

BANK'S OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE Friona State Bank

at Friona, Texas at the close of business on the 11 day of April, 1949, pursuant to call made by the Banking Commissioner of Texas in accordance with the Banking Laws of this State.

RESOURCES

Table listing resources: 1. Loans and discounts, including overdrafts... \$ 670,779.58; 2. United States Government Obligations, direct and guaranteed... 757,414.00; etc.

LIABILITIES and CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Table listing liabilities and capital accounts: 1. Common Capital Stock... \$ 25,000.00; 2. Income debentures... NONE; 3. Surplus: Certified \$25,000, Not Certified NONE; etc.

MEMORANDA

Contingent Liabilities:

- 1. Liability, account assets sold with or without recourse, where bank has agreed verbally or otherwise to repurchase or guarantee payment thereof before, at or after maturity... NONE; 2. Customer's securities accepted for safekeeping... NONE; etc.

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Farmer:

I, CHARLES E. ALLEN, being Assistant Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of April, 1949.

LOLA GOODWINE, Notary Public, Farmer County, Texas.

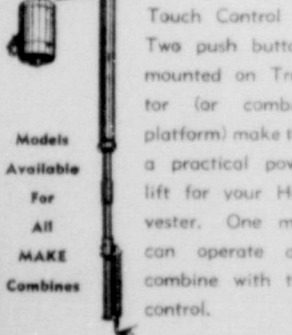
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CORRECT—ATTEST: S. H. OSBORN, J. G. McFARLAND, FRANK A. SPRING, Directors.

Attention GLEANER COMBINE OWNERS

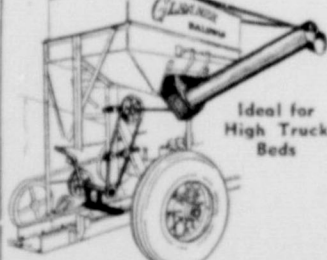
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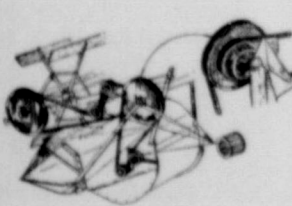
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Two Decades of Jollity

The Twenties opened with every joke writer making almost as good a living out of prohibition jokes as bootleggers in the Silliest Amend-

Handing back the '62 gag' in 1924, Florida began softing back by the karat. You could build a whole comedy that year around a joke about the capitalist who owned a flower pot in Palm Beach. Two years later they were laughing at the people who believed it. Noel Coward gave a worldly, international air to joke-telling in 1925, his imparts being aped in such a wicked way that you began wondering if your aunt was really nice. The decade reached its cockeyed point in 1926, and Daddy Browning inspired one good joke (unprintable) and a million variations of a sick one.

Cat Coodidge who occasionally spoke up notwithstanding all reports, muttered in 1927 that "I do not choose to run" and lifted most gages for a mob of grateful jokesters. In 1928, the last year the American people used their pockets, the Chicago mobsters fed the humorists by shooting pedestrians just to sharpen up their marksmanship. It was kind of jolly joking, but we were a calloused bunch. We had to be to survive what happened a few months later.

The laughter got good and grew some in 1929, with all the punch lines dealing with the Wall Street crash. The popular type of yuck dealt with the market victims who were suiciding from high places. And it was grim for the merry makers in 1930, too. Their best sources were apple sellers, flag pole-sitters and marathon dancers. Poverty had become almost as funny as a slip on a banana peel. Corruption was the 1931 leader to the wage, and we were all holding our sides over cracks about having the best judges money could buy.

Pres. Hoover's party—plus about "two cars in every garage" came back to haunt him all during 1932 in the form of belly-laughs. And we were all so carefree in 1933 that we saw a hilarious situation in the bank failures. For sheer wit you couldn't top anything that reported a pal's loss of his life's savings... An ugly furriner named Hitler, who ranted like a Saturday Bovey drunk struck us all as much more comical than Bobby Clark. While we were howling at his 1934 combinate he ducked off to Austria and assassinated Dolfuss and gave some of us reason to stop laughing. It was better in 1935, when H'wood was the patsy, made so by a comedy called "Boy Meets Girl," when that title became part of the slangage.

Two sleepers, Maine and Vermont, were the comic inspiration of 1936. These two states were the complete catch of an amiable Kansan named Alf Landon, who had been kidded into pacing a walk away for FDR. The WPA work ers kept comedy corners off the relief rolls in 1937. You could woe the party by reporting that a man leaning on a shovel wasn't a statue but a WPA toiler. The pickings were very meagre in the joke pits in 1938, but along came Wrong Way Corrigan to West and land in Ireland. The big magnet in 1939 was the sweater girl, which made it a big year for the smirk, too. The sweater girl is getting pretty matronly after ten years but not nearly so matronly as the gag itself.

There's never been a poorer year for wags than 1940. Things were so tough then that the perl paragraphers and radio authors were having fun with Europe's phony war. My they were sarcastic! A year later, when the blitz came and the Nazi big parade, these amusing characters wished they had kept their silly traps shut. There were no jolting matters in 1941. We were in the scrap ourselves in 1942, and not of the 1917 kits came all the old wheezes about draft exemptions. They were pretty beat-up looking, but they helped a lot until the kisser got rid of their gloom.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Whitefield and son, Otto, spent Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Whitefield's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Griffin of Allenreed, Texas. On the return trip home, they stopped in Amarillo for Mrs. Otto Whitefield, who has been on a two weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. Easton and other relatives near Dallas.



Depression Possible

THERE'S BEEN a lot of petty tattering between the President's council of economic advisers, but there's one unpleasant fact they all agree on. They foresee definite depression in 1950 or 1951—unless steps are taken to head it off.

The council, it will be recalled, was created by congress in 1946 to advise the White House on how to ward off depression. And although the three members differ on a lot of things, they feel that depression can be stopped—though only by the concerted cooperation of the administration, congress, business farmers and labor.

To understand the background of the economic council's vitally important business diagnosis, it should be recalled that for the past 100 years American economy has been riding a roller-coaster of ups and downs, inflation and deflation, of booms and busts.

In the past 30 years these ups and downs have become more severe—so severe that the politicians in Moscow is known to have based its global strategy on the theory that one more economic depression would wreck the entire American system.

History's Greatest Boom

Since V-J day most Americans have been enjoying the greatest wave of prosperity in history for two reasons: 1. The public's unsatisfied demand for goods they could not buy during the war; 2. The cold war, which has caused the government to pour billions into the world's economic stream. However, the council estimates that the long pent-up demand for automobiles, refrigerators and other consumers' goods is now just about filled, while the vast expenditures in Europe in another year will begin to taper off, so that depression will come in 1950-51.

Another factor is the psychological effect of swiftly rising prices followed by dropping prices. If OPA and inflation controls had not been thrown overboard by congress and prices had not shot up so high, business dislocation might not be so bad now.

For, while falling prices at the moment may be healthy, yet a lot of business—especially small business—always gets hurt by falling prices. And the psychological effect of falling prices encourages depression; for people, waiting for lower prices, don't buy.

President's Advisers

The three members of the President's council of economic advisers are:

Chairman Dr. Edwin Nourse, a New Yorker, long-time member of the Brookings Institute, and generally considered the most conservative counselor.

Leon Keyserling, a native of South Carolina, former secretary to Senator Wagner, who has had a long experience in the government, chiefly in the U. S. housing authority. A liberal, Keyserling frequently disagrees with more conservative chairman Nourse.

John D. Clark, a native of Colorado and former economics professor at the University of Nebraska and the University of Denver. Clark usually lines up with liberal Keyserling.

However the council has composed its differences to recommend a program to President Truman which it regards as absolutely essential to a check depression. While all three agree, Dr. Nourse considers the voluntary phase of the program more important, but Keyserling and Clark, though not disagreeing, would place more emphasis on the government phase.

The program which Nourse considers most important is:

Farmers—Convince farmers to grow bigger crops and accept somewhat lower support prices, thereby reducing the consumers' food bill, but continuing a reasonable return for farmers.

Business—Sell businessmen on lower profits per item, thereby getting greater volume and continued reasonable profits.

Labor—Persuade labor leaders not to seek wage increases that will throw the economy out of gear.

Government Remedies

The Clark-Keyserling group, while agreeing with the above, gravely doubts the government's ability to "equalize" business farmers and labor. Therefore, they put more emphasis on hard and fast government incentives which would prop up the economy regardless of persuasion. They recommended:

Increased social security benefits to take care of unemployed and the aged. Present old-age pensions are woefully low and unemployment benefits last only a brief interval after unemployment starts.

Mrs. Carl C. Maurer is in the Clovis Memorial Hospital where she underwent an operation on Tuesday of this week. It is reported that she is doing very well and will be home soon.

MONDAY IS TRADES DAY 16 Cash Prizes Will Be Given Away

Square Dance Festival to be Held in Shamrock on May 7

The Panhandle District is holding its second annual Square Dance Festival at the New American Legion Home in Shamrock, Texas, on Saturday, May 7, 1949. The Shamrock Do-Si-Do Club and the American Legion will act as hosts for this occasion. All Square Dancers are cordially invited to participate. Spectators will be welcome.

Headquarters will be at the American Legion Home, south of Shamrock on Highway 87. The Home will be open at one o'clock in the afternoon for registration, visitation, clinic and dancing. The evening program will begin at eight o'clock in the evening and will run until midnight. Refreshments may be obtained from the American Legion Auxiliary Booth.

The American Legion Home was formally dedicated April 10, 1949 and has a dancing area of 13,500 square feet. This will easily accommodate 130 square dance sets. This will possibly be the biggest and best Square Dance in the history of Square dancing in the area.

A District Organization will be set up during the afternoon by the District Representatives who are in attendance at this festival.

Admission is seventy five cents per person. This admission includes spectators.

For further information address Mrs. Vernon Brown, P. O. Box 127, Shamrock, Texas.

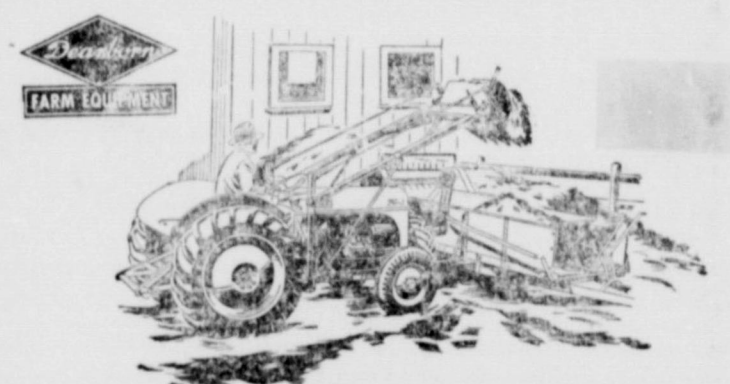
Price of Penicillin Drops



Marie Lynch, of Schenley Laboratories, Inc., in New York, uses a laboratory scale to show that eight bottles of penicillin can now be bought for the former price of one. Once more precious than gold, the drug can now be obtained for less than one-eighth of its 1945 cost.



Newly elected officers of Scottish Rite Hospital are, top, left to right: Nathan Adams, chairman; John L. DeGrazier, president; and Judge Towne Young, first vice-president. Bottom, left to right, are: William H. Duls, second vice-president; Dr. A. L. Frew, third vice-president; George R. Jordan, treasurer; and Asher Mintz, secretary.



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For Sale—Baby bassinett and mattress. Mrs. S. T. Thornton. Phone 2632. 38-tfc

For Sale—Two 12-foot Baldwin Combines. One for \$750.00, one for \$550.00. May give terms. See P. W. Hughes, Friona, Texas. 39-tfc

For Sale—Fryers at \$1.00 each. W. E. Murphy, Black. 40-2p

Anyone wishing to have their trash hauled to the dump grounds, see Obie Malone, at Smiley's Cafe. 40-3c

For Sale—New Tractors. La. A. Case, \$3500. W. 9 McCormick Deering \$3450. 55 K Massey Harris, \$3400. S. E. Goucher, Phone 312 W. Muleshoe. 40-3p

For Sale—1948 Model "G" John Deere tractor. Model "L" Case with starter and lights. 1942 Baldwin Combine. C. V. Potts, Rt. 2, Friona.

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Strayed—From my farm four miles north of Black, one spotted male hog on or around Feb. 15 to March 1. Weight 350 to 400. Reasonable reward. Thurman Johnson, Rt. 3. 41-3p

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our many friends and neighbors for their kind expressions of sympathy and helpfulness during the illness and death of our beloved mother.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Osborn and family
Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Norwood and family
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Norwood and family
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Norwood and family
Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Norwood
Mrs. Christine Bungarner

The D & S Variety Store is closed this week taking inventory for the new proprietors to take over the first of May.

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Martinez are the proud grand-parents of a new born baby boy born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martinez. Mrs. Joe Martinez is the former Miss Lola Martinez.

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Time Is Near For Entries In Essay Contest

The time is drawing near for entries to the annual Vandalia Historical essay contest.

Papers should be addressed to the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society at West Texas State College, Canyon and must be post-marked not later than May 1. Two awards will be given this year, the amount being based on the quality of the entry. First prize can bring as much as \$100.

The essay contest was established by Earl Vandalia of Amarillo for the purpose of stimulating interest in collecting, research and writing the history of the plains country. It is open to everyone regardless of age.

Papers should be typewritten on one side only, double spaced and on 8 1/2 by 11 inch white paper. Reminiscences, diaries, letters or historical documents of all kinds will be acceptable. Emphasis is placed on human interest and general historical value. All entries should be documented with bibliography attached.



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BROWNIE TROOP FOUR MEETS

Brownie Troop number four met at the scout hut on Friday, April 22, to elect new officers for the troop. Faisy Anthony is the new president, Lila Gay Buske, vice-president, and Linda Gay Gee was elected scribe.

After the election of officers 15 brownies and two leaders, Mrs. J. G. McFarland and Mrs. C. L. Dunn enjoyed a weiner roast.

Brownies present were Joyce Hadley, Bonnie Jean Stowers, Lila M. Buske, Donna Jean Sutt, Betty Agee, Lila Gay Buske, Linda Gay Gee, Loretta O'Brien, Doris Jane McFarland, Jan Edelman, Kathryn Dunn, Barbara Lou Crow, Carla Sue Crosthwaite, Carolyn Collins, and Paty Anthony.

LEGAL NOTICE

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING TRAFFIC UPON THE PUBLIC STREETS, ALLEYS AND OTHER THOROUGHFARES IN THE CITY OF FRIONA, TEXAS, AND FIXING PENALTY FOR VIOLATIONS IN ANY SUM NOT TO EXCEED \$100.00 AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF FRIONA, TEXAS, REGULATING THE SOLICITATION OF MONEY AND GIFTS FOR RELIEF OR FOR ANY OTHER CHARITABLE PURPOSES BY ANY PERSON OR PERSONS, INSTITUTIONS, OR ORGANIZATIONS, REGULATING THE REGISTRATION WITH THE CITY CLERK OF PERSONS, INSTITUTIONS, OR ORGANIZATIONS SOLICITING CONTRIBUTIONS AND PROVIDING FOR A PENALTY FOR THE VIOLATION OF THIS ORDINANCE NOT TO EXCEED \$100.00 AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE SALE OF BANKRUPT FIRE OR WATER DAMAGED STOCKS OF MERCHANDISE OR GOODS, WARE, MERCHANDISE OR ANY OTHER COMMODITY BY ITINERANT MERCHANTS REGULATING THE SOLICITING, SELLING OR TAKING ORDERS FOR GOODS, WARE, MERCHANDISE, SUBSCRIPTIONS TO MAGAZINES OR NEWSPAPERS, EXPOSING PHOTOGRAPHIC PLATES OR FILMS TO MAKE NEGATIVES OR MAKE PICTURES OR PHOTOGRAPHS FOR FUTURE DELIVERY OR ANY OTHER ARTICLE FOR FUTURE DELIVERY BY ANY PERSON WHO GOES FROM HOUSE TO HOUSE OR FROM PLACE TO PLACE IN THE CITY OF FRIONA, TEXAS, REQUIRING SUCH PERSON TO APPLY FOR AND OBTAIN A PERMIT OR LICENSE THEREFOR, REQUIRING A SURETY OR OTHER BOND WHERE APPLICANT FOR PERMIT OR LICENSE WILL RECEIVE DEMAND AND/OR ACCEPT PAYMENT AND/OR DEPOSIT MONEY IN ADVANCE OF DELIVERY OF ARTICLES SOLD, FIXING FEES TO BE CHARGED FOR VARIOUS CLASSES OF LICENSES OR PERMITS PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR THE VIOLATION OF THIS ORDINANCE IN ANY SUM NOT LESS THAN \$10.00 AND NOT MORE THAN \$100.00 AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

AN ORDINANCE LEVYING AN OCCUPATION TAX ON EVERY PERSON FIRM CORPORATION OR ASSOCIATION OF PERSONS PURSUING ANY OCCUPATION TAXED, OR THAT MAY BE HEREAFTER TAXED, BY THE OCCUPATION TAX LAW OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, FIXING THE AMOUNT OF SUCH TAX AT ONE-HALF THE STATE TAX AND PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR ITS VIOLATION NOT TO EXCEED \$100.00 AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

The above ordinances were passed at the regular meeting held the nineteenth day of April. Copies of these ordinances are on file in the city office for anyone interested in reading them. The length of these ordinances prohibits publication of the entire ordinance.

Cecil Foster of Littlefield visited his mother, Mrs. Lucille Foster and other relatives here last week-end.
Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Buchanan were business visitors in Clovis Tuesday.

Wayland Campus Favorites



Being confined to a wheel chair did not keep Lorene Gunter of Groom from being elected as one of the campus favorites at Wayland College. Her partner is Jack Jeter of Sagerton, popular sophomore ministerial student. Lorene is majoring in education and plans to enter some special religious work.

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Mr. Bradley visited in the D. E. Habbinga home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ragan and daughter, Lucille Foster, left Wednesday morning to visit with relatives and friends in Memphis, Texas. They will return Sunday.

Jannie Weis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Weis of Las Cruces, New Mexico, has been visiting for the past three weeks in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Weis.

Lighter Than Meringue



Robert Sterling, Westinghouse chemist who developed the substance, compares a chunk of his new lightweight plastic with a panful of fluffy pie meringue. Despite the difference in mass, the two balance each other at five ounces. Titled "the world's lightest solid," the new plastic foam was developed for use as an insulating material. One of its chief advantages is that it can be transported in liquid form and foamed into place wherever needed, thus saving considerable shipping space.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF ELECTION
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF PARAMER
 TO THE RESIDENT, QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF PARAMER COUNTY TEXAS, WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID COUNTY AND WHO HAVE DULY RENDERED THE SAME FOR TAXATION:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in Paramer County, Texas, on the 28th day of May, 1949, on the proposition and in the places more particularly set forth in the election order passed by the Commissioners' Court of said County on the 28th day of April, 1949, which is as follows:

"AN ORDER CALLING AN ELECTION ON THE PROPOSITION OF THE ISSUANCE OF \$1,150,000.00 OF ROAD BONDS AND THE LEVY OF AN AD VALOREM TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF.

WHEREAS, there has been presented for the consideration of the Court a petition signed by C. W. Dixon and more than fifty other persons praying that an election be held in Paramer County on the proposition of the issuance of Road Bonds of said County in the amount of \$1,150,000.00 and the levy of an ad valorem tax in payment thereof; and WHEREAS, the Court has found that said petition is signed by more than fifty of the resident, qualified property taxpaying electors of Paramer County owing taxable property in said County and who have duly rendered the same for taxation; and WHEREAS, the amount of bonds to be issued will not exceed one fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said County:

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED BY THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF PARAMER COUNTY, TEXAS:

1. That an election be held in said County on the 28th day of May, 1949, which is not less than thirty (30) days from the date of this order, to determine:
 - "Whether or not the bonds of said County shall be issued in an amount of \$1,150,000.00 bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 3-1/2% per annum, payable annually or semi-annually, and maturing at such time as may be fixed by the Commissioners' Court, serially or otherwise, in not to exceed thirty (30) years from the date thereof, for the purpose of the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, gravelled or paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof throughout Paramer County, Texas; and whether or not ad valorem taxes shall be levied annually on all taxable property in said County sufficient to pay the annual interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the bonds as their maturity."
 - 2. That the proceeds of such bonds, if authorized, shall be expended in the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, gravelled or paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof throughout Paramer County, Texas.
 - 3. That said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 3, Title 22, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925 as amended by Chapter 16, Acts of the First Called Session of the 39th Legislature.
 - 4. All persons who are legally qualified electors of this State and of this County, and who are resident, qualified property taxpaying electors of this County, owning taxable property in said County and who have

7. The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the General Laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections, when not in conflict with the provisions of the Statutes hereinabove cited.

8. Notice of said election shall be published in a copy of this order in the "State Line Tribune," a newspaper published in the County, for three (3) successive weeks before the date fixed for holding said election. In addition thereto, there shall be posted other copies of this order at four public places in the County, one of which shall be at the County Clerk's office. For three (3) weeks prior to said election.

9. The County Clerk is hereby directed to publish and post the same as herein above directed, and further orders are reserved until the returns of said election are made by the duly authorized election officers and received by the Court.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 26 day of April, 1949.

A. D. SMITH, County Judge, Paramer County, Texas.

ATTEST:
 LOUIE A. BREWER, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk, Commissioners' Court, Paramer County, Texas.

duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all electors shall vote in the election precinct of their residence.

5. The ballots of said election shall have written or printed thereon the following:

"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF ROAD BONDS AND THE LEVY OF AN AD VALOREM TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF"

"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF ROAD BONDS AND THE LEVY OF AN AD VALOREM TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF"

Each voter shall draw a line through one of the above expressions, thus leaving the other as indicating his vote.

6. The said election shall be held at the several polling places in Paramer County, Texas, and the following named persons are hereby appointed as officers of said election at the several voting precincts as follows:

In Precinct No. 1 at Black in School House, with the following election officers:
 Bill Edelman, Presiding Judge, Fern Barnett, Judge, Bruce Parr, Clerk, Clyde Hays, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 2 at Friona in School House, with the following election officers:
 J. Crawford, Presiding Judge, C. V. Goodwin, Judge, F. W. Reeve, Clerk, Elmer Ealer, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 3 at Bovina in School House, with the following election officers:
 Sam Sides, Presiding Judge, C. C. Christian, Judge, L. M. Grisson, Clerk, G. H. Lindon, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 7 at Rhea in Township office, with the following election officers:
 Melvin Sachs, Presiding Judge, T. F. Taylor, Judge, Jack Woltman, Clerk, J. O. Stevens, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 8 at Lakeview in Otho Whitefield Home, with the following election officers:
 Otho Whitefield, Presiding Judge, Fred Parker, Judge, Pearl Hand, Clerk, Claude Miller, Clerk.



The men, bless 'em, love any food with chocolate flavoring and it's the thoughtful wife who keeps chocolate cookies on hand in the cookie jar for between-meal nibbling. For Chocolate Meringue Cookies mix together 2 cups sifted confectioners sugar, 1 tsp flour, 3/4 tsp salt, beat 3 egg whites until stiff. Add sugar mixture 2 tbsps at a time until thoroughly blended. Fold in 3 squares unsweetened chocolate (melted and cooled), 1/4 cup shredded coconut and 1 tsp vanilla. Drop from tea spoon on lightly greased baking sheet. Bake in moderate gas oven, 135°-140° for 10 minutes.

A two or three-burner gas hot plate is inexpensive to operate and a helpful addition to the laundry when starch must be cooked at handkerchiefs' level.

If your family likes pork chops try simmering them in pineapple juice over a low flame. Then place in a 400-degree oven for about 20 minutes.

Colored clothes that can be safely washed with white laundry can also be dried with white clothes in your automatic gas dryer. It holds approximately the same amount as the washer so that each load can be dried immediately after washing.

Save the juice from cooked dried fruits to make a flavorful chilled fruit drink.

To peel tomatoes easily and quickly spear them on a long fork and hold over the gas flame while turning. The heat loosens the skin.

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FRIONA STAR OFFICE

Weather and Farming

The heavy rains which fell here during the early part of last week, when we received near two inches of water, made the ground so wet that it was out of the question for farmers to work in their fields during the week.

However, the sun came out brightly on Wednesday and a gently breeze blowing most of the time has helped the ground to dry rapidly on the surface, and this week practically every farmer in this locality, who is not attending court, is busy in the field, either discing or planting. If no more rain comes this week there will be hundreds of acres of the various row crops planted.

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Radio Students Take Over KFDA

Radio students at West Texas State College will have a radio station for a day.

On May 6, the students will operate Station KFDD in Amarillo for the entire 19-hour programming of that station. It will be the concluding activity of a busy year's radio work on the campus.

KFDA engineers will be the only members of the station who will remain on duty. Even the reception desks will be taken over by students. All regularly scheduled network shows of the American Broadcasting Company will be carried and the usual transcribed features will go on as usual. The station is heard at 1440.

Will Build Residence

J. L. Landrum of the Truitt & Landrum Lumber Co. has purchased a lot on Main Street north of Mr. Lange's residence and is preparing to erect a home there. Mr. Landrum tried to rent a house but it seemed a thing impossible to do. He has the material mostly all cut for his new home and the work of construction will be rapid when he gets it started.

F. S. Truitt, also of the Truitt & Landrum Co., has broken ground preparatory to building a residence on the corner lot east of the Congregational Church. Each of these buildings will be completed in the not distant future.

A Few Cases of Pneumonia

Dr. McElroy reports a few cases of pneumonia in Friona and vicinity. Otherwise, health conditions are generally good.

Daisy Dee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Parr has pneumonia, likewise the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Lange and of Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Maurer. None of these cases are serious and the two latter are out of danger.

Walter Talbot was still suffering considerably from the fever but fever was gradually abating.

SANTA FE CARLOADINGS ARE DOWN

Santa Fe System carloadings for week ending April 23, 1949, were 22,275 compared with 28,975 for same week in 1948. Cars received from connections totaled 11,409 compared with 12,549 for same week in 1948. Total cars moved were 33,324 compared with 40,724 for same week in 1948.

Santa Fe handled a total of 3,812 cars in preceding week of this year.

ADD TO THE IMPRESSIVE LIST OF WEST TEXAS ATHLETES WHO HAVE ACHIEVED ALL-STATE HONORS THIS YEAR!

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 ROOSEVELT HIGH

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GORDON MELL
 GOING TO PLAY BALL FOR THE BOKER GOSSERS THIS SEASON AFTER ALL!

WHITEFACES H.V. Stanton

BELOVED VETERAN OF 28 YEARS IN THE COACHING PROFESSION, NO LONGER WILL BE DIRECTING THE FOOTBALL DESTINIES OF THE HEADFORD WHITEFACES NEXT FALL HE HAS TURNED TO HIS CAPABLE ASSISTANT DALTON CRISWELL.

DALTON CRISWELL
GIT ALONG LITTLE DOG!

INTRODUCING PANHANDLE SPORT WRITERS

Lester H. Campbell of the McLEAN NEWS

EX-SAILOR WORLD WAR II

WON DISTRICT DOUBLES WITH Dr. Dale W. Watkins, M.D. IN CHILDRESS TOURNEY

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FROM FRIONA STAR FILES: Just Twenty-Three Years Ago

and the doctor expected it to be entirely gone by Wednesday, and this he said, would be the critical stage for the patient. However he did not anticipate any serious results.

Sold 1,075 Acres

C. M. Pressley of Farwell, who is associated with the Capitol Reservations Lands in their immense land sale going on in Paramer county, was in Friona Monday and stated that on Saturday he had sold 1,075 acres.

This would be considered a good days work for one man, but it seems that it is an ordinary occurrence for the salesmen of that institution. The above sales were made to two buyers, as follows: 750 acres lying three miles west of Friona were sold to a lady and her son, the remainder was a tract lying south of Homestead. Both of these parties were from Oklahoma, one from Stillwater and the other from Woodward. All these parties are planning to locate on their land within the near future and begin preparing it for crops.

Mr. Pressley also stated that on Tuesday of this week he would have twelve prospective purchasers from Corn, Oklahoma. Of the people who come here home-seeking, by far the larger part of them buy land.

Louisa Schlenker, and Ralph G. Wilson, a few intimate friends of the bride and groom being present.

Miss Louisa is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Schenker of Friona and has lived here since her girlhood being a graduate of the Friona High School, and at the time of her marriage was attending college at Canyon.

Mr. Wilson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wilson of O'Donnell, Texas and a nephew of Mrs. B. T. Galloway of this place. Many of the young people here know Mr. Wilson as he visited in the Galloway home about a year ago.

Immediately after the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson left for their home in O'Donnell. Their many friends here extend congratulations and best wishes to them.

HEALTH NOTES

AUSTIN, TEXAS - Countless thousands of lives are lost annually throughout the nation, from diseases that are transmitted by the common housefly. Dysentery, diarrhea, typhoid fever, tuberculosis and many other disabling and even fatal diseases are spread by flies, and the control of houseflies becomes of great importance when considered in the light of public health.

Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, says that in order to protect our families we should make sure our homes are fly-proof through proper screening, and then concentrate on eliminating filth, garbage and other breeding places for flies.

"See that your windows, doors, and porches are screened so that the stray fly from some careless neighbor cannot molest your family," Dr. Cox said, "and make sure that your grocer observes proper sanitation standards and keeps your meat, food and vegetable supplies screened from flies."

"Then direct your efforts to eliminating all fly breeding places such as open garbage pails, open privies and other filth that offers the fly proper warmth, moisture and food. Flies thrive on filth, and inasmuch as one female housefly will lay from 600 to 1000 eggs per season, it can easily be seen that one breeding place left available in a community, can be responsible for a tremendous horde of flies."

Dr. Cox recommended organized community efforts as being effective in ridding a community of flies, and emphasized that no matter how clean one family's home and premises are, they are still not safe if another home down the street leaves exposed filth where flies can breed.

M. D. Scott Locates Northwest of Town

M. D. Scott of Hollis County, Oklahoma, is here this week to begin plowing on a section of land about six miles northwest of town which he owns in partnership with J. J. Horton of this place.

Messrs. Horton and Scott propose to break out the entire section this spring and plant it to row crops. They expect to get the work well under way this week.

Mr. Scott was accompanied here by his father-in-law, Mr. Mark Bayliss, who is here visiting the country. He and Mr. Scott will probably walk back to Oklahoma this week, as Mr. Scott has sold his car since coming to Friona.

Schlenker-Wilson

A very quiet wedding was solemnized at 6 o'clock Monday evening, April 12th at the Methodist church at Canyon, when Rev. Beaver united in marriage Miss

Stacy Queen announced his candidacy for the office of Hide and Animal Inspector for Paramer County, against T. N. Jasper, who is running for reelection.

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