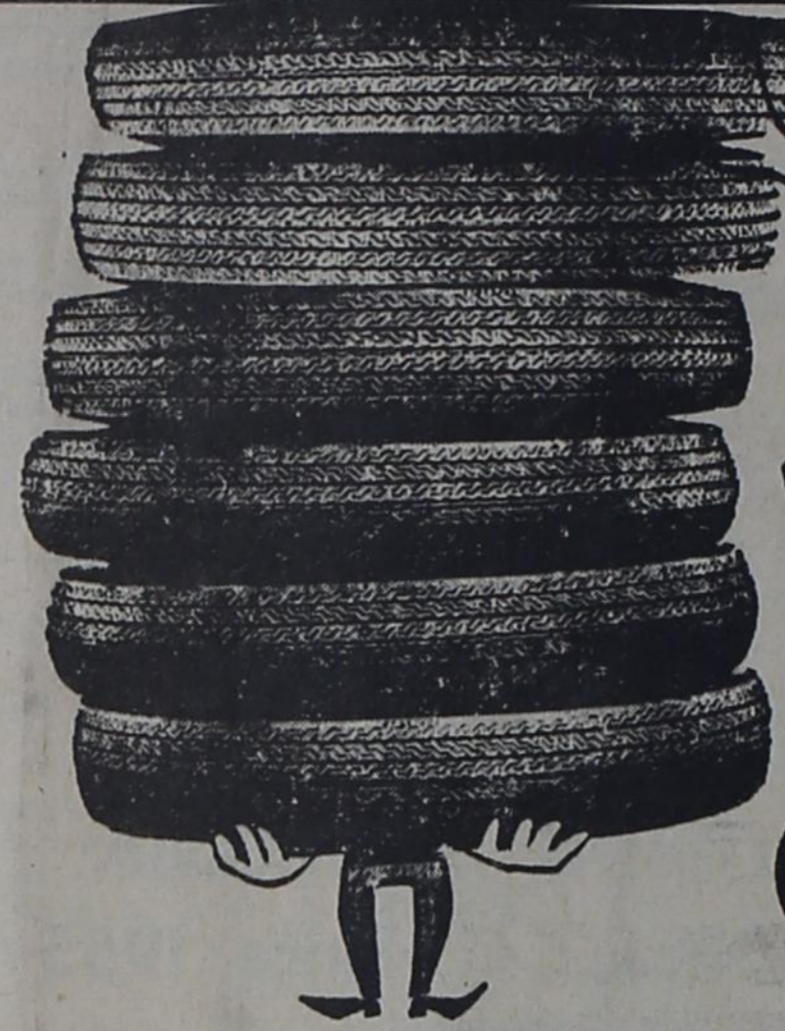
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WSCS Hears Guest Speaker

Mrs. Orion Carter of Amarillo presented program to Woman's Society of Christian Service Wednesday at Bovina Methodist Church. Preceding the program the women had a luncheon hosted by Mrs. O. H. Jones and Mrs. Vernon Estes.

Mrs. Carter spoke on "Thinking About the Holy Season." Those present were Mrs. Billie Sudderth, Mrs. L. M. Grissom, Miss Lola Grissom, Mrs. Frank Hastings, Mrs. L. C. Moore, Mrs. I. W. Quicke, Mrs. Earl Richards, Mrs.

Mable Newberry, Mrs. Amos Shockley, Mrs. E. M. Ware, Mrs. Wilbur Charles, Miss Ellen Reminsider, Mrs. Hallie Gee, Mrs. Oakley Stevenson, Mrs. T. J. Hopingardner, Mrs. C. O. Edens, Mrs. John Dixon, Mrs. Jimmy Clements, Mrs. George Turner, Mrs. H. L. Ivy, Mrs. Leon Ware, Mrs. Warren Morton, Mrs. Bedford Caldwell and one visitor Mrs. McGuire



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4 Mustangs In Regional Track Meet

"We had our fastest times ever, but the competition was just too rough". That's way Hallie Gee, Bovina Mustang track coach, summed up performance of his four thinclads who participated in regional track meet at Lubbock Saturday. None of Bovina's representatives qualified for the meet's finals. Jerry Frazier, who qualified for regional 440-yd. dash by winning first place in that event in district, was ruled ineligible before the regional meet because of low grades. Sprinter Buddy Turner ran fourth in his heat in both his events, 100 and 220-yd. dashes. Joe Jones had fastest time ever in high hurdles at the regional meet but failed to qualify. John Sikes also failed to qualify in shot put and discus and Lowell Boozer was out of running in discus.

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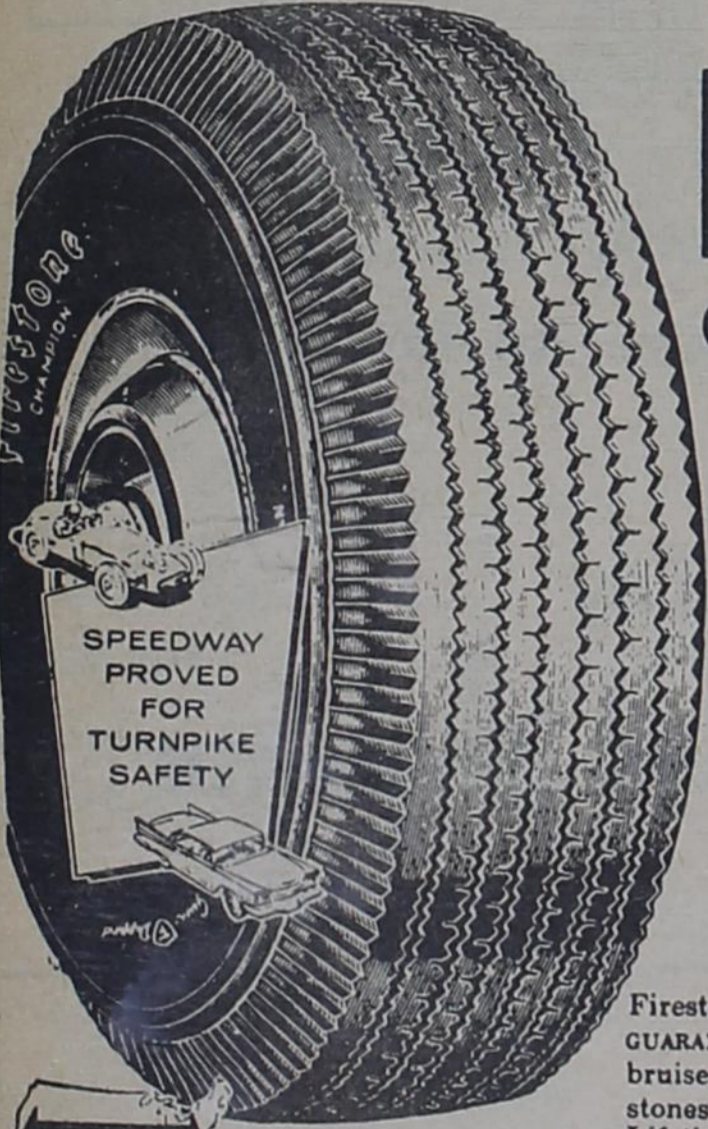
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FFA Team Enters Land Judging

Bovina FFA team participated in a triangular land judging contest at Farwell Friday. Teams were entered from Friona, Farwell and Bovina. Friona was first and Farwell second. Bovina team members were Billy Minter, Donnie Dyer, Dennis Johnston and Ronnie Glasscock. The team will go to Dimmitt tomorrow (Thursday) to participate in Littlefield District land judging contest.

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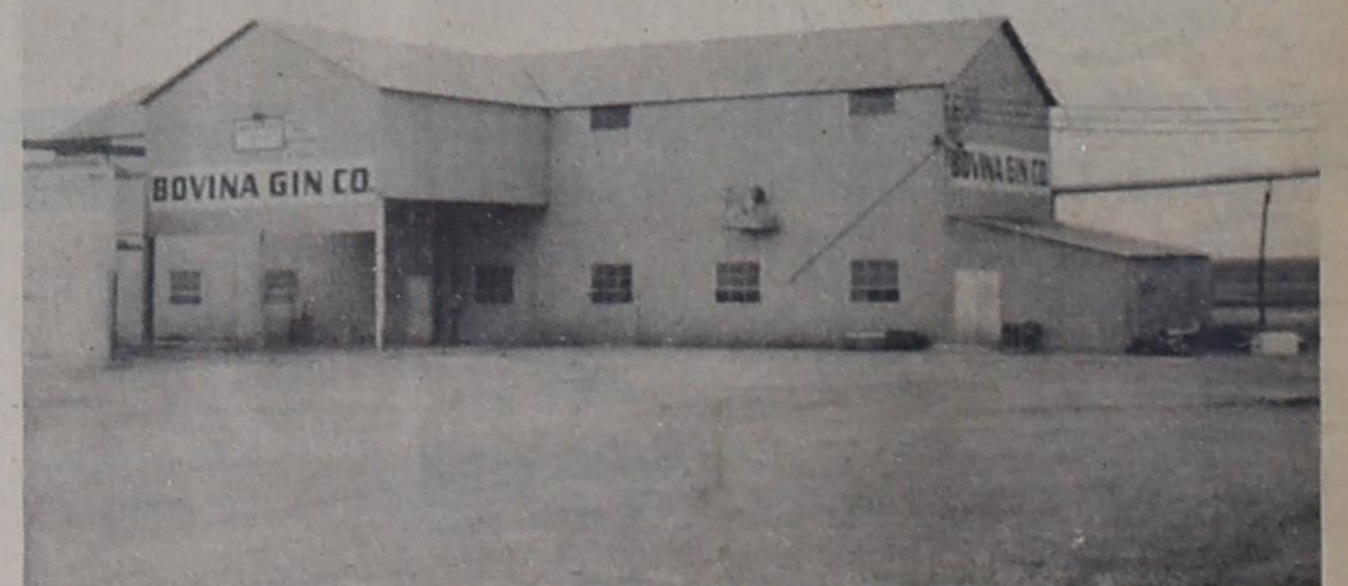
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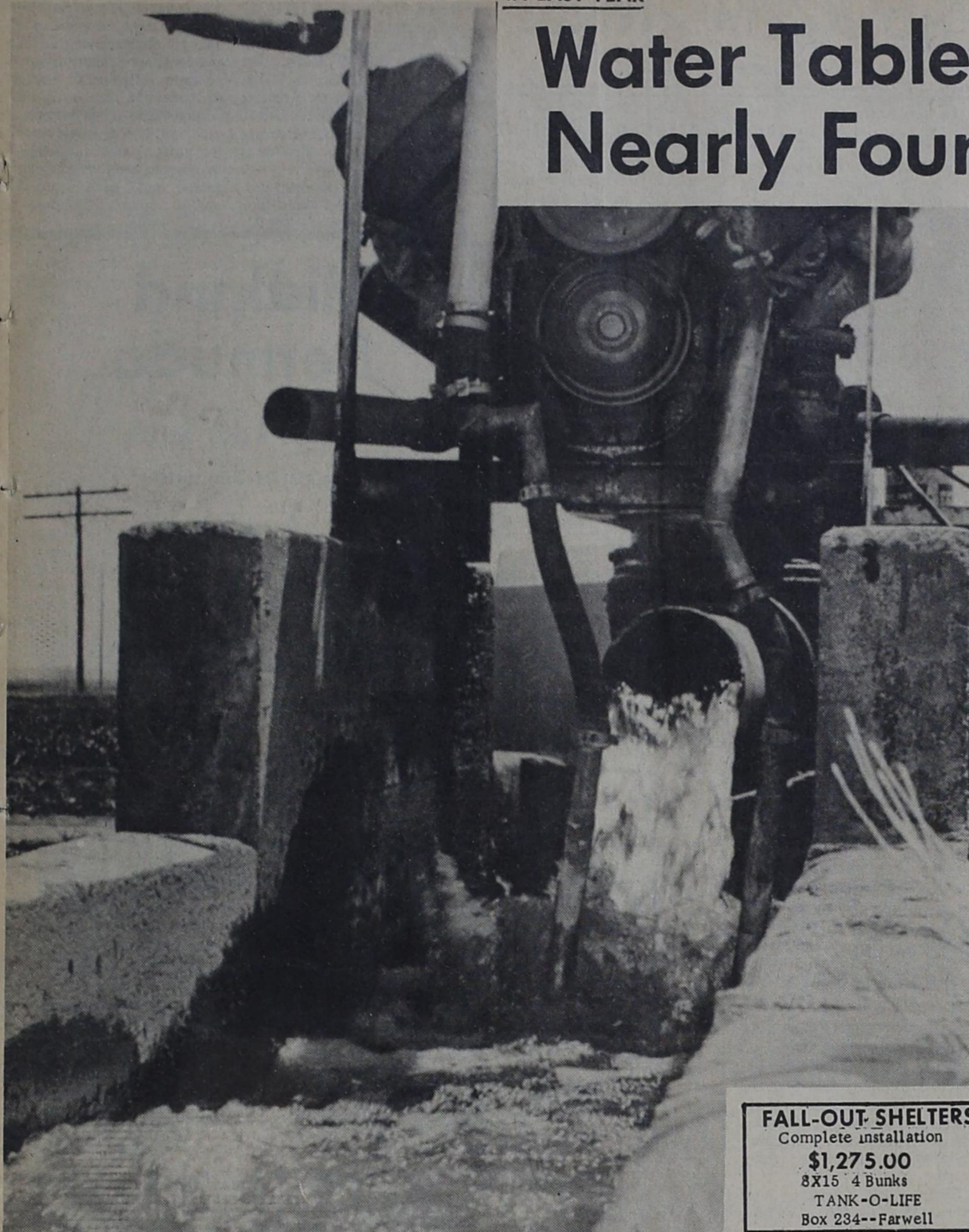
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IN LAST YEAR

Water Table Drops Nearly Four Feet



According to records recently published by the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District, the ground-water level continues to decline in Farmer County.

W. L. (Bill) Broadhurst, Chief Hydrologist for the Water District, states that water levels in more than 50 observation wells that are measured annually by the Texas Water Commission and the High Plains Water District indicate that ground water beneath the County is gradually being depleted.

"To illustrate what is occurring throughout Farmer County, we have picked at random four observation wells that have been measured since January 1956. Each of the wells selected is from a different part of the County," Broadhurst said.

He continued, "for purposes of illustration, we picked observation well #387, 3 miles southwest of Friona, on land owned by C. W. Dixon; well #390, about 6 miles east of Bovina on land owned by W. H. Long; well #398, 2 miles northwest of Lazbuddie, on land owned by W. M. (Bill) Sherley, a former member of the Board of Directors of the High Plains Water District; and well #401, about 4 miles east of Farwell on land owned by J. W. Billingsley."

According to Broadhurst, the four selected wells are typical of irrigation wells used throughout Farmer County to water agricultural crops.

Broadhurst did some figuring

and came up with the following statistics:

Decline of Water Level in Feet	Well No.	1956-62	1961-62
387 (Dixon)	29.87	6.04	
390 (Long)	24.87	3.51	
398 (Sherley)	16.57	2.61	
401 (Billingsley)	28.76	6.25	

"The declines shown for the four observation wells indicate that we have a problem that

needs to be faced up to and recognized. It is a problem that can be partially, but not completely, alleviated by individuals making more efficient use of both rainwater and ground water. All waste of water should definitely be minimized," he concluded.

Broadhurst continued, "Farmer County has a great deal of ground water in storage

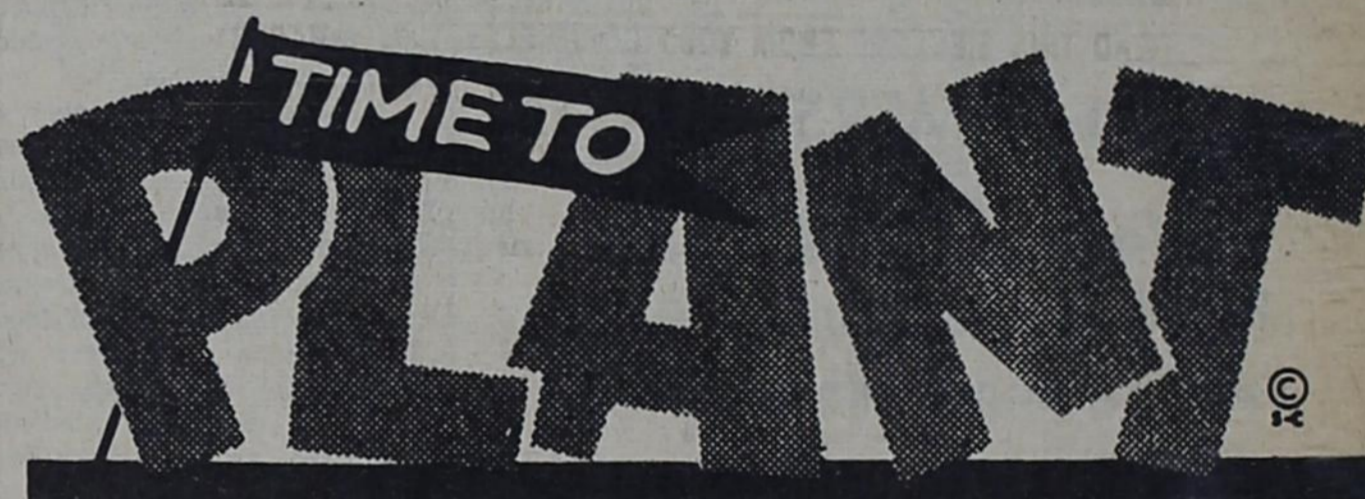
beneath its surface; however, with an average water-level decline of near 4 feet per year, the fact is evident that the ground water is being depleted and the situation calls for wise use, both now and in the future, to maintain an excellent and high-level irrigated agricultural economy."

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24 Accidents Kill 2 In County This Year

The Highway Patrol investigated 4 rural accidents in Farmer county during the month of March according to Sergeant W. E. Wells Patrol Supervisor of this area.

These wrecks accounted for one person killed, two persons injured and an estimated property damage of \$815.00.

The rural traffic accident summary for Farmer County from January through March of

1962 shows a total of 24 crashes. As a result of these crashes there were 2 persons killed and 12 persons injured. The estimated property damage amounted to \$13,290.00.

With the coming of April, motorists will be getting back out on the highway to enjoy the invigorating atmosphere and colorful country side. The patrol supervisor pointed out that this will cause highway travel to be multiplying by leaps and bounds. He urges motorists, pedestrians and all street and highway users to know and obey traffic laws, regulations, ordinances and their application, and pledge their continuous vigorous support of these laws, so that accidents may be prevented and safety universally promoted.

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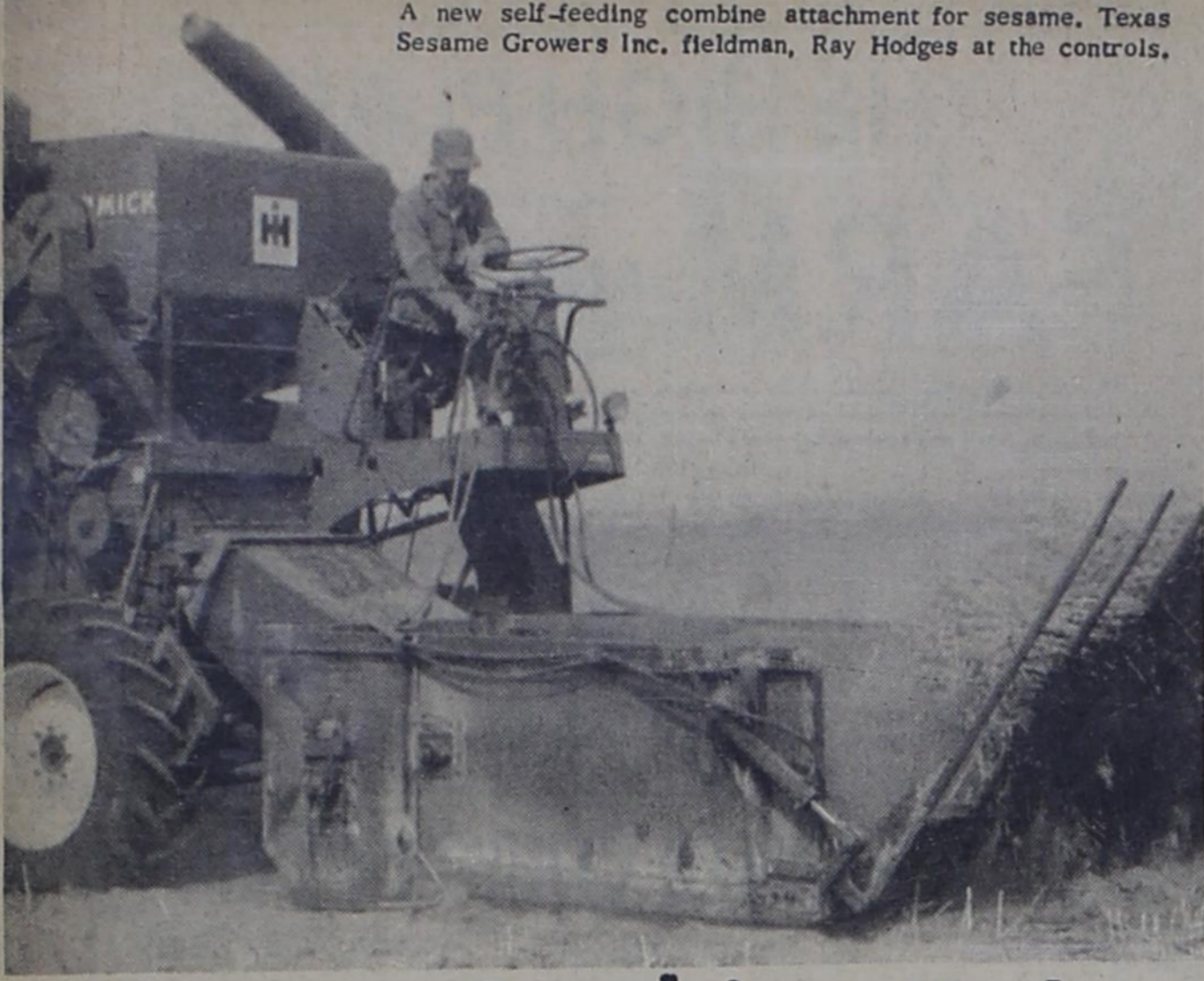
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Sesame Combine Makes Successful Trial Run

The Houston Hart Farm 4 miles West and 1 South of Muleshoe was the proving ground last week for a machine that will go a long way toward mechanizing the harvest of Sesame crops for Plains farmers. The machine is a self-feeding combine attachment that picks up a dry Sesame shock and flips it onto a slowly moving conveyor chain.

The conveyor chain feeds the Sesame bundles into a vicious looking string cutter that reduces the bundles into nice bites for the combine. Roy Winkles Welding Shop in Muleshoe is building the self-feeding unit for Texas Sesame Growers, Inc. of Muleshoe and Paris. It is designed to operate on any standard self-propelled

combine, and makes Sesame harvesting a one-man operation. Present harvest methods require a four-man labor crew, plus the combine operator.

Texas Sesame fieldman, Ray Hodges, has guided the project and was at the controls of the combine on its successful test run last week.

"It's mighty late in the season for harvesting Sesame" said Ray, "but Mr. Hart and Bill Whately kindly left us about an acre of shocked Sesame so we could keep testing the new attachment."

Ted Allen's 101 International combine has been used throughout the test operations which started last October.

"Excessive hand labor at harvest time has limited Sesame production on the Plains more than any other factor," according to Robert L. Parker of the Sesame Growers Organization. "This new self-feeding combine attachment will completely mechanize more than half the Sesame harvest operation, and will make Sesame production much more attractive and profitable for Plains farmers."

Area men who have watched the machine in operation speculate that with some modifications, it can be used to harvest other important seed crops from the shock, such as millet, sudan, or sorghum alnum.

Texas Sesame is making color movies of the combine attachment in operation to show to interested farmers. Plans are also under way to build more of the attachments, to be ready for the 1962 harvest.

NEWS FROM THE FARM BUREAU

BY RAYMOND EULER

It seems a little strange to us, in a way, that when a hearing is held to determine how agricultural producers feel about National Marketing Orders, and other items being vigorously promoted by the Administration, there are more employees of USDA and State Agricultural Agencies on the stage than producers of the commodity in question.

If they appeared as observers, it would seem a little different. The fact is, however, according to our observation, that these Federal Employees do as much, if not more testifying (always in favor of the federal regulation) than the producers for and against the proposal.

We are making particular reference to the recent hearings on the National Marketing Order proposal for potatoes. We have also noticed the same situation in other meetings of this nature, regarding feed grains and wheat, for instance.

It is rather hard to get a true picture of the situation under these circumstances.

Next Monday night at eight, in the Community Room of the Friona State Bank, a noxious weed eradication and control meeting will be held. The public is invited, and a good attendance is anticipated. A history of the Farm Bureau Weed Committee activities in this county will be given briefly along with other important phases of the program.

Railroad representatives, highway personnel, ASC, SCS, extension service and experiment station personnel will have parts on the program, which is designed to encourage active interest in noxious weed eradication. We believe you will profit by attending.

County Agent Deryl Coker and Bovina's FFA Instructor, Roy Crawford are among those working to help the committee formulate an interesting and informative program for you.

"Measure the Candidates" is the title of a county wide meeting to be held under the sponsorship of Parmer County Farm Bureau on Thursday night, April 26 at eight. The meeting place will be the Friona School Auditorium.

Your membership chairman, Calvin Meissner and all the other officers and workers appreciate your favorable response in the membership drive. If you were not contacted and wish to become a member, please send or bring in your check for \$10.00 for year.

CONSIDER THIS: There is treasure to be desired and oil in the dwelling of the wise; but a foolish man spendeth it up. Proverbs 21:20.

HD Agent's Notes

BY MISS ETTIE MUSIL

Easter Sunday is a big day for everyone, especially for the little tots who enjoy an Easter Egg hunt. It's just as much fun for the rest of us watching the little ones as they walk by a great, big, yellow or red egg.

Oh, and how much fun the toddlers have painting the hard-cooked eggs! You can help them and yourself by padding the work area with layers of newspaper to absorb the accidents of spilled dye. Then it's up to them to make designs and color the eggs, as you watch. They have so much imagination of their own in coloring.

One of the simplest ways to color the hard-cooked eggs is to use wax crayons. Commercial egg dye is easy to use if you mix the color for them. Stripes are eye-catching and are easily made by drawing the stripes on with a white wax crayon before dyeing.

You may want to show the excited young ones how they can use bits and pieces of colored modeling clay to make funny faces on the eggs. It's fun to write names on the eggs with the white wax crayon before dyeing for the personalized egg. This always thrills the little children to have an egg dyed especially for them.

Of course, if good eggs were used the hard-cooked eggs may be used for future menus. Creamed eggs on toast, in salads, sandwiches, or as garnishes are always good to eat. Fresh eggs prepared in any menu are of high nutritive value which is needed for growth and repair of body tissues such as muscle, organs, blood, skin, and hair.

With the Easter holidays from school you probably will be leaving for Grandma and Granddad's. Or maybe your relatives and friends are coming to see you. Here's a safety hint for you if toddlers and pre-school children will be visiting in your home.

Remember to rearrange your household products and place them safely out of reach of the children. Remember that the youngsters can't read the warning labels. So many accidents

are caused from lye, ammonia, and strong acids that are found by the adventurous children. Usually these products are grouped together out of the reach of children, but sometimes we have some in more convenient shelves that we overlook. If you will be having a visitor who is under five, it is a good idea to put away such products as drugs, kerosene, household disinfectants, garden insecticides and fungicides, moth balls, furniture polishes and waxes, laundry bleaches, turpentine and cosmetics.

While you are cleaning house for the weekend company you may do well to check your kitchen, bathroom, garage, attic, yard, and basement for these household products. You will be so happy that you did in the interest of safety for toddlers.

Baked ham is always a favorite with everyone visiting you during the holidays. Have you wondered how long a ham should be baked and at what temperature? For a smoked half ham weighing 6-8 lbs, bake it 2 and a half hours or 25 minutes per pound. Bake hams in a slow oven at 325 degrees F.

For a whole smoked ham

weighing 8-12 lbs, bake it 3 and one-fourth hours, or 20 minutes per pound. A 12-14 lb. ham should be baked 3 and one-half hours, and a 16 lb. or over ham for 4 hours. For smoked picnic hams 4-6 lbs, bake 2 and a half to 3 hours, or 30 minutes per pound. However, for a larger picnic allow 4 hours baking time for a 8-10 lb. ham.

Less time is required for baking fully-cooked hams in a slow oven 325 degrees for 12-

15 minutes per pound. Canned hams should also be baked for about 15 minutes per pound. Place ham fat side up on a rack in an uncovered shallow baking pan or follow directions on ham wrapper. If you wish to glaze the ham pour off the drippings 30 to 40 minutes before the ham is done. Remove the rind, if any, and score the fat in diamond design. If you desire, stud each design with cloves, cover with glaze and finish baking.

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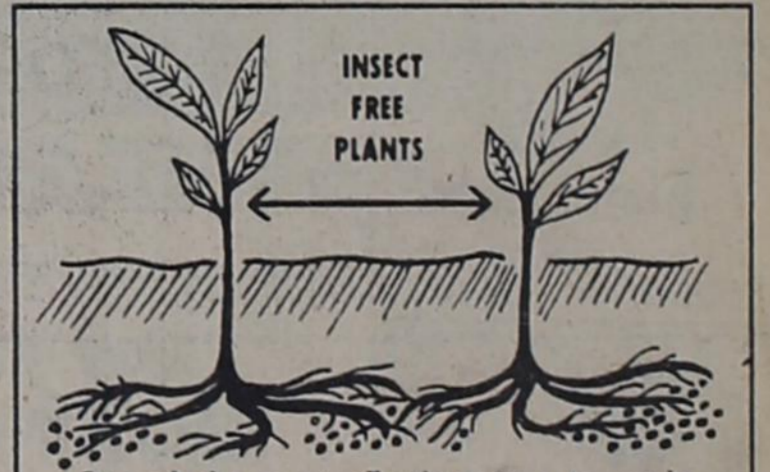
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sonous. Follow precautions on the labels strictly. Take special precautions in handling parathion, methyl parathion, Trithion, Demeton, Di-syston, Guthion and phorate (thimet) to avoid prolonged contact with the skin or breathing the vapors or drift from either spray or dust.

Be mindful of insecticidal drift that may contaminate neighboring vegetables or forage crops at the time cotton is sprayed or dusted. Plan crop rotations in advance to eliminate this problem.

Farmers are already buying seed for this year's crop. Study tags or labels on seed, so you will know what you are buying. Be sure and notice if there is any noxious weed seed in the bag. We do not want to plant bindweed or Johnson grass. Also, it is best to plant treated seed. Good seed cost a little more, but it can pay you big dividends in the long run.

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Weed Control Is Target Of County Meeting Monday

Weed control will be the topic of a meeting in the Friona State Bank Monday at 8 p.m.

County Agent, Deryl Coker, is asking all farmers and landowners to make a special effort to attend. Coker will serve as master of ceremonies for the meeting.

Summaries concerning the efforts and methods being used by the county, State Highway Dept., Santa Fe Railroad, state and federal agencies will be presented at the meeting.

A. F. Welse, weed specialist, Bushland Experiment Station, will give his findings and recommendations on noxious weed control.

Coker asks that every county

adhere to eight steps in an effort to keep weeds from becoming an unsurmountable problem in Parmer County.

1. Locate all patches of bindweed in your area and make sure that the weed committee, or the county agent's office know its location. This can be done by mail sent to the County Agent's Office in Farwell or to the Farm Bureau Office in Friona. If you should have any trouble in the identification of bindweed, I would be glad to try to identify it for you.

2. The use of soil sterilants is recommended as the treatment of infested areas also, regular checks should be made of the area for surviving vines.

3. Farmers are urged to cooperate with the weed committee, state highway department, railroads, county commissioners, and other organizations that are working to eliminate bindweed along right-of-ways.

4. Test labels on seed should be double checked for the presence of bindweed or other

noxious weeds.

5. Out of county harvest machinery should be cleaned and the cleaning burned before the machinery is allowed to enter the field.

6. The purchase of hay or feed grown in infested fields should be avoided.

7. Any farmers who might have bindweed in his cotton

field should inform the ginners to burn burrs from the field.

8. The ASC Office under the ACP Program will pay 50% of the approved herbicide cost, not to exceed \$75.00 per acre.

The State Highway Department and railroads will furnish the material and will apply it, if they are told of the bindweed location. The county com-

missioners will furnish the herbicide for county right-of-ways, if the farmer will agree to kill the weed in the adjoining field and apply the material on the county right-of-way. "Compared to surrounding counties, Parmer County has very little bindweed, but if we ease up or don't treat the bindweed we have, we will find ourselves in the same position as the counties around us," Coker said.

Deaf Smith Co-Op Plans Annual Meet

The annual meeting of the local rural electric to be at the Bull Barn in Hereford on April 26 according to Sloan Osborn, president of the board of directors.

There will be contests, prizes, and entertainment for the entire family. Each member will receive a gift as they register, and a drawing will be held for larger prizes.

A group of beauty queen candidates will vie for the title of "Miss Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative of 1962." These candidates are selected by the FHA Chapters of each high school in the area, the 4-H Club Councils, and the Home Demonstration Councils. The winner will represent this area in a statewide contest.

Members will want to be present at 12 Noon sharp to partake of a barbecue lunch. The lunch will be served by the Rotary Club of Hereford.

Joe Henry, President of the Young Farmers of Deaf Smith County will discuss that organization. The Young Farm-

ers will also help with the work of the Annual Meeting.

Osborn reminds everyone who is served by the Deaf Smith County Electric Cooperative that he is a part owner of the rural electric system. As an owner, each member-consumer will have an opportunity to take part in the annual meeting, vote, ask questions, and have his say about the operation of the local system.

Directors to be elected by the members will be responsible for operation and management of the system during the year ahead.

While the benefits of rural electrification are most noticeable in raising the standards of rural living, city people, too have benefited greatly, says Leo Forrest, manager of the electric cooperative.

"The program nationally has generated a multi-billion dollar market for electric appliances and equipment. It has made cash registers ring and created jobs for city people everywhere," he said.

County HD Delegates Attend District Meet

Parmer County Home Demonstration Clubs were represented in Pampa April 12 for the district meeting of the Texas Home Demonstration Association in Pampa High School Auditorium.

Among the 326 delegates, visitors, guests, and home demonstration agents attending the all day meeting were Mrs. Ralph Price, Black, Mrs. J. D. Sanders, Friona, and Mrs. Joel White, Oklahoma Lane, as elected delegates. Also attending were Mrs. Vernon Symcox, 1962-63 county THDA chairman, and Miss Ettie Musil, County Home Demonstration Agent.

Registration began at 9 a.m., followed by the meeting at 10 a.m. with Mrs. T. J. Parsons,

District I vice president of Hereford, presiding.

Short reports of the district meeting will be summarized by Mrs. Price, Mrs. White and Mrs. Sanders as part of the program during a Coffee to be May 1 at 10 a.m. in the Hub Community Center. All home demonstration clubs of Parmer County will observe National Home Demonstration Club Week with this Coffee. Special recognition will be given to certain club members. All members and visitors are invited to attend.

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Skip-Row Planting Counts As Diverted Grain Acres

Additional changes have been made in the rulings for allowing skip-row planting to count as diverted acres under the 1962 feed grain program, Prentice Mills, ASC office manager in Farwell, announced Tuesday.

"Information has been received which states that strips of four normal rows in skip-row planting patterns will qualify as diverted acres under the 1962 feed grain program," Mills said.

Therefore, four rows planted and four rows out would count as one-half diverted acres. If two rows were planted and four left idle, the land would count

as two-thirds, diverted acres, according to Mills.

"As far as we know, this applies only to acres diverted under the feed grain program and the skip row pattern must be uniform," he added.

In order to count as diverted acres, rows must be at least 36 inches wide.

Mills suggested that farmers contact his office for the answer to particular questions in connection with the change in the program.

He explained that cotton might be skip-row planted and the four skipped rows counted as diverted grain acres.

News From The Courthouse

RECORD WEEK ENDING APRIL 14, 1962 County Clerk's Office, Parmer County

D. T. Dale Street, et al, Travelers Ins. Co., SW/4 Sec. 6, Sullivan Blk, R

W.D., Alex Jesko, Donald Jesko, et al, 1/2 int in N/-345.5 a, Sec. 23, T11S, R3E

W.D., Alex Jesko, Billy Jean Glenn, 1/3 int in SW/4 Sec. 15, T11S, R3E

MML, L. D. Taylor, Jack Taylor, Lot 3, Blk. 10, M&F, Friona

W.D., Roy P. Daniel, Joy Elaine Wilterding, 1/6 int, N/-303.62a, Sec. 15, TS 1/2S, R5E

W.D., Roy P. Daniel, Paula Jean McBroom, 1/6 int, W/2 Sec. 27, TS 1/2S, R5E

W.D., Elvin O. Johnston, Carl Clawson, 1, a, in Sec. 12, Rhea C

Deed, J. C. Hilburn, et al, D. T. Reed, Sec. 4 & 9 & E/2 Sec. 5, Harding

D. T., D. T. Reed, J. C. Hilburn, et al, Sec. 4 & 9 & E/2 Sec. 5, Harding

W.D., John W. Tabor, G. F. Trimble, Lots 1, 2 & 3, Blk. 32, Bovina

W.D., Cal Farley's Boys Ranch, J. C. Hilburn, SW/194 a, Sec. 49, Synd. A

W. D., J. C. Hilburn, Cal Farley's Boys Ranch, et al, NW/4 Sec. 8; Sec. 5, Harding

MML, J. P. Ranch, Golden Spread Homes, Inc., SE/30' Lot 3, Blk. 74, Bovina

MML, A. V. Warren, Charlie Hromas, Lots 1, 2, 3, Blk. 38, Farwell

MML, John G. Hartwell, Foxworth Lumber Co., Lot 5, Blk. 6, Replat of Gardner Add., Bovina

W.D., A. B. Wilkinson, C.-C. C., Inc., 5 a. of S/2 Sec. 12, Rhea "C"

W.D., R. A. Weiss, H. M. Moss, NE/4 Sec. 27, Synd. B,

Farm Activity Slows Before Planting Rush

The lull before the storm has settled over Parmer County Farming. The single, most noticeable activity is the amount of pre-irrigating now being done.

Hardly a well was found to be idle in a circle through the county Monday. But, few people could be found working in their fields. Only the dust from an occasional tractor pulling a disk harrow and one fertilizer rig broke the clear horizon.

Many farmers were making final adjustments on their planter equipment and buying or readying seed for planting. Several indicated plans to begin planting by the end of the month if the weather remains favorable.

A few indicated plans to divide their allotment into strips and stagger planting by 10 to 15 days between each strip. This system was believed to reduce chances of loss from late bad weather while equally increasing chances for some early harvest.

Most of the potatoes have already been planted and farmers are about ready to start with other vegetable crops.

Before the end of the month, farmers will begin the spring planting rush in an effort to get their crops planted and have a chance for an early harvest. During the next month, farmers will keep one eye on the weather and the other on their sprouting crops.

Wheat fields have shot from a short pasture grass to a billow-



Gilbert Dale Farwell, won the first place individual award in the Parmer County Soil Conservation District land judging contest last Friday. He is eligible to compete in the Texas Tech Land judging events in Lubbock April 28.

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Cotton Congress Meets June 7-9

The 23rd annual American Cotton Congress will convene June 7-9 in Harlingen, Texas, with "Cotton's International Situation" as this year's theme.

Burris C. Jackson of Hillsboro, Texas, Congress chairman and 1962 National Cotton Council of America president, said committees are now mapping final plans for the three-day event.

A session in Matamoros, Mexico, across the border from Harlingen, and a tour of a Mexican cotton area, have been arranged through the Mexican Cotton Association.



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Harp Named Assoc. Prexy

Elbert Harp, Hale County farmer and agricultural leader was elected president of the Grain Sorghum Producers Association at the annual meeting of the Board of Directors in Amarillo, March 26th.

He succeeds Frank Moore of Plainview who has headed the organization for the past three years.

Area directors also elected the following as members of the Executive Committee: R. G. Peeler of Hereford, Director for Market Development; A. W. Anthony, Jr. of Friona, Research and Education Director; Frank Moore, Legislative Director; Ed Bennett of Hart, Secretary-Treasurer.

Bill Nelson continues to administer Association programs as Executive Vice President from headquarters at 322 Petroleum Building, Amarillo.

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POLITICAL CALENDAR

The Parmer County newspapers have been authorized to announce the candidacies of the following persons, subject to the action of the first Democratic Primary.

- FOR DISTRICT CLERK: Dorothy Quikkel
- FOR COUNTY JUDGE: Loyde Brewer (Re-election)
- FOR COUNTY TREASURER: Mabel Reynolds (Re-election)
- FOR COUNTY CLERK: Bonnie Warren
- FOR COMMISSIONER, PCT. 2: Charlie Jefferson (Re-election) Jack Patterson
- FOR COMMISSIONER, PCT. 4: G. W. Crain (Re-election)
- JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PCT. 1: Roy Thornton (Re-election)
- JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PCT. 2: Walter Loveless
- JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PCT. 3: W. J. Parker (Re-election) Mrs. Lloyd Killough
- FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 91st District: Bill Clayton B. M. Nelson W. T. "Bill" Miller
- DISTRICT JUDGE, 154th JUDICIAL DIST. Pat Boone, Jr.

The following announcements are subject to the first Republican primary.

- FOR STATE SENATOR, 30th District: John Zahn
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