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WHITTLIN'

BY DOLPH MOTEN

This one was in circulation just too late for last week's paper.

Best example of an optimist is the fellow who made a trip to courthouse to ask county clerk when his marriage license expired!

This takes all the fun out of it, of course, but the man in question might have wanted to renew it if it expired anytime soon.

Installation of curbs and gutters at various points on Third Street and Highway 86 seems to be deep in comparison with present level of the street.

It's our deduction that reason curbs and gutters are being installed so deeply is to aid in overall water drainage for the city.

Nonetheless, if the street (paving) is put in at that level--which it undoubtedly will be--Bovina may soon be a city of canyons.

That'll be all right, understand, but it will be a mite unusual until we get used to the fact.

Along the same line, it appears that a portion of walk, which is made of solid concrete, in front of First National Bank is prominently in the street. Not far out in the street, but it appears to be in the street, at any rate. We're waiting to see if that will or won't present a problem. Up to now, it seems that curb and gutter crew has ignored the fact.

May we hasten to point out that we didn't say the walk was in the street. We said it appeared to be. Seems as though someone wrote a song once about "things aren't always as they seem."

Without trying to take anything away from the almanac, we'll pass along this bit of information which was jotted down in our notebook sometime during the week.

Sign . . . of zodiac . . . is going to be extremely right for killing Johnson Grass later this month.

Frankly, we don't believe in signs, or at least we never do anything because of them, but we thought we'd pass along the information which was given to us for what it might be worth to you.

According to the report we have, the "sign" for killing Johnson Grass easily will be right Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, August 27, 28 and 29.

All you'll have to do to kill the field-taking plant during those three days is cut off the stalk, according to our report.

We understand, too, that it doesn't always work this way but chances are good, it's seldom that there are three days in a row when the sign is right. This increases chances for the kill being successful.

Sign, we understand, is scheduled to be in the heart during those three days and that's the place it needs to be.

Don't take our word for it. Ask someone who knows. If it turns out to be true, try it. Certainly it won't cost much to check out the theory and see if it's true or not.

If it isn't, you haven't lost much. If it is, you're better off.

And if you try it, let us know the results.

Following comment about, and quotation from, Will Rogers was clipped from last week's issue of The Mansfield News-Mirror. It was appreciated by this department so much that we took liberty of borrowing it.

IN HIS LIFETIME Will Rogers endeared himself to many people, but he won the hearts of the "country newspapers" when he uttered the following remarks -- "Take away my ham, take away my eggs, even my chill, but leave me my newspaper. Even if it has such purely local news as 'Jim Jones came home last night unexpectedly, and bloodshed ensued,' or 'Jess Bushyhead, our local M.D., is having one of the best years in his career, practically speaking -- but they just won't pay him when they get well,' the county seat was packed yesterday."

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Bovina Quarterhorse Show Saturday

Expect 150 Entries

Explosion Injures Hamlett

Bo Hamlett, co-owner of Hamlett Welding in Bovina, was injured in an explosion at his shop Tuesday morning.

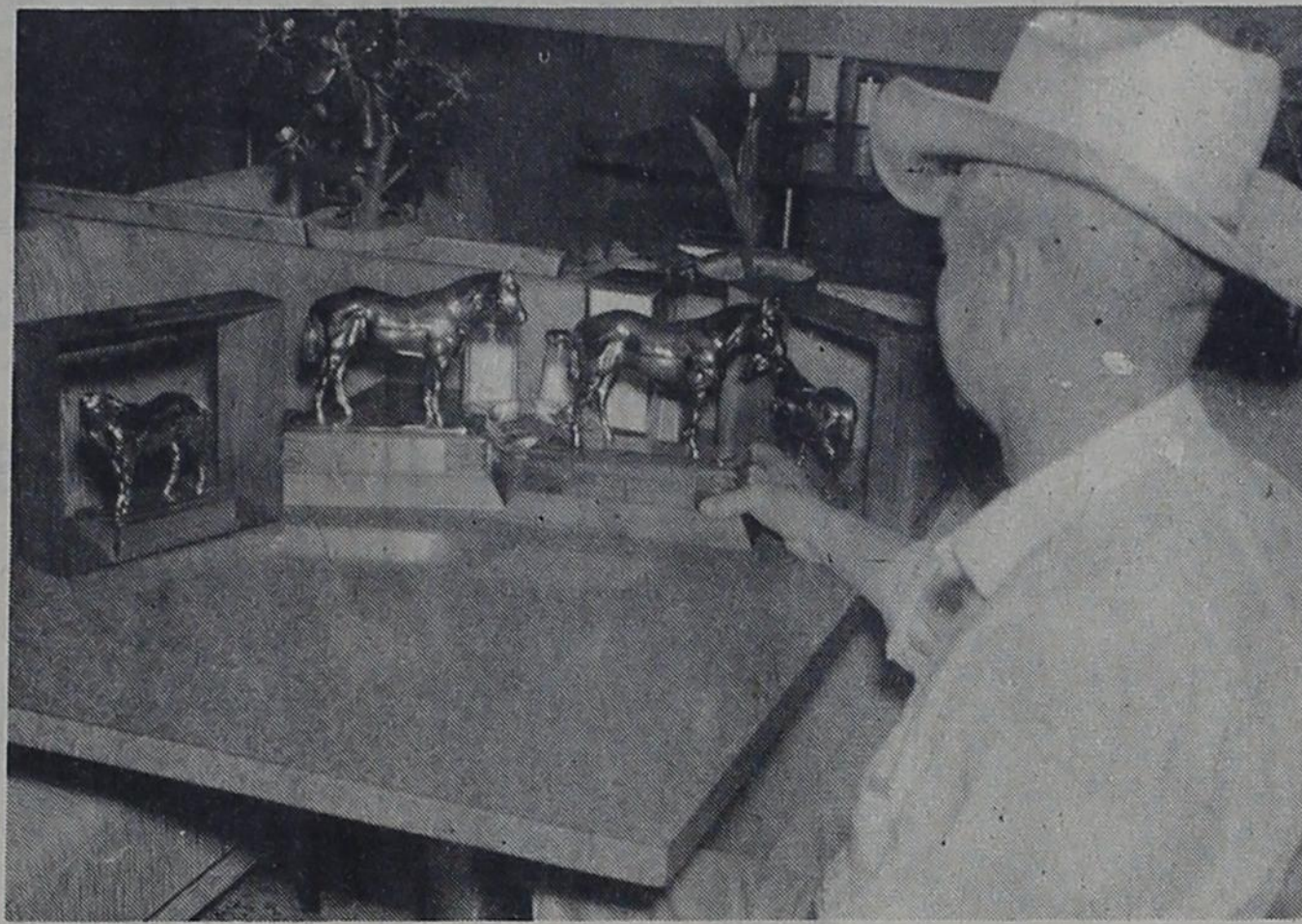
The accident occurred as Hamlett was repairing a leak in a recently-constructed diesel fuel tank.

Time of the mishap was about 9:30.

Hamlett suffered lacerations. He was taken to Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona by Claborn ambulance.

Others in the shop at time of the explosion escaped injury.

Hamlett has just completed building the new diesel tank, according to reports, and was repairing a leak in it when the tank exploded.



DREAMING?--Jess Walling is shown looking over a few of the 26 trophies which will be awarded at Second Annual Bovina Quarterhorse Show which will be here Saturday. Trophies, such as those shown, will be presented to grand and reserve champion stallions, mares and geldings and to first place winners in some 20 classes. Walling will enter his three-year-old stallion, Senior Jaw, and like all other horsemen who will have entries in the show, he hopes to take one of the trophies home with him. A few of the trophies will be on display at Bovina Restaurant until showtime.

Second Annual Bovina Quarterhorse Show will be staged Saturday.

As many as 150 horses are expected to be entered in various halter and performance classes in the show which has approval of American Quarterhorse Association. They will come from throughout this area.

Some 70 horses were entered in last year's show -- first of its kind held in Bovina. Members of Bovina Roping Club, sponsors of the show, expect to have as many as twice that many entries this year. A show at Friona August 4 attracted 119 entries.

Entry fee will be \$5 per horse except for junior cutting horse class which will be \$20 and senior cutting class which will be \$25.

Judge of the show will be Frank (Curley) Daughtery, Olton horseman.

Entries will close and judging will begin at 10 a.m. Trophies will be awarded to grand and reserve champ-

ion stallions, mares and geldings and to first place winners in each class. Rosettes will be presented to horses placing second through sixth in each class.

Col. Jack Howell, Dimmitt auctioneer, will serve as announcer for the show.

Halter classes include 1962 mares, 1961 mares, 1960

mares, 1959 mares, 1958 or before mares, grand champion mare, reserve champion mare, 1962 stallions, 1961 stallions, 1960 stallions, 1959 stallions, 1958 or before stallions, grand champion stallion, reserve champion stallion, two and three year old geldings, four year old and over geldings, grand (Continued on page 2)

MONDAY MORNING--

Man Injured In Explosion

A farm worker was severely burned in a gas explosion at his home five miles west and one mile south of Bovina early Monday morning.

Injured was Jimmy Martinez,

who is employed on farm of Frank Verreto.

Martinez, critically injured in the explosion, drove a pickup to Bovina to summon help following the accident.

According to members of Bovina Volunteer Fire Department who investigated the accident, gas in Martinez bedroom was evidently accidentally turned on, without being lighted, and this led to the explosion.

Martinez was alone in the house at time of the explosion.

After getting help in Bovina, he was taken to Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona by Claborn ambulance. Deputy Henry Minter called Friona for an ambulance and a doctor when the seriousness of Martinez' injuries were discovered.

The explosion was accompanied by a small amount of fire. However, firemen report that Martinez evidently snuffed out the flames prior to making the trip to town. There was no fire when firemen arrived on the scene. Some bedding and clothing were burned in the fire.

Damage to the house from the explosion was extensive, firemen report. Roof of the house was knocked loose from the walls.

Martinez' wife and four children were not in the house at time of the explosion.

SOME 30 EXPECTED--

Football Practice Begins Monday

Bovina Mustang football practice, 1962 version, starts Monday morning at 8.

Some 30 or more candidates for the team are expected to report to Coaches Hallie Gee and Malcolm Kennedy.

Workout sessions will be conducted twice a day through August. After school begins September 4, practice will be each afternoon.

Included in the 30 or more boys who are expected to report are 11 lettermen--five backs and six linemen.

Gee announced this week that he had mailed letters to 34 players and two managers informing them of practice sessions. "We'll be proud to have 30 out," Gee says, pointing out that a few of those who were sent letters probably won't be able to participate in the football program for various reasons.

The twice-a-day practice sessions will be from 8 to 10 a.m. and 7 to 9 p.m.

One scrimmage session with another school is planned. That will be against Class A District Champion Kress Kangaroos there Tuesday, August 28.

Expected to report for practice are nine seniors, nine

juniors, eight sophomores and eight freshmen.

The seniors, who are all lettermen, include, Lowell Boozer, Dickie Clayton, Don Cumpston, Mac Glasscock, Ken Horn, Delbert Morris, Pat O'Brien, Gary Stevenson and Jimmy Wright.

Juniors include Milton Crisp, Eddie Crump, Jackie Dane, Jerry Frazier, Tally Kelso, Philip Lloyd, Jerry Lorenz, Barry McCutchan and Ronnie Taylor. Frazier, Kelso and Lloyd are lettermen.

Sophomores expected are

David Anderson, Gary Beauchamp, Billy Charles, Donnie Dyer, Dennis Johnston, Billy Minter, Gene Pruitt, and Jimmy Redden.

Freshmen candidates are expected to be Andy Ancira, Richard Carson, Joe Jordan, Billy Marshall, Dean Mayhew, Jerry Roach, Scotty Rundell and Radford Venable.

Managers will be Ronnie Glasscock and O. C. Minyen.

First game of the season will be Friday against Springlake. The game will be played there.

AT REGULAR MEETING--

School Board Sells Dwelling

Bovina Gin Co. was highest of three bidders on a school-owned three-room dwelling to be moved.

Bids on the building were opened at a regular meeting of the board of trustees Monday.

High bid was \$801 for the teacherage which is located on

Eighth Street.

Charles Hawkins and Jess Stowers also submitted bids on the building.

Board members set annual school budget hearing Monday, April 27, at 8 p.m.

Mrs. Bobby Phillips, wife of new high school principal, was approved by the board as a second grade teacher.

Board members passed a resolution welcoming Elke Steffens, foreign exchange student from Germany, to Bovina High School. She will be a senior student.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved and current bills were voted to be paid.

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Bible School Enrolls 110

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Classes begin each morning at 9 a.m. and last until 11 a.m., with the adult class being taught by O. H. Taber visiting evangelist.

Friday morning will conclude Bible School classes with a display of crafts and work being shown in rooms before evening church services Friday night.

Weather

by Willie

Looks like a showery season most of this week. No big or general rain.

---Willie

NEW CHURCH--One of outstanding features of new building of Bovina Church of Christ is the auditorium. Completely air conditioned, the auditorium is decorated with brick and panel. Carpeting and padded seats are other features. Church leaders expect to have a dedication ceremony for the new building in about 30 days.

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HERE THEY COME--Cantaloupes, Bovina's most important vegetable crop, began coming into Gateway Produce Co.'s packing shed here over the weekend. Harvest is expected to be in full swing by end of the week. Quality of this year's melons is reported to be higher than usual. Here, cantaloupes are shown being unloaded from side of a truck and then taken by a conveyor belt inside the shed for processing.

RAISES SALARIES--

City Discusses Protests

In a lengthy regular meeting last week in which a variety of topics were discussed, Bovina's city council voted to grant raises in salaries to Water Superintendent Paul Holcomb and City Secretary Mary Ruth Martin.

Holcomb and Mrs. Martin were appointed to their city positions in June and went to work June 18. Salary increases were \$50 each.

Holcomb's salary is now \$350 per month while Mrs. Martin's is \$300.

Coming in for its share of discussion, but no decision,

was situation of a private firm feeding hogs on city-owned property east of city limits (land used for city sewer disposal).

Several citizens had unofficially protested putting hogs on this land after it was reported that hogs would be placed there and fed cull cantaloupes from shed here. The city leases the land to an individual.

Council decided that such a problem was out of its jurisdiction since the land is outside city limits and advised the protesters that if the situation became severe enough

they could ask county health officer to condemn the area for hog production.

Two representatives of Pioneer Natural Gas Co. met with the board to protest recent tax raise for that firm set by city equalization board.

Equalization board set value of Pioneer's property here at \$31,920. Pioneer offered to pay taxes on valuation of \$15,040. Council agreed to talk to members of equalization board to determine how its figure was established.

Commissioners agreed to ask Wilson-Brock Insurance Agen-

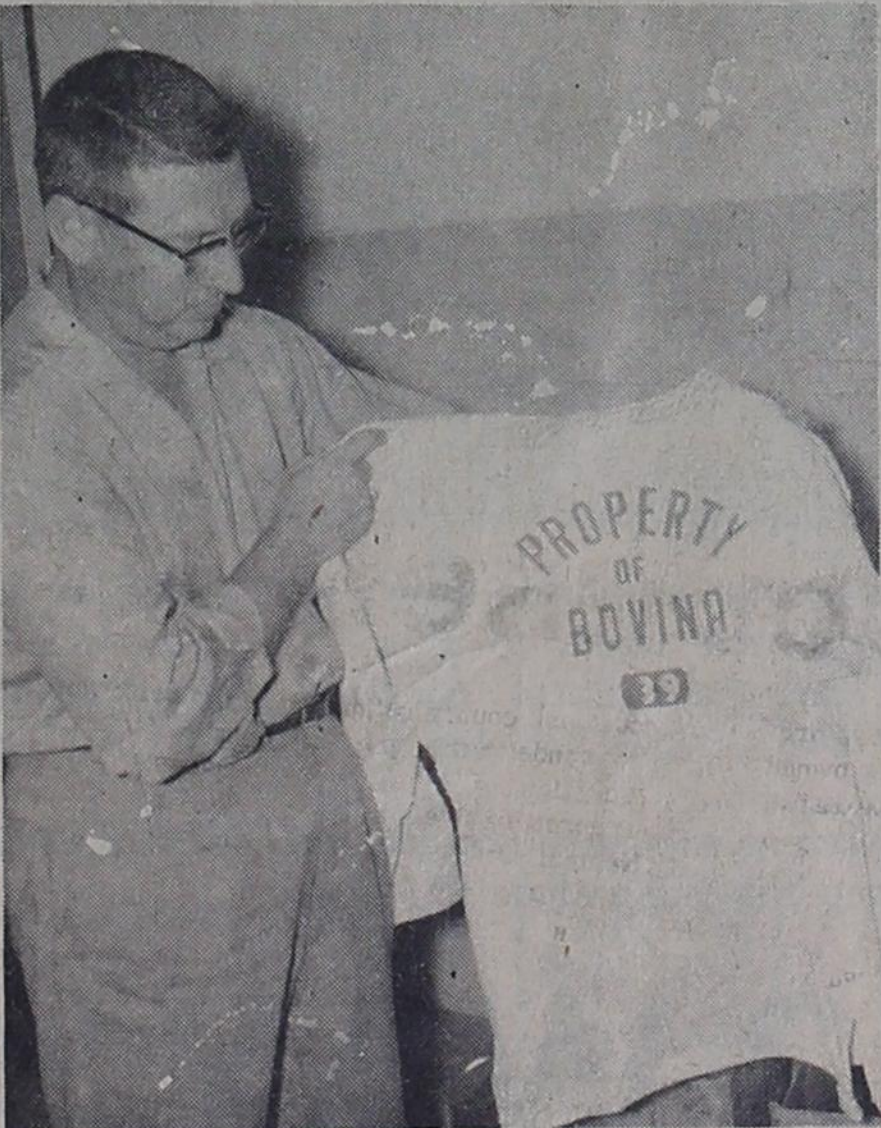
cy to write workmen's compensation insurance for city employees.

H. H. DeLozier of Clovis, city's auditor, met with the group to present a report on last year's audit. The audit was accepted. Cash balance sheet of the audit, which covers from April 30, 1961, to April 30, 1962, is published in this issue of The Blade. It is published by city for public's information and shows city's assets and liabilities as end of April--end of city's fiscal year. City assets and liabilities at that time totaled \$340,515.91.

The board voted to transfer \$1000 to general fund from water and sewer fund with the money being used in paying a water and sewer bond issue in amount of \$598.75 as well as current bills.

A resolution was adopted to close Avenue H between Block 79 and Highway 86 which adjoins highway property at intersection of Third Street and Highway 86. The resolution was a formality so that the property could be deeded to the state.

Bills totaling \$1464.92 (not including salaries) were voted to be paid.



IT'S THAT TIME AGAIN-- Coach Hallie Gee is shown inspecting some new practice jerseys as he gets ready for beginning of football practice. Practice sessions begin on a twice-a-day basis Monday and will continue at that pace until school starts September 4. Gee is beginning his third year as Mustang head coach.

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 Sue Moten Women's News

For Three Days Water Pressure Extremely Low

Water pressure in Bovina, ordinarily luxuriously high, hit an extreme low last week that made subscribers to city water

Whittlin--

day with prominent people from out-of-town, attemptin' to renew their notes, 'election ain't far off, and everybody is up for office that can sign an application blank.'

"Now all that don't seem much news to you, But it is news, especially when you know the people and they are your own folks. So, no mater how punk you think your local newspaper is, why just take it away from you for a while and see how you feel. The old newspaper, I think, is about our biggest blessing.

"So let's all read and be merry, for tomorrow the paper may not have enough ads to come out."

Will Rogers was a wise man!

Visitors In Glover Home

Mrs. Dickie Bryant and children, Gloria and Lamont, of Orange, Calif. visited recently in the home of her mother Mrs. Ether Glover. They left Tuesday morning after a two week visit.

The annual Poultry industry Exposition will be held in Dallas, August 28-30, Hotel Adolphus. Participating statewide poultry organizations, Texas Poultry improvement Association, Texas Turkey Federation and Texas Broiler and Egg Councils, will hold their annual meetings during the same period. Ben Wormell, extension poultry husbandman, says the meeting is a must for those in the industry who want to stay in the know.

Good housekeeping around grain storage bins will pay good dividends, says C. F. Garner, extension entomologist, by holding insect infestations to a minimum. He points out that lots of grain will soon be going in farm storage structures and suggests the bins be given a thorough cleaning and an application of a good residual spray before any grain is stored. Local county agents can supply details on the insecticides to use.

service wonder what was the matter. The low pressure was due to a lack of water caused by an electric motor on one of three city wells burning out and leaving that well temporarily useless, Paul Holcomb, city water superintendent, reports.

The loss of water from this well plus fact that still another well pump wasn't functioning properly left city water supply at a dangerous low.

The 60 horsepower electric motor was put back into operation Friday and water pressure and supply was back to normal overnight--by Saturday morning.

Superior Electric Co. of Bovina was responsible for the motor's being fixed. The lack of pressure hampered lawn watering since there

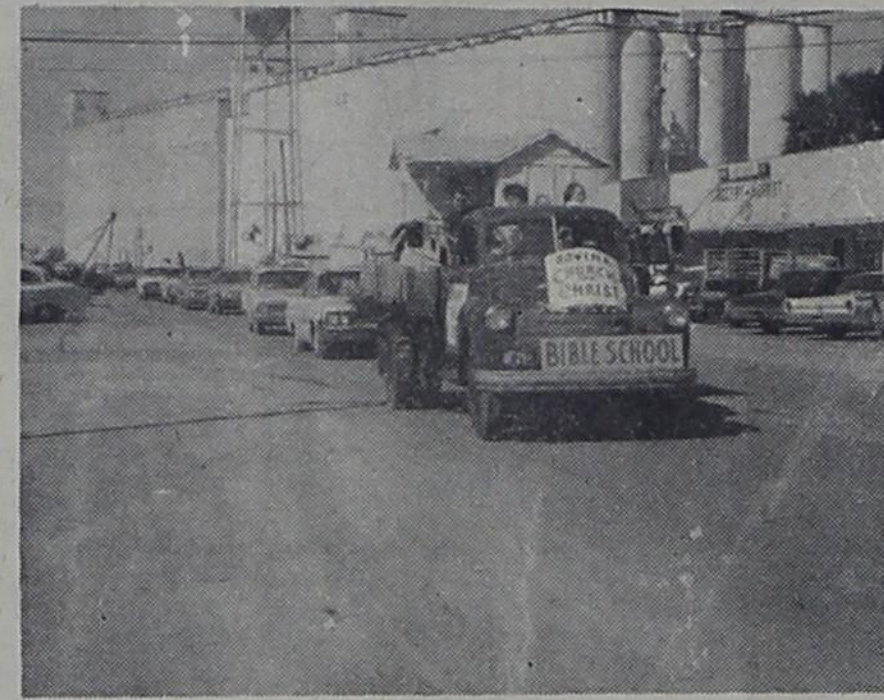
was hardly enough pressure in some areas of town to operate a sprinkler.

There was sufficient pressure, however, for normal domestic use throughout the city.

Quarterhorse Show--

champion gelding, reserve champion gelding. Performance classes are junior reining, senior reining, open barrel racing, junior roping, senior roping, junior cutting and senior cutting.

Trophies for the show were purchased by Bovina, Texico and Farwell businesses. Public is invited and urged to attend the show. Judging is expected to continue through most of the day.



PARADE--A downtown parade started activities at Vacation Bible School at Bovina Church of Christ Saturday morning. This is a view of a portion of the parade as it came down Main Street.

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Change Name Of Warehouse

Union Compress and Warehouse Co. is new name of cotton storage warehouse firm in Bovina.

Announcement of the name change was made recently by D. R. Bushnell, local manager. Former name of the firm was Western Warehouse Co. Bushnell announced that the business underwent no changes other than its names.

Warehouses in the chain of cotton storage facilities throughout the South Plains which had been wearing the tag of Western were all changed to Union, Bushnell said.

School Board--

Superintendent Warren Morton reports that one additional teacher is needed to complete faculty for coming school year. A teacher is needed who can teach English in junior high and typing in high school. Morton expects a teacher to fill the vacancy to be signed soon.

Monday night's meeting of school board was more brief than usual.

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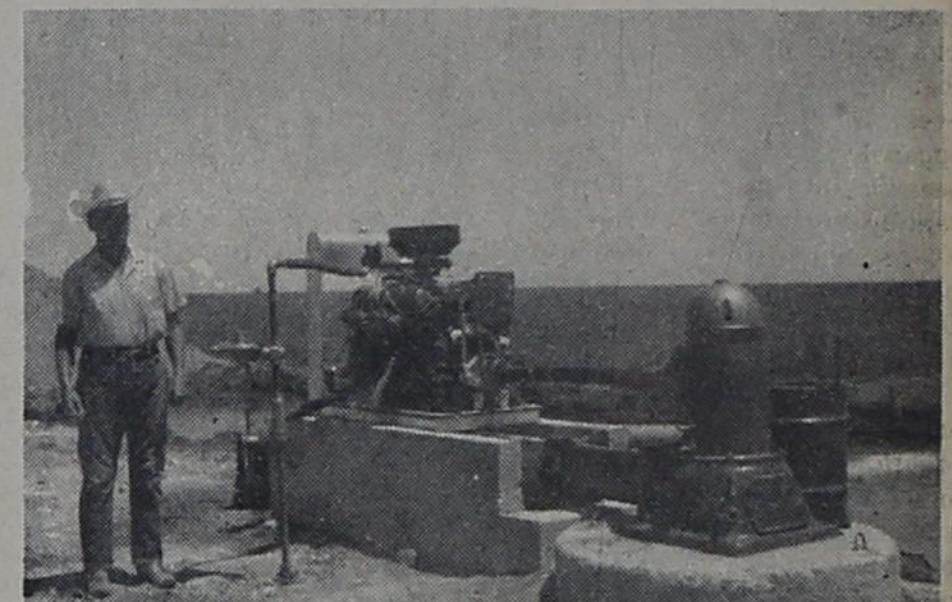
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Blade Sawdust by SUE MOTEN

Had the pleasure of meeting Elke Steffens, the Vernon Estes' fourth daughter, an exchange student from Germany, the other day, and much to my surprise she is like most teenagers in America.

By this I mean she had a ready laugh and a good sense of humor and is well-mannered and gracious. Ellen Marie (Mrs. Estes) mentioned that being from the Baltic Sea area she was not prepared for the warm weather here and that most of her clothing was for cooler weather.

What with the Estes three daughters this really presented no problem since one was about her size and had shorts and sport clothing she could wear. However, when Elke was trying on some of the Jamaica shorts, that all girls are accustomed to wearing here, she was shocked and quite amused that "they are so long." However, after a few times the apparel wasn't so funny in appearance to her and she is rapidly adjusting to her new life. Feel sure the entire community will enjoy Elke's stay as well as her new parents.

The Johnie Horns just returned from a three-week vacation in Florida and according to Mina, that state is plenty hot and there is fish enough to go around. While speaking to her we mentioned how much we like fish, really a broad hint, and the next day she brought us a slice of smoked kingfish. Being a fish lover, but rarely having the good fortune to enjoy fish delicacies, this was a treat for us. Had never tasted smoked fish before but it certainly is delicious.

Have decided the height of an industrious person's ambition would be to be reincarnated as a mosquito so he could bite back. The varmints have reached such enormous proportions that in order to kill one you must first spray heavily with bug killer then attack full force with a folded newspaper. Then the results aren't always favorable. With fertilizer for everything alive and growing these days, am quite sure that the mosquito has had his diet increased to include group or something similar such as "mucho mosquito." If someone could get them marketed as a delicacy such as chocolate grasshoppers the market would boom in Bovina.

Paines Attend Family Reunion

Mrs. Fred Paine, with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Paine, Scotty and Kim, attended a reunion of her family August 10-12.

Hancock family reunion was at Quannah Parker Lake in Oklahoma, where it has been held for past 31 years.

Some 100 relatives of Hancock family were present.

Mrs. Paine is one of four children in the family of 11 who are still living. Others are a sister, Mrs. Joe Wooten of Lawton, Okla., and two brothers, T. A. Hancock of Denison and George Hancock of Carnegie, Ohio.

Mrs. Estes Has WSCS Program

Mrs. Vernon Estes presented program to members of Woman's Society of Christian Service Wednesday at their luncheon meeting.

She reported on her work at School of Missions in Lubbock which she recently attended.

Hosting the luncheon were Mrs. Earl Richards and Mrs. Oakley Stevenson.

Attending were Mrs. Harold Morris, Mrs. Earl Ware, Mrs. Mable Newberry, Mrs. Foul Barron, Mrs. Billie Sudderth, Mrs. John Dixon and Miss Ellen Reminsnider.

Local Women Attend Seminar

Several local Methodist women attended Plainview District Seminar and officers training school Thursday at Trinity Methodist Church in Plainview.

Mrs. Harold Morris taught one of the courses of study. Others attending were Mrs. Billie Sudderth, Mrs. John Dixon and Mrs. Jimmy Ware.

Visit Parents

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dean Boyd and girls returned Sunday following a trip to Kansas. They visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mills, in Mapleton and other relatives in Kansas.

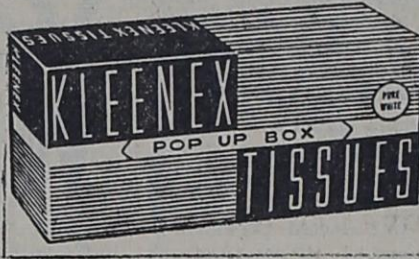
Leon Richards To Albuquerque

Leon Richards, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Richards, is home on leave from Fort Lewis, Washington. He will leave Saturday for Albuquerque, N.M., where he will be enrolling in a nuclear weapons school.

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THE HIGH PLAINS FARM AND HOME

Kay Burleson Is Runner-up In Miss Texas REA Contest

Kay Burleson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Burleson, tied for runner-up honors in the Miss Texas Rural Electrification Contest.



TONDA CURRY

Winner of the contest was Miss Tonda Curry of Ropesville, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Curry. She will represent Texas next year in the national contest in Las Vegas next January.

Miss Burleson tied with Miss Shirley Stafford of Roaring Springs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Stafford. Brainpower, unselfish courage, and tolerance will be the key to meeting the challenge of change for the betterment of all mankind, John B. Connally, Democratic nominee for governor of Texas, told some 700 rural electric leaders last Friday in Corpus Christi. He was the principal speaker for the convention.

He posed three specific challenges for the future of Texas: attracting industry, water conservation, and education; and challenged the ruralelectric leaders to "accept change as inevitable and make it work for the good of all."

Other speakers gave added emphasis to the need for a broad

concern for the welfare of the whole state and to the need for laws protecting the rights of the rural electric systems in the territories which they have developed.

Preston Smith, Democratic candidate for Lieutenant Governor, joined Connally in stressing the need for attracting industry, especially to the rural areas of Texas, and added his own challenge -- that of support for a program of bringing more tourists to Texas.

Clyde Sanders, manager of Karnes Electric at Karnes City, was elected president of the board of directors of the association. Milton Potts, manager of Sam Houston Electric at Livingston, was elected vice-president; and F. C. Luedtke, manager of McLennan Electric at McGregor, was named secretary. New members of the board are W. J. Parks, Comanche County Electric, Comanche; W. C. Casparis, Tri-County Electric, Azle; D. L. Knight, Dickens County Electric, Spur; and Curtis Maynard, Mid-South Electric, Navasota.

Other speakers at the meeting included Richard A. Dell of Washington, D. C., deputy administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration; R. A. Yarbrough of Childress, president of the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association; and Tom Reavley of Austin, general counsel for Texas Electric Cooperatives. Dell, a veteran of 25 years in rural electrification, declared that legislation is vitally needed to keep investor-owned utilities from invading areas developed and served by home-owned rural electric systems. He also stressed the need for generation and transmission facilities which would help free the rural electric systems from "dependence on an unfriendly commercial power company for essential power supply."

Reavley stressed the need for a reappraisal by rural electric leaders of their relations with the investor-owned power companies, with the public, and with the state and federal governments.

"The investor-owned power companies comprise the rich-



EXAMINING SOME of the early cantaloupes being processed at Bovina is Charles W. Flynn, owner-manager of Gateway Produce Company.

Harvest Begins For '62 Cantaloupe Crop

Harvest began this week on the 1962 cantaloupe crop in the Bovina area.

The first melons were picked last Saturday, and the harvest continued Monday afternoon on a 50-acre patch belonging to Tom Caldwell, who farms four and a half miles south of Bovina.

Charles W. Flynn, owner and manager of Gateway Produce Company in Bovina, said the harvest should be in high gear "in about another 10 days."

"So far, the melons look good," said Mario Trevine office manager at Gateway. "We have a good market presently. The demand is good, but we don't have the volume. By Monday, we should have the volume up to

meet the demand," he said. Gateway packed 600 crates of cantaloupes Saturday, and another 400 crates Monday. The picking Monday got off to a late start due to showers early Monday morning.

"The only thing that would hurt us now is the weather," said Flynn. "And that would just delay us a bit," he added.

Price on the cantaloupes so far is \$4 to \$4.50 per crate for number one melons. The are approximately 450 acres of cantaloupes to be harvested this year, which is quite a drop from last year's more than 800 acres. Some of the farmers who raised cantaloupes last year found it necessary to plant maize this year, in order to protect their acreage history in that crop.

There were some 500 acres planted originally, but approximately 50 acres were lost to hail.

In addition to the cantaloupes, there are 125 acres of cucumbers in the area, 80 acres of pepper, 80 acres of cabbage, and various acres of other vegetables.

Gateway officials estimate that in all, there are about 900 acres of vegetables in the area this year.

Trevine pointed out that the local cantaloupes were the only ones in West Texas this year. Other points in the general area, such as Dimmitt, which had several acres last year, did not raise them this year.

All the vegetables seem to be of good quality and yield. Also, the market is good for each vegetable.

Vote Scheduled On Wheat Referendum

County wheat farmers will go to the polls Thursday, August 30 to vote on the 1963 wheat referendum, according to an announcement from the Secretary of Agriculture.

The vote will be on the basis of 55 million acres. The Secretary also announced that the national average support price for 1963 wheat, if quotas are approved, will be \$1.82 per bushel (75 per cent of parity).

est and most powerful industry in this country," he said. "They operate plants valued at approximately 50-billion dollars and serve 140-million customers. It should not be given to these companies to decide what will happen to the electric cooperatives; and yet tornadoes and ice storms do not cause us nearly so much trouble as they do."

"We can still hope for a day to come when we can be a party to their power polls and rely safely upon them for the greater part of generation of power. We might be able to work out mutually satisfactory divisions of territory, should that ever become constitutional in Texas."

J. R. Cobb, general manager of Texas Electric Cooperatives, also stressed the desire to work peacefully with the investor-owned utilities; but he warned that the task would not be easy.

If the quotas are disapproved, support price to cooperators will be on the basis of a national average of \$1.21 per bushel.

"It appears that we'll be voting under the 1958 law, which means that the wheat allotment for Farmer County will be within one per cent of the 1961 crop," stated Prentice Mills, office manager of the Farmer County ASC.

Mills stated that he would announce voting places and times next week.

Any person who will be engaged as owner-operator, cash tenant, standing rent or fixed rent tenant, landlord of a share tenant, share tenant or share-cropper in the production of

more than 15 acres of wheat for harvest as grain in 1963 will be eligible to vote in the referendum.

A landlord of a standing rent, cash rent or fixed rent tenant will not be eligible to vote. For practical purposes, any producer that has a 1963 farm wheat allotment of more than 15 acres will be eligible to vote. Any other person that will have an interest in a 1963 crop of wheat for harvest as grain of more than 15 acres will be eligible.

On the basis of present provisions of law, 15 acres or less of wheat may be planted, harvested and marketed on any farm in 1963 without incurring a marketing quota penalty.

The 200-bushel exemption will not be in effect in 1963.

Mills Elected To District Office

Prentice Mills, office manager of the Farmer County ASC, was elected district director of the Texas ASC County Office Employees Association in an election by mail ballot recently.

The district is composed of 15 counties in West Texas. Elected president of the organization was Jim Whitfield of Lubbock, a former manager of the Farwell ASC office.

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Field Day Set By Foundation

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Guests will also be taken through the new office building, laboratory, greenhouse, plant science building and the 20-saw laboratory gin, before or after the field tours.

Visitors will be served barbecued or fish dinner at 5:15.

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Winners Listed In County 4-H Club Baking Contest

Twenty-two 4-H Club girls took part in the annual Farmer County 4-H Bake Show held Tuesday, August 7 in the Community Room of the Friona State Bank at 2 p.m. The Community Room was filled with cherry and pineapple pies and sweet milk biscuits. Each 4-H member entered eight sweet milk biscuits and one two-crust fruit pie. The biscuits were judged for appearance, color, moisture content, texture, lightness, and flavor. The pies were judged on appearance, pastry, filling, and flavor. Total perfect score was 300 points--100 points for the one two-crust fruit pie and 100 points for the eight sweet milk biscuits, and 100 points for the 4-H record book.

The bakery products and record books were judged according to three age groups. The age groups were nine to ten, eleven to twelve, and thirteen and older. Each 4-H Club girl was given a number which she placed on her bakery products instead of her name. The judges knew

the product by number only. They agreed that all the products were of good quality. Judges were Mrs. H. L. Ivy, Lazbuddie, Mrs. John Lovelace, Farwell, Mrs. Jimmy Briggs, Lazbuddie, and Mrs. Charles Walton, Lazbuddie homemaking teacher. Mrs. Ivy is a former county home demonstration agent and Mrs. Lovelace and Mrs. Briggs are former homemaking teachers.

Janis Billingsley made the highest over-all score of all the groups. She scored 284 out of the possible 300 points. Janis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Billingsley of Oklahoma Lane, will represent Farmer County in the District 4-H Bake Show, September 15, at the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo.

Alternate over-all score was made by Cheryl Ramage, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Ramage of Lazbuddie. Cheryl's score was 266.5 out of the possible 300. Reba Lesley was 1.5 points below Cheryl. Reba, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. U. L. Lesley of Farwell, had a total score of 265.

Risa Howell, Friona, was first place winner in the nine and ten year old group, Ann Black-

stone, Lazbuddie, was alternate. The other 4-H members were Nedda Foster, Kathy Coker, and Charlotte Davis.

First place winner of the eleven and twelve year old group was Cheryl Ramage with Karene Miller, Friona, being the alternate. Vicky Kaltwasser, Marsha Schumann, Patricia Tannahill, Janice Miller, Sheila Vaughan, and Jill Mimms all received red ribbons for their products and record books.

Nine 4-H girls were in the thirteen year old and older group. Janis Billingsley was first place winner and Reba Lesley was alternate winner. Other girls were Katie Blackstone, Judy Koelzer, Sherri Tannahill, Peggy Lesly, Viane Lesly, Darla Howell and Mary Coffey.

Scores were all high enough for the girls to receive either a blue ribbon or a red ribbon. Miss Ettie Musil, Farmer County Home Demonstration Agent, presented the girls their ribbons and complimented the girls on the fine work each had done. Miss Celia Patton, Jr., Assistant Extension Agent, registered the entries.



WINNERS OF the Farmer County 4-H bake contest last week were Cheryl Ramage (l), alternate, and Janis Billingsley, overall winner, who will represent Farmer County at the District 4-H bake show in Amarillo September 15.

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FB Leaders To Attend Policy Meet

Farmer County Farm Bureau leaders will attend a District 2 Policy Development Training Meeting August 22 at the Holiday Inn--Parkway (formerly Parkway Manor) in Lubbock, according to Harry Hamilton of Friona, President of Farmer County Farm Bureau. The meeting will begin at 10 a.m.

H. L. King of Brownfield, District 2 director, will preside at the meeting. J. D. Hill of Lubbock, Texas Farm Bureau field representative, and members of the TFB staff in Waco will assist with the meeting.

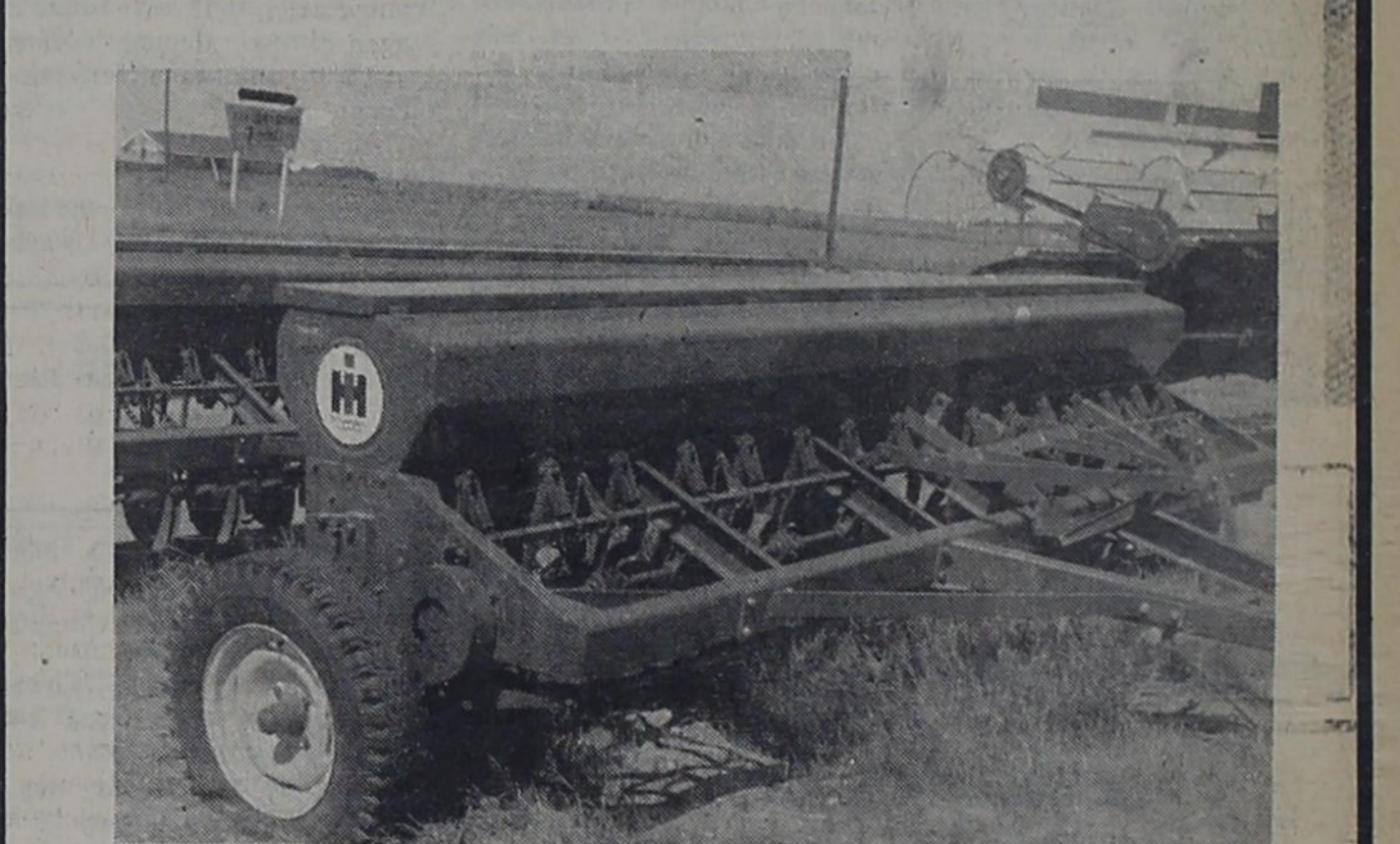
King has specifically invited officers and policy development committee chairmen of the seventeen county Farm Bureaus in District 2.

Similar training meetings are being held all over Texas during the month of August. At these meetings procedures are discussed for obtaining maximum participation by Farm Bureau members in the annual policy development process. In addition, many important state and national problems which are of interest to agriculture at this time will be thoroughly discussed.

Following the District training meetings, county Farm Bureaus will sponsor local discussion meetings on various issues. Out of these meetings will come recommendations which will be voted on in county annual conventions prior to October 31, the end of the fiscal year for Farm Bureau.

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HD Agent's Notes

BY MISS ETTIE MUSIL

Are you interested in trying to beat the heat? You may try serving some delicious frozen orange juice or lemonade to your family, or for your afternoon break. You might mix juices from canned fruit for a quick energy builder, too.

The 4-H Club girls have a delicious cooler that they made this year in their Favorite Foods unit. Try this for a summer drink. Mix 1 cup cold milk, 3/4 cup cold apricot nectar, 1 tablespoon sugar, and 1/4 teaspoon lemon juice together and blend well. Then pour into glasses. This recipe will serve 2.

Lately we have been victims to the mosquito population. During these summer days camping, fishing, picnicing or just out-of-the-house cooking and eating are so popular, but so are the mosquitoes during the evening hours.

A new insect repellent is now on the market that has been developed by the USDA scientists and is sold under several trade names. The repellent is commonly called deet, and diethyltoluamide is the chemical designation.

Deet is effective and safe for general use on the skin or on certain kinds of clothing materials. It can be used against mosquitoes, ticks, fleas, chiggers and biting flies. However, instructions for the use of the repellent should be followed closely.

If the chemical is not properly used it may affect certain paints, varnishes, and some of the plastic materials. It is safe for use on cotton or wool fabrics if they contain no synthetic fibers. Some insect repellents stain certain fabrics.

When smeared evenly on exposed skin areas, deet is effective for several hours. Another good point is that it has little or no odor and it does not cause a greasy feeling on the skin.

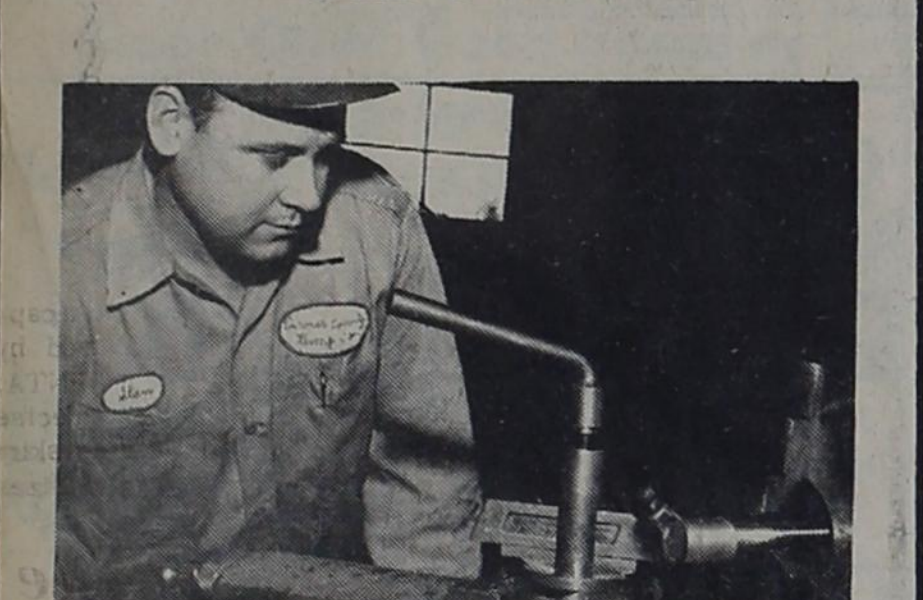
During these warm days perspiration stains on clothing are most common. Perspiration stains normally are acid and usually will wash out of washable fabric. Sometimes the color of the fabric is changed. If so, dampen the stain with water and hold it over the fumes from an open bottle of ammonia. This may restore the color. Old stains may be alkaline. If so, sponge with vinegar.

Perspiration odors may be removed by sponging the stain with warm water to which a few drops of vinegar have been added. Then sprinkle with powdered pepsin. Work the powder well into the stain and let stand one or two hours, keeping the spot moist. Finally, brush powder off and rinse well.

During these warm days we can stay fresh as a daisy with deodorants after a daily bath. Deodorants remove odor only, but antiperspirants check perspiration. In our science courses we were told that antiperspirants could be unhealthy for many people. If a brand of a deodorant irritates your skin, try another until you find the brand that will help you stay neat and sweet summer and winter months.

Perfume and fabrics do not mix either. When applied directly to your clothing, perfume may result in dye rings, color removal, permanent stains and a disagreeable odor upon aging in the fabric.

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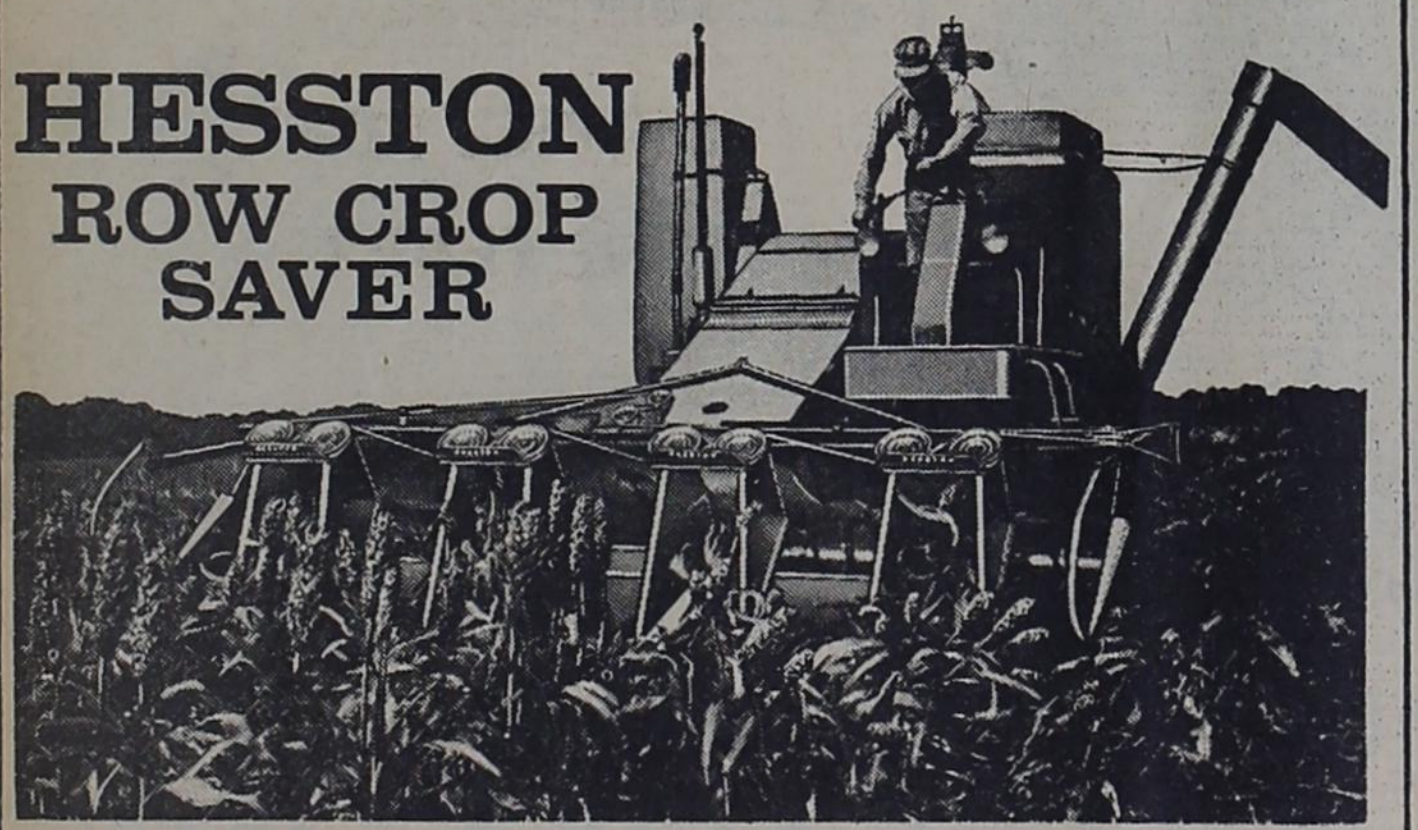


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Gin Investment On Plains Shows A Big Increase

Shifts in the cotton producing areas of Texas and changes in harvesting methods have greatly affected investments in gins, according to Progress Report 2233 of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

The report shows that the Blacklands and East Texas have shown the greatest decreases and the High Plains the largest increases in cotton production. The areas with great declines in production have had comparable declines in the number of gins and those areas with increased production have had opportunities for expanded investment in gins, the report explains.

Cotton harvesting has almost completely shifted from hand picking to hand snapping and me-

chanical harvesting and thus has created a greater need for cleaning devices in the gin to handle this cotton. This additional equipment has increased the investment that a gin owner must make, the report continues.

There are wide differences in the amount of cotton each gin handles and in the areas of falling production they are not handling enough cotton to be economical, the report points out. The gins in the Blacklands and East Texas are not being

fully utilized as are the gins in the High Plains.

These preliminary studies show that model gin plants should be developed as a guide for installing and remodeling gins to get the most efficient operation under different conditions and in different areas of the state.

For details on the effects of the changing cotton picture on the gin operations of Texas, write the Agricultural Information Office, College Station, and request a copy of Progress Report 2233.

The HAPPY HOMEMAKER

BY JUNE FLOYD

Perhaps every homemaker in the Golden Spread area has read about or heard about Tom Anderson, publisher of Farm and Ranch Magazine. He has spoken in the area several times and is one of the most quoted men in America today.

What does this have to do with being a happy homemaker? Really, it doesn't have any bearing on the case. Until recently I had never heard of his mother, but learned through reading a feature entitled 'Collector's Items' that she was a very good cook.

Five of her most treasured recipes were printed in the feature and we are re-printing them here. Those of you who read Farm and Ranch can just read page 38 of the August issue.

Aunt Polk's Grated Sweet Potato Pudding
1 cup raw sweet potato, grated
1 cup sugar
1 tablespoon butter

1 cup milk
1 cup water
1 egg, well-beaten
juice of half lemon
pinch of salt

Combine all ingredients and pour into buttered pudding pan. Bake in a moderately slow oven until firm and crusted. Pull from sides and lift center 2 or 3 times during cooking period to insure uniform texture.

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W. D., F. M. Crook, et al, City of Bovina, Part Lots 1 & 2, Blk. 84, Bovina

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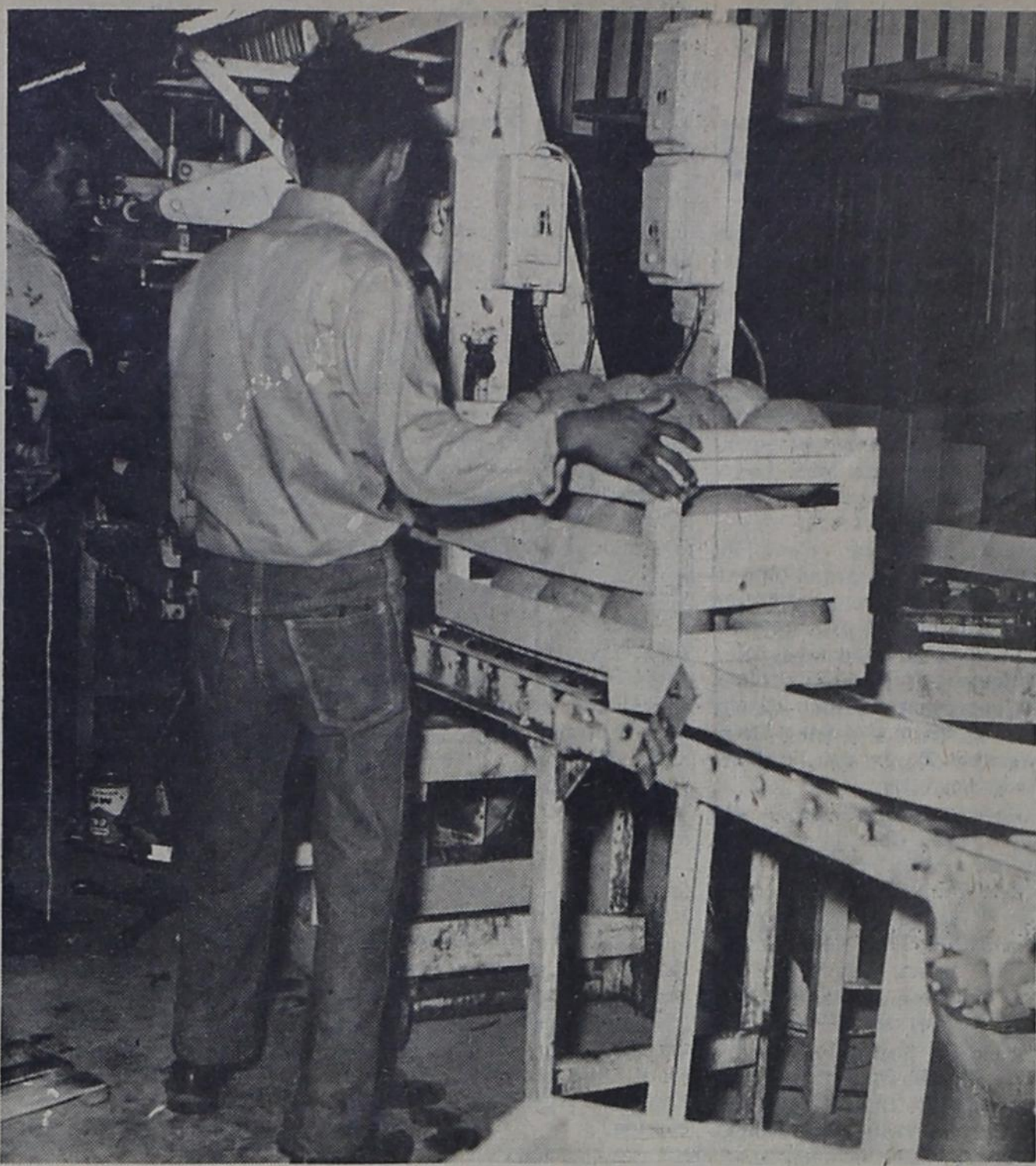
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READY TO GO to markets throughout the Southwest are crates of Bovina cantaloupes, which began rolling to market this week. Approximately 450 acres are to be processed by Gateway Produce Company.

a favorite.)
3 cups sugar
1 tablespoon butter
Juice and grated rind of three lemons
3 eggs, beaten
3 large apples, peeled and grated
3 rounding tablespoons flour
pinch of salt

Place all ingredients in top of double boiler. Stir and cook over boiling water until proper thickness to hold shape on cake. It takes a little time to bring it to desired consistency. Use on white or yellow cake.

Aunt Ella's Angel Charlotte
1 tablespoon gelatin
1/4 cup cold water
1/4 cup boiling water
1/2 dozen stale or toasted macaroons (crushed)

1 dozen marshmallows, cut in small pieces
2 tablespoons maraschino cherries, chopped
1/4 pound blanched almonds, silvered

1 1/2 teaspoons vanilla
1 pint cream, whipped
Soak gelatin in cold water for a few minutes and then pour boiling water over it and stir until dissolved. When cold add macaroons, marshmallows, cherries, almonds and vanilla.

Fold in stiffly beaten cream. Chill. Excellent with angel food cake.

My Favorite Prune Pudding
4 egg whites
3/4 cup sugar
pinch of salt
1/4 teaspoon cream of tartar
1 cup mashed cooked prunes
1 teaspoon vanilla

Beat egg whites until stiff, gradually add sugar, salt and cream of tartar. Fold in prunes and vanilla lightly. Bake in buttered pudding pan and set in another pan of hot water. Bake in a moderate oven until light brown. Allow to partially cool in oven with door ajar to avoid too much shrinkage. Serve with whipped cream.

My Best Devil's Food Cake
First Mixture:
4 squares unsweetened chocolate
1 cup sugar
1 cup milk
2 well beaten egg yolks

Melt chocolate in top part of double boiler. Add sugar, milk and beaten egg yolks. Blend well and cook, stirring until thickened.

Second Mixture:
1/2 cup butter
1 cup sugar

2 1/4 cups flour
1 teaspoon soda
1/2 cup sour milk
2 eggs, beaten
1 teaspoon vanilla

Cream butter and sugar. Sift flour with soda and add alternately with the milk. Add beaten eggs and vanilla. Blend and combine with first mixture.

Combine with first mixture. Pour into 2 buttered and floured cake pans. Bake in moderate oven for 25 to 30 minutes. Allow to cool and frost with favorite white icing.

The Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council passes on this word of caution to those driving in the dry areas of Texas--Don't throw lighted matches or cigarettes onto the tinder dry grass along the highways. Fires are a real threat to the State's range forage.

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"Miss Grain Sorghum" Will Be Named At Dimmitt Fete

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old, come from an area producing grain sorghum and be sponsored by a business or civic organization. First prize will be a \$500.00 college scholarship.

Anyone wishing to enter or sponsor a contestant in this event should contact Mr. Bob Anthony, Chairman of the "Miss Grain Sorghum" Committee, Box 924 Dimmitt, for the necessary entry forms. All entries must be postmarked on or before September 1, 1962.

NEWS FROM THE FARM BUREAU

BY RAYMOND EULER

Time is drawing near for formulation of resolutions to be considered by the membership of Farm Bureau in October. Resolutions chairman John Henderson and his committeemen will be glad to have you talk to them regarding anything you believe would be good for membership consideration.

Other committeemen are John Armstrong, Raymond Schueler and James Norton. Give serious consideration to attending the convention in October, too. The more people present, the more apt are the resolutions to reflect the thinking of farmers in general, and that is what your organization desires.

We hope it will be possible to have a county wide policy development meeting, too, where the various issues can be discussed and formulated before time for action to be taken on them.

County Farm Bureau leaders will be attending a meeting in Lubbock August 22, where many of these matters will be discussed with a view to getting membership participation in decisions that will be forwarded to the State Farm Bureau Convention for further consideration.

We are glad to report that Farm Bureau is responsible for the amendment to the Trade Expansions Act that would avoid lowering tariffs on imported products which would lead to declining income for farmers and ranchers.

There are just a few days left for filing for federal road tax refund on farm-used gasoline. If you have not recently filed for the state refund, come in and do that, too.

If you do not favor the administration proposals for re-vamping the farm program you should be a Farm Bureau member.

CONSIDER THIS: Understanding is a wellspring of life unto him that hath it; but the instruction of fools is folly. Proverbs 16:22.

An important consideration in the machine harvesting of cotton, explains Fred Elliott, extension cotton specialist, is the use of defoliant or desiccants for preparing the cotton plant for the harvesting process. He suggests that growers contact their local county agent for a copy of the 1962 "Texas Cotton Defoliation Guide" for detailed information.

Extension Agents Take Vacations

Both County extension agents, Deryl Coker and Miss Ettie Mustil, are on vacation this week.

Coker and his family are vacationing in Oklahoma, while Miss Mustil, County Home Demonstration Agent, is visiting her parents in Stamford.

Both are to be in their offices as usual next Monday.

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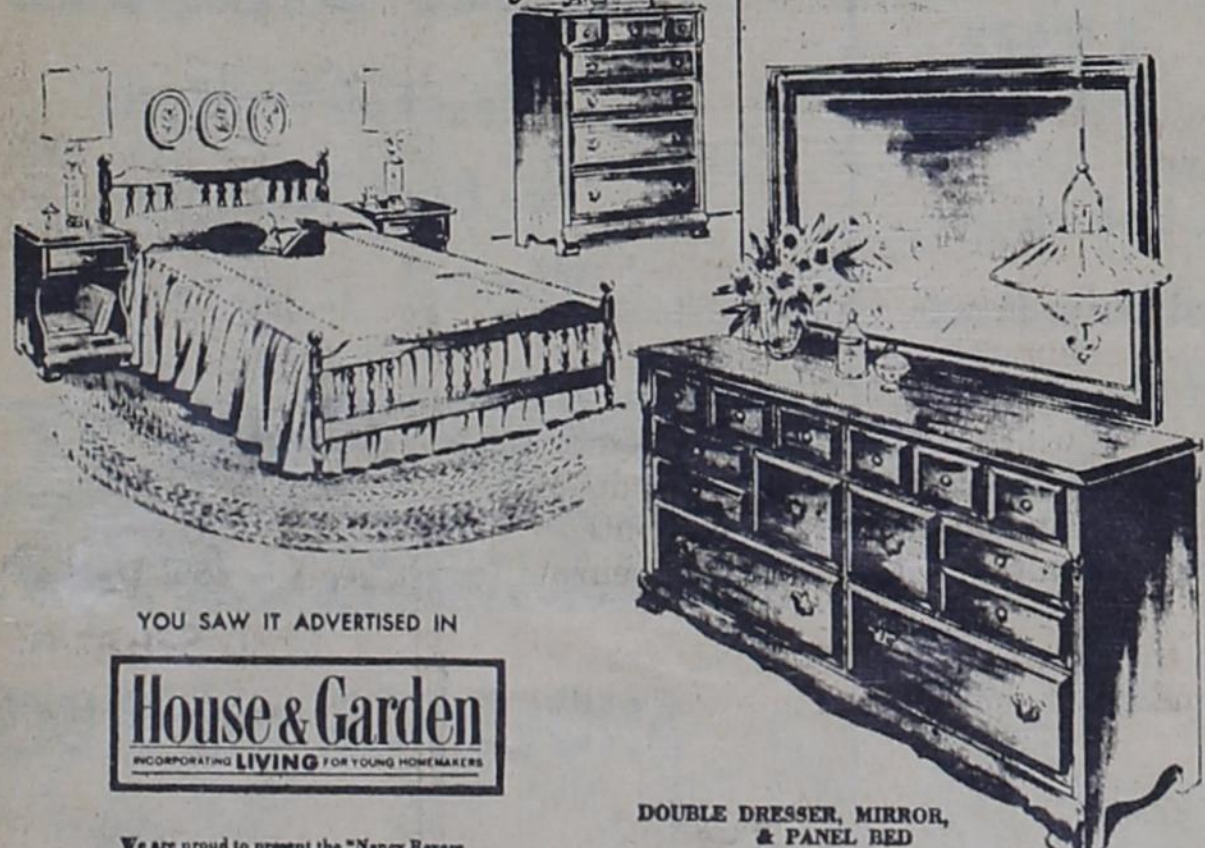
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Of Interest To THE WOMEN

Players To Swim Party

Boys who participated in summer baseball program here are invited to a swimming party at the pool in Texico tomorrow (Thursday) at 5:30 p.m.

The invitation was extended this week by Johnny Green, director of summer youth program in Texico-Farwell.

Also invited, Green says, are all managers, coaches, fathers, league officials and umpires. The swimming party is a

"token of appreciation," Green points out, for two boys baseball teams from his community being invited to play in Bovina's boys baseball league.

The party was originally scheduled from some three weeks ago. It was rained out at that time. "We want as many as will to come," Green says.

Members of Texico-Farwell teams will also be present.

Attend Training Institute

Mrs. George Cervantez, chairman of public relations, and Mrs. Edmund Kitten, chairman of confraternity of Christian Doctrine of St. Ann's Catholic church, attended a leadership training institute recently at St. Laurence's School in Amarillo.

Coffee Honors Mrs. Holcomb

The Weldon Moody home was the scene of a pink and blue coffee honoring Mrs. Paul Holcomb Friday morning.

The honoree was presented with a corsage fashioned of infant toys and tied with pink and blue ribbons.

An arrangement of lavender flowers in a crystal bowl flanked on either side by pink tapers was centered on the serving table which was laid with a pink and white cloth and adorned with baby toys. Refreshments of coffee, tea and Spudnuts were served to guests.

Attending the courtesy was the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Zimmery Boozier, Mrs. John Ferguson, Mrs. Billy Don Pead, Mrs. O. H. Jones and Cathy, Mrs. Travis Lloyd, Mrs. E. H. Moody, Mrs. Dick Steelman, Mrs. Henry Minter and Mrs. Norman Taylor.

Hosting the party were members of Mary - Martha Sunday School class of First Baptist Church.



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Castng an appraising eye at the many gifts presented her at a coffee Thursday morning in the home of Mrs. H. H. Kelso is recent graduate of ENMU, Mrs. Charles Corn.

Courtesy Honors Mrs. Charles Corn

Mrs. Charles Corn was feted with a surprise coffee Thursday morning in the home of Mrs. H. H. Kelso.

Mrs. Corn, a recent graduate of Eastern New Mexico University in Portales received a B. A. degree in mathematics. She completed her course of study in two and a half years and was on the honor roll each semester.

The refreshment table was laid with a white cloth and centered with an arrangement of yellow and white spring flowers in a crystal bowl. Refreshments of coffee, tea and Spudnuts were served to guests.

The honoree was presented with a corsage of white carnations and several gifts.

Attending were Mmes. A. B. Wilkinson, Aubrey Brock, Art Mast, E. R. Hutto, Travis Lloyd, Weldon Moody, R. N. Williford, A. M. Wilson, Wilbur Charles, Mark Charles, D. R. Bushnell, George Cervantez, Roy Dodson, Jimmy Charles, W. E. Williams, R. E. Wilson, Norvell Strawn, Clarence Gauntt and Misses Lillian Fisher, Patsy Lloyd and Pam Wilson.

Those sending gifts who were unable to attend are Mmes.

WMU Has Mission Program

Mrs. Ovid Lawlis, Mrs. Bobby England and Mrs. W. W. Wilcox presented program to W. M. U. Tuesday morning at First Baptist Church.

"Enlistment for Missions" was title of program given.

Attending were Mrs. P. N. Williford, Mrs. J. O. Combs, Mrs. O. W. Rhinehart, Mrs. J. S. Williams, Mrs. Don Murphy, Mrs. Charles Vickers, Mrs. Keith Garner, Mrs. John Ferguson, Mrs. J. B. Barrett and Mrs. Henry Spicer.

Party Honors Miss Shockley

Miss Myrtice Shockley was honored with a farewell party Monday afternoon at the home of Judy Strawn.

Miss Shockley is moving to Mesa, Ariz.

Several gifts were presented the honoree and the hostesses presented her with a lingerie set.

The serving table was laid with a white linen cloth and centered with a single rose in a bud vase. Refreshments of soft drinks, chips, dips and cookies were served to guests.

Attending were Lynn Looney, Sandra Patterson, Maurine Hammonds, Barbara White, Patricia Crook, Shirley Carter, June Gaye Douglas, Joyce Hudson, Patsy Lloyd, Vicki Strawn and Elke Steffens.

Hosting the party were Miss Linda Estes and Miss Judy Strawn.

Mrs. Ben Rejino New President

Mrs. Ben Rejino installed president of Our Lady of Guadalupe Society Sunday afternoon at Parish Hall of St. Ann's Catholic Church. Father Declan Gilligan, S.A. installed officers.

Others installed were vice president, Mrs. Zefferrino Villarreal; Secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Jesus Cano.

The group decided to serve doughnuts and coffee each Sunday at parish hall from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. and a Mexican plate lunch will be served at 11:30 a.m., starting August 12.

Hospital visits will be made by the Ben Rejino family and Juan Ruiz family for month of August.

Following business session a gift of appreciation was presented to Mrs. Jesus Cano, outgoing president.

Attending were Mrs. S. A. Brito, Mrs. Manuel Hernandez, Mrs. Juan Ruiz, Mrs. George Cervantez, Miss Janie Hernandez and officers installed.

Farewell Party Fetes Shockleys

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Shockley were honored with a farewell party Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jones.

The Shockleys, who farm here, are moving to Mesa, Ariz. because of his health.

They were presented with a painting as a farewell gift.

Attending the cook-out were Mr. and Mrs. Lavon Hukill, Mr. and Mrs. Durward Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Servantins, and the hosts.

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CURRENT ASSETS:	
Cash on Hand	\$ 60.61
First National Bank - General Fund	4,351.05
Security State Bank - General Fund	.68
First National Bank - Water & Sewer Fund	6,687.90
Taxes Receivable	3,874.56
Paving Receivable	2,739.38
Supply Inventory	2,638.37
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	\$ 20,352.55
SINKING FUNDS:	
Security State Bank - Sinking	\$ 512.08
First National Bank - Sinking	2,025.48
Citizens National Bank	5,379.32
Citizens National Bank - Bond & Coupon	643.50
TOTAL SINKING FUNDS	8,560.38
OTHER ASSETS:	
First National Bank - Fire Fund (Truck)	\$ 2,250.00
Citizens National Bank - Time Deposit	5,127.50
TOTAL OTHER ASSETS	7,377.50
FIXED ASSETS: See Schedule	304,225.48
TOTAL ASSETS	\$340,515.91
LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS	
CURRENT LIABILITIES:	
Payroll Taxes Payable	\$ 372.99
Interest Coupons Payable	356.25
Note Payable - First National Bank	2,400.00
Note Payable - Ridgedale Addition	8,273.66
Customer Meter Deposits	3,845.00
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	\$ 15,247.90
BOND INDEBTEDNESS:	172,000.00
SURPLUS: Balance 4-30-61	\$129,700.39
ADD: Increase in Revenue over Expenditures	23,567.62
TOTAL SURPLUS	153,268.01
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS	\$340,515.91

Methodist Men Host Social

Approximately 65 attended Methodist Mens Family Night Tuesday evening at Bovina Methodist Church.

Refreshments of home made ice cream and cake were served by the hosts.

Highlighting entertainment were film slides of the Holy Land shown by Jake Outland of Friona.

Return From World's Fair

Returning recently from a trip to World's Fair were Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Carson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Malcom and family of Tulla.

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Fire Destroys Rea's Tractor

Fire from an undetermined origin destroyed a tractor on Carl Rea farm north of Bovina Wednesday night of last week.

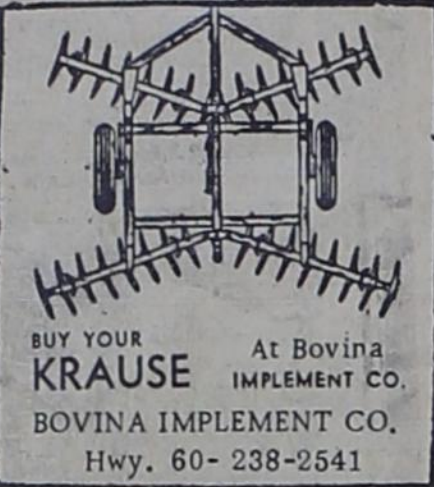
Bovina Volunteer Fire Department answered a call to the fire. Before flames were extinguished, enough damage had been done to the old model tractor to consider it a total loss.

The tractor, a '49 model Massey - Harris, was valued at \$350.

The fire was discovered about 6:30 p.m. Rea believes that the fire started from a short in electrical system.

The round-up coat, for lounge and sleep wear, looks like a cowboy shirt continued to the knees.

WANT ADS



CARD OF THANKS

We take this opportunity to express our sincere appreciation to our friends and neighbors for their acts of sympathy at the time of the loss of our loved one. We will always be grateful for the food, flowers and kind words at the time of our bereavement.

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To Missouri

Mrs. Stella Purcell and Mrs. Pearl Boatman are visiting relatives and friends in Enid, Okla. and Missouri.

Visits Parents

Mrs. Larry Ezell and family of Lubbock visited last week in home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hartwell, and also the home of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ezell.

Ball Season Ends Thursday

Final scheduled activity at baseball field here for season was played Thursday night. Bovina's Babe Ruth team came from behind to whip a group of Little League players in first game of a double header.

The game wound up season play for both groups.

The nightcap was a make-up softball game between Oklahoma Lane Farm Supply and Bovina Dairy Freeze.

Dairy Freeze won it, 15-3, in a loosely played contest that also gave the winner second place in the league for season. Both teams had 4-4 records going into the game.

Glenden Sudderth was winning pitcher while Leroy Kitten took the mound loss. The game was called at end of five innings because of 10-run rule.

Mrs. Wallace Rogers returned Sunday from Dallas where she has been visiting her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lavon Rogers and son.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 6, 1962.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 13 proposing an amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding a new Section to be known as Section 62 and which shall empower the Legislature to provide for the temporary succession to public offices so as to insure the continuity of governmental operations in periods of emergency resulting from disasters caused by enemy attack, providing for the proclamation and publication of this proposed amendment by the Governor.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1: That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas is amended by adding thereto a new Section to be known as Section 62 and to read as follows:

"Section 62. Continuity of State and Local Governmental Operations. The Legislature, in order to insure continuity of state and local governmental operations in periods of emergency resulting from disasters caused by enemy attack, shall have the power to provide for the prompt and temporary succession to the powers and duties of public offices, except members of the Legislature, of whatever nature and whether filled by election or appointment, the incumbents of which may become unavailable."

Provided, however, that Article I of

the Constitution of Texas, known as the "Bill of Rights", shall not be in any manner, affected, amended, impaired, suspended, repealed or suspended thereby.

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1962, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment empowering the Legislature to insure continuity of state and local governmental operations in periods of emergency resulting from disasters caused by enemy attack by providing for the prompt and temporary succession to the powers and duties of public office, except members of the Legislature, the incumbents of which may become unavailable."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment empowering the Legislature to insure continuity of state and local governmental operations in periods of emergency resulting from disasters caused by enemy attack by providing for the prompt and temporary succession to the powers and duties of public office, except members of the Legislature, the incumbents of which may become unavailable."

Sec. 3. The Governor of Texas shall issue the necessary Proclamation for the election and this Amendment shall be published in the manner and for the length of time required by the Constitution and laws of this state.

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OFFICIAL NOTICE

Bovina Independent School District board of education will meet Monday, August 27, at 8 p.m. for purpose of adopting a budget for 1962-'63 school year. Patrons of this school district are welcome to attend this hearing.

Warren Morton Superintendent Bovina Schools 7-2tc

Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS

8-7-62--Joyce Lose, Anchorage, Kentucky, Med.; Laqueta Graham, Friona, Med.
8-8-62--Floyd Banda, Friona, Surg.; Marcella Massey, Friona, Med.; Sondra Nichols, Friona, Surg.; J. D. Kelly, Sr., Hereford, Med.; Ericka Adkins, Bovina, Med.; Mrs. Donnie Waller, Friona, Med.
8-9-6 --Mrs. Gregario Echavarria, Muleshoe, Med.; Joe Aleman, Friona, Med.; Mrs. Jerald Dickey, Friona, Med.
8-10-62--Danny Carrusco, Friona, Med.; Mrs. Gregario Echavarria, Muleshoe, Med.
8-11-62--P. O. Southall, Friona, Med.; Mrs. J. W. Denney, Denton, Tex., Med.; Laqueta Ozbun, Plaquemino, Louisiana, Med.
8-12-62--C. L. Vestal, Neosho, Mo., Med.; Robert Bar-

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DISMISSALS
8-7-62--Mrs. R. L. London; Baby Girl London.
8-8-62--Keith Bryon Koehler; Laqueta Graham.
8-9-62--Esmeraldo Cabarrubia; Larry Cabarrubia; Floyd Banda; Joyce Lose; J. D. Kelly, Sr.; Ericka Adkins.
8-10-62--Mrs. Donnie Waller; Mrs. Gregario Echavarria; G. L. Haney; Mrs. Charles Ricker; Mrs. V. E. Nichols; Mrs. R. C. Davis; Boy Davis.
8-11-62--Rip Snodgrass; Marcella Massey.
8-12-62--Mrs. J. W. Denney; Mrs. Jerald Dickey; P. O. Southall.
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PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 6, 1962.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 70 proposing an Amendment to Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto a new Section authorizing the creation of two (2) hospital districts in Brazoria County, one of which shall include all or part of the West Columbia, Brazoria and Damon Independent School Districts, and the other coterminous with the Sweeny Independent School District, providing for a possible consolidation of the two, providing a mode of funding and also authorizing construction, equipping, maintaining and financing of a home for the aged in Titus County.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Texas is amended by adding thereto a new Section to read as follows:

"Section 10(a). The Legislature may authorize the creation of (2) hospital districts in Brazoria County, one of which shall include all or part of the West Columbia, Brazoria, and Damon Independent School Districts and the other coterminous with the Sweeny Independent School District. The qualified electorate of the hospital districts may, by majority vote of each such district, include all or part of the participating resident, qualified, property taxing voters who may have authorized the creation of such districts, and in no event shall any change of rate exceed twenty-five cents (25c) per one hundred dollar valuation."

"The maximum tax rate submitted shall be sufficient to discharge such obligations, liabilities, and responsibilities, and to acquire, construct, maintain and operate the hospital system, and also providing for a possible consolidation of the two by qualified voters of such districts, and providing for all necessary construction, equipping, maintaining and financing if authorized."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the construction, equipping, maintenance and financing of a home for the aged in Titus County and for permitting the Legislature to authorize the creation of two (2) hospital districts in Brazoria County, one of which is to include all or part of the West Columbia, Brazoria, and Damon Independent School Districts, and the other coterminous with the Sweeny Independent School District, and providing for a possible consolidation of the two by qualified voters of such districts, and providing for all necessary construction, equipping, maintaining and financing if authorized."

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 6, 1962.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 19 proposing an amendment to Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Texas to add a new Section to be known as Section 1-A which shall read as follows:

"Section 1-A. The Legislature may authorize the governing body of any county bordering on the Gulf of Mexico or the tidewater limits thereof to regulate and restrict the speed, parking and travel of motor vehicles on beaches available to the public by virtue of public right or the littering of such beaches."

"Nothing in this amendment shall increase the rights of any riparian or littoral landowner with regard to beaches available to the public by virtue of public right or submerged lands."

"The Legislature may enact any laws not inconsistent with this Section which it may deem necessary to permit said counties to implement, enforce and administer the provisions contained herein."

"Should the Legislature enact legislation in participation of the adoption of this amendment, such legislation shall not be invalid by reason of its anticipatory character."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1962, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to delegate limited zoning powers to any county bordering on the Gulf of Mexico or the tidewater limits thereof."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to delegate limited zoning powers to any county bordering on the Gulf of Mexico or the tidewater limits thereof."

Sec. 3. The Governor of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for the election and this Amendment shall be published in the manner and for the length of time required by the Constitution and laws of this state.