

Squaws Meet Sudan Tonight

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Lasses Falter Friday

Residents of the community concur with the editor in the observation that the manners of drivers in the city limits have improved considerably within the past few months.

This is not intended to be a horn-tooting column, even though we do say that we were among the first to say publicly and repeatedly that Friona's in-city driving needed taming down, but rather, we want to pass a compliment on to the local constabulary for its effect on four-wheeled smart alecks.

With Jim and Herman on the prowl around town, we can hardly stand the thought of making a U-turn in the middle of the block for fear they may be watching.

This consciousness of driving regulations may be more acute in our case than in the case of the average Friona driver, but others have also commented to us that they have made some real efforts to reform their habits at the wheel when motoring in the city limits. And after all, that's what good law enforcement bodies are supposed to do—discourage or prevent the breaking of the law, rather than concentrate on apprehension and punishment of offenders.

Jake Lamb and his pals are going to have to get together. He thinks the Joe Pool bill to provide a run-off in the coming senate election (if nobody gets a majority vote) is a good idea.

Liberal leaders across the state think the idea stinks, and claim Allan Shivers and "machine politics" are behind it.

H. M. Baggarly over at Tulia has let go a broadside that nearly shook the Linotypes out of his plant, and Ronny Duger in The Texas Observer (liberal statewide publication) is so vehement we tremble when we read his words.

All of which leaves us scratching the editorial head, since we wonder just what side is which side. Politics is still as mixed up as it ever was; we're glad the office of editor is not an elective one.

Jay Claborn, or somebody in the local chamber of commerce, is taking the bull by the horns. Seldom before have we seen such an ambitious money-raising program as was cooked up last week and fired at the businessmen and civic leaders of the town.

Any businessman who has been in operation for at least five years has had enough sad experiences to convince himself that everything that's worth anything costs m-o-n-e-y. Inferior (though less expensive) merchandise always seems to cost more in the long run.

It's seemed strange to us that this lesson has never been applied to various organizations in the community. A man should expect to get back just about what he's invested in it.

Maybe the Jonah is finally swinging around. Maybe local merchants, smart in so many ways (or they wouldn't last six months in today's competitive economy) will see that they can't expect miracles from an undernourished chamber of commerce. They will have to invest if they expect to have any returns.

We notice that our sister city, Dimmitt, over in Castro County, has taken on a full-time C of C manager this year. (Incidentally, they hired Bascom Nelson, former editor of the paper, and this is no hint.)

Those businessmen and civic leaders are facing up to the facts. It takes a well organized and financed program if anything is to be expected from a town's chamber of commerce.

Somewhat, people either can't (or won't) do much voluntarily these days. Oh, sure, they will pitch in for an hour or two — if you don't call on them more than two or three times a year. But to attend a meeting two or three times a month, to take an afternoon off at least once a month just for chamber work . . . well, it just isn't done, except in rare, rare cases.

All this is not criticism. It's just plain fact. People either are actually too busy and forget the matter, retiring to the comfort of the living room in the evening and the relaxation of the newspaper and TV set.

Friona responded marvelously for the 50th Anniversary Celebration last year. Everyone pitched in. We had something big, and everyone enjoyed performing his part.

But after the noise of the celebration died down, things settled back to routine matters. There were dull things like board meetings, and reports, and "think sessions." They aren't very inspirational, usually. They're just plain work. People returned to their living rooms.

That's the way it is. It's going to take money to get the job done. (Continued on Last Page)

Friona High School's basketball teams participated in the District 3-A tournament at Springlake last week, both teams bowing along the route. The Squaws, tourney favorites, were defeated 55-46 in the finals by Sudan, and the Chiefs bowed 56-38 to Farwell in the semi-finals.

Since the Squaws did win the double-round robin play, against district opposition, during the regular season, the loss forced them into the best two out of three playoff against the Hornets, which they are currently engaged in.

In the championship game of the tourney, the local lasses found themselves trailing Sudan by a narrow margin most of the way. The Hornets jumped ahead 16-12 in the first period and led 30-24 at halftime and 41-38 at the third-quarter mark.

Phyllis Dean and Robbie Boggess tied for scoring honors for the Friona team, both hitting 13 points. Johnnie Hand was next in line with 12. For the winners, Sinclair scored 24 points.

Friona advanced to the finals by defeating Springlake 67-54 in a first round game, while Sudan top-

ped Morton 66-47 in the semi-finals to gain its berth in the final game.

The Chiefs, considered a threat for the district crown because of late season showings, could never get rolling against Farwell and the Steers erupted for 23 points in the third period to pull away for the win.

The first half was close all the (Continued on Last Page)

★ PRESSURE TOO MUCH FOR COACH

Butterflies in the stomach and cold sweat in the palms is a common experience for basketball players—but too's pressure on others, too. The coach, for instance.

Baker "Red" Duggins, Friona Squaws coach, has been a little preoccupied since his girls are in the basketball playoffs with a district championship at stake.

Effects of the pressure to which he's been subjected of late have had some unusual results. For example, Sunday evening he was having some difficulty with his car's automatic choke.

After administering minor repairs to the car, he came out from under the hood and announced that the trouble had been corrected. He retired for the evening.

About three hours later, Mrs. Duggins roused from her sleep and heard a car running. It seemed to be parked in front of their house. She looked out, and saw that it was the Duggins' own auto.

The coach had neglected to turn off the engine after making his repairs.

Formal Opening Set For Clark's Station

Formal opening of Clark's Humble Service, Friona's newest service station, will be all day Saturday of this week. Malcolm Clark, formerly of Amarillo, is leasee.

Clark, who is married and is the father of one son, 18-month-old Mack, moved here with his family Sunday. They are living in the Loveless apartments.

The new Friona businessman formerly operated a service station in Amarillo, and is a graduate of the four-month Humble Training School in Abilene.

Favors consisting of green thumb plants for the ladies and nail clippers or key chains for the men, plus balloons for the kiddies, will be passed out from the hours of 6 a. m. to 10 p. m. Refreshments also will be served.

★ THE FRIONA STAR

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IN CHAMPIONSHIP GAME TONIGHT—Playing the Sudan Hornets in the second game of the District 3-A playoffs tonight at the local gymnasium are the Friona Squaws. By winning the Squaws will reign as district champions. Front row, left to right, Judy Barnett, manager, Lavon Dean, Phyllis Dean, Robbie Boggess, Phila Buske, Eva Thomas, and Peggy Taylor. Middle row — Carolyn Crump, Charlotte Bock, Lawanna Houlette, and Betty Agee. Back row—Baker Duggins, coach; Ruby Grubbs, Janice Bock, Lavonne Fleming, Sandra Skinner, Johnnie Hand, Jacquelyn Magness, and Paula Neel.

Friona's Fire Rate Improved by Change

Revision in the structure of basic rates governing fire insurance written in Friona has resulted in a considerable improvement that will save policyholders money.

The basic or key rate of Friona will now be affected by a five percent experience credit,

as compared with a 15 percent penalty that was applied last year. The changes will become effective April 1.

Dan Ethridge, a local agent, points out that the prime reason for Friona's jump from the penalty to the credit side of the ledger is the dropping of 1951 as a base year used to compute credits and penalties.

The fire insurance division of the State Board of Insurance Commissioners uses compilations for the immediate past five years. That means that the present credit is based on experience incurred in years 1952 through 1956, and does not include losses of 1951.

The reason that dropping 1951 is important to the city is because that was the year of the Friona School fire, and total losses were \$103,010, compared to premiums paid in the city of only \$15,612.

Friona has had no such disastrous year since then, although there have been serious fires. In 1952, total losses were \$2,615, compared with \$18,920 premiums paid by citizens. Premiums outstripped losses \$20,299 to \$6,720 in 1953, and the 1954 figures show that \$24,138 in premiums were recorded as compared with the light loss of \$823

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Mrs. Hollis Dies In Local Hospital

Mrs. Laura Ann Hollis, elderly woman but exact age unknown, died at the Parmer County Community Hospital at 10:15 Tuesday night. Mrs. Hollis had moved to Friona from San Angelo about 12 years ago.

The deceased is survived by her son, Pete, a city employee, and her husband, who is now living in Arkansas. Funeral arrangements, which are still pending, will be taken care of by Claborn Funeral Home.

Wonderful Response To Chamber Drive

"Wonderful" was the word J. C. Claborn used to describe response from Friona businessmen to the door-to-door drive for membership in and support of the Friona Chamber of Commerce, started last week.

A cooperative drive of the committees on finance and membership was launched about the middle of the week, after members of the groups got their heads together and decided it would be the best thing to do.

The membership list was revised, and adjustments were made

in the membership fee structure so that larger establishments are supporting a larger share of the financial requirements of the Chamber's work.

Charles Allen is financial committee chairman. Working with him are Mack Bainum and Newman Jarrell. Joe Ferrell is chairman of the membership committee, and is assisted by Ralph Roden and Hollis Horton.

These men, plus the chamber president and Joe Douglas, a director, participated in the joint ef-

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The Friona Squaws, disappointed in being tripped by Sudan in the district tournament at Springlake Friday night, but encouraged by their 42-34 rebound Saturday night in the first of a three-game playoff at Sudan, have another crack at the conference crown tonight (Thursday).

If they win over Sudan tonight, they will wrap up the District 3-A championship. Odds appear good that they can do it. They have beaten the Lamb County team three out of four times this year.

The first playoff game at Sudan Saturday night was similar to previous meetings of the two teams as neither enjoyed much of an advantage at any time. In a ragged first quarter, which saw both teams making bad passes and walking with the ball, Sudan recorded a 9-8 edge.

Both teams picked up in the second quarter but by the halftime the Hornets were still on top, 22-19. Sparked by Johnnie Hand's 10 points in the third period, Friona wrestled the lead from the home team and led 31-26 as the quarter ended.

Slowing down the tempo of the game in the early stages of the final period, the Squaws saw their lead dwindle to two points at one time. Sudan matched the local lasses basket for basket for several minutes, but in the late stages Friona pulled away for the eight-point advantage.

Hand accounted for 25 of Friona's points while Phyllis Dean had 10 and Robbie Boggess scored seven.

The Squaws were undefeated in (Continued on Last Page)

Nursery Opened By Glynn Hughes

Over 22,000 plants already have been brought in to the Glynn Hughes Nursery in Friona, the owner said this week as he announced the establishment of the new business here.

Located just outside of the city limits at the northeastern corner of town, the nursery will be watered by a four-inch well completed only last week. Hughes has purchased four and one-half acres for the enterprise, and in addition, has some more land north of town.

Hughes says he intends to stock all kinds of trees, evergreens, shrubs, and other plants suitable for this climate and will offer homeowners a wide selection.

He is a partner in a nursery at Kress, and has done landscaping work in Hereford in recent years. The local man has 11 years of experience in landscaping work.

Final Rites Held For Mrs. Alma Kleim

Funeral services were conducted at Claborn Funeral Chapel in Friona Saturday afternoon for Mrs. Alma Kleim, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. E. Habbinga, Friday. Mrs. Kleim, who was 88, had made her home with her daughter several years, and had visited here often during the past ten years.

Rev. Andrew Szegedin, pastor of the Lutheran Church at Hereford, officiated. Following the services, the body was taken to El Campo, Texas, for final rites and burial. Claborn Funeral Home was in charge.

Lions Meet Early; Will Attend Game

A program by an out-of-town group has been postponed and the starting time moved up to enable members of the Friona Lions Club to attend the Friona-Sudan girls basketball playoffs tonight (Thursday).

To begin at 6:30, the Lions clubbers will have a hasty meal and an abbreviated business session, then go as a group to the schoolhouse to see the contest, says Boss Lion Charles Allen.

Regular meeting time for the group is 7:30.

City Laws To Be Tightened

Enforcement of traffic regulations within the city limits of Friona is going to be strengthened in the immediate future. City Clerk Roy Wilson, who also is head of the municipal police department, made the announcement this week.

The announcement came at a time just as city employees were finishing with the installation of about 65 stop signs within the city. Realizing that it will take time for drivers to acquaint themselves with all locations of the signs and other regulations governing local traffic control, Wilson said, "We will be understanding—and we don't plan to start by being tough.

However, we're going to try to keep people from getting run over in the city, and we will have to enforce our traffic laws to do it."

About six months ago, the city commission ordered 50 stop signs and from time to time, as the city has been able to get around to it, these signs have been put up at busy intersections throughout the community. Most are clustered along entrances to highways that run through the city.

In addition to keeping an eye on the stop signs and how local motorists obey them, the city will edge into other important local

regulations, including those governing parking.

Wilson says the city police department is prepared to give tickets for violations, but that an educational program with safety as its goal will be the first requisite.

Until completion of the city hall a short time ago, Friona had neither court nor jail facilities to handle this type of local law enforcement. Also, the addition of a night patrolman has made it possible for the city to improve the efficiency of its police department.



NEW STATION — Friona's fourth new service station in as many months is this Humble station at the edge of the city limits on Highway 60 in western Friona. It is leased by Malcolm Clark, and the formal opening will be Saturday.

You'll Be Sorry If You Miss Friona's \$ Day!

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THE STAR'S EDITORIAL COMMENT

Not "Hick Farmers"

The Friona Star

The country-fied, bumpkin-type, seedy fellow with a battered straw hat and baggy overalls who draws corn-pone humor and passes the time of day while leaning on a fence along a country lane just isn't to be found these days—at least not hereabouts.

In spite of the efforts of moviedom and nationally prominent magazines to depict the farmer as a second class citizen, the farmer in fact of this area is proving to be as progressive as anybody—and more so than most.

We have in mind recent greatly accelerated activities in the Black rural community to the northeast, and the Hub community to the south. Both of these rural centers would press even as progressive a town as Friona to the wall for community enthusiasm an get-up-and-go.

Black came within a gnat's eye bristle of copping the state-wide Rural Neighborhood Progress contest last year, and from the looks of things, they'll end up with the blue ribbon for sure—sometime right away if not this very year.

Hub is feeling its oats, too. There, citizens are downright excited about prospects for a community center. The first thing you know, they'll have one, too, and one that the entire county ought to be proud of.

Many members of the local Lions Club,

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the chamber of commerce, and other civic minded organizations come from outlying rural areas. And they aren't short on modern ideas, either. Some of the country-bred folk are our best leaders.

So we see that Friona and other High Plains towns should stop regarding our surrounding rural communities as just farmland. There's more to rural living than just growing crops and sustaining consolidated schools in the larger towns that serve as economic centers.

Our neighbors past the city limits such as Black and Hub and all the others are bubbling over with ideas and help and initiative that are constructive for the growth of the entire area.

The next time you see a "country hick" portrayed on your television screen, toss a shoe through it. Whenever a magazine or newspaper pokes fun at the ignorance of farmers and their families, whack off your subscription. It just ain't so!

Double Ring Ceremony Read In Clovis Sunday

Standing before a background of greenery highlighted by a large basket of white and red gladioli, Miss Betty Minchew and Johnny Thomas Bagwell exchanged wedding vows at 2:30 p. m. Sunday in the Sixteenth & File Street Church of Christ at Clovis. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Minchew and Mrs. R. L. Truax, all of Friona.

William Walker read the double ring ceremony. Earl Roberts and Phyllis Treider sang "O Promise Me," "Because," "The Lord's Prayer," and "True Love."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of rose point lace with short sleeves, a boat neck, and a full gathered skirt scalloped at the bottom over satin and net. Her veil was attached to a bandeau of sequins and she carried a white Bible topped with stephanotis and rosebuds interspersed with seed pearls.

Miss Myra Smith of Carlsbad attended the bride as maid of honor. She wore a red lace princess style dress and carried a nosegay of red roses. Her accessories were white. Candelighters Kay Kirk and Barbara Crow wore white sheath dresses with red accessories and red gladioli corsages.

Bill Kearns of Denver served as best man and ushers were Larry Truax of Friona and Kester Odell of Denver.

Mrs. Minchew, mother of the bride, wore a navy dress with white trim and accessories. Her corsage was of white carnations. The bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Truax, wore a beige lace dress with pink accessories and a pink camelia corsage.

Wedding guests were registered by Beverly Camp of Buffalo, Oklahoma. Immediately following the wedding a reception was held in the Sky Room of the Silver Grill. Robbie Boggess and Lavon Fleming presided at the refreshment table. Wedding cake and fruit punch were served.

The groom is an airman first class and is stationed at the Air Force Academy in Denver, where the couple are making their home. He is a graduate of Dimmitt High School and Mrs. Bagwell attended Friona High School.

Out of town guests who attended the wedding were from Dimmitt, Lubbock, Carlsbad, Follett, Denver, and Buffalo, Oklahoma.

Club Members Exchange Recipes

Hub Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Mike Ruzicka Thursday afternoon. Those present exchanged favorite recipes. The last demonstration in the work simplification series was presented by Jinx Snead and Gennie Bingham. Mrs. Pat Fallwell gave an ironer demonstration. Several reports on the community center were given.

Those present were Ila Daniel, Mildred Walters, Dixie Johnson, Gennie Bingham, Jane Stacy, Christine Shirley, Melba Burleson, Jinx Snead, Taleta Mabry, and Lorene Robinson, who is a new member.

NOTES FROM THE

Hospital

ADMITTED: Cloys Stanberry, accident, Bovina; Mrs. Laura Hollis, medical, Friona; Kim Parr, medical, Friona; David McFarland, medical, Friona; Mrs. Jim Richey, medical, Friona; Mrs. Fred Barker Sr., medical, Friona; Mrs. Tommie Hamilton, o. b. Dimmitt; Mrs. Raymond Patterson, surgical, Friona; Larry Wayne Spring, medical, Bovina; Robert Williams, medical, Friona; G. B. Buske, medical, Friona; Roger Baxter, medical, Friona; Mrs. A. L. Martinez, o. b., Dimmitt; Mrs. L. Martinez, o. b., Dimmitt; Mrs. Burl Nix, o. b., Farwell; Jim

Roy Clements, medical, Friona; M. A. Black, surgical, Friona; Mrs. Vassar, medical, Friona; Mrs. Will Clark, o. b., Friona; Steve Buckley, T & A; Friona; Rodney Lucy, medical, Lazbuddie; Kenyth Cass, surgical, Friona; J. F. Messer, medical, Hereford.

DISMISSED: Noel E. Wood, Roger Baxter, Mrs. Burl Nix and baby boy, Jim Roy Clements, Mrs. Will Clark and baby, Mrs. Raymond Patterson, Rodney Lucy, Robert Williams, Larry Wayne Spring, Mrs. Fred Barker Sr., Mrs. Tommie Hamilton and baby girl, Mrs. A. L. Martinez and baby, Mrs. Vassar, Steve Buckley, J. F. Messer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cocannouer of Hereford were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd E. Crume, Jr.

Lingerie Shower Honors Kay Kirk

The Raymond Fleming home on West Loop was the scene of a surprise lingerie shower Monday evening honoring Kay Kirk, who became the bride of Delmer (Cotton) Renner Tuesday evening. Hostesses were Lavon Fleming, Phyllis Treider, Nancy Outland, and Janet Snead.

The entertaining rooms were decorated in pink and white. The serving table was centered with a bowl of pink flowers. The sweetheart theme was used in the decorations and featured a large pink heart with white lace trim and lettered "Kay and Cotton."

Those attending and sending gifts were Phila May Buske, Sandra Skinner, Ruby Grubbs, Judy Barnett, Lila Gay Buske, Margaret Mabry, Margaret Rhodes, Jacquelyn Magness, Betty Agee, Doris McFarland, Elaine Holcomb, Raye Jene Jones, Paula Neel, Johnnie Tomlin, and Mary Ann Stacy.

TREES GOOD INVESTMENT

The growing of trees is one of the best investments available today, according to the National Lumber Manufacturers Association. The association suggests tree growing as an excellent hedge against inflation, since the trees and the land on which they stand are likely to appreciate in value as the economy expands.

What's Doin' In Friona

Thursday, February 28

Blue & Gold Banquet at school cafeteria at 7:30
Lions Club at 6:30
Lakeview HD Club
Girls Basketball: Friona vs. Sudan, District playoff at Friona

Friday, March 1

Rhea Farm Bureau Pot Luck Supper
West Texas Band Concert in auditorium, 8 p. m.

Saturday, March 2

FHA girls to Amarillo
Formal Opening of Humble Station
Texas Independence Day
Drawing at 3:30 in City Park
National 4-H Week begins

Sunday, March 3

GOC meeting at Black
Revival at First Baptist Church closes

Monday, March 4

Public Schools week begins
Hospital board
School board
Ruth Class of First Baptist Church
Rhea HD Club
Friona Rainbow Girls
American Legion
\$ Day in Friona
Lazbuddie PTA

Tuesday, March 5

Friona Masonic Lodge
Modern Study Club
Wednesday, March 6
Ladies Bible Class at Sixth Street Church of Christ, 10 a. m.
Friona HD Club
Congregational Women's Fellowship

Thursday, March 7

Hub HD Club
Friona Firemen
Parmerton HD Club

Friday, March 8

Senior Class play
Hospital Auxiliary Pancake Supper
Girl Scout cookie sale begins

Parmer Retail Sales Double In Six Years

Retail sales in Parmer County approximately doubled in the six years from 1948 to 1954, statistics just released show. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce has published compilations from the area it serves that puts this county in a very favorable position, comparatively speaking.

Parmer County businessmen rang up 87 percent more sales in 1954 than they did in 1948. They tied their "sister county," Castro, in this as a percentage in gain, but our volume is greater than Castro's.

Receipts for Parmer County in 1948 were \$4,386,000. They jumped to \$8,204,000 in 1954, and the number of businesses increased from 74 to 85. In Castro County, 1948 sales were \$3,693,000 in 44 stores; in 1954, the total was \$6,920,000 in 59 retail establishments.

Deaf Smith gained from \$10,444,000 to \$16,889,000 in the six-year period for an increase of 61 percent and Bailey County went from \$6,726,000 to \$11,213,000 for a jump

of 67 percent. Hale County, with a farm income of over \$50,000,000 and the most moneyed agricultural county in Texas, had sales of \$49,447,000 in 1954. They sold \$35,157,000 worth of goods in 1948.

No statistics have been released for 1955 or 1956, but slightly higher figures are expected for both of those years. It was 1954 that saw the greatest development of irrigation in this area, and consequently the most sudden increase in population and net spendable income.

Follow Directions

Failure to observe manufacturer's directions when handling highly toxic insecticides and miticides is risky business, warn extension entomologists. Insecticide injury to man is most common through oral and respiratory intake or by skin absorption. The entomologists urge the use of special care when working with phosphorous compounds.

DOLLAR DAY SPECIALS MONDAY, MARCH 4

Monthly Roses	79c
80 Square Fruit of the Loom Prints	39c yd.
Bates Prints	98c
All New Spring and Summer Materials	
Dacron and Rayon Linen	\$1 yd.
Reg. \$2.98 to \$5.98	
Winter Blouses	\$1.98
Reg. 98c to \$1.98	
All Winter Material	59c
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V-P 620
Film
39c

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Phillips Milk
of Magnesia
69c

Caldwell's
Syrup Pepsin
\$1.20 Size
98c

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DOLLAR DAY SPECIALS MONDAY, MARCH 4

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69c Size Colgate Chlorophyll
Tooth Paste 43c.

\$1.00 Size Halo
Shampoo 59c

\$2.25 Size
Massengill Powder \$1.89

Richard Hudnut's Egg \$1.75 Size
Shampoo \$1.10

Caroid
Bile Salt
Tablets
\$1.25 Size
\$1.19

Bismarex
Powder
89c

Tussy
Deodorant
Cream
\$1.00 Size
50c

Big Value 100's
Envelopes
39c
Regular Size

\$1.00 Size
Jergen's Lotion
89c

59c Nylon Bristle
Rexall
Tooth Brushes
39c

Large Lustre Cream
SHAMPOO
\$2.00 Size \$1.59

Giant Size Colgate
Shaving Cream
Reg. 59c 43c

GET RIGHT VARIETIES

Corn planting time is just around the corner and that should mean, says Ben Spears, extension agronomist, giving consideration to the question of the best corn hybrid for your area. Dry weather cut corn yields in Texas last year, but adapted hybrids outproduced open pollinated varieties by 25 to 30 percent. Check with the local county agent, advises Spears, for the recommended varieties.

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Woman Missionary To Speak Tonight

A lady "circuit rider on wheels," the Rev. Miss Leila W. Anderson, Congregational Christian minister, educator, and home missionary, is making her second circuit of the United States, visiting local churches. Miss Anderson will be at the Friona Union Congregational Church February 27 to March 1. The program Thursday evening will be of interest to the family, and the public is invited. She will be at the high school Friday, March 1, 9:45 a. m. The remaining time will be given to interviewing of special groups.

Churches, Miss Anderson is making her trans-continental trip in a specially equipped station wagon named the "Pilgrim Circuit Rider." The Rider has a built-in office, display and storage cases, audio-visual equipment which can be used in the car, church school literature, books, mission material, leaflets, and pamphlets for distribution. Peter Piper, a blue-gray talking parakeet, accompanies Miss Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Shulk and Charles were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Guinn and family at Hereford.

Traveling under the auspices of the division of Christian education of the board of home missions of the Congregational Christian

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Scout News

GIRL SCOUT NOTES

Brownie Troop XI met at the J. G. McFarland residence Monday afternoon. The two leaders, Mary Sheehan and Gay Jordan, were present. After a game session, the girls were shown how to properly set a table. Then Susan Kay Carmichael served candy to the Brownies present. There were two new members, Cindy Ingram and Patricia Bartlett.

Brownie Troop X met at the Baptist Church Annex Monday afternoon. In observance of Girl Scout Thinking Day, each girl wrote a thinking day card. Refreshments of candy and bubble gum were served by Iona McKee. Her mother was a visitor. The two leaders, Mary Roberts and Edith Johnson, and 14 Brownies were present.

Brownie Troop IA members studied the Girl Scout Laws and Girl Scout Promise at their regular meeting Monday afternoon. Valoris Osborn, one of the leaders, read about the founders of scouting in America to the Brownies. After a lesson on knot tying for knapsacks, new officers were elected. They were Linda Joe Davis, president; Janice Cunningham, vice-president; Barbara Lloyd, secretary; Miranda Drenan, treasurer; and Linda Rector, reporter.

Members of Girl Scout Troop IX made plans for the program outlines for the month of March. Four things have been suggested as requisites for the month. They are (1) Look for something beautiful. (2) Do something useful. (3) Walk straight all month. (4) Do something for meeting place.

Plans have been completed for a fund raising project. The members of this troop will send new subscriptions to Reader's Digest at half price. Anyone interested is invited to call Mrs. Meryle Massie or Mrs. Jim McLean.

Dianne Jennings served refreshments to the leaders, Olive Massie and Pearl McLean, and the Scouts present. Portia McGee is a new member.

Senior Scouts met Monday afternoon at the Methodist Annex. The business meeting was called to order by Peggy Widner, president. The meetings which are to be held monthly in Lubbock were discussed. Plans were made for the troop to begin a benevolent project.

Faye Scales, Sally Hough, Carolyn Baxter, and Carolyn Parker were appointed to serve on a committee to send flowers to Scouts and friends who are ill.

Refreshments of cookies and punch were served by Mary Tom Spring to Janie Parker, Carolyn Baxter, Carolyn Parker, Maxine Lafavers, Frances McGlothlin, Marilyn Potts, Peggy Widner, Linda O'Brian, Geneva Floyd, Sally Hough, Faye Scales, Margaret Mabry, the leader Nora O'Brian, and one visitor, Mrs. Tommie Parker.

Party Honors Two Year Old

Mrs. David Smith honored her daughter, Sharon Sue, with a party in the family home Saturday afternoon from 2:30 to 4:30 in observance of her second birthday. After a game session, refreshments of cake and ice cream in the form of clowns were served. Favors were small baskets filled with candy and gum.

Those present were Dean and Karen Agee, Glenda and Vicki Mingus, Dixie and Anndrea Wilkins, Howard Rhodes, David Dee, Bob, and Karen Bales, and Mesdames O. C. Rhodes, Glen Mingus, Dick Habbinga, and Evert Bales.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Cooper of Kent, Washington, were overnight guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Nazworth Monday.

Plans Made For World Day Of Prayer

Fourteen members of the Congregational Church Women's Fellowship were present for the Wednesday afternoon meeting at the church. Grace Whitefield, president, had charge of the business meeting.

Plans were made for participation in the World Day of Prayer, which will be Friday, March 8. There will be no regular meeting of the group March 6.

The devotion was given by Mrs. Walter Loveless. Luella Maurer discussed activities of the church in Asia. She spoke on "War and Communism in Malaya and Indonesia." Mrs. C. G. Nelson recommended to those present that they see the TV program which will be on NBC-TV at 9:30 EST, Tuesday, March 5.

This program will be a repeat performance of Monganga, which was sponsored by the American Medical Association on November 27.

The hostesses, Frances Holmgren and Marie Sanders, served doughnuts, coffee and spiced tea.

Black Community Contends for Award

The Black Community has been entered in the Fort Worth Press Award for water conservation as the state's outstanding community. This community was selected for outstanding activities in Parmer County by the Parmer County Soil Conservation Supervisors for work done during the past year.

This award is given annually to the outstanding community in the state by the Fort Worth Press. A report and a narrative of the activities were prepared and mailed by the local SCD service.

Scouts Go Swimming

Sixteen Boy Scouts went to Canyon and went swimming at the WTSC pool Monday evening. They were accompanied by Jay Sanders, Earl Drake, Glenn Reeve Sr., Wesley Foster, Weldon Dickson, and Donald Watkins. Plans have been made for the boys to have use of the pool the fourth Monday night in March.

Local People Attend Scout Exposition

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Johnson and Larry, and Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Beene, Jay and Ramey, attended the Llano Estacado Council Scout Exposition at Amarillo Friday evening. After the displays were toured, a film on the national jamboree at Valley Forge, Pennsylvania, was shown.

Pack 56 of Friona used hobbies as the theme of their display. Some of the other booths showed the tying of knots, types of guns, raising pigeons, study of wildlife, wrapping of gifts, and making fires without matches.

Mrs. Eugene Ellis, accompanied by several Cub Scouts, visited the exposition Saturday. The booth displayed by local Cubs was pictured on television Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Carlton were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Wyatt at Melrose. The Wyatts are Mrs. Carlton's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Floyd and son, Clifford, of Loop were Saturday afternoon guests in the Glenn Floyd home.

New Residents

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Clack and son, Mark, are new residents of Friona. The Clacks, who are living in the Loveless Apartments, are from Amarillo. Clack is the operator of the Humble Service Station on Highway 60.

HOME ACCIDENTS HIGH

Home accidents cost the nation \$850 million annually. Someone is hurt every 7 seconds; one person is disabled each four minutes and a life is needlessly lost each 16

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Three Picked Up By City Officer

Three persons were picked up by Herman Helton, Friona night patrolman, last week. Last Friday night he arrested Earl Gordon Gilmer, 55, Muleshoe, who was driving a car. The arrest was made at Fourth and Main. Over two cases of beer were confiscated, and Gilmer was taken to the city jail for the remainder of the evening. It was 12:30 at the time. His companions, Johnnie Mae Davis, 29, and Earl Davis, 30, Negroes, were also picked up and jailed, but were released Monday morning without charge after questioning.

Gilmer was charged with driving while intoxicated in a preliminary hearing in Justice of the Peace Walter Loveless' court, and was remanded to the custody of the county, which has jurisdiction in such matters. Judge Loveless set his bond at \$500, which was posted and the man was released. Extension entomologists have prepared informational guides covering control measures for the worst offenders in the insect world. Copies of the guides may be obtained from the offices of local county agents and those recently released include stored grain insects, cotton insects and insects and diseases which attack fruits and nuts.



"WHY YOU NO GOOD SCOUNDRELS" — Getting the worst end of the above scene of the upcoming Friona senior class play are the men folk. Patsy Anthony, left, portraying a faddish old maid, verbally lashes Charles Beaton, who plays the role of a typical college Joe. At right, Doris Jane McFarland, cast as a man-hating maid, prepares to lambast Jerrod Sheek, who portrays a

March Is Month For Red Cross

March is the month for the annual Red Cross drives across the country, and preparation for the Farmer County effort are now underway, according to Wesley Foster of Friona, county chairman. This week Foster reported that only preliminary and incomplete plans have been made so far, and he does not know the details of how the campaign will be carried out.

However, he did say that this year's quota has been raised to \$1400 in the county, as compared with \$1150 in 1956. He said flood disasters in Eastern states are the principal reason for the increase. H. K. Kendrick is financial chairman for Red Cross work in Friona, but workers in other county communities have not been named.

In previous years, Friona has attempted to collect about \$500, Farwell and Bovina \$250 each, and rural communities of Rhea, Lazbuddie, Hub and Black, about \$100 each. Something on that order will probably be requested this year, believes Foster.

Friona Host To County Teachers

Friona School was host to teachers from all over the county last Wednesday night. A meal was served in the school cafeteria prior to a program in the school auditorium. A panel of Friona teachers discussed the salary amendment presently under legislative consideration.

At the business session the group voted to send five delegates to a preliminary meeting of a district meet at Amarillo March 8. Representing Friona at the preliminary session on March 7 will be Miss Peggy Hanson and Miss Tacy Smith.

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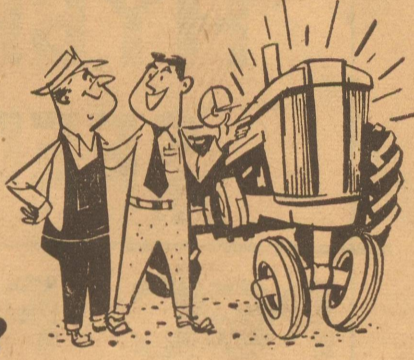
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Masons Honored Thursday Night

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The invocation was given by R. A. Hartsell, minister of the Lazbuddie Church of Christ, and the guests were welcomed by Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Charles, Worthy Patron and Worthy Matron. The response was given by Wendol Christian, Master of the Lodge.

Guest speaker for the occasion, H. C. Wynborn of Amarillo, was introduced by O. W. Rhinehart. He spoke on the life and principles of George Washington and also told of work being done by members of the Masonic Lodge, Shriners and Scottish Rites with the hospitals which they sponsor.

Wynborn also spoke on National Public School Week, which will be observed March 2-8. He urged all parents and interested people to visit their local schools during this week.

A vocal selection was given by the Star Trio, which is composed of Mrs. W. E. Williams, Mrs. Hodge Rigdon and Mrs. Reagan Looney. They were accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Mary Looney, Program chairman for the evening was Mrs. Otho Hammonds.

Following the program, Mrs. Charles escorted the guests on a tour of the building to show the accomplishments of the Masons and Eastern Stars here this year. Improvements include redecoration of the dining hall and rest rooms; re-upholstering of the hall furniture and wall to wall carpeting throughout the building.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Sam Rundell, Mrs. Carl Rea, Mrs. Ona Pesch, Mrs. Aubrey Brock and Mrs. Clifford Leake. Approximately 100 guests were present.

Tennis Practice Ahead

Workouts for the Friona High School tennis team are scheduled to get underway sometime this week, with prospects being exceptionally good, according to Coach Dempsey Watkins. The first practice session had been originally planned for Monday, but repairing of the courts has delayed the start.

Nolan Johnson, junior, will be Friona's singles racketman and in the doubles will probably be two of the following three: Burkie Hand, senior; Randy Dickson, junior; and Wesley Barnett.

Johnson was district champion in 1955 and went all the way to the regional finals before bowing, and last year the doubles team was district champ. With most of last year's group returning, Watkins expects a good showing from the squad this year.

No matches have been set yet, but later in the spring several matches will be scheduled as well as the district tournament.

Former Frionan Receives Award

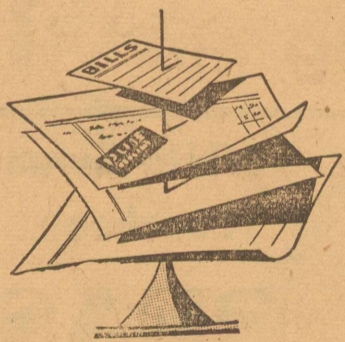
J. T. Guinn Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Guinn Sr., of Route 2, has been awarded a week of instruction at an Engineering School at Corpus Christi. The expense-paid trip by plane and the instruction was given to Guinn by his employers, the Celanese Corporation of America at Pampa.

After attending engineering classes at Corpus Christi, Guinn, who is now a resident at Whitdeer, will visit in the homes of Dr. and Mrs. Robert Blackwell and son and Dr. and Mrs. Bryan Morgan, all of Houston. Mrs. Morgan is the former Carmel Lee Guinn, and Mrs. Blackwell is the former Dorothy Nell Guinn.

Eagle Scout Richard Lee Chappell represents the Boy Scouts of America in the current United States Antarctic Expedition as a junior scientific aide.

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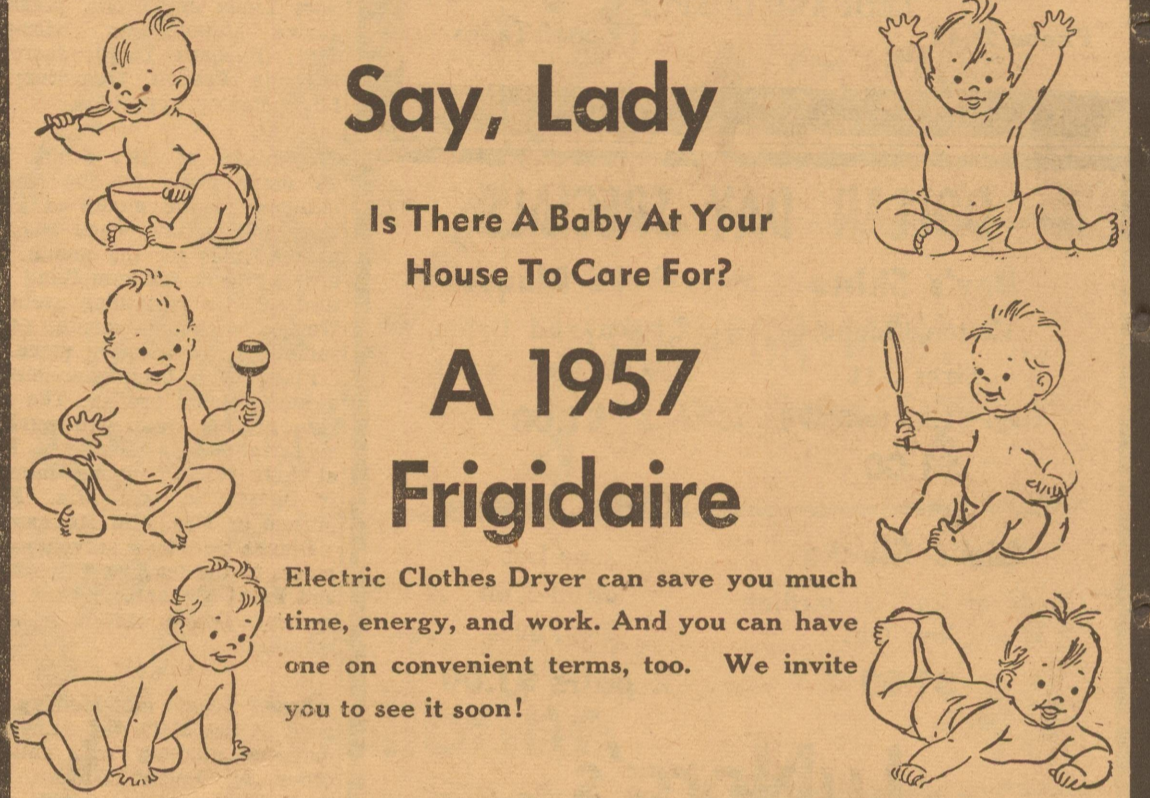
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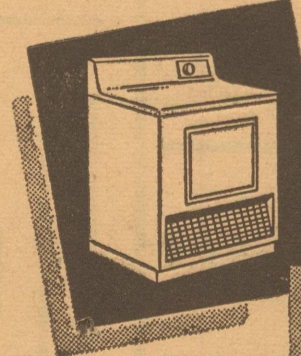
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Spring Urges Polio Shots Be Taken

Indicating his concern at the comparatively small number of children and adults who have had the poliomyelitis immunization series, Dr. Paul Spring, Parmer County health officer, this week urged parents to take advantage of the winter months to protect themselves and their families.

Dr. Spring said this week that he had first believed that the percentage of school children im-

munized was satisfactory, but that a check with school nurses had revealed otherwise.

"I'm surprised and somewhat disappointed," he said, "to see how many kids still don't have their shots."

In Friona, out of a total of 957 students, only 321 were found to have completed the series of three vaccinations. Mrs. Katherine Lockhart, school nurse for Farwell,

Bovina, and Lazbuddie Schools, reported last week that a total of 411 had been "shot."

The breakdown of statistics showed that Bovina has 86 students vaccinated, Farwell 207, and Lazbuddie 118. No enrollment figures were listed for the schools, but the number of children protected is less than the total who are unprotected.

Dr. Spring, a physician at Parmer County Hospital in Friona, this week said that he has designated Thursday afternoons from 2 to 5 p. m. as "polio shot time."

Announcements were made last week that the program has started, and 108 children were vaccinated. "We'll do nothing on Thursday afternoon but make shots until we catch up," he said.

He added that any person unable to pay the \$3.50 per shot should not delay having the series, because they will receive the vaccine free of charge.

"No certificate is required," Dr. Spring said. "All they have to do is just tell us they can't afford it." The vaccine is furnished free by the state for persons up to 20 years of age.

The county health officer said he urges everyone from age six months to 40 years to participate in the program. Emphasis is being placed on getting the shots taken care of before polio season sets in.

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Rodens Have Guests

Weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Roden and children were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baldwin of El Paso. Baldwin and Roden are cousins.

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Buske Twins Host Sunday School Dinner

Phila May and Lila Gay Buske, daughters of the G. B. Buskes, were hostesses to a Sunday dinner in their home for the young people's department of the First Baptist Church Sunday School.

Guests were Dr. John Freeman of Plainview, Rev. C. B. Hogue of Happy, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Stacy, Bomar and Mary Ann; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Buske, Lydia, Deniese, and Dave; Mr. and Mrs. Steve Messenger, Mike and Pat; John Hamilton, Helen Hamilton, Frank Woolbright, Eva Woolbright, Bobbie Stovall, Jimmy Maynard, Jerrod Sheek, Janice Miller, Barbara Hock, Eva Nell Thomas, Betty Agee, Raye Jene Jones, Jacquelyn Magness, and Darrell Thompson.

Club Meets In Renner Home

Hi-Point Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Lee Renner Friday afternoon with Mrs. Glen Mingus as hostess. Mrs. Renner and Mrs. Mingus presented the final demonstration in the work simplification program. The business meeting was presided over by Mrs. Floyd Rector.

Those present were Mesdames Elmer Oldham, Lee Renner, Lloyd Mingus, G. L. Mingus, Glen Mingus, Joe Brummett, and Floyd Rector. Hot punch and cookies were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Floyd Rector.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rector and sons have moved into their new home, which is located about one-half mile north and one-half mile east of their former residence on the Foister Rector farm south of

Tech Students Visit Here

Weekend guests in the G. B. Buske home were Mr. and Mrs. Andy Edmondson, Rick Styles, Barbara Smith, William Hamilton, Jeanette Cook, Joe Bob Hampton, and Deann Buske, all students at Texas Tech. The group had supper at Buske Saturday evening, then showed moving pictures and

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Front row, left to right, Judy Barnett, manager, Lavon Dean, Phyllis Dean, Robbie Boggess, Phila Buske, Eva Thomas, and Peggy Taylor. Middle Row — Carolyn Crump, Charlotte Bock, Lawanna Houlette, and Betty Agee. Back row — Baker Duggins, coach; Ruby Grubbs, Janice Bock, Lavonne Fleming, Sandra Skinner, Johnnie Hand, Jacquelyn Magness, and Paula Neel.

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Vega 31, Friona 55	Pep 41, Friona 66
Vega 37, Friona 52	Amherst 45, Friona 49
Bovina 40, Friona 47	Sudan 47, Friona 50
Bovina 48, Friona 54	Springlake 34, Friona 69
Whitharral 46, Friona 65 - <i>Final</i>	Morton 35, Friona 59
Bovina 44, Friona 53 - <i>" Final</i>	Farwell 48, Friona 75
Hart 36, Friona 48 - <i>Laz TOURNEY</i>	Sudan 35, Friona 43
Lazbuddie 79, Friona 50 - <i>"</i>	Springlake 36, Friona 56
Lazbuddie 61, Friona 49 - <i>at Laz 12-14</i>	Morton 49, Friona 59
Lazbuddie 78, Friona 54	Farwell 23, Friona 46

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Friona Motor Co.	Hurst Department Store	Kendrick Oil Company	Claborn Flower Shop
	Ethridge-Spring Agency		Black Grain Co.

'Wonderful' Response To Chamber Drive

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fort last week to get the ball rolling for this year's work. Adjustments of the membership structure make it possible for the Chamber to expect over \$4,000 in dues this year if it gets good support from businessmen—and President J. C. Claborn believes it will.

In addition, individual memberships will be sought at a later date to help keep the Chamber liquid. "I want to point out," Claborn emphasized, "that we didn't just go around to beg for money. I think that we accomplished just as much in good will and understanding about Chamber of Commerce work as we realized in

Squaws, Chiefs Fall In District Tourney

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way as the two teams battled to a 10-10 deadlock in the first period and by halftime the Steers had only a 20-19 advantage. However, while Farwell broke loose in the third period, the Chiefs could account for only nine points. The Steers increased their margin in the final quarter, hitting 13 points while the Chiefs connected for 10.

Wesley Barnett led Friona's scoring efforts, accounting for 10 points. David Willard of Farwell copped scoring honors of the game as he connected for 23.

CRACKERS—

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We're more than just a little excited to see the generous response of so many people who appear to understand the problems with which the chamber is faced, and what the solution will ultimately have to be.

It begins with a capital M.

To our readers, who raised their eyebrows over 12½ pages last week, and to Orval and Cotton Houser, who probably wondered what we thought we were doing we want to make an explanation.

It sounds almost fantastic, but somehow in the mad scramble to get the paper out, Houser's ad got scrambled with other ads that weren't to go in the paper, and was left sitting on a "dump" until the last run was on the press. We're embarrassed!

dollars and cents."

Retail, wholesale, and service businesses, plus professional persons on the prospective C of C list for the year number 115. Preliminary reports show that at least 41 memberships in the organization have been paid or pledged.

The Star will publish a complete list of the supporting membership when subscription efforts have been rounded out. Some of the earliest ones, though, to pay or pledge membership include:

- Gib's Cleaners
- Herring Implement
- Gaines and Smith
- Friona Star
- Brookfield Drilling Company
- Friona Wheat Growers
- Reeve-Chevrolet
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- Spring Grocery
- Friona Hotel
- White Auto Store
- White's Grocery
- Johnson Corner Grocery
- Kendrick Oil Company
- Bi-Wize Drug
- Farm Bureau
- Galloway Implement Company
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- Osborn Insurance
- Joe Douglas
- Mary's Cafe
- Smiley's Courts
- Friona Motor Company
- E. R. Day Gulf Service
- Foster's

Squaws Get Chance At Crown Tonight

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season play, which counted one-half of the championship. Their upset by Sudan in the district meet, however, necessitated a playoff.

If the local girls lose tonight, they still can take the third game and win district. A win tonight, however, would greatly ease pressure.

Sheehan Is Guest Speaker

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sheehan were guests of the Summerfield Study Club at a meeting Thursday evening. The club which met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kuper, was observing its regular husbands' night.

Sheehan, who was guest speaker, used for his topic of discussion "Estates and Wills." About 35 persons attended.

Nelsons Return

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Nelson returned home Sunday afternoon after a weekend trip to Wichita Falls and Coleman. They spent Saturday night in the home of a daughter, Mrs. Cecil Guthrie, at Wichita Falls. Then Sunday they attended the golden wedding anniversary reception of Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Morton at Coleman. Rev. Morton has been a Methodist minister 41 years.

There are 272,000 women serving as Den Mothers in the Cub Scout Program.

Cash Land Auction To Be Next Week

A cash land auction featuring 240 acres southwest of Texico will be held on the Dick Doshier farm Thursday, March 7, starting at 1 o'clock. Doshier, owner of the property, will be auctioneer.

The acreage has an 8-inch well, 6-room house, and cotton and wheat base.

Free coffee and doughnuts will be served. The sale is one mile west of the port of entry, and two miles south.

Friona Fire Rate Improved By Report

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to fire. Statistics for 1955 and 1956 are not yet available locally, but they are sufficiently under 1951's losses so as to result in a switch from the red to the black.

Those acquainted with the method used by the government to figure cotton and wheat allotments will see the similarity of this method to the "history" system used by the USDA.

The last year that Friona benefited from a 25 percent credit (the maximum allowed) was 1951. Immediately afterward, the penalty rose to 15 percent (also the maximum allowed) and has stayed there until now.

Ethridge says that legislation passed last year provides that rates cannot move up or down more than five percent per year from now on. Regardless of how bad Friona's fire record

may be in 1957, there will be no penalty next year. Regardless of how good the record may be, there can be a credit no larger than 10 percent in effect for 1958.

(This law was effective for this year, also, but special circumstances allowed Friona to rise more than five percent.)

Last September, the state fire insurance commissioners made a readjustment in Friona's key rate from 51 cents to 41 cents. The matter of penalties or credits has nothing to do with the key rate; it does, however, directly affect the matter of premiums.

The key rate (and other factors) are used to compute the property owner's premium. In the case of a \$100 premium, the owner will pay \$95 for his insurance, with the new five percent credit. The 15 percent penalty, on the other hand, meant that the \$100 policy cost \$115.

Weekend Guests

Weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Hartman were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Northcutt and children of the Garcia community, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clark and Janice Lynn of Summerfield, Mr. and Mrs. Tab Atchley and daughters, Kay and Ann, also of Summerfield. Janice Lynn Clark remained for a week's visit in the Hartman home.

Sunday guests in the R. E. Snead home were Mrs. Opal Powell and sons, and Mrs. Margaret Powell of Grady, New Mexico, and Geneva Floyd.

LETTERS To The Editor

Dear Editor:

We agree with the writer who asked the question, "Has our town gone to the dogs?"

Why can't something be done about these stray pests that are nothing but a nuisance to us? We are not allowed to shoot them, yet, when Joe or Moe take a notion to use our lawns, we have to like it. Maybe if nothing else can be done by our city dads or officials, we could start feeding these pests. It would be one good way to thin them out.

Some Disgusted Citizens (Names withheld by request)

TWO PERMITS ISSUED

Two building permits were issued by the City of Friona during the past week. The first went to the Friona Methodist Church for construction of two additions to their building.

One will be a 35x73 two-story structure, the other a 50x75 addition. The improvements, located at 304 East 8th, will cost an estimated \$72,000. G. A. Jones, Lamesa, is contractor.

Another permit was issued to Hop Lewis to erect a business sign over a public sidewalk on Main.

ARE YOU A SUBSCRIBER?

UNDERGOES SURGERY

Stevan Thornton, eight year old son of Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Thornton, underwent an emergency appendectomy at the Deaf Smith County Hospital in Hereford Monday afternoon. He was stricken Sunday night and was taken to the hospital Monday morning. His condition is reported to be satisfactory by family friends.

Mrs. Willard May and children of Hereford were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Oldham and children. Afternoon callers in the Oldham home were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Brookfield and children.

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FRIONA**
With June

The damp weather we had last week was wonderful and the moisture was appreciated by everyone. After a few nice days like Monday, spring yard and garden work is sure to get started. Tulips and some other early spring flowers are already beginning to come up. This is sure to stir the enthusiasm of some of our flower and vegetable gardeners.

One of the most amusing incidents we know about that was a direct result of our inclement weather last week involves the Ralph Wilsons. It seems that for the second time court was in session. Louisa was called to be examined for jury duty. On the appointed day as she was getting ready to go to Farwell, Ralph volunteered to go along as the weather was not nice enough for him to go about his usual farm work.

While Louisa was being questioned for jury duty on the petit jury, Ralph was leisurely biding his time and visiting with others who were passing through the courthouse corridor. Several times he had remarked that he just came over with his wife and would be ready to go home soon as she learned her status.

In the meantime a necessity

arose for some additional men to serve on the grand jury, and Sheriff Lovelace was dispatched to secure available persons. One of the first persons he called on was Ralph, so instead of the few hours he had planned to spend visiting, he was called upon to serve on the grand jury several days. Of course, Louisa was not needed to fill out the petit jury panel, so was dismissed and allowed to come home within a few hours.

The J. T. Gees have a new household pet. As if they didn't have enough beforehand, a new puppy has been added to their collection. Since the newest addition has to stay in the house, Mr. Gee isn't too happy about his presence.

One day recently Gee got into the pickup, which had been parked in front of the house, and drove out to the farm alone—or so he thought. When he arrived at the farm, he heard a noise that sounded like a cat in distress. After looking in nearby weeds and other likely places, he began to think his ears had deceived him and returned to the pickup. As he got nearer to the pickup, he became aware that the noise really was being made by a cat.

Upon raising the hood, he found one of the family pets in distress. After the errand Gee had gone on was completed, he and the cat (on the seat and not under the hood) returned home.

There were a lot of disappointed fans at the basketball game at Springlake Friday evening. From looking in the stands, it seemed

as if most of the supporters were from Parmer County. Fans from both Friona and Farwell turned out in large numbers to see their favorite teams play. In the opener Sudan girls won over the Friona girls. Then the Morton boys outscored the Farwell boys. Maybe it just wasn't a good ball playing night for the Parmer County teams.

The F. W. Reeves returned home from a trip earlier than they expected. He stopped by and chatted a few minutes one morning. According to his story, they decided to cut their vacation trip short due to the wet weather downstate. Our guess is that when it began to rain on them they felt sure it would soon rain in Friona and they didn't want to miss out on anything good that was going on here.

Too many parents were absent from PTA Thursday evening. The program was very interesting and instructive. Those who do not attend PTA are missing a good opportunity to learn more about what the schools are doing for the children.

Public Schools Week is coming up soon and that will afford all of us a wonderful opportunity to become better acquainted with the activities of the school. Let's all be sure to make arrangements now so that we will have time to visit school during this special week. We will surely be benefited by so doing.

Our weather here this winter has been unusually mild. Maybe that is the reason there are so many ducks on the lakes now. Perhaps they plan to spend the winter here so that it will not be far to their summer home when it is time to return. Several lakes we have noticed are almost completely covered with them.

Surely the farmers in and around Friona deserve a bouquet of some kind. In all of the conversations we heard last week, not one man was complaining about the wet weather. Several were heard to express a sincere desire for more moisture. Everyone seemed to agree that every little bit was appreciated.

Visits Relatives

Mrs. Daisy Bullard of Tulare, California, was a weekend guest in the home of her brother, G. L. Mingus. Mr. and Mrs. Mingus accompanied Mrs. Bullard to Higgins, Sunday. The group visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Mingus and other relatives and friends.



JUNE WEDDING PLANNED — Mr. and Mrs. Oman Ball of Cassville, Missouri, have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Darla, to Maurice Gaede, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Gaede of Friona. Miss Ball is a student at Draughan's Business University in Springfield, and Gaede attends the Missouri School of Mines and Metallurgy at Rolla, Missouri. Plans are being made for a June wedding.

Shrine Members To Meet In Hereford

Parmer County Shrine members will play an important role in organization of a new three-county Shrine Club, according to Hugh Moseley of Farwell, who estimated that 25 to 30 Shriners and their ladies will attend an organizational meeting and ladies night in Hereford Monday evening, March 4.

"An annual clinic for crippled and handicapped children will be sponsored for the boys and girls in Parmer, Castro and Deaf Smith Counties by the new club," said Moseley, who is a director for the organization. "Those who need

additional treatment can be channeled into Shrine and Scottish Rite hospitals," he continued.

Designed to specifically serve the three counties, the new Shrine Club will be composed exclusively of members within the three-county area, and will operate under jurisdiction of Khiva Temple in Amarillo. Dr. L. B. Barnett of Hereford is president of the club, while Reagan Looney and Aubrey Brock of Bovina are on the board of directors with Moseley.

"Every Shriner is invited to attend the organizational meeting," said Moseley. "A nice party and ladies night is planned. We feel that the new club, in addition to

**SECTION II
THE FRIONA STAR**

Friona FHA Group To Area Meeting

Members of the Friona Future Homemakers association will be in Amarillo Saturday attending a meeting of Area 1, composed of over 200 schools in West Texas. On tap for the day will be election of officers and a musical program.

Patsy Anthony has been elected voting delegate of the local group and will attend a meeting of the House of Delegates at Palo Duro High School for the purpose of naming the officers.

The program will consist of talent from all participating schools. Heading the program will be a

choir composed of a soprano and alto from each school, according to Mrs. Dalton Caffey, sponsor of the Friona group. Representing Friona will be Lavon Fleming, soprano; and Helen Hamilton, alto.

Also taking part in the program from Friona will be the Treblaires and the Blue Notes. Planning to attend the meeting from here are 69 girls and six mothers, says the sponsor.

Visitors from Iowa

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Hoover of Mount Air, Iowa, were weekend guests in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Drake, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Drake, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Drake. Hoover, who is a nephew of Mrs. A. O. Drake, has visited Friona several times and is always impressed with the huge elevators and the irrigation farming done here, reports Mrs. Drake.

The BIBLE Says

"AND PHILIP OPENED HIS MOUTH, . . . AND PREACHED UNTO HIM JESUS." (Acts 8:35) These words come from the midst of the history of a man's conversion as it is related in Acts 8:26-39. In this story there are many things which teach us vital lessons. Preaching "Jesus," though, and the result of such preaching arrests attention.

Can you imagine how the conversation went as the two men roared on together? Do you suppose the one spoke of the virgin birth of this one called "Jesus?" It is possible that he told of the time at age twelve when Jesus amazed the teachers in the temple in Jerusalem by hearing them and by asking them questions? Would he

pass by the opportunity of telling of the mighty works he had done in the land; how he had healed the sick, raised the dead, and comforted the sad? And above all else, would he not tell of the sacrifice of Jesus on the cross of Calvary for the sins of the whole world? This story of Jesus' death so all of mankind might live was the heart and core of early gospel preaching.

This man heard the simple story of Jesus and asked, "Behold, here is water; what doth hinder me to be baptized?" The teacher said, "If thou believest thou mayest." He believed and was baptized and according to Jesus' promise was saved. (Mark 16:16).

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Kraft Orange Drink	46 ozs. 3 for 85c
Kraft Caramels	1 Lb. 35c
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Tomato JUICE	300 Can 10 for \$1.00

Fruits and Vegetables

Central American Bananas	2 Lbs. 29c
California Lettuce	Head 13c
Large, Heavy Heads	
Ruby Red Grapefruit	Each 6c

Friona Students Make Honor Roll

According to information received this week, two local boys who are college students made the first semester honor roll at their respective schools.

DeWayne Neel was among 73 students listed by Dean Walter H. Juniper on the fall semester honor roll at West Texas State College. The scholarship group includes the upper five per cent of the undergraduate student body.

Neel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Neel of Friona, is a member of the student senate. He is a sophomore majoring in math.

Don Lewis, 1955 graduate of Friona High School, has been named to the honor roll of Midwestern University in Wichita Falls. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis and is a sophomore music major. To be eligible for this honor, a student must be enrolled full time and make a "B" average for the semester.

Lewis has also been chosen class favorite of the sophomore class.

Missionary Society Has Regular Meeting

United Pentecostal Missionary Society met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Frank Griffith for its regular business meeting and study. Following a short business session, which was presided over by Mrs. Griffith, the study was conducted by Mrs. F. L. Speir.

The afternoon study was based on the 16th chapter of I Corinthians. Mrs. Arthur Lutz read a poem titled "Don't Quit." A prayer in unison followed. The dismissal prayer was led by Rev. Arthur Lutz. Mrs. John Terry was given a gift for her new home.

Refreshments of cake, tea, and coffee were served by the hostess to Mesdames J. B. Buske, Kenneth Houlette, F. L. Speir, Arthur Lutz, Sam Rule, John Terry, P. W. Hughes, Ed Massey, Everett Deaton.

Also Rev. Lutz, who was a special guest; Mitchie and Randy Terry, Karen Hughes, and Patsy Rule. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Everett Deaton March 5.

FOREST CONSERVATION

Forest conservation means wise use of the forests and the growing of successive crops of trees on the same land, points out the National Lumber Manufacturers Association. This requires harvesting of mature trees before they fall prey to insects and disease, thinning of young stands to increase their growth and quality, and reforestation by planting or natural means.

News From LAZBUDDIE

By MRS. CLYDE MONK

PTA MEETS MONDAY

The Lazbuddie PTA will meet Monday evening, March 4, at 7:30 in the auditorium. Observance of Public Schools Week will be the theme of the program. A one-act play will be presented by the high school students.

To Observe School Week Here

Lazbuddie School will observe Public Schools Week beginning March 4 through the 9th. All par-

ents are urged to attend school as many days as possible. Parents are invited to eat lunch at the cafeteria.

Wednesday has been set aside as a special day for parents to eat at the school. On this day, all parents will gather in the cafeteria at 12:30 to eat in a group. Be sure to return the slips sent home by the students so that the women will be present. There will be no school March 8, as teachers will attend the annual teachers district meet at Amarillo.

Remember to visit school each day that you can. The teachers not only want you, but the students want to show you what they are accomplishing.

SUCCESSFUL SEASON

Basketball season has been completed with a very successful season. Both the boys and girls high school teams came out second at the district playoff. They are to be congratulated on their hard work.

Rain over the community was varied the past week with one-half inch in places and an inch in other places.

Mr. and Mrs. Tun Foster from Lamesa spent the weekend in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Foster Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Foster Jr. and boys. Mr. and Mrs. Dean Heard and children from Muleshoe joined the group on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Darling and children, Janice, Terry, and Evelyn, spent the weekend at Portales visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bates Jennings spent Sunday in Ralls visiting their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Scott and Ronald had as their guest this past week Bill Barnett from Hollis, Oklahoma.

Earl Mecham from Wood River, Nebraska, is visiting his daughter and family, the Frank Hinksons.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McGehee and children, Sharon, Patsy, Karen and Dennis, from Post, visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. John McGehee and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McGehee and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Savage visited in Plainview Tuesday, bringing their two granddaughters, Vinita and Seleice Savage, home with them. Mr. and Mrs. Cletis Savage came over on Friday and returned their daughters home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Nowell spent Sunday in Lubbock visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jaggers.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Steinbock are enjoying a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Billie Joe Whalin and children from Edwards, California. Mrs. Whalin is the former Theresa Steinbock.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harris and daughter, Barbara Ann, from El Paso, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Pyrtz.

HAS MEASLES

John Ward has been having a bout with the measles in which he came out loser as the measles settled in his ear drums and burst both of them.

Rodney Lucey, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Lucey, has been ill in the Friona hospital.

Sgt. Gerald Smith, who is sta-

tioned at Clovis Air Force Base, visited Thursday night with his brother, Jack Smith and family. Friday, Gerald and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Smith visited with a sister in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald D. Littlefield visited last week with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hollers, of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hambright had as their guests over the weekend, their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Hambright and three children from Midland, Texas.

Mrs. R. L. Jones and family and Mr. and Mrs. Sikie Watkins, all of Muleshoe, visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Watkins and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Briggs were in Petersburg, Sunday, visiting his parents.

P. D. Reed was seriously ill in the Friona hospital for a few days, but is at home resting comfortably at this time.

Approximately 125 persons attended the Farmers Union banquet held recently in the school cafeteria. Mr. Berg, who is a state vice-president of the organization, was the main speaker for the evening. James Welch gave a very interesting report on the Washington, D. C. bus trip that he made.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Leavell of Farwell, Miss Alice Gordon, and B. L. Wright were all Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cox and family.

Minister R. A. Hartsell reports they are having an eight-night training course on training teachers to teach at the Church of Christ.

Have New Son

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Davis are the proud parents of a baby girl born February 19. The young lady has been named Rita Sue. Rita Sue not only has her parents to spoil her, but also an older brother and sister. Mrs. Pearl Sim-

mons from Anadarko, Okla., mother of Mrs. Davis, is here visiting and helping care for the baby.

WMU Meets With Mrs. Don Cargile

The regular meeting of the Pauline Cammack Circle of the WMU was held Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Dan Cargile. The meeting was opened with a devotional from the 49th Psalm led by Mrs. Cargile. The Bible study was directed by Mrs. John Agee and the study was, "The Purpose of Gethsemane."

Refreshments of cookies and punch were served to Mesdames John Agee, H. G. DeLoach, F. W. Greene, Juel Treider, Wesley Barnes, Bert Gordon, Abe Malouf, A. E. Redwine, W. R. Broadhurst, and the hostess, Mrs. Cargile.

Celebrate Birthdays

Two birthdays were celebrated recently, honoring Richard Chitwood and Cooper Young. The en-

tire 7th grade was invited to the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Young for a valentine and birthday party. Supper, served by Mrs. Young and Mrs. Dee Chitwood, was climaxed by the cutting of the birthday cake.

Later in the evening the guests

were treated to a skating party at a skating rink in Muleshoe. Those attending besides the hosts and hostesses and honorees were Mr. and Mrs. Leland Ivy, Mrs. D. Brown and Mr. Harris of Hereford. Mr. Harris is the father of Mrs. Brown.

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Cotton Growers Meet Monday in Bovina

George Pfeiffenberger, executive vice-president of the Plains Cotton Growers Association, will be the featured speaker at a special meeting of the Parmer County Cotton Growers Monday night, March 4, in Bovina.

Pfeiffenberger, a former executive with the National Cotton Council and prominent worker for the recently organized Plains commodity group, will also present plaques and recognize leading 4-H and FFA boys in the county for their placings in a cotton growing contest sponsored by the local organization.

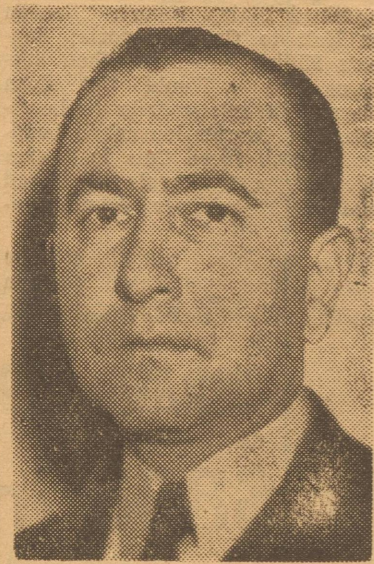
"We sure do want to have a nice crowd out for this meeting," said Arlin Hartzog this week, who is president of the local group. He indicated that the Lubbock cotton official will have things to say regarding the cotton industry that will interest area producers.

Pfeiffenberger has recently returned from Washington where he obtained first-hand reports on legislation and other national factors that will affect all cotton growers. He is informed on the current attempt to revise laws governing bracero labor and will touch on this subject.

County Agent Joe Jones and vocational agriculture instructors from the four schools in Parmer County will present boys who placed in the cotton growing contests, and the Lubbock man will hand out first place awards.

The meeting will begin at 7:30 and coffee and doughnuts will be served. Another attraction will be the appearance of S. N. "Sam" Reed, amateur magician.

"Because of the general participation in our program during the past year, all growers of the county are considered members of the Parmer County Cotton group, and are urged to attend," emphasized



GEORGE PFEIFFENBERGER

Hartzog. The only business on tap for the evening will be the election of two delegates to the area organization. These posts are currently filled by Hartzog and Woodrow Fleming of Friona.

"No funds will be solicited at the meeting," the president said.

Sesame Man Meets With Farwell Farmers

Robert Parker of the Texas Sesame Seed Association spoke to farmers gathered at Henderson Grain Company in Farwell Monday evening.

C. M. "Heinie" Henderson reported that the results of the meeting were "very satisfactory." An anticipated decline in grain sorghum prices this year is expected to revitalize interest in growing the ancient oilseed crop, which made its first appearance on the Plains two years ago.

A 1,500-acre tent city will house the Fourth National Scout Jubilee at Valley Forge, Pennsylvania, next July 12-18.

H. Demo Council Meets

The county-wide Home Demonstration Council held its regular monthly meeting in the home demonstration agent's office Tuesday. Mrs. Dee Chitwood, president, called the meeting to order. The roll was called and the minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. Walter Schueler.

Ten clubs were represented. There were 18 members and six visitors present. The president of each club reported on accomplishments made during January and February. Mrs. Walter Kaltwasser made a motion that the job secretary-treasurer be divided. Mrs. Lee Renner seconded the motion and it was passed by acclamation. Mrs. Kaltwasser was then elected secretary.

The council meetings will be held in Farwell during January, February, March, and April. The May, June, July, and August meetings will be held in Bovina. September, October, November, and December sessions will be held in Friona.

Delegates were elected to attend the recreation course at Farwell High School April 1, 2, 3. They are Helen Potts, Clyde Black, and Glendene Bailey.

The district meeting will be held at Palo Duro High School in Amarillo April 4. Delegates to attend this meeting were elected. They were June Brummett, Elizabeth Carmichael, and Inez Sherley. Helen Potts was elected alternate delegate.

A garden specialist from College Station will speak at Farwell March 12 at 2 p. m.

June Brummett was elected chairman to the THDA meeting. Following a council report by Gertrude Renner, the meeting adjourned.

Allocation For Programs Depleted

The original allocation for the long-range Conservation Reserve program for Parmer County, \$119,986, has been depleted, reports Prentice Mills, manager of the County ASC office. A total of 8,000 acres has been placed in the five and ten year programs, the manager says.

Even though the original allocation has been used up, the county office will continue to accept agreements on a first-come, first-serve basis until the deadline, which has been set up to April 15. It had been originally announced as March 15.

Each week the agreement applications will be presented to the state board for approval and possibly will be accepted, Mills says. The agreements will be accepted as long as more funds become available, he adds.

THE HAPPY HOMEMAKER

We have known for a long time that cutting sandpaper was a good way to sharpen shears, but had never thought of running pieces of it through the food chopper to sharpen it. Read that somewhere just a few days ago and plan to try it real soon. Sounds reasonable, doesn't it?

If some member of your family has to wear a cast on an arm or leg, you may have a problem at bath time. A plastic bag, secured firmly at the top after being slipped over the cast will make a good protective cover while a bath is being taken.

Don't forget that moths are on the prowl all the year. If you are thinking of storing your winter clothes, best insurance for woolens is to dry clean, then store in paper or plastic bags sealed with tape.

A few hours spent planning your vegetable garden now will be very worthwhile. By determining the amount of different vegetables that you want to eat fresh, can, or freeze, then adding some to share with neighbors and friends, you can approximate the number of feet of row space you need to plant in each variety.

Another thing that should be considered in your plan is repeat plantings so that you will have fresh vegetables over a longer period of time.

For something different and easy, try this Prune Cake: 1/2 cup shortening, 1 cup sugar, 2 eggs, 1 1/2 cups sifted flour, 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon, 1/2 teaspoon cloves, 1/4 teaspoon salt, 2 teaspoons soda, 2/3 cup sour milk, 1 teaspoon vanilla, and 1 cup cooked, pitted prunes.

Cream shortening and sugar; add eggs, beating well. Sift dry ingredients together and add to creamed mixture alternately with sour milk. Add vanilla and the mashed prunes. Bake in a greased, floured 9x12x1 1/2 pan at 350 degrees for 25 to 30 minutes. Ice in pan with favorite icing and cut into squares. If sour milk is not available, an easy substitute can be made by adding 1 1/2 teaspoons vinegar to 2/3 cup sweet milk.

If using pork roast leftovers is a problem at your house, you may want to try this recipe for Shepherd's Pie. 2 cups lean, coarsely ground cooked pork; 1/2 cup finely chopped onion; shortening for browning; 2 cups diced carrots; 1 No. 2 can tomato sauce; 1 teaspoon sage; 1 1/2 teaspoons salt; 1/4 teaspoon pepper; and 3 cups seasoned mashed potatoes.

Brown pork and onions lightly in hot fat in heavy skillet. Cook carrots in 1/2 cup water until barely tender. Combine pork, onions, undrained carrots, tomato sauce, and seasonings in greased, 1 1/2 quart casserole. Top with mashed potatoes. Bake in moderate oven for about 30 minutes or until potatoes are browned.

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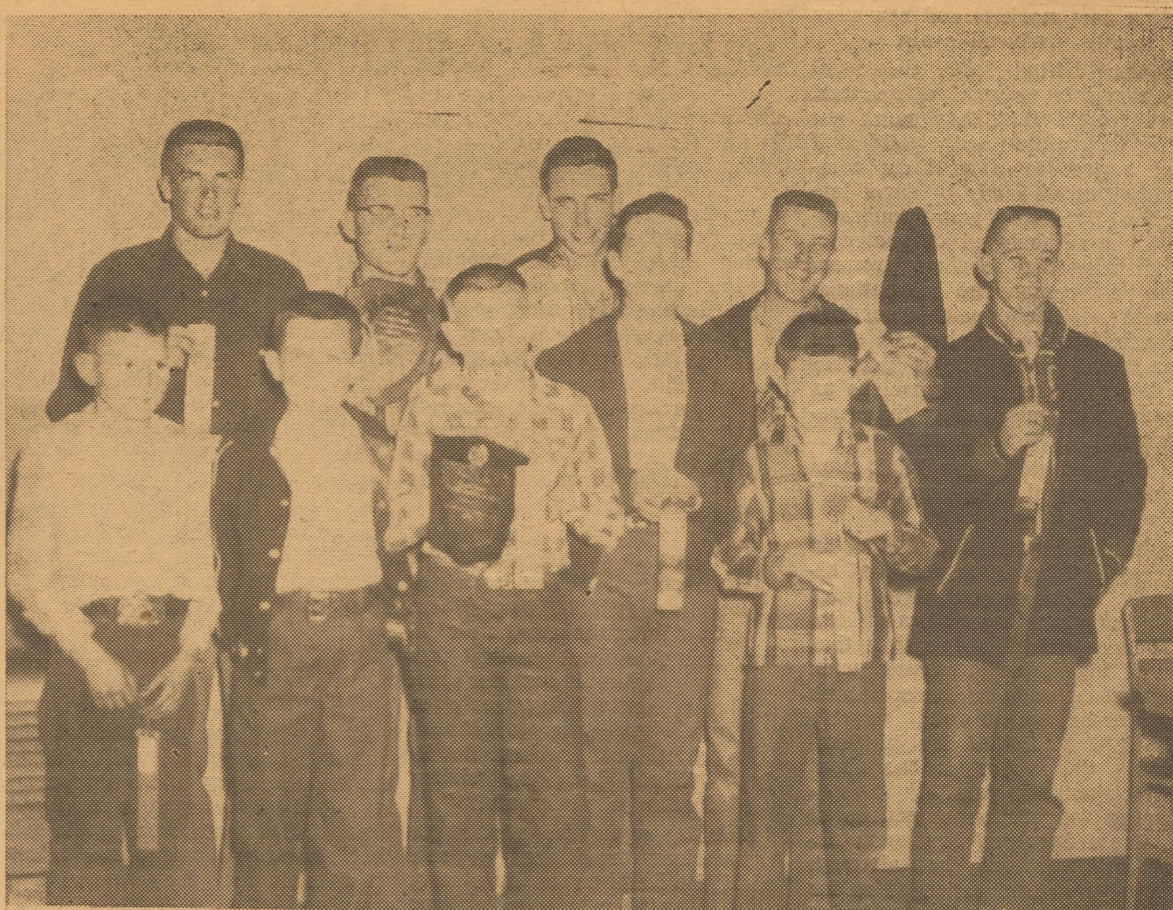
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CROP CONTEST WINNERS — These boys, members of FFA and 4-H Clubs in Parmer County, were recognized at a Monday meeting of the Parmer County Grain Sorghum Association for their performances during the past year. Back row, left to right: Ira Parr, Jimmy Mabry, Leon Wilson, Andy Fuqua, and Joe Hughes. Front row: Johnny Mabry, Joe Bob Johnson, Tommy Tatum, Rick Chitwood, and Randy Price.

Tells Feed Outlook At Sorghum Session

R. G. Peeler, Hereford farmer and president of the Plains Grain Sorghum Producers Association, Monday night brought county farmers up to date on the current situation of one of Parmer County's leading cash crops.

The meeting, which was lightly attended (42 present) also served as an awards session for county 4-H and FFA boys who have won prizes in the grain sorghum production contest sponsored by the local Sorghum Association.

(Names of 4-H winners and their yields appeared in last week's paper. The five top FFA boys: Jimmy Mabry of Hub, 6995 pounds; Andy Fuqua, Lazbuddie, 6527; Leon Wilson, Lazbuddie, 6296; Ira Parr, Black, 5850; and Kim Caffey, Friona, 5640.)

Peeler presented plaques to the top boys and all placing contestants were introduced by County Agent Joe Jones and J. T. Gee, Friona vocational agriculture instructor.

Previous to Peeler's talk on sorghums, Arlin Hartzog, president of the Parmer County group, com-

mented on problems facing grain sorghum growers, and was sharply critical of Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Benson.

Hartzog said Benson is a "secretary of agriculture," but not a "secretary for agriculture."

Peeler's first remarks had to do with a recent development in the Hereford area where Corn Products Company has sought contracted growing of 5,000 acres of white sorghum at \$1.90 per hundred.

He said that representatives of the company, who seek to make a starch product out of the grain, were snowed under with requests from farmers to participate, and ended up limiting participation to 50 acres per grower.

The sorghum official pointed out that such developments give a hint of what can be done in the case of

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Peeler drifted from the local situation into national affairs and told growers that they must get better acquainted with politics if they expect to have their commodity treated fairly by farm legislation. "Write your Congressman," he admonished his audience. Indicating that sorghum growers have a tremendous educational task ahead, Peeler pointed out that when in Washington, he and other representatives of Plains growers started referring to themselves as "feed grain" men rather than producers of grain sorghums.

"In Washington, they didn't even know what grain sorghum meant," he said.

Peeler briefed the attendants on current legislation, saying that although price support levels for grain sorghums have already been announced, it still is possible that special legislation governing grain sorghum acreage in the soil bank may yet be worked out.

He indicated that the bill embodying these changes has about a 50-50 chance to pass.

Peeler touched on objectives of the Grain Sorghum Producers Association, and said that although most of the effort expended so far has been in the direction of trying to influence legislation, the Association is interested in research and promotion for long range programs.

Response to the Association's request that growers contribute one-fourth cent per 100 pounds of grain they raise has been slow, according to Peeler.

He says that about \$3,000 has been raised in Deaf Smith County, but very little in Parmer County. The officer indicated that the Association would have no financial difficulty if a substantial part of growers would participate in this voluntary support of the only organization for the commodity.

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Bureau Launches Membership Drive

Twenty men and women, membership drive captains preparing for the annual Parmer County Farm Bureau membership kick-off Banquet March 11, met for supper at the Bovina Restaurant Monday night. Purpose of the meeting, according to vice-president Jack Patterson, was to complete lists of workers who will attend the banquet and solicit members the following days.

President Gilbert Kaltwasser, Farwell farmer, addressed the group briefly, outlining some of the farmer's problems, and Farm Bureau's efforts toward their solutions. He pointed out the fact that some few people still consider what they call the "sliding scale of government price supports" the major agricultural problem. But he asked, "What about the 'sliding scale of acreage allotments'?"

Enlarging upon the advantages of American traditions, he said that if the immigration laws were repealed, millions of people from every country on earth would stream into the United States. "Why are people of other countries so eager to come to America?" he asked. "Is it because they like socialism, or communism, or dictatorship, or is it because they seek freedom, opportunity, and the free enterprise system that has made America so economically superior to most other countries? I think it is clear to all of us that it is the latter American qualities they seek," he said, "because the others exist in the countries from which they come."

Farm Bureau is for free enterprise, with opportunity for men of every walk to profit by means of applied ingenuity with initiative, Kaltwasser said. He explained briefly Public Law 480, a Farm Bureau sponsored law that has, by increasing foreign trade in agricultural commodities in the last three years, meant \$400 annually to the average farmer.

"I appreciate the businessmen of my town, and other towns and cities," said Kaltwasser, "but I don't appreciate their insisting they know more about what we as farmers need to improve our busi-

ness than we do." He reminded those present that Farm Bureau is the largest farm organization in the world, and that the reason for its greatness is that farmers like those present are privileged to run it, with the staff of county, state and national levels obligated to carry out the wishes of the farm members.

Kaltwasser stated that although Texas led the nation in Farm Bureau membership gain in 1956, they need to gain another 5,000 members this year to be tops in membership in the South. He said Parmer County's goal is 650, and that he believed that Patterson and his fellow workers would surpass that figure.

Patterson, who presided at the meeting, said he believed it should not be necessary to have a membership drive every year for Farm Bureau, but that some people felt that someone should come to see them each time they renew their membership.

"I am sure that you people here tonight, and I, are as much interested in doing well financially as the average American," said Patterson, "but I am also sure we share the belief that our government should remain in the hands of the people, and that we farmers, instead of running to the government and asking what it will do for us, should tell our representatives what we are going to try to do for ourselves, and that we expect their cooperation."

At the close of the meeting, captains turned in their lists of helpers, who will be invited to the March 11 banquet in Bovina School cafeteria. Millard Shivers, TFB organization director, will be banquet speaker.

Attending Monday night were Gilbert Kaltwasser, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ellison, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Hough, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Bauer, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Williams, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. White, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Glasscock, John Henderson, Bruce Parr, and Raymond Euler.

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251 Acres Placed In Cotton Reserve

On Tuesday of this week, 251 acres had been placed in the cotton acreage reserve, according to Prentice Mills, Parmer County ASC manager. The average payment per acre in the cotton reserve program will be \$59 per acre.

Mills reminds farmers that March 1 is the deadline for farmers to place cotton acreage in the reserve program.

Texas broiler producers may receive higher prices for their birds during 1957 than was received during the last quarter of 1956 but extension poultry marketing specialists warn that supply and demand as well as other marketing factors will effect prices.

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By W. L. EDELMON

Somewhere in this column will be stated a mathematical problem for which \$1 will be paid by this newspaper to the first person who hands or mails in the correct solution showing the complete computation.

The full effect of the support price cuts announced for 1957 by Secretary Benson cannot be determined at this time because the supports for corn have not yet been announced. The support price of corn will have a definite effect on feed grains if any improvement over \$1.15 is set for corn. The feed grain support rates correspond on corn prices at approximately \$1.15 based upon equivalent feed values, therefore corn prices would help to move other feed grains unless corn prices wind up that low.

The 1957 support prices announced recently for feed grains shows the greatest decline of any of the commodities during the planned program of "softening supports" during the years from 1952 to 1957. Only cotton seed has taken a greater cut percentage wise (33%) than grain sorghum (26%) and barley (26%). The support prices for all the eight commodities are below present market prices. This is in keeping with Benson's policy of "collapsing" supports which shrink just ahead of falling "free market" prices. Benson and President Eisenhower have said they favor "price supports that will not accumulate surpluses".

This is only a deceitful, sugar-coated way of describing price "supports" that will not support prices. When surpluses exist, a government program that will not accumulate the surplus in the hands of the government by taking commodities off the market simply cannot keep the price from sag-

ging lower.

Although the rate of parity support is the same as that used in 1955, the 1957 support prices are actually lower in dollars and cents because the costs of farm expenses are higher than they were at that time. In our locality the cost of natural gas for irrigation has increased approximately 11%, butane 25%, new machinery 10%, as well as the other corresponding increases that we are familiar with. In addition to the cuts from the pre-election rates in stated "parity equivalents" there is the hidden cut that results from the changing parity formula that Benson is using to bring prices down to the free market level.

Two of the nation's top farm reporters, Ovid Martin of the Associated Press and Bill Blair of the New York Times, are now reporting that Secretary Benson's real goal is the elimination of all farm price supports. The Times headlined Blair's report: "Benson for Halt to Crop Supports; Suggests Killing Program When Surpluses End — Would Cut Corn Prods." Martin's story in the Louisville, Ky. Courier-Journal is headlined: "Still More Cuts in Farm Price Support Levels Believed Goal of Eisenhower Administration".

These headlines are about three years behind the stated position

of National Farmers Union as carried in its Washington News Letter of March 31, 1954: "It is now apparent . . . that the Eisenhower Administration is carrying out a coordinated attack against price support programs that can end only with the complete destruction of all effective supports."

"The broad strategy of this attack is, briefly, to turn consumers against farmers and farm programs, and to provoke economic pressures and political conflicts between producers of various commodities. The inevitable outcome of this strategy, if it is successful, will be to discredit and ultimately destroy farm price support programs altogether."

The problem mentioned at the beginning of this column is: raise 9 to the 9th power to the 9th power.

20 Wells Drilled During January

Statistics compiled by the High Plains Underground Water District, Lubbock, show that 20 irrigation wells were completed during the month of January in Parmer County.

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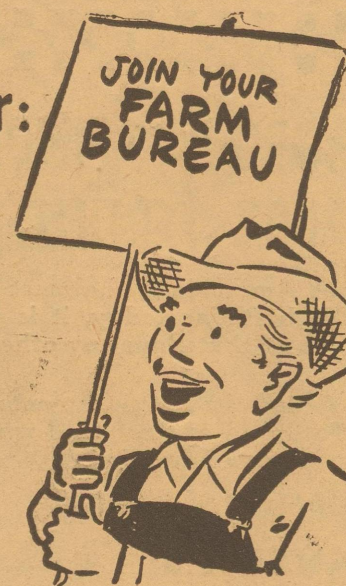
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The Parmer County Soil Conservation District supervisors held their regular meeting Monday, February 18. A. L. Black, chairman of the board, presented the

highlights of the National Association of Soil Conservation Districts Convention, which he attended in St. Louis, February 4-7.

Also, the district proposed to sponsor an essay contest in each of the schools in the district on soil and water conservation. Cash prizes will be given for the top four essays, and these presentations will be made at the annual Soil Conservation District banquet which will be held in September.

It was also planned to set up a committee of several businessmen from the various communities

to select the outstanding soil and water conservation farmer of the year in the district.

This presentation would also be made at the banquet in the form of a plaque.

We would like to call your attention again that trees are available for farmstead windbreaks. The district is making available Arizona Cypress trees, four to six inches in height, potted seedlings at 30 cents each in lots of 50 or more trees. These will be delivered on or about May 1. The Texas Forest Service is making bare-rooted trees available to us for wind break plantings at \$1.50 per hundred prepaid. Trees available are Arizona Cypress, Austrian Pine, Chinese Elm, Conocarpus, Red Cedar, and Honey Locust. You must sign up for these before March 1.

Delivery date will be around April 1. You can make application for these trees in Friona at the Soil Conservation office or in Farwell at the county agent's office. Time is short so don't delay!

We were certainly glad to see the moisture fall, and only wish that it could have been more! Our field work was slowed to a slow pace during the wet weather, but barring wind, rain, or snow, we will be on the move again. Many farmers are now in the watering stage over Parmer

County. Perhaps we can get some more of that natural irrigation in the near future.

Moisture Revives Wheat

A drizzly spell of over a week's duration has been credited with revival of prospects for this year's wheat crop. "Irrigated wheat is looking mighty good," reported County Agent Joe Jones this week.

No appreciable moisture was received during the damp spell (averaging from one-half to three-quarters an inch most places), but the temperate weather and damp air seemed to put green into dry winter crops.

Dryland wheat is still hanging on, although the agent says last week's rain is far short of what will be needed to make a crop. He also commented that the wheat shows signs of progressing a little too fast in growth for this time of year.

"It depends on what happens in April," he said, indicating that a late freeze in that month could seriously damage wheat that is well advanced.

It's Official Now: Ginnings 58,509

Estimates compiled by ginners, the county agent, and interested observers during the cotton season of last fall generally settled on a figure of 60,000 bales as Parmer County's cotton production.

Official statistics released this week by the U. S. Department of Commerce indicate these educated guesses aren't far off. Ginnings tabulated prior to January 1 show Parmer County gins had turned out 58,509 bales.

That is a big increase over 46,655 bales listed for the same time one year ago.

Parmer County's neighbors: Bailey, 72,989; Castro, 54,434; and

Deaf Smith, not listed. It is interesting to note that Parmer County's allotment was smaller than Castro's by several thousand acres.

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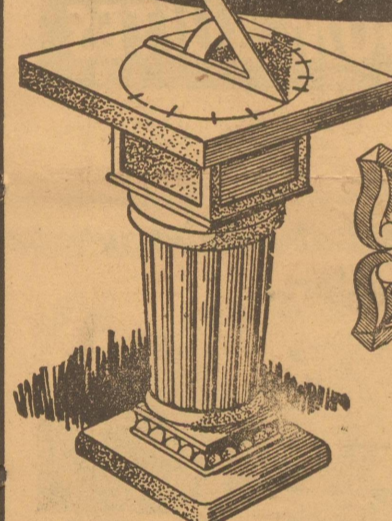
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NEWS FROM

Rhea

ATTEND SUPPER

A supper was given Monday night at the Bovina Restaurant dining room for Farm Bureau membership captains and their wives. Attending from Rhea were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Bauer. Jack is county membership chairman and Franklin is membership chairman of Rhea community.

HOME DEMO ACTIVITIES

Mrs. Walter Schueler and Mrs. Sarah Dean attended a council meeting in Farwell Monday afternoon.

Twelve home demonstration members enrolled in the advance tailoring workshop. Those meeting Monday night at the home of Doris Hall were Helen Potts, Jean Cox, Mary Gibson, Sue Smith, Oretta Schueler, Nola Drager, Velma Schlenker and two visitors, Mrs. Floyd Schueler and Riitta Jo Nettles.

Others enrolled not attending this meeting are Laura Sullivan, Sarah Dean, Laurine Jarecki, Martha Schueler, Dorothy Bauer, Marie Wall, and Ona Patterson. The group is divided into three classes. Instructors for the groups are Helen Potts, Doris Hall and Ona Patterson.

The next home demonstration

meeting will be held 7:30 p. m. Monday, March 4, at the home of Mrs. Jack Patterson. The program will be on "Freezing Foods."

COMMUNITY MEETING

A community meeting and the regular Rhea Farm Bureau meeting will be held at the Parish Hall Friday night, March 1.

The evening events will begin with a "pot luck supper" at 7:30 p. m. Immediately following the supper, a meeting will be held to discuss the possibility of starting a community building.

The public is invited. Each community member is especially urged to be present to voice his opinion.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Schueler and children went shopping and visiting in Amarillo Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schueler left Monday morning for an extended visit with friends and relatives in Indiana. They also plan to spend some time in Colorado. Visitors in the Ray Martensen home Thursday and Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Johannas and Mr. and Mrs. Arden Johannas of Nebraska. The Johannas are relatives of the Ray Martensens.

Mrs. L. C. Crews of Lubbock is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hall and children this week. Mrs. Crews is Doris Hall's mother.

Sunday Events

Mr. and Mrs. Andie Stroebel of Plainview visited with Pastor H. A. Stroebel. Mr. Stroebel is the son of Pastor Stroebel. He is a judge at Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Meeks and family of Vega, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Schueler were dinner guests in the Norbert Schueler home.

Mr. and Mrs. Florine Jarecki and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Sullivan visited friends in Spearman.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schlenker and children attended church in Hereford, later visiting with the Louis Hoffmans.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schueler and children spent the day at Sunday with Mrs. Schueler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Woolever. Vickie and Wayne Allen stayed with their grandparents until Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martensen and children and Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Bauer and children spent the day at Buffalo Lake.

PTA Goers Hear Panel Discussion

The feature of the Thursday evening meeting of the PTA in the school cafeteria was a panel discussion by members of the Student Council. The counselling program, which is new in the school this year, and the nursing program, also new here, were discussed by the group.

The meeting was called to order by Ella Lamb, president. She introduced the program chairman, Juanda Jarrell, who asked Mr. Cook to introduce those on the panel. They were Phyllis Treider, Pat Cranfill, Jacquelyn Magness, Adele Smith, Judy Barnett, Lavon Fleming, Raye Jene Jones, Phila Mae Buske, Loretta O'Brian, Dale Smith, Gerald Daniel, Gerald Floyd, and Nancy Outland.

Mrs. Elvie Jennings, school secretary, reported on pending legislation regarding the salaries of teachers in Texas and gave a comparison of salaries paid in different states. Superintendent Dillie M. Kelley discussed the proposed building plan which has been worked out by the school board. Those present were then invited to ask questions concerning the proposed bond election.

Kelley reported that several petitions are being circulated in the interest of the bond election. Anyone who has not signed one and desires to do so should stop at the Friona State Bank or at the Friona Wheat Growers elevator.

The nominating committee, which was composed of Mrs. Deon Awtrey, Mrs. A. L. Black, and Miss Peggy Hanson, presented nominations for officers for the coming year. Those nominated are Mary Sheehan, president; Juanda Jarrell, vice-president; Doris Sides, secretary; Edith Johnson, treasurer, and Tom Jarboe, parliamentarian. The election of officers will be held at the March meeting of the organization. Nominations may also be made from the floor at that time.

The next meeting will be Thursday, March 21, at 7:30 p. m.

Club Concludes Work Simplification

Friona Home Demonstration Club had the final demonstration in the work simplification series at the home of Betty Smith Wednesday afternoon. Blanch Woody and Betty Smith demonstrated the sprinkling of clothes and ironing of shirts.

During the business meeting, it was decided to begin the making of hats at the April 3 meeting.

Refreshments of hot chocolate and cookies were served by the hostess to Jo Nell Sims, Blanch Woody, Christine Williams, Edna Love, Celeste Hilton, Katie Stowers, Joyce Wilkins, Martha Roff, Mary Bandy, and Stella Varner, who is a new member.

Mr. and Mrs. Foister Rector and Linda were Sunday guests in the home of Mrs. Mabel Newberry and her brother, Lee Hopingardner, at Bovina.

NEWS FROM BLACK

AWARDS ANNOUNCED

Notice has been received by the Black Neighborhood Progress Club that this community has been selected to receive an award at the annual Texas Safety Conference to be held in Houston March 25-27. It has been suggested by officials that the community have a personal representative present to receive the award, which will be given in the Farm and Ranch section Tuesday morning, March 26 at the Rice Hotel in Houston. Representatives have not been chosen, but tentative plans are being made for someone to attend.

Guests In Bengier Home

Mrs. Gertie Latta of Fargo, Oklahoma, spent the weekend in the home of her brother, John Bengier and Mrs. Bengier. Sunday evening dinner guests in the Bengier home were Mr. and Mrs. Alan Bridges Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Alan Bridges Jr. of Amarillo, Mrs. Gertie Latta of Fargo, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Latta and

Mr. and Mrs. Loyde Brewer and sons, all of Friona.

From Midland

The Ground Observer Corps alert for the Black community, which was postponed last week, will be held Sunday, March 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Fern Barnett returned home Thursday after spending a week in Phoenix, Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Smith and daughter, Mary Paul, of Midland were weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Smith.

To Portales

Mr. and Mrs. Deon Awtrey and children, Ronny and Sharen, were weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. Awtrey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Graham, at Portales.

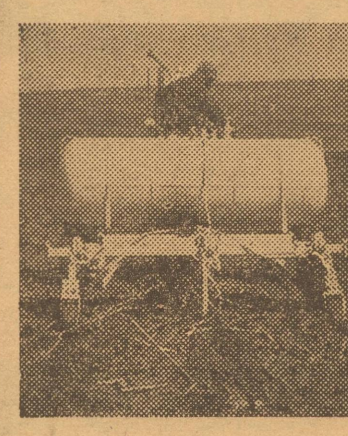
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